

Historical Sketch of Early Settlers Around N. Lake

by Mrs. Clarence Rose

The first arrivals to North Lake were Captain Minwarren, his housekeeper Martha Potts and his trusted servant Peter Rose. This was in the year 1790. The Captain was a retired officer and he owned several hundred acres of land at North Lake, which had been granted to him in lieu of wages by King George III. Peter was from Dorsetshire, England.

In spite of many hardships the land was cleared and a house was built facing the Lake. After a few years Capt. Minwarren desired to return to England. He made a proposition to Peter and Martha that if they married, he would give them the house and land, and this they speedily did.

The Peters brother Samson Rose and his wife came out in 1804 and built a house further east of Peter's. The descendants of Peter and Samson number many and are widely scattered over North America.



RETIRING C. N. R. OFFICIAL HONOURED.

Officials at presentation yesterday to John Raymond Praught, retiring Rate Clerk after 44 years service with the C.N.R. Left to right—E.M. Campbell, Freight Agent, L.J. MacDonald, D.P. and D.F. Agent, R.O. Baker, Acting Supt., Mr. Praught, F.F. Andrew, and C.J. Boudreault, (representing Canada Packers Ltd.) Newton Large, Clerk, E.C. Matthews, Division Engineer, Phillip Arsenault, Assistant Freight Agent, (Bartier's Film Lab.)

Souris Has Quota Of 200 Blood Donors On Tuesday

Mayor Bruce L. Stewart, Imperial Oil representative at Souris, has again undertaken the chairmanship of the Souris Red Cross blood donor clinic to be held in St. Mary's Hall next Tuesday evening, August 30th., with an objective of 200 donors. Residents of Souris and the surrounding area have not had an opportunity of contributing towards the Red Cross Blood Transfusion Service since November, 1953, and will be looking forward to playing a major part in making the Souris clinic the most successful ever.

Mayor Stewart reports that, under the leadership of Mrs. George Roach, president, the energetic members of the Junior Ladies' Aid of the Souris Hospital, ever conscious of the great need for blood with which to maintain the free transfusion service, are conducting a house-to-house canvass for donors in Souris itself this week.

Representatives of different organizations in Souris and the nearby districts have been written and asked to co-operate in securing donors for the Souris clinic. Each district has been given a proportion of the 200 donors to obtain. Everyone will assume a personal responsibility of being either a donor or a booster there should be no difficulty whatsoever in reaching the objective set for Souris, and in this way helping to cancel some of Prince Edward Island's present debt of 1,000 bottles.

Interesting Field Day At Alliston Yesterday Despite Heavy Rainfall

Field day at the Illustration Station operated by T. Albert Hick at Alliston was held yesterday afternoon. Owing to the heavy rainfall there was an attendance of forty farmers from the area. The program got under way at 2.00 p.m. and continued until approximately 5.00 o'clock.

Several speakers were heard during the afternoon, the first of whom was Mr. H.B. Chandler, director of the P.E.I. Libraries, who gave an illustrated talk on rural home beautification. He reviewed the story of the Rural Beautification Society, stating that the total number of entries in the competitions during the nine years was about 1,500. He also said that farmers like to beautify their homes so that they can have something they can enjoy. Individuals, he said, take pride in rural home beautification, and enjoy home life to a greater degree.

Mr. S.C. Wright, deputy minister of agriculture, expressed the regrets of Hon. Eugene Cullen, minister of agriculture, and of Mr. Winston E. Smith, both of whom were unable to attend. Mr. Wright outlined some of the farm services available through the Provincial Department of Agriculture to farmers, horticulture, and the canning and freezing of fruits and vegetables, the production of horticultural crops, field crop services, farm improvement policy, and foresters to assist the farmer.

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DORNETTE
and the
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Photographed above is Mr. John Jeffrey of Lower Montague, who is 94 years of age this year. Mr. Jeffrey, despite his age, is still very active, does the chores around his home, and last week worked for three days on the new road which the Government is constructing in his vicinity. He is hale and hearty and appears to be a much younger man. Mr. Jeffrey was born in Cape Breton, and came to the Island over sixty years ago, making his home in Lower Montague.

