



COMPANY HOLDS RECEPTION

Chatting with Lieutenant Governor F.W. Hyndman (right) at the Eastern Trust reception at the Charlottetown Hotel last evening are: left to right, W. M. Wickwire, vice president of the Eastern Trust Company Limited; Mrs. Allister MacLeod; Mr. MacLeod, manager of the Charlottetown Branch of the Eastern Trust Company; Robert Howard, general manager of the Charlottetown Branch. The party was given in honor of clients and friends by the advisory committee of the company.

CITY AND CENTRAL

CARD PARTY at the Clover Club 8.30 to-night. Sponsored by Basilica Altar Society.

LADIES! LOOK YOUR loveliest this Christmas with a hairdo from Eileen's Beauty Salon, opposite Eaton's, Phone 7141.

Organizations using this column to promote their meetings, entertainments, etc., are requested to place these announcements in the name of the sponsoring organization.

TOYS FOR ALL AGES. Firestone Home and Auto Co. Ltd., 187 Great George Street. Dial 5547.

AUCTION "45" Score Cards for sale at Guardian-Patriot Central Printing.

WE TREAT the sick well. Gagey's Pharmacy open 8.30 a.m. to 8 p.m.

BOY'S BEAUTY SALON continuing our special on Permanent Waves.

WEATHER FORECAST - Rain every Wednesday from now until Christmas! Hubby - Why not give that hard-working lady of yours an Easy Clothes Dryer for Christmas from Douglas Bros. and Jones Ltd., 155 Kent St., Dial 6551.

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WHAT IS THE RIGHT TIME? Christmas is the right time to give a fine watch. May we help to make this a special Christmas for that special person? Pattersons, 113 Kent Street (near Queen).

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Plebiscite

(Continued from page 1) "It is our understanding that the elected representatives of the people are voted into office so that they may assume responsibility and leadership for the various problems and issues as they arise within their term of office.

"Three weeks ago a strong home and school delegation supported by dental authorities waited upon our elected representatives, the Water Commissioners and made a plea for fluoridation.

"We were told that the Commissioners felt that they could not take any action, at that time, because City Council had not given unanimous approval to fluoridation, although the Council had passed a majority vote in its favor.

"This past year the City Council unanimously voted in favor of fluoridation. Now many were hopeful at last that this beneficial health measure would be put into effect, particularly as this is in line with the thinking of the Canadian Medical and Dental Societies, who have given their official approval of fluoridation as a positive health measure.

"It has been pointed out that fluoridation is most beneficial to children from pre-natal age up to the twenties. Surely it is a selfish and shortsighted view which says that this measure benefits only one section of our population.

"Eventually, through time, all members of our community will benefit. And surely the cost is very small compared to the long range benefits to be gained, particularly for our children.

"With all these factors so clearly before the Water Commissioners, we expect them to live up to the leadership which they assumed when they were elected representatives.

"It is up to them to make a decision, themselves, on the question of fluoridation and save the public the unnecessary and unwarranted expense of a plebiscite."

COMMISSIONER'S LETTER The commissioners' decision was made known to Council by means of the following letter addressed to City Clerk John J. Butler:

"In answer to your letter of November 12th regarding fluoridation of the City's water supply. 7 lbs. 4 ozs. a sister for Pat. Donnie and Michael.

LAGRANDEUR - Mr. and Mrs. Rovin LaGrandeur, (nee Barbara Smith P.H.N.) announce the birth of a son Ross Douglas at the Peace River Hospital, Alberta on November 29th, 1958. A brother for Peter Robin.

FRASER - At the P.E.I. Hospital, December 8, 1958, to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel M. Fraser, Hopefield (nee Jay Herring), a son, Hubert Daniel. Weight 5 lbs. 14 ozs.

WOODSIDE - At Charlottetown Dec 9, 1958, Gordon B. Woodside of Clinton, in his 80th year. Remains will be forwarded from Davison's Funeral Home to his late residence this evening where funeral service will be held on Thursday at 2:00 p.m. Interment in Lower Bedouque Cemetery.

