

# ISLAND NEWS PRICE

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## Prince Nova's Trials Slated For Early May?

See trials for the new Wood Islands-Caribou ferry, the Prince Nova will be held shortly and if successful, she will go into service sometime between May 15 and 20.

The service itself looks good to begin around May 1. Captain Claude Hunter, president of the papers, magazines, radio and TV in preparing editions of their journals and programs for their broadcasting stations.

**NO SPECIAL RIGHTS**

"The people have a right to know all there is in the public interest," freedom of the Press is beyond dispute, but that does not give the organized Press any special rights, just as freedom of speech does not give a speaker any special freedoms beyond the rights of others," the speaker stated.

"Publishing a newspaper is a costly business. As advertising revenue supports a newspaper, it is interesting to note that the selling price of a single copy is about the same as it was a century ago," the speaker added.

Describing a newspaper's purposes, the speaker said these are to instruct, to inform and to entertain and it also has an obligation to "sell" not only itself in competition with other media, but to sell the products of its advertisers, because without advertisers no newspaper can exist for long.

The Selkirk, Capt. Eric Holdway, will open the service a day earlier on its own about two or three weeks before a bond proposed by the Prince Nova, under the command of Capt. Lester White.

The Selkirk will make four runs from each terminal daily, leaving Caribou at 8 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., and 5 p.m., 12 noon, 2:30 p.m., and 4:30 p.m., all times daylight saving time.

**First Aid Certs. Given Students**

Eighteen girls, all City high school students, received their first aid certificates recently after being examined by Sinclair-Catfield, who also made the presentation.

The first class was held March 18, and the instructor for the course was Mrs. Dorothy MacDonnell.

Successful candidates were: Donna MacLean, Elaine Dolson, Lisa Heston, Dorothy White, Lina Meredith, Diane Land, Linda Howatt, Corinne Higgins, Helen Harrison, Elaine Bevan, Joan Moreside, Barbara Dawson, Geraldine O'Brien, Gerald Carter, Elizabeth Galtier, Gloria Pollard and Linda Diane Moore.

Joyce Connolly received a standard first aid certificate. The course was conducted at the Charlottetown Red Cross Centre.

## EASTERN BREEFS

**RETURNS HOME**

Mrs. A.H. Duvar, has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Art Duvar, Charlottetown.

**ON HOLIDAY**

Mrs. H.L. Craig, Montague is enjoying a holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Bennett, Charlottetown and with Mayor and Mrs. Gilbert Bell, Bordenburg.

**SEASON OPENS**

The shipping season was officially opened here yesterday with the arrival of the OGS Wolfe and the MV North Gaspe. The North Gaspe will call at this port regularly through the shipping season.

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**LOCAL BREEFS**

**CARD PARTY RESULTS**

Following are the results of the St. Pius B parish card party last night: ladies' first, Mrs. Margaret McGuigan; second, Mrs. Margaret Dowling; consolation, Geraldine Bennett; first, Jerome O'Brien; second, Reg Whitlock; consolation, Dan Chapman; freewill, V. Tierney and Mrs. Frank Richards; door prize, Dan Chapman; special prize, Mrs. Mary MacDonnell.

**18TH REUNION**

At a meeting of the executive committee of the 18th Battalion Association held Thursday night, with the president B. Preston McLaine in the chair, it was decided to hold the reunion of the Battalion at the Home of the Royal Canadian Legion, Charlottetown, on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 5. Further announcements will be made from time to time.

**ORGANIST DIES**

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, former organist at St. Paul's Anglican Church will be sorry to hear of the sudden death of Mr. Harris on Easter Monday due to cerebral thrombosis. Their daughters, Margaret and Susan now reside at 39 Lakeshore Avenue, Orléans, Ontario, and son Graham is now married and lives in Peterborough, Ontario.

**CARD PARTY WINNERS**

Winners in the card party held last night at Covehead Parish Hall were: ladies' first, Mrs. Cecily Watts; second, Mrs. Frank Watts; consolation, Mrs. C. Aylward; men's first, Dawson Hughes; second, George Shaw; consolation, M. O'Connell; door prize, William Doyle; freewill, Pat Hogan and Andrew Pollock.

