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COMMUNITY CREDIT UNION, Summerside. Monday evening. New members. Deposits-Loans.

FREE SCHOOL SKATE this afternoon. Bedeque Rink. From 2 to 4.

THE O'LEARY OFFICE of Dr. Raymond Grant will not be open today but will be open Saturday, January 9th.

MALPEQUE UNITED CHURCH. There will be service in Malpeque United Church on Sunday, January 3rd, at 11 A. M. Rev. Alexander MacKay, Minister.

THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA, Kensington, Sunday, January 3rd, Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Evening Worship 7:30 P. M. Summerville 2:30 P. M. Rev. Lewis M. Murray, B. A., B. D., Minister.

CENTRAL BEDEQUE United Baptist Church. Services Sunday 11 A. M. Wednesday, January 6th, in the United Baptist Church. Central Bedeque Week of Prayer Service. Rev. Kenneth Campbell, Speaker.

TRUCKING HOGS from Kinkora, Middleton, Newton, Bedeque, Carleton, Fernwood, and Tryon, every Tuesday for Canada Packers. Telephone Borden 55-12. Maurice Larsen.

PARISH OF ALBERTON - Church of England. Holy Communion at 11:00 a.m. in St. Peter's, Alberton. Evening Prayer at 3:00 p.m. in Holy Trinity, Alma, and at 7:30 p.m. in St. Luke's, O'Leary. Preacher at Alberton and O'Leary will be Rev. L. A. Dignan. Rev. J. R. McMahon, rector.

JUNIOR HOCKEY ORGANIZATION - All teams wishing to enter the Junior Hockey League at Bedeque Rink are requested to hand in their entries to Arthur Murray or Billy Calbeck at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday night, January 2nd, at the rink. Each team entered will be permitted a short practice during the evening.

Alberton And Vicinity

Mr. William Profit, Montreal, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Profit, Alberton.

Miss Dorothy Bonyman, Halifax, N. S., is paying a brief visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bonyman, Alberton.

A very successful New Year's eve dance was held at the Alberton Legion Hall on Thursday evening. Music was provided by the Western Five orchestra.

Mr. Peter Gavin and family moved from Kildare to Alberton on Wednesday. They have taken up residence in a house owned by Miss Rita Ahearn on South Main Street.

STORY OF GRACE MOORE

With Kathryn Grayson in the leading role, Warner Bros. "So This is Love" the story of the life of Grace Moore, comes to the Capitol Theatre, Summerside. Miss Grayson is seen in the role of the girl from Tennessee who rose from the obscurity of her small, home town church choir to star at the Metropolitan Opera and won lasting fame as one of America's most talented and exciting theatrical personalities.

Air Force Defeat Albany 9-6

R. C. A. F. Flyers Wednesday defeated Albany St. Pats in the second league game of the South Shore Intermediate "B" League in Bedeque rink. Following is the summary.

Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Points. Includes RCAF Stabb, O'Rourke, Allard, Phillips, Cannon, Taylor, Zaleski, Cutcliffe, Grady, Taylor, MacLeod, Leon, Cannon, Phillips, Cannon and Taylor.

Let's Talk It Over

Gift-giving at Christmas, and resolution-making at New Year's are both symbols of what is best in the nature of man. The gift may be ridiculously unsuited to the taste or the need of the receiver, and the resolution may be broken before January is out, but the expression of good will and the desire for "more stately mansions" for the soul, which accompany each are imperishable monuments to man's wish to hitch his chariot to a star.

Good intentions have been derided as paving material for a road leading to perdition. No doubt some of us are weak individuals whose good resolves never get into the gear-shifting stage, but conversely, all good deeds must start with good intentions. Attitudes must be right, or conduct will always be wrong.

What a wonderful world this would be if every day were a combination of Christmas and New Year! If giving were a watchword for every day; giving of ourselves to the cause of mankind! If resolutions were made every day, new and fresh, and full of the vigor which beginnings always have; firm resolves to act as individuals that understanding and tolerance might have existed places in the community of nations.

Year's First Baby In Prince County

The 10 pounds, one ounce baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton MacLean, of West Devon, born at 1:05 a.m. yesterday morning, January 1, 1954, in the Prince County Hospital in Summerside, became the first baby of the New Year to be born in any Prince County nursing home or hospital.

