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The Thin Man

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"The Thin Man" Presents Baffling Murder Mystery At The Prince Edward

If you enjoy sitting on the edge of your chair, and if you enjoy being left completely in the dark while trying to solve a most baffling murder mystery, don't fail to see the new Metro-Goldwyn Mayer - Cosmopolitan picture, "The Thin Man," which opened yesterday at the Prince Edward Theatre.

Best of Detective Tales

Alexander Woolcott declared "The Thin Man" to be the best detective story ever written by an American author, and Sinclair Lewis described it as the most breathless of all of Dashiell Hammett's stories. This reviewer agrees with both these learned literary men.

"The Thin Man" is the story of Nick Charles, an ex-detective who is Sherlock Holmes, S. S. Van Dine and all other crack detectives rolled into one.

It tells of three murders which involved Charles, against his will, with the unusual Wynant family. His method of solving the crimes provides one of the most exciting and unusual climaxes of all detective pictures.

A Splendid Cast

William Powell plays Nick Charles, and surpasses all his earlier detective roles in the role. Myrna Loy appears as his happy-go-lucky wife, Nora, and Maureen O'Sullivan carries off honors with her successful handling of the part of Dorothy Wynant.

Minna Gombel, more often seen in comedy parts, appears in a tense emotional role in this picture, and Nat Pendleton, always a gangster heretofore, becomes a bewildered detective lieutenant. Other roles are ably handled by Porter Hall, Henry Wadsworth, William Henry and Edward Ellis.

CAPITOL—TODAY

a new kind of murder mystery! **PAUL LUKAS** in

AFFAIRS of a GENTLEMAN

With Lela Hyams, Patricia Ellis, Phillip Reed, Onslow Stevens, Dorothy Burgess, Lillian Bond, Joyce Compton

ADDED "AUTOBIOGRAPHY" "STRANGE AS IT SEEMS" ALSO SHORT SUBJECTS

"Affairs of a Gentleman" At The Capitol

A modern Samson, surrounded by six beautiful beauties, is the nucleus of the intriguing plot woven around "Affairs of a Gentleman," Universal's delightful drama, with Paul Lukas, which opened an engagement at the Capitol Theatre yesterday.

Lukas, of course, is a superman, who deals and dallys with his lady loves with the ease of a connoisseur and strength of determination not unlike the ancient strong man.

Can a man really love more than one woman at a time? And does a man marry one woman to keep from being besieged by many? These are but a few of the questions this picture attempts to answer and does so with unusual grace and satisfactory results.

The story concerns a successful author, who, sated with life, is suddenly discovered dead in his apartment. It looks like suicide, but murder is suspected. Into the investigation is dragged the man's former flames and the collection of women is indeed an interesting one.

Lukas shines brilliantly in his latest role, while his leading ladies, six of them are as beautiful a bunch of feminine charmers as his ever been allied by a Hollywood casting office. Just close your eyes and visualize Lela Hyams, Patricia Ellis, Lillian Bond, Dorothy Burgess, Joyce Compton and Dorothy Libaire, all in one picture. Then come over to the Capitol Theatre and see them for yourself.

In the cast are also Phillip Reed, Onslow Stevens, Richard Card, Murray Kinney, Sara Haden and others. Some sterling direction from Edwin L. Marin makes this one of the best pictures of the year and one highly recommended.

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Section Honors To C. Y. M. L.

C. Y. M. L. ball players won Thursday night's playoff game and the second section defeating the Pioneers 5 to 4 in one of the most hectic games played here this season. C. Y. M. L. were leading 5 to 4 in the sixth inning but the Pioneers netted four runs in the first of the seventh but the game was called on account of darkness before that inning concluded and the score reverted back one inning. The umpires were Lockhart at the plate Houghton and McMurdo on bases.

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WEDDING BELLS—On July 2nd, 10:30 A. M. a very quiet wedding was celebrated in the beautiful little church of the Guardian Angel, 294 North Avenue, New York City, when Lillian O'Hara, formerly of Mount Ryan, P. E. I., became the wife of Louis P. McKenna, formerly of Charlottetown, P. E. I. The wedding ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Foley, assistant priest, followed by a Nuptial Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Donahue ably supported the young couple. After the ceremony a dainty luncheon was served at the London Terrace. Later in the week the couple left on the Maritime Fleet Cross. At present Mr. and Mrs. McKenna are spending some time with their families and friends on Prince Edward Island.

