

NEW BUILDING FOR CHARLOTTETOWN

Contract for construction of an office and stores building and a heating plant for the Department of Transport's marine services in Charlottetown has been awarded to Modern Construction Ltd., Moncton, N.B. Public Works Minister George McIlraith said the amount of the contract is \$642,964. The combined office and storage building will have a gross area of nearly 16,000 square feet and a separate heating plant on the new department wharf at the foot of Queen Street. Facilities for shipping and receiving will be incorporated in the building and offices will be provided for a storeman, watchman and purchasing agent.

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Supreme Court Begins Reid Suit Against City

The case of John Henry Reid and his sister, Elizabeth L. Reid, against the City of Charlottetown and Chief of Police Stems Webster and Sgt. Charles Ready opened in Supreme Court yesterday morning with Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell on the bench.

The plaintiffs have filed suit for damages in the amount of \$145,000 following a series of actions arising from the closing of a restaurant known as Johnny's Fish and Chips by city officials. The plaintiffs maintain the restaurant was owned by Mr. Reid and managed and operated by his sister.

Allison M. Gillis, counsel for the plaintiffs, in his opening address reviewed the case briefly including the padlocking of the restaurant, the arrest of John Reid and the following actions which led to the institution of the suit.

Gerald R. Foster, QC, representing the city, moved for a dismissal in his opening address on the grounds that the plaintiffs were not properly before the court as an order issued in Supreme Court last year called for notice of trial to be given by the plaintiff within 45 days. Counsel for the defendant city said no such notice was given him.

MOTION DENIED
Chief Justice Campbell denied the motion and in doing so called attention to requests for adjournment made by both counsel and the fact that counsel for the defendants was in court yesterday morning.

The Justice stated the court would have been hesitant to proceed in the absence of the defendants, but by the presence and previous adjournment requests had waived the objection to lack of notice of trial.

Mr. Gillis called Miss Reid as his first witness and she was on the stand yesterday morning and afternoon and the counsel for the defence was not finished with his cross-examination of the witness when court adjourned at approximately five o'clock last evening. The case is scheduled to continue at 11 o'clock this morning.

In her testimony Miss Reid stated she was the operator of the restaurant known as Johnny's Fish and Chips since early in July of 1963. She said she closed the restaurant in January, 1965, due to lack of business.

The witness said when she took over the restaurant in 1963, Mr. Reid said he wouldn't charge her rent but would take a share of the profit at the end of the year depending on how she did.

PAID RENT
In 1964 she claims she paid her brother \$250 a month rent for the restaurant, but this was just an agreement between them as there was no written lease.

During both direct and later cross-examination by various counsel, Miss Reid described various aspects of the restaurant operation and replied to several questions concerning the cleanliness of Johnny's Fish and Chips as she told of the visits of sanitary inspectors. She also told of the bookkeeping of the restaurant and the filing of income tax returns in 1964. She did not file one in 1963, she said.

Miss Reid also described how she had made an application for a restaurant license under the Innkeepers Regulation Act following the arrest of her brother.

ASKS CORRECTION
Last night Police Chief Stems Webster asked this paper to make a correction in a reported statement of Allison Gillis, counsel for plaintiff John H. Reid, when replying to a question from Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell.

In his opening remarks in Supreme Court at the start of the suit of plaintiff Reid against the City of Charlottetown and Police Chief Stems Webster and Sgt. Charles Ready, Mr. Gillis told the court his client had been refused bail when originally arrested. Asked by the court why it was refused he is reported to have said because Chief of Police Stems Webster asked the magistrate to refuse it.

Questioned by this paper last night as to his remark Mr. Gillis told a reporter "I may have said 'the Chief of Police', but I meant the police."

At the time in question Chief Webster was absent from the city on a visit to Fredericton, N.B., and in his statement of claim filed with the Supreme Court last April Mr. Gillis in paragraph 9 stated "The defendant Charles Ready ... requested that the Court refuse bail".

FUNERAL IN B.C.
The funeral was held recently in Vancouver for Mrs. Claude Powell, the former Priscilla Craig of Charlottetown, P.E.I. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. William Birt and Mrs. Herb Clow both of Charlottetown, and three sons, Edwin, Toronto; Wesley, Winnipeg and Arthur, Ladysmith, B.C.

