

Bull Club Revamps Servicing Policies

The Prince Edward Island Superior Holstein Bull Club yesterday revamped their bull servicing policies at a special meeting of the club in the Department of Agriculture offices.

The club's policy has been to have one sire stationed in each county for club members. This policy has been working out successfully in Kings County but in Prince and Queens County the animals were not paying their way.

The club had sold the Queens County sire to Mr. Robert Chappell of York with the option of repurchasing the animal if they desired. Mr. Chappell agreed that the animal would be available at a set fee, for club members who desired his services. This sire, Bonhaven Rag Apple Prince, was stable by Mr. Chappell.

The breeders decided to trade the Prince County sire, Glenafon Taligan. The trade may be effected with Mr. Jack McCague of Alliston, Ontario and if not the breeders may purchase one of Mr. McCague's sires.

The Prince County sire is looked after by Mr. Allison Proffitt, Freetown. Last summer the Prince and Queens County sires were exchanged.

Seaside Rag Apple Marquis, the club sire in Kings County will continue to service the Kings County Holsteins. This animal is stable by Mr. Douglas Aiken, Fortune.

The retaining of one bull for the three Counties, to be used in each county on a time basis was also discussed but the matter was not put to a vote.

The meeting was well attended with the President, Mr. R. L. Burge. Five Houses presiding.

ADMITS POTATO

requirements had been added to the Government's authority to take more drastic steps. But he believed these would not be necessary.

Mr. Gardiner said that surplus butter deals the New Zealand Co-op made with Great Britain and Canadian importers brought about a condition "where the fact that Canada guarantees a floor price to Canadian farmers is utilized to subsidize either the New Zealand producers or British consumer."

He again warned against tampering with the Canadian market, "the only market Canadian dairymen have for butter."

He denied allegations that he or the Federal Government is responsible for the existence of bilateral contracts as a means of supplying Britain with food.

"We were always against the plan as applied to Canada, and still are, but we carry on under it because no other plan is available."

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES DEATHS

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MacEACHERN—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Jan. 22, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack MacEachern, Charlottetown, a son.

CARR—At the P. E. Island Hospital Jan. 21, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Allison E. Carr (nee Lois Jones), Harrington, a son, 8 lbs. 3 oz.

PETERS—At the Ottawa Civic Hospital on Sunday, December 17th, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Peters, nee Phyllis Furness, a son, Robert Leslie.

MARTIN—At the Kings County Memorial Hospital on January 8th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Martin, a daughter, Brenda Joyce West, weighing 7 1/2 lbs.

MacDONALD—At Roxbury, Mass., on January 23, 1951, John Herbert MacDonald, in his 76th year. Body expected to arrive on Friday evening at the home of his brother, Major MacDonald, Summerside. Funeral arrangements later.

KELLY—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Monday, Jan. 22, Mrs. Helen Kelly, widow of the late Dr. Fred Kelly, her remains will rest at the A. A. Hennessey Funeral Home from where the funeral will be held on Wednesday morning at 8:45 to St. Dunstan's Basilica, thence to the Roman Catholic Cemetery.

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This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a new nature may be inserted at five cents a word, strictly payable in advance.

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TO PREVENT your fuel system from freezing put a can of Gelex in your gas tank now. Batt & MacRae.

AUTOGRAPHED individual photos of The Islanders Hockey Team, 25 cents each. Call or write Garthman's Photo Studio.

INQUEST POSTPONED — The inquest into the death of an infant girl, whose body was found in the east end of Charlottetown last Friday in a cardboard box, has been postponed pending further police investigation.

PUSSYWILLOWS PICKED—On their way home from Brackley School on Monday Donald and David Jenkins and their young sister Jeanie gathered a large bouquet of pussywills. The white blooms are full and open. "Spring," the youngsters say, "will be soon coming."

FUNERAL MONDAY — The funeral of the late Miss Marion Fugal, of South Melville, was held Monday morning from her late residence to St. Joseph's Church, Kelly's Cross. The funeral was largely attended. The pallbearers were: Harold Donahue, Ronald MacAulay, Russell Nantes, Ellison Toole, Lorne Noonan, Gerald Monaghan.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY—The funeral of the late Royal S. MacBeath was held yesterday afternoon from the MacLean Funeral Home to the Baptist Church, where services were conducted by Rev. J. D. Davison and Mr. Malcolm Lott. Mr. Leigh Dingwell sang as solo "One Sweetly Solemn Thought." Interment took place in Marshfield Cemetery. Honorary pall-bearers were Justice George J. Tweedy, Judge H. L. Palmer, Premier J. Walter Jones, Senator J. P. MacIntyre, Hon. A. W. Matheson, H. E. Millar, W. E. Massey, Walter Matheson, Patrick Murnaghan, T. Gordon Ives and T. Roy Cudmore. Active pall-bearers were Thomas White, Jack Annear, William MacDougall, Anthony Reardon, Lorne Wigginton and John Gilmore. At the grave, the Canadian Legion Burial Service was read by Whiston Smith. Last Post and Reveille was sounded by Bugler Frank Smith. The members of the Rotary Club and Government officials attended in a body.

TRINITY P. Y. U. — On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock Trinity United Church Y. P. U. held its regular meeting in the social hall with about 60 members present. The evening began with a singing led by Leith Stetson and with Joyce Proctor at the piano. The devotional service was led by Leith Thompson and Winston Smith, and opened with the hymn "Savior Like A Shepherd Lead Us," followed by Scripture, Samuel 10. A story entitled "Two Ways of Life" was read, followed by prayer. The service closed with the hymn "Will Your Anchor Hold," and the Mizpah benediction. Lt.-Col. K. H. Rogers was the guest speaker. He gave a very interesting and amusing talk on the technical progress of the world during the last fifty years, and his hopes for the advancement in the next half century. After some instrumental music, the meeting adjourned with "Good Night, Ladies."

PERSONALS

Dr. Harold Shaw, Provincial Pathologist, left this morning for Halifax to attend the quarterly meeting of health groups of the Maritime Provinces. He will return on Saturday, Jan. 27.

MOORE & MACLEOD Award Given To Blind Bowler

Charlottetown's blind bowlers met again yesterday afternoon at the Rollaway Bowling Alleys to engage in their third afternoon of their newly organized sport. Seven blind men and women were active at the alleys yesterday bowling regulation candle pins with George Connors and Eugene McGarry acting as guides and Mr. Roy MacDonald of the Rollaway Alleys keeping score. Bowling for Charlottetown's blind has been organized by the Canadian National Institute for the Blind in its program of expanding the social activities in which sightless citizens of this community can participate.

The results of the three games of candle pins played yesterday afternoon were: Miss Ida M. Alchorn 25 37 42; Mr. Leslie Edwards 11 15 15; Mr. Russell Jenkins 52 31 —; Mr. Peter McGarry 20 22 47; Mrs. Margaret E. Simonds 17 50 25; Mr. M. I. Warren 8 19 28; Mr. G. E. Wood 45 49 45.

The well-known local firm of Moore & MacLeod Ltd. are sponsoring a prize to be given to the blind man or woman showing the most improvement and keenest interest in bowling. A prize to be awarded every two weeks of the bowling season. The first Moore & MacLeod award was earned by Miss Ida M. Alchorn of 311 Grafton St., City.

ANCIENT ART

Delicate examples of jewelry art were produced by the goldsmiths of Ur of the Chaldees 5,000 years ago.

BIG WARSHIP

Britain's newest battleship, H. M. S. Vanguard, is 42,500 tons compared with the former 35,000-ton ship.

Civil Case For Damages Continues In Supreme Court

Seven witnesses called on behalf of the plaintiffs and the first witness for the defendant were heard by Justice George J. Tweedy and the civil jury yesterday as the case of Ernest and Mabel MacKay versus Cecil Lester Roberts, by his guardian and parent Hubert Roberts, entered its second day.

Five thousand dollars damages are being sought by the plaintiffs. Sylvia Jean MacKay was killed as a result of being struck by a truck on July 16th, 1949.

During the morning session Gerald R. Foster, who with R. R. Bell, K.C., is representing the defendant, asked that all denials of negligence and the alternative plea of contributory negligence be deleted from the statement of defence.

Ernest MacKay, father of the deceased, was one of the witnesses to be heard in the afternoon, and corroborated his wife's testimony as to the capabilities of his deceased daughter. He stated he had arrived at the scene some fifteen minutes after the accident, and his daughter was lying on the road. As he told of the condition in which he found her, the witness broke down and had difficulty answering questions.

He stated later his health had been affected by the incident and told of the treatment he had received as a result.

Under cross examination by R.R. Bell, K.C., the witness said another of the witnesses, Frank Hughes, was employed by the same company for whom he worked; the Maritime Electric.

In his testimony, Frank Hughes said he had seen Cecil Lester Roberts driving the truck previous to the day of the accident. This was contradictory to a statement made by the witness in which it was claimed the boy had never been known to drive the truck before.

Other witnesses who were called included three R.C.M.P. officers, Nell Robinson, a neighbour of the Roberts', and John Gallant of the Motor Vehicle Branch of the Provincial Treasury. Gallant stated no driver's license had ever been issued to Cecil Lester Roberts. Corporal Warner told of seeing the defendant at his home at 233 Richmond Street, Constable Smith had received the keys of the truck in question from the defendant, and Corporal Johnston produced a picture of the truck which was identified as the property of Hubert Roberts.

In his address to the jury, G. R. Foster told them they must assess damages against Cecil Lester Roberts, and must determine whether he was driving the vehicle as a member of Hubert Roberts' family and with his permission. He continued to state Cecil Lester Roberts has admitted his negligence caused the death of Sylvia Jean MacKay, and told them it was their duty to decide what monetary loss had been suffered by the parents of the deceased.

First defence witness to be heard was Hubert Roberts, parent and guardian of the defendant, who stated he was a fisherman and also tumbled fish. During the summer months he resides at his summer cottage, twelve miles from the City, and had been there at the time of the accident. The truck which had been involved had been in his yard at 233 Richmond when he left Charlottetown during the afternoon. He stated he next saw the truck at his summer cottage at approximately 3 a. m. the next morning.

The case will be resumed this morning at 10 o'clock.

Advance In Men's Shoe Prices Noted

MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 23 — (CP) — A sharp increase in the price of high-quality men's shoes was predicted today by managers of several large retail outlets. Prices at one store have already gone up by \$2 since the first of the year, it was disclosed while another store expected that this spring's prices would be about 20 per cent higher than last.

The jump in prices applied to women's shoes too, though one store manager said the rise here was not as great.

Reason for the price advance given by retailers is higher manufacturing costs resulting from rising prices of raw materials. One manager declared that hides were becoming increasingly difficult to get and were consequently higher in price. He mentioned Mexico and other countries that were a source of hides in previous years but which now use much of their own shoes.

Two of the stores were bracing themselves for a shoe shortage, prophesied by one manager for this spring. It was pointed out that recruiting for the armed forces, if stepped up appreciably, could result in a system of quotas for civilian consumption of shoes.

As for rubbers, one store said they were going "out of sight." And nobody was gaining, he said, the manager said at least all the retailers. He said the profit here was so small that handling them meant merely "trading dollars."

CIVIL LIST

The "civil list" is the official name of the annuities paid to His Majesty and other members of the Royal Family in Britain.

WANTED: "A NAME" CONTEST

See Page 1 for details

My suggestion for a name for Charlottetown's Week of Festivities is:

Name Address

Mail entries so they will be received at the Guardian Office no later than Monday, Jan. 29th.

United Church WMS Presbyterial Meetings Held At Summerside

The opening session of the Prince Edward Island Presbyterial of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Church of Canada was held in Trinity Church, Summerside, yesterday afternoon with the president, Mrs. J. D. MacFarlane of Crapaud, in the chair.

The opening worship was led by Mrs. Wilbur Stavert and Mrs. J. K. Campbell of North Bedou, the theme being "Sharing Our Conviction With Others."

Christians believe that the answer to present world conditions will be found only in applying the Christian religion to every aspect of life.

Mrs. George Somers welcomed the delegates to Summerside and Mrs. Milton Weeks of Fredericton made fitting reply. Minutes of the 1950 Presbyterial and a summary of executive minutes were read by Mrs. L. M. Callbeck, recording secretary.

A large number of delegates responded to the roll call. The question box was introduced by Mrs. Hazen Howard of Cornwall. Good reports of the year's work were given by secretaries of the various departments.

Reports Presented

Mrs. Guy Pierce of Brackley reported 31 Baby Bands with 787 annual members and 432 life members. Giveings amounted to \$478.93.

Mrs. Alban Craswell of Bloomfield reported 57 Mission Bands with 854 members who last year contributed \$1457.53. Thirty-seven Mission Bands and affiliated Explorer Groups receive recognition.

Mrs. Louis Cairns, Freetown, reported eight affiliated C.G.I.T. groups who contributed \$66.25 to missions during the year. Mrs. Cairns stressed the need for training girls in missionary work.

Mrs. L. W. Saunders, Charlottetown, reported five Mission Circles with 63 members who contributed of some \$50,000.00.

With the Federal Government contributing half. In the case of prior construction, the eight Provinces expect to submit claims in 1951-52 of approximately \$17,500,000.

"To what extent world conditions may affect this program, no one can say at this time."

Mr. Wardle said that where the highway goes off the main ferry terminals. For instance, in Newfoundland, it will connect St. John's and Port Aux Basques, 610 miles; in Prince Edward Island, the Wood Island ferry terminal and Port Borden, 74 miles; on Vancouver Island, Victoria and Nanaimo, 73 miles.

He explained the "sight-distance" specification for the highway. It means that the driver of a vehicle should be able to see an object six inches high on the pavement 600 feet ahead when his eyes are four feet six inches above the pavement.

Paving will be 22 to 24 feet and road shoulders 10 feet, except in solid-rock cuts or otherwise where the 10 feet is unnecessary or too costly.

He stated that with modern snow removal equipment, no route has been suggested or mentioned that could not be kept open over the winter months. The biggest difficulty in this would be drifting snow in the Prairie Provinces.

Revise Casualty Figures In New Guinea Eruption

PORT MORESBY, New Guinea, Jan. 23 — (CP) — Government authorities said tonight that 35 Europeans and more than 3,000 Papuan natives probably died in the volcanic flames and convulsion of New Guinea's "Spirit" Mountain — possibly the greatest natural disaster in this part of the world this century.

The mountain is Mount Lamington, nearly 100 miles northeast of Port Moresby. It continued to gush smoke and flame today after six explosions, from Thursday to Sunday, blew off its entire northern face and seared the jungle for 10 miles.

Few survivors were expected to be found in the area. The dead were being buried where they were found.

Ashes drifted 10 feet deep in some parts. Houses were flattened or leaned drunkenly. Trees were torn up by their roots and stripped of leaves.

Despite ominous rumbles and continued belching of smoke and flame from cavernous holes in the mountainside, Government officials predicted after an air inspection that there would be no more major eruptions for at least a week.

Australian officials gave this summary of the disaster: The native death toll probably will exceed 3,000, and casualties may reach 4,000.

No hope held for the survival of 25 missing Europeans among the 68 missionaries, traders and officials in the area.

Twenty villages abandoned and devastated — their inhabitants dead or on flight.

The entire area was closed to entry by a Government proclamation and authorities ordered about 1,000 natives in the Awala area — so far unaffected by the blast — to move to a safer location.

Pilots who flew over the district today reported an area 15 miles by eight covered with a grey sheet of dust and looking "utterly desolate." Whole villages huddled lifeless under this arid shroud.

Only on jungle trails were there signs of life. Natives who had fled in terror from the shattering explosion Sunday crept through the steaming forests toward safety. Some carried crude stretchers on which lay sufferers from burns and other injuries.

First-aid bases had been set up at places like Popenetia, a few miles east of the volcano, where three doctors and a nurse worked without respite to tend the injured.

A white woman survivor told of the death of Rev. Dennis Taylor, a Church of England missionary who had a station at Sangara.

Will Adjudicate At Music Festival

It was announced last evening at a general meeting of the P. E. I. Musical Festival Association that Professor Clayton Hare of Calgary, Alberta, and Professor John J. Weatherhead, Toronto, Ontario, will be adjudicators for the annual Musical Festival which will be held here this year during the week beginning April 30.

Prof. Hare adjudicated festivals last year at Ottawa, Regina and Saskatoon, and Prof. Weatherhead is known to many thousands as director of the Robert Simpson carol choir which performs each Christmas.

The President of the Association, Dr. G. D. Steel, was chairman for the meeting which was very well attended and called for reports from the various committees. The Scholarship committee stated they have \$300 to be equally divided among the three counties to assist rural music teachers to further their ability in this connection.

The music committee announced almost all Festival music was available at Miller Bros., and the Syllabus committee said they had sent copies of the syllabus to various centres. Copies of the syllabus for sale to the general public will be ready in the near future.

The Allotment committee stated that not many applications have been received to date from rural districts who are in need of financial assistance.

Montague by Mrs. Leslie McDonald 1.00 Each; Mrs. Fred Ferguson; Mrs. Harold King; Alex. Campbell; Mrs. John McKenzie; Leslie McDonald; Geo. Dewar; Mrs. Mont. Wright.

65c: Mrs. Stewart McLeod. 50c Each: Mrs. Wm. Webster; Mrs. Frank Dewar; Mrs. M. Warkentin; Mrs. D. McQuarrie; Ethel McQuarrie; Mrs. Kenneth Dewar. Total—10.65.

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Hannan Demands Equal Treatment In Price Controls

CALGARY, Jan. 23 — (CP) — H. H. Hannan said today that if price controls are imposed by the government, they should be made effective "clean across the board" — all prices, profits, fees, salaries and wages.

No one should be favored or exempt, the Canadian Federation of Agriculture president added in a speech prepared for delivery before the 15th annual meeting of the 400,000-member organization.

He said the C.F.A. has given no thought to asking for farm-price exemption from such general controls.

He made these other points: 1. The Korean war and its danger of spreading have temporarily solved the problem of farm surpluses, but this does not mean the problem will not recur at some future time. Therefore, the handling of surpluses under international supervision is "absolutely essential."

2. He has no sympathy with those who suggest "we are in the grip of a fateful destiny which is leading or pushing our society towards its inevitable doom." Man-made problems can be solved by man, he contended.

3. Possibly the best way out for a distraught world is to create a "super-government with authority to make international laws and have power to police them."

Mr. Hannan touched on the state of Canada's farm economy and noted that on the whole the gross farm income for the last

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