

Visit Crystal Chapter O.E.S.

Crystal Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, was honored by an official visit from District Deputy Grand Matron, Miss Jessie Moss Springfield, N.S., on Friday night. Two new members received the degree of the order. The report of the autumn tea and bazaar was read. This function was a great success, both socially and financially. Plans were made to hold a rummage sale in the near future.

Miss Jessie Moss, D.D.G.M. made a very fine address and commended the worthy Matron on the excellent work done by the Chapter.

After the meeting all members and visitors moved into the recreation hall where a social hour was much enjoyed. Tea was served under the co-sponsorship of Mrs. William Mingo, Mrs. Julian Herling, W. M. and Mrs. Ronald Parker, P.W.M. joined. Covered with a hand made lace cloth, the table looked very attractive. The decorations were bowls of red and white carnations on each side of candelabra bearing candles in the colors of the Chapter.

Regular Meeting Hillside Lodge

The regular meeting of the Hillside Lodge was held on Tuesday night with N. G. Gordon Coffin presiding. There were twenty-four members and five visitors present. D.D.G.M. Bro. L. Stewart along with other Bros. were welcomed to the meeting by Bro. Coffin. The initiatory degree was conferred on two candidates with Bro. William MacLean acting as degree master. It is planned to confer this degree on two other candidates next Tuesday night. S. Cameron Reid, Montague and John Bonnell, Charlottetown were the candidates on Tuesday night.

D.D.G.M. Stewart complimented the degree team for their splendid presentation of the degree. He paid a special tribute to Bro. J. H. MacGregor for his part in the degree. Bro. Stewart advised that the district meeting will be held in Charlottetown in November. It is expected that several Grand Lodge officers will be present and the third degree will be exemplified at this meeting. He urged all the degree team to be present during the week. The trustees also gave a report on the repairs on the Lodge building. After the Lodge closed a delicious lunch was served to the visitors and members.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Frank H. Dixon who passed away Oct. 18, 1948.

Sadly missed by Frank and Merton Thorne.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

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BIRTHS

WEIR—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Oct. 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. Weir, nee Hilda Sheenan, a son, Robert Damien, 7 lbs. 5 ozs.

HOWE—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Oct. 17, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. John Rowe, a daughter, weight 7 lbs. 9 ozs.

ELLIS—At the P. E. I. Hospital on Oct. 15, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Alden Ellis, City, a daughter, weight 7 lbs. 5 ozs.

DEATHS

GUILD—Entered into rest at Musquodoboit Harbor, N. S., Sunday evening, October 17, Mr. H. Gregor Guild, formerly of Musquodoboit Harbor.

STEWART—At North River on Saturday, Oct. 16, 1954, James R. Stewart, in his 84th year. Residing at the MacLean Funeral Home from where the funeral service will be held tomorrow Tuesday, commencing at 2 o'clock. Interment in Hampshire Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

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CONDITION CRITICAL — The condition of Mrs. Jacques Coulombe in Notre Dame Hospital at Montreal continues to be critical, according to a telephone message from her mother Mrs. Lorne L. Noonan yesterday. Mrs. Coulombe has been ill since the birth of her daughter five weeks ago.

GRADUATING AT SAN. — Miss Charlotte Ann Quigley, Tryon, and Miss Doris Margaret Steele, Wellington, are the two members of this year's graduating class at the Provincial Sanatorium. The presentation of pins and certificates will take place on Monday afternoon, October 25.

FUNERAL SERVICE — The funeral of late W. Lemuel Coles was held yesterday afternoon from his late residence at 1410 St. John's Church where service was conducted by Rev. A. E. Pierce. Interment was in Milton cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Harry Moore, Gerald Hooper, Ernest Coles, Thomas Moore, Bert Younker, William Moynihan. The flower bearers were Roy Jewell, Raymond Vickerson, Russell Moore, Roddie Cummings, Stewart Vickerson.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES — Large congregations attended in morning and evening services at Trinity United Church yesterday on the occasion of the observance of the Church's 91st anniversary. Rev. A. Frank MacLean conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Howard Christie and Rev. David Barwise, Rev. C. Matheson of Trinity United Church, Summerside was the guest preacher. In the morning he took for his subject "The Imitation of Christ," and in the evening, "The Wings of the Morning." Guest soloist was Pauline Simmonds. Fear. The choir under the direction of Mr. George A. Thompson, F.R.C.O. (C.H.M.) A.R.C.M., rendered special music which included two beautiful anthems, "Song of Praise" by Stainer and "Rejoice in the Lord" by Elvey.

