

LIBRARY NEWS PAGE

Charlottetown and Queens County

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Library Survey Sought As Basis For Support

At the second day's session of the Atlantic Provinces Library Association Conference held at Monctony Hall on Tuesday, a topic of discussion was the possibility of obtaining aid for public libraries from the Government of Canada.

The question has been under study for some years in the Canadian Library Association, and the need for new sources of support was indicated by the inquiry into existing library services carried out in the Atlantic Provinces Library Association. The matter of federal aid will receive serious consideration at a library conference in Ottawa in June.

Arising from the inquiry, a resolution was adopted which stated that the Canadian Library Association investigate means of making a thorough survey of library facilities in Canada as a basis for instituting far-reaching measures for improvement of library services.

Atlantic provinces librarians will also be formulating their own designs for the best possible library service as the association executive was directed to form a committee which would work towards formation of a master plan for libraries in the Atlantic provinces.

A report was received from Miss Shirley Ellis, librarian of the Nova Scotia Legislative Library, on the Atlantic Provinces checklist. This index to periodical material on the Atlantic provinces is a joint project of the Library Association.

Team captain, presented Mrs. Debra S. Paperwright A. G.

A discussion concerning the proposed Spring Park playground and this summer's Red Cross swimming classes resulted in Mrs. Jack Smallwood agreeing to continue in her position as chairman of this committee.

Souris To Add Classrooms, Gymnasium To Regional High

SOURIS—The purchase of five new school buses and the recommendation to enlarge the present 12 classroom school by six to eight classrooms were the major items of the first annual meeting of the Souris Regional High School board of trustees last night.

The enlargement of the school will provide facilities for a commercial class, a home economics course and study rooms for adult education and the retarded children. The most important addition will be a new gymnasium.

At present the school which serves 27 school districts in the Souris area has no facilities for physical fitness and does not have a cafeteria. The extra classrooms and gymnasium will cost an estimated \$170,000 the board reported.

Former Resident Dies in Ontario

Funeral services for Allen E. Macdonald, 76, of 124 Albert Street West, Kitchener, Ont., who died May 12 were conducted last Tuesday.

Born in Prince Edward Island he was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Macdonald. A carpenter who retired in 1906, he had lived in Kitchener 14 years and was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are two sons: Rowland of St. Thomas and Lloyd of Kitchener; one brother, Everett of Point Prim, P.E.I.; and two sisters, Mrs. Annie Macdonald of Cape Breton, and Mrs. Gladys Marchison, Point Prim. Five grandchildren also survive.

Burial was in Woodland cemetery, Kitchener, Ont.

HIGH JUMPER IN ACTION

Field yesterday afternoon. Both boys and girls competed in the various events and here is shown one of the girls clearing the bar in the high jump event. (See results on Sports page.)

Nightwood High School noted on Queen Charlotte track and field meet at Memorial

Graduate Nurses Given Advice By Guest Speaker

"It is a very special way this year, do not begin it as a nurse, but rather a graduate," said W. Douglas A. Piercy, MD, executive director, Canadian Hospital Association, Toronto, who spoke last night to the graduates of the Charlottetown Hospital School of Nursing and Radiography in Birchwood High School auditorium.

Twenty-four graduates of the School of Nursing and one of the School of Radiography received their diplomas and pins.

Dr. Piercy, said "on this, the 4th graduation exercises of the School of Nursing, it is a bouquet and happy occasion for you, your families and your teachers. This marks the completion of the first phase of your professional growth. Co-operation and flexibility are probably two of the greatest attributes of your experiences to date."

He addressed the graduates in three main ways: as nurses, as individuals and as Canadians.

ON HIGH PLAINS "Medical science is today giving the world the healthiest state it has ever known," he said. "Today your profession stands on a very high plane. Do not let your nursing become mechanical; never forget that each patient is an individual and looks to you for help. People who are sick are emotionally upset. The average patient is full of fear. We need to examine ourselves from the point of view of the patient. Our work and duties become so routine that we forget the patient."

Directing his remarks to the graduates as individuals, he stated "You are a part of a society. One cannot speak of success without mentioning ambition. Keep your sense of purpose, high goals are desirable, but we should not let them blind us."

"We live in troublesome times," he said. "Life is a battle of ideas and ideals. At no time in our history does the nation need individuals of responsibility more than it does today. Canada needs heads that can think wisely and hearts that can think warmly. Take your place as citizens in this young country. Today you stand on the threshold of a career in nursing. Yours is a great privilege to serve humanity in many ways."

Miss Joanita Macdonald, valdicatorian, said "Not all lives can be great, but all lives can be well lived. Our lives are but moments for something greater or lesser. We have reached a milestone of our dreams. We are here to do, not to get from life."

