SPORTING NEWS

Canadiens, Black Hawks Rest Up For Fray Tonight

MONTREAL, April 12—(CP)—Chicago Black Hawks and Montreal Canadiens rested today, because of lack of ice for practice in preparation for the fourth game of their Stanley Cup final series tomorrow night.

Ice was not available at the Forum, home of Canadiens because of a wrestling show on there tonight that necessitated the laying of boards over the surface during the day. The teams won't work tomorrow either, but the ice will be ready for what may be the final game of the series and the season.

Things down in the best-of-seven series the Hawks will make another bid for a victory tomorrow night. They haven't beaten Canadiens yet this season, but as Coach Paul Thompson says, "there's always a first time, and we're certainly due."

Both teams were still sporting plenty of marks to testify to the toughness of the two games in Chicago. The Canucks just pulled out victories in both games, after starting the series with a 5-1 victory here.

The Hawks will be without Mush March, who didn't make the trip following aggravation of an injury suffered in the semi-final series against Detroit Red Wings. Otherwise, both squads are at full strength for the tilt.

New Westminster Takes Lead In Senior Finals

PORT ARTHUR, April 12—(CP) New Westminster Lodestars whipped Port Arthur Shipbuilders 6-2 in a rugged encounter here tonight to take the lead for the first time in their best-of-seven Western Canada Senior Hockey finals. The British Columbians have won three games, Shipbuilders two, and one was a 5-5 overtime tie.

Remember When

By The Canadian Press

Boston Bruins won the Stanley Cup for the third time in their history three years ago tonight when they defeated Detroit Red Wings 3—1 at Detroit. Boston's victory marked the first time the cup series was concluded in four straight games. Previously, Montreal Maroons took the cup from Toronto Maple Leafs in straight contests in 1935, but that series was best-of-five.

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Semi-Finals For City Hoop Title Open Today

The semi-finals for the city basketball title are slated to get underway today with the Air Force team meeting Saint Dunstan's University at the Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium at 1 30 this afternoon. The other section of the semi-finals, between Prince of Wales College and the Navy will open tonight at 8 30, also at the Y.

The series was originally scheduled to begin on Tuesday night but arrangements were not completed in time to secure the Y gym.

Entire Slate Of C. A. H. A. Officers Are Re-Elected

MONTREAL, April 12 — (CP) — Re-election of the entire slate of officers of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association was the final act before adjournment of the 44th annual meeting here today of the C. A. H. A. Heading the list for the second successive year is Frank Sargent, of Port Arthur, Ont., as president.

The slate of officers for the following season is as follows: President, Frank Sargent, first vice-president, Hanson T. Dowell, Middleton, N. S.; second vice-president, Al Pickard, Regina, secretary, F. H. Marples, Toronto; registrar-treasurer, W. A. Hewitt, Toronto.

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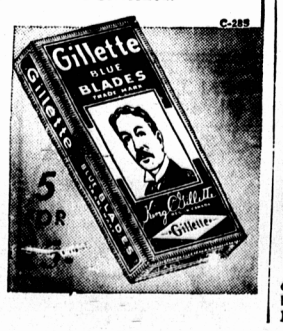

Moncton Hoopsters To Play Local Team Saturday

Marking the first time in several years that a basketball team outside the Province has played a local team here a reputedly strong squad of Moncton basketball players will meet a local team from the City here Saturday night at the Y.M.C.A., athletic instructor Wallie Scantlebury announced last night. The game is scheduled to start at 7 p.m.

Little is known as yet of the strength of the visiting hoop players but regardless the team chosen to represent the City will give a good account of themselves. The City league has been in full swing here all season and the brand of basketball being dished out has been real good.

Appearance of the Moncton team here is certainly a move that should be a big help in bringing basketball back to the popularity it once enjoyed and it is hoped that all followers of the hoop game will make it a point to take in Saturday night's tussle.

More details relative to the coming game will appear in later issues.

C. A. H. A. Annual Meeting Held

MONTREAL, April 12—(CP)—The Canadian Amateur Hockey Association at its annual meeting here voted bonuses to the finalists in both the Memorial and Allan Cup playoffs. They will go to Oshawa Generals, Trail Smoke Eaters, Quebec Aces and the winners of the New Westminster-Port Arthur series.

Delegates also decided that minor hockey in each branch of the C.A.H.A. will receive a sum of $1,-000 for the next season. This boosts the grant $500 in the Maritimes, Quebec Ontario, Ottawa and District, Thunder Bay and British Columbia.

