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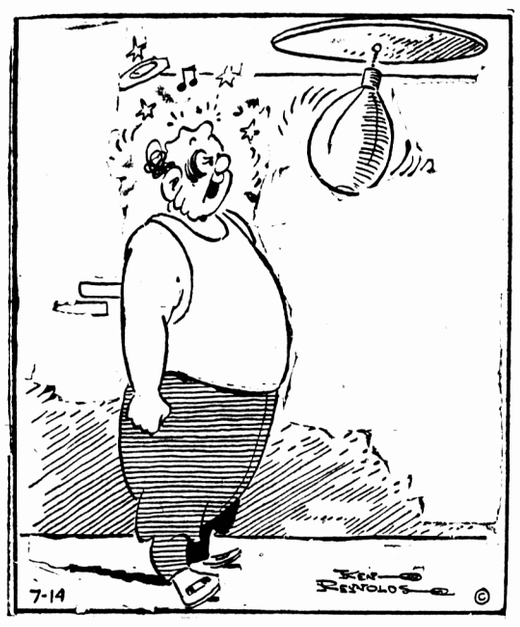

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Carleton and Vicinity

Mrs. Amanda Newsome of Mass. U.S.A. is visiting her father, Mr. Hedley Muttart of Carleton this week

Mr. and Mrs Albert Morrison of Carleton have as their guest this week, Mr. Morrison's father from Buffalo, New York.

Mrs. Patrick O'Connell of Carleton was a visitor to Charlottetown on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Crockett of Charlottetown were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Howatt on Sunday.

Mrs. James Paynter and young son of Carleton are at present in DeGable visiting Mrs. Paynter's sister, Mrs. Russell MacLean.

Master Cook Howatt and Bobby Campbell are in Amherst this week attending the Old Home Week celebrations.

Miss Kay Stordy returned to Carleton this week after enjoying a ten days visit with her brother, John L. Stordy in Truro, N. S.

Mrs. Frank Howatt and young daughter Elva, returned to their home in Carleton on Tuesday after spending a few days in Amherst, N. S., guests of Mrs. Howatt's daughter, Mrs. Dean Bell.

Mr. and Mrs Ira MacLeod of French River were the guests of Mr and Mrs. Fenton Howatt on Sunday.

Western Guardian

—**ICE CREAM SOCIAL,** Searletown Hall, Wednesday, August 10th.

—**REGULAR DANCE,** Burlington Dance Hall, August 9th. Hickey Bros., Orchestra.

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—**MOTOR PARTY**—Mr. Mcnt Owen, Mr. and Mrs. W. Owen and daughter, Mrs. William Shea and Mr. Harold McLellan motored from Hamilton, Ont., last week to spend holidays at their former homes in Hamilton and Indian River. —K.

—**ON MARITIME TOUR**—School Inspector Meritt Callaghan and Mrs. Callaghan of Alberton returned recently from a motor trip to Halifax, New Glasgow, Truro, Moncton and other Maritime centres.—K

—**IT'S HERE FOLKS** — Summer Propane gas for cooking and hot water heating. See a demonstration of propane gas and a complete line of new Propane Gas Ranges and Hot Water Heaters. Frank and Don MacNeill, 27 Central Street, Summerside.

—**WELLINGTON C. W. L.**—The regular monthly meeting of the Immaculate Conception Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League was held in the vestry on July 10 with a fair attendance of members. The meeting was opened with the League Prayer and Hail Mary. The minutes of the last meeting were approved as read by the Secretary. The financial report showed a considerable increase. It was decided that members pay their dues before the next meeting. There was no correspondence. Meeting closed with prayer.

—**RECEIVING CONGRATULATIONS**—Miss Leah Pickering of Clinton School is receiving congratulations from her friends on having passed the entrance examinations to Prince of Wales College with a good percentage. Leah's standing is first among those of the surrounding eighteen rural school districts, and merits for her the $20.00 prize offered by the Kensington Junior Chamber of Commerce to the pupil having the highest aggregate in this group of schools. Much credit is due her teacher, Miss Ruth Simpson, Cavendish, who was so painstaking and willing to spend over-time with her advanced pupils.

