



### CONFLAGRATION LEVELS HOME

A raging conflagration which destroyed the home of Mrs. Charles Perry at Alberton South Tuesday night cast a fiery glow in the sky which attracted 100 watchers to the scene. However, onlookers could only helplessly watch the blaze which levelled the building and its contents in less than half an hour.

## Mayor Sees S'side Light Rates Being Lowered Soon

**SUMMERSIDE BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN**  
A belief that the electric light rates of the town of Summerside would be lowered soon, was made known last night by Mayor W.A. Currie.

The Mayor was addressing a meeting of the Summerside Lions Club. He did not elaborate, saying only that he believed the rates would be reduced shortly.

Mayor Currie also said that the town was losing money "hand over fist" on the Water and Sewerage Department, because the per capita consumption is away over the national average.

The high consumption was caused, he said, by leaky taps and toilets. He suggested that water meters may or may not be the answer to this problem.

He said that the Water and Sewerage Department is the only one that hasn't been overhauled in the past month.

The Mayor was addressing the club on the history and present economic conditions of the town from 1840.

**HIGHLIGHTS**  
Some of the interesting highlights of Mayor Currie's address were the facts that the oldest building in Summerside is the Hall Manufacturing Company;

the first electric lights in Summerside were installed in 1895; and the revelation that the original tax structure in the thirties and early forties was very low, at \$1.70 per hundred.

Mayor Currie stated that when the present council took over, the debentures for the three projects, the Civic Stadium, High School and auditorium had reached over the two million dollar mark and added that the only way to overcome such a deficit is by high taxes.

Mayor Currie stated the council brought in two assessors from Charlottetown who were experienced and whom he believed had done an excellent job, although he added there may be some inequality in assessing due to past mistakes.

### WESTERN GUARDIAN

**UNLOADING** Thursday carload of heavy oak puncheons with both heads. Waddell Bros, Craud.

**REGULAR THURSDAY** night dance, Canadian Legion, Kensington. Music by Mellowaires. Admission 50 cents.

**NOTICE:** No Trespassing or shooting by the public on the Toonies property at Lower Darnley. Signed Brenton Paynter, Long River.

### PERSONALS

Mrs. Jessie Cooke, Harvard Street, Summerside East, entertained on September Tuesday evening in honor of Francis Poirier. A beautiful dinner set with a bride to be, after which a lunch was served.

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His Worship showed the meeting a graph depicting the sources of revenue and disposition of the same for 1957 and gave a breakdown of expenditures and revealed how the rate was derived.

**OVERSPENT \$20,000**  
He stated that one department had overspent by nearly \$20,000 last year but due to the old type bookkeeping system this deficiency was not even noticeable until about two months later. He added there had been criticism of the expenditure for the new bookkeeping machines but added

they had saved the town considerable money as well as reducing the staff by three members.

Also Mayor Currie added that figures from each department are available each day by means of the new machines.

President King Lion Mercier Mullin presided.

### H. And S. Meets New School Staff

**SUMMERSIDE** - The president Ray Rayner occupied the chair for the opening meeting of the season of the Summerside Home and School on Tuesday evening in the meeting room of Civic Auditorium.

A minutes silence was observed in memory of Mrs. Leona Cameron, a teacher who had passed away since the last meeting after the repeating of the Home and School creed. Clarence Mercer, supervisor, introduced the new teachers of the staff for this year.

A ways and means committee was appointed from the floor, as follows: Mrs. J. Allie MacNeill, Mrs. K.R. Hobson, Mrs. Robert Schurman, Mrs. Dolor Richard and Mr. Livingstone.

**BURTON**  
Mrs. Elsie MacAulay and daughter Jeannie, of Tatamagouche, N.S. also Miss Irene Porter were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Collicutt, Burton.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Sillick, Cape Wolfe whose marriage took place recently at O'Leary United Church Manse.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Rogers and family of Toronto, are spending holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rogers, Gleggarry, and Mrs. Fern Blanchard Haliburton.

Mrs. Peter O'Halleran, Gleggarry, has returned from a pleasant holiday spent with members of her family in Toronto.

Mrs. Irene MacNeill of Boston, Mass., is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Roma Vetour, and Mrs. Edward Collicutt, Burton.

The many friends of Mr. Charles Garman, Burton, are pleased to learn he is recovering from an attack of flu.

Mrs. Gary Walker, her children Bobby and Sindy, of Toronto, also her sister, Miss Arline Corcoran, Piusville, recently visited with relatives in Burton.

Class-mates and friends of Miss Eileen Dalton, Burton, are pleased to know she has recovered from an attack of the flu and tonsillitis and is back to school again.

Friends of Mr. Patrick Griffin, Gleggarry, are sorry to learn of his illness, and wish him a speedy recovery.

Sister Mary Winifred, and Sister Mary Rita, of the order of St. Marthas, Charlottetown, spent the past two weeks in St. Marks Lot 7, and St. Bernardettes parishes, conducting singing and catechism classes. Great interest was shown in this very important project, the different classes were well attended.

Howard Dalton, his children Stella and Stephen, also his mother, Mrs. Eva Dalton, of RCAF Station, Summerside, were visitors to Burton on Sunday.

Stella and Wayne Howard, also Joseph Doyle, Students of S.D.U. Charlottetown, recently visited their homes in Gleggarry.

