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LONDON, Feb. 12.—(British United Press)—Plans for the reconstruction of the British Museum Library have now been finally approved by the Office of Works.

It is estimated that this gigantic task will take more than 20 yrs. to complete. The library with its 3,000,000 volumes, is the largest in the world and is the most valuable single collection of books in existence. The present library, which was completed in 1860 at a cost of \$750,000, was designed to hold about 2,000,000 books. As the library will be in constant use during the whole period by scholars who come from all parts of the world to consult the books, the building will take three times as long as it would otherwise do.

The central reading-room, which is known to hundreds of thousands of men and women, is to be left as it

is, and the visible signs of the vast change that is to take place will be scarcely noticeable.

New shelves are to be installed throughout. The present shelves are made of cast-iron. But, so great has the weight of these books, which now weigh thousands of tons because, that for some years there has been a danger of the shelves collapsing. The new shelves will be put on runners which it will be possible to draw out, and they will be made of steel.

The first task to be undertaken will be the removal of the books section by section. Two large halls under the Egyptian Rooms, which have remained unused since the ceilings collapsed during the war, still will be converted into a temporary library.

While the work of reconstruction is going on, the task of compiling a new catalogue is also to be undertaken by the Printed Books Department, and it is hoped that it will be

Western Guardian

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—ARRIVED IN SUMMERSIDE BY PLANE—The aeroplane which brought the mail to Summerside on Tuesday after making her round trip returned to the mainland and came back to Summerside with Mr. Lesley Lowther, of Amherst, referee for the hockey play-off match that was played in Summerside that night and five other passengers, who were interested in the final play off. The other passengers were Messrs. J. J. Twaddell, R. Coates, P. A. Atkinson, F. S. Scott and G. M. Morrison, all from Amherst and vicinity. S.

—DANCE IN UNION HALL—The Workingmen's Association held a very enjoyable dance in the Union Hall, Summerside, on Monday evening. About one hundred and fifty young people were in attendance, and thoroughly enjoyed the excellent floor and music. Later in the evening Mayor Lidstone and some of the Councillors joined the party. In the interim refreshments were served and dancing resumed until midnight. S.

—SECOND TREATMENT OF TOXOID—The children of Summerside are to receive their second treatment of toxoid for immunization against diphtheria on Friday. The Red Cross nurse and doctors will be at St. Mary's Academy at 9.30 a. m. to administer the treatment. At eleven o'clock the pre-school children will be done. The nurse and doctors will be at the High School at 2 p. m. for the treatment of the school children and the pre school children at 3 p. m. Any children that have not received their first treatment and the parents are willing for them to have the toxoid administered can have them done on Friday. S.

—MACEWEN—MURRAY—NUPTIALS—A very pretty wedding took place at the Presbyterian Manse, Kensington, on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 8th, when Miss Marion Jean Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Murray, Graham's Road, was united in marriage to Mr. William Montgomery MacEwen, son of Mr. and Mrs. William MacEwen, Stanley Bridge. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. Lewis Williams, B.A., B.D., pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Kensington. The bride looked charming in a beautiful brown crepe back satin dress, with hat and shoes to match. She was attended by Miss Margaret MacEwen, who looked very winsome in maize crepe de chene. Mr. Malcolm Murray ably supported the groom. After the ceremony the wedding party proceeded to the home of the bride where a sumptuous supper was served, followed by a rousing charivari. The bride and groom are very popular young folk of Graham's Road and Stanley Bridge, respectively. The bride who was formerly a school teacher, was waited upon on Friday evening by a host of friends, who showered her with numerous and beautiful gifts. The best wishes of all are extended to Mr. and Mrs. MacEwen for a long and happy wedded life.

—RED CROSS NEWS—Dr. Creelman, who has been in the west of the Province holding clinics, will be in Summerside today (Thursday) and will hold a chest clinic in the Town Hall after the arrival of the western train. He will leave on the afternoon train for Charlottetown. Miss Zinck, Red Cross nurse for Prince County, has finished her examination of the children of the Summerside High School. She reports that there is a larger attendance than ever in the school and that the general health of the children shows marked improvement, especially in the condition of the teeth and average weight of the pupils. Miss Zinck is now examining the pupils at St. Mary's Academy. S.

—MAKING SPLENDID IMPRESSION—The Conservatives of Prince County, P. E. Island, already have their candidate in the field and are holding organization meetings in different sections. The candidate, Mr. Arnett, is a young man quite new to the political life and according to all reports he is making a splendid impression, with fair prospects of redeeming the constituency though there is a Liberal majority of 1,500 to be overcome. There is said to be a wonderful change in political sentiment in Prince and in fact throughout the province, as the Island people, though generally Liberal, make a study of public questions and are thoroughly independent. Formerly they leaned to free trade because of their large surplus of agricultural products, but the United States policy of exclusion has forced them to new markets and new methods.—Moncton Times.

