

Icebreaker Will Clear Ice From S'ide Harbor

Mr. J. Watson MacNaught, M. Instead, he will proceed to Sour- P. announced last evening that to take on pulpwood there for the car ferry "Prince Ed-P. E. I. Produce Co. Ltd., and it ward Island", or the C. G. S. was uncertain last evening whether "Brant" would be made available this ship would return to Summerside to clear a path through the ice from the island's eastern wharf to the lighthouse. Loss in wages to the Summer- harbor entrance, and which side area as a result of this diver- presented a serious problem due to the ice condition in the and three ships which were in harbor is estimated between \$1, route to Summerside, and schedul- 500 - \$2000.

Mr. MacNaught said last evening that in consulting with the load pulpwood for P. E. the ice-breaking task at Sum- Produce Co. Ltd., have to offside the Department of Transport Borden yesterday morning, and would be taking this ship away after a ship-board consultation from her very important work of Mr. Ira Hickey, manager of gathering up navigation buoys P. E. I. Producing Co. Ltd., the which were endangered by the captain Borden and drove to He said that word was still being ashore Sunday morning where he inspected awaiting from Ottawa regarding the ice condition in the harbor and request to use the car ferry decided not risk damaging his "Prince Edward Island" from ship in attempting to smash nearby Borden in breaking the ice through the harbor ice to the permit the ships to dock at the Summerside Marine Wharf.

While this ship is much nearer Summerside than the "Brant", the "Prince Edward Island" had been taken out of service for the winter months, and in view of the time required in getting the "Prince Edward Island" restored to service, neither ship could reach Summerside before Sunday.

One of the cargo ships on route here is bringing fertilizer for Canada Packers, while the third ship is coming here to load potatoes for the MacFarlane Produce Co. It was estimated yesterday that wages involved in loading or unloading the three ships would amount to at least \$8,000.

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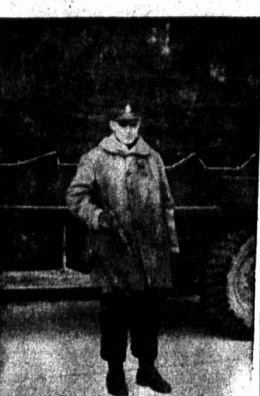
Mrs. John P. Gallant entertained the members of the Piusville Women's Institute by having the annual supper.

Mrs. Herman Corcoran and children went to O'Leary on Saturday.

Messrs. Albert Gallant and Adrien Blanchard returned to their respective homes recently after a short visit to Moncton.

The teachers of the Piusville School, Mrs. Bertha Gallant, principal, and Mrs. Lauretta Gallant, assistant, are busy preparing a variety concert to be held in the hall before Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Gallant and daughters, Sandra and Alana, Dwyer, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Gallant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Corcoran, Piusville on Sunday evening.



TO WEST COAST

Cpl. Vernon C. Burke, P.P.C.L.I. left for the West Coast Dec. 3rd after spending his annual leave at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Burke 281 1st Summerside.

Cpl. Burke has served two years in Germany he is formerly of Charlottetown.

THE WEEK AT S.D.U.

When Goethe wrote in Faust that "Blood is a juice of rarest quality", he could not have known just to what extent a century's progress would bear out the truth of his statement. He could not foresee the multiplicity and diversity of studies to which human blood would be subjected, nor the immense benefits to mankind that these studies would reap.

We here at Saint Dunstan's, over a century later, well aware of these benefits and of the co-existent necessity for maintaining a reserve supply of the precious life-giving fluid, have been privileged to be able to take part in the current campaign of the Canadian Red Cross here in Charlottetown. Following the cheering example of the elders, the first group of students left the campus last Wednesday morning on an I.M.T. bus for the Clover Club where they proceeded to roll up their sleeves and greet the opening of the Blood Donors' Clinic. They carried with them a light and frivolous spirit that succeeded immeasurably in breaking down the nervous tension experienced by some of the "first time" donors. Their gay spirits defying the almost morose-like atmosphere that seemed to permeate the clinic, the Saints displayed their familiar whole-hearted willingness for as they set out to meet and conquer this new objective.

The following day, two more buses carried the remainder of the donors on their errand of mercy. Although the exact figures are not as yet known, it has been estimated by reliable sources that over 150 of the students here, including a surprising number of the co-eds, answered the appeal. This amounts to about 85 per cent of those who were eligible to become donors. That look of achievement that radiated from those 150 proud faces, especially those who found it most difficult to approach the needle and bottle, would have melted the hardest of hearts.