Miss June MacGregor, who is employed in Charlottetown, recently visited her home in Burton.

**MOUNTAIN BIRDS**  
Condors, black vultures of the Andes mountains, nest at heights of 10,000 feet or more.

### Kensington H. And S. Met

The Kensington Home and School Association held their first meeting of the season in the High School on Thursday evening, with a fair attendance. Mr. Austin Pendergast presided.

Mr. Elmer Power explained the need of more books for the school library and it was decided to will be asked to contribute either good used, or new books. Mrs. R. W. Auld was appointed campaign convener.

Mrs. L.K. Zielinski reported on the Federation's meeting held in Charlottetown last Spring. Mrs. Russell Furness read a "Thank You" note from Mrs. A.F. Mann for gift received, and also correspondence dealing with subscribing to "Parent" magazine. Mrs. Elwood Clark reported a bank balance of \$324.29.

The attendance trophy was equally merited by Mrs. Crozier's and Miss Greenan's class rooms. At the next meeting the new officers will be installed and the annual fees collected.

### Gamma Hi-Y Holds Meeting

**SUMMERSIDE**—Gamma Hi-Y Club held its meeting at the Y Centre, Green St., on Tuesday evening.

The opening Hi-Y ritual was followed by the worship led by Helen Bishop.

The new school crests were reported to be on order and to be on sale in two weeks time.

Mrs. Holland, Gamma mentor, requested the members to invite new girls to the next meeting. Any wishing to join are welcome.

Kathryn Logan, programme chairman, explained about the Alpha Hi-Y trophy sponsored this year by Halifax Beta club. The remainder of the meeting was spent in preparing this report.



### DISCUSSES Y WORK IN S'SIDE

Horace MacFarlane, Summerside, and Leslie Vipond, Ottawa General Secretary of the National Council Y.M.C.A. of Canada are seen conversing yesterday afternoon in Summerside. Mr. Vipond is on a 10 weeks tour of Canada on behalf of the Y.M.C.A. to acquaint himself with the problems of the local Y.M.C.A.'s and youth needs so the organization

### REGENT AS OF SEPT. 25

I will be occupying the office formerly occupied by Dr. Dubicanac in Tignish. Office hours: —  
Monday to Friday 2 to 4 p.m.—7 to 8 p.m.  
Saturday 2 to 4 p.m.  
Signed,  
**DR. R. L. FRIZZELL**

**THURS. - FRI. - SAT.**  
"Bowery To Bagdad"  
Leo Gorcey and Bowery Boys

"Girls On The Loose"  
Mara Corday, Lita Milan

**ATTENTION WEST PRINCE**  
TIGNISH - ST. LOUIS and VICINITY  
Starting Thursday, Sept. 25—a drug store will be open next to the residence of Dr. Dubicanac, Tignish, with D. B. Nicholson as pharmacist. Service to the community is our aim—Store hours are:—  
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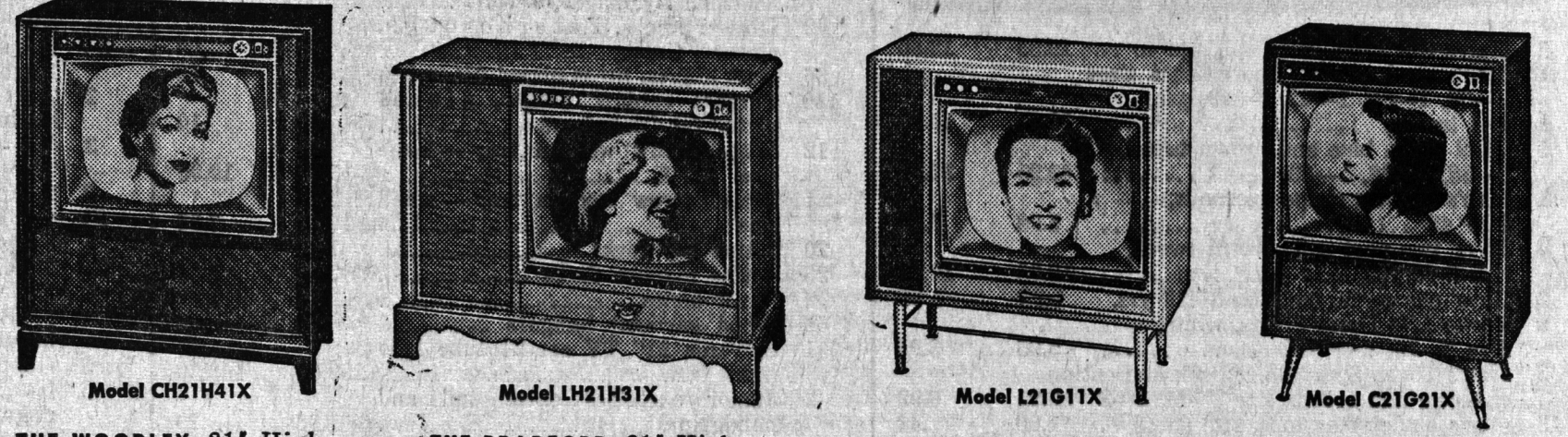
**The Alberton United Church**  
Men's Association  
is happy to welcome back Rev. H. B. (Jim) Jones, North Carolina.  
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