

Prize Winning School Art On Display At Civic Centre

Prize winners in the Education Week Art contest sponsored by P. E. I. Teachers Federation are as follows:

URBAN

Group 1, Grades 1-3.

1. Barbara Parker, West Kent School, Teacher Mrs. B. Beehune.
2. Nancy George, West Kent School, teacher Jean Ferguson.
3. Lillian Bolt, West Kent School, teacher Grace Crosby.
4. Cheryl MacQuarrie, Prince Street School, teacher Mrs. B. Marlin.

Group 2, Grades 4-6.

1. Diane MacLellan, West Kent School, teacher Miss M. McKay.
2. George Likely, West Kent School, Teacher Mrs. Robertson.
3. Maureen Nantes, Rochford Square School, teacher Sr. St. Elizabeth.
4. David Wong, West Kent School.

teacher Miss M. MacLennan. Group 3, Grades 7-8.

1. Daphne Armstrong, Queen Charlotte High, teacher, Miss B. Prowse.
2. Jimmy MacNutt, Rochford Square School, teacher Miss L. Aitken.
3. Joan Connolly, Rochford Square School, teacher Sr. St. Leo.
4. Eleanor Beag, a Rochford Square School, teacher Sr. St. Mary Egbert.

RURAL

Group 1, Grades 1-3.

1. Peggy Hogan, Dalton School, Tignish, teacher Eunice Martin.
2. Marilyn MacPhee, St. Mary's Convent, Souris, teacher Sr. St. Emma Marie.
3. Roy Trainor, Southport School, teacher Sue Jones.
4. Sheila Roberts, Bear River North School, teacher Eva Gallant.

Group 2, Grades 4-6.

1. Floyd Trainor, Southport School, teacher Sue Jones.
2. Arthur Mossman, Vernon Bridge School, teacher Foster Burke.
3. Dora Gavin, Tignish Convent, teacher Sr. St. Catherine of Sweden.

Group 3, Grades 7-8.

1. Teresa Fraser, Vernon Bridge School, teacher Foster Burke.
2. Vincent Richard, Tignish Convent, teacher, Sr. St. Peter Marie.
3. David Thipideau, Palmer Road South, teacher Mrs. Rita Shea.
4. Enid Gallant, Bear River North, teacher, Eva Gallant.
5. Claudia Henry, Vernon Bridge, teacher, Foster Burke.
6. Celine Roberts, Bear River North, teacher, Eva Gallant.

Group 4, Grades 9-10.

1. Leonard Gallant, Tignish Convent, teacher, Sr. St. Ellen.
2. Lois MacNeill, Tracadie Cross School, teacher, Sr. Isabel Clare.

Parents and others interested are urged to see this display of paintings at the Civic Centre, Charlottetown.

Parish Hall In Cardigan Opened

Meetings of Cardigan Youth Club and the local subdivision of Catholic Women's League on Sunday afternoon and evening marked the opening of the new hall in All Saints' Parish, Cardigan. No formal opening is planned.

The spacious and well-constructed new building is completely insulated, and is heated by oil. It has a foundation of cement blocks, black asphalt roof, and 24-inch B. C. cedar shingles on the outside walls. The interior is finished with a hardwood floor, oak-grained hardboard on the walls, and white ornamental tile on ceiling.

The construction of the exterior of the new hall was under the foremanship of Mr. Adrian Bradley, St. Teresa's; and of the interior, under the superintendence of Mr. George MacIntyre, Cardigan.

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King's County Hospital Ladies Auxiliary Meets

The regular monthly meeting of the King's County Memorial Hospital Ladies Auxiliary was held at the nurses residence Friday evening with the president, Mrs. Leroy White in the chair.

There were twenty-three members present, including three new members who were welcomed by the president. Each member responded to roll call with a cup and saucer for the nurses home and these are to be used not only for hospital meetings, but are also for the use of members of the hospital staff.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. J. D. MacLeod, and were approved as read. Mrs. MacLeod read the financial report which included receipts from the sale of cook books. Mrs. White reported on the series of progressive hospital entertainments.

