

Damaged Sewer Being Repaired

MONTAGUE — Work continues today on the West Island hill, with road machinery scraping the ice and trucking it away. The town has engaged a crew of men to make the necessary repairs to a damaged sewer line which has been giving considerable trouble throughout the winter.

Some 50 homes are on this line some of which was laid more than 50 years ago.

Councillor A.E. Ings, chairman of the committee stated that the sewer situation of the town is in a mess and that some serious work must be done to improve this problem.

At present the town owns one sewer line from the hospital to which several other lines now join and all other lines are privately owned. The problem when trouble occurs is in determining who is responsible for fixing it.

It has more or less been policy of town councils to repair and bill to the users. This method has not always been satisfactory.

Murray Hbr. - Murray River UC Men's Executive Installed

MURRAY HARBOR — The new executive of the United Church Men's Association for the Murray Harbor - Murray River charge was installed at a meeting in Murray Harbor Wednesday night.

The opening worship was conducted by Bert Hicken assisted by M.A. MacNeill.

The officers are Rev. David Barwise, honorary president; Bert Hicken, past-president; John Machon, president; Walter Busil, secretary; Fred Johnston, treasurer; chairman of committees are as follows: program, William Moore; membership, Nathan Irving; sick, Martin Ferguson; hospitality, William Giddings; publicity and attendance, Raymond MacLean.

It was decided to sponsor three farm radio forum groups for the special program Monday evening, March 4. The topic is to be "The Rural Church" in Murray River. A group led by Mr. Hicken is to meet at the home of W.F. Mac-

Leod, in Murray Harbor a group led by Mr. Machon is to meet at his home and in High Bank a group led by Raymond MacLean is to meet at the home of John Bruce. All interested people are to be invited.

The program consisted of "The Auction Block", a skit on the sale of a boy. This dialogue points out in a dramatic fashion the high value of a boy to society. The part of the boy was taken by Carl Herring, a veterinarian, M.A. MacNeill and the doctor, clergyman, crime, engineer and civic organization were filled by other men present.

After the program a brief discussion on the responsibility of existing men's organizations toward the sponsorship of boy's clubs and athletic activities was held.

Lunch was served by the men of Murray Harbor, and the meeting adjourned to meet the night of Wednesday, March 6, in Murray River.

Plowing Match Dates Are Set For Dundas

The plowing match and agricultural fair will be staged at Dundas on Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 11 and 12. It was decided this week at the annual meeting, according to information received last night from G. Campbell, Poplar Point, vice-president. Mr. Acorn is secretary and Mrs. Warren MacDonald, Dundas has been the treasurer and has paid fees for the association to keep in touch with developments for the Canadian championship plowing match which has been invited here for the Confederation centennial celebration year of 1964.

Although nothing definite is yet available, apparently, on whether the big match will actually be staged here.

Most of the directors were re-appointed and the officers will be named at the first meeting of the directors. Present officers are Leslie Hunter, Strathcona, president; Joseph G. Campbell, Poplar Point, vice-president; Mr. Acorn is secretary and Mrs. Warren MacDonald, Dundas has been the treasurer and has paid fees for the association to keep in touch with developments for the Canadian championship plowing match which has been invited here for the Confederation centennial celebration year of 1964.

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Adult Ice Frolics Aid Rink's Cause

MONTAGUE — The rafters of Montague skating rink echoed with laughter as the capacity crowd of spectators roared to the annual adult ice frolics. The antics of several anonymous clowns added much merriment to the occasion.

One of the outstanding events was the ladies hockey game between the Diaper Dippers and the Dish Moppers. Several penalties were meted out by the referee, Robert Mills, who was called on to quell a number of brawls which broke out during the game.

In the tug of war between Cy's Totsies and the Grils who won the best of three pulls, it was rumored that the Torsley was elected with Grils.

Other amusing numbers were the teacher's specialty, bicycle race, skat women's relay, high chair relay (used) and a hilarious game of ring lockey.

An interesting note was the presentation of a special prize to William Hennigar who at the age of 75 was the oldest person skating.

The huge success of the ice frolics which was sponsored by the Community Welfare League, Ltd., is due largely to the effort and imagination of Mrs. Ralph Beck who gave unparagoning of her time to organize the program.

The objective of the league is the erection of an artificial ice rink in the not too distant future.

Ch'town Man Is Director

F. J. (Frank) MacDonald, Robinson Supplies Ltd., Charlottetown, was one of eight elected to the board of directors at the annual meeting of the Canadian Automotive Wholesalers and Manufacturers Association in Quebec City last week.

Mr. MacDonald is one of the four directors representing the wholesalers division of the new board.

New president of CAWMA is G. R. Whiston, Canadian Industries Ltd., Montreal. Approximately 1,700 delegates are attending the meeting.

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