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MONDAY

10:00—Presbytery of Prince Edward Island—Meeting for discussion—Heart Memorial Hall.

11:00—Intermediate C. G. I. T. regular meeting—Social Hall.

7:30—Rangers, regular meeting—Social Hall.

8:00—Presbytery—The meetings of the Presbytery are open to the public—Heart Memorial Hall.

WESTERN GUARDIAN

HOCKEY match in Bedeque on Monday night. Borden vs. Bedeque. One hour's skating after 4:10-11

DON'T forget hockey match in Borden rink Monday night. 4:10-11

CRITICAL CONDITION

MacNeill has been received that Hon. MacNeill, Minister of Public Works, now in hospital in Montreal, is in a very critical condition. MacNeill left Summerside yesterday by special plane for Montreal en route to Montreal to see her husband, who, if she consents, will be operated on following her arrival. Mr. MacNeill is under the expert care of two specialists.

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. HARRY HOULE

The death occurred at her home in Charlottetown on Friday, Jan. 29, of Mrs. Houle, widow of the late Harry Houle for many years deceased, at the P. E. I. railway. Mrs. Houle was born in Glasgow, Scotland on March 30, 1853 and spent her early girlhood there, before coming with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John McPherson to Charlottetown where she has since been one of its most respected citizens. She was a devoted Christian woman whose joy was service in her home and church. Mrs. Houle was a member of St. James Presbyterian Church for the past sixty years and a worker and devoted attendant who will be sincerely missed by those as well as old, her counsel and advice always being for the good of the church and all its members.

She leaves to mourn their loss two daughters, Mary Robb, R. N., and Bernadette E. R. N., both of Massachusetts, one son William Archibald present in the city, and one sister, Mrs. D. J. McLeod, Edmonton, and one brother John McPherson of Boston. Mrs. Maggie Abbott and Mrs. Maud Clark living in the United States and Mr. A. J. Houle of this city are step-children of the deceased. Her daughter, Miss Mary Houle and her friend Miss Harriet Houle will arrive tonight to attend the funeral.

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CENTRAL GUARDIAN

JUNIOR HOCKEY game scheduled for tonight is postponed till a later date. 412-11

PRINCE STREET SCHOOL SPORTS, Forum, next Friday night. Novelty races and a good evening's fun. 414-11

REMANDED TO SUPREME COURT—Friday morning the three men, Lawrence Dolron, Patrick Loughran and Andrew McLeod arrested in connection with the recent robberies appeared at the Police Court and were remanded for trial at the next session of the Supreme Court. A drunk was fined \$5 and costs or ten days.

POLICE COURT—Saturday morning at the Police Court the offender in a case of unlawful possession of liquor was fined \$200 and costs or three months. A vagrancy case was remanded until Monday.

WEATHER FORECAST—The forecast for February 1 is 1 to 6 deg., cloudy then clear and cold. 7 to 13 milder with frequent snowflurries. 14 to 20 continues mild and cloudy. Little snow. 21 to 27 turns fine with coldest spell of the winter. 28 to 29 mild, snow.

POST OFFICE IMPROVEMENTS—The Charlottetown Post Office now presents a very pleasing appearance, the Inspector Mr. W. W. Allingham, architect of Saint John, having approved of the work which was done under the supervision of Mr. J. Alfred Doyle, 295 Grafton Street, on the unemployment plan, half a dozen or more men being employed for two months. The entire three floors of the building were thoroughly renovated cleaned and refinished. The ceilings are in white alabaster with buff trimmings. The woodwork had three coats in cocoanut brown and a first class job resulted.

PERSONALS

Mrs. (Dr.) Boyer, Crapaud, returned home Saturday after a pleasant week in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thomson, Rochford Square.

Miss Peggy Hobbs who has been spending an extended holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hobbs, Kent Street, left Saturday morning on return to Boston, where she will resume her studies.

Mummy: So you threw a stone through Mr. Low's window. I am surprised at you. That is a thing I could never do!

Bobby: Oh, it is quite easy, mummy. It only needs a little practice!

BIRTHS

MITCHELL—At Mt. Stewart, November 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Mitchell, a daughter, Mary Pearl.

FOLLARD—At New Haven, Dec. 30, 1931, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Follard, a daughter, Elva Jean.

MARRIAGES

ADAMS-SENTNER—At 71 Upper Prince Street, the residence of Rev. E. H. Ramsay of Trinity United Church, Charlottetown, on January 30, 1932, Chris Bernard Adams of Granville to Minerva Eva Sentner of Milton.

