

Girl Guide News



1ST SOUTHPORT COMPANY

The Guides of Southport held an outdoor meeting in the garden of the Leader's house, Mrs. Neil Matheson.

1ST BORDEN COMPANY

Our Guides of Borden raised money for camp by having Bingo Games and Fruit cakes and were able to contribute \$5.00 towards the fees of 12 guides.

F.W.I.C. President To Address Island Institute Meetings

Mrs. E.E. Morton, Vegreville, Alta., President of the Federated Women's Institutes of Canada, will arrive in Charlottetown this evening preparatory to appearing as guest speaker at the annual convention of the Women's Institutes, which opens on Monday of next week.

The sessions this year will be held at the Prince of Wales College, opening with registration on Monday morning, and continuing with a very full program until Tuesday night.

Presiding at the various sessions will be Mrs. Malcolm MacLeod, Lorne Valley, President of the P.E.I. Women's Institutes, and Mrs. Harold Laird, Kelvin Grove, Vice President.

Committee reports will include: agriculture, home economics, citizenship, social welfare, publicity, drama festival, arts and literature, radio, and music festival. On Monday a food club pageant at the Experimental Farm will highlight the afternoon, and on Tuesday afternoon a display of crafts will be shown at the college.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

STEWART—At Prince Edward Island Hospital on July 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart, a daughter, Linda Carol, 7 lbs., 8 ozs.

SMITH—At the P. E. I. Hospital on July 6th, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith (nee Billie Bourke) a son, Weight 6 lbs., 10 ozs.

MacFARLANE—At Saint John General Hospital, Thursday, July 6th, Miss Janet C. MacPhail formerly of Orwell. Funeral notice later.

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SPUD ISLAND SPECIAL

Visitors to Prince Edward Island on the "Spud Island Special" from Edmonton, are planning on taking full advantage of the pleasant summer weather for which the Province is so well known.

SUPREME COURT—Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell yesterday closed the Supreme Court June assizes here after dismissing the appeal of George Shepherd vs the King from a conviction under the Excise Act, and confirming conviction and sentence. Counsel for the appellant was Mr. M. Alban Parnier; for the Crown, Mr. J. P. Nicholson.

VISITED K. OF C. CAMP

The sixty-four boys at the Knights of Columbus boys' camp at North Rustico, under the leadership of camp director, Rev. Father Sharky, received a visit yesterday morning from Red Cross Swimming and Water Safety instructors, Miss Lois Arsenault and Mr. Paul Dymore. Rev. Coffin is waterfront director for the camp, assisted by Dickie Wedge and Dickie Noonan. Plans were discussed for the tests to be held on Tuesday, July 11th.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH CAMP

The Young People's camp at Canoe Cove under the direction of the Christian Church had a most entertaining program on Wednesday night. The highlight of the evening was the naming of a boat which has been constructed by the men of the Central Christian Church, Charlottetown. Pomp and ceremony surrounded the christening of the "Annabelle" which was built from the same plans as are used in building the Red Cross Safety dories. A film show, featuring the films, "Water Safety" and "Heads Up" was conducted by Paul Dymore, Red Cross Swimming and Water Safety Instructor. The film board co-operated by lending their generator. All the campers were keenly interested in a talk on the Water Safety Rules.

BRIGHTON SHORE CLASSES

Youthful enthusiasm brought seventy-nine children out in the rain yesterday for their daily classes with the Red Cross Swimming and Water Safety instructors at Brighton Shore. With the aid of the volunteer helpers who were present, a new system was introduced whereby the classes were arranged ashore before the children were taken into the water by the instructors.

ABEGWEIT EMPLOYEES ENTERTAINED—Mr. Gordon Foster, manager of The Charlottetown, played host last evening to a large group of employees of the M. V. Abegweit and their wives who were shown through the hotel and entertained at luncheon. The visit was arranged with a view to promoting better mutual understanding between the two branches of C. N. R. service. Brief addresses were given by Mr. Foster, Mr. Montgomery, divisional superintendent, C.N.R., Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan, district medical officer, Mr. F. Sayer, divisional public relations representative, Moncton, and by members of the Abegweit crew. Visitors present included Messrs. Frank Gillespie, general chairman, C. B. R. E., Moncton, and Mr. Nicholson, Halifax, of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Engineers, who also spoke briefly.

Mr. F. R. Sayer, divisional public relations representative, C. N. R., Moncton, arrived in the city last evening.

