

BULLETINS FROM BIRDLAND

WINIFRED E. WILSON



STREAMING BACK

Considering that the day is always just 12 hours long in the spring, the no longer hours which wintered there are eager to fly north after March 22nd.

Robins have little difficulty in arriving here early in spring because they spend the cold months only a short way beyond our southern boundary.

The great majority of birds, especially small ones, migrate by night, partly to avoid their enemies under cover of darkness.

O'Leary and Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Heber Hardy of Winsloe attended the funeral service of the late Mrs. W. E. Brooks at the O'Leary United Church Tuesday afternoon, March 17th.

The many friends of Mrs. Watson Boulet of Glenwood, P. E. I., are sorry to hear of her serious illness in the P. E. I. Hospital at Charlottetown.

The many friends of Mrs. Wilbert MacWilliam of Dunbrane are sorry to hear she is on the sick list, and hope for a speedy recovery.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas of Oacumpec are welcoming them back after spending the past four months in Toronto.

The sympathy of this community is being extended Mrs. Leslie MacLean and family of Dunbrane in the passing of her mother, Mrs. Emmeline Costain.

The many friends of Mr. Firth MacNeill of Knutsford are sorry to hear he received a bad foot injury while at work recently.

Mrs. Isaac Harris, Unionvale, entertained a number of ladies at a quilting party Thursday afternoon, March 19th.

Mr. Winnifred MacAuland, Mrs. James O'Brien and Mrs. Ella Dymond, all of Summerside, attended the funeral service of the late Mrs. W. E. Brooks on Tuesday afternoon, March 17th.

Friends of Mrs. Helen MacMillan, Knutsford, are sorry to hear she is confined to her bed with pneumonia.

HANDY SPOT

CRAWLEY, England (CP) - A helicopter which developed engine trouble landed in a children's playground in this Sussex community.

TRURO, England, (CP) - Margarine, detergent and other cleaning agents called to clean eight swans found caked with oil waste.

Ellerslie and Bideford

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dickieson and daughters, Erna and Faye, were weekend guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Dickieson, New Glasgow, P. E. I.

Mrs. Melvin Hutchinson and daughter Susan were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simmons, Summerside.

Mrs. Leith Hayes was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Hayes, Summerside, on Saturday, March 21st.

Mrs. George Barlow spent part of a week visiting with her granddaughter, Mrs. LeRoy Delaney, Summerside.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cooke were visitors to Summerside on Friday and Saturday, March 20th and 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Grant, Summerside, were recent weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Grant and Mr. and Mrs. George Smith.

Mrs. Herbert Hutchinson and granddaughter Maxine were visitors to Charlottetown on Friday, March 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hutchinson and son Harry were visitors to Summerside on Friday, March 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hayes and children, Arlene, Valerie and Barbara, Summerside, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leith Hayes and Mr. Willard Hutchinson on Sunday, March 22nd.

The legion of friends of Mr. James Coughlin will be pleased to learn that he has been able to return to his home here from the Stuart Memorial Health Centre where he was a patient after receiving severe burns to his left hand and arm on Thursday, March 19th while employed at a filling station and garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hardy have returned to their home here after spending the past three months in Halifax, Nova Scotia, where they were employed.

Mrs. Margaret Grant, Summerside, is visiting with Gordon Millar, also other friends and relatives in Ellerslie and vicinity.

Master Oliver Barlow, who is employed at East Royalty, spent the March 21st weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barlow.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hardy, accompanied by Mrs. Ernest Paynter and daughter Catherine, motored to Summerside on Saturday, March 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Phillips motored to O'Leary on Tuesday evening, March 24th, to see the hockey match between the O'Leary Maroons and the Charlottetown Abbies.

The legion of friends of Mrs. Cyril Williams will regret to learn that she is confined to the house with the mumps. All will join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hutchinson, Summerside, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hutchinson, also Mr. and Mrs. William Grant, over the March 21st weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Millar, Summerside, spent the March 21st weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Millar and Mr. and Mrs. Jack MacCaull.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sharpe, Amherst, N. S., are visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison.

A dance was held in the Legion Hall on Friday evening, March 20th in aid of the Stuart Memorial Health Centre, with a large crowd in attendance. A good time was had by all and a tidy sum was realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Waugh and son, of Wilcox Valley, were guests of Mrs. Waugh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Millar on Sunday, March 22nd.

