



ROSS WEBSTER, president of the Omega Hi-Y Club (left) and Mrs. J.M. Burgess, president of the Women's Auxiliary, present (middle) and Frank W. Curtis, chairman of the Y.M.C.A. financial campaign, (right).

### Y. M. C. A. Fund Campaign Receives \$1300.00 Donation

Two Clubs within the Y. M. C. A. spark-plugged the opening of the "Y" campaign for funds last evening when a total of \$1300.00 was pledged by the Women's Auxiliary and the Omega Hi-Y Club. The contributions were handed to Campaign Chairman, Frank Curtis by Mrs. J. M. Burgess and Ross Webster, at a supper meeting of Special Names Canvassers, consisting of a large group of business and professional men of Charlottetown. Mr. Curtis in thanking club representatives, commended them for their fine spirit of generosity. "We know," said Mr. Curtis, "that these pledges represent a lot of hard work and we accept it with deep and grateful thanks on behalf of the 'Y'."

### CITY AND CENTRAL

**YOUTH NEEDS THE 'Y'** and the 'Y' needs your contribution. It is depending on you.

**RUMMAGE SALE** at Y. M. C. A. Saturday, February 8 at 2:45 p. m.

**WE TREAT** the sick well. Giggey's Pharmacy, open 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.

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**PRINCE OF WALES** Concert Series presents James Milligan, brilliant Canadian Baritone, Feb. 11, at 8:30. Adults 75 cents; school children 25 cents.

**RECEIVES SAD NEWS** — Professor J. H. Blanchard, has received the sad news that his brother, Urbain, has died at Detroit, Mich., U.S.A. He had been a resident of that city for the past 25 years.

**P.E.I. DRAMA** Festival Association Membership Drive Jan. 27 to Feb. 7. Your membership entitles you to one night admission to the Drama Festival in May. Memberships may be had at Patterson Jewellery Store on Kent Street. Keep drama alive in P.E.I.

**FUNERAL TUESDAY** — The funeral of the late Thomas Brazel was held Tuesday morning from his home in Fanningbrook to St. Cuthbert's Church, St. Theresa's, where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Basil Croken, P. P., who also conducted the service at the grave, assisted by Rev. George McCormac, who occupied a seat in the Sanctuary during the Mass. The pallbearers were: Anthony Hughes, Frank Jardine, Edward Birt, Daniel Randrahan, Leo Rogerson, Stephen MacDonald. Interment took place in The Church cemetery. The funeral was very largely attended.

**FUNERAL TUESDAY** — The funeral of the late John Y. Reay, was held yesterday afternoon from the MacLean Funeral Home to Trinity United Church where service was conducted by Rev. A. S. Weir, Interment was in the People's Cemetery. The pallbearers were: Robert Dalziel, Bennett A. Wood, Allison Tait, M. W. Wood, H. J. Kennedy, William Smallwood.

**FUNERAL IS HELD** — The funeral of the late Mrs. Alex Walsh of Bedford was held yesterday afternoon from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home. The service at the home and grave was conducted by Rev. E. H. Littlejohns. The pallbearers were: Cecil Miller, Bernard McInnis, Robert McCallum, John Fitzpatrick, Clinton Court, Dan O'Connell. Interment in Central United Church Cemetery.

**THROUGH WINDOW** — Yesterday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. a Charlottetown resident fell through the window of the C and F Foodland on Queen Street. Picked up by the city police, the party concerned was taken to hospital where his wounds were dressed, following which he was taken to the city jail. He will appear this morning in the City Police Court.

**COLLISION** — Damage amounting to approximately \$150 dollars each was suffered by two cars which collided at the corner of Queen and Richmond Streets around 3:30 p.m. yesterday afternoon. Police stated that none of the passengers involved was injured.

**PERSONALS**

Miss Lulu Champion, Stanchel, is a patient in the P.E. Island Hospital.

The many friends of Mrs. Frank Willis, North River, will regret to learn that she is a patient in the Prince Edward Island Hospital.

