

Notre Dame Pupils Stage Fine Portrayal

The life of Blessed Marguerite Bourgeoys, foundress of the Congregation of Notre Dame, was portrayed last evening at the Notre Dame convent in a manner which will long be remembered by the large audience in attendance.

Marguerite Bourgeoys was beatified by Pope Pius XII in November, 1850, and the story of her work was noted by the pupils of Notre Dame with dialogue and in tableaux. The evening's entertainment was held in commemoration of the proclamation of the beatification and was presided over by the Most Reverend James Boyle, D.D., Bishop of Charlottetown.

His Honour Lieutenant Governor T. W. L. Prowse and Mrs. Prowse were among the guests present.

The entertainment was given in seven scenes each depicting a part of the Bourgeoys' life from the time she was thirteen years of age to the final tableau in which she was shown ascending to Heaven.

One of the most striking of the scenes, and certainly the most ambitious was one in which she appeared at the French court of Louis XIV to seek approval of the community which she had established in Montreal. Walls of this scene were draped in turquoise silk with gold panels, and the windows at the rear were outlined in striking scarlet drapes with gold tassels.

The scene itself was breath-taking in its grandeur, and the cast included several of the most accomplished actresses of that era. During this scene a minuet was gracefully danced by four couples, the ladies in their beautiful court gowns, and the men in velvet suits of vivid colors trimmed with lace.

Louis himself wore a crimson cloak with ermine collar and long haired wig. As the story unfolded, narrators in white cape and gowns appeared before the curtain to tell of the life of Marguerite and explain to the audience the scene which was to be shown next.

Featured with their singing throughout the entertainment were twenty-seven young girls of the convent.

The scenes told the story of how Béata Marguerite was born in Troyes, France, on Good Friday, 1620, and how she met the Governor of Montreal and came with him to work for God in Canada.

She opened her first school at the age of 37, and made three trips to France seeking aid for her Congregation of Notre Dame.

The part of Marguerite was beautifully portrayed by Jeanna MacIsaac as a young girl and later by Mary Gillis.

OTTAWA, Feb. 12 (CP) — Percy G. Stephenson, former chief of the Treasury Office of the Agriculture Department, died at his home here yesterday. Mr. Stephenson, who was 63 retired last year.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES DEATHS 50c per insertion

BIRTHS

MALLETT—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Monday, February 12th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mallett, (nee Wanda MacLaughlin), York, a daughter.

DEATHS

MACLEOD — At Graham's Road, Feb. 12, 1951, Mrs. James D. MacLeod, Remains resting at her late residence until Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. thence to the Presbyterian Church, Clifton, where funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Interment Clifton cemetery. (Please omit flowers)

WARREN—At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas S. Arling, 187 King Street, on Monday, February 12, Frank L. Warren, formerly of St. Peter's, died at the MacLean Funeral Home tomorrow, Wednesday, service starting at 2 o'clock. Interment in Midgell Cemetery.

GALLANT—The death occurred Feb. 10 of Joseph Wilfred Gallant in his 45th year. His remains will be forwarded this afternoon from the Frank Hennessey Funeral Home to his home in North Rustico from where the funeral will take place Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock to Stella Maris Church for Requiem High Mass. Burial in the church cemetery.

MCQUAID—The death occurred in Charlottetown Feb. 12 of Hannah McQuaid. Her remains are resting at the Frank Hennessey Funeral Home from where the funeral will take place Wednesday morning to St. Bonaventure's Church, Tracadie, for Requiem High Mass at 9 o'clock. Burial in the church cemetery.

DWAN—At Fairhaven, Mass., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Peter Murphy on Thursday, February 8th, 1951, Mrs. Mary E. Dwan. Her remains will arrive in Charlottetown today and will be transferred to the home of her son, John J. Dwan, St. Peter's, from where the funeral will take place on Thursday, February 15th, at 9 o'clock, to St. Peter's Church, Burin, in the Church Cemetery.

