

July 1, 1957 to June 30, 1958

The Executive of the Truro Rotary Club for the above named year were as follows:

President	Walton Sharpe
Vice President	Harry Bartlett
Past President	Dr. George Smith
Secretary	R. H. Jones
Treasurer	W. E. Townsend
Directors	
Community Service	Les Topshee
Club Service	Trueman MacIntosh
Vocational	Elmer Doyle
International	K. M. Lewis, Gerry Ritcey and John Murphy.

July, 1957.

Hugh Wallace welcomed as a new member. The Pony Baseball League is well underway. Dr. McCurdy reported a child with hydrocephalus (water on the brain) who was in Toronto for operation. The Rotary Club footed the expenses. Too early to report success yet. Last meeting of July, the Club were hosts to the Truro Bearcat Baseball Club.

August, 1957.

David L. Burgess, Dominion President of the Canadian Legion was guest speaker. H. W. Murdock chairman of this meeting and guest Don Archibald. Congratulations to H. W. Murdock who was chosen Veteran of the Year and presented with the Rev. G. R. Thompson Trophy. (Canadian Legion). Dr. McCurdy reported a child in the V. G. Hospital with defective kidneys.

September, 1957.

Mrs. Fred Layton passed away Sept. 3/57. Isaac Gibson passed away Sept. 13/57. Dr. McCurdy reported the continuance of insulin to a diabetic child plus treatment for a cerebral palsied child from Tatamagouche. Cost of the Pony League for 60 boys reported about \$750. Dr. McCurdy reported funds donated to help a Grade IX student with clothes and teeth. Dr. Dexter McCurdy killed in a car accident on Sept. 25, with the funeral being held Sept. 28th.

November, 1957.

The Rural Urban Meeting was held at the Valley School with Nelson Mann the speaker. Also during November, the District Governor Art Johnson of St. Johns, Nfld. was a guest. Evening meeting with the ladies. Discussion of dividing the District, separate N. B., Maine and part of Quebec, leaving N. S. P. E. I. and Newfoundland separate. George Smith elected to the Truro Town Council for Ward 1. Welcomed new member Murray Eddy to the club. Provided milk to the schools again this year adding the new Douglas Street School to the list.

December, 1957.

Alex Thomson welcomed as a new member to the club. After careful discussion, Schools in Action given up. Not enough entries and too many not interested due to Friday night. Club voted to discontinue. New ByLaws and Constitution by Lorne McDougall issued.

January, 1958D

Douglas Baker returned to the Truro Rotary Club as a member. Hugh Wallace left, promoted to Toronto Branch Creosote. The second Rotary Club for Halifax was founded. Gerry Ritcey named president of the Truro Community Chest also named chairman of the Easter Seal Campaign for the Club. Reported the Mobile Clinics for crippled children conducted in Nova Scotia during 1957 attended by 450 disabled or crippled children. International series of 5 minute talks to club, Dave Vernon on India, Peter Doane on Italy, and John Murphy on Florida. JANuary 27th, Hon, G. I. Smith guest speaker.

February, 1958

Ladies night held at the Truro Golf Club. Successful evening, 70 couples in attendance. \$10.00 per couple for members and \$5.00 for guests. Frank B. Dunlap, Honorary member passed away. Granted Carl Bezzley a continued sick leave of absence. New members to the club included Jack Bagnell and Dr. Harlan Lavers. Report on crippled childrens work by Allie Renton, one child to Halifax for brace, two children to Childrens Hospital, one helped with insulin cost, chair bought for child and eyeglasses supplied for needy child.

March, 1958.

Radio Auction successful with gross of \$3,400. under Harry Bartlett. Vocational Guidance with 10 members to Col. Central High School under the chair of Ross Mitchell. Easter Seals Campaign very successful under Gerry Ritcey. The Club voted \$62. for a Rotary Club Dr. McCurdy Memorial Trophy to go into competition for Musical Festival in Truro. This will be added to the Wellard Shield. Miss Crystal Smith, Grade XII chosen for Adventure in Citizenship in Ottawa. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Smith of 22 Young Street. Reported that Harlan Cox in Hospital for second operation. Frank Purdy resigned. Not enough entries for Schools in Action, so therefore it was dropped. The Rotary District of No. 782 split, No. 782 to be Nfld., N. S. and P. E. I. and 781 to be N. B. some Que, and some Maine.

