

**Newcomers To Civic Politics**



FRANK G. O'NEILL FRANK W. CURTIS A. JAMES HASLAM JOHN N. KENNY GORDON STOREY

**Scots' Concert Presented At Montague Last Evening**

Yeo's Theatre Montague was filled to capacity last evening for the annual Scottish concert sponsored by the choir of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church. The various numbers received the hearty applause of the large and appreciative audience.

Rev. D. A. Campbell presided as master-of-ceremonies and Mrs. A. F. Campbell and Mrs. Bruce MacLaren, Charlottetown were piano accompanists.

The program opened with a number of stirring pipe selections by George Fraser, Jr., of Charlottetown; followed by remarks by Rev. Mr. Campbell.

The program is as follows:

1. Group of Scottish songs "Afon Waters", "The Bonnie Wee Windy", "May Highland Laddie"
2. Pipe selections by George Fraser Jr.
3. Solo: "Scotland", Douglie the Baker" — sung by Walter Burdett.
4. The Highland fling by Judy MacDonald, Diana MacLeod, Gwen Clark.
5. Solo: "Flow gently Sweet Afton", "Will Ye No Come Back Again" sung by Miss Helen Burke.
6. Rhythm Band selections, "Bonnie Dundee", "Scottish Folk Song" were sung by eight bonnie lassies.
7. Reading: George Bears.
8. Solo and tap dance "Jock MacKie" "I Love A Lassie" Florence MacDonald.
9. Violin and piano selections "Scottish Airs" Mrs. James MacBeth and Mr. Jack Webster.
10. Gaelic Solo: "Song of The Heroines" Miss Ariene MacDonald.
11. Trio: "The Clans are gathering" "Ye Bonnie Doon" Willard Bruce, John Bears, Malcolm Munro.
12. Double Sword dance; by Gwen Clarke, Diana MacLeod.
13. Solo: "Mary of Argyll" "Wee Wee Home" Rachel Minchin.
14. Scottish Folk number with tap dancing "Road to the Isles" "My Bonnie Laddie" soloist, Florence MacDonald.
15. Pipe selection by George Fraser, Jr.
16. Reading by George Bears.
17. Gaelic solo "Mogahki" Ariene MacDonald.
18. Dance: "The Highland Mairies" "Bonnie Chies".
19. Dance. The scene Tribuhas, Judy MacDonald.
20. Solo: "Wee house among the heather", "Suzie MacLean", Walter Burdett.
21. Step dance by Reginald Johnston.
22. Solo: "Tobermory" by Johnnie Bears.

Entertainment of outstanding talent was brought to a close with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save The Queen". A reception for the performers and their friends was held in the Church Hall where a delicious lunch was served.

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day, Feb. 2, 1956



PEGGY DALZIEL AND IRISH COLLEENS IN IRISH MINSTRELS OF '56.

**Irish Minstrels Of '56 Provide Lifting Melodies**

Church will distribute its charity as always," he stated.

Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan paid tribute to Sister Mary Henry and the Board for their work. He stated that relief was always a problem and boiled down it was a question of relationship between the Federal Government, Provincial Government and municipalities.

"Close up the Vendors and you will have no relief problem. No Province can drink itself into prosperity," he stated.

Sister Mary Henry's report dealt at length with the following services of the Board: Family Welfare, Child Welfare, Unmarried mothers and Nursing Services.

In regard to Family Welfare she stated that 185 families and 82 individuals were aided by the Bureau during the past year. "The basic reason for much of the Family work that we have to do is alcoholism," she stated.

The Luck of the Irish may have in part accounted for the favourable weather conditions which enabled patrons to greet the Irish Minstrels of '56 with a capacity house at Prince of Wales College last night, but it called for a lot of hard work on the part of performers to prepare the ambitious program presented.

Frank MacIntyre, who assembled the show people as Director, on behalf of the Benevolent Irish Society, brought to bear the experience of many years, in arranging the affair, with outstanding success.

