The Central Guardian

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SERVICES in York Pastoral Charge on Sunday, November 24th will be: Central Church 11 A. M. Pleasant Grove 3 P. M. York 7 P. M. L-3150-11-23-11

R.C.M.P. SEIZE CIGARETTES—The R. C. M. P. seized about forty cartons of smuggled American cigarettes in a house in Charlottetown this week. The matter will be aired in court the police announced.

DISPLAY OF PRIZES—The cups, ribbons, and portrait of Mr. J. R. Sevcik, City, may be seen in the window of H. L. Worthy's drug store on Queen St. Mr. Sevcik is one of the most successful breeders of silver foxes and this year one of his animals succeeded in carrying off the Grand Championship at the Borden Fox Show.

ELECTED CLASS OFFICIAL—Mr. H. Bramwell Chandler of Charlottetown, has been elected secretary-treasurer of his class in Library work at Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., according to an nouncement received from Institute officials yesterday. Mr. Chandler is a student in the School of Library Science of Pratt Institute. He is a member of the class of 1936.

POLICE COURT—At the Police Court yesterday a woman pleaded guilty to a charge of violating the Prohibition Act and was fined $200.00 and costs or three months in jail. A similar charge against a man was withdrawn. The two also appeared on a charge of obstructing police officers in the discharge of their duties. The case was heard and adjourned for one week for sentence.

Y'S MEN'S MEETING.— The weekly supper meeting of the Y's Men's Club was held in the Y. M. C. A. recreation room Thursday evening. A report of the coming rummage sale was submitted to Y's Man Jim McFadyen and members were urged to send in donations to the Y.M.C.A. before Saturday evening. Mr. James T. McKee was the guest speaker of the evening. Mr. Hearst was introduced as a guest by Y's Man Mac Irwin, president.

TRINITY Y.P.U.—Trinity Young Peoples' Department met last night with a large number of members in attendance. The business period was led by the President, Mr. Leigh Dawson. The class on Co-operatives had as guest speaker Dr. John T. Croteau of Prince of Wales College. Games, Badminton and Ping-Pong formed the chief amusements during the recreation period. The meeting closed with devotions under the direction of Mr. Frederic Large.

MEMORIAL SERVICE—Returned men are requested to meet at the Legion Home, on Sunday, November 24th at 3:00 P. M. to attend the Memorial Service which is to be held in St. Peters Cathedral at 3:30 P. M. This service is being held to pay tribute to the late Admiral of the Fleet and Grand President of the British Empire Service League, Earl Jellicoe, G.C.B., O.M., G.C.V.O. Medals will be worn. By order of J. P. Hillion, President Charlottetown Branch No. 1, Canadian Legion B. E. S. L. L-3181

HIT AND RUN DRIVER—A horse drawn vehicle was demolished last night when a hit and run motorist collided with it on the St. Peter's Road near the Belvedere service station. Neither the occupants of the vehicle or the horse were hurt. A spare tire was lost from the car. The R. C. M .P. who investigated the case have the tire and are waiting for the owner to put in an appearance.

CENTRAL PARISH SERVICES—Preaching services this (Friday) evening at 7:30 at St. Catherines and on the Lord's Day at Clyde River at 11 a. m., Sabbath School at ten o'clock; Churchill, 3 p. m., Sabbath School at 2 o'clock; Canoe Cove at 7:15 p. m. Bible Schools at Canoe Cove, Nine Mile Creek and Elliott Hall at 2 o'clock afternoon. No preaching service at Nine Mile Creek. J. W. S. Lowry, Minister in Charge. L-3179

BIRTHS

MORRISSEY — At Charlottetown Hospital, Nov. 17, 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. Wendal Morrissey, City, a daughter.

PETERS—At the Charlottetown Hospital, Nov. 18, 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Peters, Rustico, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

MCLEOD-STOREY—At the Presbyterian Church, North Tryon, November 20th., Mr. Ivan George MacLeod to Miss Jessie Irene Storey, Rev. Dr. M. E. Genge officiating.

STRETCH-DARRACH—At the parsonage, North River, P.E.I., on Nov. 16, 1935, by the Rev. J. G. Wakeling, Margaret Marie Darrach of Clyde River to Wilfred H. Stretch of Long Creek.

