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TRON Consolidated School
Concert, December 20, 8 P.M., Baptist
Hall.

SUMMERSIDE Curling Club
Official opening mixed curling
and party. All members try to
attend. Saturday evening, Decem-
ber 16th.

BEDEQUE RING TENDERS
will be received until 7 P.M. Mon-
day, December 18th by the under-
signed for ring caretaker, ticket
collector, ticket salesman, and use
of canten for skating season. T.
J. Munan, Secretary.

ENGRAVING personalizes
your gifts... makes them en-
riched with life. Let us engrave
your compact, cigarette cases,
lighters, pens, watches, silver-
ware, all gifts quickly and beau-
tifully done. Geo. T. Clarke, Jew-
eller, Regent Theatre Building,
Summerside.

INJURED EN ROUTE HOME—
An aircraft landed at the R.C.A.F.
Station, Summerside, about two
o'clock Saturday evening with two
soldiers who had been injured in
the troop train wreck in the Rock-
field a few weeks ago. The plane took
off again yesterday morning for St.
John's, Newfoundland, where the
soldiers will be placed in hospital.
Both of them are from Newfoundland
and will thus be handy home
for Christmas. One was a stretcher
case and the other a walking case.
They spent the night in the station
hospital. — S

Elmsdale and Vicinity
Messrs Elmer Adams and Horace
O'Brien were business visitors to
Borden recently.

Miss Joan McKenna employee
of Holman's Ltd., Summerside spent
the week-end at the home of her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Mc-
Kenna.

Miss Beatrice O'Brien, Principal
of Albany school spent the week-
end, guest of her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. A. D. O'Brien.

Mrs. Chas. Dunn, Mrs. Frank
Dunn and son Ralph, Messrs. Ray-
mond and Harry Dunn were visitors
to Summerside on Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. O'Brien, Mrs.
Leigh O'Brien and Mr. Gerald
O'Brien were visitors to the West-
ern Capital on Friday.

Mrs. Basil MacNeill, who spent a
week with Mr. and Mrs. Claude
MacNeill, Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Mac-
Neill is now the guest of her
daughter, Mrs. Ralph Rennie and
Mr. Rennie of Alma.

Messrs Wentworth Yeo, Claude
and Leigh MacNeill, Mr. and Mrs.
Everett Matthews and Miss Mary
Matthews motored to North River
and Charlottetown on Sunday.

Mr. Horace O'Brien has returned
to his home, after spending some
time at the home of his sister, Mrs.
Roy Clohossey, Nail Pond, and his
brother Mr. Ralph O'Brien, Tig-
nish.

Mrs. Eliza Gammel has returned
to her home in Nova Scotia after
spending a pleasant holiday with
her sisters Mrs. Hazel Cameron and
Mrs. Harold Pratt.

Many friends regret to learn that
Master Carl McLellan son of Mr.
and Mrs. W. B. McLellan has had
to re-enter Western Hospital for
further treatment. All wish him a
speedy recovery.

It is pleasing to report that Miss
Judy Matthews young daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Matthews is
now convalescing at her home after
an operation performed in
Prince County Hospital recently.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brennan
have received word from Groton,
Mass., that their daughter Miss
Margaret Brennan has undergone a
critical operation successfully and
is making a good recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Heber H. Hardy
motored to Charlottetown on Wed-
nesday. They were accompanied by
Mrs. Frank Callbeck, who was re-
turning to her home in Summerside
after visiting with her daughter,
Mrs. Claude MacNeill and Mr. Mac-
Neill.

The Study Club held its weekly
meeting at the home of Mr. James
O'Brien, Mr. W. B. MacLellan,
Alma, was guest speaker and de-
livered a very interesting and in-
structive talk on credit Union and

Standard Certificates
Mrs. Harris Callaghan; Mrs. James
Shea; Mrs. Clarence Murphy; Mrs.
Fred E. Tibodeau; Mrs. Izabele
DesRoches; Mrs. Mary Chaisson;
Mrs. Margaret Doucette; Mrs. Walter
Hogan; Miss Jeanette Perry; Miss
Anita Doucette; Miss Jean Calla-
ghan; Mr. Prosper Arseneault; Mrs.
Anita Gallant.

