

Western Guardian

New Year's Message From Mayor Of Summerside

SPECIAL MEETING Ladies' Auxiliary, Monday, Jan. 2, 8 p.m., in Borden Legion Hall. All members please attend.

MONTHLY MEETING Ladies' Auxiliary, Kensington Branch, Monday, January 2nd, 7:00 p.m. sharp.

STARTING January 3rd our stores will close at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Ralph Callbeck and Co. W. M. Bowness.

SKATING Kensington Rink, Saturday 2:00 to 4:00; evening 8 to 10:00. Monday, January 2nd; 2-4 afternoon; 8:00-10:00 evening.

HOCKEY Kensington Rink, Tuesday, January 3rd, Kensington vs. Baltic. Game 8:30 sharp. Skate after.

CARD PARTY Kensington Legion Home Monday, January 2nd, 8:30 p.m. Admission 50 cents. Lunch served and everybody welcome.

The following is the text of the New Year's message issued by Mayor Henry Wedge of Summerside.

The past year started on a note of misfortune when on an early sub-zero February morning our Town Hall was destroyed by fire. This was a great loss measured both for financial and sentimental terms. This building, although lacking in some necessary facilities, had served the town well for many years. Since this disastrous fire the business of the town has been carried on under difficulties in temporary quarters. There is a problem here that must be solved in the not too distant future.

The year 1955 will be known in the history of the town for the renovation of the rink with the installation of artificial freezing equipment and the commencement of construction of a new auditorium and high school.

The rink, renamed the Civic Stadium, is already proving to be a valuable asset to the youth of the town. It is a fine building and well equipped and we can look forward for many years in which it will play an important part in the sporting and athletic life of the town. The citizens have longed for this rink with artificial ice for many years and it is at long last a reality.

The new auditorium, which I would like to see named Civic Cultural Center will prove to be of great value to the community. The various activities that can be carried out by different community groups in this building will, I am sure, amaze many people. Opportunities will be there for dramatic events, presentations, athletic and a host of other activities. In the daytime it can be used for the benefit of the 2,000 children who attend the schools of the town. There has long been a need for a gymnasium and this need is being satisfied in this building. The completion of this building is a great step towards the realization of a town official the value of which the community will receive from this building will be tremendous.

The construction of a new high school, now well under way, is also an important event. I feel sure that the psychological effects of graduating from one school to another on completion of possibly the eighth grade will be a good thing and will help to retain many students in school until they have completed the high school course. This building will stand comparison with any school building in Eastern Canada.



Mayor Wedge

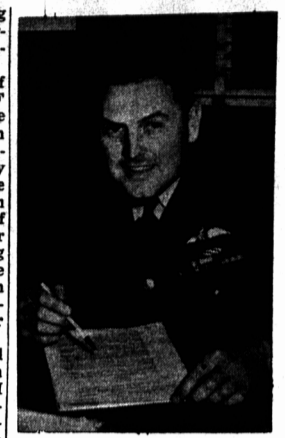
New Year's Message From The Summerside Airport

Message from the Commanding Officer, officers, airman and airwomen of R.C.A.F. Station Summerside:

The year 1955 has been a year of change and development at RCAF Station, Summerside. We are proud of our achievements and, in keeping with the optimistic forecasts which are being voiced by the leaders of our Dominion, we look forward to 1956 with keen anticipation. During the past year we have concentrated on building up a community spirit which we hope has and will reflect itself in our individual and collective relationships and dealings with our neighbours.

The past year was my first full year of command at RCAF Station Summerside, a year in which I have grown to realize the characteristic friendliness and ready co-operation of the people of Summerside. This spirit has contributed immeasurably to the success of our endeavours and will aid in effecting the growth and expansion planned for this Station.

The officers, airman, airwomen and dependents join me in extending a friendly and sincere New Year's greeting from Station Sum-



GROUP CAPTAIN SWETMAN, Officer Commanding R. C. A. F. Station Summerside.

FUNDAMENTAL Baptist Church, Central Bedeque, services for Sunday, January 1st: Morning worship 10:45, service by the Young People; 12:00 noon Sunday School. No evening service.

THE MARGATE United Church Pastoral Charge Sunday, Jan. 1, Long River 11 o'clock a.m., New London, 3 o'clock p.m. and Margate 7:30 o'clock. Please note the change of time for the winter months. Rev. H.S. Haslam, minister.

THE SCHEDULE for Borden Rink as follows until further notice: Monday, skating 8 to 10; Tuesday, skating 8 to 10; Wednesday, skating 8 to 10; Friday, hockey 9:30 to 11; Junior hockey 11 to 11:45; afternoon skate, 1 to 3; evening skate, 8 to 10.

CAR TRUCK COLLIDE - A truck and Dodge car owned from Chelton while en route to the service station at Ross' Corner while meeting a truck on the slippery road went out of control and smashed through the railing of the bridge over the river, leading from Afflick's Mill to the Dunk River, between Central Bedeque and Bedeque about 11:00 a.m. yesterday. The car hung precariously over the edge and required considerable effort to prevent it tipping over into the river while it was being hauled back on to the highway. Both fenders on the right side were damaged.

