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Grand Division S.O.T. Meet in Kensington

The Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance met in Kensington Tuesday, 18th inst. In the afternoon a business session was held and in the evening a public meeting was held in the King George Hall which was largely attended by the clergy and a representative body of citizens. Members of the choir of the different churches were present to assist in the music with Mr. J. S. Warren as accompanist.

Rev. Hensley Stavert, G.V.P. of the S. of T., acted as chairman of the meeting, presiding over the business session and singing "Resurrection" followed by prayer by Rev. Wm. O. Rhoad, in prayer God's help in recognizing the teaching of His word for the searching of our own souls and for the conviction that we are our brother's keeper. A solo, "Where is my Wandering Boy Tonight," was sung with much expression by Mrs. J. E. Warren.

After singing "Work for the Night is Coming," the special speaker, Rev. Mr. Waterworth prefaced his address by expressing his pleasure in seeing so many young boys present, occupying front seats. It is one hopeful sign for the future when the young people are interested in temperance. Mr. Waterworth went on to show the shocking conditions now existing in the United States under repeal; and what is of such vital importance to us, the conditions on Prince Edward Island at the present time; and made a stirring appeal to the fathers and mothers, the church members and all right thinking, decent minded citizens for the repeal of the prohibition law and the enforcement of that law.

"Blow the trumpet, and sound the battle cry, put your shoulder to the wheel and with God's help save and protect your youth, and raise the standard of this old Island, the fairest province in the Dominion. If you forsake the moral and spiritual in favour of the material and fall to protect your children and children's children, then are ye condemned to eternal destruction." In as much as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, ye have done it unto me." (For Mr. Waterworth's address in full, read Wednesday's Guardian).

Following were the resolutions recorded:

- Resolved that we, the members and visitors in attendance at this session of the Grand Division, extend our hearty thanks to the kindness and entertaining us so splendidly while sojourning for a little while in their town.
- That we hereby endorse the action of the Temperance Federation in waiting upon the Provincial Government, and in requiring of them that they seek to bring about a better enforcement of our prohibition law.
- Resolved that we, as a people earnestly appeal to our Provincial Government, that they will not listen to any inducements which may be brought to bear upon them by brewers or other intoxicating liquor agencies from outside of our province, to change our provincial law so that their goods may find a place for sale within our Province.
- That we, as a Grand Division, repeat a suggestion made at our last annual session of the Grand Division, namely, that we would urge upon the powers in charge of our Royal Canadian Mounted Police, the necessity of having men who are total abstainers on our force for the proper enforcement of the Prohibition law.
- That we as a Grand Division must pay more attention to organizing Bands of Hope, so that we shall begin to train our boys and girls from their earliest years, on up to their later years of manhood and womanhood, and we would urge upon our Education Secretary to give us as much of his time for this work as he possibly can.

Meeting closed with the National Anthem. B.

Western Locals

—This column is reserved for news of local interest but advertising of a new way may be inserted at 2 cents a word strictly payable in advance.

—IT PAYS TO BUY 39c oilcake, bran, middlings, shorts and corn, at Brace's. L-2050-2-20-21.

—THE RIGHT STYLE, weight and shape in single and double bit axes in stock at Brace's. L-958-2-20-21.

—FOX MATING POWDERS and tablets at Taylor Drug Co., Kensington. 2-21-1f.

—GLIDDEN'S pure shellac and wax will make hardware look like new. Order now at Brace's. L-876-2-21-21.

—BUY beet pulp, high protein oilcake, bran, middlings, shorts, cracked corn and cornmeal at Brace's. L-876-2-21-21.

—BORDEN RINK Monday, February 24th second game Intermediate semi-finals, Summerside Crystals vs. Borden Nationals. Admission 25c and 15c. Game starts 8.15 sharp. L-3003-2-21-21.

—CARD PARTY — The weekly card party and dance was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John T. White, Emerald, last Tuesday evening, and was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The ladies prize for best dress was won by Mrs. Austin Murphy, and the gent's by Mr. Gregory Mulligan. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. Music was furnished by Messrs. Emery Mulligan and J. P. White.

