

# Island News Page

Eastern and Central Districts

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## CBC Makes Bid For TV Outlet In P.E.I.

**CAPITAL BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN**  
**OTTAWA** — The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation has come out strongly for the right to establish its own television outlet in Prince Edward Island. President J. Alphonse Ouimet of the CBC made this clear in releasing detailed comments of the corporation on the report of the Fowler committee on broadcasting.

Mr. Ouimet pointed out that the CBC does not yet have a television station in three Canadian provinces: Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Saskatchewan. The stations in these provinces are privately owned and are either affiliated with the CBC or with the rival CTV network.

"If funds are not immediately available to remedy this lack, or if the areas cannot yet accommodate a second station, it is recommended that channels be reserved for CBC use and that CBC stations be the next stations authorized in these areas," the corporation report says.

The report says this is the only way in which P.E.I. and the other two provinces can eventually

be adequately reflected on the national networks. This fact, plus the desirability of a broad choice of programming for the public and the consequences which would stem from the suggestion the CBC be restricted while private stations are not, compels the corporation to reject the recommendation of the Fowler committee in this regard.

The committee had recommended that the reservation of television channels for CBC in certain cities be given up and that for the next five years the CBC not be allowed to establish any stations in centres that now have private station service.

Such a recommendation would mean the CBC could not establish its own station in Charlottetown for at least five years because of the presence there of the private P.E.I. station.

The CBC points out that in practical terms the freeze on CBC stations for five years would be a permanent freeze unless a similar five-year moratorium was imposed on all second or third TV licenses whether CBC or private.



## ICE PACKS BOTHER ENGINEERS

The current trend toward warmer weather in Calgary has stopped the rapid build-up of ice on the Bow River. Each year the shifting movement of the huge ice packs is a grave concern to city engineers as a jam could cause serious flooding.

production should be attained before a man would qualify for assistance as a farmer."

A farmer with five cattle, or even 10 poor milk cows does not qualify as a dairyman; a farmer with 100 hens is not a poultryman, one with 10 hogs is not a hog man, explained the man who has his sights set higher for agriculturists here.

Recognizing that "a short period of prosperity exists on Island farms," Mr. Yeo suggested "the hit or miss farm atmosphere we live in is bound to return to the old economic condition."

Farmers should join forces... they must jointly own and operate processing plants capable of handling at least 50 per cent of their production," it was suggested.

**MANAGEMENT ESSENTIAL**  
Careful and wise management will be the number one requirement for any degree of success in the future, the dinner meeting was told, though a great deal of emphasis was laid on increased production.

Farmers are in the midst of a transition stage—it may yet be only in the early stages though earlier predictions were that it would last perhaps 10 years.

The transition is from the earlier days where a family worked hard to pay off the mortgage and raise a family, to today's larger units and larger mortgages many of which never will be paid off. There are larger incomes, much larger expenses and often there is "a large question whether the

net income equals that of two generations ago.

"The change has been so drastic... that farmers find themselves in a vicious circle... to find their methods and machinery obsolete before it is given a fair trial," it was observed.

Noting that federation support should be greater, he urged that county units be re-organized, that the directors hold monthly meetings. The real strength of the federation is at the national level but it will be no stronger than its provincial members. Only by attending and participating in meetings can farmers understand problems and express themselves intelligently on the subject, Mr. Yeo observed.

Glen, and the icebreaker Sir John A. Macdonald.

They expect to take five hours to reach their destination from Georgetown to Charlottetown and wait outside the harbor in Charlottetown till 8.30 a.m. Thursday morning.

They expect no difficulty with ice in the Northumberland Strait.

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## Icebreakers Escort Tanker

The COGS Tupper was breaking ice in the Charlottetown Harbour yesterday. The ship leaves this morning to meet off Georgetown with the tanker, Irving

## Girl Jumped, Ran For Help

A member of the Cautley family whose home was badly burned by fire Monday made her escape from the flaming building by jumping from a porch roof.

She then ran to a nearby house, called the fire department and returned to her home to arouse her parents.

The original report said the young woman made her escape by crawling onto a porch roof, from where she was assisted down.

On arrival at the scene, firemen removed one man from a second-storey window and three persons huddled in a doorway were escorted away from the house.

## Swim Course Has Big Class

The Royal Life Saving Society class at the Charlottetown YMCA last night had 35 members, ranging in skills from novice swimmers to holders of the "award of merit."

RCMP Cpl. Robert Williams, course director, was assisted by instructors Carol Taylor, Joan Brown and Helen Newson.

Blanchard Mahon is secretary treasurer and will be at the YMCA next Tuesday night to enroll any new members.

The course offers exercise and fun, combined with aquatic skills.

## Steel Arrives For New Rink

**MONTAGUE** — Two truckloads of structural steel arrived yesterday for the new Montague hockey and skating rink and work will begin today to place this steel.

On Sunday morning during the heavy wind storm a large portion of the south wall was blown down. H.M. Smith, building manager, advised that this wall will not be re-built until the steel is placed.

Further steel will arrive shortly so that work can be continued as planned.

## Prayer Services Held In Kings

Worship services were held in the churches of the Murray Harbour, Murray River area during the Week of Prayer and Witness, Jan. 2 to 9.

Topics for each evening's theme were chosen from the various statements of faith found in the Apostle's Creed.

Pentecostal, Church of Christ, Baptist, United, Church of Scotland and Presbyterian congregations co-operated.

There were good attendances at all of these services particularly on Friday evening when the Presbyterian Church in Murray Harbour was filled to capacity.

**HEALFAX (CP)** — The weather office says a developing storm in the Gulf of St. Lawrence was causing a strong air in the Maritimes Tuesday evening. Snowflurries were falling in all three provinces.

The storm will move off to the northeast crossing Newfoundland this morning. Drier air will bring clearing skies to New Brunswick and western Nova Scotia late in the day but the snowflurries will persist in Prince Edward Island and eastern Nova Scotia through most of the day. Temperatures will be much colder than those of Tuesday.

A high pressure area will cross the district Thursday to give mostly sunny but cold weather. Slightly milder air should reach the western regions late Thursday accompanied by clouds.

**Regional forecasts:**  
Northern Nova Scotia, Eastern Shore, Cape Breton, Prince Edward Island: Cloudy with snowflurries, clearing in the late afternoon or evening much colder. Westerly winds 25 gusts to 40 diminishing this evening to west 20. Low high at New Glasgow and Goshen 12 and 20, Sydney 15 and 20, Charlottetown 10 and 18. Outlook for Thursday: Sunny and very cold.

High tide today at Charlottetown 2:06 a.m. and 3:10 p.m. At Rustico at 10:46 a.m. and 9:59 p.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 7:35 a.m. and sets at 5:06 p.m.

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## DEMONSTRATOR ARRESTED

Police carry a man away from the sidewalk in front of the White House yesterday after he sat down beside a coffin placed there by demonstrators from the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee. Police also took away the coffin, background. The man, who identified himself as Leslie Hill Bayless 20, of Falls Church, Va., was charged with disorderly conduct. (AP Wirephoto)

## LOCAL BRIEFS

**IN HOSPITAL**  
Bertha Hogan has entered the Charlottetown Hospital for treatment.

**HAVING SURGERY**  
Nelson MacDonald, Wheatley River, has entered the P.E.I. Hospital for surgery.

**IS PATIENT**  
Maybelle MacLennan, Pleasant Valley, is a patient in the P.E.I. Hospital.

**RECOVERING**  
Mrs. Joseph Flood, South Millvale is recovering in the Charlottetown Hospital where she recently underwent surgery.

**EGG PRICES**  
Dealers were quoting producers Tuesday for ungraded eggs delivered in Charlottetown 31 cents per dozen for grade A large, 28 to 29 cents for grade A medium and 23 cents per dozen for grade A small.

**HAS ACCIDENT**  
Returning home to Charlottetown, accompanied by her husband, Mrs. Leonard Vatcher had the misfortune to fall and break her hip as she stepped out of her car at Edmundston, N. B. She is now a patient in the Moncton City Hospital. The couple had been visiting in Ontario.

**RECEIVES WORD**  
Michael O'Neill of 91 Gerald Street, City, has received the word of the death on January 5, 1966 of his sister Susan (Mrs. John Wholley) of Bradford, Mass. Funeral service was held at the Sacred Heart Church, Bradford on Jan. 7, with interment in the church cemetery.

**NAMES SWITCHED**  
Donald Anderson, in the absence of president Louis McGuire, presided over the meeting of the Second District of Kings-Liberal Association in Morell Monday night. It was previously reported that Mr. McGuire presided and that Mr. Anderson was president.

**SHIPPED TO BOSTON**  
Yesterday's report of shipments to Boston by Gulf Garde Foods Ltd. of Georgetown should have read 77,000 pounds in October, 215 pounds in November and 275,000 pounds in December. A story of the plant's winter plans had the figure mixed up due to a line inadvertently omitted.

**CABINET MEETS**  
The provincial cabinet met for its regular weekly session yesterday morning. There were no delegations scheduled to appear before it and Premier W. R. Shaw said the cabinet would be discussing routine matters. Hon. Henry Wedge, minister of health, and Hon. Hubert MacNeil, minister of welfare, were both absent from the meeting.

**BREAK REPORTED**  
A break at the Giffarama 166 Prince Street was reported to the city police station yesterday. A quick check of stock showed nothing was taken. Sgt. Charles Ready, who is in charge of investigating the break, reported a window in the rear of the store broken and drawers rifled in an apparent search for money.

**LIGHT DOCKET**  
There was a light docket in City Police Court yesterday. Magistrate A. J. Haslam, QC, presided. Nelson Delbourne Petrie, city, charged with drunken driving, was remanded to Jan. 18. There were two cases of drunk and incapable. One city resident received a fine of \$20 and costs of 20 days. The other was remanded to Jan. 12.

**BUILDING DAMAGED**  
A construction storage building 25 by 15 feet, suffered heavy

## Committees' Reports Considered By Council

**GEORGETOWN** — Mayor Howard S. MacLean presided over the regular monthly meeting of the town council held on Monday night in the council chambers.

Minutes of the last regular meeting and of three adjourned meetings were read by the clerk, Mrs. Laura Murphy, and adopted.

Reports were received from various committees. The financial report was presented by Councillor Laviers.

Bills amounting to \$2,112.90 were certified as paid and bills amounting to \$133.36 were approved to be paid.

The town's auditor is engaged in auditing the accounts of the town and preparing the yearly financial statement, which it is hoped will be in the hands of the ratemayers in the very near future.

Councillor Currie reported on welfare payments and on street lights. The police report, under the chairmanship of Councillor Johnson, was read to the meeting by Constable Allison Grover and showed the total of \$491 collected in fines during the month of December.

Matters covered in the police report included: the carrying and shooting of pellet guns within the town; the large number of unlicensed dogs running at large; the illicit liquor traffic within the town; overnight parking and parking on both sides of Water Street, west from Fitzroy Street. It was moved that two pairs of police trousers be ordered by Charley McMillan, 198

**WINTER WORKS**  
Streets were reported as being sanded and pulp wood was sold that had been cut in the opening up of a street. A report was given on the progress of the winter works program which includes the trimming and cutting out of bushes in the town area.

Material has been procured to construct a new bulleting board on Kent Street, which is utilized to a great extent by the public.

The council is to seek further advice from provincial authorities on the administration of the physical fitness grant.

The question of setting up a capital account for capital expenditures was discussed and the town's auditor will proceed to set up this account, under which amounts spent on capital expenditure projects will be financed over a period of years, as is the custom in governments of various levels.

Correspondence included letters from Laurie A. Coles and Associates and from the department of municipal affairs.

**Clancy Brothers Here For Carnival**  
The Clancy Brothers and Tommy Makem, an internationally known Irish folk singing group will appear at the fourth annual St. Dunstan's University Winter Carnival, it was announced last night by Charley McMillan, 198 Carnival Chairman.

Famous for their Irish melodies, and for such hit tunes as "Irish Rover" and "Johnny McEldoo", the Clancys have in the past few years climbed high in the folk music field.

They make a point of spending at least three or four months a year in Ireland, searching out fresh songs in their natural habitat.

According to Bob Sherman, a famous music critic, "Tommy Makem and the Brothers Clancy have evolved a very basic and enormously potent secret of success: they sing the songs of their own heritage, with their natural spontaneity and zesty humor of old friends gathered at a village pub."

The Clancy Brothers will make their Island debut at the St. Dunstan's Winter Carnival Jan. 29.

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**CITY AREA FUNERALS**  
**PETHICK FUNERAL** — The funeral for Mrs. Grace N. Pethick was held Tuesday, Jan. 11, from the MacLean Funeral Home to St. Paul's Anglican Church where service was conducted by Rev. F. Louis Elias. Attending was Lieutenant Governor W.J. MacDonald. Hymns sung were Abide With Me and Nearer My God To Thee. Pallbearers were Dr. G.D. Steele, J.E.H. Worth, Ernest B.V. Bell, Edward Millar, Samuel Korrey and T.D. DeBlois. Interment took place in the Peoples cemetery.

**EASTERN FUNERALS**  
**MACCORMACK FUNERAL** — Funeral for Bernard MacCormack was held on Friday morning from his late residence New Zealand, to St. Alexis Church, Rollo Bay, where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. W. Keefe who also conducted service at the grave. Pallbearers were brothers-in-law of the deceased, namely, Lionel Daigle, Hazen Dick, Glendon McKinnon, George Miller, Francis Chaisson, Pius MacPhee. Flowerbearers were John Hughes, Allan MacDonald, Joseph MacInnis, Joseph Manning, Kenneth Fisher and James Hughes. Interment was in the church cemetery.

damage yesterday morning about 10 o'clock on the 166 of the new Science Building at St. Dunstan's University. The building, owned by Douglas Bros. and Jones, Inc., contained fire glass heating pipe insulation and four plumbing fixtures. No estimate of the loss was determined and the cause of the blaze was unknown. City firemen brought the fire under control.

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