L.A.C. D.K. MacLean and Mrs. MacLean returned to North Bay, Ontario, after spending a month's leave with Mrs. MacLean's mother, Mrs. Robert Morrison, Argyle Shore.

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**CAMPAIN LEADER**  
He introduced the campaign leaders, Frank N. Curtis, General Chairman; Robt. E. Giggey, Director of Business employee canvass; George Wright, Director of Door-to-door canvass; ad Ralph Rupert, Director of Publicity.

Mr. Curtis spoke of the great change during the past year in the attitude of the public toward the "Y". He attributed this to the fact that Charlottetown citizens had come to realize the true worth of the "Y" in the community and an appreciation of the fact that it is fulfilling its purpose of developing and training youth. He emphasized that it must have the financial as well as the moral support of all who desire uplifting and wholesome surroundings for our young people. He paid a tribute to the devoted volunteer workers within the "Y" and especially the General Secretary, John Evans. He urged the canvassers to complete their cards by Friday.

Speaking of the door-to-door canvass, George Wright said that about 200 "Y" Club members would undertake a door-to-door canvass of the community on Saturday evening so that all may have an opportunity to give.

Mr. Giggey stated that key-men had been selected to make an intensive canvass of employees of all business houses in the city and he was confident that this phase of the campaign would be completely satisfactory.

Mr. Ben E. Rogers, Chairman of the Finance Committee, gave an outline of the financial condition of the "Y", and explained that due to the expanded program and interest charges to be met on the mortgage, it was important that the objective of \$15,000 be oversubscribed.

**A GOING CONCERN**  
"Our 'Y' is a going concern," said Mr. Rogers, "and we along with other Charlottetown citizens have reason to be proud of it and its achievements and we look forward to the time when we can liquidate the balance of the mortgage so that what we are now expanding in interest charges may be used to further develop and build up our program and staff. From my observation I believe that our citizens are behind us 100 per cent and will receive you generously at this time."

Secretary John Evans spoke briefly of the program now being carried out and the crying need of physical training among our youth. He quoted from the current "Royal Bank Letter" on the subject and urged all to read it. He thanked the group for the tangible evidence of their interest in the "Y" in giving of their time to the cause. "Charlottetown boys and girls are fortunate in having men such as you give their time and money to help them develop in Spirit, Mind and Body."

Following the distribution of cards, Canon Rev. J. T. Ibbott, dismissed the meeting with prayer.

### Baptists Install 2 Deacons Here

At the monthly observance of the Ordinance of the Lord's Supper held last Sunday evening in the Charlottetown United Baptist Church two deacons were installed to office by the pastor of the church, Rev. H. L. Mitton. The members appointed to the Diaconate were Mr. George Lewis serving for a second term, and Mr. Ira Lewis who begins his first term of office. Other members of the Board of Deacons include Dr. J. A. Clark, Mr. P. J. Proud, Mr. S.H. Burhoe, Mr. Nelson Robinson, Mr. C.S. Scranton, Mr. E.D. MacPhail, Mr. Alfred S. Tait, and Mr. J.H. Lohnes.

### Leaves For Conference

Councillor E.W. Johnstone leaves today for Montreal to attend the annual meeting of the Federation of Mayors and Municipalities which opens there on February 6. Councillor Johnstone was selected as the official representative to attend the conference.

**PAPER HEADS OVERSEAS**  
JOHANNESBURG (Reuters)—The evening Johannesburg Star next month will begin publication of a daily airmail edition for overseas subscribers — the first newspaper in the Commonwealth, outside Britain, to provide such a service.



**AMONG THOSE** attending the annual meeting of the Queens County L. O. L. Tuesday night were-left to right-on dias: James H. Ferguson, Hampton, Deputy Master; James H. Coles, Charlottetown, Master; Rev. A. E. Piercy, Milton, R. W. Grand Master; Myron Shaw, Charlottetown Past Master; BELOW: Louis Sherren, Charlottetown, Lecturer; K. R. Young, Clyde River, R. S.; J.D. Leet, John Poole Dep. Lect. of B.A. Howard MacKinnon.