100th Anniversary of Queens University
The Faculty of Medicine at Queen's University last week commemorated the one hundredth anniversary of its founding in 1854, thirteen years after the University was established by Royal Charter in the frontier outpost town of Kingston, Ont.

The medical Centennial Convocation was held on Thursday afternoon and time for dress dinner at 7:30 p.m. in Wallace Hall, Queen's University offers a six-year course leading to the degrees M.D., C.M.; graduate courses leading to the degrees of M.Sc. (Med.) and Ph.D.

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Since 1953-54 there has been a marked increase in medical research opportunities and activities at Kingston. Aided to the laboratory investigations initiated earlier by Reed and Orrin Bacteriology, in Physiology, Boyd in Pharmacology, Robertson in Pharmacology, and in Obstetrics, Council in Medicine and Public Health, are those of many men who have since been added to the medical staff.

Among the well-known members of the medical profession, graduates of Queen's and now residing in Charlottetown are Dr. John P. Sweeney who represented Queen's University at the recent Centenary of St. Dunstan's University and is a former Captain of the Canadian Army Medical Corps; Col. Dr. J. H. Shaw Director, Division of Laboratories, Lieut. Col. R. D. MacNeill, Pension Medical Examiner, Department of Veterans Affairs, and Dr. C. A. Coady.

Another graduate of Queen's who won distinction for himself and honour to the province was Capt. W. Kenneth MacDonald, M.C. who joined the active army immediately after his graduation and was killed in action in Sicily in 1943. Dr. MacDonald was Medical Officer with the Seaforth Highlanders and a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. P. J. MacDonald of this city.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of a husband and father, Daniel J. McLure who died at his home in Lower Bedouque on October 18th, 1953.

Dearest father you have left us And our loss we deeply feel But 'twas God who hath bereaved us He can all our sorrows heal.

Gone but not forgotten by Wife (Lizette) and family.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Walton Toombs who passed away Oct. 18, 1948.

We who have known and loved you Whose passing has brought sad tears Will cherish your memory always To brighten the passing years.

Always remembered by his wife and family, Mrs. Florence Toombs, Tryon.

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Local Girl Guide Ass'n Meeting

The North District Girl Guide Local Association met last week for their annual meeting with very good attendance of all members. One new member was welcomed as a representative from St. Paul's Church, Mrs. Alan Johnson. Mrs. F. S. Jenkins opened the meeting with a talk on the work and duties of a local association. Members paid careful attention and Mrs. W. Smith, field secretary, kindly agreed to obtain a list of names to be distributed. Miss E. Hull read the minutes of the last meeting and also stated that she was retiring as secretary. Miss Holl has been a faithful member of the movement for many years and she was cordially thanked for her services. She will however be continuing to help as a member.

Mrs. James Brady, treasurer, gave a report on finance and members agreed that the balance was sufficient to enable the association to maintain the usual expenses for this season. Members expressed willingness to assist in any Brownie activities as may be required.

The question of leaders was discussed and Mrs. L. MacKay advised that Parkdale Company had now obtained more leaders. One other company in the District was not yet in action but it was hoped that leaders would shortly be forthcoming in response to a recent appeal.

Mrs. Louis Sadler with her wide experience of Guiding contributed much to the meeting with her helpful suggestions. Mrs. J. MacDonald was elected chairman, Mrs. James Brady, treasurer and Mrs. Alan Johnson secretary.

Lunch was served and general discussion followed the adjournment of the meeting.

Report Election

Aggressive Conservative, and Mrs. Louise Harvey, 41-year-old L.P.P. candidate.

Mr. Chambers, 33-year-old insurance salesman, is claiming credit for bringing about the recent tax-cutting meeting between Mr. St. Laurent and Quebec Premier Duplessis. It was Mr. St. Laurent's reply to a telegram from Mr. Chambers that led indirectly to the meeting.

Candidates in St. Lawrence-St. George are Claude Richardson, Liberal; David de Volpi, Progressive Conservative; Albert Renaud, CCF, and Frank Brenton, L.P.P.

Mr. Richardson, 54-year-old native of Sydney, N. S., is a lawyer and tax expert, governor and former chairman of the Canadian Tax Foundation, Mr. de Volpi, business man, ran against Mr. Claxton last year. Mr. Renaud, 30, is an organizer for the Communication Workers of America (C.I.O.-C.C.L.). Mr. Brenton, 38-year-old office manager, ran in last year's election.

A three-way contest is expected in Selkirk among William (Scotty) Bryce, former CCF member, John Shanski, Liberal, and David Veitch, Progressive Conservative.