DEATHS

DEWAR—In Charlottetown, Jan. 30, 1932, Alfred E. Dewar, aged 75.

McLEAN—At the home of her son John McLean, Brockton, Lot 61, January 30, 1932, Mrs. Rachel McLean, age 91 years. Funeral 1 p. m. Wednesday to Valleyfield Cemetery.

MCPHEE—At Georgetown, Jan. 31, J. W. McPhee in his 73rd year. Funeral on Tuesday, Feb. 2, leaving his residence at 2 p. m. for St. David's United Church where services will be held.

Card of Thanks

Peter J. Vessey, West Royalty, I thank the good Doctors and kind Sisters and Nurses of the City Hospital for their good attendance to me during my long period of eight weeks with a broken leg. Also my many kind friends for their goodness. 383-1-30-21.

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Death Of Prominent Tignish Resident

Mr. J. Albert Brennan of Tignish passed away on Friday evening after a short illness of a few days. He was taken to the Charlottetown Hospital at the beginning of last week but returned home on Thursday.

The late Mr. Brennan was about 64 years of age and was a native of Tignish and a very prominent citizen. He was a member of the Roman Catholic Church and held the honored position of president of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. He was also a prominent member of the Knights of Columbus and was always to the fore in every good work affecting the social life of the community.

Mr. Brennan was a Conservative in politics and held the position of President of the West Prince Liberal-Conservative Association for the last two years, he previously being Secretary of that organization since its inception.

The deceased was a prominent business man and had kept the Post Office for some years. The citizens of Tignish and the Province generally were shocked to learn of his sudden passing and will sympathize with his bereaved family.

There are left to mourn his widow, formerly Miss Ann Phee, of Tignish and four daughters, Mrs. Raymond Fraught, of Charlottetown; Sister May, in Western Canada; and Kathleen and Stella at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fraught left for Tignish on the evening train on Saturday.

FIGHTING

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loss of many Chinese lives and fewer Japanese. The French authorities mounted machine guns at important street intersections, and closed many streets with barbed wire, seeking thereby to prevent possible riots.

All Japanese residents of other quarters of the city were moved into Hongkw, where they were under the direct protection of strong patrols of Japanese sailors and marines. Japanese military displays included manoeuvres over the international settlement by seventeen aeroplanes.

Much Apprehension

A wave of apprehension swept down the entire lower section of the Yangtze River Valley. Reports from various river ports as far west as Hankow told of feverish preparations by Japanese communities against attacks by the Chinese. The Japanese concession boundaries at Hankow were strengthened and defence works were put up by the Japanese at Klu'ang.

Blame Chinese Snipers

Chinese sniping activities were blamed by the Japanese for a heavy exchange of firing during Sunday in widely separated areas of Shanghai. Scenes of complete confusion were enacted in Hongkw and along the important Nanking Road when, without warning, they were spattered with fire or rifles and machine guns. The day's first serious troubles occurred within the Hongkw waterfront area just across Soochow creek from the skyscraper business district. A sniper's shot was the signal for a fierce burst of fire from uniformed Japanese patrols, and panic-stricken crowds sought safety in wild flight. Within a few moments after the sniper's bullet cut the air, squads of steel-helmeted Japanese sailors and marines, their bayonets fixed, swarmed into the area, driving the Chinese before them. The dead and wounded were removed in ambulances. Many foreigners in the streets were exposed to grave danger, and the grounds of the Catholic General Hospital were swept by bullets.

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Serious Outbreak

A serious outbreak occurred in the east Hongkw district near the wharves of Japanese steamship interests. Heavy casualties were suffered here by both the Chinese and Japanese. A few moments later there was gunfire in the French concession, followed in turn by the killing of a Chinese within a block of the fashionable Cathay Hotel, situated at the corner of Nanking Road and the famous Shanghai Bund. Most of those killed in these affrays were bystanders caught by stray bullets.

Japanese marines and sailors spent the day searching the Hongkw district for Chinese snipers. Streets were kept clear, the majority of the Chinese having been evacuated during the night of lawlessness that came to an end with dawn Saturday. The streets of Hongkw were patrolled by Japanese volunteers in civilian clothes, armed with swords, pistols, baseball bats, clubs and lead pipes.

