

Will Form New Unions In City

A number of new unions among the working classes in Charlotte-

Mr. Bruce, along with a number of other Trade Union representatives, is visiting Charlottetown at the request of the local Trades Council.

During the course of his address at the well attended meeting he pointed out that the labor movement had been very useful in maintaining democracy and had played a big part in industrial peace.

Mr. Bruce stated that criticism had been directed at the movement because of some of the things that happened, especially strikes, but that most people had ignored the fact that the percentage of strikes in comparison to the number of workers employed under good working conditions was almost infinite.

He said there were less than 20,000 men out on strike in Canada but there were practically 1,000,000 men working under good agreements and maintaining industrial peace.

He remarked that the trade union movement is growing enormously "and it is remarkable that the co-operation we received from the great majority of leaders in industry in aiding us to build up an efficient labor movement."

"We are not antagonistic to employers and industry," he stated. "We want to see industry grow and thrive but we believe we are entitled to our fair share of the prosperity so that we may live a better life."

He spoke briefly on labor legislation in the Province stating that "Prince Edward Island has the most vicious labor legislation on the North American continent, one that takes away our rights and liberties."

Mr. Bruce is a director of the Polymer Corporation synthetic rubber plant at Sarnia, Ontario which is government owned. He is a member of the Dominion Council of Health and during the war served on the First National War Labor Board and on the War Supplies Committee.

Mr. J. M. MacAlduff of Charlottetown who presided over last night's meeting, stated that an exhaustive study of the labor legislation in the Maritime Provinces had been made during the past year.

He stated that on December 1 a group had presented a brief to the Government regarding labor legislation and as yet the Government had done nothing about the brief.

Labor representatives visiting the Province with Mr. Bruce include Messrs. J. H. Stafford, Trades and Labor Congress of Canada; James Dwyer, Brotherhood of Carpenters; M. W. Stevenson, International Union of Operating Engineers; Art Coleman, representing the American Federation of Labor.

Bethlehem Steel Corp. Dividend

NEW YORK, (AP) — Bethlehem Steel Corp's board of directors declared Thursday a dividend of 2.25 a share on common stock, payable March 1 to holders of record Feb. 7.

The directors declared the regular \$1.75 dividend on the 7 per cent cumulative preferred stock, payable April 1 to holders of record Feb. 23.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

MARRIAGES

SMITH — MacQUARRIE — At St. John's Rectory, Milton, on January 12th, 1955, by Rev. A. E. Piercey, Parker Fulton Smith, North Milton to Inez MacQuarrie of North Winsloe.

DEATHS

CAMPBELL — At the home of her daughter Mrs. Bruce MacLeod, Kensington on Jan. 27, 1955, Mrs. Ella Campbell in her 77th year. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

GODFREY — At North Wiltshire Jan. 26, 1955, Mrs. John T. Godfrey in her 92nd year. Remains resting at her late residence from where funeral will be held Saturday (not Friday as previously announced) afternoon, service starting at 2 o'clock. Interment North Wiltshire Cemetery.

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THE WINSLOE Pastoral Charge, United Church of Canada, services Sunday are as follows: Highfield, 11 a. m.; Winsloe North, 3 p. m.; Winsloe South, 7.30 p. m. All are welcomed. Heber H. Hardy, Minister.

BROOKFIELD CHARGE — The hours for service Jan. 30 are as follows: Hartsville 11.00 a. m.; Brookfield 3.00 p. m.; Glasgow Road 7.30 p. m. All are welcome. Rev. Lawrence Blaikie, Minister.

EXPRESS APPRECIATION — The patients of the Provincial Sanatorium wish to express their sincere appreciation and thanks to the Centennial Irish Minstrels for their most entertaining variety concert held at the Sanatorium on the evening of January 26.

LIONETTES MEET — The regular monthly meeting of the Charlottetown Lionettes Club was held last evening in the Blue Room of the Old Spain Restaurant, with Queen Lionette Lois Stevenson in the chair. Various reports were given and projects for raising funds discussed. It is expected that the Club will be welcoming several new members in the near future.

