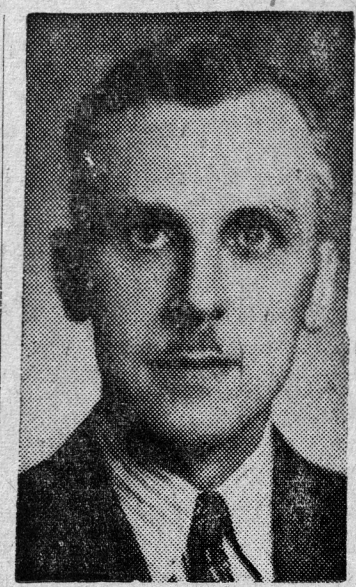


# Bank Of Montreal Manager Transferred To Halifax

Benjamin E. Rogers who has been manager of the local Branch of Montreal here for more than seven years is being transferred to the main office of the bank in Halifax, it was learned here last night. The transfer becomes effective early in April. The announcement of his successor is expected to be made in a few days time.



MR. ROGERS

Mr. Rogers came here from Truro, Nova Scotia, where he was manager of the branch in that town. He was born in Lachute, Quebec, and has served in a number of Canadian cities and towns including Windsor, Ontario; Ottawa, Montreal, London and Halifax and Saint John in the Maritimes.

It was in Ottawa that he met Mrs. Rogers. They have two sons. Scott is a second-year student at Prince of Wales College and Bruce is a student at Queen Charlotte High School.

Mr. Rogers has been active in community work since he came to Charlottetown in March 1951. He has been president of the Board of Trade, a director of the Y.M.C.A., a member of the Rotary Club and recently a member of the Metropolitan Committee.

At Halifax Mr. Rogers will be succeeding Fletcher Troop whom he succeeded as manager here in Charlottetown in 1951.

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## STEADY POST

LONDON (CP) — Sir James Turner has been re-elected president of the National Farmers Union for 1958, his 14th consecutive year of office.

## CARNIVAL SOURIS RINK

Wed. Feb. 19th

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## Red Cross

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eight Disaster Units now functioning smoothly in this province, it was possible to share in supplying emergency assistance for 28 families who were involved in 27 fires. These Units are kept up to strength under the close surveillance of the Provincial Chairman who regularly visits or otherwise keeps in touch with them. The overall Committee is continuing to be strengthened and enlarged under the energetic leadership of the Provincial Chairman, Mr. Gordon MacDonal.

### WATER SAFETY

In the two short summer months during which swimming can be enjoyed in Prince Edward Island, Water Safety Classes were carried on in 31 centres with well over 5,000 children and adults gaining knowledge of water safety and ability of swim. A great many people shared in the planning for and carrying out of these classes which resulted in 1,487 of the participants meriting Red Cross awards of different kinds, as well as 169 from the Royal Life Saving Society. The task accomplished in this province in such a short span of time is an outstanding one, and on a per capita basis outdoes every other province in Canada. Though its a whirlwind effort during which the key people involved are on a real "merry-go-round" it produces very worthwhile results.

### CAMPAIGN FINANCE

A gain of \$1516.69 over the 1957 returns, still did not bring us within our objective of \$31,000 for 1957 as we were short by some \$2,800. An analysis of the returns indicate there are a few weak spots in our organization, although the province was fairly well covered by enthusiastic canvassers who, as usual, had to carry out their work under adverse weather conditions.

When we stop to consider that it costs in the vicinity of \$60,000 to provide Red Cross Services in which we all share in this province it is rather embarrassing that we cannot raise even one-half of this amount in our Annual Campaigns. The additional we require has to come to us through a Sharing of funds raised in other parts of Canada. Let this be a challenge to all of us to increase our contributions to the 1958 Red Cross Campaign.

### FIRST AID

In 42 communities throughout the province Red Cross signs point to First Aid Posts at which 566 injuries were treated by nurses or firstaiders who are in charge of these posts. At 50 First Aid Classes, 579 people received instruction which will qualify them to share the knowledge they gained in accident prevention and the treatment of accidents with those who may need their assistance.

### RED CROSS CORPS

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## Charlottetown Gyro Club Installs Executive Officers

Executive officers for 1958 were installed last night by the Charlottetown Gyro Club at a mixed dinner party at the Charlottetown Hotel. The installation was capably carried out by Art Clark, 1st lieutenant-governor of Gyro District VI, who gave a splendid talk to the new officers.

They are Lou Howatt Jr., president, Leo Doucette, 1st vice-president; Len MacDonald, Secretary; Byron Burns, 2nd vice-president, was not able to be present as he is out of town on business.

Mike Campbell, who presided, welcomed the successful Gyro curiers who recently won the District VI championship and Sobe trophy in a bonspiel at Moncton. They were Keith Myers, Emmett MacDonald, Ev MacFarlane, Lou Howatt Jr., Reigh MacLean and Art Clark. Mr. Clark noted that within the past year the club had won the cribbage district championship, the man mile trophy and now the curling championship of

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the district. This was outstanding for a small club, he stated. Mr. Campbell outlined the immediate plans for Gyro activities and a new system of alternating meetings between the hotel and members' homes was announced.

