

Western Guardian

MAYOR WEDGE OPENS CIVIC STADIUM

Plows Find Going Very Heavy In West Prince

CHRISTMAS CANTATA. Tryon Church, Thursday, Dec. 29, 7 p.m.

REGULAR THURSDAY night service, Canadian Legion Home, Tryon. Music by Erwin and Sunshine Boys. Admission 50 cents.

LEAVES FOR FLORIDA. Mrs. Joseph Sheen, Kensington, has left for Florida where she will spend the winter. Mrs. Sheen spent weeks with her sister in Toronto before leaving for the south.

A.Y.P.A. MEETS. St. Marks A.Y.P.A., Kensington, held their regular meeting Monday Dec. 19th. Meeting opened with a hymn and prayer by the Rev. Dr. Scripture reading by Letman Cole. Due to absence of president and vice-president, Don Caseley conducted the meeting. Various reports were given, and it was decided to entertain the Young Peoples Group from the United and Presbyterian churches, and the meeting be adjourned, and the remainder of the evening was spent making wreaths to decorate the church.

KENSINGTON RINK Wednesday, December 28th, free skate for all school children this afternoon 3.30 to 5.00. Opening game Farmers League 8.30 sharp: Cavendish versus Grahams Road. Skate after.

CENTRAL COMMERCIAL College, 10 Spring Street, Summerside, reopens on January 4th. You may enroll for the new term. Phone 2899.

ALBERTON PARTY. The children of Alberton Presbyterian Sunday School enjoyed their annual party a short time before Christmas. The Christmas story was told by Mrs. F. J. Carpenter and carols were sung. Three films "Canada at the Coronation," "The Royal Winter Fair" and "The Pirogue Maker", were shown, the projector being operated by Dean Carpenter and Billis Clark. Treats and gifts were presented to the boys and girls and refreshments were served.



Mayor Henry W. Wedge is seen above with members of the Town Council as he officially opened the Summerside Civic Stadium on Monday afternoon. On his left is Councillor Dr. Hillard Clark, while on the right of Mayor Wedge from left to right, are, Dr. Hubert McNeill, chairman of the committee in charge of the program arranged by the Summerside Amateur Athletic Association; Councillor Clarence Steele, Councillor James MacDougall, Councillor Wm. Jenkins, and Councillor Andrew Perry. (Photo by Wotton)

After five hours of extremely heavy going yesterday a Walters snow plow broke open the section of highway between McLean Horne's at Elmsdale, a distance of about three miles, leaving continuous cuttings estimated at between ten and fifteen feet high in many places. A motorist from the mainland who followed the plow to Alberton gave great praise to the operators for their good work in clearing this section of highway. After viewing the huge cuttings he expressed the opinion that only a snow blower would be able to widen the single track to provide passing room and to prevent another storm from closing the main road for the winter.

The snow plow stationed at Alberton operated for several hours Monday and most of yesterday opening the road to Roseville where a five-year-old boy was seriously ill. Carl Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Myers was taken to the Western Hospital immediately after the arrival of the plow about 2 o'clock. This plow then en route for Mall Pond where a woman was reported to require hospitalization. An I.M.T. bus which had been stranded at Tigulish since Christmas eve arrived back at Alberton about 4.30 yesterday afternoon. Travelling conditions on all roads are very heavy with few places to meet or pass a vehicle.

Peter Thorneycroft (unchanged) Minister of food, agriculture and fisheries; Derick Heathcoat-Amory (unchanged).

Minister of education: Sir David Eccles (unchanged)

Minister of works: Patrick Buchan-Hepburn (Nigel Birch).