LEAVES FOR ONTARIO — Mr. Allison Croken, linotype operator, leaves for Kingston, Ont., tomorrow morning to join the staff of the Whig-Standard. Mr. Croken attended Queen Square School and on graduating joined the Canadian Army where he accumulated five years service. He took up linotype work on receiving his discharge from the service. Mrs. Croken and their young daughter Janice Marie will not leave for their new home for several weeks.

TRINITY BEAN SUPPER — The Bambi group of the Women's Association of the Trinity Church, put on their annual Bean Supper, in the social hall, on January 22, which was well patronized. The tables were lovely, in their setting of candles and flowers, the abundance of food, and the efficiency of the waitresses, left nothing to be desired. A neat sum was realized, to further advance the funds of the group.

PRIZE WINNERS — Prize winners at the weekly card party in Central Royalty hall: Ladies first, Mrs. Lloyd Archer; consolation, Mrs. Ray Hamby; men's first, Mr. E. C. MacMillan; consolation, Wendall Wood; door prize, Mrs. John McAleer, Jr.; freezeout, Mr. E. C. MacMillan and Miss Joan Evers. January tournament winners: Grand prize, Mr. Ralph Crockett; ladies' first, Mrs. Evelyn Crossman; men's first, Mr. William Matthews; ladies' second, Mrs. Ervin Buchanan. Men's second, Mr. Edgar Hayes.

BY TRUCK FROM FLORIDA — The first shipment of fruit and vegetables to be carried from Florida to Prince Edward Island by truck arrived in Charlottetown at Carvell Bros. on Wednesday night. The shipment was transported here by a trailer truck owned and driven by an American. The driver left Florida last Friday and only for a broken axle en route would have arrived here a day earlier. A shipment from Florida can usually be delivered here in less than five days.

Personals

The many friends of Mr. Stewart Mosher, Suffolk, are glad to see him recovering after being a patient in the P. E. I. Hospital following a painful accident.

Mr. J. J. Clark, travelling passenger agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway, visited the City yesterday. Mr. Clark, who is here on routine business, makes his headquarters in Saint John, N. B.

Friends will regret to learn that Mrs. E. W. Farquharson is a patient in the P. E. Island Hospital, suffering from a broken hip sustained in a fall yesterday at her home, 58 School St.

Musical Festival Ass'n. Meeting

A general meeting of the P. E. I. Musical Festival Association was held last night in Prince of Wales College with Dr. G. D. Steel presiding. Discussion relative to the forthcoming festival, which will take place this year April 29 to May 7, took place.

Mrs. Edwin Cook suggested the need of a fourth adjudicator and in this matter had the approval of the meeting. It was announced that Mr. Wharram of Toronto will be returning for a second time as an adjudicator. Major Ian Callum MacLeod will be one of the adjudicators for the Scottish dancing. The second adjudicator in this portion of the festival program will be announced at a later date.

The meeting ended with discussions concerning the various committees.

JANUARY THAWS

A January thaw in New England is mentioned in literature as early as 1708.

Annual Meeting Of Ch'town Branch Of Canadian Legion

Mr. Frank Rush was elected president of the Charlottetown Branch of the Canadian Legion at the annual meeting of the Branch held in the Clover Club last night. First vice-president is Mr. Victor Bowlan; second vice-president is Mr. Elric Campbell. Honorary president, comrade Charles Hine; R. C. Padre, Rev. W. J. Enright, C.S.S.R.; Protestant Padre, Rev. E. C. Evans. The new executive is as follows: J. A. Gallant, F. P. Smith, Harry Morgan, J. F. Leightner, Joseph Hughes, Eddy Brown, Alison MacLeod, Harry Mortimer, and Vernon Larter.

The president, Stanley Bryant in his report, first of all, expressed his sympathy to the families and relatives of the members who passed away during the year. He reported a year of varied activities the first of which was the observance of Paardenburg Day at which surviving members of the South African War were honoured.

Comrade Bryant stated that an invitation had been extended to the Provincial Command to hold the annual meeting in Charlottetown, but these plans had not been finalized. He reported that the Clover Club had been completely renovated and the canteen was in the process of being remodelled.

