



CAROL SINGING AT S'SIDE STORE

During the carol singing presented by the staff of Holmans Ltd. Summerside store, a section of the group of staff members are seen participating in the program on Saturday morning.

Photo By Wotton

New Organ Is Dedicated At United Church In Alberton

At the regular Christmas worship service in Alberton United Church Sunday evening a new Minshall Chapel organ was dedicated by the Minister, Rev. A.S. Weir, D.D. The organ is a gift to the church by one of its devoted and longtime members, Mrs. John H. Wells, and was made possible by the generosity and love of her sons.

On behalf of Mrs. Wells, the organ was presented for dedication by Mr. Edwin Edmunds, a friend of the family, who spoke fittingly of the giving of this gift and of the contribution made to the church by Mrs. Wells through the medium of sacred song for more than half a century.

The inscription on the organ reads: "Presented by Grace Matthews Wells, a choir member of this church from 1898 to 1953. December 1956."

On behalf of the Session and congregation, Dr. Weir received the organ and by prayer dedicated it to the service of God, petitioning that it may adorn His worship and assist the praises of the people. At the close of the prayer the chords of Old 100th were sounded by the guest organist, Mr. Herbert Crockett of Summerside, and the congregation rose to sing the Doxology, "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow!"

A large congregation was present for this special Christmas service and a full choir led the service of praise. Music was under direction of the choir-master, Mr. C.R. Leard and Miss Annie Leard, church organist, was in her place for the opening of the service. "Silent Night" was sung as a processional and other carols were sung during the service. "Our Hearts For Thee Are Yearning" was sung by Mrs. Earle Atkinson and Mrs. Walter Wells with the choir joining in the chorus. The anthem was "Shine, Christmas Star."

Dr. Weir's text, "Love Never Fails," was beautifully illustrated by Henry Van Dyke's story of "The Other Wise Man."

The church was beautifully decorated for the Christmas season by members of the Ladies' Guild.

"MAN IN THE GREY FLANNEL SUIT," CAPITOL S'SIDE

This engrossing picture bears the stamp of quality that only a producer of the stature of Darryl F. Zanuck could give it and brings Sloan Wilson's novel, which won critical acclaim and is still on the best-seller lists, to life on the screen with deep dramatic penetration.

Men, who carry home brief cases every night in their struggle to keep up with the terrific pace of life as most business men live it today, will find in Tom Rath,

Proclamation

I hereby declare Dec. 26th Boxing Day, and Jan. 2nd public holidays in the town of Alberton.

Mayor H. E. Barbour

CAMEO KENSINGTON

MON. - TUES. - 7:15 - 9:15
MATINEE TUESDAY - 2:30

Doris Day, Frank Sinatra in a show the family will enjoy "THE YOUNG AT HEART" in Technicolor. Bank drawing on Monday, Wednesday and Friday worth \$105.00.

Professional Cards

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Canadian Bank of Commerce Building
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INSURANCE

R. E. Ellis & Son Limited
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THIS WEEK AT CIVIC STADIUM

MONDAY

1:30-3:00 p.m. Pre School Skate
Monday evening Stadium closed

TUESDAY

2:00-4:00 p.m. Christmas Skate
8:00-10:00 Christmas Skate

WEDNESDAY

2:30 p.m. Moncton Tri Service Team vs. S'side Aces
8:30 p.m. S'side Intermediate Aces vs. Freetown Royals

THURSDAY

1:00-4:00 p.m. Skating
8:00-10:00 Skating

FRIDAY

1:30-3:00 Pre School Skate
9:15 Parkdale Flyers vs. Aces

SATURDAY

2:00-4:00 Skating
9:00-11:00 Moonlight Skate

SUNDAY

9:00-11:00 Skating Club

Ice Varieties coming Friday, January 11 and Saturday, January 12. Watch for further particulars.

CIVIC STADIUM

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

2:30 P. M.

Moncton Tri Service Team vs. S'side Aces

Admission 60 and 35 cents



Ben Champion
I.M.T. BUS STOP

Happy
Holiday



As the bells ring in this joyous season, we warmly wish you every happiness.

CORNEY BROS.
SUMMERSIDE

ALBERTON

Mr. Jerry Clarke arrived from Malaric, Quebec, on Saturday, to spend Christmas with his aunt, Mrs. C.H. Weeks, Alberton.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Edmunds and family Moncton, are Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Leard, Alberton.

Miss Isabelle Wells, Fredericton, N.B. is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wells, Brooklyn.

Mr. Irving Broderick has arrived from Toronto to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Broderick, Alberton.

