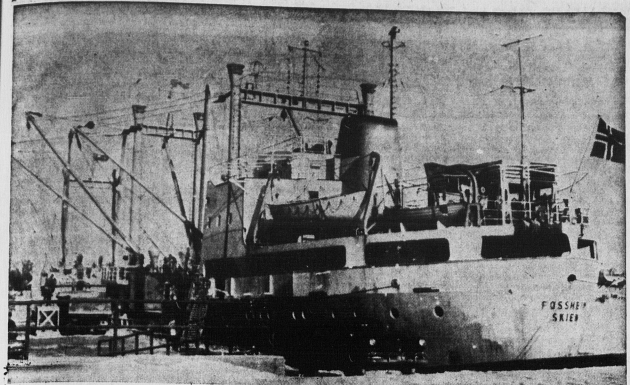


UNLOADING CARGO IN GEO'TOWN

The MV Fossheim is pictured at the Georgetown wharf where she is unloading 3.000 tons of super phosphate for Island Fertilizers Inc., of Charlottetown. She was diverted to this port after encountering heavy ice in Northumberland Strait while on her way to Charlottetown. The Fossheim tied up at Georgetown Wednesday about 1.30 p.m. and started discharging her cargo almost immediately. Georgetown Harbor is completely free of ice at present. The pilot boat was delayed in bringing her to the railway wharf due to poor visibility for a time.

Souris RHS Plans Winter Carnival

SOURIS — The Souris Regional High School is planning the first winter carnival ever to be held in Souris. It will be a three-day affair beginning Jan. 31, and will include all types of entertainment from broom ball games to a hootenanny. There will also be the popular ice sculptures.

The carnival will be organized by the Students Athletic Association under its president Pius Fitzpatrick. The faculty advisor is Herman Connolly. Tickets are on sale at the high school at a reduced rate.

On Thursday, Jan. 31 there will be a basketball game between the high school girls and the VIPs followed by a cook-out and a hootenanny with the Charlottetown Hillbillies.

Friday morning from 5:30 to 12:30 there will be an ice sculpturing contest for the Bike Shop trophy. At 2:30 the ice sports program will be held at the rink and this will include two broom ball games. One will see the Town Girls versus the Country Girls and the other will pit the Seniors against the teachers. There will be a regular Kings County League hockey game at 7:15 against Morell followed by a skate.

Saturday morning will see a basketball tournament between Souris, Morell, Montague and Queen Charlotte High commencing at 9:30. Both boys and girls teams will be featured. The crowning of the Carnival Queen will take place at 9 p.m. followed by the presentation of the trophies. The carnival dance will close the event.

HALIFAX MP ADDRESSES SDU LIBERALS

Gerald Regan, centre, Liberal MP for Halifax addressed the St. Dunstan's University Liberal Club yesterday afternoon. His talk was followed by a question and answer period. Mr. Regan was accompanied by John Mullally, MP for Kings who is seen here at right. At right is the president of the SDU Liberal Club, Gerald FitzGerald of Summerside.

DECISION POSTPONED

Although an official of the Centennial Committee said yesterday that the reported delay in the Queen's visit to Charlottetown this fall would probably cause a similar delay in the official opening of the Fathers of Confederation Memorial Building here, it was later learned that no decisions would be made until the announcement of the exact dates came direct from Buckingham Palace.

The first announcement was a Canadian Press reporter's understanding of present talk in London.

Attractive Prize List For Lions Ice Carnival

The Lions Club Centennial Dress Carnival will be held at the Charlottetown Forum, Monday night at 6:30 with $500 worth of prizes and a boy's and girl's bike in the offing.

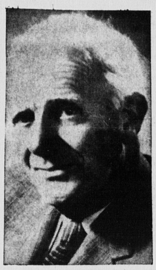
The carnival is open to children ages 6-14 and is being held in conjunction with centennial year. The big event of the night will be the choosing of the King and Queen who will be the top costume winners in the boys and girls classes. These two will receive as prizes the two bicycles.

The carnival will be a costume show with classifications for both girls and boys in western, centennial, and many other sections.

