Women

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HAPPENINGS

Dr. and Mrs. L.I. Duffy left Wednesday for Digby Pines Hotel to attend the Atlantic Provinces Dental Convention.

Mrs. J.A. Lawson, Jr., has arrived home from Scotland where she visited with relatives and friends for five weeks.

Miss Norah Mahar, recent graduate from Prince of Wales College, has accepted the position of teacher for St. Mary's Road East School District for the coming year.

Garnet Buell, 46 Kensington Road, was the winner of a father's day cake in a raffle sponsored by the St. Charles Auxiliary of the Charlottetown Hospital.

Mrs. Lorne MacLellan, newly elected president of the P.E.I. Branch of the Consumers Association of Canada, and Mrs. J.A. Lawson, Sr., a national officer, are attending the association's annual meeting being held in Kingston, Ont., June 22 and 23.

Hostesses for the golf tea on Saturday are Mrs. W.R. Jenkins, Mrs. W.M. Mellish, Mrs. J.C. Montgomery, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. John Samson, Mrs. C.M. MacLean, and Mrs. J.C. MacMillan.

Souris Sea Ranger Company and Skipper, Mrs. Fred Perry, have received an invitation from Lieut. Commander W.E. Claydards, Halifax, to visit HMCS Svansea when she docks at Charlottetown in August.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Kelly and son Dennis of Phoenix, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L.Kelly, Ottawa, and Mrs. William W. Murphy, Reading, Mass have returned to their homes after attending the funeral of their mother, Mrs. George Kelly, formerly of Kinkora.

The Kensington United Church Women packed the annual Spring box of used clothing for Overseas Relief, on Tuesday at the church under the chairmanship of Mrs. Bruce MacLeod. The box contained a large supply of used clothing, several layettes contributed by the units, as well as a number of quilts. It is interesting to note that two senior members of the U.C.W. each pieced and donated a quilt top which was quilted by other members. Mrs. J.M. Davison and Mrs. Andrew Johnstone, both over ninety, are keenly interested in all phases of missionary work although their participation is now mainly confined to hand work done at home.

Garth Caseley who is spending the summer at Canso, N.S., where he is assisting in the ministry of a United Church charge, paid a brief visit recently to his home at Kelvin.

Mrs. Lena Cooke entertained recently at a surprise shower at her home at 151 Kensington Road for Miss Viola MacDonald.

Mrs. Cooke ushered the bride into the living room which was tastefully decorated with spring flowers. Miss Helen MacDonald, sister of the bride, wheeled in the gifts. Mrs. W. Crockett passed the gifts to the bride and Mrs. W. Hambly read the verses.

Mrs. George Scantlebury and Mrs. John Hardy assisted the hostess in serving. Mrs. Lloyd Vessey played for a sing-song.

Dr. Derrill I. McGuigan, Trenton, N.J., has arrived in Charlottetown to spend his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett McGuigan. While in the city, Dr. McGuigan will lecture at the forthcoming summer school session at St. Dunstan's University.

ELLEN'S DIARY

Fragrant Blossoms Scent Purple Shades Of Evening

With Peter, whose present vocabulary stresses "Go — Go!", we walked from the machine, parked at the gateway to the other farm, this evening, along the level lane to the piece of old orchard there.

The trees are weathered, gnarled and neglected, but beautifully adorned now in garlands of bloom. And the fragrance of the million blossoms is delightful, full for us of happy memories of June times gone, and, we would hope of others to come.

"Oh — oh!" Peter would remark with an elfin grin, when his cheek chanced to come in contact with a low-hanging flowery branch.

The orchard there commands a fine view of the valley. We looked away south to the "Dixieland" that is home, hoping to catch from this perspective a sight of the roofs and gables there. Only its far fields were to be seen however, and over them, and the countryside, the purple shades of evening were drifting.

So still and peaceful, it was then, with the work of the day on the farms now ended. And peaceful it was here in the enbowered orchard, where a woman and a little boy, hand in hand, walked its paths.

James and Granddaughter had gone to a field down the slope to the rear, and nearer the millstream. He was mending the fence through which a ewe, with an itchy hoof and a pair of smart lambkins, had been escaping from their pasture to nibble on a grainfield. The top of the ewe on a fencestake came up to us in a pretty echo through the stillness, and the voices of the two, though not clearly, in conversation there.

Presently she joined us to enjoy the sight and fragrance of the blossoms. And, we suspect, to further the pattern of some young and secret dream. For an orchard in full blossom in the June-time is an ideal spot to encourage, every weaver of dreams.

By then, James was on the rise beyond the stream-gone there to see that all was well with the flock — Farmers do not turn their flock or herd to pasture and leave them to take pot luck there. Oh no, they must come to inspect them frequently. Daily, if at all possible or more often, to see that all continue well. Miseries can develop suddenly. A dozen calamities may befall.

