

# ISLAND NEWS PAGE

Montague, Souris, Kings County

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## Steel Trawlers Are Considered

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The P.E.I. Fishermen's Loan Board has under consideration two applications for construction of 8-foot steel trawlers, which was stated yesterday by Fisheries and Natural Resources Minister Leo Rossier.

The trawlers are similar to the ones built in New Brunswick last year.

Mr. Rossier, who inspected several of the vessels in New Brunswick last week, said the trawlers have "several advantages" over the draggers used here now. "The upkeep costs are less, and the steel vessels last about 10 years longer. They hold about two-and-one-half times the load our draggers do."

The steel ships cost \$340,000 each, of which the federal government pays half. "Total cost would be \$240,000. With this amount, five draggers of our present type could be built. So we could get \$240,000 worth of ships that would be as good, or better to us, than five draggers."

"With the present fleet getting old and needing the normal replacements, my department feels that the steel vessels would be most adaptable to our fleet at the present time."

## St. Andrew's Church Officers Elected At Annual Meeting

MONTAGUE — The annual business meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Montague, was held in the church hall last Wednesday evening, with a large number of members and adherents present. A brief worship period was conducted by Rev. B. C. Lowery.

Mr. Lowery presided as chairman and H. M. Smith acted as secretary for the meeting. Following the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting, splendid reports were presented by the various groups within the church.

The church treasurer, Mrs. Elizabeth Wattarworth, read the financial report.

Other reports were presented as follows: Young Women's Guild, Mrs. Richard Knox; Sunday School, Mrs. Leland Nelson; Ladies Aid Society, Mrs. A. C. MacKay; Women's Missionary Society, Mrs. William McKenna; Choir, Chester MacLure; Young People's Society, David MacLean; Children of the Church, Mrs. Wellington Campbell; Explorers group, Mrs. Bryon Shaw.

In the absence of Mrs. James Shaw, the report of the Cradle

## Reports On Swine Slated

The following members were elected to the board of managers: Dr. W. S. McIntyre, Kenneth MacPhee, Modie MacDonald, Allan Nelson, William Brewster, Donald Munro, Carl Johnston.

The ushers and plate collectors for the ensuing year are as follows: Douglas McKenna, David MacLean, Harry Johnston, Milton Fraser, Murdoch Hume, Kenneth MacPhee, Richard Knox, Bryon Ballum.

A. C. MacKay was re-elected as auditor. Mr. Lowery presented the report of the session, and spoke on the budget, stressing the importance of this phase of the work of the church. The allocation for 1963 was unanimously accepted. He also spoke of the renovations which are required at Camp Keir, this matter to be discussed when further details are available.

The meeting closed with the benediction, after which refreshments were served by the ladies of the congregation.

## HER SECOND EIGHT-ENDER

Mrs. Ruth MacDonald, Montague shown above as the deliverer of a stone is perhaps the only woman to be the proud winner of two eight-ender titles or has become a member of the Eight-End Club twice.

Mrs. MacDonald has been a curling star for over two years. She plays first stone, delivers with a slide and is one of the better leads among the new curlers. The team consisting of H. Clair, Adah

MacGregor, Barbara MacLellan and Mrs. MacDonald with the pins a 4 silver miniature butter dishes which will have their names, the name of the club and date of playing engraved on them.

## Manning Declares Canada Should Accept Warheads

EDMONTON (CP) — Premier E. C. Manning said here that Canada has a responsibility to accept nuclear weapons from the United States as a deterrent against nuclear aggression.

Mr. Manning told a press conference he is "unalterably opposed" to Canada producing nuclear weapons of its own. But "no nation can expect, or accept with honor, the protection of the defensive weapons of another nation without assuming its rightful share of responsibility for the sanction and use of the weapons involved," the Social Credit premier said.

Mr. Manning said that if this idea was the one Liberal Leader Pearson expressed in Toronto recently, Mr. Pearson was to be commended for his stand.

The Liberal leader called on the government to accept nuclear warheads for NATO and Norad.

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MONTREAL (CP) — Quebec is going to have to impose tolls on planned express highways to pay for them, Quebec Revenue Minister Paul Earl said Monday.

He told the Royal Automobile Club that the only "reasonable solution" the provincial government could find to financing needed highways "was to impose tolls on those who directly use them and at the time of use."

"These highways would then become self-liquidating enterprises over a period of years and would remove at least some part of the problem of finance by providing revenues with which to amortize construction."

Mr. Earl did not specify where such highways might be built or what the tolls might be.

Text of Mr. Earl's address was given to the press before delivery.

committed to what has been called the quiet revolution in education... and to other major changes in which you know it is difficult to see what other course we could have taken.

He emphasized that the government stands on tolls as "no more than a temporary answer."

In principle the government opposed toll roads. "In practice, however, we are confronted by the problem of how to pay for these multi-million-dollar communications."

The government was planning to spend about \$200,000,000 on roads this year, \$40,000,000 more than would be obtained by gasoline and licensing taxes. If the additional money were to come out of general revenues, "then the population is going to be confronted by tax increases."

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## EASTERN BRIDES

HAD HOLIDAY  
Mrs. Sam Cannon returned to Charlottetown Sunday, after the most enjoyable holiday spent in Montague.

WERE VISITORS  
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lawson, Charlottetown, and Mrs. J. A. Lawson, Jr., and family of Montague, were visitors to Montague on Sunday.

CENTRAL ROYALTY  
Mrs. Russell Roper, provincial president of the Ladies Legion Auxiliary and Mrs. Burzyne, Charlottetown, were official visitors to the weekly meeting of the Montague Branch of the Legion Auxiliary, Wednesday evening.

HAD GUESTS  
Mrs. J. W. Carruthers of Montague was at Sunday guests, Mrs. J. Murdoch, Dr. H. E. B. MacIntyre, Charlottetown, and Mrs. A. G. Gossell of Ottawa, who were at the spending several days at the guest of Mrs. Murdoch.

WHALEN FUNERAL — The funeral for Albert Whalen was held Thursday morning from the Perry Funeral Home to St. Andrew's Church, Souris, where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. J. J. Dunphy. Rev. John Cash assisted in the choir. Pallbearers were: Clayton Rose, Alvah Ching, Ross Young, Laurence Sutherland, William Lesperle, Merlin Chapman. Interment was in the church cemetery.

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## Fish, Game Ass'n Meets At Souris

SOURIS — After considerable discussion on hunting and fishing licences, the Souris Branch of the Fish and Game Association at a recent meeting decided that there should not be any change in the present regulations.

The proposal had been made that farmers and fishermen should buy angling and hunting licences, and another suggestion was that licence fees should be raised. The group decided against both proposals.

The price for the best goose shot during the past season went to Dan Jarvis of Souris.

The nominating committee that was appointed included Ed Gauthier, Harry Dixon and Roy White.