WHAT AN ARGUMENT SHE GAVE THE POL-
TAKER OVER REVEALING SOME CONFIDENTIAL
FAMILY STATISTICS...
WELL! OF ALL THE NOSEY
PRYING SNOOPS! WHAT A
NERVE ASKING SUCH
PERSONAL QUESTIONS!
DON'T WE HAVE
ANY PRIVACY
LEFT?

BUT ON A COAST-TO-COAST MEDIATION
PROGRAM WOW! DID SHE EVER SPILL
SOME LURID DETAILS!
WELL, MY HUSBAND HOOKED
OUR WEDDING SILVER
AND SHIPPED TOWN WITH
A BLEACHED BLONDE,
AND MY DAUGHTER,
LADY! TO MARRY A
NO GOOD BUM TWICE
HER AGE
AND...



New Homing Device Planned For S'ide Airport

A new homing device is to be in-
stalled at the R.C.A.F. Station,
Summerside, which is known tech-
nically as automatic high frequency
direction finding equipment and has
as its general purpose the raising
of the safety factor for the flying
which takes place at the station.

The equipment will be located in
a new building, which is to be built
in the near future and for which a
contract has been awarded to M.F.
Schurman Co. Ltd. It will be a
small single story structure of con-
crete blocks and will be located east
of the airport and across the high-
way from the buildings which house
the radio transmitters of the sta-
tion. It will be some distance from
the highway and the contract calls
for the building of a gravel road to
it. This part of the contract will
be sublet.

At present there is a mobile short
range direction finding unit on the
station but this new one will have
a much longer range. It is actually
a radio receiver and if pilot finds
himself in bad weather he can
send on his radio for a few seconds
and he is given a bearing on which
he can come home... as he ar-
rives in the circuit of the airframe
the ground controlled approach sys-
tem takes over and brings him in
for a landing. If an aircraft is in
distress and there is a possibility of
a forced landing a bearing could be
taken on it from two of those sta-
tions and his position located. Other
such direction finding units are
located at other airforce stations. — S

Albertain
Mr. Alan Harris, chief steward
at the S.S. Walton, who re-
cently returned to Montreal after
visiting his wife and family here,
has been a patient in hospital at
Sherbrooke, Quebec, with pneu-
monia. Latest report is he is much
improved.

A very enjoyable card party was
held on Monday evening, Dec. 11 at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph
O'Rourke, Kildare, in aid of the
Sacred Heart parish fund. There
were eight tables in play. Prize win-
ners were: Ladies 1st — Mrs. Jos-
eph Foley, Gentlemen 1st — Mal-
colm Rayner. After the regular
game a duck was raffled. It was
won by Mr. Raymond Dunn. Mrs.
O'Rourke was assisted in serving by
Mrs. Albert Gillis.

The regular monthly meeting of
the Western Hospital Ladies' Aid
was held in the Nurse's Home on
Friday evening December 8. The
president, Mrs. C. R. Proffitt pre-
sided. There were six members and
two visitors present. Meeting open-
ed with reading of minutes by the
secretary, Mrs. Frank McAliduff
Treasurer, Mrs. Sr. Mary Angella
gave the financial report showing a
balance of \$250.30. She also gave a
report of the Regional meeting of
the P. E. I. Division of the M.A.H.A.
which was held in Charlottetown on
Dec. 6. A discussion on ways and
means to raise funds followed. This
was left over until next meeting.
It was decided to order a Christ-
mas turkey for the Sisters. There
being no further business meeting
adjourned. Dainty refreshments
were served by the Hospital Staff.

MOUNT PLEASANT W. I.
The regular monthly meeting of
the Mount Pleasant Women's In-
stitute was held at the home of
Mrs. Clayton Ballum.

Meeting opened by singing the
Institute Ode, and repeating creed
in unison. There were seven mem-
bers responded to roll-call by an
exchange of Christmas gifts.

Minutes of last meeting were
read by Mrs. Annie Ballum in the
absence of the secretary.

The minutes were adopted as
read and signed by the President,
it was arranged to pack Christmas
boxes for aged folks again this
year; each member to donate some
dainty and send to the home of
Mrs. Effie Williams evening of Dec.
20. Correspondence was read and
discussed; and it was moved and
seconded we send \$2.00 to Child-
ren's Aid Society.

The meeting then adjourned,
next meeting to be held at the
home of Mrs. Geo. W. Robinson,
leading committee, Miss Muriel
Ladner and Mrs. Minnie Ellis.

