



A well attended minor hockey night was held in Alberton Tuesday to conclude a brilliant season of organized hockey competition. A display of teams ranging from the Pee Wee's to the High School team played against each other in their respective age groups and many good players have been developed through this year's hockey program which have been made possible through the financial sponsorship of William Fraser a former "Regal" hockey star of past years. Hockey equipment was donated by Mr. Fraser for the league which was under the guidance of Perley

Hardy assisted by members of the Senior hockey team. Lloyd Gaudet, teacher of the High School and former S.D.U. player is coach and is mainly responsible for the success of the program this year. A bantam team and the High School team entered the Island Physical Fitness semi-finals and were narrowly eliminated by Summerside.

MEMBERS of the Pee Wee's (top photo) team are shown: Back row, John Weeks, Gerald Arsenault, Pat Rockford, Mike Larter, Gary Shields, Donald Campbell, John Foley, Bobbie Profit,

Front row, Leslie MacKay, Shane Rochford, Wayne Shea, James Millman, Joseph Albert, Blair Nicholson, John McNEILL.

BANTAMS at Alberton included Wayne MacKinnon, Ferdie Barnett, Blair Wilkie, Jim McNeill, Jimmy Rooney, Eric Inman, Cecil Arsenault, Gary Rochford, Bob Inman.

Middle row: Brian Ahearn, Vance Shaw, Raymond O'Meara, Abby Arsenault, Allan Nicholson, Grant Noonan, Leonard McCue.

Front row: Jim Millman, Peter Larter.

Photo by F. Weeks.

Routine Business Transacted At Alberton Council Meeting

Mayor Herbert Matthews presided and all councillors were in attendance at the regular meeting of Alberton Town Council last night.

Following the reading of minutes and the approval of bills amounting to \$74.14, Councillor Campbell, chairman of the finance committee, gave a report regarding a tax on Federal Buildings in the town. On motion it was approved that the town make application to Ottawa for permission to levy a tax on Federal property.

A cheque for fifty dollars was received from the Mutual Fire Insurance Company, being payment for the attendance of the Alberton Fire Brigade at two recent fires.

Tragic Accident Takes Life of Little Boy

A tragic accident claimed the life of eleven-year-old John Robert Matheson at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Matheson in O'Leary Sunday night.

The little boy had been playing with a cowboy belt when he was put to bed in the upper bunk of an army type bed. Some time later his younger sister found him hanging from the bed with the belt looped around his neck. Dr. Charles Dewar, coroner who lives nearby was quickly on the scene but nothing could be done for the accident victim. The exact circumstances of the accident are not known.

Besides his sorrowing parents he is survived by two brothers, Christopher aged 5, James, 2, and a sister, Cynthia, 9.

The sympathy of the community goes out to the bereaved family.

Policeman For Alberton Named

Mr. Everett MacDonald of Charlottetown has accepted the position of policeman for the town of Alberton and began his new duties yesterday.

Mr. MacDonald has had considerable experience in police work, having served in the Provost Corps during World War II and as guard at Dorchester penitentiary for seven and a half years. He also served at Guelph Reformatory for over two years.

He is married to the former Barbara Babcock, R.N. of Sackville, N.B. and they have two children, Deborah, 8, and Randall, 5. Mrs. MacDonald and family will arrive in Alberton at the end of the month.

by two Summerside police officers. Councillor Wood said the man claimed to have suffered the injuries while in the hands of the police officers, and the checking of the police report of the arrest Councillor Wood had noted that the report said the overhead door of the police patrol had fallen on the man while he was being put into the patrol car, and he suggested that if this overhead door could result in similar injury to prisoners the town should not continue to use it.

Councillor Jenkins said he had been called to investigate the injury to the man, and agreed that he had suffered injuries. He said he had been told that the arrest of the man had resulted following two complaints to the police department that the arrested man was threatening to use a gun at a place in Summerside. He had also been led to understand that the man had resisted arrest, but felt that the police might have done better by putting the man in handcuffs.

Permission was given by the Council to the Sea Cadets to hold tag days on June 22, 23 and to the Kinetic Club to hold their annual peanut day on June 21st.

