

Canon Moffatt Guest Speaker

Rev. Canon G. E. Moffatt, Rector of St. Peter's Cathedral, was guest speaker at the Christmas meeting of the Alpha Y. Men's Club held in the banquet room of the Y.M.C.A. last night.

Thanks was extended to the speaker by Claude Smith on behalf of the Club. Charter member Jack MacNair treated the club members and guests to chocolates. The musical program consisted of vocal solos by Mrs. E. Hennessey and Jack Haystead, and clarinet solos by John Alan MacKenzie, O. K. Presby was accompanist.

A pleasing feature of the meeting was an exchange of suitably wrapped small Christmas gifts which were given by the recipients and created considerable merriment and amusement.

President W. R. Carson, announced the annual church parade of the club to St. Paul's Church next Sunday morning.

Harvey Jones led the singing with O. K. Presby at the piano. Guests were George Wright, Douglas Cameron, George Anderson, Randolph Manning and Frank VanDerstede.

Irwin Group Program Held

A Christmas programme featured the regular meeting of the Irwin Christian Fellowship Group, held in the social hall of Trinity Church last night.

The highlight of the evening was a short play entitled "The Fatal Quest" depicting a tragic love story in which the Count (Russell Ewing) takes poison when the King (Stan Lancaster) refuses the hand of the fair Princess (Marie Bonness). Before taking poison, the Count in a fit of rage fatally stabs the King and the Queen (Eileen Burke), dies of a broken heart over the death of her husband.

Mrs. Edwin Johnstone with two of her recorder playing boys was heard in delightful renditions of four Christmas carols. The boys, who played and sang, were Leith Jenkins and Barrie Diamond. Mrs. Johnstone gave a short description of the instrument and answered a number of questions asked her regarding the playing of it.

A very impressive worship period was conducted by Rev. Howard Christie, who centered his remarks around "The Birth of Christ and the Meaning of Christmas." The minister was assisted in the devotions by several members of the group who read short passages of scripture or offered brief prayers.

Following a short business period, Allison MacKinnon, who has headed the J.C.F.G. for the past two years. After refreshments were served, the 50 or more members and guests joined hands in the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and a verse of "Blest Be The Tie That Binds." Rev. Mr. Christie dismissed the meeting with the benediction.

ELECT INDIAN WOMEN

REGINA (CP) — For the first time in Saskatchewan and possibly in Canada, a woman has been elected chief of an Indian reserve. Mrs. Gwen O'Soup, elected chief of the Key Reserve near Kamsack Wednesday, defeated three men.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS
MacLEAN — At Grace Hospital, Ottawa on Dec. 15, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Angus MacLean, Lewis, P.E.I., a son, Allan Duart.

DEATHS
ADAMS — As the result of a flying accident in Manitoba on Dec. 7, 1954, Flying Officer Andrew G. Adams, Remains arriving in Charlottetown tonight and will be conveyed to the Hennessey Funeral Home from where the funeral will be held Monday morning at 8:45 to St. Dunstan's Basilica. Burial in the Roman Catholic Cemetery.

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THE REGULAR MEETING Nurses & Alumnae of P. E. I. Hospital at Cundall Home, Friday, December 17th.

CHRISTMAS Cantata by candlelight. Tryon United Church, Sunday, 7:30 p.m.

BROOKFIELD CHARGE. Christmas Day services, Dec. 19. Glasgow Road 11 a.m.; Hunter River 3 p.m.; Hartsville 7:30 p.m. All are welcome. Rev. Lawrence Blaikie, minister.

RETURNS FROM KOREA — Lieutenant Graham Jenkins, R.C. C.S., has recently returned home from Korea, and is spending sixty days' leave with his parents, Major and Mrs. Fred S. Jenkins, in February. He will leave for the Royal Canadian School of Signals at Kingston, Ont.

COLLECT DOG TAXES — City Police report that ten residents of the City have been served with summonses for non-payment of dog taxes. All were to have appeared in court on Wednesday.

CHRISTMAS LOOK — The Provincial building took on the Christmas look last evening when the colored lights were turned on to illuminate three large spruce trees placed in advantageous areas facing both upper and lower Great George Street.

CELEBRATED ANNIVERSARY — Their many friends are congratulating Mr. and Mrs. James D. Lamont of St. Catherine's on the celebration on December 20th of their 61st wedding anniversary.

CHRISTMAS PARTY — The annual Christmas party for the children and teachers of St. James' church school was held in the church hall last evening with over 100 in attendance.

PERSONALS
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley MacLeod motored to Truro for week-end to visit Mrs. MacLeod's brother.

