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—BUYING Geese, Ducks, Chickens, Fowl, Thursday, December 13th only. W. H. Burns, Malpeque.
—CARD PARTY in Spring Valley Hall, Thursday, December 13th, starting 8 P. M.
—UNLOADING car of Baled Shavings at New Annan, Wednesday, December 12th. Coling Waugh, Wilmot.

—SEE SANTA in person at Jolley's, O'Leary, 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Wednesday. Santa arrives in Paul's Sound Car.
—POLICE REPORT — In his report to the Summerside Town Council last evening, Chief of Police White said "I take pleasure in reporting that no automobile accident during the month although there has been some property damage. I would respectfully request that an order be passed eliminating the parking on Central Street between Water Street and the driveway next to the Capitol Theatre. This would be the east side of Central Street. I think that this would help the traffic situation as at times traffic is tied up at that corner." The report of the Police Department for the month of November is as follows: Ability to drive impaired by alcohol, arrests one, convictions one. Speeding cases, three, convicted two, withdrawn one. Drunkenness, arrests 11, convictions 11. Intoxicated condition, Temperance Act, arrests two, convictions two. Theft, cases three, convictions one, withdrawn two. Theft from C.N.R., cases one, convictions one. Fires and costs collected, \$238.00. Licenses collected, \$312.00.—S

—UNLOADING car of coal Tuesday and Wednesday. Ralph MacCaul, Carleton.
—"HOW MUCH are you going to pay for car insurance?" Listen tonight to CCF Y at 8.25.
—"COME TO THE CARD PARTY, Irishtown Hall, December 11th. Game starting at 8 P. M. Everybody welcome. Sale of lunches.

—MISS MILDRED DIBBLE, Missionary on furlough from Africa, under Christian Mission's Inc., will be speaking and showing pictures of her work at Fundamental Baptist Church, Central Bedeque, Monday and Tuesday evenings, December 10th and 11th. Don't miss this spiritual treat from a real missionary of the Cross.

—POLICE COURT — In Summerside Police Court yesterday morning before Magistrate E. H. Strong, six men charged with being drunk forfeited their bail. One was fined fifteen dollars and costs. Two men convicted on a charge of causing a disturbance on a public street were fined ten dollars and costs.—S.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wendall MacWilliams, Carleton Siding, returned home on Friday, Dec. 7th, after spending a very enjoyable week visiting relatives in Boston and New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd MacWilliams, Carleton Siding, and Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Campbell of Cape Traverse, have left for Moncton where they will spend a few days visiting relatives and friends.

—Mr. Donald MacFadyen, who has been undergoing treatment in the Prince County Hospital, returned yesterday to his home in Augustine Cove.

—Mr. Gordon Lidstone, student at Mount Allison University, who spent the weekend at his home in Summerside, visited his father Mr. Walter Lidstone, who is a patient in the Prince Edward Island Hospital.

At the annual meeting of the Alberton branch of the Canadian Legion on Dec. 6 the following officers and committees were appointed: President, R. M. Dunn; 1st vice president, Maurice Perry; 2nd vice president, Maxwell Cameron; sergeant at arms, Henry Myers. Executive: Comrades, J. C. Matthews, D. B. Nicholson, Gerald Rooney, Bert Pridham, Herbert Leavitt, Russell Bonyman.

Committees appointed include: Sick Committee—H. W. Matthews, chairman; D. B. Nicholson, Frank Weeks, Earl Barbour and George Murray. Entertainment Committee—D. B. Nicholson, J. R. Rochford, Gerald Rooney, Frank Weeks, Heath Profit, Garth McEwen and Robert Profit.

Building Committee—R. M. Dunn, Kenneth Quigley and Herbert Leavitt. Finance Committee—Garth McEwen, Jack Rochford and Rev. J. R. McMahon.

Board of Trustees—Kenneth Quigley, J. Rochford, D. B. Nicholson, Russell Bonyman, Garth McEwen and R. M. Dunn. There followed a long discussion regarding Dr. Halimson and it was the opinion of the meeting that nothing could be done to obtain Dr. Halimson's permit to practice in P. E. I. and the members were very pleased to hear that Dr. Halimson had been appointed to the staff of the Victoria General Hospital in Montreal.

