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CHURCH OF SCOTLAND, Summerside 11.00 a.m., September 7th. Rev. H. F. MacEwen.

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RUMMAGE SALE, Town Hall, Saturday, September 13th at 2.30. Sponsored by Catholic Women's League.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH, Central Bedoue, Rev. D. M. Fraser, Pastor. Services for Sunday, September 7th, 10.45 A.M. at 2 P.M. Preaching service 3 P.M. Everyone welcome.

ENGAGEMENT—Mr. and Mrs. Gordon S. Elliott, Annapolis, New Brunswick, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Hazel Lulu, to William Arthur son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mill, Kensington. P. E. I. Marriage to take place September 27th.

NEW LONDON PARISH.—Kensington, Burlington and New London Anglican Churches, Sunday, September 7th, 1952. St. Mark's, Kensington, Sunday School 9.30 A.M. Holy Communion 10.30 A.M. St. Stephen's, Burlington, 1.30 P.M. Evensong, St. Thomas', New London, 7.30 P.M. Evensong, Rev. W. B. Coupland, Rector.

PRESBYTERIAN GROUP—A special meeting of the Presbyterian Young Adult Group, Summerside, was held on Friday evening for the purpose of appointing a president to replace Mr. George Walker, who has taken up residence in Kentville, N. S. Mr. Kenneth Walker is the new president. Plans were finalized for a Canada Packers Cooking School. The committee in charge consist of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Maxwell, Mrs. Keith Johnston, Mrs. Harry Bishop, Mr. John Ellis and Mrs. J. D. MacKay.—S.

PERSONALS
—Mr. Hazard Gardiner, Cape Traverse, was a business visitor to Summerside yesterday.

—Miss Eva MacLeod, Miss Dorothy MacLeod, and Mrs. Mary MacLeod, all of Victoria, were visitors to Summerside yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. H. B. MacLeod, Mrs. Sorden Campbell and Mrs. E. Profit, Burlington, were in the city on Friday attending the community drama course.—Bur.

—Mr. Nelson Best and Miss Ruth Branson arrived from Hamilton, Ontario, and were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beeches Best, Summerside, before leaving yesterday on a visit to relatives and friends in Boston, Mass., enroute to Hamilton. They were accompanied to Boston by Mr. Best.—S.

CARLETON AND VICINITY
—Mr. Clinton Beers of Somerville, Mass., visited in Carleton the past week, guest of his cousin, Mr. Albert Morrison.

—Miss Angelina Gallant returned to her home in Carleton on Saturday, August 23rd, after spending a two weeks' vacation in Boston, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roland Campbell of Stoughton, Mass., spent the past week of August 18th and 22nd in Cape Traverse, guests of Mrs. Campbell's sister, Mrs. Ern Sherman.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bell and family of Amherst, N.S., arrived in Carleton on Saturday, August 23rd, where they will remain for the next two weeks, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Bell.

—Friends of Mrs. Hermas Myers of Carleton will regret to learn that she is a patient in the Victoria General Hospital in Halifax, N.S.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howatt and Mrs. Austin Campbell of Carleton notified to Charlottetown on Thursday, Aug. 21st, where they visited Mr. Austin Campbell at the Provincial Sanatorium.

—Mrs. Arnett Howatt who has been spending his embarkation leave in Cape Traverse with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Howatt, returned to Wainwright, Alberta, on Saturday, August 23rd. Mrs. Howatt expects to be going overseas in the very near future.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Downe of Charlottetown notified to Carleton on Sunday, Aug. 24th, where they visited Mrs. Downe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Lord.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Murphy of Cape Traverse motored to Moncton, N.B., on August 16th, where they spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Larver. Mr. John Campbell ("John of the Lilacs") the noted author of "Golden Moments", was a visitor to Carleton on Saturday, August 23rd.

Let's Talk It Over

by "A"

We were surprised to learn that a large percentage of Prince Edward Island school teachers are going on record as favoring the return of compulsory Latin instruction in our schools. One of the resolutions expressed a desire to make Latin instruction compulsory, to help the pupils with their English, but it would reduce the Lessons in Grade X to twenty-five. It has always been our opinion that the only pupils whose English was at all influenced by the study of Latin were those who received at least two or three years' instruction. It is too bad a sort of Gallup Poll could not be held among people who studied Latin in Prince Edward Island schools, but did not proceed to university. We might ask them if the study of Latin influenced their English, and in what particular ways. We believe the answers would be very illuminating.