It was well for the fortunes of these farms, that James took those extra steps this evening, or a ewe or her undelivered lambkin, or both, would have been no longer numbered with the flock. As it was, the younger farmer must be summoned in haste — And a June-born lambkin we have, delivered in the nick of time by a pair of farmers, in this summery dusk.

"There was no sign of life to it, not a breath at first" Mack related since. Now revived, nursed, and beside its mother, it will live to join its kin in the intriguing young races they run.

A perfect day-this was: warm and beautiful. One, it came to mind, of perfect conditions for the summer-influx of visitors, tourists and all, who are drawn and redrawn to visit Island scenes.

Until tomorrow — Diary — Goodnight....

Precious Blood Sister Takes Perpetual Vows

Sister Mary Raymond, the former Shirley Hennessey, daughter of Mrs. Lawrence Hennessey and the late Mr. Hennessey, Charlottetown, pronounced perpetual vows as Sister of the Precious Blood Order in a recent ceremony in the chapel of the new Precious Blood Monastary, Malpeque Road.

Monsignor R.V. MacKenzie presided, assisted by Rev. Francis Cameron. Rev. Cecil Moreau, CSsR, preached the sermon for the occasion. Rev. David McTague was also present in the sanctuary with the other clergy.

Members of the Congregation of Notre Dame attended the ceremony, as did friends and relatives.

Another member of the Hennessey family, Anne, now Sister Mary Lawrence, entered the order in 1947.

Friends of Sister Mary Raymond who were unable to attend the ceremony called during the day to offer their congratulations and best wishes.

In the evening, Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament was given by Rev. Francis Cameron, assisted by two nephews of the sister, Larry and Philip Hughes, Knights of the Altar of Holy Redeemer Parish.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Carter and family, St. John, N.B.

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WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS

Life Membership Pins Are Presented At UCW Meet

KENSINGTON — Mrs. James Cooke was presented with a UCW Life Membership certificate and pin, and Mrs. Alexander MacKay, a former Life Member of the Woman's Missionary Society, with a new UCW pin, at the recent general meeting of the Kensington United Church Women.

Addresses expressing appreciation to each lady for her contribution to the varied phases in the service of the church, were read by Mrs L.M. Murray and Mrs. Dan MacKenzie. The presentations were made by the chairman of the membership committee, Mrs. Robert Hogg.

Another highlight of this meeting was a Bible study review carried out in similar manner to the TV program "Live a Little". Bible characters, Elijah, Ruth Jonathan, Joseph and Job were impersonated by Mrs. Robert Carruthers, Mrs. Everett Glover, Mrs. Dan MacKenzie, Mrs. Oliver Paynter and Mrs Marvin Clark. Each unit provided a panel to question the guest character.

Mrs. Harold Laird presided and led the devotional service. The secretary reported a membership of 96 ladies. Mrs. Leaman Caseley described the redecorating done to the YPU room, and the approximate cost of $239.

Mrs. P.J. Kennedy read the financial report. Miss Hattie Clark requested the names of persons over 80 years of age in order that the corresponding secretary might remember them with birthday cards. Five dollars was voted for laundry services, and two dollars each to girls attending church camps. Mrs. L.M. Murray invited all who were available to assist in the annual vacation school, July 2-7.

A letter was read from Mrs. Alan Jenkins in appreciation for the hospitality of the Kensington UCW in entertaining the recent Presbyterial workshop. Mrs. Keith Kennedy recommended a booklet "Helping Children to Pray" costing 10 cents, obtained from the Bible House, Charlottetown. The next general meeting will be held in August and will be an outdoor meeting.

ST. COLUMBIA CWL

St. Columba CWL conveners were appointed for the year at a special meeting held recently in the side chapel.

The following are the conveners, spiritual — Mrs Charles J. Campbell; membership — Mrs. Joseph Fay; legislation — Mrs. Harry Harris; radio, T.V. and films — Mrs. F. MacDonald; social action — Mrs. Daniel MacDonald; education — Mrs. Percy Murphy; resolutions and report forms—Mrs. B. Cheverie; finance — Mrs. J.B. MacIsaac; press and magazine — Mrs. Bernard Mossey.

Correspondence consisted of a letter from the president regarding a spiritual bouquet and one from Our Lady's Missionaries.

The date for the general cleaning of the Church was discussed and decided. The meeting adjourned with prayer and the blessing by Father MacDonald.

YORK UCW

The last regular meeting of York United Church Women was held in the church on Tuesday evening with an attendance of 21 members. Mrs. Ernest MacDonald and Mrs. Walter Mallet led the devotional, the theme of which was "Glorious Promise". Hymns 164 and 162 were sung. Scripture reading was taken from John 15: 1-17. The circle of prayer and benediction brought this part of the meeting to a close.