**ASSESSMENT MEETING**

The Charlottetown branch of the Royal Canadian Legion is the scene tonight of a meeting to discuss the city tax assessment situation. Interested persons have been invited to attend the meeting which starts at 8 o'clock. The new tax assessment has been the subject of much debate in Charlottetown, and it is expected that the meeting tonight will be a lively one.

**ROYAL COMMISSION**

The government is "negotiating" with persons to serve on the royal commission to inquire into the financing of higher education. Premier Walter Shaw told The Guardian yesterday that the commission will be set up in the throes of the opening of the last session of the legislature. It is being set up under the Minister of Education, Hon. George Dewar's supervision.

## Dewar Sees Boost To Island Culture

With the 19th Annual P.E.I. Music Festival having just closed, a definite interest by the people of Prince Edward Island in enjoying culture is being shown, noted Hon. Dr. L.G. Dewar, minister of education, as he officially opened the festival at Birchwood High School last night.

Dr. Dewar went on to say that the province is fortunate in having a director of music for P.E.I. schools in the person of Christopher Gledhill. He said that culture in the island will get a definite boost from the completion of the Paterson of Confederation Memorial Building in giving an impetus to drama, music and the arts.

He wished the festival a success and expressed the hope that it would continue to grow in the future.

Dr. Dewar welcomed the address to the island. He was introduced by president of the festival, Edwin C. Johnston, New Haven. Present for the opening were Lieutenant-Governor W. J. MacDonald and Mrs. MacDonald, Premier Walter R. Shaw and Councillor Elmer Macrae, representing the city.

Unless otherwise noted, the addresses of the contestants is Charlottetown.

Piano Solo 17 and under, Gordon Murray, Kensington; Susan Clewberry, Dorsey White, Summerside.

Piano Solo, 17 years and over, Gordon Murray, Kensington; Beryl Vessey, York; Oratoria Solo, Nancy Cox; Faith Marie MacKenzie.

**Borden AY Holds Parents Night**

The Allied Youth of Borden held a parents night Wednesday at the Legion hall in Borden. Parents heard their delegates from the town to the Youth Alcoholic Education Conference held recently in Charlottetown, give reports on the various aspects of the conference.

Delegates were: Christine

## Festival Adjudicators Indicate Pleasure With Opening Classes

The annual P.E.I. Music Festival opened this morning simultaneously at PWC and Birchwood auditoriums, with adjudicators John Churchill and Clarence Oertzen exchanging posts at the two places for the separate morning and afternoon sessions.

Both these experienced and encouraged adjudicators indicated their pleasure with the opening classes.

There were no outstandingly good marks awarded on this first day, but the general picture was one of fairly solid showings by almost all the young entrants.

Piano solos and duets and voice solos and choruses were offered by the classes on this first day.

Below are listed the three first placings in each class.

**BIRCHWOOD**

At Birchwood High School, John Churchill adjudicated the morning session of the Festival, while Clarence Oertzen looked after the afternoon program.

Unless otherwise noted, the names of performers given here belong to Charlottetown.

Boys' 8-11 years: 1. Sheridan, Richard, Billy Hansen, Mary MacDonald, June Walsh, Susan Patzold and Raymond Arsenault.

The educational lesson consisted of the study of the book "Of Cats and People," conducted by the AY members.

Over 20 adults attended the meeting and around 60 AY members and invited young people were in attendance. A recreational period ended the meeting.

Churchill adjudicated the morning and afternoon sessions, respectively:

Piano Duet 16 years and under: 1. Elizabeth Taylor and Carole Hurry Winslow, 2. Barbara MacRae and Debbie Gay, Sherwood, 3. Barbara Parker and Pauline Peters, Southport.

Piano Solo Rural Students 13 and over: 1. Lenora Crockett, York, 2. Beverly Swan, York, 3. (tie) Linda Andrew, East Royalty and Berle Caraway, Hunter River.

Piano Solo 11 and 12 years: 1. Linda Kaye, 2. Maury Doyle, 3. Patsy Kipping.

The afternoon session:

Boys' solo 9 and 10 years: 1. Peter Fraser, Cross Roads, 2. Donald Campbell, 3. Jack Kipping.

Girls' Solo 10 and 11 years: 1. Judy Prodt, 2. Carole Ridd, 3. Suzanne Hughes.

Piano Solo 9 and 10 years: 1. Lynn MacMillan, Covehead Road, 2. Anne Fraser, Cross Roads, 3. Judy Prodt.

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