Lunch was then served and a
pleased social hour enjoyed.

other subjects of vital interests to
farmers, all of which was much ap-
preciated by those present. — E.

By Fago's & Shortes

Island Woman 104 Oldest In The State Of Washington

The following item from the
Seattle times of December 9th was
sent home by Mrs. William Pender-
grast of that city who is a brother
of Mr. James Pendergrast, Kensing-
ton.

"Mrs. Agatha Hamill, acclaimed
the state of Washington's oldest
woman, was 104 years old yesterday.
Thin-voiced, yet alert and keen-
eyed, Mrs. Hamill looked up from
her bed in a rest home at 4903
Phinney Ave. on the anniversary
and intently studied the face of
Mrs. Ella Burke, her nurse, for a
few moments.

Mrs. Burke had told her: you're
now the oldest woman in the state,
and I want a picture of you. Being
104 years of age meant Mrs. Hamill
was born when James K. Polk was
president; St. Paul was being set-
tled by Americans; Iowa hadn't
been admitted to the union; and the
first whites had not landed at what
was to be Seattle; the Oregon
Territory just had been acquired by
treaty with Great Britain; the Uni-
ted States and Mexico were at war,
and the national debt was only
\$15,590,202.97.

"That was a long time ago, But
Mrs. Hamill snapped quickly:
'You're not fooling me one whit.'

"Mrs. Hamill, a native of Prince
Edward Island, Canada, who came
here from Maine in 1892, added tar-
tly that being photographed on her
104th birthday was sheer nonsense.
'Pfaash! It's silly,' she said. — S.

FREETOWN W. I.
The monthly meeting of the
Etch Grove, Women's Institute,
met on Thursday at the home of
Mrs. Alfred Curley with the newly
appointed president Mrs. Truman
Paynter presiding. The meeting open-
ed with the Institute Ode, and the
creed repeated in unison. Twenty
members answered the roll call and
four visitors were welcomed. The
minutes of the Novem-
ber meeting were read and approved.
Correspondence received since
last meeting was read by the secre-
tary, Mrs. John Lewis and in-
cluded a letter regarding a first-
aid course to be held in Charlottetown,
December 26th to 30th and a
letter concerning civil defence
meetings which are to be held in
the near future. Dates to be an-
nounced later. Another communica-
tion dealt with the much talked
of museum to be opened in Sum-
merside. Forms were filled out,
describing articles owned by the
Institute members that were thought
to rank as museum pieces. The
form is to be forwarded to the
proper authorities.

On motion a sum of money was
donated to the T. B. League and a
Christmas package is to be sent
to the Infirmary. Letters of thanks
were received from the Sanatorium
and from the Salvation Army for
contributions sent to them.

Money was also voted for treat-
ments for the school children at Chris-
mas. The school committee reported
a visit made to the school and
told of several items needed. They
were asked to procure them. The
visiting committee reported several
calls made to sick in the commu-
nity. The programme for the even-
ing consisted of a reading "Life on
the farm" by Mrs. John Paynter,
and a "Dinner Contest" conducted
by Mrs. Cecil Paynter was won
by Mrs. John Paynter and
Mrs. E. S. Demmarell. The meet-
ing closed with the National An-
them after which a delicious lunch
was served by the hostess assisted
by committee. The next meeting
will be held at the home of Mrs.
Frank Descon.

CONWAY SCHOOL
Report of Conway School for
October and November

Grade VIII — 1. Evelyn Morri-
son. 2. George Ramsay. 3. Amelia
Coughlin.

Grade V — 1. Erma Morrison. 2.
Barbara Ramsay. 3. Leonard
Murphy.

Grade IV — 1. Dorothy Palmer.
Grade III — 1. Gabriel Stewart.
2. Clarence Coughlin. 3. Joseph
Murphy.

Grade II — 1. Flora Buchanan. 2.
Harold Coughlin.

Grade I Sr. — 1. Phyllis Oatway.
2. Kathleen Palmer. 3. Jimmie
Morrison.

Grade I Jr. — 1. Ruth Coughlin.
2. Harold Stewart. 3. Walter Pal-
mer, Jimmie Oatway, Donetta
Morrison. (equal).

Teacher — Mrs. L. P. Hardy.

