

Comfort Station Plans Are Made

Until such time as a new civic building is erected on Market Square, a public comfort station will be maintained in the basement of City Hall.

Councillor Elmer MacRae, chairman of a special committee selected some time ago to deal with this subject informed the Council Monday night that the City Hall location was chosen mainly because it was the only location readily available.

He said that investigation had shown that the necessary room was unavailable in the Public Library or any of the uptown provincial buildings. In addition a clause in the lease prohibited the operators of the bus stop from giving the necessary permission to establish a station there.

Architect J.F. Toombs who was present at the Council meeting stated that space for a men's room could be made available by converting the Fire Chief's office located in the southeast corner of the basement. The ladies' room could be located in the area immediately beneath the main entrance, he added.

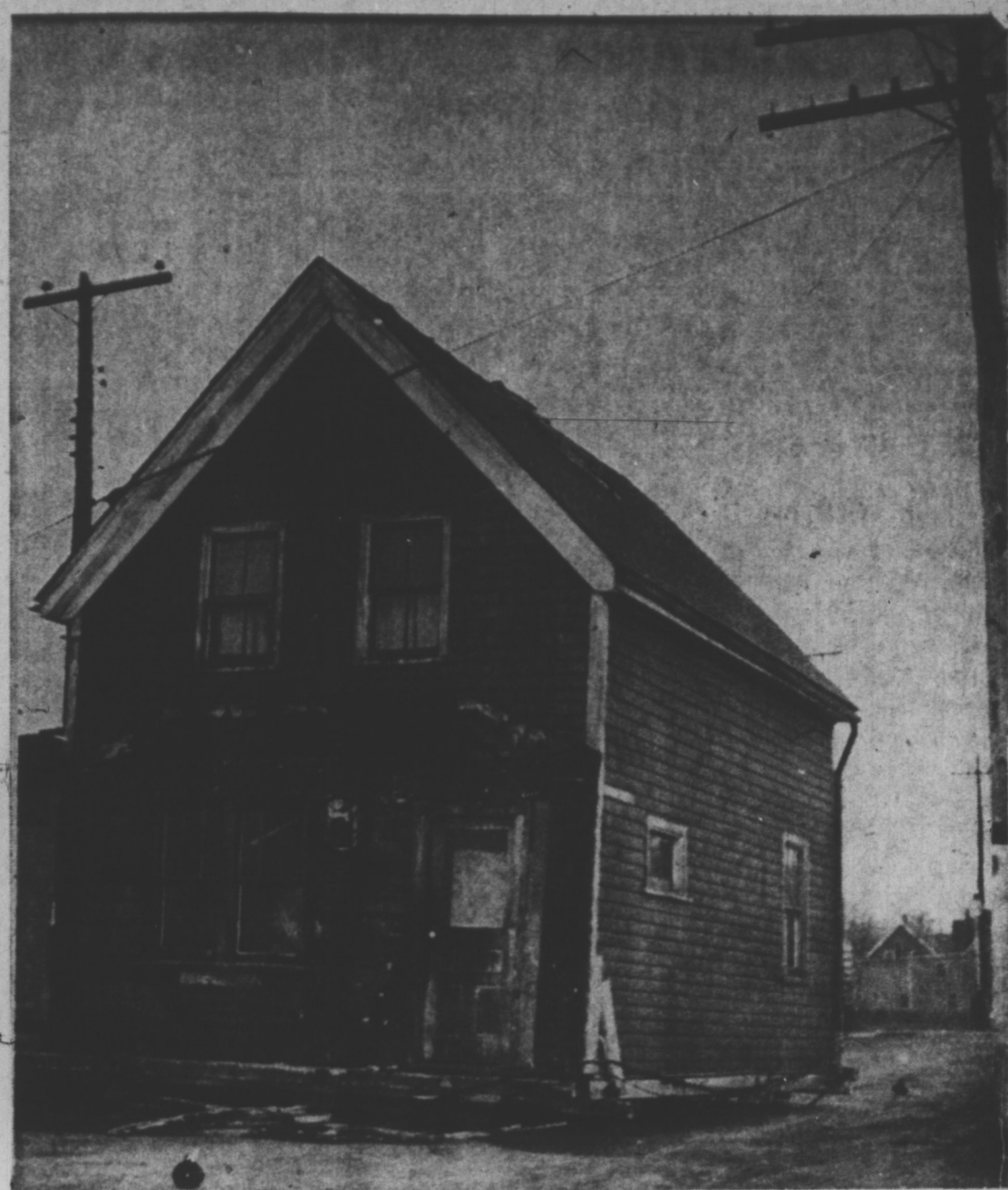
Three water closets, two basins, and a hand dryer would be installed in the female section, with the same number of water closets, three urinals, and a hand dryer being placed in the men's section, Mr. Toombs said. The entire job should not cost more than \$4,000, he added.

