

No Anticipated Fuel Shortage Reported Here

There will apparently be no shortage of fuel here this winter, fuel suppliers remain the same as at present. Coal dealers report adequate quantities although some of them feel greater stockpiling might decrease the possibility of any shortage later.

The same is believed true of the fuel oil situation with dealers satisfied with stocks.

During the war years and afterwards citizens were noted for getting their coal into the cellars during the summer. This was done because of fear of shortages which sometimes were strongly noticeable. However, one dealer said yesterday the people were drifting back to their pre-war habits and waiting for cold weather and slippery streets. Another remarked that perhaps the people were not buying in the summer because of cost. With much of the business being done on credit it is frequently the autumn before a customer has the past winter's coal paid for.

Prices are approximately the same as last year and conditions prevailing then generally hold this season. A dealer said there was a slight increase in costs this year due to higher freight, but he was absorbing the increase.

He also stated there was a tendency to shortages in some particular types of coal, but he felt this was due to a reported mill shortage in cars to haul the coal and would be corrected shortly.

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SPECIAL Thank Offering service Marie United Church, Sunday, Oct. 7 at 3 p.m. Guest speaker Rev. J. T. Irwin, also Misses King as guest singers.

DOOR PRIZES, lucky number food hampers at the Canada Packers Food Clinic sponsored by L. M. Montgomery Chapter I. O. D. E., October 10 and 11. Tickets available at the Gloria and Rogers Hardware China Department.

COUNTY COURT — Judgment was given yesterday by Judge C. Thibault in the County Court of Queen's County in the civil case of Wm. Dalziel, plaintiff vs. Spurgeon Graves, defendant concerning the rental of a city property. The claim for rent was reduced and for water rates and damages disallowed.

GAME ACT CONVICTION — Yesterday morning Stipendiary Magistrate Gilbert A. Gaudet fined a hatter from Oyster Bed Bridge \$10.00 and costs for having a hen pheasant in possession on which there is no open season. The defendant was checked by the Game Supervisor at North River late in the evening of the opening day on ducks.

Retired R.C.M.P. Sergeant Departs

Sgt. Walter H. Morgan, R. C. M. P. who recently retired from the force, left on Tuesday for Hartland, N. B., where he will take up residence. He was accompanied by Mrs. Morgan and their son, Reginald. Prior to his departure, Sgt. Morgan was presented with an engraved Queen Ann Ronson lighter set by Inspector N. W. Churchill on behalf of the local R. C. M. P. Division.

Sgt. Morgan was transferred to Charlottetown in 1945, and the following year took charge of the Orderly Room and Paying Account Office. Awarded the Long Service Medal last year, he served 19 years with the R. C. M. P. After transferring from the New Brunswick Provincial Police in 1932 which he joined in 1930. During the following years he served in Sackville, Moncton, where he was promoted to Corporal in 1942, Fredericton, Port Elgin, Chipman and Saint John. His promotion to Sergeant was made in 1950. He is a native of Hartland.

Sgt. and Mrs. Morgan have a daughter living in Bermuda, where her husband is employed by T. C. A.

TO ATTEND MEETING

Col. F. B. Conrad and Dr. R. H. Kennedy will leave early next week for Lucerne, Que., where they will attend a meeting of Department of Veterans Affairs District Administrators and Senior Medical Treatment Officers. Delegates from Halifax, St. John, N.B., and St. John's, Newfoundland will also be in attendance.

CITY POLICE COURT

The preliminary hearing of the two men charged with rape continued in the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court yesterday morning, and after the hearing of the evidence of six witnesses, the accused were remanded until today. Appearing for the Crown was J. O. C. Campbell, K.C. Deputy Attorney-General, and J. A. MacDonald, K.C., appeared for one of the accused.

MONDAY AT POST OFFICE — Monday, October 8th, Thanksgiving Day, is a statutory holiday and the service to be given at the Charlottetown Post Office is as follows: Letter carriers deliver—Nil; Wicket service—All wickets, with the exception of the money order wickets, will remain open from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon only; Public lobby—Will remain open until 11:00 p.m.; Special delivery—As on a normal day; Receipt and despatch of mail—As on a normal day; Rural Couriers—Will also serve the holiday and will not make their usual trips on this date.

Personals

Mrs. Henry Gallant, Stanley Bridge, was visiting friends in Charlottetown recently.

Friends of Mr. Alfred Yeo, North River, are pleased to see him about after his recent severe illness.

Friends of Louis MacDonald, patient in the Provincial Sanatorium are pleased to see him well enough to visit his home recently.

Mr. Thane Adams of Sea View left Tuesday morning, Oct. 2nd, for Toronto, Ontario where he will spend the winter.

Mr. Reuben Wilson and his daughter, Mrs. Hubert Augustine of Theford, Ont. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson, Cornwall. They will leave for their home in Ontario on the 12th of this month.

The many friends of Mrs. Hugh Walker, City, will be pleased to learn that her condition shows some improvement. Mrs. Walker is a patient in the P. E. I. Hospital.

