



WHERE MR. BLACQUIERE LIVED

Coroner Orders Inquest In Death Of Summerside Man

SUMMERSIDE — Coroner Dr. W. E. Callaghan has ordered an inquest into the death of Clovis Blacquiere, 52, whose body was found yesterday near the tarpaper shack in which he lived alone on Sea Weed Lane.

Members of the jury are P.R. Turner (foreman); James Hippenstall, Jr., John A. Bernard, Arthur Raymond Sonier, Enos LeRoy DesRoches, Vernon Joseph Gallant, all of Summerside and Alden Ramsay, Belmont, Lot 16.

A dog, which had been the man's only companion, was watching over the body when it was found. The door of the shack was apparently locked and the body was discovered lying beside a pile of wooden boxes.

WESTERN GUARDIAN

Organizations using this column to promote their meetings, entertainment events, etc., are requested to place these announcements in the name of the sponsoring organization.

CRAPAUD Rink Thursday night Albany vs. Crapaud in Frank Myers league 8:30 sharp. Skate after.

REGULAR THURSDAY night dance, Canadian Legion, Kensington. Music by Mellowaires. Admission 50 cents.

KENSINGTON WEEK of Prayer service Thursday in the United Church at 7:30.

LEAVES BY PLANE — Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell left Summerside by plane yesterday or Ottawa where Mr. Campbell expects to complete the work of the war claims commission which has been in operation for the past six years. They expect to return home in about a month's time.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC at Summerside Health Centre, Friday, 9th of January, 1959, 1:30 to 4:00 p.m. Protection against whooping cough, Diphtheria, Lockjaw, Polio and Smallpox. For infants 3 months of age and pre-school children.

BEDEQUE RINK tonight, Thursday. Junior Hockey. Kinora VS Middleton, Game time 8:30. Fernwood VS Carleton, game time 8:45. Admission 30 cents to all. Free school skate Friday afternoon 2:15 to 4:15.

KENSINGTON RINK tonight Thursday, Kensington VS New Glasgow. Game time 8:30. Skate after.

PERSONALS

Wayne Sharpe, Norboro spent his Christmas week in Belmont with his cousins Wayne and Winston Yeo.

Wayne Yeo, student of Prince of Wales College, Charlottetown and Winston Yeo, student at Summerside High School spent their Christmas Holidays with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Harold Yeo, Belmont.

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Funeral Held At C. Bedeque

The funeral of Albert E. Wright, Central Bedeque was held from his late residence on Tuesday, Jan. 6th. The Orange-men and Royal Black Knights of Ireland conducted their funeral service at the house with Cyril MacFarlane W.P. in charge and Allison Profit as Chaplain.

Rev. Dr. Charles A. Britten officiated at a short service at the house and at the Bedeque United Baptist church which was very largely attended. He took as his text, 2nd Timothy 1st Chapt. and 10th verse: "But it is now made manifest by the appearing of our Saviour Jesus Christ, who hath abolished death, and hath brought life and immortality to light through the gospel", and brought a comforting message to the family.

Hymns sung were "Lead Kindly Light," "Lord I'm Coming Home," and "Abide With Me".

The many floral tributes were carried by the Orangemen who led the funeral procession.

Pal bearers were: Messrs. Ralph Calbeck, Howard Schurman, T. J. Inman, Melville Johnson, Roy Campbell and Edison Wright. Interment in the church cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, the former Anna Mae Arsenault of Summerside and by two sisters and four brothers: Rosie, Mrs. Arthur Perry, Summerside, Yvonne, Mrs. Ben Arsenault, Summerside, Alban, Summerside, Eli and Donat, St. Nicholas and Glorice in Alberta.

The funeral will be held Saturday at St. Paul's Church at 9:00 a.m.

FIREMEN SAVE HOUSE

Large Barn Destroyed By Fire At Freetown

A large barn and most of its contents, owned by Hubert MacNeill, Freetown burned to the ground shortly before noon yesterday while firemen from Summerside and the RCAF station fought successfully to save the house and other buildings.

The blaze, which is believed to have started in the part of the

barn used as a potato warehouse, broke out shortly after eleven o'clock and the flames, fanned by strong winds, soon levelled the building.

However, livestock were led to safety but stocks of vegetables, hay, oats, straw, three carloads of potatoes and a farm tractor were consumed by the raging fire.

The pumpers from the Summerside and RCAF departments poured water on the MacNeill home and other buildings and were successful in preventing the fire from spreading, although hampered by the intense cold.

The barn was partly covered by insurance but no estimate of damage could be obtained last evening.

Presbyterian Ladies Club Names Slate

SUMMERSIDE — Mrs. Garnet Ross was re-elected president of the Ladies Club of the Summerside Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening at the annual meeting held at the home of Mrs. Frank A. MacNeill.