N.D. MacLean

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CENTRAL GUARDIAN

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I LOVE YOU. Say it with special Valentine cookies, pies and cakes today at Hornaby's Bakery, 9 Upper Queen Street, Phone 2278-L.

RETURN FROM COURSE — Sgt. L. F. MacMurrer and Opl. J. H. Gallant of the Fifth Signal Regiment returned yesterday from a Senior N.C.O.'s course at the Eastern Command Headquarters, Halifax.

TO REVISE BOOK — Mr. H. W. Clay, Senior Livestock Fieldman with the Dominion Department of Agriculture, will leave for Ottawa next Monday morning. Mr. Clay will spend about two weeks in the Federal Capital revising with Dominion Agricultural heads a book that he has written on the "Management and Feeding of Bacon Hogs."

L.P.U. CARD PARTY — Another successful card party was held in the L.P.U. Hall last night. The prize winners were: Ladies first, Miss Rose Ryan; ladies second, Mrs. Rose Gregory and Mrs. Jean Trowdale; men's first, Mr. W. J. Donovan; men's second, Mr. Don Chipman; men's third, Mr. C. MacIsaac and Mr. William MacDonald; door prize, Mrs. Richard Ryan.

INJURED IN ACCIDENT—Miss Edith Compton, N. N. of Bear River was taken to the Prince Edward Island Hospital shortly after eight o'clock yesterday evening suffering from injuries she received in a car accident. Her condition is not believed to be serious. She was getting into a parked car on Kings St. at the time of the accident. The parked car was struck by a car driven by Mr. Arthur Quinn of Charlottetown. Both cars were extensively damaged. Miss Compton received several abrasions. She will be X-rayed this morning to determine whether or not she is suffering from more serious injuries.

GIDEONS MEET — The monthly meeting of the Charlottetown Gideon Camp was held last evening at the home of Mrs. C. A. Field Secretary, Mr. Cecil Roberts, was in attendance. Mr. Roberts reviewed the report he gave at the annual convention at Montreal last year. He was pleased to note a period of advance throughout the Maritimes and plans were laid for further advance in the local Camp. Among other things the group decided to introduce the Memorial Bible plan to local churches in the coming year. Mr. R. J. Rupert led in a brief devotional service and president, S. T. Green, presided.

ARRESTED FOR DEBT — A Charlottetown man was arrested for debt yesterday but almost immediately released. On the affidavit of Reginald MacDonald, district manager of Traders Finance Corporation Limited alleging that Tofty Zakem owed \$180 balance under a conditional sale agreement on a 1942 Chevrolet coach; that he had sold the car; and that he intended to leave the Province with intent to defraud the Corporation, a Writ of Capias was issued out of the Supreme Court. The High Sheriff proceeded to arrest Mr. Zakem under the civil proceeding but released him on being shown the car in question stored at the Exhibition Grounds. Arrest and imprisonment for debt were abolished in P.E.I. in 1879 but the procedure was retained in part and is now contained in the Bailable Proceedings Act of 1938. Mr. E. Somerled Tractor acted for Traders Finance Corporation in issuing the Capias.

Personals

Mr. Leigh Kennedy, Cross Roads, is convalescing in the P.E.I. Hospital following an emergency operation on Sunday.

GOV'T HEARS

Continued from page 1 and week-ends during the summer training with the reserves." He also criticized George Drew for a speech last fall at Saskatoon in which the Progressive Conservative leader said the Government could save \$500,000,000 a year by eliminating "wasted spending."

Denies "Americanizing" — After Mr. Fulton charged that the Government was "Americanizing" the Canadian forces to the point where Canadian regiments and formations would lose their identity, Defence Minister Claxton interjected: "There is no basis in fact for what the honorable member is saying. . . there is no such intention whatever."

Mr. Gillis repeated G.C.F. criticism of the United States resolution asking the United Nations to brand Red China as an aggressor in Korea. Until that vote, he had believed war was "a long way off." Now, he was not sure.