Demonstrates Handling Of Motor Grader

A demonstration in the use and handling of a motor grader was given yesterday by Dean Kingsman, a specialist in this art, from Peoria, Illinois, head officer of the Caterpillar Tractor Company. Some forty operators, Government and construction company employees were on hand to get some first hand information from an expert in the business.

The road which is being built to connect the new Central Royal school location with the Brackley Point Road was used for the purpose of the demonstration. The Kingsman's handling of the large machine was really something to watch, showing perfect co-ordination in speed and efficiency in tackling his task.

The demonstration was arranged by the firm of A. Pickard Farm Tractors Ltd., local agents for the Caterpillar equipment. Mr. Walter Pickard was the host at noon when he treated observers to sandwiches, doughnuts and hot coffee.

More than 450 species of fish have been caught in waters off Cuba.

Presbytery Of P.E.I. Hold Meeting At Canoe Cove

The Presbytery of P. E. I. met Tuesday in the Church at Canoe Cove with the Moderator, Rev. F. M. Young, in the chair, and the Clerk, Rev. T. H. B. Somers, at the desk. The following were also present: Rev. G. C. Webster, Rev. J. A. McGowan, Rev. C. D. Henderson, Rev. F. N. Young, Rev. W. A. Young, Rev. D. A. Campbell, Rev. D. Nicholson, Rev. R. S. Quigley, and the following Elders: R. A. MacKenzie, Neil Nicholson, D. A. MacKinnon, Angus Green, Alex Hiltz, Artemas MacSwain, Brecken Simmons, Mr. Malcolm Lott, student at Marshfield was welcomed as a visitor.

The clerk informed the court of the recent honour conferred upon the Very Rev'd. Frank Baird of Fredericton when the University of New Brunswick made him a Doctor of Laws; the felicitations of the Presbytery were ordered expressed to the esteemed clerk of the Synod.

A call was presented from the charge of Appin and Melbourne in the Presbytery of London, Ontario, in favour of the Rev. C. D. Henderson who indicated his intention of accepting it. High tribute to Mr. Henderson's worth and work was paid by the following Elders: Artemas MacSwain, Chester McAure, and Oswald Graham; and the Rev. T. H. B. Somers and the Rev. G. C. Webster paid tribute to Mr. Henderson's services to the Presbytery. The pastoral tie is to be severed as and from August 31st and the Rev. F. N. Young was appointed interim-moderator.

Interesting reports were presented from the following who were in attendance at the recent Congress and Assembly held in Montreal: Rev. C. D. Henderson, Rev. D. A. Campbell, Rev. W. A. Young, Alex Hiltz, Neil Nicholson, Hazen MacLure, and Miss Margaret MacDougall.

The Historical Convener, Rev. J. A. McGowan announced that plans for the celebration by the Presbytery of the 75th anniversary of the Presbyterian Church in Canada (as at present constituted) would have as its special feature a visit from the Moderator of the General Assembly, the Rev'd. Dr. F. Scott Mackenzie of the Presbyterian College, Montreal. Rev. G. C. Webster, Rev. F. N. Young and Mr. J. R. Burnett were named to the Anniversary Committee.

It was announced that the new manse at Clyde River was nearing completion and would soon be ready for occupancy. Tentative plans were prepared for the Service of Designation of Miss Margaret M. MacDougall, Deaconess, in the church at Wood Islands in September. The Budget Convener, Rev. C. D. Henderson announced the availability of a highly-recommended film on stewardship at all congregations in the Presbytery during the week of October 22-27. The convener of the camp committee, Rev. J. A. McGowan informed the court of record enrolments for the various camps being held at Camp Keir during July and early August and that plans were being made for a conference for Youth Leaders at Camp Keir from September 1-4. The congregation of Canoe Cove applied for Presbyterial authority of incorporation under provincial statute and the court ordered the registration.

In the evening the Presbytery conducted the Service of Induction of the Reverend Donald Nicholson into the pastoral charge of Clyde River, Churchill, Nine Mile Creek and Canoe Cove. The large congregation was led in worship by the Moderator assisted by the Clerk and the sermon was delivered by the Rev. Donald A. Campbell. The interim-moderator outlined the steps leading to the filling of the vacancy after the solemn act of induction the Rev'd. C. D. Henderson gave the charge to the Minister and the Rev. G. C. Webster the charge to the congregation. The members of the Presbytery were the guests at a lobster salad supper of the ladies of the Canoe Cove congregation.