Other officers elected were: 1st vice president, Mrs. Maurice Mill; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Frank MacNeill; treasurer, Miss Clara Mountain; secretary, Miss Jean MacFadyen. Committees: Red Cross, Mrs. A. H. Hubley; cards and flowers, Mrs. Fred Bingham; sewing, Mrs. Harold Hall, Mrs. MacNeill and Mrs. Mill; telephone, Mrs. Alfred Simpson, Mrs. Cleve Whelan and Miss MacFadyen.

After the annual reports were submitted refreshments were served by the hostess.

Evening Circle Holds Meeting

SUMMERSIDE — The first meeting of the year of the Evening Circle of the Summerside Presbyterian Church was held on Monday evening in the church parlour. Mrs. Keith Johnston conducted the devotional exercises assisted by Mrs. Russell Hunter who read the scripture and Mrs. D.O. Stewart who offered prayer. The offering was dedicated by Mrs. Enzy Campbell.

The president, Mrs. Clarence Marchbank, read a most interesting and informative letter from Mrs. Dickson, missionary in Formosa on her work there with children and hospitals. Refreshments were served by Mrs. J.D. MacKay, Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. L.W. Hancock.

Harvard St. Pump Is Back In Action

SUMMERSIDE — The Harvard Street pumping station is back in action again, after being inoperative for more than two days, and everything is working satisfactorily, stated Councillor Robert W. Dewar, chairman of the water and sewerage committee last evening.

The repair work to the pump was completed around 6:00 p.m. and it was put into operation immediately to bring the water pressure up to the required norm.

The installation of the three bearings was supervised by Ron Hopper, of Hopper Bros., well driller, St. Peter's, Cape Breton, who installed the pump in 1951, and by Mr. Dewar.

The Harvard Street pump supplies the major portion of the town's water needs and would be very necessary if a fire broke out and large amounts of water needed. It pumps 435 gallons per minute and is normally in use from 4 to 6 hours daily.

NORTH POLE HOP First airplane flight to the North Pole was made by Floyd Bennett and Richard Byrd from Spitsbergen in 1926.

Plows Free 300 Motorists Stranded In Quebec Town

MONTREAL (CP) — The little town of Napierville breathed easier today as highway plows punched through 20-foot snowdrifts to rescue some 300 stranded motorists.

But other communities south of Montreal reported a variety of troubles after Sunday's snow storm, cold snap and gusting winds that pushed snow into road-hugging mountains.

Highways between Montreal and the United States border—40 miles to the south—were slowly being cleared of the snow barricades, but abandoned automobiles hampered snow removal.

TOWNS CUT OFF Towns along the south shore of the St. Lawrence—including Bros-

sard, Previle, Brosseau Station, Brosseau Village and Lapiniere—were still cut off from the outside world—except by telephone. All are southeast of Montreal.

"We have no milk and no bread," said Mrs. U. Brossard who lives in the area. "We have our own well, but others are served by water tankers and reservoirs are running low."

She said one dairyman was trying to melt snow to get water for his cows. Children were kept at home and only a few adults braved the cold and snow to reach their jobs.

DOCTOR IN TIME At Candiac, a new community across the river from Montreal Island, a doctor, nurse and a police chief struggled by truck and bulldozer to reach a mother in time to assist in the birth of a seven-pound boy.

Mrs. Franc Lemieux was in labor when she sent her plea for help. Police Chief Rosaire Simoneau, Dr. Leonard Gouin and nurse Germaine Normandin set out in a truck, then switched to a borrowed bulldozer when roads jammed the truck. Both mother and child were reported in good condition.

At Napierville, 25 miles south of Montreal on the U.S.-Montreal highway travellers, stranded since Sunday began to drive away. Most of them spent the last three nights sleeping on tables or on the floor of Fortin's restaurant.

This Week At Civic Stadium

THURSDAY— 1-3, Pre-School Skate 8-10, Skating

FIRDAY— 9 P. M. Charlottetown Garrison Juniors versus Summerside Aces

SATURDAY— 2-4, Skating 8-10, Skating

SUNDAY— 8:30 - 10:30 P. M. Skating Club

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Prayer Services Last Night Held In Presbyterian Church

KENSINGTON — In the absence of the minister, Rev. E.H. Bean, the Rev. J. Donald MacKay of the Summerside Presbyterian Church presided last evening at the week of prayer service held in the Kensington Presbyterian Church. Rev. W.E. Ingham preached the sermon and Rev. L.M. Murray led in prayer. Scripture was read by Rev. Alexander MacKay and Rev. W.G.C. Elliott.

The church choir under the direction of Mrs. E.I. Jay led in the service of song, Mr. Ingham based his ser-

mon on the fourth guideline in the way of faith, "be teachable".

In the course of his remarks the speaker clearly brought out the facts that preaching and teaching can have little effect if we are not teachable. He said "you and I are just human enough to want our faith on our own terms, but it is only when you choose God's way that you find the answer to life."

The week of prayer service tonight will be held in the United Church and the guest speaker will be Mr. Robert Bhe, student minister at Brookfield.

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