

### "Spudding In" Of Well Is Planned Sunday Afternoon

The oil drilling derrick was raised into position in a matter of three minutes by Imperial Oil drilling crews yesterday morning at St. Raphael and everything is now being readied for the spudding in operation which is planned for Sunday afternoon.

The huge diesel motors located atop the sub-structure completed the big lift so easily and quickly most by-standers were amazed and while the cables were still taut, workmen secured the clamp at the base of the structure which towers over the district.

The operation was under the supervision of Mr. George Kirkpatrick, drilling supervisor, and Mr. Mack MacIntyre, assistant manager. Among the government and civic officials on hand to witness the historic operation were Hon. Dougald MacKinnon, Minister of Industry and Natural Resources, B. Graham Rogers, provincial geological officer and Mayor of Summerside W. A. Currie.

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Dr. Orville Phillips will speak over CJRW Summerside on Monday, March 3rd at 12:35 noon

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### Crapaud Sports Are Success

Last evening at Crapaud Rink the annual Ice Week for School children of Crapaud and surrounding districts was run off with a good-sized entry list and plenty of enthusiasm displayed by the many youthful competitors. Competition went on hand from Hampton, Crapaud, Victoria, Trvon, North Trvon, Augustine Cove, Westmoreland and Albany and the 28 races provided plenty of thrills, spills and exciting finishes.

Feature event of the evening was a peppy closely played Bantam hockey game with Crapaud at home to Royalty Bisons. After three hard fought periods which provided some smart hockey in spite of heavy ice and a constantly rolling puck the Crapaud boys came out on top with a well-earned 4-3 victory over the Royalty team.

A skate for all concluded an interesting and exciting evening for all competitors and the handful of interested parents who were on hand to encourage their children.

**OPEN MAUSOLEUM**  
**KANSAS CITY (AP)**—Six teenage boys have been arrested for allegedly breaking into a mausoleum housing 16 bodies and opening a coffin. A sheriff's investigator, said the boys "got scared after pulling the casket out of the wall and seeing the body in it." They gave no reason for their act, he said, but it was apparently the result of a dare.

### Injured Man Is Flown To Halifax

Mr. Cyril (Acolin) Wedge, injured a week ago yesterday when a gas drum exploded at his home in Mont Carmel, was flown to hospital in Halifax yesterday at noon from Prince County Hospital.

Mr. Wedge is reported to be still in serious condition from a fractured skull received in the explosion and was still in an unconscious condition.

Ponds, where I used to jump the teal ducks, were choked with alder and willow. As dusk deepened I walked to an old fence corner, a natural fox crossing, where I picked up quite a few reds when I lived in the district. They're still using it. The older I grow the more certain I am that our abandoned farms need not be written off as a loss—not to the hunter in any event.

### CAMEO Kensington

Friday one show only at 7:15. Saturday matinee at 1 p.m. Evening show 7:15 and 9:15 Jack Palanca and Anthony Perkins teamed in an outdoor thriller—THE LONELY MAN. Co-starring Elaine Aiken. Also serial.

### Winnipeg C. C. F. Member To Speak At S'Side Convention

Veteran parliamentarian Stanley Knowles, CCF deputy leader, and CCF member of Parliament for Winnipeg North Centre for the past many years, will attend a nominating convention in Summerside next Thursday evening, where he will address a public meeting at 8:00 p.m.

At the convention, preceding the public meeting, a CCF candidate for Prince County will be nominated, as announced several days ago by the P. E. I. CCF Provincial Council.

Mr. Knowles has been prominent in Canada's socialist party—the CCF—since its organization 25 years ago, in 1932. Presently, and for many years, he has been recognized as Canada's leading authority on parliamentary rules procedure, and his ability as a parliamentarian is well known and respected by Canadians in every Province.

In this matter it will be recalled that Mr. Knowles declined a written offer from Prime Minister Diefenbaker to serve the last Parliament as Speaker of the House of Commons.

A journalist by profession, Mr. Knowles is noted for his attention to detail in the legislation before Parliament. His knowledge



MR. KNOWLES of national and international events, his dedication to the principles of democratic socialism, and his wit and mastery of parliamentary debate are well known to Canadians in general, and a large number of people are expected to meet Mr. Knowles at Summerside Civic Auditorium next Thursday evening.

a rug. A Beagle would be the only method of hunting them there.