Mrs. Lloyd Vessey conducted the Bible Study. The next book study will be led by Mrs. Elmer Brown.

The president, Miss Francis Vessey, chaired the business period. A letter was read telling of the Work Shop to be held at Hunter River. All expressed interest and as many as possible hope to attend.

Mrs. Raymond Vessey and Mrs. Elmer Brown, supply secretaries, reported on the work done; sixteen crib quilts were made for the United Church Depot at Toronto. These were on display at the meeting so that all members could see the accomplishment.

Mrs. Howard Watts, Secretary of Christian Citizenship read an article entitled: Why are Christians Concerned?" Another thought-provoking article was read by Mrs. Walter Mallett. This is found in the June "Observer" and entitled: "An open letter to an author. "Aftermath" of the article, "Aftermath of Turkey and Trimmings". This aftermath found in the March 15th issue.

Mrs. Dewar Swan reported on calls made.

Group 2, consisting of Mrs. Frank Vessey, Mrs Beverley Simpson and Mrs. Minto Foster will be on the next devotional. The months of July and August are combined with one meeting to be held on the 24th of July.

The meeting closed with mizpah benediction, and following this, lunch was served by hostess and committee in charge.

INDIAN RIVER WI

Mabel McLellan and Rita Munn were appointed to attend the provincial convention July 11 and 12 at the June meeting of Indian River W.I. Lillian Hickey and Frances Campbell were re-appointed as delegates to the 1963 district convention.

Patricia MacLellan was hostess for the meeting, which was attended by 12 members and one visitor. The visitor joined the Institute as a new member.

The president, Monica Gillis presided and opened the meeting with singing "The Maple Leaf Forever" followed by the Mary Stewart Collect in unison.

Secretary Sheila Dunphy read the minutes of the last regular meeting which were signed after aproval. Roll call was answered by each member naming a reigning queen. The treasurer, Francis Campbell, reported bills paid and balance on hand.

Sick and School committees gave their respective reports. It was decided to buy push brooms for school.

Correspondence consisted of "thank you" notes for treats received, a letter from the Canadian Consumers Association inviting membership, and an appeal from the Salvation Army. It was moved and seconded to send $5 to CAC and a number of members volunteered to collect for the Salvation Army.

It was decided to give usual treats and prizes to school children at their school closing. Mabel McLellan was appointed scholarship convener.

As Indian River W.I. were catering for the district convention to be held July 11 arrangements for same were made

The president having a birthday within the month, all members joined in extending greetings and singing "happy birthday".

SPRINGFIELD WI

"Jamaica" was the theme for the June meeting of Springfield WI held at the home of Mrs. Reginald Haslam. The Jamaica Federation Hymn opened the meeting, and a total of 12 members and one visitor answered roll call with "aims and activities of JFW", supplied by Mrs. Haslam.

The sick committee reported sending one get well card and receiving one thank you card. The treasurer reported a balance of $48.05 on hand. Correspondence was dealt with.

Mrs. Leigh Lowther spoke of her recent trip to the Bahamas and Colorado, and showed pictures taken there. She was thanked by Mrs. Jack Hicken.

A display of old brocades was shown with Muriel Haslam and Mrs. William Haslam receiving the prizes. The meeting also featured a contest on food products from the West Indies.

FOILS BANDIT

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — A grocer, watching the store for a fellow-grocer who was attending a funeral, was wounded twice by a bandit Thursday when he resisted a holdup attempt. But grocer Charles Wolszynski, 41, hit the gunman over the left eye with a crowbar before the man fled.

HOMES FLOODED

KEY WEST Fla. (AP)—More than 200 homes have been flooded in eastern Cuba by a rain-swollen River, Havana radio reported Thursday. The broadcast said no one was injured but the population in the area of the Ella Sugar Refinery about 40 miles southeast of Camaguey was terrified. Sixteen inches of rainfall has been recorded in the Ella section this month.

BETTY CAROL MATHESON

Land Ranger Attends Girl Scout Roundup

Charlottetown Land Ranger, Betty Carol Matheson, left on June 18 on the first part of a visit to the United States that will take her to the American Girl Scout Roundup in Burlington Bay State Park, near Burlington, Vermont.

In New York she met the other member of the Canadian team, Sea Ranger Mary Ann Alexander from Toronto. With a party of Girl Scouts from New York they leave today for Mobile, Alabama, where they will be guests of the Deep South Girl Scout Hostess Council for three to four weeks.

From there, the group of two Canadians and six Americans will leave for the Burlington roundup, which runs from July 18 to 31.

