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ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION
 On Friday evening February 1st the members of Lady Patricia L.O. E.A. and friends gathered at the Orange Hall, Canoe Cove, to tender Mrs. Fred MacPhail (who was formerly Edith MacConnell and a valued member of the L.O.E.A.) an address and presentation. When all had assembled Sister Annie MacKinnon called the meeting to order and called upon Sister Margaret MacEachern and Sister Christina MacEvin to escort the newly married couple to the seat of honor while Sister Louise MacEvin read a beautifully worded address and Sister Florence MacPhee presented a well filled purse. Sister MacPhail in her usual pleasing manner thanked the members for their thoughtfulness and trusting all would come to see her in her new home after which Sister Blanche MacKenzie played one of the Lodge Odes.
 The remainder of the evening was spent in games and music. A dainty lunch was served by the ladies and a very enjoyable evening was brought to a close by singing "For they are a jolly good couple."
 Following is the address.
 To the Worthy Mistress of our Lodge—
 Dear Edith: We your Sisters and Brothers are assembled here tonight to bestow on you our good wishes and to express our just appreciation of so valued a member in our Lodge. Your faithfulness has been truly remarkable for as reg-

for PIMPLES
 Add an equal amount of cream, or sweet oil, to this acid, and apply the mixture once daily. A simple remedy which will clear up your skin!
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Your Vision Be Certain Of
 We often hear this argument—"How can I possibly see as well as any one?"
 The answer is this—How much you see has little to do with it.
 It is how comfortably you see that is important. Few see comfortably without some assistance. You may be one of the few, but learning the truth would be of value to you.
G. F. Hutcheson
 OPTOMETRIST

Last Week of Contest
 One more week in which to win a free ton of hard coal. A ton will be given away Saturday, 23rd. Order your hard coal now and secure your coupon you may be the winner. Baseburner or Furnace sizes \$12.50.
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Eastern Locals
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BOTHWELL COAL \$7.50 per ton delivered. M. F. Walsh, 49 Chestnut Street. L-4697-2-19-31-23.
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Egg Laying Contest
 Report of the Prince Edward Island egg laying contest.

Pen Owner's Name	Pts.
1 Exp. St'n, Ch'town	381.8
2 Mrs. R. Easter, New Willshire	369.2
3 Mrs. J. E. McPhail, New Haven	436.6
4 S. R. Fendleton, Kensington	284.4
5 Mrs. J. D. McFarlane, DeSable	292.6
6 Wm. R. Brown, Wood Islands	403.2
7 Exp. St'n, Ch'town	286.2
Total	2456.0

 Weekly production 42 per cent.
 F. A. Driscoll, Manager of Contest, Dr. J. A. Clark, Superintendent.

"Lady Rodney" In Port at Halifax
 HALIFAX, N.S., Feb. 18.—The liner "Lady Rodney," Captain W. B. Armit, arrived at this port Friday with cruise passengers from Jamaica and the Bahamas, British West Indies, via Bermuda and Boston.
 In addition to passengers the Lady Rodney brought cargo consisting of bananas, citrus fruits, tomatoes, coconuts, coffee, pimento, rum, sponges and general. The Lady Rodney will sail again from the port of Halifax for Montreal, being the Lady Somers March 6 and April 3rd, and the Lady Rodney March 20th, and April 17th. On the voyage of the Lady Somers April 3rd, northbound she is scheduled to proceed direct to Montreal arriving at that port April 28th, which will be the first arrival of the C.N.S. Lady liners in this service for the season 1935 to be followed by the Lady Rodney May 12th.

