



Money in Emergencies

YOU may possess insurance policies of Victory and Canada Savings Bonds and other negotiable securities. You can still retain these, even if you need money in emergencies. You can obtain a loan on them.

WE can give you the necessary loan promptly. We recommend this quick, easy way to borrow. We merely retain your securities during the period of the loan. You do not have to sell them. See our nearest branch Manager.



THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

CHARLOTTETOWN BRANCH—R. S. P. JARDINE, Manager.

NEW ANNAN W. I.

The March meeting of the New Annan Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Robert Williams on Thursday, March 4th. Ten members responded to roll call and one visitor was present. Next roll call to be answered with a housecleaning hint. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. Since last meeting two large quilts and one crib quilt were completed. Mrs. Walter Moase invited members to her home on Thursday the 18th to quilt a quilt for T. B. League. It was decided that we have an auction sale at our next meeting.

Secretary reported that box had been packed and mailed to English Institute and that men in district had collected \$44.00 for "Children's Appeal Fund." The Better

Farm Home competition was left over until April meeting.

School committee reported a shelf needed in school for fountain, and it was moved that this be built. Sick committee reported several calls made and treats taken to three in district. New sick committee appointed: Mrs. Elmer Moase and Mrs. Lewis Moase.

Bills were presented and paid. Collection amounted to \$1.26. Next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Stewart Moase. Mrs. Alden Moase and Mrs. Allie McNeill to assist with lunch.

Refreshments were served by the committee in charge and program for evening was enjoyed by all.

Meeting closed with The King.

WHITE SANDS W. I.

The regular monthly meeting of the "Royal Oak" Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. William Glover on March 2nd. The president occupied the chair.

Meeting opened by singing Institute Ode followed by Creed in unison. Roll call was responded to by ten members with an Irish joke. We were pleased to have four visitors present. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The sum of \$20.00 was received from the sale of tickets on two mats. The first lucky number was 145, drawn by Mrs. Ernest Bell and won by Mrs. Stuart MacMillan; the second No. 162 was drawn by Mrs. Austin Bell and won by Miss Mabel White.

Correspondence consisted of copies of Institute News, letters from Canadian Cancer Society, Appeal for Children Fund, Montague Hospital, and booklets on life insurance. It was moved and sec-

onded that we send \$15.00 to Canadian Cancer Society and also to canvass district for same.

It was moved and seconded that we send \$15.00 to Appeal for Children Fund and that we also canvass district for this fund.

It was moved and seconded that we send \$10.00 to Montague Hospital. It was also decided to hook two mats on March 21st, one of same to be on display at the convention.

No sick treats were reported.

Next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Nicolle, roll call to be answered with a household hint program, organ selections by Miss Gertrude Glover.

Meeting closed with a verse of a hymn. Collection 90c.

(Patriot please copy)

NORTH RIVER W. I.

The regular meeting of the North River Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Bruce MacKinley on March 1st. The president presided, and meeting opened by "Collect for Club Women."

In the absence of the secretary, Mrs. Norris Kitchin was appointed for the evening. Roll call was responded to by 13 members and three visitors. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Two cards of thanks were read by secretary. Collectors were appointed for the "Save the Children" campaign. Mrs. Harry Scott consented to phone headquarters for receipt books for same.

Sick committee reported several calls made. School committee reported nothing needed at present. It was approved by motion at the January meeting that in future members of the Institute, and their families be remembered with fruit, while residents of district be

remembered with a card, during illness.

Discussion took place on "First Aid Course." Mrs. Bruce MacKinley consented to consult Miss Betty King regarding instruction in same. The paper on "Central Housing Contest" was read by Mrs. Roy Bruce. Lunch committee for next meeting, Mrs. John Warren, Mrs. Edison Mutch, and Miss Eleanor Youlker.

Two lovely quilts have been completed by members, and were displayed at meeting. It was moved and seconded that meeting adjourn. After lunch was served, the remainder of the evening was spent on work on aghan.

Mrs. Clayton Stevenson invited members to meet at her home on March 11th to complete this work. Collection amounted to \$1.30.

FORTUNE BRIDGE W. I.

The March meeting of Fortune Bridge Women's Institute was held at the home of Miss Mildred Townshend, on Tuesday evening, March 3rd.

The president presided and meeting opened with the Ode and Creed in unison. Roll call was answered by sixteen members with a donation for the Souris Hospital. One visitor was present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The financial report showed a balance of \$90.98. Collection amounted to \$1.35. A donation of \$1.00 was received.

A letter of thanks was read from Mr. Warren Aitken for a treat sent to him while a patient in the hospital. Mrs. Harvey Aitken and Mrs. Jim Dixon were appointed on the sick committee for March. It was decided to scrub the school on Thursday afternoon.

The receipt books for the Appeal for Children were given out to the collectors. A letter was read from the Cancer Society regarding the annual drive for members. The paper on housecleaning by the home economic convener was read, also the questionnaire in the Better Farm House Competition.

Mrs. George Jackson invited the members for the next meeting.

Mrs. Alfred Higginbotham and Mrs. Jack Aitken volunteered to bring the lunch.