Earlier the Association had put its approval on a west coast senior international hockey league that will embody teams from Seattle, Portland, and British Columbia cities.

Formation of this new league, it was felt, would give the West Coast amateur hockey a boost since it suffered so badly this season when service teams withdrew from Allan Cup competition. It was agreed that The Canadian winner of the new league would be entitled to enter into Allan Cup playdowns. The leading American team would be permitted to enter into amateur playoffs in the U. S.

A protest will be sent by the C.A.H.A. to the international ice hockey association requesting that the Bay Cities hockey league recently outlawed professional loop operating in and around Los Angeles, be dealt with in a "satisfactory manner." Al Leader, president of the north west international hockey league, a visitor at the C. A.H.A. meeting, said another professional hockey loop on the coast was being formed. It will be called the Pacific Coast hockey league.

The delegates approved a recommendation to be made to the Board of Governors of the Kingston, Ont. hockey hall of fame that the names of Capt. James Sutherland of Kingston, Ont., and Claude C. Robinson of Stevenson, B.C., be enshrined in the hall of fame.

After winning Canadian Army Soccer Final, Sgt. J. Tantrum, captain of winning team from Western Canada writes his name on the ball, held by Sgt. George Strachan of Toronto, captain of the losing team. Tantrum hails from Cumberland, B.C. (CANADIAN ARMY OVERSEAS PHOTO).

Trade Board Questions Re Airport Ownership Discussed By Council

An interesting discussion on the Charlottetown Airport question was a feature of the monthly meeting of the City Council on Tuesday night. The discussion arose out of a letter received by the City Clerk from the air service committee of the Charlottetown Board of Trade, asking for the following information:

1. What is the present status of ownership of the airport site?

2 Is the present site owned entirely or in part by the City of Charlottetown, and, if so, what was the cost to the City?

3 Has the Dominion Department of Transport, or the Department of Defense for Air, or other government department requested that the site be turned over to them, and, if so, what action was taken by the Council?

4 If ownership of airport site still remains with the City, would the City Council be willing to surrender such ownership to the appropriate Dominion Government department if, by such action, further improvements could be made to the airport by the Dominion Government?

"The Charlottetown Board of Trade," the letter added, "feels most strongly that further improvements should be made to the Charlottetown airport to bring it to a proper state of efficiency for present use and for the future development of aviation, and the foregoing questions are respectfully submitted to the City Council in the interests of clarifying the present situation."

Coun. MacKinnon moved, seconded by Coun. Gay, "that notwithstanding previous information that the Department of Transport will not take over the civic airport until the military use has been discontinued, this Council go on record as willing to transfer ownership to the Department at any time, provided that proper maintenance and operation be assured and that Maritime Central Airways ownership of their hangar is protected."

Should Be Reimbursed

Coun. MacDonald said he had it direct from Ottawa that, contrary to all other information, the Dominion Government, if they see fit, will extend the runways. "They have no intention of stopping it just because the City owns it," he said. "Ex-Mayor Holman has stacks of letters from Hon. Mr. Howe, in which he specifically states that ownership makes no difference. This airport cost the City of Charlottetown $18,000. I think we should be reimbursed for that. But if we can get authentic information from the Minister that Charlottetown is holding up the work because of this question of ownership, I will be the first to make a motion of this kind. But I don't believe it. We have lots of letters to the contrary. I suggest that we answer the Board of Trade questions intelligently. We are not that dumb that we cannot answer them, and I am sure the majority of our citizens will be very satisfied with our answers."

Coun. Dougan: "I certainly am not in favor of voting away our airport to the Dominion Government."

Cites Agreement

Coun. McKinnon quoted from the agreement between the Dominion and civic authorities. "We know," he said, "that our former Mayor was negotiating through the Department of Transport and our Dominion representatives to have the runways extended. The only excuse for the holdup was that Charlottetown owns the airport. Under the agreement entered into we received $1.00 a year rental until the termination of the war. At the end of the war it reverts to the City. They have the right to move any buildings. They must keep it in excellent repair but at the end of three years it becomes the property of the City of Charlottetown. We have an airport at Summerside which has runways long enough to take any transport plane flying today. What are we, the people of Queen's County, going to do? Are we going to fly our freight to Summerside and ship to Charlottetown for the simple reason that our runways are not long enough to take a transport plane? If that is their only excuse, I think it is pretty near time we called their bluff. What good is the airport going to do the City of Charlottetown as it is? It will take $5,000 to police that airport."

