

ARE REHEARSING

The Vagabond Independent Players are busy rehearsing for their upcoming presentation of Peter Peter Pumpkin Eater at the Confederation Centre Theatre and the behind

the scenes men are busy keeping pace with construction of the scenery and costumes. Last night Glen Wood, LEFT, member of the stage crew is giving one of the props a

primary coat of paint while Christine Weatherbiem stage manager and Frank Wood, production manager finalize production plans.

Fee Structure Approved At Teachers' Convention

The annual convention of the P.E.I. Teachers' Federation approved a new fee structure that will raise membership fees in the federation, in the final session of the three-day convention at Birchwood High School auditorium yesterday morning. The vote was overwhelmingly in favour of the new fees, with 828 votes for and 64 against, the votes in favor representing 92 per cent of the 900 votes cast. Eight ballots were spoiled.

A brief controversy broke out during the question period when several persons objected that many teachers had not been informed before the convention that the fee raises would be proposed and voted on at the meeting, and that no details were given to the teachers on what, specifically, their money was being spent on.

Francis Blanchard, vice-president of the P.E.I.T.F., then gave the detailed estimates of spending for the coming year. Treasurer, Mrs. Winifred Stevenson offered to read the audited account of expenditures for the last year, if anyone requested it. No one did. None of the teachers expressed objection to raising fees as such, but rather complained that some had not been given advance notice of the fee changes.

Malcolm MacKenzie, deputy minister and chief director of education for the province, prefaced his address on "The Art of Teaching" with a note that P.E.I., for the year 1965-1966 budgeted 17.5 per cent of its total provincial spending for education, which is the lowest percentage in all of the provinces, and far below the national average of 28.3 per cent. Alberta allocates 35 per cent of its budget to education, the highest percentage in Canada and just double that of P.E.I.

OPENS SPEECH
Mr. MacKenzie opened his speech with a quote from "The Art of Teaching", the book from which he borrowed the title of his address: "The real job for which teachers are trained and paid is to help the young to learn. It should not be necessary to make them learn." He told his audience that teaching is an art, and that "there are born teachers, but none that cannot achieve greater competence by intelligent application to a campaign or programme of progressive self-improvement... For too many teachers the technique of teaching is to tell the pupils what they need to know for the next test of examination and to leave their minds flabby for a lack of real exercise. Instruction, in this narrow sense, is not enough. It does not exercise the mind nor properly train the hand and eye."

A teacher, said Mr. MacKenzie, needs three prime requisites: Knowledge of his subject, a sense of service, and skill in classroom management. "Yet it is not enough to transmit your knowledge," he continued. "Pupils should be learning through skilful questioning, to think for themselves and to express their own ideas effectively." Some aspects of a teacher's work on which he should constantly work to improve himself

self, he pointed out, are preparation of lessons, supervision of pupils at work, and teaching concentration, organization, respect and responsibility. "And last but not least is the vital ingredient of enthusiasm, which will in turn, create in the minds of pupils a zeal for greater achievement."

The presentation of the past

president's pin to Charles Campbell by president J. Weeks Murphy concluded the convention. The auditorium in which many of the convention's sessions were held was brightened by a giant display of children's art from all the city elementary schools under the direction of Mrs. MacKay and Mrs. Lapsley, art teachers for the city.

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Youth Conference Is Concluded

Yesterday afternoon saw the end of the fifth provincial Allied Youth Conference on teenage problems at the Basilica Recreation Centre in Charlottetown.

The conference was officially opened by Hon. L.G. Dewar, M.D., Minister of Education, on Thursday morning.

The first of many informative addresses of the conference was heard on the opening morning. It was delivered by the provincial probation officer, Vincent McIntyre.

Jerry Buell, provincial allied youth executive, presided at the morning session.

In the afternoon an address was delivered by Rev. William Hane, Breadalbane. The person presiding at this session was John Sullivan, member of the International Allied Youth Cabinet. In the evening Vance Toner, director of athletics at the University of Moncton, was guest speaker at a dinner at the Centre. Chairman was David Simmons, provincial allied youth president. It was at this time that plaques were presented for the best allied youth posts in the province. Recreation during the day consisted of a singing and informal dance.

Yesterday's program consisted of a question period with questions being submitted beforehand to a panel chaired by David Boswell, provincial director of Alcohol Studies and Physical Education.

Keith Ellinwood, author, lecturer, youth worker and councillor for alcoholics. Presiding was Pat Donahoe.

Immediately following was an

address on the hazards of smoking by Dr. Burton Howatt, assistant deputy minister of health.

After lunch yesterday David M. Boswell addressed the delegates. Presiding was Julia Knox.

Helen MacDonald, Alcohol Studies and Allied Youth Field group.

A Youth Panel was the final formal activity of the conference. The moderator was M.F. Hagan, guidance councillor, Provincial Vocational Institute.

The delegates had their supper at the centre before the final dismissal for this year.

Social Assistance Is Discussed

Hon. Hubert B. McNeill, minister of Welfare and Labour, announced yesterday that he met with the city of Charlottetown and representatives of the towns of Prince Edward Island and that the subject of the conversation was social assistance payments to the towns of the province.

Full and frank discussion took place where the views of all the communities were presented by their representatives. It was agreed that a flexible approach would be made so that no community would suffer financially because of any arrangements.