Ministers not in the cabinet: Minister of pensions: John Boyd-Carpenter (Osbert Peake) First lord of the admiralty: J. P. L. Thomas (unchanged) Secretary of state for war: Anthony Head (unchanged) Secretary of state for air: Nigel Birch (Lord de l'Isle and Dudley) Minister of supply: Reginald Maudling (unchanged) Minister of fuel and power: Aubrey Jones (Geoffrey Lloyd) Minister of transport and civil aviation: Harold Watkinson (John Boyd-Carpenter) Minister of health: R. H. Turton (Iain Macleod) Postmaster-General: Dr. Charles Hill (unchanged) Ministers of state, foreign office: Anthony Nutting and Marquess of Reading (unchanged) Minister of state, Scottish office: Commander T. D. Galbraith (unchanged) Minister of state for colonies: Austin Low (unchanged) Attorney-General: Sir Reginald Munnings-Kellie (unchanged) Solicitor-General: Sir Harry Hylton-Foster (unchanged) Minister without portfolio: Earl of Munster (unchanged).

PERSONALS

Mrs. Thane Adams arrived from Halifax Saturday to spend a few days with relatives before leaving to spend the winter with her husband who is with the R.C.A.F., Lachine, Quebec.

The many friends of Mr. Ivan Dickieson, Darnley, regret to hear he has been confined to bed since his return from Prince County Hospital where he had been a patient several weeks following a heart attack.

IN MEMORIAM

J. PETER GORDON

The funeral service for the late Peter Gordon, who passed away at the Somerville, Mass., hospital Wednesday evening, December 27th, after a short illness, was held from Campbell's Funeral Home Tuesday afternoon at 3.00 o'clock.

Rev. S. M. Holmes, pastor First Baptist Church, conducted the service. The choir, with Mrs. J. S. Shy as accompanist, sang the hymns "Unto the Hills," and "Abide with Me."

The remains were placed in the vault at Highland Cemetery. The service there was conducted by members of the Amherst Branch, B.E.S.L., with Robert Clayton in charge.

The pallbearers were three nephews of the deceased, Lester MacLeod of Albany, P. E. I., and Donald MacKenzie of O'Leary, P. E. I., and three members of the family, E. W. Corbett, W. Foster and Claude Wheaton.

The late Mr. Gordon was born Appin Road, P. E. I., 70 years ago. He had resided in Amherst for a number of years where he was employed with the 2 Barkers Company, and was a member of the Town Council, before moving to Amherst where he was employed with the Finch Simpson and his daughter, June Simpson Sargent, both of St. Catharines, Ontario.

Among those from out of town attending the service here Tuesday afternoon were his sister, Mrs. L. MacLeod of Victoria, P. E. I., Lester MacLeod of Albany, Mrs. Donald MacLeod, Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. William Moore, Westmoreland, E. I., Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacKenzie, O'Leary; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gordon, Borden; Mrs. James Gordon, Appin Road; Mrs. John Gordon, Charlottetown, a first-in-law; Judson MacEachern, Appin Road, a brother-in-law; Peter MacEachern and Mrs. H.B. Hills of Charlottetown, a nephew and niece respectively.

