

Bishop Visits Local Knights of Columbus

Last evening Most Rev. Malcolm A. MacEachern, Bishop of Charlottetown, was welcomed to the regular monthly meeting of the Knights of Columbus by the Grand Knight, George Cheverie, who expressed on behalf of the council their congratulations and loyalty.

Bishop MacEachern replied briefly, referring to his long association with the Order and the possibilities for good to be found in such organizations.

After the business portion of the meeting a panel consisting of Brendan Curran, Abraham Zakem, Walter Morris, Leo Bradley, Preston Curley and James Doherty were introduced by Urban MacQuaid. This panel discussed the controversial question of Saturday closing of retail stores in Charlottetown. When the panel had finished various points were summarized by Right Rev. Maurice MacQuaid, who congratulated the speakers on their fine handling of the subject.

At the conclusion of the meeting the members were presented to His Excellency by the Grand Knight.

Canvass For Red Cross Begins In Parkdale

Again this year, the Parkdale Men's Association has organized the Red Cross Drive in this thriving community and are now in the midst of a thorough canvass of all the homes and business firms in the area. The Committee is headed by Mr. Fred Wotton who has associated with him in this work the following energetic and enthusiastic men: Messrs. John Thistle, Frank Gaudet, James Boyce, Earl Hume, Allison West, Ovid Dollar, Norman Sherrin, Warren Burns, Blair Moore, Warren Gregory and Ivan Vessey. Mr. Wotton reports that the canvassers are meeting with good response and expect to have their collections completed by the end of this week.

TASTY SNACKS

NOTTINGHAM, England (CP)—Schoolboys took tropical fish from the school aquarium and fed them to an injured heron they had found.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS 50c Per Insertion

BIRTHS

FITZPATRICK—At the King's County Memorial Hospital on March 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fitzpatrick, Montague, a daughter, weight 7 lbs. 13 ozs.

BOULTER—At the Prince County Hospital on March 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Ebby Boulter, Victoria, a son, Sterling Ebby, weight 10 lbs. 10 ozs.

LeLACHEUR—At the Charlottetown Hospital on March 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Keith LeLachur (nee Lorraine Buote) a son, Stephen Keith.

DEATHS

GALLANT—At St. Louis, March 6, 1955, Joseph M. Gallant in his 86th year. Remains resting at his late residence. Funeral arrangements not completed.

MacDONALD—At Saint John General Hospital, March 6th, 1955, Debby MacDonald, age 4 years, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. E. MacDonald (nee Esther Stead).

MacDONALD—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Tuesday, March 8, 1955, Mrs. Calvin MacDonald of North Rustico in her 40th year. Her remains will rest at the Charlottetown Funeral Home until Thursday afternoon and then will be transferred to the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Doucette, North Rustico, from where the funeral will be held Friday morning to Stella Maris Church for Requiem High Mass at 9:30. Interment in the church cemetery.

MacMILLAN—In the Charlottetown Hospital on Monday, March 7, 1955, William A. MacMillan, aged 79 years. His remains were transferred last evening from the Hennessey Funeral Home to the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Carolyn MacDougall, St. Andrews from where the funeral will be held on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock to St. Andrew's Church for Requiem High Mass. Interment in the church cemetery.

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City and Central

STORM DELAYS TRAIN—The train from the mainland arrived at Charlottetown at 9:25 last night having been detained through waiting for connections with the train from Montreal which was running 2 hours and 40 minutes late due to the heavy snowfall and storm in Northern New Brunswick and Quebec.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN Y.P.S.—The young people of Central Christian Church met last night in the church annex for their weekly meeting. The meeting opened by a song led by Heather Matheson after which a devotional thought entitled "Success" was led by Eleanor Murray. A season of prayer brought the devotional to a close. Concert plans were made and tickets were distributed. The Mizpah benediction brought the meeting to a close.

NURSES MEETING—The regular meeting of the Charlottetown District of Association of Nurses of P. E. I. was held at Red Cross House last night. The president, Miss Ruth Ross presided. Miss Muriel Archibald presented a report of the programme for the Institute on Mental Health. Miss Verna Darrach gave a progress report on the revision of the constitution and by-laws of the District. Following the business meeting films on maternal education were shown.