DEATHS

MCCALLUM—At the P. E. I. Hospital, Nov. 22, 1935, David McCalluff of North Rustico age 74 years. Funeral from the home of his nephew, Harry Pursey, Sunday, Nov. 24 at 2 p. m. Interment at Cavendish Cemetery.

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60,000 BUSHELS OF POTATOES ON STEAMER—The steamship Snarr with 60,000 bushels of potatoes and 20,000 bushels of turnips was ready to sail last night for New York. It was one of the largest cargoes of P. E. I. produce shipped from here this season. For the past few days long lines of railway cars, and motor trucks were discharging potatoes into the big railway shed at the pier. From there they were conveyed aboard the steamer through five gangways. The consignment was arranged by the P. E. I. Potato Growers' Association. One hundred longshoremen worked yesterday to complete the loading.

LIGUORIAN PLAYERS REPEAT PROGRAM—The performance presented by the Liguorian Players in the Holy Redeemer Hall was repeated last evening before another capacity house and was even a greater success than on Thursday night. The members of the Queen Square football team were the guests of Rev. Father Fleming of the Holy Redeemer Parish at last night's entertainment. At the conclusion of the program, the entire cast was treated to a dainty lunch prepared by women of the parish. Short speeches were made by Rev. Father Fleming, Rev. Father O'Hara, Messrs. Ivan Reddin, Alfred Doucette and Gerald Maddigan.

PERSONALS

Inspector Fripps of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police returned from Ottawa last night where he has been on official business for the past week.

Major D. A. MacDonald, Charlottetown left for Boston this morning. He expects to be gone two or three weeks.

Mrs. E. Parkman of Montague is visiting Charlottetown the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. M. MacLeod, 206 Grafton St.

Mr. T. A. Arbing, retired C. N. R., station agent at Souris left yesterday morning on a visit to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy J. Simmonds left yesterday morning for Toronto where they will attend the Winter Fair.

Mr. O. L. Spencer, son-in-law of Mr. Justice Haszard, has been promoted Vice-President and Managing-Director of the Calgary Herald in succession to Col. J. H. Woods, who has become President.

Pythian Lodge Visited By GrandChancellor

On Thursday evening Mr. Fred W. Beattie of Bridgewater, N. S., Grand Chancellor of the Grand Domain of Maritime Provinces, Knights of Pythias, paid an official visit to Empire Lodge No. 19, Charlottetown.

The Grand Chancellor was accompanied by District Deputy Murray Tower, of Sackville, District Deputy J. T. McKee and past Supreme Representative O. L. McKay.

The Chancellor Commander of Empire Lodge, Mr. Harold E. McLean, and Deputy Grand Chancellor L. B. Miller, welcomed the Grand officers, and the Lodge was declared at ease, when each member was personally presented to the visitors by Past Grand Chancellor B. R. Holman.

Grand Chancellor Beattie then addressed the Lodge in a comprehensive review of the conditions of the Lodges throughout the Maritime Provinces. Having during the past few weeks visited 24 Lodges he was pleased to report a marked increase in membership and general interest. The recovery programmee initiated by Supreme Chancellor Harp is making good progress.

The address was an earnest and inspiring appeal for loyalty to the high principles of the order, greater effort along lines of community service and mutual helpfulness. A smoker, and sing song, led by Bros. James Calder, Geo. Beers, and Prof. Kendall was heartily enjoyed. Past Grand Chancellor B. R. Holman, Past Chancellor W. Warren and others addressed the Lodge, voicing the opinion that the meeting was one of the most enthusiastic since the memorable campaign of one year ago, and that the present term bids fair to equal any former term in the Lodge history.

The Grand Chancellor and Mr. Tower both expressed themselves as being favorably impressed with their first visit to P. E. I. and hoped to have opportunity to come again, preferably in the summer, when nature is at its best.

The Eastern Guardian

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PRIZES AWARDED—The following won prizes at the annual Bazaar held at Georgetown, Nov. 19th, Gold watch, Mrs. Briggs, Minneapolis; fancy quilt, Miss Catherine Wilson, Cardigan; mat, Mrs. Bernard Creamer, Souris; five dollar gold piece, Miss Gaudet, Hyde Park, Mass.; bag of flour, Mrs. Mary Collins, Hyde Park, Mass.; cushion, Mrs. McInnis, Souris; tablecloth, Mrs. Brilliant, Quebec; buffet set, Miss McPhee, R. I.; ton of coal, Mrs. W. J. Fitzgerald, Georgetown; Esmond blanket, Mrs. R. Rafuss, Georgetown.