The next regular meeting of the court is set for November 7th at 10.30 a.m. in the Kirk of St. James, Charlottetown.

At a gathering held at the Central Experiment Farm, Ottawa, Mr. Muir was presented with a painting and a reading lamp as a token of the esteem in which he is held by his colleagues and friends. Mrs. Muir was the recipient of a bouquet of American Beauty roses.

DEFENCE FORCES

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force to deal heavier blows to the lengthening Red supply columns.

Claim Reds Slowed

An Air Force communique said two railroad bridges and two highway bridges had been knocked out, and claimed the Red movement southward had been slowed or stopped—a claim not wholly substantiated in dispatches from other headquarters and from fighting areas.

Stratemyer said bombers and fighters accounted for 17 North Korean planes. Most of the 17 were destroyed on the ground. The South Koreans knocked down one and "navy strikes... added four more," the communique said.

However, Vice-Admiral Arthur D. Struble, commander of the United States Seventh Fleet, told a press conference today that 10 confirmed kills were in American and British carrier-plane strikes Monday and Tuesday on North Korea.

List Destruction

The Air Force communique gave this account of other destruction wrought by aerial assault to date: Eight tanks, 156 trucks, 11 locomotives, 28 railroad cars and 14 buses destroyed. Large numbers of other vehicles and railroad rolling stock damaged. Two railroad bridges and two highway bridges knocked out.

Undecided Whether Crown Corp. Case Is Yet Before The Court

On notice of motion by Mr. J. P. O'Donnell that he intended to bring a reference by the Workmen's Compensation Board before the Court in order to determine whether the P. E. I. Industrial Corporation "is or is not owned or managed or controlled by His Majesty as represented by the Government of Prince Edward Island" the Supreme Court in banco yesterday heard argument on preliminary objections raised by Mr. J. O. C. Campbell, K.C., acting for the Attorney General and for the Corporation.

The Court adjourned until the 14th instant without having ruled on Mr. Campbell's contention that while counsel for the Board had spoken of a "stated case," there was no case stated by the Workmen's Compensation Board before the Court.

Three objections were considered to be capable of being overcome by amending the record of agreement of counsel, but Mr. Campbell declined to agree to jurisdiction. He maintained that the Workmen's Compensation Act authorized reference by the Board on points of law, whereas on the record the purported reference was by "Hortae Wright, Chairman" and that no case had been stated by the Board.

Mr. Justice Tweedy pointed out that "perhaps tomorrow Mr. Wright might not be chairman." Should the proceedings be continued, Chief Justice Campbell indicated that the question at issue would be whether the Corporation is "controlled" by the Government. There is the further question, among others, whether there is a question of law or of fact, the Statute providing for reference on the former while the decision of the Board on questions of fact is final.

An unusual feature of the reference, as pointed out by the Chief Justice, is that "one party wishes to pay money and the other declines to accept." The issue arose over the Board's action in relating the Corporation's assessment for workmen's compensation, on the ground that the men would be paid from a fund contributed by the Provincial Government. The Corporation sent the cheque back.

Retirement Of Mr. G. W. Muir As Animal Husbandman

OTTAWA, July 6—A well-known figure in the Canadian livestock industry, George W. Muir, Dominion Animal Husbandman, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, retired on superannuation July 3, after 36 years service to Canadian agriculture.

Mr. Muir was born at St. Laurent, Que., sixty years ago and graduated from McGill University in 1914. He joined the Animal Husbandry Division of the Department of Agriculture immediately after graduation, and has been with the Division since that time. In 1933 he was appointed Dominion Animal Husbandman. In that capacity he had overall direction of the experimental and research work in animal husbandry at the Experimental Farm in Ottawa, and the supervision of similar work on the Branch Farms and Stations across Canada.

Well known in agricultural circles Mr. Muir brought to his work a quiet and unassuming efficiency that won him many friends. At a gathering held at the Central Experiment Farm, Ottawa, Mr. Muir was presented with a painting and a reading lamp as a token of the esteem in which he is held by his colleagues and friends. Mrs. Muir was the recipient of a bouquet of American Beauty roses.

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First Casualty Train

A senior American commander disclosed today as the first casualty train arrived at Taejon with one dead and seven wounded that 30 to 35 per cent of the American troops who fought the last round near Osan yesterday were either casualties or captured.

In Taejon, the Associated Press was informed that American dead up to Thursday night totalled 20, with the wounded four or five times that number. The AP dispatch did not give the source of the information.

