



THEATRE'S INTERIOR TAKING SHAPE

The interior of the new Confederation Memorial Theatre is being raised to completion in time for the holding of the Dominion Drama Festival

here in May. The picture shows the acoustically designed ceiling which experts claim will make the theatre one of

the finest on the continent especially for the presentation of plays and other forms of entertainment which depend on

the sound of the human voice. The picture was taken looking towards the rear of the theatre from the stage area.

School Construction Expected Early May

Alfred J. Hennessey, architect for the Charlottetown Regional High School to be located near the Vocational Institute off Haman Crescent, said yesterday construction is expected to begin early in May.

The site is about 300 feet southwest of the institute, just to the east of North River Road, on a 2-acre tract purchased by the P.E.I. government a few years ago.

An advertisement in yesterday's paper requested tenders for the structural steel work on the building, which is to be built mainly of steel, concrete and masonry.

Mr. Hennessey said the cost of the building has not yet been completely estimated.

The new school measurements will be 235 feet by 185 feet in its first stage.

Mr. Hennessey said the building is "designed to be extended another 15 feet" in several years' time.

This first stage will house 24 classrooms, at least 14 of which must be ready for use by September, Mr. Hennessey said.

The classroom wing will be three stories high, and the gymnasium and administrative section is to be two stories.

There will be no laboratories in the first part of the building, since it will be occupied only by grades nine and ten.

UNIQUE FEATURE
The combination of gymnasium and lunchroom space is perhaps the most unique feature of the design.

Mr. Hennessey said this was "an entirely open space" although there will be bleachers located between the two rooms.

On occasions where there is dancing, the students can sit on the raised cafeteria area," he said.

The cafeteria will have seating space for 250 students.

FROM 32 DISTRICTS
The students who will use the new school come from 32 school districts in a radius of about eleven miles, as far east as Farming Brook and as far west as Emerald.

At present they are scattered in eleven rooms at the Provincial Vocational Institute, three rooms at Parkdale, three at Sherwood, one at Mt. Stewart and one at Fort Augustus.

School board chairman Dugwell MacFadyen, Meadowbank, said that the total enrolment in these rooms is about 520, with some 570 pupils in the ninth and tenth grades.

The new school will be able to accommodate over 700 students, he said.

School trustees are Charles Duff, Fort Augustus; Bennett Kerr, West Royalty; Grove MacMillan, Covehead; Malcolm Leves, Southport; Leo MacIsaac, Mermind; W. J. Andrew, East Royalty; and E. M. Gowan, Sherwood.

Warren Burns of Parkdale

Fitness Class Starts Tonight

MONTAGUE — The Montague adult keep fit classes for men and women will commence tonight when the women will begin classes at 7:30 and the men at 8:30.

The keep fit training will be at all men and women served by the regional high school unit.

Over one year ago classes of this type were carried on with success in the early part of the year. However it was noted that classes fell off during the back-to-school and curling season, so this year the classes were postponed until now to give all an opportunity to attend.

The classes will once again be under the instruction of the Montague Elementary School physical education teacher, Robert Ill.

FOUNDED STATE
Liberia, declared a republic in 1847, was founded in 1822 by negro freedmen from the U.S. to establish a settlement at

Monrovia.

Island Couple Mark 65th Anniversary

MURRAY HARBOR — Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Machon, formerly of Prince Edward Island and now of Cranston, Rhode Island, celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary recently at the home of their son, John H.B. Machon, North Providence.

Mr. Machon, 53, is the son of the late John Machon, Murray Harbor and his wife is the daughter of the late James Glover, formerly of White Sands and Mt. Stewart.

They have five children, eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Mr. Machon's sister, Mrs. Lauretta Brooks resides in Murray Harbor.

Decisions Are Expected

A decision regarding the acceptance of tenders for operation of the incinerator and the appointment of a city engineer

to replace Norman F. Stewart, who resigned earlier, is expected to take place this week. City Hall sources said yesterday there had been 16 applications received for the position of engineer and it is hoped final "screening" of them can be completed in order to bring a firm recommendation to City Council. At the same time there were four tenders for operation of the incinerator. The latter includes provision of a machine—trax-cavator—and hiring two men to handle the machines and burning of the garbage.

Couple Charged With Abandoning Three Children

ST. THOMAS, Ont. (CP)—An Ottawa couple charged with abandoning their three children were brought here under guard after they were arrested by Windsor police.

Delbert Frederick Vernon Coffell, 24, and his wife, Hildegard Helena Coffell, 21, were picked up by two Windsor police officers on routine patrol. They are charged with child abandonment.

The children are reported in good condition in hospital here after treatment for exposure and malnutrition.

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