

Old Consolidated School Building Being Demolished

One of the historic educational landmarks of the Province is about to disappear. The once-famous Consolidated School at Mount Herbert has been sold by the trustees board. Only the building now left, and is being torn down for its lumber. The purchase price is said to have been in the vicinity of \$500 and the purchasers are Frank Wood and Lorne Jenkins, of Cross Roads.

The school was built by Sir William Macdonald, millionaire tobacco manufacturer and a native of Tracadie, P.E.I., about the year 1903. It was but one of several consolidated schools which Sir William built throughout Canada. Sir William paid the entire running costs of the school for three years; after that, its upkeep was to be financed by the neighboring school districts. After being operated for five or six years by the local districts, the school was closed in 1912. Premier Jones was its first principal. Another teacher was Henry B. MacLean, Vancouver, whose MacLean system of writing "Island school children still practice.

Served Several Districts
The school was composed of four class-rooms with two grades in each room. In addition, to the regular school curriculum, there were courses in manual training and domestic science. In its days of operation approximately 200 students received their elementary education there. They came from the districts of Mount Herbert, Bumbury, Southport, Cross Roads, Bethel and Mermaid. Other students, appreciating the grade of instruction, came in from Murray Harbour, from as far as Millview. Still others from Murray River attended the school and boarded with people in the vicinity.

The school was under control of a permanent board of trustees appointed by an Act of the Legislature, comprising representatives of each neighboring district, with Mr. J. Walter Jones as chairman. After the discontinuance of instruction at the school, the building was used for the next 20 years for the holding of socials, concerts, etc.

The building, possessing a good brick foundation, was of staunch construction with a massive wood frame-work. Hon. George H. Barbour, provincial Minister of Public Works, said Wednesday night that it was one of the finest constructed wooden buildings in the Province.

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Canadian Writers Awarded Four Literary Prizes

TWO MONTREAL AUTHORS AMONG WINNERS OF GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S AWARDS FOR 1944.

OTTAWA, March 30 (CP) — Gwethlyn Graham of Montreal, young author of the best-seller "Earth and High Heaven" is the winner of the Governor-General's 1944 Literary award for fiction. Charles Clay, Canadian Authors' Association secretary, announced today.

Dorothy Livesey of New Westminster, B.C., won the poetry award with "Day and Night". Dorothy Duncan of Montreal won the creative non-fiction award for "Partner in Three Worlds" and Edgar McInnis of Montreal was awarded the Academic non-fiction prize for his "The War: Fourth Year."

Miss Graham's "Earth and High Heaven" is a study of race relations and her second novel, "The First English Edition of 'Earth and High Heaven'" was sold out on the day of publication. North American sales exceeded 500,000 at last reports. The novel ran as a serial in weekly magazine (Colliers) and the screen rights were purchased by a Hollywood studio Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer for \$100,000. It has just received the Antislavery Award from a magazine of literary criticism (Saturday Review of Literature) as the year's best book on race relations.

Not since Mazo de la Roche won the Atlantic Monthly Prize with "Jalna" in 1927 has any Canadian novel found such enthusiastic international acceptance. Born in Toronto in 1913, Miss Graham is the daughter of F. Erichsen Brown and granddaughter of the late Professor James Frederick McCurdy. She was educated at Haverhill College, Toronto, a finishing school in Lausanne, Switzerland and Smith College, Northampton, Mass. Her first novel, "Swiss Sonata" received the fiction award in 1938.

The Poetry Award
Miss Livesey, daughter of the late J. F. B. Livesey, former general manager of The Canadian Press, and Florence Randall Livesey, poet and novelist, was born in Winnipeg in 1909. Author of two volumes of verse, "Green Fiches" and "Signpost," Miss Livesey graduated from the University of Toronto in 1931 and now is living at New Westminster with her husband, Duncan Macfarlane. Dorothy Duncan, author of "Bluenose," "Here's to Canada" was born in New Jersey and graduated from Northwestern University. She is married to Hugh MacLennan, Canadian-born author of "Barometer Rising" and "Two Solitudes" who teaches at Lower Canada College, Montreal.