Mr. Sterling Walker of Knob Lake, P. Q., is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Walker, 28 Fitzroy St.

BREAK TRUCK HI-JACKING RING
BUFFALO, N. Y. (AP) — The federal bureau of investigation reported Thursday that four men have been arrested in connection with what was described by officials as the breaking of a truck hi-jacking ring specializing in nickel shipments from Ontario.

WALKS THREE TIMES AROUND WORLD
SHAWINIGAN FALLS, Que. (CP) — Postman Alfred Lambert, celebrating 37 years in the post office department, figures he has walked the equivalent of three times around the world in making his daily rounds.

APPRECIATION
On behalf of myself and family I should like to express sincere appreciation for the kindness and good will shown us by the citizens of the Town of Borden and vicinity during my practice there.

IN MEMORIAM
In loving memory of John Ira MacLaren, Cable Head West who passed away Dec. 16th, 1945.

Nothing can ever take away The love a heart holds dear Fond memories linger every day Remembrance keeps him near.

Ever remembered by Mother and Sisters.

Spring Park Parent, Teacher Ass'n Meets

Ed Garnham was elected president of Spring Park Parent and Teachers Association at a well-attended organizing meeting held in Spring Park Community Centre last night.

Two interesting films dealing with young children and adolescents were shown by Gordon Rodd.

Other officers elected were: vice-president, Mrs. Earle Norrie; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. S. H. Burhoe.

Egg, Poultry Market Prices

Egg and poultry prices quoted yesterday by the Federal Department of Agriculture, Poultry Division, are as follows: Ungraded eggs, A large, 32; A medium, 28; A small, 20; B's 20; graded pack, A large, 38; A medium, 33; A small, 27; B's, 27; retailers in cartons, A large, 45; A medium, 40; A small, 34; B's 34; to consumers, A large, 49-50; A medium, 43-49; A small, 41-42; B's 41-43.

Poultry rail grade, turkeys A's under 15 lbs., 43-45; 15 to 18 lbs., 38; 18 lbs. and up, 34; turkeys B's, under 15 lbs., 39; 15 to 18 lbs., 32; 18 lbs. and up, 31; turkeys, C's, under 15 lbs., 25; 15-18 lbs., 25; 18 lbs. and up, 25.

Geese, A's, 33; B's, 30; Ducks, A's 34; B's, 30; Chickens, capons A's over 6 lbs., 31; chicken A's over six lbs., 29; 5-6 lbs., 27; chickens, B's over 6 lbs., 22; 5-6 lbs., 20; fowl, A, over five lbs., 20; B, over five lbs., 17; live fowl, over 5 1-2 lbs., 15.

Except in cases where otherwise stated the above prices apply to that being paid to the producer.

Canadian Plan

present at today's ceremony. Thomson was chosen to lead the delegation to the Atlantic with newspapers in Canada, Britain and the United States.

PRIVATE INITIATIVE
The idea for some private initiative to promote non-military aspects of the Atlantic partnership started about four years ago. Senator Eiler, Stewart and Nicholson were among the leading spirits from the beginning.

With today's step forward, sponsors hope their plan will move gradually from a rather grandiose dream into the realm of practical politics.

NEW MILESTONE
(By Patrick Nicholson)
PARIS — In the state, Palais de Chaillot, now the headquarters of the North Atlantic Alliance, here in Paris, observers remarked that this petition marked a significant milestone in international co-operation and world politics.

Never before had the voice of the peoples of each country been joined in chorus, in a petition which their governments collectively agreed to accept, and even quite obviously welcomed.

representatives here of these governments, Lord Ismay, stated, "had nothing but praise for the spirit of the Declaration and for the impressive list of distinguished signers."

Mr. Roy Thomson, as spokesman for the important 8-nation delegation, urged the need for the action called for by the petition and echoed President Eisenhower's dire warning that "unity among the free nations is our only hope of survival."

Today's ceremony demonstrated more clearly than ever before the immense international prestige now enjoyed by Canada. Our allies, great and small alike, were happy to follow the lead of Canadians; for they look up to Canada as the honest broker in international diplomacy, seeking only peace, lacking territorial acquisitiveness, and pledged to the democratic way.

USE PRAYER CARDS

REGINA (CP) — More than 7,000 thanksgiving prayer cards will be distributed by the Saskatchewan Hotels Association next week to encourage people to say grace before meals. Similar cards will be placed in dining rooms and restaurants throughout Canada. The cards, printed in English and French languages, bear three prayers.

St. Laurent Plans No Move On TV At House Opening

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister St. Laurent said Thursday night he will not do anything for or against televising the Jan. 7 opening ceremonies of Parliament.