The ladies would be permitted to use the main entrance on Kent Street, but it would be necessary to cut a new door in the east wall for a men's entrance, he stated.

It was generally agreed that a caretaker service would have to be provided in view of the unhappy experiences of the owners of other public comfort stations.

If this project were approved it would also be necessary to renovate the entire basement area, Councillor Arthur Gormley remarked.

In his opinion the cost indicated by Mr. Toombs was not excessive, acting Mayor A. Waltham Gaudet observed.



WIRES HINDER HOUSE TRANSFER

A series of unforeseen difficulties have combined to hamper transfer of this two story frame house being moved to a site near the Island Fertilizer Plant. Formerly located on the corner of Grafton and Edward Street, the house, due to a broken runner remained overnight Tuesday just west of the Grafton Street railroad crossing. Twenty-four hours later it had been moved only a few hundred yards further east, this time low lying overhead wires-caused the tieup. Owned by Art Clinton the dwelling is being moved by D. L. Brehault.

FIRST SOD IS TURNED

The honour of turning the first sod on the site of the new United Baptist parsonage yesterday went to Dr. Wenonah Foster, wife of the minister, Rev. Ronald J. Foster. The parsonage which will be constructed immediately west of the south side of the Trans-Canada Highway. Presiding at the brief ceremony was Heber MacPhail, chairman of the parsonage committee. Mr. Foster offered prayer and spoke briefly of the opportunities and challenges that face the new congregation of which he is pastor. The parsonage will have a finished basement which will be used for young people's meetings and social activities. The architect of the building is Keith P. Reagh Bagnall.

Ladies Lodge Meets In S'ide Wednesday

SUMMERSIDE BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN

The twenty-ninth annual session of the provincial grand lodge of the L.O.B.A. convened in the Y Centre at Summerside yesterday. Previous to the opening of the meeting W. W. Leslie Saunders, Grand Master and sovereign of B.N.A. addressed a joint meeting of the members of L.O.A. and L.O.B.A. and gave a most impressive and inspiring talk on the work of the order.

Grand Mistresses, R.W. Rena MacCaul, presided at the meeting. Among those present at the large and representative gathering were several members from New Brunswick.

A delegation from Berthier Lodge brought greetings and presented R.W. MacCaul with a gift. The lodge adjourned at 5:30 to attend a banquet at Epworth Hall and afterward church service attended by the L.O.B.A. and L.O.A. in Trinity United Church.

At the evening session of the annual meeting the Muttart trophy was presented to the Three Sisters lodge in Borden.

The juvenile trophy won by Bethelie J.O.L. Lady Margaret lodge for the second consecutive year.

The election of officers for the year resulted as follows: R.W. grand mistress, Rena MacCaul; R.W. deputy grand mistress, Mae King; R.W. junior deputy mistress, Elsie MacEachern; R.W. chairman Florence Ross.

R.W. Grand Secretary, Alice Jewell; R.W. Grand Treasurer, Ella Sherran; R.W. Grand Deputy Secretary, Grace Francis; R.W. Deputy Treasurer, Charlotte Matheson; R.W. Grand Director of Ceremonies, Margaret Calbeck; R.W. Lecturer, Vera Moore; R.W. Deputy Lecturer, Ethel Getson; R.W. Grand Juvenile Director, Agnes Johnson; R.W. Auditor, Eudelia Weeks; R.W. Deputy Auditor, Della Bell and Emma Alley.

New Manager Assumes Post

Wilmot B. Main of St. John, N. B., has assumed his duties as assistant manager of the Charlottetown branch of the Bank of Montreal, it has been announced.

Mr. Main succeeds Richard Bell who has been appointed manager of a new branch at St. John's, Nfld.

A native of Saint John, Mr. Main joined the bank in 1948 and served in branches in Chatham, N. B., Lunenburg, N.S., and Wolfville, N.S. In 1955 he went to head office in Montreal as inspector and returned a year ago to take up his post as accountant at Saint John.

Evidence Heard In County Court

Two defence witnesses were heard in County Magistrate's Court yesterday in the case of a city man charged with possession of stolen goods knowing them to be stolen.

The case was further adjourned until May 20.

A Moncton, N. B., resident charged with fishing trout without a licence was fined \$10 and costs or five days plus the cost of a licence which is \$5.

A Kinkora resident appearing on a charge of operating a motor vehicle with defective brakes was also fined \$10 and costs or five days.