Coun. MacDonald: "We will have the airport. If we give it away we will have nothing. If the Minister of Air will give it to us in writing that because we don't give them the airport they won't extend the runways, I will move the resolution that we transfer the airport to them. But I don't believe he will give us that in writing."

Only an Excuse

Coun. MacKinnon: "It was insinuated at the Board of Trade meeting that that was the excuse."

Coun. MacDonald: "By one man."

Coun. MacKinnon: "If need be I would ask that a clause be inserted in the motion, that the City of Charlottetown be reimbursed for every dollar they expended; but I think if we got the runways extended we would be doing a whole lot."

Coun. Rogers: "What are we giving away? Some runways and some buildings. They can't rip them up and take them to Ottawa. They have got to stay out there. After the war we will have to assume the responsibility of looking after that airport. The Department of Transport owns the Summerside airport; if they own this airport they will look after it in the same manner."

Coun. Butler expressed his agreement with Coun. MacDonald, that the city should be reimbursed.

Coun. Dougan said the Board of Trade had refused to discuss the matter with the Council,—they had sent a letter instead. He considered this a very discourteous attitude.

Coun. MacKinnon said that Ex-Mayor Holman had correspondence showing that the Council had offered to turn over the airport free of cost to the Dominion, and the offer was not accepted. "On the other hand," he said, "this may be the only excuse they have to offer for not lengthening the runways, and if that is so, why not call their bluff?"

Coun. Dougan: "Find that out first."

Coun. MacKinnon: "We have been trying to find that out for four or five years; but the Board of Trade insinuated that that was the only reason. $18,000 is only a drop in the bucket compared with the good that this airport will do to Queen's County."

Coun. MacDonald suggested answering the Board of Trade questions and having a conference tomorrow night with the two federal members for the County.

Coun. MacKinnon: "There is only one of them here."

Recorder Martin

City Recorder K. M. Martin said he had been in close contact with the situation from the beginning. "The city bought the site; the Department of Transport put the airport there. It was by special arrangement. Then there was talk of a bombing and gunnery school, and it was also suggested that this could not be obtained because the facilities were not adequate.

"The City went to every length to encourage them," Mr. Martin said. "The Dominion Government bought the land that was necessary to extend the airport, so they have already done what the Board of Trade suggests that they were unwilling to do. The City at the time gave them the open guarantee that whatever was paid for the land beyond the sum that the Dominion Government considered adequate, would be paid by the City. It resulted in the City paying some $2,-800.

"I suggest that if at any time you can get the Department of Transport to take the airport over, get them to do it, and get them to promise to operate it, but don't get them to extend the runways until the time is necessary; because all the study that has been given by preceding Councils to this matter has shown that it is financially impossible for the City to operate that airport at anything like cost. The Provincial Government put $13,000 into the airport too.

Political Argument

"Just at this time it might be extremely inadvisable for the City to stick its neck into a little political argument that we are dragged into to cover up somebody else's mistakes. That is what it looks like to me," Mr. Martin warned.

Coun. McKinnon: "Then you don't consider that the airport will ever be any asset to the City, other than from a transport standpoint?"

Recorder Martin: "That is the opinion of men who know more about it than myself. But I am also afraid that a direct approach to Ottawa, to put them 'on the spot', might prejudice the City's prospects."

Acting Mayor McKee: "I think Coun. McDonald's suggestion that we answer the Board of Trade's questions is a good one."

Recorder Martin: "I would advise strongly not to put in the motion that you wish to recover the costs, because I know that from the beginning they would not take over an airport unless it was freely given."

Mr. MacKinnon: "I withdraw the resolution on the condition that we meet with the Board of Trade."

Coun. Dougan: "They won't meet us. They said it was not worth while. I feel we should take the same attitude."

Coun MacKinnon: "We should cooperate."

Coun. Dougan: "They wan't cooperate with us."

After some further discussion, the Mayor instructed the City Clerk to communicate with the Board of Trade committee, answering their questions and inviting them to a joint conference.

Large Attendance At Annual Meeting Of Teachers Federation

The annual convention of the Prince Edward Island Teachers' Federation opened in Prince of Wales College hall yesterday afternoon with a large and representative attendance.

