

Musical Festival Scholarships

Every junior competitor in the Musical Festival will have the opportunity of competing for scholarships according to plans formulated by the executive at a meeting held at the Prince of Wales College last evening.

KINGSTON Y. P. U.

The regular meeting of the Kingston Y. P. U. was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Green on Friday evening, March 16th.

Mildred Paul led the devotional period which opened by singing hymns "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross." The scripture reading was taken from St. Matthew 27, followed by a challenge to Young People and Prayer. Hymn "Jesus Keep Me Near The Cross" closed the devotional period.

The president conducted the business period. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Roll call was answered by fourteen members. Collection and Friendship Fund were received. A discussion took place regarding play books.

The appointment of committees for next meeting are as follows: Study—Mildred Paul and Roy Younker. Recreation—Norma Smith and E. Roll Green. Devotional—Olive Barrett. Lunch—Alma MacGregor and Elva Gamestier.

Mildred Paul invited the members to her home for the next meeting.

The study period which was taken from St. Matthew, chapter 10 and 11 was led by Shirley Newson and Elva Gamestier, followed by repeating the Mizpah Benediction.

The recreation period consisted of games and social intercourse. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess assisted by the committee in charge.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. and Mrs. Green for the hospitality shown.

MEADOW LAKE, Sask., March 28 (CP)—A father and son hunting coyotes from the air were killed today in the crash of their plane in Northwestern Saskatchewan. The men, Helmer Johnson, about 46, and his son, Merle Johnson, about 26, were pinned in the cockpit of the small plane. Cause of the accident is not known.

CANBERRA, March 28 (Reuters)—Australia has sold to date 113,000,000 bushels of her wheat crop, the Australian Wheat Board announced today. The season's crop was previously announced at 170,000,000 bushels with a carry-over of 44,000,000.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES DEATHS 50c per insertion

HAWKINS—At Hong Kong, on March 15th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hawkins (nee Phyllis Woodside) a daughter, Mary Claire.

MacLEAN—At the Prince County Hospital, March 14th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur MacLean, Glen Valley, a daughter, Sharon Faye.

CREED—On March 27th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Creed, Sturgeon, a daughter.

GAGNON—At Quebec on March 21, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Gagnon (nee Mary Edith Laughlin) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Laughlin, Sherbrooke, a son, John Robert Norman, 8 lbs. 9 ozs.

CLARKE—The death occurred in Charlottetown on March 29th, of J. J. Clarke, formerly of Avondale in his 78th year. The remains are resting at the A. A. Hennessey Funeral Home. Funeral notice later.

COOMBS—At the P. E. I. Hospital on Thursday, March 29, 1951, Mrs. F. G. Coombs. Funeral from St. Peter's Cathedral Saturday morning, service starting at 10 o'clock. Interment Sherwood Cemetery. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home.

CLARK—In Charlottetown, March 29, John Clark of Mt. Stewart in his 81st year. His remains will be held at the A. A. Hennessey Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

ARSENAULT—At the home of his brother-in-law, George Richards, in Summerside on March 27, Benjamin B. Arsenault in his 71st year. Forwarded from the Bonaventure Funeral Home to his late residence in Mt. Carmel from where the funeral will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, March 31, to Mt. Carmel Church and Cemetery.

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CENTRAL GUARDIAN

This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a newsy nature may be inserted at five cents a word, strictly payable in advance.

COOKS for Photographs.

HOCKEY Bedeque Rink, tonight, Friday, second game in finals of the junior league. Cups may be presented at the close of this game. Admission 25 cents.

INJURED IN ACCIDENT—A crippled man, George Martell of Georgetown, was injured last night when struck by a passing car driven by Robert Weir, Charlottetown. The injured man was attempting to cross the street at Hughes corner when the accident occurred. The last report was that the man was resting comfortably at the Charlottetown Hospital.

CARD PARTY—A card party was held last night in aid of the Girl Guides of Parkdale. There were 14 tables playing. The prize winners were: Ladies first, Mrs. James Burke; second, Mrs. L. F. Ansell; Men's first, Joseph H. Gallant; second, William Griffin. Door prize, Fred Gallant. Freez-out, Mrs. B. Gallant and Mrs. J. Gallant. Consolation, Mr. E. Connolly and Mrs. Lois Brown.