SUCCESSFUL SESSION
The Junior Farmers of North River had a successful opening session of a Red Cross First Aid Course in their hall on Monday night. The North River Fire Department was well represented. Sinclair Cutcliffe, First Aid Supervisor, will instruct this group Monday and Wednesday evenings during January.

SCHOOL RISES
Rising starkly against the skyline, steel of the new city high school pushes its way upward and outward as workmen drive ahead on construction to have the building ready for opening when the fall semester starts. Located in the general area of Queen Charlotte High School and nestled between North River Road and Spring Park Road, the structure is designed to provide for continuing student education when days of teaching Grades 11 and 12 end

ate heating plant on the new department wharf at the foot of Queen Street. Facilities for shipping and receiving will be incorporated in the building and offices will be provided for a storeman, watchman and purchasing agent.

WEATHER

TORONTO (CP) — Temperatures:	
Dawson	-59 -57
Prince Rupert	11 20
Vancouver	23 33
Victoria	30 43
Edmonton	-40 -27
Calgary	-32 -21
Prince Albert	-26 -22
Regina	-22 -18
Winnipeg	-11 -9
Churchill	-31 -26
North Bay	22 29
Toronto	30 40
Ottawa	23 35
Montreal	23 32
Quebec	6 22
Fredericton	7 22
Saint John	13 22
Moncton	10 19
Halifax	22 28
Charlottetown	10 14
Sydney	20 22
Yarmouth	31 38
St. John's	25 30
Boston	33 47
New York	29 49

HALIFAX (CP) — The weather office says a weak disturbance is expected to move eastward over Southern New Brunswick late today. As it approaches cloud will spread over the district in the afternoon and some snow is expected over most regions in the evening.

Regional forecasts:
Halifax and vicinity, South Shore, Annapolis Valley, Northern Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island: Clear, clouding over in the afternoon. Occasional snow this evening. Cold. Winds light. Low-high at Halifax 22 and 30. Yarmouth 18 and 32, Kentville 10 and 26, New Glasgow 5 and 25 and Charlottetown 5 and 20. Outlook for Friday, Clearing and milder.

High tide today at Charlottetown 10:33 a.m. and 9:30 p.m. At Rustico at 4:51 a.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 7:35 a.m. and sets at 5:02 p.m.