Mrs. C.W. Hayes, Alberton, is a patient in the Charlottetown Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Caldwell arrived from Dartmouth on Saturday to spend Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilkie, Alberton.

Mrs. J.D. MacFarlane, Rev. A.S. Weir, D.D. and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wells, all of Alberton, are spending Christmas with members of their families in Charlottetown.

Cpl. Eugene Fraser, Petawawa, Ont. is spending a Christmas leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Fraser, Alberton South.

Mr. Daniel Gavin, who is employed in Saint John, N.B. will arrive today at Alberton South to spend Christmas with his wife and family.

Mrs. Annie Ahearn, Alberton, is a patient in the Western Hospital.

Mrs. Winifred MacNeill, Alberton, left Saturday morning to visit members of her family in Halifax. Miss Muriel Bell, Medford, Mass.

NOTICE

All back taxes owed Alberton South School No. 123 must be paid by Dec. 31 otherwise the properties concerned will be sold.
By order of Trustees.

NOTICE

Our poultry killing plant will be closed from December 22 to Dec. 26 inclusive.
Jenkins Brothers Ltd.
Summerside

Elderly Prince County Man Dies From Exposure

The body of John T. MacPherson, an elderly resident of Center Line Road, Alma, was found in a field across the road from his home yesterday morning by a young neighbour, Muncy Shields.

Death is believed to have been from exposure as there were no signs of violence and an inquest was ruled unnecessary by the coroner, Dr. Charles Dewar of O'Leary.

The deceased, who lived alone, was unmarried and believed to be about 84 years of age. The only known relative is a sister, Mrs. Mary B. Henry, Wakefield, Mass.

Aid Certificates to the following candidates: Mrs. George Stewart, Mrs. Lorne Waite, Mrs. Ivan Bowness, Mrs. Clark Harding, Mrs. Florence Day, Mrs. Everett Glover, Mrs. Evelyn Murphy, Mrs. Ena E. Webster, Mrs. Emily Douglas, Miss Verna Sharpe.

CRAPAUD RINK

Christmas Eve Skate
8 to 10 p.m.
Christmas Night Skate
8 to 10 p.m.
Door prizes both nights.

A CHRISTMAS CAROL

(Dickens)
Starring Ronald Colman
Over CJRW Summerside
Christmas Day, December 25th at 3:30 o'clock
and on
Christmas Eve at 7:30 a half hour of your favorite Christmas Carols featuring Perry Como, Joni James with orchestra under direction Jackie Gleason.
Sponsored by The Guardian Publishing Company

CAPITOL - SUMMERSIDE

TODAY (MON.) TO THURS. 4 DAYS
(NOTE)—EVENING SHOWS 7—9:30
2 MATINEES (TUES) XMAS DAY & THURS 7 P.M.



Your Last Chance To Buy Your
GIFT TICKETS TODAY
Books 60c to \$5.00
Now on sale at our Box Office.

REGENT - TODAY 2:00-7:15-9:15

TUES. 7-9:20 - WED. 2:00-7:15-9:20



This Christmas give a practical Gift! REGENT THEATRE
TICKETS, in books of 60c to \$5.00.



VISITOR AT S'SIDE

The bird above, found on the highway at the east end of Summerside on Saturday, is presently in the possession of Claude Harkness, chairman of the Prince County Fish and Game Forum and has been identified by Mr. Norman MacLeod past president of the Prince County Fish and Game as a Dovekie, also known by such names as sea dove, little auk, rutch and alle.

Yesterday afternoon two unsuccessful attempts were made to remove the bird by plane to Summerside. The bird was finally captured by plane to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bell, Mill River.
Miss Anne Profit, Montreal, arrived by plane to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Profit, Alberton.

store the Dovekie to Freedom. First it was tossed high into the air in the expectation that it would take flight. However, it merely landed a few feet away with no apparent intention of leaving. It was then taken to the open water paddled happily around, fluttered its wings several times and then headed back to shore where it appeared quite happy to be picked up by Doug Harkness and handed back to Claude.

This web footed bird, about the size of a robin, is thought to be similar to one found in West Prince recently. With head and bill formed like those of a quail, its white color on the underparts extends to the bill, invading the side of the head and neck and nearly meeting on the nape.

The information supplied by Norman MacLeod reveals that this bird is colored a little different in summer with the upper parts a glossy blue black and the head neck and throat shaded with brown. Ranging along the coasts and islands of the North Atlantic they lay a single greenish blue egg in the crevices of the rocky cliffs in these areas. Usually they stay in small flocks in the open sea and feed by diving and in the winter they come on land very rarely. The Eskimos are said to kill many of these sea doves and use their feathered skins for making the bird skin shirts with which they help to ward off the biting frost of their country.

