P.E.I. BONSPIEL

A member of one of the twenty rinks participating in the Prince Edward Island curling championship competitions at Summerside, Dave Miller, of the Harry Dickie rink of Summerside, is seen in active competition with F-L Hugh Christmas rink of the R.C.A.F. Station.

Photo by Wotton.

Hold Services For The Late Rev. John A. MacDonald

Solemn Pontifical Requiem High Mass was celebrated at St. Dunstan's Basilica Saturday for Rev. John A. MacDonald by His Excellency Most Reverend Malcolm A. MacEachern, D.D. Bishop of Charlottetown. High Priest was Rt. Rev. Monsignor Patrick McMahon.

Deacons of Honour were Rev. Walter Reid and Rev. Preston Hammill, Deacons of the Mass were Rev. F. Corcoran and Rev. C. Pitre.

Very Rev. P.F. MacDonald was Master of Ceremonies. Rev. Dr. Bernard Gillis assisted in the choir.

Present in the sanctuary were Rev. Leo Herrell, Rev. Michael Rooney, Rev. Phelan McKenna, Rev. R. Phelan, Very Rev. C.H. Moreau, C.Ss. R., Rev. J.F. Coghlan, C.SsR., Rev. W.Allan C.Ss.R. Rev. Clark MacAulay, C.Ss.R., and Sir William J.P. MacMillan.

Pallbearers were: Harry Murphy, Frank J. MacDonald, Urban McQuaid, Wilfred Driscoll, Louis Butler, Frank A. MacDonald.

On Saturday afternoon the body was transferred to Tignish where it will lie in state in St. Simon and St. Jude Church until this morning at 10:30 when Solemn Requiem High Mass will be celebrated.

Interment will be in the Church Cemetery.

Liner Collision Claims Total $116,000,000

NEW YORK AP) — The total number of claims in the Andrea Doria - Stockholm ship collision rose to 1,565 as the deadline passed Friday for filing claims in the case, involving more than $116,000,000.

The Italian line's Doria and the Swedish - American line's Stockholm collided off Nantucket, Mass., last July 25. Fifty lives were lost and the Doria sank.

The deadline of Feb. 15 — for passengers and shippers to file claims for injuries, deaths or losses—was set last fall by court edict.

Both lines agreed last month to abandon court actions to fix blame for the collision.

WESTERN GUARDIAN

PARLOR Social at home of Boyd Bearsto, Kensington, Thursday, February piano fund.

PLAN to attend Valentine Social St. Marks Hall, Kensington Monday, Feb. 18, 8 p.m. Admission 35 cents. Lunch served.

BEDEQUE Rink, tonight, Junior Hockey, Bedeque versus Kinkora 7.30, Albany versus Freetown 8.45.

BEDEQUE Rink South Shore Hockey League, Tuesday. Freetown Royals versus Albany St. Pat's Game time 8.30 skate after.

SKATING Carnival, Kensington Rink, Wednesday. Feb. 20 at 8 p.m. Sponsored by Kensington Lions. R.C.A.F. Band in attendance curtesy of officer commanding, R.C.A.F. Station, Summerside. Cash prizes for Best constumes. Adm. 50 and 25 Skate after.

GAUTHIER FUNERAL— The funeral of the late Adrian Gauthier was held Sunday morning from his late residence in St. Nicholas to St. John the Baptist Church in Miscouche where mass was celebrated by Rev. L. Kelly at 10.30 a.m. Pall bearers were: Benjamin Arsenault, Cedric Gaudet, Joseph Gallant, Alby Perry, Alfred Gaudet and William Perry. Interment was in the Miscouche Cemetery. The funeral was largely attended.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Benjamin Cairns, Summerside East, is a patient for treatment, in Prince County Hospital.

Ernest Murphy is a patient in Prince County Hospital where he underwent an appendectomy last Tuesday. He expects to be confined to hospital for another few days.

Miss Ethel Albert, Saint John, N.B., is spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edlow Albert, Alberton.

Mrs. O. H. Phillips, Alberton, is a patient in the Western Hospital.

Mr. A. C. Green is ill at his home in Alberton.

Mrs. Craswell Weeks, Alberton, is a patient in the western hospital.