PROMISING AT EAST POINT—Mr. F. Baker, Charlottetown, who has returned from an enjoyable visit to East Point, reports crop prospects there as very promising. Hay will be light owing to wind and cold spring, but grains are doing well, and the potato crops offer a splendid prospect. There has been no missing of seed, and bugs, owing doubtless to last winter's extreme cold, are entirely absent from large fields. The root crop also looks promising. The lobster catch, though smaller than last year, nevertheless larger prices and as a result the fishermen are in better circumstances. Codfish is reported plentiful. North Lake harbour, built by the Conservative Party, adjacent to the East Point mackerel wharf, is proving a great boon and is likely to prove one of the best boat harbours on the island.

Woman's Body Found In Trunk

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

BRIGHTON, England, July 16.—Another human body was found in a trunk at Brighton, the second since June 18 when the body of a woman crammed in a trunk was discovered in a railway station.

LONDON, July 16.—A dispatch to the North Mail stated that a trunk at Brighton, which contained a woman named Violet Kaye. With it were found the head and arms of the torso previously found at the Brighton railway station.

CANADIANS RECEIVE HONORS FROM THE KING

LONDON, July 16.—Several Canadians are among those honored by the King with the venerable Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem, it is announced in the London Gazette.

His Excellency the Earl of Bessborough becomes a knight of the following order named knights of grand order: Hon. James H. King, Lieut.-Col. Herbert Molson, C.M.G., Col. Harry Duncan Lockhart, G.C.O., Col. Hon. H. A. Bruce, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario.

Mrs. Olivia MacLaren, wife of Hon. Murray MacLaren, Mrs. Yvonne Manion, wife of Hon. R. J. Manion, Mrs. Mildred Marlam Herdridge, wife of Hon. W. D. Herdridge and sister of Prime Minister R. B. Bennett, Mrs. Cairine Ray Wilson, Canada's first woman senator, and Mrs. Amy Angela Bruce, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, all become dames of grace of the order.

A new dame grand cross is Lady Victoria Patricia Ramsay, formerly known as "Princess Pat."

Dr. Robert Elmer Wodehouse, O.B.E., John Mills Irvine, Allen Traill, O.B.E., Lewis, and Major-General James H. MacBrien are named commanders of the order.

FLOOD, FAMINE, DROUGHT AND LOCUSTS TAKING THEIR TOLL ACROSS CHINA

SHANGHAI, July 16.—China's age-old enemies, flood, famine, drought, locusts, heat and cholera, again are taking their toll as the hottest summer of more than 60 years sears the country.

In the lower Yangtze Valley and the coastal provinces extreme temperatures, drought and locusts have threatened food supplies and caused death, suffering and financial losses.

Further westward floods and cholera are added to a list of natural calamities besieging Western China. Crops in numerous provinces are perishing from flood or heat, while food prices are skyrocketing. The fear of famine is widespread.

The price of rice, China's staple food, jumped 50 percent within a few days.

DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS

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INDIGESTION
BILIOUSNESS
CONSTIPATION

As for heredity, with greater knowledge of the habits and

President's Address At Medical Society

Following is the text of the address given by the retiring President, Dr. T. W. Jardine, at the annual meeting last week in Summerside of the Prince Edward Island Medical Society:

A year ago assuming the duties of President I thanked you warmly for the confidence which you reposed in me, and today I again wish to express my grateful appreciation for this high honour.

A note of sadness is brought to our attention when we recall that since our last meeting two of our valued members Dr. E. G. Gillis of Kensington and Dr. A. D. Sharpe of Bedouque were suddenly called by death. The untimely death of these two men during the years of their greatest usefulness is a distinct loss to this Society.

During the past year the Medical Society of Prince Edward Island was signally honoured in that one of our outstanding members, the first and only doctor in the history of the Province, and the spokesman of the high office of Premier, Dr. J. H. MacPherson, has been definitely demonstrated by the Government's increasing interest in regard to Public Health measures. This is not the place to discuss the complexity of these provisions or the sufficiency of the details. But it may be said that Prince Edward Island now possesses the amplest machinery to be found anywhere for the prevention of disease.

In the last year of his life, Sir William Osler declared that the future of medical practice lay in the preservation of health.

