

# Montague Confirms 10 P.C. Tax Increase

MONTAGUE — A 10 per cent increase in real and personal taxes was announced at the council meeting held Tuesday evening. The meeting which was a continuation of the regular monthly meeting was adjourned to Tuesday evening and saw all councillors present.

Deputy Mayor Preston D. MacLure presided in the absence of Mayor B.H. Yeo who is attending the convention of the Canadian Federation of Mayors in Windsor, Ont.

The budget, as presented by the chairman of the finance committee councillor John Hughes, showed a revenue of approximately \$35,858.30 and an expenditure of \$34,279 was expected for this year leaving a surplus of \$1,580.30. The budget took into consideration the payment of the new incinerator which is to be paid for over a period of two years.

The new incinerator is expected to be in operation early in June and Dan Baldwin has been engaged to operate and take care of the new dump site. Regulations as to hour etc. are being drawn up to be presented to the rate payers on or before the opening of the new dump.

It was decided to grant per-

## EASTERN FUNERALS

**HALLIDAY FUNERAL** — The funeral of William J. Halliday was held from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Montague, Monday, May 17. The service was conducted by Rev. Basil C. Lowery. The hymns The Lord's My Shepherd and Abide With Me were sung by the choir accompanied by Mrs. A.F. Campbell, organist. The pallbearers were Archie Hickey, John Hughes, Garnet MacIntyre, Horace Fraser, Roy Gillis, George Darrach. The flower bearers were Hubert Nelson, Millar Mathieson, Garnet Moore and A.C. MacKay. Interment took place in the Montague Community cemetery.

**CAMPBELL FUNERAL** — The funeral of Miss Jennie Campbell was held from the Church of Christ, Montague, Tuesday, May 18. The service was conducted by the pastor Willard Walls. The selections Beyond the Sunset and Abide With Me were sung by John Bears accompanied by Edward MacLaren, organist. The pallbearers were Russell MacGregor, Samuel Reid, Millar Mathieson, Lloyd Keith, R.W. Beck and Earl Keith. The flower bearers were Milton Kennedy, Hubert Nelson, John Shaw and Ivan MacDonald. Interment took place in the Montague Community Cemetery.

**FERGUSON FUNERAL** — The funeral for Mrs. Merton Ferguson was held Wednesday, May 19, 1965, from the United Church, Murray River, where service was conducted by Rev. David Barwise. During the service the choir sang Under His Wings. Hymns were: The Lord's My Shepherd and Abide With Me. Flower bearers were: Clifford Keenan, Frank Young, Archibald MacLean, Willard MacLean, Willard MacLeod, Wilson Moore, Russell MacPherson, Clarence Cuddy, Robert White-aver and Roy MacNeil. Pallbearers were: Lloyd Hawkins, Perley Harris, Stewart Clements, William Glover, Norman MacLean and Sterling MacKay. Interment took place in Murray Harbor cemetery.

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## K Of C State Convention Opens In Souris Saturday

The Prince Edward Island Knights of Columbus State Convention will be held at Souris Saturday, with the day-long sessions beginning at 10 a.m. and concluding with an evening dinner.

The sessions, which will be held in the Souris Council Chambers, will be presided over by State Deputy B. M. Callaghan and District Deputy M. F. Hagan. Delegates and members from all three councils will be in attendance together with special committee chairmen, grand knights and deputy grand knights from Charlottetown, Summerside and Souris.

Among matters to be discussed by the convention delegates, in addition to the several resolutions to be presented, will be a general program for the ensuing year with particular emphasis being placed on council participation and the involvement of members to a greater degree; the promotion and development of the Columbus project at North Rustico to provide an opportunity for youth and adults throughout the province to engage in summer outdoor activities in arts, drama, culture and physical education; and the election of state officers for the coming year.

A lobster dinner tendered the delegates and members by Souris Council at St. Mary's Hall will conclude the sessions.

## Festival Talent Concert Held

MONTAGUE — A concert of festival talent by pupils of the Montague Elementary School and the Montague Regional High School was held recently in the auditorium of the Regional High School before a large and appreciative audience.

The program which was under the direction of Mrs. Ralph Beck included school choruses, vocal and instrumental numbers as well as the Montague High School Glee Club under the direction of Hester MacPhee, assisted by Mrs. Ralph Beck.

