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Information Director Addresses Rotarians

"The new African nation of Ghana is emerging within the pattern of the Commonwealth and is enjoying a new found freedom, with both sides of the Iron Curtain receiving courteous treatment", George Fraser, provincial director of information said in addressing the Rotary Club at their weekly luncheon meeting at the Charlottetown Hotel yesterday.



GEORGE V. FRASER

Mr. Fraser, who was on loan to that member nation of the Commonwealth to assist in developing their tourist industry, spoke in detail of numerous unique and arresting beliefs and practices of the people there, despite the Christian influence of their recognized leader, Dr. Kwame Nkrumah, educated in England and the United States.

"Africa, with its 200-million inhabitants, is in the grip of a political awakening which may have far-reaching effects on the rest of the world", Mr. Fraser continued. "Self government is the current battle cry and new independent states spring up almost overnight."

"Ghana has chosen to remain in the British Commonwealth and has taken the road to democracy. This is indeed a big step forward for the old Gold Coast colony where first gold, then slavery brought it from the obscurity of a coastal jungle to the prominence of a rich treasure for the plundering nations of Europe."

Despite the advanced thinking of the leaders, mark think as their forefathers did centuries ago. This is particularly noticeable in the smaller villages. Illiteracy is high, sanitation is poor and many still cling to their old ju-ju beliefs and ancient customs.

Whether it is an occasion of sorrow or joy, they turn out in full force. When a person dies he must be buried within 24 hours, his body being triumphantly carried to the grave on the heads of his friends. There is much dancing and gaiety among the mourners and a thanksgiving service is held later. Their outlook is entirely different than our. A whale recently washed ashore was given an elaborate funeral and one of those in attendance was the Prime Minister. This fits in with the animist beliefs of the natives," he said.

There are about 10,000 Europeans living in Ghana. There is complete integration. The black man realizes he still needs the white man to insure the economy and government of the country, Mr. Fraser concluded.

Introduced by chairman Keith MacKinnon, the speaker was thanked by co-chairman Wallie Rodd.

Dr. John Craig was introduced as a new member of the club by his sponsor, Dr. Owen Curtis and welcomed by president Gerry Hartley.

Robert Simpson, Mayor of Arranport, Ont., and president of the Federation of Mayors of Canada received a special welcome from President Hartley on behalf of the club. Other guests were Dr. Savre Chandler, Fajana, Scotland and Arthur Avard, Hamilton, Ont.

Visiting Rotarians were: Rev. A.L. MacKay, Hamilton, Ont.; W.J. Clark, Pearl River, N.Y.

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Leaders

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"We have got to be firm on principles but flexible in tactics. . . . It will take time . . . we must be patient."

In one of his most earnest passages, the president said the problem of underdeveloped nations is even more important than that of differences between the Soviet Union and the West. There were 1,700,000 people living with insufficient food, clothing, shelter and health facilities.

"They are just going to have an explosion if we don't help."

He called upon Russia to join the West in dealing with the problem of helping these people "achieve their legitimate aspirations."

Macmillan said that when Russia delivered its ultimatum to the West of Berlin last November we felt a danger that "we might drift into something."

NOT TOO BADLY

" . . . I am bound to say they haven't turned out too badly," he told Eisenhower. "And I think now with the position you have created with your initiative we are in a better position."

The talk was televised throughout Britain and several European countries. Radio carried it to all parts of Western Europe and North America.

Eisenhower returned to London Monday morning from his weekend at Chequers with Macmillan and drove directly to the American chapel in St. Paul's Cathedral. The chapel was built by the British people in tribute to their American allies who died here during the war.

The president stood for several moments looking gravely at the altar in the chapel. He then carefully inspected several pages of the roll of honor, listing the names of those who died.

