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# "TAP ROOTS"

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 Starring VAN HEFLIN SUSAN HAYWARD  
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**4 - BIG DAYS - 4**  
**TODAY**  
 THURS. - FRIDAY and SATURDAY

**PRINCE EDWARD - SHOWS 3.30 - 7 - 8**

COMING MONDAY, MAY 23RD

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**GRUEN WATCHES.** - C. R. Boehner Jeweller, Montague, P.E.I.  
 Mr. L.M. MacKinnon, Montague, spent the past week in Halifax on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril MacGregor were Sunday visitors to Montague, guests of Miss Gladys Poole.

Miss Selma Llewellyn, proprietress of the Blue Dome Restaurant, was a recent visitor to Charlottetown.

Miss Minnie Greene, Montague, is visiting in Summerside, guest of Mr. and Mrs. F.W. MacQuarrie.

Dr. and Mrs. T.V. Grant have returned to their home in Montague after spending the winter months in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Bruce, Valleyfield, were recent visitors to Montague visiting their aunt, Mrs. A.J. MacLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett King, Whim Road, were guests for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Collins, Lower Montague.

Mr. R.H. Hines, commercial traveller was a business visitor to Montague and vicinity on Thursday, calling on his regular customers.

Mrs. Effie Brehaut, who spent the winter months in Charlottetown, has returned to Montague where she is renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. B.N. Hooley, owner of Hooley's Men's Wear, Montague, was a business visitor to the city on Thursday night to meet a representative of a clothing firm.

Rev. F.N. Young, Mrs. Young and their young son, Donald, will attend the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Mr. Rudolph Hamilton, employee of the Bank of Nova Scotia in Charlottetown, spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pearson Hamilton, Montague.

Mr. David Moore has returned to his home in Albion after completing his year at Dalhousie University. Mr. Moore was a member of the Grade XI graduating class of 1946 at the Montague High School.

Mrs. Carl Gay of Boston arrived in Montague last week to spend the summer months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wightman. Mrs. Gay has been a summer visitor to Montague for several years, and her friends are glad to welcome her here again.

Mrs. Callum Bruce who has been spending the winter months in Cambridge, Mass., returned to her home in Montague this week. Mrs. Bruce, who takes a very active part in community work, will be welcomed back by her many friends.

It has been reported that Rev. T. Owen Hughes, minister of Mount Zion Church, Ridgeway, Ont., and formerly minister of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Montague, was elected as moderator of the Hamilton and London Synod of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. His many friends in this community extend congratulations to Rev. Mr. Hughes.

Mr. Arthur H. Vickerson L.L.D., Justice of Peace, and Captain of the Boston City Police Force, accompanied by his uncle, Mr. Herbert Vickerson of Chicago, spent a week in Montague visiting Mrs. Charles Vickerson and Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Lane. Mr. A.H. Vickerson left on return on Friday, visiting friends in New Brunswick. Mr. Herbert Vickerson plans to remain on the Island for the summer visiting friends in Hermitage and Charlottetown.

**CANADIAN LEGION HOLD MEETING** - A very successful party was held in the Legion Hall, Montague, on Friday night, sponsored by the ladies auxiliary of the Canadian Legion. A beautifully decorated cake on which tickets had been sold was won by Mr. Athol MacKinnon. Prizes for cards were won by Mrs. Harry Higginbotham Sr. and Harry Higginbotham, Jr., with consolation prizes being awarded to Miss Denie Munroe and Mr. L.W. Gillis. A delicious lunch was served by the members of the Auxiliary, and an enjoyable evening was enjoyed by all.

**BOY SCOUTS PUT ON DRIVE** - During the past two weeks the Boy Scouts of the Montague troop have been putting on a concerted drive for the purpose of raising funds so that representatives from this troop might be sent to the Jamboree to be held in Ottawa in July. A special apple day sale was recently held which was well supported by the public at large, and netted the boys a considerable sum of money, but still not sufficient for the purpose of the drive. As a consequence the troop is now planning to sponsor a dance at the Curling Rink where the music will be supplied by the "Harmonizers", our local orchestra under the direction of Cliff Lilley. It is understood that the Beaver Club will donate all proceeds to the Boy Scouts, and the orchestra is donating its time. Such support of such a worthy cause is most commendable, and it is hoped that the general public will also help to send some of the boys to Ottawa. The Scoutmaster, Mr. Eric Duvar, is also planning to hold a local Scout camp this summer, and arrangements are now under way for this purpose. The boys are working hard to complete all necessary tests required for attendance at the Jamboree, and special emphasis are being placed on these tests at the boy's weekly meetings. The preparation of new Scouts is proceeding steadily in the Cub group under the capable leadership of Mr. Alistair Currie, and in the past week three cubs have moved up to the Scout group. Such work leads to a good Scout organization to be helped by all.

