

Repair Work At Bruce Stewart's

A heavy schedule of repair work ranging from placing steel plates on screws to converting a capstan from hand operation to electric power drive is now underway at the Bruce Stewart and Company plant here.

Currently tied up at the pier is a derrick and the dredge Shedd and the tug Shawanaga, all belonging to the Canadian Dredge and Dock Company, and two hopper scoops of the Dominion Department of Public Works.

The tug Frederickton, now tied up at the Marine wharf, has been undergoing repairs at Bruce Stewart's and is almost completed.

Another tug, the Glenlivet, has sailed for Pictou to go on the trip there, after which she will return for the completion of repairs started here.

It is one of the large capstans from the latter tug which provided an interesting job for the local company employees. The heavy metal turning apparatus was converted from a hand operated one to electric power drive.

Despite the installation of the electric power drive the capstan may still be operated by hand if necessary.

It is felt by Mr. H. MacLean, works manager, that the present wharf, with a few minor adjustments, provides an ideal place for the building of the long awaited marine slip.

Building of such a slip would permit the carrying on of many repair jobs for which ships must now go to Pictou.

ESCAPE IN FIRE

MINTO, N.B., May 2 (CP) — Mrs. Peter Meunier and her five children, ranging from four to 16 years old, escaped from their wooden bungalow at North Minto minutes before an early morning fire gutted the building.

CHILD KILLED

SAINT JOHN, N.B., May 2 (CP) — Three-year-old Wanda Sutton was killed near her home at Fairville today when hit by a truck driven by Raymond E. Cameron, Saint John. An inquest will be held.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES DEATHS

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BIRTHS

GREENE — At the Prince Edward Hospital April 23rd, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Greene, East Royalty, a son.

DEATHS

MACRAE — At Central Royalty on Wednesday, May 2, Andrew MacRae in his 97th year. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home, funeral notice later. Please omit flowers.

N.D. MacLean

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DR. W. H. SOPER has resumed his practice.

"PAPA IS ALL", Empire Theatre, Wednesday, May 9th. Admission 50 cents.

SATURDAY HALF HOLIDAY — Beginning this Saturday our office and scales will close at 12:30 for summer months. W. D. Gillis Co. Ltd.

STREET WORK BEGUN — Patching of city streets has begun with much of the work already completed on Brighton Road and Euston street. It is being carried on in other sections with some being blocked off to traffic to facilitate the patching.

PROTECTING SQUARES — City employees are busily engaged in placing in posts around King Square. This it is felt will help stop the damage to the Square by cars parking off the streets.

ON H.M.C.S. SIOUX — Three Prince Edward Islanders are now serving aboard H.M.C.S. Sioux on her way back to the Korean war theatre. In the crew of 251 officers and men are O/S. Henderson Harvey, son of Mr. Harvey Harvey, Cape Traverse; O/S. Donald McKay, son of Mrs. Annie McKay, New London; and O/S. Kennedy McCormick, son of Mr. Harold McCormick, O'Leary Station.

FISH STORIES — The Kennings-ton has been yielding some unusually large trout. Besides the big ones that got away a speckled beauty weighing three and one quarter pounds was landed by Miss Catherine Larkin of the staff of Larkin's Restaurant. This looked like a record until Mr. Stewart Peplin produced one weighing four and one quarter pounds. The latter was on exhibition for several days at Cotton and Rogers Market.

OBSERVE NATAL DAY — The Oddfellows and Rebekahs of Charlottetown celebrated their 132nd Natal Day by holding a variety concert with refreshments followed by dancing in the Lodge rooms last night. The program, under the direction of Mrs. Helen MacEachern featured violin selections, solos, chorus numbers, recitations, readings, sketches, and a one-act play. All numbers were of a high order and were enjoyed and applauded by a large and appreciative audience.

TO SPEAK AT HALIFAX — Hon. A. W. Matheson, Minister of Health and Welfare, will speak at the graduation exercises next week of the Maritime School for Social Work in Halifax. The exercises will be held in the Lord Nelson Hotel on Friday, May 11th. Miss Ethel Trainor whose home is at 271 Fitzroy Street, will be one of the graduates. She was a graduate of St. Dunstan's University in 1949, receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree. The course is a two-year post graduate one. Miss Trainor is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Trainor.

AFTERNOON TEA — The home of Mrs. R. J. Holman, Kensington was the scene of a most enjoyable social function on Thursday afternoon when the 1st Kensington Company of Girl Guides served afternoon tea to their mothers. The hostess who is Captain of the Guides was assisted in receiving by Mrs. J. L. Saunders. Mrs. Wilfred Taylor, President of the local association poured and the girls served looking very smart in their uniforms. Assisting also were Guider Mrs. Waldron and Mrs. J. L. Saunders who passed the girls for their 'hostess badge' which was well pleased with the manner in which they performed their pleasant duties.

