



WINNERS OF CURLING TROPHY

On the final night of curling in the Alberton rink, a team skip by Lloyd Wilkie won the How and Dunbar trophy, emblematic of the local club mixed curling championship. Twelve rinks competed for the trophy. Personnel of the winning rink are shown above, left to right: Lloyd Wilkie, skip, Mrs. Margaret Perry, Banford Shaw and Mrs. Alice Seaman.

New Method For Instant Ripening Fruit Predicted

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—A method for instant, artificial ripening of green fruits and vegetables, through radiation, was predicted by a U.S. Army Quartermaster Corps chemist. The fruits and vegetables could be picked green, shipped anywhere, then ripened by beams of radiation, he said. No canning or freezing would be needed. Initial research indicates the process can be developed practically. Dr. Malcolm C. Perry of the Quartermaster Corps Research and Development Command, Nat-

Adenauer Plans New Bid For Reunification

BONN, West Germany (AP)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's government plans a direct bid to Soviet Russia soon on behalf of German reunification, his foreign minister said Friday. The West Germans say they fear otherwise the Big Four powers, again involved in disarmament talks, may shelve the reunification issue indefinitely. The foreign minister, Heinrich von Brentano, announced the government will "very soon take the initiative over German reunification through an ambassador in Moscow," Wilhelm Haas. He did not go into detail. Adenauer's instructions are to return to Moscow within two weeks—about the time Soviet leaders Nikolai Bulganin and Nikita Khrushchev will get back from a visit to Britain. Aiming his words at the Big Four and Canada, whose representatives are now discussing disarmament at United Nations committee sessions in London, Brentano told a press conference: "We do not say we forbid you to make a disarmament agreement that ignores the German question. We warn you not to do so." He argued that unless Germany is reunited a major cause of world tension will remain. RESENT ROLE The West Germans have recently indicated they resent having been so long mere spectators on the sidelines of a series of international parleys that have brought the dream of national unity no nearer. Evidently Adenauer's government now is adopting a "do it yourself" policy. It is launching a diplomatic offensive to keep the German problem in the No. 1 spot on the East-West agenda. Adenauer is going to the United States in June to urge President Eisenhower to put a new spark in the drive for German unity. The chancellor is also meeting with French Premier Guy Mollet early in May and Brentano is to confer with British Foreign Secretary Selwyn Lloyd and French Foreign Minister Christian Pineau.

MISCOUCHE

Alcide DesRoches who is in the R.C.A.F. recently arrived at his home in Miscouche, where he will spend some time. Mrs. Dos Richards and infant son Roland, of Moncton, New Brunswick, spent the Easter holidays in Miscouche, guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Poirier. Mr. Joseph Thibedeau and little daughter, Janice, recently left for Mass., U.S.A., where they will spend some time. B.V. Mrs. Rosella Gillia recently returned to Miscouche after having spent the past winter with relatives in Indian River.

SPRINGFIELD SCHOOL FEBRUARY REPORT

- Grade 10: 1. Eileen Curley 2. Frank Haslam. Grade 8: 1. Lena MacKay 2. Emmett Hagen 3. Carolyn Seaman. Grade 6: 1. Shirley Mayne 2. Edith Sinclair 3. Inelda Curley. Grade 5: 1. Billy Gillespie 2. Arlene Mayne 3. Beverley Haslam. Grade 4: 1. Mabel Proffit 2. Allan Sinclair. Grade 4 A: 1. Marjorie MacKay and Paul Hagen (equal) 2. Marlene Croken and Beryl Haslam (equal). Grade 3: 1. Mona Curley 2. Boyce Campbell 3. Joanne Croken. Grade 2: 1. Alden Proffit 2. Blair Sinclair 3. Betty Haslam. Grade 1: 1. Marilyn Mayne 2. Wendell Sinclair 3. Ralph Paynter. Highest Senior Average: Lena MacKay, 86 per cent; Highest Junior Average: Alden Proffit, 88 per cent. Teacher: Allan MacKay.

BACK STRETCH

Continued from page 6 learns about him and will hope that he will make his goal — 100. HORSE REVIEW Ernie W. Fabuhamson of this city has very kindly handed us a copy of the Horse Review of Sept. 29, 1926. In it are results of races through the Maritime Provinces, Maine and elsewhere. As St. Stephen, N.B. Sept. 1st, the 2.16 trot was won by Longest 2.06 1/2, owned and driven by Peter Conroy of Charlottetown, with 1-1-1, Joe Niles (Avery) 2-2-2, Allowood the Great (Graves) 3-3-3, The Manor (Raymond) 4-4-4, Time, 2.17, 2.15 1/4. On Sept. 2 Longest won the 2.15 mixed with 1-1-1, Lill Abbe (Raymond) 2-2-3, Allowood the Great (Douse) 3-3-2, Margaret MacGregor (Rice) 4-4-4, Time, 2.18 1/2, 2.14 1/4. Driver Douse referred to is Victor Douse of this city, and for many years resided in Maine and Massachusetts and owned and drove some of the best horses racing on those circuits.

