



INSTRUCT N. C. O.'s

The instructional staff for the Senior and Junior N.C.O.'s who held their passing out parade at the Armouries Monday were: seated left to right: Sgt. Mjr. Marion, Charlottetown, Rear left

(W.O.) H. DeCoste: Eastern Command Headquarters; Captain H. Pollard L. and A. Officer Charlotte; Lt. W. Garrison, and W.O.2 P.W.R. seated left to right: Sgt. Mjr. Marion, Charlottetown, Rear left

Many Seek Counsel From Former Island Clergyman

NEW YORK (CP)—In a quiet little room above Manhattan's prosperous Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, Canadian-born Rev. John Sutherland Bonnell gives soothing advice to people from near and far who come seeking spiritual counsel.

On the desk stands a simple green plant. Three chairs constitute the only other furnishings. On the wall hangs a picture of a kneeling Christ.

They cover the whole range of problems," said the tall, square-jawed minister in an interview. "domestic troubles, alcoholism, nervous breakdown, middle-aged depression, fears of every description."

"I try to help them get a new grip on spiritual realities. I've never known a person whose religious life was intact to go off on a tangent."

Dr. Bonnell, 63, born in Dover, P.E.I., and graduated from Halifax's Pine Hill Divinity Hall, left the room to enter his adjacent office and take a long-distance phone call from Evangelist Billy Graham.

Returning a half-hour later, the six-foot-three minister explained that Graham had called from Washington about a crusade he plans for New York in May, 1957.

A staunch advocate of Graham's bible-thumping brand of Evangelism, Dr. Bonnell himself has led a dozen revival campaigns in various parts of the United States. Last year he flew to Scotland to help Billy launch a crusade.

He came to New York some 20 years ago following ministries in Saint John, N.B., and Winnipeg—six years in each.

His Evangelistic tendencies find their chief outlet through a Sunday afternoon radio series called Pilgrimage in the Power of Faith, which at its peak was tuned in on an estimated 2,225,000 radio sets.

Each program he devotes to a specific emotional or religious problem.

The ex-Canadian credits these folks with bringing worried people from distant places to talk over their problems with him. Many have come from the United States midwest. One businessman flew from California, had three interviews with Dr. Bonnell, then flew back.

"They are people who have lost touch with God, either by abandoning everything in the way of a devotional life or allowing problems to loom so large they have crowded everything else out."

He said the last 20 years have witnessed a great upsurge in religious activity, and gave his own 2,400-member congregation as an illustration. When he came to Fifth Avenue Presbyterian in 1935 the average Sunday morning attendance was 600. Today it is 1,800—largest Presbyterian attendance in the eastern United States.

The spiritual revival is not due merely to the perils of the A-bomb, he contends. "After all, that sort of danger can make people careless. . . eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die. The awakening is due primarily to the fact that churches are reaching the people."

Still, he is concerned about the retreat of churches from the "geographic centre" of "Manhattan, pointing out that since 1900 the number of Protestant churches on Fifth Avenue below Central Park has declined from 13 to five. To ensure that his church stays where it is, at the corner of Fifth Avenue and 55th street, he recently got the governors to approve a \$1,000,000 endowment fund.

Dr. Bonnell, who lost out in a bid to become moderator of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. last year, gets a three-month annual vacation which he spends with his wife, the former Bessie Caruthers of Charlottetown, at a 15-acre farm near Georgetown, P.E.I.

GEORGETOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Stirling Bell of Boston, Mass., motored to Georgetown. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Victor Rafuse, who had spent the winter in Boston.

Mr. Charles Fraser, accompanied by his son, Percy motored to Charlottetown on Saturday.

Mr. James Morrison of Charlottetown was the weekend guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Llewellyn.

Mr. Cullen DeLory of the faculty of St. Dunstons College and Miss Sheila DeLory of the Department of Agriculture, Charlottetown were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.J. DeLory.

Dr. Ernest Renton left on Monday, March 26 on return to Deep River, Ontario, after attending the funeral in Georgetown of his uncle, the late Thomas F. Renton.

Miss Leona Lavandier is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Thomas Murphy of St. Mary's Road.

Mrs. Earl Waish was a recent visitor of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Jay Jr. of Charlottetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Jay of Mt. Stewart were recent visitors to Georgetown where they were guests at the home of Mr. Michael Burke Sr.