In his address the county master presented the highlights of the work of the year and spoke of the progress of the Association made in the area and expressed the hope for the continued prosperity for the years ahead.

Rev. A. E. Piercy, R.W.G.M. spoke briefly at the evening session on the work of the order and of Protestantism in general. Other members of the

### 5th Queens Conservatives Hold Annual Meeting Here

The annual meeting of the Fifth District of Queens Conservative Association was held last night with the president M. A. Farmer presiding.

Provincial Leader W. R. Shaw, Health Macquarrie, M.P. and Senator J. J. MacDonald were the speakers.

Mr. Shaw criticized the provincial administration in many phases. He said that there is a new spirit abroad among the Conservatives in the province. The ladies organizations are active and the young people in the party are keen and enthusiastic.

### \$289,000 For Playground

Parkdale will have a park playground according to an item in the estimates for the coming year. The amount of \$1,000 it was explained will be for the purpose of making a down payment on a lot of land containing about eight acres lying between Spring Lane and Beasley Avenue.

The project, as explained by Mr. Webster, was given strong support by W. P. MacLeod and Dr. James Higgins and the commissioners were given authority to negotiate the purchase of the property.

Mr. Claude Smith, chairman of Village planning, congratulated the commissioners on their foresight in making provision for the Park. He said with the advent of sewage and water the Village most likely become more thickly populated and a suitable site might not be so easy to obtain.

**NEW COMMISSIONERS**  
New commissioners elected were Alex MacLean, Maurice Redmond and Dr. James Higgin. The first two are for a three year period; Dr. Higgins replaces Fred Driscoll, resigned. His term is for one year.

In his annual report, Chief Commissioner Webster showed that construction to the extent of \$216,000 had taken place in the Village during the past year. He expressed appreciation of the co-operation received from the Provincial Government in the building and maintenance of roads.

Reporting for streets, Commissioner George Newman said it was proposed to build one mile of heavy pavement on the street running by the new Park Royal United Church and on Garfield Street in front of the Roman Catholic Church. He said it is hoped that Kensington Road will be ditched and put in better shape during the year 1958.

Charles Small noted that the fire hall had been renovated including a concrete floor and partition. Speaking about police, Mr. Small said the appointment of a special constable early last year proved unsatisfactory. Five special constables were appointed for October 31st and two of these were sworn in for the whole year.

**NO SERIOUS LOSS**  
Fire Chief J. D. McAskill said the Department now has 19 members. During the year there were 30 alarms, eight of which were local. Six of these involved slight property damage.

Percy MacDonald in presenting the budget for the coming year showed that \$9,103 will be required for necessary services. Of this total the larger amounts are accounted for by lights, government loan, fire department and Village Playground.

At the conclusion of the meeting a vote of thanks moved by Henry Douglas in appreciation of the work done by the chairman and commissioners was heartily endorsed.

### Recess House For Election?

Neither the Premier of the Province, Hon. A.W. Matheson, nor the leader of the official provincial opposition, R. R. Bell, Q.C., will oppose a recess in the proceedings of the local House, should the members ask for such relief from their duties in order to take part in the federal election campaign.

The local House is scheduled to open the 1958 session on March 11, and normally will be in full swing during the closing weeks of the federal contest.

Mr. Matheson said that he did not expect that the need for a recess would develop, but indicated that he would not oppose such a move if it were found that the members wanted an opportunity to engage in a full time canvass.

**CANVASS DIFFICULT**  
His present feeling is that the campaign will be far advanced by the time the Legislature convenes and that road conditions are likely to make it virtually impossible for members to do much canvassing at that time in any event.

In the same way, R. R. Bell, Q.C., Leader of the Opposition, said Tuesday that he feels the business of the Legislature should be carried on without interruption in view of the fact that moneys will have to be voted before the fiscal year ends on March 31. Mr. Bell said the only recess he felt would be necessary would be on the actual day of the Federal election.

**BUSINESS FIRST**  
Like the Premier, however, Mr. Bell added, "I will not be opposed to a recess, but I believe the business of the House should come first."