PIUSVILLE

Miss Norma Shea, Tignish, spent a couple days with friends in Piusville recently. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Martin, Bloomfield Corner, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nesdon L. Gallant. Messrs. Gerald and Lamer Gallant, students at St. Dunstan's University Charlottetown spent the Easter holidays with their mother, Mrs. John P. Gallant. Mr. and Mrs. Dorice Gallant and daughter Carmel, Duvar, were visiting relatives in Piusville on Easter Sunday. Sympathy is extended to the family of the late Herman Bryan, Quincey, Mass., U.S.A., formerly of O'Leary. Mr. and Mrs. Erby Gallant, David and Deborah, Fortune Cove, visited Mrs. Gallants mother, Mrs. John F. Gallant. Mr. and Mrs. Desmond, Sandra and Alanna Duvar, visited Mrs. Gallants parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Corcoran. Friends of Mrs. John F. Gallant patient in Charlottetown Hospital, will be pleased to learn he is much improved in health. Mr. and Mrs. Murray Sweet and daughter Francis of O'Leary were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warburton Murray on Sunday. School mates of Miss Shirley Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warburton Murray, are glad to see her back to school again after being absent for a few days due to sickness. Mr. Jack Murray, Medicine Hat, Alberta, is spending a few days with relatives on the island. Mr. and Mrs. Keir Murray and family, Birmingham were visitors to Piusville. Mr. Adrien Griffin, Saint John, N.B. recently visited at the home of his father, Mr. Elmer Griffin, Brocton. Air Force Technician, Raymond McKenna who is spending his course at Camp Borden and spent

WESTERN GUARDIAN

DANCING AT the Summerside Curling Rink, Saturday evening, April 14, 9.30 to 12.00. KENSINGTON RINK, Saturday, April 14th, Farewell skate, 8.00-10.00. Admission 25 cents.

THE SMILING BILL show that was cancelled last Tuesday, April 10 will be presented in Miscouche Legion Home April 17 at 8.30 p.m. Followed by a dance. Admission 50 and 35.

NORTH BEDEQUE United Church, Services for Sunday, April 15th, Freetown 11.00 a.m., Travellers Rest 2.00 p.m.; North Bedeque 7.30 p.m. Rev. J. K. Campbell, minister.

BEDEQUE PASTORAL Charge the United Church of Canada. Rev. G.A. Couper-Smith, minister. Services on Sunday, April 15, Bedeque 11 a.m.; Borden, 3 p.m.; Albany, 7.30 p.m. The Sacrament of Baptism will be administered at Borden.

THE UNITED CHURCH of Canada, Kensington, Sunday April 15th, Sunday school 9.50 a.m. Morning worship 11.00 o'clock. Evening worship 7.30 p.m. Summerfield service 2.30 p.m. Rev. Lewis Murray, B.A., B.D., minister.

THE PRESBYTERIAN Church in Canada, services for Sunday, April 15th, Kensington: Sunday School 10.00 a.m.; divine service 11.00 a.m. Freetown, 3.00 p.m.; Kerr Memorial, Malpeque, 7.30 p.m. A cordial welcome to all. Rev. E. H. Bean, B.A., B. Th., B.D., minister.

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PERSONALS

Mr. Peter McQuaid of Tracadie is visiting his sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Alban Gaudet, Miscouche.

Mr. and Mrs. Urville Large and grandson, Arthur, Albany, were in Charlottetown attending the Kinsmen Variety Show on Wednesday.

Rev. J.H. Bryan, pastor of the United Church at Boyston, Nova Scotia, who spent five weeks visiting on Prince Edward Island, part of which time he was a patient in the Prince County Hospital, returned to his charge on Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Phaneuf and daughters Lynn and Heather, of Summerside, Ontario, to visit Mr. Phaneuf's parents, En route they plan to visit relatives and friends in Montreal and Toronto, also Mrs. George Van Tiem, Detroit, Michigan.

Mrs. Minnie Morrissey who resided at the Sacred Heart Home, Charlottetown for the past month, left the first of April for Ontario. She visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McNally for one week and is now a patient in a Toronto hospital receiving treatment for her eye. Her many friends hope for a quick recovery.

A card party was held in the senior school room on Tuesday evening, March 27th, with a good attendance, sponsored by the Bideford W.P. An enjoyable evening was spent and a nice sum realized.

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Let's Talk It Over

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FACE MANSLAUGHTER TRIAL

SUDBURY, Ont. (CP) — Mrs. Lavin Latham, 46, Friday was committed for trial on a reduced charge of manslaughter in the stabbing of her husband, Johnstone E. Latham, also 46.

SACKVILLE DOWNS

Ken MacDougall, race secretary Sackville Downs, Ltd., Lower Sackville, N.S., writes: "We still have some snow on the track keeping it wet, and not in the best jogging condition one could desire, but a few sunny days should fix this situation. We are sure had a real winter for this part of the country. Mr. B. C. Cruikshank is feeling fine this winter and enjoying much improved health. We purchased a new 1956 Buick Starling Gate, the newest and most modern that is made. It is smooth and will have a rapid pickup and should be popular with the drivers. "One of the circulars enclosed contains a list of 4 Early Closer Invitational, No. 1 is two, \$350 a dash and continuing through to Class D 2.22 or green horses and colts \$125. When single dashes are raced the purses will not be less than \$200. As these will go to practically all owners of stables in the Maritimes, further information can be had from them. We are glad to know that Mr. Cruikshank is in good health. He has been a great asset to racing and has owned some of the very best in his long connection with the sport. We trust that Sackville Downs Raceway will have a very prosperous season."

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