

Waddington Firemen to host Regatta

..Know Anybody Here...?



AN ISLAND LUNCH — Know any of these people having a gay luncheon on an island in the Adirondacks probably 50 years ago? This is one of the unidentified pictures currently on view at the Potsdam Public Museum in its special exhibit "Pictures of the Past". Museum hours are 1 to 5 today (Thursday), 7 to 9 p.m. Monday and 10 to 12 noon and 2 to 4 u. m. Tuesday. Long-time Potsdam residents are especially invited to view the exhibit and help identify the pictures.

Canon Pennock attends Group Dynamics NTL

By Dee Little
Take 350 men and women from all parts of the United States and several foreign countries, most of whom are total strangers to each other. Put them in small groups of 12 and start them off on the topic of community development with the only guidelines "identifying goals and issues of the community." And let them mix up their divergent opinions and feelings for two intensive weeks. The result is a new sensitivity to interaction between people and a start on solving problems of the modern age.

This is what is going on now at the National Training Laboratory at Bethel, Me., according to the Rev. Canon James W. Pennock, rector of Trinity Church, Potsdam, who attended the July 3 to 16 session.

The NTL, as it is called, is run by the National Educational Association, with headquarters in Washington, D.C. and is located on the campus of Gould Academy in Bethel. During the summer it attracts nearly 1,400 persons to its new method of approaching human relations.

Attendance varies from teachers to top corporation officers from clergymen to community planners, from youth group executives to psychologists.

The Episcopal Diocese of Albany was well represented at this session. Bishop Allen Brown, Suffragan Bishop Charles Persell and Canon Pennock all received grants from the National Executive Council. The Episcopal church has long been involved in "group dynamics," explained Canon Pennock, and three years ago the National De-

Monnier named S&L President

Felix Shelly, Chairman of the Board of the Potsdam Savings and Loan Association, announced today the election of Donald B. Monnier as President of the Association.

Monnier is a native of Utica. He attended schools in Oriskany and Utica, and in 1956 graduated from the Graduate School of Savings and Loan at the University of Indiana. He holds several diplomas from the American Savings & Loan Institute and has been an instructor for the Institute, both in Utica and Florida, and served on its National Board of Trustees for several years.

While in Utica he was associated with the Homestead Savings and Loan Association for a period of seven years. In 1955 he accepted a position as managing officer of the American Savings and Loan and American Mortgage Company in Orlando, Fla., and in 1960 he moved to Bradenton, Fla. where he accepted a similar position.

Monnier has written several papers for national publication on housing and home financing and in 1964 was a representative from the United States to the International Building Society Institute at Oxford University, Oxford, England where he presented a paper on "Mortgages in the United States".

He has been a member of the Board of Directors of the First National Bank of Bradenton, Gulf Coast Industrial Development Co. and the Manatee Memorial Hospital. For several years he served as Chairman of the Board of Zoning Commissioners of the Whitfield Zoning Commission.

It is expected that his wife, Lorraine, and daughter, Carolyn, will be joining him in the near future.

Grant called boon to NNY Economy

The nine-county North Country Economic and Cultural Council Friday increased its pace in helping to bring prosperity to upstate New York.

Meeting in Ogdensburg, the council accepted a \$98,385 technical assistance grant from the Federal Office of Economic Development to establish research and development centers at Plattsburgh State University college and St. Lawrence University.

Dr. George W. Angell, president of Plattsburgh State University College, termed the acceptance of the grant a "real breakthrough" for Northern New York.

Under the project plans, the centers will provide research, advisory and administrative services, and co-ordinate efforts to increase income and job opportunities in Northern New York.

At Friday's meeting, a certificate of incorporation of the council was presented to the representatives of the nine counties.

The counties involved are Jefferson, Lewis, St. Lawrence, Franklin, Clinton, Essex, Hamilton, Washington and Warren.

Saturday's session, held at the Hotel Saranac was given

County Democrats reelect Francis LaVigne Chairman for Third Term

Francis C. LaVigne of Massena was re-elected chairman of the St. Lawrence County Democratic Committee, at their annual organizational meeting Monday evening, July 18 at the Norfolk Town Hall. Nominated by Charles Kelly, Ogdensburg city chairman, LaVigne had no opposition.

Francis G. Healey, Potsdam, Democratic candidate for the State Assembly, chaired the session, with Gloria Gately acting as secretary.

