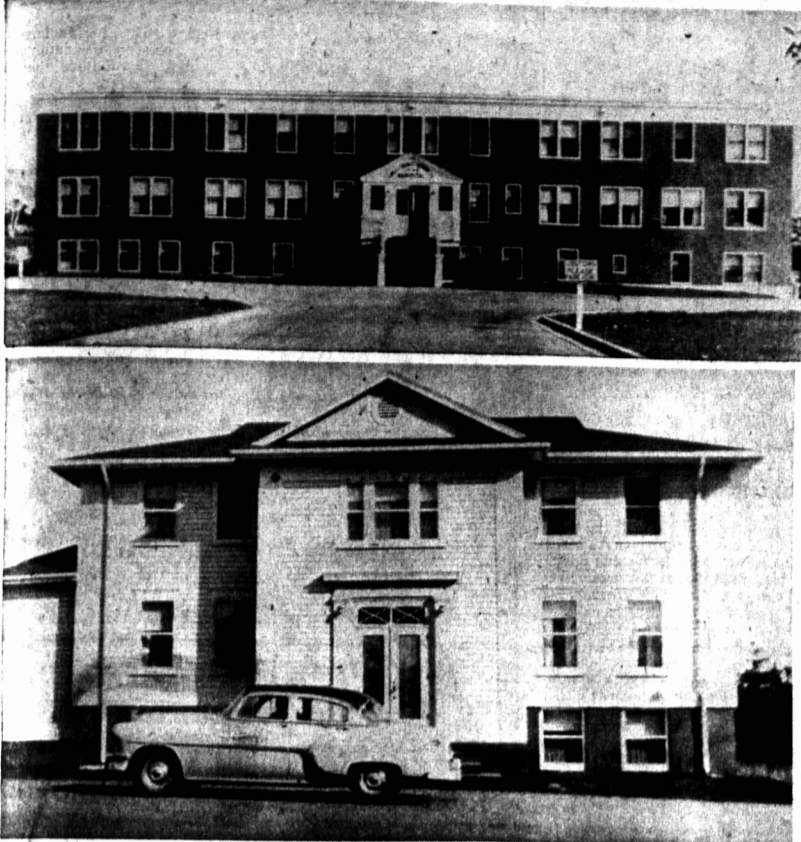


HOSPITAL CAMPAIGN NOW UNDERWAY



The objective of the current campaign of the Kings County Memorial Hospital, (top), which is now underway, is for \$60,000. The photo above shows the well equipped, adequately staffed institution, and beautiful new Nurses Residence (below) which was recently added through the generosity of interested citizens and others. The operation of this institution costs an average of \$7.50 per patient per day, although those requiring its services only pay an average of \$5.50 per day. A large part of the operating deficit must be made up through the generosity of the people of Montague and surrounding areas who use these facilities. It is the desire of the board to maintain its present low rates, so that the cost will not be prohibitive to any one requiring hospitalization.



A class of junior grade pupils giant Halloween party held for the school children of Montague School auditorium. The photograph being judged at the

Farm Museum Is Discussed By Montague Junior Trade Board

A farm museum was the topic of discussion at the regular monthly meeting of the Montague Junior Board of Trade which was held last night, with the president G. Arnold Wightman presiding. After the general business meeting, discussion took place regarding the feasibility of opening an island farm museum in the old post office building at Montague.

A committee of two was appointed to wait on the Town Council at its next meeting to forward the proposed plans and investigate the possibilities of procuring the building for this purpose.

This should prove of great interest to the island farmers as well as townfolk, and educate the general public in the workings of the farmer who is the backbone of our country.

Farm Loan Board Report Reflects Higher Maximum

A total of 106 loans amounting to \$334,150 were approved by the Canadian Farm Loan Board in Prince Edward Island during the year ended March 31, 1956. The average loan was slightly over \$3,300 which was secured by a first mortgage in all but two instances.

Of the above 106 approvals, 100 loans were disbursed amounting to a total outlay of \$301,235.87. Since the inception of the Farm Loan Board a total of 1930 loans have been disbursed in the Province amounting to \$3,260,737.94.