CONVENTION CONCLUDES—The P. E. I. Teachers' Federation concluded its highly successful annual convention at the Prince of Wales College at noon yesterday. Features of the morning session were an address by Dr. F. MacKinnon, Principal of P. W. C., final sessions of discussion groups, and an open forum. During this latter it was unanimously decided to retain the same scale of Federation fees for the coming year. Miss Mona Wilson of the Department of Public Health addressed the meeting briefly on the necessity of the immunization of children.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY—The funeral of Marion MacDonald of Mt. Stewart took place yesterday morning from the A. A. Hennessey Funeral Home to St. Andrew's Church where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Kenneth McMillan, who also officiated at the grave. Rev. Terrence Campbell, the pastor of St. Andrew's, was present in the sanctuary. The pallbearers were Clifford Sullivan, Walter Furness, Milton Furness, John Macdonald, Donald MacDonald and Daniel Cummings. Interment took place in the church cemetery.

W. A. MEETING—The regular monthly meeting of the Senior W. A. of Trinity Church was held Thursday evening with the President, Mrs. J. W. Dickenson in the chair. The devotional period was conducted by Mrs. J. Garnham and Mrs. H. Roper with Mrs. R. Younker as pianist. The secretary read the minutes of the last meeting followed by the treasurer's report. Letters of appreciation were received from members to whom flowers were sent during their illness. A lengthy business period followed during which plans were made for the final Red Cross supper. The meeting closed with the members repeating the W. A. paper in unison after which the members were treated to ice cream and cake.

CANOE COVE Y. P. S.

On March 20th the Y.P.S. met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Hickox.

Meeting opened by singing Doxology and repeating the Lord's Prayer, in unison.

The hymn "Lord A Little Band and Lowly" was then sung.

Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. Roll call was answered by eleven members by repeating a verse of Scripture.

Reports were heard from all committees. It was decided to hold a social evening on March 23rd.

Next meeting to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy MacKenzie.

All united in singing "The King Of Love My Shepherd Is." Scripture reading was taken from 1 Cor. 7, 4-27.

Mrs. Milton MacNevin led the devotional period. The theme of the lesson "The Body of Christ" was followed by singing "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" and repeating the Mizpah Benediction. Lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by the committee, after which a pleasant social evening was enjoyed by all.

OTTAWA, March 28 (CP)—The External Affairs Department is on the lookout for a building in Paris which it can purchase to house Canadian offices there. At present, representatives in Paris of the External Affairs, Immigration and Trade Departments are located in offices scattered about the French capital. The aim is to bring them all under one roof for efficiency and economy.

WASHINGTON, March 28 (AP)—President Truman today signed a bill to permit the entry into the United States of persons who were involuntary members of Nazi, Fascist or Communist organizations abroad. Involuntary memberships are defined as those obtained when an individual was under 16 years of age, those required by local law, or those obtained for the purpose of obtaining employment, food rations or other essentials.

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Fishery Development Committee Appointed

OTTAWA, March 29 — (CP) — Fisheries Minister Mayhew announced today that a five-man committee has been appointed to draw up a program for the development of inshore and offshore fisheries of Prince Edward Island.

A Federal-Provincial undertaking, the committee is to study fishery resources available to Prince Edward Island; present methods of processing and marketing; catching methods in use and the Province's existing harbor and shore facilities.

Heading the committee, similar to one created in Newfoundland two months ago, is Hon. T. A. Campbell, Chief Justice of Prince Edward Island. Other appointees are Dr. A. W. H. Needler, St. Andrews, N. B.; Eugene Gorman, Charlottetown; Major Young, Red Point, P. E. I., and John Macintosh, Tignish, P. E. I.

Committee members represent the Federal and Provincial Governments, fishermen and processors. They are to recommend a fishery development program capable of being implemented by the Federal and P. E. I. Governments and by those engaged in the fishing industry, outlining what each should contribute.

New Steel

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First of Kind The new steel order will be the first of its kind for Canada in peacetime. Previous orders have dealt mainly with the construction industry, banning the use of steel without a permit for such construction as:

Recreation, theatres, bowling alleys, banks, credit institutions, office buildings, liquor stores, beauty and florist shops, hotels, motor courts, retail and department stores and plants for the production of cigars, liquor and candy.

There was no intimation of how much steel the Government hopes to save under the new order. Mr. Howe already has indicated that this country is short about 1,500,000 tons this year on what industry requires.

Under the "utility goods" program, manufacturers would be ordered to hold use of essential materials, such as tin, steel, aluminum, copper, nickel lead and chrome, to a minimum.

REDS STIFFEN

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Kapyong, 12 miles south of parallel 38, is 33 miles northeast of Seoul and 12 miles southwest of Chunchon.

Bradshaw's pooled dispatch did not report the exact distance covered by the Commonwealth units, but it was close to the old political boundary.

"They forded rushing streams and climbed slimy hills soggy with three days of rain," Bradshaw reported. "Only the difficulties of the going determined the speed of their advance."

