

Science Service Lab. Progressing

The new greenhouse under construction at the Science Service Laboratory, Malpeque Road is fast nearing completion.

C.N.R. Safety Car Making Tour

In a campaign to make employees of the Canadian National Railways more safety conscious, a specially equipped safety instruction car is now making a tour of the various terminals of the railway in the Maritime Provinces.

CENTRAL GUARDIAN

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"YOUR DOLLAR BUYS MORE" at the HUGHES DRUG STORE.

"WE TREAT THE SICK WELL". Giggey's Pharmacy, next Stewart's Bakery.

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TONIGHT, P.W.C. Hall at eight, Scout Jamboree Film, Jack Haystead-Wallie and his burning club swinging, Scout camp fire.

MENT'S WEDNESDAY SPECIAL. Chilled tomato juice, fried sausage, and mashed turnip, rolls, butter, tea, coffee, or milk, 55 cents.

SCOUT JAMBOREE FILM. P. W. C. Hall tonight at eight. Two hours of splendid entertainment.

ATTENDING MEETING — Mr. George V. Fraser, director of P. E. Island Travel Bureau and Mr. W. E. Agnew, director of Trade, Department of Industry and Natural Resources, are in Halifax this week attending a meeting of Maritime officials who are combining interests to enlarge their showing at the Canadian Trade Fair to be held in Toronto.

PRACTISING AT 83 — Among the many Islanders who have made their home in Vancouver, B.C., is Dr. Wilson MacKay, formerly of Freehold Lot 11, Dr. MacKay who is 83 years old has been practising dentistry for over half a century and is still quite active in his profession.

NO SPENDTHRIFT DUREHAM, England — (CP) — Testimony in the case of Leonard Fish, a laborer who was jailed 15 months for bigamy, showed he had kept two homes going on his wages of \$6 a week plus overtime.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS 50c Per Insertion

ROBERTSON — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on February 13th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Robertson, a daughter.

TURNER — At the P. E. Island Hospital, on Saturday, February 13th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Turner, Winsloe, a son, John Frederick.

GREEN — At Halifax, on February 12th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Green (nee Doris LeBlanc) a daughter. 7 lbs. 10 oz.

MacPHEE — At the P. E. Island Hospital on February 16, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Mervin MacPhee (nee Joyce Nicholson) Clyde River a son, 8 lbs, 1 oz.

DOYLE-NESS — On February 9th, 1954, at the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer, by the Rev. Father Enright, Russel Maurice Doyle of Charlottetown to Margaret Mary Ness of Borden.

MacLURE — At North Rustico on Feb. 16, Everette MacLure, aged 85 years. The funeral will take place today (Wednesday) with a short service at the house at 1:30 followed by service in Cavendish United Church at 2 o'clock. Burial in the Cavendish Cemetery.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of the late Fidele Perry, formerly of Centreville, Bedeque, was held yesterday morning from the Ouellette Funeral Home to St. Dunstan's Basilica where Requiem Mass was celebrated by the Rev. F. J. Corcoran, who also officiated at the grave. The pall bearers were John Martin, Fred Larkin, Joseph Arsenault, Harold Arsenault. The Canadian Legion attended in a body and the service at the grave was conducted by F. W. Smith. The Last Post and Reveille were sounded by Bugle Chaisson. Interment was in the Roman Catholic cemetery.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN Y. P. S. — The Young People of Central Christian Church met together last night in the Church hall for their regular meeting which was opened by the singing of the theme chorus and prayer led by George Kells. A period of camp choruses by Eleanor Murray. Following the reading of the minutes, the attendance contest between the boys and girls was declared ended. The boys having won are to be treated and given an evening of entertainment by the girls. Wellington Murray, President of the Y.P.S.

PERSONALS Miss Flora A. Campbell, Sacred Heart Home, is a patient in the Charlottetown Hospital.

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the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

At the banquet, the Queen was presented with a diamond brooch representing the wattle, long-leaved shrub which is Australia's national emblem, and a ti-tree, the national tree, in an oblong of blue, white and gold.

Prime Minister Robert Menzies, presenting it on behalf of the Australian people, told the Queen: "You are in your own country and among your own people."

The Queen wore a full-skirted dress of pale green tulle over a pink silk taffeta, with diamond tina, necklaces, earrings and bracelet.

In a nationally-broadcast speech, the Queen hinted she and the Duke of Edinburgh would return to Australia which she said must seem "the land of promise" to persons in Britain.