April, 1958

Reported that eyeglasses were supplied to two children of Five Islands. Received the Governors letter, Fred MacKinnon, of Halifax elected Governor for District 782. The Club supplied the Rotary Wall Banner to the new Halifax Northwest Club. Planned the purchase of three new wheel chairs, two to be wood and one aluminum under Spencer Mattatall. Reported Gross of Auction \$3412.46 less expenses \$1,134.64 leaving net of \$2,277.82. Report on Easter Seals so far \$5,298.20

May, 1958

Harland Cox's resignation accepted due to ill health. Held a Clinic at the Col. Co. Hospital for crippled children, 85 cases under Dr. T. Acker. Allie Renton in charge. Douglas Baker made Senior Active member. Miss Crystal Smith to Ottawa. The Club sponsored a team from the Truro Senior High School in the C. B. C. Quiz Contest. Members attending the District Conference in Yarmouth were Harry Bartlett, John Murphy, Gerry Ritcey and Geo. Smith.

June 1958.

Mert Daniel taken to Hospital with stroke. Gordon Smith of Halverson and Smith Limited welcomed as a new member.

General Account 57/58

Receipts	Balance On Hand	14.86
	Dues	1170.00
Interest from Comm. Acct.		250.74
Sale of Car plaques		2.50
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		1438.10
Over Draft		92.44
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\$1530.54

Comm. Account. 57/58

Bal. Savings Account	2896.29
Dr. McCurdy	95.00
Easter Seals 57	1438.71
Int. Bonds and Svgs.	183.24
Easter Seals 58	1269.65
Radio Auction	2237.45
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	\$8120.34

Summary Bonds	4500.00
Comm Account	5103.37
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	9603.37
Less Deficit	92.44
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Assets \$9510.95

Expenses

Secretary's Expenses	184.30
Stationary and Printing	186.45
Printing By Laws	145.31
Rotary Int. Dues	428.00
Memb. cards 20.14,	
Dist. Fund 38.25	58.39
Assembly Expenses	133.64
Legion 7.50, Moshers 5.00 Bk.50	13.00
Club Pins 18. Rd. signs 4.50	22.50
Flowers 94.25 T. & T. 4.40,	
Hotel guests 113.35	212.00
Ladies Night 140.35, Sundry 6.60	146.95
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	\$1530.54

Expenses Easter Seals 57	14.40
T.&T. .68, Rural Urban 50.60	51.28
Schools in Action 2.60, Insurance	
on Piano 5.00	7.60
Salvation Army \$100. Milk \$536.60	636.60
Crippled Children \$1023.14,	
Pony League 815.79	1838.93
Adventure in Citizenship	138.95
Interest trans Gen. Acct.	250.74
Safekeeping 8.45 McCurdy	
Trophy 70.00	78.45
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Balance forward

3016.97
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Community Service	John Franklyn
Club Service	Willard Cox
Vocational Service	Terry Hamrahan
International Service	Gerry Ritcey
Directors	R. H. Jones, A. H. Doane and H. S. Johnson

July, 1958.

Arranged that four Truro Boys attend the Crippled Childrens Camp at Tidnish, N. S. One Minute silence in memory of Mrs. Fred Layton, Ike Gibson, Frank Dunlap, Dexter McCurdy. Announced that Fred MacKinnon of Halifax was the new District Governor for District 782. Entertained the Truro Bearcats team with their Coach Danny Seaman. Also guest at this club meeting was Don Cox, manager. It was announced that we were presenting a wall banner to the new Halifax Northwest Club. We again this year are sponsoring the Pony League with four teams entered.