In recent years, particularly within the past three or four decades the general death rate has steadily fallen. Public health and sanitary science by creating a better environment in which we live have protected the race, lowered the incidence of infectious diseases, and markedly reduced mortality. Due largely to effective control of infectious diseases there has been a rapid decrease in mortality in early life so that many with weak constitutions who formerly would have succumbed to disease in infancy and childhood survive to an age in which the human machine shows more plainly the effects of wear and tear, the age in which degenerative diseases hold sway. The population consequently has aged— that is, there is a progressive increase in the percentage of the population aged thirty five years and over. With the result that family Doctor's major problems today are the prevention and treatment of those disorders that are occurring with increasing frequency, namely, nervous and mental disorders, and the diseases incident to senescence.

Nervous Disorders Frequent

Recent statistics on the prevalence of nervous and mental disorders indicate their startling frequency. Experienced Physicians estimate that from thirty to seventy per cent of their patients are ill, not because of physical diseases but because of emotional and mental conflicts, and mental adjustments within the personality of the patient. It is now believed that many of these conditions are preventable through careful physical and mental health training in childhood, and that recognition and treatment of psychological problems by the family Physician would probably result in the early recovery of a great number of those in whom nervous symptoms had already made some progress. And it seems probable that the rate of incidence of nervous and mental disorders will be greatly changed until the principles of mental hygiene are better known and more widely adopted.

Due to the ageing of our population there is today the much greater frequency of the clinical diagnosis of conditions associated with degenerative processes for example, cardio-vascular degeneration, cancer, diabetes. Diseases of the blood-vessels especially arterio-sclerosis and arteriolar sclerosis constitute a major problem before the medical profession today. These diseases are the direct cause of about seven per cent of all deaths at all ages, and of about forty-five per cent of deaths in those forty-five years and over. Early recognition of those constitutional disorders seems to offer the most favorable solution. Ha. A great role has been assigned to the purely external causes of these diseases and not sufficient to the vital intrinsic mechanism, the constitutional predisposition or to the hereditary influences?

The more nearly two individuals resemble each other the greater are their chances of developing the same disease. It is highly probable, for instance, that we are all exposed to tuberculosis at some time in our life. Yet only a certain proportion of us develop the disease. Among those that do there is often a general family resemblance. We go through life on very much the same routine of eating, working, and sleeping. And some of us develop hypertensive disease and other gall-stones and some develop diabetes or cancer. A study of the constitutional factors in patients suffering from these diseases will often show underlying trends in them that bring them into rather close relationship with one another. So that Draper of New York has been able to delineate an ulcer race, a pernicious anaemia race. There is strong evidence in favor of the view that the predisposition of pernicious anaemia is racial in character as well as constitutional and familial. It is largely confined to those individuals endowed with a diathesis characterized by fair complexion, light hair, blue eyes and achlorhydria. The inference then is that certain disease states are facilitated under certain conditions of human constitution and apparently retarded in others.

Heredity

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETINGS

CANADIANIZATION

The following report on Canadianization and National Events was presented at the annual meeting last week in Charlottetown of the Women's Institutes:

At the very outset I wish to thank the convenors, who have sent such interesting reports of their work both in their schools and institutes. In the handicraft industry the majority expressed themselves in favour of hooking, knitting and quilting while others included crocheting and embroidery and three institutes only mentioned weaving as a branch of handicraft practiced among their women. One institute, Mrs. Royal, asked for some information on blending colors. I know Miss MacMillan or Miss Hazard will help them out or it could be brought up at your district convention.

The making of hooked rugs, quilts and fancy work and disposing of same was suggested as a means to increase the institute funds. Almost all institutes favored an exhibit as a means of developing an interest in Canadian Industries, as what you could see for yourself made a greater impression than anything. There are still over 80 institutes to be heard from and I know those reports will be in next year for it is pretty hard for the busy wives and daughters from the farms of Prince Edward Island to attend to every detail in the broad field of institute work.

In conclusion let me quote you this little rhyme:

There are two kinds of people on earth today,
Just two kinds of people,
No more I say,
Not the good and the bad,
For 'tis well understood
That the good are half bad
And the bad half good.
Not the rich and the poor,
For to know a man's wealth,
You must first know the state
Of his conscience and health.

Not the haughty and proud
For in life's little span
Who puts on vain airs
Is not counted a man.
Not the happy and the sad
For the swift flying years
Bring each man his laughter,
And each man his tears,
Not the two kinds of people,
On earth that I mean,
Are the people who lift,
And the people that lean.

