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TUESDAY, MARCH 26 8.30—Mission Band—Social Hall. Rangers — Board Room.

The Eastern Guardian

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Chinese Claim Victory In Suiyan Prov.

OHUNGKING, China, March 26 (Tuesday)—(AP)—The capture of Wu-yuan, in Western Suiyan province, with the loss by Japanese of 3,300 casualties was reported today by the Chinese.

Candidate Dies On Eve Of Election

THREE RIVERS, Que., March 25 (CP)—Willie Poisson, Liberal candidate for Three Rivers Constituency in tomorrow's Dominion elections, died in hospital here early today.

Withdraws To Aid In Defeat Of Lapointe

QUEBEC, March 25 (CP)—Thomas St. Pierre today withdrew as National Government candidate in Quebec East where Justice Minister Lapointe is seeking reelection because "I consider it the best way to make Mr. Lapointe suffer the defeat he deserves."

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(Continued from page 1) becomes difficult. National Government may become necessary. Having spent two months telling us how dangerous this form of government is, he is now at the last moment leaving the way open for him to attempt to form a National Government if he has a bare majority after Tuesday.

Bargains

Wagon Parts — Seats, etc. "Fleury" Repairs "Anker-Holth" Separator Parts 1 Two Row Hand Sprayer 1 Express Wagon 1 Potato Planter Hay Carriers and other numerous articles. A. HORNE & CO Charlottetown.

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LITTLE THEATRE GUILD'S STUDIO NIGHT Thursday, March 28th, St. Peter's Parish Hall.

CORRECTION—In the report of the Easter Services at the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer the name Rev. George MacKinnon C.S.S.R. should have read Rev. George MacKenna, C.S.S.R.

DIPHTHERIA IMMUNIZING Clinics for children six months to 14 years. Wednesday, West Kent School 11 a. m. to 2:30 p. m.; Thursday, Model School 2 p. m.; Prince Street 3 p. m.; Friday, Notre Dame 11 a. m.; Queen's Square 2:30 p. m. L-110-3-26-21.

FUNERAL SERVICES—The funeral of Mrs. Alexander Brown was held from her late residence, 145 St. George's Avenue, yesterday afternoon. Services were held at the home conducted by Rev. Louis Murray and Rev. Harvey Bishop. The pallbearers were: Messrs. C. W. Patterson, W. C. Moore, George McInnis, L. McDonald, H. Laphorne and J. Collins.

ENTER SERVICE STATION—Burglars entered the Service Station operated by Mr. Roy Provost on the outskirts of the City, "sometime during the past month" it was learned from R. C. M. P. officials yesterday. The goods stolen was not known last night, Police said. The thieves had little difficulty gaining entrance at the door was fastened by a latch only.

HEAVY DRIFT—A snow storm last night to impose a certain amount of hardship on rural voters in today's General Election. A heavy drift was reported from different sections of the Province late in the night. Snow started falling in the City about 6 p. m. and continued most of the evening. In many sections the country roads were driven to the polls by sleigh. Drifts over the weekend blocked the few miles of highway which was open to motor traffic last week.

MILITARY WEDDING—An interesting ceremony took place at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. C. H. Bennett, of Pointe-a-la-Peine, N.B., on March 20th, 1940, when Mr. M. J. Clarence MacLean of the Royal Engineers, Toronto, was married to Miss Hazel G. Sellers of Hunter River. Miss Sellers has been in charge of the Telephone Office in Hunter River for some years. They were attended by Mr. Chester Sellers of Hunter River, brother of the bride, and Miss Esther Dixon of Charlottetown.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY—The funeral of Mr. John A. MacDonald which was largely attended was held yesterday morning from his late residence 204 Sydney Street to St. Dunstan's Church, where service was held by Rev. R. V. McKenzie. The honorary pallbearers were: Messrs. Neil D. Walker, Chas. Chandler, E. T. Hughes, Geo. J. Pratt, H. H. MacLean, J. D. Wheatley, Douglas K. MacLeod, and J. W. Bouter. Active pallbearers were: Messrs. J. A. MacDonald, Dr. Chas. Dougan, James Power, Ernest Storey, Joseph Sullivan, Wm. Storey, Joseph Power, Ernest McCarey, John Cameron and E. F. Acorn. Service at the grave was conducted by Rev. Father Dougan.

