

The Central Guardian Sea View

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FUNERAL SERVICES—The funeral of Jacob Corney of Green Bay, was held Saturday afternoon from his late residence. The service was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Morrison. The pall-bearers were Judson MacEachern, William Gillespie, Norbert Costello, James Clarkin, Spurgeon Conn, James Cudmore. Interment was in Appin Road Cemetery.

VALENTINE SOCIAL.—A very enjoyable Valentine Social was held on Friday evening, Feb. 14, by the Greenvale Women's Institute at the home of Messrs. Robert and John Mobbs. Amusement was provided by dancing and games, fine accordion music being furnished by Mr. "Scottie" Ewell. Over 100 guests were present and a satisfactory sum was netted from the proceeds of admission and the sale of delicious home-made candy. The lucky door prize, a box of chocolates, was won by Miss Mary Bannan. During the evening, refreshments were served by the Institute members.

SPELLING BEE—The second Spelling Bee between the Senior pupils of Brackley Point and Harrington Schools, took place in Brackley Point Hall on Friday evening, February 28th. A large, enthusiastic audience gathered to hear the children stage a splendid spelling performance. The score at the close was 139-130 in favor of Harrington School. The following took charge of the contest: Chairman, Mr. Gregor MacCallum Word Announcer, Mr. Grant MacCallum. Score-keepers, Mrs. Penton MacLure and Miss Jessie M. Stewart. Judges, Miss George E. Wells and Miss Hazel G. Stewart. During the intermission candy was sold for the Junior Red Cross, and the following program was put on. Instrumental music, Walter MacLure and Leonard Ford. Dialogue, The Girl and the Book, Anis and George Cudmore. Recitation, I hate those pants, Donald MacCallum. Duet, The Preacher and the Cowboy, Derrill MacLure and Vedum Robinson (enacted). Recitation, Gerald Robinson. Collection for "money words." The lucky ticket for the Brackley Point Junior Red Cross camera was drawn by Edith Morrow and won by Lois Jones, Harrington. A prize was given to Annie MacCallum from her teacher for selling the largest number of tickets. For the contestants the big feature of the evening was the spelling of money words. The words ranged in value from five to twenty-five cents. The highest priced word was picked and spelled correctly by Verdin Robinson, Brackley Point. All are looking forward to the next Spelling Contest which will be held in Harrington Hal.

Carleton And Vicinity

Mrs. Leigh Lowther and Mrs. Nathan Bell were visitors to Borden on Wednesday.

Mrs. David Larkins of Summerside is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell MacDonald, Carleton.

Miss Jean McIsaac of Borden was the overnight guest of her friend, Miss Terne Bell, Carleton, on Wednesday.

Mr. Elnor Francis was a passenger by the express Thursday morning returning from a business trip to Charlottetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Noonan, Carleton, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Mary Catherine, on Wednesday, March 6th.

Messrs. Joseph Smith and Boyd Cahill of Carleton left recently for Halifax.

Messrs. Jens Hanson and James Crossman, Cape Traverse, returned Thursday night from Antigonish where they had been employed for some time.

Mrs. Leo Croken and Miss Frances Smith, Charlottetown, were week-end visitors to Carleton, the guests of their mother, Mrs. John Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Stevenson, Miss Irene and Master Gordon Stevenson of Carleton, were visitors to Summerside last Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Murphy of Augustine Cove has as her welcome guest her mother, Mrs. Margaret Murray of Albany.

Mrs. Wilfred Peters, Augustine Cove, spent the week-end in Tryon, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ernest Thompson.

Mrs. Elphinst Clark, Augustine Cove, was a week-end visitor to Borden, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Urville Lead.

Mr. Artemas Cameron of Fortune Cove is the welcome guest of his son, Mr. Kenneth Cameron, Augustine Cove.

The many friends of Mr. Nell Thomas, Augustine Cove, are pleased to see him home again after his recent serious illness in the Prince County Hospital.

Messrs. Leaman and Wallace Calbeck of Tryon were recent visitors to Augustine Cove.

Mrs. Nell Cameron, Stanchel, is visiting Mrs. Eimer Francis, Carleton.

Mr. Penton Howatt, Carleton, was a visitor to Charlottetown on Friday.

Junior Red Cross. The Augustine Cove Seniors met in the school-room on Friday, February 28th to hold their regular Red Cross meeting with the president, Frances Murphy, in the chair. The meeting opened by singing O Canada. The secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting which were approved as read. Seventeen members responded to roll call. The collection was taken, which amounted to thirty cents. Six members were obliged to pay fines for not wearing their Red Cross pins. It was decided that roll call next meeting should be answered by giving

And Vicinity

The stormy wintry weather still remains although March is well on the way.