Mrs. R. G. MacDonald, matron, reported that nine hospital rooms have been re-decorated and, in addition, it was decided to complete three more in March. The cost of this project is being financed by the auxiliary. It was also decided to purchase drapery for one room and Miss Bess Poole was appointed to attend to this matter.

At the close of the business the meeting adjourned, and a social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. J. M. Fraser was piano accompanist for a sing-song with Mrs. J.D. MacLeod as soloist. A delicious lunch was served by the committee in charge, Mrs. Callum Bruce, Miss Bess Poole and Mrs. L. H. Poole.

First Spring Migration Geese Arrive At Moore Sanctuary

Five Canada wild geese have landed at Harvey Moore's sanctuary at Milltown Cross to begin the season's migration northwards. The geese landed at the pond on Monday and as far as can be determined are the first geese on the island this year. This small beginning heralds the full scale migration which will continue for some weeks to the far northland where the geese hatch before returning southwards next fall.

Well over 1,000 ducks and some fifteen geese have wintered at the pond at Milltown Cross, and Mr. Moore has been feeding them every day during the winter. They have remained at the top end of the pond where the warm springs prevent freeze-over even in the coldest weather; thus with a place of refuge and feed, they have passed the winter well. As might well be imagined the feed cost is relatively high one, and despite some small grants for feed, Mr. Moore has had to undertake a large portion of the cost himself of feeding the birds. It is unfortunate that such should be the case, for this sanctuary has become a noted stop-over for all travellers whether tourists or tourists, and large numbers have stopped to watch Harvey feed the ducks and geese and spend a pleasant hour in that locality. Of interest to sportsmen is the fact that if Mr. Moore were able to feed these ducks until mid-April, over 90 per cent of them would hatch on the island, and every sportsman would know what that would mean to fall shooting throughout the island.

This feed cost burden is a question which must necessarily be discussed and considered, and it is possible that the Fish and Game Association might well take it under advisement and make any recommendations as to how the burden can be eliminated. Certainly the project is worthy of every support from all sportsmen in general who like to stop at the Sanctuary, and every effort to assist this project will indeed be welcomed by the Southern King's County Fish and Game Association which is endeavoring to sponsor the program.

Montague High School Cadet Is Now Strong Organization

The Montague High School Cadet Corps, organized slightly over one year ago is now exerting a strong influence in school affairs. The Corps was begun by the principal, Mr. John Hughes and the grade eight teacher, Mr. Leslie Stuart near the end of the last school term. Weekly drills were held and soon the group molded itself into a unit under their instruction. However, growth of the Corps was retarded because it was insufficiently equipped and lacked Cadet plan information.

During last summer a number of Cadets, accompanied by Mr. Hughes and Mr. Stuart attended camp at Aldershot, Nova Scotia. The cadets received training and leadership lectures, along with a sound military drill and procedure basis. These cadets were to become officers in the corps. Camp Aldershot gave the cadets a chance to have a summer vacation and paid each cadet \$100 for attending for a seven week period.

Next fall the corps will become able to operate fully as an approved division. Sergeant Major Pushie was sent from Halifax and taught the group the history, meaning, and functions of the Cadet Corps. He remained for a week drilling the Corps and constructing a rifle range in the school basement. His report, given to Halifax command, enabled needed equipment to be allocated. Uniforms were received and regular cadet company operations commenced. Mr. Hughes and Mr. Stuart then appointed officers for the company.

There are: Company Commander, Robert Shaw; Second in Command with rank of Captain, Chester Campbell; Platoon Commanders with rank of Lieutenant, William MacLure and Errol MacLure; Company Sergeant Major, Benjamin Balderson; Company Quartermaster, Sergeant, Kenneth Ballum; Platoon Sergeants, Walter McEwen and Roland Sullivan.

"We have already suggested that this Province has a great stake in agriculture. For this reason we suggest that the present decline in rural population, and the difficulties which exist from the standpoint of efficiency in our traditional family farm, and the high cost involved in the setting up of farm operations by our young people are matters which should receive the most careful attention by all Members of this Legislature and indeed by all our citizens both rural and urban.