The president reported that the relief campaign for the year had been heavier than the preceding, while the proceeds from the Poppy Campaign had not increased over the previous year. The president thanked all the members of the executive and paid officials for a job well done. He particularly thanked the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, the United Officers Club and the Kingston Branch for their co-operation during the year. Appreciation was also extended to the Press and Radio.

The reports of the various committees indicated that the Branch has had a very successful year and the discussion entered into in connection with these reports gave evidence of the interest taken by the large number present at the meeting.

Committees heard from were: Membership, Leo Doyle; Poppy report, Comrade Hughes; Relief Committee, F. W. Smith; Sick and Visiting, Harry Mortimer; Employment, Spurgeon Leard; Dance Committee, Victor Bowlan; House Committee, Charles Sinclair; Parades and Ceremonials, A. Robert Walton; Canteen Committee, Frank Rush; Publicity, Pius Smith; Pensions and Welfare, Charles Sinclair.

To Honour Former Civic And Municipal Leaders

Former living mayors, councillors, and water commissioners will be honoured at a Centennial dinner at the Charlottetown Hotel next Monday evening. A reception will be held at six o'clock, one hour previous. His Worship Mayor Stewart and members of the City Council will be hosts at the dinner.

The Mayors to be honoured on this occasion are: Mr. Benjamin E. Rogers, 1910-1912; Dr. J. J. Yeo, 1913-1915; Mr. T. W. L. Prowse, 1916-1918; Mr. P. W. Turner, 1919-1921; Mr. E. A. Foster, 1922-1924; Dr. J. E. Blanchard, 1925-1927; Hon. B. Earle MacDonald, 1928-1931; Commemors are Messrs. J. A. Webster, 1922-1924; George W. MacLeod, 1922-1924; W. A. Stewart, 1925-1927; M. W. Heardon, 1928-1931; H. Van der Sande, 1932-1935; H. H. MacInnes, 1936-1938; Mr. L. LePage, 1939-1941; Perry G. Gay, 1942-1945; J. Gordon MacDonald, 1946-1948; Daniel Noonan, 1949-1948; N. W. Lowther, M. A. Farmer, W. H. Beaton, Chester M. Cox, Lester P. O'Donnell, 1949-1950; Dr. L. E. Prowse, 1950-1952; Col. Frank Storey and T. Roy Cudmore, 1952-1954. Water Commissioners are Messrs. J. A. Webster, 1922-1948; W. D. Gillis, 1949-1954; D. L. MacKinnon, 1946-1948; J. L. Curran, 1948-1952; S. G. Ives, 1952-1954.

A toast to the former Mayors will be proposed by Lt. Col. Frank Storey and will be responded to by Mr. J. R. MacKinnon, S. H. Burhoe, J. E. Arsenault, Mrs. Albert Kelly, Mrs. Clayton Shaw, Mrs. Earl Norrie, Mrs. Harry Mellish, J. E. and Mrs. Garnham, Ernest and Mrs. Matheson, E. C. and Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. Trevor Hansen, Dr. and Mrs. I. Rachmel. The meeting was well attended.

Spring Park Community Club Annual Meeting

Mr. Fulton Robertson was re-elected president of the Spring Park Community Club at the annual meeting held last night in the village hall. Elected vice-president was Mrs. Louis Walsh, treasurer, Mr. G. A. Cairns; Secretary, Mrs. Horace Cameron; auditor, Mr. Randolph Manning.

Members of the executive are J. R. MacKinnon, S. H. Burhoe, J. E. Arsenault, Mrs. Albert Kelly, Mrs. Clayton Shaw, Mrs. Earl Norrie, Mrs. Harry Mellish, J. E. and Mrs. Garnham, Ernest and Mrs. Matheson, E. C. and Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. Trevor Hansen, Dr. and Mrs. I. Rachmel. The meeting was well attended.