Mr. N. D. Walker of Quebec, and a former resident of Cornwall and Charlottetown, is spending his holidays in this province, the guest of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. MacFadden, City.

The friends of Miss Elizabeth Punter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Punter, Charlottetown, will be pleased to hear that she has entered the Halifax Infirmary for an appendectomy. Mrs. Punter is leaving today to be with her daughter during her illness.

N. S. Mines Minister To Speak Here

Hon. A. H. MacKinnon, Minister of Mines and Labour for the Province of Nova Scotia is expected to arrive in Charlottetown the latter part of this week. He will be accompanied by Mrs. MacKinnon. While in Charlottetown Mr. MacKinnon will be the guest speaker at the annual Knights of Columbus banquet being held at St. Dunstan's University, Monday, Thanksgiving Day.

Removal Of Dead Trees Continues

Sixty infected and dead trees, mostly birch and poplar, have been cut down on the Government House grounds, and more are to be cut in the woods behind the residence, it was stated yesterday by Mr. R. Snazelle, Superintendent of the Cotton Memorial Nurseries, who is in charge of the work.

Trees to replace those cut are to be planted next year, and in the meantime an area on the west side has been seeded and the erection of a fence is expected to be completed this week. The erasing and seeding of the ground at the front are under way, and granted good weather in the immediate future, everything will be in readiness for the Royal visit.

Trinity Evening Auxilliary Meets

The Mary Millar Auxiliary met in the social hall on October 1st. In charge of the worship and study was Mrs. W. E. Bentley, who, with Mrs. J. G. Patterson, Miss Edith Douce, Mrs. D. W. Matheson and Miss Isabel Rogerson introduced the new study book "From Lakes to Northern Trails" written by Rev. Dr. Malcolm C. MacDonald.

At the business meeting which followed, several new members were welcomed into the group. It was unanimously decided that the proceeds from the Missionary Rally lunch be used to purchase a life membership for the past president, Mrs. Stanley Thompson, in appreciation of her faithful service.

The new sanatorium visiting committees are Miss Rogerson and Mrs. MacPherson; Miss Lockhart and Mrs. Bowness.

The Autumn Thankoffering meeting is to be held on November 5th. The special speaker is to be Rev. Hilda Johnson, missionary on furlough from India.

Invited To Attend Regimental Party

Lieut. Col. J. D. Stewart, D. S. O., E.D., and Mrs. Stewart have received an invitation from the Argyle and Sutherland Highlanders of Canada to attend a tea party in Hamilton, Ont., on October 14.

The party is being given by the famous regiment in honor of the visit to Canada of its Colonel-in-Chief, Princess Elizabeth, and the Duke of Edinburgh. Invitations are being extended to former officers commanding the unit. Lieut. Col. Stewart is the surviving commanding officer who was in action with the regiment.

Postal Address For Personnel Of Brigade Group

The Hon. Mr. Rinfret, Postmaster General, announces that the postal address for personnel of the 27th Canadian Infantry Brigade Group, including advance parties, on leaving Canada for Europe will be:

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Rank	Unit
CAPO 5060	c/c Postmaster, Montreal, P.Q.

It is further stated that, in order to ensure prompt delivery of mail overseas, the above form of address only should be used, with particular attention being given to the inclusion of the unit name. Abbreviations should not be used.

The rates of postage and conditions now applicable to mails from Canada to the United Kingdom will apply to mails sent to the address shown above. Customs declarations must be completed and affixed to every parcel.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear Father and Mother, Mr. and Mrs. John B. MacLeod (Coleman) who departed from this life (Oct. 4, 1944) and (February 22, 1946).

Deep in our hearts you are fondly remembered. Sweet happy memories cling round your name. True hearts that loved you with deepest affection, Always will love you in death just the same.

The world may change from year to year, And friends from day to day, But never will the ones we loved From memory fade away.

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Egg Producers Warned Re Quality Production

A warning that Prince Edward Island "is fast losing its preferred position as a supplier of quality eggs" is sounded by Mr. P. M. Nash, district inspector of poultry products, in his weekly market report.

"Generally speaking," Mr. Nash says, "our eggs are not in the premium class and quite often are considered by buyers as second choice on an open market. This has been brought about by a laxness in our production, grading and marketing methods. There is not that will to place on the market a quality product.

"These conditions can be remedied and must be remedied if we are to retain our position in the egg market." The future of our egg industry poses a problem and a challenge to the industry. To produce quality eggs, the producer must specialize, not so much in the number of birds kept, but in keeping and maintaining their flocks in a manner that through modern feeding, sanitation and management, a quality product is assured. The grade, pack and market a product that is second to none, not one that is possible.

"If everyone interested in the egg industry works to develop and co-ordinate a more carefully planned, well directed program covering all phases of production, grading, packing and selling, the next few years can do wonders in regaining our rightful place in the egg market," Mr. Nash adds.