August, 1958

Entertained in Pictou for 180 students, 40 from the U. S. and 25 Foreign which were touring the Maritime Provinces for 2 weeks. The Joint Meeting was held at the N. S. Central Exhibition.

September, 1958.

Received a resignation and goodbye letter from Harry Johnson who retired with Cockshutt Farm Equipment and was moving back to Ontario. Douglas Baker home from a holiday in England. Received a letter from member Mert Daniel who states that he is some better. Elected to Honorary Member is A. R. Coffin.

October, 1958

New members welcomed to the club included. Don Gregg, Douglas Bartram, Dooley Cox and Darrell Duffie. Proposed new member Ed. Ogilvie and Donald Stephens. Held a Joint Meeting with the Kiwanis and Board of Trade etc. in opening of the new #11 paved highway. Speaker was Simpson, Mayor of Annaprior. Held our Ladies night party at the cottage of Murray Eddy at Shortts Lake. The District Governor Fred MacKinnon was visitor and guest speaker on Oct. 20th. The Rotary Institute for Districts 23 and 24 was held at the Truro Golf Club with reception and meetings. Stewart Bennett. Don Stephens Welcomed as a new member to the Club.

November, 1958.

On November 3rd, a crippled childrens clinic was held at the Col. Co. Hospital. The Rural Urban meeting was held at Clifton with 39 Rotarians and 44 guests. Dr. Tom Annastie, Kenville, of the Experimental Farm was guest speaker.

November, 1958 con't.

Club decided to set aside \$2,000. for a student loan. Assessed each member \$2.00 for the Rotary Institute. Harry Weatherby, former Secretary and Vice President passed away in Truro. New members proposed, Everett M. Barkhouse and Robt. E. Putnam. The Club donated \$500. to the Springhill Disaster Fund. The resignations of Hec Munro and Harlan Lavers accepted. Announced that Henry Crowell was elected President of the Colchester Red Cross Assoc. Welcomed Robert Putnam as a new member.

December, 1958.

At the Christmas meeting we were favored by a quartet consisting of Perc Kennedy, Fred Cuming, Howard Gray and ?. Entertained four colored chaps as guests from the Agriculture Collage. They were Arthur Mangarvo of Jamica, Cyrus Kagira, Kenya, East Africa, Ramnanon Singh, Trinidad and Emerson Hathrumo, St. Lucie, West Indies. Welcomed Everett Barkhouse as a new member. Again this year \$100.00 was donated to the Salvation Army for their Xmas boxes.

January, 1959.

Dr. Geo. Smith's name put up as Governor of District 782 for 59-60. A. R. Coffin very sick in the V. G. Hospital in Halifax. A two month leave of absence granted to Harold Bedwin.

February, 1959.

Dr. Geo. Smith nominated for District Governor. A discussion was held in regards to helping the Kinsmen on their Swimming Pool. Consider the cost of a wire fence, 150 x 75', dddpest 11', Total cost \$50,000., annual cost \$4,000. to operate. Reported that two pair of glasses purchased for two children. Alex Thompson in charge of the Easter Seal campaign. Held a Crippled childrens speech therapy clinic. Allie Renton in charge, it to run for 3 or 4 weeks. Children expected 30 to 40. The Crippled childrens bonspiel netted \$200.00.

March, 1959.

The Rotary Auction held March 16 to 18th. Warehouse being in the building next to the Sally Shops on Inglis Street. It was recommended to drop the Pony League this year. Last year dropped the Schools in Action and the Rodeo. Perhaps renew the Rodeo this year. Ordered more wheel chairs under Spencer Mattatall, Nominating committee under Walton Sharpe.

April, 1959.

Truro Club won the Joyce Trophy curling at Pictou. The Rotary Luncheon was held at the Trueman House at the N. S. A. C. and picture of the operation were shown. Reported milk to needy school children cost of \$650. this rotary year to date. Proposed new members Eric Pauley, Charlie Stenfield, Hector Hill and John Coupar. The Rotary Auction netted \$2,866. Easter Seals \$3504 Gross. The career day under Terry Hanrahan reported very successful.