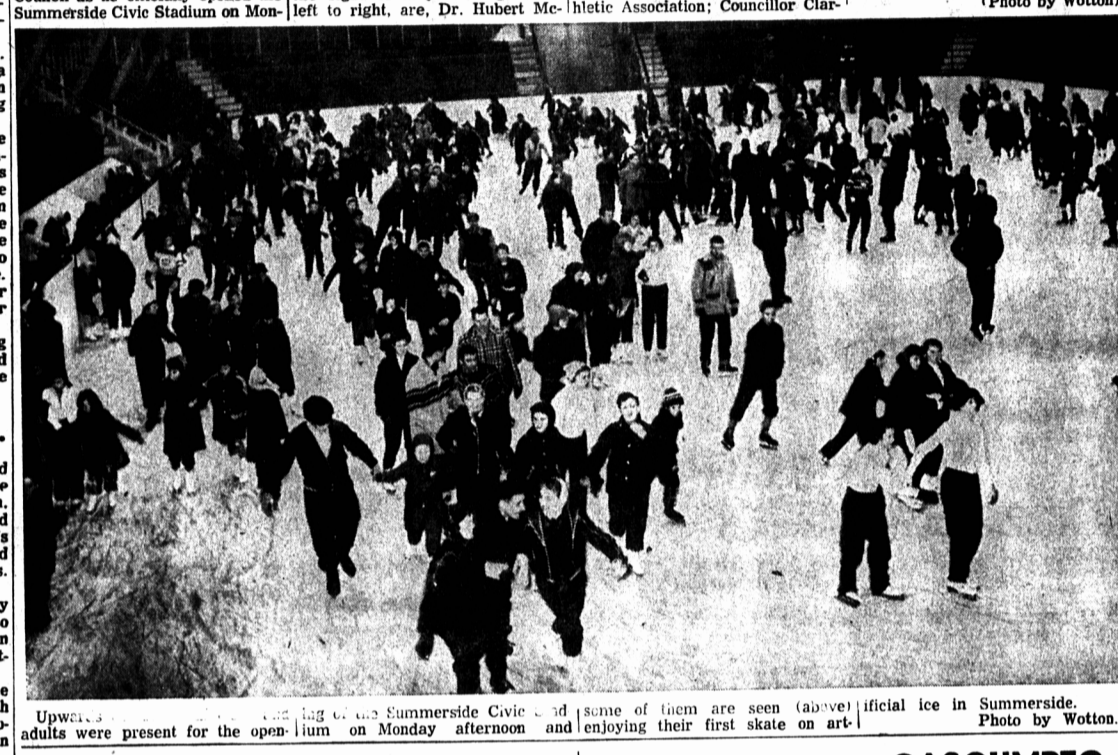
Recent Brides Honored by Alberton Ladies

Two recent brides, Mrs. Roy Haywood and Mrs. Basil Mathews, were honored by the ladies of Alberton Presbyterian congregation at the close of the December Ladies' Aid meeting. The hostess was Mrs. Howard Clark.

The meeting, presided over by Mrs. Lloyd Wilkie, opened with a Christmas worship service led by Mrs. Edgus Forsyth. During the brief business period it was decided to pack a box of warm clothing for the Scott Mission in Toronto.

During the social hour at the close of the meeting a poem, composed for the occasion by Miss Margaret Forsyth, was read to the guests of honor by Mrs. Helen Kerr and presentations made. The one to Mrs. Haywood was made by Mrs. Carpenter and the one to Mrs. Mathews by Mrs. Wilkie. When each had expressed her thanks, all joined in singing, "For They are Jolly Good Fellows".

Contests, games and the singing of Christmas carols were enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served.



Upwards of 400 children and adults were present for the opening of the Summerside Civic Stadium on Monday afternoon and some of them are seen (above) enjoying their first skate on artificial ice in Summerside. (Photo by Wotton)

O'LEARY

Mr. Robert Howard of Cape Wolfe, had gone to Montreal where he will be employed during the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett MacDougall of Vernon, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. MacDougall in O'Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Sweet are confined to their home with flu.

The G.G.T. Group held their Vesper Service on Sunday evening in the United Church, O'Leary.

Mr. Nelson Dennis was a visitor to Summerside, visiting his wife who is a patient in the Prince County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Palmer and family of Summerside were recent visitors to Knutsford, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Smallman.

Mrs. Earle Ellis has returned to her home after undergoing an operation in the Prince County Hospital in Summerside.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gelson, Carleton Lot 6, were visitors to Alma recently, guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunbar and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shaw of Cape Wolfe, were visitors on Sunday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shaw in O'Leary and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Betts.

Traver, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Webb Carleton, Lot 6, is confined to his home with pneumonia.

Mr. Averd Harris, Knutsford, was a visitor to Summerside on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dennis, O'Leary, motored to Summerside on Friday.

