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THE LATE MRS. DUROCHER

A message has been received by Mrs. Frank Murray, Charlottetown, telling of the death of Mrs. E. Durocher, which occurred in Windsor, Ontario, on May 25th, after an illness of several months.

Municipal Voting Goes Against Reds In Italy

ROME, May 28 (AP) - Slowly mounting returns from Italy's municipal elections tonight gave Premier Alcide De Gasperi's coalition the lead over Communists even in some sections of the northern Communist belt.

In the biggest test of political strength in three years, De Gasperi's Christian Democrat Party and its Allies swept his native Province of Trentino. It was ahead in 17 of 23 municipalities.

CENTRAL GUARDIAN

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

FORUM ANNUAL MEETING

shareholders tonight at 7 P.M. at the rink.

BEGINNING JUNE 1ST, Canadian Tire Corporation Store will close at 5 P.M. daily, with the exception of Wednesday and Saturday.

QUEEN MARY'S APPRECIATION - A message from Buckingham Palace received here over the weekend stated that "Queen Mary is very grateful for your greetings."

L. P. U. CARD PARTY - Another successful card party was held at the L. P. U. Hall last night. There were 16 tables in attendance.

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BOY LOCATED - A nine-year-old Kensington Road boy, missing from his home last night, was located early today asleep in a car on St. Peter's Road.

TRINITY Y.P.U. SERVICE - Trinity United Church Young People's Union held its after-church song service Sunday evening in the Social Hall.

DREW WOULD (Continued from Page 1) hands on goods on which customs had not been paid.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES DEATHS 50c per insertion

BIRTHS RODGERS - At the City Hospital, May 28, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Art Rodgers, (nee Theresa McIvor), Charlottetown, a son, 7 lbs.

MATHESON - At the City Hospital, Saturday, May 26th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Matheson (nee Phyllis Prunty) a son, 8 lbs, 2 oz.

CUSACK - At the Charlottetown Hospital on Monday, May 26, to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Cusack, New Witshire, a son.

KENAN - At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Saturday, May 26th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kenan, City, a daughter, Linda Mary.

BOWLEY - At the King's County Hospital, Montague, on May 22nd, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. George Bowley, Midgell, a son, Freeman Wayne.

GALLANT - At the Charlottetown Hospital May 23rd, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Alvyre M. Gallant, Rutledgeville, a son, Weight 6 lbs. 10 oz.

MARRIAGES YOUNG - SHAW - At St. Anne's United Church, on Thursday, May 24th, 1951, William Alfred Young and Marion Lola Shaw, both of St. John's, N. B.

REID - GUERNIER - At St. Paul's Church, Summerside, on April 18th, 1951, by Rev. Dr. MacLellan, Thomas Alban Reid of Ligonier, to Yvonne Joyce Guernier of O'Leary.

DEATHS MACCANNELL - At Charlottetown, May 28, Miss Flora MacCannell, in her 87th year. Remains are resting at the Cuthill Funeral Home where a private service will be held Wednesday afternoon.

PLEDGES FULL (Continued from Page 1) added, "but we have allowed our consciences to become dulled and have let things get out of proper perspective."

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Large Sums Spent In Many I. O. D. E. Welfare Projects

SASKATOON, Sask., May 29 (CP) - The Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire raised \$1,128,778 in the last year and turned over most of this sum to its welfare and education projects.

This was the story Mrs. P. L. Robinson of Toronto, today told the I. O. D. E. annual meeting in her report as honorary treasurer and convener of finance committee.

She said the 91 chapters reporting spent \$1,102,063 which went to swell the general and special funds as well as to buy books.

The eight primary chapters in Yukon, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland raised \$10,546 and spent \$8,869 plus \$2,083 not put through chapter books.

As convener of the I. O. D. E. film committee, Mrs. Hugh All of Toronto reported an "appreciable increase" in the volume and variety of films enjoyed by order members and sponsored by them in their communities.