ZION Y. P. S.—Zion Y. P. S. began their weekly meeting last evening with a devotional period led by Louise MacEachern and Ernest Roper. Following the repeating of the Lord's Prayer in unison a short business meeting was conducted by the vice-president, Kay Garnhum. It was decided to hold a concert late this month in the church hall. The young people were then divided into groups for a discussion period led by John Whiteway. Howard Blanchard led the young people in a round of games which ended with the singing of "Blest Be The Tie That Binds."

Personals

Mrs. Bert Gaffrey and young son arrived by plane in Summerside on Wednesday from Portage la Prairie. They will spend some time with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Heath Clark, North Bedouque, Mrs. Clark is at present a patient in the P.E.I. Hospital. Her many friends all wish her a speedy recovery.

Bills Yesterday In Legislature

Fourteen bills were dealt with during yesterday's session of the Legislature. Five of these were passed; seven were agreed to and two were left in committee with progress reported.

When the House meets today at three o'clock, the first order of the day will be third readings after which the adjourned debate on the Budget will be resumed by Mr. John A. MacDonald.

Premier Matheson said that it had been intended to continue the debate last evening, but that he was giving the Opposition additional time to study the budget speech.

Guernsey Plans Are Discussed

Dr. George Fisher, director of veterinary services in a brief address before the P. E. Island Guernsey breeders yesterday said that the Department was exploring the possibilities of setting up two insemination units, one near Summerside and the other near Summerside. Arrangements will probably be made whereby the semen will be brought in from the Experimental Farm at Fredericton, N. B.

Mr. J. M. Johnston, president of the Association, presided at the meeting which was held in the P. E. Island Department of Agriculture building.

Red Cross Returns From North Rustico

\$34.75 was received at Red Cross Headquarters yesterday afternoon from the part of North Rustico in which Mrs. William Toombs did the collecting. This was one of the sections in which no collecting was done last year. The Provincial Red Cross campaign committee is quite convinced that the Island's objective can be reached this year, if every district in the province has an enthusiastic collector who will see that every potential contributor is given an opportunity to make his donation.

C. N. R. Revenue Shows Improvement

MONTREAL (CP)—Canadian National Railways Tuesday announced higher operating revenues and a drop in operating expenses in January, 1955 compared with January 1954. Operating revenues last January totalled \$47,749,000 against \$46,537,000 last year. Operating expenses were \$48,122,000 compared with \$50,568,000 in January, 1954.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of William (Buddy) Weatherbie, killed in action March 8, 1945.

Lovingly remembered by Mother, Dad, brothers and sisters.

In loving memory of Mrs. James Conner, who passed away on March 6th, 1954.

Our loved ones in the glory
Whose dear form we often miss,
When we close our earthly story
We will join her in her bliss.

Ever remembered by son Eric
and his wife.

Winners of Keith S. Rogers Memorial Award

OTTAWA (CP)—The Keith S. Rogers Memorial Award for outstanding community service in broadcasting goes jointly this year to three radio stations. The award will be presented March 21 to station CFJB, Brampton, Ont.; station CHUM, Toronto; and station CFOR, Orillia, Ont., at the annual dinner meeting of the Canadian Association of Radio and Television Broadcasters to be held in Quebec City.

The stations won the award for their work in advising the public during hurricane Hazel. Three Winnipeg stations won the award three years ago for work during floods there.

The award commemorates the late Col. Keith Rogers, a pioneer in Canadian broadcasting.

P. E. I. Art Society Meets

The March meeting of the P. E. I. Art Society was held last night at the home of Mrs. P. A. Creelman. 17 members were present. The president, Mrs. Elizabeth Davies, opened the meeting.

Mrs. Davies expressed her appreciation to all those who helped with having the British water colors on exhibition in Prince of Wales College, also the P.W.C. members who helped in the repacking.

Mrs. Saunders moved that a letter of thanks be sent to Dr. Frank MacKinnon for his cooperation in this exhibition. The motion was seconded by Mrs. Irving. Mr. Vic Runtz reported for Mr. Wright on meeting with the Y.M.C.A. officials regarding space for hanging spring exhibition of paintings of the club. Mr. Runtz thought them most co-operative. Rules of the exhibition were read regarding size, medium and frames.