Mr. Arthur Harris, O'Leary, was a business visitor to Summerside on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ashley, Alberton, were visitors to the home of Mrs. Ashley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris in O'Leary recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Betts, O'Leary, were visitors to Glenwood and Mt. Royal on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gay, Knutsford, spent a day with friends in Summerside recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Phillips, O'Leary, motored to Summerside recently.

A basket of gifts. The bride was assisted in opening them by Miss Bertha Gordon while the accompanying verses were read by Miss Betty Locke. The gifts were arranged by Miss Eleanor Ashley, on behalf of his wife, the groom expressed appreciation to their many friends. All joined in singing "For They are Jolly Good Fellows". A pleasant social evening was enjoyed and refreshments were served by several ladies.

Mrs. William MacLeod is confined to her home through illness.

Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Thomas, motored to Summerside Wednesday, Dec. 14.

New British Cabinet Roll

LONDON (Reuters) — Following is the new British cabinet (previous ministers in brackets):

Prime minister: Sir Anthony Eden (unchanged)

Foreign secretary: Selwyn Lloyd (Harold Macmillan)

Chancellor of the exchequer: Harold Macmillan (R. A. Butler)

Lord president of the council: The Marquess of Salisbury (unchanged)

Home secretary: Maj. Gwilym Lloyd-George (unchanged)

Lord privy seal: R. A. Butler (H. F. Crookshank)

Lord chancellor: Viscount Kilmer (unchanged)

Minister of defence: Sir Walter Monckton (Selwyn Lloyd)

Commonwealth relations secretary: Earl of Home (unchanged)

Colonial secretary: Alan Lennox-Boyd (unchanged)

Minister of labor: Iain Macleod (Sir Walter Monckton)

Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster: Earl of Selkirk (Lord Woolton)

Secretary of state for Scotland: James Stuart (unchanged)

Minister of Housing: Duncan Sandys (unchanged)

President of the board of trade: recently where they visited the former's sister, Mrs. Phillip Thompson, who is a patient in the Prince County Hospital.

The many friends of Mrs. Harold Lidstone are sorry to hear that she is ill and had to enter the Prince County Hospital in Summerside for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Therin Ellis, O'Leary, were Sunday visitors to Forest View, guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sweet and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sweet.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Moreshead, West Devon, were visitors to O'Leary recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Harris, Knutsford, were visitors to Summerside on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harris, Knutsford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rennie in Elmsdale recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dunbar have returned from a trip through the United States and Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. James Baglole, O'Leary, spent the weekend with relatives in Glenwood recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Vatcher, O'Leary, were visitors to Summerside recently where they visited Mrs. Vatcher's sister, Mrs. Phillip Thompson, who is a patient in the hospital there.



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Let's Talk It Over

The eminent writer, Dorothy Thompson, who has been observing education in Russia brings back the report that a teacher's absolute authority in the school is unquestioned. In observing children outside the school she is impressed with their behavior, and convinced that "school discipline has a lasting effect." We are not surprised that school authority in Russia is unquestioned. Isn't all authority in Russia unquestioned? And are Miss Thompson's comments a tribute to the Russian system of education? The system is efficient undoubtedly but is it ideal? Dictatorship always lays great stress on strict discipline and unquestioned obedience. If you want a people to bow down to dictatorial power and give no trouble, you must start with strict discipline in the schools. They'll be so used to the iron heel in their youth that they'll accept it as inevitable in post-school years.

In our democracies unquestioned obedience is necessary in times of crisis, but if we have a new martial law. But unquestioned obedience in the ordinary concerns of everyday living is just another name for regimentation. A certain amount of misbehavior is as natural in children as it is in an unbroken colt. Children of a democracy who never get out of disciplinary bounds are probably either suffering from anemia or expecting Santa Claus. Russian children are not only well behaved, but many of them, according to reports, would inform the authorities if their mothers and fathers didn't behave themselves. Heaven preserve us from that type of model children in this democratic country of ours.