She found evidence of a "wakening public interest" in good British films.

On children's films she said there were indications of increasing interest in New Brunswick, Ontario, Manitoba, Alberta.

"These centres that do not have the children's film library indicate a marked interest in the selection of films for children...through their local councils."

As convener of the Empire and World Affairs committee Mrs. H. S. Angas of Toronto, noted the "tremendous" range of topics used for chapter programs.

The Queen's carpet and the International Peace Garden both had been "a source of interest." Communism had been studied and papers on the significance of patriotic holidays were mentioned by two of the provinces.

"As democracy advances... mass thinking becomes the important factor," said Mrs. Angas. "It is only by enquiry and learning that we can equip ourselves for considered judgment on even local problems, not to mention the understanding necessary to protect our judgment from biased influences of wider issues."

Others presenting reports today included Mrs. S. E. Wedd of Toronto, convener of Hospital committee, and Mrs. J. D. Detwiler of London, Ont., convener of the First War Memorial.

SPEEDY ENEMY (Continued from Page 1) A pooled dispatch from the east-central front quoted an officer as saying "The rout phase of the Chinese retreat seems to have ended."

Canadians Advance (Bill Boss, Canadian Press correspondent, said patrols of the Royal 22nd Regiment probed north of the 38th parallel.

Attended Truro Conference For Camp Directors

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Tyler, Directors of the Y. M. C. A. camp at Holland Cove, returned on Sunday after attending the first conference of Y. M. C. A. and M. R. E. C. directors in Truro, N. S.

The conference which was attended by camp directors from all parts of the Maritimes, proved to be of great assistance to those in attendance, and many plans for improving camp life were discussed.

Mr. Jim McConnell, Truro, former secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., and now secretary of Maritime Boy's Work Extension, was co-chairman with Mr. Whitney Dalrymple, Boy's Work Secretary of the Maritime Religious Education Council.

One of the more important subjects under discussion during the conference was counselling understanding of camp needs. Other phases of the work which were introduced for discussion were camp administration, camp standards, camp music and campfire programs.

Wide Display At International Trade Fair

TORONTO, May 28 (CP) - Everything from Italian tea tables to British-made bobby pins are featured at this year's International Trade Fair. So are 25-cent hot dogs.

At least that's what most visitors discovered when they invaded the Canadian National Exhibition grounds where this fourth world display of industry opened today.

Several refreshment booths have been set up among the exhibits and the price of hot dogs was one of the first things visitors noticed.

That and the glamor of the displays. Among the most fabulous was a furniture, china and crystal exhibit, Victoria Lombardi has brought from Milan, Italy.

Gold-stained candle holders and a book case of Italian elm which opens at the press of a button are on view. There's also a hardwood buffet paneled in gold in this exhibit.

"Look at the lines of this table - see how alive it is," the burning-eyed Lombardi was talking to a woman visitor yearning over an amber-colored tea-table.

Nearby, copper and brass work in the arts and crafts exhibit from Israel was attracting prospective buyers.

They clustered around the plates, jugs and cigaret-snuffers of an unusual moss-green color. Israel Wolsky of Tel Aviv explained that the color is obtained by oxidation. This brings out the patina which is fixed by "burning" and then lacquered.

It is the first time Israel has exhibited at the trade fair. Mr. Wolsky said that in the last year 60 or so Israeli artisans have discovered the articles with neutral designs sell better than the ceremonial objects they formerly made.

Badminton birds from Pakistan and bobby pins and hair pins from Britain are exhibited in the Coliseum where most of the displays have been arranged.

Many Questions Discussed At I.O.D.E. Convention

SASKATOON, May 28 (CP) - A trend toward omitting "British" when speaking of the Commonwealth of Nations was criticized today at the national convention of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire by Mrs. J. D. Detwiler of London, Ont., national educational secretary.