Wherever you go you will find
The world's masses
Are always divided in just
These two classes
And oddly enough
You'll find too I wear
There is only one lifer,
To twenty who lean.

Respectfully submitted,
—Jennie Martin

Some of the National Events studied in the different Institutes are as follows:

Death of Sir Arthur Currie, Pact for peace and economic recovery signed in Rome by Great Britain, France, Italy and Germany, Tablet to mark memory of laying of first submarine cable, Imperial Conference in London, Appointment of Lieutenant Governor DeBolis, Newfoundland reverts to status of Crown Colony, Imperial Conference at Ottawa, Repeal of Prohibition in U. S., Examine of Canadian magazines and women's work in the setting of Canada.

Some write patriotic essays, have study groups, teach the history of the flag, and citizenship. Most every club has pledged themselves to buy Canadian made goods whenever possible.

A great many have within their reach the Carnegie Library, and others are living in hopes of having one at their disposal at an early date.

A number of Canadian magazines are read in the homes of the Institute members and clippings from them used for roll call.

Some prizes have been given for essays of more for the coming year, which has as its theme taking more interest in our beautiful country.

I regret very much some Institutes think by training the pupils to salute the flag, it is too much of an American custom. Another kind their children are not foreigners, they are Canadian born, but most Institutes think this is a custom to be proud of.

It is quite true our children are not foreigners, the majority are British born, it is not necessary to compel them to salute the flag, as to teach them more particularly what the flag stands for.

We must not forget somewhere at a desk in the boy or girl who will represent us in some future conference, so we must strive to enlarge and deepen our lives that we may train and guide others without emotional prejudice.

The question of regarding fallen heroes or remembrance day, would have their annual service. Would it not be a good idea from now on if we would co-operate with our teacher, in teaching the children what remembrance day is for and hold some kind of service of commemoration for Empire day.

If there are any details omitted, I hope you will please pardon me, as it was not done intentionally.

Again allow me to thank each one who was in an way helped me to assemble the foregoing information, and wish each a happy and prosperous year.

Respectfully submitted,
EDNA HASLAM.

Canadian Industries

The following report on Canadian Industries was presented by Mrs. Geo. Martin:

Madam Chairman, Women's Institute Members, Ladies and Gentlemen:

It is my privilege this morning to submit to you the report on Canadian Industries. In doing so I would like to express my appreciation and thanks to all those institutes who filled in and returned questionnaires, so promptly.

Elemental knowledge we are learning that heredity plays some part in all disease and a very important one in many. To illustrate the frequent development of identical twins at the same period of life, and particularly at different ages, indicates beyond the possibility of doubt that the latent predisposition to a given disease, diabetes for example lay in wait for these individuals and depended only upon adequate environmental stress to become apparent.

The general practitioner of today is competent to deal with over ninety per cent of all illnesses. The present tendency of supplanting the general practitioner by a group of specialists called by the family according to the age of the patient, or the part diseased, is misguided. Because the practise of medicine is increasingly interested in the preservation of health and it seems to be a prime essential to fortify and forward of certain diseased states, who then is in the best position to advise his clientele? None other than the family doctor for he is familiar with the habits and

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RELIGIOUS SERVICES

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH

Notwithstanding the extremely hot weather of Sunday and the fact that the militia parade would interfere somewhat there was a good congregation among whom were a number of visitors at our morning service to greet the special preacher for the day, Rev. F. E. Boothroyd of Hunter River. The responsive reading was the 46th Psalm and the New Testament lesson was Matthew 25, from verse 14 to the end. Mr. Boothroyd's sermon was a plea for a larger public spirit speaking from the text Esther 4, 14, "For if thou altogether holdest thy peace at this time, then shall there enlargement and deliverance be sought for thee from another place but thou and thy father's house shall be destroyed and who knoweth whether thou art come to the kingdom for such a time as this?"

Mr. Harvey MacPherson contributed a well rendered solo. After the service Mr. Boothroyd returned to his home at Hunter River as it was the 25th anniversary of his wedding and it was his desire to spend as much of the day as possible with his family. We join in adding our felicitations on the event and desire to express the wish that God's richest blessings may attend both Mr. and Mrs. Boothroyd in the years to come.

At the evening service, Rev. Mr. Boothroyd gave a most helpful sermon upon the text "The foundation of God standeth sure," 2 Timothy 2:19. The service was broadcast by DR. C. Mr. George Johnson was the soloist and sang with good voice.