The Duke of Edinburgh, speaking at the opening of a residential college at the National University, said he was sorry he had no chance to see scientific work being done at the university, then added, "But I will come back to see their work."

Many diplomats and leading citizens boycotted the Parliament House banquet and held their own civic ball just 400 yards away, after being told lack of space prevented their wives being invited.

Medal Presented



What may prove to be one of the last Long Service and Good Conduct Medals to be awarded to personnel of the Navy was presented here last week when Commodore Kenneth F. Adams, Commanding Officer Naval Divisions, pinned the decoration on the tunic of Petty Officer Earl McLellan at a special ceremony at H. M. C. S. Queen Charlotte. PO. McLellan is a son of the late Mr. J. McLellan and Mrs. McLellan and served in the Navy from 1934 until the end of the war. Thereafter he was chief electrician of the M. V. Abegweit before returning to the service in the Reserve.

Important Meeting Of P.E.I. Bible Society

The Prince Edward Island Auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society has given over a three-year period ten thousand dollars towards the Third Jubilee Thank-offering of the British and Foreign Bible Society. The objective for Canada, and which has been nearly realized, is \$368,000.

A Life Governorship Certificate in the British and Foreign Bible Society in Canada has been presented to Mr. Thomas Kellier, Flat River, P. E. I.

Five Memorial Certificates have been issued as follows: Misses Coles, Charlottetown, in memory of Mrs. John H. Buntain; Mrs. Hector Darroch, Clyde River, in memory of Mrs. James Beer; Mrs. J. S. MacLeod, Hunter River, in memory of Mr. J. S. MacLeod; Mrs. A. A. Ramsay and Mrs. H. D. Smith, Freehold, in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Miller; Mrs. Frank Fraser, North Granville, in memory of Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor.

Twenty Life Membership Certificates have been issued to the following: Mrs. Wyman Cairns, Summerside East; Mrs. Kenneth MacLean, Central Lot 16; Mrs. C. D. MacLean, Clyde River; Mrs. Gertrude I. Whiteaway, Murray River; Mr. Brewer Linkletter, Kensington; Mrs. Wylie M. Allan, Charlottetown; Rev. E. J. Barry, Summerside; Miss Pauline Kieley, Brookfield; Mr. Charles H. Earle, Charlottetown; Miss Alma Corney, Summerside; Miss Anita Smallman, Knutsford; Mrs. William D. Mountain, Alma, Lot 3; Mr. Alexander Brown, Long River; Miss Louise Calbeck, Central Bedeque; Miss Mildred Calbeck, Central Bedeque; Mrs. Louis H. H. Moore, Summerside; Mrs. Thomas Moyle, Albert; Mr. J. F. Lord, Albert; Mrs. Courtney Harper, Toronto, Ont.

The meeting was pleased to have presented Rev. E. M. B. Wheelock, B.A., B.D., S.T.M., District Secretary of the New Brunswick and P. E. I. Auxiliaries who spoke relative to his duties.

Plans were made at this meeting to observe the 150th anniversary of the British and Foreign Bible Society this year. Reference was made to the coming to Charlottetown on Friday, September 24th, of Rev. W. J. Platt, one of the General Secretaries from London to hold a meeting and give an address on this occasion.

The closing prayer was given by Rev. Harry Barber.

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ANGLO RUSTICO W. I. The Anglo Rustico W. I. met at the Buntain home on Feb. 2 with the president Mrs. Cyril Toombs in the chair.

Roll call was answered by seven members, and there was one visitor present, Mrs. Roland Buntain acted as secretary.

Members decided to order 1,000 can liver oil capsules. New committees for March meeting are as follows: Sick, Mrs. Edison Rollings, Mrs. Noel Hooper; program, Mrs. Stewart Parkman, Mrs. Edison Rollings; lunch, Mrs. Cyril Toombs, Mrs. Noel Hooper. Next roll call is to be answered with an Irish joke. March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Edison Rollings.

Polio Vaccine Tests Facts

After the 1953 severe polio epidemic the eyes of all Canadian parents will be turned to the polio vaccine tests shortly to be undertaken in the United States. This vaccine, not to be confused with gamma globulin, is comparatively new and though it shows some promise extensive tests are yet required before it's effectiveness can be assessed.