The smaller communities felt that 100 per cent of the social assistance would be made payable by the provincial government and assistance will be provided by the regular staff of the Department of Welfare in assist-

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RIFLE SHOOT

The following are the results of the rifle shoot held at Murray Harbour April 14th:

Fred White	98
Irene Beaton	97
Billie Duffy	96
Doug White	96
John Gosbee	96
Hendall Richards	95
Bruce Dorr	93
Roy Penny	92
Doug MacLeod	88
Rickey Moore	80
Gary Harris	80
Jimmy Duffy	80
Lorraine White	80

Driving Case Is Adjourned

There was a light docket in Court yesterday afternoon. Magistrate James B. Johnston, QC, presided.

A Mt. Albion resident Judson Everett Myers, charged with driving while his drivers licence was suspended had his case adjourned by consent to May 4 at 9:30 p.m. He was represented by John Holmes.

Norman Lloyd MacKay, Harrington, charged with failing to stop at a stop sign had his case adjourned to April 20 at 9:30 a.m.

Percy Groom charged with being the owner of premises did unlawfully permit drunkenness to take place therein had his case dismissed. He is a resident of Parkdale.

Two Mishaps Are Reported

The Charlottetown Detachment of the RCMP and the city police department each reported one accident last night.

The RCMP reported a two-car collision in Cornwall on the Trans Canada Highway at approximately 2:45 yesterday.

The drivers of the vehicles were Charles Hyde of Cornwall and Henry Clark, Water Street, Summerside.

There were no other details of the incident available.

The city police reported a car-truck collision on Dorchester Street—in which a 1958 Dodge driven by Evelyn Hale, 5 Belmont St. collided with a one-half ton truck driven by Donald Jay of East Royalty.

The damage to the car was estimated at \$80 but no estimate of damage to the truck was available. However, damage was reported to have been only slight.

No injuries in either accident were reported.

BECOMES PRESIDENT

NAIROBI, Kenya (AP)—The Uganda Parliament Friday approved a new constitution and Premier Milton Obote was sworn in as the country's new president, Radio Kampala reported.

ing to administer the program. The larger towns felt the more flexible approach would be in order and that 90 per cent of the assistance would be made available by the provincial government and 10 per cent by the local larger communities.

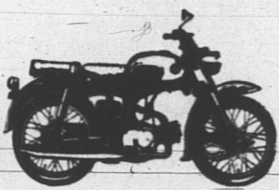
Many problems in the administration of social assistance were discussed and a full scope of the new regulations under The Canada Assistance Act were explored.

Regulations will be laid down by the provincial government in cooperation with the separate municipalities to ensure maximum availability and cooperation in this program.

Representatives of the various communities will report back to their town councils for concurrence of recommendations and decisions of the meeting.

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and

IN THE MATTER OF the application of the under-named persons for licenses to operate as Intra-Provincial carriers and/or extra-Provincial carriers under the said Acts.

NOTICE OF HEARING

TAKE NOTICE THAT the Public Utilities Commission has appointed MONDAY, the TWENTY-FIFTH day of APRIL, A.D. 1966 at the hour of Ten-Thirty in the forenoon at the National Film Board Theatre, Dominion Building, Charlottetown, as the time and place for consideration of the applications of:

Fulton Moving Company
92 Hovey Street
Watertown, Massachusetts

Clifford Van & Storage Limited
116 Beechgrove Drive
West Hill, Ontario

Humphrey's Transfer Limited
1219 Mountain Road
Moncton, N.B.

John P. Baughan
Sackville, R.R. No. 3
New Brunswick

McAuley's Transfer Limited
Centreville,
New Brunswick

McAuley's Transfer (Western) Limited
Centreville,
New Brunswick

Maritime Ontario Freight Lines Ltd.
3505 Kempt Road,
Halifax, N.S.

Joseph Alexander Barkhouse
Sheet Harbour, Halifax County
Nova Scotia

Harry S. Ramsay
P. O. Box 131
O'Leary, P.E.I.

John Vernon Johnston
Kinkora
Prince Edward Island
James Reginald Dunn
Mount Stewart
Prince Edward Island

and Bus Application of:

Cornelius Raymond Murphy
137 Nassau Street
Charlottetown, P.E.I.

for licenses to operate motor vehicles as extra-Provincial undertakings and Intra-Provincial operators for the carriage of goods or passengers over the several routes as set out in their several applications. And application for extension of extra-Provincial operating rights by:

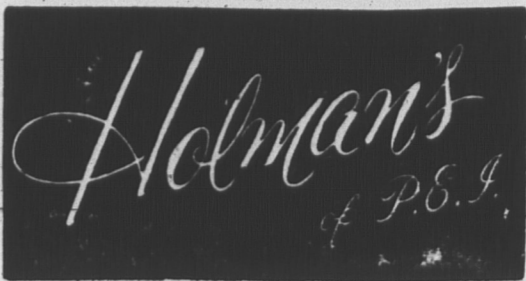
Canadian National Transportation Ltd.
Lagauchetiere Street
Montreal, P.Q.

Information concerning the routes applied for and particulars of service to be rendered may be had on application to the Commission. And any person having any objection to the granting of a license to any of the above named applicants shall advise the applicant and the Commission in writing at least ten days before the date of the said hearing, stating the reasons for such objections.

DATED at Charlottetown this 5th day of APRIL A.D. 1966.

(MRS.) H. DORIS PURSEY
Clerk
The Public Utilities Commission

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