



FIRST AND only lady member of the Charlottetown City Council, Mrs. Dorothy Corrigan, RN, was the guest speaker at the luncheon meeting of Rotary at the Charlottetown Hotel yesterday. She is here seen with George Rogers (left) and Earle Baker (right) co-chairmen, both of whom are former City Council members.

## Housing, Playgrounds Said City's Objective

Mrs. Dorothy Corrigan, RN, Charlottetown's first and only member of the City Council from the fair sex was guest speaker at the weekly luncheon meeting of Rotary at the Charlottetown Hotel yesterday.

Expressing appreciation for work done in the field of welfare on behalf of crippled children by Rotary and other service clubs, along with the Red Cross and the Canadian Legion, Mrs. Corrigan stressed the benefits accruing to the city children through these activities.

Recalling the formation of the welfare committee in the "hungry thirties," the speaker told how orders for fuel and food were given out at City Hall and paid for monthly by the city clerk when turned in by the various grocers.

"The situation is now vastly changed," Mrs. Corrigan said, "with two welfare organizations under management of qualified graduates who are constantly alert to render assistance when warranted and necessary. With provisions made through other existing arrangements for many difficult situations, the welfare organizations are concerned

chiefly with fuel and groceries, the speaker said.

"Sickness and need, when unemployment payments are not adequate to meet the situation, call for investigation, advice and help as to the best way to spend what is available," Mrs. Corrigan said.

Other matters dealt with were the adoption of children, the welfare of senior citizens, police court and jail cases, all of which call for constant work

by both welfare organizations.

Introduced by chairman, Earl Baker, the speaker was thanked by co-chairman, George Rogers.

The joint chairmen are both former members of the City Council, Mrs. Corrigan while serving on several council committees is chiefly concerned with the welfare committee, which she heads.

Guests of Rotary were Ian M. MacLeod and Allison Gillis, city, and Pierre Tremblay, Toronto,

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## Busy Week Forecast As Festival Is Opened

The P.E.I. Music Festival was officially opened last night by Minister of Education Dr. L.G. Dewar, who speaking of the great number of entries and the tremendous enthusiasm displayed, said it could perhaps be called a fiesta instead of a festival. He had high praise for all the entrants and teachers.

"I can envisage a busy week ahead for the adjudicators," he commented. "Music is an important part in our everyday lives. Today in our schools we have a music developing program that is a great boon to youth. I am very happy that we in this province now have a provincial music director in the person of Christopher Geddliff."

Other speakers were acting Charlottetown mayor, Allison Gillis, acting Summerside mayor, George Key, Jr. Music Festival president, P.A. Large, QC, and also the adjudicators.

Adjudicator Lloyd Queen said he was very impressed by the wonderful spirit of friendliness towards him and between contestants. It was his first visit to P.E.I. and he said it was every bit as good as he had heard of.

Following are the results of the morning classes held in Birchwood High School: Bouquet of Rosemary: 1. Marylee Gamble 85, 2. Faye MacDonald and Gracie Finley (tie) 84, 3. Florence Power and Maureen Coady (tie) 83.

In Notre Dame Academy: Choral Reading, 1. Rochford Square School 73, 2. Rochford Square School, 70.

The "Road to China" and the "Fighting Lemaire": 1. Jeanne Matheson 83, 2. Marilyn Douse and Joyce Lowther (tie) 82, 3. Barbara Louise MacNeven 81.

Following are the results of the classes held at Birchwood High School last night: piano quartet, Suzanne Brenton, Audrey Gillis, Jean Parker, and Helen MacRae, 87 points; school band, brass, Queen Charlotte High School Band, 85 points; male quartet, open, Leith Thompson, Keith LeLacheur, Charles Mullen, George Ayres, 83 points.

Women's chorus, the Charlottetown Choral, 84; women's open four part, the Charlottetown Choral, 82; piano solo, 1. David Mercer 83, 2. Lynnwood Jay, 82, 3. Betty Carol Matheson 81.

Queen Charlotte High School, 83 points; "Come Unto Him," 1. Helen Wilson 81, 2. Barbara Rogers, 80.

Afternoon classes were held in Notre Dame Academy, Queen Charlotte High School and Birchwood High School.