The sleighing is heavy and with the rain falling daily keeps the road from making. The farmers who had been hauling potatoes have stopped owing to the price becoming so low.

Lent came in on the 26th, Ash Wednesday with the country presenting a pronounced wintry scene. This brings Easter Sunday along to April 13th, which is fairly late.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Murphy were recent visitors to Emsdale and spent a pleasant visit with many friends there.

Mr. Claude Blakaney has left for Halifax where he will join one of the units there for military training. Mr. Blakaney was formerly a member of the P. E. Island Light-horse.

Mrs. Earle McKay entertained the members of the Sea View Branch of the Red Cross together with a number of ladies of the community on Wednesday afternoon to sew for the Red Cross. A pleasant social afternoon was spent as well as a large amount of sewing and cutting out of garments which was distributed among the ladies to take home to be made later. Mrs. John W. Pickering kindly invited all to her home for their next weekly sewing. A delicious tea was served by the hostess, assisted by the committee in charge.

Mrs. Fred Donald and little son Clifford have returned home after spending a few days in Grahams Road, the guests of Mrs. Donald's parents.

Many friends deeply regret to learn that Mr. Brown is still in a serious condition. All trust there may soon be some improvement in his condition.

Many friends are sorry to learn that Mr. John S. Cousins is confined to his home suffering from an attack of his former illness.

Mr. Donald Duggan has recently returned to Sea View the guest of his nephew Mr. Roy Duggan and Mrs. Duggan. Mr. Donald Duggan has been spending the past few months in Summerside. While there he purchased a beautiful colt which he takes great pride in showing to his many friends. Mr. Duggan though advanced in years is still very proud and fond of a good driver.

Mr. Lorne Campbell and Mr. Arthur Stewart were recent business visitors to Charlottetown.

Mrs. Jacob Burt is spending a pleasant visit in French River the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Burt.

Mr. Elton McKay spent the weekend at his home in Darnley.

Mrs. Samuel Bernard has returned to her home in French River after a pleasant visit in Darnley the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Josie MacGregor.

Many friends are sorry to learn that Miss Ellen Harrington is a patient in Prince County Hospital following an appendix operation. All trust to hear of a speedy recovery and return to her former duties as teacher of Clinton School.

An evening of more than unusual interest and pleasure was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McKay, Malpeque, on Thursday, March 6th when a large number of friends from surrounding communities together with the people of Malpeque gathered to do honor to three Malpeque boys who have volunteered in His Majesty's Service, Kenneth McKay, son of the host and hostess, John MacDonald and Roy Abbott. When all the guests had arrived Mr. Frank Bearisto was asked to preside and after a few well chosen remarks called upon Rev. Mr. Crowdis who read a most complimentary address to the young men with many kind words of counsel after which the presentation to each of the boys of a St. George's Ring and a set of military brushes was presented by Gerald Lockhart, Dugald MacNutt, and Harvey Macrae on behalf of their many friends. The boys all expressed their thanks and appreciation to the friends for their kind remembrance at this time and all joined in singing For They Are Jolly Good Fellows. The remainder of the evening was pleasantly spent in dancing, music was furnished by Russel MacKenzie, James McKay on the violin with Mrs. Earle McKay as accompanist. A beautiful lunch was later served to the ladies and greatly enjoyed in an enjoyable evening was spent till a late hour when kind goodnight wishes were said after wishing those young men the best of luck and a safe return to their home. The young men expect to have shortly a training, Kenneth in the R. C. A.

ing second names. The treasurer reported \$3 60 on hand. The following program was carried out: Opening Chorus, There'll Always Be An England! Song, Dorothy and Sheldon Campbell. Recitation, Aletha MacPadyen. Song, Frances Murphy and Alice Sherren. Recitation, Margaret Murphy. Song, Lorna and Aletha MacPadyen. Reading, Alice Sherren. Song, Phyllis Wadman and Margaret Murphy. The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

The Carleton Junior Red Cross "Happy Gang" met in the school-room on Friday, February 28th with the president, Claude Bell in the chair. The meeting opened by singing The Maple Leaf Forever. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mildred Lowther. Roll call was answered by naming the farthest point visited. Catherine Howatt read the Health Rules. The report on "Health habits of the pupils" was given by Theresa Noonan and Lok MacDonald. It was decided to pay 25 cents for yarn to complete the Afghan. It was also decided to procure as many Red Rose Tea ends and tin tubes as possible. The following new committees were appointed: Water, Arnett Stewart and Charlie Doull. Sick, Mildred Lowther and Pauline Falant and Marion Deegan. Program, Eleanor MacDonald and Theresa Noonan. Pauline Gallant put on a "Vehicle Contest." The meeting closed with God Save the King.