A city resident was fined \$5 and costs or five days for operating a motor vehicle without an operator's licence.

Peru Is Subject Of Camera Club Color Slides

The Charlottetown Camera Club at their meeting on Monday evening saw color slides taken by William Rogers on his recent trip to Peru. Mr. Rogers made a stop in Miami, and slides taken there showed the wonderland of the famous Seagrarium, as well as the fabulous flamingos and other exotic birds.

The color slide competition was on the subject "Trees" and the group voted as follows: 1. Eleanor Lowe; 2. Margaret Mallett; 3. Helen Duffey.

Roland Taylor demonstrated, by means of diagrams on a chalkboard, an easily made washer for prints, and in reply to a question explained the meaning of camera markings M X V.

Robert Hamby gave a most helpful talk on realism, showing examples to drive home the points made. Realism, he said, is representation without idealism, and is as near as possible to what is actually there.

A committee was appointed to look after the island-wide competition for color slides to be held this summer, and plans made for the final meeting at Cavendish.



RECEIVES B.A.

Donald Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Moore of Charlottetown, received his bachelor of arts degree at the annual convocation of Mount Allison University Tuesday. Mr. Moore received his early education in Charlottetown and graduated from Prince of Wales College in 1957. Next fall he plans to take theology at Presbyterian College in Montreal.

Appeals Court Hears Cases

Two appeals were heard yesterday in a sitting of the full bench of the Supreme Court of Appeals. Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell presided and Mr. Justice George J. Tweedy was also on the bench.

In the first case William L. Barnhill of Truro, N.S. is appealing the decision handed down in favor of James MacPhail of Canoe Cove at a jury trial held last year, which was presided over by Mr. Justice Mark R. MacGuigan.

At that time the court awarded damages to the defendant, following an automobile collision. In this case counsel for the appellant is J. O. C. Campbell, Q. C. and for the defendant, R. R. Bell, Q. C., and Gilbert A. Gaudet, Q. C.

The appeal to follow is that of Elwood Shaw of Charlottetown, appellant, and Louis MacMillan of St. Peter's Bay, defendant.

In this case Shaw is appealing the decision handed down by Mr. Justice MacGuigan at an earlier non-jury trial, in favor of MacMillan.

At that time damages were awarded to the defendant for the loss of a cow which was struck by a automobile driven by the appellant. Shaw is now seeking to have that decision reversed.

R.R. Bell, Q.C. is counsel for the appellant and Melvin S. MacQuaid is representing the defendant.

Technicians Hear Speaker

Mrs. Margaret MacPhail, technologist on the laboratory staff of the P.E.I. Hospital, was guest speaker at a meeting of laboratory personnel held at the Health Centre.

Her lecture and the illustrated

LOCAL BRIEFS

HOSPITAL PATIENT

G. R. Bowness of Charlottetown is a patient in the Prince Edward Island Hospital. He is wished a speedy recovery.

ANNIVERSARY

The 13th anniversary of Alcoholics Anonymous in P.E.I. will be celebrated with a public meeting at the Capitol Theater Sunday. The public is invited to attend the meeting which is being sponsored by the Queen Street group of AA.

MEETING HELD

The monthly meeting of the Holy Redeemer Parish Council of the C.W.L. was held at the Community Centre.

The president Mrs. John A. Macdonald opened the meeting with the league prayers.

Reports from the different committees were heard. It was decided by the members to hold a penny auction in aid of the Catholic Family Centre at the community centre.

VISIT CITY

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Warn, owners of the Warn Manufacturing Company, Seattle, Washington, arrived in the city on Wednesday to visit Mr. Warn's brother, D. N. Bell and Mrs. Bell of Upper Prince Street. Mr. and Mrs. Warn have just completed an extensive tour of the United States and the Caribbean Islands.

HOME FROM WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Doucette and son James of Charlottetown returned home after attending the wedding of their daughter, Janet to Lester Bower on May 2nd at Sudbury, Ont. Accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Doucette was Janet's grandmother, Mrs. Joseph Murphy, who also attended the wedding. They all spent the remainder of their two weeks visiting Mr. Doucette's mother, brother and sisters in Toronto.

PROPOSALS DISCUSSED

Proposals advanced in the first interim report on the administrative procedure in the city's tax office were discussed at a meeting of the City Council's finance committee Tuesday evening.

The consulting firm of Ross Payne Company of Montreal was represented by Bill Davidson, Ian Gilbert and Sandy Aird. This group has been examining the office's procedure for the past several days.

TRINITY SPEAKERS

Two prominent island preachers — now living in the U. S. will preach at Trinity Church during the month of August.

