

REGULAR MEETING Canadian Legion Montague Branch, Thursday night.

ATTENDS DINNER—Captain and Mrs. A. A. Mosher, Montague, accompanied by Miss Alice Moore, R.N., motored to Bedouin on Sunday to attend a pre-nuptial dinner in honour of Miss Noreen Henderson, R.N., whose marriage to Mr. Robert Mosher will take place May 11.

SAD NEWS RECEIVED—The sad news was received last evening by Mrs. Dan Condon, Lower Montague, of the death of Mr. P. S. Purdy, Saskatoon, husband of Mrs. Purdy, formerly of Panmure Island, Mr. and Mrs. Purdy visited the old home two years ago, where Mr. Purdy made many friends who will regret to hear of his sudden death from a heart attack.

VISITS CUB PACK—Mr. Gordon Kerr, provincial commissioner Boy Scouts, paid a visit to Montague last evening to attend the regular meeting of the Wolf Cub Pack under the leadership of Messrs. Danny Murray, Bob Van-Edrington, and Colin Jackson. Mr. Kerr spoke briefly to the young Cubs and was particularly pleased to learn that several have completed their tenderpad, and will be invested in the pack in the very near future.

FINAL CARD PARTY—Lower Montague Women's Institute held their final card party of the season in the school on Wednesday evening, with eight tables in play. Winners for the evening were: Ladies' first, Mrs. Landrigan; men's first, Mr. David Duff. Consolation prizes were won by Mrs. Farrell and Louis McCormick. Prizes for the evening were won by Mr. Landrigan. Following the distribution of prizes, Robert Hewitt drew the ticket for the fruit cake being lotteried by the finance committee, the winner of the cake being Mrs. Lem Robertson. At the close of a pleasant evening a delicious lunch was served by the committee in charge.

MAGISTRATE'S COURT—At magistrate's court at Georgetown yesterday before Stipendiary Magistrate Joseph W. MacDonald, a resident of Little Sands was fined \$25.00 and costs for possession of illicit spirits contrary to the Temperance Act. A resident of Montague was fined \$20.00 and costs for possession of liquor other than in his residence. A party from Little Sands was fined \$50.00 and costs for operating a vehicle while his ability was impaired. His license was also automatically suspended for three months. The residents of Gasperaux were each fined \$10.00 and costs for operating an unlicensed vehicle. The case of two residents of Montague charged with stealing a truck wheel, was adjourned for one week.

FUNERAL SERVICES—The funeral services for the late Mary Elizabeth Acorn of Lower Montague, who passed away on Monday, were held from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Alex Campbell, Lower Montague, yesterday afternoon. Conducting the service was Rev. W. A. Paterson, Georgetown, assisted by Rev. J. M. Fraser, Montague, and Rev. Kenneth T. Norris, Montague. The hymns sung were "Sleep in Jesus, Blessed Sleep" and "We Meet Beyond the River." Mrs. Arnold Wightman feelingly rendered the solo "Nearer My God To Thee". The pall bearers were five nephews, Percy King, Everett King, James King, Harold King, Stephen Hicken and Lloyd Collins. Interment was in the Lower Montague cemetery.

Personals

Mrs. Fred Clair and young son Billy, of Dartmouth, N. S., were recent visitors to Montague, guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Clair.

Mr. Earl Clair, R.C.N., Halifax, spent the week-end in Montague at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clair.

Mr. Neil VanDerstine, Peter's Road, was a visitor to Montague yesterday where he called to see his old friend, Mr. Philip Murphy. He also visited Mr. Barry McKelvie, who is a patient in the King's County Hospital.

C.W.L. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Little Flower sub-division C.W.L. was held at the home of Mrs. Joseph Donovan on April 4th. The president, Mrs. J. E. Rossiter gave a review of the years work which included eight regular and one special meeting. The report showed a membership of eighty six. The spiritual activities for the year consisted of devotions held in the church during the month of May. A public novena in honor of St. Ann in July. A lay retreat for the ladies of the parish was held in July, upwards of one hundred ladies attended. A report of the diocesan convention was given at September meeting.

The secretary reported the financial activities were a bazaar and party held in the homes during the winter months, a fitness trial was held in the home of our members who died during the year. Donations were given to Rev. Phoebe McKenna, Missionaries of Mary, St. Marthas Building Fund, Red Cross Scholarship Fund, T. B. League, swimming classes and water safety public library and donations to C. Y. O. for books to provide better reading, social welfare and Precious Blood. The following convener's reports were read: President, Mrs. G. Bonelli; Social Service, Mrs. J. Rooney; Membership and Finance, Mrs. C. FitzGerald; Publicity, Mrs. J. Kelly; The Treasurer, Mrs. A. Aylward, reported on the year's work spiritually and financially.

RESERVE MAY 19 and 20 for 3-act play, "The Feminine Touch", A. D. MacKenzie Hall, Montague.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY—The funeral of the late Mrs. Euphemia M. Bell was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her niece, Mrs. Raymond MacMillan, Wood Islands East. Services at the home and grave were conducted by Rev. E. S. Hales. Hymns sung were "The Lord's My Shepherd", "Lead Kindly Light" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus". Pall bearers were Raymond MacMillan, Lawrence Panton, Frank Panton, James Dixon, Waldo Taylor, Malcolm MacPherson. Interment was in the Wood Islands cemetery.

