

EASTERN GUARDIAN

NEW YEARS Dance, Lower Montague hall. Good music. SKATE THE OLD year out, the new year in, Montague rink. W.I. AT MRS. Cecil Becks Wednesday Jan 2nd. at 3.00 p.m. LADIES Curling Club meeting this a terno at 4 p.m. At the Curling Club room. NEW YEARS Dance to-night, Lower Montague Hall. Dancin' 10: to 1 a.m. PLEASE NOTE: Mr. Lloyd MacKinnon, the artificial inseminator for Montague and district, Phone 180-14 instead of 121-24. IN TRAIN WRECK - A.C.W. S. MacDonald, R.C.A.F. son of Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon MacDonald, Montague, completed his basic training at St. Johns, Quebec, and is now stationed at London, Ontario. He was among the R.C.A.F. Personnel involved in C.N.R. Train accident at Brasseur Quebec last Thursday night. Mr. MacDonald received word that their son was uninjured

PERSONALS

Mr. David Mabon, Campbellton, N.B., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Catherine Mabon, Montague. Mr. Hector Vickerson, Watertown, Mass. is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Charles Vickerson, Montague. Captain J.R.B. McGuire a d Mrs. McGuire, Charlottetown, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacLaren, Montague. Miss Joanne Walterworth, student nurse at the Prince Edward Island Hospital, is spending a few days at her home in Montague. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Campbell, Mont Joli, Quebec, spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.F. Campbell, Montague. Mr. and Mrs. Eric Coffin and their young sons, Gary and Roger, of Halifax, N.S., are guests of Mr. Coffin's mother, Mrs. L.H. Coffin, Montague. Mr. Donald MacLaren, Montague is spending his holidays in Mont Joli, Que., guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Campbell. Mr. Harry Stewart, who has been employed on the "Fergus" is now visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stewart, Montague. Mrs. H. Drake, Meadowbank, is spending a few days in Montague, guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacLaren. Mr. Stephen Hessian, student at McGill University, Montreal, is spending the holidays at his home in Montague, guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.S. Hessian. Mr. Carl Reynolds, student at the University of New Brunswick is spending the holidays in Montague, guest of Mr. and Mrs. J.P. MacLeod. Apprentice William MacLure, Camp Chilliwack, British Columbia, arrived in Montague Christmas Day to spend a short leave with his mother, Mrs. Lester McKeeman. Pete, R.T. MacDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon MacDonald, Montague left by plane on December 29th for Egypt where he has volunteered for police duty at the Suez Canal. Mr. Douglas Johnston, student at the University of New Brunswick, is spending the Christmas holidays at his home in Montague. On arrival, he was accompanied by his friend, Mr. Baird Judson, Charlottetown, student at U.N.B., who spent a few days in Montague, guest of Dr. and Mrs. I.A. Johnston.

