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**WINS SILVER TRAY** — In the list of prize winners at the Provincial Flower Show in Summerside last week the Holman Silver Tray for the best individual table decoration was won by Mrs. Gordon MacMillan of Cornwall, S.

**MARGATE PASTORAL CHARGE** of the United Church of Canada. Services Sunday, September 5th. New London 10:00 a.m.; Margate 11:30 a.m.; Long River 7:30 p.m. Rev. S. H. Haslam, B. A., B. D., Minister.

**OUR STORE** and warehouse closed all day Monday, Labour day. Harold Moase.

**SOCIAL NIGHT** Canadian Legion at Borden Friday, Sept. 3, 9 p.m. Members and wives, members and lady friends. Ladies bring sandwiches.

**DR. CALLAGHAN** and Dr. MacNeill will not be in their office September 3rd, 4th and 5th due to medical convention. Emergencies and obstetrical cases will be provided for.

**ALBERTON PASTORAL CHARGE**. The United Church of Canada. Rev. Murray Gardner, minister, Sept. 5th, 1954. Alberton, worship 7:30 p.m., Sunday school 11 a.m.; Caspucup, worship 11 a.m., Sunday school 10 a.m.; Tignish, worship 3 p.m.

**PARISH OF ALBERTON**. Church of England, Holy Communion at Christ Church, Kildare at 9:15 a.m. and in St. Peter's at Borden, 7:30 p.m. at Albany. Evening prayer at Trinity Church, Alma, at 3 p.m. and in St. Luke's O'Leary at 7:30 p.m. Rev. J. R. McMahon, rector.

**MALPEQUE UNITED CHURCH**. — There will be services in Malpeque United Church on Sunday, September 5th, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Rev. D. H. Woodhouse of Arnprior, Ontario, will be guest preacher at the evening service. A male quartette will render special musical numbers. Rev. Alexander MacKay, Minister.

**MISS Ethel Adams**, Summerside, spent the past week-end at her home in Belyea, Sask., after visiting relatives in Margate, Kensington and vicinity. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Chester Howard, Margate, who will be their guests for several weeks.

**Mr. Frank Myers, M.L.A.** and Mrs. Myers, Craupad, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsay, Clifton on August 29. They also called on other friends in the vicinity and in the evening attended the anniversary service at St. Mark's Church, Kensington.—Bur.

**Miss Jean MacMurdo**, who is leaving to make her home in Ottawa, was tendered a farewell party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Esquire MacMurdo, when she was the recipient of a gift of money, presented by Miss James Crozier. Mr. Jimmy Forbes addressed the guest of honor briefly, assuring her of the good wishes of her friends for her future welfare. Dancing was enjoyed and after lunch, a sing-song, with Jimmy Forbes at the piano. Lunch was served by the Misses Miriam Casely, Pauline Moase, Marion Huestis Eleanor Moase and Janet Crozier.—Bur.

**THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA** — Services for Sunday, September 5th, Kensington Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Divine Service 11:00 a.m. Freetown Sunday School 2:00 p.m. Divine Service 3:00 p.m. Keir Memorial, Malpeque Sunday School 7:00 p.m. Divine Service 8:00 p.m. A cordial welcome to all. Rev. E. H. Bean, B. A., B. Th., B. D., Minister.

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**30 Cases In Alberton Court**

—There were 30 cases on the docket at the Alberton Court House yesterday with Magistrate R. S. Hinton, J.C., presiding.

Four fishermen from Tignish and three from Brae pleaded guilty of fishing without a license, contrary to the lobster regulations, and received fines of \$2.00 each.

A fisherman from Brae and one from West Point were fined \$1.00 and costs for not having a license.

Four fishermen from Campbellton and three from Brae, charged with fishing without a license, had their cases adjourned to Sept. 13.

A Tignish fisherman pleaded guilty of retaining undersized lobsters and was fined \$16.00 and costs and bound over to keep the peace for six months.