The session began with the reading of the minutes by the recording secretary, Miss Mabel Mathieson. Then the resolution committees were formed, and the annual reports of President Pius Callaghan and general secretary Reginald MacDonald were read and approved.

Mr. MacDonald's report suggested, among other things, the employment of a full-time field man, to devote himself to the interests of education in the Province with special attention being directed upon rural problems. The report also stressed the promotion of technical education and the forming of certain individual rural schools into larger groups.

An interesting exposition of the group hospitalization plan was given by Mr. T. Ledwell Doyle, who explained how the plan provides free hospital treatment for the members of the Teachers Federation.

Immediately after Mr Doyle's address, the teachers repaired to various rooms for their group discussions.

An interesting display by the Red Cross attracted many of those in attendance.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The following is the text of the report submitted by President J. Pius Callaghan:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

"It becomes my duty and privilege to report to you for the second successive year as President of the Prince Edward Island Teacher's Federation.

"My report is not one of great achievement. However, in that respect it will not be out of line with past presidential addresses. For the progress and achievement with respect to the teaching profession in the province is and has been indeed slow.

"Throughout the year just concluded, your executive has met at regular intervals and discussed topics which they considered of utmost importance to the teachers of this Province. They have been faithful representatives of the different centres, despite a few singular opinions to the contrary.

"Your executive voiced its most strenuous disapproval at the practice of placing in our schools, unqualified persons,—I refuse to call them teachers,—to lessen the number of schools closed. By these persons, I refer to those who have not now or never did have the training necessary for the instruction of our youth. Our protest was not received kindly and no action was forthcoming.

"The possibility of the establishment of a summer school at Charlottetown has been under consideration by your executive. A committee was formed to investigate thoroughly this matter and get it to the attention of the proper authorities. The teaching body was contacted by the General Secretary and asked to express an opinion on the matter. Some 200 signified their willingness to attend if such a school was commenced in our Province.

Charges Discrimination

"The additional supplement promised by the Jones Government in its election platform has been paid. However, Charlottetown and Summerside have been discriminated against and have not received this increase. Your Federation executive feels that all its members should be treated on the same terms with exceptions of this kind a minus quantity. We have acquainted the Minister of Education with our attitude on this matter.

"As you will see on your program, a representative body will wait on the Government tomorrow afternoon. We purposely have left this matter till convention so as all may have an opportunity of voicing personally their sentiments on the time worn question of salary. You have been forwarded from your General Secretary a proposed scale which your executive are unanimously agreed on. Later this afternoon a period will be allotted to you all when you may be heard on this important issue. We want you to express your ideas and your proposed courses of action.

"Last summer the C.T.F. Convention was held at Saint John. Our representatives were Misses Estelle Bowness and Mabel Matheson and Mr. J. Reginald Macdonald. A detailed report of this will be given to the convention on Thursday by Miss Bowness.

"The Educational Horizon has been operating very successfully under the capable editorship of Mr. Millar MacFadyen. Mr. MacFadyen has put much time on this work and I am certain that all teachers have appreciated his splendid effort.

"During the year we witnessed a change in the portfolio of Minister of Education, Hon. Mark R. McGuigan, Minister in the Campbell Government, assuming the important role of Attorney-General in the Jones Government. Hon. J. Walter Jones, one of the Province's outstanding scholars, taking over as Minister of Education.

Appreciation Expressed

"We take this opportunity of extending to Hon. Mr. McGuigan our appreciation of his services while occupying the Educational portfolio. Your executive was always received most cordially by him and his eagerness to co-operate with the teachers at all times was always in evidence.

"Your President had a most pleasant call during the summer from Mr. Eliot Warburton of Ottawa. Mr. Warburton is Dominion representative of British Ministry of Information. He was on a Dominion-wide tour collecting, among other things, data on education in each of the provinces.

"Last September, the Federation lost, in death, of H. N. Murphy one of its outstanding members. Mr. Murphy, a former inspector and at the time of his death, Principal of Queen Square School, Charlottetown, worked faithfully on many important committees for this group. He was a very familiar figure on our Press Committee and his work was always outstanding. We regret sincerely his death so early in life and to his family we extend our deepest sympathy.

Prof. Shaw's Return

"It would be amiss to close my report without mentioning the return to this Province of one of the Island's leading educationalists, Mr. Lloyd Shaw. I am confident that all teachers are delighted to hear of his return. His worth is appreciated by all who have had an opportunity of dealing with him. We have no doubt that he will meet with outstanding success.