Discussing her annual report on the education work of the order, Mrs. Detwiler referred to a letter she had received from a Minister of Education in one of the Provinces. It had contended there was no need to use the word British when referring to the Commonwealth.

Mrs. Detwiler said she wondered if Canadians had an inferiority complex and were anxious to impress their independence on the United States.

"Don't we know our history and what the British Empire and Commonwealth have done?" she asked. She said she hoped the loose association of the Commonwealth would be the same stabilizing force the old Empire was in the world.

Mrs. Detwiler's report criticized sex comics and said "considerable pressure" has been put on the Federal Government for relaxation of restrictions on such books.

Since the ban was applied on crime comics, the sex comic or "so-called 'passion literature'" had made its appearance, she said.

Mrs. Detwiler reported that I. O. D. E. education conveners who are featured at this year's International Trade Fair. So are 25-cent hot dogs.

Teachers Plan Big Convention Here In August The Prince Edward Island Teachers' Federation will be host to the Canadian Teachers' Federation when that organization meets at the Charlottetown Hotel for its thirteen annual conference from August 6 to 9.

The provincial organization have arranged an all-day tour for the delegates, and others of the official party, to points of interest in the Province on the day following the conclusion of the conference.

The picturesque route planned will include a stop-over near Summerside for lunch, a visit to Anne of Green Gables country, and dinner at Cavendish. This last will be provided through the courtesy of the Nova Scotia Teachers' Union.

Opening with executive and directors' reports on August 6, the first general session will be on August 7 during which Mayor B. Earle MacDonald will welcome the delegates. Another feature of that day will be a banquet tendered by the Government of this Province.

Dr. J. Robbins, Director of the Education Division of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, will be the principal speaker during the afternoon of August 8 when the subject of educational research will be dealt with.

The final day will be taken with reports of the provincial committees and an election of officers. Directors' meetings will be held in the afternoon and evening.

An interesting aspect of this year's social side of the convention is the co-operative effort on the part of a number of provincial teachers' organizations to share with the P. E. I. Teachers' Federation the burden which inevitably falls on the host province.

LOSES DRIVER'S LICENSE WOODSTOCK, N. B., May 28 (CP) - Convicted on a reckless driving charge, Fraser Kinney was prohibited from driving a car anywhere in Canada for two years and also fined \$100 with an alternative of 30 days in jail.

Junior Farmers and Junior Club News

The Sea View "Whitehead" Club had a class in judging at the home of Roy Duggan on Friday afternoon, May 18th. Fourteen members were present. The club membership has been increased by four new members - Ralph, Iva and Norman MacKay and Delmar Crozier. The club has fourteen calves this year.

The regular meeting of St. George's Club was held in DeGros Marsh School with the president, Joseph McPhee, in the chair. Plans were made for two meetings a month and the next meeting is to be a judging class at St. George's. The lesson, "Dairy Breeds", was conducted by Morris Deacon, Fieldman.

The first judging class of the season for South Freetown Holstein Club was held at the home of Garth Drummond and Ione Wright. Nine members were present. One of the club members with a sprained ankle attended by putting his leg in a small wagon and propelling it with his other leg.

The newly organized Tryon Club decided that the name of their club would be "Albuteau". The membership fee is to be 25c. Morris Deacon, Fieldman, conducted the study lesson on "Selecting and Feeding Calves."

The Baldwin's Road Junior Poultry Club held their regular meeting, May 23rd, with a full attendance despite a downpour of rain. Twenty-three members were present, also five adults, Cecil Trainer, president and John McKenna, secretary.

After the business of the meeting concluded, Hugh MacLean, Department of Agriculture, lectured on Poultry Management and Keeping of Records.

Mr. Joseph Trainer read some correspondence from the Hatchery concerning the chick order. The next meeting is to be held June 13th at 7:30.

300 More Donors Needed Today

If Charlottetown is to produce its objective of 500 to 600 more donors are required from the City and surrounding districts today. It is a fact that in any quota set for the Province at least one-half of the objective must be provided by Charlottetown and this is also true with regard to Blood Donor Clinics.