May, 1959.

Another Crippled childrens clinic under Allie Renton held with 35 children in attendance. Agreed to provide \$2,000.00 to Victoria Park Swimming Pool for the erection of a fence. Held the Rodeo with the written exam on May 13th. Prizes, crests and one camera. 31 Took the test.

May, 1959 con't.

Chairman for the Rodeo this year was Tip Sproule. The Adventure in Citizenship for the Schools was Raymond Upham who left for Ottawa on May 9, 1959. Final results of the Auction reported gross \$4385. expenses \$1548. leaving net of \$2837. Easter seals net \$1418.58. Speaker for the May 25th meeting was Raymond Upham. Donated \$75.00 to the Crippled Childrens Society for furniture for the Crippled childrens camp at Tidnish.

June, 1959.

On June 9th, the first meeting held at the White Spot. Hotel Dining Room was closed. On June 15th, a joint meeting was held at the White Spot with the Kiwanis Club. Hon. Clifford Levy was the guest speaker. Eric Pauley was welcomed to the club as a new member. Announced that two crippled children were being sent to Halifax for corrective treatment and six would be going to the Crippled Childrens Camp at Tidnish. Announced that Inspector Doug Bartram was being transferred to Newfoundland. The Pony League Baseball was turned over to others.

Finances 1958-59

General Account and comparison.

	1959	1958	
Receipts	1266.59	1438.10	dues \$1170.
dues 1230.			Int. 250.74
Ru. 19.74			Misc. 17.36
RtyIns 16.85			

Expenditures 1325.72 1530.54

Deficit 59.13 92.44

Summary- Dom. Bonds-\$4500. Comm. Acct.\$2485.26-Student Loans\$1506.89  
Deficit 59.13

1959 1958

Community Acct.

Receipts 9577.43 8120.34

Expenditures 7092.17 3016.97

Bal. On Hand 2485.26 5103.37

Student Loan 2,000.00  
Loan Gorrie 500.00  
Bank Interest 6.89

1500.00  
6.89  

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\$1506.89

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Secretary	Terry Hanrahan
Treasurer	Trueman MacIntosh
Directors	Bob Jones, H. W. Murdock, Woffie Townsend and Lloyd McLaughlin
Club Bulletin	Alex Thompson
C. Children	Allie Renton
Auction	John Murphy
Youth	Bun Hay
Easter Seals	Bernie Goodman
Fellowship	Willard Cox

July, 1959.

The assessment for each member of \$2.00 was made to go to the General Account. Donald H. MacDonald, was proposed as a new member. Welcomed Carl Beazley back after long sick leave. Welcomed Donald H. MacDonald as a new member.

August, 1959.

Meeting voted to use \$1500. in Student Loan account for Community Service account and to apply \$1500. Club bonds to replace it for the present. Also voted raise the dues to \$25.00 per year. Reported the club paid \$2300. for the Swimming Pool Fence. August 7th, Dr. David Peel spoke to the Club on Paris. Dr. Peel is the son of Dr. Hugh Peel, and is a graduate in International Law from the University of Paris. He is with the Canadian Diplomatic Service for Foreign Affairs. Reported that a total of 8 crippled children were sent to the crippled childrens camp at Tidnish. Provided glasses to a needy child.

September, 1959.

The Club Assembly was held at the White Spot. Reported that Spencer Mattatall laid up with a heart attack. July 1st to Sept. 11 reported that \$3,395.10 was spent on the Swimming Pool and crippled children from the Community Account. So far, glasses to three children, surgical to deaf child, drugs to three children and insulin to another. Milk to a needy family. Bought one wheelchair, crutches loaned to four people. Helped with the purchase of an artificial limb for one child and sent three to the childrens clinic. Fred Layton, passed away on the 21st, and the funeral was held on the 23rd. Dr. George Smith elected District Governor.

October, 1959.

