

Successful Little Theatre Party Held Last Night

One of the most successful "Studio Parties" ever to be held by Charlotte's Little Theatre Guild took place last evening in St. Paul's Hall when old members met new and had a jolly time together. The president, Mrs. W. E. Scatterly, welcomed the members and expressed pleasure at the large number in attendance.

Mr. Barry Bugden very capably acted as master of ceremonies for the evening, and after several impromptu skits which brought forth hearty laughter all had an hilarious hour playing "Cootie" with Mrs. Wilfred Gudmore and Mr. Eric McGregor winning the prizes for the highest scores. Membership returns made at last night's party augur well for a record attendance at this year's performances.

Mr. Roger Gardham very capably introduced in an amusing and novel manner the members of the cast of "The White Haired Boy" which is being directed by Mrs. J. P. Millar and is to be the Guild's first presentation for the 1954-55 season.

Last night's entertainment was covered by Mrs. Fred Rananhan with Mrs. B. H. Hughes, Mrs. B. W. Patterson and Miss Grace Campbell as members of the committee. Delicious refreshments were served, and the evening concluded with a sing-song for which Mrs. B. W. Patterson was the accompanist.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS
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BIRTHS
BURGOYNE—At the P. E. I. Hospital, Oct. 28, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Burgoyne, Grandville, a son.

MARRIAGES
DOWNE—STEWART—In Trinity United Church Study, on October 22nd, 1954, by Rev. A. F. MacLean, William Warren Downe to Katherine Emery Stewart, both of Charlottetown.

DEATHS
GALLANT—At Charlottetown on Thursday, Oct. 28, 1954, Mrs. Lucy A. Gallant, 23 Douglas St. in her 78th year. Her remains are resting at the Charlottetown Funeral Home, funeral notice later.

DEATHS
HOOPER—At the P. E. I. Hospital, Thursday, October 28, 1954, Mrs. Hammond Hooper, in her 84th year. Resting at her late residence, North Milton. Funeral from St. John's Church, Milton Saturday, October 30th at 2 p.m. Interment Milton Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

DEATHS
MONAGHAN—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Thursday, Oct. 28, 1954, James Frederick Monaghan of Charlottetown in his 70th year. His remains are resting at the Charlottetown Funeral Home from where the funeral will take place Saturday morning leaving the funeral home at 8:45 for Requiem High Mass at St. Dunstan's Basilica, Interment in the Catholic Cemetery.

DEATHS
MacNEILL—At the P. E. I. Hospital on Oct. 27th, 1954, Martin L. MacNeil in his 85th year. Resting at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Benjamin Livingston, Mt. Edward Road where funeral will take place tomorrow Saturday, service commencing at 11:15. Interment in Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Cardigan.

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EVANGELISTIC meetings will be held in Hazelbrook Baptist Church Monday, Nov. 1 to Friday 5th, 8 p.m., conducted by Rev. A. K. Herman, Middleton, N. S. Everybody welcome.

FREE CHURCH of Scotland Communion service, Oct. 31 Charlottetown 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m., with preparatory service Friday 8 p.m., Saturday 7:30 p.m. Rev. J. H. Bishop, minister.

BAPTIST Y.P.U. — The weekly meeting of the Baptist Y.P.U. was held in the Baptist hall. It opened with a judging of costumes and a ghost walk followed by Halloween games and a sing song. The business meeting and worship service followed. The meeting closed with benediction by Rev. F. Smith.

NEW GLASGOW Church of Christ service Sunday, Oct. 31, New Glasgow 11 a.m., Bible school 10 a.m. Cavendish 7:30 p.m. Rev. I. Judson Levy will begin an evangelistic campaign in Cavendish, Baptist Church commencing on Sunday evening and continuing through the week to Friday, Nov. 5 inclusive. Meetings at 8 o'clock. Special singing at all services. Everybody welcome.

SHOWING RESERVE CHAMPION — No Island short-horn herds will be shown at Amherst at the Maritime Winter Fair but Athol Roberts of Southport is showing the animal that has reserve junior male champion for him at Charlottetown this year. The youngster, Fairrange Charming, showed this summer as a junior yearling. Mr. Roberts has entered him in the sale that will be held the first of next week. In order to be eligible for the sale the animal must be shown in the regular class at the Fair.