W. M. S. MEETING—The March meeting of the Kingston Baptist W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Stephen Ackland on the evening of the 14th. The meeting opened by the singing of the old familiar hymn, "Rescue the Perishing," followed by the Lords Prayer. The scripture lesson was taken from the 14th chapter of Mark, and roll call was followed by a reading of scripture. The study lesson was centred around Bolivia, and a reading on Romance and Sacrifice of our youth in Bolivia. Mrs. Fraser and Mrs. Everett Holmes. A song "Call of South America," was sung by all. Mrs. Carter read the "Do you do in India," and it is really surprising how much it will do, for instance, one dollar in India will keep a girl in the kitchen for forty days, a short talk on flowers, and a humorous little poem, "The Human Ideal," were the subjects of the evening. The meeting closed with the singing of "The Tidings was repeated together. Two new members were welcomed and paid their dues. It was decided that Mrs. Grant Willis draw a map of South America and Mrs. Chalmers Newson draw one of India for the members to study in future meetings. Collection amounted to ninety cents. It was agreed to send \$5 to foreign missions and \$5 to home missions. Mrs. Grant Willis invited the members to her home for the next meeting. The hymn, "Abide with Me," was then sung, and the Misses Benediction closed the meeting.

BONSHAW W.M.S.—The regular monthly meeting of the Bonshaw W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Steward McNeven on Monday evening March 11th with an attendance of 8 members. With president presiding meeting opened with singing of hymn 502 followed by Lord's Prayer. The hymn "Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun" was sung. Mrs. John McPhail reading Acts 8:26-40 After the period of intercession Mrs. Neil Ferguson gave the story of Sunday School. The Christian Stewardship secretary was taken by Mrs. Steward McNeven who read the dedication of the evening of the call to prayer and thought. The hymn of peace was sung and prayer was read by the members which closed the worship service. The business period opened with the reading of minutes, roll call which was responded to by a verse of scripture, a member paid dues and 2 new members were welcomed. The program "Christian service in India" was given by Mrs. A. B. McLeod which was very interesting. The April meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. L. T. Beaton. Mrs. J. W. Boyce to lead the study book lesson. Meeting closed by singing a hymn and reading of benediction. A social hour enjoyed.

Alberta Premier Sustained

SOMETHING NEW!!! A SOUTHERN SUPPER And DIXIELAND BAZAAR KIRK HALL, MARCH 26th L-24-3-26-31

MAIL FLIGHTS—Two air flights to the Magdalen Islands were carried out yesterday by Canadian Airways Pilot Joe Anderson. On both trips, the planes were loaded with mail for the inhabitants of the isolated Gulf Islands. Flying conditions were reported to be very good despite a few snow squalls and a high wind. All regular flights to the mainland were completed on schedule, it was announced.

PERSONALS Mr. Elmer Steward, Bell River, was in the City Saturday. Miss Edith Rice has returned to her home in Cardigan after attending the short course in Charlottetown. Mr. Keith Jelly is spending the Easter vacation in Halifax, N. S.

Miss Margaret Aorn, of Murray River has returned home after attending the short course in the city. Mr. Maurice Bradley teacher of Brookvale School, attended the Teacher's Convention in this City. Mr. Austin Sturdy Kelly's Cross, was a recent visitor to the City. Mr. Russell J. Smith of Kelly's Cross, spent the week-end in the City.

