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1. Subject, "The Registered Seed Crops for My Home District."
 2. Length, not to exceed one thousand words.
 3. Open to all residents of Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia under 21 years of age April 1st, 1936.
 4. Closing date, April 1st, 1936. All essays to be in the hands of the committee not later than that day.
 5. Judging of essays, ties, disputes and all other details will be decided by the committee. Their decision shall be final.
 6. Essays are to be written on one side of the paper and contestant's name, address and age should appear clearly on each sheet.
 7. Mail all essays to the Department of Agriculture, Charlottetown.
- Prizes to be awarded in each Province: 1st, \$7.00; 2nd, \$6.00; 3rd, \$5.00; 4th, \$4.00; 5th, \$3.00; 6th, \$2.00; and seven prizes of \$1.00 each.
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THE UNITED STATES AND 40 O. B.

Following his message to Congress at the opening of the session of 1917, President Wilson on April 6 issued his proclamation of the existence of a state of war between the United States and Germany. It had taken him two years to come round to this view. The S.S. "Lusitania," pride of the Cunard Line, had been torpedoed by a German submarine on May 7, 1915, off Kinsale Head, not far from Queenstown, Ireland, and of the 1,906 passengers and crew on board only 772 were rescued. Of the passengers 159 were Americans, of whom 124 perished. This ruthless act on the part of Germany shook the world, stirring up public feeling in the allied countries, as well as in the United States, to a white heat of indignation. This dreadful tragedy, followed by others in which Americans lost their lives, seemed to have no effect at the time upon the President.

Mr. Wilson was unmoved; urged the necessity for investigation, and endeavored to hold in check the war influences of the moment, which ran strongly through the United States. He addressed a meeting in Philadelphia early in May, 1915, and told his audience, and the world at large, that peace and Americanism were associated ideals. He then made the following statement: "The example of America must be a special example—an example not merely of peace because it will not fight, but of peace because peace is a healing and elevating influence of the world and strife is not. There is such a thing as a man being too proud to fight. There is such a thing as a nation being so right that it does not need to convince others by force that it is right." The comment of ex-President Roosevelt the next day was that within twenty-four hours the United States should be at the commerce with Germany, but the only action of the government was to send a vigorous protest to the Huns.

It was not until 1917, when evidence of an indisputable character came into his possession from British sources, that President Wilson was finally stirred to action. Here let me hark back to the commencement of the war to throw light upon the cause of Wilson's change of policy.

Sir Alfred Ewing, who passed away last year in his eightieth year, was a distinguished scientist, who when war broke out, held the position of Director of Naval Education. He had a great reputation as a solver of cryptics, of which he had made a lifelong study. Indeed, cryptography was his hobby. Admiral Sir Henry Oliver, Director of Naval Intelligence, sent for Ewing at the outbreak of hostilities and handing him a bundle of cipher messages from German sources,

which had been picked out of the ether, requested him to decode them. A few hours later these despatches, properly deciphered, were on Oliver's desk. Then it was that the admiral asked Ewing if he would undertake to organize a department to carry on this class of work. Sir Alfred, acquiesced, and the result was the creation of "40 O. B." Before the war was over Sir Alfred had under him in the famous establishment fifty cryptographers who included mathematicians, chemists, linguists and photographers. There was plenty of work for all the war was over. Mr. H. C. Hoy, historiographer of the department, and who was its secretary, explains that the name was derived from the "Room 40" in the old building (O. B.) of the Admiralty, where Ewing and his staff were housed. "40 O. B." functioned secretly and splendidly during the entire duration of the war. Only a few of the head officials of the Admiralty knew of its existence. The British public, and necessarily the Germans, were entirely unaware of it. Indeed, it was not until years after the war was over that Sir Alfred made allusion to it at Edinburgh, when he stated that to "Room 40" the country owed a tremendous debt of gratitude which could hardly ever be paid. "Secrecy," he said "was the essence of the work and never was secrecy more successfully observed."

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Personals

Mr. Joseph Lanigan of Montague has returned home having completed a special job on the granite work of the new Metropolitan Store on Queen Street.

Mr. Olaf Stevenson, Mr. Arch. Harting and Mr. Robert Woolner were visitors to the City on Tuesday, the guests of Mrs. R. W. Stevenson.

The many friends of Miss Anna Carew, Hunter River, will be pleased to know she is resting comfortably in the Prince Edward Island Hospital after her recent operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Alfred E. Carew of Hunter River has returned to her home after spending the week-end in Charlottetown, the guest of Professor J. G. and Mrs. Bennett.

The many friends of Mr. John MacNevin, New Argyle, are glad to see him out again, after being confined to the house for the last ten weeks with a broken leg.

Mr. and Mrs. David Roberts of Maple Plains, have removed from the district. Their neighbours regret their departure from their midst.

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. JAMES ROBERTSON

There passed away at the home of Mrs. Allan MacLeod in Dundas on Feb. 2, 1936, her sister Mrs. James Robertson.