At the close of the meeting a dainty lunch was served by Miss Townshend assisted by Mrs. Jim Dixon and Mrs. George Campbell.

PHILLIPS' MILK OF MAGNESIA TABLETS

Quickly Relieve SOUR STOMACH

NEUTRALIZE EXCESS ACID

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

OSCAR IS ALWAYS THOUGHTFUL—OF HIS STOMACH

PINK CHEEKS for Glamour Girls

The bright, happy-looking girl is almost sure to be on the lookout for her hidden weakness—she finds out whether certain organs are working right or not. If she is not "regular," she can use **DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS**. Many girls and women who look fresh and youthful use no other "regulator." These little pills are mild and cause no distress. To help regulate Stomach, Liver and Bowels, use **DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS**. 25c per box.

DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS ARE GOOD FOR Pimples, Blotchy Skin

THE WESTERN GUARDIAN

C. C. M. BICYCLES—Book your order now while the stock is complete at Brace's.

ASPHALT flexible tile flooring, very durable, easy to clean, beautiful colors, at Brace's.

ST. PATRICK'S PLAY—Coleman Hall, March 17th, 8 P. M. "Auntie From Oregon" 3 acts, presented by Brae Dramatic Club. Its a comedy. See it. Admission 35c and 25c. Good specialties.

FARM PURCHASED NEAR SUMMERSIDE—Mr. Daniel J. MacLeod of Summerside has purchased the valuable farm property north of Summerside which was formerly the Albert Boswell property and was lately owned by Mrs. Clarence Doyle. This farm is within a mile of the centre of Summerside and the house and buildings are well equipped, having electric power and running water.—S.

W. M. S. MEETING—The Women's Missionary Society of Bedouque United Church was held at the home of Mrs. Vernon Craig on Wednesday afternoon, March 10th, with a good attendance of members. President, Mrs. Ernest Weeks presided and opened the meeting with singing "O for a thousand tongues to sing" and prayer by Miss Louisa Calbeck. The theme for the March meeting "The field is the world—the seed is the word." The community Friendship Secretary, Mrs. John Stewart reported 23 visits to homes. The president read a letter from the Presbyterian President, Mrs. J. D. McFarlane which presented a challenging vision of greater service for the Master's kingdom and was listened to with rapt attention by all who were present. Miss Florence Murray as missionary was chosen for special prayer. Mrs. Will Reid delegate to Presbyterian gave a very interesting report of the meetings. Miss Catherine McFarlane had charge of the programme, "The Bible for China," assisted by other members. The American Bible Society has 228 Colporteurs who in 1946 circulated over twelve million copies of the Scriptures to more than forty nations in five continents and has supplied the Bible to the blind in thirty-five languages. The singing of hymn "The Heavens Declare Thy Glory Lord" and the

FOR SALE—4 purebred Yorkshire Sows, bred 7 months old. Chester Weeks, Fredericton.

MARCH AND APRIL SALES—25% discount on Wallpaper. Also special prices on numerous other lines. Ivan R. Brown & Son, French River.

ST. PATRICK'S CONCERT, St. Paul's Hall, Summerside, March 17th and 18th, presented by the pupils of St. Mary's Academy. Matinee March 16th. One act play; Irish music and singing.

ISLANDER PASSES—Rev. H. R. Ross officiated at the funeral services in Jacques funeral home Tuesday, Jan. 27th, at 4 p. m. for Mrs. Charles (Gertrude Price) Semple, age 70 of 412 Bowness Road who died Saturday at her home. Cremation will follow in the Calgary Crematorium, Born in Chelton, P. E. I., on the farm now owned by Mr. and Mrs. Earle Pearson, Mrs. Semple moved to Calgary in 1911. She had lived in Springbank from 1917 until 1943 when she went to Bowness. Mrs. Semple was a member of the Bowness United Church. She is survived by her husband, five sisters, Mrs. O. A. Cameron of Portland, Maine, Mrs. Charles Barber of Winnipeg, Mrs. W. C. Randall, Mrs. R. P. Patterson and Mrs. Willard S. Litherall all of Calgary.—B.

W. M. S. MEETING—Kensington United W. M. S. held their regular monthly meeting in the Y. P. room on Wednesday afternoon, March 3rd. The president, Mrs. P. J. Kennedy opened the meeting with the call to worship. The program from Missionary Monthly was carried out with Mrs. W. F. Taylor as reader; hymn No. 41 was sung. Mrs. Kennedy read the Scripture lesson from St. Mark's Gospel, 4th chapter. Prayers were offered for the British and Foreign Bible Society by Mrs. K. L. Waite; for the missionaries who translate and teach the Bible, by Mrs. W. C. MacLeod; for the colporteurs who distribute the Bible, by Mrs. J. E. Inglis. Mrs. W. L. Cotton read extracts from annual report of the British and Foreign Bible Society. The devotional period closed by singing "The Heavens Declare Thy Glory Lord." Minutes of previous meeting were read, and roll call was answered by Scripture passages bearing the word "Faith." There were 17 members present. A box of warm clothing had been packed and shipped to Rev. J. O. Fraser, Korea. A suggestion of the president a special collection was taken to pay shipping charges. The Temperance Sec'y, Mrs. H. Glover read a paper on temperance and the deplorable increase in drinking through Government Control destroying the morale of the boys and girls that are to be the future leaders of our country. Community Friendship Sec'y, Mrs. J. E. Inglis reported 28 visits during homes and 19 to hospitals during February. Mrs. McPhee conducted the study book program and quiz questions were answered by several members. Meeting closed by singing hymn No. 253. O Zion Haste, and repeating benediction.