Fred Hill of Great Village and Daytona, Florida, spoke on Historical Notes about Colchester. Harold Bethel, senior active and member for 20 years, excused attendance. The Rural Urban Meeting was held at the Legion Hall in Great Village with the Rev. Harry Rackham as guest speaker. Reported that Harry Bartlett of the Bank of N. S. was being transferred to the branch at Charlottetown, P. E. I. and would be leaving in November. Miss Sheila Kalra from England, Speech Therapist for the N. S. Society for care of Crippled Children to resume defective speech clinic here. 34 children at the last speech clinic.

October, 1959.

The District Assembly was held at New Glasgow. There have been four students who have applied for loans.

November, 1959.

Dr. Geo. Smith visited the Truro Club officially on Nov. 10/59. Crippled children committee reported \$152.00 spent for treatment for child to the Schol for Deaf for defective speech therapy.. Charles Annand resigned, pressure of work and unable to attend meetings. Frank Munn Resigned unable to make attendance. November 14, a crippled childrens clinic was held at the Colchester Co. Hospital. Reported that Frank and Charles Lewis's operations were scheduled for this month in Boston. Started a five minute news survey over C. K. C. L. Welcomed Spencer Mattatall back in attendance after heart attack. Baseball teams on attendance-four teams. Earl Beazley resigned on account of ill health. Alex Thompson welcomed back to club after long illness.

December, 1959.

Entertained four N. S. A. C. Students who were guests for the Christmas Meeting. Foreign countries represented included Jamaica, Trinidad, Kenya and St. Lucia.

January 1960.

Welcomed Mel Calder of the Bank of Nova Scotia as a new member. Bulletin states, 47 years old with two children. Reported that Harold Bedwin very ill with heart attach. Dr. Geo. Smith became a senior active member. Fred M. Blois officially appointed to the Senate of Canada. Reported Donald Stephens elected to the Board of Trade as President. Accepted the resignation of John Franklyn. Proposed two new member, Ansley Roberts, 47 yrs, old with two children and Sterling Purdy, 70 yrs. old with four children.

February, 1960.

C. G. Mosher moving to Stellarton to live so resigned as Honorary Member.

March, 1960.

Sympathy of Club to Fred Blois in the passing of his wife, Grace, in Ottawa on March, 8th. Held an Easter Seals Bonspiel in Truro very successful. Also the Joyce Trophy held in Truro. Reported that Donald Murray, son of Tom Murray of Churchill Street chosen as boy to attend Adventure in Citizenship in Ottawa. Welcomed Sterling Purdy as new member.

April, 1960.

The Rotary Radio Auction was held on April 4th and 5th under the chairmanship of John Murphy. at the Fry Cadbury old building on Prince Street. Mrs. Bob Ripley in charge of the office. Dooley Cox in Hawaii. Childrens clinic supplied mirror, Sandbox and tape recorder. Ansley Roberts welcomed as a new member. Welcomed ten crippled children to the club dinner on April 10th. The Club meeting of the 19th was carried out by some 12 Senior High School Students, Gerry Ritcey, Jr. was chairman for the meeting. Bernie Goodman reported Easter Sealss, \$4200. Highest yet.



April, 1960 con't

Reported that Robert Jones, had won a trip to Europe, sponsored by the Phillips Company. A donation of \$50.00 was made to the Cystic Fibrosis Parents Council. it was requested through the N. S. Crippled Childrens Society. A Clinic on Speech Therapy was attended by over 100 children, clinic was to be every three months, had to turn many away as 50 children to be the maximum to handle. H. W. Murdock excused attendance as Senior Active with 20 years membership.

May, 1960.

The District Assemby held at Kentville on the 16th of May. The District Conference was held on May 17th and 18th, at Kentville also. Welcomed Douglas Murray as guest speaker, this boy was the one chosen for the Adventure in Citizenship in Ottawa. Bun Hay in charge of the Teen Age Rodio, held at Victoria Park. Carlos Perry announced as the winner.

June, 1960.

Reported that Harry Johnson in the hospital at Brockville with a heart attack. Proposed Earle Atkinson as a new member. 65 years old with two children. He is a Licensed Public Accountant.