In addition to this distinction the new baby becomes the recipient of a large number of appropriate presents donated by Summerside firms to mark the occasion.

This lovely baby girl is the second child born to Mr. and Mrs. MacLean, the other being a son, Johnnie, now 10 years of age.

A check at the Western Nursing at Alberton, the Turner Hospital in O'Leary, and the Stewart Memorial Hospital in Tyne Valley revealed that, at least until late yesterday afternoon, although there were prospective possibilities in most of these centres, babies were born at any of them after midnight on New Year's eve.

In that same time, however, four babies were born at the Summerside Prince County Hospital, and it appeared as if the stork's new year preference was for girls—all four babies were girls!

PoW Says

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Friday night for 30 minutes he talked with his wife by telephone. "I'm so happy and I'm crying," she told him.

"I love you. I will see you in a couple of days? Not tomorrow? Why don't you tell them I wait for you?" And she put in a word for Tomako, their cat.

"I think Tomako wait for you too," she said. Batchelor, speaking in broken Japanese, kept mumbling over and over how happy he was to hear again the voice of the girl whom he taught to sing "The Tennessee Waltz"; then left to go away to war in 1950.

There was more joy back in Kermitt where Batchelor's mother said she felt "like shouting" and his father exclaimed it "the best news I have ever heard."

"I never did give up," the oil driller father said. "I think he was just a brain-washed victim of war, that's all."

Wearing a quilted overcoat, the corporal sat calmly in a chair Friday after his release and told reporters that fear of daggers delayed his return at least a month.

Allied, Swiss and Swedish officers looked on during the interview. "Will other Americans come out?" a reporter asked. "Quite possibly," Batchelor replied.

"Did your wife have anything to do with your coming back?" "She sure did."

EXCHANGE OFFICERS
SYDNEY, Australia, (CP)—An exchange of officers between the Royal Australian Air Force and the United States Air Force has been arranged. The first 10 Australian officers will leave for the U. S. with their families in January, and the Americans are expected here in February.

Enjoyable New Year's Is Free From Accidents

A publicity campaign conducted by the Attorney-General's Department which offered suggestions to after-party motorists, was credited by most persons yesterday as having been responsible for ushering in New Year's with the usual unconfined joy made even more enjoyable in the knowledge that, despite icy road conditions, not even a minor traffic accident was reported in the Summerside area which could be blamed on New Year's celebrations.

In addition to the usual private house parties, 1954 was welcomed by several hundred people who attended dance parties at the R.C. A. F. Station, Howard's Restaurant, and the Imperial Dance Palace. A snow storm which started at dusk cleared suddenly before 8 p.m., and gave way to a clear bright evening.

New Year's Receptions Held At Summerside

Yesterday morning the Commanding Officer and officers of the RCAF Station at Summerside held a reception at the officers mess which was attended by a number of citizens including federal, provincial, and municipal officials.

The Commanding Officer of the station, Group Captain A. G. Kenyon, C.D., was present, together with a number of officers from the various units and sections, to welcome the civilian guests from Charlottetown and Summerside. Included in those present from Charlottetown were: Lt. Gov. T. W. L. Prowse, Premier A. W. Matheson, the Mayor, Lt. Col. J. D. Stewart, Brig. G. G. K. Peake, Brig. W. W. Reid, Capt. J. J. Connolly, Lt. Col. A. W. Rogers, W/C. A. G. MacMillan, Surg.-Comm. L. E. Prowse, Lt. Col. Keith Johnson, Lt. Col. D. MacCormack, Lt. Cmdr. J. N. Kenny, Inspector W. H. Nevin, R.C.M.P. Arthur Carruthers, Pres. Ch'town Air Force Association, Wm. Brennan and J. A. Fullerton.

Freeland and Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Patterson and children of Upper Steviacke, N. S., were pre-Christmas guests for a few days at the home of Mrs. Patterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Smith.

The December meeting of Freeland Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Harold Phillips. Money was voted to help provide a treat for the school children. The members decided to send a box of toys to the Orphanages. Place of next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Erving Smith.

Mrs. Hayden Bowler, a recent visitor to Freeland, went to Ottawa where she was met by her husband Mr. and Mrs. Bowler left there for Carthage, N. Y., where they planned to spend Christmas with Mrs. Bowler's brother, Wallace Palmer, before going back to their home in Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Lorne MacLean and Miss Donna Palmer, Summerside, spent the Christmas holidays at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Palmer.