Many friends of Mrs. Charles McNutt were pained on hearing the announcement of her death yesterday morning. The late Mrs. McNutt was a faithful and active member of our church and her passing will be sorely felt.

The preacher for the whole of July and for the whole of August will be Rev. W. M. Ryan, D.D., a former minister of this church who retains the goodwill and respect of all our people. We will welcome him.

CHURCH RALLY

The first of the summer rallies of the P. E. I. Presbyterian of the United Church, was held in North Bedouque Church on July 5 with the President, Mrs. F. E. Boothroyd presiding. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. L. R. Allen. An address of welcome was given by Mrs. Preston Bowness and responded to by Mrs. George Knight. Mrs. John Prizell, Temperance Secretary, in a brief report, stressed the need of more time being spent in temperance study in our monthly meetings. Mrs. Clark McQuarrie, Associate Helper's Secretary, and John Frizzell, Secretary, urged that this part of the work be kept before the people and in that way secure new members. Mrs. Frank Deacon, Press Secretary, asked that interesting items about the work done in the various societies be sent to the Churchman for publication.

The Roll Call was responded to by eleven societies. A recitation by Miss Eva Fraser was much enjoyed. An interesting and instructive paper on Mission Band work was given by Mrs. E. R. Woodside. A duet by Mrs. John Campbell and Mrs. Roy Burns was much appreciated. Mrs. George Sheen then took charge of the Question Box and a number of important questions were discussed. Mrs. W. A. Thomson led the quiet half hour. The devotional exercises at the evening meeting were led by the Kensington Y. P. Society. Mrs. Boothroyd spoke briefly concerning the rallies to be held on July 10th, 11th and 13th, and hoped many would be able to attend at least one of them, so as to hear Mrs. Parker, Maritime Branch President.

On Wednesday, July 11th another summer rally was held in the Church at Rose Valley. The devotional exercises were led by the President, Mrs. Boothroyd. An address of welcome was given by Miss Vera Frizzell, and responded to by Mrs. Allison Proffitt. Mrs. Boothroyd welcomed Mrs. L. W. Parker, Branch President, to the rally and during the meeting, Mrs. Parker gave many helpful suggestions.

Mrs. J. D. McFarlane, Missionary Monthly Secretary and Mrs. Frank Deacon, Press Secretary, spoke briefly about the work of their departments. This was followed by a lovely little exercise given by the Bradabane Mission Band. Miss Elma Inman, Supply Secretary spoke of the need of more post-cards and little shirts and dresses for the Trinidad Mission, and of the need of warmer clothing for Labrador. The Bradabane W.M.S. then put on the dialogue, "Aunt Polly Joins the Missionary Society," which was much enjoyed. Mrs. John Frizzell, Temperance Secretary, urged the use of the W.C.T.U. pamphlets in the monthly meetings. In her address on "How to become better acquainted with our Mission Fields," Mrs. Frizzell spoke of the plan of using maps, and blackboards, and gave many helpful suggestions. The Roll Call was responded to by fifteen societies. Discussion Period was led by Miss Elma Inman and was very helpful. Mrs. Metcalfe led the quiet half hour. Rev. Mr. Wallis led the devotional exercises at the evening meeting. The Bradabane choir had charge of the music and during the evening two beautiful solos were rendered by Mrs. (Dr.) Calbeck, Craupad, and Mrs. J. E. Warren, Kensington.

Mrs. Parker in her address told of the meetings of the Dominion Board, held in the beautiful Timothy Eaton Memorial Church, Toronto. She spoke of the missionary work being carried on everywhere, and more especially of the work being done in Africa and India, and our own home mission in Canada. It is not enough to carry the gospel message to them, and then leave them, we must educate them and teach them how to improve their homes and surroundings. To us has been committed a great trust, the sending of the gospel to all parts of the world. The service was brought to a close by singing, "Thy Day Thou Gavest Lord, is ended," and benediction by Rev. F. E. Boothroyd.

In Memoriam

CHARLES H. COOPER

Entered into rest, at San Francisco, California, on June 25, 1934, of heart failure, Charles H. Cooper, beloved father of Myrtle and Frederick Cooper. He also leaves three sisters, Mrs. Virginia Wade, Mrs. Julia M. Butler and Miss Etta M. Cooper, all of Winslow, Arizona. He was the only son of the late Henry and Elizabeth Cooper, of Charlottetown, and for many years had made his home in the United States.

Respectfully submitted,
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