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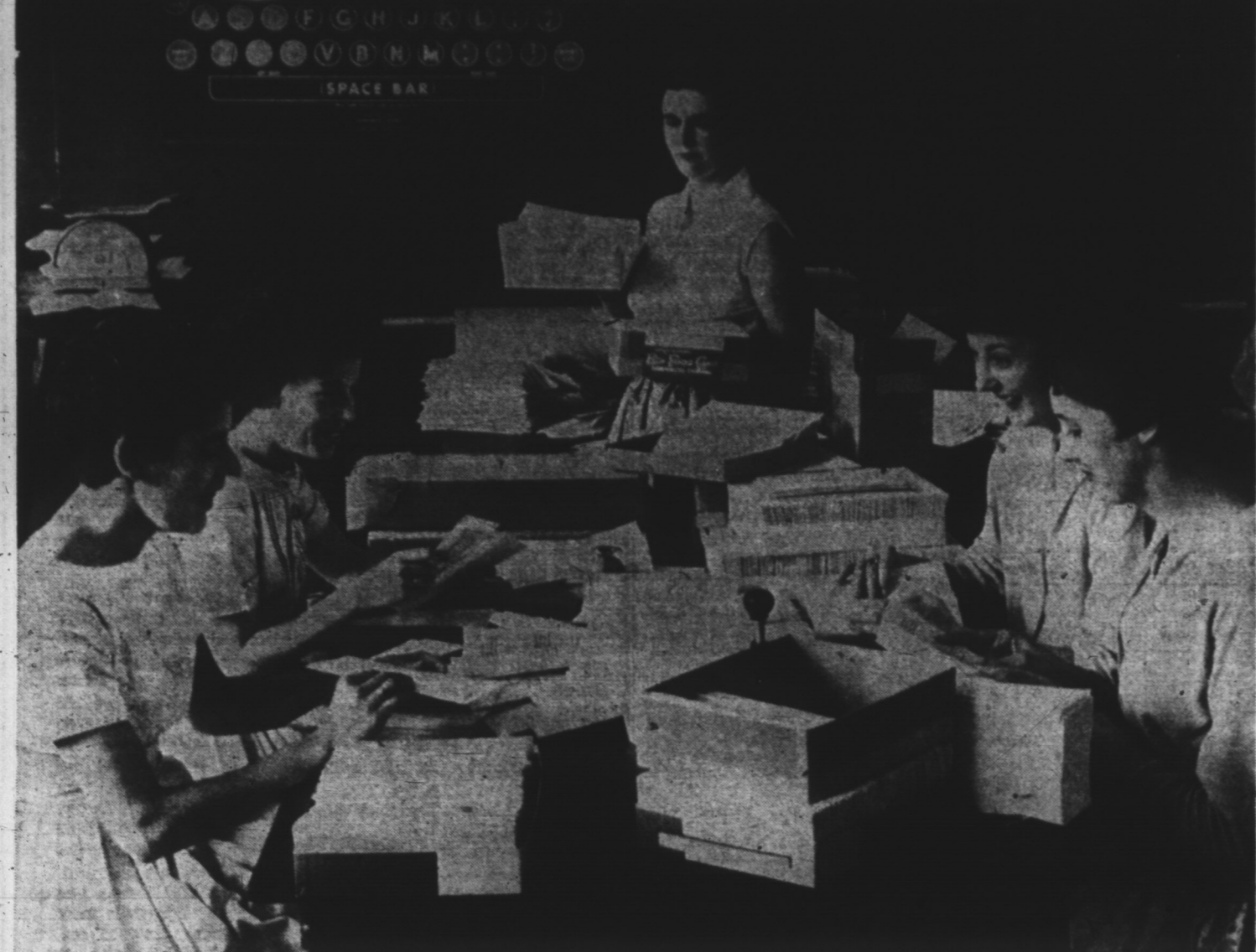
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FIVE MEMBERS of the P.E.I. Hospital Insurance Service Commission office staff are shown working through the huge piles of applications which have been received in the last few days for registration in the plan which becomes effective Oct. 1. The deadline for pay-direct applications is today. Shown above from left to right are: Janet Korrey, Donna Hagan, Norma Baker, Virginia Lutz and Helen MacKenzie.

