

ISLAND NEWS PAGE

Eastern And Central Districts

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Planning Committees Appointed By Rotary

Rotarians stepped up their plans to have as their guests, plans at the weekly luncheon delegates and their wives to drive meeting yesterday for the District Conference to be held in Charlottetown June 14-17 after a lobster dinner provided in lieu of the third such by Summerside at the conference held here, the last which their president Claude held in 1955.

Ray MacMillan, chairman of man of arrangements, named committee chairmen and described the many varied jobs to be completed in order to assure a smooth running and successful conference, which will be headed by the District Governor, René LePage of Charlottetown.

While the major activities will centre in the City, the local club will be joined by Summerside as joint host clubs for the conference.

Planned activities include Ladies' Night in the face of special programs for the ladies, other hotel activities of an evening at the Government House, a Memorial Service, a reception at City Hall, a luncheon by the City with Mayor A. Walthen Gaudet as guest speaker. A "free" afternoon has been arranged when all local Rotarians and services provided for guests of Rotary.

Artificial Rink Planners To Hold General Meeting

MONTAGUE — Although the fact finding committees for the artificial rink and skating rink were Monague skating and hockey rink are winding up their business, it was necessary to advance the general meeting to next Tuesday at the elementary school at 7:30 p.m.

The change in date of this meeting was made so that a firm price could be procured from Langley Fruit Packers Ltd. on the cost of refrigeration. The Langley firm has offered to supply refrigeration if of any assistance to the hockey rink for the town and this cost will be advised later this week.

The committee has procured prices on the cost of building, the cost of operation and on locations and will be able to answer questions pertaining to these matters on Tuesday.

A second committee has been appointed to canvass the town to ascertain what support and financial assistance could be available if the building of an artificial rink is approved.

FLYERS 300 MILES — SINGAPORE (Reuters) — American flyer Miss Joan Merriam arrived here Monday after a "fairly nice" 900-mile trip from Bangkok, Thailand, as part of her bid to make a solo around-the-world flight. She leaves here Wednesday for Jakarta, Indonesia. Miss Merriam left Oakland, Calif., March 17 aboard a two-engine Piper Apache.

Exhibition of Paintings
By Barry Sefton

AT THE RICHMOND STREET OFFICE OF THE EASTERN AND CHARTERED TRUST CO.

CHURCH GROUP TOUR NEWSPAPER PLANT

Members of the DeSable and Argyle Stone Free Church of Scotland Youth Fellowship were taken on a complete tour of The Guardian-Evening Post Publishing Company plant by Guardian staff member Bernard Ratner. Shows showing viewing page forms in the composing room are from the left, Burrows MacPhail, Mrs. Douglas MacPhail, Anta Shaw, Bonnie MacPhail, Ruby Gould and Darrell MacNevin.

Town To Erect Guardrail For Protecting Stores

MONTAGUE — John Hughes, Deputy Mayor, presided at the regular monthly meeting of the Montague Town Council held last night.

Mayor Bruce H. Yeo who underwent major surgery at the Kings County Memorial Hospital yesterday morning was absent for the second meeting of the council in seven terms as mayor and this is his 14th year of office. Mayor Yeo also served a term or two as a councillor for the town.

Members of the council made a short visit to his bedside previous to the meeting and reported that he was doing as well as could be expected following the operation. One councillor said he came through the operation with flying colors.

During the business session of the council voted to have a guard rail placed at the foot of Wood Island Hill in front of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Boehmer Jewellery and MacDougall's Diner.

Several accidents have occurred here over the past few years following a recent accident which damaged the bank manager's car which struck a tree before it could be moved, town policeman Ed Downe stated. "We will have to do something about this at the next meeting" and he was as good as his word.

Gas Leak Produces Explosive Situation

SOURIS — A potential explosive situation faced Souris residents last night after discovery of the leakage of some 5,172 gallons of gasoline from the Imperial Oil property on Breakever Street, Souris.

A local fisherman, Omar Chivers, was returning from work on his lobster equipment when he saw a pool of gasoline on the road ahead of him. He stopped his truck and investigated and found several more large pools on the Imperial Oil property and the Irving Oil property next door. He immediately informed the Souris detachment of the RCMP and the Souris Fire Department.

The RCMP completely blocked the area off when they arrived on the scene and the fire department began washing the pools of gasoline into the harbor. At press time last night they were still on the scene and expected to remain three throughout today.

The break has been contained after it was discovered that a pipe leading from the six 13,000 capacity tanks had broken under the weight of ice and snow and had gone undiscovered during the afternoon while they were loading trucks, and had continued to pour after closing hours.

The Souris Imperial dealer, Bruce Stewart said last night that he felt the danger point was passed but that a careful watch would have to be kept. He commented the Souris Fire Department on a fine job.