### WEATHER

TORONTO (CP) — Temperatures issued by the Toronto public weather office:

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	1	7
Vancouver	34	47
Victoria	42	49
Edmonton	1	6

**EMPLOYMENT INDEX DOWN**  
OTTAWA (CP)—The industrial employment index continued to decline during late 1957 and at Dec. 1 it was 122.5, compared with 125.2 a month earlier and 125.7 the previous year, the bureau of statistics reported Monday.

**WINNIE MAY VISIT U.S.**  
ROQUEBRUNE - CAP - MARTIN, France (Reuters) — Sir Winston Churchill is hoping to visit Washington in April, a member of his household said Monday. Churchill is spending a winter holiday at this Riviera resort.

### Life In Japan Theme Of Talk

Mrs. Kenneth A. Parker who with her husband spent ten years teaching in Japan was the guest speaker yesterday afternoon at the Business and Devotional meeting of Branch "B" of the Women's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Anglican Church held in the Parish hall.

Mrs. Parker made a charming appearance wearing the traditional Japanese kimono. Her description of life in Japan was vivid and educational. She spoke of the women of Japan as genial, friendly and spotless home keepers. The children of the country were the centre of family life. Education and the arts were stressed and Japanese culture was fostered and preserved. She told of the many public baths the supervised playgrounds, and the government maintained animal and bird zoos which were free to all.

Mrs. B. Rogers, Educational Secty, thanked Mrs. Parker for instructive address Mrs. W. R. Aitken, President of Branch "B" presided at the meeting. She welcomed the large attendance. The guests included the Hon. President, Mrs. J. T. Ibbott and a large representation from the Girls' Auxiliary of St. Peter's Cathedral and St. Pauls Church with their leader Mrs. W. R. Jenkins.

Mrs. Walter N. Wilson, 1st. Vice-Pres. led in the Bible reading Litany and Prayers. Interesting reports were heard from the various committees and Mrs. Jack Williams and Mrs. O. S. Harper were appointed delegates to "Our Annual" which will be held in March. Members of the Tea committee were Mrs. Gerald Proctor, Miss Lorna Weeks and Mrs. O. S. Harper.

### St. Dunstan's Students Honor Their Patron Saint

St. Dunstan's Day was celebrated in traditional fashion by the faculty and students of St. Dunstan's University who annually honor their patron saint whose feast day in the liturgical calendar falls on May 19th after the closing of the school year.

At eleven o'clock Solemn High Mass was celebrated in the University Chapel by Rev. R. G. Ellsworth with Rev. L. W. Landrigan and Rev. V. G. Murnaghan as Deacon and Sub-Deacon. At noon a banquet was served to all present with toasts to the Queen, the Church, by Michael Swift and William Phillips of Minto, N.B.; Our Country, by William Kelly of Charlottetown and Charles Campbell of Kelly's Cross; the Day We Honor, by Donald MacDougall of Kinkora and Patrick McWade of Charlottetown.

Dr. J. Henri Blanchard, graduate of St. Dunstan's in the class of 1912, was the guest speaker invited by the students for the occasion. Dr. Blanchard introduced his talk with reminiscences of the days and deeds of the students of his time but later turned to the field of his own specialty, the early history of Prince Edward Island, and in fascinating fashion reviewed the outstanding events of early Prince Edward Island. Speaking as though he had been personally present at each event, Dr. Blanchard gave to the faculty and the more than four hundred students present a memorable lesson in the much-too-little-known early history of our province. Rev. G. A. MacDonald, vice-principal of the University presided.

In lighter vein the highlight of the afternoon entertainment was the faculty and student basketball game and the concert presented by the students in the Alumni Auditorium.

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Regina	5	11
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Ottawa	34	47
Montreal	5	14
Quebec	5	14
Fredericton	49	21
Saint John	11	24
Moncton	16	24
Halifax	30	36
Charlottetown	23	37
Sydney	29	34
Yarmouth	25	30
St. John's	25	30

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