Montague's Mayor Yeo Gives New Year Message To Citizens

Mayor Bruce H. Yeo issued his annual New Year's greetings to the citizens of the Town of Montague and the following message. On behalf of the Town Council of the Town of Montague, I wish to report on the activities and progress of your Town Council during the past year. FINANCES A "Pay as you go" policy, adopted by the Town some years ago, has again been followed. Gross revenue has increased considerably, the bulk of this increase coming from a Federal Government grant in lieu of taxes on Government property in the Town which the present Council was successful in obtaining. This year we received \$3,128.00, of which \$2,370.00 was for school purposes. Assessed valuation of taxable real estate for 1956 amounted to \$733,300.00, an increase of over \$26,000 from the previous year, thus indicating the continued growth of our town. STREETS The sidewalk replacement program begun in 1955 was continued, with sidewalks being replaced on the Wood Island Road, where necessary, and on the main street from MacDonald Avenue to the bridge, where necessary, to bring the street in line with the main street, thus improving parking facilities and the general appearance and serviceability of the sidewalk. Several streets were resurfaced with light pavement and all other streets received the necessary attention to maintain their standards. Every effort is being exercised to provide the best possible winter travelling in the town while keeping the cost at a minimum. TOWN PROPERTY The Town Hall has been kept in good repair during the year and all available space has been rented to desirable tenants. The old Post Office building, acquired last year, has been unoccupied until this fall, at which time the lower floor was turned over to the local Junior Board of Trade to be used as a museum. There will be no cost to the Town in this project and it is our feeling that this museum, when opened in the spring, will be a definite tourist attraction to this community and is but another indication of our Town's progress. A lot of land was purchased during the year, to be held as a reserve dump site, should the present location become unavailable for any reason. FIRE DEPARTMENT The Fire Department, under the direction of Fire Chief, Douglas Coffin had a very successful year, in that of seven alarms responded to, not including the false alarms or out of town calls, in only one case did the loss exceed \$100.00. A buzzer alarm system is presently being installed in the homes of the firemen. This will bring the firemen to the scene of the fire before the general alarm is sounded and will also insure a prompt fire. During the year the department purchased an oxygen breathing mask, additional hose and other improvements. There are presently 20 men in the department, including the Fire Chief, Deputy Fred Vuozzo, hose Captains Joe Vuozzo and Ralph Beck, Chemical Captain Cecil Beck and first aid and salvage Captain Gilbert Clements. The Chief has reported that he has an average turn-out of 80 per cent to all fire alarms and regular monthly meetings of the brigade. POLICE The policing of the town under the direction of John White, operated efficiently throughout the year and had the co-operation of the local detachment of the R.C. M.P. In general, our town has had a most successful year and is looking forward to continued progress in 1957. In closing, I take this opportunity to express my sincere thanks to all for the excellent co-operation and assistance given and to express my wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year to all the citizens of Montague and to our many other friends.



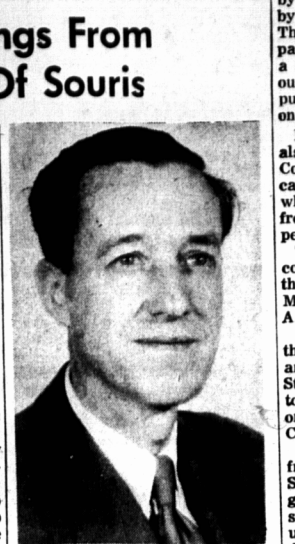
MAYOR BRUCE H. YEO

British Doctors Threaten Health Scheme Boycott

LONDON (Reuters) — A labor union of family doctors Friday night threw its full weight behind the British Medical Association's campaign to boycott the socialized health system unless all doctors receive a 24-per-cent wage increase. Dr. Bruce Cardew, secretary of the Medical Practitioners' Union, accused the health ministry "of wriggling out of its obligations."

Extends Greetings From Town Council Of Souris

Mayor Bruce L. Stewart on behalf of the Town Council extended best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year to the citizens of Souris in his annual New Year's message yesterday. "It is the way of human beings to mark milestones and this, our forty-sixth, is not the least," said Mayor Stewart. "History was made through energies expended in the fishing industry and by our dragger fleet which landed in Souris more than 1,000,000 lbs. of fresh haddock, cod, hake and sole per boat. "However, making history was not the main purpose, but rather we are concerned about this new way of life which has already transformed Souris into the fishing Capital of P. E. I., and the foresight of these pioneers who have brought this development to its present status have set the stage for town expansion, and we must maintain this progress and create greater prospects and open up greater opportunities for the future. "We all know that progress goes hand in hand with change, and with our town increasing in population, almost 400 in the last five years, changes were necessary if our new citizens are to be properly housed and their children educated. "Here we might add that Souris is happy to help so many High School students from rural areas who travel here each school day by bus in search of higher education. "In speaking of education, every citizen is proud of the splendid record set by St. Mary's Convent which for seventy-five continuous years has devoted time and talent to the training of students from this town and neighbouring areas. Many graduates from various parts of the world returned home to be present at the 75th birthday party of St. Mary's last August. "Our Elementary and High Schools are also playing their part in this great task of education for the future welfare of our children. Sands, is improving in health and is able to be up again. Mr. Howard White is recovering at his home in Wood Islands East from an attack of pneumonia. Sincere sympathy goes out to the relatives of Mr. Hubert Beck of New Glasgow, N.S. whose death took place recently. He has relatives in Little Sands. He formerly belonged to High Bank and was well known here. Miss Violet Daley, has recently returned to her home in Little Sands from Halifax. Miss Marian Hume, who is employed in Charlottetown was at her home in Little Sands over the Christmas holiday. Mr. Walter Dalziel died recently in Charlottetown. Mr. Dalziel was the station agent at Murray Harbour for several years. He made many friends there. Mr. Montie Livingstone, Little Sands, spent Christmas with his aunt, Mrs. Donnie Smith and Mr. Smith at Fraser Islands. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Gordon and family, Abney, spent Christmas at Mrs. Gordon's home in Little Sands. Her sister Miss Ellen, teacher at Parkdale, is also home for the Christmas holiday. Mr. and Mrs. Angus MacPherson, who are employed in Charlottetown, arrived home for Christmas Day.



