

ENTERTAINS CLUB — Mrs. Leroy White was hostess to the members of Acme Past Noble Grand Club, Montague, Tuesday evening. At the close of a brief business period, conducted by the president, Mrs. J. D. MacLeod, assisted by Mrs. Spencer Llewellyn, the members enjoyed a delightful social evening, featuring "scrabble" with honors, being awarded Mrs. Archie Hickey, Mrs. Llewellyn and Mrs. D. M. MacDonald. Lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Llewellyn and Mrs. MacDonald.

LOADS PRODUCE — The M.V. Saval from Buren, Newfoundland, under command of Captain Ed Fitzpatrick, arrived at Montague and took on a cargo of produce from the Poole and Thompson warehouse. The vessel sailed in the late afternoon. A few years ago, another Newfoundland ship cleared Montague on January 7.

Personals

Miss Mary Sullivan, R.N., who recently returned from Montreal, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sullivan, prior to accepting a position in Charlottetown.

Army Recruiting On The Increase

Sgt. H. H. MacLeod, the Recruiting Sergeant at the local Army Recruiting Station, has returned to his duties after spending a period as a patient in the R. C. N. Hospital at Halifax. During his absence the station was operated by Sgt. J. H. Doucette and Sgt. D. A. Coddington.

The sergeant reports that recruiting for the Canadian Army (Regular) has shown a definite improvement in recent weeks. The following recruits have been enrolled for three year terms: Joseph Norman Arsenault — Kinross

Roland Howard Bambrick — Charlottetown
Michael Charles Watts — Grand Tracadie
Cyril Douglas MacLean — Sydney Mines, N. S.

Thomas Temple Cox — Charlottetown
Donald Angus Nicholson — Orwell Cove

Carl Thomas Keefe — Morell
Lloyd Emerson Kent — Charlottetown
John Lloyd Ferguson — Parkdale

Pius Leo Mullally — Souris
Leo Angus Mallard — Souris
James Walter Gill — Union Road
Charles Coleman McTague — Charlottetown

Edmond Christopher Sahely — Charlottetown
John Chester Garnham — Montague
George Ernest Cannon — Hampton

Charles Gerald Kemp — Souris
Stephen Gary Cheverie — Souris
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Stephen Gary Cheverie — Souris
Merlin Emmerson MacDonald — Victoria

Gordon Reid Miller — Victoria
Joseph Irving Doucette — Mayfield
Charles Robert Dalziel — Charlottetown

Lorrie Frank Gormerly — Parkdale
Francis Lawrence Dalton — Port Augustus
Frederick Vincent DeCoste — Charlottetown

Carl Frederick Riggs — Charlottetown

The feminist movement in Iraq has organized several associations and societies for promoting social welfare.

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CITY HAS \$30,925

in back, etc., at December 31st, 1954, was \$3,610,285.97 and at December 31st 1955 at \$3,766,841 an increase in the City's debt of \$156,556.24.

This is accounted for mainly by permanent streets, renovation of Market Building, completion of High School, new roof on Prince Street School, lighting of the Park and repairs to sea wall, and the purchase of motor equipment.

DEBENTURE ISSUES
During the year, debentures to the amount of \$94,750 matured, of which \$43,250 can be refunded by the further issuance of debentures.

New Debenture issues were:
Queen Charlotte High School serials \$600,000
Permanent Works 150,000
Special Civic 250,000

The consolidated Sinking Funds are in excellent condition and are being handled by the Eastern Trust Company in a very capable manner. They are keeping a close eye on the Bond market for the purpose of increasing the interest earning rate of our holdings. I would suggest that the incoming Council give consideration to having the East Trust Company handle the Pension Fund investments.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURE
The amount of capital expenditure for streets, etc., was \$143,828.87. Early in the year I brought in a resolution limiting capital street expenditure to the amount of \$25,000 but the Council voted otherwise. You can see the increase in the City Debt. I would like to go on record as saying that the Councils that take office must practice a policy of economy, for only by so doing can this City hope to reduce its debenture debt to the position where such a large percentage of our revenue will not have to be marked for debenture interest and sinking fund amortment.