FUNERAL FRIDAY - The funeral of the late Mrs. Fulton Simpson, who passed away at Belmont, Lot 16, on December 28th was held from her late residence at 2:00 p.m. on Friday December 30. Rev. Mr. Hobson conducted the service at the home assisted by Rev. F. Hees. Mrs. Simpson was a devoted wife and mother and a devoted service as nurse-companion in one family for close to twenty years. When she retired she came home to her native province and took up residence in Summerside. Since an accident eight years ago she has been unable to walk and the past few years have been spent near her childhood home at Belmont. For the past five weeks she has been resident in O'Leary Miss Gordon was a sincere Christian and a long-time member of the Presbyterian Church. A niece of the Gordon Martyrs of Erromanga, she was justly proud of her heritage and had a deep and abiding interest in the work of Christ's kingdom.

She had a gentle, friendly disposition and her great love for little children never failed to find a response in their hearts.

Immediate relatives on Prince Edward Island are two nieces, Mrs. Kenneth Campbell of O'Leary and Mrs. A.C. Green of Alberton; a nephew, Mr. William Phillips of Arlington, Lot 14; and a sister-in-law, Mrs. H.J. Gordon of Charlottetown.

The funeral will be at Alberton Monday afternoon from the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Green to the Presbyterian Church for service at two o'clock. Her body will be laid to rest in the family plot in the old Dock Cemetery.

PERSONALS

Miss Mary Johnston, receptionist at St. Mary's College in Halifax, returned to her duties on Tuesday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnston, Central Bedeque.

ALBERTON

Mr. G. J. Johnston, manager of the Alberton branch of the Bank of Commerce, is confined to his home by illness.

Master Alan Leard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leard, returned to his home at Alberton yesterday following a minor surgical operation in the Prince Edward Island Hospital.

Mr. Kenneth Irving, Moncton, N.B., is visiting relatives at Alberton South.

A new year's dance in the Canadian Legion hall at Alberton last night was largely attended. Music was by Noonan's Orchestra.

The road to Alberton South and "The Point" closed since Christmas eve, was opened up yesterday by govt. snow plow without difficulty. Light snow fall last evening threatened to again close all main roads in Western Prince County.

MARILYN MONROE IN SEVEN YEAR'S ITCH, CAPITOL, SUMMERSIDE

Nobody who saw Tom Ewell in "The Itch" as a stage play could imagine filming it without his services. They go together like tea for two. Now that Marilyn Monroe and "The Itch" also have joined forces, it's tough to figure how it could have ever been performed without her. Perfect casting doesn't happen too often in the best of all possible worlds but it has happened here. As the temporary summer-bachelor whose wife and family have one to the seashore, Ewell is a boy to behold as he goes about his elaborate daydreams and extravagant contemplations of identity. Later on he discovers the common year of marriage to itch break in the pattern of conformity, only to learn it's even more common for the wistful year never to be fulfilled.

As The Girl Upstairs who supplies the basic incentive for Ewell's imaginary high-living when she accidentally drops a pin on his head from above, then lives more deeply involved in the man's fancies, Marilyn Monroe the vision of a summer romance. His hearty endorsement of the good neighbor policy is understandable.

This Week

—At—

Civic Stadium

SUMMERSIDE

MONDAY, JAN. 2—
Afternoon skating—3-5
10 & 25 cents
EVENING—HOCKEY
B.Y.C. vs. ACES
8:15
35 and 60 cents.

TUESDAY, JAN. 3—
Afternoon skating—3-5
10 and 25 cents
Evening Skating—8-10
50 cents

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 4—
Afternoon Skating—4-5:30
10 and 25 cents
Evening Skating—8-10
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Death of Former Tignish Man

Dugald P. Doyle, 66, who retired two years ago after 40 years' service as a telephone lineman, died Dec. 24 at his home on Burroughs road, Boxboro, Mass. He leaves a daughter, Mrs. James P. Rust of Concord. A requiem mass will be sung at 9 a.m. Tuesday in St. Elizabeth's of Hungary Church, West Acton. Burial will be in St. Bernard's Cemetery, Concord.

The late Mr. Doyle was born in Tignish, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Doyle.

O'Leary Lady Dies At 90

Miss Annie Gordon passed away in O'Leary Friday morning. She was born at "Huntley" near Alberton ninety years ago, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon, and was the last surviving member of her generation in the Gordon family.

She lived at home until the death of her mother for whom she cared during years of illness. Almost forty years ago she went to Worcester, Mass. where she gave devoted service as nurse-companion in one family for close to twenty years. When she retired she came home to her native province and took up residence in Summerside. Since an accident eight years ago she has been unable to walk and the past few years have been spent near her childhood home at Alberton. For the past five weeks she has been resident in O'Leary.

