



OPENING MIXED BONSPIEL AT MONTAGUE

EASTERN GUARDIAN

ALLISTON Christmas concert. Cambridge hall, Tuesday, Dec. 18, 8 o'clock.

TEACHER'S workshop Montague. Thursday, December 13, 8:00 p.m. Teachers and delegates urged to attend.

SENIOR girls hockey meeting. Wednesday, Dec. 6th, Montague rink. Surrounding districts please participate.

MURRAY HARBOR MAIL. Effective December 17th the present motor vehicle services for mail originating on the Charlotte-Murray Harbor route will be discontinued. From this date all mail originating at or destined to any postal point on this route, will be carried by the Canadian National Railways, on trains 209 and 240. Train 209 will leave Southport each day at 3:00 p.m. arriving at Murray Harbour at 6:00 p.m. Train 240 will leave Murray Harbour each day at 7:00 a.m. arriving at Southport at 10:15 a.m. Side services will be established to transport mail between the various railway stations and the respective post offices. This information was announced recently by F.E. Ketchum, District Director of Postal Services, St. John, N.B.

United Eastern Y.P.U. Rally Held

The Eastern Presbytery Y.P.U. held their Fall Rally at St. David's Church, Georgetown, on Saturday, December 1. The afternoon session opened with worship conducted by Merrill Wigginton, Dorothy Macdonald and George Beck of Montague Y.P.U. Carol Walker was organist. The business period followed, conducted by the President, Jackie Aiken. The minutes of the Spring Rally were read and approved. Roll call was answered by 56 members representing 10 unions. The secretary read a letter regarding the Missions Project and a wire from the Maritime Conference. President, David Macdonald, it was moved by Rev. J.M. Fraser and seconded by Gladys MacMillan that each union try to send in \$1 more than their Presbytery Allocation before the Unions close in the spring, for the assistance of the delegates to the National Council. It was moved by Rev. J.M. Fraser and seconded by Fred Sellar that Merrill Wigginton fill the vacancy of Recreation and Culture Convenor on the executive. It was moved by Gail Johnston and seconded by Renee Colton that a committee comprising Jackie Merrill Wigginton meet with Mrs. Sharp to formulate plans regarding Religious Drama Festival. A report on the Fall Convention at New Glasgow, N.S. was given by Iris Frizzell. Margaret MacMillan gave a report on a week she had spent at the Atlantic Christian Training Centre, Tatamagouche. Lorraine Coffin presented the Advance Program and gave a most interesting resume on National Council. The Resolutions Committee was appointed as follows: Rev. W.A. Patterson, Fred Sellar, Mrs. Donald Mutch, Joyce Stead, and Lorraine Coffin. Sandy MacLean and Wayne Macdonald led discussion groups on Citizenship and Community Service and Faith and Evangelism. The group then adjourned to the hall where a delicious lunch was served by the ladies in charge. Immediately following, Bible Quiz was conducted by Gladys MacMillan. The evening session opened with worship conducted by Gladys MacMillan and Eleanor Coffin of Trinity Young Adults. Fred Sellar was organist. The minutes of the afternoon session were read and approved. Roll call was answered by 54 members representing 10 unions. Mrs. Donald Mutch brought in the following resolutions: That we thank the people of Georgetown United Church for their hospitality in making this rally possible. Resolved that we thank Mr. Fraser for his inspiring message this evening. That we recommend that members of local Unions use the Young Peoples Handbook regularly in their meetings. That each union seriously consider the presentation of a Religious Drama during this season. That we as Young People encourage in every way possible total abstinence from the use of intoxicating liquor. That we also urge upon our people the importance of the 10 Commandments as a Wise Guide for our everyday living. That we as Young People make regular Church attendance a vital part of our Christian life. Resolved that the Sabbath Day be kept holy. That we as Young People seriously consider the call to dedication of our lives and all that we have to the cause of Christ our Lord. The guest speaker Rev. J.M. Fraser of Montague was introduced by Rev. W.A. Patterson. Mr. Fraser's text was taken from the 10th Chapter of Deuteronomy "I set before you Life and Death, Blessing and cursing, therefore choose Life". The Benediction was pronounced by Rev. W.A. Patterson.

