



AT THE ROTARY luncheon yesterday, chairman G. C. Fisher (left) and president Gerry Hartlen learn at first hand from Dr. Lotta Hitschmanova, about many of the activities of the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada; throughout Asia, Europe and Middle East.

Unitarian Service Depot Assigned City Hall Space

A major objective essential to provincial expansion in the work of the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada was reached yesterday when His Worship Mayor Edwin C. Johnstone, assigned space at City Hall for repacking and arranging shipments of goods and foods donated by Island people as gifts to the poor and destitute in many areas of the Far East.

This announcement was made by Dr. Lotta Hitschmanova, executive director of the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada in an address before the Rotary Club at the weekly luncheon meeting in the Charlottetown Hotel yesterday, following her interview with Mayor Johnstone.

The establishment of this depot will provide a flexible outlet and eliminate the work involved in sending donations through Moncton and more distant points, as has been the case in the past.

Dr. Hitschmanova was confident that the necessary support would be forthcoming from citizens, to operate the depot and provide an unbroken line between the donors here and the poor whom they wish to help, in the Far East.

TWO CONTRIBUTORS

Speaking on "The Uprooted", Dr. Hitschmanova said that "two Charlottetown Rotarians were the largest individual givers of food contributions through our agency", for which she was most thankful. "Early in the year, I visited India, Korea and Hong Kong and I would like to bring the destitute children and adults of these areas a little nearer your minds and hearts", she said as she went on to describe many scenes of abject poverty.

SDU And British Students To Debate Science Emphasis

Members of a British debating team will participate in a debate with two students of St. Dunstan's University on Sunday, October 18.

The debate will be a mixed contest — that is, a visitor will team up with one of the SDU students to oppose a team composed of his own team mate and a second SDU student.

The two Saint Dunstan's students who will participate are Edward Benson of Halifax and Daniel O'Hanley of Monticello, P. E. I. Both are sophomore arts students. Mr. O'Hanley is taking education subjects in preparation for receiving a teacher's license.

The subject to be dealt with in the forthcoming debate is: Resolved that universities are putting too much emphasis on the sciences.

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They will then swing through the Maritimes meeting with teams from the University of New Brunswick, Dalhousie, Kings, Saint Francis Xavier, Mount Allison before coming to Saint Dunstan's. They will complete their tour at Memorial University in St. John's, Newfoundland.

Both British students are honor graduates in arts and both have travelled extensively on the European continent before coming to Canada.

Drivers Fined \$75 Each

Fines of \$75 and costs or in default of payment 30 days in one case and seven days in the other case, were meted out by Magistrate James B. Johnston in Queens County Magistrate's Court to two drivers convicted yesterday of driving while their abilities were impaired by alcohol.

Both Preston Augustus Hughes of Peakes and Matthias Francis Malone of New Wiltshire pleaded not guilty to the original charges of driving while intoxicated and offered guilty pleas to the lesser counts.

Malone was given until October 20 to pay his fine after he had satisfied the court in regard to circumstances.

Pleading not guilty to the offence of having care and control of a motor vehicle while intoxicated, Joseph Clarence Doiron of North Rustico, was fined \$75 and costs or 30 days in jail after his plea of guilty to the lesser count of impairment was accepted.

Of two Charlottetown residents charged with the possession of intoxicating liquor not purchased on their own individual permits the case of one was adjourned until October 9 and that of the other to the 14.

Fines of \$20 and costs or 30 days in jail were imposed upon residents of Paradise and Char-

Hospital Insurance Effects To Be Discussed By Nurses

The 38th annual meeting of the Association of Nurses of Prince Edward Island opens in Charlottetown today. The convention will officially open at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Charlottetown Hotel.

Nurses and student nurses from all hospitals in the province will be in attendance.

The president Mrs. Vera MacDonald, says the association has the largest membership in its history with 540 registered with the organization at the present time.

The convention which lasts two days will consider three important points. One will be the implications for the nursing profession of a hospital insurance plan.

Another important item will be discussion of the organization of a program for nursing assistants and the functions of this health worker.

The third item on the agenda for discussion will be the preparation of nursing schools for evaluation and accreditation by a national accrediting body.

Dr. Frank MacKinnon, principal of Prince of Wales College, speaker at the banquet on Wednesday evening will talk about the "Economic potential of the Maritimes."

John Ledgerwood, director of hospital standards, Prince Edward Island Hospital Services Commission, will conduct a lecture-discussion session in "Hospital Insurance Under a Hospital Standards Program and the Implications for Nursing."

A symposium entitled "Preparation of the Nursing School for Evaluation and Accreditation" will be presented under the chairmanship of Sister Mary Patricia, C.S.M., R.N., director of nursing service, Charlottetown Hospital.

The speaker was introduced and thanked by the chairman George C. Fisher. Dr. Hitschmanova has been guiding the destiny of the USC of Canada since she organized the agency in 1945.

The steadily expanding work now includes 62 projects in countries. Strict adhering to its basic principles to be completely non-denominational, and to bring help to those in greatest human need regardless of nationality, colour or creed, it still stands today as the only all Canadian voluntary relief agency operating in Asia, Europe and the Middle East.