BISHOP SPEAKS His Excellency, Most Rev. M.A. MacEachern, DD, PhD spoke briefly, saying to the graduates "The elements of personal endorsement and exercise the virtue of the individual. Services today are 100 often measured in terms of dollars and cents."

Presentation of diplomas was by Bishop MacEachern, while pins were presented by Miss Genevieve MacEachern, RN, Clinical Instructor; and Miss Patricia Gauthier, RN, Nursing Arts Director.

Chairman was J.L.F. Burge, MD, chief of the medical staff of Charlottetown Hospital. He presented the annual report of the Charlottetown Hospital at the meeting and congratulating the graduates on behalf of the hospital, referred to them as

Eldon Green Heads Spring Park H & S

Eldon Green is the new president of the Spring Park Home and School Association for the coming year. Also elected to the plate were Mrs. W.I. MacLean, vice-president; Mrs. Maurice Griffin, secretary; and Ewen Stewart, treasurer. J.A. Campbell is past president.

A musical portion of the Student Nurses' Choral in three vocal numbers, Lovely Night; Psalm 22—My Shepherd is the Lord; and When Spring With its Joy.

Guests of honor were Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. F. Walter Hyndman and Charlottetown Mayor A. Waltham Gaudet and Mrs. Gaudet.

The coaches introduced the players and Ernest Dunsford.

Motorcade Is Planned Today For T.C. Douglas

A motorcade through a large section of the city will take place following the arrival of T.C. Douglas, national leader of the New Democratic Party at an airport at 2:30 this afternoon.

Mr. Douglas is coming here primarily to speak in the evening at O'Leary in support of party candidate Arnold Wood, West Cape, but he will visit briefly at a number of places in Queens and Prince County enroute to the evening engagement.

Provincial President Ian Webster and other party officials will meet Mr. Douglas on arrival here.

MOTORCADE ROUTE The motorcade will travel via Brackley Point Road, Longworth Avenue, Weymouth, Water, Rochford, Boston, Hillbrook, King, Powell, Kent, Great George, Gratton, Prince, Richmond and Queen, with a stop at the library corner where Mr. Douglas will meet and talk with interested people.

Leaving the corner, the motorcade will proceed by Gratton, Great George and Elm Avenue to the country, with stops scheduled at Hunter River, New

Former Souris Dies

The death of Vernon Heath Knight occurred in New York on May 15. He was 72.

The late Mr. Knight who was the second son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Knight of Souris is survived by a brother, Weston of Vancouver, B.C., and two sisters, Marie, Mrs. E.F. Goff of Fort Covallan, B.C., and Madeline, Mrs. R.L. Kutz of Chicago, U.S.A.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

NO DAMAGE City ferries were called to the crenes of Villa and Ambrose streets shortly before 11 p.m. when a slight fire spread underneath a small garage. No damage was reported.

NICIE DIES Mrs. Dan Livingston, Southport, received the sad news recently of the death of her niece, Mrs. Gustave Fantz, in Georgetown, Ont. Mrs. Fantz was the daughter of Freeman MacEachern, of Saskatoon, Sask. A daughter of Long Creek, P.E.I.

PROUDE FUNERAL—The funeral for Owen Proutie was held yesterday afternoon from the Catholic Funeral Home. Service was conducted by Rev. Donald Campbell assisted by Rev. B.S. Latimer, pallbearers were, David Johnson, George Henry, Joseph Horgan, George Woodridge, Bradford Murray and David Good. Interment was in Highland cemetery.

MACDONALD FUNERAL—The funeral for Malcolm D. Macdonald was held Saturday afternoon, May 19, from his late residence at Kiroos to Orwell Head United Church where Rev. A.C. Fraser conducted the service and also the service at the grave assisted by Rev. Dr. A.S. Watt. A solo was rendered by Lloyd Martin. "We Will Never Grow Old", pallbearers were Rev. MacEachern, Cyril MacEachern, Hume, John J. Gillis, William Penny and Stanley MacEachern. Flower bearers were Harold MacLeod, Arthur MacEachern, Hampton Penny, Kenneth MacLeod, Stanley MacEachern and Arnold MacEachern. Interment was in the church cemetery.

FORD FUNERAL—The funeral for Hammond E. Ford was held yesterday afternoon from the Catholic Funeral Home to Trinity United Church where service was conducted by Rev. G.O. Burt assisted by Rev. Lewis. Members of the Sons of Woodland attended in a body, with Rev. G.O. Burt as conductor. Flower bearers were, John White and George Larter, Christ. The honorary pallbearers were, Dr. H.H. Ferguson, Brian W.W. Bell, Byron B.W. Wallace, Wallace Scottsdale, W.D. LePage and West MacEachern. Active pallbearers were Robert Combs, Roy White, Harry D. Dwyer, Fred Smith, Robert and Ernest Siller, Interment was in White North cemetery.

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