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Educationists' Dream Comes True Here Today

By RALPH CAMERON
A longtime dream of educationists comes true here this afternoon when Charlottetown's new prestige high school is officially opened and the cornerstone laid.

Several years in the planning stage, construction began almost one year ago and classrooms were in use in September of this year. This afternoon Dr. K.A. Parker, superintendent of city schools, will lay the cornerstone and officially open the Colonel Gray Senior High School.

Present for the occasion will be members of City Council and former Mayor A.W. Gaudet, members of the School Board, Premier Alex Campbell and Queens County Members of the Legislature and various church dignitaries.

Building of the school was almost literally forced on the city when long-awaited action making Prince of Wales College a university was taken. Until then supplies of city schools had attended P.W.C. after completing Grade 10 in local schools and had taken their final two high school years there.

Investigative plans for the new school were outlined to City Council one and one-half years ago when the School Board attended at Council Chambers and told the city fathers of the problems created by the necessity of providing extra facilities when the classrooms of Prince of Wales College were closed to city pupils in the high school years.

In August of last year Dr. R. Gordon Lee, chairman of the School Board, said action was being taken towards a fast start on construction. He announced at that time the Board had been making plans for some time and Alfred Hennessey, city architect, had already presented preliminary plans for approval.

TOP QUALITY
He told of the desire of the Board to have the new building a 'prestige' high school and to

this end efforts were being made at that early date to assure a top quality teaching staff. Late in January of this year it was announced Col. Leo F. MacDonald, B.A., B.Ed., a distinguished soldier and principal of Birchwood High School, would be principal of the new senior high school.

Originally estimated to cost in the vicinity of \$800,000, a contract for construction was eventually awarded to M.F. Schurman Co. for \$1,045,000. School Board officials had said their planning included taking advantage of federal funds and early this year the Municipal Development and Loan Board, Ottawa, announced a loan to the Board of \$20,945 to finance the new school construction.

Some slight delays were encountered in construction due to a strike of construction workers and later this year the railway strike delayed arrival of some equipment. However, classes began only a few days after the opening of other city schools last month.

This afternoon Dr. Lee will preside at the ceremony when the dedication will be given by Monsignor P.F. MacDonald. Following the remarks of the chairman there will be choral numbers by the Colonel Gray Vocal Group and the presentation by Frank MacKinnon, principal of Prince of Wales College, of a portrait of Colonel Gray.

This will be followed by a presentation by Mrs. Guy Fichaud,

chairman of the women's committee of Confederation Art Gallery and Museum, of several art pictures. Basil Phillips, violinist, will be heard in two solos with Roy Muford as accompanist, and the main address will be made by Dr. Parker. Rev. Ewen MacDougall, president of the Charlottetown Ministerial Association, will pronounce the Benediction, following which the assembled guests will be taken on a tour of the new school.

Following is a list of staff members at Colonel Gray Senior High School: Col. Leo F. MacDonald, B.A., B.Ed., principal, Gr. 10; Leo MacQuaid, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 10; George A. MacDonald, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 10; Lynnwood Jay, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 11; John Connelly, B.Sc., Gr. 11; Paul G. Murphy, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 11; Donna MacLeod, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 11; William McCarron, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 11; Anthony Spenceley, B.Sc., B.Ed., Gr. 11; J. Eric Doucette, B.A., B.Sc., Gr. 11; Basil Phillips, M.A., B.Ed., Gr. 11; Mrs. Louise Samson, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 11; Mrs. Frances Lottian, B.A., B.L.S. Librarian; Madelyn Clark, Gr. 10; Adolbert Roche, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 10; Mrs. Frances Leacy, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 10; Mrs. Janet Baker, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 10; Jeanette Scott, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 10; Mrs. Nelly Brown, B.A., B.Ed., Gr. 10; Mrs. Ann Matheson, Gr. 10; Jeorand Rutten, Music; Glen Leeco, Gr. 10; James Bentham, M.Sc., Gr. 10, 11.

Alumni Weekend Is Set For SDU

The St. Dunstan's University Students' Union and the Alumni Association will sponsor an "Alumni Weekend" in November, it was announced last night by Charles McMillan, S.U. President, and John MacDonald, alumni president.

