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The richest man in the United Kingdom, Sir John Ellerman, con of the shipping magnates has just celebrated his 35th birthday. His wife is a Canadian, formerly Miss Esther de Sola of Montreal.

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HEAR MRS. REAY, Provincial Commissioner Girl Guides, over C.F.C.Y., 6.07 tonight. 2-20-11.

AFTERNOON TEA and display of Guide Sewing, St. Paul's Hall, Wednesday afternoon from four to six o'clock. Silver collection. 2-20-11.

TO RESUME WORK— Kenneth Wheaton Petitcodiac, has returned from a visit to Lynn, Mass., and New Haven where he visited his mother, two sisters and a brother, arriving home on Monday afternoon and leaving with Mrs Wheaton on Wednesday for Charlottetown P.E.I. Mr. Wheaton expects to return to his work in the Royal Bank of Canada, shortly, and will be with the Charlottetown branch —Saint John Telegraph Journal.

POLICE COURT — At the Police Court yesterday a person who had failed to report for a medical examination under the Mobilization Act was fined $5.00 and costs or three days in jail. Two drunks each had their bail of $10 estreated. A drunk and disorderly was fined $5.00 and costs or ten days and a fourth drunk had his bail of $5.00 estreated.

WEDDING BELLS — A pretty wedding took place at the Presbyterian Manse, Charlottetown, on Wednesday, February 7th, when the Reverend G. Carlyle Webster united in marriage Miss Vera Lillian Ward of Graham's Road and Pilot Officer Leonard William Roy Pollard, R.A.F., of Paignton, Devon, England. The bride looked lovely in a street-length dress of turquoise blue crepe trimmed with black sequins, and wearing a black seal coat and other accessories to match. She was attended by Mrs. W. B. MacNeill who wore a dress of beige miracle crepe, with black seal coat. The groom was attended by Mr. Melvin Ward, brother of the bride. Upon their return to Graham's Road they were greeted by a jolly crowd of serenaders who offered congratulations and best wishes to the happy young couple.

Minard's kills pain

Personals

Mr. H.A. Messervey, City Surveyer, is confined to his home with a cold.

Mr. R.H. Rogers is recovering in the P.E.I. Hospital from a severe cold.

L.A.C. Gerald P. Murtagh R.C.A.F., Summerside left on return yesterday morning after spending a very pleasant week end in Charlottetown.

Mr. W. A. Speed, Boy Scouts Commissioner, Halifax, is visiting the City, and will proceed to Summerside Thursday.

Mr. Henry T. Burgoyne returned yesterday to his home in North Granville after spending the week-end visiting with friends in Charlottetown and Keppoch.

In Memoriam

In memory of
MARIAN ELLEN MURCHISON
daughter of Rev. A. J. G. and Mrs. Murchison of New City N. Y.

The following poem was written by Joan Kayser, a 15 year old Junior in Spring Valley High School in memory of Marian Ellen Murchison.

"PARTED FRIENDS"

On the softened heels of death
Grief comes and o'ertakes us
With her swift wings of flight,
Yearly, daily, her toll is taken
Of the unheard of, strangers,
The little known, and unaskingly of our friends.
We steal away and cringe from belief,
And avoid the startling fact.
But once our wits are gathered,
And truth accepted sanely,
We reason out, and then—
Memories pleasantly take us back:

Ill news has reached my ears
Of the sad departure of a friend,
Of one who through the years
Has given loyalty to the end.
My gratitude, my love, it's so hard to express
For one who so unselfishly lent,
Her companionship for my happiness
Let her now derive what reward God has sent,
May she find everlasting peace, unending love,
For so little time on earth to spend
Yet my one thought I send to her above,
You always found time to be a friend.

2-20-11.

Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Noye, Hampshire, P. E. I., wish to express their heartfelt appreciation and thanks for the many acts of kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends also to those who sent flowers and messages of sympathy in the sudden passing of Mr. William J. Noye. 2-20-11.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Mary Martin, who died February 20th, 1942. Just three years ago today.

At night when all is silent,
And sleep forsakes our eyes,
Our thoughts are in the graveyard
Where our dear mother lies.
Though your smile is gone forever
And her voice we cannot hear
We shall never lose sweet memories
Of the one we love so dear.

Sadly Missed by Her Son Andrew and Mrs. Martin.

2-20-11.

Asthma Suffering Stopped Quickly

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RECEIVES PROMOTION — Mrs. A. D. Macdonald of Mt. Stewart has received word that her son, Corporal Colin L. Macdonald has been promoted to Sergeant. This is Sgt. Macdonald's third promotion in less than six months. He has been serving with the R. C. D. in Italy for a year and a half.

