

Resistor Club Address Subject Is Electricity

"The phenomena of electricity with which we have lived, and used to make life easier at work and at play and the benefits of which we accepted without question, and without much thought..."



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COLORFUL CONTESTANTS AT MONTAGUE

The large number of costume children making the Montague Elementary School carnival and sports last Friday night. However, the spectators enjoyed every minute of it. The first place winner was Ian Robertson (second from left) and the third prize winner was Noreen Thompson (third from left).

Winsloe Man Is Fined For Impaired Driving

Convicted on the charge of driving while his abilities were impaired by alcohol, James Ian Add Winsloe, was fined \$100 and costs, 60 days in jail, by Magistrate James B. Johnson QC.

The trial was held at a special session of Queens County magistrates' court in Charlottetown last evening. Counsel for the defence was John P. Nicholson and the prosecution Alan K. Seales.

Five witnesses were heard. Const. Eric G. Babcock and Sgt. Eric L. Tedford of the RCMP for the Crown and the accused along with Harold Bennett Jenkins and James Good for the defence.

The two police officers told of being in the Brackley Point district on the night of Oct. 31, Nov. 1, when the accused drove into the yard of Fenton MacLean QC.

Const. Bishop told of going immediately to the Auld car and asking the accused to get out. He said that when the accused did get out he observed that he was unsteady on his feet and an odor of alcohol was on his breath and his speech was slurred.

Auld was then placed in the rear seat of the police car and Mr. Seales arrested. Mr. Seales testified that when he first saw the accused he was in the police car, and he detected the odor of liquor and the slurred speech. He said he noticed the accused walked unsteadily when he was being taken into Queens County jail. HAD BEEN WORKING

The accused testified that on that night he had been working on the water system of a summer cottage in the Stanhope district. Later on his way back from Stanhope he had stopped and talked to two men, Mr. Jenkins and Mr. Good near the home of Stan Murray.

He said that later he had picked up another man who had some beer with him which he placed in the back seat of the Auld car. The accused testified that he had had nothing to drink that night and he had slurred at the end of the night.

SLIPPED ON MUD After picking up his passenger, the accused said he drove to the Auld car with about 1 1/2 cans. While riding to the unsteady walking and slurred speech. Auld said that it had been raining at the time and he had slipped on the mud.

The slurred speech he said was mainly due to the results of facial injuries received in an automobile accident some months previous.

Both James Good and Harold Jenkins, testified to talking to the accused near the Murray home, and they said that he did not appear to be affected by liquor, he talked all right and there was nothing wrong with his walking.

He had anything to drink with the accused and neither had they seen him take any liquor.

RESIGNATIONS RECALL 1944 CABINET CRISIS

OTTAWA (CP) — The current cabinet crisis which so far has produced three resignations in weeks stands out as one of the most serious since the turn of the century.

The last crisis in which ministers quit because of policy differences with the prime minister was the conscription crisis of 1944.

J. L. Ralston, defence minister, resigned Nov. 1, 1944, because he favored conscription for overseas service while Mr. King still held out against it.

Twenty-five days later Sir Arthur Meighen, defence minister, resigned in protest against high tariff policies. He later was named minister of the service while Mr. King still held out against it.

July 20, 1945 — J. Blair, minister of railways and canals, and defence in the King cabinet, resigned.

OTHER RESIGNATIONS Other cabinet resignations over policy: Oct. 28, 1944 — H. H. Stevens, trade minister in the R. B. Bennett government, resigned over cabinet disagreement.

Library Plan Is Approved

In the absence of president James S. Stahr, the February meeting of the Sherwood Home and School Association took place last night was presided over by Eugene Gorman, vice-president.

The main item of business centered around the proposal to establish a library in the school, and it was decided that a committee comprising two members of the school board, two from teaching staff and two from the board of trustees be appointed.

The two members from the home and school are Mrs. Robert Dalziel and John Martin. The other groups will name their members at a later date.

Also set up was a nominating committee, which will start now to select a slate of officers to meet at the next annual meeting.

Guest speaker of the night was Miss Carrie Thompson, liaison teacher between the departments of health and education. She outlined her work in provincial schools in the field of remedial reading.

Refreshments were served by the hospitality committee headed by Mrs. Thomas Knox.

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N. Glasgow Woman To Face Supreme Ct. On Theft Charge

Phyllis Ethel (Mrs. Leith) Dickson, New Glasgow, charged with the theft of some \$21,000 from the New Glasgow Dairying Co. m.p.a. was committed to stand trial in Supreme Court at the next sitting, in Queens County magistrate's court yesterday by James Johnston, QC.

For more than 80 years, the progress enjoyed by all people can be attributed to electrical power. Without it nations are undeveloped, with it they have the light to self improvement," the speaker stated.

"Electricity has multiplied our productive capacity, created time saving conveniences, stimulated miracles in science and medicine, led us to the highest standard of living in the history of mankind," he said.