We believe that students of English who follow slavishly the use of English words derived from Latin, and imitate Latin constructions, develop a florid style not at all resembling forceful English. We have quite a few examples here of people who believe in the strength of the English words they use are in direct proportion to their length. Perhaps that is why W. H. Paige, former American ambassador to London, in writing to his son on the subject of a good English style, advised: "Avoid a Latin vocabulary." (You'll find this letter in our schools.) Winston Churchill says in one of his books that, because he was too dull to study Latin and Greek, his teachers were compelled to teach him English instead, and that is why he learned the art of English expression so thoroughly. Shakespeare knew "little Latin, and less Greek" but it didn't seem to cramp his style of handling the English language.

We suppose if you took swings at a cricket ball with a baseball bat on a seaside beach, it might do something for you in the way of picking up a few pointers in golf. Swinging a golf club at a golf ball on a golf course would probably be better. Studying Latin in our schools, however, is not a game. It is a study of the art of English expression, but we shouldn't be surprised if studying English would be a better method.

The argument is used that the study of Latin is a fine mental discipline, and this can scarcely be gainsaid. But if English studies is presented properly, the exercise can also be a fine mental discipline. Swinging an axe no doubt develops the shoulder muscles, but there is little exercise to shadow box with an axe if there is wood to be cut. Everyone has heard the adage: "We learn to do by doing." The Latin group would expand it to: "We learn to do English by doing English" seems an improvement.

We repeat we are surprised to find such a large percentage of Island teachers favoring compulsory Latin instruction. If we discover that a large percentage of teachers across Canada agree, we'll be thunderstruck.

Alberton and Vicinity

—Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dunn, Alberton, left Friday morning for Arvida, Quebec. They were accompanied by Mrs. John H. Gordon, who is returning to her home there, and by Mrs. C. R. Profit and Mr. Heath Profit of Alberton.

—Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Wallis and Miss Shirley Wallis returned to Alberton Friday afternoon after spending a pleasant holiday in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

—Mr. Max McIntyre is visiting in Alberton at the home of his father, Mr. Berni McIntyre.

Dickieson - Ling Wedding

A pretty summer wedding was solemnized Wednesday, August 6th at 2.00 p.m. in Pleasant Valley United Church, when Phyllis Ethel, eldest daughter of Mrs. Hammond Ling and the late Mr. Ling, Pleasant Valley, became the bride of William Leith, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Dickieson, New Glasgow, P. E. I. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. B. MacPhail.

—Mr. Harry Weeks was organist and Miss Freda Mayhew was soloist during the signing of the register.

The church was beautifully decorated with potted plants and summer flowers. The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, Norman, by whom she was given in marriage. She was lovely in her floor-length gown of white nylon marquisette over satin. Her finger-tip veil was held in place by a tiara of seed pearls. Her bouquet was of deep red roses.

—Miss Joyce Ling was her sister's maid of honour. She wore a floor-length gown of pale green nylon brocaded taffeta with net overskirt and carried yellow roses. Miss Catherine Larkin as bridesmaid wore a floor-length gown of pale yellow nylon and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Miss Gwenyth Ling, tiny sister of the bride, wore the charming flower girl and wore pale blue taffeta and carried a basket of roses and sweet peas.

The groom was attended by Mr. Beverly Dickieson, as best man. The ushers were Mr. Shelton Warren and Mr. Roy Dickieson. The bride's mother was gowned in navy sheer with white accessories and wore a corsage of pink roses. The groom's mother wore aqua crepe with black accessories and wore a corsage of pink roses.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Birch Hill Hotel, Summerside East, for seven or eight guests. The bride's table was centered with a three-tier wedding cake. The toast to the bride was proposed by Rev. W. B. MacPhail and responded to by the groom.

Light Poles Being Installed To Alberton Area

Maritime Electric Co. employees are presently working on the installation of poles preparatory to extending the high tension power line to the Alberton area from O'Leary corner where it now stops. Poles have already been placed in position as far as St. Anthony's Church at Howland corner and will be continued via Elmadaie and Alberton to Montrose. The job is expected to take two months to complete. Many houses and places of business along the route were wired last year in hopes that the power line would go through and others are now being wired. FW

Heavy Docket At Alberton

There were thirty-eight cases on the docket at the Alberton Court House on Thursday with Magistrate R. S. Hinton, presiding. Charged under the fishery regulations of Prince Edward Island, four fishermen from Tignish were fined \$25.00 and costs for setting gear before the legal date. Four other charges against fishermen from the North Cape area for fishing two seasons were disposed of as follows: Two were fined \$75.00 and costs, one \$25.00 and costs and the other case was adjourned.