Native of Charlottetown Edgar McInnis was born at Charlottetown in 1908. He served overseas in the First Great War with the Canadian Garrison Artillery and graduated from the University of Toronto in 1928, continuing to his master's degree at Oxford in 1930. He was appointed to the history staff of the University of Toronto in 1928 and won the non-fiction award for "The Unguarded Frontier," a history of Canadian-American relations in 1942.

The awards, silver medals, will be presented at Montreal July 7 at the annual Canadian Authors' Association meeting.

Contest Judges
Following were the judges for the awards:

Fiction: J. L. Rutledge, publisher of Liberty Toronto; Charles Jenkinson, CBC executive, Toronto; and Margaret Clay, librarian, Victoria, B.C.
Poetry: E. J. Pratt, Victoria College, Toronto; Watson Kirkconnell, McMaster University, Hamilton; and Alexander Calhoun, librarian, Calgary, Alta.
Creative Non-Fiction: Louis Blake Duff, journalist, Welland, Ont.; Leslie Gordon Bernard, short story writer, Montreal; and Eleanor Godfrey, editor of Canadian Forum, Toronto.
Academic Non-Fiction: N. A. MacKenzie, president of University of British Columbia, Vancouver; A. W. Trueman, superintendent of schools, St. John, N.B.; and Frank Oliver Call, emeritus professor, Knowlton, Que.

WEST KENT SCHOOL
Grade X-1, Joan Munro; 2, Donald Timney; 3, James Bentley.
Grade XI-1, Harold MacPhereson; 2, David Jardine; 3, Elaine Bourke.
Grade VIII-1, Janet Ives; 2, Joan Toronto; 3, Watson Kirkconnell.
Grade VIII-1, David Hurst; 2, Carl Brown; 3, Mary Ramsay.
Grade VII-1, Jean Miller; 2, Phyllis Tait and Phyllis Cutcliffe; 3, Betty Dunning.
Grade VII-1, Isabel MacLeod; 2, Heather Lantz; 3, Bobby Bryenton.
Grade VI-1, Barry Beers; 2, Earl Jewell; 3, Elizabeth Lewis.
Grade VI-1, Barbara Dick; 2, Lola MacRae; 3, Nora DeBlots, Bobby Nelson and Karl Reardon.
Grade V-1, Nancy Hyndman; 2, Blair Chandler; 3, Maureen Bohaker, Murray Carmody.
Grade V-1, Johanna MacDonnell; 2, Joan Marie McGuire; 3, Audrey Horne.
Grade IV-1, Billie Batt; 2, Desmond Connolly and Allan MacLeod; 3, Meredith McCloughan.
Grade III-1, Sheila Davidson; 2, Jean McKie, Gordon Tweedy.



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Grade II-1, Jean Isabel Macdonald, Gayle Jamieson, Rogers Bell, Murray Stevenson; 2, Sylvia Campbell and Gloria Jean Batt; 3, Dianne Phillips and Donald Scott.
Grade I-1, David Currie; 2, Robert Dale; 3, Paula Burden.
Grade I-1, Elizabeth Grant; 2, Helen Cameron and Ralph Kennedy; 3, Stewart Woolner.

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In Memoriam

MRS. JANIE PARTRIDGE

There passed away very suddenly at her home on Hurd St., Charlottetown, on the night of March 12th, Mrs. Janie Partridge, widow of the late Wm. Partridge, and daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mallett of Union Road. For many years the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Partridge carried on their farming very successfully on their farm on Union Road, but finding farm work too much for their advancing years, they sold their farm and bought a property in York where they lived happily until the death of Mr. Partridge. Years after the death of her husband, the late Mrs. Partridge lived at home in York and bought her house on Hurd Street, Charlottetown, where she resided until the time of her death. The deceased was a very active and energetic woman and her greatest delight was in growing and caring for her flowers and wherever she resided, her gardens and lawns were well kept and beautiful. The late Mrs. Partridge was a faithful member and attendant of the former Methodist and later the United Church, and when ill health prevented her attending the regular services, she found great pleasure in listening to the sermons on the radio. The funeral which took place from the A. B. Outcliffe Funeral Home was largely attended and was, in the absence of her pastor, Rev. T. E. McLean, conducted by the Rev. J. A. Nicholson of York United Church, assisted at the graveside by Rev. T. A. Wilson of Cove Head.