PRaises QUALITY

(Continued from Page 1) Province in an effort to fill the requirements of the order.

In the absence of the president, Mr. Fred Bell, Mr. A. S. Hopkins, the vice president presided at the Summerside meeting last night.

The speaker was introduced to the members by Mr. Harold Rodd and in his address Mr. Chew dealt mainly with the origin of the board of trade movement, its growth in the Maritimes and his interpretation of what a board of trade stands for.

"Boards of trade" he said, "are maintained to get things done and the representations made by a board of trade usually get more consideration than those of any other organization."

"The primary objective of the present executive of the Maritime Provinces board of trade," he said, "is greater unity between the various boards of the three provinces."

Dealing with the method followed by all boards in submitting their resolutions to Ottawa he contended that the system was not so very effective. The resolutions are in many cases given scant attention and are very often merely acknowledged by a deputy or a clerk in the department concerned. He suggested a parliamentary liaison committee at Ottawa through which the resolutions might be channelled to the proper authorities.

Due to the address by the guest speaker, the regular agenda of business was considerably curtailed. The secretary read a letter from Mr. J. Watson MacNaught, M.P., stating that the additional \$4,000 required for converting the heating system in the new post office from coal to oil had been confirmed.

Reporting for the retail merchants committee, Mr. Ross MacKenzie said that one application had been received from a local man for the night watchman service which this committee had recommended be inaugurated some time ago.

New Officers

The service will begin under the new officers on April or May. "The people who are taking over the ship are good loyal Prince Edward Islanders and are closely watching the actions of the Opposition, and it will not help get them one blooming vote," he declared, as he sat down.

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Top Honors Won By P. E. I. Student

Gerald Davison Johnstone, Long River, P. E. I. won top honors over his nine classmates to receive the Dr. E. S. Archibald Award and his Advanced Farm Class Diploma with honors, at the graduation exercises of the Nova Scotia Agricultural College at Truro, N. S., on Wednesday, March 28.

In a press release from the N. S. A. C., Charles P. Duffy, Johnston's River, and Harley Clifford Pope, Charlottetown, are listed among the five students to receive Maritime Co-operative Services Scholarships, and Gregory Joseph Doran, Portage, P. E. I., received his Farm Class Certificate with honorable mention.

Addressing the graduate students, Professor H. J. Fraser told them "a hungry world is a quarrelsome world, and it is a well-known fact that it is largely the result of the world's callousness to the needs of his family that prompted and directed Karl Marx along the road to Communism."

"If the dollar is to clothe and feed us, then it will be necessary for us to put some human sweat back into the dollar," he continued. "It is here where those who are engaged in the science of agriculture can help by showing by example to the public at large, how economic stability, once again, may be secured."

ESKIMO

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ermment for making inaccurate reports to the press about the work done by the Eskimo had been transported between people in the business that the boat is inadequate." He wondered why a boat with a reported ability to handle 300 tons was travelling with such small cargoes.

"The Government's venture into Socialism was handled very badly. It has failed miserably at a great financial loss and at a loss of goodwill."

"I suggest that the first thing to do to cut the losses would be to get rid of the ship. I have been informed by people trading with Newfoundland that they (Newfoundlanders) always liked our trade but recently they have become concerned over our methods of doing things. They want their products in their way, not the way we want to do things."

He pointed out that the way of shipping now was by refrigeration and that a proper ship should be purchased to bring the food to the Newfoundland people.

"We have refrigeration space on the Eskimo," countered the Premier and it has never been fully taken up."

"I have been informed by shippers that it is too small," replied Mr. Mathieson. He quoted a statement from the report of the Director of Trade to this effect.

"If the space is too small why is it not filled?" shouted several Ministers of the Crown, who kept telling Mr. Mathieson to keep his speekee up."

"I am referring to the action taken by the C. N. R., making it nearly impossible to trade with the Eskimo and we have advanced that trade by 60% over last year."

The way the trade is set up, the C.N.R. intends to give full service to the outports, and they are carrying the goods in a most fantastic way which is costing the taxpayers an enormous amount of money. The goods are carried 600 miles over the Newfoundland railway to St. John's and then taken by ship to the outports.

The Royal Commission report advocated that the Dominion Government pay \$4,000,000 to Newfoundland for the railway deficit.

The Government has subsidized the ports of Halifax and Saint John and stolen the trade from Charlottetown in the past year," he continued. "The Opposition and the Board of Trade don't know about it. It is the most damaging thing that has happened to the Province in a long time."