Comparitive Statement Rotary Auction.

	1959	1960
Total Receipts	4380.85	4225.92
<b>Expenditures</b>		
Postage	12.00	--
Printing	186.46	22.30
Express	2.25	2.01
Lights and Wiring	6.95	12.00
Merchandise	1.80	1.39
Wages	291.00	201.00
Refund	7.75	--
Telephones	59.82	53.79
Sundry Supplies	21.03	20.77
Advertising-Radio and Newspaper	855.00	1078.00
Hospital Tax,-N. S.	50.02	47.59
Carpentry	49.15	--
	1543.23	1438.85
Net Proceeds	\$2837.62	\$2787.07

During the past Rotary year, 1959, 1960, we lost seven members. Six of these became ineligible due to lack of attendance.

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Secretary	Willard Cox
Treasurer	Bun Hay
Directors	Les Topshee, P.P., with Bernie Goodman, Preston Wilcox, Dave Vernon, Terry Hanrahan, Lorne MacDougall.
Comm. Service	Les Popshee and Bernie Goodman
Youth	True MacIntosh
Lib.	L. M. Christie
Rural Urban	S. S. Purdy
Safety	Elmer Doyle
Crippled Children	Allie Renton
Easter Seals	Ansley Roberts
Attendance	Lorne McDougall , Jack Bagnell
Auction	Bob Jones
International	Bres Wilcox
Vocational Service	Dave Vernon
Club Service	Terry Hanrahan
Membership	Stevens
Fellowship	Everett Barkhouse
Programme	Tip Sproule
Classification	Don Gregg
Bulletin	Alex Thompson
Historian	H. W. Murdock
Information	Dr. Smith

Honorary Members A. R. Coffin and F. L. Lewis.

July, 1960

On July 5th, the speaker was Hon. R. A. Donahue who spoke on the Hospital Plan. The meeting of the 13th, was a special meeting held at the Legion Hall at 12:30 p. m. Speaker was Gov. General M. G. George Vanier. Reported at this meeting that 11 crippled children to go to the crippled childrens camp at Tidnish.

August, 1960.

The Incoming District Governor was Stuart MacLeod of Cape Breton. August 1, 1960 meeting was a special meeting held at the Legion Hall. Bicentennial Civic Dinner with Senator Colquhoun of Londonderry, Ireland as speaker. 3000 served at the Rotary Bicentennial Barbeque, held at the N. S. Exhibition Grounds. Parade of the Chefs with Don MacDonald as chairman. This was clubs project for the Bicentennial celebrations, and a grand job. The Truro Club arranged an attendance competition with the club of Streater, Illinois. Our attendance running in the 80's. Past President Les Topshee presented with a lapel pin. Consideration is being given as to changing date and place of meetings.

September, 1960.

Congratulations to Gordon Purdy, President of the N. S. Exhibition on a most successful show. Received the visit of District Governor Stuart MacLeod of Sydney at the meeting of the 20th.

September, 1960.

Rotarian T. P. Bentley passed away. Honorary Membership elected at this time were Ern Abbott and Mayor Hector Hill. Lorne MacDougall to Active Senior. Board of Trustees elected (1st time), Ward Murdock Chairman, for three years, Harold Bethel, two years and L. M. Christie for one year.

October, 1960.

Started the student guest programme again in this month. Added \$25.00 worth of books to the Hospital Library. Announced that the next Crippled Childrens clinic to be held at the Col. Co. Hospital on November 21, 1960. Announced the attendance contest with the Rotary Club of Streater, Ill, U. S. A. to run to March 1961, Gerry Ritcey in charge of Truro Club. Losing club to donate \$2.00 per member to the Rotary Foundation Fund. Name of J. Douglas Hamon proposed to membership. Proprietor of Everymans T. V. Born in London, England, to Canada 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  years ago. Halifax 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  yrs. to Truro in 1958. Four children, three boys and one girl, Classification T. V. Technician. The ladies night was held at the White Spot Restaurant on Prince Street with a buffet supper and dance. Welcomed Harold Bedwin back to meetings after long illness. The Governors pin was presented to Dr. George Smith.

