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—by—  
**Lucy Poate Stebbins**

VII

When the Hardaway party arrived at noon from the Walkure Leslie was playing darts with three young guests of the hotel. "Grand looking car," sighed one of the girls.

"Cute chauffeur. Oh, isn't he cute?" exclaimed another.

"What a perfectly gorgeous male!" moaned the third. The moan was meant for Huntleigh. The fourth girl, being Leslie, said nothing, but she missed few details of the magnificent car, the small neat chauffeur in uniform, the elderly woman who, with a splendid smile, was having some trouble in extricating his two rich relations.

The girls resumed the game, chattering about the "gorgeous male." "Leslie, do you think he'll come to the dance tonight?"

"Leslie, you really know Mr. Sanders. Why doesn't he leave the desk earlier to dance? Won't Huntleigh let him?"

"Isn't Eric Sanders sweet? Isn't he adorable? It's pathetic."

"I'm glad he used to be engaged to the girl in the book shop and that he ditched her. She's awfully sold on him still."

Leslie hated the way people talked. It wasn't only the ladies crocheting or knitting in the row of rocking chairs with their backs to her view. The young girls were just as bad. "Miss Baron doesn't look to me as if she suffered from a broken heart," she said coldly. "Anyway, what business is it of ours?"

"But you know him so awfully well, Leslie," retorted one of the girls maliciously.

Leslie laughed. "I don't know his love affairs."

"We wonder about that," said the tiresome child. "We wonder all the time."

When they went in to freshen up for luncheon, the space before the elevator was crowded with new arrivals. To save time, Leslie chose the stairs. At the head of the flight she ran into Huntleigh. He was carrying a travelling bag which he put down when he saw her so that she could shake both her hands.

"Still here, Leslie? I was horribly afraid you wouldn't stick it till the aunts arrived. I want you to be nice to them. They're awfully good souls. Really."

"They won't need my attentions," she laughed. "Bucky Point has set itself to fascinating them. And they came prepared to amuse themselves. I saw they'd brought a secretary."

"All very nice," said Hunt. "Not smiling. Such services can be bought and paid for. You might like to be friendly. Not if old ladies bore you, of course."

"Something like that," Leslie made her face as grave as his own. She would have to be kind to the aunts because Bucky Point had paid her to be so. Huntleigh wanted her to be friendly but her friendship had already been bought and she was money a week plus maintenance. It seemed dishonest to be attentive to them and she didn't believe it was because you really liked them when you were earning a salary as Amusement Girl. She was a professional.

"I am not what I seem," she said. "I can't bore me."

"Oh, ladies don't bore me," she said with feeling. "I'll do the best I can."

He picked up his bag and walked beside her up the next flight.

"Aunt Caroline lost her only daughter in May. Aunt Caroline is my father's sister. She's very elderly. Mildred was about forty herself. I think she hasn't anyone else but her sister. That's Aunt Emma. Aunt Emma isn't exactly in the pink. Her husband died a year ago. It's not so gay being out against the world as you think."

They came first to her door where he detained her only long enough to ask if she would go for a little ride that afternoon when his aunts were rested. "They're a bit uneasy," he explained. "That's why we brought the car. The chauffeur is a nice little chap I met down at the Y. A lousy summer down here won't do him any harm."

While she was changing for lunch she wondered what in the world Huntleigh Hardaway was doing at the Y.M.C.A. That was a queer lounging place for a millionaire sportsman and polo player.

At four o'clock Leslie was tactfully trying to make half a dozen girls in their late teens believe that they had thought up the picnic for themselves and had personally decided on its details. It was often difficult to get these ideas absorbed by young heads any more than to get a personal agent, but it was better business than to have them realize that she did the planning. As the matter of fact she had the arrangements for the picnic already down on paper; it was to take place next Saturday and the party would be back at Roxy Point in time for the regular weekend dance.

"You don't you tack up a sheet on the bulletin board in the lobby?" she asked lazily. "Then those who want to go can pin down their names."

"We'd be sure to get some ungodly number of people, a pretty but snobbish young person. We'll write down the names of all we consider eligible. They can check if they'll come."

Leslie hesitated. It was hard work in these big affairs to make sure that some poor little sub-deb wasn't cattily left out. "Just as you like. Give me the list and I'll see it typed and put on the bulletin board."

"Here's that wonderful man," murmured one of the girls.