It took me some time to pin point the field where I pastured the sheep. John Allen hadn't bothered with the back 8-acre field my sheep pasture, and it had a head start on the potato field. It was a real woods. The trees were so close packed they were almost impenetrable and of good firewood size. In my mind's eye I looked back into the distant past and saw myself filling their wooden trough with water and dicker-ing with the late Reany Jenkins over the price for the lambs. Back of Luke's it was the same story—Nature had taken over with a bang. The dyked fence where Luke and I used to chat across and wonder if the 'geese would come to the lake tonight' was blotted from sight.

### Appointed Magistrate

Mr. R. S. Hinton, Q. C., Summerside has been appointed stipendiary magistrate for the town of Summerside, it was reported yesterday. He succeeds Mr. E. H. Strong, Q. C., who officially retired as town magistrate and recorder yesterday.

Mr. Hinton, who is county magistrate, also practises law in Summerside. He is expected to assume his new duties today. It is not known who will assume the duties of town recorder but an appointment to this position is expected soon.

With fields of standing grain and herds of cattle and flocks of sheep pastured on its southward slopes. In the days before the 1st Great War I owned a farm there myself and was the proud possessor of a flock of Shropshire sheep. It is now generally known as the 'Old John Allen' place.

### Sleep Tonight

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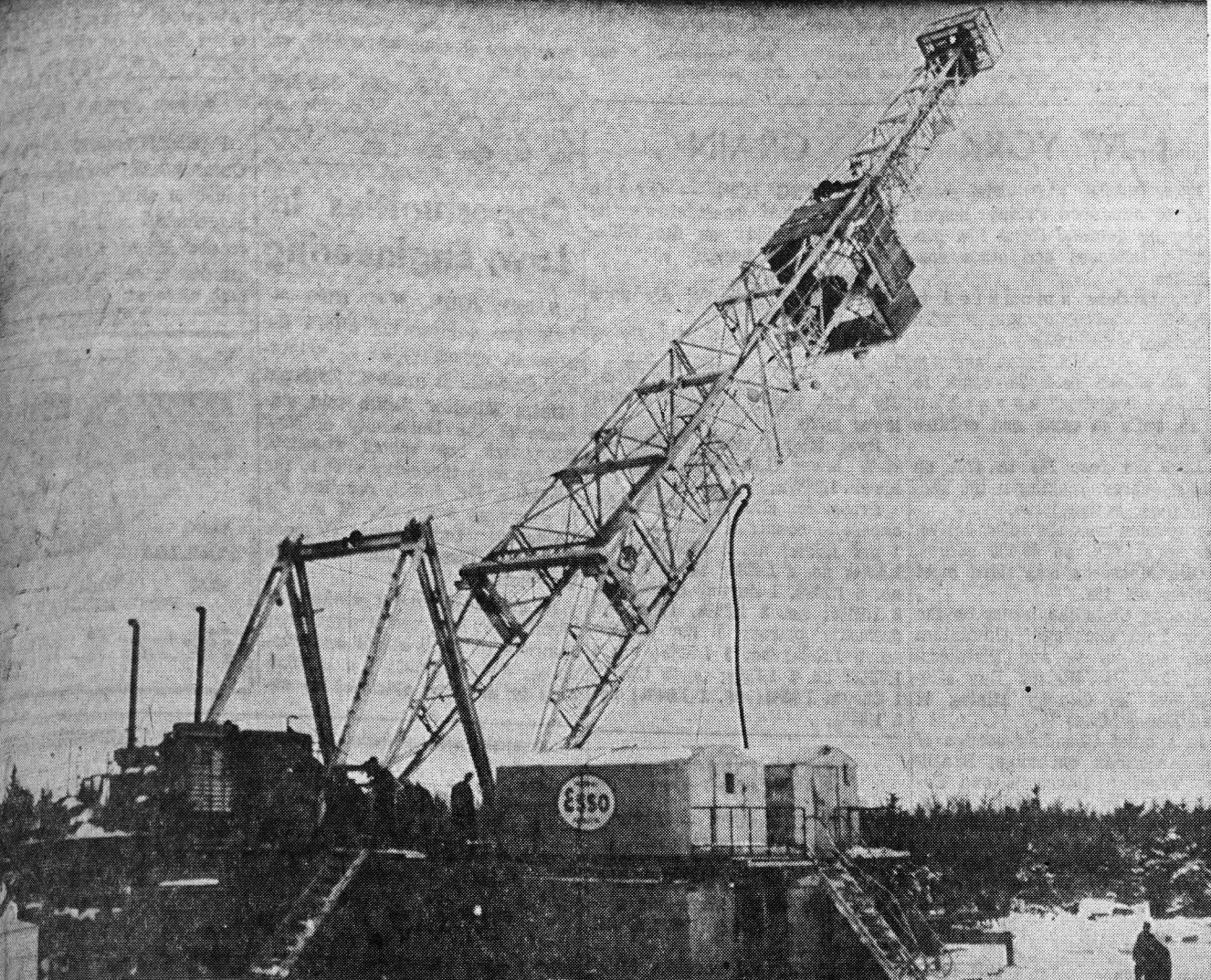
VICKS VA-TRO-NOL NOSE DROPS