Of the recent Canadian Legion call for compulsory service, he said he agreed with the Legion's program, but felt it was "badly timed." Canada could not have compulsory service for some months because she lacked training facilities.

Mr. Gillis said 3,500 men had been laid off by General Motors Corporation at Windsor, Ont., and added: "You can't tell me a shortage of material developed that fast." If these men were being turned loose to be pressed into the services, it was the worst kind of conscription.

He did not agree with the Government's outburst on housing and said Canada's manpower ranks could be swelled if the Government would allow war service and old-age pensioners to go to work without interference with their

Stresses Lack Of Gifted Producers

MONCTON, N. B., Feb. 12 (CP)—Canadian drama as far as he could see was suffering particularly from a shortage of gifted, highly-interested producers, Robert G. Newton said in Moncton this morning on his way from Saint John, where he adjudicated the New Brunswick Regional Drama Festival. "The talent could be there, if there were only the people to bring it out," said Mr. Newton.

Mr. Newton arrived by train this morning and was met by A. R. Lewis, business manager of Moncton Theatre Guild. He left shortly after for Charlottetown.

Mr. Newton will adjudicate regional festivals leading up to the Dominion Drama Festival, but will not adjudicate for the big show, he said.

Experimental development of the drama, said Mr. Newton, required money no longer available from the private citizen patron. The Government, in his opinion, was the logical source for this money, but financial assistance was not available from the Government from this source. Government control of drama, he felt, would not be desirable.

Much of the interest in the Festival of Britain will centre about drama offerings, he said. Britain's chief drawback in the field of drama is a shortage of men in the amateur theatre, he added.

Provincial Red Cross

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mittee of which she is chairman and asked Miss Millicent Strong, Summerside, to speak on this phase of Red Cross work.

The Nursing report was offered by Miss Katherine MacKenna, St. John's, as chairman of the committee, and Miss Gladys Holman, Summerside, addressed the meeting.

The First Aid, Swimming and Water Safety report was tabled by Dr. MacMillan in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. E. M. Bagnall, and Mrs. K. Osborne, Central Royalty, and Messrs. Ken Calbeck, Summerside Y's Men's Club, and Gilbert Clements, Montague, who attended the meeting of their work in this field.

Miss Dorothy Stewart, chairman of the Corps committee then tendered her report, which was followed by a report of the Campaign committee as tabled by Mr. Edwin Johnstone, chairman. Mr. Johnstone introduced the 1951 Campaign chairman to the members as follows: Messrs. J. A. Gallant, Summerside, Gordon MacMillan, Queens County, Roy MacGillivray, Charlottetown, Melvin J. McQuaid, Eastern Kings and H. M. Smith, Southern Kings.

Mr. Leo F. MacDonald, chairman of the Blood Donor committee was absent from the meeting, and his report was tabled by Mrs. E. M. Bagnall, who also called upon Mr. J. R. Holman of Kensington to address the meeting on the work accomplished by this committee.

Lieutenant Governor T. W. L. Prowse addressed the gathering briefly, and stated he was happy to have had this part in the past in the work of this great organization.

The nominating committee for 1952 was appointed as follows: Mr. T. Roy Cudmore, (chairman), Mrs. Frank Murray, Mrs. Arthur Henry, Mr. R. G. Ellis, Summerside, and Mr. W. H. Lane, Montague.

Members and guests seated at the head table included: Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Prowse, Hon. Alex. Matheson, Minister of Health and Welfare, Mr. Louis A. Winder, Toronto, Councillor Edwin C. Johnstone, representing Mayor C. Earle MacDonald, Mrs. J. Walter Jones, Rev. J. D. Davidson, Mr. R. H. Rogers, Mr. J. F. Arnett, Miss Gladys Holman, Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan and Mrs. E. A. Foster.

Officers Elected

The following officers were elected on recommendation of the nominating committee: Honorary President: The Lieutenant Governor, Hon. T. W. L. Prowse.

