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DANCE in Malpeque Hall, Monday night, Admission 35c.

RED CROSS Blood Donor Clinics May 5th-8th. 950 donors needed in P.E.I.

ANNUAL Kinsmen curling carnival in Summerside spring rink, May 29th to 31st inclusive.

SATURDAY NIGHT BINGO, Canadian Legion Home, Summerside. Commencing at 9:30 P. M. Excellent prizes.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH, Central Bedque, Rev. D. M. Fraser, Pastor. Services for Sunday, April 27th. C. Bedque 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Borden 3 P. M. Everyone welcome.

PEOPLES Cemetery, Malpeque Inc., annual meeting Tuesday, April 29th, 8:00 p.m. in Malpeque Hall. All interested should attend this important meeting.

NORTH BEDEQUE UNITED CHURCH, Services Sunday, April 27th: North Bedque 11:00 A.M.; Travellers Rest 2:30 P.M.; Free-town 7:30 P.M. Rev. Kenneth Campbell, Minister.

THE LADIES AID of the Prince County Hospital will hold a Rummage Sale in the Town Hall today, Saturday, April 26th at 2:00 P. M.

TRANSFERRED—Constable T. J. Keefe, who has been a member of the Alberton detachment of the R. C. M. P. for six and one half years, has been transferred to Charlottetown effective May 1st. He was learned yesterday. Constable R. D. Sandberg, now stationed at Souris, P. E. I., will be replacing Constable Keefe at Alberton.

GRASS FIRE AT ALBERTON—The Alberton fire alarm sounded about 2:15 yesterday afternoon when a grass fire in the neighborhood ran out of control and threatened to ignite a small barn belonging to Mr. Fred Pickett. The fire department responded immediately and quickly extinguished the flames. No damage was caused.

REGENT

Today 2:30 - 7 - 9:15
BIG DOUBLE BILL
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Advertisement for Regent Theatre featuring Marie Windsor and Richard Denning in 'Double Deal'. Includes showtimes and promotional text.

ACCEPTS CALL TO WEST CAPE—Rev. W. H. Forsythe, B. A., of Jerusalem, N. B., has accepted a call extended to him by the West Cape pastoral charge of the United Church of Canada. A meeting was held Thursday afternoon at the manse in O'Leary. Representatives from the three congregations on the charge were present: Glenwood, Bethel and Cape Wolf. The pastoral relations committee of Presbytery was represented by Rev. Kenneth Campbell of North Bedque. Rev. Mr. Forsythe was ordained in 1925 and has 27 years experience in the work of the church. Subject to the approval of the Presbyteries concerned, he will begin his ministry the first Sunday of July. The West Cape charge at present is being served by Mr. Heber Hardy, lay minister.

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Advertisement for Capitol Theatre featuring Charles Starrett and Smiley Burnette in 'Bandits of El Dorado'. Includes showtimes and promotional text.

10 Million Spent At S'side Air Station In 1950-51, Minister Says

KENSINGTON — Card party, Town Hall, Monday, April 28th. 8:15, attractive prizes, lucky number, cash prize, guessing contest prize, sponsored by Kensington Credit Union.

LADIES BOWLING — In the Summerside Ladies Commercial Bowling League at Summerside last evening the Beavers won from the Lucky Five, while the Jolly Fives defeated the Newcomers. The Beavers and the Jolly Five will bowl next Monday and Friday nights in the final play-off series to determine the winner of the Harold Gaudet Trophy.

ON SCHOOL PARADE — A number of pupils from the Alberton High School were heard on Schurman's School Parade last night at 7:30 over station CJRW. Summerside. This is the first time that pupils from Alberton have been on this program. Those taking part were: Ralph MacArthur, Nancy Gille, Janet Francis, Peter MacDonell, Patsy Ahearn, Lorraine Campbell, Nancy Smith, Christine Pickett and Ruth Jeffrey. Cars for transportation to Summerside were kindly provided by Garth McEwen, R. E. MacDonald and Verne Campbell. — FW.

TRINITY WOMEN'S ASSOC.—The president, Mrs. R. B. Dewar, was in the chair for the monthly meeting of the Women's Association of the Summerside Trinity Church on Thursday evening, April 26th in the church parlor. The devotional period was taken by Group D with Mrs. Harrison Bell reading the Scripture lesson, prayer by Mrs. William Heckbert, the singing of hymn "Hail thou once despised Jesus" and Mrs. Victor Howatt pronouncing the benediction. Mrs. Eric Sheen was pianist. Following routine business plans were made to hold a chicken salad tea and sale of fancy work in May. The members were busy with knitting and sewing until refreshments were served by Group D.

PRESBYTERIAN Y. W. G.—The Young Women's Guild of the Summerside Presbyterian Church held their April meeting at the manse on Monday evening, April 21st with the president, Miss Wilene MacLean in the chair. After the repeating of the Lord's Prayer in unison, routine business was conducted. Among the plans discussed were a pantry sale and the reception on Sunday evening for the Moderator of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, Dr. Norman D. Kennedy. Mrs. Emmet Ranahan and Mrs. Keith Johnston were appointed a committee in charge of having boxes, similar to mite boxes, placed in the homes during the summer months. A travelling basket was also discussed. The lunch committee comprised Miss MacLeod, Miss Anna MacKenzie and Mrs. Henry Bishop. — S.

PERSONA'S — Mr. Wallace Bradshaw, manager men's apparel, Holman's Ltd., Summerside, is in Halifax, N. S., on business. — S. — Mr. Ralph Hardy, St. Eleanors, was a visitor to Alberton on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward MacAuland, Bloomfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Raeford Locke, O'Leary, left Thursday for a trip to Melrose, Mass., and other American centres.

S'side A. A. A. Elects Officers

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Summerside Amateur Athletic Association held in the Town Hall last evening. Past president—D. O. Stewart; president—David Cornish; vice-president—W. Chester James Hogan, Jr. Committee chairman, intermediate baseball—Norman Macdonald; minor baseball—James Hogan, Jr.; softball—Henry Landry; tennis—Earle Smith; track and field—Bob Clark; volleyball—Tanton MacNeil; quilts—Dr. A. A. Lockhart; publicity—John MacNeill. The chairman of the hockey and boxing committees were left over until a later date. There was considerable discussion regarding the raising of money to carry on the summer athletic program, but it was decided to leave the matter over for a meeting of the executive to be called by the new president. — S.

NIGHT FARMERS PETERBOROUGH, Ont.—(CP) Combating the capricious April weather, some farmers in this district turned the headlights on the tractors over the land to make a long day of it. On one day recently some farmers were seen working as late as 10 p. m.

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Card Party in Alberton Hall

A card party was held in the Institute Hall, Alberton, Thursday evening when about one hundred and twenty invited guests spent a very enjoyable evening. Arrangements were made by a committee of the Women's Institute convened by Mrs. R. E. MacDonald. The hall was attractive with spring flowers and potted plants.

There were in play nine tables of bridge, thirteen of auction for-fives, four of canasta, one of cribbage and one of rook. Mrs. R. E. MacDonald was in charge of bridge, Mrs. Merritt Callaghan in charge of forty-fives and Mrs. Arthur Wilkie in charge of cribbage and rook. Prizes, generously donated by the merchants of Alberton, were awarded as follows: For bridge—Ladies' 1st, Mrs. John C. Proffitt; gentlemen's 1st, Mr. John C. Matthews; consolation, Mrs. John K. Clark and Mr. John C. Proffitt.

For forty-fives—Ladies' 1st, Mrs. Austin Murphy; gentlemen's 1st, Mr. Erskine Hardy; consolation, Mr. James Hodgson and Miss Doris McCue. For canasta—1st prize, Miss Beth Waugh; consolation, Mrs. Joseph Gaudet.

For rook—1st prize, Mrs. Regina Travers. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the evening by members of the Institute under direction of Mrs. Eric Corbett. Three cakes, baked by Mrs. J. W. D. Campbell and Mrs. Eric Corbett, were offered for sale with Mr. Don Campbell as auctioneer.

Optimistic Outlook Mr. Claxton spoke of his previous visits to Prince Edward Island and quoted from an optimistic address he had made in this province in 1945. He said that things are brighter than ever now; and looking back on the last seven years one can see a most amazing development in the country. He cited the new developments now in progress in the fields of iron, nickel, and oil, which he said will continue to add to the wealth of the Canadian people.

He said population, employment, and wages have all increased, and that the Canadian dollar is now the strongest in the world today.

Speaking of his recent visit to Korea, Mr. Claxton said the Canadian troops are second to none. He said the Defence Department have a plan in action now to rotate the men serving abroad.