Other officers named included Rosemary Mahoney, Norfolk, associate chairman; Walter Basmajian, Massena, first vice chairman; Charles Kelly, second vice chairman; William Walsh, Canton, treasurer; Gloria Gately, Norfolk, secretary; James V. Hughes, Morristown, assistant treasurer; Mary A. Hanna, Waddington, assistant secretary.

Charles Penrose of Potsdam was named by LaVigne to the executive committee.

Dr. Broughton is the author

Waddington — Drivers from nine states and two Canadian provinces will compete in one of the most important sporting events to be held in the Seaway Valley.

The drivers will be competing for the Northeastern Professional Outboard Divisional Championships, in the sixth annual "Blue Water Regatta" at Waddington, on July 24.

The annual event is hosted by the Waddington Volunteer Fire Department, and is the main fund raising program for the year by the local fire fighters.

Featured in this all-star event will be seven classes and 14 heats of those speedy hydro and racing runabouts. In addition this outstanding sporting championship will also schedule three classes and six heats of the high flying in-board hydros.

The Northeastern Outboard Divisional Championships encompasses drivers from all over the New England states, New York, New Jersey and parts of Pennsylvania, as well as the provinces of Ontario and Quebec in Canada. A championship of this caliber is second only to the national cham-

pionships with honors and prizes equally attractive.

The one and two thirds mile course, consisting of three laps per heat, offers drivers and spectators alike an opportunity to view the ultimate in fast outboards with champions of the past and future competing for the coveted trophies and cash that will be the reward of the top drivers in each class.

The inboard events will feature the 48, 145 and 280 cubic inch hydroplanes, where again this year the speeds are expected to be at record highs on this excellent course, which drivers themselves maintain is about the finest in the Eastern United States.

Records were established in many classes last year, and interest in the event this year is keen, with entries so numerous that it's anticipated that elimination heats will have to

be run on the course prior to the day of the race.

The entire Village of Waddington, supported by its many neighboring communities, have planned to make this the sports classic second to none in securing sanctions from the American Power Boating Association and the Canadian Boating Federation. The championship regatta will be conducted by the St. Lawrence Valley Boating and Racing Association, under Commodore Leon Richards and Race Chairman Francis Serviss.

Donald Brown, head of the fire department's committee for the event said that, once again this year, the main entrance to the regatta will be via LaGrasse St., more often referred to as Main St., in the heart of the village of Waddington.

More than 5,000 persons lined the banks of the lake, along the lovely park created on the lake shore, last year. The course is laid out in such a fashion that spectators en-

Major serves on NSF Panel

Dr. Alexander G. Major, professor of chemistry at The State University College at Potsdam, has been invited by the National Science Foundation to serve on a select panel charged with evaluating proposals submitted by colleges across the nation for NSF-sponsored summer institute programs to be held in 1967.

The panel, composed of leading figures in science education throughout the country, will convene Thursday (July 21) in Washington for the start of three-day deliberations.

A member of Potsdam's science faculty since 1947, Dr. Major has directed six NSF summer institutes held at the college within the past seven years. He is currently director of an NSF summer institute for teachers of junior high school science, which has enrolled 60 participants from throughout the nation, and is being held at Potsdam under provisions of a three-year multi-term grant.

Total NSF funding to Potsdam for the six institutes has amounted to more than \$375,000.

Dr. Major is the second Potsdam faculty member to be selected to a national evaluation panel within the past two months. In May, Dr. Kelsie B. Harder, professor and chairman of the department of English, served on a U. S. Office of Education panel to recommend programs in English to be sponsored at colleges under terms of the National Defense Act. Dr. Harder was one of 54 college educators, including two from New York State, invited to serve on the panel.

UF distributes Agency Funds

David R. Garner, Executive Director of the St. Lawrence County United Fund, has announced the payment of \$46,598 to United Fund member agencies for the third quarter of 1966. According to United Fund records, a total of \$138,120 has been distributed to member agencies since the first of the year.

It was pointed out by the director that the 28 "Human Care Services" supported by the United Fund contributors are providing programs for many youth and community health activities in all parts of the county.

"Such programs as Scouting, the Red Cross Blood Program, Red Cross and U.S.O. support of our troops in Viet Nam, the help provided crippled children and the retarded, and many more services have been made possible through increased support of the annual campaign," stated Garner.

Garner went on to say "The general public should be proud of the vital part they play in making these services available to all our citizens through private voluntary giving.