Too Late To Clasify

FOR SALE—3 NEWLY FRESHENED cows. Reginald Parkman, Charlottetown Royalty. L-3182

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GIRL GUIDES IN ANNUAL SESSION

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2 members from Charlottetown Association, 2 members from Montague Association, 2 members from Melville Association, 2 members from Murray River Association, 2 members from Alberton Association, 2 members from Borden Association, 2 members from Bedeque Association.

Representatives on Canadian Council—Mrs. J. E. B. McCready, Mrs. Ernest Champion.

Local Association officers were:

President—Mrs. (Dr.) F. W. Tidmarsh.

Vice President—Mrs. J. A. Lawson.

Secretary Treasurer—Mrs. N. H. DeBlois.

Executive—Mrs. H. L. Bethune, Mrs. W. A. McLaren, Mrs. K. M. Martin, President of Guiders Council.

Regarding the Countess of Bessborough Challenge Shield, to be competed for by Girl Guide Companies annually and to go to the company winning it three years in succession, Miss Wilson announced that only one Company, the first Charlottetown, had entered the competition. The conditions were not fulfilled in the opinion of the judge so the suggestion was made that the shield be not awarded this year. The matter, however, was one for the incoming executive to deal with. Miss Wilson thought that the company entering the competition should receive some recognition for the really splendid work it had done.

A vote of thanks to the retiring local association officers was moved by Mrs. Mathieson and seconded by Mrs. W. E. Hyndman.

Mrs. J. E. B. McCready moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. DeBlois, the honorary vice-president, for her great assistance, encouragement and hospitality. It was seconded by Mrs. A. B. Cosh.

"Miss Wilson has been invaluable and I do not know what the organization would have done without her," said Mrs. J. A. Lawson in moving a vote of thanks to the retiring provincial commissioner. Mrs. W. S. Stewart seconded the motion.

The meeting of the provincial council was presided over by the provincial commissioner, Miss Mona Wilson and the meeting of the local association by the vice-president, Miss J. R. Fullerton.

At the conclusion of the meeting afternoon tea was served.

The following is the first annual report of the Prince Edward Island Council Girl Guide Association submitted by Miss Mona Wilson yesterday.

1ST ANNUAL REPORT

The first year of the existence of the Prince Edward Island Council, Girl Guides Association, has been concluded and has proved to be one of outstanding events. Five meetings of the Council were held.

Jubilee Celebration

Perhaps the first whirr of excitement for all was the ocasion of the celebration of the Jubilee of His Majesty the King when the Guide Companies of the province took part in the celebrations in their various localities. The Charlottetown units formed part of the impressive procession to the Forum where the Jubilee ceremony took place, at which the Guide Movement was honoured by the presentation of medals to the Commissioners.

Visit of the World Chiefs

The visit of the World Chiefs, Lord and Lady Baden-Powell, of course was the most thrilling and stimulating occasion that has ever happened to Guiding in this province, which was preceded by months of preparation for the joint Guide and Scout Rally in their honour. All arrangements for the Chiefs' visit were made by a joint committee of members of this Council and the Boy Scout Council and presided over by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province. We are indeed greatly indebted to His Honour Lieutenant-Governor DeBlois and Mrs. DeBlois for their keen interest and enthusiasm for Guiding and for so wonderfully entertaining at Government House the Chiefs and their daughters, the Hon. Heather and Hon. Betty, and Mrs. H. D. Warren, our own Canadian Chief Commissioner.

The Chiefs were met at the car ferry by Guide and Scout officials and later when they stepped from the train at Charlottetown they were received by a rousing welcome of Rangers, Guides, Brownies, Rovers, Scouts, Cubs, and a splendid turn out of interested citizens. The following day the Provincial Government tendered an official reception in the Confederation Chamber when the Premier of the Province read an address which was replied to by both the Chiefs and by Mrs. Warren. At a luncheon given by the members of the Council at Mrs. DeBlois' summer home and on the following day at a public meeting, the Chief Guide gave delightfully fascinating accounts of Guiding in the various countries of the world she had recently visited.