The chairman of the committee is Al Gill, who with committee members; Bill Hambly, Al McCurdy, Babs Fitzgerald, Ron Clarke, Gordon Lord, John Comeau and Norman Kelly, have put a great deal of work into making this carnival a sucess. All are of the Charlottetown Lions Club.

There will be no entry fee for children in the carnival, but there will be a 25 cent charge for other children attending and a 50 cent charge for adults, which will help defray the costs of the carnival. Children who are not already registered for the carnival can do so at the door Monday night.

There are many good prizes and the first prize winner in any of the different classes will receive a prize valued at $10. The prizes can be seen in the window of Rogers Hardware Store on the corner of Queen and Grafton Streets.



DR. ERIC ARTHUR

Historical Soc. To Hear Professor

A special meeting of Charlottetown members of the executive of the P.E.I. Historical Society was held in the office of F.A.S. Jones, under chairmanship of Earl Taylor, chairman of the speakers committee, and president - elect, of the society.

Mr. Taylor announced that, in co-operation with Dr. Frank MacKinnon, president of the Centennial Planning Committee, arrangements had been made for Dr. Eric Arthur, professor of architecture, Toronto University, to address a public meeting in Charlottetown Jan. 27.

It was decided that the meeting would be under the auspices of the society and that it would be held in the Charlottetown Hotel.

Dr. Arthur is a noted autority on historical architecture and he is a member of the Fathers of Confederation Foundation. His subject is one which should be of great interest to many Islanders as he is going to speak on "Historic buildings and landmarks in the Maritime Provinces: their history and preservation".

Storms Delaying Souris Building

SOURIS — Construction of the Souris Curling Club building has been delayed because of recent storms and it is expected that the official opening will take place approximately one week later than the scheduled March 1 date.

The foundation has been dug and the supporting posts for the building are now being put in place. For the next few days some 1,300 yards of sand will be dumped into the foundation for support of the posts.

Negotiations Slated On City Wage Dispute

A union spokesman, Cnst. Leo MacDougall, said yesterday, that a two-year contract proposed by the Charlottetown City Council is a major reason for the wage dispute which will be negotiated soon, with the Union of Civic Employees who have requested a one-year contract.

Cnst. MacDougall, who last year was president of the union, which represents some 60 employees, explained that the police and firemen-engineers had asked for an approximate 12 per cent increase in annual salary on a one - year contract.

What the city had offered to pay was a $300 increase over a two-year period. This works out to about 4½ per cent a year, Cnst. MacDougall said.

Civic employees, other than police and fire staff, requested a wage increase of about eight per cent on a one - year contract, but had been offered a raise of five per cent over a two-year period.

Constable MacDougall said the police department's request was based on the salary scales of other Maritime forces.

"Charlottetown police are the lowest paid in the Maritimes," he said, noting that within this province Summerside salaries are higher.

No definite date has been set for a meeting between City Council and the union, but it expected this will take place within a week.

Geo'town Lions Club Elects 2 Directors; Plans Banquet

GEORGETOWN — Two directors were appointed at a meeting of the Georgetown Lions Club, Wednesday night in the Council Chambers. W.J. Fitzgerald and Donald King were appointed as directors for terms of two years and one year respectively. The other two directors had been appointed at an earlier meeting.

Joseph Maund of Moncton, N.B., international representative was in attendance, as were Dr. Wolf Marold and William Pierce of the Souris club, which is sponsoring the Georgetown club.

Allan MacPhee reported that satisfactory progress was being made on the Lions lottery of a transistor radio. Paul Batchilder reported that the Thunderbolts orchestra would be playing for the dance on Charter Night. He also reported that arrangements had been completed for catering for the banquet by the Catholic Women's League.

King Lion Howard MacLean reported that the advertising and program book for Charter Night had been forwarded for printing. In all the total advertising amounted to $535. Some 225 books have been ordered and everyone in attendance at the Charter Night banquet and all advertisers will receive a copy of the book.

It was decided by the meeting that a bank account would be opened at once. The signing officers appointed were Howard MacLean, Frank Parker and Waldron Lavers.