Suggestions were made by Councillor Newson that all jobs of \$100.00 or over be awarded by tender, and he questioned the advisability of the town in paying for the telephone of employees.

Councillor MacCausland said the chief concern of the finance department at the present time was the preparation of the budget. He said some bond houses had been contacted to obtain information, and he felt that a bond issue should be made before July 1st.

He said the tight money situation has caused concern, but felt that in the long run some benefits would result from economy which is presently required.

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Prince County Branch Fish and Game Association in the Armouries Building, Summerside, Wednesday, April 10th at 8 p.m. All upland bird game sportsmen are urged to attend as the question of an open or closed season on huns and pheasants will be discussed.

WARNING

There will be an interruption of electric service in the following areas—Sherbrooke, Travellers Rest, New Annan, Claremont, Indian River, Hamilton, Malpeque, Darnley, Park Corner, French River, Spring Valley, Baltic, Yankee Town, Irish-town, Long River, and Kensington areas between the hours of 1:30 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. on April 10th, 11th, 12th, weather permitting for the purpose of making repairs.

Town of Summerside Light & Power Dept.

Kensington Town Council Meets

The Kensington Town Council met last evening with Mayor Everett Champion presiding and all councillors present.

Bills amounting to \$35.50 were ordered paid. Authority was given the Fire Department committee to complete purchase of a nozzle, a siamese shut-off, four rubber coats and four pairs of rubber boots.

Councillor Bruce Roberts reported that an effort made to have an act passed allowing incorporated towns to issue trustee bonds had proved unsuccessful. Following an exhaustive discussion on ways and means, it was agreed that Mayor Champion and the finance committee be authorized to take definite steps towards financing a proposed sewage disposal system.

Councillor William MacLean's statement to the effect that the C.N.R. lots in the center of the town should be paved to keep down dust and mud led to considerable discussion.

Councillor Elmer Paynter, Chairman of the street committee, reported that town work had not been kept up, resulting in drains being clogged by snow, mud, etc.

Tax Case Is Dismissed

The charge against a resident of St. Eleanors working in Summerside, charged with non payment of the non-resident tax, was dismissed by Police Court yesterday morning by Stipendiary Magistrate E.H. Strong, Q.C. The case has been before the court for over a month.

The Magistrate dismissed the charge because "A reasonable doubt has been raised by reason of the construction of the Incorporation Act."

An amendment to the act was passed last week in the Legislature.

W.M.S. Hold Their April Meeting

Mrs. Howard Clark was hostess to the April meeting of Alberton Presbyterian W.M.S. Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Helen Kerr led the opening devotions of which the theme was "Woman at East-er. The Scripture was Mark 6: 1-15 and the hymns were "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" and "Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross." A duet, "Nail Scarred Hands" was sung by Mrs. Lloyd Wilkie and Mrs. Frank Carpenter. The offering was received by Miss Margaret Forsyth and dedicated by Mrs. Howard Clark.

A talk on "Miracles and Faith" was given by Mrs. Alfred McLeod and a portion of the study book, "Keepers of the Faith" was presented by Mrs. H. J. Larkin. Plans were made to remember the shut-ins with Easter cards.

The next meeting will be held at the home of the president, Mrs. Carpenter and it is hoped that Miss Margaret McDougall, field secretary for the Maritimes, will be present to address the society. Worship will be led by Mrs. Norman Oliver.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Edgar Forsyth and Mrs. Carpenter. B

Borden Social Club Held Its Meeting

The Ladies Social Club of Borden United Church held their monthly missionary meeting at the home of Mrs. Reginald Rodgers on Wednesday evening April 3 with the president, Mrs. Heath Gordon in the chair.

The meeting opened with a Lenten Worship Service centered about the theme of the crucifixion. The roll call was answered by a verse of Scripture containing the word "Cross". The Scripture reading Luke 23: 33-38, was read by Mrs. Lorne Cousins. A commentary was given by Mrs. Alfred Chappell. Lenten Prayer brought the worship service to a close after which the missionary study was taken up.

The Study based on the prescribed study book "East from Burma" with interesting slides from "Burma Land of Golden Pagodas" and "Fun and Festival in South East Asia" was conducted by the missionary vice-president, Mrs. Kenneth MacInnis.