ZION Y.P.S. BANQUET — On Tuesday evening Zion Young People's held their closing banquet. The guests included: Rev. G. C. and Mrs. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Blair MacDonald, Mrs. J. G. Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson. A delicious supper was served by ladies of the Women's Auxiliary. After the toast to the King, Rev. Mr. Webster proposed a toast to the Church. Margaret MacDougall proposed the toast to the Society; this was responded to by Young People's President, Joan Large. The toast to the country students was proposed by Roddie Hickox and responded to by Rena MacNevin. A lively sing song was led by Mr. Frank Johnson after which interesting films were shown by Earl and Keith Beaton. The enjoyable evening was brought to a close with the benediction pronounced by Rev. G. C. Webster.

CREDITABLE SHOWING — Mr. Edison Mutch, well-known Jersey breeder in North River, has just been informed by the secretary of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club that a heifer he sold to British Columbia a few years ago has recently been classified. River North Jester's Kay was classified "Excellent" in the herd of Guy Fowler a few days ago. Considerable credit is being accorded to the small number of Jersey cows that have been bred and owned by Mr. Mutch that have been similarly classified. It is certainly great credit

Key Census Officials Go To School Here

The key census officials appointed to conduct the ninth decennial census of Canada in the Province of Prince Edward Island are going to school this week.

Commissioners and Field Supervisors for the three counties are in session in Charlottetown with Mr. L. V. Redmond of Ottawa as instructor. Mr. Redmond is sent here by the Census Division of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. His duties are to train the local officials in the technique of census taking. The Field Supervisors will, in the near future, conduct classes for all enumerators who are appointed to do the actual work of taking the census.

It is understood that all appointed for positions as enumerators must successfully pass a preliminary test before they can qualify for the position of enumerator. Mr. Redmond is one of thirty-five instructors now across Canada giving the necessary training to officials who are about to conduct the most ambitious counting job ever attempted by the Census Division. He emphasized in all his lectures that the success of the census depends largely on the co-operation of the individual citizen.

In this tremendous and essential 1951 census, about to be undertaken, which will begin on June 1st, the census taker will be able to do his job only with the assistance of every citizen, as he helps Canada count.

Classes open here Monday morning and will continue until Saturday morning.

Starch Factory

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district met with the Premier. It is understood that another delegation, composed of a lobster packer and some lobster fishermen will meet with Premier Jones and discuss the matter today.

Statement by Col. Full

Col. G. Elliot Full yesterday released the following statement concerning the operations of the starch factory at Murray Harbour: "The Murray Harbour starch factory was closed as the result of representations from the Province based on complaints of a lobster packer and his fishermen. "Pressure" for the factory to reopen became heavy because of the fact that the starch factories at Hunter River and Baltic were operating at capacity (so far they have processed 85,000 bushels) and the factory then asked for further instructions and was told to reopen. "However, following these instructions, a great agitation developed against the factory's reopening and it was once more asked to close. "Yesterday (Tuesday), the factory was instructed to process merely what potatoes it had on hand. This processing is now going on. When it is completed, the factory will close until further instructions have been received."

Choral Reading

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Afternoon (P. W. C.) Class 68 — School Chorus (grades 1 and 2) "The Little Elf" (1) Rochford Square School, 84 marks; (2) Summerside High School, 81 marks.

Class 69 — School Chorus (Grades 3 and 4) "The Swings" (1) Summerside High School, 84 marks; (2) Rochford Square School, 83 marks; and (3) Prince Street School, 82 marks.

Class 70 — City Schools (Grade 1-2) Choral Reading; (1) Notre Dame Academy, 85 marks; (2) Model School, Grade 2, 83 marks; and (3) Model School, Grades 1 and 2, 82 marks.

Class 71 — City School (Grades 3-4) Choral Reading; (1) Model School, 82 marks; and (2) Notre Dame Academy, 80 marks.

Class 72 — City School (Grades 5-6) Choral Reading; Notre Dame Academy was the only competitor and received 85 marks.

Class 73 — City School (Grades 7-8) Choral Reading; Notre Dame Academy was the only entry and received 80 marks.

Class 74 — City Schools (Grades 9-10) Choral Reading; Notre Dame Academy was the only competitor and received 79 marks.

Class 75 — Church Groups, Choral Reading, Scriptures; (1) Junior Boys Central Christian S.S., Charlottetown, 77 marks; and (2) Junior Girls Central Christian S.S., 75 marks.

Class 76 — School Chorus (Grades 5 and 6) "Welcome to Spring"; (1) Prince Street School, 83 marks; (2) Rochford Square School, 82 marks; and (3) Summerside High School, 81 marks.

Class 77 — School Chorus (Grades 7 and 8) "John Peel"; Prince Street School was the only competitor and received 81 marks.

Class 78 — School Chorus (any grade, two part); "Early One Morning"; (1) Prince Street School, 86 marks; tied for (2) Rochford Square School and School Unit Number 1, with 83 marks; and (3) Summerside High School, 81 marks.

Class 79 — High School Chorus (two part, grades 9 and up); "The River"; School Unit Number 1 was to this Prince Edward Island breeder.