To be held Friday, Saturday, and Sunday (Nov. 18-20), the alumni weekend will provide entertainment, a feature performance by an internationally known singing group, a Varsity hockey game, and several other activities of interest to the alumni.

Although it's expected that most of the Alumni participating will be island alumni, a number of former students from other areas of the Maritimes and Ontario and Quebec have stated their intentions of visiting the Alma Mater as well.

JOINT COMMITTEE
A joint committee has been appointed from the Students' Union and the Alumni Association to coordinate the activities, and to look after inquiries and accommodations for the visiting Alumni.

It is hoped that the Weekend will provide an element of contact between the Alumni and the University, and foster greater interest in the Association by

island graduates and the Senior Class, which this year numbers over 115 students.

Further announcements are expected on the feature entertainers and the complete program of the three day affair.

Island Woman Leads Canada
Mrs. J. Eric Hurry, West Royalty led Canada this year in the All-Canadian Guernsey judging competition, according to the current issue of the Canadian Guernsey Breeders' Journal.

Her husband, Mr. Hurry, was the national president of the Guernsey association when it held its annual meeting here in 1964.

Mrs. Hurry's score of 147 points was five better than that of the runner-up who was Mrs. Barrie Peterson of Agassiz, British Columbia. Mr. Peterson won the men's judging division. Mrs. Hurry has topped the nation in this competition on at least one previous occasion.

DIVE BEATS MAN
Antarctica's Weddell seal dive as deep as 1,500 feet to search for food.

TWO * BIG * NIGHTS SCOTTISH CONCERT

Friday, October 14
Basilica Recreation Center

Saturday, October 15
Souris Regional High School Auditorium

FEATURE VIOLIN ARTISTS:
Winston Scotty Fitzgerald
Joe MacLean

with selections by:
Omer Cheverle, Souris; George Weatherbie, Charlottetown; Earl Hughes, Fort Augustus; Emmet Hughes, Fort Augustus; Francis MacDonald, Moreil.

SCOTCH SONGS by: Charles MacKenzie, Halifax (Performed with Jubilee Singers).

STEP DANCING: Bernard Campbell, Cape Breton; Judy MacKinnon, Charlottetown; The Doyle Sisters, Savage Harbour; Darlene Rush, Charlottetown; Patsy McLean, Charlottetown.

PIPING by: Louis Daley and Evelyn Fraser.
Tickets on sale at Basilica Recreation Centre, Toombs Music Store, and Miller Bros.

(Get Yours Early)

FACTS FOR FARMERS



Soil Testing Provides Answers For Farmers

By A. W. HUMPHREY
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Knowing what is needed makes the money, knowing what is not needed saves the money. This statement can be applied to all industry and particularly to agriculture.

There is no doubt that a farmer must be able to produce high yields and produce them economically if his operation is to be a success. In order to do this, it will be necessary to have information available regarding the present fertility levels in the soil as well as the fertility requirements of the crops to be grown.

A farmer is too busy to find all this information by himself through experimentation, but, if

he makes use of soil testing and other extension services, he will obtain answers to a lot of questions.

Soil testing is now a widespread practice in agriculture and thousands of sample are taken by farmers each year. The role of a soil testing program varies but probably the two main functions are:

1. to supply an inventory of the soils reserves of plant food.
 2. to provide a basis for estimating fertilizer needs.
- The soil test results in themselves supply a record of the available fertility, if the soil before the fertilizer is to be applied. It is like an inventory and we can compare it to a storekeeper when he is engaged in 'stock-taking'—this tells him the quantity of each item he has on hand and indicates how much he must order so that he will have sufficient for his customer's needs. In the same manner, the soil test shows the amount of available plant foods in the soil.

NOT FINAL ANSWER
Soil test results in themselves are not the final answer to high yields, but, in addition, we must also know the amount of plant food required by each specific crop.

This later information is obtained by the research work of men at the Experiment Station and other research agencies. These men are continuously experimenting and compiling information on the plant food requirements of all crops and their responses under different conditions. It is the difference between what the crop requires and what is present in the soil as shown by a soil test that must be supplied through application of fertilizer if a high yield is to be obtained.

Therefore, a soil testing service provides a link between soil research and the individual farmer.