Loans secured by first mortgage totaled 973 with an amount outstanding of \$1,722,568.83, and those secured by second mortgage totaled 49 with an amount outstanding of \$16,112.56. Four loans were secured by agreements for sale amounting to \$2,299.94.

The Board is an agency of the Government of Canada established for the purpose of making first mortgage loans to Canadian farmers. In the year ended March 31, 1956, 2057 loans for a total of \$8,309,850 were approved as compared with \$8,225,500 in the previous year.

The average loan was \$4,040 as compared with \$3,835 in the previous year. At March 31, 1956, there were 18,931 first mortgage loans and 2,389 second mortgage loans outstanding for a total of \$4,958,136, being an increase of \$4,837,800 over the previous year.

Collection experience continues to be satisfactory and 87 per cent of the total due for interest during the year had been paid by the end of the year. Of the total of \$3,623,518 of principal repaid during the year over 54 per cent was received in payment of principal not yet due by the terms of the mortgage contracts.

Changes in the Canadian Farm Loan Act made at the last session of Parliament designed to widen the field of operations by increasing the maximum loan limit from \$12,000 to \$15,000 and the maximum did not come into effect until after the close of the fiscal year and are not reflected in the Report.

Board officials state that there has been a substantial increase in the demand for loans in the first six months of the current year and that loan approvals for this period are 45 per cent greater than in the corresponding period last year, due in part to the larger loans now permissible under the amended Act.

4 Sitting M.P.'s In The Running

OTTAWA (CP)—At least four sitting members of Parliament are now expected to be in the running at the national leadership convention of the Progressive Conservative party here Dec. 10-15.

A high party source who asked to remain unnamed, said Wednesday George Nowlan, 58-year-old Conservative Commons member for Digby-Annapolis-Kings, will be a candidate for the post vacated through the resignation of Hon. George Drew because of illness.

In Wolfville, N.S., Mr. Nowlan later said "strong representation has been made" urging him to seek the party leadership. He would give it "serious thought" in the next few days.

"I think it is highly desirable that there should be a Maritime candidate in the field in view of the part Maritime leaders have played in the political life of this country in the past."

The source said the results of Tuesday's Nova Scotia election when the Conservatives won power after 23 years of Liberal rule, will add weight to the "considerable pressure" being built up by supporters of Mr. Nowlan.

He said a delegation from Nova Scotia and elsewhere will ask soon that Mr. Nowlan pose his candidature and that the Wolfville lawyer will agree to do so.

JOINS THREE OTHERS

He would join three other Conservative lawyer-M.P.s who had declared their candidacy or said they would allow their names to be proposed at the convention.

They are: John Diefenbaker, 61, member for Prince Albert, bids for the party leadership in 1942 and 1949; Donald Fleming, 51, member for Toronto East, who ran third behind Mr. Drew and Mr. Diefenbaker in 1948; and Davie Fulton, 40 member for Kamloops, B.C.

The Guardian, Page 5 Friday, Nov. 2, 1956 Presbyterian Guild's Young Women Meet

Mrs. George McCannell, Montague, was hostess to the Presbyterian Young Women's Guild, Monday evening. A brief worship period, in charge of Mrs. Leland Nelson and Mrs. Roy Clow, opened the meeting.

The president, Mrs. John MacKenzie, presided, and the correspondence, accounts and minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. MacCannell, who also read the financial report. There were thirteen members present. A splendid report was given by the committee in charge of the sale of fancy-work at the annual fall supper. Several members spoke briefly regarding the recent visit of The Guild members to Charlottetown, where they were the guests of Zion Mission Guild at a social hour following a special service conducted by Rev. Stanley Vance, Hamilton, Ontario.

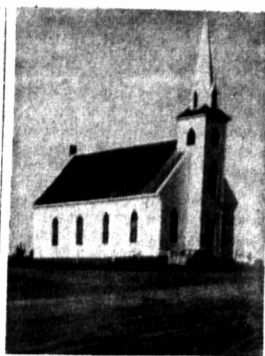
At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Lorne Johnston was presented with a gift in appreciation of her work in The Guild the past number of years. A humorous original song, entitled "Good-bye Irene", was written by Mrs. Elsie Wattersworth and sung by the group. The gift was presented by Mrs. MacKenzie. Following brief remarks by Mrs. Johnston, everyone joined in singing "For she's a Jolly Good Fellow."