Kinsmen Club Meeting Held

Following an established custom, the Kinsmen Club voted the sum of \$50, as an annual donation to the activities of the P. E. Island Musical Festival Association, at their semi-monthly supper meeting held in the Charlottetown hotel last evening. A vote of \$25 was also passed as a contribution to the Somers relief fund.

Congratulations were extended to Kin. Dr. L. I. Duffy on his election as president of the Catholic Social Welfare Bureau. Buddy MacDonald, formerly of the Glace Bay club was admitted and welcomed as a new member on transfer.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear Mother, Mrs. R. H. Roberts, who passed away January 28th, 1952.

To think of the morning you left us Will always bring regret But the hearts that always loved you, Are the ones that can't forget.

Gone from us but leaving memories Death can never take away. Memories that will always linger While upon this earth we stay.

Lovingly Remembered by her Family.

In loving memory of my dear sister, Mrs. R. H. Roberts, who passed away January 28th, 1952.

Many a day her name is spoken Many an hour she is in my thoughts, But God has planned a home for us Where loved ones never part.

Remembered by her Sister, Mrs. Henry MacQuarrie.

In loving memory of our dear Grandmother, Mrs. R. H. Roberts, who passed away January 28th, 1952.

The days we spent together, The happy hours we knew Are lived again so often In memories of you.

Fondly Remembered by Gall and George.

In loving memory of our dear Father and Mother, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McGillivray who passed away January 17th, 1941, January 28th, 1954.

Shall we meet with Christ our Saviour When He comes to claim His own, Shall we know His blessed favor And sit down upon His throne.

Inserted by Son John and Daughter Isobel.

In loving memory of our Mother and Grandmother, Mrs. Duncan McGillivray, Churchhill, who passed away January 28th, 1954.

In a graveyard softly sleeping Close beside a country road, Lies the one we loved so dearly Gone from us to her abode.

Sheltered in the Rock of Ages Anchored on the golden shore, In the loving arms of Jesus Resist my dear Mother, evermore.

Ever Remembered by Daughter Kate and Family.

In loving memory of Mrs. Edward Clarke (nee Eva Pursey) who passed away January 28th, 1945.

Sunshine fades and shadows fall, But sweet remembrance outlasts all.

Strange But True

By F. H. MacArthur. Ever stop to think how much money it takes to send an American Olympic team to some foreign country?

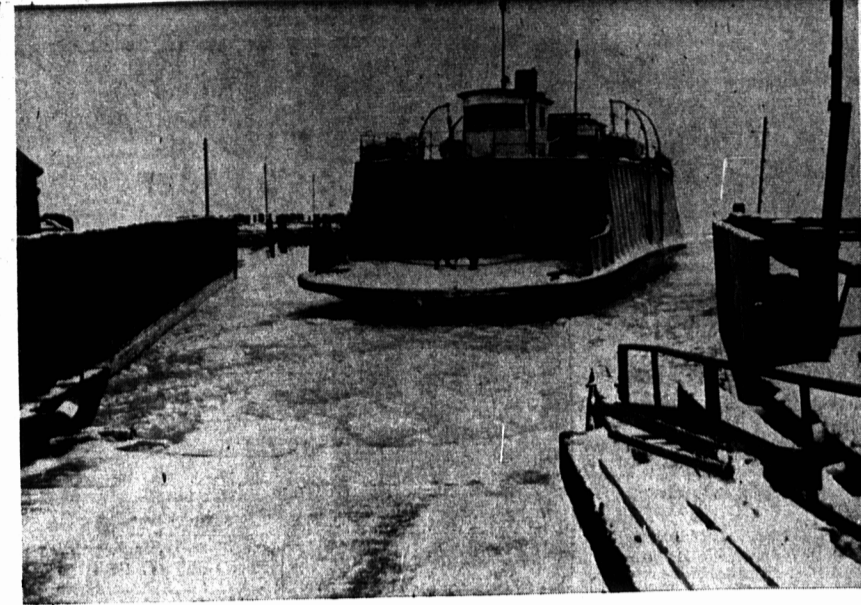
Next year nearly 600 athletes from every section of Uncle Sam's country will sail for Melbourne, Australia, to take part in the international competition. The committee in charge of the teams say it will need \$1,000,000 to cover cost of transportation, room and board for these men and women.

