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Blue Cross Facilities Are Said Still Useful

ST. ANDREWS, N.B. (CP)—The Blue Cross plan and government hospital insurance can work together for the benefit of all concerned, the Maritime Hospital Association was told Thursday by Dr. Joseph MacDougall, S. A. I. John, president of the Maritime Hospital services association.

He said the Blue Cross-Blue Shield trustees were "perplexed and concerned that responsible government officers are indicating that semi-private coverage is not needed with governments underwriting hospital care to the ward level."

He urged all hospital officials to consider personalized care. "Make the patient feel that every one in the hospital from the maid to the administrator is concerned about his illness. Add to this real kindness and the advancement in scientific treatment, and the hospitals will make the government plan succeed."

Miss Helen Mussallem, director of a pilot project for evaluation of nursing schools across Canada, said the objective was establishment of uniform standards.

Dr. W. I. Taylor, executive director of the Canadian Council on hospital accreditation, said the Maritimes have the best Canadian record of achievement in accreditation. In Nova Scotia, 27 per cent of hospitals having less than 50 beds were accredited compared with the Canadian average of seven per cent.

Railway Sectionman Retires Following 31 Years Of Service

MORELL — Stanley Brown, CNR sectionman at Morell has retired after 31 years service.

He joined the railway at Alberton in 1928 and in 1931 was transferred to Richmond as section foreman. The following year he returned to Alberton to take over the foremanship of that section. In 1947 he was transferred to Morell where he has remained since.

Estate Sells Seven Houses

SUMMERSIDE — A Summerside businessman, Milton Doyle, has purchased seven small homes on Notre Dame Street west, near the Stadium. The homes were formerly owned by Housing Enterprises Ltd., and later by the J.K. Curren Estate.

They form part of a row of nine similar houses, two of which were previously sold to Clarence Doyle and Reta Gallant.

The new owner plans to continue renting the seven homes to their present tenants. The buildings were formerly summer cottages which were moved from the shoreline west of Summerside and remodelled and winterized several years ago.

New Contract To Be Viewed

Members of Union Local 301 will soon receive a draft of a new contract drawn up by the negotiations committee. It was learned at the regular meeting of the group held this week.

After being approved by the local members the contract will then be presented to the City Council and water commissioners for their perusal before negotiations start. The present contract expires August 31.

Members felt that several clauses in the present contract require reconsideration on the part of both parties to bring it more in line with other cities of comparable size.

It was the general feeling of the meeting that the present contract with the city was worth out "exceptionally well" considering both a "practically" combination to this system of bargaining.

Two new candidates were initiated into the union and received the union obligation.

President A.J. Dowling presided.



VICE-PRESIDENT

Summerside Mayor W.A. Currie was elected a vice-president of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities at the annual meeting of the group which wound up in North Bay, Ont., Wednesday. Other Island delegates at the meeting include Mayor B.H. Yeo of Montague and Mayor E.C. Johnstone and City Clerk John Butler of Charlottetown.

Currie would make a donation to the Reformed Children's Association. President Earl Colwell presided and Winston England was secretary.

THE NEW EXECUTIVE of the Rebekah District No. 14 elected at the annual meeting at Alberton are seated, left to right, Mrs.

Lois Brown, secretary; Mrs. Catherine Smith, president; Mrs. Lillian McDonald, treasurer. Standing, left to right, Mrs. Hazel

Hooley, vice-president; Lillian Smith, district deputy president; Mrs. Elizabeth Bell, door keeper; Mrs. Jennie Cameron, instructor.

ISLAND BRIEFS Rebekah District Elects Officers

ALBERTON GUESTS — Mrs. Halsey Hooper and Mrs. William Hayes of Charlottetown, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Hayes of Alberton.

HOSPITAL PATIENT — Lloyd G. Ramsay, of New London, is a patient in the Prince County Hospital with a fractured arm.

OREGON VISITORS — Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cummings have arrived from Portland, Oregon, to visit the latter's brother Leigh Hodgson of Alberton.

PLEADS GUILTY — A Kensington resident pleaded guilty to a charge of driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated. Magistrate R.S. Hinton, Q.C., sentenced him to seven days in the Prince County Jail. The arrest was made by Summerside police early yesterday morning.

RETURNS HOME — Horace Fraser, postmaster at Montague, and Mrs. Fraser, have returned from Moncton, N.B., where they attended the Maritime Postmaster, Association convention.

During the convention, Mr. Fraser was appointed to the executive for the coming year. Other Kings County postmasters who attended included William Fitzgerald, Georgetown; R. J. MacDonald, Carignan and Arthur Wright of Souris.

OFFICER WELCOMED — Constable Douglas Hender, Mrs. Hender and their small daughter are being welcomed to Montague where Constable Hender has been transferred to the Montague detachment of the RCMP.

Constable Hender is a native of Newfoundland and has been posted to several Maritime centres including Dalhousie, N.B., and Summerside and comes here from Souris where he has been stationed for the past three years. His wife, the former Jean MacGregor, is a native of East Baltic, P.E.I.