JACLEOD - At Charlottetown on Tuesday Dec 9th Norman MacLeod Sr., of 228 Central St. Summerside in his 72nd year. Resting at the Bowness Funeral Home. Funeral to be held on Thursday Dec. 11th, with service at Trinity United Church at 2 p.m. Interment in People's Cemetery. Visiting hours 2-5 and 7-10 p.m.

MONLYNEAUX - At the Prince Edward Island Hospital Tuesday, Dec. 9, 1958, William Molyneaux of North River in his 79th year. Remains are resting at the Cutcliffe Funeral Home, funeral notice later.

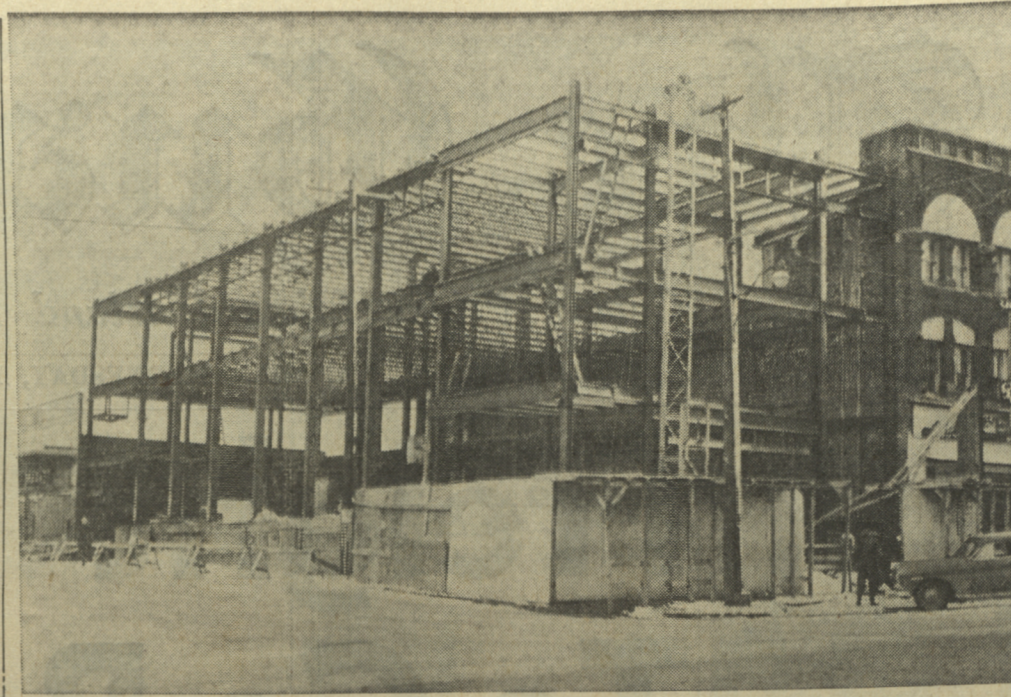
FRIZZELL - At the Prince Edward Island Hospital Tuesday, Dec. 9, 1958, Robert B. Frizzell of Cornwall in his 83rd year. Remains resting at the Cutcliffe Funeral Home until Thursday evening, then at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Pearl Scott, Meadowbank, from where a short service will be held Friday, Dec. 12, at 2 p.m. followed by service in Cornwall United Church at 2:30. Interment in the church cemetery.

DRAKE FUNERAL - The funeral of the late Roy Drake was held from the MacLean Funeral Home yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. H. L. Mitton. Interment was in East Wiltshire cemetery. Pallbearers were: Otto Newson, Ralph Bain, Jack MacMillan, Stewart Drake, Fulton Sanderson, Fulton Warren.

BIRTHS CLARF - At Lachine General Hospital, P.Q. on October 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Clark a son 8 lbs. 12 ozs. (David Merrill).

