

Moderator Extols Laymen's Efforts

Rt. Rev. Dr. James S. Thomson, Moderator of the United Church of Canada told members of the Prince Edward Island Presbytery yesterday that one of the portents of hope in the church is the awakening of the laymen evident throughout the world.

The noted cleric speaking at a luncheon given in his honour at the Charlottetown Hotel said that it is as significant that most every important movement that has taken place since the Reformation has come as a result of a re-education of laymen.

Greetings of the Island Presbytery to the Moderator were brought by Keith Lapp, Summer-side, acting president of the Prince Edward Island Presbytery Men's Council.

Presiding at the dinner was Rev. J.M. Fraser of Montague. The thanks of the presbytery were given by Hon. A.W. Matheson, Premier of the Province. A beautiful Island scene was presented to Dr. and Mrs. Thomson. The presentation was made by Rev. T.R. Goudge of Pownal. During the luncheon two solos by Miss Joan Foster were much enjoyed. Piano music was supplied by Mrs. K.S. Rogers.

PURELY CANADIAN

Dr. Thomson said the United Church was one thing about Canada that was distinctly Canadian. "It was born out of the needs of Canadian people and it represents the unity of which Canada is so justly proud."

Noting the expansion that is evident in the Church, the Moderator said church expenditure has doubled since 1940 to the extent that a new United Church is being built every four days. This does not take into account the number of manses and church halls that are erected as well.

But—Dr. Thomson cautioned, the church's growth is not estimated in the number of new buildings erected or the amount of money raised. "Rather I would like to think of its growth in terms of a deepening of the spiritual life of the people."

Important as the life of the church is on a national scale—and significant as the courts of the church are—Dr. Thomson said the greatness of the church still lies in the individual congregation.

COMING TO A CLOSE

Dr. Thomson became Moderator of the United Church at the General Council held at Windsor in 1956. His two year term of office will be up next month.

Looking in retrospect, Dr. Thomson described his tenure of office as "a wonderful experience that has tended to strengthen my belief and faith in the Holy Catholic Church."

In conclusion the Moderator said he had been guest of honour at many banquets across Canada, "but at none of these has there been so lavish a table spread in my honour."

He expressed his sincere thanks to the Presbytery and especially to Justice G.J. Tweedy under whose direction the Moderators visit has been arranged while he is in the Province.

love water and either want to splash, wade or swim in it.

Many mothers aid their children further by removing possible sources of danger such as poisons, matches, sharp tools and equipment, and things they could trip over.

The caring mother constantly keeps safety uppermost in her mind. She knows the life of her child may depend upon it.

MORE EGGS

Production of eggs in Canada (excluding Newfoundland) increased 11.6 per cent in 1957. All Provinces except the Maritime Provinces reported larger production as compared with a year earlier.

Canadian farmers spent more equipment and on repair parts in 1956 than in 1955. Wholesale value of sales of new implements and equipment rose 11.5 per cent to \$170,767,000 from \$153,124,000 in 1955. Despite this gain, last year's sales were sharply below earlier year's sales which included the following: \$235,620,000 in 1951; \$250,277,000 in 1952; and \$238,050,000 in 1953. Sales of repair parts, also at wholesale, climbed nearly 12 per cent to \$31,825,000 from \$28,452,000. Average retail mark-up is 23.7 per cent for new farm implements and equipment and 36.6 per cent for repair parts.

LIVESTOCK

Showing the first decrease since 1950, cattle and calves or Canadian farms at December 1, 1957, numbered 10, 298,000 as compared with 10, 379,000 a year earlier according to the D.B.S. annual December survey. Decreases in numbers occurred in both eastern and western Canada. The number of horses continued to decrease, declining six per cent to 702,500 head.

The number of hogs on Canadian farms on March 1 increased 19 per cent to an estimated 4,913,000. Hogs on eastern farms were up 10 per cent.

Winter farrowings increased 21 per cent. Prospects are for an increase of 31 per cent in March May farrowings.

TONIGHT AT MEMORIAL HALL MT. STEWART ST. ANDREWS PARISH TURKEY DINNER SERVED 4 TO 10 P.M.



WILL SPEAK

Rev. Charles Townsley, B.A., a native of Belfast, N. Ireland, came to Canada in 1948 under the auspices of The Presbyterian Church in Canada and since then has graduated from Bishop's University in Lennoxville, Que., and the Presbyterian College in Montreal. Recently appointed to the Marshfield charge Rev. Townsley will be the speaker at the special anniversary services to be held in Marshfield this coming Sunday at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. respectively.