Mr. Kevin McKenna student of Prince of Wales College has returned from his home in Kelly's Cross, where he spent the Easter holiday. Miss Mary Coady student of Prince of Wales College returned to Emyvale, to spend the Easter holiday at her home. Miss Mildred Carragher of Kelly's Cross has returned to her home after a two weeks visit in Vernon River.

Miss Laura MacLean is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos MacLean, Coleman. Miss Doris Kelly of Kinkora, short course student, has returned from the City after a pleasant vacation. Miss Marybell MacKay has returned to Bell River after attending the short course in Charlottetown.

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Civilian Vote Estimated At Nearly 5,000,000

(Continued from page 1) province before the polls in that matter are closed. The restrictions apply not only to newspaper publication, but also to broadcasting, bill boards and posters. This is also the first time elections have taken place by closing time of six o'clock local time but unable to gain entrance because of congestion, may vote. Polls open at 8 a.m. local time. For many of the older electors contests recall the last wartime election in 1917 but the issues, parties and men are quite different. Then Sir Robert Borden, the Conservative, went to the country with a newly-formed Union Government, including many Liberals, on a policy of conscription. Now both major parties are opposed to conscription and propose to carry on the system of voluntary enlistment under which some 600,000 Canadians have joined the colors. Mr. King heads a straight Liberal Party Government and has said neither he or his colleagues would have any part of the National Government. Dr. Manion proposes to form if successful in the voting. In 1917 Canada had tasted all the sorrow and tragedy of war. Now the country is only on the verge of another great war, so far as stress of battle is concerned, Canadian troops have yet to come to grips with the enemy but in 1917 thousands of Canadians were called to arms and other thousands, bereaved mothers, fathers and wives, wept with heavy hearts.

Active Service Vote Recording of the active service vote, completed in Canada and United States Saturday night, was a simpler matter this time than in the last wartime election. Then the votes of Canadian soldiers in trenches and at many out-of-the-way points outside Canada had to be taken. Now all naval, military and air personnel entitled to vote are either in Canada or in England. Although the active service vote was recorded known until April 1 or afterwards, the complete count, except where alternate candidates are closely matched. While the central issue of the campaign between the two major parties was the conduct of the war,

attempts at deception with content which they deserve to be made to me, namely, that impersonation on a huge scale is going to be attempted to save the Government from the defeat which faces them. I therefore ask those in charge of our organizations across this country to exercise every legal vigilance to prevent anything in the way of impersonation, double voting or unfair tactics of any kind. "To sum up, I appeal to the fair-minded people of the Dominion of Canada to see to it that the result of this election is what fair-minded people desire it to be—an honest, unprejudiced, vote of the majority of the people, expressing frankly their desire either for the National Government which I have proposed, or their refusal of that proposal. "I ask nothing more than a fair deal in all these respects, and I shall be happy to accept whatever decision the people of this country give as their honest verdict."

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William Aberhart



E. L. Gray

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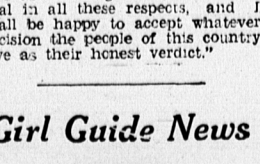
CALGARY, Alberta, March 25—Five years of Social Credit government in Alberta have produced plenty of debts, no credits. But Premier William Aberhart was re-elected by his personal credit with the voters that he went before the voters to ask an audit. Several prospective candidates were in the field to succeed him in event he failed at the polls. Strongest of these was E. L. Gray, Aberhart, "Bible Bill" they call him, is the evangelist-politician who promised five years ago to pay within six months a monthly social dividend of \$25 to every adult Albertan. No dividend has been paid yet, but he insists that his credit plan is not discredited. "The provincial credit has, however, neared the vanishing point under a policy of defaulting bonds and cutting interest rates. "Several five-year terms was one running fight with the "money barons" as he calls financial institutions, with the courts, who have ruled out much of his legislation, and with the press. "His five-year term was one running fight with the "money barons" as he calls financial institutions, with the courts, who have ruled out much of his legislation, and with the press. "His five-year term was one running fight with the "money barons" as he calls financial institutions, with the courts, who have ruled out much of his legislation, and with the press.