A vote of thanks was extended to Comrade J. C. Matthews for a donation of shingles and also to Comrade Kenneth Quigley for donating many hours of labour. The happy chairman, Comrade D. B. Nicholson, reported a very successful campaign, with a good number of wreaths being sold to Alberton merchants.

A vote of thanks was extended to the building committee for the many improvements and alterations to the Legion Home which included shingling the roof, new windows, front door, dance floor, improvements to the club room, rewiring and general work on the entire building.

The president, Comrade R. M. Dunn, in a brief address, commented on the excellent progress made by the Alberton branch since acquiring their present building about one year ago and hoped that the year 1952 would be even more successful and with the continued co-operation of all members he was sure it would be.

Comrade D. B. Nicholson, on behalf of the branch moved a vote of thanks to the president for his untiring efforts during the past year. It was seconded by Rev. J. R. McMahon and carried. —F.W.

HONG KONG, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Traders reported yesterday Red China's currency has gone into a new slide in the last two weeks. Legally 20,000 yuan are worth \$1. Traders said it has fallen to 40,000 to \$1 on the black market.

C.N.R. Operates Within System Of Balances

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—(CP)—Donald Gordon, president of the Canadian National Railways, said tonight the C.N.R. is required to function within a system of checks and balances, one being the Canadian Pacific, the major privately-owned road.

In his prepared address before the Canadian Railway Club of Montreal, Mr. Gordon said he believed this system developed a set of stable relationships. Thus the two railways are able to operate side by side, providing service to the Canadian public at one of the lowest rate levels in the world.

Mr. Gordon referred to a statement of the Royal Commission on Transportation, that the two railways "shall have their opportunity to operate side by side in order to provide the requisite services."

"This means to me," he said, "that the continued and separate existence of these two great institutions is accepted as a fact, accepted as a premise on which all aspects of our relationship must be based. I accept this premise fully and without reservation."

He said he thought there was less talk of amalgamation these days because experience has demonstrated the place and the need for both organizations.

Discussing competition and co-operation between the C.N.R. and the C.P.R., Mr. Gordon said "We will co-operate with each other to the fullest in our mutual interest up to, but not past, the point of giving the other road a single passenger or a single pound of freight."

Within this principle there would not be foolish or uneconomic expansion. Each recognized the need to provide the best service at the best rates while still realizing a reasonable margin of profit.

He said competition in the railway field now is largely competition in service and competition against other forms of transport tends to be a railway approach as opposed to the competing agencies.

Discussing recapitalization of the C.N.R., Mr. Gordon said he disagreed emphatically with the view that this threatened the existence of the privately-owned system.

"I disagree because the National's case for recapitalization should be dealt with on its own merits just as the Canadian Pacific's financial position should be considered on its merits. The Canadian National is trying to clean the windows of its financial structure so that the financial results can be seen in truer light."

Runaway Horse Causes Excitement

A lively bit of excitement occurred at Crapaud on Saturday when a runaway horse that had left his driver at the Crapaud Creamery came down the hill at considerable speed on the Trans-Canada Highway.

Perhaps he was of hardy pioneer stock endowed with the spirit of his ancestors from the days before roads and bridges existed.

Perhaps he did not agree with the route followed by the new highway, and had his own ideas on where the highway should have crossed the river.

In any case, and with a trail of groceries behind him that could easily be followed, he left the highway at a point somewhere opposite Lloyd Rogers's gate.

His freedom was short lived, however, because his owner, seeing the general direction followed by the horse in his swim across the pond, had hurried to the other side and was waiting for the horse when he walked ashore.

S'ide Town Council Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Summerside Town Council was held last night in the council chambers with his Worship Henry W. Wedge and all the councillors present.

Town paid bills amounting to \$45,815.45 were ratified and unpaid bills amounting to \$1,833.77 were ordered paid. Electric light bills of \$111.66 were ratified. Electric light unpaid bills amounting to \$16,608.02 were ordered paid.

Permission to hold a tag day on December 15th was granted to the Summerside Athletic Association if the proceeds to be used for minor hockey.

December 26th was officially declared a public holiday as Boxing Day.

The electric light rate for the Prince Edward Hospital was set at 24 cents per kilowatt hour with no service charge.

Application to increase the trucking rates in Summerside by fifteen cents a load was granted by the council.

A request from the residents of the district to run a power line from New Annan to Darnley was read and the matter was laid over for future consideration.