Following are the results of the Notre Dame classes: The Daffodils, Tracadie Cross School, the only entry; Echo,

1. Grand Tracadie School, 78, 2. Harrington School 77, 3. Grand Tracadie School 76; Psalm 125, Marshfield Presbyterian Sunday School, 80 points; Two Little Dishes, 1. York School, 79; 2. Grand Tracadie School 75, 3. Tracadie Cross School 74; Choral Reading, Bingo 1. Notre Dame Academy Grade one and two 80 (tie); 2. Rochford Square School 79, 3. Rochford Square School 78.

Following are the results of the afternoon classes held in Queen Charlotte High School: Early One Morning 1. Elaine Bryerton 87, 2. Sylvia Phillips 86; 3. Jacqueline Doyle 85; Weggis Song: 1. Sherwood Brownies 83, 2. 7th Charlottetown Brownies 82; A Village Hymn: 1. First United Baptist Church 83, 2. St. Paul's Church 81, 3. Central Christian Church, 79.

In the morning classes held in Queen Charlotte High School: The Second Minuet, 1. Carolyn Ling 88, 2. Elaine Bryerton 87, 3. Claire Anne Daley 86.

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The festival continues today with classes at 9:00, 2:00 and 7:30 at Montague Regional High, Summerside Civic Auditorium, Birchwood High and Queen Charlotte High, and classes at 9 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. at Notre Dame Academy.

## 20 Piano Classes Are Adjudicated

MONTAGUE BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN

Mrs. Mollie Hancock adjudicated the 20 piano classes which composed the opening day of the Kings County Music Festival held in the Montague Regional High School.

The high mark of the day was given to Peggy Peters of Rollo Bay for her performance of "May Polka," class 161. Her mark was 86. Second place went to Blaine Darrach of St. Peter's with 85 points and tying for third place with the mark of 84 were Phyllis MacKenzie, Beaton's Mills and Rosemarie Gallant, Souris West. Mrs. Hancock remarked on the excellent performance of this class.

Also attaining the high mark of the day was Anne Drake of Millview with the mark of 86 in class 163. Second place was awarded to Mary Chaisson of Souris, 85 and two young ladies also from Souris, were tied in third place with a mark of 84. They were Mary Jo McQuaid and Julia Cheverie.

Sharing top honors were Peggy Peters and Linda Chaisson of Souris who also were awarded the high mark of 86 for their performance in class 186. Second place with a mark of 83 was awarded to Rachel Kassner and Rosemarie Gallant of Souris.

Marilyn Peters placed first in class 177 with a mark of 85; second place was awarded to Marilyn Drake with a mark of 82 and third place winner was Denise MacEachern of Birchwood with the mark of 77.

In class 164, piano solo, top honors went to Anne Drake, Millview, with a mark of 83. Mary Jo McQuaid of Souris was second with 82 and placing third with a mark of 81 was Mary Chaisson of Souris East.

Garth Steeves received a mark of 82 for first place in

class 165, and second place went to Allan MacLean with a mark of 80. Garth is from Montague and Allan is from Souris.

Marilyn Drake, Millview, placed first in class 169 with a mark of 83. Second place was awarded to Marilyn Peters of Rollo Bay with 76 marks.

Michelle Peters and Rita Coffin, Souris received a mark of 84 for first place in class 189 and second place went to Marilyn Drake and Anne Drake of Millview with a mark of 83.

Marilyn Peters took first place in class 170 with a mark of 85. She was closely followed by Michelle Peters with 84 and Marilyn Drake with 83.

Class 181 saw Marilyn Drake take first place with 85 marks and Anne Drake place second with a mark of 81.

In class 183, piano, sight reading, the only entrant, Marilyn Drake, was awarded a mark of 79.

Placings in class 187 were: 1. Sharon Smith and Francis Drake, 83; 2. Karen Larter and Shirley Osborne, Julia Cheverie and Mary Chaisson, Loretta Chaisson and Claire Chaisson all with 82 marks; 3. Susan Dixon and Shirley MacEachern, Souris, Maureen MacCormack and Mary

Jo McQuaid, Souris and Evelyn Howlett, Vernon and Marilyn Mutch, Pownall, tied, 81 marks. First place in class 166 was awarded to Jeanne Ings, 79; 2. Sharon Smith, Millview, 78; 3. Douglas Clow, Beaton's Mills and Ann Brothers, Cardigan, tied, 77.

CLASS 168 Michelle Peters, Souris, won class 168 with a mark of 84; second place went to Joan Coffin, Montague, with a mark of 80, while Reta Ester Coffin of Souris placed third with 78.