Mr. Bryce lost in last year's election to Liberal R. J. Wood, who died last summer.

TO-MAN RACE
The two-man contest is for the Stormont seat vacated by former Transport Minister Chénier, now president of the St. Lawrence Seaway authority. Candidates are Albert Lavigne, Liberal, and Donald R. Dick, Progressive Conservative.

In York West, Progressive Conservative candidate John B. Hamilton, 41-year-old lawyer, planned to have all 20,000 houses in the riding visited. The same approach is taken by Liberal candidate Robert Campbell, vice-president of a Toronto advertising agency, who contested the seat last year against Rodney A. d. a. s. n. Progressive Conservative member killed in the April 8 Moose Jaw crash. Also competing are Bruce Evans, CCF, 31-year-old salesman making his first try for office, and Leslie Morris, L.P.P.

Four candidates are also in the Toronto Trinity contest for the seat held by Lionel Conacher, Liberal member who died in a Commons softball game last May. They are Donald Carrick, Liberal; William Woodside, Progressive Conservative; Herman Vanden, CCF, and William Kashtan, L.P.P.

Mr. Carrack, a lawyer, is a former amateur pug champion and Olympic light-heavyweight boxer. Mr. Woodside, making his first election try, is associate editor of Saturday Night magazine. Mr. Vanden, an English teacher, is making his third election bid in the riding.

The present Commons standing: Liberals 168; Progressive Conservatives 50; CCF 23; Social Credit 15; Independent 3; vacant 6.

Churchill Re-Shuffles

Peake held this post since the Conservatives returned to power. The shakeup gives him cabinet rank. Ministers beside Alexander who he resigned are: Lord Simonds, 72, lord chagel-lor. Sir Lionel Heald, 57, attorney general. Miss Florence Horsbrough, 63, minister of education. All three have wanted to return to private life.

rear central

Only essential traffic was permitted in many areas as the grisly task of sifting debris for bodies of the missing continued in showery weather. Emergency feeding centres were established in flood areas during the week-end. Navy reservists in whiteboats searched for bodies. Army signalers set up walkie-talkie communication between flood areas where telephone communication was knocked out by Friday night's record 7.2 inches of rain and winds up to 72 miles an hour.

ANTI-LOOTING GUARD

An anti-looting guard of RCMP men was established.

Two days after the storm only one highway link between Toronto's 1,200,000 million population and western Ontario was open to civilian traffic.

Northward mainline trains still had to be restored but normal air travel was restored.

Including 45 confirmed dead in Ontario, hurricane Hazel's death toll in its lashing course from the south Atlantic was set Sunday at 127.

Of the worst fears of Red Cross and police, a record, the final hurricane toll may be 150 or more, with about half in this province—so far inland that a hurricane is a rare phenomenon.

At 4 p. m. Sunday, The Canadian Press list of Ontario storm casualties included names of 36 dead and 43 missing and believed drowned.

MAKESHIFT MORGUE

An undisclosed number of bodies awaiting identification in a makeshift emergency morgue set up at the police station in Etobicoke, hardest hit of the Humber valley villages.

Most of the Etobicoke casualties, Red Cross director Robert Campbell of Etobicoke said early Sunday there were probably 25-odd bodies in the Humber flared more flood and washed away more than a dozen Raymore Drive houses, almost without warning.

Men, women and children were swept into the raging torrent with almost no chance of escape.

ERECT BAILEY BRIDGES

Sunday the mop-up operation was well under way. Bailey bridges were being thrown across some highway gaps. The Red Cross, organizing relief in the disaster area, said it needed no more supplies or help.

Maj. Gen. F. P. Worthington, federal co-ordinator of civil defence, flew in from Ottawa to inspect the havoc wrought in a half-dozen hectic hours on the Toronto outskirts and the Holland Marsh, lush reclaimed market-garden land 35 miles north of the metropolitan area which now is a 6,000-acre lake.

Thousands were homeless in central Ontario, housed in emergency shelters or in the homes of friends.

The streams which were transformed into raging rivers Friday night had receded considerably Sunday, though the runoff still was far above normal.

CHAOS IN SUBURBS

In the metropolitan area which lies in a flat semi-circle on Lake Ontario, almost all serious damage and all the casualties—occurred in the outlying suburbs.

Main effect in Toronto proper was snarled traffic as road underpasses flooded temporarily and torrential rain cut visibility.