CARD PARTY WINNERS — Following were the winners last night at the Card Party in Central Royalty Hall: Ladies' first, Mrs. Percy Carr; consolation, Rita MacMillan. Men's first, Ray Hambly; consolation, Carl Dahl. Door prize, Mrs. Henry Perry. Freeze-out, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perry. Tournament winners: grand prize, Mrs. J. McAleer, Sr. Ladies' first, Mrs. Henry Perry; 2nd, Mrs. Evelyn Crossman. Men's first, Leslie McGugan; 2nd, Erskin Gavin.

HALLOWEEN TEA — There was a large attendance at the annual Halloween Tea at the Kirk Auxiliary held yesterday afternoon from four until six o'clock. Fall chrysanthemums centered in a pumpkin formed part of the decorations which included yellow tapers. Convener of the Tea was Mrs. Gordon White. Pouring were Mrs. Lemuel MacKinnon, Mrs. W. C. S. McLure, Mrs. T. H. B. Somers and Mrs. R. R. Hurst, Mrs. Clive Currie was in charge of the dining room and Mrs. Sinclair MacKay was in charge of the kitchen. Present at the Tea was Mrs. Donald Campbell, president of the Auxiliary. A fudge table presided over by the Brownies under the leadership of Mrs. Stewart Chandler and Mrs. Donald MacMillan was a very popular attraction.

Personals
Mrs. J. E. Cameron, 260 Grafton St., has entered the P. E. I. Hospital, where she underwent an operation yesterday.
Lieut. Commander (R.) G. Spence and J. H. Scallion technician of H. M.C.S. Dockyard Halifax have been visiting this city for the past two days renewing old friendships. They expect to leave the province sometime today.

P. E. I. Club Elects Officers

Mr. A. F. MacIsaac was re-elected president of the Prince Edward Island Club of Halifax at the opening meeting held Tuesday, October 26 at the Council House.

Other officers for the coming year are: 1st vice president, Mr. Austin McKenna; 2nd vice president, Mr. Keith Cameron; secretary, Miss Margaret Byrn; treasurer, Miss K. MacLean; entertainment chairman, Mr. Edward Doucette; sick committee, Mrs. J. Stewart; publicity, Miss Frar Bachynski; ways and means, Mr. Edward Doucette; membership, Mr. Gus Arsenault; auditing, Miss B. Mosher.

Plans were made for a dance to be held November 19, and there was brief discussion on the New Year's dance.

P.W.C. Newman Club Meeting

The weekly meeting of the P. W. C. Newman Club was held Thursday, October 28th, at 8 p.m. The meeting was called to order by the President, Jerry Connors and opened by the Newman Club prayer. The minutes were read by the Secretary Joan Vall and approved. The guest speaker Monsignor McMahon spoke on the life and works of Cardinal Newman, who was the founder of Newman Clubs.

The Newman Club dance will be held the first week in November at the Rollway. A debate was planned for next week. The topic is to be "Resolved that girls shouldn't go out with boys who drink." This will be an open debate. The leader of the affirmative will be Joan Vall and the leader of the negative will be Eugene Wynn.

The special committee planned an Amalew night for next week. A Halloween party was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served and prizes were given for costumes.

SPIRITED DEBATE FEATURES POTATO MEETING HELD AT HUNTER RIVER

A hotly debated potato meeting, called to consider various aspects of the potato industry was held in Hunter River Hall last night. The meeting was presided over by Andrew Stevenson of Elliotts. Principal participants in the heated debates were Messrs. Leo P. McIsaac, Mr. Gillespie, a former Western Canada Farmer now living in the Hunter River area, Mr. MacPhee, former member on the Marketing Board and Messrs. E. D. Reid, Charlottetown, Austin Scales, Freeport, H. B. Willis, Charlottetown, Lloyd MacLeod, Brookfield and Harry MacLaughlin, Covehead. The heated debates ranged over various fields including the potato industry, wheat industry, fertilizer business, auditing and press reporting.

As has been customary in the potato meetings the speaker on behalf of the Marketing Board who last night was Mr. MacIsaac first outlined the plans and proposed advantages of operating a Marketing Board.

Large Attendance For Second Night Tells Y's Men Of Centennial Plans

Another large audience greeted the performers at the Community Centre last evening, when for the second night the L. Y. C. of Holy Redeemer Parish presented their variety concert. As at the initial performance Mary Lou Barnes in her Hawaiian dance brought something entirely new and highly entertaining to a Charlottetown audience. Miss Barnes wore a beautiful lei containing 250 carnations as part of her costume last night. The lei had been received from her relatives in Hawaii by mail during the afternoon.