Leslie turned and saw Hunt-

**CENTRAL GUARDIAN**

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

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**RUMMAGE SALE** — Trinity Hall, May 19, 6 P. M. 5-15-19-21.

**CENTRAL BEDQUE HALL.** — The United Church Choir of Cape Traverse will present their Variety Concert, Friday, May 12th. Audiences Edith Thomson Y. V. A. 5-15-17-21.

**May Go To Pacific**

Lieutenant Stanhope MacLeod, U.S.N., who has been on convoy duty bringing supplies to the European theatre of war, spent several days leave at his home in Montague. On his return he expects to be transferred to duty with one of the United States fleets in the Pacific. Lt. MacLeod is the son of Mrs. A. J. MacLeod, Montague.

**SAFE IN UNITED KINGDOM.** — Fulton James Adams, prisoner of war in Germany for nearly three years, was officially reported safe in the United Kingdom of Great Britain. He is the son of Mrs. Michael Hynes, Prince Street.

**RECEIVES ROSES** — Mrs. P. Perry of 50 School Street has received a beautiful bouquet of roses for Mother's Day from her son, L.-Cpl. Arthur Perry, now serving in Holland.

**MR. AND MRS. HEDLEY WOODSIDE** of Bradabane, P. E. I., wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Davis Irene to Flying Officer Thomas Ewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ewart Wallis, Isleworth, Middlesex, England. The marriage will take place in England in the near future. 5-15-21.

**VISITS BROTHER** — Miss Roseleen Haughey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Haughey, Charlottetown, left Friday morning for Montreal to visit her brother, Jerome, who arrived back from overseas. Jerome is now serving with the Merchant Marines.

**HEAVY POTATO SHIPMENTS.** — Up to the end of last month 6234 cars of potatoes have been shipped from Borden to Tormentine, constituting probably the heaviest movement on record. Reports Mr. J. H. Norton, C.N.R. traffic manager, Moncton, who was in Charlottetown yesterday on routine business.

**RETURN FROM U. S. A.** — Revs. D. J. Morrison of Borden and T. W. Goodwill of Canoe Cove, have returned from a very pleasant trip to Boston, Cambridge, Providence, Lowell, Belmont, Dorchester, Concord and other historic points. Mr. Morrison preached the Gaelic service in the old Scotch Church, Boston, and Mr. Goodwill preached in the Church of Scotland, Cambridge, Mass.

**ATTENDING WEDDING** — Mrs. Kenneth E. Palmer, Pleasant Point, and Miss Louise Souter, Randolph, have left for Charlottetown, P.E.I., to attend the wedding of Miss Opal Gray, West Saint John, and Lt.-Col. Frank R.C.A.F., also of this city, the wedding to take place in Charlottetown on Monday. — Saint John Telegraph-Journal.

**PREMIER JONES AT OTTAWA** — Premier J. Walter Jones is on an official visit to Ottawa and is expected to return the latter part of the week. During his absence, the Hon. George H. Barbour, Minister of Public Works, is acting Premier.

**RELEASED FROM GERMAN PRISON** — After being a prisoner for ten months in a German military prison camp, Pte. Arthur James Quinn was recently released by Allied troops and is now safe in England, according to an official telegram received yesterday. Mr. Quinn, 100 Dorchester Street, City, another brother, Augustus, served with the Eighth Army in Italy, and is still in active service, somewhere in Europe.

**A LOYAL FAMILY** — Mrs. Cleve Roberts, of 48 Edward St., received a telegram from her son, Col. Robert in Germany, for Mother's Day. Corporal Roberts has been serving overseas for the past five years. Mrs. Roberts has three sons, a daughter and her husband who served in this war. Alton Roberts is serving on H.M.C.S. St. Francis, somewhere in the Pacific. Her eldest son, Louis Roberts, was overseas for one year where he was wounded in the jungle and later discharged. Her son Robert served in the Navy for three years in Newfoundland and later was discharged medically unfit and discharged. Her husband, Cleveland Roberts, served in the Veterans Guard for four years, being discharged as medically unfit. Her eldest daughter, Bernice, is serving with the W.R.C. N. S. in Sydney.

**leigh waiting on the outskirts of the group. If you're ready, Miss Vance."**

**As an Amusement Girl,** she knew her duty. Men would be scarce at the dance that evening and if she didn't introduce Hunt, these girls would know the reason why. She was generous enough to leave him with them while she went to put on her hat.