ALBERTON

Miss Norma Locke, teacher at South Kildare, is spending Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raeford Locke, O'Leary.

Mr. Carmen Contain is ill at his home in South Kildare.

Mr. Wesley Rix, Hamilton, Ontario, is spending the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rix, Elmsdale.

Mr. Michael Ahearn, Alberton, is a patient in the Western Hospital.

Mrs. Ross Getson, who has been a patient in the Provincial Sanatorium for some time, spent Christmas at her home near Alberton.

Miss Lettie Vincent, Charlottetown, is spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Alma.

The first Christmas eve skate at the Alberton rink was enjoyed by a capacity crowd. The ice is reported to be in excellent condition and with continued cold weather in prospect a good season for skaters and hockey is anticipated. The Regals hockey team held their first practice session Monday evening and a large number of new players turned out to try for the team. Many of last year's Regals will not be playing this year.

Alberton Ladies' Groups Think Of Shut-ins

As is their annual custom, members of Alberton's Women's Institute were busy dispersing greetings to ill, shut-in and elderly folk at the Christmas season.

On Wednesday afternoon the president, Mrs. A. C. Green, and the secretary, Mrs. James Hodgson, visited the Western Hospital and brought to each of the seventeen patients good wishes for Christmas and a treat of candy which had been provided by members of their organization.

Just as they completed this pleasant duty a group of carollers, for whom the Institute had arranged, arrived and for half an hour they brought joy to all within the hospital walls as the sweet strains of well loved carols echoed through the corridors.

Mrs. E. E. Larter, R.N. kindly accompanied the carollers and assisted in the singing.

During the week cards were mailed to a number of members and former members of the Institute who are absent from town.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. Green and Mrs. Arthur Wilkie prepared treats for ten elderly and shut-in ladies and also for three members of the Institute who are confined to their homes by illness and on Saturday these packages were delivered.

Freetown Boy One Of Hundred Best Marksmen

Every year more than 80,000 Army Cadets, from 400 Cadet Corps across Canada, compete in small bore indoor competitions across Canada. The results are submitted to the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association headquarters at Ottawa where all scoring is noted and the D.C.R.A. Cadet "Hundred Roll" is compiled.

Each cadet selected for the "Hundred Roll" receives a crest signifying that he is one of the top 100 in Canada.

J. Ronald Lewis, now attending Rothersey Collegiate School at Rothersey, N.B. and a son of John W. Lewis of Freetown, P.E.I. was one of those selected for the "Hundred Roll" of 1955.

CLASSIC RIDERS

The famed Vienna Spanish riding school of horsemanship was founded more than 300 years ago.

Members of Alberton sub-division of the C. W. L. were also busy with the preparation and distribution of twenty-two boxes to older folk and those confined to their homes by ill health. The committee in charge was composed of Mrs. Gerald Roney, convener, assisted by Mrs. Brydon Smith and Mrs. Alton O'Brien.

CASCUMPEC

The congregation of Cascumpec United Church are very pleased to see Rev. Murray Gardiner back in the pulpit again after his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Thomas and son Barrie, were Dec. 15 visitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smallman, Knutsford.

The many friends of Mrs. George D. Warren, Mill Road, are very sorry to learn she is confined to her home through illness.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wallace on their recent marriage. A miscellaneous shower was held in their honor on Thursday evening Dec. 15, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace. The house was attractively decorated with pink and white streamers and wedding bells. When the bride and groom had been seated in decorated chairs they were presented with

Attention Buyers And Farmers

We are discontinuing buying live poultry at our killing plant effective December 29th.

We will receive dressed poultry until a later date.

JENKINS BROS., LIMITED,

Summerside.

"CAMEO"

KENSINGTON

Wed.-Thur. 7:15-9:15; Mat. Thur. 2:30. John Wayne, Ella Raines in a show that has been re-released after 10 years which speaks for itself - "TALL IN THE SADDLE", with "Gabby" Hayes. Bank drawing Thursday worth possible \$65.00.

