

# CITY NEWS PAGE

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## Freedom Is Short For Ch'town Man

Freedom for William Wendell Larkin of Charlottetown was short lived yesterday following his dismissal in Queen's County Magistrate's Court on a charge of carrying an offensive weapon. Larkin was arrested as he left the court on a warrant issued by Magistrate R.S. Hinton of Summerside charging him with two breaks at the stores of MacKenzie's Ltd., and Athol Cotton both of Kensington early in the morning of August 3rd.

He will be arraigned in Magistrate's Court in Summerside at a later date.

Kensington Police Constable Vernon Reeves surprised two men about 1.30 a.m. on August 3, loading a car with merchandise from MacKenzie's store but they escaped in the dark leaving behind a loaded rifle and shotgun. An intense manhunt ensued and about noon that day Larkin was picked up by an RCMP patrol on the highway near

Summerfield Church.

Prior to Larkin's dismissal by Magistrate Gilbert A. Gaudet, the evidence of two crown witnesses was heard. Cst. Vernon Reeves, police officer for the town of Kensington and Cst. Ronald Pettit, RCMP.

Summing up the evidence the magistrate said that the crown had failed to establish that the accused had carried the knife with any intent to use it as an offensive weapon and therefore he could do no other than to dismiss the charge.

**POSSESSION CASE**

In the case of Bernice Margarete Bisso, Charlottetown, charged with the unlawful possession of stolen goods, a quantity of copper and silver coins, (about \$30) and a wrist watch, one police witness was heard before the case was adjourned until Friday, August 21st.

Sgt. Donald S. Davis, RCMP, stated that on August 7th he had interviewed the accused behind the building on Queen Street which housed the Island Grill. At that time he said the accused had said that she had no money nor any jewellery.

After obtaining permission from Mrs. Bisso to search her room at 222 Sydney Street, Sgt. Davis testified that in a suitcase he had discovered a black ladies purse containing about \$30 in copper and silver coins and a small box containing a set of cuff-links and a wrist-clip. The watch was on the wrist of the accused. When ques-

## Attempted Arson Charge Dropped

In Queen's County Magistrate's Court the charge of attempted arson against George I. Kerwin of North Rustico was withdrawn following a moving plea by defence counsel J.O.C. Campbell, Q.C. and the concurring of the crown counsel John P. Nicholson.

The case which opened approximately two months ago following an alleged incident at a home in North Rustico was concluded yesterday before Magistrate Gilbert A. Gaudet, Q.C. following an adjournment of several weeks, during which time the accused had undergone examination.

Two charges were laid against a Charlottetown man at yesterday's court session. He is charged with the theft of a car radio and the unlawful possession of liquor. He was remanded until next Wednesday and bail was set at \$250 cash or a bond of \$500.

Also on the docket two men, one from Charlottetown and one from Albany, were both convicted of speeding. The former was fined \$15 and costs or ten days and the latter \$10 and costs or five days.

A Georgetown resident for operating a motor vehicle with defective equipment (lights, etc.) and a Parkdale construction firm for permitting a motor vehicle to be operated on the highway with defective equipment, were each fined \$5 and costs. In lieu of payment of the fine the former was given the option of a five day jail term.

Similar penalties were handed

out to residents of West Royalty, Milton, and Peake's Station for failure to stop at a stop sign. For driving without an operator's licence a Peake's Station man received a fine of \$10 and costs or five days.

## Water Safety Course Awards

Red Cross Swimming and Water Safety course was held at West Point from July 27th to August 14th. Fifty children and adults were enrolled and awards were presented to swimmers of all levels. Mr. M. Mitchell of Charlottetown was the instructor.

The course was sponsored by the West Point Women's Institute. The tests were held on Friday afternoon, August 14th, with Mr. Malcolm Lodge and Mr. Elmer Gallant as examiners.

Those receiving awards in the Intermediate class were: Barry MacDougall, Eva Bulger, Debbie Smith, Audrey Stewart, Senior Class, Sherrill Barwise, Bronze Medalist, Jean Phillips.



FIRST WORLD WAR veterans of the 105th Battalion turned out in full force yesterday and par-

aded to the monument in Queen Square to honor their fallen comrades. The parade was led by

CSM Norman MacDonald, right, and Cecil Palmer, president of the association. Following the

parade the 113 veterans attended a banquet at the Clover Club. At the centaph the wreath was laid by Mr. Palmer.

## 105th Overseas Battalion Holds Parade And Reunion

Edward D. MacPhail, of Southport, succeeds Cecil Palmer of Charlottetown as president of the 105th overseas Battalion Association. Mr. MacPhail was elected during a business meeting yesterday as 113 veterans attended the sixth reunion of the association.

The reunion was climaxed last evening with a dinner at the Clover Club.

Speaking to the 113 veterans in attendance, Lt. Col. John A. MacDonald, M.P. of Cardigan traced the history of the Infantry battalions on the Island.

Seated at the head table were Cecil Palmer, T. S. MacNutt, Col. MacDonald, Henry Burnett, Charles Harris, E. D. MacPhail, William Wadman and J. M. Lee.

Other officers elected during the meeting were Major T. E.

MacNutt, honorary president; Henry Burnett, Summerside, vice-president; (Prince); J. S. Walker, Charlottetown, vice-president; (Queens); Charles MacCormack, North Lake, vice-

president; (Kings); Stanley Bryant, Montreal, vice-president; for Canada; and Roy Weatherbie, Cambridge Mass, vice-president for the 105th battalions of United States.