November, 1960.

The Rural Urban Meeting was held at the St. Davids United Church at Bible Hill, the Rev. George Allen as guest speaker. Silver spoons were presented to Bob Jones and Terry Hanrahan, babies born. A Discussion was held re the move of Rotary Meetings to the White Spot on Walker Street to the the new White Spot on Prince Street. It was decided to move to the Prince Street White Spot as of January 1, 1961. The Finance Committee reported no increase in fees but would increase  $\frac{1}{2}$  year dues to \$15.00 as of January 1, 1961. Decided to sell 1-\$1000. Government bond for funds. Two new members proposed at this time, Ralph Burns, Supervisor of Truro Schools and Harold Osborne Taylor, Manager of Dominion Stores. A Crippled Childrens clinic was held on November 21st, with 40 children registered. The club received a "Certificate of Merit" from the Truro Bicentenary Committee. Welcomed Ralph Burns and Harold Taylor to the Club as new members. Held the first meeting at Bennies White Spot Restaurant on Prince Street as an experiment. No final decision yet.

December, 1960

The Directors recommended Bennies Place on Prince Street on Friday meetings in future. Settles trouble as Scotia Hotel closed the Dining Room in July, 1958. Welcomed Douglas Hamon as a new member. The Final Decision before the club voted that Friday meetings be held at Bennies on Prince Street. The Grand Piano which was loaned to the Maritime Home for Girls for some time, club voted to give it to the Home. Guests for the Christmas Meeting included Dudley Chin of Kingston, Jamaica, Bornwell St. Rose of Castries, St. Lucia, and Wilson Wanbari of Kenya, East Africa. Taking degree courses at the Agricultural College. Ward Murdock reported for Board of Trustees, value of club property at \$979.00. The milk for school children was expanded to include St. Mary's School. The Club voted to have the History of the Club typed and deposited in the Acadia Trust Vault for a cost about \$40.00.

January, 1961

Recorded the death of former member Tom Mitton in Florida on December 29th. Road Signs were reported erected at the town entrances. Proposed two new members, Edwin J. Lowe and Walton K. Sharpe. Lowe is Regional Manager of Electrolux of Canada Limited, and Walton Sharpe a previous member and Past President, left before due to meeting day. Two new members proposed Robert Winters, Lawyer, and Arthur L. Ormiston, retired manager of the Bank of N. S. Willard Cox resigned from Lewis Limited to go to Halifax with Murphys. Will be greatly missed. Woffie Townsend to take over Secretary from Cox.

February, 1961.

Welcomed new members Walt Sharpe, Ed Lowe and Robert Winters to the Club. Proposed Lance Dearmand, Post Master as new member. Reported boy to go to Ottawa on the Adventure in Citizenship to be Wayne Putnam, son of Bob. A speech therapy clinic was started Feb. 27th to be held at the St. Andrews Church Hall with morning and afternoon sessions. The club at this time marked its 35th Anniversary. Birthday Cake and talks by Harold Bethel. Only two charter members left. Harold Bethel and H. W. Murdock. Mrs. Lou Christie reported to hospital with heart attach. Also Don Gregg to the Camp Hill Hospital in Halifax. The Executive approved a student loan of \$350.00. Proposed Rev. Geo Allen as a new member, minister of the First Baptist Church.

March, 1961.

Reported that 7000 Easter Seals were mailed. It was announced that the attendance contest with Club of Streater, Ill., was won by the Truro Club. It was proposed that members grow goatees until the Radio Auction to publicize it. Some members for and some against. At the March 21st meeting, Miss Sheila M. Kaba, Speech Therapist, reported on the Clinic. Welcomed Rev. Geo. Allen as a new member.

April, 1961.

