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Primes, Seals, Preserves WOOD

Strange But True

By F. H. MacArthur

There are now three Canadian provinces with Liberal governments.

A new spud, a cross between the netted gem and Earline types, has been developed by the University of Saskatchewan.

A strange custom among the Maoris of Australia is the erection of tattooed figures above the monuments of their dead.

The tattooing is done by the priests. Part of the extreme desire for sons rather than daughters among Eastern peoples is rooted in the fact that men alone can really pray.

Did you know that drifting beggars in England, during the reign of Edward VI, were branded with a V or S, as vagrants or slaves.

In those days a laborer could not choose his occupation, nor could a discharged soldier work at what he liked.

Persons of high social rank seated on higher chairs, took their meals along with their dependants; so in the farm homes, even down to our time, the farm hands were treated like members of the family.

Man 71 plays trumpet on hill-top for 26 years sounds like something out of India doesn't it?

Now that he is no longer a God Emperor, Hirohito, of Japan takes no chances when it comes to eating his meals.

A half century ago a horse ran away with a buggy near Seneca, Mo., and spelled finis to a romance, which has again fanned into a fire of time and will result in the wedding of Joe Cravens and Mrs. Lula Masters.

When Mrs. Cravens No. 1, died, and Mrs. Masters, a widow, met again, they decided to take up where they had left off fifty years ago.

The widow, who is 67, has 7 children, and Cravens, 75 is the proud daddy of nine.

WORTHING, England (OP)—Little concern is felt about deck-chairs that are swept out to sea from this Sussex seaside resort.

APPLEBY, England (OP)—The Westmorland Federation of Women's Institutes will ask manufacturers to make wider bedsheets.

Islanders With R. C. R.'s



Recent heavy fighting on the Korean front was shouldered by newly-arrived Canadian troops who while taking casualties managed to shake off the savage attack of the Chinese and retain their defensive positions.

York and Vicinity

Mrs. Joe Brown was a visitor to York on Wednesday, May 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lewis spent Thursday, in the City.

Miss Annie Doyle, Covehead, spent Friday May 15th, in the City.

Mr. and Mrs. Millar Bearsto, Covehead, were the guests of Mrs. Peter Proud, York, Thursday, May 4th.

The many friends of Mr. Westley Matthews are sorry to hear he is confined to his home with the flu.

Miss Lauretta Vessey, York, is the guest of her brother, Mr. William Vessey and Mrs. Vessey, Marshfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watts and Mrs. Edison Watts, York, spent the May 18th holiday at the Eastern part of the Island.

family spent Sunday May 17th in York.

Mrs. Albert Proud had as her guest on Sunday May 17th her sister, Mrs. Alex Beaton.

Mr. Leonard Andrew, New Glasgow, N. S., is spending a holiday at his home in York with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Proud, York, have as their guest Mrs. Arthur Bagely and her brother, Donald Ellis, of Boston, U.S.A.

Mrs. Horace Vessey was a visitor to the City on Tuesday May 18th. She was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Allison West.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stevenson, and family were visitors to York on Sunday May 17th.

The many friends are sorry to hear of the illness of Mr. Edmond McMillan and wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr McCann, Covehead, spent Sunday May 12th in York, the guests of Mrs. McCann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keizer and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vessey

and family, York, were visitors to Flat River on Sunday, May 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watts spent Wednesday May 19th, in the City.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watts and family were the guests of Mrs. Watts' parents, Flat River, on Sunday May 17th.

Mrs. Vernon Rodd, City, spent the holiday week-end in York, the guest of her brother, Mr. Gordon Crockett and Mrs. Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison West and family, City, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Vessey on

Monday May 18th.

Mrs. Gordon Crockett was hostess to the W.M.S. on Monday May 18th with fair attendance.

Miss Mary Watts of the Royal Bank, City, spent the holiday week-end at her home, in York.

Miss Joan Auld, City, was a visitor to York Station on Monday May 18th.

Miss Lois Rodd, City, was the guest of Miss Mary Watts over the week-end holiday, at York.

Mrs. Fred Holman, City, was a visitor to York on Sunday May

17th, where she visited her father, Mr. Eddy Vessey, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Elmer Brown.

Much sympathy is being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mallett and family on the death of their son Merle.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Muchison, York Point, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Vessey May 17th.

Mrs. Joseph Ince and Mrs. Hammond Ince, Hampton, spent Sunday May 17th in York, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Vessey.

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