The United Fund will run its eighth campaign Sept. 29—Oct. 28 to raise a record total of \$275,000; a sizeable goal according to United Fund leaders, but one that has been decided by the Board of Directors after careful review of projected agency budgets."

Shulman announces CCT Staff Promotions

Clarkson College of Technology has announced the promotion of five members of its faculty.

Acting President Herman L. Shulman said the following appointments were effective July 1:

Dr. Bradford Broughton, from associate professor to professor of humanities; Dr. Leonard Groeneveld, chairman of the department of industrial distribution, from associate professor to professor; Dr. Donald Rosenthal, from associate professor to professor of chemistry; Dr. Josip Kratochvil, from assistant professor to associate professor of chemistry; Dr. Robert D. Cole, from assistant professor to associate professor of chemical engineering.

Dr. Broughton joined the Clarkson faculty as an instructor of liberal studies in 1955. He was named an assistant professor in 1957 and an associate professor of liberal studies in 1962. He received a bachelor of arts degree in 1947 from Allegheny College, his master of arts in 1949 from the University of Pennsylvania, and his doctor of philosophy degree from the latter university in 1961.

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The 'lunge Campaign' Mason Smith Play to open Wednesday

By EVELYN RIEHL
A new three-act play by North Country playwright Mason E. (Tim) Smith will be premiered next week at the Potsdam State University College theatre by the Potsdam Summer Theatre Workshop, under Workshop Director Richard Rice.

Entitled "The Lunge Campaign", Tim Smith's second work to be performed in Potsdam revolves around the emotions and human comedy engendered by the land appropriation associated with St. Lawrence Seaway development.

In a letter inviting Robert E. Moses, present chairman of the New York Triborough Bridge and Tunnel Authority and, at the time of the Seaway development, Chairman of the State Power Authority, to attend next week's performance, the play is described as "throwing together a member of the Power Authority (one of your "yes-men"), an earth-moving contractor, his home-seeking daughter, and an idealistic young engineer on the island-farm of an old Saint Lawrence River family along with the aged and

dying owner, his frisky grand-nephew protege, his nephew's French-Canadian mistress, the family fishing guide, the tenant farmer, and a lady from the historical society. Amid currents of greed, jealousy, love, homicide fun-just and despair, and with cows, bulldozers and boats, men are shot, buried and cast adrift, making the script run the gamut of emotions and human comedy engendered by Seaway construction."

The cast will include North Country actors familiar to local theatre-goers: Theo Dunn, Chandler Myers, Jim Dawson, Bob Gaspar and the playwright, Tim Smith, as well as

other Workshop members in two performances Wednesday and Thursday, July 27 and 28, at 8:15 p. m.

Smith is the son of Mason R. Smith, owner and publisher of the Gouverneur Tribune Press, and since his graduation from The Manlius School followed by one year at Amherst College, his life has been centered around his determination to write.

It includes extensive travel in the United States, a winter of solitary work as a caretaker in Colorado, a summer of European travel, two years as an Agricultural student at Cornell (including membership

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Potsdam Postscript

Front Page Dateline
The Potsdam Village Board, barring unexpected vacations, will convene July 25, Monday, at 7:30 p.m.

The Judicial Conference of the State of New York will sponsor a summer training program for justices of the peace and police justices on the St. Lawrence University campus the week of July 25. Classes will continue through Friday, July 29.

St. Lawrence County Dairy Farmers are invited to attend an informational meeting at the Chateaugay Town Hall Wednesday, July 27 at 8:00 p.m.

Ground-breaking ceremonies will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 27, at the new State Park construction site in progress on an 800 acre tract facing the Raccquette River in South Colton. Town Supervisor George Swift noted that this observance was planned following the official State announcement, by Lt. Governor Malcolm Wilson, of final approval for the park.

Of Local Interest
The Potsdam Rescue Squad will hold their annual Ice Cream Social tomorrow evening, July 22, from 7-9 p.m. at the St. Lawrence County Bank parking lot. Two vehicles purchased with funds from last year's drive will be on display. Andrew Rodger, President of the organization, reports.

Watch for members of the Potsdam Volunteer Fire Department at Loblaw's Parking Lot this Thursday evening. The firemen have decided not to distribute coin cards this year, but will accept donations. . . and they've planned some prizes to be awarded at a later date.

Budding artists in the area are reminded that try-outs for the St. Lawrence County Fair Amateur Talent Show will be held at Gouverneur High School Auditorium Saturday and Sunday evenings, July 23 and 24 from 7-9 p.m.

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