GRASS STAINS

Summertime is outdoor time and likely to bring foliage and flower stains. These common stains can be safely removed from most washable clothing if the treatment is suited to the fabric.

For a washable fabric first try rubbing soap or detergent into the stain then wash the garment. Or if a test on the inside edge of a seam or other hidden part of the garment shows alcohol won't effect the dye, sponge the stain with alcohol. Alcohol may be used on unwashable garments and may be diluted with water for acetate fabrics.

On stubborn stains use a sodium perborate bleach. Sprinkle the moist stain with bleach, or if the garment is colored, let it soak for several hours or overnight in a solution of one tablespoon of sodium perborate per pint of water, so cool water for wool, silk and synthetic fibers and hot water for other fabrics. Rinse well. If stains per-

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Six Offenders Appear In City Police Court

Six offenders appeared before Magistrate K. M. Martin in City Police Court yesterday.

A 27-year-old resident of Parkdale, appearing on a charge of drunken driving, was remanded to Wednesday, August 20. The case was adjourned due to the absence of the defense counsel. A plea of guilty to a vagrancy charge brought a 60 day jail sentence to a 49-year-old resident of the Grand Hotel.

Charged with being drunk and incapable, a Spring Park Road man was sentenced to 20 days; a resident of Malpeque Road was fined \$30 and costs or 10 days; and a 43-year-old first offender was fined \$5 and costs or two days.

Another drunk and incapable charge, against a Charlottetown resident, was dismissed.

ist dip them into very hot water using a stronger sodium perborate bleach. Rinse well and repeat if necessary.

Chlorine and sodium perborate bleaches generally remove the same types of stains. Chlorine bleaches, however, should never be used on wool, silk or blends containing these fibers, or on fabrics like the wash and wear wrinkle-resistant cottons that have chlorine-retentive resin finishes.

CARE OF FOAM RUBBER

Foam rubber is rapidly outpacing traditional padding and fillings for use in upholstery. Providing a trim, sleek look, it is virtually indestructible but strong sunlight, intense heat, oil, grease, tar and some dry-cleaning fluids cause deterioration. Therefore, do not let rubber upholstered furniture stand in strong sunlight for any length of time and keep it away from radiators and steam pipes. When purchasing a foam rubber pillow smell it first, as an undesirable odor that will not disappear with use, may indicate deterioration. Choose a cool, dark place for storing foam rubber furniture.

Any oil, grease or tar spots should be removed immediately with soap. If the spots are stubborn, dry-cleaning fluid will have to be used, but it must be used carefully as these fluids soften rubber and vigorous action could permanent damage. Wipe the fluid off immediately and sponge the area to remove all traces of the cleaner. Should an accidental tear or cut occur in a mattress or other article of foam rubber it can be mended with rubber cement.

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Closing prices:
Oats: Oct 1/2 lower 75%; Dec 1/4 lower 95%; May 1/2 lower 75b.
Barley: Oct 1/2 lower 9; Dec 1/2 lower 95%; May 1/2 lower 97 1/2a-5b.
Flax: Oct 4 lower 3.01 1/2; Dec 3 3/4 lower 2.92a-3/4; May 4c

Prices for class two wheat for export to countries outside IWA: 1 nor 1.65%; 2 1.58%; 3 1.51%; 4 1.42%; 5 1.34%; 6 1.30%; 1 durum 1.92%; 2 1.91%; 3 1.77%; IWA and domestic prices: 1 nor 1.63%; 2 1.58%; 3 1.51%; 4 1.42%; 5 1.34%; 6 1.30%; 1 durum 1.92%; 2 1.91%; 3 1.77%.

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ANNIVERSARY SERVICES SUNDAY

The dedication of a set of electronic chimes, donated by Mr. J. J. Stewart of Charlottetown will be a feature of the anniversary service of the St. Columba Presbyterian Church in Marshfield. To celebrate its 128th anniversary, special services will be held on Sunday, August 24th, at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. respectively.

The speaker at both services will be the Rev. Charles Townsley, recently appointed minister to the Marshfield Church. St. Columba ranks as one of the oldest Presbyterian congregations on Prince Edward Island, its founding dating back to the year 1830. This church unfortunately was blown down by a storm and was replaced by the present edifice in 1864. Thanks to a kind donor and diligence on the part of the women of the church, extensive renovations have been made so that an atmosphere of quiet and reverential beauty pervades.