\$1.00 per member assessment for boy for Rotary Foundation Fellowship. The Rotary Auction was held in the old Snooks Grocery Building, which is to be the new Truro 5¢ to \$1.00 store shortly. It was reported by Gerry Ritcey that Truro Won the Attendance Contest with the club of Streater, Ill, by 38 points. Losers to make donation to the Rotary Foundation to the credit of the Truro club that is \$2.00 per member. Also Streater sends a souvenir to each Truro member (1 dozen Rotary tumblers). Very nice. We sent Streater members a Nova Scotia Tartan tie for each member.

May, 1961.

It was reported that Rex Sperry in Hospital but doing very nicely. The Auction looks like \$4,300., which is wonderful. Member Vern Wilson in Hospital with a very serious heart attack. Safe Driving Rodio with 18 student writing the exams. The Crippled Childrens Clinic was held this month with 45 children registered. Accepted the resignation of Murray Eddy and welcomed Rex Sperry back to the club after illness. Karl Knapp, senior member of Pittsburg, Club and member of the Board of Directors for Rotary International spoke

to the Truro Club after attending Conference in Sydney.  
Guests from Amherst, New Glasgow and Pictou etc.,

June, 1961.

Wayne Putnam, son of Bob, who was on trip to Ottawa in  
Adventure in Citizenship gave the club a wonderful talk on  
his trip. Also spoke on the Radio. The new officers for the  
coming year are as follows-

President	Bob Jones
Vice-President	Terry Hanrahan
Secretary	Trueman MacIntosh
Treasurer	Bob Putnam
Directors	Arthur Nelson, Allie Renton Don MacDonald Jack Bagnell Vernon Wilson Rex Sperry.

Rotary Club of Truro.  
Inventory as at Dec 6/60.

9 Wheel chairs	leold ones @ 25 <sup>00</sup> - 150 <sup>00</sup>	
	1 newer @ — 65 <sup>00</sup>	
	2 new @ 125 <sup>00</sup> - 250 <sup>00</sup>	
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3 Auction boards (blackboards)		465 <sup>00</sup>
2 double side about 6' x 5'		
1 single 7' x 4'		40 <sup>00</sup>
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Flags & banners		
1 Blue & gold Rty banner		75 <sup>00</sup>
2 Flags		
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1 Frame & Rty wheel-stored		
2 Framed 4 way test		
1 Framed Rty charter		30 <sup>00</sup>
1 Gong		25 <sup>00</sup>
1 Speakers stand		5 <sup>00</sup>
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110 Song books 50 new 60 old		24 <sup>00</sup>
1 File cabinet 10 <sup>00</sup>	1 Badge board 5 <sup>00</sup>	15 <sup>00</sup>
1 History 2 binders & contents		
1 blue stored Cicadia Trust		100 <sup>00</sup>
3 new road signs (Dec 60)		200 <sup>00</sup>
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		\$979 <sup>00</sup>

Not insured as in various places.  
Add Furniture in Hosp Rotary room.  
(old)

G. W. Murdoch  
Trustee

Brown Streator, Illinois

Dec 1960.

Juno is in an attendance competition with this club.

Tom Albin

Gene R. Farthing

K.D. Maurin

C. Robert Myers John Bernof

James E. Hill

Harold E. Stanton

Byrd Murray

Geo E Taylor

Edw Green

Edward J. Shaheen

Les Kendrick

Joe Gustat

Jim Dunge

Walt Dmytel

Herb Jowers

Leigh Johnson

Mr. Sudman

Richard Kerr

L. H. Muegal

W. P. G. J.

Merry Christmas

Charles D. Cullen

James R. Jordan

Lynola E. Bundy

Happy New Year

Celeste DeFurbauf

George Ramm

T. A. Marshall

James Johnston

W. H. H. H.

Tom Ditchie

A. N. F. F.

H. Schaefer

S. Earl McManis

W. J. J.

L. H. S. S.

Jack Nagle

Harry Kestin

Berry Mitchell

W. J. G. G.

W. R. R.

W. M. M.

Frank Brantman

Frank Harrison

Bob Bowman