Constable Hender replaces Constable Ron Pettit, who has been transferred to the Summerside detachment.

JUNE MEETING — The June meeting of Summerside Trinity Evening Auxiliary was held in the church parlor on Tuesday evening.

The supply secretary reported 100 pounds clothing shipped overseas and approximately 15 pounds dressings to Florence Murray in Korea.

A number of members volunteered to place flowers in the church for the month of August. Plans were completed for the Baby party to be held in the Hall on 10th. A letter from the Presbyterian Baby Band secretary was read.

The devotional period was conducted by Marion Carr.

COFFIN FUNERAL — The funeral of the late Wilfred Henry Coffin was held from his late residence in Savage Harbor yesterday afternoon. Service was conducted by the Rev. J. M. Sheen. During the service the choir sang the hymns "On To The Hills," "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul". Interment was in Mt. Stewart Cemetery. Pall bearers were: Merton Jardine, Angus McPhee, Ralph Pigott, Austin McLaughlin, Cyril Morrison and Layton Trainor.

CHRISTIAN FUNERAL — The funeral of the late Jerome Christian was held Thursday morning from the residence of Peter S. Chaisson, Bear River, to St. Alexis Church, Rollo Bay where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Wilfred Keefe, P.P., who also conducted the service at the grave. The pallbearers were: Frederick Chaisson, Walter Burke, Adolphus Burke, Joseph Deveau, Bernard MacDonald and John D.

MAGAZINE MAN DIES — MONTREAL (CP) — Reginald B. Gay, 70, retired advertising counselor of Weekend Magazine, died here Wednesday. Born in Bristol, Eng., Mr. Gay came to Montreal in 1911 to join the Montreal Star accounting office and 10 years later became secretary-treasurer of the Standard and subsequently Weekend Magazine.

ALBERTON — The ninth annual meeting of Rebekah District Association No. 14 was held at Alberton Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Delegates from other centres were welcomed by Jean Wilkie and Marjorie Johnston, president of the Association, made response.

Following discussion it was decided that in the future all district meetings would be held in Charlottetown.

Plans were made to purchase mats for the Island room in the IOOF home at Pictou.

Reports of each lodge were given by Lillian Smith, DDP.

Officers elected for the coming year are: President, Catherine Smith of Alpha No. 10; vice-president, Hazel Hooley of Acme No. 67; secretary, Lois Brown of Alpha No. 10; treasurer, Lillian MacDonald of Acme No. 67.

Also doorkeeper, Elizabeth Bell of Regalette No. 93; auditors, Ruth MacLeod, Hilda Blichey and Addie Duvar, all of Acme No. 67.

Jennie Cameron, PPRA, was instructor. At the close of the afternoon session she was presented with a gift by the district officers.

At the evening session an impressive memorial service was conducted by Helen Kerr, Shirley MacArthur, Joyce Johnston and Margaret Forsyth or Regalette Lodge. Joyce Johnston, acting NG of Regalette Lodge, presided.

Pearl Tower, president of the Rebekah Assembly of the Maritime Provinces, and Estelle Dennis, vice-president of the assembly, were introduced by Nettie Hardy and given the honors of the degree. Other guests introduced were Jennie Cameron, PPRA; Jean Crockett, PPRA; Lillian Smith, DDP and Marjorie Johnston, retiring president of the district association.

A pageant based on the Lord's Prayer was presented by members of Acme Lodge and a flag ceremony by members of Alpha Lodge.

Pearl Tower brought an inspirational address to the association.

On behalf of Regalette Lodge, Maud Dyer presented Pearl Tower with a gift of maple tree craft and on behalf of Acme Lodge Hazel Hooper presented her with a gift of China.

Roll call showed the attendance to be 15 from Montague, 12 from Charlottetown and 10 from Alberton.



PROMOTED

Flying Officer John A. Bradley, formerly of St. Theresa's, P.E.I. and now serving with the Royal Canadian Air Force at Winnipeg, has been promoted to flight-lieutenant navigator. The promotion, announced by RCAF Headquarters at Ottawa, is retroactive to Feb. 1 this year.

Mr. Bradley, son of Mr. and Mrs. U. P. Bradley, obtained his art degree at St. Dunstan's University in Feb. 1953. He was stationed at Summerside, spent two years with 103 Rescue Unit at Greenwood, N.S. and for the past four years has been career councillor at the RCAF recruiting unit in Ottawa. At present he is taking a jet interceptor course. He is married to the former Sheila Praught of Charlottetown. They have two daughters, Pamela and Elizabeth.

WEATHER

TORONTO (CP)—Temperature issued by the weather office:

	Min.	Max
Dawson	45	65
Vancouver	55	57
Victoria	50	57
Edmonton	44	74
Calgary	43	74
Regina	38	81
Winnipeg	32	87
Toronto	58	83
Ottawa	56	82
Montreal	56	78
Quebec	44	74
Fredericton	51	75
Saint John	52	72
Moncton	50	63
Halifax	52	67
Charlottetown	47	58
Sydney	43	56
Yarmouth	49	73
St. John's	43	57

HALIFAX (CP)—The weather office says a high pressure area is nearly stationary to the south of the Great Lakes. As a result,

mostly sunny and warmer weather is in store for the district today.

