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Visits Island Mrs. W. Rankine Nesbitt (above) Chief Commissioner of the Canadian Girl Guides arrived in Charlottetown, Thursday for a three-day visit. Mrs. Nesbitt, having just completed her first year as Chief Commissioner is making a tour of the Maritime Provinces, accompanied by her husband and two children, following the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Council, Girl Guides Association held in Fredericton, New Brunswick early in June.

Among The Farmers Federation of Agriculture Newsletter ADULT EDUCATION CONFERENCE

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in the time and St. Dunstan's University the setting for the Atlantic Conference on adult education. For the first time, representatives in the field of adult education for four Atlantic Provinces will meet in Charlottetown and devote two and one half days to the consideration of the given topic "Looking Ahead in The Atlantic Provinces." This looking ahead will take into consideration the social, educational, political and economic future of the region. In attendance at the Conference will be individuals well known in all these different fields of endeavour. In addition, persons from outside the region will be present and will provide an unprejudiced and detached appraisal of conditions in the region and the direction that changes will follow. Invitations have been sent out to those known to be interested in adult education. The sessions are, however, public and those who are interested in the field of adult education will receive a general welcome at St. Dunstan's University on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

ple were in attendance and made up a gathering which any city or part of Canada could be quite proud. No one present at the banquet could fail to be impressed with the evidence of social development in a gathering made up to a large extent of farm people who had caught a vision of higher things possible in rural life.

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APPEARING IN CHARLOTTETOWN TUESDAY, JULY 5th Sponsored by the Centennial Y's Men's Club on behalf of the Charlottetown Centennial Committee



SEE AND HEAR THIS WORLD FAMOUS CHORAL GROUP UNDER THE DIRECTION OF DR. LESLIE BELLA AT THE COLISEUM (Exhibition Grounds) A MUSICAL INSTRUMENT OF REMARKABLE BEAUTY This ad sponsored through the courtesy of FIRESTONE HOME AND AUTO SUPPLIES GIGGEY'S PHARMACY HENDERSON & CUDMORE RENDEZVOUS RESTAURANT

CLOSING TEA. St. Joseph's Society and Alumnae, Sunday, June 26th, at 3 p. m. All members invited.

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ORGAN RECITAL. - Gordon White, assisted by Nancy MacNevin, Soprano, St. James Church, Sunday evening, June 26th, at 9 p. m. D.S.T.

FREDERICTON CHURCH OF CHRIST. - Sunday, June 26th, 1955. Sunday School 10 a. m. Worship Service 7.30 p. m. Breadalbane Crawford Memorial at 3 p. m. Byard Thurber, Minister.

DOLL CARRIAGE PARADE. - June 27th, 6.30 p. m. D.S.T. Prizes. 1. Queen Charlotte Doll. 2. Walking Doll, donated by Alpha Rebekah No. 10. 3. Anne Green Gables Doll. Entries taken Monday evening June 27th, at 6.15 in front of Market Building.

ST. JOHN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Belfast. - Sunday, June 26th, 10.00 a. m. Sunday School, 11.00 a. m. Morning Service, 7.30 p. m. Evening Service, Rev. Lawrence E. Toombs, B.A., B.Sc., B.D., Ph.D., Guest Speaker at both Services. Rev. D. A. Campbell, Interim Moderator.

PERSONALS Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Ward of Central Royalty welcomed home on Sunday for a three month visit, their daughter Bernice, (Mrs. H. J. Barnett) and granddaughter Deirdre from Devon England.

Mrs. Betty MacMillan, Montreal, arrived home by car to spend her holidays with her parents, Edgar and Mrs. Gillespie 76 Douglas. She was accompanied home by four friends also from Montreal, Mrs. Nora Johnston, Mrs. Ralph Wheeler, Mrs. Mae MacMillan and daughter Dorothy, a Missionary home on furlough. These ladies are viewing the beauties of our Island for the first time, and are enthusiastic over the beaches here.

CARDS OF THANKS I take this opportunity to thank Dr. MacDonald, Dr. Simpson, Mrs. MacLaurin, Nurses and Staff of Prince County Hospital for kindness shown me while a patient there. Also those who visited me, sent cards, letters and flowers. To each a sincere thank you.