Fifteen fishermen from the west side, charged with landing undersized lobsters, one was fined \$50.00 and costs, two \$25.00 and costs and 12 were adjourned.

A resident of Alberton South, charged under the Temperance Act with possession was fined \$200.00 and costs, and under the same charge two men from Ebbeswick were each fined \$25.00 and costs. A resident of St. Louis was fined \$100.00 and costs for assault. Two drunks, one from Tignish and one from St. Louis, were fined \$20.00 and costs. Three men from Alberton South charged under the criminal code with assault causing bodily harm, one was fined \$50.00 and costs, the second \$40.00 and costs and the third acquitted. This was an adjourned case.

A party from Alberton South charged with being intoxicated was fined \$20.00 and costs. Under the Highway Traffic Act a person from Alberton South was given a nominal fine. A man from Sea Cow Pond was fined \$10.00 and costs, for creating a disturbance and a drunk from Sea Cow Pond was fined \$20.00 and costs.

Piusville and Vicinity

—Miss Audrey Gallant, Duvau, recently spent a day in Piusville.

—Mrs. William Gallant and Annette were in Summerside recently.

—Miss Aletha Corcoran, recently spent a couple of days with Mrs. Carmel Gallant.

—Mrs. Warburton Murray was a business visitor to Summerside recently.

—Miss Bertha Gallant, Souris is spending her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie L. Gallant, Piusville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gallant and two children, Summerside, recently spent a few days in Piusville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eric Gallant, Summerside, are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gallant, Piusville.

The teacher of Piusville School, Mr. Aubin Gallant and Mr. Melvyn Perry attended the English Convention in Tignish and the French Convention in Rustico this week.

A very enjoyable evening was spent in Piusville Hall on Wednesday evening August 27th, when an ice cream festival and dance was held. The music was supplied by Raymond Gallant.

—Miss Bertha Gallant, Piusville recently spent a few days visiting relatives in Moncton, New Brunswick.

A large crowd attended the shower at Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wallace's on Friday night, August 29th, in honour of Miss Catherine Wallace. Those attending from Piusville were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Corcoran, Mrs. John J. Corcoran, and Miss Norma Corcoran.

—Mrs. Ambrose Corcoran, and Mrs. John J. Corcoran motored to Alma and St. Louis on Friday, August 29th, where they visited relatives and friends.

—Piusville School has opened again for another term with Mr. Aubin Gallant as principal and Mr. Melvyn Perry, primary room.

Sport Echoes From Prince County

"One of the best we've seen this year" was the verdict of many fans who saw the M.C.A.-R.C.A.F. game last Wednesday. Both teams looked good, and no matter who wins we'll have a worthy representative of Island intermediate baseball to seek further honors on the mainland.

Don MacKenzie did a terrific job at the plate. Did you ever notice the relaxed, confident way Don faces the pitcher? He thinks he's going to hit, and very often he does if you go up there figuring the fellow on the mound is tough to beat, there's already one strike on you.

The M.C.A. still has an ace in the hole, and his name is Munro. The piano playing flinger may subdue those busy bats the air-force boys are toting, and again maybe not. With games played only Wednesday and Sunday, one good pitcher can throw a lot of baffling around. Munro has a very beautiful overhand pitch which first game apparently, and his first game against the Abbots, but as one man's meat is another man's poison, this Munro may be just what the butcher ordered for Ross Burns' batters.

Hardy Dawe is probably the moundsman whom Burns will depend most on in the best-of-seven series. His one-hitter against the Holman aggregation didn't do him any harm apparently, and his first game against the Abbots, McElear stayed with him till almost the last out, however, and it looks as the Charlottetown team may have a slight edge in pitching. Of course, McCulloch is as good a reliever as they come, and Taylor and McKinnon could come up with good performances. Taylor did it against Holman's after a feeble start that brought derisive hoots from the fans.

Lewisville Cubs and St. John Dodgers are having a battle for the New Brunswick junior crown, and it looks as if either team will give our Curranites a real argument. Johnny Carroll is flying to St. John to watch the two teams in action and attempt to get a line on any weaknesses they may have. We're beginning to operate in real big league style, aren't we?

The sporting fraternity on Prince Edward Island is still waiting to see if any action is to be taken for the disgraceful exhibition at Victoria Park, Charlottetown, last Sunday. If nothing is done, then brass knuckles will have to be made standard equipment for umpires in these parts.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dalton and family, Roseville, and Mrs. Mary Kelly and two children, Helen and Paul, Summerside, were in Piusville on Friday evening, August 22nd at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Corcoran.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvyn MacGregor, returned to Piusville after spending some time with relatives and friends in St. Eleanors.