Sharon Steeves attained a mark of 81 in class 172. Class 160 was very well played, said the adjudicator following its completion. First was Dawn Marie Carter, Souris, 84; 2. Francis Drake, Millview, 82 and tied for third place with 76 were Faye Clow, Beaton's Mills, Florence Richards, Murray River and Daphne Ann MacIntyre, Millview.

"A surprisingly good performance," commented Mrs. Hancock following class 158, in which she awarded first place to Francis Drake with 85 marks. Second was Sharon Smith of Millview with 84 and tied for third with 83 points were Verma Fraser of Souris and Nancy Deveau of Souris.

In class 157-1. Walter MacEwen, Bristol, 81; 2. John Fraser, Montague, Carol MacDonald, Cardigan, Dale Anne Harris, Murray Harbor and

Barbara Darrach, St. Peter's, 78; 3. Rose Ellen McGowan, Montague, 77.

Joanne Ings, Montague was first place in class 159 with a mark of 81 and second place went to Joy Barwise, Murray Harbor with a mark of 79. Loretta Chaisson, Souris East was awarded first place in class 162 with a mark of 85. Second place went to Anne Drake, Millview, and Rachel Kassner and Karen Larter tied for third place.

Officers for yesterday's sessions were Mrs. Lloyd Fraser, Mrs. E.H. Stewart and Mrs. John White.

### AFRICAN STATE

The Federation of Nigeria, independent since 1960, covers 373,000 square miles in west Africa with population of 34,000,000.

### ATTENTION TEENAGERS

The Teen-age Safe Driving Rodeo will be held in Charlottetown May 12. If you have a drivers license enter today and win some prizes. You may be the new Teen-age Safe Driving Champion for 1962. Entries close May 5th so mail yours now. Blanks are available at most High Schools or by writing to:

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## LOCAL BRIEFS

ENTERS HOSPITAL  
Arthur Yorston, Pisquid and Charlottetown has entered the Charlottetown Hospital for treatment.

PEACE MEETING  
A Peace Research Institute meeting to be held in Prince of Wales College tonight will be mainly a "planning" meeting. It was learned last night that the meeting will be held to discover how many people are interested and also to explain the aims and purposes of the institute.

CARD PARTY WINNERS  
The following are the winners of the St. Plus X card party held last night: ladies' first, Mrs. Fred McMahon; second, Loretta MacInnis; consolation, Lillian Stewart; gents first, J.A. MacKenzie; second, Phillip Shea; consolation, Alfred Blanchard; door prize, Stephen Hughes, freemason; Lillian Stewart and Mrs. Ward Thompson.

GALLANT FUNERAL — The funeral for Joseph Henry Galant took place Monday morning from the Hennessy Funeral Home to the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. R.G. O'Donnell, C.S.R., who also conducted the service at the grave. Pallbearers were John Coady, Joseph Madore, Alan Doucette, John McCourt, Jack Power and Wilfred Galant. Interment took place in the Roman Catholic cemetery.

MacLELLAN FUNERAL — The funeral for Peter J. MacLellan was held Monday morning from the Charlottetown Funeral Home to All Saints' Church, Cardigan, where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Francis Corcoran, P.P., who also conducted the service at the grave. Pallbearers were Patrick Hogan, Joseph MacAnlay, Wilfred Fogarty, Lewis Amiste, Maurice MacGillivray and Emmett Rice. Interment was in the church cemetery.

MacDONALD FUNERAL — The funeral for Mrs. Charles MacDonald of Orwell Cove was held from her late residence on Monday morning to St. Joachim's Church, Vernon River where Solemn Requiem High Mass was celebrated by her pastor, Rev. Urban Gillis. The deacon was Rev. Clifford Murphy and the sub-deacon Rev. W.D. MacDonald. Pallbearers were six nephews: Edwin Doyle, Ronald MacInnis, Charles Stewart, Wilbur Macdonald, Francis Stewart and Ronald Farnsey. Interment was in the church cemetery.

## Labor Force Pay Raise Highlights PSA Annual

The P.E.I. Government labor force has had its wages increased from 90 cents per hour to \$1.00 per hour. It was announced last night at the annual meeting of the Prince Edward Island Public Servants Association Incorporated held at the Community Centre. The president, Vincent MacIntyre presided.

In making the announcement, Premier Walter R. Shaw said that he received word of the increase by telephone yesterday afternoon. He said the government now has the wages "where we want them."