CAHILL: On Tuesday December 2nd, 1948, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton, Ontario, to Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Cahill (nee Sally Gorman formerly of St. Charles, P.E.I.) a daughter

idation of the City's water supply. The Commissioners have directed me to inform you that they have completed their estimate of the cost of installation and operating cost of the chemical etc.,—the capital cost being \$13,000. Operating cost of chemical: sodium silicofluoride 6 1/2c per lb.; sodium fluoride 14c per lb. The fixed charges on the capital investment would be approximately \$664.30, plus operating cost for material of 6 1/2c per pound, or 14c per pound, depending on the chemical used. Sodium fluoride being the recommended chemical for Charlottetown. The cost would therefore be 14c per lb. or \$2,555 per year. A total of \$3,219.30, plus maintenance of equipment, electricity, etc. The Commissioners further directed me to inform you that they have decided to hold a plebiscite because of the controversial nature of the subject, the many requests from individual citizens not to fluoridate the water and the many cautions to proceed carefully. According to the latest information received from the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities there are only twenty-three communities in all Canada fluoridating their water supply at the present time. Toronto Township and Renfrew abandoned fluoridation after its adoption. In many cases a decision either to install fluoridation or not was arrived at by a plebiscite and the opinion of the people ascertained. The Commissioners therefore in all fairness to the citizens of Charlottetown have decided to submit fluoridation of the water supply to them by holding a plebiscite. The letter was signed by Commission officer manager, F. A. Vandierstine. INITIAL APPROVAL City Council first approved fluoridating the City's water supply by a majority vote recorded on September 12, 1957. Later that fall a delegation representing a number of important organizations waited on the commissioners and presented a brief endorsing the measure. Included in this representative group were representatives of the City Home and School Associations, Mrs. J. Gordon Macdonald, Mrs. R.E. Dowd, Mrs. S.S. Chandler, Mr. Roland Taylor and Mr. Reginald MacNutt. Others in the delegation were: K.A. Parker, superintendent of the City Schools; Dr. J.H. Maloney, 1955 vice-president of the P.E.I. Medical Society; Dr. Heath MacIntyre, then secretary-registrar of the P.E.I. Dental Society; Dr. Brian O'Meara, of the Division of Dental Public Health; and Mr. J. Donnelly, then director of the Sanitary Engineering Division. Dr. Maloney and Dr. MacIntyre both stated that their respective professional Associations fully endorsed the fluoridation project as a "sound health measure". Years of careful research had indicated that there was no injurious effect resulting from fluoridation. Dr. Maloney said: "Fluoridating the City's drinking water would result in a two thirds reduction in tooth decay among the City's children. Dr. O'Meara asserted. He added that this would mean that the City's dental needs could then be met adequately. PLEBISCITE CRITICIZED During the discussion the question of a plebiscite on the matter arose and was sharply criticized by the Superintendent of the City Schools. Such measures should be decided by those in authority after they have carefully sifted the evidence of those capable of giving authoritative and professional advice, Mr. Parker said. Replying to the various spokesmen, the chairman of the Commissioners, Mr. H. R. Bevan said that the Commissioners had an open mind on the matter of fluoridation, but had naturally hesitated to take such a major step before having the approval of responsible medical and dental bodies, as well as the backing of the public. At that time Mr. Bevan also said that the Commission had every intention of investigating the matter still further before coming to a final decision. In a year-end report made to City Council on January 25, 1958, the Commissioners stated that



SITE OF FATAL ACCIDENT

This is a recent view of the steel construction of the Royal Bank building from which Reginald MacDonald fell yesterday afternoon. MacDonald was fatally injured in the fall. He was atop the third storey level at the rear of the building which faces the Co-op annex on Richmond

street, when he apparently lost his balance and fell to the concrete below. He died in the hospital last night.

Ferry Docks 2 Days Late

PORT AUX BASQUES Nfld. (CP) - The CNR ferry William Carson docked here Tuesday more than two days late on her 100-mile trip from North Sydney, N.S.

Westerly gales and high seas prevented her from entering harbor here Sunday and Monday. She spent most of the time hovering in the lee of Cape Breton Island near Cape North, N.S.

The Carson left North Sydney as usual at 2 a.m. Sunday. Her captain decided against trying to enter Port aux Basques because of the storm.

She approached this western Newfoundland terminal twice Monday but turned back toward Cape Breton both times. The wind, which reached more than 50 miles an hour at times, abated Monday night.

She finally docked at 9:05 a.m. Tuesday after being at sea 55 hours. The trip normally takes 3 1/2 hours.