—**FROM CHICAGO**—Mr. Joseph R. Perry and sons Roger and Albert of Chicago are spending their vacation at Tignish. Mr. Perry, who is a close relative of Governor Bernard, purchased the residence and farm of the late Alexander McFadyen some years ago.—K.

—**WELCOME PARTY**—Citizens of Kensington held a jolly party on Wednesday night at Darnley shore in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Auld who have recently taken up residence in Kensington. Rev. Mr. Stevens who was master of ceremonies in a brief speech welcomed Dr. and Mrs. Auld to Kensington and extended greetings from all those present. Tangible expressions of their good wishes was shown by the presentation of a chest of silver. Dr. Auld on behalf of himself and Mrs Auld expressed thanks for the wonderful welcome and grand gift. A sing-song in which all heartily joined around a big camp fire and a bountiful lunch completed the program of a most enjoyable evening.—K.

—**FROM YPSOLANTI, MICH.**—Mr. and Mrs. James Shea and their three children of the above named Michigan town are among our summer tourists in West Prince County. Mr. Shea who is a son of the late James W. Shea of Waterford, has been absent from his native province for twenty one years. He is in the contracting business in Michigan. It is Mrs. Shea's first visit to "the Island, and she is delighted with the pastoral scenery and the cordial welcome by Mr. Shea's numerous friends and relatives. They are residing in one of the tourist cabins on the beautiful Kildare river for the duration of their visit.—K.

—**FROM ONTARIO** — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McNally of Toronto, Ont. and Mr. and Mrs. Mark McNally of Windsor, Ont., motored to the Island last week and are visiting their sisters, Mrs. Edward Harrington, Summerside and Mrs. J. J. McQuaid, Kensington and their brothers, Leonard McNally of Borden and Leo McNally, Richmond. It is thirty years since Mark McNally last visited his native province and he naturally sees many changes. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McNally have been more frequent visitors but they are also enjoying the motor drives through the beauty spots of the garden province. On Thursday the party spent the day visiting the National Park. Friday they motored to Wood Islands to meet another brother who came from New Glasgow, N. S. to join the family reunion.—K.

—**FAREWELL PARTY**—A large number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Kilbride, Kensington on Thursday night to say goodbye to them on the eve of their departure for their new home in Bangor, P.E.I. During the evening Mrs. Leslie Ramsay called the gathering to order and after a few appropriate remarks called on Mrs. J. Pendergast to read an address expressing on behalf of those present and others their regret over losing Mr. and Mrs. Kilbride and family and extending best wishes for their future health and happiness. The presentation of an Aladdin lamp and a well filled purse was made by Mrs. Edgar Hickey. Mr. Kilbride, speaking for Mrs. Kilbride and family expressed appreciation and referred to the cordial relations which they enjoyed during the fourteen years they lived in Kensington. A hearty chorus joined in singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows". Music for the dancing, which was enjoyed, was played by the Hickey Bros. Orchestra, assisted by Mr. Ferdie Kilbride and Mr. John Inglis. In the wee sma' hours the guests said good-bye to Mr. and Mrs. Kilbride with many good wishes for the success and happiness of the family in their new home.—K.

SUMMERFIELD C.W.L. MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Summerfield C.W.L. was held in July at the home of Mrs. Wilbert Lawless, Norboro. There were eleven members and one visitor present. Our Pastor Rev. Father Murray opened the meeting with the League Prayer. Correspondence was then attended to. A letter was read from Mrs. W. J. Sullivan covenor of Lay Retreats and stressed the importance of a retreat once a year for women. Also a letter of thanks was received from Mrs. Myrtle Blake for $2.50 national taxes.