FEMININE VIEWPOINT

It has been brought to our attention that so far, this column has favored only the gentlemen's interpretation of the current campus events. In an effort to remedy this situation and establish the proper equilibrium, we take great pleasure in welcoming a guest columnist from the ranks of the co-eds who will turn her pen to the task of narration from the feminine point of view.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

In a very short time the faculty will present us, not too ceremoniously with their Christmas gift; indeed, by this time a small portion of that gift has already been received, not too ceremoniously. Yes, the exams, those tricky quizzes the only purpose of which seems to be to prove how very little a hair, really knows, matter how many minutes he spends cramming—are staring us in the face. From now until the end of the term, the student draws within himself, oblivious of the field of entertainment, concentrating all his ability on surviving the grueling work-out held in the basement of our gymnasium which at such time is commonly referred to by the under pressure, as the "slaughter-house".

To survive this nerve-wracking ordeal of intellectual quickening, he must resort to the supply of energy stored in the slack period since the last great fight. If, during the final days of this terrifying struggle, the student should appear somewhat slovenly, with uncombed hair, unshaven faces and bleary eyes, consider their negligence as an unavoidable sacrifice on his part towards acquiring a "higher learning".

HOCKEY

Because of the challenging obstacle of exams the extra-curricular activities have come almost to a standstill. However, there has been some stir in the past couple of weeks in the field of sports, this being caused by our hockey team. The Saints have played two games so far both of which were exhibition games held at the Sports Arena in Charlottetown. The first game, on November 29, saw the Saints come through with a brilliant victory, edging the Summerside Aces with a 4-3 margin. In this fast-moving, crowd-pleasing

SUM-HI NOTES

By MARGARET COFFIN

Examination time is almost here. Here's hoping every student at S.H.S. will do his very best in those important Christmas exams. We are all looking forward to the Christmas holidays, the unofficial dates of which are Dec. 25 to Jan. 4. We hope these dates are not just rumors, as they will give us an extra day of holidays after New Year's.

The girls of 'Beta' Hi-Y Chapter are selling felt pennants on which you may have any name, nickname, or expression stitched in white on blue, red, green, brown, etc. backgrounds. These little pennants are perfect for sewing on jackets, sweaters or wherever you wish to place one. They are sold for 25 cents. You may order one from any "Beta" member, and do yourself and the Hi-Y girls a big favor.

Saturday night at the Y Centre a dance will be held sponsored by the boys' "Alpha" Hi-Y. The three clubs of girls and boys will in the weeks to come take turns in having the dances, all Hi-Y members and their friends are welcome.

There is little news of sports this time of year, particularly since High School bowling has so suddenly ceased. But any girls interested in bowling on girls' High school teams which are now being formed, please give name to M.H. Mollison. Immediately after Christmas the first all-girls High School bowling teams will go into operation.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

This will be the last appearance of this feature until after the Christmas season. So, until then, Season's Greetings and all the blessing of the New Year from Saint Dunstan's; and may you keep in mind the words of that anonymous old carol:

God rest you merry gentlemen. Let nothing you dismay. Remember Christ, our Savior. Was born on Christmas Day.

Western Guardian

RAYMOND GRANT, Optometrist, will be in his O'Leary office Saturday, December 10th.

THE TRADING POST, Summerside, is the market for all household furniture. Paying highest cash prices.

UNITED CHURCH pantry sale and bazaar, Kensington Town Hall, Saturday, December 10th, 7:00 p.m.

OIL DRUMS, sewing machine parts, boots and skates. The Trading Post, Summerside.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL — Friends of Mrs. Elmer Pineau will be glad to know that she has returned home from the Prince County Hospital where she has undergone surgery and treatment for her past eight weeks.

DIES IN TORONTO — Mr. W. A. Gaudet, Fitzroy Street, Summerside, yesterday received a telegram announcing the death in Toronto yesterday morning of his sister, Mrs. Arthur J. Howatt. The funeral will take place in Toronto.

IN HOSPITAL — Mr. Raymond A'Hearn, Alberton, is a patient in a Halifax hospital suffering a fractured leg and other injuries suffered by a car early in the week. Further details of the accident or the extent of his injuries are not known.

COURT CASES — A party from Lennox Island charged with creating a disturbance in a public place by swearing pleaded not guilty and had his case adjourned until December 13th. A party charged with operating a motor vehicle without first obtaining an operators license was fined \$5.00 and costs.