Soil testing in itself is not 'fool-proof' nor is it a 'cure-all' for all fertility problems. However, if the soil is collected and submitted properly, then the soil test results can be a very useful guide in correcting faulty fertilizer practices.

The more important points which must be kept in mind when soil sampling are:

1. obtain a sample that truly represents the area to be tested.
 2. make certain that the sample has been properly collected.
 3. furnish information in respect to past cropping, manuring, drainage, etc.
- In the actual sampling, a uniform field can be sampled as one area, but a field that varies in topography, degree of erosion, soil type or treatment

should be sub-divided and each distinct area sampled separately.

SOIL PROBES
There are several instruments which can be used for taking a soil sample but the most efficient is a soil probe. These are very easy to use and are so designed that uniform borings are obtained. Soil probe can be purchased at cost through the Soil Advisory Laboratory.

It is very important that sufficient borings are taken in the field so that they will truly represent the area. At least 20 to 30 borings should be taken from each sample area. These borings are thoroughly mixed together and approximately one pint of this mixture is placed in the sample container.

An information sheet must be filled in and returned with each sample. This sheet will supply the laboratory with information regarding the past cropping history, drainage, past problems and indicates what the next crop will be.

To be assured of receiving recommendations before treatment is required, we suggest that you take and submit your soil samples in the FALL.

The P.E.I. Department of Agriculture has maintained a soil testing laboratory at the Experimental Farm in Charlottetown for the past 20 years.

This soil testing service which includes soil analysis, fertility recommendations, sample boxes and questionnaire forms is provided free of charge to the farmers of P.E.I. Samples are tested for soil acidity, organic matter content, nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium calcium and magnesium.

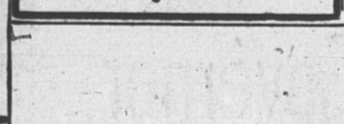
The total number of samples received during the early years of the service was not too large and most of them were seeking information about potatoes. However, in recent years there has

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Island News Page

The Guardian, Charlottetown, Fri., Oct. 14, 1966.

Travel Bureau Accorded Praise

A number of favourable comments have been received by the Prince Edward Island Travel Bureau by tourists who have visited here during this past summer.

The large registration book at the Bureau is filled with remarks expressed by Island visitors, 99 per cent of which are complimentary.

The Bureau yesterday morning received a clipping from The Providence Evening Bulletin, Rhode Island, which relates the travels of a writer on vacation in the Maritimes and Maine.

The article, written by John Hanlon, makes reference to information on our tourist facilities as being "quite thorough and complete."

Mr. Hanlon suggests that Rhode Island, which is embarking on the promotion of tourism, can learn a great deal from what our province and other areas are accomplishing to make these regions more than just a place to pass through.

The story in part reads as follows: "Prince Edward Island had much the same helpmates to offer, with a few extras added. They have a separate booklet listing camping facilities and it seemed quite thorough and complete."

"The real boon offered the tourist just happening on the island, as we did, more or less, is a system of two-way radio contacts between six tourist bureaus at strategic points and those in the resort areas. With this system, the situation on accommodations can be determined in minutes."

"This is a real aid on an island that is 140 miles long and from four to 40 miles wide and not overly heavy with tourist facilities. They come in all kinds, but there just are not that many of them."

"So the reservation service, which is free of charge, can be a great help. We saw one family come in, ask about a motel at a far end of the island and, via this radio system and a telephone call, have his reservation handled for him in about two minutes."

"Nova Scotia has its network of state-run travel bureaus offering the standard collection of aids. Since our visit there was only in Halifax for a couple of nights and right out again, we needed only the accommodations book. It was, as in the case of the others, a first-rate guide."

"All the bureaus we stopped at were staffed by people who knew their business and their area. They could provide much

\$125 Fines Are Levied

Magistrate A.J. Haslam, QC, fined Isabel Carlyle Taylor, West Royalty \$125 and costs when she appeared in city court yesterday on an impaired driving charge.

Kevin Joseph Howard Bloomfield, charged with drunken driving, was found guilty on the lesser charge of impaired driving and fined \$125 and costs or 30 days.

Fred Archer and Vernon McClure, Charlottetown, charged with falling to stop at a stop sign, were each fined \$5 and costs or two days.

Ralph James Murray, Albany, was fined \$5 and costs for going through a stop sign.