"Before concluding, I take this opportunity of thanking you for the confidence placed in me by electing me your president. I hope you have not been too disappointed.

"To the members of the executive, I say 'Thank You' for their co-operation at all times during the past year. I regret very much the decision of our genial General Secretary to retire. This indeed would be a severe loss to the Federation. Mr. Macdonald has always given you his very best. Personally, I believe, he was the most conscientious worker you could possibly have had. If he insists on leaving, he leaves you with a fine record of service. This is a tribute to his ability as an organizer.

"As we meet here in annual convention, we find the world still enveloped in the darkness of war. The clouds seem to be breaking but still the storm shows no signs of an early abatement. We pray God to grant us victory sooner than appearances would indicate. Let us beseech the Great Teacher to incalculate in the hearts of all men the virtues of charity and justice which will produce in our lives a love of peace and a hatred of war. Then and only then can we look forward to fulfillment of the great principles as enunciated in the Atlantic Charter."

MANY ABUSES

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service were paid teachers last year, but this year it is not being paid. In the other case for the first half of last year the teacher received the bonus but claims she did not get it for the last half of the year. Now in the School Act it states definitely that this bonus is to be paid first and second class teachers. It seems, however, that an Order-in-Council was passed in June 1943, classing teachers in third class schools as third class teachers and therefore not eligible to receive the bonus.

Strange Situations

"Regarding regular class teachers and superior class teachers some strange situations arise. I know of two teachers in the same school. They each receive a supplement of $125. The regular class teacher gets $25 from the Government because she is getting $25 over the minimum required from the district, and the superior class teacher gets only $25 because her minimum from the district requires to be $125.

"Again there are cases where first class teachers are teaching in second class schools. Let us say the supplement they receive is $100. They are rated as second class teachers for the statutory pay they receive from the Government but it seems they are rated as first class teachers by the Government in order to save the additional $25 supplement to be paid over the minimum of $75. (The secretary added that he was informed this was done in error and advised any teacher so affected to call at the department and have the matter rectified.)

It has also been brought to my attention that in some cases persons on permit to teach who never qualified for a teacher's license received more pay than certain qualified, experienced teachers. This is the result of the present unsatisfactory system of teacher placement.

Unfair Deductions

"Another practice which seems most unjust relates to the deduction of teachers' pay when the attendance falls below 60 per cent. Due to labor shortage occasioned by the war, at certain seasons of the year many of the children are compelled to help with the farm work. As a result the attendance falls below the required standard and the teacher is made to suffer. I think this practice could very well be dispensed with, at least till the war is over.

Mr. MacDonald gave an outline of a plan he had proposed in addressing the annual meeting of the Central Farmers' Institute. It included the appointment of a Director of Education with full authority to promote necessary reforms in the educational system, establishment of a non-political impartial representative Board of Education to look after administration and financing and the placing of teachers in schools where their special abilities could be best used, and the establishment of larger school districts according to geographical location.

One-Room Schools

"I also pointed out," he said, "that of our 405 one-room schools 70 have only one pupil in Grades 9 and 10, sixty have two in Grades 9 and 10 and 54 have three, making 184 schools or 45 per cent, with three or less pupils in these grades. In order to have pupils pass entrance it is necessary to devote about half the time to these grades.

Of these 405 schools, 176 have an average attendance of 15 or less pupils, 66 schools have 15 or less pupils in the district and 20 schools have less than 10 pupils in the district.

"The tax rate on the $100 assessed valuation of property in 1936 in the rural districts ran from 10 cents to over $1.00.

Of the $222,000 subsidy received from Ottawa teachers received somewhere in the vicinity of $22,-000, notwithstanding the fact we were promised $100,000 in 1929 by the Government spokesman of the day, and three years ago we were promised our fair share of the $73,000.

"In fact over a thirteen year period, 1920-1942 the average salary of teachers increased by the magnificent sum of $7.77, and yet some kind friends will tell us to stop talking about salary!"

TEACHERS GIVEN

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the English novel."

Drama, too, Professor Gundy thought to be a sadly neglected phase of literary study. Children have a natural love of the dramatic. Yet drama in the school curriculum is usually confined to Shakespeare. Stories in School Readers could be dramatized by the teacher and the pupils could be encouraged to write some simple scenes in dramatic form. More plays could be taught in both Public and High School. Shakespeare is more [illegible] taught than any other English classic.

