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The Charlottetown Guardian

### Agricultural Short Courses

An Agricultural Short Course will be held in the hall at New Glasgow, Monday, February 18th to Friday, February 22nd, and in the hall at Hope River Tuesday, February 19th to Friday, February 22nd. Agricultural subjects of local and general interest will be discussed. Everyone welcome.

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### The Middle Ground

By Marion Rubincam

The First Arrival

Chapter 106

The road than ran to the farmhouse came from the distant town of Hornbrook, which was on a small railway line. Three miles or so from the town, it reached a fairly steep hill, with a collection of houses. The place was so small it had no name, and happened to be built near each other. The town was not even a store, nor a church—the church was some distance down the road.

The road curved to make the ascent of the hill easier, and passed the Talbot farm. The house itself was built above the road—with stone steps between two low gate posts climbing to a path which led to the porch. The slope from lawn to road was interrupted by a brick wall. This replaced a bank, which used to wash away every year.

No one would recognize the house for the barren dingy place it used to be. Yet structurally it was the same. But Mrs. Talbot, when she came back from the city, had had it painted white outside—it was weather boarded—and the shutters dark green. She had had some of the fancy gingerbread wooden decorations removed. And the following year she planned to build a conservatory, and a side porch—the house was too high and narrow for good looks.

The visitor had some. Jordan sat on the porch, filling his pipe and looking over the fields, where the shadows were lengthening as the sun sank low in the west. The tea things were taken away, and Mrs. Talbot picked up some needle-work to keep her hands busy while she talked.

"You'd better drive in to meet Jane and Donald," she said. "Jim and George can manage the milking without you. I'm having a hot dinner tonight after they come—cold food isn't nice when you're tired from a railway trip."

Jordan protested. His mind still was with the details of his work. "You haven't seen them for three years," Mrs. Talbot said gently. "Run along. I'm going to fill the house with flowers. It was too hot today to pick the roses."

And Jordan went. Mrs. Talbot began gathering flowers. Jane's old room was to be theirs. She remembered that when Donald was there last Jane had given up her room to him. She remembered the blue tie Donald had forgotten in the hurry of packing

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### Mortgage Sale

There will be sold by Public Auction on Thursday the twentieth day of March A.D. 1924 at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon in front of the Court House in Souris in King's County in Prince Edward Island ALL THAT TRACT, piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in New Harmony Townships Number Forty-five and Forty-six in King's County aforesaid and being the Northern half of all that tract of land bounded and described as follows that is to say:—On the West by the New Harmony Road; on the North by land formerly occupied by Alexander Paquet of Souris; on the East by land owned by Peter McDonald, Greenville; and on the South by land owned by and in possession of Donald McIntosh containing one hundred acres of land more or less said one hundred acres of land being the farm formerly occupied by the late Alexander McDonald; the land hereby secured being the part of said farm of one hundred acres allotted to the said Angus A. McDonald by agreement made between one John McDonald and the said Angus A. McDonald in July 1886 and conveyed to the said Angus A. McDonald by the said John McDonald by deed dated July 23rd A.D. 1886.

The above sale is made under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the seventh day of February A.D. 1907 made between Angus A. McDonald of New Harmony Township Number Forty-five in King's County in Prince Edward Island Blacksmith of the one part and John G. Stems of Souris in King's County aforesaid, Merchant of the other part which said mortgage has since been assigned by the said John G. Stems and is now duly vested in the undersigned and because of default having been made in the payment of the principal and interest secured thereby.

For further particulars apply to Arthur F. McQuaid, Solicitor, Souris, P. E. I. Dated this fourteenth day of February A. D. 1924. ARTHUR F. McQUAID, Assignee.

1552-2-19th-41.

# ACTION STUFF

By Robert Welles Ritchie

## A Long Distance Lynching

Bedtime stories did not fit through the air in those days. Aye, we thought it a marvel that one could telephone from New York to San Francisco, even at \$20 for the first minute.

In the course of the night's routine in the dingy old Sun office I was sent to the phone to hear what an eager correspondent down somewhere in Delaware had to say. "Tell him to make it short," Boss Clarke grumbled. "Overset already."

"This is Hawkins of Hightstown (I am not giving the right name of the village) and there's a lynching going to happen here," came the excited yammer out of the little hard rubber funnel. Hawkins gave sketchily a few details: A negro—usual—crime—usual assault on the doors of the local lock-up. He finished triumphantly:

"The mob's going to take him out to the farm where the little girl lived and burn him there. I have a bicycle. I'll beat it out there ahead of them and telephone you later what happens."

A half hour's wait. It was late—nearing what they call the "dead line" in the newspaper shop. Anything had to be "good" to get into the first edition.

Finally the correspondent in Delaware again. I hopped my typewriter into the telephone booth and clamped the ear-pieces over my head. Through the glass door I could look out and see the sporting editor and three reporters at their nightly game of bridge.

Hawkins again—I'm out at the farmhouse where I said I was going to be, telephoning from there.

To leave, and how Jane wore it with her tailored waist and stared from the window, trying not to cry.