CHURCH SERVICES

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH

The reports submitted at the annual congregational meeting on Wednesday last unfolded a wonderful account of faithful endeavor, continued progress, splendid unity and good-will and of abiding loyalty to our Divine Lord and it is not mis-stating the fact to say that the revealing of the story of 1931 has stimulated all our leaders and people to a more hearty response for the year upon which we have now entered. One evidence of this was seen in the increased attendance at Sunday School, the number present being 521.

At the morning service the newly elected Elders and Stewards were inducted into office as follows: Elders—D. A. Bruce, G. F. Hutchison, A. C. Duchemin, D. Williams, G. H. Holbrook, G. W. Ritchie and Prof. Steel; Stewards—Isaac Carter, Dr. Carson, A. Prichard, Dr. Creelman, E. C. Johnston, R. H. Rogers and P. W. Turner.

Rev. Dr. Ramsay's sermon was apropos to the Disarmament conference which starts at Geneva on Tuesday. His text was these words from the Lord's prayer "Thy Kingdom Come". Dr. Ramsay dealt with the arguments in favor of disarmament so far as the time at his disposal would permit in his usual scholarly manner and his address made a deep impression on the large congregation present. Armaments make for war, Force cannot bring in truth. Christ's kingdom cannot come by way of war, its a blind alley. The task before the Conference is tremendous but prayer is effective. It is God's method therefore the people are called earnestly to pray during this week. Rev. Mr. Brown also delivered a very able sermon on the same subject at the evening worship from the passage in Isaiah 11-12. "And he shall set up an Ensign for the nations. Jesus is the ensign here referred to. He is God's Ensign under which the people shall be united. Mr. Brown also made a stirring call for prayer that the forces in the world that are working towards war may be overcome and that the result of the approaching conference may be for the advancement of the principles of peace and goodwill.

The choir under the capable direction of Professor Kendall rendered two splendid anthems "The Lord is My Shepherd" by Macfarren in the morning and M. B. Foster's "On for a closer walk with God" in the evening. Miss Margaret Sterns being soloist and in addition Mr. T. L. Covey now of this city an accomplished cornet solo "The Lost Chord."

Under Martial Law

SHANGHAI, Jan. 31. (A.P.)—Martial law will become effective in the international settlement at 10 p. m. tomorrow, the settlement authorities announced tonight.

After that hour and until further notice, civilians will not be allowed in the streets between 10 p. m. and 4 a. m. At all other times during the day and night all persons will be required to possess passes bearing the owner's photograph and to exhibit those passes on demand.

This extraordinary action was taken in the belief that the situation within the settlement was growing more serious and that additional steps for the protection of foreign residents were imperative.

Make Arrests

SHANGHAI, Jan. 31. (A.P.)—United States marines have arrested twenty seven Japanese "volunteer reservists" in the United States area of the international settlement, where great numbers of Japanese continue pursuit of Chinese refugees and snipers. At least two foreigners were reported to have been injured when they attempted to interfere with their operations.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.

The 31st infantry regiment was ordered from Manila by General Douglas MacArthur, as chief of staff after a conference at the White House between the President, the Secretaries of State, War and Navy, the General and Admiral William V. Pratt, chief of naval operations. The order was in response to an appeal from Edwin S. Cunningham, United States Consul General at Shanghai, for re-inforcements. MacArthur and Secretary of War Patrick M. Hurley went immediately to the war department to act toward starting the troops on the

Prayer For Peace At St James

The following prayer, for world peace and for a blessing on the Disarmament Conference which opens at Geneva this week, was said at the morning service yesterday:

"Most merciful God, be Thou in our midst when the kingdoms of the world are moved, and the hearts of men shake in the tempest of war. O Thou, our Saviour, the Prince of Peace, unite the peoples of the world in faith and charity, and bring to pass a blessed and universal peace. O God, most gracious, Who alone givest wisdom and understanding, inspire and guide the minds and hearts of those who meet at the Disarmament Conference. Grant unto them a great vision of faith and justice, that by their counsels all the nations may beat their swords into ploughshares and their spears into pruninghooks, and learn war no more. And may Thy great name be exalted throughout the whole earth. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen."

The challenge of hard times comes not only to Council as the Churches official board for the development of its social welfare work, but to every member of the Church to live a more Christlike life, ministering to the needy and keeping himself unspotted from the world. The poverty and suffering of our brethren should call out not only the deepest and most loving sympathy but practical work and self denying offerings for others.