—SOCIAL GATHERING—A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. George Mayhew, Margate, on Monday evening when about four score of the young people of Margate assembled. Dancing was the principle feature of the entertainment. Mr. Heath Campbell, Long River, and Mr. Chester Howland, assisting on the violin, furnished choice music. Mr. Ernest Dunning and Mr. Heath Mayhew, on the guitar, accompanied. Dancing was enjoyed to heart's content and as the clock struck the hour of midnight a Leap Year dance was a most enjoyable feature. A most palatable lunch was served and enjoyed to taste's content. Departing all thanked Mr. and Mrs. Mayhew for the most pleasant evening spent.—Y.

—THE LATE MRS. THOMAS GARDINER—Cape Traverse has surrounded communities have been saddened by the death of an elderly lady, Mrs. Thomas Gardiner, Feb. 18th, of Mrs. Thomas Gardiner at the age of 76, following a brief illness. She leaves to mourn the following sons, Leonard, Muncie, Hazard, Frame and Wilton all of Cape Traverse, her husband having predeceased her some years ago. The funeral which was conducted by her pastor, Rev. Ewen McDougall from her late residence on Thursday, was largely attended. The beautiful floral tributes bore witness to the esteem and affection in which she was held. Interment was at the Kirk Cemetery, Cape Traverse.—D.

—PRETTY WEDDING—A very pretty wedding was solemnized in Borden Chapel, Wednesday morning, Feb. 19th, when Miss Margaret Basset of Albany and Mr. Oliver McAvinn of Kelly's Cross were united in marriage by Rev. W. E. Monaghan. The bride was attended by Miss Mary Garland of Albany while the groom was supported by Mr. Gerald Monaghan of Kelly's Cross. After the ceremony the happy young couple left by the S. S. Charlottetown for an extended trip on the mainland. On their return they will reside in Albany.—D.

—LIBRARY MEETING—A very important meeting of the Borden Library Committee was held on Tuesday night, Feb. 18th, in the Library Room. Mr. C. C. Baker, M. P., was in attendance and addressed the meeting. Other speakers were Mr. Leard, Mayor of Borden, Mr. Howland, Mr. Chappell and Mr. Roberts, Secy. of the library committee. Mr. Douglas Bell represented the Cape Traverse district and spoke encouragingly of the library work. Mr. Leard acted as chairman.—D.

—CARD PARTY AND DANCE — The last card party and dance under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League and Knights of Columbus was held in the Knights of Columbus Hall, Summerside, on Wednesday night, February 19th, with a fair attendance. The first part of the evening was spent playing contract bridge and auction for forty-fives. The prizes for contract bridge were won by Ladies' Miss Ruth Gallant; Gentlemen's, Mr. Joseph Callaghan. Prize for auction forty-fives: Ladies', Mrs. Harold Huettis; Gentlemen's, Mr. Joseph Richard. Lunch was served and dancing took up the remainder of the evening.—S.

—Hockey Crystal Rink FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21st. First of home and home games for P. E. Island Ladies Championship. ABEGWIT SISTERS vs. CRYSTAL PRIMROSE SISTERS. Game starts at 8.15 p.m. One hour's skate after game. Admission 25c, Reserved 35c.

PERSONALS

—Miss Edna R. MacDonald, Summerside left Tuesday morning on a visit to Moncton.—S.

—Miss Sue Affleck, Bedouque is a patient in the Prince County Hospital.—S.

—Mrs. Charles Connolly, Charlottetown who has been the guest of Mrs. E. P. Foley, Summerside for a few days returned home Wednesday. While in Summerside Mrs. Connolly was pleasantly entertained by her many friends.—S.

—Miss W. A. Currie and Miss Barbara Currie, Summerside left this morning on a short visit to Moncton.—S.

—Mr. P. M. MacCaull Ellerslie was in Summerside Thursday on business.—S.

—Mrs. Thomas E. Ramsay, Summerside left Wednesday morning to visit relatives in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.—S.

—Mr. Hubert Campbell, Montrose was a recent visitor to Summerside the guest of his sister, Mrs. Carl Crockett.—S.

—Mr. Erskine Bowness, Montrose spent a few days in Summerside the guest of his sister Mrs. Erskine Haywood.—S.

—Mr. Urvile Schurman left this morning on return to his home in Radville, Saskatchewan after spending the past month visiting his mother, Mrs. Majour Schurman, Summerside.—S.

—Mrs. Norman McWilliams of Carleton is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. C. Howatt in Summerside.—S.

—Mrs. Ephraim Bell of Cape Traverse was a passenger to Charlottetown on Thursday to visit her daughter, Mrs. John M. Rattenbury.—D.

