

Queen Charlotte Principal Resigns His Teaching Post

The resignation of Lieutenant L. T. Lowther, Principal of Queen Charlotte High School was announced yesterday by Dr. R. Leach, chairman of the City School Board. He will be succeeded by Mr. J. A. S. Williams, principal of the school. Mr. Lowther has been appointed to succeed Mr. Williams. Lieutenant Lowther retires after a long and outstanding career as a member of the teaching profession. He assumed the principalship of Prince Street School in Charlottetown in 1928 and was granted leave of absence shortly after the outbreak of World War Two to serve on the staff of General A. G. MacLean, commander of the Canadian Forces overseas. After a period of time overseas he returned to Canada as an instructor at the Royal Military College at Kingston, Ontario. Following this, Col. Lowther was transferred to the six-year division and posted at the Royal Coast. Later he served as an instructor in the British Military Academy at Washington, D. C. Col. Lowther also saw service in the first world war. During the university course he left the army to take a commission in the Canadian Army. Following his military bent following the first war, he organized the C Squadron of the Prince Edward Island Light Horse. In 1937 he became commanding officer of the Light Horse Regiment. Popular with both students and staff members of the teaching profession, Col Lowther was a member of the Prince Edward Island Teachers' Federation and served on the executive and many committees. Mr. Williams is well qualified for his new duties. A native of the Valley, he received his education at Prince of Wales High School and Mount Allison University where he received his



COL. LOWTHER



J. A. S. WILLIAMS

degrees of Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Education. He has also attended summer schools at Toronto University and Acadia University. Mr. Horton was born at Johnston's River. He attended Prince of Wales College and received his Bachelor of Arts Degree from Mount Allison University. After teaching at Brookfield, Craignap and A.M. G.O. Johnson School, Summerside, he was appointed to Prince Street School in September 1952. He was transferred to Queen Charlotte High School in September 1954 as mathematics teacher Grades 9 and 10. Mr. Horton is a member of Canadian Mathematics Congress and has attended several summer sessions of this institution. Last month Mr. Horton was one of three teachers across Canada selected to attend the Canadian Education Association Project in Educational Leadership at Toronto. Mr. Horton was born at Johnston's River. He attended Prince of Wales College and received his Bachelor of Arts Degree from Mount Allison University. After teaching at Brookfield, Craignap and A.M. G.O. Johnson School, Summerside, he was appointed to Prince Street School in September 1952. He was transferred to Queen Charlotte High School in September 1954 as mathematics teacher Grades 9 and 10. Mr. Horton is a member of Canadian Mathematics Congress and has attended several summer sessions of this institution. Last month Mr. Horton was one of three teachers across Canada selected to attend the Canadian Education Association Project in Educational Leadership at Toronto.

Two Cape Breton Youths Are Sentenced To Terms In Jail

Two Cape Breton youths will spend the next three months in the Queens County Jail. They were sentenced yesterday in County Magistrates Court on a charge of break, entry and theft. The two boys, natives of North Sydney and Sydney Mines, pleaded guilty to the charge when they appeared last week. They were charged with breaking and entering a vacant farmhouse in Stanchel and taking a number of clothing articles valued at \$15. The investigating R.C.M.P. officer told the court that a considerable amount of unnecessary damage was also evident including broken windows and smashed furniture. A third member of the party, a brother of one of the accused, had a similar charge against him withdrawn due to insufficient evidence. He pleaded not guilty to the charge. A Murray Harbor man, arrested last May 21st and charged with driving while intoxicated, pleaded guilty to the lesser charge of impaired driving and was fined \$65 and costs or 30 days. Two other men were charged and fined under the laws of the liquor act. A Clyde River man was fined \$20 and costs or 30 days when he pleaded guilty to a charge of illegal possession of liquor while a fine of \$20 and costs or 20 days was meted out to a Glen William man when he pleaded guilty to being intoxicated in a public place. Fines of \$10 and costs or 10 days were handed out to residents of Montague and Moncton when they pleaded guilty to speeding charges. A Dunstaffnage youth rounded out the court docket when he pleaded guilty to two charges, each drawing fines of \$3 and costs or five days. They included failing to transfer the registration of his automobile and defective equipment on his vehicle.