Biggest Crowd In History Of Holman's Store

The largest crowd of people ever served in one day in the history of the store was the report last night after the completion of the opening day's activities of Holman's 93rd birthday party at their main store in Summerside. The volume of sales equalled that of the first day last year which was a record high. It is estimated that about 10,000 people were served during the day. All during business hours the store was thronged and the crowd overflowed into the streets. Other stores in the town which also offered special sales were busy as well.

At Holman's Little Miss 1875 in her traditional costume was on hand to greet the people and present them with a gift. The sale of grab bags could almost be described as a "mad rush" as people pushed and shoved in an effort to obtain one before the quota for the day would be sold out. A large staff of additional clerks had been taken on strength on Monday morning to give them three days to get accustomed to their work before the rush commenced. The activity of the day was increased by the appearance of Planter's Peanut float on the streets calling attention to the fact that Saturday is Kinsmen Peanut Day and there will also be a tag day in aid of the Prince County Hospital.

Telephone Co. Employee Honored

A buffet supper and dance was held at Sandy's Restaurant, Marshfield, last evening in honour of Mr. Sammie Smith, the gut of The Island Telephone Company. Mr. Smith, having served thirty-six years with the above-mentioned Company, was presented with a most beautiful Gladstone travelling bag by the employees. The honored guest was also presented with a scarf.

Later in the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith were remembered by the employees with an appropriate wedding present. He is a member of the Summerside staff and has just recently been married.

A very enjoyable evening was spent in dancing and card playing, and prizes were awarded to the lucky winners. The music was provided by the employees' dance band.

The presentation to Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Smith was made by Plant Superintendent E. G. Cameron. Following this, Mr. G. R. Starratt, General Plant Manager congratulated Mr. Smith on his long and meritorious service, on behalf of the Company and employees, wishing him and his wife much enjoyment in retirement.

Mr. Don M. Gass, manager of the local Company, also commended Mr. Smith on his splendid record and added his good wishes in health and enjoyment during his retirement. A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Sandy Saunders and his staff for their service and efficiency in providing a most enjoyable lunch.

Visiting Ontario Farmers Purchase Island Ayrshires

Seven more Ayrshire cattle were bought yesterday by the three Ontario farmers visiting the Province, to bring to thirteen the number of cattle they have purchased for the potential carload of Ayrshires they hope to ship to their homes in Ontario.

They priced quite a few more on their tour of farms in King's and Queen's Counties during the day and hope to complete the deals shortly. No swine were bought by the men yesterday but they may send for some later on. The three men, Messrs. R. O. Briggs, of Dundas, Sam Pattison of Elora, and Donald Cummings of Lancaster made six purchases from the herd of Mr. W. W. Anderson and Sons, St. Peter's Bay. Among them were four two year old and one four year old heifers. The other animal is a bull calf by the champion sire Glengarry Bit O' Fashion and a full brother of Kendoral Grand Champion.

They bought a two year old heifer from the herd of Almon Wood and Sons, Marshfield, to round out the day's purchases. This heifer is a daughter of the sire Kendoral Bright Boy. On Wednesday they bought four heifers at the Ayrshire calf sale held at the Experimental Farm, Irvington, and one cow from Mr. Irvington, Orwell Cove, and a three year old heifer from Mr. N. W. MacLeod and Sons, Dundas.

The men were favorably impressed with the quality of swine they viewed in the Province and Mr. Biggs and Mr. Pattison are having quite an argument over which of them made the better swine purchases. Mr. Biggs bought two bred gilts from Mr. Willard Proude, Kingston, who won the Brethour Trophy at the Royal Winter Fair last year, while Mr. Pattison bought a young Yorkshire boar from Mr. Irvington.

The men will leave for their homes early this morning. For Mr. Pattison it was his first visit to the Province and for Mr. Cumming his second. Mr. Cumming judged Ayrshire cattle at the Provincial Exhibition here in 1948. Mr. Biggs, a regular visitor to the Island, having been here several times in the past year.

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30-DAY SERVICE

KENTVILLE, N. S., July 6—(CP)—Leo Campbell, who gave his address as Glace Bay, N. S., was convicted of stealing money from milk bottles here today and sentenced to 30 days in jail.

TENDERS

Sealed Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to and including July 11, 1950, for the purchase of New Glasgow School. Building to be removed from present site not later than July 25, 1950. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

MRS. HAROLD DICKERSON E. R. S. Hunter Bldg.