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WORLD TEST DRIVERS

TORONTO (CP) - Attorney-General Roberts said Friday he favors re-testing all Ontario drivers. He said it would be a step in the direction towards improving the calibre of driving. He would start with those with records of traffic violations and, over a period of time, retest all drivers.

Mrs. Clarence I. Doucette Passes

Mrs. Clarence I. Doucette of Nail Pond near Tignish passed away in the Western Hospital at Alberton on Thursday after an illness of about a year. At the age of 47.

The former Edna Chaisson, she leaves to mourn her husband, four sons and two daughters, Francis, in Toronto, and Edward, Leo, Peter, Sylvia and Cecilia at home.

Helen Haggitt, Regina; Lieut. Cdr. Andrew W. Ross, Calgary and Vancouver.

To be Commander (E); Lieut. Cdr. (E) Henry U. Ross, Sault Ste. Marie and Toronto, Ont.; To be Commander (L); Lieut. Cdr. (L) Campbell Y. Spratt, Ottawa and Victoria; Lieut. Cdr. (L) Gilbert F. Vall, Sydney and Halifax, N. S.

To be Chaplain, Class IV; Chap. (P) Class III Walter E. L. Smith, Toronto and Kingston, Ont.

To be Surgeon Commander; Surgeon Lieut. Cdr. Nelson B. Reilly, Montreal and Victoria.

PROMOTED TO

remained until the spring of 1953. On 1st July of that year he was appointed as Commanding Officer, HMCS Queen Charlotte.

Others appearing on the promotion list are:

Royal Canadian Navy: to be Captain: Acting Captain James C. Reid, Windsor and Ottawa; to be Commander: Lieut. Commander Ian B. Morrow, Narmana, B. C. and Halifax; Lieut. Commander Charles E. Richardson, Galt, Ont. and Victoria, B. C.; Lieut. Cdr. Wylie C. Spicer, Chatham, N. B. and Hamilton, Ont.; Lieut. Cdr. James B. Fotheringham, Toronto and Kingston, Ont.; Lieut. Cdr. Douglas S. Boyle, Revelstoke, B. C. and Ottawa; Act. Cdr. Noel Cogden, London, Ont. and Armadale, N. S.; Lieut. Cdr. Raymond A. B. Creery, Victoria and Halifax;

To be Captain (E): Cdr. (E) James S. Ross, Dartmouth, N. S. and Ottawa; to be Commander (E); Lieut. Cdr. (E) Alfred H. Kerley, Tomkins and Strassbourg, Sask.; Lieut. Cdr. (E) Arthur J. Geraghty, Peterborough, Ont. and Victoria; Lieut. Cdr. (E) James H. Johnson, Hawkesbury, Ont.; Act. Cdr. (E) Kenneth E. Lewis, Saskatoon, Sask., and Dartmouth, N. S.

To be Captain (L): Act. Captain (L) Stuart E. Paddon, St. Thomas, Ont., and Victoria; to be Commander (L) Lieut. Cdr. (L) Douglas C. Waring, Saint John, N. B. and Halifax;

To be Surgeon Commander; Surgeon Lieut. Cdr. Walter M. Little, Walkerville, Ont. and Dartmouth, N. S.;

To be Constructor Commander; Constructor Lieut. Cdr. David I. Moore, Port Alberni, B. C. and Ottawa.

To be Ordnance Commander; Ordnance Lieut. Cdr. Hugh A. Leonard, Montreal.

Royal Canadian Navy (Reserve) To be Commander; Act. Cdr. Denis J. P. O'Hagen, Halifax; Act. Cdr. Reginald G. Stapley, St. James, Mann.; Lieut. Cdr. Joseph Roberts, Vancouver; Act. Cdr. Wil-

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and should serve the needs of education in Summerside for years to come.

All these capital expenditures of course cost money and this might be a good time to remind the citizens that the town of Summerside has been carrying on its affairs with one of the lowest tax rates in the Maritimes and at the same time has been providing the citizens with more facilities than are available in many towns. It must be obvious to many people that these facilities we must be prepared to pay for them and it is quite possible that some revision in the tax rate will be made in the coming year.

I feel that Summerside is continuing to progress, at a steady rate and that by providing facilities of various kinds we are making the town a place where people like to live.

The low price of potatoes has probably caused some slight economic setback but construction has been high and employing facilities has been relatively good. Unfortunately the winter months are the most difficult in this regard.

As an old year ends and a new year is about to commence we have much for which to be thankful for, living as we do, in a free land and with a fairly prosperous economy.

It is a great pleasure for me to wish all our citizens as well as the people of the surrounding area the best of everything in 1956.

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TO THE CITIZENS OF SUMMERSIDE AND THE COMMANDING OFFICER AND PERSONNEL R. C. A. F. STATION SUMMERSIDE

As the New Year dawns, we wish you 366 days filled with good fortune and happy achievement. May your every venture be successful and good health and prosperity attend you throughout the year.

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HENRY W. WEDGE, MAYOR

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