Mrs. Creelman said that any natural or light wood frames would be preferred instead of white painted frames. The minimum size being 12 x 16. Ceramics and wood carving would be welcomed, water colors including mat 16 x 20 and larger. It was decided to exhibit silk screens in room 66 P.W.C. Volunteers were called to unpack them. Mrs. Bain, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. Malone, Mrs. Gensches and Mr. Taylor responded.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wright.

Mrs. Creelman read a letter from Mr. Storey, chairman of the Centennial Committee requesting that the Art Club assist Mr. Whitlock in painting backdrops for the stage historical pageant.

The business meeting adjourned and a social hour followed in painting a composite abstract. Miss E. Love gave a brief and enlightening talk on differences between objective non-objective, and through abstract paintings.

Later in the evening Mr. Whitlock and Mr. Walthein Gaudet met with the Club to talk over arrangements with the club regarding the painting of the backdrop.

Lunch was served by the hostess assisted by several members.

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House Committee

truck to Charlottetown and ship on the boat from there. Mr. Wright said that this had been the practice for a number of years, but felt that a larger number would take advantage of the service if regular calls were made at Summerside.

Mr. Cullen said that the Blue Prince used to call at one other port than Charlottetown when the amount of freight was 50 tons or more.

Mr. W. E. Agnew said that since the termination of the "Blue Peter" contract, several companies have been contacted. He was quite sure that no company would be satisfied to come in here unless it were subsidized. He reiterated Mr. Cullen's remarks regarding the possibilities of a market in the North St. Lawrence district.

Mr. B. Graham Rogers said that while he did not want in any way to detract from the efficiency of the new ferry "Carson" from Sydney to Port Au Basque, he could not see where it has helped Island shipping to Newfoundland. Lack of sufficient accommodation on the boat was one of the reasons given. He understood that there had been a considerable tie-up of freight at Sydney. The ferry, he said, will take only nine cars of freight at a time and only three cars of livestock per week.

Mr. Woodrow Wheatley said he carries on an extensive shipping trade to Newfoundland by truck through Sydney chiefly in horses, cattle, pigs, calves, etc. He concurred in the opinion that the "Carson" would not help Island shipping to Newfoundland.

Mr. Inman said he represented the agricultural committee of the Summerside Board of Trade. He said Summerside was situated in the middle of a rich agricultural district and a regular shipping service from that port would be a great asset to the Western Capital. In this respect he made reference to the shipping of preserved hay. He said it would be impossible for Summerside producers to truck hay to Charlottetown for shipment on the Newfoundland boat and compete with those living in the adjacent areas to Charlottetown.

Mr. Inman said the Bedouque Cannery, which started last year with the idea of expanding great by during the coming year, was planning to ship a good deal of their merchandise to Newfoundland. He observed that the modern trend is to buy in smaller quantities and more often. "Shippers should be in a position to cater to these desires on the part of the consumer," he added.

On the basis of ideas put forth



Romeo And Juliet Enacted Before Appreciative Audience

Left to right: George Mullally, James Noonan, John Walsh, Elliot MacAulay, Reggie Pendergast, Louis McIvor, Patrick McQuaid, Frank Gillis, Ian Gillies, John Dyer, Grace Seaman, William Cameron, Thomas Beagan, Edward Baird, Frances Pendergast, Bertha McQuaid, Thomas Ford, and Thomas Swift.

The tragedy of Romeo and Juliet was effectively enacted for an appreciative audience at the Queen Charlotte High School auditorium last night when the St. Dunstan's University Dramatic Society, directed by Rev. Adrian Arsenault, staged William Shakespeare's immortal love story.

From the opening duel between the kinsmen of the Montagues and the Capulets, through the lyrical but tragic romance of the youthful "star-crossed lovers," to the reconciliation of the feuding

families, the audience was deeply impressed not only by the compelling beauty of Shakespeare's dramatic verse but also by the superb performance of the local University players.

William Cameron and Grace Seaman were outstanding in the title roles. They were ably supported by the following cast: Louis McIvor as Prince Escalus, Thomas Swift as Paris, John Walsh as Montague, John Dyer as Capulet, James Noonan as Mercutio, Thomas Ford as Benvolio,

caution when he told the members that the large building program in Parkdale and Spring Park during the next year would call for a great deal of City help and if these villages were granted the same legislation the shoe would perhaps be on the other foot.