R.C.A.F. Recruiting Unit Moves Into New Quarters

The Royal Canadian Air Force recruiting unit for Prince Edward Island is being moved today to new and larger premises in the Journal Building in Summerside.

This unit began activities on October of 1950 with a staff of three and has steadily expanded during the past year to such an extent that it has already occupied two separate buildings at the Summerside airport and having outgrown the present accommodation several months ago it was decided to seek suitable accommodations in the town where it would be more convenient for the interview of prospective recruits.

The staff now consists of six members and will be increased in February with arrival of F/O A. Glustien, D.F.C., now flying in the Korean airlift. The unit's commanding officer is F/O J. A. Robertson formerly of Moncton, N.B., and senior N.C.O. of the unit is Flight Sgt. G. C. Conrad, who was recently transferred from Rivers, Man., Ft. Sgt. W. M. Gallant of Westboro's Corner is N.C.O. in charge of the orderly room and Sgt. Georgia O'Brien, Moncton, N.B., a veteran of the wartime Women's Division is in charge of the recruiting of airwomen. Since the opening of the unit at the R.C.A.F. station location the number of recruits attested has far exceeded expectations.

An airforce spokesman stated last night that enrollments in Prince Edward Island have been nearly five times greater than the average of the other provinces on a per capita basis.

The office will be open daily, including Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and in addition will operate every Tuesday evening from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

This recruiting unit serves all of Prince Edward Island. It was announced recently that recruits, both male and female, who enlist now are given leave without pay, if they so desire, in order that they may spend the Christmas season at home.—S.

New Members Admitted To Rotary Club

Six new members were admitted to the Summerside Rotary Club at their regular weekly luncheon held yesterday at Robsons Restaurant. They were Regh Tonne, Dr. Vincent Grant, Lorne MacFarlane, Dan Chan, William Young, John Wright.

In the absence of the president, Ben J. Taylor, the meeting was presided over by the vice president, Mr. Alan Holman.

The new members were welcomed to the club by Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell and each was presented with a copy of the Rotary book "Adventure in Service" by past president Dr. A. A. Lockhart. They were then addressed briefly on the principles of Rotary by past president William Hayward.

Guests present were Mr. Smith, manager of Woolworth's, and Mr. J. Elmer Murphy, editor of the Journal and Pioneer.

Two Independents Join Liberal Party Ranks

OTTAWA, Dec. 10.—(CP)—Liberal Party officials today issued a new standing of parties in the House of Commons.

The standing shows 186 Liberals compared with 184 previously. An official disclosed that Arthur Masse and Herve Rousseau, elected as Independent Liberals for the Quebec constituencies of Kamouraska and Rimouski, respectively, have been accepted as full-fledged Liberals.

The two men have patched up differences with Liberal Party organizations in their home constituencies and have been admitted to caucus with Liberal members of Parliament.

The new standing: Liberals 186; Progressive Conservatives 45; C.C.F. 13; Social

Credit 10; Independent Liberal two; Independent four; vacant two; total 262.

One of the vacancies—Calgary West—will be filled today in a by-election. The second vacancy is in the constituency of Ontario formerly represented by Walter Thomson, leader of the Liberal Party in Ontario.

The remaining two Independent Liberals are Paul L. Dube, member for Restigouche-Madawaska in New Brunswick, and Hector Dupuis, Montreal, St. Mary.

The Independents are P. E. Gagnon, Chicoutimi in Quebec, Dr. Raoul Foulon, Beauce, Que., Camille Houde, Montreal, Papineau, and J. L. Gibson, Comox-Alberni in British Columbia.

NOTICE

I will be buying a limited number of dressed geese and ducks December 12th and 13th, 17th and 18th at Ross Corner. Highest market price according to grade and dressed appearance.

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Bedeque Notes

—Mrs. Blanche Harper, North Carleton, returned recently to her home after spending two weeks in Charlottetown, the guest of Mrs. Annie Hughes, Miss Laura Lowther and Miss Ethel Lowther.

—Mr. and Mrs. Percy Boyle and family, Hunter River, visited Carleton Siding on Sunday, Nov. 25th, guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. MacCaul and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Craswell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell, Chelton, spent the weekend of November 24th in Moncton, N. B., where they were guests of Mr. Campbell's sister, Mrs. Marie Glendinning.

—Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Rodd and two children of Milton, accompanied by Mrs. Ralph MacCaul, Carleton Siding, spent Wednesday, Nov. 23rd in Moncton. They also paid a visit to Bayfield, N.B., where they called on Rev. Theodore and Mrs. Ross.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wendell MacWilliams, Carleton, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Lord, Tryon, left on Thursday, Nov. 29th, for Boston, Mass. They will be absent for ten days.

—Dr. Howard Hart of Saskatoon, and Mr. Gordon Hart, Amherst, N.S., visited their aunt Mrs. Thomas Moyle and Mr. Moyle, also Mrs. Edna Jenkins, on Sunday, Dec. 2. They also called on relatives in Victoria.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waugh and Mr. and Mrs. William Stavert, Lower Bedeque, were visitors to Charlottetown on Saturday, Dec. 1st.

—Mr. Gordon MacKenzie, Borden, has been engaged as teacher in Lower Bedeque School. He began his duties on Monday, Dec. 3rd.

—Miss Helen Bowness returned to her home here on December 4th, after spending over three months visiting in Montreal, Minnesota and Vancouver and other points of interest.

—Mrs. Judson Blackmore entertained the members of the Searletown Women's Institute, at her home in Bedeque village on Tuesday evening, December 4th.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank MacDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacDonald and Miss Margaret MacDonald, all of Crapaud, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Muttart on Sunday, December 2nd. They attended service in the Bedeque United Church. Mrs. Norman MacDonald was a valued member of the Church choir prior to her marriage a few months ago.

A post-nuptial shower was held recently in Searletown Hall for Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Noonan (nee Nora Rogers). A goodly number gathered and a nice array of practical gifts was presented to the young couple. The remainder of the evening was spent in playing crokinole, followed by a "sing-song". The ladies served lunch and all dispersed to their homes wishing Mr. and Mrs. Noonan many years of happy wedded life.

Mother And Two Children Burned

MONT LAURIER, Que., Dec. 10.—(CP)—A 31-year-old mother and two of her four children perished today in a fire that destroyed their two-story home three miles west of this Labelle County town.

Dead are Mrs. Aristide Limoges, her daughter, Claudette, 6, and son, Jean, 1.

Three other members of the family—the husband, Aristide Limoges, 35, Pierre, 8, and Lise, 4,—are in hospital suffering severe burns.

The members of St. Luke's congregation of the Church of England at O'Leary Conner are to be congratulated on having their lovely little Church wired.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Ellis and Rev. Major Ellis of Alberton are spending a short time in O'Leary the guests of their father, Mr. Robert Ellis and other members of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce MacNaught and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll MacWilliams of Carleton, Lot 6, returned to their homes on Thursday December 4th after an enjoyable holiday spent in Boston and other American centres.

The first meeting of the ratepayers of the newly incorporated village of O'Leary was held in the O'Leary Community Hall on Tuesday night, December 4th. The budget was presented. Mr. Connolly the government Minister from Charlottetown was present. The Commissioners are Bernard Shea, Ralph Adams and Alton Rayner.

An acute coal shortage exists in O'Leary. There's no coal at all in the village and the Western capital of Summerside is reported very short of coal at the time of writing. The mild weather has helped greatly in the shortage. The various merchants of O'Leary have ordered cars of coal and are expecting them shortly but for the past several weeks there has been no coal in O'Leary.

The members of the O'Leary Branch of the Canadian Legion are planning to give a Christmas treat to all the children of O'Leary and vicinity in the Legion Home the Thursday before Christmas, beginning about four p. m. All the children are being invited to attend and the members of the Legion are to be complimented on their generous action.

The O'Leary Canadian Girls in Training held their Christmas Bazaar and Sale of Home Cooking on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 8th at Jelly's Dept. Store in O'Leary. The delicious Home Cooking and the beautiful Fancy Work soon found ready purchasers. The leaders of the C. G. I. T. are Mrs. W. G. Dickson and Mrs. Herbert Vatcher.

Disarmament Talks End

PARIS, Dec. 10.—(CP)—The 10-day Big-Four power disarmament talks ended today with no apparent break in the East-West stalemate but Luis Padilla Nervo of Mexico who presided over the meetings offered a glimmer of hope for long-range success.

Nervo said the East and West can do constructive work towards disarmament on the basis of partial agreements.

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