Mrs. Robertson was the daughter of the late Mr. Malcolm Stewart and Mrs. Elizabeth Stewart (Nicholson) of East Point, P. E. I.

There lives to mourn her passing two sisters, Mrs. Allan MacLeod, Dundas, P. E. I.; Mrs. Gordon Thomas, Summerville, Mass., and one brother, Daniel, of Forest Hill, P. E. I.

Funeral services were held at the home of Mrs. Allan MacLeod and the following hymns were sung: "Rock of Ages" and "Nearer My God to Thee."

Deceased was a much esteemed member of the East Point United Baptist Church. Interment was made in the Dundas Cemetery, P. E. I.

The Central Guardian

This column is reserved for news of local interest but advertising of a newsy nature may be inserted at 4 cents a word strictly payable in advance.

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CHURCH OF SCOTLAND—Rev. Ewen MacDougall will preach Sabbath 8th at Bangor at 2.30 P. M. L-9370-3-5-11.

ATTENDING CHURCH MEETINGS—Mrs. W. J. Paynter, Mrs. Henry Mills, Mrs. Blakney, Mrs. Arthur Henry, Mrs. W. J. Harrington, of Kensington, are attending the Anglican Diocesan meeting, representing the New London W. A.

HOME ON VISIT—Mr. Douglas Gordon of the Canadian National Hotel staff, Charlottetown, will be home this evening on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon. Doug. has not been feeling quite up to the mark lately and will take a short time off work.—New Glasgow News.

CARD PARTY—A card party was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Farnell McCarville for Maple Plain section of Kinkora parish with a large attendance. Prize winners were as follows: Ladies', Mrs. Minnie Campbell; Gents', William Duffy. A dainty lunch was served by Mrs. McCarville.

Measuring Tea.—To make good tea, the size of the teapot should be considered first and foremost, for each pot will infuse a certain amount of leaves to perfection, no more and no less. Don't cram "one for each person and one for the pot" into a small teapot when the company is large. It cannot hold extra water in proportion to the leaf, and the first cups you draw from it will be strong and bitter in consequence. If you have not a teapot big enough for the number of your visitors, use two small ones, or make fresh tea several times.

Permanent Road to Far Off Aklavik

CALGARY, March 4—(C.P.)—The Calgary Herald published the following yesterday:

Possibility that a hard-surfaced road may be built from Edmonton to Aklavik, in the North West Territories, 1,000 miles north of here then down to Alaska and Asia is being considered by United States capitalists.

This ambitious undertaking for the future—which would ultimately cost \$500,000,000—has the backing of New York and Los Angeles capital. The Herald was informed. Huge cost of the road which would connect Alaska and Siberia via tunnel, would be made up from tolls charged on the highway. First link in the project, it is reported, would be the building of a 175-mile hard-surfaced road between Fort McMurray, 200 miles north of Edmonton and Athabasca.

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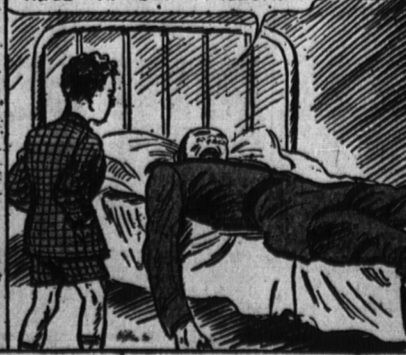
LATER THAT NIGHT - NICKY HAS A PLAN - LET ME GET YOU ANOTHER BOTTLE STEFAN - AYE - ITS DRY BUSINESS - COOPED UP LIKE THIS - AT LEAST OLD ZAMOV KEEPS GOOD WINE.



I'M GLAD YOU TAKE IT SENSIBLY, BOY - WE'LL BE FRIENDS YET - WHEN I'VE TAMED THAT HIGH-AND-MIGHTY AUNT OF YOURS. YOU MEAN YOUR'E GOING TO MARRY AUNT CAROL?



OF COURSE I AM AND THEN I'LL SETTLE MY SCORE WITH THAT TIN-SOLDIER, FIFE - HE'LL - AH - BUT I'M SLEEPY -



WHERE'S THAT KEY? - I'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF HERE SOMEHOW AND WARN THEM -



Sea View & Vicinity

A farewell party was held in Sea View Hall Friday evening, Feb. 28th in honor of Miss Frances Burnett who is leaving shortly for California, the land of her birth, to reside with her aunt, Mrs. Hatfield. Miss Frances, coming to the Island when six years of age, has spent the past nine years here under the guardianship of her grandfather, Mr. David Adams. A large number gathered and Mr. John E. Campbell capably presided as chairman. After suitable remarks, Miss Burnett was called to the platform, accompanied by Miss Mildred Blakney, while a farewell address was read by Miss Florena Adams, and the presentation of a pearl and amber toilet set and purse of money was made by Miss Evelyn Donald. After singing "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow" the evening was spent in dancing. Music furnished by Messrs. Bearis and Matthews. Refreshments served by the ladies present.