Mrs. Edward MacFadyen, Augustine Cove. I wish to express my sincere thanks to Drs. Simms and Beer, to my Special Nurses, the Nursing Staff of Prince County Hospital, for the lovely flowers, treats, cards, letters of sympathy received and to our neighbours a special thanks for all their kindness to us.

Mrs. Walter Burns, Freetown. I wish to express my sincere thanks to Dr. Auld, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Bean, Kelvin and Kensington Presbyterian W. M. S. and Ladies Aid, Margate W. I., and all my neighbours and friends for their visits, flowers, cards, letters, treats and kindness shown to me during my illness.

Mrs. J. W. Thompson. The family of the late Mrs. Edward Power wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to Father Leonard McKenna, neighbouring Priests, Drs. Joe McMillan, Stewart MacDonald, all the kind friends and neighbours who in any way assisted during their recent sad bereavement, all Mass Cards, enrollments, flowers, letters and cards of sympathy, are gratefully acknowledged.

ORPHANAGE interested and for many years was an outstanding worker. Mr. MacKinnon, a former Chairman of the Trustee Board, was at all times a wise councillor and friend.

A highlight of the meeting was the very fine musical entertainment provided by the children with Mr. Murchison at the piano. A resolution of appreciation for delicious Luncheon served was extended to Mrs. Wright, to the Staff and to all assisting.

Mrs. Albert MacLeod, Murray Harbour, having resigned as a Vice-President, a resolution of sincere regret was unanimously passed. Mrs. MacLeod held the office for the past 17 years and her work was outstanding at all times.

Officers were elected as follows: President: Mrs. H. S. Henderson, Charlottetown. Vice-Presidents: Prince County: Mrs. Howard Calbeck, Tryon. Mrs. Walter Bowness, Bedouque. Mrs. Edward MacAusland, Bloomfield. Queens County: Mrs. Edgar Hearst, East Royalty. Roland Buntain, Rustico. Mrs. James Munn, Mt. Herbert. Kings County, Mrs. H. H. Cox, Morell. Mrs. Colin Dixon, East Baltic. Mrs. R. P. Brooks, Murray Harbour. Recording Secretary: Mrs. W. G. Bruce, Charlottetown.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT "Another year has passed and again it is my privilege and great pleasure to welcome you to this the 36th Annual Meeting of the Provincial Auxiliary of the Prince Edward Island Protestant Orphanage.

"On this June day the 'Home' is so lovely, the children so healthy and happy that it brings to all of us, I am sure, a feeling of deep thankfulness and the complete assurance that this work is of tremendous importance. We realize that the faithful workers of the early days, as well as those now carrying on, have not labored in vain.

"Our Auxiliary has completed another highly successful year. May I stress that this success was achieved only through the combined effort of all the Members and Workers who gave so freely of their time and their ability. To the Trustees the Auxiliary paid \$13,378.82, while many boxes of valuable clothing, books, gifts and treats of all kinds were forwarded to the Children.

"I wish to speak very briefly on the general work of the Orphanage for the year 1954 and first we will review the Finances. The total Receipts were \$48,439.02. Of this amount \$23,859.16 was received from Estates and placed in the Endowment Fund. The Maintenance Receipts also reached an all-time high - \$25,079.87 - with the result that for the 28th consecutive year we report a surplus. This is note-worthy considering the high cost of all necessities.

"The Endowment Fund is increasing rapidly and the total (Bonds and Estates) now stands at \$184,576.52. Note that 28 years ago the total was only \$4,000.00. The rapid increase, especially in the past 10 years, indicates our people are fully aware of the value of the work now carried on by the Orphanage. Again I wish to emphasize that without the interest received annually from the Endowment Fund the Orphanage could not carry on successfully.

"The purpose of the Founders of the Orphanage was to provide a real Home, love and care for the orphaned and helpless Children of our Province and to teach and train them in Christian sur-

A THOROUGH JOB Canadian potato growers in general and in particular those in Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick can rest assured that nothing was left undone in pre-

roundings. This year Trustees have always endeavored to do. They have employed a capable Staff at all times, while the Children have never been denied the good food and clothing necessary for their health and happiness.

Many of the Children from this 'Home' have been in the past and are today a credit to the 'Home' and to the Province. Truly our work has been blessed.

