

## Parking Meters To Have 4 Hour Time Limit

By IRA BALDERSTON  
Parking meters on the outskirts of the main Charlottetown business area are to have a four-hour time limit. This was the announcement made by J. Arthur Gormley, chairman of the police committee, in his monthly report to the Charlottetown City Council at an extremely lengthy meeting held last night in the Council Chambers.

Mr. Gormley reported that the cost of the parking in this area will be five cents an hour. He pointed out that this is for the benefit of the shoppers who can park their cars in these areas and put 20 cents in the meter, if they are planning to be away for more than two hours.

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## Montreal Mail Tieup Dwindling

MONTREAL (CP) — Montreal's weekend backlog of Christmas mail began dwindling Monday as private truckers replaced 350 striking mail truck drivers who walked out Saturday night for higher pay and shorter hours.

Postmaster General Jean-Pierre Cote, who flew to Montreal from Ottawa during the weekend, announced Sunday night that the post office delivery contract with Rod Service Ltd. had been cancelled because of the strike.

No pickups were made from street letter boxes Monday, but a post office spokesman said many people have been bringing letters and parcels directly to the main post office, "and there have been no complaints yet of overflowing mail boxes." It was hoped that pickups from street boxes could be resumed today.

## B-52 Bombers Hit At Pass

SINGAPORE (AP) — U.S. Air Force B-52 bombers flew their eighth mission of the war against North Vietnam Monday, hitting again at Mu Gia Pass to cut off Communist forces believed preparing a new drive south.

The eight-engine jet bombers, flying from Guam with 27 tons of bombs in the bellies of each, struck at a twisting, miles-long stretch of the mountain pass that leads to trails into South Vietnam via neighboring Laos, the U.S. military command reported.

It was the third time the saturation bombers have hit Mu Gia Pass. The other strikes were April 12 and April 15. Smaller fighter-bombers hit it in the interval. The B-52 attack elsewhere in North Vietnam was Oct. 16. Mu Gia Pass is about 60 miles north of the demilitarized zone.

## STAMP ISSUES CUT

LONDON (CP) — The British post office, which started issuing pictorial commemorative stamps only four years ago, reducing the output to five from nine a year. "Specials" in 1967 will honor the European Free Trade Association, British flowers, paintings, discoveries and Christmas.

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## Forestry Officer Addresses 4H Group

Frank Gaudet, Provincial Forestry officer for the Province of P.E.I., spoke to a newly formed H-Y-O Silver V-V and V-C Forestry 4-H club at Tignish on Saturday with officers of the newly formed H-Y-O Silver V-V Forestry 4-H Club.

From left to right in picture: Danny Arsenault, Mr. Gaudet, Paul Ready, Peter Mallette, Ronnie Gaudet and Barbara Gavia.

## Tignish Man Passes Away

TIGNISH — Joseph J. Gaudet passed away at the Prince County Hospital, Summerside on Monday, after a brief illness. He was 80 years of age. Mr. Gaudet was one of twelve children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Agape Urban Gaudet, Tignish. He was a small carrier and farmer.

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## New Councillor Is Sworn In

KENSINGTON — At the regular monthly meeting of the town council here Monday night, Gordon Willden was sworn in as a councillor, bringing membership to full strength. He was elected by acclamation Nov. 28 to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Charles Beattie, who has moved from the town.

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## WESTERN BRIEFS

KELLY — Suddenly at his home, 119 Euston Street on December 11, 1966, William F. Kelly, age 55 years. Resting at the Hennessey Funeral Home from where the funeral will take place on Wednesday morning, leaving the Funeral Home at 9 a.m. for Requiem High Mass at 9:15 a.m. at St. Dunstan's Basilica. Interment in the Catholic cemetery.

## Christmas Store Hours

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## Pension Cheques Slated As Usual

OTTAWA (CP) — Health Minister MacEachen told the Commons Monday that old age pension cheques will arrive on schedule sometime after Christmas and not before.

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Speaking on the subject of off-street parking Mr. Gaudet said the Board of Trade has made a comprehensive study and they would like to draw attention to old Queen Square School site as a parking area.

Following the report of Mr. Gaudet, the committee members discussed among council members but no immediate decision was raised. Various reports were presented to council by committee members.

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