A delicious lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Wellington Campbell and Mrs. James Shaw.

Note worthy Anniversary Of Bay Fortune United Church

On Sunday, November 4th, special anniversary services will be held in Bay Fortune United Church at the 3 o'clock service to mark the 150th anniversary of the induction of the first minister, and the 79th anniversary of the opening of the present church. Rev. A. S. Weir D.D. will be the guest speaker and greetings from former pastors will be read.

Fortune is old. The first white settlers came about two hundred and ten years ago, and some of their descendants are still settled within a few miles of here. In 1752 when the first census was taken there were DeLanues and LeBlancs and others near the shore where they could cut the marsh to the best advantage. They praised the soil very highly and stayed half a century. Many of the first French sleep in the old graveyard on what was later the first what is now the farm of the late Charles Townshend. Other moved over to Lot 44 to settle Rollo Bay which the French called the Harbour of Matthew.



BAY FORTUNE United Church erected 1875-1877; Congregation organized 1806.

FIRST ENGLISH FAMILY

The Acadians moved out of Fortune around 1800. The first English-speaking family to settle (James Aitken and family from Lower Montague, came around 1797, but it was not till after 1800 that the overflow population from Morell-way, the Dingwells, MacKenzies, Coffins, MacKies, and the Burkes and Needhams coming from near Charlottetown in the same period. William Townshend, customs collector for the colony was the first active landholder. He bought Lot 43 in 1803 from the wife of Edmund Burke, the famous British statesman and orator, and his son John Dalton Townshend was an early settler near Eglington school.

The church came with the first settlers but there are no deeds or minutes to tell when that church was built. We do know that in 1806 the Rev. James McGregor of Pictou, was on a preaching mission and on behalf of Pictou Presbyterian inducted the Rev. Peter Gordon into the charge of St. Peter's, Covehead and Bay Fortune. So, one hundred and fifty years ago the first pastor whose sermons may have been long, but were necessarily few as Mr. Gordon served the whole island preaching in Malpeque, Belfast and East Point, in addition to his regular appointments. Two years of this strenuous life finished him and the first minister lies buried in St. Peter's Harbour cemetery a martyr to a calling too rugged for a dedicated delicate man.

FOUNDING FATHERS

But the work went on. Rev. Edward Pidgeon came in the summer of 1811 and in October of that year "We the elders, members and hearers in the Presbyterian congregation of St. Peter's Covehead, Bay of Fortune and other places abroad not having a shepherd... did call the Rev. Edward Pidgeon, minister of the Gospel to come to us... and help us, by taking the charge and oversight of our souls..."

The ones from the "Bay of Fortune" who signed the call; Edward Abell, William McKie, John McKie, Joseph Coffin, James Aitken, William Aitken, Donald MacKenzie, James Douglas, Walter Burke, Valentine Needham.

These were the founding fathers. They built their church on part of the John McKie farm which was later the property of Joseph Coffin Esq. and which has been a Coffin homestead ever since.

The third pastor in Bay Fortune Rev. Robert Douglas, was inducted one hundred and thirty five years ago last month. His parish, too, was extensive, from Covehead where he preached ten sermons a year for thirty pounds to North Lake which got five sabbaths for fifteen pounds. Mr. Douglas ministered to this congregation for nearly twenty-five years (the longest pastorate in our history) until his death in 1846.

It was during this period that the second church was built at Fortune around 1834 perhaps. This church with a low pitched roof

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was built parallel to the road with the door in the middle of the building unprotected by a porch. Two rows of pews on each side of a wide central aisle flanked the long communion table. The pulpit shaped like an hour glass had a winding stair and a door. At this time in our church history the old Scottish customs of standing for prayer, sitting when the psalms were sung, and gathering round an actual table for the Lord's supper were strictly observed.