The Rally held in front of the Grandstand at the Exhibition Grounds was the crowning event for the children, for here over 500 Guides and Scouts from all parts of the province gathered together for the first time, to give a display of Guiding and Scouting and to see and be seen by the Chiefs. As the Chief Guide said—it was a small beginning but one which meant achievement of great things in the end. It was a memorable occasion and I am sure the children got the thrill of their lives when the Chiefs in making their inspection shook hands and had an encouraging remark to make to every Guide and Scout on the track. The Charlottetown Ranger Company acted as a bodyguard to the Chief Guide and formed a color party to carry her beautiful standard. Lady Baden-Powell in her address to the Guides read a message from the Princess Royal in which the latter expressed her deep interest in Girl Guides (she, of course, being the Patron of the Movement) and the hope that Guiding would act as an incentive in the lives of its members to spread the spirit of service and good fellowship around them. To the applause of a thousand spectators the Charlottetown Brownie Packs skipped on the scene and performed a Hoop Drill, followed by the Charlottetown Guide Companies in a demonstration of marching and physical drill. The excellence of this performance fully demonstrated the months of careful preliminary training given under the able direction of Miss Leila Worthy. A demonstration of Guiding was also given, consisting of: First Aid, Bed Making, Dressing a Guide, Knot display, making the Union Jack, and folk dancing; the Montague, Melville and Alberton Companies taking part in this. The Scouts, as well as giving a demonstration of Scouting, got all the laughs of the Rally by their amusing circus of weird and wonderful animals. It was all a very exciting occasion and even though it was our first effort at display in a large way and we were rather inexperienced, the Chiefs seemed to be well pleased with the effort made.

The Chief's visit ended with a Gemoot dinner for Guiders, Scouters and their friends at the Canadian National Hotel, followed by a separate conference for the leaders with the Chief Scout and Chief Guide and ending with a dance. Certainly the visit of the Chiefs has given a great stimulus to Guiding and has greatly widened the interest in it, to say nothing of being the means of binding more closely together the Scout and Guide Movements in this province.

The 57 Guides who were present from out of town were billeted at homes of Charlottetown Guides or were well provided for and looked after by the Billeting Committee.

Inspection by the Governor General and Countess of Bessborough

The next event of the year was the inspection of a line up of Guides, Brownies, Scouts and Cubs by Their Excellencies the Governor General and the Countess of Bessborough on the occasion of their farewell visit to the province. The Countess of Bessborough expressed her deep regret at leaving her Canadian Guides in whom she was particularly interested and His Excellency in his talk to the Guides, Scouts and citizens gathered at the Provincial Building said he considered Guiding and Scouting the finest organizations for girls and boys to be found in the world.

Countess of Bessborough Challenge Shield.

The Countess of Bessborough very graciously presented a Challenge Shield to each province to be competed for by Girl Guide Companies. Her Excellency specially desired that the competition would take the form of nature study, singing or handicraft, and this Council decided that our competition would be a Nature Log made up of the best selections from Patrol Logs to be divided into four sections of 15 trees, 15 wild flowers, 15 weeds, and 10 shrubs. The shield is a very lovely one and merits work of high standard.

Organization

Guiding in the province has shown definite progress during the year, one new Ranger Company and five new Guide Companies having been registered and one other Guide Company and one Brownie Pack just recently organized without having functioned long enough to be registered. The grand total in the Guide Movement today totals 14 Units and 372 Members.

Of special mention is the organization of the Bedeque Company which was brought about by one of the 2nd Charlottetown Company guides who spent the summer holidays in Bedeque. By the end of the season due to her efforts there was a splendid Company in operation with two good Guiders and an enthusiastic Local Association.

Miss McNutt, Deputy Commissioner, and I have made a number of visits to the various companies and are very much pleased with the way they are being conducted. Those who are not yet in uniform are working hard to secure them. We feel that new Division Commissioners are needed in order to keep in closer contact with the companies in King's and Prince Counties and to bring them in closer touch with each other.

We regret the resignation of Mrs. H. R .Stewart from the Council and feel sure that she will continue her interest in Guiding in her new place of residence.

A sheet of songs suitable for Girl Guides was compiled and has proved helpful to the companies.