A party from Coleman was fined \$5.00 and costs under the Highway Traffic Act for permitting an unlicensed operator to drive a motor vehicle, and an Alberton South resident, fined \$3.00 and costs for having insufficient lighting on a motor vehicle.

A party from O'Leary was fined \$10.00 and costs.

**Prince County Intermediate B Finals Sunday**

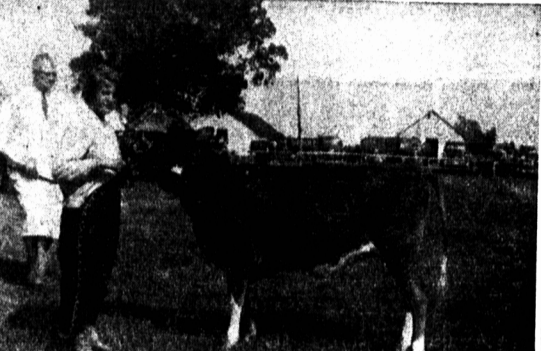
—The first in the best of three game series in the Prince County Intermediate "B" league finals is scheduled to be played at Grand River next Sunday, Sept. 5th. The game slated for two o'clock in the playoffs which ended last Sunday, Grand River defeated Lennox and in the first two games, while the Tignish team scored victories over Wellington in two games.

It will be interesting to watch the outcome of these games as both clubs are considered among the best in the "B" class while the Tignish Royal Aces have been champions for the past two years. They will have a battle on their hands this season to overcome the powerful, well co-ordinated Cardinals.

The winner, will at a later date, do battle with the winning team of both Queen's and King's Colleges for the Island trophy which has been held by the Royal Aces for the past two years.



The junior grand champion Holstein calf shown above by Miss Elaine Palmer, member of the O'Leary Calf Club, and also winner of the J. W. Don Campbell prize for best registered calf cared for by a boy or girl under 16 years of age.



The junior grand champion Guernsey calf shown by Miss Marlene Palmer of the O'Leary Calf Club. Miss Palmer also won the J. W. Don Campbell prize.



The senior grand champion Holstein bull at the exhibition owned by Mr. Alvin H. Palmer of O'Leary.



Champion Belgian stallion at the Alberton exhibition owned by Mr. Fred C. Ramsay, Montrose.

**Potato Marketing**

One who wished to pool their potatoes should consider it their business right to do so, but any one who wanted to sell the other way should be free to do so.

Mr. Lester Wallace pointed out that the dealers have the majority of warehouses in the Province on which the producer must depend for storage. Let us sell where we can get the most," he said, "and buy where we can buy the cheapest." He said he had never seen so many people together at a potato meeting, and referring to the presence of the Government leadership expressed assurance that the farmers can look to them for a fair deal.

**OPPOSED BOARD**

Mr. J. B. Thomas said he has been opposed to the Marketing Board since its inception. "Farmers," he said, "don't need too much help except in distress years. I believe we are here tonight fighting for freedom. After we produce a crop of potatoes we are told in effect that we haven't intelligence enough to sell it."

He concluded by saying that the board has done since its inception is of any benefit to the producers.

Mr. Everett Hudson said he joined the people of his area in wanting the freedom to sell their potatoes where they wished.

Mr. Gordon Hogg of Sherbrooke charged that there were parties in the Sherbrooke and Travellers Rest areas who have not yet been paid for potatoes sold to the Marketing Board last season. He said his potato production this year was only 7 rows, and he said that he believed "smart men like Mr. Matheson and Mr. Baker would smash up the Marketing Board" in the interest of the farmer.

Mr. L. H. Howell, in denouncing the board said that after obtaining federal assistance the board tied everyone's hands and hogged everything for themselves. He also criticized Mr. Darby for not having published the act by way of letting the people know what was contained therein.

Mr. Leslie Simmons, Summerside dealer, said that the pool is all to be compulsory there will be no dealers left in the future.