Miss Alice Stewart spent the week-end at her home in Sea View.

Mr. Casely Adams, Darnley, was in Summerside Tuesday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hiscott, Bay View, were visitors to Darnley Monday, the guest of Mrs. Earle Adams.

In Sea View Hall Sunday afternoon, March 1st, divine worship was conducted by Rev. Mr. Murray of Malpeque. These services are much appreciated and the district trust Mr. Murray will find it convenient to give them the opportunity of hearing him often as his sermons are a source of inspiration to all.

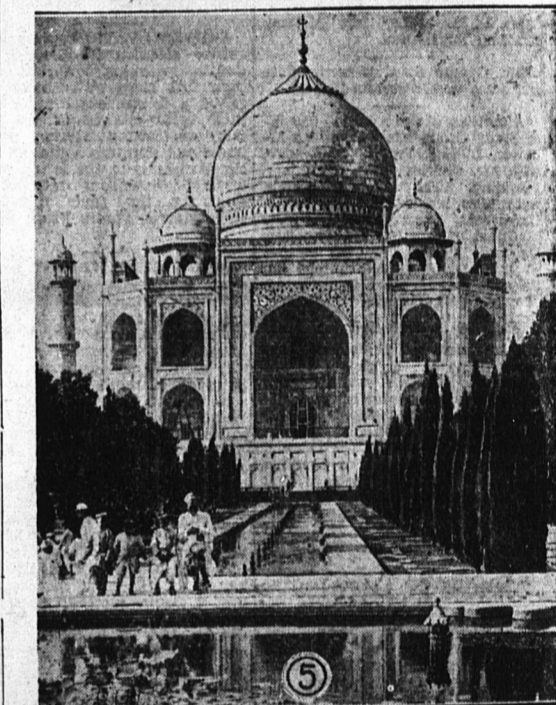
Mrs. Richard Hatfield returned on Tuesday, March 3rd, to her home in Pasadena, California, accompanied by her niece, Miss Frances Burnett and also her sister, Miss Aida Adams, who is returning to Ipswich, Mass.

On Feb. 27th a variety concert was held in Darnley Hall under the auspices of Darnley Women's Institute. Mr. Frank MacNutt capably presided as chairman. The program is as follows: Opening chorus "O Canada"; solo, Mrs. Joseph MacGregor (encored); dialogue—It happens in the best of families, by Miss Phyllis Hickey and Mrs. Ivan Dickison; duet, Misses Laura Pickering and Jean MacKay; monologue—Making a mason, Mrs. Harry Crozier, encored; solo, Miss Phyllis Hickey (encored); dialogue—Getting rid of an agent, Mrs. J. MacGregor, Mrs. Arthur MacKay, Mrs. Harry Crozier and Mrs. Dickison; intermission sale of candy; quartet—Danny Boy, Misses Laura Pickering and Jean MacKay and Messrs. Arthur and Elton MacKay; solo—The old spinning wheel, Misses Lorna Woodside, Joyce MacKay and Merle Crozier; reading—James Hickey Jr.; dialogue—Thankful for Jack, Mrs. James Dickey, Mrs. John MacNutt, Mrs. Ivan Dickison, Miss Annie Woodside, Miss Gwen MacLean and Miss Lillian Thompson; closing chorus—Isle of Capri and National Anthem. A satisfactory sum was realized.

The farmers of Darnley are busily making preparations to spend the Spring months in hauling mussel mud.

Messrs. Campbell and Campbell of Darnley are the lucky owners of a number of pure bred short horns and are to be congratulated on a splendid showing they have made

ROUND THE WORLD CONTEST



CLUE: Love's labor.

KEEP THIS WITH YOUR LIST OF POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS (41) Hall of Fame, Washington; (42) Mosque of St. Sophia, Istanbul; (43) Temple of Heaven, Peking; (44) Palace of Abdul Hamid the Damned, Istanbul; (45) Coronation Arch, Delhi, India; (46) Tomb of the Kings, Luxor, Egypt; (47) San Francisco Opera House; (48) The Kremlin, Moscow; (49) Palace of Versailles, France; (50) Halli Selassie's Palace, Addis Ababa.

What and Where is it? Indicate which scene you think the photograph shows, by placing its number in the square to the right.

SAVE YOUR LIST OF POSSIBLE ANSWERS. THE CORRECT SOLUTION TO THE ABOVE IS SOMEWHERE IN THE LIST PUBLISHED UNDER PUZZLE PHOTOGRAPHS APPEARING UP TO AND INCLUDING TO-DAY'S.

The promoters of horse racing in Darnley and surrounding districts are opening their series of races on the old ice speedway on Bathurst river. The first race is staged for today, March 3rd, and some pretty snappy performance is expected.

Stefan's Intentions

By Bob Moore and John Hales