The facts of the tests are — Start: Late March, early April 1954; Duration, To June 1, in order to precede the highest polio incidence; Location, To begin in one or more counties in the Southern States gradually expanding through about 200 counties; Groups, Second grade school children. Value to be compared after first and third grade children; Size of group, From 500-1,000 to one million, depending upon amount of vaccine available; Dosage, Three arm injections of 1cc. The first two at one week interval, the third four weeks later, as a booster; Results, Will not be known until 1955; Safety, Assured by three independent series of tests; Administration, Administered by local physicians under the county health officers with voluntary aid provided by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

This vaccine is still in the experimental stage and has not been accepted for use in Canada but it is of interest to know that some of it is being produced here, at the Connaught Laboratories, Toronto, under a subsidy from the American Foundation.

In Canada during the 1953 epidemic gamma globulin was used to some extent with fairly satisfactory results in lessening polio paralysis. Until something better is established gamma globulin must remain the main weapon against polio in Canada.

With this in mind extensive production of it is being undertaken by the Federal government during 1954 against all possible recurrence of the 1953 outbreak. Co-operating in this undertaking are the Canadian Red Cross and the Canadian Foundation for Polio-myelitis.

It is such projects as above which receive financial support from the March of Dimes Campaigns.

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Large Attendance At L.P.U. Ball

More than 500 members, their wives and friends of the Labourers' Protective Union No. 5983 took part in the annual Ball held at the Rollaway last night, which has been the social highlight of the organization every winter since its inception fifty-two years ago.

Red Cross Making Further Efforts In Disaster Service

An effort to provide a complete disaster service is being instituted by the local branch of the Canadian Red Cross and received its initiation Monday night when a serious fire broke out at 41 Pownall street and left several adults homeless.

York and Vicinity

Mrs. Will Cooke, York, spent February 9 in the city.

The Evening Auxiliary met at the manse recently with fair attendance owing to the stormy evening. Mrs. Sproule was hostess.

A Valentine party was held in York hall under the auspices of the P. E. I. General Pictures from the National Film Board were shown, followed by contests and singing.

Mrs. Abner Vessey spent Thursday at Royalty, the guest of Mrs. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr McCann and family of Covehead, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund McMillan, York.

Miss Florence McMillan, Covehead was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund McMillan, York.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewar Swan and daughter, Beverley, were recent visitors to the city.

Mrs. Frank Boyer is the guest of her daughter Mrs. Frank Vessey, York.

Mrs. Harry Swan and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Allen Swan spent Feb. 15 in the city.

Mrs. Gordon Crockett and granddaughters, Deborah McDonald spent Monday in the City.

Mr. Harold Watts and son Cecil spent Tuesday in the City.

Mr. Eric Carr was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Proud on Monday.

Russia's Trade

speeches along the ambassador's lines."

Trade Minister Howe, who last month said Canada is willing to do more business with Russia in non-strategic items, declined to comment on the ambassador's announcement.

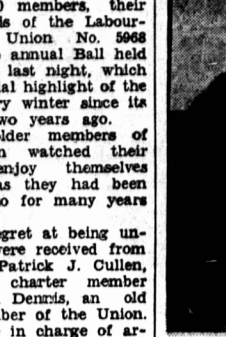
For the last few years, Canada and other Western countries have banned shipments to Communist countries of any goods which would help the Communists wage war.

The suspicion is that Russia, in her trade overtures with the West, is more interested in bringing an end to the blockade than in developing any long-term trade link.

Officials recalled that Russia recently showed interest in surplus Canadian carcass beef. The Canadian government offered a price. Moscow said the price was satisfactory, but when the time came for negotiations to be consummated, Russia suddenly lost interest.

CATS STOLEN BRISTOL — CP — More than 30 cats have been stolen here during the last two months. Police believe the cats are being seized for their pelts by an organized gang.

Trophy For PEI Chess Champion



Mr. John MacInnis is seen receiving the Prince Edward Island chess trophy from the hands of Mr. R. E. Mutch while Mr. E. C. Johnstone holds the R. E. Mutch trophy on which Mr. MacInnis' name will be inscribed as one of the winners of the Island championship. The presentation took place at the annual meeting of the Charlottetown Chess Club held at the Y.M.C.A. on Monday night.

Community Hall At Central Royalty Opened Last Night

The result of community effort and co-operation were realized last night when Central Royalty Community Hall was officially opened by Premier A. W. Matheson before an overflow audience of interested and happy citizens.