"Again I wish to extend to you my personal thanks for your co-operation, your lovely letters, your outstanding work and your never-failing kindness. May we go forward with faith and courage."

HAMPTON W. I. The monthly meeting of the Hampton W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Rowan Ferguson on June 6th. The president, Mrs. John MacQuarrie, presided. Meeting opened by repeating Mary Stewart Collect in unison. Roll call was responded by twelve members and two visitors.

It was decided to contact Miss McLaughlin, nurse at Crapaud, to get a First-Aid Kit for school. Mrs. John MacQuarrie and Mrs. James Campbell gave interesting reports on the Institute Convention held at Carleton on May 26th.

Two delegates were appointed to attend the convention to be held in early July in Charlottetown: Mrs. Harold Ferguson and Mrs. James Ferguson were appointed to attend.

Reports of the Committees were then given. Sick Committee reported seven treats and two thank-you notices received. The same committee will act for another month. Mrs. Merrel and Mrs. Victor Ferguson consented to collect for the Salvation Army. Plans were made to have Cornwall play come to Hampton Hall soon.

Treats will be sent to the sick in the district who have a call from a doctor. It was decided to send for samples of cards to sell if suitable. There were remnants displayed that had been donated; Some of these pieces were bought at this meeting.

New Luncheon Committee for next meeting is Mrs. Earl Calbeck and Mrs. Geo. Dunsford and Mrs. James Campbell; Program, Mrs. Will Myers and Mrs. Edwin Ferguson. Collection amounted to \$120. Roll call will be answered by exchanging recipes; Place of meeting, Mrs. Will Myers.

Lunch was served and a social time spent. A program put on by Mrs. Merrel was enjoyed by all.

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calling the case of the potato industry to the Tariff Board on June 13 and 14. The decision to leave the presentation of the National Brief in the hands of the Horticultural Council, supported by the Canadian Federation of Agriculture appeared to be a wise one and one which met with the approval of the Tariff Board which listened most attentively and courteously to the numerous representations made.

In dealing with the matters that affect agriculture it would appear that in Ottawa, Government officials and Boards expect to have such representations made by those who are most directly concerned—the producers themselves. The hearing was conducted with dignity but in an informal atmosphere that encouraged the free expression of opinion upon all phases of the industry. Many present must have been surprised at the evident interest of the Board in the social implications of the potato industry as it encourages or discourages the family type farm or the larger commercial enterprise.

While it is impossible to predict with any accuracy what the report of the Tariff Board will contain or what the final decision of Parliament will be, it would not be divulging any confidence to remark that those in attendance at the hearing viewed the proceedings in a most optimistic way. The only group to enter a protest against the imposition of a tariff on potatoes was the Canadian Association of Consumers, represented by Mrs. Vautlet of Montreal. This Brief was not supported by the Prince Edward Island Branch of the Association.

PONTIAC COUNTY Pontiac County, some 60 miles above the nation's capital on the Ottawa, was the scene of the National Farm Forum Conference and provided a striking demonstration of the results of the development which takes place in a rural people who are willing to devote a portion of their time to study an organization on a community basis.

Pontiac County contains no large centres of population, in fact, there are few, if any, towns having a population of more than 1,000. Agriculture is the chief occupation, followed by lumbering and judging by some dozen farms visited in the course of a brief tour the farm industry is on a sound basis.

While there was much to admire in the agriculture of the area, there was even more to admire in the very efficient and hospitable manner in which the farm forum delegates were entertained. A tour of some dozen farms followed by a picnic at the lakeside was arranged by two forums. On the second evening a moonlight cruise with an orchestra in attendance provided an outlet for the excess energies of the physically enthusiastic.

The crowning achievement of the hosts was, however, a banquet tendered by the Province of Quebec and at which Mr. Wymack MacKechnie, the noted ayrshire breeder acted as chairman. Mr. MacKechnie will be judging the Ayrshires at the coming Provincial exhibition. Almost 400 peo-

ple were in attendance and made up a gathering which any city or part of Canada could be quite proud. No one present at the banquet could fail to be impressed with the evidence of social development in a gathering made up to a large extent of farm people who had caught a vision of higher things possible in rural life.

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