The chauffeur wasn't coming with them. Huntleigh explained that he didn't like his driving. The aunts made him go at ten miles an hour but they didn't venture to interfere with their nephew unless he went over fifteen. The old ladies were already in the back seat so that Leslie was evidently expected to sit with Hunt. Leslie approved the aunts' looks. They were shrunken but aristocratic; they wore expensive black and white touches; their hair was white and beautifully dressed. For some time she could not tell them apart.

(To be continued)

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**Personals**

Mrs. Margaret Cole, City, is well enough to leave P.E.I. Hospital, and is with her daughter, Mrs. John Burgoyne of Granville.

Mrs. Theo. Senter, City, received two lovely bouquets of flowers from her son Harry and Percy who are at present in England. Percy having recently returned to England from Germany.

Mrs. Percy Senter, City, received a lovely bouquet of flowers from her husband, Trooper P. G. Senter, who has recently returned to England after spending several months in Holland and Germany.

**Annual Meeting P. E. I. Hospital Ladies Aid**

The annual meeting of the Prince Edward Island Hospital Ladies Aid was held at the Cundall Home, with twenty-seven ladies present. Mrs. MacKenzie, the president, presided.

Owing to the absence of Mrs. Pope Clarke, secretary, Mrs. G. M. A. Ward read the minutes of the last meeting and the last annual meeting.

Arrangements were completed for the Nurses' Graduation Exercises which take place in Her Majesty's Memorial Hall, Tuesday, May 15th, and for the League of Mercy display of gifts and tea, which will be held at the Cundall Home, Tuesday, May 22nd.

Interesting reports were read by the president, Mrs. W. E. Cotton, chairman of the buying committee; Mrs. (Dr.) Campbell, who has been in charge of sewing for the past year; and Mrs. Leith Wright, treasurer of the League of Mercy. All reports showed that a very profitable year's work had been accomplished. These reports will appear in detail following the annual meeting of the P. E. I. Hospital, Tuesday, May 22nd.

Mrs. Benj. Rogers, Jr., chairman of the nominating committee, read the following report: President, Mrs. N. H. DeBlais; Secretary, Mrs. G. M. A. Ward; Treasurer, Mrs. H. L. Sear (retired).

Ways and Means Committee: Mrs. J. W. MacKenzie, Mrs. R. T. Holman, Mrs. C. T. Hardie, Mrs. Earle Baker, Mrs. Benj. Rogers, Jr., Mrs. Roy Quigley.

Buying Committee: Mrs. W. E. Cotton, Mrs. A. J. MacLeod, Mrs. Sewing Committee: Mrs. (Dr.) Donald Campbell, Mrs. Heber Large.

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Trinity Church: Mrs. E. A. Large, Mrs. F. G. Hutcheson, Mrs. Norman Lowther, Mrs. G. E. Hartless.

St. Paul's: Mrs. E. P. Seller, Mrs. Reg. Jenkins, Mrs. Fred Younker.

St. Peter's: Mrs. Stanley Bryant, Mrs. George Blinn.

St. James: Mrs. (Dr.) C. H. Beer, Mrs. (Dr.) Donald Campbell.

Central Christian: Mrs. Milton Carter, Mrs. Milton Stewart.

Baptist: Mrs. E. D. Nicholson.

Church of Scotland: Mrs. Nell McDougall, Mrs. Ewen McDougall.

Aid Representatives on Trustees: Mrs. N. H. DeBlais, Mrs. W. E. Cotton, Mrs. Garrett.

**REMEMBER WHEN**

By The Canadian Press

Jimmy Russell, Toronto sealer, swept to victory in record time at the American Henley at Philadelphia eight years ago today. Wearing the Argonaut Rowing Club's double blue, Russell covered the mile and 5-16 in 7:31.4 seconds, shattering the 7:45.1-second record by W. Rutherford of Princeton University in 1934.

**BRITAIN NEEDS NURSES**

CRIMSBY, ENGLAND — (CP) — M. S. McCorquodale, parliamentary secretary to Labor Minister Bevin, said here that immediate vacancies exist for 15,000 nurses. He called for volunteers for the profession.

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## "Opening Announcement"

in this Newspaper on THURSDAY

We say "OPENING" Announcement because our Charlottetown Showrooms are like a "New Home,"—or will be when completed.

The Opening Presentation will be on Friday and Saturday of this week. We do hope that you will plan to visit us on one or both of these days.

On this occasion SIMPSON'S extends a special invitation to their out-of-town friends to visit them during the coming week-end.