Mr. Maund delivered a very interesting talk on the founder of Lions International, Melvin Jones, outlining the origin and aims of Lions clubs and their history.

He also described plans for the holding of the Lions district convention in Charlottetown on the last day of May and the first two days of June. This convention will bring together Lions and their wives from the four Atlantic Provinces and the State of Maine. It is anticipated that at least 500 will be in attendance

He also instructed the club on many phases of club procedure. On the question of the district convention, Dr. Marold outlined the duties of Kings County Lions clubs which have been assigned the job of greeting and assisting in the transportation of visiting Lions who come to the province for the convention via the Wood Islands ferry.

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Souris Town Councillor Is Retiring

SOURIS—John J. MacDonald, member of the town council and active in several other organizations here retired last week. His seat on the council will be up for contention Jan. 27.

Mr. MacDonald was well known for his activities in the Knights of Columbus, the school board and other organizations.

LOCAL BRIEFS

ENTERS HOSPITAL

Mrs. Donald MacFayden, 210 Hillsboro Street has entered the P.E.I. Hospital for surgery.

CALLED HOME

W. L. Johnson, Albany, New York, returned Thursday by plane after being called home due to the death of his father, W.J. Johnson, Stewart Street, Charlottetown.

HIGHLIGHTS TELEVISED

Scenes and comments from the national convention of the Dairy Farmers of Canada which was held here this week, will be seen and heard on the CBC's "Country Calendar" Sunday afternoon at 1.30. Jack Johnson who received an award of "Honorary Dairy Farmer" here this week, will bring the conference highlights.

CARD PARTY WINNERS

The following are the results of the card party held at the Community Centre last night: ladies' first, Mrs. E. Murray; second, Mrs. J. O'Hanley; gent's first, Patrick Trainor; second, George Larter; freezeout, George Larter and Mrs. Mary E. MacKinnon; consolation, Dan Chipman and Mrs. M. MacPherson; door prize, Mrs. Joseph Doucette; special A.R. Ellis.

MacCANNELL FUNERAL — The funeral for Mrs. Duncan MacCannell was held yesterday afternoon from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home to Canoe Cove Presbyterian Church. Service was conducted by Rev. Raymond Gillis. Hymns were "The Lord's My Shepherd" and "Abide With Me." Organist was Mrs. Gordon MacKinnon. Pallbearers were: Dan MacPhee, Lonuis Darrach, Ernest Inman, Roy MacPhee, David Inman and Charles MacNevin. Interment was in the church cemetery.

EASTERN BRIEFS

IS PROGRESSING

Richard Aylward, Morell is progressing favorably while a patient in the Charlottetown Hospital.

RETURNS HOME

Miss Alma Crane, Morell, returned home after spending a few days in Charlottetown with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Donovan, Jr.

AT SHERWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Barry and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Aylward, Morell were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dowling, Sherwood.

IN HOSPITAL

Sterling MacEwen, Morell, is a patient in the Prince Edward Island Hospital.

IS CONVALESCING

Patrick Mullan, Milburn, is convalescing at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smith, Parkdale.

IN HOSPITAL

Ernest Blanchard, Montague, is a patient in the Kings County Memorial Hospital.

ACCEPTS POST

Miss Margaret MacRae of Cardigan has accepted a position on the staff of Government House, Charlottetown.

OUT OF HOSPITAL

Lynwood Lewis, Cardigan, has returned to his home following treatment in the Kings County Memorial Hospital.

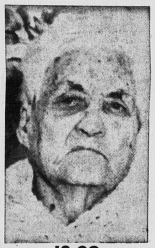
WAS PATIENT

Mrs. Gertrude McInnis, who has been a patient in the Wood Nursing Home, Charlottetown, recently returned to her home in Cardigan.

VISITED BOSTON

Vance Griffin, teacher at Montague Regional High School, recently spent a vacation with relatives and friends in Boston, Mass.

BUCHANAN FUNERAL — The funeral for Miss Harriet Buchanan, Montague, was held from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Thursday. The servcie was conducted by Rev. B.C. Lowery. The hymns The Lord's My Shepherd and Nearer My God To Thee were sung by the Brooklyn Trio. Mrs. A. F. Campbell was organist. Pallbearers were: Ethan Stewart, Fulton Campbell, Lester Carpenter, Harry MacGregor, Daniel M. MacDonald, Cyrus Shaw. Flower bearers were: Theodore MacLean, Milton Kennedy, Calvin Hilchey, William Annear, Hubert Nelson, Lloyd Keith, Howard Vickerson. Interment took place in Lower Montague cemetery.



IS 99

Mrs. Mark Sencabaugh recently celebrated her 99th birthday. She was the former Annie Elizabeth (Nancy) Horton and was born at Murray River and is the last surviving member of a large family. Her parents were Ambrose and Rachael Horton. Mrs. Sencabaugh has lived her entire life in the Murray Harbor area. Four of her six daughters and one of her two sons are living, as are 20 grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Until a recent fall, Mrs. Sencabaugh has been very active in church and community work with sewing, knitting, rug-hooking.

Club Appeal Opens Today

At 10.30 this morning, Queens County Judge C. St. Clair Trainor, will open the hearing of the appeal by the Southport Country Club, seeking restoration of its permit for the sale of beer and spirits.

Following alleged violation of the regulations governing the operations of such clubs in the handling of liquor, the permit was withdrawn by the Liquor Control Commission several weeks ago.

Deputy Attorney-General J. Arthur McGuigan stated that the session will be open, but that it is possible an adjournment may be called.

3-Car Crash In Cutting Delays Traffic

MONTAGUE — A three-car collision resulted in considerable damage to the vehicles about 9 o'clock yesterday morning at Commercial Cross, three miles from Montague.

The accident occurred when an European model car driven by Mrs. Donnie Munro was in collision with a 1960 car driven by Wilfred Gillis of Kilmuir.

The mishap took place in a cutting where visibility at the time was not good. Shortly after the impact a third car, a 1956 model, driven by Kay Munn of Murray River, slid into the cutting ramming the accident cars.

No one was hurt, however a traffic tie-up which included a school bus, trucks and cars resulted.

The Montague detachment RCMP was quickly on the scene to relieve the congestion and let traffic resume at a normal pace.

City Worker Gets Bussed

Bonhomme Carnival left a souvenir with a city employee when he visited city hall this morning. He also took back several with him when he left. He carefully examined the replica of the Provincial Building on display in the council chamber, and signed the guest book, when the mayor asked him to spare a moment to meet the employees of city hall who were watching from the rear of the chamber.

Greeting them all and shaking hands with most he suddenly remarked, "Hah, a pretty girl" and immediately embraced and kissed Eleanor Hennessey.

His brief call at City Hall had one slightly unusual note in that another guest was Mayor Ernest Morrison, Summerside, who was wearing his official chain of office at the same time as Mayor Gaudet was wearing the Charlottetown chain.

Also present was the bilingual Town Crier resplendent in his tri-cornered hat and the dress of a bygone era. In thanking Mayor Gaudet for the souvenirs of this city, Bonhomme told him "we have had a wonderful reception. Thank you for everything." He was also given souvenir letter openers on behalf of the Town of Summerside.

ANSWERS PHONE

Intelligent Suzy Is 'Cat's Meow'

By GEORGE CONDON

Suzy Dockendorff is very intelligent. She is only seven months old, but she answers the telephone without ever having been taught how.

Fascinating you say? It becomes downright fantastic when you realize that Suzy is a cat!

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dockendorff of 84 Hillsboro Street, Charlottetown, Suzy's owners, discovered her peculiar talents about a month ago when Mrs. Dockendorff called home to see if her husband was there. There was a clang and a bang and — a meow! Suzy had answered the phone.

This has become a common occurrence since, especially when the Dockendorffs are away. Callers have found that Suzy will nearly always answer the phone in the afternoons (she sleeps in the morning) and even if her owners are home Suzy will pace back and forth from the phone until the phone is answered.