The United Nations charter was signed at San Francisco in June, 1945.

Former Broadway Director Dies At 78

SAINT JOHN, N. B. (CP)—A former Broadway production director and a stage manager, Bertram Harrison, 78, died Tuesday night at Hammond Road, N. B.

He had been associated with stage productions in New York, San Francisco and other American cities.

Mr. Harrison was born in Saint John in 1878.

NOTICE

A new feature of the Eastern King's Exhibition to be held in Souris on Sept. 7th will be a fat steer show and sale.

Anyone having steers for this show and sale would they kindly notify the Secretary by Saturday, Aug. 27th of the number of steers they wish to show.

M. J. McKinnon, President
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Eastern Guardian

PANTRY SALE at Stewart and Beck's, Saturday, Aug. 27, 2.30 D.T. Sponsored by Kilmuir Women's Institute.

NOTICE—Montague School will open on Thursday, September 1, for all grades. By order of trustees.

ICE CREAM, cake, sandwiches, tea and coffee will be served in the Oddfellows Hall, Montague, Saturday evening, August 27th. Everyone welcome.

BE ONE of the 150 blood donors needed at Red Cross Clinic in Morell. Community Hall, a x 1 Tuesday, August 30th, between 2 and 4 P.M. Standard Time.

CALLING ALL residents of Souris and surrounding districts to be among the 200 blood donors needed at Red Cross Clinic in St. Mary's Hall on Tuesday, August 30th, between 7 and 9 p.m. Standard Time.

MONTAGUE has an objective of 250 blood donors for Red Cross Clinic in Beaver Club Hall on Wednesday, August 31st between 2-4 and 7-9 P.M. Standard, and needs the support of residents of all nearby districts.

IT TAKES only a few minutes to give the blood that will save a life—perhaps your own. Do your part by attending either the Morell or Souris Blood Donor Clinics on Tuesday, August 30th. (Morell 2-4 and Souris 7-9 P.M. Standard).

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Jamieson and son Ronnie, accompanied by Mr. Jamieson's brother Harvey, spent the weekend in Guysboro, N. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stuart, Whim Road, have as their guest the latter's sister, Mrs. Margaret Moore, and their daughter, who recently returned from a visit to spend their vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gunn and daughter Dorothy recently returned to Everett, Mass. While on the Island they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacDonald and son, Horace MacDonald.

Whim Road

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bonnell, Rhode Island, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Munro, Whim Road.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dean, Woburn, Mass., are spending at Whim Road, where they are the guests of Mrs. Dean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacDonald.

Mrs. Robert MacPherson and son Larry, Brantford, Mass., were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell, Whim Road.

Mr. Gordon Beaton, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Charlotte Beaton, and his sister Miss Anna Beaton, returned to Toronto after visiting friends and relatives here.

Whim Road School opened its doors on Tuesday morning, August 16, marking the end of another summer's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farmer and family recently motored from Oklahoma to visit in Kilmuir at the home of Mrs. Farmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart.

Miss Jean Ann Munro, Whim Road, spent several days visiting friends in Charlottetown.

LAST RESPECTS

PARIS (Reuters)—News correspondent of many nations filed past coffins in a chapel here Wednesday, paying final respects to three newspaper men killed Saturday in the Moroccan rioting. They were Roland Jordan of the National Broadcasting Corporation, and Andre Laveur and Roger Ledezve, correspondent and photographer of the Paris evening newspaper France-Soleil.

Preliminary Hearing In Criminal Negligence Case Opens At Georgetown

The preliminary hearing of Rodrick Jeremiah Steele, Cardigan, charged with criminal negligence in the highway accident death of Leo Douglas Sheppard on July 28, was heard yesterday at Georgetown before Stipendiary Magistrate Gilbert A. Gaudet.

Mr. J. P. Nicholson represented the Crown, and Mr. Somerled Trainor represented the accused. Only evidence for the prosecution was completed, and defence evidence will be heard next Wednesday afternoon beginning at 1.00 p.m. S.T.