ENTERTAINS GUILD—Mrs. Claude Nicholson was hostess to the members of the Young Women's Guild of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Montague, Monday evening. The president, Mrs. Malcolm MacKenzie presided, and the meeting opened with the hymn "Pass Me Not, O Gentle Saviour". The Scripture was read by Miss Margaret MacLure, followed by Mrs. E. MacNeill. At the close of the business period, the meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction repeated in unison. A social hour was enjoyed, and lunch was served by Mrs. MacNeill and Mrs. John Gaudet.

Best Membership Year—Terminating it the best year for membership, Mr. Wendall Mutch, reading the Membership Committee report in the absence of Mr. Allison MacMillan who is ill, said that where there were only about 200 members four years ago there are now 561. With the expansion and the greater volume of sales in prospect he visualized a membership of 1,000 in the near future.

Financial Statement—The financial statement showed that the store last year did a business of over three-quarters of a million dollars. Of this sales for groceries were \$487,788 for meats \$159,570; for fruit \$66,722; and for feed \$63,677. This provided a gross profit of \$123,254 after the deduction of \$663,319 for the cost of goods sold.

Operating expenses amounted to \$90,156 which after the addition of other income made a total operating profit for the year of approximately \$35,000. Although there was some discussion regarding the statement, in general it was approved. One item, that of wages paid, touched off an argument with the chairman saying he could not answer the question as to the amounts various employees received as the books were in the office. Some members felt they should be brought to the meetings while others maintained a person's salary was a private matter and should not be discussed in open meeting.

Rebates Discussed—The matter of taking or leaving the rebates was one of the longest of the several discussions. Some felt it was not in the best interest of all to make a hard and fast rule with one speaker claiming a man had a right to do what he pleased with his own money without being told how he must spend it or where he must leave it.

Other speakers thought that the person who only wanted to take rebates was making money at the expense of those members who wished to help the co-op and were not in it for purely personal monetary reasons. Mr. MacLean suggested his belief that any person who took his rebates in cash for three successive years should also be handed back his share capital.

However, after the subject had been under fire no decision was reached and the matter will stay as in past years.

Messrs. Jerome Gillis, W. R. Shaw and Bramwell Chandler were elected as new directors. No president will be chosen until after the directors hold their first meeting. Saturday afternoon a French

Lorne Valley and Vicinity

Mr. Jamie Crane paid a brief visit to Mount Stewart on April 23.

Mr. Elmer MacInnis, Charlottetown was a visitor to Lorne Valley on April 26. He was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Christina MacLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. Ouyler Dingwell and family, Marie, motored to Lorne Valley on Sunday, while here they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd MacDonald.

Mrs. James MacNeill was a recent visitor to Mount Stewart. Mr. Edgar MacAulay has arrived home after spending the winter in Halifax, N.S. His many friends are pleased to see him back again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd MacDonald and daughters, Shirley, Elaine and Beryl, were visitors to Montague on April 24.

Mr. Spenser Crane has accepted a position at Willowdale, Brudenell, and he, Mrs. Crane and family will be residing there. Their numerous friends wish them the best of luck and good health in their new home.

Mrs. Sandra MacEachern and children Katherine and Bobby, spent the last week-end of April in Cardross, as guests of the former's father-in-law, Mr. George MacEachern.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Crane and son Lea, Bangor, motored to Lorne Valley on April 25. While here they were guests of Mrs. Crane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. MacGrath.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle MacDonald were business visitors to the Island's Capital on April 26.

Mr. Ralph Nicholson was a visiting to Mount Stewart on April 24.

Miss Hannah Crane, Montague, spent the last week-end of April with her mother Mrs. Alfred Crane.

Ten-Year-Old Flies Plane



Maureen Godson of Edmondton sits at the controls of her father's two-seater Ercoupe aircraft after successfully taking off, making a circuit and landing the plane. The youngster is not allowed to fly alone, however, and was accompanied by Al Lang, chief instructor at the Edmondton Flying Club. Department of Transport regulations forbid anyone under 16 years from flying solo. Maureen, who started taking flying instructions last fall, now must wait six years before obtaining a licence. Mr. Lang said Maureen is exceptional and was ready to solo after only four hours instruction. She is believed to be the youngest person ever to fly a plane. Maureen sits on three cushions while flying in order to see over the nose of the plane. (CP Photo).

Georgetown and Vicinity

Mrs. Margaret Allen and Miss Joyce Jenkins were visitors to Montague on Wednesday, April 28th.

Mrs. W. A. Paterson, is visiting in Moncton, N. B., where she is the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Paterson.

Miss Beatrice Mair, student Nurse at the Prince Edward Island Hospital is spending a few days holidays in Georgetown as the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Yorston.

Mr. Ralph Boates of Summerside was a business visitor to Georgetown, Montague, Murray River and Murray Harbour during the past week.