—BROUGHT HOME FOR BURIAL—The remains of the late Mr. Allan W. Ferguson of Moncton, N. B., who passed away at his home there on Sunday, arrived at Summerside on Tuesday night. Accompanying the body were his brother,

ready as soon as the alterations are completed.

When it is remembered that in the Museum there are already 50 miles of books, and that their number is daily increasing, the stupendous task which lies before the authorities will be better appreciated.

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Mr. Edward Ferguson, and his widow and son, Robert. The deceased was the son of Mrs. and the late Mr. Albert E. Ferguson of Summerside. He was in his 44th year and had been in indifferent health for about two years. During last summer he had been in the Sanatorium at River Glade. He was a man of exceptional ability and since leaving Summerside eighteen years ago had been connected with Messrs. Torrie and Winters, the owners of four theatres in Moncton, and was for several years and up to the time of his death manager of the best known of the group, the Capitol Theatre, and had the entire confidence of his employers. Word of his death was received in Summerside with deep regret, where he was universally liked. There are left to mourn besides his sorrowing widow, formerly Miss Mary French of Newfoundland, one son, Robert, fourteen years of age, and his widowed mother; also two sisters and three brothers, namely:—Mrs. James Gamble of Port Dalhousie, Ont.; Mrs. Jasper Higgins, of Dexter, Maine; John, of New York; Kenneth in the United States, and Edward of Summerside to all of whom much sympathy is extended. The funeral takes place this afternoon (Thursday) at two o'clock at the residence of his mother, Rev. C. J. St. Clair Jeans officiating. S.

—FINED FIFTY DOLLARS OR NINETY DAYS—In the Police Court on Wednesday two drunks appeared before Stipendiary Wvatt. One for a first offence was fined \$5 and costs or ten days. The other, who is an old offender, drew \$50 or ninety days. S.

—LEFT FOR CHARLOTTETOWN—Mr. Bowman, the popular teller of the Royal Bank at Summerside, left on Wednesday morning for Charlottetown, having been transferred to the branch there. The staff of the Summerside bank are sorry to lose Mr. Bowman as he was a very congenial and capable associate. Before leaving he was presented with a parting gift accompanied by the best wishes of his co-workers in the bank. On Monday evening he was the guest of honour at a jolly little party given by Mr. and Mrs. Louis McKay. S.

—PERSONALS—Mr. Montgomery of Port Hill, was in Summerside on Tuesday on business. S. —Mr. James Rayner, who has been visiting in the eastern part of the Province returned to his home in Kildare on Tuesday. S. —Mrs. Baldwin of Emsdale, was in Summerside on Tuesday making arrangements for her racing horse, Billie, to run in the matinee races on Saturday next. Mrs. Baldwin is an expert horse-woman and takes a keen interest in horse racing. S.

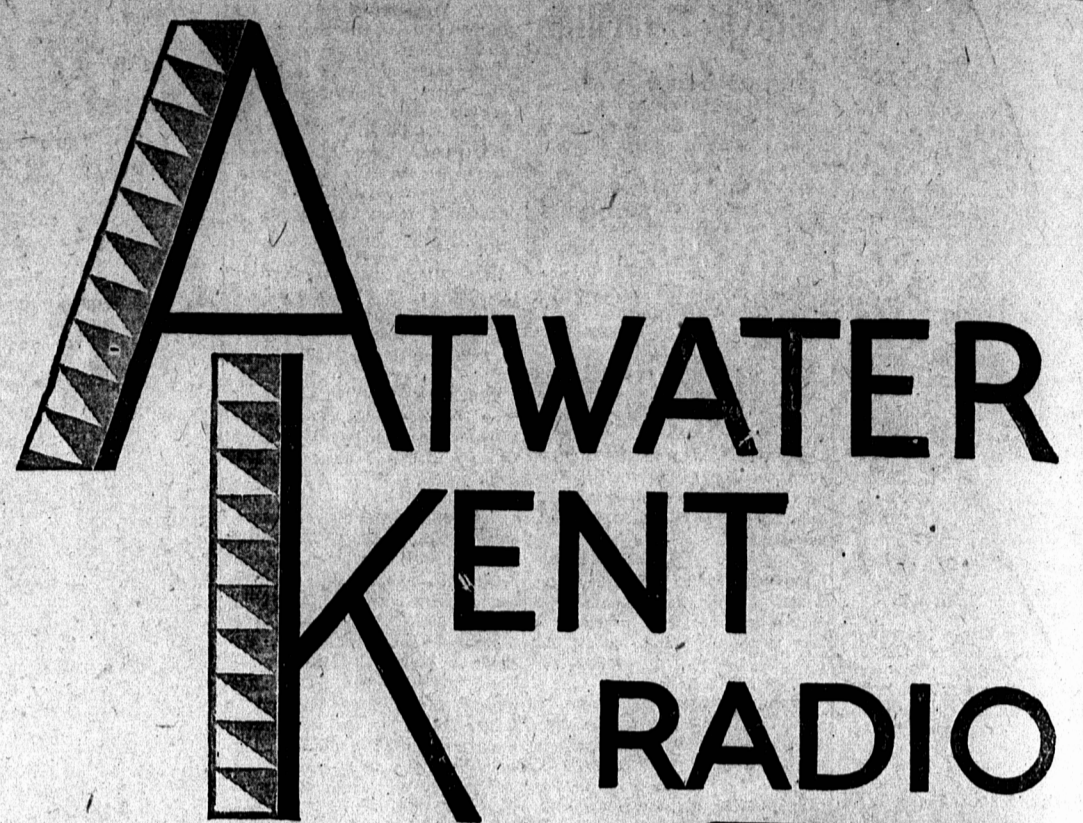
—CAVENDISH NOTES—Miss Anita Webb of Cavendish is attending C. B. C. She is greatly missed in the gatherings of the young people. —Among those attending the hockey match in Charlottetown on Tuesday, Feb. 10th, were Messrs. Upson Smith, Ira McCoubrey and George Clark. —Mrs. Allan Wyand has returned home from a visit to Charlottetown. —Mr. Garnet Profit of Spring Valley, spent a few days with his daughter, Mrs. G. W. McCoubrey. —Mr. Keith Webb, has been visiting friends in Wilnot Valley recently. —The Misses Margaret and Annie Lowther spent the past week-end visiting friends in New Glasgow. —SOUTH MELVILLE SCHOOL—The following is the standing of