—Miss Mary Mulligan has returned to her home in Emerald after spending two weeks very pleasantly with her cousin, Mrs. Emmett Hammell and Mr. Hammell, Charlottetown.

—In the Juvenile Court before Judge Inman at Summerside on Wednesday a young girl aged 14 years was adjudged a Juvenile Delinquent and committed to the Home of the Good Shepherd in St. John for one year. Mr. V. J. Harrington left with her for St. John Thursday morning.—S.

—An accident which might have proved more serious occurred Monday night when Mrs. Stephen Muttart of Carleton, an aged lady fell part way downstairs. Mrs. Muttart luckily escaped serious injury and is recovering comfortably.—D.

—Mrs. W. A. Currie, Summerside, entertained the Young Ladies' Bridge Club of the office staff of R. T. Holman Ltd. on Tuesday evening.—S.

—SLIGHT FIRE—The Summerside Fire Brigade responded to a call on Fitzroy Street. There was no damage.—S.

CONDEMNED

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and asked Hauptmann to write numbers on three of them. Hauptmann wrote the numbers two, 40 and 80 and Leibowitz dumped them and the others onto the floor in front of the cell.

Hauptmann was told to try to pick out the numbers. He put his hand through the bars and clutched at the pile. He drew a letter. It was blank. He drew another and a third blank and then Leibowitz, watching him calmly, spoke.

"That's how much chance there is of finding three persons in this country who would misspell the same words the same way," he remarked.

Fisher was manifestly upset by the whole procedure. Leibowitz wiped his forehead, and remarked to Fisher:

"Telling that man that he had to die was the hardest job I've ever done."

Leibowitz had made up his mind, and when he emerged from the prison he announced his withdrawal from the case.

Hauptmann, unless Governor Hoffman intervenes again, will be put to death the week of March 30.

Four Drowned

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 20.—Four of the crew of the American freighter Chippewa were drowned today when a small boat in which they were returning to their ship from shore leave at Southampton capsized.

They were William Crech M. Phillips, P. Casey and M. Coklin. An overloaded boat was blamed.

—FUNERAL SERVICE—The funeral of Alvin Phillips took place from his late residence, Ellerslie, to Bideford United Church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. J. A. Nicholson conducted the service. The funeral was very largely attended. The choir of the church led the singing of favorite hymns of the deceased, viz. Messrs. Ernest Phillips, Earl Phillips, Sterling Miller, Ivan Miller, Alvin MacLean and Hazen Phillips. Interment was in Bideford Cemetery.—A.

Death Of Hon. John McLean Yesterday

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At Prince of Wales College he was a student of promise. Obtaining a teaching licence he began a teacher's career which however was short-lived. He entered the general store business in Charlottetown and later in Souris, going into partnership with Uriah Matheue and others. The firm flourished until Matheue and McLean were able to take over a complete ownership of the concern which they have maintained to this day. A lobster factory and a fish curing plant were added to their interests.

John McLean married Matilda Jury of Charlottetown, who died in 1934. There are two sons, Hon. Harry D. and Roy of Souris. One daughter, Winnie, aged 11, was drowned in a lake near the family home years ago. A second daughter, Rena Maud, lost her life as a nursing sister on board the hospital ship Landover Castle, torpedoed off Ireland during the war.

John McLean knew fish and fishermen. In his younger business days he travelled up and down the coast, chatting, helping, buying. It was then he accumulated his large fund of stories about the old settlement days when American fishing fleets sailed into Souris to purchase supplies. These same stories won for him a reputation outside his native province for he had a unique manner of telling an anecdote. His humor often punctuated the more serious discussions of his colleagues in the Senate. He maintained his youthful outlook and buoyant spirits until the sunset of life. When he was 85 years old he travelled to Western Canada to renew old acquaintances.

Mr. McLean's speeches on the hustings were short but most effective. He had a way of marshalling his ideas in a concise manner and he presented them in logical sequence. He was at his best in joint political gatherings. Some of his campaign addresses are still the talk of old timers in the constituency.

Senator McLean's proudest moment, he said himself, was when his son, Harry D., rolled up a bigger majority than his father to fill the vacancy in the first division of the King's County brought on by Mr. McLean's appointment to the Senate.

The Chief Justice's Tribute

I have known the late Senator John McLean intimately for upwards of 40 years, and for nearly half that time was associated with him in public life. He was a rare man, a loyal friend, brave and wise, with a delightful humor that brightened every company where he happened to be.