On Wednesday, April 28th, Major John A. MacDonald, M.L.A., Mr. Peter Sullivan, Mr. Joseph MacAulay of Cardigan and Mr. Adolphus C. Scully and Mr. A. H. Stewart of Georgetown motored to Charlottetown where they attended a meeting of the Provincial Executive of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., which was held in the Charlottetown Legion Home.

Mr. Daniel Riley of Montague, arrived in Georgetown a few days ago where he will officiate as Foreman and Packer at the Lobster Packing Factory owned by Mr. William S. Martell. Mr. Riley, who is an expert preserver, has been employed by Mr. Martell in this capacity for a goodly number of years and has a host of friends in Georgetown, who once again welcome him to Georgetown at the Lobster Fishing Season.

A farewell party was held in Kozy Hall on Wednesday, April 21st, for Miss Louise Murphy on the eve of her departure for Toronto, Ont. A very enjoyable evening was spent dancing, followed by a very lovely lunch. This popular young lady was presented with a purse by Miss Sally Johnson, on behalf of her many admirers.

Growing Indications That U. S. House Will Approve St. Lawrence Seaway

By C. E. BLACKBURN WASHINGTON (CP) — There were growing signs Wednesday that the House of Representatives will give final approval to United States participation in the seaway phase of the St. Lawrence river-Great Lakes development when the issue comes up for a show-down vote today. The legislation, debated on the House floor for the first time in half a century Wednesday and already approved by the Senate, would authorize the U. S. government to join with Canada in building the 27-foot-deep waterway. In previous years the seaway project was stalled in the Senate, where it was consistently shelved or voted down without reaching the House. As the limited debate neared its conclusion on the House floor, signs were that opposition had faded sufficiently to produce an approving vote. The House presented a picture of comparative indifference. Scarcely more than 50 of the 435 members were in their seats during the debate droned through the afternoon. Cleveland Bailey (Dem. W. Va.) an opponent of the measure made one of the few pointed remarks aimed at Canada when he departed from his prepared text to say: "No one within sound of my voice is so glib as to believe the timely visit of the governor-general of Canada to address a joint session of Congress just one day prior to our vote on the seaway was merely coincidental." Governor-General Vincent Massey addressed a joint session of congress Tuesday and left Wednesday afternoon for Ottawa but made no reference to any phase of the seaway project.



AFTER EFFECTS — Capt. Howard J. Dager, one of the U.S. Army's atomic experts, tests for radio-activity aboard the No. 11 Nikko Maru, a 164-ton Japanese fishing boat which was about 1000 miles away from Eniwetok at the time of a recent nuclear blast held by the U.S. Crewmen of another fishing boat suffered radiation burns and sickness as a result of the blast. (NEA Telephoto)

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Our Farmer Friend

I know a place with endearment I hold Where God given blessings freely unfold. Its radiant beauty catches the eye Inspiring the artist imitation to try, But none have that gift like the King over all To follow the changes from Spring thru to Fall. Spring pushes up from the damp chilly ground The blades of the sleepers minus a sound. The bulbs in the garden open their eyes Shake off their damp nighties, and to our surprise— Bring rainbows of color to the sun's bright glow— Replacing the blanket of deep Winter snow. Bright-pigeon-berries and May flowers we find With gold-thread vine so friendly entwined. God places wee buds on the cold bare branches, Then soft green foliage very soon advances. Adorned with gay bloom are the trees in the orchard— All day long by honey bees tortured.

The farmer is busy, his fences he's mending For out on the hills his sheep he is sending. Of ploughing and planting he has a great share, Yet, for a neighbourly chat he has time to spare. Oh for a life on a beautiful farm! So near to Dame Nature's natural charms. 'Tis a foundation of health, to this I avow. He knows not his wealth who follows the plow. The farmer's good wife is a queen on her throne Enjoying the freedom of a bright country home. May God bless the farmer, strengthen his hand To till the rich soil to be found on this land. This beautiful Isle you stand upon now Was landscaped by man with horse, axe and plough. He diminished great forests, opened up roads For his horse to follow and carry his loads. With good neighbor fences marked it in squares Like Grandma's patch-quilt on her bed up stairs. The red clay roads are becoming well paved— Making wheeling so quiet and well behaved. Great things men achieved by the sweat of their brow And much have they done who followed the plough. Cheer up friend farmer, we all know your worth. Bring food in abundance from God's good earth.

—Lena Vessey, Portland 5, Maine. (Formerly of Montague)

GEORGETOWN CANADIAN LEGION MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Georgetown Branch No. 16, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., was held in the Legion Hall on Monday, May 3rd, at 8:30 p.m. Branch president, Marcellus Godeff, presided over the meeting and a good number of members were in attendance. Branch secretary D. A. MacCormack read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were moved adopted. Correspondence was then dealt with and this included a letter from Hon. William Hughes, Provincial Secretary re: the suspension of the Georgetown-Lower Montague ferry service, and a letter from Dr. George Fisher, Provincial chairman of the Boy Scouts Financial Campaign, which this year once again, as in the past, was sponsored by the Georgetown Branch of the Canadian Legion.

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