The report which any Finance Committee can make is only as good as other members of the Council allow it to be. It has been the policy of the Finance Committee to curtail any unnecessary expenditures by bringing them to the attention of the Council but it is powerless to prevent these expenditures unless it has the co-operation of the remaining members of the Council.

CONCLUSION
The municipality has been subjected to heavy increases in the cost of government, that is, in supplying larger and more up-to-date public services and extending their services to new areas which are being developed, increased educational costs, etc. This condition is not applicable to Charlottetown alone, but is general throughout the whole Dominion.

TIME STANDS STILL IN

THE HIGH SIERRAS ... WITH TWO MEN AND A WOMAN TRAPPED BY THE FLOOD WATERS — AND THEIR OWN RAGING EMOTIONS



...and after the kiss... a bullet is waiting

JEAN SIMMONS • RORY CALHOUN

EXTRA! NEWS - CARTOON - SERIAL
SHOWING TODAY AT 3-5-7-9

SATURDAY AFTERNOON — 1-3-5 — EVE. 7-9
ADULT ENTERTAINMENT

CAPITOL — TODAY - FRI. - SAT.

Y's Men's Day Observed Today

The President of the International Association of Y's Men's Clubs, Malcolm Bowman, Niagara Falls, Ont., has received permission from the National Councils of both Canada and the United States for one day of National YMCA week to be set aside as Y's Men's Day. This particular day, Jan. 26th., is designated to work in with the local association's plans for YMCA week observance.

The two local Y's Men's Clubs held their weekly meetings by attendance at the Century Dinner Banquet Celebration, the 100th Annual meeting of the local YMCA. These organizations being the service clubs of the "Y", Y's Men mean, "Men of and for the 'Y'".

On Thursday evening, these "Y" Clubs will sponsor a mammoth dance to be held in the gym of the YMCA and also attend the Century celebrations as outlined for Saturday and Sunday evenings as part of the special week's program.

The Alpha Y's Me's Club, formerly the Charlottetown Y's Men's Club, was organized near the end of 1925 and received its charter early in 1926. Its members, by individual and combined effort, were largely responsible for the planning and erecting the present fine YMCA building on Prince St.

In the year 1951 the Centennial Y's Men's Club was organized. This club has greatly assisted in YMCA maintenance, particularly with the development of the fine Boy's Camp at Holland Cove.

While celebrating this National YMCA week it is interesting to note that the first Y's Men's Club was organized in the year 1852 at Toledo, Ohio, by Judge Paul Alexander. In 1923 the first organization was attempted in Canada at Sydney, N.S., thus making the growth of Y'sdom has been tremendous. Today this great body of YMCA service clubs has spread to 37 countries where 527 clubs are organized with a membership of 13,000.

BRISTOL
Mr. Teddy McEwen, was in the city this week on business.

Mr. Fred Anderson, was in the city on Monday on business.

Mr. Charlie Daveaux, was in the city on Friday and Saturday on business. Mr. Daveaux informs us he is leaving this vicinity to take up residence in the city where his brother John resides in retirement.

Mr. Barney MacDonald, was a business visitor to the city last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurance Mitchell, were visitors to the Indian reserve in Morell, last week.

Fire Dept. Pays Particular Attention To Safety Measures

In his annual report to the City Council, Fire Chief H. H. Jewell, reported that the Fire Department responded to a total of 177 alarms of which 57 were classed as general, and 120 as still alarms. Eleven of the calls were for outside the city limits. All officers and members of the department performed their duties in an efficient manner, with over 85 per cent attendance at general alarms.