Mr. Allan Palmer, Truro Agricultural College and Mr. Erland Henderson, Dalhousie University, are enjoying the Christmas holidays at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Webb, O'Leary, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Palmer on Dec. 27.

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church met for their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Erving Smith.

Mr. Lorne Murphy, Summerside, is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. Kenneth MacKay, Antigonish, N. S., and Mr. William MacKay, Charlottetown, were home

New Manager Of S'ide Raceway

Mr. Kenneth MacDougall, of Sydney, N.S., whose name is synonymous with horse racing throughout the Maritime, has accepted the position of general manager of the Summerside Raceway and Stadium, and will assume his new duties here about the first of the new year.

Born in Woodstock, N. B., Mr. MacDougall has been associated with agricultural fairs, etc., for more than 25 years. Always keenly interested in the sport-racing, he recalls that two of the horses racing on the Woodstock track on his first day as "starter", back in 1922, were Bud Wenger driven by Bill Avery, and Calumet Budlong driven by Billy Hood. The Bud Wenger horse still holds the track record of 2:02 1/2 at the Charlottetown track.

Since that day Mr. MacDougall has officiated as starter and presiding judge at every major track in the Maritime Provinces. For the past four years he has been manager and presiding judge at the Cape Breton Sports Centre Raceway at Sydney.

Mr. MacDougall is married and has two daughters and two sons. "Scotty", his younger son, is 9 years of age. His other three children are married. His elder son "Bob" played hockey last year with the Moncton Hawks, and on two previous occasions played in Summerside with the Moncton High School and Juniors.

HELP FOR FARMERS

ROTTERDAM, (Reuters)—Canadian agricultural relief goods with a value of about \$412,000 were handed over here Wednesday to the Netherlands Red Cross, which in turn gave them to the agricultural foundation for help to victims of the disastrous floods of last February.

HOCKEY

BORDEN RINK
MONDAY, JAN. 4—8:30 P.M.
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Admission: 40c and 25c
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SCHEDULE OF CHURCH SERVICES FOR WEEK OF PRAYER, JAN. 4-8

Table with 2 columns: Church Name and Service Time. Includes Alberton Section (Presbyterian, United, Church of England, Nazarene) and O'Leary Section (Church of Nazarene, Baptist, United, Anglican, United Church).

TRYON, CRAPAUD, HAMPTON

WEEK OF PRAYER SERVICES
Bonshaw United: Tuesday, Jan. 5—Rev. L. Archer.
Crapaud Church of England: Wednesday, Jan. 6—Rev. Ebsary.
Tryon Baptist: Thursday, Jan. 7—Rev. R. M. Baxter.
Tryon United: Friday, Jan. 8—Rev. E. J. Barras.
Theme: The Churches Mission in the Home, School, Community and World.

CAMEO THEATRE (KENSINGTON)

Saturday 7:15-9:15; Matinee 2:30 on Saturday. Mush! They're off through the snow, with a load of fun! Bud Abbott, Lou Costello, "LOST IN ALASKA"

ROYAL THEATRE BORDEN

Friday - Saturday 7:15 - 9:15. Matinee 2:30 on Saturday. Esther Williams world's most famous bathing beauty in M-G-M's "MILLION DOLLAR MERMAID" in technicolor, co-starring Victor Mature, Walter Pidgeon. Bank night drawing Saturday.

CRAPAUD THEATRE

FRIDAY - SATURDAY - 8:15
"THE BIG SKY"
Kirk Douglas, Dewey Martin, Elizabeth Thraatt
A WESTERN RATED "EXCELLENT"
PLEASE NOTE: This is the last picture which will be shown at this theatre until about first of April.

CAPITOL Summerside

SPECIAL CHILDREN'S MATINEE TODAY AT 2:30
(Feature for this Matinee only)
SHIRLEY TEMPLE in
"SUSANNAH OF THE MOUNTIES"
TONIGHT 7:15 - 9:15

So This is Love! It'll make you sing and fall in love! This is Love! 15 Songs and every one great! Love! THE RAGTIME-TO-RICHES STORY OF GRACE MOORE IN TECHNICOLOR

REGENT TO-DAY 2.30 - 7.15 - 9.20
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