Floral tributes were many and beautiful, a fitting tribute to one who in life loved and nurtured God's beautiful flowers.

The pall bearers were six nephews: Robert Chappel, Benjamin Mallett, J. Robert Mutch, Edmer Mallett, Archie Vessey, Walter Mallett.

Interment took place in Sherwood cemetery, where the mortal remains of a very estimable woman were laid to rest beside those of her husband there to await the resurrection morn.

Card of Thanks

The sisters and brothers of the late Mrs. Janie Partridge wish to thank all those who assisted in any way during their sad bereavement and especially those who sent floral offerings and letters of sympathy. 3-21-11

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. ISAAC BERNARD

The community of French River was saddened by the sudden passing of Mrs. Isaac Bernard at the home of her son, Harold Bernard, after a brief illness at the age of 72 years, on March 21st. She was the daughter of the late Donald and Mrs. MacLeod, Graham's Road. Her husband predeceased her thirteen years ago on the first of March. Last June she had the misfortune of breaking her leg. Although her condition was very serious, she made a splendid recovery and she was able to walk almost as well as ever.

Mrs. Bernard took a keen interest in current events and the affairs of the community. She was an energetic worker in Geddie Memorial Women's Missionary Society, an active member of Geddie Memorial Presbyterian Church and a faithful member of the choir as long as her health permitted.

Her funeral was held from the home of her son, Geddie Memorial Church on Saturday, March 24th, when a large crowd, which filled the Church of friends and relatives gathered to pay their tribute to a fine personality.

The services at the home and church were conducted by Rev. Allan MacGowan. The following hymns were sung in the home: "Sale in the Arms of Jesus," and at the church, led by a mixed choir, "The Lord's My Shepherd" and "There is no Night in Heaven" and "Forever With the Lord."

She leaves to mourn their loss besides her son, Harold, three step-children, Nina, (Mrs. Stanley Brown), Clifton, Ola, (Mrs. John Wood, B.C.) and Charlie, San Diego, California; a sister, Mrs. George Riley, Clinton and a brother, Mr. Harold S. MacLeod, Vernon, B.C.

The pallbearers were: Ira MacLeod, Heath MacLeod, Elmer MacLeod, Everett MacLeod, Foster MacLeod and George Howatt.

Interment was made in the Church cemetery. The many floral tributes speak of the esteem in which the deceased was held.

Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bernard wish to express their sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and also to those who sent messages of sympathy during their recent sad bereavement. 3-31-11

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Mrs. Donald Stewart who passed away March 26, 1944.

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The burn was deep and very painful, writes Lona T. Trost, assistant director, Red Cross Nursing Service. Mrs. Dickson had taken a first aid course and knew at once that Helen must have prompt medical attention, as it was 30 miles to the nearest physician.

Quickly Mrs. Dickson filled a pan with boiled water from baby's teakettle and added three or four tablespoons of common baking soda. She found a clean piece of old white tablecloth that was soft and absorbent. She dipped the linen in the soda water, wrung it out slightly and wrapped it firmly around the burned hand, being careful that each finger was wrapped separately. Then she covered the dressing with several thicknesses of waxed paper to retain the moisture.

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In Memoriam
In loving memory of Mrs. Walter Hayden, who died March 21, 1944.

A precious one from us is gone
A voice we loved is silent
A place made vacant in our hearts
Which never can be filled.
We think of her in silence
No eyes may see us weep
But many silent tears are shed
While others are fast asleep
That is one reason why doctors
Help us Lord to bear our loss
Sheltered on the Rock of Ages
Anchored on the Golden Shore
Safe in the Arms of Jesus
Sleeps our loved one evermore.
Sadly Missed by Husband and Family.
3-31-11.

In Memoriam
SMITH — In memory of a loving husband and father, John L. Smith, who passed away March 21st, 1931.

Ever Remembered by His Wife and Family.
3-31-11.

In Memoriam
WHITE — In loving birthday remembrance of a dear daughter and sister, Mrs. Frances Theresa White who passed away October 21st, 1942.

Lovingly Remembered by Her Mother, Sister and Brothers.
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In Memoriam
In loving memory of
MAE HOLLAND
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