

NEW MEMBERS

Nine new members of the Summerside Y's Men's club were inducted at the regular weekly meeting Thursday.

(FROM LEFT) are Don Goddard, Richard Sawler, Gary Black, Allan Rodd and William Wedlock.

Newly Elected President Chairs Association Meeting

John McNay, newly elected president of the Kensington Elementary Home and School Association, chaired the October meeting held in the auditorium recently. A short-business session dealt with several items including the announcement that a library tea will be held on October 26, with Mrs. Keith Kennedy reporting on the arrangements.

A letter was read from the Ladies Aid of the Prince County Hospital, thanking the Association for postponing the meeting, leaving the regular date free for the Fashion Show.

The attendance cup was won by Mrs. Fenner Stewart's room. Olive Thompson told the meeting that the cup is being repaired, and a motion was passed to pay the bill. Any one interested was asked to attend a meeting to discuss the formation of a Guides and Brownie Auxiliary.

The members discussed a change in the membership fee, passed at the recent Home and School provincial annual meeting, and a motion was passed that the fee be set at \$1.00 per family at the local level. This will include a subscription to the magazine "Quest".

Mrs. Claude Hogg gave a report on the address delivered by Eleanor MacDonald at the afternoon session of the annual meeting. The address dealt with the fact that the development of a love of reading is essential to education.

Mrs. John McNay spoke on the evening session when some problems in reading were discussed. It was learned that ready comprehension is important; part of the parent's duty is to see that the children learn to listen, and reading should be fun, not a chore.

Mrs. Robert Carruthers, a teacher who specializes in remedial reading, gave a demonstration and talk on the S.R.A. Reading for Understanding kit, in use in the school this year. Speaking on the emphasis on comprehension, Mrs. Carruthers said the children must learn to think, to think critically, and to know if they agree with what they read. Samples of reading tests which have been prepared for pupils from grade 3 right up to college were shown to the audience.

Austin Pendergast thanked the speaker for her address. He advised to make their own arrangements in seeking other employment. A severance agreement has been arranged which will guarantee all staff a month's pay if the final step of closure comes about.

"A caretaker arrangement will be worked out with the Provincial Government, the body to whom the Trust reports, regarding details for the protection and security of the buildings. The fate of the Provincial Library which occupies a wing of the building will be an important topic under discussion.

"Should the Trust be forced to take the final step, the cessation of operations will mean the cancellation of the Charlottetown Summer Festival for the 1967 season and the proposed national tour of the festival production "Anne of Green Gables" under the auspices of the Canada Festival.

"Cancellation of future attractions booked into the theatre will be necessary as well as the cancellation of exhibitions slated for the Art Gallery, Ballet and art classes and other educational activities will also come to a halt.

"The announcement of the cessation of operations comes at a time when the National Shrine has enjoyed its most successful year in terms of public acceptance and use of its facilities. The instructional classes are filled to capacity and a full slate of

take the trucks across to the other side. Since the Abegweit draws more water the roll was not as severe.

MONCTON (CP) — High winds in Northumberland Strait Friday forced the CNR to withdraw the ferry Confederation from service on the run between Cape Tormentine, N.B. — Borden, P.E.I., railway officials here said Friday night. During one rough crossing Friday morning, a truck was damaged when it shifted on the Confederation's deck.

The ferry Abegweit, biggest ship on the run, stayed in service. Winds were reported gusting to 71 miles per hour.

funds obtained from a private source enabled the Trust to continue operating the Memorial until further negotiations could be carried out.

"Further negotiations were opened in the early spring of 1966, and a meeting was arranged with the Secretary of State on 13 July. At that meeting the Secretary was made aware of the critical position of the Trust and informed that it would not be able to continue operation of Confederation Centre beyond 30 September if long term financing was not arranged.

"In September, and again in early October further notification was given to both the Prince Edward Island and the Federal Governments and an early November date had to be set as the last possible extension of operation.

NO CONFIRMATION "Since no confirmation has been forthcoming from Ottawa, the Trust can no longer be responsible for incurring debts or making commitments and it has reluctantly resolved that it must cease operation of Confederation Centre on 5 November.

"Pending confirmation of financing from the Federal Government the Trust will take the following action.

"The forty-five employees of the Trust will be notified of the current state of affairs and will

"Motivated by the principle that the buildings were in essence and in fact a national shrine belonging to all the people of Canada, the Trust approached the Federal Government to bear the major portion of the cost of operation and maintenance.

"It was evident that the grants awarded could not adequately operate and maintain the Memorial on a yearly basis, and only

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Premier Campbell To Attend Meeting

A meeting to make preparations for the upcoming fiscal conference on tax sharing arrangements was held yesterday between Premier Alex Campbell, Hon. T. Earl Hickey, provincial federal fiscal co-ordinator, and Doug Dinnis Deputy provincial treasurer.