The first witness yesterday was Dr. Lemuel Prowse, Charlottetown who stated that he had conducted the post mortem examination. He said that he had found considerable areas of bruising and a large quantity of blood in the abdominal cavity. He stated that in his opinion death was due to hemorrhage and shock.

Const. Gordon Humphrey, R.C. M.P., Charlottetown, in charge of the identification section, presented photos and a sketch of the area at the scene of the accident. Const. Humphrey explained each photo and carefully outlined the details of the sketch.

On cross examination he stated that he was unaware of any truck getting stuck in the washout near the scene of the accident. He said that the washout was eighteen inches long, about two feet in width and about a foot deep. He said that he did not know of any traffic on the road the night before and that he saw only one tire mark going into the washout.

Charles McLellan, Cardigan, said that he saw Steele at Cardigan in the afternoon, and that he got in the truck with Steele and drove around. Steele seemed alright, he said. Steele got a bottle of wine at the vendor's, he stated, after which they went to Anthony McLennan's, and there with Charlie McLennan, the four drank the bottle of wine. The witness, Charlie McLennan and Steele went back to Cardigan to get another bottle of wine, after which they went to Cronin's house where they had supper. McLennan went home and Steele fell asleep, he said. He remained there until about 7:30 when he (the witness) went to pick up McLennan and the three then went to see Michael Sullivan at Roseneath. They finished the bottle of wine there, he said.

After leaving Sullivan's house, Michael drove the truck, he said, and they went to Pooles' Garage for gas, after which they continued to Adrian Sullivan's home. After picking up Adrian, they continued to Peter MacAulay's and Steele was driving at this time. Michael Sullivan accompanied Steele to his home where he (Steele) got dressed for the dance, the witness said. They came back to MacAulay's and the five left in the truck. Steele, McLennan, Cronin, Michael Sullivan and

STARTED FOR DANCE

They went to the restaurant in Cardigan, he said, where they picked up three girls, Beatrice Publicover, Betsy MacDonald and Vera Sheppard, and all eight got in the cab to go to the dance. Steele was driving, the witness said. He said that Steele asked if anyone else wanted to go to the dance, and Douglas Sheppard and Urban McLellan got on the back of the truck. On the way to the dance, he said, they picked up Joseph Campbell at his gate.

They went a short distance, he continued, and struck a hole, and went in the ditch, after which the truck rolled over. When the truck was going in the ditch, he said, someone shouted for Steele to pull it out quick. They were going about 30 m.p.h., he said. When they got out of the truck, he said, they looked for Sheppard, and when they rolled back the truck they found him under the truck.

He said he went to phone the doctor, while two others went to George MacPhee's for assistance. On cross examination he said that he saw two bottles of wine consumed, one in the afternoon and one in the evening. He said that he was present when Mr. MacPhee's truck struck the washout, and that he did not think Steele was unsteady on his feet.

Beatrice Publicover also gave much the same evidence. She said that it was a little foggy but they could see the road all right. She said she looked at Steele as they were going in the ditch and that he was looking straight ahead. She said she could not tell if the boys were drinking. She stated that she heard someone shouting to Steele for him to pull the truck out. She felt no bump in the road, she concluded.

Vera Sheppard, Cardigan, said that when she saw the boys she could smell liquor and that Steele was a little unsteady on his feet. However, she thought the truck was being driven alright. Sometimes, she said, the truck was in the middle of the road and sometimes on the side. As they were going in the ditch, she said, someone shouted "pull it out quick." The witness stated that she looked at Steele and that she could see his head going down, and then he would raise it to look at the road, and it would then go down again.

On cross examination she said that she was sitting on Adrian Sullivan's knee who was sitting on Michael Sullivan's knee. Be-

POLICE EVIDENCE

Cpl. Don Davis, RCMP, Charlottetown, who was stationed at Montague at the time of the accident, said that he first saw Sheppard in the back seat of a car owned by Rev. J. P. E. O'Hanley of Cardigan, near the Montague Funeral Parlors. He said that he

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