MAYOR B. L. STEWART

Mayor Boudreault Greet The Citizens Of Georgetown

Mayor P. L. Boudreault, on behalf of the Town Council of Georgetown, extended greetings and best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year to the citizens of Georgetown. His Worship reviewed some of the accomplishments of the past year and looked forward with confidence and assurance to still greater progress in the year before us. He referred to the loss suffered by the town during the past year by the death of the late Councillor Thomas F. Benton, whose sudden passing removed from our midst a man who had served on numerous councils and whose record of public service was an admirable one. During the past year the council also lost the valued services of Councillor Emerson Llewellyn occasioned by his employment, which necessitated his absence from the town for a considerable period of time. To fill those two vacancies, the council was fortunate in receiving the nominations of Mr. James MacConnell, Jr. and Mr. Charles A. Fraser. Among 1956 projects cited by the Mayor were the street paving and sub-grading program. Gordon Street was paved from Kent St. to Victoria Street and thence north on Victoria Street to St. James' Church Cemetery. Two blocks of Gratton Street from Victoria Street to Fitzroy Street from Grafton North was gravelled. The various other streets of the town received the usual maintenance. Bridges and drains and culverts were also looked after. A considerable portion of new sidewalk was laid on Grafton Street, between Kent and Fitzroy Streets. Seventy-five theatre seats were placed in the town hall, adding greatly to the comfort of patrons attending motion picture shows and concerts. The town's fire fighting equipment was improved and replacements made where necessary. A new and large Dry Chemical Extinguisher was purchased. All major community facilities were kept in constant repair or were improved. MARINE SLIP His Worship referred specifically to the new government marine slip, which was erected and officially opened at Georgetown during the past year. He felt that the slip, which already has handled some fourteen ships, would contribute considerably to the industrial life of the town. For the coming year the street program includes the paving of Victoria Street, south from Gordon to Grafton Street and west on Grafton to Fitzroy Street. Sub-grading was planned on Kent Street, extending East from Water Street to the Marine Slip. The laying of a considerable



MAYOR P. L. BOUDREAULT

Man Without A Country Seems Doomed To Sail And Sail

VANCOUVER (CP) — Christian George Hanna arrived in Vancouver Friday, locked in a tiny cabin aboard a Norwegian ship on which he has been condemned to stay. The 23-year-old man is a person intelligent and has no criminal record, but he is not sure where he was born or who his parents were. And he has no citizenship papers from any country. It is his third visit to Vancouver aboard the freighter Gudveig since he stowed away in Beirut, Lebanon, 15 months ago. As in every port he has visited, he is locked

inside his cabin during the ship's stay and is not permitted to touch land. How long will Christian be kept at sea? "Until the ship sinks," said Hans Neilson, third officer of the Gudveig. Christian's earliest memory is of living as a boy in Djibouti, French Somaliland. He believes his father was a Liberian seaman and his mother a French Somali. Since the age of 15, he has wandered as a stowaway to hundreds of ports. Whenever he has touched land he has been taken into custody.

THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL Of The TOWN OF SOURIS TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY OF WISHING ONE AND ALL A HAPPY NEW YEAR BRUCE L. STEWART, Mayor. COUNCILLORS: J. ARTHUR PETERS, WENDELL R. BIRT, DOSEPH CAMPBELL, ELMER J. MACDONALD, JOSEPH CAMPBELL, WILFRED C. WRIGHT