As an added feature to the entertainment was the performance of George Weatherbie on the violin. Mr. Weatherbie was proclaimed provincial champion fiddler at the recent contest conducted by the Kinsmen at the Carnival. Miss Marlene Weatherbie who placed first in step dancing and her sister Leona who placed third at the carnival, were also on the program. All performers were of marked ability and gave indication of careful training and attention to detail in their endeavour to attain a high rating in the talent which is theirs.

Mr. Loman McAulay as master of ceremonies did a splendid job in keeping the program moving at a satisfactory pace.

He explained the pooling system and stated the reason for the Marketing Board was to get the true market price for potatoes. He stated that the speculative element in the potato trade has been quite a factor in determining the price of potatoes and that as a result the farmer were not getting a true price at the present time. "Another reason for the Central selling Agency is to have some protection in case we get into trouble again," he added. He pointed out how the Government had helped Island farmers last year because they had their own marketing board.

TWO QUESTIONS
He reminded the audience there were two questions on the ballot and that if the farmers voted out the selling agency they were voting out the board as well. "If the board is voted out I suggest it is probable that the Board will be taken over by a group of people who are anxious to get up."

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Tells Y's Men Of Centennial Plans

City Councillor Frank Storey, Chairman of the Charlottetown centennial committee, was the guest speaker at the weekly supper meeting of the Alpha Y's Men's Club in the Y. M. C. A. last night. The speaker gave a comprehensive forecast of the tentative schedule of events and plans for Charlottetown's one hundredth birthday celebration, starting new year's eve with two mammoth dances, and increasing with at least two monthly centennial events till the period May 15th, till September 15th, when the main celebration events will be held — with the climax on August 17th — and thereafter at least one monthly centennial event till the end of the year. The speaker said that up to the present, twenty conventions were slated for the City during centennial year with over five thousand people in attendance from outside the Province.

The speaker also outlined plans of committees set up for historical pageants, floats, sports, etc. and answered numerous questions from the Y's Men with regard to centennial plans. Co-chairmen of the meeting were Jim Haslam and Hiram Atkinson. Guests present were Ron Atkinson and George Andrew. The Club

Brig. Reid Honored At Testimonial Dinner



Brigadier W. W. Reid, D.S.O. E.D., (above) was the guest of honor at a testimonial dinner given by the officers of the Charlottetown Garrison held Wednesday evening at the Charlottetown Hotel.

The dinner was presided over by the Garrison Meas president, Major Temple Hooper. The chairman, Brigadier G. G. K. Peake, D.S.O. E.D., who read and presented an illuminated address to Brigadier and Mrs. Reid. This was followed by the presentation of three lamps by Major Roy D. MacGillivray, and also a bouquet of American Beauty roses presented by Mrs. Peake to Mrs. Reid. The above was on behalf of the Garrison Officers of the Reserve Militia of P.E.I.

Brigadier Reid thanked the Officers on behalf of himself and Mrs. Reid for the beautiful gifts. The chairman then called upon Lt. Col. J. D. Stewart, D.S.O. E.D., and Lt. Col. F. B. Conrad, M.M. E.D. for a few remarks. Lt. Col. J. T. Davies, C.D., moved a vote of thanks to the Committee arranging the dinner and dance who were Major R. D. MacGillivray, chairman; Major Mike Campbell, and Major R. J. Mahar. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing, to the music supplied by the Legionnaires Orchestra.

President, W. R. Carson announced a district convocation of Y's Men in Summerside in mid-November and urged all members of the Club to attend. The thanks of the Club were extended to Councillor Storey by Hiram Atkinson. The Sing Song was led by Harvey MacPherson with O. K. Presby at the piano.

Address Of Thanks And Appreciation

Following is the text of the address presented to Premier A. W. Matheson at the recently ceremony marking the completion of electric installations between Bay Fortune and Annandale:

"Sir: "The energizing of the electric line extension, this evening under your Government's electrification program makes this a "Red Letter Day in the history of Bay Fortune, Howe Bay, Little Pond, and Annandale. The day when our dream of many years has become a reality. "We, the residents of the above named districts feel, Sir, that we cannot let this momentous occasion pass without expressing to you personally and to your Government our thanks and appreciation for placing our request for the erection of this line near the top of your program, and although unforeseen delaying circumstances arose from time to time our hopes were firmly anchored to the statement you made during the last session of the Provincial Legislature, when you introduced the Government's Electrification Program namely, "That the extension serving the District of Bay Fortune, Howe Bay, Little Pond and Annandale would be one of the first erected."