—Miss Reta Gallant, Piusville, left recently for Toronto where she will seek employment.

—Mr. and Mrs. William O'Brien and son Gary, St. Louis, were visiting in Piusville on Sunday, August 24th.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lance Dalton, Mary Patricia, Delores and Louise, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvyn MacGregor, June and Frankie, Burton Lot 7 were visiting at the home of Mrs. Ambrose Corcoran on Sunday, August 24th.

—Mrs. Desmond Gallant, Duvau, spent Sunday, August 24th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Corcoran.

—Mr. Allie Gallant and Mr. Dolore Gallant are spending the week-end in Piusville.

The Sisters of St. Martha have collected a neat sum of money for the orphanage in the different parishes.

Messrs John F. Gallant and Aubin Gallant were visiting in Duvau on Sunday, August 24th.

A number of priests from surrounding parishes assisted at Forty Hour Devotions on Saturday and Sunday, August 30th and 31st.

LONDON — (CP) — When the Comet jet airliner inaugurated its service to Ceylon one of the crew members was First Officer Carl Pitu, D.F.C., native of Canmore, Alta. Pitu, a war veteran of the R. C. A. F., flew in the Berlin airlift in 1948.

LONDON — (CP) — Dr. G. G. Thompson, medical officer for the Lambeth district, told a council meeting: "Colored people in London are suffering because they are

Purchase Of Pioneer Building Is Announced

It was learned yesterday that the Pioneer Building in Summerside has now been purchased on behalf of the seven interested dairies which have been for some time negotiating for the site. In April an option on the property was obtained and a down payment made in June of this year. On August 30 the final payment in full on the property was made. The seven interested dairies are the Dunkirk Dairying Company, the Kensington Co-operative Dairying Association, the

S'side Y's Men Hold Meeting

The first meeting of the Y's Men's after the summer season was held in Summerside yesterday with the president Charles Linkletter in the chair. George Key, Jr., and Eric Sheen were introduced as new members in the club.

Murray Willet reported on the Little League baseball team and gave credit to George Meikle and Frank Cameron for their efforts. The Y's Men team won second place in the town league, and four are representing the Crown, and the accused is represented by Mr. Somerled Trainor.

In continuing his evidence yesterday Mr. Plant described the particulars of an investigation he made of the theatre on May 20, and of meeting with Mr. Palmer on June 5 when a statement was taken which was tendered as evidence yesterday.

Mr. Plant said his investigation was made as a result of the fire at the theatre which occurred on April 14. He was advised of the fire on May 12, and began his investigation on May 16.

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He described the appearance and location of the areas that were burned and said there was more burning in the east end than there had been in the west end of the building.

At the conclusion of Mr. Plant's evidence the court adjourned until Tuesday, September 9, when further witnesses will be called.—S

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Following the ceremony a reception was held in Salon B, Devonshire Hotel, where Mr. Earl Thompson proposed the toast to the bride. Mrs. Leigh MacEwen and Mrs. George Inglis poured with Mrs. Peter Harrison and Miss Viola Youmans as servers. The couple left immediately for a honeymoon trip to Washington State and the Okanagan Valley.

The bride is a graduate of the Ottawa Civic Hospital and the University of Toronto in Public Health Nursing and is presently employed with the City of Vancouver Department of Public Health. Previously to her nursing

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S'side A. A. Holds Special Meeting

The Summerside Athletic Association held a special meeting last night in the Town Hall, with the president W. Chester A. MacDonald in the chair. The Association voted to finance any further games the Curran and Briggs junior ball club, Island champions, may play in their quest for a Maritime championship.

A resolution was passed that the president, Mr. MacDonald, write the Physical Fitness Department, and the Abegweit Club of Charlottetown asking if they intend to take any action in regard to the assault on the umpire James Hogan, Jr., by the members of the Abegweit ball team.—S

LONDON — (CP) — Because of recent mail-truck robberies Scotland Yard will increase the guard on mail in transit. In and around London motorcycle patrols or police cars will follow Post Office trucks carrying valuable packages

Witness Heard At Arson Case

Charles R. Plant, Moncton, chief special agent for Maritime Fire Underwriters Investigation Bureau of Canada, was recalled as the only witness heard yesterday in the continuation of the preliminary hearing of Wallace Palmer, of Borden, charged with arson in connection with a fire at Borden Theatre last April. Magistrate R. S. Hinton, Q.C., is presiding at the hearing. Mr. J. O. C. Campbell, deputy attorney general, is representing the Crown, and the accused is represented by Mr. Somerled Trainor.

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