Presbyterial Annual Meeting Held At Belfast Presbyterian Church

Mrs. F. A. A. Mutch, Charlottetown, was re-elected for her fifth term as President of the Prince Edward Island Presbyterial of the Women's Missionary Society, at the 53rd annual meeting at St. John's Church, Belfast, last evening.

Other officers elected were as follows: 1st Vice President, Mrs. Brewer Linklater, Kensington; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. A. M. Green, New London; 3rd Vice President, Mrs. R. A. MacKenzie, Pictou; 4th Vice President, Mrs. R. V. Irving, Alberton; 5th Vice President, Mrs. J. J. MacLure, Murray Harbour North; 6th Vice President, Mrs. W. P. Cameron, North Tryon; Recording Secretary, Mrs. J. W. MacKenzie, Summerside; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. T. H. B. Somers, Charlottetown; Literature Secretary, Mrs. Robert Jarne, Freetown; Mission Band Secretary, Mrs. G. P. MacLeod, New London; Girls' Work Secretary, Miss Mary MacKenzie, North Tryon; Home Helpers Secretary, Mrs. Rendle Larter, Charlottetown; Message Secretary, Mrs. D. A. Campbell, New London; Home Mission Secretary, Mrs. Allan A. Campbell, New London; and Treasurer, Mrs. Arthur G. King, Charlottetown.

The officers elected assembled at the front of the Church and Rev. J. A. McGowan offered the prayer of dedication. There was a large attendance of delegates and visitors from auxiliary churches of the Island and President, Mrs. F. A. A. Mutch, occupied the chair.

The devotional service in the morning was in charge of the Belfast W. M. S. Mrs. A. G. Putnam read the Scripture Lesson and Mrs. J. F. MacDonald offered prayer.

The greetings of the Belfast congregation were brought by Dr. R. S. Quigley who spoke of the Belfast Church, which was erected 126 years ago, before its builders had decent homes of their own. He extended a cordial welcome to those in attendance. Mrs. E. G. Saunders of Charlottetown replied to the greetings.

The nominating committee was appointed as follows: Miss Mary MacKenzie, Tryon; Mrs. A. A. MacDonald, Charlottetown; Mrs. J. Stanley Brown, New London; Mrs. Dan MacLeod, Flat River; Mrs. Angus Brown, Wood Islands. For the credit of the committee, Mrs. Angus MacLeod and Mrs. Malcolm MacEachern were appointed; for resolutions and courtesies, Mrs. A. G. Putnam and Mrs. Roderick Murchison.

Reports were brought by the corresponding secretary, Mrs. T. H. B. Somers; the secretary of literature, Mrs. Robert Jarne; the home mission secretary, Mrs. Allan A. Campbell; the home helpers' secretary, Mrs. Rendle Larter; and the treasurer, Mrs. Arthur G. King. All reports showed increased interest and steady growth. Mrs. King reported that the sum necessary to buy a piano for the British Guiana mission field had been over-subscribed and that the amount had been forwarded to the treasurer of the W. M. S. of Eastern Canada.

The meeting re-convened at 2.30 p.m. with the president in the chair. The devotional service was conducted by Mrs. Lloyd Howatt and other members of the North Tryon Auxiliary; Mrs. Stanley Delaney read the Scripture Lesson and meditation and Mrs. Russell Thomson led in prayer.

The minutes of last meeting were read by the recording secretary, Mrs. J. W. MacKenzie of Summerside. The greetings of the P. E. I. Presbytery were brought by the Moderator, Rev. Norman Young, who brought a message of encouragement and appreciation of the work of the Women's Missionary Society.

Despite the inclement weather there was a good attendance of members from most sections of the Island. The Memorial Service was led by Mrs. W. N. Ross who read the Scripture; Mrs. John MacWilliams placed flowers in loving memory of those who had passed on to their reward.

The report of mission band work was given by the secretary, Mrs. George P. MacLeod of New London. The Clifton Band with highest percentage, won the banner for the year.

The report of girls' organization was presented by the secretary, Miss Mary MacKenzie, deaconess of North Tryon. The report of the credential committee was brought by the convener Mrs. Malcolm MacEachern.

An invitation to meet in Zion Church, Charlottetown in 1951 was extended by Mrs. Rendle Larter, president of Zion Auxiliary, it was accepted on motion. For the benefit of those not present at the morning meeting the treasurer, Mrs. King, gave a brief report of finances.

