

Geriatrics Study Presented By Island Nurses At Maritime Hospital Meeting

The ninth annual convention of the Maritime Hospital Association, held at St. Andrew's, New Brunswick, featured a timely program of Geriatrics, sponsored by the P. E. I. Association of Registered Nurses, and assisted by several Charlottetown citizens. The opening topic dealing with the responsibility of the nursing profession in a teaching capacity stressed the correlation of Psychology, Medical, Surgical and Nursing Arts Courses as presented in the School of Nursing. A recording, presenting a typical class discussion followed by a dramatized case history of an aging mother, was arranged by Miss Anna G. Cameron, Science Instructor of the Charlottetown Hospital School of Nursing. Musical background for the dramatization was provided by Mr. Austin Connolly, pianist, and

Mr. Frank MacIntyre, soloist, both of Charlottetown. Participating in the recorded program were: Miss Cameron and a group of her students, Miss Mary Rossiter, Miss Leona Devine, Miss Roma Cavanagh, Miss Eileen MacEachern, Miss Florence Callaghan, Miss Katherine Campbell. Excellent quality records were cut by Mr. B. MacDonald of MacDonald's Radio Service, Charlottetown, and transferred to a tape recorder by Dominion Sounds representatives at the Convention.

Mr. Neil MacLean, President of the Board of Trustees of the P.E.I. Hospital discussed the hospitalization for older people, and emphasized the establishment of a Geriatric Unit in the Hospital. Mr. MacLean presented the Trustees' viewpoint in a clear and practical statement of the problems involv-

ed. Miss Muriel Archibald, Registrar of the A.N.P.E.I. School of Nursing Adviser, and former statistician of the Canadian Nurses' Association, presented a splendid paper on the physical aspects of Geriatrics, and how to keep the body at its highest level of health with advancing years.

The socio-psychological approach to the problem, the value and urgent need of foster homes for older people, and national responsibility, as well as the individual citizen's part in the expanding program of geriatric care, were discussed in a most interesting presentation by Sister Mary David of the Charlottetown Hospital.

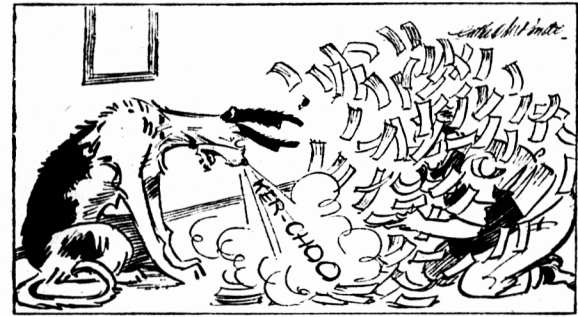
The panel was closed by Dr. L.O. Bradley, Executive Secretary Canadian Hospital Council who stressed the point that the age of 65 for retirement is an arbitrary figure and should be "wiped off the map".

Sister Mary Stanislaus, President of the A.N.P.E.I., was in charge of the arrangements for the Island contribution to the Convention and acted as Chairman of the Session.

Napoleon and Uncle Elby By Clifford McBride



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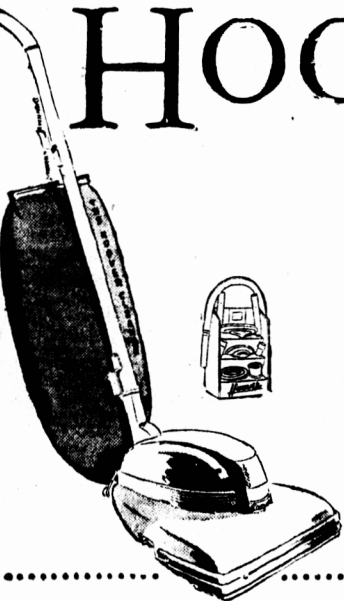
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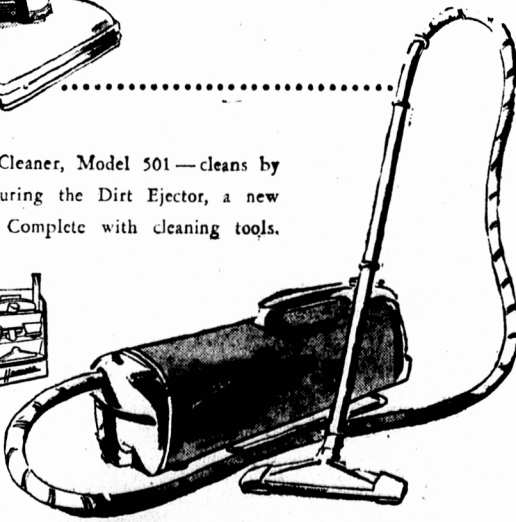
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