Mr. Ellsworth Gillis was a passenger to Summerside on Monday, March 23rd.

Congratulations are being extended to the Lot 13 Aces, Intermediate O Hockey League for Mount Pleasant, for winning the Legion Trophy, over the Mount Pleasant Bruins and the Mount Pleasant Rockets.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bridges and daughters Francis and Patsy, also Mrs. John Coughlin, motored to Summerside on Saturday, March 21st.

ST. ANN'S W. I.

On Thursday evening, March 19, the members of St. Ann's Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Eric Bell for their March meeting.

The president, Mrs. George Meyers, presided. The meeting opened by repeating the Creed in unison. Roll call was responded to by 12 members. The minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved and signed.

No report was submitted by the school committee as both members were absent. The sick committee reported that three sick in the district had been visited and one in hospital had been sent a felicitous card.

The appointment of new committees was as follows: School, Miss Margaret Walsh and Mrs. James Barlow; Sick, Miss Rita Redmond and Miss Marjorie Walsh; Lunch, Miss Marjorie Walsh and Miss Mary Doyle.

Breadalbane and Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sanderson, Charlottetown, were guests of Mrs. Sanderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chappell on Sunday, March 28th.

Miss Mary Gunn, Charlottetown, visited Mr. and Mrs. Adam McKenzie during the week-end of March 8th.

The many friends of little Miss Arlene Somers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Somers, Breadalbane, are sorry to learn of her illness, and wish her a complete recovery.

Miss Amy Howatt, Elliotts, visited Breadalbane on Thursday, March 12th in the interest of her music class.

Mr. Wellington Murray, student at Prince of Wales College, Charlottetown, spent the week-end of March 8th at his home in Breadalbane.

Mrs. Norman Matheson was hostess to the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday, March 11th.

The Ladies' Aid of the Breadalbane United Church held a crokinole party in the Orange Hall on Friday, March 13th.

Friends of Mrs. James Hickox, Breadalbane R.R. are pleased to learn that she is recovering from the effects of a fall in the yard of her home, which caused painful injury to her knee.

Mrs. P. E. Murray, Breadalbane, spent the week-end of March 8th visiting relatives in East Royalty, North River and Cornwall.

A good many ladies in this vicinity are busily engaged in their favourite handicraft, hooking. Many beautiful mats, the pride of the possessions have been completed.

Friends are pleased to know that Miss Audrey Todd, who has been indisposed is feeling somewhat better.

Friends regret to learn of the illness of Miss Freda Hickox, teacher of South Granville School. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Bruce Stevenson, Charlottetown, made a business trip to Breadalbane, on Tuesday, March 17th.

Rev. W. E. MacPhail, who conducted the evening service in the Breadalbane United Church on Sunday evening, March 15th, read the latter part of the twentieth chapter of St. John. In his message he stressed the need for each Christian to be willing to bear his cross and to manifest to others a life of goodness and self-sacrifice.

Two of the schools in this vicinity observed Education Week by inviting the parents to visit the school for an afternoon. In Stanichel, where the teacher is Mrs. Albert Todd, the pupils participated in an interesting debate on the relative importance of apple growing in the Annapolis Valley versus grain-growing in one of the Prairie Provinces. In Rose Valley, where the teacher is Miss Juretta Murray, a display of nature study collections and a spelling match were the highlights of the program.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Crawford Memorial Christian Church held their March meeting in the church on Friday 13th. The meeting was opened with the Missionary Creed. Mrs. Cuyler Matheson read the minutes and called the roll. After a period of Bible reading and prayers, Mrs. Craig read a thought-provoking article on "Why A Christian Should Be Different." Miss Dorothy Matheson read a chapter from the Study Book. The closing hymn, "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind" was followed by the Mizpah benediction.