The conference is to be held in Ottawa during the latter part of next week.

It is at this conference on tax-sharing arrangements that the final allotment of federal monies to Prince Edward Island will be made known.

Following this conference the premier will be in a better position

to finalize a date for the special session of the Legislature sometime in early November.

Accompanying the premier to special talks on education and tax-sharing arrangements will be Hon. Gordon Bennett, minister of education; Dr. Frank MacKinnon, principal of Prince of Wales College, and Rt. Rev. George MacDonald, president of St. Dunstan's University.

Foxley River Resident Assessed \$10

Magistrate R.S. Hinton, presided in Summerside town police court yesterday as an elderly man stated that a recent accident was his first in 50 years.

The man, Archibald Sylvester Dora of Foxley River changed his plea from not guilty to guilty and was fined \$10 and costs on a charge of driving without due care and attention. A minor accident resulted.

Ken Judson, Summerside, was fined \$10 and costs; Robert O'Leary, CFB, Summerside, \$13 and costs and Earl Pasanen, CFB, Summerside, \$40 and costs all on charges of speeding 1 n town. Pasanen was clocked at 60 mph on Granville Street at 2:30 a.m.

Walter Graham Gives Address

"A sound spiritual heritage for our youth can only be realized by you parents building up the family unit," said Walter Graham, newly appointed travelling representative of the Watchtower, Bible and Tract Society and chairman of the Friday evening program at Je-

Society Celebrates Anniversary

TIGNISH — The Mutuelle Society founded in Tignish in 1905 by a group of people interested in helping each other and approved in 1906, celebrated the 60th Anniversary of their existence with a Banquet held in the Legion home recently. The society has an enrollment of 116 members that include St. Louis, Miscouche, and Tignish where the central bureau is located.

Among the head-table guests and speakers were: Mrs. Delma DesRoches, president of the central bureau who had the honor of cutting the anniversary cake, Mrs. Roy Gallant, treasurer of central, and Lucy Arsenault, secretary, Mrs. Joseph J. Bernard, St. Louis, president, Mrs. Edmond Gallant, Miscouche president, Sylvère Gallant, secretary, Very Rev. M.J. Rooney and Edmond Gallant. Emile Gallant outlined the duties of the society and John J. Richard spoke on the founding of the organization and its work to the present day. Mrs. Sylvang Gallant was the oldest member in attendance.

hovah's Witnesses week-end convention being held at the Charlottetown Rural Regional High School, "don't mean just studying the Bible together—regularly attending congregation meetings together and engaging in the door-to-door ministry together; but also working together on family projects and taking recreation together. Only then will you truly be following the Bible command. A half-hour film entitled "Heritage" and demonstrations showed the audience how this could be done.

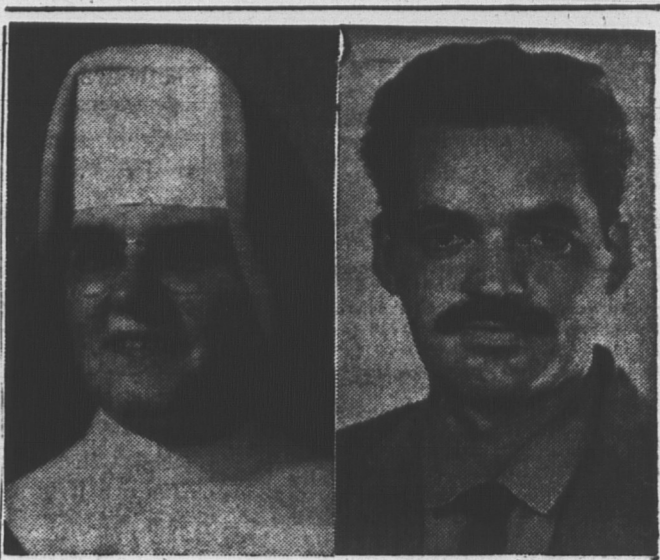
Earlier in the evening the three six to fifteen minute talks in the model ministry school were delivered by Harold Drake, Kimbol MacPherson, and Penny Locke, all in their mid or early teens, showing the value of this training.

The program continues this evening at 6:55 and the concluding session is set for Sunday afternoon.