GYRO MEETING — Mr. W. A. Speed, executive commissioner of the Boy Scouts for P. E. I. and Nova Scotia was the guest speaker at the regular Gyro meeting on Monday night. Mr. Speed stressed that in a good youth organization the questions must be asked: What are its aims? Does it meet a boy's needs? Has it ideals? The speaker also outlined the attributes of a good Scout leader. The only other guest present was Mr. L. W. Shaw, Chairman for the evening was Mr. H. C. Bohaker.

ISLAND LADY DEAD — Mrs. Lavinia Rankin, 89, widow of the late Joseph D. Rankin died last night at her home, 73 Center St., Perth Amboy, N. J. A resident of that city for over 50 years, Mrs. Rankin was an old member of Simpson Methodist Church and in her younger days was active in all organizations of the church. Surviving are a son, George W. Rankine of Woodbridge, N.J.; a daughter, Mrs. Harold Hall of this city; seven grandchildren and seven great grandchildren, and a sister, Mrs. Rebecca Gillespie of California. The above Mrs. Rankin was born in Clinton, P.E.I. She was a sister of the late James Pickering of Clinton, P. E. I.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER — An enjoyable time was had at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Ward, Graham's Road on Monday evening, February 12th, when the many friends of Mrs. Roy Pollard (nee Vera Ward) gathered to extend her a miscellaneous shower. After all was assembled the happy young bride, with her husband, was escorted to the seats of honour by Miss E. Whitehead and Mr. Melvyn Ward. Mr. Fred Campbell in his capable manner then called the gathering to order and called upon Miss Charity MacKay, who read an address expressing the community's regret at losing Vera and wishing her a safe and happy journey to her new home in the Mother Country. The many useful gifts including a generous amount of money were then opened by Mrs. Earle Murray and the accompanying verses read by Mrs. Tupper Taylor. Roy, speaking for both himself and his bride, in a few well chosen words warmly thanked one and all for their kindness. After a shower of confetti, everyone joined hands and sang, "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows." A dainty luncheon was then served and the remainder of the evening was spent in music, sing-song and games.

CORNWALL Y. P. S. — The Cornwall Young People's Society met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacDonald on Thursday evening the fifteenth with a very large attendance, many new members joining the Society. The president, Miss Marion Bell presided and Mrs. Elmer Frizzell was the leader for the evening, assisted by Mrs. Melvin Hyde, Mrs. Arthur Stone, Stewart Miller, and Gordon Boyle. Mrs. Otto Newson read the study book, The Empire Physician and (Rev.) Mr. Skinner led in prayer. At the next meeting, which is to be held at the home of Mr. Gordon MacMillan, Mrs. Douglas MacDonald will be the leader and Mrs. Elmer Frizzell will read the study book. The programme committee had enjoyable Valentine games and contests, Mrs. Ford Wilson and Mrs. Stewart Drake took charge of these and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess and committee appointed. A sing-song brought a pleasant evening to a close.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of the late Mary Ann Matthews, widow of the late Uriah Matthews of Pleasant Grove who passey away early yesterday morning at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Elby Ford, Gaytown, was held yesterday afternoon from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home, service conducted by the Rev. T.E. MacLennan. The pallbearers were John Casford, Henry Carr, Harry Day, Rowe Hughes, Harry Pethick, and Hilbert Frizzel .This service was followed by another at York United Church and was conducted by the Rev. J. A Nicholson. The pallbearers at York were John Casford, Harry Day, Arthur Wyatt, James Hardy Gordon Crockett, and Archie Vessey. Interment was in York cemetery.

Baltic Battler

Hammer blows swung against Insterburg resulted in the liberation of that East Prussian city, along with Tilsit and Gumbinnen. Delivering those blows was the 3rd White Russian Army, led by 37-year-old Gen. Ivan D. Cherniakovsky, above, one of the youngest of Russia's Big Eight commanders. His troops helped encircle Koenigsberg, near the Baltic Sea, swept on toward Danzig. Born of Jewish parentage, the general is a product of Russian military training since the Revolution and of the Soviet's own West Point—Frunze Military Academy. Handsome, wavy-haired Cherniakhovsky directs his men along the coldest front in the East—the Baltic region

This War—Four Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

FEB. 20, 1941—Canadian army leaders met in secret conferences at Ottawa to discuss their 1941 war program. British forces crossed the Juba River, north of Chisimaio, Italian Somalliland.

PUDDING RIPENS

A Christmas pudding presented to William Archer, Evesham, England, by Queen Victoria during the Boer War when he was in the 7th Hussars was placed on the Archer's Christmas dinner table for the 44th time—but it still wasn't eaten.

BRIGHT AND CHEERY

LONDON— (CP)— To offset utility fashions, New Year styles in men's shirts are bright and cheering, with colours ranging from tomato, privet green and jasmine yellow to delphinium blue and slate gray.