## Scout Troops Under Canvas

The First Montague Troop with Scoutmaster Eric Duvar and ASM Ron Lawford assisting part time and the 6th Charlottetown Troop "B" (Holy Redeemer) with Scoutmaster Ernie Gallant and assistants John MacDonald and Bud Lund are presently camping at Camp Buchan. Both troops will break camp on Saturday.

The last Scout camp of the season will be held at Point Pleasant starting on August 28th, when the 8th Charlottetown Troop (Trinity) will go into camp with their scoutmaster, Fred Large and assistants Malcolm Reeves and Walter Auld. This will be the second camp for this Troop this summer.

## Newfoundland

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resigned was vacant.

**CABINET MEMBER OUT**

The only other cabinet member not seeking re-election is S. J. Hefferton, provincial affairs minister in the last cabinet, who resigned his Trinity South seat late last month.

The OCF, which had 10 candidates entered in the 1956 election but failed to elect any, is backing the Newfoundland Democratic Party which also has the support of the 1,000,000-member CLC. Among ND candidates is OCF leader Esau Thoms, in a three-way fight with Liberal and PC candidates in Placentia East.

Intense interest is focused on St. John's West. Premier Smallwood relinquished his Bonavista North seat for a personal fight with Mr. Hollett in St. John's West. The PC leader captured the seat by acclamation in the last election. Both men predict they will win the seat and the province. But the voters will consign one or the other to probable oblivion.

## TO-NIGHT AND FRIDAY

It's the laugh-and-love hit of the season... Paramount's charming, disarming "Houseboat" in Technicolor starring Cary Grant and Sophia Loren as the so-right-for-each-other grownups whose love affair runs into complications from Cary's three delightful, devilish kids.

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and  
**CFCY-Radio 9:15 - 9:30 p.m. AST**  
**FRIDAY, AUGUST 21st**  
Inserted by the P. E. L. Liberal Association

## LOCAL BRIEFS

**NEEDS REPAIRS**

The Department of Fisheries patrol vessel "Lanna" under command of Captain Townsend is in port for a week effecting repairs to her generator. The ship has a crew of 22 men and was one of the ships which has recently taken an active part in the seizures in the Alberton area.

**POURING CONTINUES**

Concrete pouring at the south pier of the Hillsboro bridge which started at 10 a.m. on Monday is expected to continue until Saturday according to estimates of engineers on the job. Originally scheduled to be finished Thursday, it was found that the equipment on hand was not capable of handling the big pour as speedily as first thought. In spite of this delay the pour has continued without interruption and satisfactory results are reported. Five trucks each carrying five cubic yards of concrete are hauling from the Schurman plant. The average rate of pour has been about 21 cubic yards per hour.

**NEW SERVICE**

Maritime Central Airways will inaugurate its new Viscount 800 service on Monday August 24, according to a company announcement made today. Serving Moncton, Goose Bay, Gander and St. John's, there will be flights each way three times a week on a first class passenger basis.

**LEAVES TODAY**

Mrs. Donald Macmillan, Skipper of the 1st Charlottetown Sea Ranger Crew "S.R.S. Buckingham", leaves for Des Lake, Ontario, today to attend a Ranger Advisers' Conference. After the conference on August 28th, Mrs. Macmillan will leave to fly to Mexico, where she will be the Canadian Representative and Hostess at a World Gathering of Young Adults.

**IS PROGRESSING**

Mrs. Isabelle Driscoll of Mt. Herbert, who underwent an operation in the Charlottetown Hospital on Tuesday morning is progressing favourably.

**RETURN TO TORONTO**

Glennis and Olive Ford who were called home by the sudden death by accident of their brother Lorne, left by plane yesterday for Toronto to continue their stenographic duties at the Wood - Gundy Co. Ltd.

**HORNE FUNERAL**—The funeral for Margaret Anne Horne was held yesterday morning from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan A. Horne, 96 Brighton Road, to St. Paul's Church, where service was conducted by Canon J.T. Abbott. Interment was in Sherwood cemetery. Pallbearers were Dr. Paul Cudmore, William Ives, Ralph Whitehead, Armal Taylor, David MacDonald, Allison Gill.



NICE CATCH FOR VISITOR

It appears that its not only of 20 trout. Mr. Ballem said Island fishermen who get all the big catches in the province. This was well proved last evening, when a Toronto fisherman, Harold Ballem, decided to try his luck in Island Waters and came up with this lovely catch

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## CUDMORE'S WEEK-END SPECIALS

Heinz Ketchup 11 oz. bottle	23¢	Sunkist Oranges	2 doz. 69c
		Cooking Apples	5 lbs. 49c
		SNOWFLAKE SHORTENING	2 LBS. 49c
		ROBIN HOOD BOSTON CREAM PIE MIX	2 pkgs. 59c

Spick & Span Large	43c	Head Lettuce	2 for 29c
Giant	83c		
Shirriff's Mint Jelly	27c	3 bunches Beets	29c
McLaren's Wafer Pickles	16 oz. jar only 33c	Ripe Tomatoes	2 lbs. 39c
Monserrat Lime Juice	16 oz. jar 53c	Island Cucumbers	2 for 25c
RED ROSE or MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE			1 lb. 69c

**AYLMER SOUP**  
Tomato or Vegetable  
5 tins 59c

KING SIZE SURF, only	REG. \$1.19 99c
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Peas	29c
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