Rev. Lawrence Toombs, Ph.D., professor of Old Testament at Drew University, will speak the first three Sundays and Rev. John Sutherland Bonnell, D.D., pastor of Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, N.Y., will speak on the fourth.

Both ministers are natives of Charlottetown.

DAYLIGHT TIME

A number of businesses in Charlottetown will begin operating an daylight saving time starting Monday.

Several of the larger manufacturing firms and constructing firms will start business an hour earlier which will give many of the city's citizens a chance to enjoy an extra hour of daylight without contravening the province's Uniform Time Act.

Included in the move will be two medical clinics, some lawyers and Rogers Hardware Limited.

Souris Cadets Causeway Are Inspected

Commander J. M. Paul, Halifax, inspected the Souris Sea Cadets last evening. After the inspection in the High School Auditorium, he addressed the Cadets and presented the various awards.

The march past took place on Main Street with the salute being taken in front of the Legion Home. The Charlottetown Sea Cadet Band was in attendance.

Following the ceremony, Commander Paul, Area Commander Menzie and Commanding Officer Jack Smallwood were guests at a lobster supper put on by the Lions Club in the Legion Home and catered to by the Legion Auxiliary. The Souris Sea Cadets and the Cadet Band from Charlottetown were entertained at an informal party in the High School Auditorium later in the evening.

Manitoba's

(Continued from page 1) the spring break-up makes travel difficult.

The Conservatives and Liberal-Progressives each are contesting all 55 seats at stake today while the CCF has named 44 candidates. There are three Independents and three Labor-Progressives.

The Social Credit party, which has 12 candidates in the last election, has not entered this year's fight.

Premier Roblin campaigned for a clear majority, saying that the voters have a choice between his program of expanded government services and "retreat" with Liberal-Progressives.

Transportation

(Continued from page 1) dered progressive steps toward making rates in different parts of the country equal.

On this point, the McTague commission's terms of reference call for a comprehensive and careful inquiry into "the possibility of removing or alleviating inequities in the freight rate structure."

The enormous growth since the 1951 commission in the trucking industry likely will be an important feature of the inquiry, although not specifically mentioned in the terms of reference.

TO STUDY CPR

The McTague commission's terms also take into account criticism of the present method of setting freight rates in relation to the earnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The CPR's other earnings — amounting to millions of dollars — are not taken into consideration.

nipeg area. In rural districts which remained on standard time the hours will be 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. CST.

Free

(Continued from page 1) plan, the Premier said, "Modern science has provided methods of diagnosing and treating disease generally improved the health of which have prolonged life and the people. With this great blessing has come a financial problem affecting most persons who are faced with the expense of hospital care."

COVERAGE GAPS

Much has been done in the past two decades by private enterprise and government to help certain sections of the public meet the burden of unexpected hospital bills. However, such plans have left unfilled gaps in coverage due to benefits restricted by age, physical condition, etc.

"Such limitations will disappear with the introduction in Prince Edward Island of the Hospital and diagnostic services insurance plan this year."

ALL ELIGIBLE

"After months of active preparation, the Hospital Services Commission, in the near future, will be ready to begin registration of our residents for this very comprehensive hospital care insurance. Every resident of Prince Edward Island is eligible to participate either through a group or on an individual basis, and if he can show through a means test that he cannot afford the premium, it will be paid for him."

"We are going to carry out a very intensive information program on the hospital insurance plan during the next few months, so that every resident of this province will be aware of the benefits to which he will be entitled as an insured person."

"Groups of residents such as employees or members of voluntary organizations will have the opportunity of registering first. At a later date applications for participation in the plan will be accepted from individuals and heads of families."

"Registration forms will be available to every resident in ample time for all to take full advantage of the plan and the bonus periods of coverage which are provided."

"As one who is most interested in the welfare of our Island residents I feel proud to have played a part in the introduction of this plan which provides such essential services to our people. I am sure that when all the benefits are made public within the next few days, our people will be most pleased and satisfied," the Premier concluded.

Spending Money

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Theft Charge Brings Fine

Convicted on a charge of theft a city resident was fined \$30 and costs or 10 days when he appeared in City Police Court yesterday morning.

A city man was remanded until Wednesday without plea when he appeared on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Bail was set at \$200.

The case of a man of no fixed address charged with vagrancy was dismissed.

Six persons were charged with being drunk and incapable. A Rocky Point resident drew a fine of \$20 and costs or 10 days. Two from the city were fined \$5 and costs or two days.

A city resident drew a 20-day suspended term and 10-day suspended sentences were handed residents of Eldon and Charlottetown.