CASES ADJOURNED — Five cases under the Fisheries Act were further adjourned for sentence until February 10th in county magistrates court Summerside yesterday.

W. M. S. MEETING — The regular monthly meeting of the W. M. S. of the Summerside Presbyterian Church met on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. W. MacCormick led the devotional period, assisted by Mrs. Julia Hall and Miss Jean MacFarlane. Fifteen members answered roll call. There was discussion about Camp Keir, and it was decided to take up a collection for this project. Mrs. Cleve Whalen, and Mrs. B. D. Coffin took charge of the study book. Mrs. Ernesta Walker was asked to write a "Thank you" note to Mrs. R. R. Hurst of Charlottetown, who spoke of missionary work at their last meeting. The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction.

Good Duck Shooting Is Reported In West Prince

which closed yesterday on Prince unusually cold weather the last week of the season brought complete halt to hunting activities.

The Hungarian partridge season, which closed November 11th, was considered a complete failure in the area this year. Both visiting and present hunters, without hunting dogs, found the Huns very scarce from the opening day, pheasants are unknown in Western Prince County and there were only two or three reports of anyone spotting a native partridge during the two week season on these upland birds.

BIRTHS

QUINN—At the Charlottetown Hospital, November 28th, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Quinn a son, 7 lbs. 6 1/2 ozs.

MACINNIS—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Dec. 6, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. John B. MacInnis, (nee Phyllis Trainer), Grand Terrace, a son.

STEVENSON—At the P.E.I. Hospital on Saturday, November 26, 1955 to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevenson, Bradbane, a son, Vernon Wesley, Weight 9 lbs. 9/16 ozs.

MACDONALD—At the Colchester County Hospital, Truro, N.S., Nov. 30, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Renford MacDonald (nee Olive MacLean) a son, Jeffrey Dan, Weight 9 lbs. 9/16 ozs.

MACDONALD—At Prince County Hospital on Dec. 5th, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. MacDonald, St. Eleanor's (nee Helen O'Hanley, Monticello), a daughter.

LLEWELLYN—At the P. E. Island Hospital, December 2nd 1955 to Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Llewellyn, Charlottetown, a daughter 7 lbs. 7 ozs. (Nancy Arlene).

SMITH—At St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, Dec. 2, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Smith (nee Ethel MacIsaac) a son, Weight 9 lbs. 14 1/2 ozs.

MACCALLUM—At the P. E. I. Hospital Monday Dec. 5, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. John MacCallum, City, a daughter, Weight 10 lbs. 6 ozs.

JOHNSTON—At Kings County Memorial Hospital, Montague, on Dec. 5th, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Johnston, Murray Harbor, North, a daughter, Laurel Lee McMahon—At the Charlottetown Hospital, on December 7, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Pope McMahon, Kinkora, a daughter.

THOMPSON—At the Prince County Hospital on Dec. 7, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Thompson, Kensington, a daughter, 8 lbs., 6 oz.

W.C.T.U. NOTES

DR. ALBERT SCHWEITZER

I have travelled in the colonies of all countries. Everywhere alcohol is the enemy of civilizing influences. Musician, philosopher, missionary, Nobel prize winner, Dr. Albert Schweitzer is world renowned for his devoted service to human brotherhood and unselfish help to the needy.

The good consists in maintaining, supporting and enabling life; that which destroys, harms, or opposes life is bad.

QUESTION

Do you think any liquor selling to-day is going to limit its profits on account of the misery caused by liquor?

It may seem unlikely, but it has happened all the same. Mr. J.E. Webb of St. Petersburg, Florida, is a major stockholder in one of the largest stores in the United States, a drug store supplying so many community needs that it is known as "Webb City". He tells his reasons for giving up the sale and advertising of alcoholic beverages, which was bringing in huge profits. These are his own words: "The more I thought about the liquor business the more I did not want to be connected with it. I began mentally to follow the bottles and realized the trouble those bottles could cause and did cause. I could not accept the responsibility of furnishing the means to make people drunk, to fuddle their brains, perhaps to cause them to commit terrible crimes. I could not close my eyes to possible results."

Therefore, Mr. Webb cut off from his store the profitable sale of liquors.

DARNLEY School Concert Monday, December 19th.

SANTA CLAUS will be in Waddell's Store tonight, 7:30.