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## Georgetown and Vicinity

Miss Joyce "Billie" Jenkins was a visitor to the City on Thursday.

Mrs. James MacLeod of Murray River is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mirmie Rafuse.

Mr. Joseph Scully of Charlottetown was a recent guest of relatives in Georgetown.

Judge C. St. Clair Trainor of Montague visited Georgetown on Saturday.

Mrs. Lemuel MacCormack and daughter, Aida, were visitors to the City on Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Laura Levers, Miss Beatrice Skinner and Mrs. N.W. Hanson motored to the City on Saturday.

Mrs. Katie Blanchard of Charlottetown was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N.W. Hanson, Burnt Point over the weekend.

Miss Louise Murphy of De Blois Bros. in Charlottetown visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Murphy during the weekend.

Mr. Lawrence Batchelder is having a new barn erected on his property on Richmond Street. The work is being done by Mr. Albert King.

Mr. Nell A. Wight who is employed on the D.P.W. Dredge No. 9 at present engaged in working at Wood Islands, spent Sunday with his wife and family.

Mrs. Mabel Hearn of Dartmouth, N.S., paid a short visit to Georgetown during the weekend, where she was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hobbs, Sr.

Mr. Walter Boudreau is at present a patient in the Veterans Wing in Charlottetown and his many friends hope for an early improvement in his health.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fraser and three children of Charlottetown spent the weekend in Georgetown the guests of Mrs. Fraser's mother, Mrs. Minnie Rafuse.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hobbs Jr. of Charlottetown were weekend guests of relatives in Georgetown. Mrs. Hobbs has signed up with the R.C.A.F. and will leave shortly to take up his duties.

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## "TAP ROOTS" HAILED AS YEAR'S OUTSTANDING TECHNICOLOR DRAMA

Hailed unanimously as the year's outstanding Technicolor drama, "Tap Roots," which co-stars Van Heflin and Susan Hayward, and has Boris Karloff in the leading featured role, will open today at the Prince Edward Theatre. The latest movie spectacle, a George Marshall production, is presented by Walter Wanger and is a Universal-International release. Scenarized from James Street's best selling novel of the same name, "Tap Roots," is a saga of the independent Dabney clan of Lebanon County which preceded from Mississippi prior to the Civil War.

Van Heflin, as Keith Alexander, a renegade newspaper publisher, falls in love with Morna Dabney, played by Miss Hayward, and for this reason alone joins the Dabneys in their rebellion. Heflin's famous duelling pistols, Alpha and Omega, are feared by any man who crosses him. The beautiful, red-haired Morna as portrayed by Miss Hayward, gives her love to two men and, in keeping with the times, lives for the hour. Karloff, as Tishomingo, the Choctaw Indian, whose help is as deadly as Heflin's duelling pistols, is a friend of the Dabneys.

Among the supporting players, Julie London has the role of Aven, Miss Hayward's younger sister. Ward Bond is seen as their stubborn and defiant father, Hoab Dabney. Richard Long plays the hot-headed young brother. Screen newcomer, Whitfield Connor, is said to be impressive in one of the film's key portrayals.

With action centered on Lebanon County in Mississippi, the story of "Tap Roots" begins in 1860, when Mississippi secedes from the Union, Lebanon County, under the leadership of Hoab Dabney, becomes a free and independent community. Dramatic incidents which follow, including Lebanon County's furious but futile conflict with the might and millions of the Confederacy, are said to have been filmed on a vast scale without the sacrifice of intimate detail. Producer Marshall directed the picture from a screenplay by Alan LeMay and additional dialogue is credited to Lester Wiggam, Lionel Lindon and Winton C. Hoch were the photographers.

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**PUBLIC MEETINGS**  
 The undersigned desires to meet and will address King's County electors at meetings to be held at 8.30 o'clock at the places mentioned below:  
 May 18th - KINGSBORO  
 " 19th - FORTUNE  
 " 20th - ST. COLUMBA  
 " 23rd - ST. MARGARET'S  
 " 27th - ST. CHARLES  
 " 31st - CHERRY HILL SCHOOL  
 June 1st - MORELL MEMORIAL HALL  
 " 8th - ST. PETER'S LEGION HALL  
 " 9th - ST. THERESA'S  
 Additional meetings will be announced later. Other speakers will also be present to discuss the political issues of the day. ALL the public are cordially invited.  
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