



SOCIAL INTERACTION

Child, Parent Relations Discussed At Meeting

At a recent meeting of the Notre Dame Home and School Association, which was chaired by Joseph Murphy in the absence of the president, Connie LeClair, a lecture-discussion period was conducted by Mrs. Vernon Bolger, R.N.

The title of her talk "The Young Child's Trust Fund" was concerned with social interaction of child and parent in the pre-school years. The importance of meaningful mothering as a necessary element in the early development of the personality of the child was stressed.

Mrs. Bolger stated that scientists who have done careful research on child growth and development present these two significant findings among others:

The young child needs a prolonged intimate association with a mothering person; usually the physiological mother and rich social interaction with a mothering person (or psychic organizer) is as essential to normal personality development of the young child as certain nutrients are at specific stages of physiological growth.

It is through hundred of lively healthy social interactions with a loving parent that a child builds up a trust fund of love on which he can draw for the rest of his life.

Governments are now employing specialists in child care to assist parents in the application of research findings to the care of their children. The Russians who have encouraged mothers to go to work and leave their children in day nurseries are

taking a second look at the effects on the children.

In the United States, children whose pre-school social development is neglected by parents are being treated to "Head Start Programs" where the mothers of these children work with mothers who have had experience in the "mothering process," that is, mothers who have treated their own children to a rich pre-school social life.

Dr. John Bowley of London, England, who for twenty-five years has carried out research on the effects of separation of the young child from the parent, states that one of the most important findings in psychiatry in this period has been that the quality of child parent association in the first years of life has profound effects on the mental health of the child for his whole life.

The speaker was introduced by Russel Driscoll, M.L.A., Chairman of the Program Committee. Sister Mary Herbert, C.N.D., was the secretary of the meeting.

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WESTERN BRIEFS

TO WINNIPEG
Mrs. H.W. Matthews, Alberton, left recently to visit relatives in Winnipeg.

IN HOSPITAL
Sophie Barbour, Alma, is ill in the Western Hospital.

RECEIVING TREATMENT
G. Melville Donald, Alberton, is receiving treatment in the Western Hospital.

IS PATIENT
Lucy Hardy, Alberton, is a patient in the Western Hospital.

IS PATIENT
Mrs. Wallace Graham, Greenmont is a patient in O'Leary Community Hospital, where she recently underwent surgery.

ASSESSED \$75
A fine of \$75 and costs or 15 days was imposed upon Rodney Pridham of Alberton when he appeared before Magistrate Chester S. MacDonald in Prince County Court yesterday. The accused was charged with impaired driving. Leslie Wallace Noye McNeill's Mills, pleaded not guilty to a similar charge and had his case adjourned to May 31. The charge of speeding against Lloyd Wesley McEwen, Charlottetown, was dismissed by the magistrate.

BACK IN PUBLIC

Red China leader Mao Tse-tung, center, makes his first public appearance since last Nov. 26 as he escorts Albanian Premier Mehmet Shehu, right, according to caption on radio-photo from Peking monitored in Tokyo yesterday. Caption

Island Cadets Will Take Part

Six members of the Air Cadet League on Prince Edward Island learned yesterday that they have been chosen to take part in either goodwill trips abroad or to participate in a variety of special training camps this summer. They include three cadets from Squadron 60, Charlottetown, two from Squadron 53, Summerside and one from Tignish, Squadron 64.

From Charlottetown Donald Keith Taylor, cadet WO 2, son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Taylor, Mt. Edward Road, has been selected to spend five weeks in the United Kingdom on a goodwill "exchange visit".

Flight Sergeant Melvin Bruce Crane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Crane, Hazelbrook, will be leaving for RCAF Station Camp Borden, Ontario, in July to begin a seven week senior course he will receive leadership training to prepare him as a potential officer or instructor for an Air Cadet Squadron.

He will be accompanied by Robert Hogan, Squadron 641, Tignish.

ATTENDING COURSE
Robert Sterling Younker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Younker, Southport, will be attending a five week course at the Moncton Flying Club on an RCAF flying Squadron 53, Summerside, will also be taking the flying course.

At the successful completion of the course they will be awarded Air Cadet wings as well as a private pilot's licence.

A Summerside cadet, Darrel Roddick, will be joining 26 cadets from all provinces in Alberta in August on a two week Bush Familiarization Course.