World Wide

(Continued from page 4) food supplies in ruins of King Herod's citadel above the Dead Sea; and details of long desert-buried villages, south of Beersheba, that hint at once-prosperous farm communities in a more fertile land. In Jordan, north of Jerusalem, an American expedition unearthed the off-mentioned Bible City of Gibeon, while at another site east of the Jordan capital, Amman, a board of Stone Age weapons was turned up accidentally by a Point Four group working on an economic-aid program. A West German expedition looking into a Sumerian site on the lower Euphrates in Iraq (ancient Mesopotamia) discovered what appeared to be an important royal cemetery, with many human sacrifices. On two successive days came these announcements from Syria: The 4,000-year-old Mediterranean seaport of Semira (Simirra) had been found by Syrian archaeologists, and a British party of women had turned up a 3,000-year-old city north of Aleppo, near the Turkish border. Egypt's enormous collection of ancient structures and relics grew with the uncovering of a nearly 3,500-year-old temple near Thebes Necropolis west of the Nile, and the discovery of Queen Her-nell's tomb, built some 5,000 years ago in the sands of Saqqara, south of Cairo. FIRES BURNED IN ALABAMA New World archeologists looked to Russell Cave, Jackson County, Alabama, when an expedition of the National Geographic Society and the Smithsonian Institution found evidence of fires that burned there 8,000 years ago. Bones, tools, weapons, and implements carried the story of the cave's human occupancy from 8,200 B.C., or earlier, up to about A.D. 1650. Halfway down in the 14-foot excavation of stratified cave floor,

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CITIZENS OF GEORGETOWN WE WISH TO EXTEND TO ALL NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS With the Hope that the Year 1957 will bring you all Health, Happiness and Prosperity. MAYOR P. L. BOUDREAULT COUNCILLORS: RAY W. SOLOMAN, N. W. HANSEN, C. A. SCULLY, JAMES McCONNELL, Jr., L. S. BATCHILDER, C. A. FRASER

IT'S A NEW YEAR CRUISE OF FUN AND FROLIC AT OUR GALA MIDNIGHT SHOW JAMBOREE! TONIGHT AT 11.30 P. M. A Boatload of Stars... A Deckful of Darlings!... An Ocean of Love and Laughter! HIT THE DECK Broadway's hit musical hits the screen splashed with COLOR and sensational in CINEMASCOPE with STEREOPHONIC SOUND Jane POWELL-Tony MARTIN-Dobbie REYNOLDS Walter PIDGEON-Vic DAMONE-Gene RAYMOND Ann MILLER-Russ TAMBLYN-KAY ARMEN CAPITOL

GOES TO THE MOVIES TO SEE THAT CERTAIN FEELING DON'T PEARL BAILEY'S SONG AN' TH' ROMANTICAL SCENES VISTAVISION GIVE YO' THET CERTAIN FEELIN' LI'L ABNER? CHUCKLE! THIS PITCHER GOT MORE SURPRISIN' UNEXPECTED AN' ASTOUNDIN' STUFF IN IT THAN A BARREL O' KICK-A-POO JOY-JUICE!! WHEN AH GITS THET CERTAIN FEELING, NATCHERLY AH MAKE A PRE-DICK-SHUN. AH PREDICTS THIS PITCHER WILL MAKE YO' LAUGH SOB, AND WHOOP IT UP!!—THET IS MAH CERTAIN FEELING!!

MONTAGUE THEATRE Mon., Tues. Wed. Dec. 31, Jan. 1 and 2 Adm. 40-55 "BHOWANI JUNCTION" AVA GARDNER - STEWART GRANGER Finally, the really big show of '56. A suspense action story that will thrill you. A true story filmed entirely in modern Pakistan. One and all will want to see this. Really excellent movie. See. "A HAPPY NEW YEAR."

TOWN OF MONTAGUE NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS TO THE CITIZENS MAYOR BRUCE H. YEO Councillors: Doug McGowan, M. C. Reynolds, Gilbert Clement, Arnold Vanderstine, Frank Greene, Claude Nicholson Our Motto—"Why Follow When You Can Lead"

TODAY and TUESDAY -- CAPITOL TWO KIDDIES SHOWS AT 1-3; EVE 7 AND 9 TUESDAY MATINEE AT 3 P. M.; EVENING 7 AND 9 It's So Hilarious! It's So Appealing... Your Heart Will Be Filled With A WONDERFUL Feeling! Bob in a role that's more fun than "The Seven Little Foys." Award-winner Eva Marie Saint in a delightfully different, glamorous role! BOB HOPE, EVA MARIE SAINT, GEORGE SANDERS. THAT CERTAIN FEELING Color by TECHNICOLOR