million dollars a year.
 The manufacturers agreed that it has been impossible to raise prices when the taxes were introduced, to take care of this burden, partly due to the penny and nickel units in which so much Confectionery is sold, but principally due to the fact that any attempt to raise the price in these depressed times would seriously curtail already depleted volume.
 The manufacturers included the President of the Confectionery Association, H. W. Hunt, of Hunt's Limited, Toronto; F. T. W. Saunders, Limited, Montreal; W. A. Patterson, Patterson Chocolates, Limited, Toronto; Jas. Wardrop, Rowantree Co., Limited, Toronto; E. Littler, Walter M. Lowrey Co. Limited, Montreal; Geo. S. Moffat, Moirs, Limited, Halifax; A. R. MacKenzie, Ganong Brothers, Limited, St. Stephen; W. H. Hamblin, Hamblin-Metcalf, Limited, Kitchener; C. E. Spooner, Willard's Chocolates, Limited, Toronto; Stanley Wharton, Chex Limited, Hawkesbury; A. Gheuer, Viaw Biscuit Corporation, Montreal; Maurice Cunningham, Robertson Brothers, Limited, Toronto; F. J. McGough, Planters Nut and Chocolate, Limited, Toronto; Paul Vallancourt, Vallancourt, Limited, Montreal; Thos. J. Boyle, O-Pee-Chee, Limited, London, Ontario; T. J. McAndrews, Wm. Wrigley Jr. Company, Toronto; M. B. Bates, Life Savers and Bonbons, Toronto; J. G. McKinnon, Nut Sales Company, Hamilton; K. McIntyre, Canadian Chewing Gum Co., Toronto; and L. S. Fraser, Canada Biscuit Company, London, Ontario; W. J. Crothers, Limited, Kingston, Ontario.

Confectioners Protest Sugar Tax
 The Excise Taxes on Sugar and Glucose unfairly discriminate against the Biscuit and Confectionery Industries, and should be wiped out when the next Budget is brought down at Ottawa, according to a resolution passed at a meeting of the leading Confectionery Manufacturers, held in the Mount Royal Hotel, Montreal, on Friday, February 8th.
 It was pointed out that these taxes, which are a heavy burden, borne only by the sugar-using manufacturers and the public are costing Confectionery and Biscuit manufacturers in excess of three-quarters of a million dollars a year; a tremendous burden to one group of Industries that other Industries do not share. Manufacturers reported that these taxes, coupled with the sales tax, cost them from nine to twelve percent of their total cost of their total cost of production. The Sugar and Glucose taxes alone costing leading manufacturers from \$15,000 to \$40,000 a year. It was stated that these taxes represented approximately a twenty-fifth percent tax on the Industries' chief raw material.
 The Confectioners present took vigorous exception to the fact that the Government had singled out their Industry—manufacturing a necessity of modern life—and had imposed on it a much greater percentage of taxation than that borne by other Industries. It was demonstrated that the Confectionery Industry is by no means an industry earning large profits. On the contrary, many leading firms have suffered severe losses for several years past, or had their profits, if any, materially reduced. On the other hand, the Industry represents an important part of Canada's Industrial life, with more than forty million dollars of invested capital, paying in excess of eight million dollars a year to ten thousand employees, and with an annual production of around thirty-five

Central Guardian
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CONFEDERATION LIFE INSURANCE L-6798-7-12-312
STRAND-MARCH 18-19—"The Blarney Stone." L-4226-2-9-4129

SEVEN CARS COAL on our Railway siding today. Old Sydney, Springhill, Inverness, Standard and Dominion Coke. A. Pickard & Co. Phone 240. L-4671-2-19-31.
COME TO PRINCE STREET SCHOOL ICE SPORTS. From Friday, February 22nd. L-4660-2-19-21.
THE MANY FRIENDS of Miss Frances Clow, Clyde River, will regret to learn that she is in the P.E. Island hospital undergoing an operation for appendicitis.