There were six tables of auction in play at the Alberton C.W.L. card party Thursday evening. First prizes were presented to Mrs. John Perry and Vernon Gallant and Consolations to Mrs. James Broderick and John Perry. The freezeout was won by Mrs. Geo. Gallant and Mrs. James Broderick. Hostesses were Mrs. Brydon Smith and Mrs. Ivan Smith.

IKE HAD PERSONALITY

Diary Shows Churchill As Always Wanting To Attack

LONDON (CP) — Britain's top strategist of the Second World War depicts Sir Winston Churchill as a ruthless boss always ready to denounce as "defeatist" anyone who thought of anything but attacking.

This was true even in the darkest days of the war, says Field Marshal Viscount Alanbrooke, chief of the imperial general staff from 1941 to 1946, in a war diary forming the basis of a new book released this weekend. It is called The Turn of the Tide.

Most of the diaries are devoted to details of rows with the wartime prime minister, but Alanbrook pays tribute to Churchill as the man "who saved the world from Nazi domination."

Once when his chief of staff tried to dissuade Churchill from a spur-of-the-moment idea calling for a fantastic attack, the prime minister retorted angrily:

"I do not want any of your long-term projects, they cripple initiative."

Alanbrooke, an impetuous Irishman, went to all the major wartime conferences with Churchill after the United States' entry into the war.

He says Dwight D. Eisenhower's strong point as a commander was his charm rather than military ability.

PRAISE FOR MACARTHUR

Alanbrooke does not have a high opinion of most U.S. military leaders as strategists, including Gen. George C. Marshall, chief of staff. But he praises Gen. Douglas MacArthur as "the greatest general of the last war" and speaks well of Gen. Walter Bedell Smith.

Sir Arthur Bryant, noted British historian who wrote the book, credits Alanbrooke with being the mastermind of the grand strategy that brought the Allies victory.

Alanbrooke, in a footnote to his diary referring to Eisenhower, says:

"He learned a lot during the war, but tactics, strategy and command were never his strong points.

". . . Where he shone was his ability to handle Allied forces, to treat them all with strict impartiality, and to get the very best out of an inter-allied force.

"In all the early times he was uncommonly well served by his chief of staff, Bedell Smith, who had far more flair for military matters than his master."

CHARM GREATEST ASSET

Alanbrooke, who had hoped to lead the Allied invasion forces into France—an assignment that went to Eisenhower—adds:

". . . Ike was blest with a wonderful charm that carried him far; perhaps his great asset was a greater share of luck than most of us receive in life.

"However if Ike had rather more than his share of luck we, as Allies, were certainly extremely fortunate to have such an exceptionally charming individual. As supreme commander what he may have lacked in military ability he greatly made up for by the charm of his personality."

The field marshal was repeatedly at odds with Gen. Marshall. He said although his American counterpart was a great organizer "it is quite impossible to argue with him as he does not begin to understand a strategic problem."

In a post-war postscript, Alanbrooke writes:

"I have often wondered since the war how different matters might have been if I had had MacArthur instead of Marshall to deal with."

ANXIOUS AMERICANS

Britain's main headaches, he says, were to stop the Americans from launching a cross-channel invasion of France before the time was ripe and emphasizing the importance of crushing Germany before Japan.

Alanbrooke said Marshall once pressed for a cross-channel strike as early as 1942. Alanbrooke said this would have led to disaster.

The British chief of staff tells, too, of repeated clashes with the late Admiral Ernest King, whom he accused of looking only to the Pacific.

Escaped Convicts Start Business

NEWCASTLE, England (AP— Two convicts set up a textile business here within three days after breaking prison and carried on for three months without being detected, police learned Saturday.

Their disappearance five days ago—as sudden as their arrival in town — aroused suspicion that brought the story to light.

Anthony John Hawkes, 32, and Dennis Stafford, 23, broke out of Wormwood Scrubs prison in London in November. Hawkes was serving six years for fraud, Stafford seven for robbery.

Inside the prison they stole a ladder and scaled the wall, fleeing 275 miles to Newcastle where they rented an impressive office without even a deposit.

EVEN BLONDE SECRETARY

Within weeks they had a flourishing textile business, two luxury apartments, a salesman and a blond secretary.

They also had £5,000 worth of textiles—on credit.