WILL SPEAK

Rev. J. Rolls, C.S.S.R., Deane Director of Vocations, Saint John, New Brunswick, will be Saturday evening's guest speaker at the Vocation Rally being held in The Community Centre from Friday June 13 till Sunday June 15. Other speakers during the rally will be Archbishop Pocock of Winnipeg, Rev. Michael MacIsaac and Right Rev. G. J. McLellan, V.G., Summerside.

Drama Ass'n Offers Play

The Prince Edward Island Drama Festival Association will present a demonstration play in any district requesting it so as to assist other areas with ideas for the presentation of plays. The Association will present "Charlie's Aunt", presently being cast and which will be under the direction of Mrs. Rebe Scantlebury. The announcement was made at the annual meeting of the Association held at Prince of Wales College Tuesday night.

Decision Delayed In Potato Case

The official reaction of Ottawa to P. E. Island's request for assistance on the potatoes still in the province under the Agricultural Stabilization Board, will probably not be announced for another week or two. It was expected that the announcement would be forthcoming momentarily following the Island's presentation of its request, but the matter has received further consideration and its disposition may be delayed for some short time.

TROUP FOUNDER DIES

HALIFAX (CP)—Capt. F. W. Micklewright, 94, founder of the first Halifax boy scout troupe, died here Tuesday night. He was one-time editor of the weekly Bridgetown, N.S., Monitor.



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Among Presidential Nominees At Conference

SACKVILLE, N.B. (Special)—The names of one former Islander, one present Island Minister, and two former Island ministers were among the five ministers nominated this morning as president of the 34th annual conference of the United Church. After the third ballot, Rev. J. D. MacLeod of Scotsburn, N. S., was elected as president, and was installed by the retiring president, Rev. J. Arthur Forbes, Fredericton, N. B. The name of Rev. A. F. MacLean of Charlottetown was on all three ballots. The name of a

Friendship Club Holds Meeting

The Trinity Friendship Club met in the Social Hall on Tuesday evening with approximately 30 members present. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Larver were welcomed as new members. Devotions led by Earl Jewell and Lewis Livingston opened the meeting. Following devotions a short business was held with discussion on the summer meetings. Mr. David Murphy was introduced by Gladys MacMillan as the guest speaker of the evening. He gave a delightful talk on the Credit Union of Trinity Church. The speaker was thanked by Rita Jordan. Bob Urquhart and Jim Ripley were responsible for a lively recreation period. The meeting closed with the repeating of the Lord's Prayer followed by a delicious lunch enjoyed by all. A brief executive meeting was held at the close of the meeting.

Two Nursing Instructors Are Appointed

The appointment of two instructors for the nursing school in the persons of Miss Janet Ives as Director of Nursing Education, and Miss Vera Dewar as Assistant Director, was announced yesterday. This will relieve the Nursing Superintendent Mrs. McDonald, of some of the work she has had to carry along with her administrative duties. It is expected the appointees will be taking over their duties shortly. Work on the new wing is proceeding satisfactorily. The regular monthly meeting of the Prince Edward Island Hospital Board of Trustees was held in the board room on Tuesday the 10th. Routine reports from the various Committees and Ladies Aids received included one from Mrs. G. H. Buntain, of the Senior Ladies Aid, on the keen interest shown by the public in the very successful graduation exercises for student nurses held at Prince of Wales College on May 27th. Mrs. Earl McDonald reported that the Junior Ladies Aid had opened, and were operating, a canteen on the site for the benefit of the men working on the new wing.