Three serious fires occurred during the year, in January 1955 the Foundry of Hall and Stavert located on Elm Avenue was almost completely destroyed. On June 15 a serious blaze took place in the McLure Building which housed Rix's Grocery and Meat's Restaurant. On arrival at the scene we found a rapidly spreading blaze. Both these establishments were badly damaged.

Near the end of the year we had the Prince Edward Theatre fire which was the most disastrous. The worst since 1951 when fire destroyed the premises housing F.R. McLaine Ltd., Home Motors and Batt and MacRae Ltd. Our pumps worked well during these fires, but both men and equipment were taxed to the limit to prevent the fires from spreading beyond the building in which they originated.

ONE DEATH
It is with regret that we record the death by suffocation of a two-year-old child, the son of Mr. Fred Somers, Green Street, whose home was badly damaged by fire early in the year.

The total fire loss to the city during the year amounted to \$70,000 which does not include the Prince Edward Theatre, as this has not been completed by the adjusters.

The main causes for the majority of fires were faulty flues, oil burners, accumulated rubbish and grass fires.

In connection with his duties as City Fire Marshall, Chief Jewell reported that a total of 131 inspections had been carried out, which resulted in orders being issued for the rebuilding of three chimneys and three fire escapes, also the tearing down or rebuilding of six old buildings. In the inspection of apartment and rooming houses particular attention was given to the adequate provision of fire escapes, in many cases provision was very unsatisfactory.

In the case of new construction

WATER COMM.

The amount supplied through metered accounts was 199,564,553 gallons. The balance of 496,976,071 gallons represents the amount used for domestic purposes, small commercial accounts, fire fighting, street flushing purposes and other public uses.

RECEIPTS, PAYMENTS
The sum of \$130,933.06 was collected in water rates during the year, \$9,329.73 more than in 1954. The expenses for the year were \$77,322.35, an increase of \$179.94 over 1954. The amount paid over to the City of Charlottetown to take care of the sinking fund and interest on outstanding debentures was \$43,550.71.

The Sewer Construction account started with an overdraft at the Bank of \$518.87 and ended with an overdraft of \$5,172.99. This increase is due to extension of mains and new services.

The water construction account started with a credit balance with the Bank of \$3,489.50 ending with a balance in our favour of \$2,821.44. The receipts in this account were higher than the expenditure due to a number of 1954 accounts being paid in 1955.

It will be necessary to apply to the Council for authorization to issue debentures for both the sewer and water construction accounts to take care of the overdraft and commitments for the incoming year.

SPECIAL
Moonlight Skate
TONIGHT
MONTAGUE RINK
8-10 P. M.
Excellent ice.

AMERICA'S FAVORITES OF SCREEN AND TV BRING MILES OF SMILES IN A HOWLING HONEYMOON ON WHEELS!



LAFF-PACKED MIDNIGHT SHOW
FRIDAY NIGHT AT 11.30 P. M.

What You've Been Waiting For!

- LADIES**
- Our Complete Stock (400 Prs.) of American Girl PUMPS (regular \$9.95)—Clearing at \$6.95
 - Several Colors and Patterns in All Widths
 - 100 Pairs of Fancy SLIPPERS (regardless of first price) \$1.99
 - NYLON OVERSHOES—Last call on assorted styles .. \$4.99
- MEN**
- Outstanding Values at \$4.99, \$6.99, \$8.99
 - SKATES — Sizes 8, 9, 10 \$4.00
 - SLIPPERS — to clear \$2.99
- OVERSHOES**
- Men's 4-Buckle Rubber (heavy duty) \$4.99
 - Boys' 4-Buckle Rubber \$3.99
 - Child's and Misses' Assorted \$2.99
- SHOES**
- Children's (Sizes 8-4) BROWN OXFORDS \$3.29
 - Rack of Women's SHOES \$1.99, \$3.99, \$4.99