As a public man he won and kept the confidence of the people to an outstanding degree. Through all the cares and private griefs of life, he kept the brave and buoyant spirit of youth. He has left no nobler, kinder heart behind.

CONFERENCE

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portant customers of the Danubian countries and that unless these two nations agree to cooperate commercially for Danubian prosperity, all recovery plans in the Danube Basin are doomed to fail.

But, what arouses the greatest interest at the present moment is the possibility that the mutual fear of isolation, on the part of both Germany and Italy, will actually drive Hitler and Mussolini to collaborate despite the mutual distrust which has cropped out repeatedly in the last few years.

Development Watched ROME, Feb. 20.—Despite press ministry assurances that a sudden burst of Italo-German-Austrian-French conversations were "normal," diplomats watched tonight for new European alignments to counterbalance the British-French-Russian front.

Premier Mussolini, who talked with Ambassador Alfredo Wysocki of Poland last night, received a full report today from Fulvio Suvich, Undersecretary for Foreign Affairs, concerning conversations that official had with Ambassador Ulrich Von Hassell of Germany and Egon Berger Waldenege, Foreign Minister of Austria.

Ambassador Wysocki returned to Poland; Ambassador Von Hassell went to Berlin; Berger Waldenege went to Vienna.

German sources in Rome said that Reichsfuehrer Hitler was responsible for initiating the Italo-German diplomatic exchanges.

(Sources close to Hitler in Berlin, however, denied that the German leader was responsible.)

Quake Rocks Jap. District

OSAKA, Japan, Feb. 21.—(Friday)—A heavy earthquake shock was felt in the Osaka-Kobe district at 10:07 a. m. today. Some damage was reported.

Some houses were said to have been damaged and electric wires were broken in Osaka, but no casualties were reported.

War Veterans Hospitalization Allowances Cut

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er private soldiers, are affected by the new rates.

Following inquiry at headquarters of the Canadian Legion today the extent of the reductions was indicated in a tabulation compiled by J. R. Bowler, general secretary of the organization. It follows:

Rank and monthly reduction; Lieuts. (single) \$52; Lieuts. (married) \$51; Captains (single) \$68.27; Captains (married) \$70; Majors (single) \$77; Majors (married) \$102; Lt.-Cols. (single) \$90; Lt.-Cols. (married) \$125; Brig.-Gen's. (single) \$235; Brig. Gen's. (married) \$262; Maj. Gen's. (single) \$475; Maj. Gen's. (married) \$502.

Regarding non-commissioned ranks, the tabulation showed the following:

Rank and monthly reduction; Sergt. Maj. (single) \$24.50; Sergt. Maj. (married) \$22.50; Sergeants (single) \$7.50; Sergeants (married) \$6.00.

Numerous other provisions are set forth in the order-in-council dealing with dependents and administrative matters.

Mr. Bowler voiced some concern. As soon as the order-in-council was made known, he said, he had hastened to examine all its provisions and several days ago had made representations to the department on behalf of the Legion, expressing disagreement with many of its features. Most of these he regarded as unduly restrictive, although assurance had been given him such was not the government's intention. Branches had been so advised.

"Many of the changes are unduly restrictive in connection with government supplies, which, actually, is not considered sufficiently generous," he said.

"The outstanding feature of the new regulation, is of course, the introduction of a new policy in regard to compensation during treatment," said Mr. Bowler. "Heretofore all ranks have apparently been compensated on the basis of army pay and allowances, or the equivalent."

The matter would be discussed at the Legion convention next month, said Mr. Bowler. The convention will take place at Vancouver, opening March 23.

Farmers Conclude Busy Sessions

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Livestock Marketing Board, told the delegates that in his opinion they might wish to follow the lead of the livestock marketing association and co-operate in placing their products on the market. After breeding, feeding and other problems are solved the ultimate aim is to convert the product into dollars and cents. At present individual factories are competing and forcing the prices to unnecessary low levels, he thought. Improved hog marketing was not reached in a haphazard way but by the intelligent co-operation of the producers.

Mr. J. A. Dewar gave the meeting a report of what he had done as the representative from this province on the Produce Marketing Board. He read some correspondence he had carried on with Mr. Cowan, chairman of the board. Nothing definite was arrived at and since the election progress had been held up as the legislation is before the Supreme Court of Canada to determine its validity.