Veteran Horse Owner Dies

GLACE BAY, N. S. — (CP) — Mat McAdam, who took his race horses jogging every morning until he reached 80, will be buried here Friday. Mr. McAdam died Tuesday night in hospital. He suffered a heart seizure May 19 while watching a Sydney harness racing card. One of the 33 horses he owned during his lifetime won a dash only minutes before he was stricken. Among the horses that at some time were the McAdam colors in Maritime meets were Harry L. Royal Hanover and Redwood Grattan.

Subvention Aids Coal Deal

OTTAWA (CP)—Shipment of 175,000 tons of Nova Scotia coal from Sydney to Belleville, Ont., has been made possible by a special federal transport subsidy amounting to 55 cents a ton, it was learned Tuesday night. The 175,000 tons will consist of two shipments, one of 100,000 tons to the Canada Cement Company and a second of 75,000 tons to the CNR for use in locomotives. An official of the Dominion Coal Board said the subsidy covering the 100,000 tons is provided for in a special order-in-council. The 75,000-ton order is covered through a change in Dominion Coal Board regulations making the 55-cent subvention available for coal orders to Belleville for

Meat Clinic Is Planned Here

HALIFAX, — (CP) — A meat management development clinic will be held in Charlottetown June 19, in addition to those in Halifax, Saint John and Moncton, the Atlantic Provinces Economic Council said Wednesday. The clinic will be conducted by C. G. Bowes, merchandizing consultant of Park Ridge, Ill.

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IKK ASKED TO LONDON

WASHINGTON (CP) — Prime Minister Macmillan has invited President Eisenhower to visit London in November, the White House announced Wednesday. Press secretary James Hagerty said it is not known whether the president could accept the invitation.

Rose Valley Native Made Nominee For Moderatorship

SACKVILLE, N.B. (Special)—The 34th annual conference of the United Church Wednesday nominated the Rev. M.C. MacDonald, secretary of the Board of Home Missions in Toronto, as the conference nominee for moderatorship of General Council. Dr. MacDonald will thus become one of a number whose names will come before General Council when it meets in Ottawa this fall. Dr. MacDonald is a native of Rose Valley, P.E.I. and for a number of years has been serving the Church in the Home Missions office, first as assistant secretary, now as secretary. He was educated at Dalhousie University and Pine Hill Divinity Hall in Halifax, and served a number of years in the Maritime churches before going to the national church offices.

Monthly Meeting Of Legion Held At North Rustico

The regular monthly meeting of the North Rustico Branch of the Canadian Legion was held in the Legion Home on Monday evening, June 9th. A good percentage of members were present, and the business session was conducted in a very efficient business-like manner by the president, Comrade Henry Cassidy. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Lawrence Gallant and were adopted. The chairman gave some very interesting figures re the cost of the new wing recently completed and reported that in spite of the great improvements made the finances were in first class shape. A pleasant feature of the evening was the presentation of a Membership to Comrade Leonard LeClair, one of the oldest and yet one of the most active members of the branch. Comrade LeClair is now eighty-two years young; but his looks and energy surely belie his age. The presentation was made by Capt. Roy MacEachern, the Provincial

Sudden Death Of Alexandra Man

Benjamin "Babe" Wood, a prominent farmer in Alexandra, died suddenly early yesterday morning. He was 36 years of age. Mr. Wood, a life long resident of Alexandra, was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wood, also of Alexandra. He is survived by his wife, the former Helen MacDougall of Rocky Point and four children, Osborne, 11, Carolyn, seven, Debra, six, and one-month-old John Gary. Other survivors include three brothers, Clarence of Alexandra, Osborne in Western Canada, and Wilbur of Charlottetown; and two sisters, Evelyn (Mrs. Rollie MacDonald) of Southport, and Anita (Mrs. Fred Matheson) of Dundas. The body will rest at Mr. Wood's late residence until the funeral in Alexandra Baptist Church. Interment will be in the church cemetery. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by the N. D. MacLean Funeral Home pending notification of the arrival of the brother in Western Canada.

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