Acting on the approval of the directors, and on motion of Tom DeBlois, seconded by L.D. MacKay, \$1,500 was voted as a special contribution to the local Red Cross.

Henry MacLean of Vancouver, B.C., entertained briefly but very effectively in the role of a magician.

Special guests were: Mrs. Mary Cosh, executive member Queen Mary Needlework Guild; Mrs. E.D. Bell, president, Queen Mary Needlework Guild and Mrs. B. Earle MacDonald, National Council, I.O.D.E.

Other guests were: G.L. McCarthy, Port-of-Spain, Trinidad; Henry MacLean, Vancouver; Rev. H.L. Milton, Charlottetown; Bob Davis of North Conway, N. H., was a visiting Rotarian.

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lottetown following their conviction of the possession of intoxicating liquor in a place other than their residences.

Fines of \$5 and costs or five days were meted out to residents of Charlottetown and Fredericton for failing to stop at a "stop" sign, and to another Charlottetown man for operating an unlicensed traction engine.

TO COMBAT "IGNORANCE"

JOHANNESBURG (Reuters)—A four-year plan to combat overseas "ignorance" about South Africa will be submitted to External Affairs Minister Eric Louw when he returns from the United Nations. The plan has been drawn up by Piet Meiring, director of the South African Information Service. He said he had found during a European tour that for every "enemy" of South Africa there were at least 10 potential good friends.

FLEE FROM FIRE

SALISBURY, Southern Rhodesia (Reuters)—Herds of elephants, lions and other big game fled Monday in the path of a 25-mile-long wall of flame sweeping across the ranch country of southeast Rhodesia. The fire largest in Southern Rhodesia's history, already has burned out 100,000 acres of ranchland and ranchers planned to evacuate thousands of head of stock from a further 200,000 acres threatened.

Crackdown Is Forecast On Firecracker Sales

A crackdown on sales of firecrackers through the mail was forecast following a request forwarded to Attorney-General R.R. Bell, Q.C., by Crown Prosecutor Gerald R. Foster yesterday.

The request for action originated with Charlottetown's Police Chief, Charles W. MacArthur.

The chief said that investigation by city police has determined that merchants in the city are not carrying fireworks for sale. The police have learned on good authority that young people, mainly high school students, have been sending for and receiving mail orders of firecrackers from dealers in Nova Scotia.

In view of the restrictions on their sale locally, Chief MacArthur asked that a check be made in regard to regulations governing the importation of this minor type of explosive either through the mails or by other means.

Chapter To Aid 'Layette Lift'

As a part of their monthly meeting the members of the Lucy Maud Montgomery Chapter attended the lecture by Dr. Lotta Hitschmanova.

The remainder of the meeting was held at Mrs. E.Y. MacLeod's home.

Mrs. Ross Down reported on the lecture, and it was decided to prepare layettes for the "Layette Gift", materials to be distributed immediately.

The chapter will be placing a wreath on November 11th. The members will be catering for the Robertson Memorial Lecture later this month.

A white Elephant Sale was held at the close of the meeting. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. R. G. MacLeod and Mrs. O.R. Down.

Crown Prosecutor Objects To Plea On Lesser Charge

The suggestion that the plea of guilty to the lesser count of driving while his abilities were impaired by alcohol, made Saturday in City Police Court by John Sutherland Montgomery of Kensington not immediately be accepted, was made by crown prosecutor Gerald R. Foster, yesterday.

The accused had originally been charged before Magistrate K.M. Martin with drunken driving, and had been remanded without bail until yesterday.

The objection by Mr. Foster arose when he informed the court that the accused man, within the past two weeks, had been convicted in Queens County Magistrate's Court on a charge of criminal negligence in the operation of a motor vehicle.

At that time Magistrate James B. Johnston had imposed a fine of \$100 and costs or 30 days in jail. Lester O'Donnell defence counsel informed the magistrate that a notice of appeal had been filed against this conviction.

After hearing both counsel the magistrate further remanded without bail Montgomery, until today and instructed the chief of police to check the record of the accused.

Basilica Youth Construction Form Sodality Work Drops

TORONTO (CP)—J. Eric Harrington, Montreal, president of the Canadian Construction Association, Monday night advised companies and home builders to check carefully on the qualifications of contractors before awarding contracts.

"Be sure that the contractor you intend awarding a construction contract to has the capacity, experience and finances necessary to carry out the project," Mr. Harrington told members of the Toronto board of trade.

Text of Mr. Harrington's speech was released to the press in advance of delivery.

"There are unfortunately a good many incompetent builders across the country who take on work that they can't properly handle or even complete. Their activities and resulting messes are in part due to the inclination of owners to look for a bargain," he said.

The president of the new group is Don Kamaja. The vice-president is Virginia Fleming and Eileen Murray is the secretary-treasurer. The councillors are Winifred MacDonald, Brian McCallum, and Jack MacKenzie.

Some of the projects of the Sodality include taking part in the recent Hospital Bazaar, staging an unrehearsed Halloween entertainment for the invalids and others at Beech Grove Inn, and holding a dance. Other projects are also being planned for the year.

Mrs. Manning expressed her thanks and satisfaction in being associated with a most co-operative dietician, nursing, housekeeping and medical staff during her term of duty.

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