Mr. S. C. Wright acted as chairman at the meeting which saw representatives of three departments of the Government take part in the deliberations. They were Hon. C. Baker Minister of Agriculture, Hon. B. Earle MacDonald, Minister of Health and Welfare and Hon. Eugene Cullen, Minister of Industry and Natural Resources.

"This is only one of the firsts that the Community of Central Royalty has achieved in the lifetime of your district, on many other occasions you have been foremost in your efforts," said Premier Matheson. "I hope that this building will produce the results that you expect of it and that it will be of great benefit to you."

Hon. Mr. Baker expressed his pleasure at being present and paid warm tribute to the work of the Women's Institutes which he said worked in conjunction with his department. He described the Institutes as "the greatest driving force in the Province" which have lent much to the social and cultural life of every community in which they are located.

Hon. Mr. MacDonald, who is one of the representatives of the district of which Central Royalty forms a part, noted the rapid growth of the community within the last eight years. He recalled that in 1946 the enrolment at the school was only 48. He believed that it now was 228. Mr. MacDonald congratulated the district on its splendid spirit of co-operation displayed in the construction of the building.

Hon. Mr. Cullen, a native of the community gave humorous recollections of his schooldays in the old school which he described as being in a sad state. He noted, however, that with the formation of an Institute Group in the district, conditions took a decided turn for the better and since that time two modern schools have been erected including the ultra modern one of which they now boast.

Mr. S. C. Wright, as chairman, paid fitting tribute to the committee of ten men who devised the plan of purchasing and dismantling a building from which they were able to erect the framework and close in the structure. He expressed special thanks to Mr. John MacAleer, chairman of that committee, "without whom" said Mr. Wright, "this building would not be here tonight."

The new Community Hall was erected for the purpose of providing a place for children's activities, for Women's Institute undertakings and for general Community projects. All the labor involved in the construction was donated freely. The hall is 75 feet long and 32 feet wide with a full basement. Heating is provided by a hot air furnace. The stage is very suitably laid off with dressing rooms underneath and ample wings. Situated near the entrance is a cloak room and a large kitchen from which meals can be served to the main auditorium. A beautiful piano has been supplied by the Central Royalty Glee Club for the use of the hall.

The project, under the chairmanship of John MacAleer was started about the first of June last year. The following served on the building committee with Mr. MacAleer, co-chairman Fred Osborne, Cecil Wood, S. C. Wright, George Ayres, Harry MacAuland, Harry MacDonald, Victor Shaw and Ernest Reid. They were assisted by the men of the district in general.

The building committee carried out the work and the Women's Institute looked after the finances. Very grateful thanks are extended to all those outside the community who gave cash donations and made the job of completing the building possible.

A short programme followed the formal opening ceremonies, after which the ladies of the Institute served dainty refreshments. The programme comprised solos by Preston Beck and Joen Bernard, a chorus by the Central Royalty Glee Club, and Campfire Song by the Girl Guides.

MILLCOVE W. I.

The February meeting of Millicove Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Earl Cullen with an attendance of 13 members and one visitor present.

The roll call was answered by a joke. It was decided to purchase a new broom, soap, and a geographical globe for the school. To all those committee for this month are Mrs. O. Shreanan, Mrs. Ray Arbing. New program committee is Mrs. Frank Connick.

The roll call for next month is to be answered by a housecleaning hint. Collection amounted to \$1.25.

Mrs. Peter Hughes invited the members to her home for the next meeting. Mrs. Louie Bradley put on a concert, won by Mrs. Ernie Peters and Mrs. Ray Arbing.

P. E. I. POLIO CHAPTER

Mothers March on Polio — Porch Light Campaign. This campaign, postponed from Friday 12th, will be held on Friday 19th, in Charlottetown from 7.00 to 8.00 p.m. This is part of the P.E.I. 1954 March of Dimes, and the funds raised are spent in P.E.I. for the benefit of polio victims throughout the Province.

WARD V

I wish to express my very sincere thanks and appreciation to each one of my supporters in last Wednesday's election.

To the new Council, I extend congratulations and best wishes for every success in their endeavours for good civic government.

Sincerely, LEM PROWSE.

NOTICE

The Grocery and Meat Business on Elm Avenue recently operated by Mr. Vatcher, successor to Mr. Ivan Andrew, has been taken over by Mr. Emerson Ford. This store will be closed all day Wednesday for stock-taking and will open under the new management on Thursday morning, February 18th.

Old customers trade will be appreciated, as well as any new business.

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