Camps

A new and very beautiful camp site on the Brudenell River was selected for the provincial camp this year, which was taken advantage of by two other units in addition to the provincial camp. A week-end Guiders Training Camp also was conducted which proved of particular value to all attending. Some of the members of the Alberton Company were camping but not as a licensed Girl Guide Camp. Miss Fullerton, Provincial Camp Adviser, will give a more detailed report on camping.

Maritime Conference of Commissioners.

Recently Miss McNutt and I had the privilege of attending the first inter-provincial conference of Girl Guide Commissioners which was called by Mrs. Hertzberg, Provincial Commissioner for Nova Scotia, and held in Halifax. There were three commissioners present from New Brunswick, seven from Nova Scotia and Cape Breton, and other Guide officials. It was an intensely interesting conference with important discussion on many matters pertaining to Guiding and its development and expansion.

Conclusion

Before retiring as Provincial Commissioner of Girl Guides, I would like to express my deepest thanks and appreciation to Mrs. DeBlois and the members of the Council, the Guiders, and to all those who have so enthusiastically supported me during this rather strenuous year and particularly Miss Mary McNutt, my Deputy, who has worked like a Trojan and without whom I would have been indeed at a loss. The way in which everyone gave of their time and energy, particularly during the visit of the Chiefs, was simply splendid and they deserve great credit. Special thanks is due the press for the excellent publicity given, and particularly to the Guardian which for so long has been running a weekly news column for us, and more recently, the Patriot also. Again my thanks are due all those who have in so many ways helped and supported Girl Guiding in the province.

There is everything in Guiding that makes for the development of splendid young womanhood, good citizenship. It is all tremendously worth while. It gives the type of training in character formation that parents would want for their children, it trains them in habits of observation, obedience, self reliance, inculcates loyalty and thoughtfulness for others and teaches service to others. There are hundreds, thousands of girls, who want and need to be Guides, all we need is capable, intelligent women of high principles as leaders. I would ask all you present here today to help us to find women of this type who can carry the spirit of Guiding to our children.

MONA G. WILSON,
Provincial Commissioner.

Report of Charlottetown Girl Guides Association

Hon. Vice-President, Provincial Commissioner, Ladies:—

The regretted departure of our President, Mrs. Stewart from the City and the absence of our Secretary-treasurer seems to make it necessary that I should conduct this meeting.

Needless to say any report of the year's activities of the local association that I can give will be brief.

Three executive meetings were held during the past year.

On December 11th we met at the call of the President to take up the matter of a Provincial Pin. After some discussion the Executive decided to recommend that the Island Crest be used. This recommendation has since been adopted and a neat pin is now available. The Executive appointed Miss Dorothy Bentley as Captain of the 1st Charlottetown Company and recommended that headquarters grant her a Captain's warrant. Mrs. R. H. Stewart and Mrs. Lawson were appointed members of the Provincial Council as our representatives.

The next Executive meeting was held on May 1st; a communication from the Guider's Club was gone into in detail. This communication dealt chiefly with proficiency for Guiders and the Requirements for the Guider's All-Round Lanyard, which requirements are usually determined upon by Local Associations or Provincial Councils. The Association decided to accept the requirements as suggested by the Guider's Council. Several new badge examiners were appointed. The possibility of sending a Guider to Fettercairn Guider's camp was discussed, but it was felt that for this year at least, it was impossible.

At this meeting it was unanimously agreed that the local Association would co-operate with the Provincial Council in every way possible to make the visit of the Chief Guide a pleasant and interesting one, and while we were not called upon as a body to assist in any way, all our members gladly shared the responsibility of looking after the Guides from out of town and assisted in the luncheon at Dalvay.

This was indeed a memorable occasion, the delightful surroundings and the charming personality of the Chief Guide were a great inspiration to all.

At the next meeting October 28th, plans were made for a Banquet for all Guides to be held in St. Peter's Hall on November 2nd at 6 p. m. all expenses to be paid from the association funds.

The following Guiders were appointed for this year:—

1st Charlottetown Company:
Captain—Miss Gwen Fry.
Lieutenant—Miss Margaret Black.
Brown Owl—Miss Gladys Hart.
Tawny Owls—Miss Joan Brady, Miss Helen Hyndman.

2nd Charlottetown Company:
Lieutenant—Miss Virginia Scarth.
Captain—Miss Dorothy Reay.
Brown Owl—Miss Eleanor Bourke
Tawny Owl—Miss Olive Thornton.