The business session followed

United Church Held Easter Meeting

The Easter meeting of Alberton Auxiliary of the W.M.S. was held at the United Church parsonage Wednesday afternoon. Worship was led by the president, Mrs. Roy Leard, assisted by Mrs. Frank Weeks, Mrs. John C. Matthews, Roy Leard, Mrs. George Williams and Mrs. J.W. Waugh, who read portions of Scripture concerning the Resurrection and Pentecost. Hymns were "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today" and "The Church's One Foundation." A presentation of the place of lay people in the life of the Church today was made in the form of a panel discussion by Mrs. Roy Leard, Mrs. George Ramsay and Mrs. James Hodgson. The closing hymn was "At the Name of Jesus."

Community friendship work during the month included 66 visits to homes and hospitals, 23 cards, 10 letters and 5 treats. Ten books made for the showing of a religious film, "I Beheld His Glory" on April 28th.

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DESIRABLE FARM FOR SALE AT O'LEARY

Tenders will be received at the Office of the Undersigned at Summerside, for the purchase of the fifty acre farm at O'Leary, R. R., the property of the Estate of the late Ralph Ellis. Tenders to be in before Noon, April 24th next. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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shine box to a lady in the congregation who has been ill for some time. It will be prepared by Mrs. Frank Weeks and Mrs. Roy Leard and delivered by Mrs. Ramsay, Miss Sophie Ramsay and Mrs. Carl Weeks. The secretary was asked to send Easter greetings to a number of members and former members of the Auxiliary who are indisposed. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. MacFarlane, assisted by Mrs. George Ramsay and Mrs. Charles Johnston.

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Council Plans New Well For S'ide Water Supply

The Summerside Town Council last evening decided to call for tenders for the locating and drilling of a new well following a report from the fire underwriters that the water supply is inadequate for emergency purposes.

Recent investigation by Town Manager Joe Brophy has resulted in the removal of a sales tax from equipment purchased at a saving to the town of more than \$500.00, and also a similar saving in the purchase of diesel fuel oil which will amount to more than

\$5,000.00 a year.

Referring to a question raised at a previous meeting in regard to mileage paid to an employee of the Electric Light Department, Councillor Clark explained that at least 60 per cent of the amount paid for mileage had been in connection with supervision and other work on the construction of rural lines, and was paid for by the Provincial Government.

He said that a list of miles travelled, together with the date, and other information always accompanied the bill submitted by this man, and had been approved by the engineer, checked by Councillor Clark, and passed by the Town Council before the mileage payments had been made.

ing the matter of Daylight Saving Time was supported and advocated by several Councillors.

Councillor Clark noted that the R.C.A.F. Station would again be operating on D.S.T., and that even the C.N.R. were advancing their schedules by one hour to coincide with the change in time.

Mayor Currie said he didn't see any objection to Summerside stores also advancing their working days by one hour, but held little hope that the Provincial Government would move to make D.S.T. official in the Province this year.

Referring to the eventual falling in line with other provinces in regard to a uniform time, Councillor MacCausland recalled opposition to other changes in keeping with present day ways of life which are accepted by all. Councillor Clark recalled that this also had been the case in regard to store closing on Saturday afternoon and evening, and asked, "but who today would want to go back to working Saturday nights?"

WESTERN GUARDIAN

RESERVE April 26 for pantry sale at Smallmans, sponsored by Kensington Presbyterian Young adults.

SUMMERSIDE Knights of Columbus will present a concert by the orchestra of Sacred Heart University, Bathurst on Wednesday evening, April 24th in Civic Auditorium. Popular and semi-classical music.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Leard, Coleman, left Friday morning, April 5, on an extended visit with their many relatives and friends in the U.S.A. For the first few days they will be guests of Mrs. Leard's neices, Mrs. Carl Stoddard, Norfolk, Mass., Dedham, Mass.; also Mrs. Leard's sister, Mrs. Rena Mes-sini of Ayer, Mass.; also numerous neices and nephews, brothers and sisters in the vicinity of Boston, Mass.

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