FARM CREDIT

"Few businesses and apparently no Governments are able to operate without credit. Traditionally low returns have made it difficult in the past for farmers to accumulate in advance either operating capital or capital for expansion. Heavy investments for mechanization and high operation costs make it more and more necessary that credit policies for agriculture be tailored to suit present day conditions. There is apparently need for improvement in long term, intermediate, and short term credit facilities.

"The Canada Farm Loan Board operating in the long term field is charging interest rates that are unnecessarily high, maintaining reserves out of proportion to requirements and restricting its operations to a small percentage of farm mortgage loans in Canada. It would appear that for long term lending that Farm Loan Board policies should be liberalized, rates of interest lowered, and terms of repayment extended.

"In the intermediate field the Farm Improvement Loans Act has been a useful and convenient instrument of credit. However, it would seem reasonable to suggest that an interest rate of 5 per cent on loans which are both secured and guaranteed might well be a definite recommendation at the moment. We are suggesting that consideration should be given to the possibility of Government in this Province of an outstanding economist and possibly of a trained rural sociologist as well. Patients employ doctors to diagnose their ills, economists and sociologists could very likely render a similar service with respect to our economy and rural society.

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ECONOMIST

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STORE RE-OPENING

I will re-open my store for business on Monday, March 12. Business will be conducted on a strictly cash basis.

PETER W. MACLEOD
MOUNT STEWART

HIGH COST-LOW RETURNS

"The problems referred to above are of a two-fold nature brought about on the one hand by the high cost of farm operation and on the other by returns on investment and farm labour much inferior to those existing in many other sections of the Canadian economy which has been enjoying and will likely continue to enjoy boom wages and

GREETINGS

Mr. Premier and Honourable Members: We would, at the beginning of this Brief, express our

YE O THEATRE MONTAGUE

Wed - Thur Adm. 40 - 55 Includ. Prov. Gov. Tax
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Residents of Souris and Vicinity

Due to the illness of His Worship Mayor Bruce Stewart the clock for the Cream of the West guessing contest was wound by Councillor W. C. Wright last evening at 6 p.m.

Contest guessing remains open until 6 p.m. Saturday, March 10.

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MONTAGUE CADET CORPS: Cpl. MacDonald, W.; Annear, M.; No. 1 Platoon: (Front Row) — Ballum, Bryce; Stuart, R.; MacLeod, B.; C. S. M. Bald-intyre, K.; MacLeod, M.; Lannin, C. (Platoon Commander); Ma. Shaw, R. McCarron, L.; Ross, D.; Vandler, (Company Commander); Bell, V.; Stine, W.; White, R.; Sgt. Sullivan, (Company Commander); G. (Centre Row) — R.; Crawford, W.

No. 2 Platoon: (Front Row) — Moshier, D.; L. MacLure, E.; (Platoon Commander); Capt. Campbell, C. (Company 2-1-C); Q. M. S. Ballum, K.; Moore, D.; (Second Row) — Buchanan, B.; [—Cpl DesRoches, P.; Ellsworth, E.; Power J.; Ballum, Burton.

(Third Row) — MacDonald, M.; MacKenzie, W.; Johnston, W.; MacLeod, B.; Lilly, W.; MacKenzie, G.; Ross, R. (Back Row) — Sgt. McEwen, W.; Cpl. MacKenzie, K.; MacIntyre, W.; Myers, E.; Wight, C.; Wigginton, M.; Landri-gan, A.

The Eastern Guardian

NOTICE Morell Hockey Club. Game time in Summerside 8:00 p.m. sharp.

Curling Today At Montague

Curling schedule at Montague rink today:

7 p.m. - Theatre Ticket Competition
East ice - L. H. Poole vs. C. S. Stewart
West ice - Wm. MacLean vs. Dr. A. Johnston.