He charged that Mr. D. A. Mac-

**TEXT OF RESOLUTION**

The following is the text of the resolution approved by the meeting:—

Whereas it is the opinion of this meeting that the ballot held last May was not properly worded or conducted whereby the certified potato producers were not given a fair chance to express their wishes, and as a result a great many producers refrained from exercising their right to express their wish, and as well, many others were unable to do so, and whereas the Prince Edward Island Potato Marketing Board recently indicated that it is their intention to designate a marketing and selling agency which shall be the only agency permitted to accept or purchase potatoes from producers for movement out of this Province and whereas the Board further proposes that the Province's entire 1954 potato crop shall be marketed through a compulsory pool, therefore be it resolved that this meeting do on record as strongly opposing (a) any system of compulsory marketing and for compulsory pooling of our potato crop, (b) and strongly opposing the establishment of one selling agency except when an agency may be required in compliance with a marketing agreement with Ottawa, and be it further resolved that a committee be appointed from this meeting to petition the Government to instruct the P.E.I. Potato Marketing Board to eliminate these regulations from their proposals, and we further agree that we have no objection to the Board instituting a pool marketing system on a voluntary basis, and be it further resolved that should the Government decide that a proper plebiscite be conducted that it be conducted by the Government only and on a basis in line with those conducted in the Province of Ontario and other places where-

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# S'ide Station Will Not Close Down

—There is absolutely no truth in rumors that R.C.A.F. Station Summerside will be closing down," said Wing-Commander J. E. Creeper, acting-commander in chief of the Summerside station in a press interview yesterday afternoon.

W/C Creeper, who is also commanding officer of the Maritime Operational Training Unit at Summerside, said that recent rumors in the town of Summerside regarding the future status of the station are probably the result of the transfer of the Central Navigation School from Summerside to Winnipeg and its resulting shift of personnel.

Emphasizing the intention to continue operation of the Summerside station he referred to a recent official announcement to that effect, which said that 103 Search and Rescue Unit would be moving to Summerside from Greenwood, N. S., following the departure of the Central Navigation School from Summerside. This, according to the official announcement, will mean a slight decrease in personnel, due to the fact that there will not be the student population associated with the Central Navigation School training. However, the separate units will continue to be based at the Summerside Station, namely the Maritime Operational Training Unit, the 103 Search and Rescue Unit and the 800 Squadron of the Naval 31st Support Group.

Recent large and costly permanent constructions at the Summerside station should also serve to debunk any rumors regarding the continued operation of the station.

W/C Creeper went on to explain that the shift of the Central Navigation School from Summerside to Winnipeg is part of a force policy to group the various commands closer together. Summerside now, instead of being under Training Command, Trenton, Ont., is now under the Maritime Air Command in Halifax. W/C Creeper said that the overall function of the Operational Training Unit at Summerside is to provide trained crews

for the maritime squadrons whose role is to insure the safe and timely arrival of shipping. This includes maritime reconnaissance, convoy escort and anti-submarine warfare.

The 20 weeks course at Summerside takes newly trained pilots, navigators, radio officers and flight engineers from the respective training schools and teaches them to fly and work together as a trained crew. Upon completion of the course at Summerside they are assigned to maritime squadrons at Greenwood, N.S., or Comox, B.C., to carry on the specialized work for which they have been trained.

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**ENCOURAGEMENT, HELP**

In the building of this school we have had the encouragement and assistance of many people and organizations. We have had occasion to seek advice and assistance from the Provincial Government and we are grateful to them for the very practical assistance they have given us. The Dept. of Education, with whom we have worked in this endeavour, has given us much help and encouragement in solving difficult problems. On many occasions we called upon our local members—Hon. Mr. MacDonnell and Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan for efforts on our behalf — and for this — they have earned our sincere thanks.

To the chairman and members of the Prov. Sanatorium Commission we are deeply grateful, not only for their practical assistance, but for their tolerance and understanding during these trying times of construction. The mayor and members of City Council, both past and present, have been most helpful and have given us every possible assistance on every occasion, and to them we extend our sincere thanks. We would like in particular to thank Alderman McCormac and his Street Committee for their magnificent work in carrying out the street rebuilding program on very short notice. Our architect, contractors and subcontractors have earned our gratitude by the quality and speed of

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