But in the suburbs there was chaos, death and destruction. The hard clay shallow bowl in which the Humber river rises absorbed the first heavy rain fall and the river rose with mirroring slowness. Then the clay took up no more water.

In the Toronto area, the river first hit at Woodbridge, 14 miles northwest of the city's downtown district. At least six were drowned there, five or six unaccounted for, and property damage was extensive.

HAM RADIO

Telephone communication was wiped out. Until a mobile telephone unit was brought in hours later, ham radio was the only contact between Woodbridge and Toronto. Then the rush of water raced on Etobicoke, another residential suburb on the west bank.

Seventeen houses were demolished on Raymore Drive and Gilhavan avenue, two streets that form a gentle crescent along the river bank.

Meeting Earl of Hillsborough I.O.D.E. Chapter

The Earl of Hillsborough Chapter, I. O. D. E., held its regular monthly meeting at the home of the regent, Mrs. G. B. Rayner.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Mrs. S. Jeffery, treasurer, reported that the chapter's finances were in a most satisfactory state. Discussion took place regarding the proposed pension plan to be adopted by National Office, Toronto, for those in its employ, and was approved by the members.

Miss Mabel Adams, educational secretary, reported that our two puppet schools now had complete libraries. A communication from the National Educational Secretary was read, suggesting that the chapters endeavour to establish scholarships for deserving students. This was discussed and left to the next meeting for decision.

Mrs. Wilfred Hunter reported that a yearly report of the chapter activities had been forwarded to Echoes, the Order's official publication, together with a picture taken at the Sanatorium library, which is administered by the chapter.

Mrs. M. M. Murtry, reporting for services at Home and Abroad stated that wool had been distributed for knitting. It was decided to continue the practice of former years and pack a box of toys for a needy hospital.

Miss M. MacMillan was appointed convener of the Sanatorium library.

Miss M. Stewart gave a report on the local Film Committee, of which she has been elected secretary.

It was decided to hold both a rummage sale and a cake sale in the near future and a spring sale as money raising projects.

Miss Mabel Adams and Mrs. G. B. Rayner were appointed the chapter's representatives to the co-ordinating committee of the P.E.I. I.O.D.E. chapters.

Mrs. Ira Clark and Mrs. E. Phillips were appointed to represent the chapter at the annual meeting of the Tuberculosis League.

The meeting then adjourned and refreshments were served by Mrs. G. B. Rayner and Mrs. S. Jeffery.

said 25 probably perished on Raymore Drive alone.

But there are other estimates that set the toll as high as 40. Henderson, 36, and Vic Bridger, 27, worked through Friday night to rescue about 50 persons from roofs and upper windows on the two streets.

SEARCH FOR BODIES

Residents were warned about 10.45 p. m. that the river was flowing over its retaining wall—"but they refused to leave."

"They were up to their waists in water 15 minutes later," Whibley said.

Sunday the Humber, still in flood stage, had dropped but Raymore Drive was still under water. The area was littered with household furnishings, debris and mud.

Three hundred civilian volunteers and 150 troops, split into groups of 10, combed the river bank for bodies.

across Toronto at the same time the Don river on the eastern outskirts was in similar flood but mercifully the casualty toll was small.

ONE BODY FOUND

One body was found Sunday morning lying in a gorge. No other deaths were reported from that area, where heroic rescue efforts saved at least four lives. Property damage, too, was relatively small, since the Don runs mostly between deep banks.

Toronto the picture was the same as every stream was running outside its normal course. High winds backed up the water of Lake Simcoe, summer resort area due north of Toronto, and pushed out a dike surrounding the rich Holland Marsh.

Ten feet of water lay on the low-est ground. Hundreds of farms were inundated and crops destroyed. The main highway north from Toronto to Barrie and beyond was washed out.

DEATHS REPORTED SUNDAY

At Beeton, a small farming community west of the marsh, five persons lost their lives. Their deaths were not reported to Toronto until Sunday.

Whether there was loss of life in Holland Marsh was not known late Sunday.

Observance of Youth Sunday

Yesterday was observed as Children's Day and Youth Sunday by the Church of England in Canada with special services on a national basis.

In St. Peter's Cathedral in Charlottetown, the children joined in the 11:00 a.m. service following the regular Sunday school session. At the evening service the Rector, Rev. Canon G. E. Moffatt was assisted by members of St. Peter's A.Y.P.A., the first lesson being read by Arthur MacLean and the second lesson by Harry Shama. The special prayers for the occasion were given by Lay Reader Paul Kays.