3rd Charlottetown Company:
Captain—Miss J. R. Fullerton.
Lieutenants—Miss Betty Large, Miss Effie Brehaut.
Brown Owl—Miss Edna Gordon.
Tawny Owl—Miss Marjorie Shaw.

4th Charlottetown Company:
Captain—Miss I. Arsenault.
Lieutenants—Miss Mary Callaghan, Miss Mary Doyle.

At a brief meeting held on the afternoon of November 2nd in St. Peter's Hall, Mrs. Heath MacIntyre was appointed Chairman of the nominating committee to select the incoming executive.

Respectfully submitted
JESSIE R. FULLERTON,
Vice-President.

Provincial Camp Adviser's Report

Prince Edward Island Girl Guides Association

Madame Chairman, Hon. Vice-President, Friends:—

The year just closed has been a very successful one from the Camper's standpoint.

Camp Permits were granted to Miss Fry, Miss McNutt and Miss Reay, all of whom capably conducted camps, and are now working on the theoretical part of the Camper's License.

A Weekend Camp was held for Guiders July 28-30. It was attended by Guiders from Alberton, Montague, Borden and Charlottetown. Considerable Guide Work was accomplished and many helpful suggestions exchanged.

Three other Camps were held, namely; 1st Charlottetown Company, 1st Ranger Company and a Provincial Camp.

All of the above camps were officially inspected and the Commandants Miss Fry, Miss MacNutt and Miss Reay are to be congratulated on the splendid way in which they were carried on.

The Provincial Camp made up of Guides from the 2nd and 3rd Charlottetown companies and some Guides from Montague were inspected by our Provincial Commissioner and Miss Dalby Provincial Camp Advisor for Ontario.

The Campers and Camp Advisor are deeply grateful to Miss Wilson, Miss Gillis, Miss Milsom, Miss Barbara Smith, R. N., Miss Kathleen McLean R. N., Miss Tait, Miss Matheson and Mr. George Brady for the great assistance they rendered in making our camps the success they were.

The following are the Camp Statistics:—

Guiders in Camp	17
Rangers in camp	16
Guides in camp	65
Total Campers	98

Total cost of camps (not including Guiders' weekend). $396.43.

Total cost per Guide $4.90 or 49c per day per camper.

Respectfully submitted
JESSIE R. FULLERTON,
Provincial C. A.

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"Getting Sandy"

This delightful snappy three act comedy written by Ida Reid Preston and awarded First Prize in National play competition will be given for the first time here at Holy Name Hall next Monday and Tuesday evenings. The California press said: "For a good snappy comedy Getting Sandy ranks among the best."

TRAVEL BUREAU

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ly. At present, the grant is $3,500. After paying the overhead, it does not leave enough for advertising to make it worth while. The speaker described the great amount of traffic handled at the tourist office. In conclusion he told the audience that the future of the tourist business was in their hands.

The chairman then called on Mr. S. A. McLeod to speak.

Mr. McLeod

He could well remember when the tourist business was in a worse predicament, Mr. McLeod said. However, thye had managed to do something and had been doing very well when the depression came. As he saw it, money had to be found if the Bureau was to carry on, and it would be a great pity to see it drop out of existence.

Mr. Mutch

Mr. R. E. Mutch, the next speaker, said that the thought of abandoning the work would be in the nature of a catastrophe for Prince Edward Island. He thought a $5,000 grant from the government would be returned to them ten fold, if not directly at least through the people, who after all are the government.

Mr. H. Holman

Mr. Harry T. Holman, Summerside, in a brief address, pointed out that, since all the people benefit either directly or indirectly from the tourist business, they should all contribute to the advertising. The only way they can do that is through the government. He suggested that a tax of one dollar be levied on each car owner, the money to be used for publicity purposes. He felt sure, he said, that the tax would be a popular one for the people everywhere would recognize the need for it.

Mayor Kennedy

Mayor Kennedy expressed himself as being heartily in accord with what Mr. Holman had said. The tax would not be much to the individual but collectively would be a good bit and would pay a good deal of advertising. He assured the meeting that he would do anything he could either as Mayor of Charlottetown or as a private citizen to help the tourist business.