Two men were charged with being drunk and incapable and were assessed fines of \$20 and costs or 20 days.

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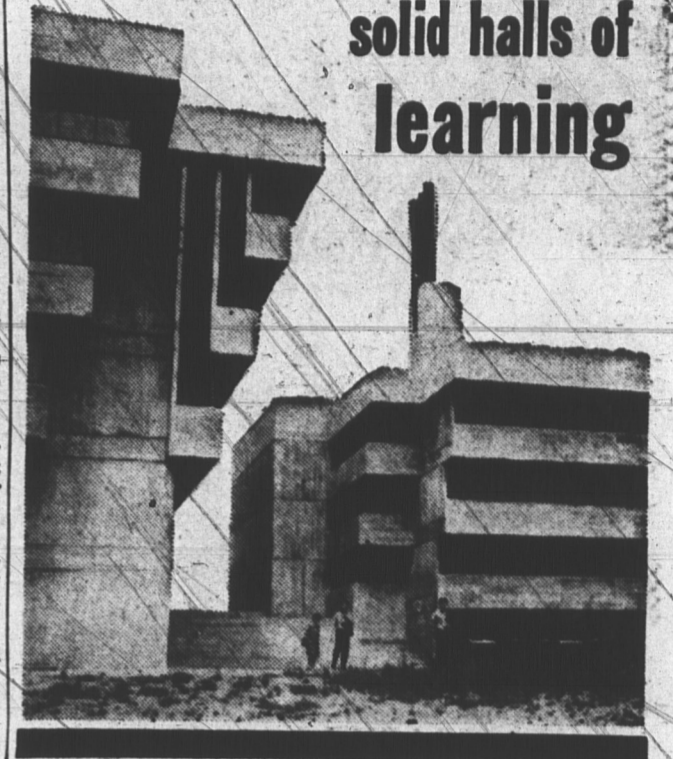
been a sharp increase in the amount of soil samples and a changing pattern in the type of crops for which fertilizer recommendations are being sought.

The majority of the enquiries are for grain, frozen food crops, tobacco and potatoes whereas enquiries for pasture fertilization have not been too high. Only about five per cent (5 per cent) of commercial farmers have been sending soil samples from their pasture fields. A summary of our soil test data for recent years showed that 55 to 60 per cent of these pasture fields tested at a very low level, lower than that which is considered necessary to maintain a productive soil for optimum yields.

Also, about 40 per cent had a pH level below 6.0 whereas forage crops desire a pH range between 6.0 to 6.5. These results continue to illustrate that a proper liming, fertilizing and irrigation management program based on soil tests must be carried out on each farm if optimum yields are to be obtained.

For further information on Soil Testing contact S.W. Humpfrey at the Soils Laboratory, Experimental Farm, Charlottetown. Soil boxes and information sheets are available from the Soils Laboratory or the P.E.I. Department of Agriculture at Charlottetown or Summerside.

THEVES WORK FAST
MILTON, Ont. (CP) — Bert Gold, a Bell Telephone Co. executive, says thieves lift copper wire from telephone poles in Chinguacousy Township, about 10 miles northwest of Metropolitan Toronto, almost as fast as linemen string it. More than 110,000 feet of new wire have been stolen recently from the poles, he said.



Scarborough College is a long, long way from the ivied walls of tradition. The unusual architecture in concrete of this latest satellite college of the University of Toronto provides a dynamic and dramatic setting for the students who benefit from some of the most up-to-date audio-visual equipment in North America.

American Kids CAN Play Hockey

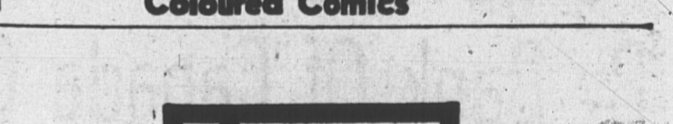
As Detroit's perennial star, Gordie Howe, approaches his 21st season with the NHL, Weekend Magazine Sports Editor Andy O'Brien talks to him about his record-breaking career and his recommendations for hockey as a career for today's teenagers.

Freeze, Wait, Reanimate

Cryo-capsules aren't something out of science fiction. They are deep freeze coffins and this week Donald Feitel tells about a most unusual project — cold-storage burial — which offers the hope that humans can be reanimated after death.

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