At the conclusion of the program a bouquet of red and white carnations was presented to Mrs. Raoul Raymond by Mary Baldwin and a small token of appreciation was presented to Mr. Raymond by George Coke on behalf of the boys and girls of the Montague Elementary School. The total proceeds, which included a dime from each performer, will be the children's contribution towards the cost of the new skating rink.

## EASTERN BRIEFS

**RECEIVES WORD** — Relatives here received word of the death after a lengthy illness, in Massachusetts, of William (Billy) MacKinnon, formerly of Brooklyn, Lot 61, P.E.I. He was the son of the late William MacKinnon and Annie (Beaton) MacKinnon. He was in his 64th year. During his years of illness he had been faithfully visited by his only sister, Mary, and his brother-in-law, John Green and their family. Burial was in Massachusetts on April 29.

**WIFE IS ISLANDER** — The death occurred suddenly in Toronto, May 8 of E. William Dunn in his 49th year. He was the son of the late William and Elizabeth O'Brien Dunn of Bridgetown, N.S. The funeral took place Wednesday, May 12th from the Lindsay Funeral Home, Berwick, N.S. to St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, Bridgetown for Requiem High Mass. He is survived by his wife the former Rita O'Donnell, Souris, and three sons William, David, Richard and one daughter Carolyn.

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## Employment Security Session Number Expected Hits 80

Hon. Henry Wedge, provincial minister of labor, will welcome more than 80 guests and delegates to attend the annual meeting and institute of the Atlantic Chapter of the International Association of Personnel in Employment Security to be held in co-operation with St. Dunstan's University tomorrow and Saturday.

The Atlantic Chapter forms part of the international association of personnel employed in employment placement work and unemployment insurance functions, with chapters organized in every province of Canada, every state in the U.S.A., as well as in Mexico, Central and South America, S.E. Asia and Japan.

George W. Cheverie, the office manager of the National Employment Service in Charlottetown, and who is president of the Atlantic Chapter of the IAPES, stated Wednesday that amongst the guests and dele-

## Yvonne Dionne Leaves Convent

MONTREAL (CP) — Yvonne Dionne, one of the four surviving Dionne quintuplets, has left a convent at Moncton, N.B., and now is living with one of her married sisters, it became known Wednesday.

Germain Allard, husband of Anette, said Yvonne left the convent several weeks ago and is making her home with the Allards in suburban St. Bruno, on the south shore of the St. Lawrence River.

The sisters will celebrate their 31st birthday May 28. The fifth quintuplet, Emilie, died in 1954.

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## York Variety Show Fun For Everyone

The lighter side of the entertainment picture was not forgotten, either. The York Players tickled the collective funny bone of the audience with a pantomime, "Housekeeper Wanted", starring Rieben Watts, and an operatic singer (?) known only as "Miss R. Jenkins" who created additional merriment.

To round off the program, there was a skit by the Country Boys of Dunstaffnage, Brack-

ton, who enacted "The Disappearance of Madame X", and a precision demonstration by the Charlottetown Majorettes.

Master of ceremonies was Loman MacAuley. Premier Walter Shaw spoke briefly to open the show.

Proceeds from the concert go to the work of the P.E.I. Safety Council.

By MARIAN BRUCE

An entertainment menu of every taste was served to a packed house last night at Confederation Centre theatre.

The occasion? A three-hour variety concert sponsored by York Women's Institute under the direction of Arthur Vesey.

The show, presented by the P.E.I. Safety Council, was designed to please everyone from the old time fiddling buff to the devotee of classical piano.

A number which proved to be a real crowd pleaser was a song and dance by two tiny sisters from Marshfield, Marilyn and Nancy Wood, who showed the poise and polish of real stage veterans.

Vocal selections were also presented by Cynthia Jay and Margaret MacCannell, Mount Stewart; John Bears, Brooklyn; Helen Wilson and Joan Thompson, Sherwood; the Brooklyn Trio, and the Basilica Choral Group.

Performing in the instrumental section were Billy Knox and Kenneth Rodd, Sherwood; Earl and Gerry Hughes, Johnston's River; Linda Drake, Millview; Gerry Rutten, Charlottetown; Sue Brenton and Margaret Hall, Charlottetown; and the Kathleen MacGuigan Ensemble.

The program also included step dancing by Paula Corrigan, Pleasant Grove, and a Spanish dance by Colleen MacNeill, Summerside.

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