

Snowplows Busy Yesterday Fighting Storm Aftermath

At a late hour last night the Government machines were still labouring to get many of the main highways opened to traffic, but it was proving a very slow job. The road to Borden via Bonshaw was open and the road to Summersville via Kensington is expected to be opened within the next day or two. Further west some sections of the roads were open but only single tracked.

In the eastern section the roads from Charlottetown to Souris, Georgetown Montague and on through Murray River a single lane had been broken through but in all cases the travelling was heavy and will continue to be that way until such time that the plows have had an opportunity to widen them out and wing back.

All bus services throughout the Province remained at a standstill yesterday and it was not known when the regular services would be able to resume.

The Maritime Central Airways resumed the scheduled service to Moncton at 11.20 yesterday morning, and in afternoon were able to operate to Halifax and the Magdalen Islands. It was not known when the flights to New Glasgow would start operating, due to the difficulties experienced there in clearing the runways and the roads approaching the airport.

The Canadian National Railways reported that all local trains operated on time yesterday. The train from the mainland arrived in the city at 9.40 p.m. one hour and twenty minutes late, the delay being caused by the mainline trains. The Borden ferry made regular crossings making the run in almost summer time.

HALIFAX (CP) — Clear, cold weather settled over the Maritime yesterday in the wake of a blizzard Tuesday that claimed four lives and left roads clogged by drifting snow.

Newfoundland, meanwhile, reported a foot of snow as the storm swept eastward. Businesses closed as drifts piled five to 12 feet high. Officially it would be at least a week before St. John's returned to normal.

Some roads were still impassable in Nova Scotia, where up to 12 inches of fresh snow fell Tuesday and early Wednesday. Highway plows broke through Wednesday afternoon through New Glasgow and Port Hawkesbury to open the main route between mainland Nova Scotia and Cape Breton. Many highways in Prince Edward Island were still blocked. Charlottetown got 17 inches of snow. Flakes driven before a 60-mile wind smothered transportation facilities hit by two earlier storms in five days.

BOATS SEEK HAVEN

One train was derailed in Nova Scotia and others delayed. Cars stalled, planes flights cancelled and boats stayed at their piers rather than risk high winds and icy seas.

RCMP and a highway snowplow bucked through 125 miles of drifted roads at the storm's height to bring a two-day-old infant to a Halifax hospital from Fox River, near Parrsboro, N. S.

Gloucester County Sheriff J. Edgar Auble died in hospital at Rexford, N. B., Wednesday of injuries received when his car collided with a truck at the height of the storm. He was going home to Bathurst after delivering a prisoner to Dorchester penitentiary.

Glenwood Redmond, 30, of Cornwall, P. E. I., was fatally injured when struck by a snowplow Tuesday near Cardigan. Joseph William Saulnier of West Gore, N. S., was killed by a CNR train while walking along tracks in the blizzard.

Arl Freeman, 58-year-old merchant, died of a heart attack while he and his wife were shovelling their car out of a snow drift near New Germany, N. S.

BUSES IMMOBILE

Suburban bus service in many areas of New Brunswick was cancelled and commuters hitched rides with friends. Milk and bread deliveries were slowed or cancelled in rural areas and some were still without mail service as plows tried to break through drifts.

Eight men were rescued from a boat when they lost their way in Halifax harbor and a man and a woman reached safety on a southern Newfoundland highway after an RCMP plane had begun a search for them.

Annual Meeting Playgrounds Commission

The annual meeting of the Charlottetown Playgrounds Commission was held last evening and the various committees reported a very active and successful year, in carrying on the supervision of playgrounds on Rochford Square and Prince Street School grounds. The commission co-operated in the swimming classes at the park, and in organizing and carrying out the doll carriage parade and scooter races held as a feature in the Charlottetown centennial celebrations. It also co-operated in the school children's hockey instruction and supervision at the Sports Arena.

The outgoing executive was congratulated on completing such an active year. The following were appointed as executive for the coming year: President, Harold MacLean; Vice-President, Russell St. John; Secretary, Mrs. T. H. Cauty; Treasurer, J.T. Robinson; and Press reporter, E.E. Clawson.

The next meeting will be held in March, to which representatives of all city service clubs will be invited.

Steel Company Silent On Price At Hearing

OTTAWA (CP)—The Steel Company of Canada said Wednesday it will not divulge its selling prices in the presence of its competitors on the grounds that it may be illegal under federal anti-combines laws.

Sales Manager Harry Stipe told the tariff board Stipe would be willing to supply the board with price lists but only if such lists are kept confidential.

