

Annual Shoplifters' Booty Is Termed 'Astronomical'

By LORNE YEO
Various department stores in Charlottetown offering a wide variety of merchandise to the public are easy targets for the shoplifter, a recent survey indicates.

Lions Club Sponsoring Senior Citizens' Dinner

Approximately 200 people from various senior citizens organizations in the city are expected to attend the sixth annual "Auld Acquaintance Night" sponsored by the Charlottetown Lions Club.

Church To Hold Special Services

SUMMERSIDE - Special Christmas services will be held in Trinity United Church, Summerside, on Dec. 19, with a white-gloved service in the morning.

Two Injured In Collision

SUMMERSIDE - Two vehicles were heavily damaged and two persons taken to hospital as the result of a collision at Bay-side yesterday afternoon.

Car, Truck In Collision

There was an accident at the corner of Upper Queen and Bayfield streets at approximately 8:50 a.m. yesterday. A City Police report stated Ronald Peake, Moncton, N.B., was the driver of a car involved in the mishap.

Building Started For Use Of RCMP

MONTAGUE - The construction of a wood building 108 feet by 48 feet on the Wood Island Hill across from St. Mary's Church was begun on Wednesday of this week.

Named To Head Tourist Group

Lieut. Col. E.W. Johnstone, owner of the Woodleigh Republics, Burlington, was re-elected president of the P.E.I. Tourist Association at a meeting held this week.

Pension Plans May Be Merged

Provincial government civil servants will more than likely find their present pension plan and the Canada Pension Plan will be integrated into one.

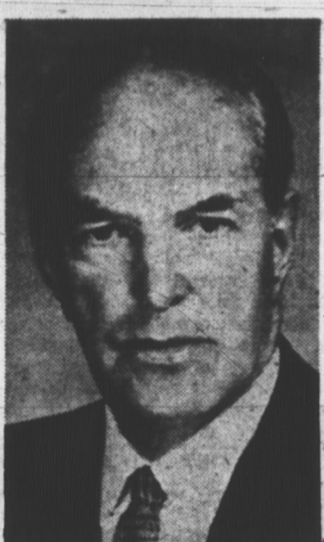


SCHOOL FOR DEAF HAS PARTY

The annual Christmas program for the Charlottetown School for Deaf Children was held in the school last night.

MacNaught Back In Private Life

CAPITAL BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN
OTTAWA - J. Watson MacNaught becomes a private citizen today.



MR. MACNAUGHT

Tax Delinquents To Be Published

Names of those who have failed to pay their taxes are being compiled for publication sometime next week, City Comptroller John Butler said yesterday.

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WESTERN FUNERALS

HANDRAHAN FUNERAL - The funeral of Raymond Handrahan, Tignish, was held Dec. 10 from the home of Jude Gallant to the Church of St. Simons and St. Jude.

Accidents Cause Damage Of \$700

SUMMERSIDE - Two accidents occurred here early Thursday evening. At about 4:15 a truck driven by James C. Harris, Sherbrooke, struck and snapped off a power pole on Central Street, damaging the truck to the amount of approximately \$300.

DEATHS

SMITH - At the Charlottetown Hospital Thursday, Dec. 16, 1965, Miss Bertha Smith, 96 Elm Ave., formerly of Georgetown, aged 66 years.

Parkdale Lions Hold Banquet

The Parkdale Lions held a father, son and daughter banquet at the Parkdale W.I. Hall, Monday evening, King Lion Bill Mathews was in the chair.

Ships Unload Oil, Gasoline

The coaster Hickory docked yesterday in Charlottetown and was expected to sail early this morning. The Hickory loaded 200,000 gallons of heating oil in the capital city and the ship's next stop will be in Pictou, N.S.

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CHRISTMAS DANCE Saturday Night at the Charlottetown Hotel 9.00 p.m. - 12.00 midnight

Christmas Gift Sale Look At These Savings
ELECTRIC IRON Reg. 18.95 for 13.88
ELECTRIC IRON Reg. 17.95 for 12.98

WINTER COMFORT HEAR 'Time and Eternity' with Dr. Mario Di Gangi

CHRISTMAS Coloring Contest Winners will be announced in the Guardian and Patriot on MONDAY DEC. 20

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The Giftarama Christmas gift sale advertisement with a list of items and prices.