WE ARE PACKED WITH BARGAINS THIS WEEKEND AT LEPAGE'S

MAYFAIR THEATRE
MURRAY RIVER, JANUARY 26 — 8 P.M.
THURSDAY ONLY
"KHYBER PATROL"
(Color)
Starring RICHARD EGAN - DAWN ADDAMS
Also Special Added Short Subjects
COMING — FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
"JUMP INTO HELL"
Starring JACQUES SERNAS - ARNOLD MOSS
COMING — MONDAY AND TUESDAY
"UNDERWATER"
(Color)
Starring JANE RUSSELL - GILBERT ROLAND

EASY SHOPPING
FAST CHECKOUT
... and **HOW YOU SAVE!**

LYNN VALLEY
PEAS
15 OZ. TINS
3 FOR 39c

You'll like shopping at CO-OP SUPER MARKET! It's so easy to choose exactly the foods you like best from our finger-tip displays of famous brand groceries and top grade meats and produce. It's so pleasant to have your order checked quickly and accurately by our courteous checkers. AND HOW YOU DO SAVE MONEY... save it all along your shopping list because we make every price a low price. For a wonderful new experience in food shopping—SHOP CO-OP SUPER MARKET all the way!

JENKINS BEEF	12 OZ. TINS	35c
LOBSTER PASTE	JENKINS 3 OZ. TIN	17c
OXYDOL	CHASES DIRT LGE. PKG.	2 for 75c
BONELESS CHICKEN	7 OZ. TIN	49c
CAMAY SOAP	REG. SIZE	3 for 29c
CO-OP BREAD	WHITE or BROWN SLICED	16c
EGGS	GRADE "A" LARGE IN CARTONS	doz. 49c
PURE LARD	MAPLE LEAF 1 LB. PRINTS	21c
INSTANT PUDDINGS	JELLO ALL Flavours	2 for 25c
JELLO	ALL FLAVOURS	3 pkg. 29c
BABY FOODS	HEINZ STRAINED	3 tins 29c
MILK	PERFECTION or CARNATION	6 tins 87c
BAKING POWDER	MAGIC 16 OZ.	39c
TOMATO SOUP	CAMP-BELL'S	2 tins 27c
CORN FLAKES	Kelllogg's 8 OZ.	2 pkg. 35c
KLEENEX	REG. SIZE	2 pkg. 43c
MATCHES	EDDY'S PKG. OF 3	27c
QUICK	CHOCOLATE DRINK 10c OFF-NET PRICE	57c
RASPBERRY JAM	NIAGARA 24 OZ.	43c
TOILET TISSUE	WEST-MINSTER	3 for 32c
COOKIES	FRESH CREAM FILLED	lb. 29c
NESCAFE	SPECIAL DEAL 15c OFF-NET PRICE	\$1.84

Self-Service Meats

PORK LOIN ROASTS,	lb. 49c
PORK ROASTS	PICNIC SHOULDERS lb. 35c
PORK LIVER	FRESH TASTY lb. 21c
HAMBURG	LEAN MEATY lb. 39c
CORNER BEEF	MEATY CUTS lb. 29c
APPLES	ISLAND GROWN McINTOSH-5 LB. BAG 39c
CABBAGE	NEW GREEN IMPORTED lb. 10c
GRAPES	CALIFORNIA EMPEROR 2 lbs. 35c
BANANAS	GOLDEN RIPE lb. 21c
ONIONS	NO. 1 LARGE COOKING 3 lbs. 25c

WATCH FOR CHARLOTTETOWN CO-OP STORE

ON OR ABOUT FEBRUARY 9th **GRAND OPENING** ON OR ABOUT FEBRUARY 9th

CHARLOTTETOWN — NORTH RUSTICO — SOURIS

CO-OP SUPER MARKET
AN ISLAND STORE OWNED BY ISLAND PEOPLE
BIG ENOUGH TO SERVE YOU — NOT TOO BIG TO APPRECIATE YOU
FREE DELIVERY • PHONE 8557 • FREE CUSTOMER PARKING

THE FINEST MEATS IN TOWN
SPECIALISTS IN FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLES