

# Water Main Problem Discussion Is Planned

Full discussion of the Pionet-r report dealing with the water situation in this city will be held in a joint meeting between members of the City Council and the Commissioners of Sewerage and Water Supply scheduled for later this week.

Absence from the city on business Commissioner Joseph McKenna has made the date of the meeting uncertain. City Clerk John Butler said yesterday in time the meeting will be held Thursday night.

The Commissioners earlier expressed concern over the situation, especially as it relates to lack of adequate firefighting supply in the south and east ends of the city. They stated the amount of water available would not be sufficient to combat a large blaze in that section.

Another matter which has plagued water commissioners for several years is wastage of water. At the annual meeting of City Council late in January members of the Commission told councilors the situation regarding this was serious and action to prevent it would have to be taken almost immediately.

While no actual figures were given for the amount of wastage—the Pionet report is expected to reveal this in detail—it is believed it may run as high as 30 to 35 per cent. Most of this

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# Sealing Resumes Off North Shore

ST. PETERS — Sealing operations resumed at St. Peter's yesterday on a limited scale but are expected to pick up speed today.

From Tignish, using one plane after an afternoon start landed 40 pellets from a new herd found some 20 miles off Savage Harbor. The herd is large enough to provide a week's hunting, it was reported.

Meanwhile the Alberton group, headed by Glen Matthews, was inactive as their aircraft were tied up. One plane left for repairs at Halifax and the other, piloted by Robert McViney of Troyon, had to take time out for the regular mail flight to Pictou Island. Later in the day Glen Coffin, one of four sealers who sought refuge on the ship "Polar Star" was picked up by the plane and landed at North Rustico. The other three, from Alberton, are still aboard the ship but expect to join their hunting group on the ice today.

The nets were landed at St. Peter's yesterday. For today it is expected landing will be made either at Savage Harbor or at St. Peter's Lake.

Planes yesterday were flying 33 miles to the herd from St. Peter's but the distance will be cut to 30 miles today, it is expected.

Five sealing ships are further out than the new herd, it was noted. Three ships are grounded close together, two are further out and two more are further to the west. It was not known whether the ships were still in the midst of a seal herd. They were when the sudden storm

# Former Resident Dies In Kellowna

MURRAY HARBOR — Word has been received by Gerald Prowse of Murray Harbour, of the sudden passing on March 20 of his sister, Mrs. Albert Phillips in Kellowna, B.C. Mrs. Phillips who was in her 70th year was the former Edith Prowse, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Albert Prowse. She left Murray Harbor approximately 30 years ago when she married Albert Phillips, also a former resident of Murray Harbor. Mr. Phillips passed away one year ago.

She is survived by the one brother, Gerald who left home on Wednesday to attend the funeral of his sister in Kellowna, B.C. Several brothers and sisters predeceased her.

# Rural Teachers Meet In P'kdale

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# INTERRUPTION NOTICE

There will be an interruption of electric power on our eastern transmission line and our Wood Islands line on Wednesday, March 28th between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m., weather permitting.

This interruption is necessary to enable us to relocate poles near the Hillsborough Bridge as required by road widening on the approach.

The areas affected will be:— Hillsborough Bridge to Wood Islands, Pisiquid, Cardigan, Georgetown, Montague and Murray River areas.

St. Peter's Bay to Souris and East Point areas.

Engineers, and other knowledgeable citizens, state this is not due to lack of pressure but lack of an adequate flow of water because of the small size of pipes carrying it into the area. They have expressed the belief that only an extension of the large 12-inch mains bringing the water into the city will relieve the situation which they agree could be dangerous.

At present the main bringing water into the city along Malpeque Road only goes as far as Gerald street. From there a 12-inch pipe branching off into various sections of the city drops drastically to as small as four inches in diameter.

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Bystanders watch as thick smoke billows out of a section of the St. Georges Shopping

# Conference's Fundamental Ideas Strongly Supported

Provincial Planning Officer Walter De Silva said yesterday that "it is contrary to a Canadian Press report that the first annual meeting of the Canadian Council on Urban and Regional Research held in Ottawa last week ended in chaos or wide disagreement, there was unanimity and support for all of the fundamental ideas brought forth at the conference."

Mr. De Silva attended the conference as this province's representative.

"At the conference," he said, "there were present from all over Canada representatives from all levels of government, the universities, the professions, associations, banks, industry and commerce.

"Such a mammoth gathering of interests and minds presented the problem of general coordination and they had a common goal, and that was that Canada badly needed organized research in the field of urban and regional problems. Quite understandably, there were questions such as how much of

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The research should be action-oriented which is likely to be favoured by governments and how much should be pure research that the universities would favour. There was wide discussion as to the articulation of urban and regional areas, as these may have different connotations in one part of Canada from those in another part. They would also have different measures of interest for one level of government than another.

"Because research is in a sense a private organization, the problem of the relative responsibilities of the various levels of government who might contribute financially to the CURR, was discussed, but it was agreed that the Council would actually determine the research programs.

"There was general and free discussion and we met for the purpose to give direction to the founding committee or to the views of the general body of participants, disagreement was rather sensational, to say the least."

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# \$700,000 Recreation Centre To Be Erected

Authorization has been given by Rt. Rev. Patrick McMahon, rector of St. Dunstan's Basilica, for the erection of a \$700,000 Recreation Centre on Richmond Street, it was learned yesterday.

The announcement was made yesterday by J. Elmer Blanchard, president of the Basilica Laymen's Association, and M. F. Hagan, chairman of the building committee.

The decision to build was made at a Sunday night meeting, START IN MAY

Some adjustments are yet to be made in the plans, but it is hoped that work will get underway sometime in May. Before construction, some demolition will be needed on the site which now holds the Holy Name Hall.

The new structure, of steel and masonry, will rise three stories and will face on Richmond Street.

The recreation centre will be 150 feet long and 66 feet deep. It will contain a large gymnasium, an eight to 10 lane bowling alley, a lounge, business offices, and various meeting rooms for groups such as boy scouts, girl guides, a library and reading room.

Mr. Blanchard and Mr. Hagan said the formal announcement of the construction of the building is the culmination of four years of planning and study.

# Maritime Electric Group Gets First Aid Certificates

A group of Maritime Electric employees were guests of management at a dinner at the Charlottetown Hotel last Friday evening, marking their successful conclusion of their participation in the first aid course.

A. D. Cameron, general manager of Maritime Electric Co., Ltd., expressed the appreciation of the management to the 11 employees who had passed the tests at the conclusion of the course, and called upon Dr. W. Ross Stewart, chairman of the Red Cross first aid committee, to present the certificates.

Present at the dinner to receive their certificates were J. R. Finley, D. A. Lecky, K. J. Haywood, R. Feohan and W. R. Johnston. Also eligible, but unable to be present because of the storm, were M. D. Mac Kinnon, L. A. Driscoll, J. Hughes, A. J. Dunn, E. D. MacPhail, and E. Molyneux.

Other guests included R. A. Parker, J. L. Boomhower, M. McAduff, J. S. Cuffe and E. J. Chinery, instructor for the course.

# Metro Plans Discussion On Rentals

The question of house and apartment rentals and the need for a legalized standard and government inspection, will receive an airing Thursday evening at the next meeting of the Metropolitan committee.

The session, to be open to the public, will be held in room 46 of the Hotel West College, and will get underway at 7:30.

It is expected several guests will take part in the discussions including Gles Cautivel, acting director of sanitary engineering of the department of health; Al Bellevue, vice-chairman of the Housing Commission; William Murphy, president of the Catholic Social Welfare Bureau; and Reginald McNutt, president of the Protestant Family Service Bureau.

Committee chairman M. F. Hagan will report to the group on the results of a mission he has had with the manager of Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation.

# Editor Retires From U.K. Book On Aristocracy

By EDDY GILMORE  
LONDON (AP)—For 40 years, Cyril Francis James Hankinson has spent his life writing from tree to tree in the lush jungles of British aristocracy.

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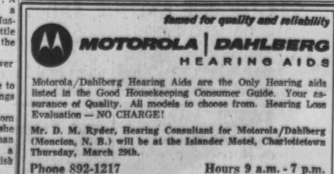
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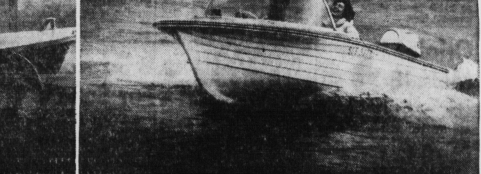
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# Two Men Are Each Fined \$20 For Creating Disturbance

Kenneth John Haywood, Charlottetown, and Louis H. Murray, Parkdale, pleaded guilty to charges of creating a disturbance in a public place by fighting and were fined \$20 and costs or 10 days in jail by Magistrate James R. Johnston, QC, in the Queen's County Magistrate's court yesterday.

AKSAULT CASE  
Following his pleading not guilty to assaulting Marie Clow, by grabbing her by the throat with his hands and throwing her to the floor, Walter Clow, Parkdale, was remanded until March 28.

Crown testimony was com-

# Area Study Committee Organizes

The Charlottetown and suburban study committee, composed of representatives of Charlottetown, Sherwood, West Hill, Spring Park and Parkdale and formed to study the advantages and disadvantages of amalgamating with Charlottetown, named Justice C. St. Clair Traylor as chairman at a meeting yesterday.

The meeting held in Justice Traylor's office after spending the afternoon in Murray House was closed to the press.

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