Mr. Ray Champion one of His Majesty's navy, is spending a few days furlough at his home in Malpeque the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Champion.



Here are the Important DRESSES for SPRING!

Some fashions are so good that they never go out of style. Redingotes are of these. Our favorite is in blue crepe with smart pastel stripe bodice... the dress part you'll enjoy wearing alone... the softly tailored details of the coat make the ensemble most attractive — \$14.95

Polka dot, stripe and flowered prints are loved by the smart woman year after year. Brought to you now in an exciting new collection for spring. We suggest you wear them now and all through summer. Attractive range \$5.95 to \$14.95 of prices —

For this shirt waist spring! Two pieces are better than one. Never truer than this spring when day and night you practically live in a blouse and skirt... Pastel alpine cloth gored and flared skirts with rayon crepe and sheer blouses make a smart ensemble reasonably priced complete — \$4.90

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England Rich In Food Reserves

By LORD WOOLTON (British Minister of Food)

There is plenty of food in Britain to face a long siege, if a siege ever comes. I wish I could make public what the stocks are, but that is not the sort of thing I ought to do. We are not equally good for everything, but all the essential things are there. I can reveal this much that up and down the country in secret places there are "iron rations" to be used only in great emergency. In areas around vulnerable centres that may be bombed there are stocks of other rationing to be used in the event of sudden evacuation. Food stocks are spread all over the country to meet the possibility of dislocation of communications. My minister has instructed retailers to keep up their stocks according to their financial capacity. Shops are the best places for food. The next best places are the warehouses. The worst places are the docks. My ministry's import programme is scientifically based on food values. Our food imports are down by 12 per cent, but our imports of calories (food values) are down by only 1 per cent. We have saved millions of pounds by a great magnitude, carried through when the market was ready to sell. Food traders responded well to the appeal to provide food at prices the poorer people could afford to pay. Food manufacturers did not raise prices in spite of higher production costs. Because of the possibility of the disruption of communications, there has been during the last month a greater quantity of imports of food-stuffs to this country than ever before. And we are increasing the home production of food. Last year British farmers received 4,000 new tractors. Since January of this year they have received 16,000, and we have no intention of resting on our laurels.

Snuff By The Ton

Hundreds of tons of snuff are still being sent overseas from Great Britain every twelve months. In the last year of peace the quantity was 662 tons, but most of it was used for killing insects. Of the whole amount six tons only was for human beings, and not all of that for snuffing. Much was in a moist form for applying between the gums and the cheek. Gone are the days when the galant, with a courtly bow, proffered snuff from a jewelled box. Today the snuff holder is of polished wood or papier mache, or more often the working man just carries it in his waistcoat pocket. The Canadian lumberjack still smokes a lot, so do the Scandinavian population of Wisconsin and Minnesota and the negroes of the South. The people of U. S. A. are, in fact, the world's greatest snuff-eaters today. They snuff up 20,000 tons of it a year. The claim that snuff is a germ killer is borne out by one of the biggest English manufacturers. They have been making it for more than a hundred years, and in all that time not one of their workers has ever had the flu.

THE LEAVES OF FRIENDSHIP INSTITUTE

The leaves of Friendship Institute Brand held their monthly

EARNSCLIFFE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The February meeting of the Earncliffe Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Bernard Kinross. The President, Mrs. C. McInnes, presided. Roll call was answered by ten members. There were six visitors present. Reports of Committees were as follows: School reported floor needed scrubbing in near future. Red Cross reported a pair socks, one pair men's stockings, one helmet, four pair wristlets, four pair whole mitts turned in since last meeting. More yarn was distributed among members. The Institute wishes to acknowledge a generous donation from Mrs. B. Mutch to buy material for sewing. Moved and seconded that a letter of thanks be sent Mrs. Mutch for same. It was moved and seconded that secretary send for material for two

meeting at the home of Mrs. George MacDonald with seven members and one visitor present. The president, Mrs. Herbert Beagan called the meeting to order and the National Anthem was sung which refreshments were served by the hostess and a social hour spent.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The Irish "O Canada" was then sung by the members. The programme for the evening consisted of organ selections by Miss Ruth Trainor and a sing song by the members. A quiz contest put on by Mrs. Wilson MacDonald was won by Mrs. Thomas Brazel. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Martin Driscoll. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Herbert Beagan. Roll call to be answered by a two minute talk on a selected subject. The meeting adjourned and the National Anthem was sung.



British claim this new-type stretcher is a big improvement. Stretcher rides on hip-sling, leaving arms free for crawling when enemy fire is hot.