

# Review Of Activities In Federal Public Works Dept.

The following summary of Federal public works in the Province during the season of 1954 has been supplied by Mr. C. W. Currie, District Engineer:

During the season dredging plants of the Department were engaged as follows:

Dredge F.W.D. "Pownal No. 2", Captain B. T. Batchelder, carried on dredging at Wood Islands, Macaulay's Wharf and Georgetown.

Dredge F.W.D. "No. 9", Captain Bert Shepard, carried on dredging at Annandale, Souris and Beach Point.

Dredge F.W.D. "No. 12", Captain D. A. McNally, carried on dredging at Savage Harbour.

Dredge P. W. D. "No. 14", Capt. Alex MacLean, carried on dredging at Charlottetown, Skinner's Pond, Launcheon, Graham's Pond and Belle River.

Dredge F.W.D. "No. 25", Capt. Freeman Webster, carried on dredging at Lennox Island, Savage Harbour and North Rustico.

Repairs and improvements were effected or proposed by Day Labour at the following works under the foreman noted:

Alberton Myricks Wharf, Howard Clark; Alberton Quay's, Howard Clark; Annandale Beach, Angus L. MacPherson, Basin, Nell MacLellan; Bay Fortune, Douglas Aiken; Belle River, Simon Stuart; Bentinck Cove, Clayton Noye; Blooming Point, Lawrence Smith; Cape Traverse, Clayton Noye; Chapel Point, Joseph J. MacCormack; Charlottetown Railway Wharf, Wendell Carr; Charlottetown Warehouse, Wendell Carr; Cranberry Wharf, Joseph Fisher; Darnley Basin, Charles Champion; Fishing Cove; Sylvain Gallant; Georgetown Queen's Wharf, Angus MacLean; Georgetown Railway Wharf, Howard Lewellyn; Grand Point, Everett Connor; Great River, George Johnston; Judes Point, Walter Perry; Lennox Island, Clayton Noye; Little Sands, Angus Stewart; Mimingash, Ingham Costain; Mink River, Clyde Kerwin; Montague Wharf, Henry Munroe; Montague Shed, Daniel MacDonald; Nausfrage, Annes MacDonald and Hugh B. MacDonald; North Cardigan, Wilfred Victor; North Lake, Elijah Pierce; Point Prim, Chester Gillis; Port Hill, Clayton Noye; G. H. Hawbolt; Rock Point, Frank J. Arsenault; Rocky Point, Local Agreement; Rustico Harbour (Robinson's Island) Henry Doucette; Rustico Harbour Protection Work; Andrew Doucette; Savage Harbour, Parker Lund; Savage Harbour Wharf, Fulton Douglas; Skinner's Pond, Joseph E. Gallant; Souris Railway Wharf, John D. MacIntyre; Squaw Point Rifle Range, J. Layton Jones; Stanley Bridge, Max Ferguson; Sturgeon, Gordon Johnston; Victoria, Ralph Miller; West Point, Clifford Livingston; Wood Islands, Raymond MacMillan.

## CONTRACTS

Contracts have been awarded as follows:

Alberton Railway Wharf, repairs. Contractor, Ralph Ford. Inspector, Howard Clark. Work nearing completion.

Annandale Wharf, repairs. Contractor, Noye, Raynor & Noye. Inspector, Marcel Campbell. Work nearing completion.

Bay Fortune South Wharf, repairs. Contractor, H. J. Phillips & Sons. Inspector, Lorne Frances. Work completed.

Darnley Bridge Wharf, wharf construction. Contractor Baglole & Noye. Inspector Ivan Dickleson. Work nearing completion.

Mimingash breakwater, repairs. Contractor Noye, Raynor & Noye. Inspector, Arnold P. Ellsworth. Work completed.

Murray River, wharf repairs. Contractor, R. A. Blyth. Inspector, Ernest MacLeod. Work completed.

New London, breakwater repairs. N. N. MacLean. Inspector, Milton MacKay. Work in progress.

Pinette Landing, wharf improvements. Contractor, Matheson & MacMillan. Inspector Lester MacRae. Work completed.

Rustico Harbour, construction of boat harbour. Contractor Noye, Raynor & Noye. Inspector Eugene LeClair.

Rustico Little Harbour, harbour development. Contractor R. A. Blyth. Inspector Emile Gallant. Work in progress.

Rustico North, retaining wall. Contractor J. W. & J. Anderson Ltd. Inspector Eugene LeClair. Work in progress.

Souris Railway Wharf, place ballast fill and gravel. Contractor, Poole & Beer Construction Company. Inspector, John D. MacIntyre.

Souris Breakwater, repairs. Contractor, County Construction Company. Inspector, Joseph A. MacDonald. Work in progress.

South River, wharf repairs. Contractor, Norman N. MacLean. Inspector, W. A. MacDonald. Work completed.

Summerside Railway Wharf, reconstruction, improvements and dredging. Contractor J. P. Porter Co. Ltd. Supervisors, W. S. Veale, J. C. McKenna. Inspector Ralph McLennan, C. H. Stewart, J. W. Garthwaite, George Higgins. Work completed.