Last night Provincial marshals, Earl T. MacLeod said he would be travelling to Souris in the morning to look over the situation. He said he believed that Imperial Oil would send some officials to the scene this morning.

The six tanks in Souris belong to Imperial Oil have a total capacity to 13,000 gallons each, as have the six tanks of Irving Oil next door, bringing the total gallons to 156,000 in all tanks.

It was expected that if the plants and drainers preparing in the immediate area in the spring season would exercise extreme caution in their work tomorrow.

MP Pays Tribute To Lena Vessey

In a letter of sympathy from Hon. J. Angus MacLean, M.P. for Queens and Mrs. MacLean to relatives of Mrs. Lena Vessey, the island poetess who died recently, Mr. MacLean paid the following tribute:

"Mrs. Vessey, widow of Joseph W. Vessey died suddenly on March 30, 1964, at her home in Charlottetown, where she resided for a number of years."



IS SELECTED

Several Lieutenant Philip Mulally, RCA, a junior arts student at St. Dunstan's University, will be one of 38 Canadian Officers Training Corps members who will spend the summer in Europe with No. 4 Canadian Infantry Brigade Group. It was announced last night by Major Vincent Murnaghan, commanding officer of the SDU contingent of the COYC, Lt. Mulally is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Mulally, 50 Cumberland St., Charlottetown. The COYC members making the trip to Europe for training were selected in a cross-Canada competition based on their service records and personal interviews. They will leave from Ottawa May 19 and will remain in Europe approximately four months.

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Hospital Unions Have Desire To Resume Negotiations

Local 905 and 926, Canadian Union of Public Employees, last night voted to continue negotiations with the Board of the Charlottetown and Prince Edward Island Hospitals until collective agreements are signed.

The unions have been in negotiation with the hospitals for three years and no agreement has been signed. The Board of the P.E.I. Hospital, nor has the agreement with the Board of the Charlottetown Hospital been renewed.

The boards of the hospitals are not willing to accept the reclassification of jobs under the new provincial government civil service wage scale and the employees of the P.E.I. Hospital were afforded this opportunity.

In addressing the meeting John F. MacMillan, regional director of the Canadian Union of Public Employees, stated that contrary to popular belief, hospital employees at the Charlottetown and P.E.I. Hospitals are not civil servants.

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City Man Given Suspended Term

Magistrate A.J. Haslam, QC, gave a one year suspended sentence to Raymond Gauthier, Kent Street, City, when he appeared in his police court yesterday on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. Gauthier had pleaded guilty.

In another drunk and disorderly case in city police court, Wilfred Bradley, Montague Street, pleaded guilty and was given 20 days.

Robert Ambrose, West Street, pleaded guilty to the breaking of a \$20 window at Tombs Music Centre. He was fined \$25 and costs or 20 days.

Two Charlottetown persons, both violators of stop signs, were imposed fines of \$5 and costs or two days.

Four persons were drunk and incapable with three fined \$20 and costs or 20 days and the fourth remanded to April 18.

NEED WATER TRUCK

It was proposed by Fire Chief Douglas Coffin that some sort of truck should be available that could carry water to fires outside the town limits. Councillor

EASTERN LOCAL BRIEFS

ILL AT HOME
Raymond Poirer continues ill at his home in Lower Montague. His daughter, Margaret, 13, My Faith Looks Up To Thee, Seven Islands, Quebec is with Mr. Poirer in his illness.

IN HOSPITAL
Mrs. Edmond Lanestine, Lower Montague is a patient in the Kings County Memorial Hospital.

MACDONALD FUNERAL
The funeral for Miss Priscilla Macdonald of Valleyfield was held Monday afternoon, from Valleyfield United Church, where services were conducted by Rev. Greenway Fraser. The funeral arrangements were under the direction of the Montague Funeral Home. Hymns sung were: "Toto The Hills," "Face To Face," "My Faith Looks Up To Thee." Organist was Mrs. Preston Peasdon. Pallbearers were: William Macdonald, Frederick Watson, Wellington Nicholson, Randolph Spin. Flower bearers were: Lloyd Keith, Zeno Golding, Alton Gordon. Interment was in Valleyfield cemetery.

BACK TO DUTY
Mark Gillis has returned to his duties on the tug "Glenview" in Charlottetown after spending the winter months at his home in Strathcona.

CARD PARTY RESULTS
Following were the winners last night at the St. Pius X card party: ladies' first, Mrs. Lloyd Lafontaine; second, Mrs. Rita Worth and Mrs. Rita Gaudet; third, Mrs. Joseph Trainor; men's first, Joseph Trainor and Cyrus Vessey; tied, consolation, J. M. Milligan; freewheel, Mrs. John Thompson and Jerome Watson; door prize, Mr. Simms; special prize, Henry Perry.

FROM The Best Seller That Astounded A Nation!

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