Gyro Emmett MacDonald listed plans for an inter club visit to the Dartmouth club which the Charlottetown club so ably supported at its charter night a few years ago.

Upon adjournment the members and their wives adjourned to Art Clark's new home on Goodwill Avenue where Art and Muriel graciously entertained at bridge and cribbage.

The Gyrettes made plans to hold their next meeting at Muriel Clark's home.

services by the members of our Executive, Council and Standing Committees. They have all shared their talents and ideas by helping to promote the service, or services, in which they are particularly interested.

Through the continuing generosity of the Island Radio Broadcasting Company we carried our weekly radio talks all the year round. We are deeply indebted to CFYJ for having made this time available to us. By this means we can reach more of our people, and give them the opportunity of sharing in the news of Red Cross.

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## MCA Inquiry Hears Fuel Consumption Facts, Figures

By ARCH MACKENZIE

Canadian Press Staff Writer MONTREAL (CP) — Flight characteristics affecting fuel consumption on aircraft CF-MCP occupied the board of inquiry which Monday began its third week of hearings into Canada's worst air accident.

Capt. M. J. Campbell of Maritime Central Airways, owners of the DC-4 which plunged into a Quebec bog Aug. 11, killing 79 persons, provided highly technical details regarding flying practices and procedures on transatlantic aircraft.

The board, which began the public hearings Feb. 6, sat only two hours as Montreal battled chaotic traffic conditions caused by snow and wind.

Under questioning by chief counsel Ross Drouin for the transport department, Capt. Campbell said fuel consumed due to overloading would depend on the amount of overload.

Fuel consumed would be only slightly more, due to extra power required from the four engines, for an overload of 1,000 to 1,200

## FUEL INTAKE NORMAL

He said when he had flown the aircraft he had not noticed anything unusual about it. Fuel consumption had appeared normal.

It had been his impression that the flow meters — instruments reading the fuel flow in pounds per hour — might be a little high. But, he said, this would amount to only about 200 pounds over a London-to-Montreal flight or a difference of about six or seven minutes in fuel at the end.

Previous transport department testimony said that by the crew's estimates the lost aircraft would have had 36 minutes' fuel left over Montreal if its last recorded ground speed had been projected to Montreal.

Earlier Monday, Austin Canny, Montreal flight dispatcher for Trans-Canada Air Lines outlined TCA co-operation between dispatchers and plane captains. He said it is his view that such a system could be applied to a company with fewer flights bound for a variety of destinations through contracts with other aviation companies.

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## MONTAGUE HIGH OPENS NEW LAB

Due to the large increase in the enrollment of students in the Grades Eleven and Twelve at Montague High, a new laboratory for Physics and Biology was opened this year. In past years, the Chemistry lab was used for all three subjects. However,

because of the large number of students, this arrangement became unsatisfactory and this year the trustees equipped a room to serve as a combined Biology and Physics lab. Modern in every respect, the new lab has a seating capacity

of twenty. At the present time, it is used for grades 11 and 12 Physics and grade 12 Biology. In the photo may be seen Mr. John Hughes, principal and Mr. Edwin MacDonal, Chemistry and Physics Teacher.

## Cold Wave Hampers Snow Removal In Eastern N. S.

NEW YORK (CP) — A cold wave Monday hampered a vast snow removal task in the eastern United States. Temperatures went tumbling, with 37 below zero recorded.

Fire threatened cities and villages where streets were clogged. Michigan City, Ind., had a four-foot snowfall. New York State had drifts up to 30 feet.

Connecticut's state civil defence headquarters was on emergency standby. New York State police worked without relief.

The weather bureau said "more snow may fall this week. The February snowfall already is the heaviest on record in some areas.

The toll of human life from the storm edged toward 170. Deaths from storm exposure were reported as far west as St. Louis and as far south as Alabama.

Carbon monoxide poisoning overtook motorists stranded in their cars. Heart-failure felled snow-shovelers. Children were crushed on sleds. Traffic, where it moved at all, took its usual toll.

### WISCONSIN HAS -37

The lowest temperature apparently was at Danbury, Wis.—37 below.

The great cities of the Eastern seaboard, Washington, New York and Boston, were all but immobilized beneath the worst snowfall in 22 years.

Factories closed, schools shut, trains and buses stalled, travellers and outdoor enthusiasts were marooned. Miles of streets and highways were buried beneath a deep, cold sea of white.

The storm swept out of the Gulf Coast states Friday and hit the East Saturday, Sunday, it lashed Maine as it moved slowly toward the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Winds up to 54 miles accompanied it.

Washington was almost immobilized with 14 inches of snow, the most in 22 years. Temperatures, near zero, were the coldest in 16 years. All schools were closed and thousands of government workers stayed home from Washington offices at White House request.

Boston had one of its worst snow storms on record with 19.4 inches that drifted to 10 feet. Temperatures fell to five below.

