

# Weary Oil Drillers And Families Are Due Today

MONCTON (Special)—Ninety weary persons aboard a railway caravan en route from Alberta to Prince Edward Island were spending last evening at Moncton, anxiously awaiting the final part of their three thousand mile trip which began on Tuesday afternoon. They are the drill crews and families who are en route to Summerside, P. E. I. where Imperial Oil Company Limited will conduct drilling operations for oil or gas at West-Wellington, about thirteen miles west of Summerside. These people were forced to spend another night aboard their railway sleeper when arrival at Moncton as part of regular train from Moncton because of heavy snow encountered in their travel through New Brunswick. The four special coaches will form part of the regular train for P. E. I. scheduled to leave Moncton at two forty p.m.

Newspapermen George Wotton and Bill Taylor were at Moncton when the oil train arrived to talk with and photograph these friendly western visitors. All of them are anxiously looking forward to the newest experience in a life of following the drill rig to its various exploration sites. For most

of them it is their first visit to the Atlantic coast, and for the forty children, as well as the adults, the nine mile voyage across Northumberland Strait to Prince Edward Island is anticipated as one of the highlights of the entire trip.

Heading the group is George KirkPatrick, supervisor of the drilling operation, who said that his men expect to erect the drill rig and be ready to commence drilling operations within four or five days after the equipment arrives at Wellington Station aboard the twenty-four railway cars required to bring it here from Alberta.

Among those arriving at Summerside with the Imperial Oil party are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kippen, bride and groom of only two weeks for whom the transfer is a sort of honeymoon journey. While most of the personnel are from Western Canada, Mr. Kippen's home is in Maxville, Ontario, and for them an interesting side-light to the trip was the fact that the C. N. R. line on which they travelled eastward passed right through his father's dairy farm in Ontario, giving them a glimpse of his home as they passed.

Youngest member on the trip is two-month Patrick McInenly, who by only five hours is younger than the new baby of the drill supervisor and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. KirkPatrick.

## WESTERN GUARDIAN

P.E.I. EASTER BEEF Show and Sale. Entries close Feb. 22nd.

KENSINGTON Rink today Saturday. Skating 2:30-4:30 p.m. Evening skating 8-10 p.m.

CARD PARTY Kensington High School Auditorium, Monday, Feb. 17th, 8 p.m. Sponsored by community club.

ACCEPTING POULTRY at our plant Mondays and Tuesdays only. Large lots by appointment. Waddell Bros.

VALENTINE PARLOR social, Bruce Riley's, Baltic, Saturday night, Highland Dancing, singing, games and good music. Princetown United Church W.A.

PANTRY SALE Kennedy Store, Kensington Saturday, February 22nd, 3 p.m. in aid of Junior Women's Association Kensington United Church.

COME to the Valentine Social St. Mark's Hall, Monday, February 17th, 8:00 p.m. Sponsored by Kensington A.Y.P.A. Admission 35 cents.

BEDEQUE RINK tonight, Saturday, South Shore Hockey League: Bedeque Beavers vs. Albany St. Pats. Game time 7:30 sharp. Admission 25-40.

CRAPAUD RINK Saturday afternoon school hockey: Crapaud vs. Albany Rural at 12:30; Tryon vs. Augustine Cove at 1:30; Long Creek vs. Argyle Shore at 2:30; North Carleton vs. Albany Village at 3:30; Hampton vs. Carleton Siding at 4:30; and Saturday evening Tryon Arrow Sisters vs. The Long Creek Sisters at 7. Regular Skate after.

CARD PARTY — There were five tables in play at the C. W. L. card party in Alberton Parish Hall Wednesday evening. First prizes were presented to Mrs. Harold Skerry and Joseph MacDougall, and consolations to Mrs. Brendon Bulger and John McAlduff. The freizeout was won by Mrs. Bulger. Hostesses were Mrs. Michael Ahearn, Mrs. Lemuel Arsenault, Mrs. Edwin McDonald, Mrs. George Gallant and Mrs. Emmett McCue.

# Roads Opened Yesterday But Heavy Drift Causes Trouble

The Trans-Canada Highway from Summerside to Borden and Charlottetown was reported open for traffic last evening at eight o'clock but Mr. Victor Howatt, plow dispatcher at the Government Garage in Summerside, stated these roads might not remain open very long as drifting is filling in the large cuttings quickly.

He stated that the Western highway was also open to O'Leary Corner and through to O'Leary but that drifting was heavier in the Western part of the province, where they also received the heaviest snowfall.

Plows were working on the road from O'Leary to Tignish but this section was not open at mid evening.

No emergency calls were received at the Summerside Government Garage during yesterday.

Plows were working around the clock on Summerside main streets but heavy drifting yesterday during the day caused many a motorist to wish he had left his vehicle in the garage, as many were stuck in the heavy drifting snow. Several cars were also stuck between Summerside and the Airport.

Schools in Summerside, Kensington, Miscouche and St. Eleanor were closed for the day but most stores were open as usual although very few people were seen on the streets. The wind had abated somewhat at supper time last evening as the storm centre seemed to have moved out of the district.

# Alberton Area Has Worst Storm In Years

The worst snow storm for some years brought all activity to a complete standstill in Western Prince County yesterday.

A heavy snow fall accompanied by strong north east winds quickly blocked all main and secondary roads late Thursday night. Four to six foot banks were reported in many places on the main paved highway.

As far as could be learned all schools in the entire area were closed yesterday and only a few stores in the centres of Alberton, O'Leary and Tignish opened for business. Two Alberton transfer trucks were bogged down near O'Leary Corner about midnight Thursday shortly after the snow ploughs had made their last trip of the evening.