Hon. Vice-Presidents — Mrs. V. L. Goodwill, Mrs. C. G. Duffy, Miss Gladys Holman, Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan, O.B.E.

Past President: Mr. R. H. Rogers, President: Judge L. G. Lewis, Vice-President: Lt. Col. L. F. MacDonald.

Vice-President, Queens: Mrs. J. S. MacLeod, Hunter River. Vice-President, Prince: Mrs. R. L. Willett, Summerside. Vice-President, Kings: Mr. M. J. McQuaid, Souris.

Honorary Secretary: Mr. A. Walden Gaudet. Honorary Treasurer: Mr. D. A. MacKinnon.

Members of Divisional Council: Mrs. E. A. Foster, Mrs. S. G. Peppin, Mrs. J. A. Macmillan, Mrs. J. D. MacGillivray, Mrs. H. L. Palmer, Mrs. E. M. Bagnall, Mrs. C. H. Beer, Mrs. Malcolm MacLeod, President W. L. Mrs. Jas. Pendegast, Mrs. A. B. Wilson, Mrs. F. E. Forster, Mrs. A. B. Wilson, Mrs. K. MacJ. P. MacMillan, Mrs. A. K. MacJ. H. V. Dunbar, Mr. J. C. Montague.

There were "hundreds of able-bodied men in the Defence Department pounding typewriters on jobs that could be held down by women. But married women were going to think twice about going to work if they were to be penalized on income taxes."

Canada's battalion in Korea was there with "Canadian equipment" that was not interchangeable with American equipment. The sooner standardization was effected with the United States the better.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Edward Champion, who passed away Feb. 14, 1953 at Darnley. Daughter Cora.

Trinity Church Men's Club Meets

Mr. Fred Gamble, Secretary of the Charlottetown Y. M. C. A. gave an interesting and descriptive account of the history and effect of the Association since its founding on this continent 100 years ago, in an address last night at the regular monthly meeting of the Trinity Church Men's Club.

The meeting was held in the Social Hall of Trinity Church under the chairmanship of the President, Mr. Fulton Pierce. About 100 members were present.

Mr. Gamble was introduced to the meeting by Mr. T. Roy Cudmore, Hon. F. A. Large, Minister of Education moved a vote of thanks to the guest speaker.

"No other organization has done more to emphasize the importance of youth as a great asset in countless communities on this continent," stated Mr. Gamble in reference to the Y.M.C.A. He pointed out that it had pioneered in boy's work, in mass physical and health education and in the games of basketball and volleyball as well as indoor swimming.

The group were entertained by two songs by the three Rupert sisters, accompanied by Mr. O. K. Frenzy, singing was led by Mr. Edward Burpee. Dinner was served by the Junior Women's Association of Trinity.

Cartooning Subject Of Rotary Address

Canada is gradually becoming a better place for cartoonists, Mr. Vic Runtz, Guardian staff cartoonist, told Rotarians at their weekly luncheon yesterday. A few years ago it was extremely difficult for a cartoonist to have a career in this country and many promising men went to the United States where there is a bigger field for their art. Today there are about 26 full-time cartoonists and a number of free lance men working in Canada.

In tracing the history of the profession, Mr. Runtz said that possibly the drawings found in caves in the early days might be construed as cartoons, but he believed the first serious beginning was made in Rowlandson's time by those who believed in getting the idea across no matter what type of drawing was used. He said that a Daurer developed the cartoon and the famous English magazine Punch brought cartooning to the fore.

So popular had cartooning become and so rich the rewards of top flight artists, that almost everyone who had any talent for drawing made a try for this profession and thousands took cartooning courses which offered to make cartoonists of anybody who had innate ability.

Although there is still room for good cartoonists, the field is so competitive that it no longer offers fabulous rewards. The young cartoonist first needs a sound art training, a grounding in psychology, and a fund of general knowledge in the paper, he said. An editorial writer, he must do a lot of research and study on the subjects he is cartooning. Formerly most cartoons were done in pen and ink but now the brush and crayon are popular as well. In making the cartoon, the drawing is often made four or five times the size of the cartoon appearing in the paper.