The Premier stated that the Eskimo would arrive in Charlottetown Monday and leave shortly with her first cargo of the season. He added that if the Opposition insisted on a profit it could still be made by taking the ship off the Newfoundland line in July and sending her on longer trips. "The Government is not a bit ashamed of what the Eskimo has done," he added.

He referred to the charges made against the Industrial Corporation and stated that the man through whom they were made "had been fired from the ship by the Captain five months ago."

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International Council Of Women Opens

ATHENS, Greece, March 29 (Reuters) — Queen Frederika opened the triennial congress of the International Council of Women here today.

Two hundred and fifty women representing 21 countries are attending the conference, which will consider problems of racial discrimination and equality for women of all races in the professional and political spheres.

Two Canadian delegates, Mrs. Blanche Marshall and Miss Elizabeth Long, both of Toronto, said women of the French provinces of Canada suffered disabilities regarding the control of married women's property.

New Fabric From Peanuts

LONDON, March 29 (Reuters)—Peanut suits will be in fashion next winter for British men and women.

Scientists have discovered how to make a material almost as good as wool from the fibre of a peanut. Called ardl, it has been developed by the Imperial Chemical Industries.

The new fibre is being produced at a Scottish plant and target output this year is 3,500 tons—enough, when mixed with wool on a 50-50 basis, to make 2,000,000 suits. Next year's target is 10,000 tons.

With wool prices soaring, market experts expect the new fibre suits to be a sellout.

Ardl can be dyed any color, is shrink-proof and can be made as fine as nylon. Besides suits, ardl has been made into women's jumpers, hats, blankets and pile carpets.

Beware Of Frosted Grain For Seed

OTTAWA, March 26 1951—The Canada Department of Agriculture makes a point of recommending prudence to farmers who are planning to use frosted grains as seeds. Research made in this connection indicates that appearances are deceptive and that, by itself, an eye test can be far wrong.

Germination tests on cereal grains taken from the frost area surrounding the Experimental Station at Scott, Sask., show that wheat, on the whole, will germinate satisfactorily. But this is not so true of oats and barley. Many samples of these two cereals had a germinative ability below 40 per cent and only few of 80 per cent, according to A. G. Kusch, cerealist at this Station.

The extent to which germination has been impaired by frost cannot be determined visually. Wheat may appear to be damaged severely and yet give a good percentage of germination and the reverse may also be true. The germination of oats and barley may be seriously impaired while showing little external sign of frost damage.

Frost-damaged grains were also seeded in soil at Scott. In all cases, the percentage of plants emerging did not equal the laboratory percentage germination and the lower the percentage germination of the sample, the greater the discrepancy of plants emerging.

Furthermore, as the depth of seeding increased, the percentage of plants emerging decreased. An additional observation was that the lower the percentage germination of the sample, the more serious was the increased depth of seeding.

In view of those findings, farmers are urged to make or have germination test made on frosted grain or grain coming from areas affected by frost. Where germination percentages are too low, it is advisable to purchase better seeds.

In all cases where frost-affected grain is used, it is recommended to increase the rate of seeding in proportion to the decrease in germination. Finally, sow the grain as shallowly as it is possible in order to get the seed into moisture.

VANDALS' TARGETS

PORT ARTHUR, Ont. (CP) — Acting mayor George Wardrobe called for "drastic action" against vandals who break the glass in parking meters here. In one day recently the little glass windows were broken in 14 out of 17 newly-installed meters.

HOLMAN STORE NEWS

— G. H. M. — ON BEING "SHINE" CONSCIOUS! And we mean the "Shine on your furniture" . . . In the Hardware Departments of both the Charlottetown and Summerside Stores you can buy Johnson's New Wax Discovery—"PRIDE", which waxes furniture without the labor of rubbing. "Pride" is truly amazing, it gives your furniture a genuine wax-protection, it contains no sticky oils, it has a long-lasting lustre. "Pride" is very, very economical — the 1.00 sized bottle contains enough for 6 rooms jammed, packed with furniture! "Pride" cleans, preserves, protects and polishes all dark or light wood surfaces. . . . Buy "Pride" today from the Hardware Department of either Holman Store.

JUST ARRIVED! A big, new shipment of EIDERDOWN RECEIVING BLANKETS. . . . These pink or blue Blankets are genuine Esmond make, they're in the 36 by 36 size and are priced 1.10 each. You baby just can't do without a soft fluffy Eiderdown Blanket — you baby get it today, they're in terrific demand and we can't guarantee the supply lasting more than a few days. . . . Shop for Esmond Eiderdown Receiving Blankets in the Youth Centre.