[illegible] Gundy maintained that too much emphasis has been placed upon word-study in Shakespeare and not enough on his poetic and dramatic power. It should not be forgotten, he said, that Shakespeare was a professional dramatist who wrote for the theatre.

President Pius Callaghan presided at last night's meeting, at which a warm vote of thanks was tendered the guest speaker.

CONTINUE AFTER WAR

CAPE TOWN —(CP)— The South African Women's Auxiliary Services will continue to function after the war as an independent body helping with problems of demobilization and the collection of funds for Allied countries in distress.

SYMBOL OF PROTECTION

In medieval times, betrothal ring presented on the tip of the sword meant a knight would fight for his lady.

NOTICE

The public is hereby warned that practice bombing will take place at any time during the night or day at the Tracadie Bay Practice Bombing Range, commencing Wednesday 12th of April, 1944. This bombing range consists of a circular area of 1,000 yds in radius, adjacent to the East Shore of Tracadie Bay as illustrated on warning notices in the District.

No unauthorized person is permitted to enter the danger area on or after the date mentioned.

ALL ABOARD FOR BERLIN!

"There's only one thing that worries me," said Mr. Picobac who was arranging with his bank manager to subscribe for the new Victory Bonds. "The peace won't be dictated at Berlin."

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ATTENTION MEN! All men interested in juvenile delinquency are invited to hear Mr. W.E. Bentley, K.C., in St. Paul's Parish Hall tonight, 8 p.m. This meeting will be under the auspices of the "Men of St. Paul's." 4-12-1i.

BURGLARY AT GROCERY STORE—City Police are conducting an investigation regarding a burglary which took place at the grocery store of Cudmore Bros., some time Tuesday night. A number of goods were removed, but no information as to the location of the thief had been ascertained at 12.30 last night, it was reported.

NEW RATION BOOK IN USE—Ration Book No. 4 came into use today when sugar coupons 30 and 31 and preserves coupons 17 and 18 became valid. By April 20th all coupons becoming valid, with the exception of canning sugar coupons, will be in the new ration book. Tea and coffee coupons T-30 and T-31 and butter coupon 56 will become valid on the 20th of this month. Butter coupon 59 becomes valid on April 27, Housewives are reminded not to destroy Ration Book No. 3 as it contains the P coupons to be used for the purchase of canning sugar.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB MEETS — The regular monthly meeting of the Charlottetown Home Economics Club was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Dora Campbell. An informal round table discussion on recent developments in the field of nutrition revealed much useful information. Miss Louise Hassard, submitted a report on the Club's activities to be presented at the New Brunswick Home Economics Convention, which she plans to attend in Fredericton, April 13, and 14. At the next meeting, Miss Hilda Gillis will present films dealing with the subject of Nutrition issued by the National Film Service.

WOMEN'S AID SERVICE —The Women's Aid Society of the Baptist Church held an annual Easter thankoffering service in the vestry last night. The president, Mrs. T. G. Ives was in the chair, Mrs. J. L. MacAuley read the scripture lesson and Mrs. Henry Callbeck led in prayer. A very interesting address was given by Dr. Zella Clark returned medical missionary from India who spoke on the progress of christian missions in that land describing in particular the development of medical work. A duet "Take Up Thy Cross" was very well rendered by Mrs. Ronald Noble and Mr. Ralph Rupert. A pageant "answering India's need" was well presented by members of the World Wide Guild, namely Margaret McEwen, Georgie Ward, Jeanette Ladner, Eletha Saunders and Margaret Ballem. The meeting closed with benediction by the pastor Rev. Ronald Noble.

Personals

Mr Daniel MacDonald, Principal St. Peter's High School, is attending Teachers Federation.

Mr John DesRoches, principal of Borden High School, is attending the Teachers' Convention.

Premier J. Walter Jones who was confined to bed for the past few days, is recovering and was able to be at his office for a short time yesterday.

AB Harry Ballen, who was injured in a shooting accident a [illegible] recently, left for the navy hospital at Halifax yesterday.

Mr. Arthur Chandler 30 Bishop St., has received word from his son Harvey, telling of his safe arrival in Italy. The letter was dated March 27, 1944.

Johnny Williams, 17 year old merchant seaman of this city arrived recently after spending the last six months in the Middle East, England and other countries. He is spending his leave with his grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Drane, 1[illegible] Sydney St.