Buffalo City, Wis., (pop 319) hasn't locked up anyone in their small jail in 26 years.

We would not find as many bad kernels in our Christmas nuts if the people who gather and pack them for market were as wise as the squirrels. Mr. Squirrel takes up every nut between his paws, smells it, appraises it, marks it, and weighs it. How? By delicate muscular sense. If the shell is underweight the sagacious little squirrel casts the nut aside, for he knows it is worthless. If the nut was perfect, the fine balance in his paws and the subtle sense of smell asserted the fact, and then Mr. Squirrel put his owner-mark on it, but turning it round three times in his mouth, with his tongue, then he placed it in winter storage against lean days.

No squirrel worthy of his salt would ever think of taking food from his cache so long as other food in the woods was available.

REALLY HIGH An experimental plane of the U.S. air force reached a secret altitude mark of around 90,000 feet as early as 1708.



Rocky Point Ferry Surpasses 1949 Crossing Shown nudging her way through ice that had formed near shore, the Rocky Point ferry "Fairview" yesterday surpassed the January 1949 crossing date which had been the latest in many years.—(Photo by Margaret Mallett)

Beef Marketing Record

HAMILTON, (CP)—All-time records in the domestic marketing of beef as well as in calf marketing and movement of feeder cattle were broken last year, H. J. Maybee, acting chief of the livestock division of Canada's marketing service, said Thursday.

The quality of hogs was a matter for real concern, he declared, pointing out that in 1954, only 25.9 per cent were Grade A. This was the lowest percentage since 1936. The brunt of the responsibility lay with Ontario and the western provinces.

In an address before the 35th annual meeting of the Industrial and Development Council of Canadian Meat Packers, Mr. Maybee said that prospects are for a continued high level of livestock production during 1955 with some surpluses over domestic consumption, despite the fact that domestic requirements are steadily increasing due to a growing population.

Mr. Maybee said that Canada may be faced with an overall surplus of pork products this year, and that "if this is the situation, Canadian prices will likely continue to be influenced by the U. S. market except during temporary periods of light runs in Canada."

After his wife and son died, Mr. Fenton saved his money in England. He brought his savings to Canada in 1947. Then, he said, he was swindled out of half of it. Recently he decided to visit his daughter, Mrs. Lily Pullinger of Sheldon, England, a small town outside Birmingham.

He said he had carried the money, in \$100 bills, inside the leg of his long underwear since last November.

68-Year-Old Man Loses Savings

WINNIPEG (CP) — For three months 68-year-old James Fenton carried his life savings of \$1,900 inside the leg of his underwear.

Tuesday he transferred it to an envelope in his coat pocket and went downtown to buy a ticket to England.

But somewhere on Portage avenue the envelope dropped out. He said that was the "final straw."

CHURCH MEET OPENS

MILWAUKEE (AP) — The four-day Lutheran Evangelism Conference, expected to attract more than 3,000 delegates from 30 States and Canada, opened at the Arena Thursday.

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JOHNSON'S PASTE WAX 59c; HARD GLOSS, 59c; McCreedy's CHOW CHOW, 37c; SILVER SEAL PEANUT BUTTER 39c; HOLLY HILL GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 29c; GRAVES APPLE JUICE, 32c; GLOBE PEARS, 2 for 47c; CLARK'S BEANS, 20c; KELOGG'S CORN FLAKES, 2 for 35c; YORK PRUNE PLUMS, 2 for 39c; FAB, 2 for 69c; VEL, 2 for 69c.

PALMOLIVE BEAUTY SOAP. Colgate's Dental CREAM (33c size) 2 for 49c; Lustre Creme SHAMPOO, 98c size for 79c; Palmolive SHAMPOO with Free Palmolive SOAP—both for 59c. C.I.L. PAINTS DISCONTINUED LINES AND NUMBERS OF INTERIOR-FLAT, SEMI-GLOSS, SATIN AND GLOSS GOING AT 40% OFF.