She filled great bowls full of roses, and placed them on the old-fashioned bureau, the table, and a jar of them on the floor. Then, satisfied, she looked over the room.

What a difference a plain gray paper made in the room—it seemed larger and cooler. The windows had plain muslin curtains and over them flowered cretonne, and the old-fashioned chairs looked gay with their cretonne cushions. The room was lovely—the lovelier because of its old-time furniture.

Then she put on a dress she always felt was too young for her, but that was so becoming she had to wear it. She made the dessert for dinner and went out on the porch as the rumbles of wheels brought the first arrivals.

Jane was the first to reach the porch. It was after dinner before conversation settled down to anything like order. Jane was enthusiastic about the house.

"Don't about luxury to have a white tiled bathroom and hot water when you turn the faucet," she exclaimed. "But never mind, Mother, they are building as a real home while we are away."

Mrs. Talbot wanted to know about it. "Well, the camp is getting so big now that they'll have to rename it and make a city out of it."

"Big enough to have suburbs," Donald put in. Donald was lounging in a hammock at the end of the porch. He had changed to white flannels and a blue coat and he looked somehow, younger than three years ago.

"You should see the house we are building—it's all according to our own plans. Jane has worked hard on it."

They wanted to know about that. "It's the usual style of the tropics," Donald explained. "Light gray stucco, and a red tiled roof, plenty of verandas—we're near the cliff, so you can imagine our view—hundreds of miles of mountains, and the clear air coming straight to us."

They went on, interrupting each other to give details—the central power plant gave them electricity. Jane had planned a tank up the mountain so all the town had a water system, and there was to be a

Mrs. Rose Peters



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Tenders will be addressed to the undersigned and marked "Ferry Tender."  
L. B. McMILLAN  
Secretary of Public Works  
Department of Public Works,  
Charlottetown,  
February 18, 1924.  
1580-2-19-tts 61.

### ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of Progress Egg Circle will be held in Clifton Hall, Wednesday Feb. 20th, at 1:30 o'clock.  
ALFRED GREEN Secy.

1572-2-19-21.

struct a breakwater 11,340 feet long at a cost of nearly \$5,000,000. Another important item is the proposed construction of a canal between Tokio and Yokohama, which will be about twenty miles long.

### Head Colds Ended by Healing Cream

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed because of nasty catarrh or a cold, apply a little pure antiseptic cream into your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage, soothing and healing swollen, inflamed membranes and you get instant relief. Try this. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Your clogged nostrils open right up; your head is clear; no more hawking or snuffling. Count fifty. All the stuffiness, dryness, struggling for breath is gone. You feel fine.

model bathroom built in eventually. There were spacious verandas and a garden that ran to the cliff's very edge, where natural boulders formed a protecting wall. There was a rock garden and tropical plants, and Jane had a private office in the house, besides her office at the company hospital.

They were extravagantly enthusiastic. "I told him my wife said so and so," Donald would exclaim, or: "Jane, in about ten years we'll do this—" "We" he used continually—he who was so afraid that matrimony would mean bondage. And once he said: "I don't know what I would have done without Jane then."

Jane was supremely happy. Tomorrow—The Reunion.

### Tokio and Yokohama Are Slowly Recovering

(Canadian Press)

TOKIO, Feb. 18.—The city of Tokio has purchased over a thousand small automobiles to relieve the traffic congestion caused by the general disruption of street car service following the earthquake.

Reconstruction of Tokio is still in the readjustment stage, but favorable progress has been made considering the tremendous obstacles that have had to be overcome. Practically all the modern conveniences and public utilities of the city were destroyed by the quake and fire. About half the street-cars were put permanently out of commission and only about 800 of them are still operating.

The telephone service suffered a general break-down, but is gradually being restored in the business districts. Before the fire there were about 35,000 telephones. Now there are about 24,000.

Re-installation of electric lights has been progressing swiftly due to sharp competition between two companies. The earthquake caused a severe water shortage in some districts and many residents are now being supplied from water sprinkler wagons. Two steamers have been carrying water between Tokio and Tsukuba, but this system has been wrecked more than once by large steamers passing through the estuary.

Gas service has been suspended since the earthquake, but will probably be restored by the end of February.

Yokohama was even harder hit than Tokio in the matter of destroyed public utilities, and these services are being brought back to normal more slowly in Yokohama than in the larger city. The greatest task before Yokohama is the reconstruction of a breakwater. Before the quake the area bounded by the breakwater was so narrow that almost one-fifth of the shipping was taken care of outside the breakwater. As a remedy the municipality now purposes to con-

### Poultrymen

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### Tenders For Lot 40 Church

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Feb. 25th for sheathing interior of Lot 40 Presbyterian Church. Congregation to find all material. Size of church 25x40, height 28 feet to centre of arch, vestibule 9x9, 11 ft high. Material to be used v-joint sheathing. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For any further information apply to the undersigned.  
J. W. McEWEN, Bristol.  
1551 2 18 mwf 41.

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156 Richmond Street Phone 369-J.

### FARM FOR SALE AT HAZELGROVE

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