Members of the Kirk-Session of St. Columba Presbyterian Church are Rev. Charles Townsley, Minister-Moderator; Elders, Mr. John MacFarlane, Mr. Earl Foster, Mr. Talmage Foster, Mr. Cedric Ballen, and Mr. Athol MacBeath who is the fourth generation of his family to serve in the eldership of the congregation. Members of the Board of Trustees are: Mr. Cecil Stetson, Mr. John Munn, Mr. Cedric Ballen, Mr. John W. Cairns, Mr. Minto Foster and Mr. John Felland.

At the anniversary services this Sunday special music will be provided by the choir with Mrs. John Carr and Rev. Mr. Townsley as soloists.

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Slight Decline Seen In Blueberry Crop In N.S.

By SANDY CAMPBELL
Canadian Press Staff Writer

HALIFAX (CP) — It's blueberry-picking time in Nova Scotia.

Despite a slow start due to bad weather this year's crop is expected to be almost as good as last year when 4,800,000 pounds were harvested.

The slight decline is blamed on spring frosts that hampered pollination. Acreage is up this year but no accurate estimate is available.

Prices vary with supply and demand. Dealers say the market for Maritime berries may not be as good this year as in 1957 because of good crops in Quebec and the United States. The United States harvest is expected to be 25 per cent below last year's record high but still better than 1956.

BIG BERRY PLANT
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AGRICULTURAL NEWS

SAFETY REQUIRES WORK

work for Safety and Safety Works For You. Mothers in many parts of the world will have an added task during the summer holidays. In addition to keeping an eye on pre-schoolers they must also watch that older school children do not violate safety practices.

Their first step in bringing this about would be for them to continually give the good example safety-wise for children are great imitators. Secondly, tell youngsters often about safety and repeat the message often. To those that could understand the tragic consequences of carelessness should be explained. Thirdly, supervise children's activities. This would mean knowing by watching. It becomes a particularly important phase when one remembers that drownings claim many lives annually. No wonder, for most children

COMING EVENTS

- Windsor Road 4-H achievement Day, Friday, August 22.
- Pantry Sale, Simpson - Sears, Friday, August 22nd, 7 p.m. Kingston Baptist W. M. S.
- Bazaar and dance, Flat River Hall, Tuesday, August 21. South Pinette W.I.
- Dance, Fortune Hall every Wednesday night. Webster's Orchestra.
- Dance in Corran Ban Hall Wednesday, August 20th. Supper by C.W.L.
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- A Variety Concert by St. George's Jr. Farmers in Elmira Hall, Aug. 22nd. Dance after.
- Dance in Orwell school, Friday, August 22nd. Sponsored by Orwell Women's Institute.
- Dance tonight, Garfield McPhee's, Brookfield, Burns Orchestra.
- Dance in St. Teresa Hall Friday August 22nd. Webster's Orchestra.
- Junior Farmers Meeting at the Recreation Centre, New Glasgow, Wednesday, August 20th., at 8.30.
- Ham and Salad supper, Heatherdale Hall, August 21st. Auspices Heatherdale Women's Institute.
- Lawn Party Bonshaw Park, Thursday, August 21st. Dance, Bingo, ice cream, cake, hamburger, coffee, etc.
- Regular Wednesday Dance Beatons Mills, in Eldon Legion Hall, 9 p.m. Canteen service. Everyone welcome.
- Dance Millview Hall Friday, August 22nd. Canteen service. Door Prize. Prize drawn at 12.15 a.m.
- Dance St. George's Hall, Wednesday, August 20th. Canteen service. MacDougall and Crane Orchestra.
- St. Andrews Parish Turkey dinner served 4—11:10 Wednesday, August 20th., Mt. Stewart Memorial Hall.
- Supper, Bingo, Dance, aid of Georgetown High School, St. James Church, Georgetown, Wednesday, August 20th. Supper 50 cents and \$1.00.
- Special Meeting Kingston Branch Canadian Legion, Thursday, August 21st., 8 p.m., in new proposed Legion Hall, New Haven.
- Variety concert and Pie social, Cardigan Legion Hall, Thursday, August 21st at 8.30 p.m. Dance after. Webster's Orchestra.
- Marshfield School Grounds, Ice Cream, Festival Tuesday evening August 19th. Also Cake, tea and sandwiches, Marshfield W.I.

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