In 1852 East and West St. Peter's and Bay Fortune called the young student, Henry Crawford, who next year was inducted and ordained. The Bay Fortune women liked their young minister and in 1855 as an old newspaper records it "... To manifest their affection they presented him with a beautiful silk gown and decorated their pulpit in very handsome style." "and" the article went on, "God in his good providence continued on page 10

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Israel Claims Capture Of Entire Sinai Peninsula

TEL AVIV (AP) — Israel claimed capture of the Sinai Peninsula Thursday night, after a four-day campaign.

An official spokesman for Israel's government and army said a general collapse of Egyptian forces was in progress throughout the peninsula—that part of Egypt east of the Suez Canal.

He said an Egyptian force of about 20,000 had been committed to defence of the peninsula.

As the spokesman pictured the situation, the survivors were trying to extricate themselves and escape westward, in the direction of Port Said and Ismailia.

SAYS LOSSES HEAVY

The spokesman said Egypt's losses were heavy and many prisoners had been taken.

There was a hint in Cairo broadcasts that Egypt was withdrawing forces from the Sinai Peninsula in order to defend the Nile Delta and control the area adjacent to the canal. Whether this actually was the case, remained to be determined.

The Sinai Peninsula, a desert area with few settlements, is 650 miles wide at the Mediterranean end, and 230 miles long.

Israeli forces invaded the Peninsula Monday, saying they intended to clean out bases of Egyptian commandos who have raided into Israel.

BIG TANK BATTLE

The Israeli spokesman said the biggest tank battle in the campaign took place Thursday.

On the Gaza front, Israel reported that a mechanized and armored task force had reached the outskirts of El'Arish, town just outside the Gaza strip. A key communication point on the main highway which links the strip with Ismailia, halfway point on the Suez Canal.

Earlier, Israeli force claimed the capture of Rata, just inside the southern end of the Gaza strip.

The government radio, in a broadcast to the population in the Gaza strip, said: "The government of Abdel Nasser (Egypt's president) is collapsing."

The broadcast warned the population not to take any action "against the citizens or property of Israel." It said all the people of the Gaza strip "will be held responsible for any such acts committed."

5,000 CASUALTIES

Israeli forces used Russian-built tanks captured from Egyptians in the last two days to reach El'Arish and to capture Rafa, the army spokesman said.

The Israeli Embassy in Washington reported Israel has captured 100 tanks, mostly of Soviet and Czech manufacture. This statement said Egyptian casualties — killed, wounded and captured—were estimated at 5,000, and that Israeli casualties "are relatively light, including less than 100 killed."

Tel Aviv said the fifth air raid alert since the conflict started. The alert lasted for 15 minutes and no signs of aircraft were reported.

The Soviet Embassy notified the Israeli foreign office it would evacuate wives and children of its Russian Embassy staff from Israel immediately.

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ORWELL — VERNON United Church, Rev. John M. Sheen, Minister, Vernon River 11 a.m. Eldon 2.30 p.m., Orwell 7.30 p.m.

FREE CHURCH OF Scotland. Services Nov. 4th, Murray River 10.30 a.m., Birch Hill 2.30 p.m., conducted by Rev. J. H. Bishop.

DUNDAS - ANNANDALE United Church Circuit, Sunday, November 4th, S.A. Custance, pastor. Dundas 2.30 p.m. Divine Worship; Sunday School, 10:30 p.m. Annandale, evening Worship, 7:30 p.m. Solo by Mr. Herb MacLeod. Sunday School, 7:00 p.m. Forest Hill Sunday School, 11:00 a.m.

ASSISTED AT SERVICE — In the account of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church rally day held in Montague on October 28th, those who assisted in the service were: Misses Carol Boehner and Mabel MacLean, who lead in prayer, and Sandy Johnston and Norman Martin who read the Scripture.

SOUKIS — BAY FORTUNE Pastoral Charge, Service Sunday, November 4th, 11 a.m. Souris, 3 p.m. Anniversary Service at Bay Fortune, Dr. A. S. Weir of Charlottetown will preach. Mrs. Douglas Coffin and Mrs. Arnold Wightman of Montague will sing. Mr. George Leard of Souris will give a history of the church. D. A. Sharpe, Minister.