Mr. Runtz mentioned some of the great cartoonists past and present of Canada as Racey, Frise, Thorson, Taylor, Keate, and Wright.

Guests yesterday included Messrs. Jerome O'Brien, Charlottetown, Douglas MacKinnon, L. A. Winters, Toronto, and Rotarian Frank Arnett, Summerside.

A new chapter of the stork club, Rotarian George Wood, was installed with due ceremony by past president Rotarian Frank MacKinnon.

Mr. John Trainor, Mrs. B. Col. Valdersen, Mrs. L. G. Lowther, Mrs. Allison MacMillan, Fairview, Mrs. Parnell McMahon, Miss Dorothy Stewart, Miss Katharine MacLennan, Dr. A. J. Murdoch, Mr. Edwin C. Johnstone, Judge C. St. Clair Trainor, Dr. L. W. Shaw, Mr. G. F. Hutchison, Mr. H. F. McPhee, Mr. Miller Fadden, P.E.I., Mr. J. A. Gallant, Summerside, Mr. H. M. Smith, Montague, Brig. W. W. Reid, Dr. W. H. Soper, Mr. Lawson Jenkins, Dr. O. W. Curtis, Mr. Roy D. MacGillivray.

Summerside: Mr. J. F. Arnett, Mrs. W. F. Strong, Mrs. Helen Dickinson, Mrs. D. F. MacNeill, Mrs. Frank Green, Dr. A. Delaney, Mr. W. A. Currie, Mrs. V. T. Traverser.

Alberton: Mr. Doug. Nicholson O'Leary; Mrs. L. G. Dewar. Tignish: Mrs. J. G. McNally. Kensington: Mrs. W. F. Taylor Georgetown: Mrs. F. J. DeLory Morell; Mrs. Ambrose Steele Souris: Mrs. J. L. Quaid Montague: Mr. Gilbert Clements Hunter River: Mrs. J. R. Murdoch.

Chairmen of Standing Committees Junior Red Cross and Crippled Children: Dr. L. W. Shaw Women's Work: Mrs. E. A. Foster Nuligon and Homemakers: Mrs. J. W. Jones

Nursing: Miss Katherine Macdonald First Aid, Swimming and Water Safety: Mrs. E. M. Bagnall Canadian Red Cross Corps: Miss Dorothy Stewart Campaign and Finance: Mr. Edwin C. Johnston Blood Donor Service: Lt. Col. L. F. MacDonald Disaster Services: Mr. Lawson Jenkins

Representatives to Central Council Judge L. G. Lewis; alternate, Lt. Col. F. MacIsaac Edwin C. Johnstone; alternate, Mrs. S. G. Peppin Mr. J. F. Arnett; alternate, Mrs. V. T. Traverser. Auditors: H. R. Doane and Co.

Developer Of Sudbury Nickel Industry Dies

NEW YORK, Feb. 12 (CP) — Robert Crooks Stanley, 74, chairman of the board of directors of the International Nickel Company of Canada, Ltd., died today at his home on Staten Island.

Mr. Stanley, for 29 years company president, developed the rich Sudbury nickel deposits of Northern Ontario beyond the dreams of their discoverers.

He initiated research that found thousands of peacetime uses for nickel after the demand for the metal for armaments manufacture had slackened with the end of the First World War.

Born in Little Falls, N.J., he took his degree in mining engineering at Columbia School of Mines in New York in 1901.

He joined International Nickel upon its formation in 1902 and rose to superintendent of the subsidiary American Nickel Company plant at Camden, N.J.

He went to Cobalt in Northern Ontario in 1905 to investigate silver discoveries. He was again in Canada in 1909 to study the Porcupine gold strike and, on the basis of his findings, his company acquired the Dome property near Timmins.

In 1912 he became general superintendent of the parent company, in 1918 vice-president and in 1922 president.