More than 40 mixed voices were heard in the two Minstrel Choruses and eight vocal solos by outstanding singers contributed to make the musical portion very enjoyable to the variety of tastes represented in the audience.

James Flaagan in "Mountains of Mourne". Without exception the singers were received with expressions of appreciation ending only when encores were responded to. Evelyn Fraser also danced most acceptably in this part of the program.

The dance duet by Margaret Rose Roberts and Mildred Roberts placed high in the night's entertainment and their first number was followed brilliantly by the "Sailors Hornpipe", one of their outstandingly popular numbers with a Charlottetown audience. Frank MacIntyre sang some clever local lyrics set to music; Lorne MacGuigan was heard in "Rose O'Day" and Patsy Leightner sang "Old Irish Mother of Mine". Each number was in keeping with the Irish atmosphere of the occasion and a delight to the audience.

**Funeral Wednesday of Alexander Buchanan**

The funeral of the late Alexander Buchanan was held Wednesday afternoon from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home. The service was conducted by Rev. W. H. Brown.

The pall bearers were George Douglas, Roland Wood, Thomas Hillard, Francis Campbell.

A short service followed at Dundas and was conducted by Mr. S. A. Custance.

The pall bearers were: Sterling

**Lions Told Blind Need Allowance**

"Employment is greatly limited for blind people, particularly for those of 40 years of age or over", Charlottetown Lions were told, "and approximately 80 per cent of the blind people of this Province are in this age group."

The bi-monthly dinner meeting of the Charlottetown Lions Club was held at the Queen Hotel Wednesday evening under the chairmanship of President King Lion John VanMaarion. Guests were Ches Cooper and Phil Bower, City.

Following the disposal of incidental correspondence, read by acting secretary Lion Joe Molloy, and discussions on various business matters, Mr. Bower outlined to the meeting a one point legislative program to be presented at the forthcoming sittings of the Federal Legislature at Ottawa by the Canadian National Institute and Canadian Council for the Blind.

NO MEANS TEST

As Field Secretary of the C.N.I.B. for P.E.I. Mr. Bower explained that the one point program is a request to the Federal Cabinet for a specific allowance, without a means test, for adult Blind People to assist them in establishing an adequate standard of living. He pointed out that at present the maximum Federal allowance with a means test for single persons is \$40 per month and for married persons \$130 per annum. This maximum allowance is payable if outside income does not exceed \$30 per month, but is reduced in proportion to the earning power over that amount.

"Sufficient public support through our Members of Parliament by service clubs and other community groups and organizations would mean that this program would likely be approved by the Federal Cabinet," the speaker stated. Mr. Bower concluded his talk by saying that Sweden, Denmark and Australia have such a program now.

Lion Robert Younker moved a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Bower for his excellent talk.

**St. Paul's AYP A**

The regular weekly meeting of St. Paul's A.Y.P.A. was held in the Parish Hall Wednesday night. The meeting opened with a hymn followed by prayer led by the president Allison Gill.

Plans were discussed in connection with an outing to be held next week.

Square dances were enjoyed by everyone and the meeting ended with "Auld Lang Syne" and "Grace

**UR DOLLAR BUYS MORE**

Hughes Drug Store.

TRINITY Women's Association annual turkey dinner and bazaar this afternoon. Tickets available at door.

MUSICAL FESTIVAL. Questions answered by Mrs. Warkell Wood on Institute broadcast Friday night 10.45 over CFXY.

FUNERAL HELD — The funeral of the late Miss Ethel Stewart, was held yesterday afternoon from the MacLean Funeral Home. The services were conducted by Rev. T.H.B. Somers. The pallbearers were: K.M. Martin, E.F. Seller, Nelson Whitlock, William MacLean, Ian Burnett and J.L. Curran. Interment was in the People's Cemetery.

**BOB MACDONALD**

ing unemployment benefits as of January 31: 650 were men and about 240 were women. He also quoted figures on a recent educational survey of the unemployed.

Dr. Frank MacMillan stated that he wished to point out that the Catholic Social Welfare Bureau was a social welfare bureau not a relief agency.