There was good representation of many rural districts at the Clinics held yesterday from 2-4 in the afternoon and from 6-10 in the evening. The afternoon Clinic produced almost its quota of 100 donors but the evening Clinic was far short of the required 200 for the four hours. Charlottetown and vicinity have always been noted for reaching and surpassing the objective in former Blood Donor Clinics. Red Cross officials expressed confidence last night that the City and its environment would again exceed the objective and thereby insure a sufficient amount of blood for local hospital use in the next three months, plus a further supply for the armed services overseas and for the stockpile required for civilian defence.

On Wednesday the Mobile Team will hold a Clinic in the Memorial Hall at Morell between 10 and 12 in the morning and at the Beaver Club Hall in Montague between 7 and 9 in the evening when the quota for the day will be 200 donors.

York and Vicinity Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crockett and son Wayne, Central Royalty, were visitors to York on Sunday, the guests of Mrs. Robert Crockett.

Miss Gertrude MacDonald, Union Road, was a visitor to York on Sunday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Nell McInnis and daughter Diane, city, spent Sunday in York the guest of Mrs. Robert Crockett.

Mrs. Elby Hardy has taken up residence in York. Her friends wish her many years of happiness in her new home.

Netherland Farmers Arrive In Province

Present help for farmers, and future Canadian citizens as well, arrived last night when 14 former farmers of Holland landed on Prince Edward Island. They came from all parts of The Netherlands and are looking forward to making a future for themselves in this new country.

One of them, Mr. A. G. Van Beek, of Tillburg, Holland, brought his entire family with him. He had his own farm in Holland, but he explained, "I am looking for the future. I think it is in your country." So he arrived last night with his wife and three children.

The youngest, Johanna, is just six months old. As pretty as could be, she has lovely blue eyes and was dressed with the cleanliness and care for which the Dutch people have long been noted.

Mr. van Beek also has his two older children with him. They are Joske, 3, and Adje, who will be two in September. His wife does not speak any English either so the interviews last night had to be carried out through an interpreter. He is going to the farm of Mr. Guy Rodd, in Brackley, and is content at last to be in Canada.

Blasts May Herald New Outrages By Doukhobors

CASTLEGAR, B.C., May 28 (CP) - Dynamite blasts, which police said may herald new Doukhobor outrages in the Kootenays, today shattered sections of the Canadian Pacific Railway tracks at Castlegar and Grand Forks.

Both towns, 50 miles apart in southeastern British Columbia, 250 miles from Vancouver, were rocked by explosions.

Police authorities called the explosions "sneak blasts," and one officer said: "It looks like the Sons of Freedom Doukhobors again." He declined further comment.

The Sons of Freedom are radical members of a religious sect who protest man-made laws by fire and nude parades.

In Victoria, Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer said a full investigation of the bombings is under way.

"It was most unfortunate that the bombings should occur while the government's committee on Doukhobor problems is nearing a settlement," he said.

The pattern was similar to previous Doukhobor outrages. Ties were smashed and one rail twisted in the Castlegar explosion, and the rail of a spur line was shattered at Grand Forks.

The explosions shattered year-long peace in the Kootenays following railway bombings last year and fire raids in the village of Krestova, headquarters of the Sons of Freedom.

The Government committee has under study a plan to relocate members of the Sons of Freedom away from the Kootenay "trouble zone."

WASHINGTON, May 28 (AP) - The army today called for 16,000 draftees in July--the lowest number of men which the army has asked for since the present draft program has been in effect. Since the draft call for 80,000 in January, the monthly requisitions dropped to 20,000 in June.

Predict Boost In Trans-Atlantic Air Forces

HAMILTON, Bermuda, May 28 (CP) - Prediction of a five per cent increase in air fares across the North Atlantic next October was made today at the closing session of the International Air Transport Association.