L.A.C. William Murphy Jr. of the Royal Canadian Air Force, left on Friday, March 23rd on return to Ottawa, after a visit spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Murphy Sr.

Hon. Douglas MacKinnon, Minister of Public Works, Mr. C.C. Baker, M.L.A. Mr. Leo Rossiter, M.L.A. and Mr. Gordon B. White, Deputy Minister of Public Works, motored to Georgetown on Friday, March 23rd, where they inspected the Court House and Jail, as part of their duties as members of the House Public Property Committee.

REGRET
A man I vowed to be of pure intent,
A man of honor, primed and provident.
His better ways, his worth, despite desire,
The man I am no semblance could acquire.
The man I vowed to be has not replaced
The paths through which our mortal griefs are traced.
The needed changes to have fondly wrought
I find was harder than at first I thought.
The simple truth, the thinking was in vain,
The rash and careless habits still remain.
Alone, good resolutions bear no fruit;
The maker needs be strong and resolute.
I wonder while I live if I shall see
The man that I should give my life to be
Grown strong and straight enough to conquer sham,
Or must I simply stay the way I am?
— Danny McCarron
Montague P.E.I.

PISQUID EAST
Mr. John White, Montague, was in Pisquid East Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter White, Donagh, were guests of Mrs. Whites parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Kelly Thursday.
Mr. Guy Jay was a weekend visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Jay.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter McDon-

ald, sons Kenneth and Dewar and daughter, Ethel, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jay, Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jay and son, Merlin, were visitors in East Royalty, Sunday, guests of Mrs. Jay's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jay.
Miss Juanita Jay spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jay.

NOTICE
Meeting Souris Branch P.E.I. Fish and Game Association, United Church hall, Souris, Wednesday, April 4, 8 p.m.
Guest speaker T. M. Gillies, chairman of bird game committee.
Showing of films.

EASTERN GUARDIAN

REGULAR CARD party and dance, Malpeque Hall, Friday, April 6th. Cards start 8:00 o'clock.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wightman, Halifax, N.S., returned to their home yesterday after spending the past week in Montague.

Mr. Merrill Poole, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Poole, Montague, left last week for St. Johns, Quebec, to begin his basic training with the R.C.A.F.

His many friends are pleased to learn that Mr. Edward (Ted) Mellish, Union Road, is convalescing satisfactorily following his operation in the Kings County Hospital last week.

Miss Sally Richards, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Richards, Murray Harbour, underwent an operation in the Kings County Hospital recently, and her many young friends are happy to hear she is doing nicely.

Cpl. R.E. McKenna spent a short furlough in Montague at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McKenna. Cpl. McKenna left yesterday for Camp Borden for

CLUB MEETING — Mrs. D.M. MacDonald was hostess to the members of Acme Rebekah Past Noble Grand's Club, Montague, Tuesday evening, following the Holy Week service in the Baptist Church. There were thirteen members present and a brief business session was conducted by the president, Mrs. J.D. MacLeod, assisted by the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J.M. Fraser. A social hour was enjoyed and lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Miss Mary Hemphill and Mrs. B.N. Stewart. Mrs. MacDonald and Mrs. Archie Hilchey were pianists during the evening.

posting to Germany in the near future.

Mrs. Major Young and son Gary, Red Point, are visiting in Montague, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Llewellyn.

ASK PRIVATE HEARINGS
OTTAWA (CP)—The royal commission on broadcasting has received a few requests for private hearings.

Curling Today At Montague

Curling schedule at Montague Rink Wednesday:
7 p.m. — Open
East Ice — B. Johnston vs. William MacLean.
9 p.m. —
East Ice — Dr. P. McIntyre vs. J. MacLean.
West Ice — H. Moar vs. At. MacDonald.

Games must be played or a loss will be marked to each team missing.

SERVICE FOR MP
TORONTO (CP)Funeral services for Joseph W. Noseworthy, CCF member of Parliament for suburban York South, will be held at Forest Hill United church here at 3 p.m., Wednesday, it was announced Monday.

QUEBEC (CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent Monday visited the premises of the St-Pierre Agricultural Co-operative on the nearby Island of Orleans. The prime minister had been invited by his son, Renaud, who owns a farm at St-Petronille, on the island.

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