"ROYAL"

BORDEN

Wed.-Thurs., Dec. 28-29 - 8 P.M. The great love story of "ROME AND JULIET" with Laurence Harvey and Susan Shental in technicolor. No bank drawing Thursday. Admission 50c-30c.

Capitol

SUMMERSIDE

Last Showing - 7:15-9:15

In CinemaScope

"DADDY LONG LEGS"

Starring FRED ASTAIRE and LESLIE CARON

THURS. - FRI. - SAT.

"WHERE THE SIDE-WALK ENDS"

With DANA ANDREWS and GENE TIERNEY

AUGUSTINE COVE W. I.

The regular monthly meeting of Augustine Cove, W. I., was held Thursday evening December 1st, at the home of Mrs. Harry MacLachlan with the President in the chair.

The meeting opened by singing "Joy to the World", followed by repeating the Creed in unison.

Roll call was responded to by seventeen members. Five new members joined. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Correspondence was read and discussed and Institute News was passed out.

The birthday box was opened which the sum of \$10.15 was realized.

Bills were paid and the Buying Committee are to pack boxes for the shut-ins at Christmas.

Reports of Committees were then read and new ones appointed: Sick and Program - Mrs. Frisla MacFadyen, Mrs. Harry MacLachlan.

Lunch - Mrs. Wendell MacFadyen, Mrs. Kenneth Dawson, Mrs. Austin Cameron and Mrs. Ilean Gaudet.

Mrs. Vernis Webster kindly invited members to her home for the next meeting. Roll call to be answered by paying a cent each for waist measurements. The meeting closed by singing the "Queen".

A dainty supper was then served by the hostess assisted by committee in charge. Collection amounted to \$1.50.

Arrange For Rental Of Civic Stadium

The Summerside Athletic Association completed satisfactory arrangements last night with the Town Council with regard to rental of Civic Stadium for the minor hockey program in Summerside. The association will pay for 19 hours hockey practice per week for the minors. The S. A. A. have not completed arrangements for the hiring of a minor hockey director as yet, but the executive are working on it, and expect to have a suitable man in the very near future.

TRAIN KILLS TWO

INKERMAN, Ont. (CP) - Two men were killed Tuesday when a freight train crashed into their automobile at a level crossing here. They were identified as C. Wyatt of Mountain Station, Ont., and James Carter of Iroquois, Ont. The men were the only occupants of the car.



WATCH FOR TRUCE VIOLATIONS

The International Commission (India), points out an object of interest on shore. Left to right are: Capt Geoffrey of the French Foreign Legion, Capt Chmielewski (Poland), Lt. Col. Zora Singh (India) and Mr. Dzierzanowski, the Polish interpreter.

TRYON - CRAPAUD - VICTORIA

WEEK OF PRAYER SERVICES

JANUARY 2 - 6

Theme: "IN HIS STEPS"

January 2nd - "The Backward Look" - Rev. Lloyd Archer, Presbyterian Church, Tryon

January 3rd - "Looking Ahead" - Miss M. A. MacKenzie, United Church, Crapaud

January 4th - "A Good Start" - Dr. E. J. Barrass, United Church, Victoria.

January 5th - "Fellow Travellers" - Rev. R. H. Baxter, Baptist Church, Tryon.

January 6th - "The End of The Road" - Rev. G. R. F. Ebsary, St. John's Anglican Church, Crapaud.

All Services 8 P.M. - Everyone Welcome.

NOTICE

In keeping with the policy of the other stores in Kensington the M. F. Schurman Co. Ltd., beginning January 4th, 1956, will remain open on Saturday afternoons and close Wednesday afternoons.

REGENT TO-DAY 2.30-7.15-9.15

Count Three and Pray

VAN HEFLIN

CINEMASCOPE ADMISSION

Matinee 25c 50c

Evening 50c 60c