The guest speaker at this meeting was Rev. Donald Campbell of New London. He gave a condensed report of the Congress and the meetings of the 75th anniversary of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. He spoke of the MacVicar Church in which they met; of the great number of young people in attendance; of Dr. Torrence who preached on "The Living Word and the Living Church" with a plea to return to the Bible. He told of the work among our new Canadian citizens—the Chinese, who opened a new church in Montreal, the Hungarians with self-sustaining churches, the Italians of whom only 30 per cent of those in Canada are Roman Catholics. There is work being carried on among the older citizens of French descent and among the oldest of all, the Indians of Canada. The speaker stated that there were sixty millions of Presbyterians in the world; he spoke of Dr. Baird who gave an address and exhibited a large photograph of the first General Assembly and of Rev. Edwin White, a native of Charlottetown, who gave an outline of the last twenty-five years of the Presbyterian Church. He said that Rev. R. M. Ramsay and Rev. and Mrs. J. C. E. Andrews were remaining in South China to continue their work. In closing he stated that the Presbyterian Church is stronger and ready to go forward to greater things.

Greeting were also read from Miss Ethel MacDonald, the missionary in British Guiana. The thanks of the meeting were extended to Miss Mabel Auld and Mr. Robert Watson of Zion Presbyterian Church in Charlottetown, who had donated the programs for the meeting.

Evening Service

The evening service was conducted by Dr. R. S. Quigley, minister of Belfast Church. He was assisted by Rev. C. D. Henderson of Murray Harbor North, who read the Scripture Lesson, and Rev. G. C. Webster of Zion Church, Charlottetown, who led in prayer. The report of the credential meeting was brought by Mrs. Malcolm MacEachern.

The minutes of the afternoon meeting were read by the recording secretary, Mrs. J. W. MacKenzie. Dr. R. S. Quigley gave the address at the evening service. He spoke by request on Rev. John MacLennan whom he, according to information available, presumed to have been sent by the Church of Scotland, to preach to the people of Belfast and Cape Breton. He came to Belfast in 1822, returned to Scotland in 1823 and brought back his bride that same year. Mr. MacLennan chose hardship in a new country to a comfortable quarters in Scotland. He described the ocean trip on which the passengers had to carry and cook their own food, provide their own cooking utensils and bedding. According to record, Mr. MacLennan made four trips of a month's duration each time. Today these trips would take a few hours. At that time Mr. MacLennan followed blazed trails and went in sailboats along the coast. He preached in the open air—entirely in Gaelic—dispensed the Communion and baptised children, among them two Catholic children. As the years went on his work, shown by his records of baptisms, greatly increased until the great labors and hardships so impaired his health that he had to give up his work. On his last trip in 1831 he baptised 450 children. These old Scots, with or without a minister, worshipped God and had their morning and evening devotions. This is a fine example of home mission work—following the people into new lands. All of the churches of Cape Breton are the product of the labors of Rev. John MacLennan. In closing Dr. Quigley said he was proud to be a successor to this great pioneer in the ministry. The report of the committee for resolutions and courtesies was read by Mrs. Murdoch MacPhee. The meeting closed with singing and the Benediction by Rev. C. D. Henderson.

HISTORIAN PASSES

MONTREAL, July 6—(CP)—Dr. William Henry Atherton, Montreal historian, educationist and sociologist, died today after a short illness. He was 82. In 1945, after 38 years on Montreal's waterfront, Dr. Atherton retired as manager of the Catholic Sailors' Club.

PLEDGES SUPPORT

OTTAWA, July 6—(CP)—The executive council of the Canadian Congress of Labor today pledged moral and financial support to the railway unions in their efforts to get wage increases and a 40-hour week.

HOLMAN STORE NEWS

Well! It's here folks... Our Gigantic 93rd Birthday Party—Wow! It sure is SOMETHING GOOD! The crowds! Both stores are terrific! The Bargains are wonderful and best of ALL there are things that you want and need in every single department—marked way down to save your pennies, dimes and dollars. You're read your Big Birthday Bulletin—BUT beside the articles you've seen in it there are OODLES AND OODLES OF MONEY-SAVING UNADVERTISED SPECIALS marked with the Special Price Tickets... This is YOUR BIG CHANCE to go on a Great Big Spending Spree because the more you spend the more you save when you buy at HOLMAN'S during the 21st 93rd BIRTHDAY PARTY... Come One—Come All to HOLMAN'S 93 STORES, SUMMERSIDE AND CHARLOTTETOWN.

— G. E. M. A.