SPRING MAKES THE WORLD YOUNG! And you'll want a new, youthful Hair-do for Spring. . . . The Accessory Department has all the needs and necessities for your Spring TONI, with TONI you'll have the softest, most natural Permanent you've ever seen, with TONI your hair will be easy to manage and in perfect condition. Come in and see for yourself, come in and choose your TONI PERMANENT KIT, your TONI REFILL, your TONI SHAMPOO, and your TONI CREME RINSE. . . . They're all here in the Accessory Department.

DOES THIS SEEM SENSIBLE? Your new HANDBAG need not cost you a fortune and at the same time little price you can afford one for every costume. There's a whole display of them — all at JUST 2.98 each. The materials are Spring shades — the shapes are new and interesting — the colors are plastic calf or alligator, suede and bangle — the linings are nice, the handles are sturdy and the clasps are of gleaming brass. In fact, you're sure and certain to find your new Spring Purse in the collection, priced JUST 2.98 in the 5 and 10 Department.

Railway Request Denied For Rates Boost On Fish

OTTAWA, March 29 — (CP) — The Board of Transport Commissioners today denied a railway request that higher express rates on fish be put into effect immediately.

The Board rejected a motion in which the railways yesterday called for dismissal of complaints against the proposed new rates, which range up to 68 per cent over existing charges.

The commissioners held the complainants had made out a prima facie case against the higher rates, and the railways would have to bring in evidence to show they would be "reasonable" and not "unjustly discriminatory" in relation to other express rates.

Complainants against the increases are the Fisheries Council of Canada, representing processors and distributors; the Maritime Transportation Commission, the Saskatchewan Government, and the fish industry of Alberta and the Northwest Territory.

They were in the middle of argument against the railways' dismissal motion today when the Board, after overnight consideration, announced it was rejecting it.

The higher rates were sought by the railways originally in 1949. They have been held up by the Board since then, and the commissioners now are hearing evidence to determine whether the suspension should be lifted.

The new rates would apply chiefly to shipments of fresh and frozen fish from the Maritimes and prairie area, and today Alberta counsel J. Frawley argued that was a major basis for the claim of "unjust discrimination."

He said that low "transcontinental" rates enable British Columbia fish to move to eastern points at charges less than from Alberta centres despite lack of competitive rail facilities from the coast.

A. K. Dysart, Canadian National Railway's counsel, said that perhaps this situation could be taken care of by holding the rates from the coast.

The Island generally "then we should press for a subsidy". But Mr. Wheatley reminded the gathering that "The day has come when one man does not go far alone. The shippers should have their own board formed before going to others to ask help in the fight."

Those present finally decided to meet privately with other interested shippers to get their views and then call another meeting late next month to discuss it publicly.

MEADOW BANK W. I. MEETING The regular meeting of the Meadow Bank W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Victor MacPhail on the evening of March 26th.

Meeting opened with the Ode followed by the collection. Ten members answered roll call with an Irish Joke. The minutes were read and approved. The reports of the various committees were as follows: Secretary—the proceeds from the social evening was \$175.00. School: that towels and cups were ordered. Sick: that sympathy and "get-well" cards had been sent and a letter of thanks for sympathy extended had been received.

Rec Cross: that one night dress, one pair of pyjamas, one dress, and one pair of overalls had been finished.

Mrs. W. W. Crosley reported having received information on care of apple trees. A discussion followed this report.

Donations received from Eaton's and Simpson's. Some of this material was taken home by different members to be made into dresses for the orphanage children.

At this part of the program the members were favored with a recitation by David Yeo.

Mrs. Victor MacPhail read a paper on Education prepared by Mrs. Sally MacKinnon social welfare Convener.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Pearl Scott. Miss Laura Crosley and Mrs. Charles Hyde will help the hostess serve lunch. Roll call will be an original design for a hooked rug.

Meeting closed with "The King." Lunch was served and a pleasant social hour spent.

NEW YORK, March 29 — (AP) — An Air Force procurement division official reported to police today the theft of his automobile in which he said he had left a brief case containing "secret" Air Force documents. The official, Vincent M. Earley, declined to disclose the nature of the documents other than to describe them as secret.

EXIDE BATTERIES Battery charging and repairing. Radiator repairing and flushing. MALLET'S BATTERY SERVICE

ATTENTION RED CROSS CAMPAIGN WORKERS Supper meeting Trinity Hall tonight 6 P. M. Have your returns as complete as possible. Every worker expected.

REGISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES The public is hereby notified that the Offices for the registration of Motor Vehicles at CHARLOTTETOWN and SUMMERSIDE will remain open until 5 p.m. on SATURDAY, March 31st, 1951.

J. W. MacKinnon, Deputy Provincial Secretary.