Tignish, breakwater repairs. Contractor H. J. Phillips & Son. Inspector, Omer Bernard. Work completed.

West Point, breakwater construction. Contractor J. W. McMullin & son, Ltd. Inspector Clifford Livingston. Work completed.

## LOCAL AGREEMENTS

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## PEAKE'S

Mr. and Mrs. John Trainor, visited Charlottetown November 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Crane, Riverton, were business visitors to this vicinity, November 30.

Misses Jane and Linda Peters, Charlottetown, spent the week of November 29, at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Alfred Handrahan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Birt and daughter, returned to their home on St. Patrick's Road, November 28 after having spent a year in Pembroke, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Kiggins, Borden, spent the week-end of Nov. 27, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Handrahan.

Mrs. George Leard, Mt. Stewart, visited at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Leard, December 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold MacDonald, Mt. Stewart, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes.

Mrs. Jane Grant, Mrs. Ralph Gillan, left for Boston, Mass., Nov. 28, where Mrs. Grant will spend the winter months with her daughters.

Mrs. Gillan plans to spend a short vacation before returning to her home.

Mr. Alfred Donnelly, returned to his home November 28, after having spent a two weeks vacation with his sister, Mrs. Irene Grant, Brookton, Mass. He was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Walter Currie, Charlottetown.

Robert McKenna, Charlottetown, spent the week-end of November 27, with his grandmother, Mrs. L. Devine.

Miss Pearl Grant, spent the week-end of November 27, with Miss Carlene McEachern, Mt. Stewart.

Many friends of Mrs. John Kennedy Jr., regret to learn of his illness at his home on Byrne's Road. All join in wishing him an early return to good health.

Miss Mary MacKinnon was a recent visitor to Montague.

Mr. Charles Gauthier spent the past week visiting at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Callaghan.

A number of young people from this vicinity motored to Montague on Friday, where they spent a most enjoyable evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander MacDougall.

—A.M.

## PISQUID EAST

Mr. Alvin Burke, merchant at Pisquid, was in Charlottetown Wednesday, December 1.

Mrs. Chester Bradley, St. Theresa spent Thursday, December 2, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Kelly.

Mr. Chester Birt left Wednesday for Boston, Massachusetts with a load of Christmas trees.

Mrs. Wallace Birt and Miss Isabel Birt were visitors in Charlottetown, Thursday, December 2.

Mrs. Howard Kelly was hostess to the ladies of Pisquid East Women's Institute Thursday evening, December 2. When routine business was completed a contest was put on by Mrs. Howard Kelly won by Mrs. Edward Jay and Mrs. Howard Kelly. Next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Harold Jay, January 6.

Master Carmen Jay is spending a few days with his aunt, Miss Gladys Birt.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kelly, Port Augustus were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kelly Thursday evening, December 2.

Mr. George W. Jay was a visitor in Lorne Valley, December 4. Guest of his daughter, Mrs. Earle Mac-

Donald and Mr. MacDonald.

Mr. Kenneth MacDonald, Covehead Road was a visitor in Pisquid East, December 4, guest of his sister, Mrs. Floyd Jay and Mr. Jay.

Miss Juanita Jay student at P. W. O., spent the December 4 week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jay.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hughes, Bedford were guests of Mrs. Hughes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Kelly Sunday, December 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Affleck, Mount Stewart were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jay, December 5.

Mr. Guy Jay spent the December 4 week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Jay.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jay were visitors in Covehead Road December 5. Guests of Mrs. Jay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter MacDonald.

Mrs. Walter White, Donagh visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Kelly, Sunday, December 5.

—B.A.

## LORNE VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd MacDonaid were visitors to Montague on December 4.

Mr. Ralph Nicholson and Mr. Peter MacLeod were recent business visitors to Georgetown.

Her many friends in this vicinity are sorry to learn that it was necessary for Mrs. Charles MacLeod of Roseneath, to reenter the Kings County Memorial Hospital for treatment, and all join in wishing her a speedy return to health and home.

Miss Christine Shaw, Charlottetown, was a visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shaw on Sunday, December 5.

Rev. C. Curry, Murray Harbour North, conducted the service and delivered an inspiring sermon at Lorne Valley Church on Sunday, December 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy MacLeod, Charlottetown, motored to Lorne Valley on December 5. While here they were guests of Mrs. MacLeod's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Nicholson.

Mrs. Teresa O'Brien and Mrs. Rebecca Gallant left recently for Rumford, Maine, where they will spend the winter months with relatives.

The best wishes of a host of friends go out to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Shaw for a long and happy married life. Mr. and Mrs. Shaw were married at Montague on December 2, the Rev. D. A. Campbell officiated. The young couple were attended by Miss Isabel Crane, sister of the bride, and Mr. Ralph Nicholson. Following the ceremony a reception was held in the Community Hall with a large number of relatives and friends present. The many beautiful and useful gifts received testify to the popularity of the young couple. They will reside in Lorne Valley where the groom is engaged in farming.

Miss Mary MacKinnon was a recent visitor to Montague.

Mr. Charles Gauthier spent the past week visiting at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Callaghan.