### Hunters' Corner

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territain. They feel at home on remote sunny slopes surrounded by second growth birch, poplar and maples interspersed with tangles of alder, spruce and juniper. On every abandoned farm there are islets of open ground where Nature appears to have a hard time getting a foothold. Maybe its because a tough sod baffles the efforts of wind blown seeds to secure a hold. I can always pick out the fields that have been 'mussel mudded' to quote a farmer's expression coined in the days when mussel mud diggers dotted our rivers and bays and estuaries, filling farmers wood sleighs with countless tons of high grade fertilizer during the winter and late spring months.

I have watched a winter dawn break on Pownal Bay as a long line of sleighs awaited the arrival of the man who operated the 'digger' patronized. Every spot did not always provide the best quality mud. It had to possess a reasonable amount of shell. Yes, on fields that had been mudded Nature ran into difficulties in securing a foothold—at least it took years longer.

On a winter afternoon in January of this year I drove to Mount Albion and parked the car at the rear of a farm I used to visit when I was a barefoot lad. It was a sunny afternoon but a frost laden north wind had a bite to it in the open stretches. The ground was bare and frozen hard. I struck eastward over terrain I knew when it grew was covered



### DRILLING DERRICK GOES UP

The Imperial Oil drilling derrick is seen on its way up to a perpendicular position during the raising operation yesterday which took only three minutes, on hand to witness the event were government and civic officials and quite a number of spectators from St. Raphael, Wellington and Summerside. The derrick is now a landmark and can be seen for quite some distance from the St. Raphael site.

### 24 Lose Lives When School Bus Plunges Into River

PRESTONSBURG, Ky. (AP) A loaded school bus hit a wrecker and an automobile on a lonely mountain road Friday and dropped into a rain-swollen river, apparently carrying 23 children and the driver to their deaths.

Sixteen others, some "pushing, shoving and screaming," fled through an emergency door and windows before the bus sank into 30 feet of water three miles from here.

The National Safety Council called it the worst highway accident involving children in United States history.

Eight hours after the accident, red-eyed parents and relatives still lined banks of the Levisa fork of the Big Sandy River, waiting for rescuers to find some trace of the vehicle.

Before starting down an incline, the bus stopped to pick up nine students at a wooden suspension bridge, just 200 feet from the accident scene.

State police said the nine were among those listed as missing and presumed to have been drowned.

One survivor, 15-year-old David Wright, was sitting by a window when the bus went into the water.

"I managed to roll it down and crawl out," he said. "I pulled two other girls out with me."

Wright said he believes a boy named William Leedy, 15, was the one who managed to open the emergency door.

Donald L. Horn, driver of the wrecker, said he answered a call to pull a truck out of a ditch about three miles from here.

"I was trying to pull it across the highway," he recalled, "when the bus rounded a curve and struck my wrecker from the rear." Horn said the bus then veered into a parked car and headed for the river.

The United Church of Canada. Services of Divine Worship for the second Sunday in Lent, Mar. 2nd: West Devon 9:30 a.m.; Bloomfield 11 a.m.; Brae 2:30 p.m.; O'Leary, 7:30 p.m. Rev. J. Heber Kean, Minister.

KENSINGTON Rink, tonight (Saturday), second game, semifinals, Farmer's League, Rustico vs. Springfield. Game time, 8:30 sharp.