Mr. Hyndman

Mr. J. O. Hyndman said it was really the first time he could give his wholehearted support to the tourist business. Some years ago, 75 per cent of the people who came here went away knockers, because of the roads or the boat service. Now since the new ferry and the completion of the paved road, all that has been changed. We should be starting out now with optimism and enthusiasm prepared to back the business to the limit, Mr. Hyndman went on to say. He supported Mr. Holman's suggestion regarding the tax and thought it would be a good idea.

Mr. Brennan

Mr. A. R. Brennan thought that Mr. Holman's suggestion re the tax was a reasonable one. This province, he went on to say, is probably one of the best propositions from the tourist standpoint in North America.

Mr. Grant

Mr. Grant said that in his opinion practically every person in the province stands to benefit from the tourist trade, and from the standpoint of the government it is an investment. The only objection he could see to the proposed tax is that it might be considered class legislation.

Mr. McLure

Mr. W. C. S. McLure thought that a great deal of credit should be given Mr. Craswell and those associated with him for the splendid picture of Prince Edward Island. He hoped that it would be possible to have the picture shown all over Canada and the United States.

Although the tourist business has become a national matter and money has been voted for that purpose by the Federal Government the speaker thought that since this province experienced trouble in the past getting tourists to come here the matter should be a provincial one so far as this province is concerned.

"With reference to tourist travel we have almost everything in this province that will give a man as good a holiday as he will find in any part of Canada" said Mr. McLure.

Coun. Holman

Coun. B. R. Holman said he did not see how the province could afford to do without the Travel Bureau and its efficient president. "The tourist business in this province can be capitalized if the people so desire," the speaker said in conclusion.

Hon. Mr. LePage

Hon. B. W. LePage representing Premier Lea spoke briefly.

Road marking would likely be undertaken in the spring, he said. The province owes a debt of gratitude to the Tourist Association and the president but they have been handicapped by lack of funds. The government will consider any suggestions that come to them, Hon. Mr. LePage said.

The new highway has already increased the gasoline tax, the speaker said and with the new carferry and lower rates should do much to increase tourist trade.

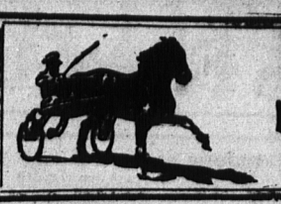
The trans-Canada highway in this province would not be complete if it did not go to the shore, Hon. Mr. LePage thought, and paid tribute to Mr. McLure for his part in getting the paved highway to Rustico.

In conclusion he said he would like to see the Association go on with the present man at the helm. Speaking personally he thought the idea of the tax a good one.

Hon. Mr. Campbell

Hon. Thane Campbell thought that this would be an opportune time to awaken tourist traffic in this province.

Regarding the raising of funds, the speaker pointed out that the Government is hard pressed for funds from many sources, for relief, public health, libraries and so on. On the other hand there is an urgent demand from the people that expenditure be kept within the revenue of the province. Of course, he said, the Tourist Association puts their request on the basis of a business proposition.



DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

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was detrimental for the reason that the strain was too much for immature animals. Today yearlings are given their work alongside a pony, short brushes only being indulged in. The vitality is therefore left in them and they go on and make good as two, three, four-year-olds and aged trotters.

In the history of the standard bred, ten yearlings have beaten 2.22, the fastest being Airdale by Tregantle, with the world's record of 2.15 3-4. Peter Volo, today's world's greatest sire, is fifth on the list with a record of 2.19. Belwin is seventh.

McConville Bros., Ogdensburg, N. Y., owners of Calumet Evelyn (4) t. 2.00, p. 1.59 1-4, were tendered an offer of $10,000 last week for the sensational daughter of Guy Abbey (3) 2.06 3-4. The offer was made by a party in Europe. The idea was to bring Calumet Evelyn over there with the intention of endeavoring to defeat Muscletone (3) 2.02, exported one year ago and now the leading European trotter. The offer was declined. Muscletone was recently sold by his Italian owner to the German horseman G. Muni.

One of the greatest newspaper men in the United States is John P. Scripps, leading member of the famous newspaper family of Scripps-Howard, publishers of a big chain of newspapers. Mr. Scripps is greatly interested in the trotters and will be a purchaser of several colts at the New York auction next week.