BUYING GOOO FOWL, Trucks will call Rex Dawson, Albany.

FRESH BEEF, and other meat supplies. Abegweit Co-op.

GIVE YOUR CHILD a hobby this Christmas. Flash cameras from 4.95 at the Read Studio and shop.

ELECTRIC RAZORS—Ronson, Remington, Sunbeam, Shavermaster, Philips have models. Foley's Drug Store.

CARD PARTY at Kensington Legion Home, Monday, Dec. 12th at 8.00. Sponsored by Ladies' Auxiliary. Everybody welcome.

THE CENTRAL BEDEQUE United Baptist Church services Sunday, 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10.15 a.m.; Rev. Charles A. Britten, D.D., Minister.

SERVICES for Central Bedeque Fundamental Baptist Church: Forming worship 10.45; Sunday School 12 noon; evening service 7.30; Rev. Steadman Smith, special speaker.

NORTH BEDEQUE United Church. Services Sunday, Dec 11: Freetown 11.00 a.m.; Traveler's Rest 2.00 p.m.; North Bedeque 7.30 p.m. Rev. J. K. Campbell, Minister.

FREE CHURCH of Scotland. Services December 11th: Cape Traverse 11.00 a.m.; Summerside 7.00 p.m., conducted by Rev. Donald MacDonal. Coleman 11.00 a.m.; DeSable 3.00 p.m. December 13: Argyle Shore 7.30 p.m. Rev. Clement Graham, Minister.

PARISH OF ALBERTON, Anglican Church of Canada: Evening prayer at St. Peter's, Alberton at 3 p.m. and at St. Luke's, O'Leary at 7.30 p.m. Mr. Ivana Webb, Lay Reader, will be the speaker. Rev. J. R. McMahon, Rector.

SECOND HOCKEY MEETING Monday night, Bedeque North Shore League, in the rink, 8.00 o'clock to finalize plans for coming season. All teams wishing to enter must have representatives present. By order hockey executive.

CORRECTION — In the report yesterday of a talk by J. Frank Brett on the history of Summerside stores and churches a reference to five men instrumental in building a church for the Anglican denomination in 1899 was actually in reference to the Church of Scotland which was opened in that year.

C.G.I.T. COLUMN

C. G. I. T. CHRISTMAS VESPER SERVICE

Once more the Christmas Seamakes plans for its observance. For the leaders and girls of the C. G. I. T. across Canada this entails planning and preparation for the National Vesper Service. This service is the one activity shared in common by groups across the country. It has become a great unifying and inspiring occasion; for nearly all groups observe it, singly or combining in with others, in large cities, tiny villages or rural churches. The musical part of the service deserves more than passing comment.

The congregation will join in the professional hymn, "Hark, The Herald Angels Sing", and also join in several other hymns. Two lovely carols have been chosen, "Infant Holy", a Polish carol and "Rocking", a Chechoslovakian carol. The story "Christmas" will be read and a candle-lighting service will follow, during which five candles will be lighted to emphasize the five gifts of the Christ of the World; then, the four-fold purpose of the Canadian Girls In Training; To cherish Health, Seek Truth, Know God and to Serve Others.

This Vesper service should be a truly inspiring service with the noblest path of the one activity in scripture, poetry and prayer, symbolized by light and enhanced by choral and congregational singing of beautiful music.

TRINITY UNITED, SUMMERSIDE, C. G. I. T.

On November 7, this group held their opening meeting with eleven girls present. The leaders, Olive Jelly and Leila Townsend led in Worship and outlined the Study Book. Plans were made for the winter months. Joy MacLean gave an interesting report on the week-end Conference held in Charlottetown.

TRYON UNITED, C. G. I. T.

This active group of thirteen members under the leadership of Mrs. Loyd Archer has completed a Bible Study, "On the Miracles of Jesus". They have also been active in sponsoring a Halloween party, serving at a church supper and leading a devotional service at the W. M. S. Seven girls attended the conference in Charlottetown. Plans are now being made to join with the Baptist group in the National Christmas Vesper Service.

KENSINGTON UNITED, C.G.I.T.