As an engineer, Mr. Stanley made numerous advances in nickel metallurgy. In 1905 he discovered monel, a nickel-copper alloy outstanding in applications where strength, corrosion-resistance and appearance are requisites. In 1920 he patented his method of recovering nickel by electrolytic refining.

He patented the Stanley process for metal refining in 1925. It used an electric furnace to make nickel-copper alloys from nickel-copper materials and to cast it directly into ingots.

The present International Nickel Company of Canada, Ltd., produces 75 per cent of the world's requirements of nickel. During the Second World War, to meet an unprecedented demand, the firm undertook a \$35,000,000 expansion program.

For more than 25 years, Mr. Stanley spent his vacations in Canada, usually salmon fishing on the York River in Quebec's Gaspé peninsula.

Almost \$1,100 To Homeless Families

Nearly \$1,100 was donated to aid the four families who were left homeless by the Water Street fire two weeks ago, it was learned last night from Councillor Arthur Gormley, Chairman of the L. P. U fire aid committee.

About \$1082 was subscribed in all. Around \$700 of this amount has been spent in securing the necessities for the homeless and the remainder will be spent according to the pressing needs of the families.

Among materials and supplies purchased for the four families were groceries, bedding, stoves, coal and advanced payments for three months rent.

Practically all the family members have been placed in living quarters, it was learned. One or two of the victims are living at relatives, awaiting permanent quarters.

More clothing than that needed was donated by charitable citizens. Mr. Gormley was high in his praise of their response and the Catholic Social Welfare Bureau Sisters contributed greatly to relieve the urgent situation by looking out for the children and providing mattresses.

Assistance was obtained from Mayor MacDonald by way of advice and a donation of groceries, he stated. The City Clerk, Mr. J. A. Fullerton and City employees also assisted. He expressed his appreciation of the work done by the members of the L. P. U.; The Women's Social Club of the L. P. U. and the many who have helped.

Families left homeless by the fire were those of Messrs. Gordon Gallant, James Bradley, Tommy Coyle, and Angus MacCormack.

Saint John Play Tops N. B. Festival

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Feb. 12 (CP)—The Saint John Theatre Guild's production of the glass menagerie, by Tennessee Williams, was adjudged the best presentation in the New Brunswick regional drama festival as it ended Saturday night.

Another honor went to the Saint John group with selection of its leading lady, Jene Wood, as best actress in the festival. The best actor award went to George Stark, of the Mount Allison University play, "The Lamphshade" by W. S. Milne.

Adjudicator Robert G. Newton termed the Saint John Theatre Guild's performance "A wonderful job of work, particularly in the first act." Referring especially to Miss Wood, he said he had been greatly impressed by "the sincerity of her performance."

Canada Well Prepared For Atomic Development

MONTREAL, Feb. 12 (CP) — For the first time in history Canada is well prepared for great and novel scientific development in the field of atomic energy, Dr. C. J. MacKenzie, president of the National Research Council, said in a speech prepared for delivery to the Canadian Club of Montreal today.

Dr. MacKenzie, who is also president of the Atomic Energy Control Board and a member of the Defence Research Board, said that Chalk River, Ont., is a reactor of most modern design which gives Canadians a tool of remarkable flexibility and power.

"We now are busily engaged in filling in some of the many gaps in basic knowledge that had to be by-passed in the mad rush to develop a bomb," he said. "We are tackling many aspects of the innumerable problems which stand between the technique and knowledge of today and the ultimate realizations of the full fruits of atomic energy."

Card Of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to Dr. Giddings and Nurses of the P. E. I. Hospital and those who sent flowers and cards, and to all who made my stay in the Hospital a pleasant one.

Marion Carr, 139 Spring Park Road, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Council To Buy New Police Patrol

One of the shortest and quietest monthly meetings of the City Council for some time was held in the City Hall last night with His Worship Mayor B. Earle MacDonald presiding. Few committee reports were given as the meeting closely followed the annual Council meeting held last week.