Mayoralty Case Argued

After argument by counsel yesterday the mandamus proceedings in connection with the office of Mayor of the City of Charlottetown were adjourned until the 28th of this month. The petitioner, Mr. M. Alban Farmer, acted as his own counsel.

Mr. K. M. Martin, K.C. represented the City Clerk and the individual members of the City Council. His instructions were that the clerk's duties were purely administrative and that he neither opposed nor supported the application requiring a by-election for Mayor. The members of the City Council had no personal interest in the result, but were concerned only in getting the ruling of the Court.

Mayor B. Earle MacDonald had been served with the papers in the matter but was not represented by counsel.

Mr. Farmer reviewed the facts for the presiding judge, Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell. They had been set out in an agreed special case. The question at issue is the date when Mayor MacDonald became disqualified for that civic office by becoming a member of the Legislative Assembly after successfully contesting the district of Fifth Queens in the general election of April 26th last.

He referred to the Charlottetown Incorporation Act, Legislative Assembly Act and English cases cited in May on Parliamentary Procedure including that of Baron Rothschild who for eleven years acted as a Member of Parliament, except for sitting and voting, without having taken the oath of allegiance.

Receipts Decline

Egg receipts continue to decline. Quality is showing further improvement. Pullet production is increasing slowly. Sales are slower but no accumulation on dealers floors is reported. Retailers report sales of Grade A eggs light at present prices.

Producers receiving for ungraded eggs delivered AL 59, AM 50, AS 35, B 42, C 27. Dealers quoting for graded pack delivered AL 65, AM 58, AS 43, B 50, C 34-7 and quoting this same pack to retailers at AL 68, AM 61, AS 46, B 53, C 37-40. Eggs remaining to consumers loose, AL 74-6, AM 66-8, AS 52-4, B 62-4, C 45-8.

Poultry receipts are quite heavy for the season. Price changes of dressed chickens have been made by some wholesalers. Dealers quoting producers for live chicken, No. 1's, over 5 lbs, 29, fowl, 26. Dressed chicken Grade A, over 5 lbs, 40-1, Fowl 33.

Predicts Increase In Business Here

Mr. M. K. Kenny, C.L.U., General Superintendent of Agencies for the Excelsior Life Insurance Company head office, Toronto, and Mr. D. S. K. Skinner, Saint John, N.B.-P.E.I. Branch Manager, left on return yesterday following a visit to the local resident manager of the company, Mr. Stewart G. Ives.

It was Mr. Kenny's first visit here since the branch was opened in May, 1950. He expressed himself as greatly pleased with results here and predicted a steady business period ahead.

Winnipeg - (CP)

— A pageant celebrating the 100th anniversary of the arrival of the first Presbyterian minister at the Red River was presented in Westminister United Church here. The pageant depicted pioneer days of the church in Manitoba.



YOUTH CENTRE — It's here you'll come looking for WINTER COATS for your daughters, because it's here you'll find the best collection of Coats on "The Island" . . . Fur trimmings, plain tailored or serviceable, warm Station-Wagon Coats are available in infants' sizes right up to sizes for your big teenager. You'll like these Coats for their reasonable prices and their wearability — your daughters will like them because they are in styles and colors that are new and smart. Come today and choose a Winter Coat from the Youth Centre.

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LADIES' WEAR — If perchance you are a member of the "Stork Club" you'll be interested in the MATERNITY DRESSES for "ladies-in-waiting" . . . Attractive styles, featuring novel neckline interest, and made up in crepes and failles — the colors are Fallish and they have the necessary waistline expansion. Sizes 12 to 18 (you take your regular size) — priced 5.95 and upwards. Maternity Dresses are in the Ladies' Wear Department.

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ANNUAL MEETING

P. E. I. Division Navy League of Canada will hold its annual meeting in the ward room of H. M. C. S. Queen Charlotte, Friday night at nine o'clock. All members are asked to attend and all interested are invited.

Dominion Drama Regional Festival Committee Formed

The formation of a 1951 Committee to make arrangements for the holding of this season's Dominion Drama Regional Festival was discussed at a meeting held on Tuesday evening, October 2nd, in Charlottetown.

Judge H. L. Palmer was named chairman of a temporary committee of six, and Miss Mary McQuaid is secretary. The permanent committee will include some members of the Charlottetown Little Theatre Guild, and at least one representative from each group competing in the Festival.

It was the confident expectation of the meeting that entries in the Regional Festival, which will be held in Charlottetown on February 4th and 5th, will include one from Summerside and one or more from the rural sections of this Province.

Also pointed out was the fact that this year's winning Prince Edward Island group would be in a good position to be invited to the Dominion Finals which will be held in Saint John, N. B., beginning April 28th.

Migratory Birds Act Cases Heard

Four cases under the Migratory Birds Act were heard by Magistrate Gilbert A. Gaudet in the Queen's County Magistrate's Court yesterday morning. Two residents of Charlottetown were each fined \$15 and costs or one month for hunting Canada Geese in the close season, and a resi-

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