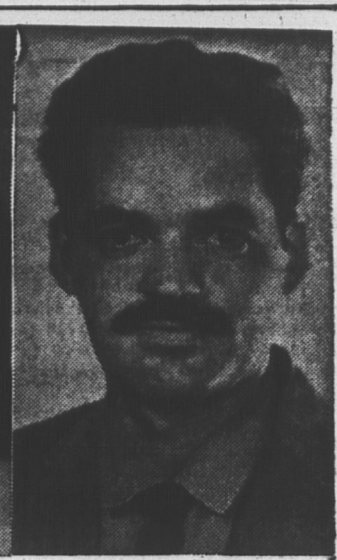
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KEVIN BOGGINS

SDU Additions Are Announced

Two additions to the staff of St. Dunstan's University for the current year are Kevin E. Boggins, M.A., and Sister Mary Peter, CSM, Ph.D.

Mr. Boggins received his Master of Arts degree from the University of North Carolina and has completed the course requirements for his Ph.D. which he will receive on the completion of his dissertation.

He has travelled and studied extensively in England and Germany, and has also taught at the University of North Carolina and the University of Michigan. He is engaged in the classics department at SDU.

Sister Mary Peter, the former Bernice Cullen, was the first student to receive a degree from St. Dunstan's University when SDU initially began granting degrees in 1941, graduating with a Bachelor of Arts degree, summa cum laude. She received her Ph.D. in sacred doctrine from St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Indiana.

Before obtaining her Ph.D. she was principal and taught at Kinross High School for a period of 14 years. She also served as Superior at St. Vincent's Orphanage for three years.

Sister Mary Peter is in the Theology department at SDU.



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City Hospital Awarded Status

The Charlottetown Hospital has been awarded accreditation status for a further three-year period, following a detailed survey of the hospital's facilities and services made by Dr. J.P. Laplante.

Sister Mary David, hospital administrator, informed a recent meeting of the board of governors of this notification from the Canadian Council on Hospital Accreditation.

Fourteen members were present at the meeting presided over by Dr. L.L. Duffy, board chairman.

The chairman reported that a

meeting had taken place of a committee of the boards of both hospitals with representatives of each hospital Union. A new contract is being negotiated.

The hospital budget for the year 1967 was presented by the Accountant and reviewed by the Board for presentation to the Hospital Services Commission.

Sister Mary Irene, director of nursing, reported on the studies carried out by the Nurses' Association in relation to the transition of nursing education in P.E.I. 31 students have been admitted to nursing.

HIGH WINDS

Confederation Ferry Withdrawn From Service

The MV Confederation ferry was reported to have experienced an extremely rough crossing from Cape Tormentine yesterday morning on the 6 a.m. crossing.

The Confederation was reported to have been a short distance from Borden when high winds and adverse sea conditions forced her to return to Cape Tormentine.

A number of transport trucks were reported to have sustained heavy damage, one vehicle having the front windshield and hood crushed by a wave which swept over the truck. A driver in the cab was not injured.

A truck belonging to Art Bowness of Bowness Transport Ltd.

also sustained damage to both sides and along the roof line when it was wedged between the boat wall and another truck, however, no damage was sustained to the cargo it was carrying.

A cargo of ale was partially damaged as the pitch of the ship caused the load to be hurled to the deck. It is not known what company was transporting the beer, but heavy damage was reported to have been sustained by the vehicle.

No cars, women or children were reported on the boat. The rolling was reported to have reached as high as 27 degrees.

The MV Abegweit made the 8 o'clock crossing from Borden to

Confederation

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continuous preparation, planning and negotiation.

"The Trust says it has exhausted all its sources of revenue, and cannot continue to operate the national memorial after Nov. 5, 1966 unless definite assurance of adequate financing is forthcoming from the Federal Government before that time.

"The Trust emphasized that it was making public the situation because of its obligation as a body of responsible citizens to the people of Canada. The Trust also said that while it regretted the necessity of the announcement it felt it could no longer hold it in view of the deadline of Nov. 5. It emphasized that publication of the record of its negotiations was in no way intended as a reflection on the cabinet.

"The Trust fully realizes that the Federal Cabinet has had

DEATHS

LAYBOLT — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Oct. 19, John L. Laybolt, Dundee, in his 77th year. Remains were transferred from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home to his late residence from where funeral will be held Sunday, service commencing at 2 o'clock. Interment in the West St. Peter's cemetery.

BRENNAN — At the Prince County Hospital Oct. 20, 1966, Eric Brennan of Spring Valley in his 24th year. Remains were forwarded from the Davison Funeral Home to his late residence where the funeral will be held on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. to the Church of the Holy Family, Kensington for Requiem Mass at 3 p.m. Interment in Indian River cemetery.

DUFFY — At the Edmonton Hospital on October 17, Rev. Harry Allan Duffy. Resting at the Hennessy Funeral Home until 2 o'clock this afternoon when his remains will be transferred to the home of his brother, Patrick E. Duffy, 807 Augustus on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock his remains will be taken to St. Patrick's Church to lie in state until a Mass of Concelebration on Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment in the Church cemetery.

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