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The role of Dr. Jack Kern, son of the family doctor, was pleasingly characterized by Mr. Fred Coady. The interpretation of the young doctor was cleverly executed by this clever actor, appearing at the Prince Edward for the first time. Mr. Howard McInnis gave a capable performance in the role of David Strong, a wealthy business man. His stage manner was of a high order and a good clear voice accentuated the acting of his character role. The audience was treated to a number of first class specialties by local artists between acts. Outstanding in this line was the clever dancing act of "The Four Dancing Stars," which included, Miss Phyllis Blanchard, a pleasing singer of songs you love to hear, delightful comedians with several beautiful songs. The McGreor Brothers (Charlie and Reg) made a hit in their saxophone duet. Dannie Weidie had a good character song—thrilled the audience with his pleasing black face comedy songs. At the afternoon performance Mr. Harold Woods entertained with song and two clever little tap dances.

Girl Guide News



GUIDERS TRAINING CLASS Guiders! Remember that to-day Miss Armitage will hold training classes for Brownie Work 3.30-5.30 P. M. and for Guide Training 7.30-9.30 in Trinity Social Hall. Don't miss this splendid opportunity to learn some new wrinkles!

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Where are the Guns Where are the Planes Where are the Tanks Ask any soldier—any airman—ask the mothers Mackenzie King has failed Canada in Peace and War — You Won't be "gagged" on Election Day. VOTE FOR National Government (Authorized by Publicity Headquarters for National Government)

Full House

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er, Leah MacDonald and Doris Kelly, brought rounds of applause from the house. Musical numbers were furnished by Al Blanchard and his Orchestra in a repertoire of popular music. Prof. John Inch Mus Bac, was the accompanist. Congratulations are in order to all who contributed to the success of "The Family Doctor." It was conceded by the public to be one of the best comedy dramas ever staged here. The Auxiliary wish to thank the Aylwards Furniture store and A. E. Toombs Music Store for contributing to the stage effects.

Trans-Canada Airlines

ANNUAL REPORT SHOWS PROGRESS

MONTREAL, March 26—Operating revenue of the Trans-Canada Air Lines last year totaled \$2,350,473.97, according to the annual report of the board of directors issued today by S. J. Hungenrodt, president. Of this amount, \$643,915.48 was contributed by passenger fares, \$1,632,873 came from mails and \$2,613.01 from expenses. Regular overnight mail service between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver was in effect only 10 months of the period, and passenger service across the continent (always with adequate means of communication and with facilities for servicing both military and civilian aircraft, has already been demonstrated. "A number of employees have enlisted with the armed forces and have been given leave of absence for the duration of the war."

The progress achieved during the past year in the development of the company's services is considered satisfactory and, with passenger traffic well maintained during the winter, the prospects for 1940 are regarded as favorable. Plans for this year include a second daily flight between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver, a double daily service between Toronto, London and Windsor, and daily services between Toronto and Buffalo and Toronto and New York.

A TRIBUTE TO THE SECOND BATTERY

Softly the snow is falling Covering the housetops and streets; The stars are running and hurrying Not caring to stop or to speak. What means the great wave of That is shed over each throbbing heart? To soon you will hear the sad story The Second Battalion depart. The station is lined black with people, Each seeking the face that they love; While in each aching heart there's a prayer, To the Great Heavenly Father above. Oh! what a sad sight on that morning, As mothers, sweethearts and wives, Try to smile, while their own hearts are breaking, When they look at those gallant young lives. With heads held high they come marching, face there's a smile; They are fighting for freedom and justice Those gallant young sons of our Isle. How handsome they look in their khaki! As they clasp their loved ones hands, In the height of their glory and manhood, They leave for a far distant land. Major Craig, as their leader they'll conquer, He has fought in years that are past, And we know he will cling to our dear Island boys, And stay by their side 'till the last. And now all we've left is memories Of boys, who are brave and true. But oh! second battery keep your chin up, we say, There are hearts that are praying for you. So farewell to the pride of our country, As forward to battle they go, But God in his infinite mercy Will keep you and guard you we know. — Mrs. W. H. Cadmore