THE MONTAGUE Pastoral Charge, The United Church of Canada, Rev. J. M. Fraser, Minister, Sunday Nov. 4th, Lower Montague; Sunday School as arranged, 7.30 p.m. — Special Song Service, with the Belfast Quartet; the Brook-Trio and the Murray River Trio. Special offering to secure gowns for choir, Trinity Church, Montague; 10 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m. — Morning service and Junior Sunday School. (The evening service will be at Lower Montague). A hearty welcome to all services.

CHURCH OF Christ, The Lord's Day, November 4th, Montague; 10.00 a.m. Bible School for the whole family; 11.00 a.m. The Lord's Supper and preaching, Murray River; 10.00 a.m. Bible School; 11.00 a.m. The Lord's Supper, Murray Harbor; 6.00 p.m., Bible School and the Lord's Supper. Combined, Evangelistic service at the Murray Harbor Church of Christ at 7.30 p.m. Special music by choir. Bible preaching. Everyone welcome. Kenneth T. Norris, Evangelist.

THE Presbyterian Church in Canada, services Sunday, Nov. 4th, Cardigan, Divine worship 11 a.m. Sunday School 10.30 a.m. Lorne Valley afternoon service 2.30 p.m. Montague Anniversary service 7.30 p.m. Special music by the Cathedral choir. The Rev. Russell Gordon of New Glasgow, N.S., will be guest preacher at all services. Montague Sunday School 10 a.m. All are welcome. Rev. D.A. Campbell, minister.

LORNE VALLEY

Messrs. George Leard, Birt Leard, Peter MacLeod and Bennett Crane were recent visitors to Panmure Island.

Miss Betty Callaghan has accepted the position of teacher at Cardigan Head School.

Mrs. Walter Down, Charlottetown, was a recent Sunday visitor to Lorne Valley.

Mr. Bryon Crane of the Royal Canadian Navy at Halifax, N.S., spent a few days leave with his mother, Mrs. Annie Crane, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy MacLeod, Alexander, spent the past weekend in Lorne Valley. They were guests of Mrs. MacLeod's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Nicholson.

Several young people from this vicinity motored to Montague on Friday evening where they spent an enjoyable time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex MacDougall. Music for dancing was supplied by Mr. Alex MacDougall, Mrs. Frank Parker, Mr. Buddy Myers and Mr. Jackie Webster.

Mrs. Edward Crane and son Lea, Bangor, were guests of Mrs. Crane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Munro MacGrath on October 7.

Mr. Walter Coates motored from New Brunswick to visit friends in this vicinity during the last week-end of the month.

Mrs. Christina MacLeod has received word that her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon MacLeod, Toronto, Ont., are the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy.

A number of young people from Lorne Valley attended the Masquerade dance held at Cardigan recently. Miss Adele Shaw acting the part of a medical doctor was one of the prize winners.

Mrs. Gertrude Crane, Charlottetown, spent a recent week-end with her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Donald Shaw.

Mrs. Sandra MacEachern, Montague, was one of the prize winners at a Masquerade dance held in Lorne Valley Hall recently. Mrs. MacEachern, a former teacher at

PARISH OF GEORGETOWN, Anglican Church of Canada, Holy Trinity Church, Sunday, November 4th, Twenty-third Sunday after Trinity, 11 a.m. Morning Prayer and sermon. Reverend W. G. Hogg, Priest in charge.

UNITED Baptist Church, Montague Charge, Sunday, Nov. 4th, Montague 11 a.m. Murray River 3 p.m. Sturgeons 7.30 p.m. With song service 7.15. Deacon Stephen Achland of Cornwall will be the speaker at all services. All welcome. Rev. A.W. Rogerson, Minister.

GEORGETOWN PASTORAL Charge, United Church of Canada, Services for Nov. 4th, 11 a.m., Georgetown, Communion service for the whole Pastoral Charge; 2.30 p.m. Milltown Cross; 7.30 Sturgeons. Rev. W. A. Paterson, Minister.

JEAN BART SAILS

ALGIERS, Algeria (Reuters)—France's biggest battleship the 38,750-ton Jean Bart, set sail from here Wednesday for the Middle East carrying units of the Foreign Legion's 1st Parachute Regiment and naval commandos.

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