According to figures of social agencies only about five per cent of the budget should be given to relief, he said. "If we were a relief agency we should be named the Catholic Social Welfare Bureau and Relief Agency."

ART EXHIBIT — The Maritime Art Exhibits, arranged for showing in Charlottetown by the P. E. Island Art Society arrived in the city yesterday and were placed on view at the Civic Centre where the pictures will remain for several days. The pictures were placed on the walls for viewing under the supervision of Mrs. Elizabeth Davies, president of the P. E. Island Art Society assisted by Mrs. D. M. Gass, Mrs. P. A. Creelman and Miss Eleanor Lowe. Commissioner Lockwood Llewellyn rendered assistance which was greatly appreciated.

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"In the past six years the Bureau has paid out about \$24,000 in relief and last year we paid out \$3,061 in food alone. We give it out because we are forced to do so. We can't let people go hungry and cold and they have no other source to which to turn for help.

"After the Protestant Welfare Bureau is formed we will join forces on this problem. We will first find out who is responsible. "I think the City should bear some portion of the responsibility and could afford to pay part of the salaries of workers in both the Catholic and Protestant Welfare Agencies. Many other municipalities have qualified workers to look after relief problems."

It was suggested by Mr. J.E. Green that the two agencies meet with the Government and seek an equal share of the \$5,000 which was collected for a Children's Aid Society five years ago but which has never been used and is now deposited somewhere.

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**TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD THREE**

Having been approached by a number of citizens, I have nominated for Councillor in Ward Three in the civic elections on Wednesday next, February 8th.

I respectfully solicit your support.

You may be assured that civic administration, particularly that of Ward Three, will receive my constant attention, should I become your choice on election day.

FRANK G. (Huck) O'NEILL.

**TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD FOUR**

At the request of a number of citizens I am nominating for Councillor in Ward Four in the coming Civic Elections.

It will be impossible for me to make a personal canvass and I take this opportunity of soliciting your support.

It will be my aim to do my best in the interests of Ward Four in particular and the City in general.

GORDON (Wes) STOREY.

**WINNER OF THE Regular Ham AT ATKINSONS GIGANTIC ANNIVERSARY SALE**

YESTERDAY'S WINNER MR. I. PETERS, 232 Connolly Street.

THE... a.m. to 8 p.m.

CARD PARTY Central Royalty Hall tonight 8.30. Tournament starts tonight.

CHIMNEY FIRE — City firemen were called out last evening to deal with a flue fire at 69 Prince Street. No damage resulted.

IF YOU ARE interested in voting at the Civic Election to be held on February 8th, 1956, please check at City Hall to see if your name is on the voters list.

30TH ANNIVERSARY Year, Worth's Pharmacy, 200-000 Medical Prescriptions Dispensed. Proprietor, J.E.H. Worth, Registered Pharmaceutical Chemist since July 1941.

PROTESTANT Welfare Bureau organization meeting will be held at the Y.M.C.A. at 8 p.m., Monday, Feb. 6th. Special speaker, Miss Mary L. McLeod, Director of the Halifax Welfare Bureau.

POLICE COURT — Four offenders were dealt with by Magistrate Martin yesterday morning. Two charged with vagrancy were each sentenced to sixty days in jail. A man remanded from Tuesday on a charge of break, entry and theft was found guilty and remanded until the eighth for sentence. A person who was remanded Tuesday on a charge of false pretense was further remanded until his morning.

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**Personals**

The many friends of Mrs. Earl Chappell, Breadalbane, will be sorry to learn she is a patient in the P.E. Island Hospital.

The Rev. Canon J. T. Ibbott has returned home from the Prince Edward Island Hospital much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan MacDonald and family Rice Point, left Monday for Summerville, Mass., to take up residence there.

Friends of Mrs. Anna Matilda Eregory, York Lane, will be sorry to learn that she is confined to her home with the flu.

Mr. Jack Beaton, New York City, who has been visiting on the Island for the past ten days on business, left on return by car accompanied by Mr. J. H. Beaton, Hunter River who intends to visit with relatives there.

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