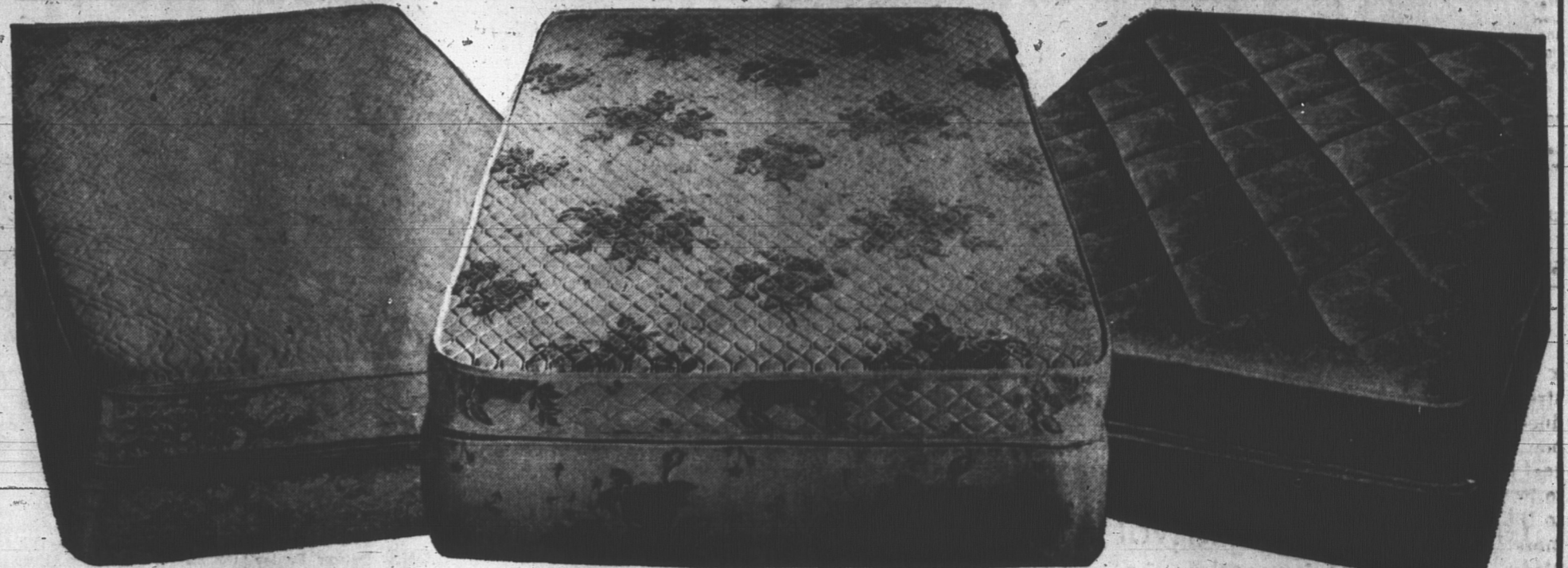
CITY AREA FUNERALS

DOHERTY FUNERAL — The funeral for George W. Doherty of Cherry Valley was held from the Cherry Valley United Church on Wednesday afternoon. Services at the church and grave were conducted by Rev. W. E. Grant assisted by Rev. T. R. Goudge. Hymns sung were In The Sweet Bye and Bye and The Lord Is My Shepherd. A solo, Where We'll Never Grow Old was sung by Lloyd Martin. Honorary pallbearers were W. J. MacIsaac, Lewis Hayden, A. J. MacIsaac, Jerry Morrissey, John MacIsaac, Wilfred Furness. Active pallbearers were Levi Young, George Irving, Frank MacIsaac, Perley Drake, John MacLeod, Bennett MacIsaac. Flowerbearers were William Hayden and Ralph Irving. Interment was in the Peoples cemetery.

EVANS FUNERAL — The funeral for Mrs. Emmeline Evans wife of Rev. E.C. Evans was held Wednesday Jan. 5 from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home. Service was conducted by Rev. H. E. Lowry assisted by Rev. J.G.E. Ball. The hymns sung were The Lord Is My Shepherd and Abide With Me. Pallbearers were: Robert Lowther, Clarence Cameron, James Walker, Ewen Anderson, Russell Leard and Charles Hamm. Remains were placed in the Cutcliffe receiving vault later to be interred in Belfast cemetery.

MacLEAN FUNERAL — The funeral for James Garfield MacLean was held Wednesday, Jan. 5 from the MacLean Funeral Home where service was conducted by Rev. John G.E. Ball and Rev. Ewen MacDougall. Hymns sung were: The Lord Is My Shepherd and Abide With Me. Pallbearers were: Nicholas Gillis, Melville Bell, Gordon Holm, Fletcher MacLeod, Stephen Gallant and Albert Murphy. Flowerbearers were: Willard Proud, Cecil Barrett, Malcolm MacPadyen, Louis Gordon, J.K. Gordon and Hector Darrach. The committal service was conducted by Rev. Bryer Jones and took place in People's Cemetery, Crapaud.

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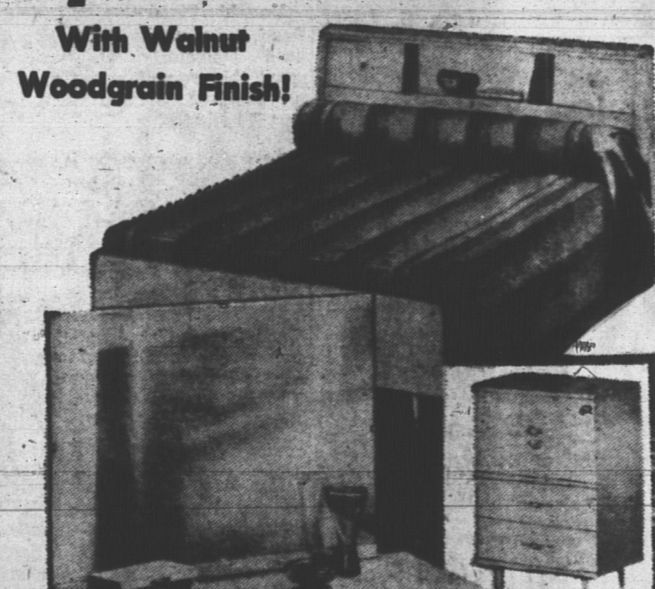
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