In confidence and hope the council appeals to the whole Church for the prayers of the faithful for exceptionally generous offerings and for a greater readiness on the part of all Christ's followers to show the reality and depth of their inner life of devotion by their outward life of service for Him and His.

The Rector in the evening spoke from St. Paul's words to the Philippians, "Work out your own salvation with fear and trembling. For it is God which worketh in you both to will and to do of his good pleasure." At first these words seem a little contradictory. Let us think of a few of the words. Work, being active something we can do for God and what God does for us. Salvation, the imparting of life. God's good pleasure, His Happiness and benevolence. We are apt to think of Salvation as a saving from sin. In the past we have accepted salvation through Christ. Our experiences of today show we are still in the grip of the power of sin, but life has been given to us to overcome the temptations of the hour.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

The services in St. Paul's Church were well attended yesterday. The beautiful hymn "Thy Church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord" opened the morning worship.

Special prayers were offered for the peace of the world and for the Council for Social Service of the Church of England in Canada. Sexagesima Sunday has been set part by the General Synod as the day on which the work of the Council for Social Service is presented to the congregations and an appeal made for generous support. In accordance with this the Rector read the special message sent out by the Council. In commending its work to the thought, prayers and generosity of the Church throughout Canada the Council said it is doing so at a time when various causes have brought about hard times, but nevertheless with faith in God, confidence in the loyalty of God's people, courage in facing difficult situations, and optimism for the

THE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Rev. A. C. Vincent, speaking to a large congregation at the Baptist church yesterday morning delivered the third of an interesting series of sermons on Stewardship, on this occasion speaking of the Stewardship of Talents, basing his thought on the lesson of the morning, Matthew, chapter 25.

Material possessions, Time, Talents, all are a trust to us from God. Our question is not "how much shall we give to God" but "what part of God's gift may we retain for ourselves?" We are stewards of our skill. Carey clobbered shoes and he did it well and Carey related his power to the Kingdom of God. The skill we have, the accomplishments that we regard as ours all should be so related to God's Kingdom "whatsoever ye do—do all to the Glory of God."

We are stewards of our mental powers whether equipped with the humblest abilities, with ordinary powers or with genius, all are given us for a consecrated usefulness. Our minds belong to the Kingdom. The crying need of the Churches today

THIRD U. S. PROTEST

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 31.—The United States government has again protested to Japan against that nation's military activities at Shanghai.

The protest was based on the broad principle of violation of international rights by the Japanese invasion of the city. The protest is the third which the United States has made to Japan.

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ST. PETERS CATHEDRAL

At the 11 o'clock choral Eucharist yesterday the Rev. Canon Malone preached a splendid sermon from the words "For as in Adam all have sinned, even so in Christ shall all be made alive."

At Evensong Canon Malone took as his text the 22nd, 25th and 26th verses of the 2nd chapter of Saint Luke, and preached a most instructive and interesting sermon on the presentation of Christ in the temple.

Today is the commemoration of Ignatius, Bishop of Antioch, martyr in 109. Tomorrow is the Feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the Presentation of Christ in the Temple (see pages LIII and 230 of Prayer Book). The following is taken from the Cathedral magazine:

Candlemas is here. Lent is just around the next bend of the road. St. Joseph and our Lady go up to the Temple for the Purification. They stop in the courtyard to buy two young pigeons. The ritual act they perform is the custom of the Law. As they come in the aged priest, Simeon looks searchingly at the child. Long had he waited for the "consolation of Israel." Now he holds in his arms the "Light to lighten the Gentiles and the Glory of thy people Israel." The Light of the world had come into the Temple and none recognized him, but an old priest and a trembling aged woman. The last and brightest of the winter's starry feasts has come. Soon we shall stand in the thick darkness around the Cross, but "the three dark days are quickly sped," and the glorious message of the angel of the Resurrection will be sounding in our ears.

Gets Verdict Of Manslaughter

SHERBROOK, Que., Jan. 30 (By the Canadian Press)—A verdict of manslaughter with a recommendation of clemency was returned by a jury in the court of King's bench here tonight concluding the trial of Virginia Dube, of Hereford, Que., on a charge of murdering Rene Malloy, of Norton Mills, Vermont. Malloy was killed when caught in a barn on Dube's property, the defence claiming that Malloy had gone there with the purpose of stealing liquor concealed on the farm.

Counsel for Dube announced the case would be appealed. Sentence will be pronounced at the close of the present term of the court.