He went on to say the residents of some of these suburban areas are now paying more taxes than people living in the City. He said they pay school tax, village tax and poll tax. "To add another \$30 to that would be rubbing it in a little too much," said Mr. Cullen. He felt that a reasonable tax of \$10 was perhaps desirable but that \$30 was away out of proportion.

After some further discussion the committee reported progress on the bill.

Mr. Saville said country girls who come into Charlottetown to take a business course pay good money for board and when they get to work, if they make over \$1,200 a year, are taxed \$15. "I am beginning to think that the age of chivalry in Charlottetown has passed," said Mr. Saville.

Mr. Cullen said it would be ridiculous for all incorporated bodies to erect barriers that would prevent outside labor from coming in. He added a word of

the compact stage setting, which eliminated the customary scene changes and permitted continuous action, was designed by Rev. Adrian Arsenault. Make-up for the whole cast was handled by Rev. Edmund Roche. The stage managers were George Mullally, Phillip Pineau and William O'Flaherty. The colorful period costumes were made by the Sisters of St. Martha.

The final performance of Romeo and Juliet will be given at the Queen Charlotte High School auditorium tonight at 8:15.

Uproar In Northern Ireland Parliament

BELFAST (AP)—Two Irish Republican visitors were thrown out of Northern Ireland's parliament Tuesday amid an uproar over the government's armed watches on its southern border.

The uproar broke as Home Secretary George B. Hanna began a report on two police shootings which killed a youth and injured a girl and a man during weekend precautions against the outlawed Irish Republican Army.

A shout came from the gallery: "Do not try to defend your murder gang."

Then another: "This is not a government—it's a masquerade."

One of the visitors who belittled out the accusations was Seana Dunne, a member of the Irish Republic's Chamber of De-

puties. The other, Seamus Bohane, was a friend.

Advertising In Newspapers Proves Worth

TORONTO (CP)—A Toronto real estate firm spent \$187,000 on newspaper advertising last year and sold \$60,000,000 worth of real estate.

This was made known Tuesday by William Hogen, executive assistant to the president of the firm, Ridout Real Estate Limited, in an address to the Advertising and Sales Club of Toronto.

He said that in 1947 the firm spent \$25,000 on newspaper advertising and sold \$3,000,000 worth of real estate.

Other speakers at the luncheon were: Mr. Seamus Bohane, a friend.

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Trinity Young People Meet

A small but very enthusiastic group of young people met for their regular young people's meeting in the social hall of Trinity Church last evening. The special attraction of the evening was an interesting and challenging message by Miss Rhoda Palfrey, national secretary for the Students' Christian Movement. Miss Palfrey stated each one had a responsibility to the Church and the duty of each Christian is to bear witness to his Lord.

A filmstrip "Boy Meets Girl" was then shown by Anna Matheson, the convener of the stewardship and training commission who was responsible for the evening programme. The worship service was conducted by Chris Todd, who chose for her theme "Facing the Unknown". During the service, Shirley Bell sang "Sweet Hour of Prayer". Service closed by singing "The Day Thou Gavest."

The business meeting was conducted by the president, Charlie Frizell. Final plans were made for the Lenten conference to be held this week-end. Tickets for the Y.R.A. play "Anne of Green Gables" were distributed among the members present.

A lively recreation period, featuring a special game of floor hockey was thoroughly enjoyed by the group.

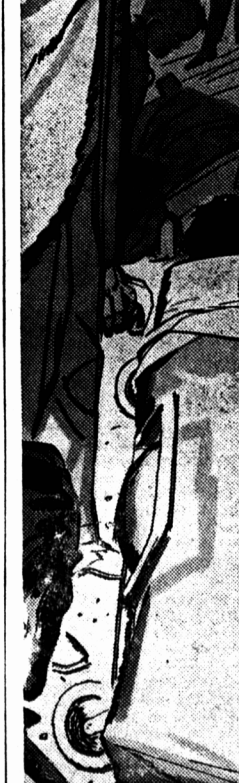
The meeting closed by repeating the Mizpah benediction. Plans for the evening was Norma Gay.

DETECTIVE SUSPENDED

TORONTO (CP)—Police said Tuesday a Toronto detective, veteran of 27 years on the force, was suspended after a hearing in connection with passing of a counterfeit United States \$10 bill at a downtown hotel. Detective Herbert White was originally suspended about a week ago, they said. The bill was discovered when the hotel made a routine bank deposit.

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