Gerald Hutton, a salesman hired by the convicts, told detectives:

"They knew the business inside out. I estimate the turnover on the last month at between £4,000 and £5,000.

"Now know there is £3,000 owing and they haven't paid a washer to their creditors."

100 Spend Night In Rink When Roads Are Blocked

The Bedeque rink provided shelter for nearly 100 people Friday night, when the heavy snow storm blocked highways and prevented many of those who came to see the ice Carnival from returning home. The canteen was kept open and provided hot drinks and lunches throughout the night for the unfortunate parties. Many others were luckier and were given refuge in nearby homes. The stranded parties were mostly from points east of Bedeque, as far away as North River.

13 Inches Of Snow Is Added To Friday's 6.5 Inch Fall

Snow shovelling is still Summerside's most prominent sport this winter as a Sunday follow-up to Friday's sudden storm that left a blanket of 6.3 inches, deposited another 13 inches on Summerside and surrounding area, over a 12 hour period, according to the Meteorological Section at R.C.A.F. Station, Summerside. The average depth of snow on the ground is now 26 inches.

Traffic was reduced to a mere trickle, although plows were operating all day on Summerside streets and the main highway east and west. However high winds from the north west quickly filled in many sections shortly after they were plowed out with drifts as high as 6½ feet as winds reached 30 mile per hour force at times during the height of the storm. Last evening the winds had abated to west north west at 15 m.p.h. no local damage was reported by the Island Telephone Co. Ltd., or the Summerside Electric Light Department.

Convention On Conventions Will Talk About Hotel Rates

By FORBES RHUDE
Canadian Press Business Editor

Relationships between associations and hotels will be discussed at the annual convention of the Institute of Association Executives in Montreal March 4.

The advance program describes the topic as "an exceptionally hot issue," and says discussion will deal with such matters as "lack of uniform rates, corkage, rebates cost of group luncheons and special charges."

Another program topic is: "Should you budget for a convention to break even, make a profit or take a loss?"

The institute is, in effect, an association of associations.

Speaking of hotels, opening a new one is quite a housekeeping job.

The 20-storey $10,000,000 Lord Simcoe Hotel on Toronto's King Street — scheduled for opening May 1 — says it will require, among other things: 4,664 pillows; 7,200 pillow slips; 10,200 single-bed and 1,500 double-bed sheets; 2,650 blankets; 5,000 tablecloths and 16,500 napkins; 10,000 each of bath towels and face towels and 3,000 bath mats.

The hotel—which will have 900 rooms—estimates that guests will use 1,000,000 cakes of soap yearly.

"Buying and voting—who makes up your mind?" is the subject of the winter week-end conference of the Canadian Institute of Public Affairs, to be held in Toronto Feb. 22-24.

Topics include: Why pressure the consumer? the engineering of political consent; growth of credit buying; effect of TV advertising on children.

Speakers include: J. B. Priestley, British author and playwright, and a wide range of Canadian and American experts or observers on more than a dozen topics.

The Canadian Institute of Relators, in co-operation with the University of Toronto, has set up a three-year correspondence course in the real estate business.

J. S. Stevenson of Winnipeg, president of the Association of Real Estate Boards—of which the institute is a component—says the course may develop into one leading to a college degree.

Massey-Harris-Ferguson Ltd., which drastically cut down its operations last year while it disposed of stocks on hand, reports 3,250 employees now at work in its Toronto King Street plant, compared with only 500 last August.

Chief Present item of work is a new series of self-propelled combines which will start moving to dealers this week.

Nylon-cord passenger-car tires—hitherto substantially premium-priced—have been brought within five per cent of the price of standard rayon tires by at least one large producer.

Wilson and Co. Ltd., of Toronto, Calgary and Vancouver are demonstrating the use of an electronic process for reviving people unconscious from fire, mine disasters, immersion in water or electrical shocks. It is also intended for use for new-born babies, and treatment of muscular and mental disorders.

A glass wand applied to the patient's solar plexus sends tiny electrical impulses into the nerves cular processes.

The equipment is made by Batrow Laboratories Inc. of Brantford, Conn., and Wilson and Co. state that it is already in wide use in hospitals, institutions and industrial plants in the United States.

SKILLED NATIVES

Moslems of the Maldive Islands in the Indian Ocean have long been renowned as navigators and traders.