The CBC is interested in putting on the first televised show of a parliamentary opening, and reporters asked Mr. St. Laurent for his attitude on the matter after a cabinet meeting.

"It is not something that is done in the House to which I belong; that responsibility belongs to the honorable gentlemen of another place (members of the Senate, where the opening formalities are held), am not going to do anything about it."

Mr. St. Laurent said the cabinet did not discuss the question of a proposed tax agreement between the federal and Quebec governments.

Earlier, he declined to comment on reports that he will see Premier Duplessis with a formula for resolving Ottawa-Quebec taxation differences before the start of the new year.

"I am not going to say anything at all until I am in a position to take some action," he said.

The prime minister said the government has not changed its decision not to designate the Monday after Christmas and New Year's Day as civil service holidays.

Organizations of government employees have protested the recent-announced decision.

Planning New Strategy For Atlantic Alliance

By ALAN HARVEY
Canadian Press Staff Writer
PARIS (CP) — A "new look" strategy for the Atlantic alliance seems certain to emerge from this week's meetings of the NATO council.

Proving anxiously into the years ahead, the North Atlantic Treaty Organization's military experts have prepared defence plans designed to anticipate a new kind of war. The politicians will probably approve their proposals at meetings Friday and Saturday.

Fundamentally, the new strategy is to adapt defence concepts to the techniques of the atomic age.

"What we are really trying to do is to avoid the old error," said a Canadian official. "In the past, military men have tended to fight the last war all over again. This time we are trying to look ahead instead of back."

NEW WAR PATTERN
The two great world conflicts of this century were wars of attrition. Planning for possible new hostilities probably leans towards anticipation of swift, knockout blows.

What this means to Western defence preparations in terms of additional expenditure for tactical atomic weapons, guided missiles and rockets may be disclosed at this week's meetings.

of life. Thus in this spontaneous move by private citizens, other nations have gladly adopted a petition largely drafted by Canadians, taken part in a ceremony entirely organized by Canadians, and served under the chairmanship of a Canadian.

In spite of Canada's leadership in creating and developing NATO, Canadian public opinion remains uninformed about the possibilities of this alliance, Mr. Thomson declared after the ceremony.

This is probably because our government has not adequately explained the benefits which NATO offers to us all. To Mr. and Mrs. John Canuck, wherever they live in Canada, the Atlantic Unity which we propose promises these specific advantages: first, less risk of repetition of the slaughter of our youth, as was caused by our lack of a deterrent alliance in 1914 and 1939; second, reduced taxes by the achievement of better defence at half the present cost, as forecast by President Eisenhower; third, bigger markets for what we sell and smaller costs for what we buy; and fourth, the creation for the first time of a positive counter-appeal to communism, based on the first three points.

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New Pastor For Sydney Church

Rev. H.P. MacEwen has accepted a call to become the pastor of Westminster Church, Sydney, N.S. This is an independent church, formerly pastored by Dr. A. A. Murray, well known for his radio and evangelistic ministry. In addition to his regular duties Mr. MacEwen will have the church's Sunday morning broadcast "Harbour Lights" at 9:30 each week.

Mr. MacEwen is a graduate of Acadia University and received his theological training at Shelton College, New York and Faith Seminary, Wilmington, Del. He also pursued graduate studies at the University of Toronto. Before entering the ministry he was in professional music in New York, having gained the post-graduate diploma from the Juilliard School of Music.

Mrs. MacEwen is a trained musician, also a graduate of that school. They will be leaving the city with their six children in the early part of next week.

Meeting of First Aid Committee

The first aid committee met at Red Cross headquarters on Tuesday, December 14.

The progress report showed that 40 first aid courses had been completed in 1954 and 9 are still having weekly instruction. Approximately 900 people have received training in these classes which have been conducted in all parts of the Province.

439 victims of accidents have received first aid through the volunteer workers who staff the Red Cross first aid posts.

Two refresher schools for instructors were held during October and November, one in Tignish and the other in Summerside. 22 first aid instructors attended these courses which included five hours of lectures by Dr. Stephen DeLanac in Tignish and Dr. J. B. Downing in Summerside. The Summerside instructors had an added lecture by Dr. L. W. Shaw on the fundamentals of teaching.

The first aid committee under the chairmanship of Dr. A. J. Murchison approved the program for the first aid school scheduled to begin on Tuesday, December 28, at Red Cross headquarters.

This school will provide instruction for three levels: (a) Standard Course; (b) Instructors Course; (c) Instructor Refresher Course.

The standard course is planned primarily for school teachers who may wish to attend during the Christmas holiday season.