RECEIVES APPOINTMENT—Captain E. H. Cameron, 51 1/2 Larch street, Halifax, has been given the post of Dock Master at Montreal. Captain Cameron is from Charlottetown and is at present commanding the C.N.S. Lady Somers.
DISCUSS COLLEGE WORK—On Tuesday evening of last week a very enjoyable reception was given to Messrs. Grant and Oulton, Dominion and Maritime representatives of the Students' Christian Movement at the Old Spain Blue Room by the P. W. C. S. C. M., consisting of Messrs. Wood, McMillan, Dr. Steele, Prof. Patterson and also Messrs. Matheson, McKay, Large, Murdoch and Vessey. The local S. C. M. members were very much interested in the work carried on in other colleges throughout the Dominion of which Mr. Oulton and Mr. Grant have close contact.

PREPARING THIRD ISLAND SCRAP BOOK—Writing from Fitchburg, Massachusetts, Mr. Benjamin Bremner says he is enjoying the work of his previous Island Scrap book is by no means forgetting old friends at home. He is at work on a third series of articles dealing with bygone times in Prince Edward Island, and hopes to publish these in book form during the present year. Recollections of his previous Island Scrap Books will all this news with great interest. Far from having exhausted his material, Mr. Bremner has, by diligent search, found many new anecdotes and facts bearing on local history and traditions. He is to be congratulated not only for having cultivated this delightful literary hobby so successfully, but in possessing the gift of transmitting his zest and enthusiasm to his readers.

MILVIEW W. I.—The regular monthly meeting of the Milview Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. George MacEachern on Thursday evening, February 7th. Meeting opened by singing Ode followed by repeating Creed in unison. Roll call was answered with a Valentine Verse by fourteen members. There were also three visitors present. Minutes of last meeting were read, approved and passed. School committee reported buying grapes for school treat and six committees reported on visit. A letter from Miss J. R. Smith, Margate, re mat patterns and terms for buying same, was read; also a letter from Mrs. S. M. Martin, Provincial Conventor of Agriculture, regarding Calf and Poultry Clubs. Discussion followed the reading of these letters but nothing definite was decided. Two questionnaires were completed namely those on Canadian Industries and Canadianization. Mrs. Gordon Sheldov kindly invited next meeting. The social part of the programme consisted of a "Sewing Contest" put on by Mrs. George L. Jenkins, prizes being won by Mrs. Gordon Sheldov and Mrs. Charles MacKenzie. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess and meeting closed by singing the National Anthem.

White Python
 By Mark Channing, Author of "King Cobra"
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star was a roughly depicted lotus bud, encircled by a snake. From the tip of the star point farthest from the bifurcation, ran two more, on shorter parallel lines, evidently denoting a passage at the open ends of trees and mountains, a sun, and a crescent moon, the horn of the crescent touching the center of the star's disc.
 In the angle made by the two points of the star to the right of this passage, was the drawing of a snake within a circle.
 The long, curved nail of Samdad Chiemba's forefinger followed the stalk of the Y to its bifurcation, and there lifting, tapped three times on the lotus bud.
 Gray understood. The center of the five-pointed star was their objective.
 The Y stalk proved to be an excessively narrow gorge, rather than a passage, its sides appearing—fo. all that the four could see—to tower up into infinity.
 Suddenly, with a stifled exclamation, Samdad Chiemba slipped on a smooth declivity in the rocky path stumbled forward, and lurched sideways.
 Gray gripped his shoulder just in time to stop him falling.
 "Something went wrong down the deep slope of rock," Samdad Chiemba's form stiffened and he turned quickly.
 "You are more able to climb than I," he said sharply, addressing the hunchback. "Go bring back to me that which has fallen!" He peered anxiously over the edge of the path into the blackness.
 "What have you lost, Rimpoche?" asked Gray.
 The Abbot turned to him. Even in the poor light, Gray could see the tense anxiety in his eyes.
 "The sevenfold prayer!" he answered hoarsely. "May the Blessed One send that this be not an evil omen!"
 Snatching the silver case from the hunchback when he returned, he thrust it into the breast of his robe, crossing the heavy silk tightly over it.
 "The omen is good!" he said tersely. "I return thanks to the Blessed One!"
 For some minutes after that, they were at a loss as to which direction to take. The map indicated a passage way leading to the five pointed star. But there was no sign of an opening.
 Then Gray noticed an oblong piece of rock about six inches thick and some three feet standing upright against the wall of the cavern and projecting about two feet from the ground. It was dropped into a socket cut for it in the rocky floor. Just above it was a semi-circular gap in the stone, a little larger than a man's hand.
 They had reached another secret door, openable only from their side. The oblong stone was easily lifted out. Thrusting his fingers beneath the undercut edge of the semi-circular arch, Gray nudged it until a section of the crystal encrusted wall swung inward.