8 p.m. - Moore and MacLeod Trophy - Geo. Nicholson vs. Geo. Kennedy
West ice - Tip Top Trophy - Dr. P. McIntyre vs. H. L. MacGregor.
Yeo Theatre ticket competition teams:

First section:
1. Dr. L. A. Johnston, D. Wankaker, N. Hooley, S. Vuozzo.
2. Wm. MacLean, R. Beck, J. Cudmore, L. Marshall
3. L. H. Poole, G. Nicholson, R. Martin, C. A. Shaw
4. J. C. Stewart, H. M. Smith, R. Knox, A. Robertson.
5. Geo. MacIntyre, D. McGowan, Wightman, C. MacDougall.
6. P. Sinclair, Lorne Johnston, W. Morton, J. Ballum.
7. B. Johnston, T. Clair, C. Nicholson, D. Johnston.

Second section:
1. J. MacLean, S. MacDonald, G. Kennedy, J. Clarye.
2. H. Moar, G. McIntyre, Dr. Inman, M. Jackson
3. A. E. Sullivan, R. Pettit, D. Murray, D. Haneveld.
4. H. MacGregor, I. Phillips, R. Machon, D. Acorn.
5. Dr. McIntyre, G. Jardine, R. Hamilton, B. Knox.
6. A. MacDonald, H. Fraser, E. Shaw, E. Duvard.

PARTRIDGE INJURED - Kings County Game Warden John White was called to Bridgetown this week where Mr. Frank Clay handed him a Hungarian partridge which had been injured and for which he had cared for some time. Mr. White took the partridge to Montague from where it will be taken to the game farm at Kensington later in the week.

PROCESSED 963 TONS - There were 963 tons of fish meal produced at the two Souris plants during the past season. In the report Mr. William Acorn's speech on the Draft Address, he was quoted as saying that there was approximately 950 tons processed at the plant. Mr. Acorn would like to point out that there were two plants in operation but only one of them was processing for the fish oil product.

PERSONALS

Mr. Earl MacLeod, Charlotte-town, was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Matheson, Montague.

SOUTH MILTON SCHOOL FEBRUARY REPORT

Grade IX: 1. Louise MacNeill; 2. Wesley Curtis.
Grade VIII: 1. Leslie Poole.
Grade VII: 1. Alba MacQuarrie; 2. Estella Ramsay.
Grade VI: 1. Margaret White.
Grade V: 1. Marvin MacNeill; 2. Orville Curtis; 3. John MacNeill; 4. Millar MacQuarrie; 5. Edward Ramsay.
Grade III: 1. Irma Ramsay; 2. Eleanor Ramsay.
Grade II (a): 1. Dean MacQuarrie.
Grade II (b): 1. Beverly Ramsay.
Grade I: 1. Allan Gillespie; 2. Terry MacNeill.
Teacher's Leah Moore.

AGRICULTURAL NEWS

P. E. I. Department of Agriculture

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BULL BONUS POLICY

This is a relatively new policy inaugurated in 1951 whereby a substantial bonus is paid by the Department to assist farmers in the purchase of bulls for community breeding. To be eligible for this bonus, the purchaser must obtain the signatures of five or more farmers in the community who will breed a minimum of fifty cows. The bull must be at least 12 months old, from a R. O. P. dam, be registered, and approved by the County Agricultural Representative before the animal is purchased. A maximum of 50 percent of the purchase price of the bull

BOAR BONUS POLICY

All boars born after December 1, 1947, must be out of a dam qualified in Advanced Registry and boars born after December 1, 1951, must be out of a dam with an Advanced Registry score of 85 or better.

These boars are divided into two classes - "A" and "B", with a bonus of \$16 and \$12 respectively. A class "A" boar is one which, in the opinion of the Inspector, is of high enough quality to sire registered breeding stock. A class "B" boar is one which, although useful as a sire of commercial market hogs, may carry slightly objectionable features of conformation.

4-H CLUB POLICY

This is a policy whereby the Provincial and Canada Departments of Agriculture and 34 interested groups, provide financial assistance to the 4-H clubs active in Canada, with the Provincial De-

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Prince County Agricultural Representative

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