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## GEORGETOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Walker motored to Murray River recently, where they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fraser.

Mrs. N. W. Hansen was a recent visitor to Charlottetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Currie and son, Larry, of Charlottetown, were recent guests of Mrs. Currie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred MacQuillan.

L.A. George MacDonald of the Royal Canadian Air Force, stationed at Greenwood, N.S., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Annes MacDonald.

Miss Helen Gotell of Charlottetown, is visiting with relatives in Georgetown.

Miss Joyce Jenkins was a recent visitor to Charlottetown.

Friends of Mrs. John A. MacDonald are sorry to hear that she is a patient in the King's County Memorial Hospital in Montague, and all wish her a speedy recovery.

Friends of Mrs. Laura Lavers, who has been a patient in the King's County Memorial Hospital in Montague for the past few weeks, are pleased to hear that she has returned home, considerably improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Cantelo of Bridgetown, motored to Georgetown on Thursday, Dec. 16, where they were guests of Mrs. Cantelo's mother, Mrs. Annie Gardines.

Mr. Basil Lavie of Souris was a recent visitor to Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles LaVie of Souris recently motored to Georgetown, where they were guests at the home of Mr. LaVie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence David.

—A.C.

## YORK

Mr. George Proud, York, spent Tuesday in Charlottetown.

Mrs. Clifford Chandler, Milton, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Herbert Vessey on Wednesday, November 24th.

Mrs. Floyd Vessey had as her guest on Wednesday, her sister, Mrs. Harvey Coles, Milton.

Mrs. Daniel Reedy, Covehead is spending a few days at Forty-eight Road with friends.

Mrs. Will Watts, York, has returned to her home, after spending a few days in the city.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Sproule were the guests of the Rev. T. A. Wilson and Miss Helen Wilson, City, on Thursday, Nov. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Vessey attended the funeral of their aunt the late Mrs. Osbert Enman of Vernon River on Monday, Nov. 22.

Mr. Eric Sproule has returned to

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## Apple Pandowdy

Line a casserole, bottom and sides with fingers of bread that have been dipped in melted butter or margarine. Peel, core and slice, 44 large cooking apples. Place apples in casserole and sprinkle over them 4 tbs. brown sugar mixed with 1-2 tsp. cinnamon. Add 1-2 cup water and cover top with a layer of well-buttered fingers of bread. Sprinkle top with brown sugar. Cover and bake about 1 hour at 350 deg. Serve with cream.



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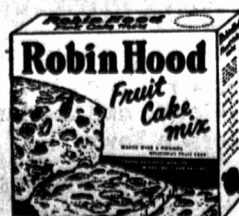
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Bag

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EATING or COOKING  
FIGS  
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Sticky RAISINS  
2 lb. cello Bag 47c

LUX, DUZ, FAB  
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33c

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MIRACLE SANDWICH  
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23c

Maraschino Cherries  
16 oz. bottle . . 59c  
6 oz. bottle . . 25c

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## Christmas

There is a time that lives the gone for love,  
For the unknown is like the soulless grave

Whose life knows all and leaves the useless dead,  
It's nothing future. O, there is a time

That must look back to find its ways for soul,  
Now robed in snow, breed in a human heart

Contagious joy. And this, this too dear time  
That grieves, gladdens the shivering soldier

In a land of thoughts, sweeps to the gutter  
Of unholy days; and unseen, felt and heard,

Walks with the children on the silver snow,  
And sleeps in the moonlit hours of their heavenly fields.

So 'tis with the cold, rack-bedded child  
Who knows but patience and the need of dreams,

Whose mother, dumb and deep in the thick grave,  
Prays for a heavy heart and bad, black blame

That tortures it. And from the frozen air  
Of crystal chapels and angelic choirs,

Soft sweetness seeks the harmony of the high  
Ecstatic voices from a nervous church.

What of that world without? They all rejoice—  
The moaning shepherds in the stormy hills

Look up their hearts kindled with a thousand fires,  
And feel the more the woolly children's joy;

For in the plan of God there must be light  
To lift the night from the dark ways of woe.

The little children on an icy plain  
Know Christ does surely walk the earth again.

—Danny McCarron

## MONTAGUE W.M.S.

The regular meeting of the W. M. S. of Trinity United Church, Montague, was held at the home of Mrs. Edna Stewart on Tuesday, Nov. 16, with 24 members and 2 guests present. The devotional period was led by Mrs. Les MacDonaid, assisted by Mrs. J. Mort MacLean, Mrs. Bert Maneveld and Mrs. J. E. Fraser. Mrs. Arnold Wightman sang a solo "Jesus Saviour Pilot Me."

Mrs. Lorne Wigginton reported on the work meeting which had been held at her home, stating that two quilts had been finished and a top for another. Mrs. J. Mort MacLean had sent a crib blanket.

Mrs. G. Nicholson also reported that two quilts and a top had been completed at the work meeting held at her home. Mrs. Leon Johnstone stated that large and small afghans were now ready.

After some discussion it was decided that the box for overseas should be packed Friday night at the cold storage plant.

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