If some of the previous caverns had caused him to marvel, the immensity and grandeur of the one he was now looking into, took away his White Python.
 Before them lay the Temple of the White Python.
 So stupendous was it, that it was some time before they could take in its details.
 Four archways opened in to it, three of them being in darkness and one of them closed by a curtain of what looked like sewn blinds. The fourth entrance—smaller and lower than the others—was lighted from within by the flickering greenish-blue glare of another, but invisible, flame.
 As in the case of the Cavern of the Seven Entrances, light was provided by a column of volcanic fire, the blindingly bright undulating greenish-blue pillar of it, shooting upwards with a rumbling roar.
 Warily the party entered, and crossed the great floor.
 Again the roof was invisible in overhead gloom, some two score irregularly-shaped pillars formed of jointed stalactites and stalagmites seemed to support it.
 In the middle of the vast expanse of floor stood a sinister-looking altar of grey granite, having a depression in its center the length of a small-sized man and about as wide. On its square sides and ends were carved, in bold relief, serpents and human figures, one huge reptile entirely encircling the stone.
 There was no sign of life of any kind.
 A few yards from the fourth entrance, and directly opposite its center pillar, some twenty feet high and of the thickness of a young fir tree.
 A strong smell of animal ammonia, like the odor of an illkept stable, filled the air.
 Samdad Chiemba halted, and stretching out his arms, looked upwards in a sort of ecstasy.
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Total	310

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LAKE VERDE SCHOOL
 Honor roll of Lake Verde School for January:
 Grade X-1 Charlie Boylan, 1 Helen Acun, 3 Alan Callaghan, 1 Gordon McLean, 1
 Grade IX—Martina McAdam, 1
 Grade VIII 1 Marlon Boylan, 1 Basil Redmond, 3 Esther Redmond, 1
 Grade VII: 1 Doris Russell, 1
 Grade VI: 1 Gavin Boylan, 1 Mary Callaghan, 1
 Grade IV (a): 1 Ernie Shea, 1
 Grade IV (b): 1 Everett Redmond, 2 Dawson Cole, 3 Tena Callaghan.
 Grade III (a): 1 Anna Hughes, 1
 Grades III (b): 1 Harold Redmond, 2 Vera Boylan, 3 Mary Duffy
 Grade II: 1 Eileen Shea, 1
 Grade I: 1 Arthur Hughes and Kerry Callaghan equal, 2 Joseph Duffy, 3 James Duffy, 1 Anne L. Gill, teacher.

ALEXANDER A SCHOOL
 Honor Roll for January:
 Grade IX Sr.—1 Doris Wood, 1 Ida Wood.
 Grade IX Jr. Babe Wood.
 Grade VI—1 Edward Brehaut, 1
 Grade V—1 William Wood, 2 Agnes Wood.
 Grade III Jr.—1 Richard Brehaut
 Grade III Jr.—1 Allie Carver, 2 Betty Richardson.
 Grade II—1 Glendon Brehaut.
 The following made 90 per cent or over in attendance—Glendon Brehaut, Richard Brehaut, Agnes Wood, Doris Wood, Ida Wood, William Wood.
 Doris Beaton, Teacher.

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 ARE YOU SURE MAGGIE'S GONE OUT?
 WHAT DAY IS IT?
 TUESDAY.
 WELL IT WAS THURSDAY AT SEVEN I WANTED TO BE CALLED!!

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—BY GEORGE MCMANUS