Mr. Claxton expressed appreciation of the enlistments and said that in 20 months they have more than doubled the strength of the armed forces.

He said that before Korea the National Defence Department had six major units, while now there are 20 that have to be provided for.

Mr. Donald Baker moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Claxton, and this was most ably seconded by Mr. J. W. McCardie, Kinross, the dean of Liberalism in Prince Edward Island, who said, though in his 82nd year, presented a brief and interesting review of political and economic progress from the time at which he cast his first vote in the year 1896.

At 2:30 p.m. Mr. Claxton returned to the airport where he inspected the guard of honor, and made a tour of the R. C. A. F. station.

Crash Delays Departure Mr. Claxton and his party were due to leave for Charlottetown at the time of the crash of the 4-engine Lancaster at the R. C. A. F. station which occurred a few hundred yards from the spot at which they were scheduled to leave. Their departure was delayed about one hour during which Mr. Claxton was concerned with the condition of the men involved in the crash.

The twin engine R. C. A. F. plane carrying Mr. Claxton and a group of service and political personalities landed at Summerside R.C.A.F. station at noon yesterday.

Included in the group were Dr. O. M. Solandt, chairman of the Defence Research Board; Dr. J. Green, chief aeronautical adviser to the chief of the air force; J. Watson MacNaught, federal member for Prince County; Mr. J. Angus MacLean, federal member for Queen's County; Mr. W. H. Dumsday, director of public relations for national defence; Lieut. James Drummond, (navy), aide to Hon. Mr. Claxton. Also included in the party were Mrs. Claxton and Mrs. MacNaught.

They were greeted upon arrival at the air port by Group Captain A. G. Kenyon, commanding officer of the R.C.A.F. station, Summerside, and by provincial and federal political representatives, including Senator G. H. Barbour, E. P. Foley, Morley Bell, William Currie, Cecil Miller, Roland MacDonell and Pictou McCormac.

At 12:30 p.m. a luncheon was held at Robson's Restaurant, at which Mr. Claxton was guest speaker, and which was presided over by W. A. Currie, president of the East Prince Liberal Association, who introduced Mr. J. Watson MacNaught, who in turn introduced Hon. Mr. Claxton.—S.

S'side Group Receives Air Cadet Pilot Wings

At the R.C.A.F. station, Summerside last evening, cadet pilot wings were presented to three air cadets of Squadron 83 by Group Captain A.G. Kenyon, commanding officer of the station. The Squadron Leader Lewis efficiency Trophy was presented again this year to the squadron by Group Captain Kenyon to Flight Lt. Murray Shanks, commanding officer of the squadron. This trophy has been won by the Summerside Squadron in 1948-49 and 1951. In 1950 it was won by the Charlottetown Squadron and is emblematic of the highest efficiency shown by any squadron during the year.

The three cadets who were presented with their wings last evening were Charles Simpson, Gordon MacDonald and Thane Bagnall.

Following some brisk bidding they were knocked down to Mr. James Myrick, Mrs. S. Bandler and Mr. J. W. Don Campbell.

SYMBOLIC DOLLARS Finland has contributed \$5,000 to the United Nations fund for technical assistance to under-developed countries.

HISTORIC TRADE PICTOU, N.S.—(CP) Pictou's only working backsmith catering to the horse trade is Arthur MacPhee, who for 30 years has been plying the ancient industry on the same location where his father began a business some 75 years ago.

Two other cadets, Robert Ellis and Donald Harris were unable to be present at the wings parade last evening.

In presenting wings to the cadets, Group Captain Kenyon pointed out that air cadet training aimed at two things, training and recreation. He said that it was to the credit of these cadets that they had qualified for the exams they wrote and congratulated them on the honor of receiving their wings. He said also that the winning of the Squadron Lewis Trophy was something on which they were to be highly congratulated.

This Squadron, No. 83, has been fostered and sponsored by the Summerside Wings of the R.C.A.F. Association and in addressing the cadets last evening Roy Johnston, president of the wing, said that they would not regret the time they had spent in training. He congratulated their commanding officer, Flight Lt. Murray Shanks for the splendid showing made and pointed out that this record could be made even better. He called on the cadets for improved attendance on parade during the coming months as a means of improving an already enviable record.

At the conclusion of the parade the cadets held open houses to friends and relatives. The Canadian Legion band, Summerside branch, under leadership of Bandmaster Ulrich Drapeau supplied music during and after the parade and are to be highly commended for the music provided. —S

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