"SCENE OF THE CRIME"
AT CAPITOL, SUMMERSIDE
—"Scene of the Crime," new
M-G-M offering coming to the
Capitol screen this week, presents
Van Johnson in a hard-hitting dra-
matic role, following his recent light
comedy roles in "Mother Is a
Freshman" and "In the Good Old
Summertime." Opposite him is red-
headed Arlene Dahl, M-G-M's new-
est candidate for stardom. Miss
Dahl, last seen with Red Skelton in
"A Southern Yankee," now enacts
Johnson's young wife.

Other principals are Gloria De
Haven and Tom Drake, both of
whom first attracted screen atten-
tion with Van Johnson in "Two
Girls and a Sailor." Miss De Haven
is cast as a strip-tease dancer who
becomes a foil for a group of un-
derworld characters. Drake, one of
M-G-M's fastest-climbing young
actors, is seen as Johnson's aid in
tracking down suspects in a crim-
inal hunt. He was last seen in "Mr.
Belvedere Goes to College."

Featured in a large support-
ing cast are Leon Ames, John McIn-
tire, Donald Woods, Norman Lloyd,
Jerome Cowan and Tom Powers.

Filmed from a screen play by
Chiles Eames, "Scene of the
Crime" tells a suspense-packed story
centering about a young detective
who pits his brain and brawn
against a gang of hoodlums to solve
one of the most baffling murders
in a big city's police history.

Funeral of Mrs. Samuel Bernard On Saturday

The death in Summerside last
Thursday of Mrs. Samuel Bernard,
77, of Kensington was deeply re-
gretted by her friends. She leaves
to mourn these daughters, Mildred,
Mrs. Heath Warren, Summerside,
at whose home she passed away,
after a lingering illness; Jean,
Mrs. Joseph MacGregor, Exeter,
New Hampshire; and Hazel, Mrs.
Foster Dunning, French River.
Also two sons, Kier of Winnipeg
and Everett, R. C. A. F., Sum-
merside, one sister, Mrs. Frank
Kinsman, South Brewer, Maine,
two brothers, John, Darnley and
David of Kensington.

The funeral was held from her
former home in French River on
Saturday afternoon with the ser-
vice conducted by Rev. L. M. Mur-
ray of Kensington. A very fitting
solo "Saved By Grace" was render-
ed by Rev. Mr. Murray and Rus-
sell MacKay.

The pallbearers were Messrs.
Bruce Clark, James Clark, Arthur
MacKay, Leslie MacKay, George
Howatt and Fred Bernard.

The largely attended funeral and
the floral tributes showed the high
esteem in which Mrs. Bernard was
held by her friends and neighbors.
Interment was in Geddie Memorial
Cemetery, New London. — S.

Bedeque Notes
—Mrs. Carrie Leard, returned to
her home on Tuesday, from Mon-
cton where she visited among friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Heber Myers and
son Wendell, Carleton, were visit-
ors to Charlottetown on Thursday,
14th.

Mr. John Martin, National Film
Board, Charlottetown, showed
slides in the Bedeque School, on
Tuesday evening, 12th. These were
especially for the benefit of the
school children and their parents.

Among the slides shown were
"Bunny rabbit," "Trip," "Thru
Gaspe country," Eskimo people and
their dogs, "The world," showing
reason for day and night and sea-
sons. This school district is con-
sidering the purchase of a projector
for the use of the school.

The December meeting of the
"Edith Thompson" Evening Aux-
iliary was held at the home of Mrs.
Arnold Henderson, on Tuesday 12th.
The president was in the chair.
Roll call responded to by twenty
members, and two visitors were
welcomed. During the business
period a committee was appointed
to decorate the Sunday school
Christmas tree. A committee was
also appointed to assist in the no-
mination of officers for the Presby-
terial vacancies. Delegates appointed
to attend Presbytery were Mrs.
Edison Wright and Mrs. Norman
MacFarlane. The report of the
nominating committee officers for
1951 was as follows: President, Mrs.
Edison Wright; Vice-president, Mrs.
Burton Crowe; Recording Secre-
tary, Mrs. John Myers; Treasurer,
Mrs. Arnold Henderson; Christian
Stewardship, Mrs. Irving Toombs;
Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Edwin
Lord; Supply Secretary, Mrs. Chas.
Fred Platt; Temperance Secretary,
Mrs. Wilfred Craig; Missionary
Monthly Secretary, Mrs. Walter
Bonness; Press Secretary, Mrs.
Reginald Murray; Literature Sec-
retary, Mrs. J. W. Moreside; Organ-
ist, Mrs. Crowe.