At a recent Friday night meeting seven members received lanyards. Mrs. Bruce Roberts senior leader, presided and presented each girl with a white lanyard. This, insignia signifies that the girl has reached fifteen years of age and is now a senior member of C. G. I. T. Received lanyards were Shirley Green, Jean Murray, Elaine Cousins, Roberta Hogg, Elaine Spicer, Alberta Smith, and Glenayth MacMurdo. Rev. A. H. MacKay spoke briefly on "Love, the greatest thing in practicing the presence of God, and meeting the needs of people". The prayer of dedication was also offered by Rev. Mr. MacKay. During the service the Intermediate group sang the C. G. I. T. Hymn and "I would Be True".

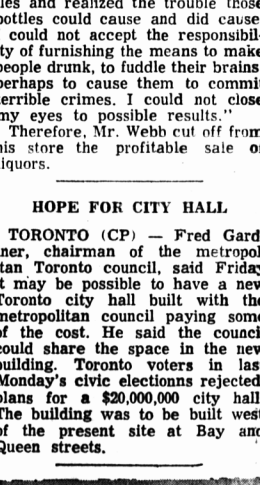
At this season may we all remember the meaning of Christmas as a slip to put "Christ Back Into Christmas".

Please send an account of your activities for this column, girls.

HOPE FOR CITY HALL

TORONTO (CP) — Fred Gardner, chairman of the metropolitan Toronto council, said Friday it may be possible to have a new Toronto city hall built with the metropolitan council paying some of the cost. He said the council could share the space in the new building. Toronto voters in last Monday's city elections rejected plans for a \$20,000,000 city hall. The building was to be built west of the present site at Bay and Queen streets.

NEW POST



Cmr. Phillip Sydney Booth, 39, of Victoria and Halifax will take command of the destroyer escort Athabaskan Jan. 11. A torpedo anti-submarine specialist, he has been stationed at naval headquarters in Ottawa for the past 2 1/2 years. (CP from National Defence)

Personals

Mr. James Campbell of Lot 16 is a patient in the Prince County Hospital.

Mr. Earle Murray of North Carlton is a patient in the Prince County Hospital.

Mrs. Roy McCarville of Carleton Siding is a patient in the Prince County Hospital where she recently underwent an operation. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

The many friends of Mrs. William Rogers, Lower Freetown, will be sorry to learn she is a patient in the Prince County Hospital.

Miss Barbara Sobey has returned from a vacation, Ontario, after spending the summer months in Central Bedeque where she was employed at the telephone office.

DEATHS

MACINNIS—At the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, on Monday, Dec. 5th, 1955, Donald (Dan) MacInnis, formerly of Canoe Cove in his 58th year.

BELL—At the Prince County Hospital on Wednesday, Dec. 7, 1955, George Washington Bell in his 85th year.

HENDERSON—At Margate Dec. 7, 1955, Henry Henderson in his 58th year.

McLEOD—On Dec. 6th 1955 at Kings County Memorial Hospital, Montague Angus R. MacLeod in his 71st year.

DESROCHE—At the Prince County Hospital on Tuesday, December 6, 1955, Elaine Mary, 5 month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix DesRoche. Sheen St. Summerside.

PAGE—At Springfield Hospital, Summerside, on Dec. 6, 1955, Mrs. E. S. Page, (formerly of Cape Traverse).

BLOOMFIELD STATION NOVEMBER REPORT

Grade X: 1. Frances McDougall Palma Keeffe; 3. Lois Hardy; 4. Mona Dymont.

Grade VIII: 1. Bridget Jones; 2. Everett Callaghan; 3. Palma Hardy.

Grade VI: 1. Sandra Smith; 2. Wendell Shaw; 3. Patsy McDougall; Peggy McDougall equal.

Grade V: 1. Mary Hardy; 2. Frank Callaghan.

Grade IV: 1. Faye Hardy; 2. Sylvia Foley; Sheila Jones, equal; 3. Shirley Veno.

Grade III: 1. Di. ne Veno; 2. Garry Dymont; 3. Garry Jones.

Grade II: 1. Mary Callaghan; Louis Jones, equal.

Grade I (a): 1. Donna Hardy.

Grade I (b): 1. Isabel MacDougall; 2. Shelton Dymont.

Teacher: Mrs. Anita Gallant.

CAUGHT ON HIGH

DOVER, England (CP)—A man repairing an 80-foot radio mast leaped out of its safety belt for a rest, and got tangled. Two fire engines were called to help him down.

BOGNOR REGIS, England (CP)—Police are searching for thief who raided a bird sanctuary and stole a pair of Canadian geese and 15 ducks. "I've had the Canadian geese since they hatch ed," said Nicholas Adames, 15, the own. "They can't fly because they are pinioned."

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