FUNERAL FRIDAY — Funeral services for the late Mrs. Elmer Burt were held at the Bonness Funeral Home yesterday afternoon. Rev. Cecil R. Weber assisted by Rev. S. Grant Walls were the officiating clergymen. The Trinity male quartet composed of Messrs. Allan Wedlock, Herbert Schurman, Archie Sharpe and Fred Parker sang the selection "The Christian's Goodnight." Interment took place in the People's Cemetery. Pallbearers were: Artemas Carr, John MacInnis, Robert H. Phillips, Lloyd Wood, James Heffel and Everet Gunning.

### IN MEMORIAM

MRS. DANIEL McMILLAN The death occurred in Rumford, Maine, on Jan. 12, 1958 of Mrs. Daniel McMillan. She was the former Mary Catherine McDonald and was born at Glangarry Lot 7, P.E.I. She was in her 87th year. She spent the greater part of her life in the States and last visited here three years ago. Her husband predeceased her a number of years ago.

She is survived by one sister, Jessie, Mrs. Roland Boyer, Chicago, Ill., and one brother James, Saint John, N.B. also a number of nieces and nephews. Also predeceasing her were two sisters and two brothers, namely: Annie, Mrs. David Stewart of West Point, P.E.I.; Janie, Mrs. Furse Keefe of Chicago, Ill.; John D. MacDonald, Glangarry, Lot 7 and Andrew McDonald, Boston, Mass.

Interment was in Rumford, Maine beside her late husband. R.I.P. Her funeral was held on Jan.

### WESTERN GUARDIAN

PRE-STOCK taking sale at Fiddell Bros will continue all this week.

RAYMOND GRANT, Optometrist, will be in his Tignish Office, Saturday, March 1st.

POSTPONED Valentine Social Monday March 3 in New London Hall.

PANTRY SALE 3.00 o'clock, Saturday March 1st at Kennedys Store, Margate W.I.

COMMUNION service Prince-geon United Church Malpeque Sunday March 2nd, 11.00 a. m.

LIBERAL Committee meeting Town Hall Kensington Saturday March 1st 8.30.

DR. ALAN STEWART will be absent from Dr. Phillips' dental office in Alberton until further notice.

DR. HENRY MOYSE will be absent from his office at the Medical Centre, Summerside for an indefinite period.

BEDEQUE rink tonight, Saturday, South Shore Hockey League. 1st 16 Rangers vs. Albany St. Pat's. Game time 7.45 sharp. 2nd 25 and 40.

SPRINGFIELD — O'LEARY Baptist Pastorate, Rev. Ross Howard, B. A.; B. D.; Minister, Springfield West 11 a.m., O'Leary 7:30 p.m., S. S. as usual. All are welcome.

CRAPAUD RINK. Saturday night provincial play-off hockey — first game best 2 out of 3. Trvon and sisters vs. Abbies Sisters. Game time 7.30. Skate at 7.30.

MR. AND MRS. A. Wesley Milligan, Tyne Valley, will be at home to their friends on Tuesday, March 4 from 3 to 5 in the afternoon and from 7 to 9 in the evening on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary.

BEDEQUE PASTORAL Charge The United Church of Canada. Rev. A. Cowper-Smith, Minister. Services on Sunday March 2nd: Bedeque 11 a.m., Borden, Communicants Class 2 p.m., Church services 3 p.m., Albany 7:30 p.m.

AT HOME: Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Thompson, Belmont, Lot 7 will be at home to friends and relatives on Tuesday, March 4th, in the evening, the occasion being their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

O'LEARY PASTORAL Charge. Rev. J. Heber Kean, Minister.

### Professional Cards

Chartered Accountants T. Earle Hickey & Co. Canadian Bank of Commerce Building Summerside, P.E.I. Phone 3285

Barrister George R. MacMahon, LL.B. 550 Water St. Summerside (Also Kensington on Saturdays) Phone Summerside 3551

INSURANCE R. E. Ellis & Son Limited Fire — Auto — Casualty 3 Sumner St. Summerside

Optometrists E. E. Parkman Opt. D., R.O. PHONE 3287

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## WARNING!

### INTERUPTION NOTICE

There will be an Interruption of electric power on our Borden line, west of the Malpeque Road, on Sunday afternoon, March 2nd, between the hours of 1:00 and 4:00 p.m., weather permitting, for the purpose of allowing us to install some new automatic switches on this line.

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