Personals

Hon. Forrest Phillips and Mrs. Phillips of O'Leary spent the weekend in Charlottetown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cameron, 260 Grafton Street, returned home last night after spending the winter in California and Vancouver.

Enjoyable Party For New Canadians

A party for New Canadians was held last night at the Legion Home and proved a huge success. Some 80 people, including employers and employees, attended. They enjoyed several hours dancing. Lunch was served. Music was supplied by Mr. Alex MacLean and his orchestra.

The event, first since Christmas, was arranged by the Canadian Citizenship Council, composed of the following ladies: Mrs. J. Walter Jones, Mrs. (Dr.) W. J. P. MacMillan, Mrs. S. G. Peppin, Mrs. Emma Bruce, Mrs. J. B. Murrely and Mrs. A. G. Putnam. Hostesses assisting in serving included, Mrs. Albert Wilson, Mrs. Lillian Corrigan, Miss Grace Campbell, Miss Mary Martin, Miss May Murphy, Miss Ruth Corrigan.

The Rotary Club sponsored the party.

Ladies Wednesday Afternoon Bowling League Closes

The closing meeting of the Bowling League was held in the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday. After "Grace" by the chairman, Mrs. F. M. Stewart, a delicious turkey dinner was served by the Y. M. C. A. Women's Auxiliary. A vote of thanks to the auxiliary was moved by Mrs. J. P. Clarke and seconded by Mrs. Smith.

The prizes were presented by Mrs. Guy Dalling to Mrs. F. B. Clark for high average; to Mrs. B. Andrews for high three; to Mrs. F. A. A. Mutch for high single; and to the individual members of the winning team—Mrs. F. M. Stewart, captain, Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. W. S. Brown and Mrs. Nora Irvine.

At a brief business meeting Mrs. F. B. Clarke was appointed chairman and Mrs. F. A. A. Mutch secretary for the coming season. The games committee will be the captains, Mrs. F. B. Clarke, Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. J. P. Clarke and Mrs. F. M. Stewart. Mrs. E. Haywood was chosen as convener of the entertainment committee and Mrs. May Vickerson to keep the record of scores.

After the business meeting several games of bridge were played. The prize winners were Mrs. Gordon Bennett, Mrs. Beirsto and Mrs. Irvine.

Egg and Poultry Marketing Report

Egg prices on April 27 this year and previous years: The prices quoted below are for Grade A Large. At Montreal and Toronto the prices are those at which graded shipments are selling to wholesalers. At other points quotations are prices to shippers for ungraded eggs.

Table with columns for 1951, 1950, 1949 and rows for Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Vancouver, Edmonton, Regina, Ch'town.

Weight of Live and Dressed Poultry at Registered Stations

Table with columns for Province, Week ending Apr. 14, Apr. 7, Mar. 31 and rows for B. C., Alta., Sask., Man., Ont., Que., N. B., N. S., P. E. I.

(1) Summerside Male Chorus, 85 marks; and (2) Charlottetown Male Chorus, 83 marks.

Class 37 — Women's Duet, (adult) "Come Gentle Spring"; (1) Mrs. C. W. Kipfer and Mrs. C. H. Mercer, Summerside, 85 marks; and (2) Carol MacRae and Mary Morrison, Charlottetown, 81 marks.

Class 19 — Men's Chorus (open) "Hulabaloo Belay"; (1) Summerside Male Chorus, 83 marks; and (2) Charlottetown Male Chorus, 82 marks.

Mr. John Leuty presided at the evening session and Mrs. W. B. Creed acted as Platform Secretary. Mrs. Chester Matheson was in charge of prizes.

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Penny Paper In London Thing Of Past

London.—Price of all popular London newspapers will go up May 7 from one penny to one penny and a half. In the face of steeply rising production costs, mass circulation papers are among the last items to increase pre-war price.

The Times of London will remain at three-pence and the Daily Telegraph will go up from a penny and a half to two-pence. Many provincial newspapers raised prices some time ago.

Publishers said they are compelled to increase the price 50 per cent owing to further increases in the price of newsprint. Present price of newsprint is £60 a ton, nearly double that of a year ago.

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Did you know that you can get simply lovely All Occasion GREETING CARDS for just 5 and 10 cents each in the economical 5 and 10 Department? Yes, here you will find Cards for Birthdays, "Get Well" Cards, Anniversary Cards, Baby Cards and Gift Enclosure Cards. The Cards are pretty and appropriate — some are simple, some have lots of glitter; and they're priced at only 5 and 10 cents each in the 5 and 10 Department.

Did you know that the array of CHEESE in the Refrigerated Counter in the Grocery Department is really something to see? Yes, it sure is! Here you will find your favorite Cheese — whether it be Kraft, Ingersoll, Maple Leaf or one of the delicious Imported varieties. Put up in convenient packages, glasses or rolls — the Cheese you want is to be found in the Grocery Department... For instance the much sought-after Ermita Cheese, made by the Benedictine Monks in the Province of Quebec, is put up in convenient 8 ounce wedges and is priced ONLY JUST 56 cents. Come shop for delicious Cheese in the Refrigerated Counter — Grocery Department.

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