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—THE SECOND TOXOID CLINIC was held in Monague memorial school on Monday, Feb. 10. In addition to the number of children receiving the second treatment, twelve children were inoculated for the first time. The clinic was conducted by Drs. Grant and MacIntyre, assisted by Red Cross Nurse Miss Mary Martin. The principal and staff as on other occasions, were most co-operative and helpful.

—SEA VIEW—The January meeting of the Sea View Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Hugh Campbell on Wednesday evening, Jan. 8th. Meeting opened by



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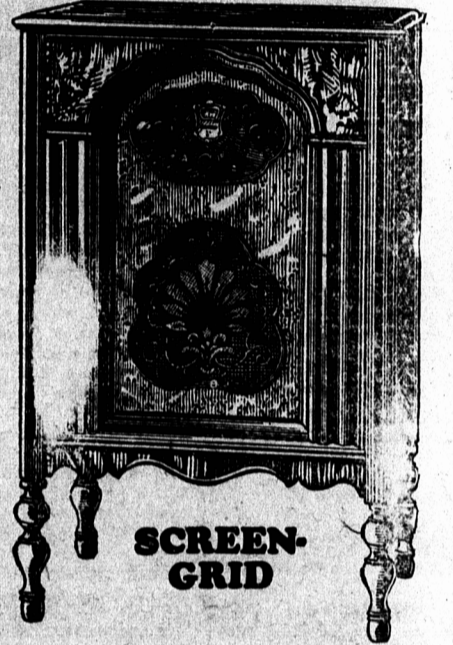
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singing "O Canada," followed by "Greed." There were twenty-four members present and one visitor, who became a new member of the club. Roll call was responded to with New Year ideas. A discussion followed in regard to purchasing a cupboard for Institute dishes. A committee was appointed, Mrs. Colin Donald and Mrs. Jed Adams, to see about same. It was decided to hold an old fashioned concert in the near future in order to raise more funds. Bills amounting to fifteen dollars were presented and ordered paid. The program consisted of "Instrumental Music" by Misses Pauline Coulson and Elva Duggan, "readings" by Misses Lois Blakney and Kathleen Reedy, a "contest" put on by Mrs. John E. Campbell proved interesting, first prize drawn by Misses Wanda Graham and Pauline Coulson. A delicious repast was then served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. George Brander. Next roll call to be responded with "How can I improve my Institute." No further business. Meeting adjourned.

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to the museum at the Guildhall, and when the mortar had been scraped from one of them—a huge brick 11 inches in length and 12 inches across and two inches thick—the imprint of the feet of a dog were found. They must have been made nearly two thousand years ago.

As the bricks, after moulding, lay on the ground to toughen before being burned, this dog must have run over them. Two of the footprints are close together, suggesting that the dog was chasing something or being chased. It might have been a Roman cat. It was certainly not a rat for there were no rats in London at the time of the Romans.

Many dogs have chased many cats since London first rose beside the Thames, and many more will doubtless do so, but few will leave a record of the chase to be read 2,000 years later.

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