A discussion took place in regard to a bazaar to be held in Emerald Hall at a later date. It was decided that the secretary send a treat to one of our sick members. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. Louis O'Connor. Meeting adjourned. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess and a social hour enjoyed by all.

MORE COAL FROM PROVINCE

Alberta's coal production for the first five months of 1949 was 3,451,228 tons, an increase of 616,710 tons over the same period of 1948.

Personals

—Miss Annie McDougall of Montreal is spending her holidays in Kensington.—K.

—Miss Georgie Waite of Boston, Mass., is visiting her former home in Kensington.—K.

—Miss Mae Watson of Charlottetown spent a few days at her home in Kensington recently.—K.

—Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Waite of Kensington were visitors to Charlottetown on Friday.—K.

—Mr. Carl Weeks, Alberton was a visitor to Tignish on Wednesday.—K.

—Misses Mary and Ellen Murphy of Sackville, N. B., are guests of Miss Eunice Shea, Indian River.—K.

—Miss Freda Campbell of Indian River is making a good recovery after a tonsil operation in the Charlottetown Hospital.—K.

—Miss Betty Jay, nurse in training at the P. E. I. Hospital visited her home in Kensington on Thursday.—K.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shea of Windsor, Ont., returned recently to their home in Pleasant View.—K.

—Messrs. Cecil Hughes and Percy Murphy of Norboro and Freetown were visitors to New Glasgow, N. S. last week.—K.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. Roy Ahern, Summerside, have as their guests the Misses Jeanne and Antonia Turlotte of Dalhousie, N.B.—S.

—Dr. W. L. and Mrs. McLellan and family of West Roxbury, Mass. are visiting in Indian River, guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Hickey.—K.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Noonan left on Monday morning for Victoria, British Columbia after a three weeks vacation at her home in Albany. It is ten years since Miss Noonan's last visit to P.E.I.

—Mrs. J. G. McLellan of Indian River is receiving treatment in the Charlottetown Hospital. Her many friends hope she will soon return home fully restored to health.—K.

—Mr. Cecil Calaghan of St. Catherines, Ont., eldest son of Capt. Pat Calaghan returned recently to his home and kinfolks in Miminegash for a short visit. He will be accompanied by his brother Philip on the return trip. —K.

—Miss Patricia Weeks, Saint John, N.B., is spending her vacation visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Weeks, St. Eleanors, and Mr. and Mrs. Clunnie Pilcairn, Charlottetown. S

—Dr. and Mrs. F. W. MacSween of Brighton, Massachusetts, who arrived in Summerside on Saturday evening, are guests of their neice, Miss Jean Gordon, Convent Street.—S.

—Mrs. A. Stirling MacKay, Summerside, has as her guests her sisters, Mrs. G.E. Barney and Mrs. Charles Barnes, and nephew, Mr. Harvey Barnes, who arrived from Roslindale, Massachusetts on Sunday.—S.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph MacGregor and daughter Shirley of New Hampshire are visiting with relatives and friends in Summerside, Kensington and French River.—S.

—Rev. and Mrs. C.S. Linkletter arrived in Summerside by automobile from Atlantic, Iowa, on Friday evening to spend the month with Mrs. Linkletter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M.F. Schurman, Summer Street.—S.

—Rev. and Mrs. G. N. Somers returned to Summerside on Friday from Sackville, N.B., where they attended the funeral of Mr. Somers' nephew, Leon Estabrook, a third year student at Mount Allison University, who had been drowned at Keltic Lodge, Cape Breton.—S.

—Miss Daisy Stewart and Mr. Charles Crowley, left on Thursday for Boston, Mass., after spending the past three weeks at Burlington, where they were the guests of the former's nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. James Simmons and family.—Bur.

—Mr. Clifford Thompson, Toronto, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. C. C. Baker, and Mr. Baker, Kensington. She is accompanied by her niece, Miss Patsy Wilson, who is the guest this week of Miss Carol Thompson, Charlottetown.—Bur.