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**This War—Four Years Ago**

By The Canadian Press

MAY 15, 1941—President Roosevelt denounced proposed French collaboration with Germany and appealed to Vichy leaders not to permit France to be placed aboard all French ships then in U. S. harbors.

**EARLY SHIPPING HISTORY**

Canadian ocean shipping dates to the days of early European fishermen who frequented the shores of Newfoundland and the Maritime provinces.

**ORDERS FOR COAL AND COKE**

Federal Buildings—Maritime Provinces

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Coal for Maritime Provinces" will be received until 3 p.m. (E.D.S.T.), Wednesday, May 30, 1945, for the supply of coal and coke for the Dominion Buildings in the Provinces of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island.

Specifications and forms of tenders can be obtained from the Purchasing Agent, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, the Resident Architect at Halifax, N. S., and the Resident Architect at Saint John, N. B.

Tenders should be made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with departmental specifications and conditions attached thereto. Coal dealer's licence numbers must be given in tendering.

The Department reserves the right to demand from any successful tenderer, before awarding the contract, a security deposit in the form of a certified cheque on chartered bank in Canada, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender, or bearer bonds of the Dominion of Canada or of the Canadian National Railway Company and its constituent companies, conditionally guaranteed to the principle and interest by the Dominion of Canada, or the aforementioned bonds and a certified cheque, as required to make up an odd amount.

By Order,  
J. M. SOMMERVILLE, Secretary,  
Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, May 9, 1945.

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**Reports Continued Increase in Traffic**

The annual meeting of Northumberland Ferries Limited took place Saturday in the office of the secretary of Bruce Stewart and Co. Ltd., President R. E. Mutch, presided. In submitting the financial statement for the year which had been previously distributed among the shareholders, the chairman reviewed the situation in the following address:

"I am pleased to be permitted to bring you another Annual Report of our undertaking, the fourth of actual operation of the Ferry Service."

"Continued increase in traffic is shown and I am giving you the figures for each year of our history:

Year	Passengers	Autos	Trucks
1941	25203	627	629
1942	34023	454	1601
1943	39457	5205	1291
1944	44547	777	1458

"I may, perhaps, be pardoned if I take a certain pleasure in pointing these figures, especially to those who were so confident when the project was originally selected, that we were not on the verge of failure. It is gratifying to be persuaded to help us to get started."

"The Province should not forget the Government officials and our Government representative who, in face of the indifference and opposition shown, persisted in having their vision made a fact and the service started."

"I would beg, however, to point out that we are very far from making full use of the possibilities offered by this route and why further development is not encouraged and commanded is difficult to understand."

"We need:

1. Paved roads to connect existing pavement with the terminals at Wood Islands and Carleton Place.
2. A second boat of about the same tonnage as the "Prince Nova" but with overhead clearance to permit carrying a full load of trucks. This would restore about the carrying capacity we had in the "Sankaty", requisitioned by the Federal Government.
3. Port improvements, especially at Carleton, that will permit movements of the boat day or night.

Suitable overnight accommodations for passengers, so that persons wishing to take advantage of the early morning crossing may do so and still enjoy a good night's rest.

"Let us have these and just watch the traffic develop."

**Financial Statement**

"The financial statement for the period ending Dec. 31st, 1944, went to you with notice calling this annual meeting. It speaks for itself and I trust will be found fairly satisfactory. In it provision has been made to the

**AUCTION SALE**

AT KINGSTON  
on the premises of  
**MALCOLM MacSWAIN**  
on Wednesday, May 16th at 1 o'clock

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If not fine will be held following day.

**MALCOLM MacSWAIN**  
ALEX MacRAE, Auctioneer. 5-12-21.

**This Army.**

Exchequer Court Award

"The award made by the Exchequer Court, Nov. 24th, 1945, in our favour for the balance due us on ships requisitioned, \$128,356.37, with interest from March 1st, 1941, and appealed by the Federal Government to the Supreme Court of Canada, came up for hearing before the full bench of seven Judges in Ottawa on the morning of Monday, Feb. 26th, 1945, and continued daily until the evening of Thursday, March 1st, 1945. Our Company was represented by Mr. George J. Tweedy, Charlottetown, and Mr. Walter S. Schroeder & Burnett, Ottawa. Up to the time of writing this report no decision has been given and Mr. Tweedy has been asked to give a report on the matter to the annual meeting on May 12th."

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