By Shively, who trains for him, is quite a humorist and remarked to a crowd of horsemen in a Lexington hotel during the trots, that "most trainers when they start out to look for a man to buy horses for them to race hunt up an old chap with a lot of money but only a few years to go, and he soon passes out and they have to do it all over again. Wait until you see my man," said By, and just then across the lobby of the hotel came John P. Scripps, not yet thirty, six feet two inches in height and a real high class young sportsman. As By is around three score years he should be able, with proper care, to hang on to his patron for the rest of his life with the horses.

The best yearling pacer at present in Kentucky is Mac Abbey, a black gelding by Mr. McElwyn 1.59 1-4, out of Abbacy 2.04 1-4 by The Abbe. He is therefore out of the same dam as Guy Abbey (3) 2.06 3-4 and Calumet Brownie 2.01 1-4, formerly owned by Mrs. Charles Ballard, North Sydney. The yearling is said to have speed to burn and a stunning gait.

A few years ago a mare named Elizabeth by Peter the Great, was sold by Walter Candler of Coco-Cola fame, for $90 and was in foal to Guy Abbey 2.06 3-4. She produced Greyhound (3) 2.00, who won all the three-year-old classics this year that he started in and made a new world's record for geldings of that age. In Kentucky today horsemen are very keen on Natalie Grey, a grey filly by Mr. McElwyn 1.59 1-4 out of Elizabeth. She is owned by W. N. Reynolds, the tobacco king.

The United States Department of Agriculture states 90,000 horses and mule colts will be the crop for 1935, a big increase over the past ten years average.

The Grand Circuit will be extended to take in eleven meetings the season of 1936. After the Lexington Trots the latter part of September they will cross the great divide into California and take part at the Los Angeles Exposition, then Phoenix, Arizona, and possibly a city in Texas.

The third fastest two-year-old of the season is Gaiety Mite 2.05 1-4, a daughter of Volomite 2.03 1-4 and Gaiety Guy—out of the same dam as Lusty Frisco 2.07 3-4. She is owned by John B. Kelly, "Red" Hanafin's former patron and well-known here.

The horse is having a vogue among the fashionables. On a crisp afternoon in Central Park, New York, there are numbers of fancy turn-outs drawn by harness steppers, also single trotters and pacers hitched to spindly pneumatic tire carts and two seaters. Owners fittingly attired drive, while uniformed coachmen sit statue-like beside them. One turnout was an arrangement in black and white; black trotter, white reins and bridle, black runabout with white wheel spokes, and a snow white rug!

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act as passed by the legislature. The act provides for refunding, "at a lower rate of interest if possible, such present debentures of the province as may mature, or as the Lieutenant - Governor - in - Council may seem desirable."

"Any debentures that may be issued under the act are to run for a period not exceeding 30 years and to bear interest at a rate not to exceed four per cent. per annum.

NORTH CHINA

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to confer with Chinese officials, while Japanese militarists continued agitation for an autonomous state in this region and reports said Japan's army was on the move again north of this city.

Sir Alexander Cadogan, British Ambassador to China, arrived here from Shanghai. Sir Frederick Leith-Ross, chief economic adviser to the British Government, conferred at Tientsin with Chinese and foreign bankers.

Japan's troops were reported moving near the border at Shanhaikwan, and two trains loaded with tanks were said to have arrived there from Chinchow.

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in applying trade sanctions.

The British Government defended the exercise of its free and sovereign judgment in adhering to the Covenant and remarked: "No other attitude is open to them and they would naturally desire to see the Italian Government place a similar construction on their own adhesion to the Covenant."

Britain reaffirmed anxiety to facilitate a settlement insofar as it lies within her power as a member of the League and at the earliest possible moment of the "regrettable conflict now in progress."

Oil developments in Washington were regarded here as significant. The Evening Star called the "warning" of Secretary of the Interior Ickes to the oil industry further evidence of the United States' "strong opposition to the present Italian aggression."

The difficulty the government is up against is that the whole province is not so unanimous as the meeting. He then went on to suggest that steps be taken to sound the general public sentiment on the matter and have it ready for the government when the matter comes up for discussion.

During the course of the meeting Mr. Justice Arsenault announced that during the past tourist season 5,512 cars came to the Island as against 3,900 in 1933. He also suggested that the government tax all bill boards erected on the roadsides and grant some of the resulting revenue toward publicity.

Practically all the speakers were high in their praise of Mr. Craswell's pictures and thought that it was one of the best publicity stunts ever developed in this Province.