The ship carried 48 passengers and 40 carloads of freight. Among passengers stranded here by the delay were members of the Toronto Opera Festival Company. They had to cancel a Sydney performance.

A ship's officer said the vessel remained in the strait rather than return to North Sydney to take advantage of wind changes. The ferry made port here during

they were not prepared to take steps to fluoridate the City water supply, and recommended that the new Commission give further consideration to this matter following the 1956 civic elections.

While noting that many organizations had come out in favor of fluoridation the Commission's 1955 report indicated that the Commission had also been approached by those in direct opposition to fluoridation. (To date names of individuals or organizations registering opposition to fluoridation with the Commission have never been released for publication.)

ENDORSED BY MINISTER On March 17, 1956 fluoridation was recommended on the floor of the local House by the Minister of Health, Dr. M.L. Bonnell. At that time Dr. Bonnell said, "As in all measures designed to improve the health of the people, the Government supports the policy of fluoridating of municipal water supplies."

He added that the Department's Division of Dental Health and Sanitary Engineering were willing to assist with planning projects and the necessary supervision.

In a release made public last month, the Minister repeated his personal endorsement of this project in even stronger terms.

Three months ago the present City Council unanimously approved fluoridation and asked the Commissioners to install the necessary equipment forthwith.

3 Are Dead In Murder-Suicide

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP) - Three persons are dead and a fourth is in hospital near death in the wake of what police believe was a double murder and suicide in suburban Riverside.

Dead are Harold Thompson, 70, his wife Alice, 68, of Riverside, and Theodore Mowry, 40, of Sandwich West Township.

In Windsor's Metropolitan Hospital in critical condition with bullet wounds in the abdomen is Robert White, 27, also of Riverside.

Riverside Police Chief Bryce Monaghan said all available evidence indicates Mowry did the shooting.

FIND BODY IN SHED Mowry's body was discovered in a small shed at the rear of the Thompson home. He had apparently died from self-inflicted bullet wounds in the head. In the kitchen police found the Thompsons.

All three had died from bullet wounds, apparently inflicted by a .30-.30 calibre rifle found beside Mowry.

Mr. Thompson had been shot through the back and his wife

UNDER SEDATION

Under sedation at the home of a neighbor, Mrs. Mowry told police she had intended to call them Tuesday to ask their protection. She declined to elaborate, however.

White, who is not expected to live, was the son of Mrs. Rudy White, another daughter of the Thompsons, who also lived with her parents.

AVIATION PROBLEMS

OTTAWA (CP) - One of a series of Canada - United States meetings, held periodically in Washington and Ottawa to discuss civil aviation problems, will conclude here today. Questions with which the meeting is concerned - air navigation facilities, air traffic control and airports - arise from the increasing volume of traffic across the international border and from the advent of commercial jet aircraft.

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WEATHER TORONTO (CP) - Temperatures issued by the weather office: Min. Max. Night Day Dawson 29 34 Vancouver 29 40 Victoria 31 41 Edmonton 30 5

P.E.I. Bred N.B. Jersey Is Tops In Maritimes

In 1952, Edison B. Mutch of Prince Edward Island had the grand champion bull at the Royal Winter Fair, a bull that he bred himself, Jester's Standard Dreamer. The next year Edison arrived back at the Royal and won supreme honours on his junior herd sire, Edgeley Beacon Jester Standard the first man to present two Royal Winter Fair grand champions in succession.

This bull is now a superior sire, and is owned and shown by Campbell Mackay and Rothery, N. B. He rolled up an unbeaten record in the Maritimes his year, and his owner and big hopes that he could repeat at eight years of age what he had done so handsily as a two year old. But this time he had to be satisfied with third place, although he had his supporters for at least second place reports the Canadian Jersey Breeder in its November, 1958 number.

HUNGARY ON AGENDA UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) The UN announced Tuesday that the General Assembly will discuss the situation in Hungary Thursday. Diplomatic sources said Australia and others would propose that the assembly condemn Hungary's execution of Imre Nagy, premier during the 1956 anti-Russian uprising.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 10:31 a.m. and 10:14 p.m. At Rustico at 6:18 a.m. and 5:14 p.m. Summerside tide one minute later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 7:4 a.m. and sets at 4:31 p.m.

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