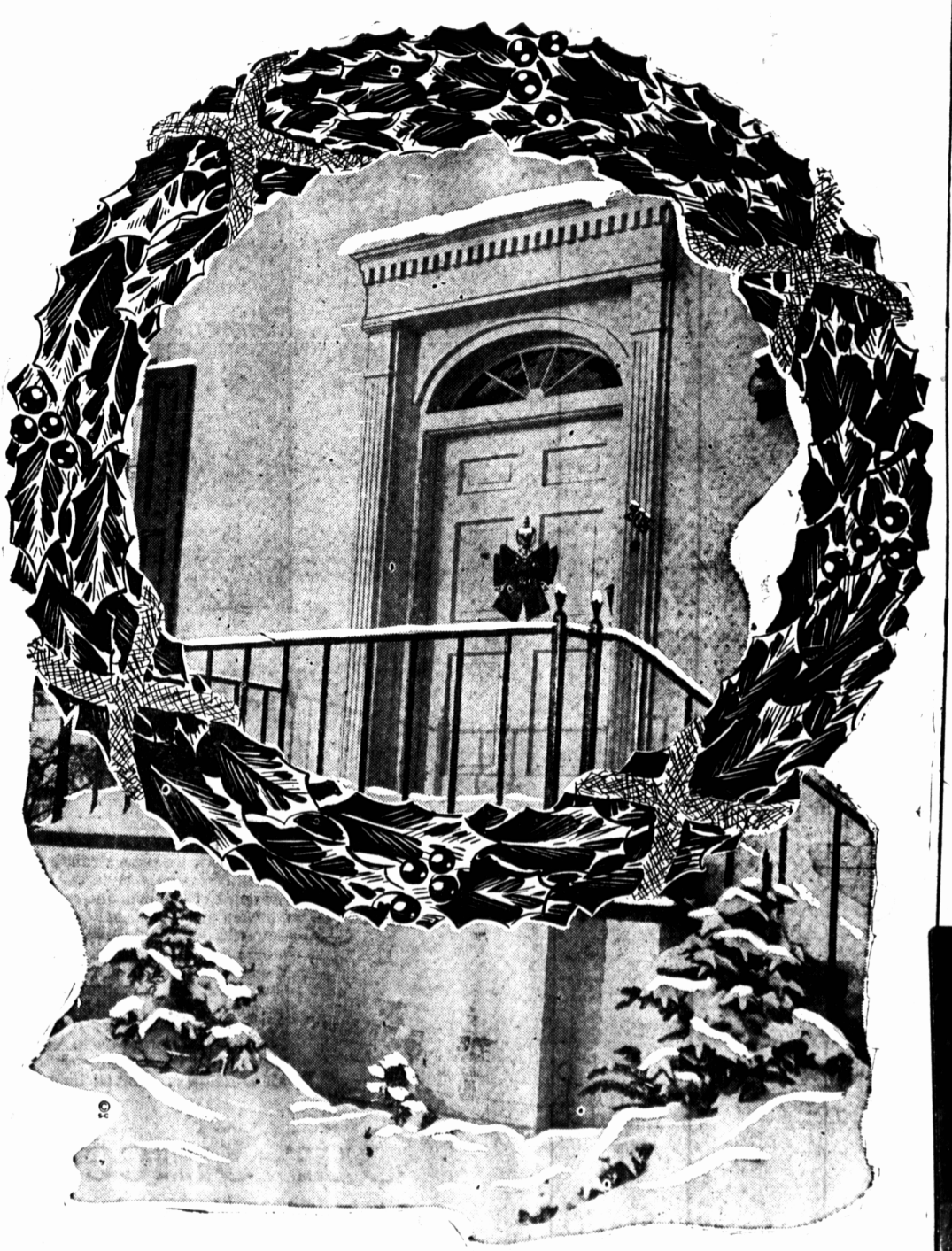
As was demonstrated yesterday these small sea doves manifest very little apprehension of danger from the proximity of man.

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TENDERS

The Summerside Y's Men's Club require a hot air heating system supplied and installed in their building on Green St., Summerside. All heating contractors are invited to submit a proposal. For particulars contact—

MR. JAMES CONNELL,
Chairman of the Building Committee.



It's always such a pleasure to get in touch with you like this when Christmastime is here. It is a time for remembering old acquaintances, renewing old friendships — a time when eyes are alight and hearts are warm with the glow of giving and sharing happiness. May we add our wish that all of you, our friends and patrons, may enjoy the blessings of a very Merry Christmas!

STAFF And MANAGEMENT
SMALLMAN'S