—Mrs. Mary Simmons, Burlington, left on Thursday by plane, for Boston, Mass., where she will visit a sister and other relatives and friends.—Bur.

—Mr. Harold Kay of Yarmouth, N. S., a divinity student, who is serving the congregation of the mission church at Inverness, for the summer months, conducted the services in New London Parish on Sunday, in the absence of the rector, Rev. S. J. Davies, who is on vacation.—Bur.

This Side Of Glory

By Gwen Bristow

Author Of "Deep Summer"

"The Handsome Road," etc.

But he was delighted with his fatherhood... sent telegrams to everybody he could think of and for a week kept open house, serving wine and eggnog in the parlor to a stream of congratulating visitors as thought it had been New Year's. Denis and Lysiane came up to see the baby—"Well, well, now where did you get this?" — and Fred, who could not get away until the following Sunday, came up at Kester's urgent invitation, bringing Molly and Eleanor's sister Florence, and they spent a merry day admiring the squirming pink object that was still called "the baby", for though Kester and Eleanor had discussed dozens of possible names none of them seemed quite right. Eleanor lay in the great four-poster under its crimson canopy, vastly enjoying her homage. She was glad to see her parents; they were so frank, so strong, laughing at the elegance of her surroundings and reminding her that she had been born in a tent. They took the night train back to town. Though she was tired, she told the nurse she wanted to speak to Kester before she went to sleep.

The nurse brought him and left them alone together. As Kester sat down by the bed Eleanor told him she knew what she wanted to name the baby. "I'd like to name her for a very courageous woman," she said. "My father's mother. Unless you mind."

Kester was sitting on the bedstep. He laid his head on the pillow by hers. "My dearest girl, why did you think I'd mind?"

"I've never thought much about it until now," said Eleanor. "She was a poor creature who'd never had a pretty dress nor very many square meals until she took the only chance she'd ever had to get them. He deserted her before Dad was born. When Dad was a child she used to take in washing, and somehow she brought him up and made him go to school. She died when I was a little girl, as triumphantly as any soldier who had won a battle, for she knew Dad was a great man and she had made him one. She had the courage that makes the mothers of heroes. I'd like to name my daughter for her."

Kester smiled. "I suspect you're very like her. What was her name?"

"Corrie May Upjohn."

He took a long breath. "Eleanor, forgive me, but I think that's atrocious."

"So do I, but can't we arrange it somehow?"

"Isn't Corrie sometimes short for Cornelia?" he suggested after a moment's consideration.

"Cornelia. I like that. Let's name her Cornelia."

"All right."

In the ancient cradle near the bedside Cornelia began to kick. Eleanor kissed Kester's hand as it lay against her face. She was very tired, and drowsy, and very happy indeed.

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It was January, almost two years to the day since they had first seen each other, and it seemed to Eleanor that nothing that had happened to her before then was of any importance except as one of the steps by which she had moved toward Kester. She smiled reproachfully as she noticed his day's mail still on the side table unopened. "Is that the way you used to treat my letters?" she asked, glancing at the pile.

"I used to haunt the box waiting for them," said Kester, "and carry them around to peek at while I was riding the cotton." He reached for the mail and began to look it over. "Here's one from my sister Alice. She has no literary talents, but she feels it a matter of family duty to write me once a month."

He tossed the letter into her lap and Eleanor opened it. Alice's news, as he had foretold, was not interesting. Alice was well, her husband was well, it had been a rainy week in New Orleans, and as Alice said, "Mother had a large party Wednesday to play bridge." Eleanor assumed that Kester's parents were also well. She had started to replace the letter in its envelope when Kester sprang to his feet with an exclamation. She looked up at him and the pages slipped out of her hand.

Kester was holding a letter from his bank in New Orleans. His eyes seemed all of a sudden hollow, and he stared at the sheet as if it told him he had been unwittingly eating poison. She gasped, "Kester, what is it"

For a moment Kester did not answer. Then, in a strange, unbelieving voice, he said, "The bank is threatening to take Ardeith."

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