WESTERN FUNERALS

SCHURMAN - FUNERAL
The funeral for Everett T. Schurman was held recently from his late residence to Free-town United Church. Service was conducted by Rev. R.M. Shaw. During the service J.B. Lewis sang "My Home, Sweet Home". Hymns sung by a mixed choir were "The Lord Is My Shepherd" and "Lafayette in the Arms of Jesus". The accompanist was Mrs. R.A. Proffitt. Pallbearers were Stanley Evans, J. Scott Cairns, Fred Paynter, Howard Schurman, Everett Francis and Ralph R. Burns. Flowerbearers were Ronald Lewis, C.B. March, Cecil Paynter, R.A. Proffitt and Robert Jardine. Interment took place in Peoples cemetery.

DEATHS

MACNEILL - At Kings County Memorial Hospital on May 10, 1966, William Emery MacNeill of Montague, age 73 years. Resting at the Montague Funeral Home. Funeral from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Montague, Thursday, May 12, at 2 p.m. Interment in the Montague Community cemetery.

TAYLOR - At the P.E.I. Hospital Monday, May 9, 1966, Sydney D. Taylor of Winsloe in his 76th year. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home from where funeral will be held today, May 11, with service commencing at 2 p.m. Interment will take place in Floral Hills Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers contributions to the Canadian Heart Foundation would be appreciated.

CROKEN - In the Prince County Hospital, May 10, 1966, Maurice Croken of Emerald aged 42 years. Remains have been transferred from the Monaghan Funeral Home to his late residence in Emerald from where the funeral will be held Friday, May 13, leaving the house at 9.30 for Solemn Requiem Mass in St. James Church, Summerside. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

FINED \$10

A fine of \$10 and costs or 10 days was imposed upon Gary Walsh of Summerside on a charge of driving without due care and attention. The accused, arraigned in Summerside town police court yesterday, appeared before Magistrate R.S. Hinton, QC. Clarence Steele, Summerside, pleaded not guilty to a charge of allowing his dog to run at large. The case was further adjourned to a later date. Mr. Steele was represented by D.O. Stewart.

IN COLLISION

Summerside Town police investigated a collision on Harvard Street at 8:30 Monday morning involving two Summerside milk company trucks. The vehicles involved were a 1963 International owned by Algama Dairy and a 1964 Fargo owned by Ideal Dairy. The driver of the International was Barry Williams, North Bedeque, and the driver of the Fargo was Hardy Merrill, Summerside. Damage was estimated at \$300 to the Ideal Dairy truck.

Civic Changes Are Accepted

Ivan Maund, president of Charlottetown Civic Employees Local Union No. 830 of the Canadian Union of Public Employees, yesterday announced that, after consultations with Union Attorney, D. Frank Sigworth, the proposed changes in the existing collective agreement between the Local Union and the City of Charlottetown Water Commission have been accepted and ratified by the Union.

The present Union drafted agreement, containing the proposed changes, requires now only approval as to form by the City Water Commission before coming into effect. The amendments to the present Union - Commission contract will effect changes in the wages of City

PLAN AIR LINK

PARIS (Reuters) - Franco-Chinese talks opened here Monday aimed at setting up an air service between Paris and Shanghai - the first between China and any Western country. The proposed agreement will give the French state airline, Air France, the right to open a service to Shanghai, and possibly later to Peking.

Local Nurses Hold Re-Union

A re-union was held at the Granada Club Monday night for the 1946 graduating class of the Charlottetown Hospital School of Nursing. There were 14 graduates only six were able to attend. The others are presently situated in other parts of the world.

Those present were Kathleen White of Emerald; Doreen Grant, Mill View; Pauline Brennan, Kinkora; Eileen MacMillan, Iona; Doris Jay, St. Peters; Marion Mitchell, Charlottetown.

The members of the class who were unable to attend were: Bernice Haughey, Valictorian, Charlottetown; Jean Hughes, Charlottetown; Imelda Vautour, Charlottetown; Kathleen O'Connor, New London; Jean Grant, Montague; Mary Richard, Charlottetown; Phyllis Blanchard, Charlottetown; Tena Melvor, Kinkora.

The flower girl for the graduating class was Ethel McWade. The exercise and dance was held at the old Holy Name Hall and the banquet was held at the Charlottetown Hotel.

A toast to the nurses present at the re-union was proposed by Gordon Kelly.

Liberal Leader Delivers Address

Stands to be taken by the Liberal party were outlined by Liberal leader Alex Campbell who

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