The company had spent a "lot of good money" trying to find out what is legal, he said, and it had been advised not to discuss prices in any way in the presence of competitors.

Stipe's stand, outlined just before the board ended its first round of public hearings in connection with basic steel industry's demand for higher tariffs, brought comment both from the board and the United Steelworkers of America (CCL-CIO).

Board member W. W. Buchanan said he naturally would be asking a great deal about the industry's prices in relation to proposed tariff boosts.

The board would, of course, respect Stipe's wish if it asked that the prices be kept confidential but he would rather see them made public so that questioning would not be hampered. He said statements made before the board would be privileged.

QUESTIONS POLICY

Steel union representative Harry Waisglass of Toronto questioned whether Stelco, Canada's top steel producer, did not want to disclose prices because it practised "price discrimination" among its various customers.

Mr. Stipe replied angrily that Mr. Waisglass was accusing Stelco of doing something illegal. If the union had any charges to make, it should do so before the courts.

Mr. Waisglass said he was not making any charges, just asking questions. United States steel companies made their price lists public, he said, and he could not see why Canadian companies should not also do so.

Mr. Stipe denied that U.S. companies made their lowest base prices public. He said no company does. There may be information published by such organs as the Iron Age magazine telling its readers what it thinks those prices are, but prices and spreads are not made public by the steel companies themselves.

Annual Meeting Spring Park Commissioners Last Night

"We are considerably closer to obtaining action on this matter than ever before," J.E. Arsenault stated in his annual report as chairman of the village Commissioners presented to the ratepayers of Spring Park at the village Community Centre last night. He was reporting on the progress made towards sewer and water facilities, based on several meetings the Commissioners had with Premier Matheson, Hon. B. Earle Macdonald and Alex MacIsaac, Sth. District of Queen's representatives in the Legislature, Town Planning Supervisor Claude Smith, Sanitary Engineer Robert Donnelly and C. Wichtman, consulting engineer of Amherst N.S.

Other activities stressed in the report of Mr. Arsenault were the installation of a new fire alarm siren under the direction of Howard Douglas, Fire, Sewer and Water Dept. There is a 24-hour service in effect at the fire station with daily testing of equipment and alarm. Assistance was rendered by the Department at three fires outside the village during the year.

Reporting on street lighting improvement, the chairman thanked W.V. Burke, committee chairman, for the work done when ten new street lights were added, bringing the total to 46.

The report of the finance committee, submitted by Randolph Manning, showed an expenditure of \$604.80 in administration; \$864.06 under Fire, Sewer and Water Dept., and \$1,359.00 by the Street Department.

J.E. Arsenault and H.W. Douglas were re-elected Commissioners for the village, following their retirement in accordance with the constitution. The six Commissioners in the organization, representing a population of 1,289 are: J.E. Arsenault, Chairman, Randolph Manning, Preston Hillier, Eidon MacLean H.W. Douglas, W.V. Burke, Robert Stewart is Clerk.

40 N. S. Miners Move To Ontario

ATKOKAN, Ont. (CP) — Forty Nova Scotia miners, unable to find work in the depressed Maritime coal industry have arrived in this northwestern Ontario town to work in the iron mines.

The men will be employed in underground operations at Steep Rock iron mines.

CATERERS UNWELCOME

LONDON (Reuters) — Moscow Radio reported Tuesday that the United States state department had refused visas for a Soviet delegation wishing to study public catering in America. Replying to a Soviet embassy request for visas, the state department said it regarded the delegation as "undesirable," the radio added.

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TONIGHT AT 8:00 Dr. W.J.P. MacMillan will speak over CFCY in the interests of the Red Cross Campaign.

VARIETY CONCERT sponsored by Senior Auxiliary, P. E. I. Hospital will be held tonight Thursday in P. W. C. Auditorium.

SNOW SUITS — Ski Suits as sorted sizes. Special group \$6.95, remainder 1-3 off. Holmes and Bradley.

RESERVE Feb. 21st., for Red Cross Annual Meeting at Clover Club - displays, film and panel discussion will be features.

POLICE COURT — Only one accused appeared before Magistrate Martin yesterday morning. A man charged with theft and previously remanded was sentenced to one year in jail.

OMITTED — In the recent obituary of the late Mrs. William Tucker of Wolburn, Mass., among the names of neices omitted was that of Mrs. James D. Flood of South Melville.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENT — A car proceeding east on King Street yesterday was hit by a car going north on Queen; the first car suffered damage to the right front fender. The vision of both drivers was blocked by the snow which the clearance machinery had piled down the centre of Queen leaving only a narrow gap for traffic travelling through on King Street.