Thousands of private cars were abandoned on New York City streets as 8½ inches of powdery snow drifted. It was the city's worst snow storm since March, 1948.

### SUBWAY BEARS BRUNT

Few cars moved on the hundreds of miles of city streets. Buses kept to a fairly good schedule. The subway system, nearly normal, bore the brunt of the emergency.

There were commuter train delays on the Long Island, the New

## EASTERN GUARDIAN

### P.E.I. EASTER BEEF Show and Sale. Entries close Feb. 20th.

### REGULAR MEETING, Ladies Legion Auxiliary at Mrs. Jessie Shaw's, Wednesday night, February, 19th.

## PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Beer, Summerside, were weekend visitors to Montague, visiting with Dr. Beer's mother, Mrs. J. P. Beer who is presently a patient in the Kings County Memorial Hospital.

Friends of Wilber Naddy, Greenfield, will be sorry to hear he has the misfortune to crack his ankle.

Howard MacKenzie, Abney, is a patient in the Kings County Memorial Hospital.

Friends of Mrs. Reg Henneberry, New Perth will be glad to hear that she is resting comfortably in the Kings County Hospital.

Friends of Mr. Mont Wright, Montague, will regret to hear that he is presently a patient in the P. E. I. Hospital.

The many friends of Master Malcolm MacPhee will be glad to hear he is resting as well as expected following an appendectomy in the Kings County Memorial Hospital.

Paul and Peter DesRoches, students of S. D. U., were weekend guests of their parents, Judge J.S. and Mrs. DesRoches, Montague. They were accompanied by Don Murphy, an American student also at S. D. U.

## Billy Watson

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Ted Williams of Prince George, B.C. presented President Bob Parent with a souvenir medal commemorating the 100th anniversary of the founding of that town.

Pipe Major Wilfred Burke piped the head table guests to their seats.

Head table seating included Lieut. Governor Prowse, Premier Matheson, Billy Watson, J. A. Likely, Brian Cudmore, L. A. Montgomery, "Timmy" Richard Montgomery, Mayor Johnston, R. C. Parent, Allister MacLeod, Sam Rothchild, President Dominion Curling Ass'n, F. R. MacLean, Provincial Representative, Canadian School Championships, Don H. Dreannan, Asst. to Managing Director Pepsi Cola Co., J. K. Watson, Chairman Can. School Comm.

Guests of Rotary were: Greg Mullholland, A. R. MacDonald, Doug Cameron, Ed Tanton, G. H. Buntain, Ralph Manning, John Curtis, W. M. Mellichamp, and Currie, Rev. A. F. MacLean, Al. Nicholson, John B. Murley, Harold Milligan, James Fullerton, Gordon Welner, Rev. Canon J. T. Ibbot, Gordon Stewart, Walter Shaw, Kenneth G. Jenkins, Arthur H. Roper, G. C. Burden, A. B. Bagnall, Aubrey Found, Robert Duncan, and Arnold Llewellyn, all of Charlottetown. T. J. Coley, Halifax, Gordon Cooke, Kensington, Earle MacLeod, Hosto, Sask., George Aitken, Winnipeg.

Visiting Rotarians were: H. F. Thomas, West Winnipeg, L.B. Stevenson, Sydney, N.S., Cam MacEwen, Port Arthur, Ont., N. P. Rockell, St. John's Nfld., Ted Williams, Prince George, B.C., Mayor John Smith Salvation Army, Saint John, N.B., Vernon Veelwood, Maple Creek, Sask., Reuben Baetz, Toronto.

### LIABLE FOR DAMAGE

LONDON (AP)—The government is planning to make operators of privately-owned atomic reactors legally liable for damages of up to \$5,000,000 in case of disastrous accidents. A legislative proposal was outlined to the House of Commons Monday night by Sir Ian Horobin, parliamentary secretary to the ministry of power

## Actor Fatally Injured In Fall

BOSTON (AP)—A man identified by police as an actor who last week walked off a Washington stage in the middle of a scene with Katharine Hepburn, fell eight floors to his death from a hotel window Monday.

Police identified him as Charles Fred Stanley Bell, 41, of New York City. He was listed as a native of Montreal.

His body hurtled from a corridor window to a marquee at the Hotel Touraine, diagonally across from Boston Common.

Investigators quoted director John Houseman as saying that Bell told him he was unable to sleep and was going to New Brunswick to board the Empress of Britain for a trip to Europe, doctor.

### CARRIED LARGE SUM

Police said the man had about \$4,000, mostly in traveller's cheques, in his pockets.

He appeared at Houseman's New York home just before 6:30 a.m. Saturday and explained to Mrs. Houseman he had "blacked out" on the Washington stage Friday night when he walked off.

Houseman happened to telephone home and the actor apologized and expressed a desire to rejoin the company.

He then vanished again as Mrs. Houseman was preparing tea. Bell is a member of a theatrical family dating back to the Globe Theatre of the days of Shakespeare. There have been 18 generations of actors in the family.

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