Allen W. Palmer Passes After A Lengthy Illness

A prominent Summerside resident, Allen W. Palmer passed away at his home on Poplar Avenue, Sunday, in his 58th year. He had been suffering from a severe arthritic condition for the past seven years and had been confined to bed much of the time during the past five years.

Mr. Palmer, who had resided in Summerside for the past 27 years, was born in Freeland, one of four sons of Jonathan David Palmer and his wife, Mary Eliza Walker, formerly of Freetown, both of whom are now deceased. Before coming to Summerside Mr. Palmer operated a garage in Tyne Valley and later was in charge of the Scales Hydro-Electric plant in Freetown. On moving to Summerside he established a plumbing and electrical contracting business and in 1941 became a partner in the Palmer and Williams Co. Ltd., which handled several major contracts including one at the local R.C.A.F. Station.

He is survived by his wife, the former Helen Bell of Alberton, one son, John Robert, Ottawa one daughter Mary Elizabeth, Montreal. Three brothers, Robert Harold, Freeland, Edgar Poole, Weston, Mass., and Ingham Wright, Moncton, N.B.

The funeral service will be held Tuesday from St. Mary's Anglican Church at 2:30.

THIS WEEK AT

CIVIC STADIUM

MONDAY
1:30-3:00—Free School Skate
8:30—PARKDALE vs. ACES

TUESDAY
4:00-5:30—Skating
8:00-10:00—Skating

WEDNESDAY
8:00 P.M.—Freetown vs. Lot 16
One hour skate after game

THURSDAY
4:00-5:30—Skating
8-10—Skating

FRIDAY
1:30-3:00—Pre School Skate
9:15—B.Y.C. vs. ACES

SATURDAY
2:00-4:00—Skating
7:15—High School Ice Sports
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SUNDAY
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Navy League Secretary Will Visit P.E.I. Sea Cadet Corps

H.G. Gillard of Toronto, National Secretary of the Navy League of Canada is scheduled to arrive in Summerside today noon by plane and will be met at the airport by Charles Hogan president of the P.E.I. Division of the Navy League of Canada, and Cliff Court, chairman of the Canadian Legion Sea Cadet committee.

Mr. Gillard will inspect the local Sea Cadet corps this evening at 7.00 o'clock at the High School and will have an opportunity of hearing the Sea Cadet Band later in the evening when they perform at Civic Stadium during the hockey game.

Mr. Gillard, who is presently on a tour of cadet corps in the Atlantic Provinces, is making his second visit to Summerside, having been here at the time of the corps' formation.

He goes on to Charlottetown tomorrow.

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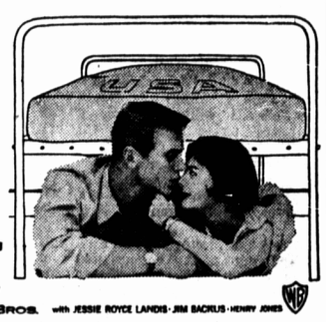

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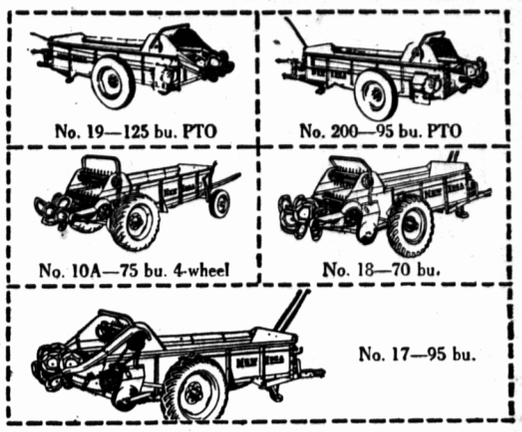

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CLARK'S—20 OZ.
PORK & BEANS - - 2 for 39c
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Grapefruit Juice, 48 oz. 31c
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GLO-COAT, pint size -- 59c
GLOBE
PEARS, 20 oz. - - - 2 for 45c
ALL LARGE
SOAP SUDS, pkg. - - - - 39c
WALNUTS, 4 oz. - - - 19c
COCONUT, 4 oz. - - - 15c
DATES - - - - - 2 lbs. 29c
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RAISINS - - - - 2 lbs. 43c
Shredded Wheat, 2 pks. 39c
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