TRINITY Y. P. U. — The regular weekly meeting of the Trinity Y. P. U. was held in the church Social Hall last evening. The meeting was presided over by Ralph Wright. During the business meeting it was decided that a toboggan party will be held in the near future. A discussion period was then held on the topic "in the light of modern knowledge, what should our attitude be today toward the stories of the Old Testament". The meeting then broke up into three discussion groups, after which Rev. G. Howard Christie gave a short talk. The meeting closed with the singing of psalms and benediction.

WE TREAT THE SICK WELL.

Giggy's Pharmacy, open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

HEAR MUSICAL Festival Talk from King's County over CFCY, tonight 8.15.

A. Y. P. A. MEETING — The weekly meeting of St. Paul's A. Y. P. A. was held last evening in the parish hall. Trinity Y. P. U. members were guests. The meeting opened with the hymn "Four of the World Arise" and prayers led by the president, Allison Gill. The evening was spent in playing games and closed with "Auld Lang Syne" and Grace.

KEEN INTEREST

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WARD FIVE

Johnstone	McCormac	Foster	Curtis	Kenny	Worth
West B. A-K	180	115	143	151	92
West B. L-Z	148	80	132	148	67
West A	106	156	102	77	95
West C	74	99	65	34	64
East. Cen.	186	96	138	133	52
East. A-H	103	103	73	66	42
East. I-J	120	101	67	96	47
Total	917	750	720	705	459

WARD FOUR

West	211	134	129
Central	106	131	97
East	111	98	69
Total	428	363	295

WARD THREE

O'Neill	137
Wright	135

Councillors Elected Yesterday



Trophies To Be Awarded At Regional Drama Festival

Trophies to be awarded at the conclusion of the P.E.I. Regional Drama Festival being held in Queen Charlotte High School Auditorium, February 16th and 18th, are as follows:

A Challenge Trophy and cash prize of \$100. is donated by Calvert's for the best presentation of a full length play at each of the thirteen Regional Festivals across Canada. In the P.E.I. Region the trophy is a figure, carved in mahogany by Frances Loring, R. C.A. and is called "Invocation". Calvert's also donate a Challenge Trophy and cash prize of \$1,000. to the winning play in the Final Festival.

The DeBlois Trophy, a beautiful silver cup, was donated by Colonel, the Honourable George D. DeBlois in 1937, to be awarded to the winning play in New Brunswick - P.E. Island Regional Festivals. At that time, these two Provinces constituted one Region. After World War II, Prince Edward Island was named a separate Region and the DeBlois Trophy went out of circulation. With Mr. DeBlois' consent and beginning this year, the DeBlois Challenge Trophy will be awarded to the winning play in the P.E.I. Region, each year.

It has been some years since

Benevolent Irish Society

MONTHLY MEETING

Friday, Feb. 10 at 9 P.M.

Important business.

Full attendance is requested.

THANKS

To my many workers and supporters I extend thanks for their splendid efforts.

I congratulate my successful opponents in Ward Four and wish every success to the incoming Civic Administration.

GORDON (Wes) STOREY.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD FOUR

I wish to express to you my sincere appreciation for the splendid support which you gave me in yesterday's election.

Please be assured that I shall endeavour to give close attention to the administration of our civic affairs particularly those affecting Ward Four.

A. JAMES HASLAM.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND HOSPITAL

ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the Act of Incorporation a public meeting of all contributors to the Prince Edward Island Hospital will be held in the classroom, new nurses' residence, Charlottetown, on Thursday, February 23, 1956, at 8 P.M. for the purpose of electing trustees for the government of the institution in accordance with the by-laws and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it.

J. ANDREW LIKELY,
Secretary, Board of Trustees.

The general public are cordially invited to attend the 1955 Annual Meeting.

In order to vote it is necessary to be a contributor, which means contributing \$1.00 or more to the Hospital funds during the calendar year for which the meeting is being held.

PERSONALS

Mr. Vic Runtz left yesterday afternoon to attend a meeting of the Maritime Baptist Publications Board in Halifax.

Dr. W. R. Stewart, assistant medical superintendent at the Provincial Sanatorium, is taking a two weeks course in bronchoscopy at the School of Medicine of Temple University, Philadelphia.

Howard McInnis

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CHINESE IN MOSCOW

LONDON (AP) — Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin and Communist party chief Nikita Khrushchev Monday received in separate interviews the touring Red China military delegation headed by Marshal Chu Teh, deputy chairman of the Peiping regime, Moscow radio reported.