Commission Office Staff Flooded By Deadline Mail

With August 31st as the deadline for pay-directs to register for the hospital plan in order to receive the three-month benefit beginning October 1st, the Hospital Insurance Service Commission office of Prince Edward Island was yesterday swamped with applications received within the past ten days.

In order to complete the processing of the already overworked staff is putting in hours of overtime in an effort to get applications cleared as quickly as possible.

The registration of employee and collector groups has already been completed.

Those registering after today will have to undergo a thirty day waiting period and if registration takes place after January 1, 1960, the waiting period is extended to three months.

Dr. Prowse said the volume of applications that has come to the Commission office during the last fortnight has made it impossible to keep up with processing so that an accurate estimate of the percentage or number registering, is not available.

Two Impaired Drivers Are Fined \$75 In Court

Two persons convicted of driving while their abilities were impaired by alcohol appearing in City Police Court this morning each received fines of \$75 and costs or 20 days in Queens County Jail from Acting Magistrate Allison Gillis.

Edward Thomas Cook, 40, of Moncton, N.B., was convicted following the acceptance of his plea to the lesser count after having been remanded Saturday on a drunken driving charge. Joseph Gass, Charlottetown, also arraigned on drunken driving entered a plea to the offence of impaired driving which was accepted.

In the case of the latter, the charge arose following a two-car head-on collision at the approach to the Hillsboro Bridge at the east end of Grafton Street. A mixture of new and old faces appeared in court on charges of being drunk and incapable with recent repeaters getting jail sentences with no option of fines.

New Vessel Being Built

Prince Edward Island members of the House of Commons have received word from the minister of transport concerning the new supply and buoy vessel now being built at Sorel for the Charlottetown marine agency.

The new ship which will be fully modern has an overall length of 204 feet, 42 foot beam and 14 foot draught.

The boat will carry a crew of 42 and is expected to be in service next season. She was designed by Milne, Gilmore and Germain, leading naval architects of Montreal.

Taxi Strikes Ch'town Boy

Six-year-old Jackie Cheverie, the son of Mrs. Cheverie, 141 Dorchester Street, city was struck by a city taxi as he was running across Great George Street, last evening.

The driver of the vehicle Wendell Ford reported to the police that he was travelling north on Great George when the young lad apparently ran from between two cars that were parked on the west side of the street in front of St. Dunstan's Basilica.

Taken to the Charlottetown Hospital by Cutcliffe's ambulance, the extent of his injuries, if any, were unknown at a late hour last night.

A second traffic mishap occurred between a truck and a car at the intersection of Fitzroy and Prince streets at 9:45 p.m.

In this case the truck which was travelling east on Fitzroy was struck near the rear end by a car proceeding south on Prince.

Damage to the truck could not be estimated without a mechanic's inspection. The driver of the car estimated the extent of damage to his vehicle was between \$75 and \$100.

None of the occupants suffered any injury.

PC Motorcade Leads To Rally

With the Conservative campaign song blaring from a sound truck accompanied by between 45 and 50 automobile horns, the Conservative motorcade made its way through city streets last night on its way to the last rally before election day.

Like a large snake the procession proceeded from the Armouries up Kent Street to Queen, along Queen to Grafton, down Grafton to Gt. George, to Easton to Queen and along Queen to the Community Centre on Stewart Street.

Upon reaching the Community Centre, the drivers and their passengers joined their friends and neighbors inside and were treated to over two hours of the best local entertainment talent.

The large audience which packed the hall heard addresses from J. David Stewart, Alban Farmer, and Hon. Angus MacLean, Chairman for the evening was Frank (Huck) O'Neil.

VISITING—P.E.I. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Beaton, Bedford, N.S. are visiting with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Beaton, Parkdale, also their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Thompson, Springton, P.E.I.

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