An action shot taken at the Montague Curling Rink during the opening mixed bonspiel on Saturday night. Shown are Mrs. Douglas McGowan, Mrs. Jerry Jorgins with Mrs. Don Wannamaker in the background busily engaged in bringing her skips stone onto the button. Part of the newly sheathed interior and score boards may also be seen.

Peake's Re-elected Same W. I. Officers

The annual meeting of the Peake's Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. John Hughes on Nov. 27th, with an attendance of eight members and one visitor. The president, Miss Mary Handrahan presided. Roll call was answered by each member paying her membership fee. Members of last annual and monthly meetings were read, approved and signed. Reports of various committees were heard and all correspondence read. The Treasurer gave the financial report for the year. It was moved and seconded that a box be packed for St. Vincent's Orphanage, articles for sale to be given to Mrs. Devine and that \$5 be given to teacher for treat for pupils at Xmas. It was also decided to have a Mass offered for a deceased friend. The election of officers then took place. It was moved by Mrs. Thomas Dunphy and seconded by Mrs. Reg. McDonald that the present slate of officers continue for another year. Mrs. Jos. Kelly invited the members to her home for the next meeting. Meeting then adjourned. Lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Miss Mary Handrahan after which a card game was enjoyed by all.

C.W.L. CARD PARTY—The regular weekly card party sponsored by the Montague C.W.L. was held on Tuesday night, Dec. 4th, with a good attendance. The ladies' prize was won by Mrs. Levi Power and the men's prize by Mr. John Callaghan. New Perth. Lunch was served by the committee in charge.

St. Mary's Road Man Took Part In C. B. Search

Mr. Roy P. Gormley, a former resident of St. Mary's Road, P.E.I. took part in the recent unsuccessful search for Sydney steelworker, Wylie Wood, who became lost in the densely wooded Loch Lomond area of Lewis Bay West, while hunting deer with two companions. When he failed to rendezvous with his friends, the RCMP were notified and an intensive search commenced. So far Mr. Wood has not been located. At the height of the search, Mr. Gormley and Mr. Bob Brown carried out many night flights in a light Aerona aircraft in the hope that they might spot a signal fire in the dense forest in which the hunter was presumed lost. Mr. Gormley is no longer living in Sydney, having left there to take up an appointment with the Air Services branch of the federal civil service.

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Private Business Is On Its Way Out In Shanghai

By DAVID LANCASHIRE SHANGHAI (AP)—Capitalists in Shanghai still have limited control of their businesses. But they are following a five-year plan whose goal is their own extinction. The foreign enterprises which built the city have dwindled under pressure to almost zero. Their Chinese counterparts have been absorbed into the Communist program under the title of joint state-private businesses. The head of any concern, from the operator of a laundry to the owner of a steel mill, referred to in China as a capitalist. Most of them are in Shanghai. There are virtually no independent operators left. At the end of 1955 the government estimated the number of private manufacturing concerns at 113,000. All of them are under at least 50 per cent state control.

BOTH WANT PRODUCTION

Most of the shareholders work in the pen factory. The president is a Communist representative. "He keeps the factory running on socialist lines," Mrs. Tang explained. Production decisions are made by a committee of private and state shareholders, and union representatives from the factory. "Our interests are the same as the state," she said. "We both want production." "And now, with the state running all the plants, we haven't got to worry about competition or the market. We haven't even got to worry about buying raw materials—it just comes here. The government looks after everything." How much longer did Mrs. Tang expect to collect dividends as a private shareholder? "Not more than three or four years, I imagine," she said. "Chairman Mao has announced that by the end of the third five-year plan (1967), private capital will have disappeared. I think that we will be nationalized long before that." Would there be any compensation for private investments when the firm was taken over completely? "We consider the dividends we are getting now to be quite enough as compensation," she said. "The money we lose will be exchanged for the prosperity of the country." "After all, we have come to see that capitalist exploitation must be abolished."