In the last four year period there has been a drop of 15,000 head of milk cows in this province. Mr. W. R. Shaw told the meeting in a short address. The reduction has been going on at least since 1921. One of the main reasons was the tendency for farmers to get away from branches of agriculture which entailed a very close attention on all days of the week including Sunday, to branches which were more or less seasonal and did not require such close attention.

The number of beef cattle in the province, however, has shown an increase.

If the farms in the province are to be brought back to a desirable state of fertility a large quantity of barnyard manure is necessary, the speaker claimed. A 1,000 pound of manure, the more feed that can be put through cattle in the province the better for the prosperity of the farmers.

Mr. Shaw also referred to the bovine tuberculosis test. He then went on to deal with the number of bulls of serviceable age in the province. There are 555 registered animals and 1,000 strays according to statistics.

Mr. W. H. McGregor gave the meeting some valuable information on the use of trench silos for storing grain for use in the summer, when the pasture is dry. He thought it would be better than having to cut green feed. The silo would be more empty in the fall.

Resolutions

In addition to the resolutions given in full below two others were passed by the meeting. One extended sympathy to the family of the late Premier Lea and the other to the family of Mr. McLeod, late editor of the Maritime Farmer.

HOLMAN'S SUMMERSIDE

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY

TRINIDAD ORANGES Large & Juicy Reg. 45c Doz. EXTRA SPECIAL 29c DOZEN 10 CASES TO CLEAR! If at all sold this week-end, this Big Offer good while stock lasts.

CLARK'S TOMATO JUICE (size 1 Tin) 21c 4 for FRESH BEEF 1 lb. tin 17c

Aylmer's Cherries 16c (Size 2 Squat Tin)

HOME CURED HAM Sliced LB. 17c

SHORTENING 2 lbs. for 27c

MOLASSES Extra Fancy Barbados Gal 52c

WHITE SUGAR 10 lbs. for 55c

Perfection Creamery BUTTER 2 LBS. 55c

Libby's Sliced PINEAPPLE 1 LB. 4 OZ. TIN 21c

PINK SALMON (1 lb. tins) LYNN VALLEY PEAS, also CORN 2 Tins (of each of above) 21c

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Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour and 1 Bottle Maple Both For Syrup 40c

Good supply of Fresh and Smoked FISH. Also Salt Cod. Moderate prices.

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3 pkgs. 22c

White Beans 5 LBS. 21c

FRESH BLUEBERRIES (Frozen) "Delicious in Pies"—Lb. 7c

CREAM of (BULK) TARTAR LB. 28c

CHEESE BONUS

Whereas the bonus on cheese paid by the Federal Department of Agriculture has been of great help to the patrons of cheese factories in partly eliminating the difference received for milk sent for the manufacture of cheese under that received by the patrons of butter factories.

The following was the text of the other two resolutions passed:

Whereas our educational system does not tend to develop in the youth of this province proper knowledge of agricultural matters.

Therefore resolved that an annual meeting of the Prince Edward Island Dairyman's Association request the Department of Education that some change be made in our educational curriculum so that more attention be paid to agricultural learning.

Moved by Donald A. McDonald, seconded by Elmer Offer.

FIELD PROMOTER'S REPORT

The following report was submitted by Mr. S. C. Wright, field promoter: "Gentlemen:—I beg to submit my first report as Field Promoter for the Province of Prince Edward Island.

"Beginning my services on May 13, 1935, my first work was organizing Cow-testing, and the type and condition of his herd and herd sire. We feel that when we get information of this nature tabulated in this office we can help him in planning his crops, so that he may grow those crops which in turn would help him to produce a profitable quantity of milk without incurring a heavy loss of profit. Grain Mixtures Advisable

"If we could get the farmers growing more grain mixtures in which peas are used, they would be able to cut down their cost of milk production. The production of a greater amount of protein feeds on the farm is the best way to increase our milk production at an economical basis.

"The Herd Improvement Association work occupied my time during June, August, October and December. During July, I worked with Mr. W. R. Shaw on Calf Clubs, visiting each member and attending meetings of the different Clubs, and acting as Secretary of the Central Calf Club Competition. In November I spent considerable time driving the veterinarians, who were releasing herds quarantined during the Bovine Tuberculosis test. Throughout the season I gave assistance to Departmental Officials on practically all phases of work undertaken.

"In conclusion I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to each member of the Department of Agriculture for their assistance to me in making what has been done a success."