Forecasts:
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island: Sunny and warmer; light winds. Low-high at Halifax 45 and 75, Yarmouth 45 and 72, Kentville 40 and 85, Charlottetown 40 and 73, Fredericton 48 and 85, Saint John 48 and 75, Moncton and Edmundston 45 and 80, Campbellton 45 and 77, Sydney 35 and 73.

Bay of Fundy: Light winds; mostly clear except for scattered fog patches; visibility 10 miles; lowering in fog to one-half mile; temperature near 50.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 9:34 a.m. and 11:00 p.m. At Rustico at 4:46 a.m. and 8:32 p.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 4:28 a.m. and sets at 7:55 p.m.

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Conference Is Scheduled

SUMMERSIDE — Plans were completed for a social welfare conference at the annual meeting of the Prince County Welfare Agency held recently.

Members of parish social action groups will take part in the conference to be held at the Knights of Columbus Youth Centre June 11.

Speakers will include J. P. E. O'Hanley, pastor of St. Paul's Church; E. D. MacDonald, provincial director of child welfare; John E. Green, regional director of family allowances and Rev. J.G. MacCormac, provincial director of the Catholic Women's League.

F. Earle MacDonald was elected president of the agency with George McMahon as vice-president; C.C. "Bill" Hickey was elected secretary and Clayton Underhill, secretary.

Retiring president Henry W. Wedge presided.

In an accident at Traveller's Rest and had been found in a ditch by RCMP officers with a bottle of liquor nearby.

A French River man pleaded not guilty to a charge of littering the highway and his case was adjourned until June 18 and a Kensington man pleaded guilty to a charge of placing rubbish on the side of a road and was fined \$10 and costs. He told the court he had cleaned up the mess.

Prince County Centres Plan Blood Donor Week June 21st

The week of June 21st will be "Blood Donor Week" in Prince County when the objective will be 1,796 donors in the five days during which clinics will be conducted. Arrangements for these clinics are now well underway, according to a statement made last evening by F.A.S. Jones, provincial chairman of the Red Cross blood donor committee.

Centres in which the June clinics are to be held are Alberton, Tignish, Ellerslie, O'Leary, Kinkora, Kensington, R.C.A.F. Station and Summerside. Mr.

Jones has appealed for the co-operation of all Prince County residents in making the clinics successful, and toward this end six Canadian Legion branches are assisting the Red Cross.

The objective for each centre has been set to correspond with the best result ever attained at clinics held in the past. All will be competing for possession of the "Manning trophy" which was won last year by Kinkora, and the year before by Eldon.

With the approach of the heavy highway traffic season, when more accidents are likely to occur, the drain on the blood banks become acute so consequently larger supplies of blood and blood plasma are needed in order to save many lives, Mr. Jones concluded.

Fisheries Cases Before Court

SUMMERSIDE — Four residents of Alberton pleaded not guilty to having short lobsters in their possession when they appeared in Magistrate's Court in Summerside yesterday.

Mrs. Daniel MacLean, Daniel MacLean, Peter Lloyd MacNeill and Stephen Penley MacNeill all entered not guilty pleas to the charge through their counsel, J. Watson MacNaught, Q.C.

Magistrate R.S. Hinton, Q.C., adjourned the case until June 18th.

Chaisson. Interment was in the church cemetery.

LATE NOTICES

(Also see announcements in columns adjoining Classified Advertising Section.)

Potato Dealer Known On Island Dies In Toronto

TORONTO (CP)—John Angus MacDonald, a local potato dealer, who was well known in potato produce circles in Prince Edward Island, died Wednesday.

A native of Sydney, N.S., he was employed by Canada Packers Ltd. at Sydney, Cornerbrook and Toronto before going into business under the name of J. A. MacDonald Ltd. in Toronto. He made many friends amongst potato producers in Prince Edward Island.

Indian R. Man Is Remanded For Sentencing

SUMMERSIDE — An Indian River man pleaded guilty to a charge of causing a disturbance in a public place by fighting when he appeared in Magistrate's Court here Thursday morning.

He was remanded for sentencing until June 9 by Magistrate R.S. Hinton, Q.C.

A Summerside man pleaded not guilty to a charge of unlawfully selling liquor to another person and his case was adjourned until June 18.

A Mont Carmel youth was fined \$30 and costs for making application for a liquor licence while under 21 years of age.

Convicted of driving while intoxicated a Summerside man drew a seven-day jail sentence. However, a notice of appeal was received by the court from his defence counsel J. Watson MacNaught, Q.C.

A fine of \$40 and costs was drawn by a Kensington man who pleaded guilty to a charge of possession of liquor at a place other than his residence. Evidence revealed that the man had been

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