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Frances Parkinson Keyes

CHAPTER 35

The stir and the murmur had ceased with unbelieveable suddeness. Every one in the courtroom leaned forward instinctively, as if this change in position would make for better hearing. Then came a sense of great concentration, a deep silence.

"Whatkay you as tothe guilt or innocence of the defendant, Jenness Farman, on the first count of the indictment?"

"Guilty."

And what say you on the guilt or innocence of Jenness Farman on the second charge of the indictment?"

"Guilty."

A buzz vibrated through the courtroom, rising in volume until it was no longer a suppressed hum but a sharp sibilant sound which the bailiff could not quell. The judge rapped loudly and the noise of his gavel echced above the buzzing.''

"Members of the jury, your foreman says you find the defendant guilty as indicted and that is your verdict. So say you each and all?"

"We do."

Pride and Anguish

The words had the solemnity of a marrige vow. But they produced no shock. After the first two pronouncements, they had been almost inevitable. Daniel forced himself to glance at Jenness. She was standing with her gloved hands tightly clasped, her vivid face composed, her lithe body erect. She had never looked lovlier. A thrill of pride in her self control pierced her father's anguished heart.

Loper was on his feet, his face flushed his voice loud.

"If your Honour please, I understand that to make a motion to set aside the verdict or for a new trial, it must be done formally and in writing. But pending that I ask that the bond of this defendant be continued and that she be released.

"I think the motion must be overruled." The Judge spoke gravely weighing his words.. "The constant practice of this court is to commit upon the verdict of the jury. Any other procedure would be contrary to the spirit of this court. Nevertheless I shall not decline to hear an expression of opinion from the prosecuting attorney."

A deep hush fell on the courtroom. Like the judge, the prosecuting attorney seemed engulfed in thought. At last he spoke.

"Your Honor, this is not an ordinary case. In this instance the Government would have no objection to continuance of the bond.

"Very well, the bail may be continued. You may arrange with the clerk."

The judges was already rising and arranging his robes. The bailiff's dismissal of the court fell upon deaf ears. Unbelieving but undeterred, Daniel and Serena walked to the defendant's chair.

Early Morning Call

At seven in the morning, the long corridor leading to Horace Vaughn's office was still deserted. Jenness had counted on this, for by now she was well acquainted with the habits of individual Congressmen and their secretaries.

She had been sleeping very badly for some time now and this last night, when she had made up her mind to come to Horace Vaughn's office, she had slept hardly at all. But she had not made the mistake of putting on too much makeup in a futile effort to conceal the haggardness, which like a blight was slowly overspreading the fresh bloom of her face. Jenness did not look wan or faded, but she did look fragile and fine-drawn. The look was exceedingly becoming.

She had on her diamond wrist watch and her diamond pendant, but the pendant hung over the flat crepe and not between folds of shiny satin which opened to disclose a white neck; and she had on her silver fox furs, but no orchids fluttered on these. As a matter of fact she had received no orchids as presents for several days, or, as far as that went, any other presents and she had always regarded with great scorn girls who sent flowers to themselves.

Her wait was a long one, but she did not permit it to rouse her to restlessness or impatience. At 20 minutes to 10, a key turned in the door leading from the corridor, and Jenness rose to meet Horace Vaughn.

He was looking extremely fit. He always wore his well tailored clothes easily, after the manner of a man thoroughly accustomed to the best money can buy. When he saw Jenness, he did not stop or betray displeasure or embarrassment.

"Why, good morning" he said, almost as if he had expected to find her awaiting him, rather than as if she had given him an unwelcome surprise. "How charming you look Jenness. Did you want to see me about something?"

No Time to Spare

It isn't unnatural that I should, is it? I've tried several times, without success, to reach you by telephone, and I've also written to you several times without receiving any answer to my letters. It's very important that I should consult you. I decided that I had better come there, without wasting any more time. As a matter of fact there isn't any more time to waste."

"I'm sorry you've been put to so much trouble. I've been unusually busy these last few days. I'm afraid I haven't caught up with my calls and that I've let my correspondence get ahead of me. But I'm not quite sure that I follow you. Just what do you mean by saying there isnt any more time to waste?

"Tomorrow's sentence day, Horace."

"Is it really so soon- I was under the impression that a longer period usually elapsed between a verdict and a sentence. But I haven't any control over the court calendar."

"No, of course not. But you might have some influence otherwise."

"Unfortunately I haven't, beyond the limits in which I've already exerted it indirectly. I understand that Justice Bellinger has shown exceptional leniency in your case. But it was apparently very clear that there was to be no question of suspending sentence. The court merely permitted the continuance of your bail, so that you might have the support of your parent's company until sentence was actually imposed."

"Or until a new trial was granted."

"Yes its unfortunate that Loper's motion for a new trial was denied. Later on, however, you might possibly appeal the case."

(Continued Tomorrow)

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