She is a bit shy, even though she has tiger stripes, and Suzy has only been caught in her act once. If there are people in the house she would rather they answer the ring.

The other day Mrs. Dockendorff entertained some friends who were anxious to see Suzy at work. It was arranged that a friend should call and sure enough Suzy began to pace back and forth crying for her mistress to pick up the phone.

When it became obvious that no one was interested in the ringing, Suzy went to stop it herself. But, just as she pushed her nose under the head piece to knock it off the hook, she looked up and saw her audience. Holding true to her belief that humans have first right to the phone, Suzy jumped down to let her mistress take the call.

No one seems to know just why Suzy is so intelligent. She was given to the Dockendorffs by a friend, Mrs. Jean Moore, who found Suzy and a brother born to an old alley cat. Mrs. Moore kept one and gave Suzy away. Mrs. Moore, however, says she can find nothing exceptional about the kitten she kept.

In the meantime Suzy goes on answering the phone every afternoon she is home.

However, if you call, don't get alarmed if the line is busy. Suzy has an awful habit of forgetting to hang up.

United Fund Boosts '63 Donations

The payment of an additional five per cent to the agencies for 1963 was approved at a meeting of the United Fund directors Wednesday night. Total payment has now been brought to 95 per cent of the amount allocated to each of the agencies by the budget committee.

This additional amount, made possible by the good response on pledge payments, will go out to the agencies within the next few days.

The meeting also discussed plans for the forthcoming public relations clinic and annual meeting, to be held Jan. 28. A good response to the invitations sent out is being felt and a good attendance is assured. People from as far away as East Baltic and Alberton have signified their intention of being present at this important session.

During discussion of the campaign to date, it was felt that a final effort should be made to complete the outstanding cards before commencing organization of this year's campaign.

The United Fund for 1964 stood this morning at $177,695 or 76 per cent of the objective.

AUSSIE D-DAY

Australia's D-Day, the changeover from pounds, shillings and pence to decimal currency, is expected to fall in February, 1966.

Geo'town H-S Plans Concert

GEORGETOWN—The Georgetown Home and School Association held its regular meeting in the High School, Wednesday. The meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. Marcellus Gotell.

The secretary, Miss Jacqueline Christian read a letter from Rev. Keith Hobson, Summerside, in regards to program suggestions. Notice was also given of the radio program "What's New In Home And School".

The president explained that due to lack of suitable facilities the previously planned Christmas program had to be cancelled.

The following committee was appointed to inquire as to the feasibility of having a variety concert in the near future. Mrs. Frank Lavandier, Parnell Garland and Mrs. Marcellus Goteil were appointed as members of the committee.

It was decided to hold a pantry sale Jan. 25. Volunteer workers at the sale will be Mrs. Marcellus Gotell, Mrs. Frank MacLean and Mrs. Frank Lavandier.

John MacDonald, the guest speaker, was unable to attend the meeting due to road conditions and he agreed to speak at the next meeting.

Firm To Honor 31 Employees

Observing a three-year period during which the company went accident free, 31 employees of the Maritime Electric Company's plant department will be honored at a dinner Feb. 5.

Each of the workmen in the company's plant section will receive a certificate during the dinner sponsored by the company at the Canadian Legion Home.

It is felt that the three-year period free of mishaps is even more significant in view of the heavy construction that went on at the plant during that time.

W.E. McMurtry, director of vocational training on P.E.I. will be guest speaker for the occasion.

Crapaud Man Is Fined $125

Pleading guilty to the lesser count of having the care and control of a motor vehicle while his abilities were impaired by alcohol, Gene B. Rogers, Crapaud, was fined $125 and costs or 30 days by Magistrate A. J. Haslam, QC, in city police court yesterday.

Rogers, was originally charged with having the care and control while intoxicated, to which he pleaded not guilty. He volunteered the guilty plea to impairment, which was accepted by the prosecution.

Three men pleaded guilty to charges of being drunk and incapable; one man was fined $20 and costs or 20 days; the second, $20 and costs or 10 days, and the third was given a 20 day jail sentence.

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