THE SEARCH ETHERNA! By JOHN T. PAYNE Recently published by James Clarke and Co. of London, England. On sale at Carter and Co., and Maritime Stationers, Charlottetown Price \$1.25 Postpaid A well known Canadian Bishop says of this book: "I became so fascinated with it that I read it through the first day it came into my possession." (Note: The author is the Rev. J. T. Payne, Anglican Rector of Georgetown). L101-3-26-1

Annual Zion Church Mission Band Concert

The annual Mission Band concert of Zion Church was held in the School Hall last evening with a large attendance present. The concert was a splendid one indeed and was much enjoyed by all. A vote of thanks was extended to the leaders, Mrs. Gordon Leitch, Mrs. Norman MacPherson, Mrs. Jack Lange and Mrs. Beverly VanGestine. Rev. G. Carlyle Webster acted as chairman.

PROGRAM:

- Chorus, by Mission Band. Address Welcome, David Manson. Recitation, Helen Cook. Solo, May Douglas. Recitation, Gordon Manson. Recitation, Freda Saunders. Solo, Doris Val. Recitation, Jane Hall. Dialogue, Louisa and Teresa Preston. Flower Garden, Barbara Manson. Solo, Vaunda Bennett. Recitation, Ardit MacLean. Solo, Bruce Leitch. Dialogue, Joyce and Anna Post-riville. Recitation, Rita May Edwards. Diet, Dorothy and Angus Mollan-Laren. Drill, A Hunting we will Go. Solo, Ardit MacLean. Solo, Donald Large. Intermission. Girls Motion Song, Do you ever see a Lassie. A Dialogue, How Does Your Mission Band Grow. Recitation, Elaine Saunders. Play Drill, Three Boys. Dialogue, Spring Flowers. Recitation, Muriel MacLean. Recitation, Sally MacDonald. Drill, Here we go around Mr. Dribbery Bush. Solo, Sheila McInnis. Diet, Margaret MacDonald and Betty King. Recitation, Jessie Hynes. Chorus, by the Girls. God Save the King.

OTTAWA, March 25 (CP)—

Lady Tweedsmuir will leave Ottawa tonight bound for an unnamed port and a ship which will carry her home to England. In keeping with the wishes of the widow of the Governor-General, she has departed in as quiet and private as possible, not even members of her household staff will accompany her to the station nor will the public be permitted to see her leave.

BABY WAS "FUSSING"

DENVER, March 25 (AP)—Mrs. Theina Nelson, charged with driving her automobile 55 miles an hour, offered this explanation: "I had to hurry, Junior, my baby was fussing." Sentence was suspended.

MARRIAGES

GALLANT-TURNER—At 8 Henley's Church, Charlottetown, P. E. I., on March 25, 1940, by Assistant Chas. Lynch, Miss Joan Glessie Turner of Charlottetown to Private Joseph Gallant of the P. E. I., Highland Camp, Devonmouth, N. S.

DEATHS

QUICLEY—At St. Peter's Bay Anglican Church, Mrs. Charles Quicley formerly Miss Blanche Baderston. Funeral Wednesday at 2 P.M.

ROBINSON—At Augustine's Cove, March 21, 1940, John Alfred, infant son of Mrs. and Mrs. Archie Robinson aged 5 months.

MCAURHUR—In Somerville, Mass. March 12, 1940, John Walter, husband of the late Jennette (Sharp) McArthur.

CAMPBELL—In Dorchester, Mass. March 17, 1940, Anne (McDonald) beloved wife of George E. Campbell and sister of James McDonald of Cambridge and sister of Reg. Joseph and Peter McDonald of Sault, P. E. I.

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