The Council decided to buy a new Police patrol. Acting on the suggestion of Councillor C. M. Cox, chairman of the Police Committee, the present patrol will be exchanged for a new 1951 Pontiac model and the cash difference of \$534 will be paid. The radio equipment in the present patrol will be transferred to the new one.

The present patrol, which was purchased last year, has travelled about 35,000 miles. Repair costs and the probable difficulty of securing new cars in the next two years decided the Council on securing the new patrol.

Four City employees had their positions confirmed as permanent. They were Messrs. Bernard Prunty, Nelson McKelgan, Benny Dolron and Fred MacDonald. Councillor J. D. Stewart, chairman of the Street Committee stated they had been employed by the city from 12 to 20 years.

Constable Russell Downes' appointment to the Police Force was also made permanent.

A brief outlining methods of improving the appearances of the City was presented to the Council by a committee from the Business and Professional Women's Club of Charlottetown.

"The men on the Police Force are expecting an increase in pay but I can not make any suggestions as to the amount, until we get the estimates," stated Councillor Cox in a few remarks as chairman of the Police Committee.

The manager of the Twin Meter Company will visit the Province on Saturday and at that time will have a chance, he stated, to meet with the Northern Electric Company who will be here on Friday to discuss traffic lights with the Council.

Councillor Cox also stated that he had a request for a truant officer. "He had been told," he said, "that a lot of youngsters were playing hooky and making money stacking up bowling pins."

Councillor Johnstone, chairman of the Market Committee, reported that the job of rewiring the Market Building had started. He recalled that a resolution had been passed some time ago for the removal of the weight scales from the corner of Queen and Grafton Streets.

He stated that he had the written opinion that the scales could be moved and there was plenty of room at the lower end of Prince Street. "The only problem is that the Provincial Government has invested in some property at this location," he stated.

Councillor Stewart regretted the loss of the late Walter Wakelin who had been employed with the City before his recent death. A message of sympathy was tendered Mrs. Wakelin on behalf of the Council.

The Council also noted that the sum of \$800 had been paid the Playgrounds Commission. This money was the balance of the 1950 grant which totalled \$1,000. The motion was moved by Councillor Beaton and seconded by Councillor Johnstone.

French Premier On 3-Day Visit To Italy

SANTA MARGHERITA, Italy, Feb. 12 (Reuters) — French Premier Rene Pleven and Foreign Minister Robert Schuman arrived here today for a three-day conference with Italian Premier Alcide De Gasperi and Foreign Minister Carlo Storza. Discussion of main problems on the agenda, such as German rearmament and inclusion of France's North African military resources in the European coal and steel pool, will begin tomorrow.

Sudbury Buried In 12-Inch Snowfall

SUDBURY, Ont., Feb. 12 (CP) —Sudbury and district today was still digging itself out of a 12 1/2-inch snowfall, the heaviest continuous fall here since March 25, 1947, when 13.11 inches were recorded. Bus and train schedules were only slightly disrupted.

BIG PRODUCER

Pennsylvania, great coal-producing state, has a total mineral production of more than \$1,000,000,000 annually.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Alphonso Malone, who departed this life February 13th, 1945.

We think of him in silence. His name we oft recall. There is nothing left to answer But his picture on the wall.

Ever Remembered by Wife, Daughter Mary and Family.

Card Of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to Dr. Giddings and Nurses of the P. E. I. Hospital and those who sent flowers and cards, and to all who made my stay in the Hospital a pleasant one.

Marion Carr, 139 Spring Park Road, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

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Contract For Moncton Canadian Meat Stocks Increase

MONCTON, N. B., Feb. 12 (CP)—A Moncton firm, Modern Construction Company, has been awarded a near million dollar contract for erection of a permanent brick combined mess building at the R. C. A. F. base at Chatham, it was learned this morning.

Officials of the company said here that work on the building will start probably early in April and that in the vicinity of 1