"We acknowledge tonight with sincere gratitude that you have not disappointed us. The lights burning brightly in this country side tonight bear eloquent testimony to the fulfillment of your promise.

"We believe Sir, that the energizing of this extension heralds the dawn of a new day for the districts served. "A day when the farmers toll will be made lighter, and when for the women in the homes, the innumerable tasks involved in house-keeping will be made easier and more pleasant.

"A day when many of our young people who have left our shores will return to occupy our seriously under-manned farms and restore them to their former productivity. "Truly, Sir, the availability of electric power has given us a brighter and more hopeful vision of the future of these districts and as we gradually take full advantage of the power now available to assist us in our varied vocations, we shall always remember with sincere gratitude, this day, and you Sir, who made it a reality.

"Signed in behalf of the residents of: "Bay Fortune, Ernest Underhay. "Howe Bay, Arnold Mills. "Little Pond, John G. MacDonald. "Annandale, A. J. McFarlane."

Presbyterian YPS Hold Island-wide Rally At Zion

Wednesday evening, an Island-wide Rally of the Presbyterian Young People's Societies was held in Zion Church Hall with approximately one hundred and fifty young people in attendance. The devotional period, conducted by the Presbyterian executive, was led by the President, Roddie Hickox. The Scripture lesson, Ephesians 4:1-16, was read by Davida MacEachern. Irene Mountain and George Johnson led in prayer. Hymns sung were "The Church's One Foundation," "Faith of Our Fathers," and "Onward Christian Soldiers." The pianist was Marlene Balderston.

A warm welcome was extended to the young people by the President, Rev. W. H. Brown introduced the guest speaker, Rev. Robert P. Carter, B.A., B. D., of Toronto, who is Assistant Secretary of the Board of Christian Education of the Presbyterian Church in Canada and who is doing Field Work in the Maritimes this Fall in connection with the promotion of youth programmes. Mr. Carter based his inspiring message on the text, "Now then we are Ambassadors for Christ," and in closing impressed upon the young people the need for the fellowship that is to be found within our Young People's Societies, urging that above all, this fellowship be made a place where all

that is highest and noblest is nurtured and encouraged. On behalf of the young people, Rev. E. H. Bean expressed a vote of thanks to Mr. Carter. The young people then enjoyed a social hour in the lower hall where the programme was in charge of Zion Y. P. S. Following the singing of "Blest Be The Tie That Binds," the benediction was pronounced by Mr. Carter, bringing to a close a most successful Rally.

Bethlehem Steel Declares Dividend

NEW YORK, (AP)—Bethlehem Steel Corp's board of directors declared Thursday a dividend of \$1.25 a share on common, payable Dec. 1 to holders of record Nov. 1, marking the fourth time this year that the firm has paid more than its traditional \$1 a share.

WARNING

Any person or persons destroying property within the Victoria Village limits, especially on Hallowe'en will be prosecuted.

Signed,
G. L. WOOD,
Clerk.

PUBLIC MEETINGS OF POTATO GROWERS

At the request of many farmers the undersigned have arranged to hold potato growers' meetings at the various centres listed below:—

- November 1st—Crapaud
 - November 2nd—Murray River
 - November 3rd—New Perth and Afton
 - November 4th—Kensington
 - November 5th—O'Leary and Tignish
- All meetings will begin at 8:00 p.m. Representatives of the Potato Marketing Board and Selling Agency will be present to discuss Board policies and answer any questions.
- Heber Canfield, Arthur Sherran, Charles Richards, James Cain, James Mellich, A. McIsaac, O'Leary Co-operative, Gregory McInnis, Leo Dorgan.

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FRUIT & VEG. DEPT.

- Macintosh Apples, for Hallowe'en, 4 doz. 95c
- Sunkist Oranges for juice, 2 doz. 75c
- Cranberries, 2 lbs. 35c
- Large Grapefruit, 3 for 25 or 6 for ... 45c
- Grapes, large red, 2 lbs. 29c
- Celery, 2 large for ... 29c

MEAT & FISH DEPT.

- Chicken, Capons, Grade A, lb. 45c
- Bacon, sliced, lb. 49c
- Beef Liver, tender, fresh, lb. 39c
- Roasting Pork, lb. 42c
- Pork Hocks, lb. 19c
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