The storm abated late yesterday afternoon and the Alberton and Tignish plows were out opening up the highway from Tignish through to O'Leary Corner. The Bloomfield based plow was en route from Summerside to Bloomfield. This plow had been taken to Summerside for repairs.

# Report Wellington Firm Lost \$35,000 In Blaze

The firm of Arsenault and Gaudet, Wellington, who lost three warehouses in Thursday night's disastrous fire, estimate their losses to be \$35,000 in buildings and stock, as well as three large plate glass windows in the store itself which were shattered by the heat.

The warehouses destroyed were located across the street from the store and the contents of all three went up smoke.

The fire, which also destroyed the Wellington Co-Op store and the Co-Op Restaurant, broke out about 9:45 p.m. but it was not until midnight that the Wellington firemen managed to get their equipment into action as there is no organized fire brigade in the village.

Otherwise it is felt some of the buildings could have been saved.

The Co-Op warehouse was partly damaged by the fire which is reported to have originated in the Co-Op restaurant which was opened for business on Wednesday.

The Air Force crash truck went to the scene behind a snowplow and greatly assisted in saving the home of Dr. Raymond

Reid, Messrs. Wilfred Arsenault, Ralph Arsenault, Euclid Arsenault and the United Church.

Details on the fire were still difficult to obtain last evening as one telephone pole was lost

in the blaze as well as several yards of cable and most private lines were still out of order.

It is not known what the estimated loss of the Wellington Co-Op store was, but the total damage was estimated earlier at more than \$75,000.

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## PERSONALS

Mrs. Bungay, who has been a guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Cst. and Mrs. Calvin Bungay at Alberton, left this week to visit other members of her family in New Glasgow, N. S.

## Professional Cards

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# Microwave Circuits Hit By Wellington Fire Thursday

The fire which destroyed five buildings in Wellington Thursday night also delivered a knockout blow to the microwave circuits which form a vital link in maintaining long distance telephone service between the Island and New Brunswick.

At the same time telephone service in a wide area of Prince County, surrounding the scene of the fire, was seriously disrupted.

Difficult weather conditions and blocked roads resulted in some delays in making repairs.

The microwave circuits serving the Egmont Bay repeater station were the ones knocked out. Before noon western circuits feeding the station were restored, and E.G. Cameron, plant superintendent of the Island Telephone Co., was hopeful all other circuits would be back in operation by last night.

He said the Wellington blaze destroyed about 300 feet of cables on the main street of the village, including both main cables and toll circuits.

The start on repairs was made at an early hour yesterday when a company crew from Summerside moved into the area and started getting local circuits back in operation.

At the same time a crew to handle heavy construction was rushed to Wellington from Charlottetown, to proceed with the restoration of the heavier circuits of the microwave system and the multi-core cables in the Wellington district.

The first export shipment from the United States included lumber sent to England in 1608.

# Pair Convicted Of Break Try

Clarence Gallant and John J. Perry, both of Summerside, who were convicted Wednesday of an attempted break at the Summerside Curling Club on the night of Jan. 28th appeared in County Court yesterday morning before Judge W. E. Darby and were further remanded for sentence until Monday at 11 a.m.

## HOWLAN

A card party was held in the Parish hall at S. Anthonys on Monday evening, January 27th. A good crowd attended.

Mrs. J.B. Arsenault was taken to Community Hospital, O'Leary, on Monday, January 27th, where she will be treated for a few days.

Dorice Gallant and Mrs. Syl Perry motored to Summerside on Monday and on return were accompanied by Syl Perry and Desmond Gallant, victims of the car accident at Margate Corner recently. Only Adrien Pineau now remains in Hospital and everyone expects to see him return soon, all well again.

Mr. and Mrs. A.S. Gallant and daughter, Mrs. Henry Perry, who were visiting here returned to their homes in Charlottetown on Tuesday, January 28th.

The Community Hospital ladies aid meeting for January was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Gallant, Howlan, on Tuesday, January 28th.

Mrs. A.T. Arsenault and daughter Sandra were in O'Leary on Saturday.

## CAMEO

Kensington  
Fri 8 p.m. Sat. 7:15 and 9:15.  
Matinee Sat. 1 p.m. "THE BUSTER KEATON STORY". Starring Donald O'Connor and Ann Blyth. Guest star, Rhonda Fleming. Also serial.

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Mr. J. Watson MacNaught, Liberal Candidate for Prince, will speak to a dinner-meeting of the Young Liberals of Prince County on Monday night. The meeting will be at Summerlea Restaurant and is scheduled to start at 6:30 o'clock.

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# NOTICE

## Town Of Summerside QUALIFICATIONS OF Mayor and Councillors

Section 7 and 8 of the Summerside Incorporation Act, 1903 and amendments thereto read as follows:—

7. No person shall at any time be qualified to be elected Mayor or Councillor for said Town unless he is a British Subject and at the time of his nomination and election is a resident within the said Town and the full age of twenty-five (25) years and upwards, and shall be seized or possessed of real estate, situate in the said Town to the value of one thousand dollars over and above all his liabilities, and shall have been assessed in the Assessment next preceding such election to that amount or upwards, and shall have paid before the time appointed for nomination, all rates, taxes, assessments, license fees, or other amounts due from him to the Town.

8. No person being a School Teacher, or School Trustee, Stipendiary Magistrate for the said Town, Judge of the County Court or Sheriff shall be qualified to be elected Mayor or Councillor, nor shall any person be so qualified who has not been a resident of the said Town for the twelve months immediately preceding such election or nomination, or who is authorized to sell spirituous or intoxicating liquors, or who has within twelve months prior to the day fixed for nomination been convicted of any violation of any Act in force in said Town relating to the sale or prohibiting the sale of intoxicating or spirituous liquors.

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