Fifty-six international airlines from 42 nations were represented at the conference which also made plans for the introduction in October, 1952, of a low-fare tourist service, notably across the North Atlantic and between London and South Africa.

R. E. S. Deichler of American Airlines, chairman of the three-week conference, described it as a milestone in achievement of uniformity and standardization of services.

The conference decided to continue winter excursion fares across the North Atlantic.

Mr. Deichler said the group, which contains practically all nationalities except Russian, were not competing for business but trying to create new air travel through economy.

A review of operating costs showed an average increase of more than 20 per cent, the chairman added.

FIRST OF HER RACE TO HOLD POSITION WITH T.C.A. Recently a general duty nurse in Toronto hospital, 22-year-old Masako Hikida, Japanese-Canadian, is now an air stewardess--the first of her race to hold a position with Trans-Canada Airlines. One of 15 girls who graduated from the classes held at Dorval, near Montreal, Mrs. Hikida's mark were among the highest of all students.

FORMER GOVERNOR Admiral George Clinton, Governor of Newfoundland 1732-84, later served for 10 years as Governor of New York.

RICHMOND, Surrey, England (CP) - The admiralty has presented a motor torpedo boat to the local Sea Cadets. They will use it as a floating headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Auld and family spent Sunday in Covehead.

Mr. Frank Watts has entered the P. E. Island Hospital for treatment. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Dolph Murray spent a few days in the City last week the guest of her sister, Mrs. Vernon Rodd.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Knox and family were visitors to York this week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Proud spent Sunday in Oyster Bed, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewart Swan and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watts had their daughters baptised at the morning service at York United Church.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis were visitors to the City on Tuesday evening to attend the graduation of the nurses of the P. E. Island Hospital, where their daughter Norma was one of the graduates.

Mr. William Crockett and little daughter Lenore spent Tuesday in Orwell Cove, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Don MacPherson.

Mr. Fred Thompson was a visitor to the City on Tuesday.

Mrs. Alex Beaton, York, spent Sunday in Oyster Bed, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Carr.

Mr. Harold Taylor spent Tuesday in the city.

Mrs. Albert Proud was a visitor to Oyster Bed on Sunday, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Gordon Carr.

Many friends of Miss Margaret Stewart are glad to hear that she is much improved in health.

Mrs. Lea R. Clow and Mrs. Will Clow were visitors to York on Monday. They paid a visit to Mrs. Joe Dover, who is now over 90 years old.

The many friends of Mr. Paul Fanning are sorry to hear that he has entered the hospital for treatment.

Canada Has 61 Cargo Vessels, 14 Tankers In Service

OTTAWA, May 28 (CP) - Canada has 61 ocean-going dry-cargo vessels and 14 tankers of 1,000 or more gross tons plying the seas under the Canadian flag, the Transport Department said tonight in a return tabled in the Senate.

The return was tabled in reply to a series of questions by Senator William Duff (L - Nova Scotia). The department said its Naval Services and Steamship Inspection Service had supervision over the ships.

The total administration cost of this branch for the 1950-51 fiscal year was \$684,577 but the department said there was no breakdown to show the cost per ship.

BELL & HOWELL SALES & SERVICE G. H. Taylor Jewellers for Four Generations

HOLMAN STORE NEWS

ARE you collecting 1847 Rogers Bros. Silverplate, International Sterling or William Rogers and Son Silverplate? ... Then, here's an announcement that should be of particular interest to you.

DO you want a Geisha Girl all your very own? For just 8.75 you can get a simply lovely Geisha Girl LAMP in the Furniture Department of either the Charlottetown or the Summerside Store.

POPULARITY PLUS! We can hardly keep up with the demand for TENA PAIGE DRESSES in the Youth Centre. They're adorable in style, materials and fit. ... You'll love the colorful chambray, youthful pique, gay gandy and neat pique - made up into stunning Dresses from authentic American patterns.