He pointed out that wages of the garage employees were under consideration and he thought that an announcement would be made shortly which would indicate an improvement in their wages also.

Another resolution asked that the government give serious consideration to initiating a job evaluation and classification program in the service and the establishment of a plan of pay as soon as possible.

Other resolutions included that the yearly dues for the coming year be 25 cents per pay period; that employees who have served for 20 years or more pensionable service be granted an additional week of vacation per year as recompense for long and faithful service; that the affiliation with the newly created Canadian Federation of Government Employee Organizations be approved; and that the convention extend to the government its thanks for the concern in the welfare of the members.

Reports heard included, president's, vice-president's, treasurer's, secretary's, joint council, insurance, membership, civil service act, and entertainment.

## Oddfellow, Rebekah Lodges Observe 143rd Anniversary

The 143rd anniversary of the founding of the Independent Order of Oddfellows on the North American continent was observed in special ceremonies these past few days by the Charlottetown members of the order.

An anniversary banquet was held last Thursday in the lodge banquet hall on Sydney Street. Head table guests were: Rev. Canon and Mrs. T.E. Loder, Miss Ethel J. Sutherland, Frank Weatherbie, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Henderson.

An exceptionally happy note was added to this occasion, by the presentation of honorary life membership certificates to Hugh MacKay and George Pucher, in recognition of long periods of service to the order. Following the banquet, members and friends gathered in the upper lodge room, where an inspirational address was given by Canon Loder, and a special program of readings, songs and Highland dancing was enjoyed. Local artists participating in the program included: Misses June Foster, Jacqueline Doyle, Brenda Lee Muttlow, Mariene Matheson, Linda and Lorraine Archer, Marion Ross and Mabel Taylor. On Sunday, at the morning Diet of Worship, members of Alpha Rebekah and St. Lawrence-Wildy Lodges held their annual church parade to Park Royal United Church.

office and also Joseph Dunning, who represents the temperance commission. They replace retiring directors, Vernon Richards and Reigh MacLean, respectively.

Noting that the salary structure for most classes of the government employees in P.E.I. was well below the national level and below that which is paid to government employees in the other Maritime Provinces, a resolution was passed to the effect that the association recommend to the P.E.I. Government that consideration be given to the establishment of a wage adjustment plan based at least on the average salaries of the provinces of N.S. and N.B.

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## Wood Islands Ferry Service Start To Be Delayed By Ice

The Wood Islands-Caribou ferry service definitely will not get underway today. Capt. C.R. Hunter said yesterday.

The president of the Northumberland Ferries Ltd., which operates the ferries between Wood Islands and Caribou, and Charles A. Dunning, said yesterday there is too much ice on the Nova Scotia side and in the outer part of the channel leading to Caribou to permit operation now.

A good west, or southwest wind is needed to clear the ice out, Capt. Hunter suggested. No buoys have been placed

owing to the ice and the start of operations must necessarily await their being put in position, but that would only be a matter of one-half day or so, it was explained.

When the service does get underway, the Lord Selkirk will carry the load until the Dunning has been drydocked, and owing to ice conditions, the old boat has still not been able to reach drydock.

The Selkirk will leave Caribou at 7:00 a.m., 10:15 a.m., 1:40 p.m. and 5 p.m. and will leave Wood Islands at 8:35 a.m., 11:55 a.m., 3:15 p.m. and 6:15 p.m. Capt. Hunter said.

Executive committee from Alpha Rebekah and St. Lawrence-Wildy Lodges, and included: Mrs. Estelle Williams, Mrs. Isabelle MacLeod, Mrs. Reta Ross, Warren Henderson, J.A. MacLeod and Arthur MacLeod.



## PROCLAMATION

Whereas National Defence is of vital interest to the citizens of Canada; and

Whereas Sunday, May 6th, marks the beginning of Navy Week in Canada, as sponsored by the Navy League of Canada, a week during which our civilian population honours and pays grateful tribute to the Royal Canadian Navy and other Canadians serving at sea, for their patriotism, loyalty and devotion to duty;

NOW THEREFORE I, A. Walthen Gaudet, Mayor of Charlottetown do hereby proclaim Sunday, May 6th, to Saturday, May 12th, nineteen hundred and sixty-two, to be Navy Week in Canada and call upon all citizens of Charlottetown to support this patriotic program and take part in appropriate observances of this week through the many channels open to them.

Hereunto I have set my hand and seal this 27th day of April, 1962.

Signed:  
A. Walthen Gaudet.

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