Mrs. Tang is vice-president of the Fountain Pen Manufacturers' Association, an organization to maintain socialist order among other former capitalist producers. (Tomorrow—A visit to a department store in Peiping)

MARITIME CORRESPONDENCE COLLEGE

Students are now being accepted for academic and commercial courses beginning January, 1957. Students completing subjects in Grade X, XI and XII must write the examinations set by the Atlantic Provinces' Examining Board. Teachers in P.E.I. may work toward a higher professional license and students may obtain Matriculation standing. Tuition fees are scheduled to increase after the new year. Take advantage and enroll now. All applications must be filed for second term work before January 15. For complete information and applications, write to the Principal. A. L. Hubley, B.A. PRINCIPAL

ANNUAL MEETING

Annual meeting Southern King's Fish and Game Association, Bison Restaurant, Wednesday night at 7:30. Special films on hunting, also local hunting scenes. Buffet lunch. All members and others asked to attend. Important meeting.

WARNING!



INTERRUPTION NOTICE

There will be an interruption of electric power on our Souris line, east of Mt. Stewart, on Wednesday afternoon, December 12, between the hours of 1:00 and 4:00 p.m., weather permitting, for the purpose of allowing us to replace broken insulators and carry out other necessary maintenance work on this line.

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Montague Town Council Meeting

Routine business was carried out at the regular monthly meeting of the Montague Town Council which was held last night in the council chambers. Mayor B. H. Yeo presided, with councillors Clements, Reynolds, Green and Vanderstine present. It was decided to grant the Junior Board of Trade permission to renovate the walls of the old post office (main floor). It was also decided by a majority vote, that Boxing Day, Dec. 26th, would be a civic holiday.

Hockey Meeting Held At Montague

A hockey meeting was held in the Montague Rink on Saturday night to determine the feasibility of drawing up plans for a league series. There were representatives from Cherry Valley, Summerville, Heatherdale and Montague. It is hoped that the next meeting, which is to be held Wednesday night at 7:30 that representatives from other districts will be present. It is thought that an all-star team could be selected prior to registration, to compete in the intermediate "C" League. The Wednesday meeting will be to select a slate of officers for the ensuing year, and plan a program. It was felt by those present, that an interesting hockey season will be in store for the fans.

BRISTOL

Miss Reta Ryan, city, and her brother Todd, who is with the Bank of Nova Scotia, the western part of the Island, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Len Ryan. The many friends of Mr. Earnest Coffin will be sorry to learn that owing to his failing eye sight he has gone to Beach Grove to reside. Len Coffin, as he was always known here, was one of the hard-

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Yugoslavia Is Annoyed Over Nagy Incident

BELGRADE (AP)—Yugoslavia summarily rejected Thursday a night Hungary's explanation that former premier Imre Nagy went to Romania voluntarily. A sharp Yugoslav note hinted at new strained relations unless the Hungarians carry out a pledge given the Yugoslav Embassy refuge in Budapest. The Yugoslav note said the case could not be considered closed and asked fulfillment of the agreement "which could re-establish the confidence necessary for further Yugoslav-Hungarian relations. The new note was delivered to the Hungarian charge d'affaires here on the eve of the scheduled return of some Hungarian refugees who had expressed a wish to return home. Yugoslav officials denied that any of the refugees were being forced to return but declined to give their exact number.

GREENWICH SCHOOL

The following is the school report for the month of November for Greenwich School. Grade IX. 1. Helena Squires. Grade VIII. 1. Rena Sanderson. 2. Thane Rattray. Grade VII. Sr. 1. Garth Sanderson. Grade VII. Sr. 1. Fern Rattray. Grade V. 1. Keir Squires. Grade IV. Sr. 1. Donnie Sanderson. 2. Jimmy Squires. Grade III. Sr. 1. Roger McEwen. Grade III. Sr. 1. Wanda Sutherland. Grade III. Jr. 1. Brian Sanderson. Grade II. 1. Anne Sutherland. Grade I. 1. Marion Sutherland. 2. Leigh Squires. Highest average in Sr. grades, Rena Sanderson. Highest average in Jr. grades, Roger McEwen. Teacher, Mrs. Helen Cobb.

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