The "Crawford Memorial" Christian Church, which is the oldest church in Breadalbane, having been erected in 1877, has also the distinction of having the oldest member, Mr. Frank Hickox, for many years an active elder of this church, and now an honorary one, celebrate his ninety-third birthday on Monday, March 16th. On the Sunday preceding his birthday, Mr. Hickox was visited by his pastor, Rev. M. Watterworth and Mrs. Watterworth, New Glasgow, and Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Wood, Hunter River. On Monday Mr. Lionel Robinson and Mr. George Anderson, representing the Breadalbane Christian Church presented him with a gift and congratulatory message from the church. Mr. Hickox was also the recipient of many other messages of goodwill from friends, and members of his family.

periodical, Women's Institute News, and the secretary was asked to send for same. A discussion involved the need for electricity in rural areas. Delegates were appointed to meet with nearby districts to make plans for approaching the Government in an enthusiastic way on the matter of obtaining rural electrification in the community.

An entertaining program was rendered by Mrs. Austin Bolger and Miss Rita Redmond. Prizes were won by Mrs. George Meyers and Miss Mary Doyle.

Collection for the evening amounted to \$1.66. Roll call yielded \$8.84. Mrs. Eric Bell kindly asked the members to return to her home for the April meeting when the roll call is to be answered by naming "a country or place you would like to visit, and why."

The meeting adjourned with the "Queen", after which a bountiful lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by the committee in charge.

The republic of the Philippines, largest group in the Malay archipelago, covers 114,000 square miles of land area.

Conway and Vicinity

Mrs. Oscar MacNeill has returned to her home in Conway after spending the March 21st weekend with her husband at Amherst, Nova Scotia. Mrs. MacNeill was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Langille, 133 Church Street.

Mrs. Sterling Palmer has returned to her home after spending the March 21st weekend with her sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dystant, Moncton, N. B.

Mrs. Eldon Grigg, Poplar Grove, has returned to her home after spending a weekend with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dystant, Moncton, N. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Palmer, Borden, spent a few days recently at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Milligan and son Elmer, Murray Road, were visiting in Charlottetown on Thursday, March 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Milligan and family, accompanied by Mrs. Hannah Milligan, were in Summerside Thursday, March 19th, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Milligan, Mrs. William Milligan, Mr. Colin Milligan, Mrs. Sterling Palmer and Mrs. Eldon Grigg motored to Moncton, N. B., on Friday, March 20th.

Mrs. Lawson Oatway and son Jimmie and Mr. Ken Wagner were in Summerside on Saturday, March 20th, on business.

Mr. Arthur Smith Sr., Freeland, and Mr. William MacNeill were in

Summerside Monday, March 16th, on business.

Mr. Heuse Bryan, Nova Scotia, came to the Island on Monday night, March 23rd, to be in attendance at the fiftieth wedding anniversary of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Hardy, which was celebrated on Wednesday evening, March 25th.

The sympathy of the community is being expressed to the immediate family and relatives of Mrs. Alexander Bulger, Murray Road, whose sudden death took place in Thursday, March 19th. Burial was on Saturday morning, March 21st at St. Bridget's cemetery, Lot Eleven. Father McTague conducted the funeral service.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Thompson and Mr. H. D. Boyle, Kensington, recently.

Mr. George Morrison has returned to his home after being in Charlottetown for a medical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Milligan were in Summerside Wednesday, March 25th on business. They brought their little granddaughter Susy Sonier home with them to spend a few weeks.

NORTH WILTSHIRE W. M. S.

Mrs. Bruce Deacon entertained the members of the North Wiltshire Auxiliary of the W. M. S. for the March meeting. The meeting opened with the worship service led by Mrs. Mitchell. The theme for March was "The Community of Grace" and the members joined in singing hymn "City of God How Broad and Far."

This was followed by Meditation and Scripture readings, and the worship service closed with a prayer.

The study period was led by Mrs. MacRae. This was the last program on Africa and dealt with the "Unmet needs in Africa." There are many unmet needs, need for more missionaries, need for doctors and nurses, need for freedom, justice and equality for the African people. The Community Friendship secretary reported ten home visits made and three cards sent. The supply secretary reported one pair overalls, four orb quilts and one large quilt and one pair pyjamas completed. Letters were read from Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Cairns and from the Maritime Home for girls. One member paid her Birthday money.

Some discussion followed on having an African night and this was left until a later date. The meeting closed with a short prayer and the benediction.

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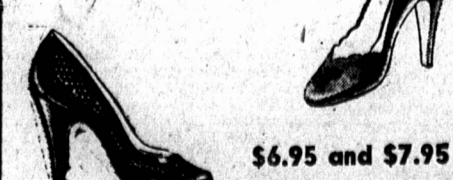
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