CULLODEN SCHOOL

The following is the standing of Culloden school for the month of February, 1948:

1. Florence Compton; 2. Norman Gillis.
- Grade V-1. Grace Compton; 2. Stanley Murphy; 3. Anna Compton.
- Grade IV Sr.-1. Cleone MacLean; 2. Velda Gillis.
- Grade IV Jr.-1. Mary Daugherty; 2. Michael Daugherty.
- Grade II-1. Arthur Gillis; 2. Mary Spencer.
- Grade I-1. Margaret Elizabeth MacLean.

Frederick Shaw, teacher.

Historic Fort To Be Reopened Again

KINGSTON, Ont., March 14—(CP)—Historic Fort Henry, used during the war as a prisoner-of-war camp, will be re-opened to the public, May 24. At least, that's the hope of Ronald Way, fort historian, who is supervising work of repair and reconstruction now going on at full speed.

A few days after the department of national defence turned the Fort over to the highways department last December, a crew of some 50 repairmen, carpenters and metalworkers swung into action. The job that faced them was not easy. Temporary buildings were clustered in the huge inner quadrangle of the Fort. They all had to go. Barbed wire that lined the rampart, and other walls and stairways had to be removed. Damage to installations was widespread. Doors were smashed in, every pane of glass broken, electric fixtures had been ripped apart and nearby all the bulbs broken.

Meanwhile, refurbishing and rehabilitation of the curious, antiquated and period pieces that braced the ancient structure before they were stored away for the war years, is also going forward. To accomplish this, a workshop has been set up in an out storeroom. In this cavernous room sounds the alien hum of electric saws, burnishers and drills. Some eight men, employees of the department of highways are working on the old equipment as well as building new articles to replace those destroyed or damaged beyond repair.

Built originally to keep Americans off Canadian soil, following the war of 1812, the Fort was restored in 1936—and is being re-restored now—with exactly the opposite purpose in view.

Cost \$875,000

The first restoration took two years to complete, at an expenditure of about \$875,000. In the years since the Fort held a regulararrison of forty years before—the walls had caved in and the ditches were filled with rubble and rock.

Restoration was first begun in July, 1936, under the direction of Mr. Way and the sponsorship of the department of highways. Guns were reassembled (though not to operating efficiency); walls were repaired; electric lighting was installed; collections of musketry, swords, uniforms, naval goods retrieved from English warships sunk

DON'T YOU DARE... send me anything but MAXWELL HOUSE!

When ordering coffee it pays to insist on Maxwell House.

It's bought and enjoyed by more people than any other brand of coffee in the world... at any price! You get so much more for so little more.

Maxwell House is blended by experts from choice Latin-American coffees to give you the grandest cup of coffee you ever tasted.

MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE

MH228 A Product of General Foods

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

ESTABLISHED 1883

SERVICE AND SECURITY

IN 1946 THE PER CAPITA FIRE LOSSES IN PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND WAS OVER THREE TIMES THE AVERAGE PER CAPITA LOSS FOR ALL OF CANADA.

IN 1946 THE PER CAPITA FIRE LOSSES IN PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND WAS \$12.91. THE PER CAPITA FIRE LOSS OF THE NEXT NEAREST PROVINCE WAS \$4.75

—OUR AGENTS ARE ALWAYS AT YOUR SERVICE—

The following is a list of the Agents:—

W. Vernon Craig, Bedouque	Carl Weeks, Alberton
Geddie MacLeod, West Royalty	Sydney Birch, Fort Hill
Clifford Simpson, Stanley Bridge	Frank I. Gallant, Wellington
MacLean Bros., Nib, Whitehair	W. B. Warren, Margate
G. M. Grant, Charlottetown	Parkman Jenkins, Pownal

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

Head Office: Summerside Branch Office: Charlottetown

it's an **ART**

laundry masterpiece

Every piece you send is a work of art when we return it... laundered to perfection!

White Star Laundry

Summerside Phone 282

FREE

YOURS IS READY! SEND TODAY

1948 SEED AND NURSERY BOOK

TO GROW THE BEST PLANT THE BEST

Send today for your free copy of our 1948 Seed and Nursery Book. Biggest Plant ever. Describes countless varieties of the newest and best Vegetable, Flower and Houseplant Seeds; Plants, Shrubs, Fruits, Bulbs etc. Don't fail to learn about the majestic new variety of Giant Flowering Gladiolus, a colorful development, and the new Caribbean Heat and Drought Resistant Sweet Pea. Early planning is the secret of gardening success. Send today!

Books ordered from us in 1947 will receive copy without request.

DOMINION SEED HOUSE, CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I.