The programme consisted of a
Christmas Candle-light service and
was conducted by Mrs. Arthur
Murray and Mrs. Moreside. Lunch
was served by the hostess, and dur-
ing a social hour a gift was pre-
sented to Mrs. Haneveld, recently
settled here from Holland.

The annual Sunday school en-
tertainment and Christmas tree was
held in the Church on Wednesday
evening 13th. There was large
attendance of children and parents.
The Superintendent of the school,

Toy Matinee Is Big Success

The annual Kinsmen toy matinee
was held on Saturday morning at
the Capitol Theatre, Summerside,
and was most successful both from
the point of view of the number of
toys received and also their quality.
Over 800 children packed the theatre
and all brought a toy.

These toys, along with some
which had been given by the Kin-
smen were later sorted out and
yesterday were distributed to St.
Vincent's Orphanage and Mount
Herbert Orphanage by Messrs.
Elmer Offer and Cleve Whalen.

As has been his custom, Mr. Har-
old Gaudet donated the use of the
theatre and the services of his staff
without charge. The cost of the
films and other expenses were paid
by the Kinsmen Club. Mr. Norman
Hogg was chairman of the commit-
tee in charge of the project.

Before the matinee was held a
publicity campaign had been staged
to encourage the children to bring
toys in good condition and it is
pleasing to report that the great
majority of the youngsters respon-
ded to the appeal and very few toys
had to be discarded. — S

Mr. J. H. MacFarlane, presided.
The following programme was nicely
rendered by the children: "O
come let us adore Him," Hymn: "O
Little town of Bethlehem," Prayer
by Superintendent, Solo: Hannah
Mezino, Scripture reading: Ronnie
Dawson and George Wright, Rec.
Clair Muttar, Chorus: "Who is
He in yonder stall?" Hymn: "While
shepherds watched their flocks by
night," Solo: Hazel Robinson,
Chorus: "Little children can you
sing?" Solo: Anna Leard, Address
left? Solo: Mrs. Charles MacFarlane, Solo:
Elizabeth Green, Closing hymn:
"Silent Night."

At the conclusion of the pro-
gramme the congregation retired to
the vestry, where Rev. Mr. Crowe
showed slides depicting the boyhood
of Jesus. A beautifully-decorated
tree added to the enjoyment of the
occasion. About 100 little folks were
treated to gifts of candy and fruit.
Votes of thanks were presented to
those who had helped to make the
evening so pleasant and successful.
The Mizpah Benediction closed the
meetings.

GIFT HINTS for Him
IF HE SMOKES— He should have a Ronson Lighter or a Ronson Combination Case, suitably engraved. This tested lighter is known far and wide for its excellent quality and will be received at Christmas with real appreciation. 5.00 up
IF HE WEARS A WATCH He would like an Expansion Bracelet. For such a suitable and useful gift he will thank you all the year around—every day he wears it and feels its comfort and convenience.
DOES HE HAVE A RING? Every man likes to wear a ring. We have a marvellous selection of Lodge, Stone and Signet Rings any one of which is sure to please. 4.00 up
OTHER SUGGESTIONS: BILFOLDS, CUFF LINKS, PEN & PENCIL SETS
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WOMEN'S—white, figure skates \$14.50
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Aylmer Tomato and Vegetable Soup, 10 tins 1.00
Sweet Mixed Pickles, 3 jars 1.00
Domestic & Fluffo Shortening 3 lbs. 1.00
C.C.Q. Corn Niblets, 9 tins 1.00
Emperor Grapes, 2 lbs. 35c
Devon Brand Bacon, 1 lb. 55c
Sausages, per lb. 43c
Grapefruit, Large, 3 for 27c
Head Lettuce, Celery, Tomatoes Bananas
Monarch Ketchup, 2 bottles ... 35c
Kleenex, 2 pkgs. 33c
Robin Hood Cake Mix, 2 pkgs.. 63c
Jello, all varieties, 3 pkgs. 27c
Royal Russet Apple Juice, 3 tins . 39c
Heinz Tomato Juice, 3 tins 39c
Lynn Valley Waxed Beans, 3 tins 39c
Peter Pan Peaches, 15 oz., 3 tins 44c
The Store where your dollars buys the MOST
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