10 French School Teachers Killed

LENS, France, (AP) — A bus carrying a group of school teachers to an education meeting plunged through a guard rail after a collision with a truck on a bridge today. Ten women were killed and about 20 others were injured.

Police said a heavy fog blanketed the area at the time. After the collision, the loaded bus fell about 30 feet to a railway roadbed below.

The papers were inadvertently discarded some time ago and were shipped to this Laurentian town north of Montreal for disposal as scrap.

Dr. Albert Corey, New York state historian, said "we successfully concluded our mission at Mont Rolland. However, only about one-third of the missing documents has been recovered. We are sure we got everything that was shipped in error to the Rolland Paper Company . . . for that we are extremely grateful."

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Rumor Cardinal Mindszenty Free

VIENNA (AP) — The Catholic press agency Kathpress Thursday distributed a rumor that the Hungarian regime had released Josef Cardinal Mindszenty. There was no confirmation from any source.

The ailing 62-year-old cardinal was sentenced by the Reds in 1949 to life imprisonment on treason and sabotage charges. Rev. Jacob Fried, chief of Catholic publications here, said the Kathpress report came from a French business man returning from Budapest.

Father Fried said the Frenchman was reliable but picked up the reports "from rumors only and not from any official source."

The Kathpress dispatch, dated Wednesday in "usually well informed circles in the Hungarian capital" that the cardinal had been released a week ago and gone to his diocese. But it added diplomatic quarters in Budapest knew nothing about the release and that the cardinal's palace at the diocese in Esztergom said he was not there.

DECLINE COMMENT
In Budapest, spokesmen for the Hungarian foreign ministry declined to comment. There have been rumors in the Hungarian capital for some time the Communist regime was negotiating with the Roman Catholic church.

Vatican sources said rumors of the cardinal's release had been heard "for the past two months," without confirmation.

The cardinal and six co-defendants were convicted Feb. 8, 1949, after a trial that brought denunciations from many western leaders. The prelate, stripped of the church robes of his rank and wearing only the cassock of a priest, appeared under great strain.

Tb Deaths Down

OTTAWA (CP) — Tuberculosis, once among Canada's worst killing diseases, was checked further last year.

The total of TB deaths dropped to 1,810 from 2,457 in 1953, the bureau of statistics reported Thursday.

The death rate per 100,000, which stood at 68.2 in 1932, dropped to 12.3 last year from 17.1 in 1952.

Tuberculosis, once ranked among the main causes of death, now ranks seventh behind such killers as heart disease, cancer, accidents and pneumonia.

Greek Students In New Riots

SALONIKA, Greece (Reuters) — Five thousand rioting Greek students tore the American flag from its staff at the United States consulate in Salonika Thursday and cheered as they set it afire.

The youths, angry over the United Nations' 49-to-0 vote shelving the Cyprus issue Wednesday night, injured some 40 club-wielding police and firemen in their wild demonstrations.

They blame the United States for

Kinsmen Club Meeting Held

Wally Higgins presided at the semi-monthly meeting of the Kinsmen Club held in the Charlottetown hotel last evening. The traditional presentation of a baby spoon to the most recent father in the club was made to Keith MacKinnon by his predecessor to that distinction, Ike Sinclair.

Clive Gordon presented a progress report on committee activities dealing with fund raising projects. Alan Rankin, reporting for the special committee conferring with the cerebral palsy group, made a report which will be discussed further.

At the conclusion of the business meeting, the club members adjourned to the Clover Club where they joined with their Kinetics and friends in the annual pre-Christmas dance of the Kinsmen.

Visiting Kinsmen were, Carl Bird, Saint John, N. B. and Wally Coulson, Summerside.

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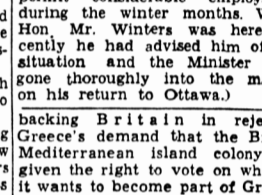
Holdup Averted

storms or severe winter weather. While the steelwork on the building will now be laid out way earlier than planned, Public Works officials could not say if the entire building will be finished ahead of schedule if all other phases of the contract can be speeded up.

As is now the case with the structural steel, the building could be completed earlier than planned. On the other hand, the Works Department is constantly finding unexpected delays in its construction program across the country and will hence make no optimistic promises.

(Much satisfaction was expressed last evening by Mr. Neil A. Matheson, Liberal M.P. for Queens, that the threatened construction delay has been averted, as this will permit considerable employment during the winter months. When Hon. Mr. Winter was here recently he had advised him of the situation and the Minister had gone thoroughly into the matter on his return to Ottawa.)

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