



PUBLIC HEALTH ASS'N OFFICERS

Dr. J. E. Higgins of Charlottetown (centre), newly elected first vice-president of the New Brunswick-Prince Edward Island Branch of the Canadian Public Health Association, chats with other members of the executive, Kathleen Donahue, Saint John, N.B., president, and William G. Sargison, Fredericton, N.B., second vice-president. The group was elected at last week's 13th annual meeting of the branch in Fredericton.

Dept. Increases Vigilance Against Illegal Lobstering

Increased vigilance by protection officers of the federal Department of Fisheries in the enforcement of lobster fishing regulations has been stated as departmental policy by Fisheries Minister H.J. Robichaud.

Interviewed recently, the minister pointed out that by May 22 lobster fishing would be open in all coastal waters of the Maritimes except for a small area in the Northumberland Strait. With thousands of fishermen setting hundreds of thousands of lobster traps, the conservation and development service of the federal department has marshalled its forces to meet any outbreak of illegal lobster fishing that may occur.

Mr. Robichaud said that he was encouraged by the results of last year's efforts to prevent illegal lobstering. However, lobster prices to the fishermen reached record highs last fall and during the winter, which in itself provided an added incentive for law-breaking. The high prices might also induce more people to engage in the fishery, which also could add to the department's problems.

One feature of the situation last year which the minister mentioned as encouraging was the stiffening attitude on the part of many magistrates. Mr. Robichaud said that in many cases the law-breaker did not

appear to be getting the same amount of sympathy as he had received previously.

"I think the public is beginning to realize that illegal lobster fishing is something that cannot be shrugged off as a boyish prank," he said. "It is being recognized for what it is — an act of outlawry which can seriously and directly affect the livelihoods of many people. We were tough against illegal lobster fishing last year and we will continue to be. Last year thousands of illegally caught lobsters were confiscated and prosecutions were entered against hundreds of offenders. One case involving the seizure of a large quantity of under-size lobsters resulted in the offender's boat being confiscated by the Crown, while the fisherman and his helper were given heavy fines."

GRAVE PROBLEM

The considerable publicity given to illegal lobstering was cited by the minister as one reason for the growing public awareness of the gravity of the problem. He mentioned, too, a pamphlet titled "The Case for Lobster Conservation" distributed by the department, which explained that lobster fishing regulations are based on sound and proven management policy backed by the highest scientific recommendations. This policy has resulted in better catches and better returns to fishermen. Another educational project he referred to was the department's program of illustrated lectures in regional high schools in fishing areas acquainting young people with the facts of the lobster fishery and why it must be protected if it is to continue as a source of livelihood to people in those communities.

Law enforcement and education provide a two-bladed weapon in the fight to eradicate illegal lobstering, or at least to reduce it to a point at which it just would not pay anyone to break the law. In stressing this point, Mr. Robichaud said that the scientists of the Fisheries Research Board of Canada were constantly tapping new channels of knowledge that can be of great value to the fishery. "Great stress is being placed on the care and handling of lobsters after they are caught. There have been countless numbers of lobsters lost just because of improper handling," he said.

Mr. Robichaud then explained that a second pamphlet is being distributed to lobster fishermen describing basic procedure in correct lobster handling, which could pay dividends if fishermen followed the simple principles outlined. The best ways of keeping lobsters healthy while in captivity waiting to be sent to market were also being assessed, he said.

Course Ends In Copper Enamelling

Eleven students recently completed a course in copper enamelling at Souris. Classes were held in the high school and were under the direction of Linda Fraras, instructor from the handcraft branch.

At the conclusion of the course the director of handicrafts congratulated the classes on the fine display of jewellery they had made and encouraged the members to continue with the work, as the demand for copper enamelled pieces far exceeded the supply and proprietors of craft shops were finding it necessary to buy crafts from outside the province.

Diplomas were presented to Mrs. Walter Dixon, Mrs. Frank Aucoin, Mrs. Edgar Dixon, Mrs. Shirley Dyon, Mrs. Melvin McQuaid, Mrs. Edward Kassner, Mrs. George Leard, Mrs. Roy Coffin, Mrs. Winston Fudge, Mrs. Roy White and Mrs. Stewart McGregor.

Five members of Eastern Kings Arts and Crafts have completed an advanced course in weaving, having completed the basic course in 1963. Members of this class were Mrs. Walter Dixon, Mrs. Audrey Mills, Mrs. Edward Kassner, Mrs. Roy White, and Mrs. Helena Robertson.

Resignation Now Effective

Resignation of deputy provincial secretary Wendall MacKay was effective since Thursday. His successor will be announced by Premier Walter R. Shaw early this week.

Mr. MacKay is leaving his government post to become manager of the Island Development Company.

His office staffs, deputies, ministers and other government officials presented him with a farewell gift at a smoker held in his honor Tuesday evening at the Royal Canadian Legion.

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Group Rehearses For Big Jamboree

SUMMERSIDE — A country and Western Jamboree group, managed by Raymond Arsenault that features singers, step dancers, fiddlers and guitar pickers from western Prince County rehearsed here Friday night in preparation for their big show in two weeks. The group performs here at Civic Stadium May 28 at 9.15 p.m.

Participating are the step dancing, Gallant sisters of Mount Carmel — Zelma, Aline and Louise. Another sister and performer, eight-year old Louise is the youngest fiddler on the island.

Alyre Gallant, the girls' father will fiddle and his two sons, Alfred and Norman will play the guitar.

Vincent Doucette of Tignish will emcee the show as well as play the guitar.

Three members of the Dou-

cette family of Harper Road are also featured. Marie and Cathy will sing while Vincent is a drummer. As a side note, another family member, Gerrard, has recently left for Nashville, Tennessee, a hot bed of country and western music for a singing appearance. He was originally to have appeared with this show. Muriel Gallant of Piusville will sing as well as the three Gallant sisters from the same village — Diane, Irma and Gloria.

Manager Raymond Arsenault, a guitar player himself, is from St. Raphael.

Islander Honored

The congregation of Cambridge Street United Church in

Lindsay, Ont., recently honored the memory of an Island-born minister, the late Rev. Walter Richard Auld.

Mr. Auld, associate minister of the church from 1959 to 1963, was born in Freetown, P.E.I. An adult group of the church, known after Mr. Auld's death as the Walter Auld Fellowship, decided to install a sound system in the sanctuary in his memory.

Prof. W.E. Fletcher, former organist of Trinity United Church, Charlottetown, was associated with Mr. Auld for a number of years in Lindsay.

7 Diplomas Presented For Pottery

Seven diplomas, five for advanced work in pottery making and two for basic were presented by the director of handicrafts to an enthusiastic class at St. Eleanors' Ladies' Club Hall, Thursday evening.

This is the second course in pottery making to be completed in the Summerside — St. Eleanors area. A kiln has been purchased by a member of the class and will be available to others of the class for firing their pieces, and plans are underway to purchase a potter's wheel.

Diplomas for advanced work were presented to Mrs. Erland

Warble Fly Eradication Program Set

The warble fly can be eradicated from Prince Edward Island and the department of agriculture has that as its goal, it was learned from Glen Cotton, provincial beef fieldman, last weekend.

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than four miles. It has been found and it should not be too difficult to wipe them out completely here on the island, if we get the co-operation of the farmers and cattlemen. Mr. Cotton stated.

Speaking to a meeting of beef producers here in Charlottetown on Friday night Mr. Cotton said that the warble fly in Western Prince last fall was a complete success so far as he had been able to ascertain.

The idea this year is to cover the entire province in the eradication campaign. The campaign last year covered the area from Portage west.

PRINT WORLD'S STAMPS

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