Referring to a recent historical article, the speaker said that the first street lights in Canada were erected in Pembroke, Ont., in October 1874.

"A new mining site deep in the Crown far north recently celebrated its first street lighting installation — three street lights burning 18 hours a day," he said.

"Electricity has become a true valid measurement of a nation's strength and a force to preserve its beliefs and way of life. It is the power by which we communicate one person with another — and one nation with another."

Canada Packers Domestic Shortening Contest Winner

OTTAWA (CP) — A proposal which has been part of the Liberal party's platform in the last two federal elections came into being from a Quebec group Monday at a meeting of the national council of the National Liberal Federation.

Kenneth Mackay of Montreal, vice-chairman of the Quebec Liberal Federation, asked the council to reconsider the party's platform on the subject of a municipal fund through which the federal government would help finance municipal projects.

He said the municipalities come under provincial control and a federal loan program would contravene the British North America Act, the constitution of the country. He should either be dropped or the subject of provincial control written into the party platform.

Edmund Asselin, MP for Montreal, N.-D., said the Liberal program, as proposed by Mr. Mackay's arguments. He said there is ample precedent for a loan fund in such things as the federal government's current activity aiding low-cost housing, slum clearance, sewage project and the winter works program.

Mr. Asselin also reminded Mr. Mackay that he had the proposal on his own policy platform as an unsuccessful Liberal candidate in the 1958 election.

City Woman Wins Stove

A Charlottetown woman, Mrs. L. K. Archer, was the winner of a kitchen range awarded by Canada Packers in the Domestic Shortening Paris in Spring contest. The contest called for participation in the Labor Relations Board.

Board chairman C.R. McQuaid said yesterday a date will be set today for presentation of the brief.

W.A. Currie To Seek Lib. Nomination

SUMMERSIDE — W.A. Currie, former Summerside mayor announced yesterday he will be a candidate in the Liberal nominating convention to be held Thursday evening of this week.

Mr. Currie stated his decision was based on the fact that support for the Liberal party is many times in the county and for that reason he was allowing his name to go before the convention.

Island Winner of Moffat Range

Mr. Lloyd MacLeod, Manager of Canada Packers Ltd., Charlottetown, presents Mrs. L. K. Archer of Charlottetown with a certificate entitling her to a Moffat kitchen range. Mrs. Archer was awarded the range for her entry in the "Domestic Shortening Paris in Spring Contest", which called for a 25 word or less explanation of why participants would like to go to Paris in the Spring. 10 Moffat ranges were awarded as second prize, one for each province. Mrs. Archer being the Prince Edward Island winner. Third prize was 100 deep-fat fryers.

SDU Presents Brief Today

St. Dunstan's University will present a brief to the executive committee of the Senate on Monday morning. The brief will be presented by Arthur McGuigan, deputy attorney general.

Local Retired CNR Employee Dies

The death of Harry Garfield Ferguson of 23 Park Street, occurred at the Prince Edward Island Hospital Feb. 10. He was born in Marshfield, April 23, 1887 and was a well known associate with the Canadian National Railways. He retired in 1944.

Surviving are his widow, Agnes; six daughters, Olga, Mrs. Lloyd Brown, Charlotte, Mrs. Hillier, Mrs. Jean Sealey, Montreal; Henrietta, Mrs. Thomas Clair, Montserrat; Thelma, Mrs. Hillier, St. John's; and two sons, Harold, Dartmouth, three sons, Elmer, Roger and Gordon, all of Charlottetown, and a brother, Walter, and a sister, Mrs. J. C. Moore, both of Charlottetown.

Two daughters, Olive and Jean, are deceased. Reginald and Harold deceased. His wife, Mrs. Ferguson, died in action in Italy in 1944.

There are also 20 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren surviving. The body is resting at the MacLean Funeral Home from where the funeral will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. interment will be in People's cemetery.

ANCIENT CRAB The horseshoe crab, the only member of the trilobites that still exists, has outlived the rest of its species by more than 300,000,000 years.

Special Police Ceremony Set

Fifteen special Constables will be sworn in tonight at the RCMP barracks on Palgrave Road. It was learned that the ceremony will be available for duty in the event of an emergency de-rogation.

Present for the ceremony will be Hon. J.D. Stewart, the minister responsible for Civil Defence and Attorney General Mr. A. Farmer, both of whom will speak, along with Constables S. McNeill, officer commanding the RCMP division here.

Mr. Jean Ledford will be sworn in by Arthur McGuigan, deputy attorney general.

Drivers Rewarded

All drivers of Holman's of P.E.I. delivery trucks and cars who received awards this year for completing the year without an accident, while maintaining their vehicles in perfect condition. The cash award is presented annually by Holman's of P.E.I. to the following: Charlottetown Branch and Stewart Motor Ltd. — George Whalock, Steve Walker, Hollis Ward, Clifford Atkins, Ben Ewencham, Peter Costain, Louis Gaudet and Jack MacAlver.

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