Miss Matheson was selected to attend the roundup in December, 1961. The gathering is part of the 50th anniversary celebrations of the Girl Scouts in the United States.

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New London Presbyterian WMS Elects New Officers

KENSINGTON — Mrs. Oliver Bernard was elected president of St. John's Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society, New London, at the recent annual meeting held at the home of Mrs. Fred Campbell.

Other officers for 1962-63 brought in by the chairman of the nominating committee Mrs. Fred Campbell, and accepted by the meeting, were, 1st vice president, Mrs. Oscar MacKay; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Fred Campbell; secretary, Mrs. Leigh MacEwen (re-elected); treasurer, Mrs. Ken MacKay (re-elected) special collection secretary, Mrs. Stanley Brown, (re-elected); five cent secretary, Mrs. Francis Murray (re-elected) organist, Mrs. Angus Green, (re-elected); Flower and fruit committee, Mrs. Wilbur MacKay and Mrs. Mont MacEwen, (re-elected).

The devotional period was led by Mrs. Armel MacKinnon on the theme, "Called by a new name", "Jewels", and included the singing of Psalm one, meditation, and prayer. The season of prayer was given by Mrs. Duncan Cole, Mrs. Francis Murray and Mrs. Johnny Campbell.

The president Mrs. Oscar MacKay, presided. A total of 22 members answered roll call with a verse of scripture. The members were reminded of a rally service to be held in the church on June 14.

Mrs. Wallie Ferguson had charge of the Bible questions, and the study book was in charge of Mrs. Angus Green.

Mrs. Mont MacEwen invited the members to her home for the July meeting. Leader will be Mrs. George MacKay, and season of prayer will be given by Mrs. Roy Brown, Mrs. Armel MacKinnon and Mrs. Oscar MacKay.

The new sick committee are Mrs. Ken MacKay, Mrs. Oliver Bernard, Mrs. Wilbur MacKay, Mrs. George P. MacLeod and Mrs. Angus Green.

Mrs. George MacKay, Mrs. Ian Henderson, Mrs. Mont MacEwen, Mrs. Oliver Bernard, Mrs. Francis Murray, Mrs. Murray MacKay, and Mrs. Dan Morrison will be in charge of the lunch and program for next meeting.

The program was prepared by Mr. Fred Campbell, Mrs. Armel MacKinnon, Mrs. Wallie Ferguson, Mrs. Duncan Cole, Mrs. Roy Brown and Mrs. George P. MacLeod.

The meeting closed with prayer and lunch was served by the lunch committee.

UCW Workshop Held At Park Royal United

The singing of the hymn "Lord Speak to Me" opened the recent workshop at Park Royal United Church. Mrs. Heber Jones presided. Mrs. Mummery, president of the Park Royal United Church Women, welcomed the visiting women. Approximately one hundred women representing 20 different units answered the roll call.

Mrs. Bryer Jones Hampton reported for supply and social assistance. Mrs. Charles Howatt spoke on behalf of Mrs. L. M. Murray, Kensington, concerning camps. Mrs. W. B. Creed, treasurer, gave a very encouraging report.

The workshop then divided into groups for study and discussion: the presidents, with Mrs. Ewen Anderson as leader; the treasurer, with Mrs. W.B. Creed as leader; Mrs. Stanley Thompson, Mrs. Robert MacKinnon and Mrs. Lester Johnston led in a discussion on the handbook. The women then enjoyed looking over the literature display which was in charge of Mrs. David Mutch.

The workshop again divided, part to study "how to prepare a worship service", led by Mrs. Charles Howatt; the other part to study "how to present bible study", led by Mrs. Gordon MacDonald and Mrs. T. J. Humphrey.

A devotional service, led by Mrs. Hazen Howard, Cornwall, brought the workshop to a close. Coffee was served by the ladies of Park Royal United Church Women, who were thanked for their hospitality by Mrs. David Mutch.

BRIGHT PUPIL

GUILDFORD, England (CP) A Surrey schoolmaster reports that during a lesson on current affairs he asked his class for views on how to improve recruitment for the prison service. One pupil suggested: "Get a better class of prisoner."

GETS CONFIDENCE VOTE

TORONTO (CP) — T. C. Douglas, national leader of the New Democratic Party and defeated candidate in Regina City riding in Monday's federal election, was given a vote of confidence by local 343 of the office Employees International Union (CLC). The vote was passed at the local's general meeting here.

ORANGEMENT TO MARCH

TORONTO (CP) — An estimated 5,000 Orangemen and 50 bands will participate in Toronto's 141st annual Orange parade to celebrate the 272nd anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne, Saturday, July 14. Ceremonies will include wreath laying at the cenotaph and patriotic addresses.

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