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I will ship a car load to the Island at a price of twenty dollars a head in lots of fifty to a car. The freight rate will run twelve dollars a head. There is no duty if the animals are to be used for breeding purposes. Each burro I ship is vet inspected and guaranteed to be in perfect health and not over four years old. They live to be forty years old. They eat less than a house dog and are acclimated to all kinds of weather. I have heard of the good eating they provide and I recently shipped a pair to the largest hotel in the world in N. Y., which were served to a party of explorers. I am in touch with a man in the Canadian Government in regards to settling one thousand head in the wilds of Northern Canada to be used as food by the Eskimos.

The hides bring the highest price on the market as the burro has the most water proof skin of any animal. The meat is comparable to deer meat and I will bet a thousand dollars that a burro is the fastest running animal in the world. No man on horse back can rope one. Even a month old burro will pull a horse to his knees when roped as they are so sly and tricky they will turn and run and then dig in and the horse will come to his knees.

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A breeze from some far horizon
Is whispering low but clear,
A secret it bears of the gloaming
That Springtime is newly here.

An amber gleam in the twilight,
A chill in the gathering night;
The lisp of the tide receding,
And the sheen of the Northern Lights.

The birds have greeted the dawn-light
With a burst of exuberant song.
The buds in the treetops are swelling;
The rain is over and gone.

A lad by a bridge is fishing,
Where foam-flecked the clear water flows —
He smilingly waits for a nibble;
And freckles besprinkle his nose

The drone of the busy tractor
Throbs over the rich brown earth;
And the meadows brood in the sunshine,
With a rapture too deep for mirth.

The lawns are already greening,
Though the marshes are wan and aere;
And the dewdrops are pearls and diamonds —
For Springtime is newly here.

As spent as ashes of roses,
As frail as a vain regret,
Are yesterday's airy castles —
Their memory is potent yet.

For Spring brings a sweet enchantment,
Of something beyond our ken;
And we dream of some strange tomorrow,
In the land of what might have been.

(Written in Central Bedouque by a visitor from Amherst, N.S., Northern lights were seen here 11 p.m. May 4th.)

SWIMMING RABBIT

UCKLAND, N. Z., (CP)—While other children sail their boats at the duckpond here, 10-year-old Jimmy Real launches his pet white rabbit. He discovered it could swim when he accidentally dropped it into the sea. Now the rabbit has a weekly swim among resentful ducks.

Officers Of Alpha Y's Men's Club



Toronto Mother Kills Herself And 4 Children

TORONTO, (CP)—An attractive mother killed herself and four young children early Tuesday after scribbling a note telling her husband she didn't want to spoil his life.

Mrs. Adele Holmes, a 36-year-old "model mother," was found gassed with her children when the husband, William, returned from work. The four jets of a kitchen stove were wide open. In an upstairs bedroom were the bodies of Nancy, 7, Irene, 6, Linda, 4, and Kenneth, 3.

Note To Husband

Police said this note, addressed to the 40-year-old husband, was beside Mrs. Holmes' body: "Bill: Mom said you'd be better off without me. I love you too much to spoil your life. Sell out and go away. You'll have a chance now to get out of debt. It is wonderful to have you love me. "God forgive me, Bill. Your mom struck me and I struck her back. I'm sorry. They'll be glad to be rid of me because you're mine now."

Holmes, an express truck driver, made the discovery after he got off his night-shift job at 2 a.m. He called police and together they smashed several windows in the East Toronto home before they

Successful Play By Pownal Y.P.U.

Pownal Y.P.U., who in the past few years have staged many outstanding plays, have come through with another successful one. This play which was presented for the first time in Pownal Hall, on Friday evening, May 1st, before a large audience, is a four-act comedy-drama "Happy Valley", and is directed by their minister, Rev. T. R. Gouge.

This play has something to please everyone, comedy, pathos, heartbreak and even tragedy. Each player presented his or her part in a very realistic way, which provided a very interesting evening's entertainment. This play will be presented at various other halls, and also a repeat performance in Pownal, later this month.

IN THE PROBATE COURT

THE 11th day of MAY A.D. 1953.
In Re Estate of GEORGE BELL, late of Charlottetown in Queen's County in the said Province, Retired, deceased, testate.
To the Sheriff of the County of Queen's County or any Constable or literate person within said County.

GREETING:

WHEREAS upon reading the petition on file of Herbert MacPherson of Charlottetown aforesaid, Clerk, Executor of the above named Estate, praying that a citation may be issued for the purpose hereinafter set forth; You are therefore hereby required to cite all persons interested in the said Estate to be and appear before the Judge present at a Probate Court to be held in the Court House in Charlottetown in Queen's County in the said Province, on Tuesday the 23rd day of June next coming, at the hour of eleven o'clock forenoon of the same day to show cause if any they can why the Accounts of the said Estate should not be passed and the Estate closed as prayed for in said petition and on motion of Reginald R. Bell, Esquire, Proctor for said Petitioner.

AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED

that a true copy hereof be forthwith published in some newspaper published in Charlottetown aforesaid once in each week for at least four consecutive weeks from the date hereof and that a true copy hereof be forthwith posted in the following public places respectively, namely, in the hall of the Court House in Charlottetown aforesaid, at or near the Royal Bank of Canada Building in Charlottetown aforesaid and at or near the Bank of Nova Scotia Building in Charlottetown aforesaid, so that all persons interested in the said Estate as aforesaid may have due notice thereof.

WITNESS His Honour Harold Leonard Palmer, Judge of the said Probate Court at Charlottetown in Queen's County, the day and year first above written.

By (Sgd) **FRANCES B. VINNICOMBE**
(SEAL) Registrar

Montreal Group Wins Top Festival Award With Play Written By Canadian

VICTORIA, (CP)—The top award of the Dominion Drama Festival was won by a Montreal group, which presented a play written especially for the festival by a young Canadian playwright.

The play is "Zone", written by Marcel Dube of Montreal and presented Saturday night by La Jeune Scene of Montreal. It is a French-language play, one of two in the festival, and concerns cigaret smuggling.

Governor-General Massey was scheduled to present the top award, the Calvert Cup, at a ceremony here Sunday.

Adjudicator Pierre Lefevre announced "Zone" as the winner just half an hour after he finished judging it. It was the last presentation of the festival.

Before his announcement, Mr. Lefevre said he found the standard, choice and presentation of the eight plays, all winners of regional festivals, "very exciting."

Mr. Lefevre said he chose "Zone" from a group of three plays which he thought were the best of the festival. The others were: "The Madwoman of Chailott", by the Ottawa Little Theatre Saturday Players, and "The Family Reunion" by the Toronto University Alumnae Dramatic Club.

Won All Awards

The three performances took all other awards. Best actor and winner of the Henry C. Bone Trophy was Robert Rivard for his portrayal of Passe-Partout in the winning play.

The Nella Jeffries Award for the best actress went to Andrea Cunningham, "Mme. Constance", the madwoman of Passy in "The Madwoman of Chailott".

The Saturday Night plaques for the best supporting actor and actress went to Ruth Adleman, who played Irma in the "Madwoman" and Bruce Swardfager, the "Ragpicker" of the same play.

Herbert Whittaker was awarded the Louis Jouve Trophy for his direction of "The Family Reunion".

"The Family Reunion" also won the festival award for the best English-language play and the Martha Allen Trophy for the best visual presentation.

"Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme" by Les Etudiants de l'Universite de Saint-Joseph of St. Joseph, N.B., was awarded the festival trophy for the best French-language play excluding the winner.

Deal With Smugglers

In Dube's play a gang of youths are distributing smuggled American cigarets for an organization of smugglers. They come into direct contact with the law and a

customs inspector is murdered. Members of the gang are taken to police headquarters and their leader confesses to murder.

Later the leader escapes and asks his girl to run away with him. The girl refuses and he is killed in a gunfight with police.

Mr. Lefevre was enthusiastic about the performance and when he announced the award he described the play as "swift and electric in speed."

He said he picked the best play by thinking what he would remember best three months hence.

One reason for the award was the fact the play was written for the cast by a member of the cast, Mr. Lefevre said. The play had been created by the cast from nothing to a production on the stage.

RECORD YEAR

KAMPANA, Uganda, (CP)—Record exports and imports were chalked up for the British East African territory of Uganda in 1952. Current returns showed Uganda's exports to Canada were worth \$358,999 against imports of \$33,404, but total exports were worth \$47,000,000.

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MILWAUKEE, (AP)—The chances are good, the front office agreed Monday, that Milwaukee Braves will play to 1,000,000 fans this year in their new \$5,000,000 home.

"The enthusiasm here is the greatest I've ever seen anywhere," said general manager John Quinn. "Barring exceptional ally bad weather, I think we'll hit a million attendance total."

The Braves played to only 281,278 at Braves Field in Boston a year ago.

Chicago Cubs ended a four-game series with Sunday's doubleheader. The paid crowd for the three days was 84,922 and the Chicagoans pocketed close to \$20,000 for their visit. Last season, playing 11 games on eight dates in Boston, the same team drew only 34,437 spectators and took home \$8,000.

The total gate for the Braves' five home dates so far this season is 133,771.

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