At St. Paul's church the Sunday-school children also attended the morning service in a body accompanied by their teachers. At the evening Youth service, the Rector, Rev. Canon J. T. Ibbott was assisted by members of the A.Y.P.A. of St. Paul's. Bennett Carr read the first lesson and the second lesson was read by Bill Ives. The special prayers for the occasion were given by James Ibbott. Members of the organization served as the choir.

During the service the officers of St. Paul's branch of the A.Y.P.A. were elected and installed by the Rector, assisted by Dr. Frank Jalks, who represents the young people on the Vestry. Officers installed were: Robert Pitcairn, President, James Ibbott, Vice Pres. Ivan Duvary, Secretary, Helen Stewart Treasurer.

Members of the Junior Auxiliary also attended the service in a body and took part in the dedication of their banner which was recently presented by a member of the congregation. Taking part in the dedication ceremony were Sandra Lord, Dianne Lancaster and Pamela Aikien.

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Dead, Missing

NICHOLSON, Stewart, Palmerston, Ont., fatally injured in train wreck at Southampton.

NEILL, Mrs. Jean, Etobicoke, drowned.

OLIVER, fireman Roy, Etobicoke, drowned.

PALMATEER, fireman Dave, Etobicoke, drowned.

RADLEY, Bobby, 4, Woodbridge, drowned.

RADLEY, Diane, 8, Woodbridge, drowned.

REID, Dallas, 7, Woodbridge, drowned.

REID, Mrs. Donald, Woodbridge, drowned.

SMALL, fireman Angus, Etobicoke, drowned.

SMITH, Jack Sr., 66, Etobicoke, drowned.

SUMMERS, George, 75, Deseronto, Ont., killed in auto crash near Deseronto.

TOPLISS, Mrs. Anne, Etobicoke, drowned.

TRIMBLE, Mrs. Marion, Port Credit, Ont., drowned.

BABIDGE, Claude, Etobicoke, drowned.

BRASZ, Albert, 48, Weston, drowned.

DEADDER, Clyde, 19, Thistlewood, PO number valley, 23, Thistlewood PO, drowned.

LEBLANC, Mrs. Alice, 41, Etobicoke, drowned.

MCGARVEY, Mrs. Philomena, Etobicoke, drowned.

SMITH, Jack Jr., 30, Etobicoke, drowned.

WILSON, David, Etobicoke or Weston, drowned.

WILSON, Lewis, of Weston, drowned.

REID, Donald, Woodbridge, daie, Ont., drowned at Woodbridge.

CRYMABLE, Mrs. Mary, Long Branch, Ont., drowned.

PERRY, Mrs. I. S., 50, Willow-drowned.

JEFFERIES, Mrs. Elizabeth, Etobicoke, drowned.

PEASLEY, Lambert, 45, Etobicoke, drowned.

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GAMBLE, Walter, 28 or 30, Shelburne, Ont., drowned near Woodbridge.

NEILL, Adele, 1, Etobicoke, drowned.

NEWING, Mrs. Gerald, 70, Etobicoke, drowned.

MISSING

Missing, Believed Drowned

BROUGH, Mrs. Helen, Etobicoke.

EDWARDS, Frank, 3, Etobicoke.

EDWARDS, John, 3 months, Etobicoke.

EDWARDS, Kenneth, Etobicoke.

GILLAN, George, Etobicoke.

GILLAN, Heier, Etobicoke.

GIRODAT, Paul, Etobicoke.

GIRODAT, Mrs. Paul, Etobicoke.

HOELLER, George, Weston.

HOELLER, Mrs. Herta, Weston.

HUNDEBERGER, Russell, 47, Islington, Ont.

McGARVEY, Jacqueline, 9, Etobicoke.

NEILL, Darlene, 6, Etobicoke.

NEILL, Susan, 5, Etobicoke.

NEWING, Gerald, 47, Etobicoke.

NEWING, Gerald Jr., 14, Etobicoke.

NEWTON, Leonard, Etobicoke.

NEWTON, Mrs. Leonard, Etobicoke.

PEASLEY, Sylvia, Etobicoke.

RYAN, Charles, 32, Weston.

SALT, Mrs. Vera, Etobicoke.

SMITH, Mrs. Jack, 65, Etobicoke.

THOMPSON, Robert, Toronto, missing on Lake Simcoe.

THORPE, Clifford, Long Branch, Ont.

THORPE, Mrs. Patricia, Long Branch.

THORPE, Robert, Long Branch.

TOPLISS, Al, Etobicoke.

VAN GELDER, Lou, no address.

Erdson Martin.
Grade I (Sr.) — 1. Robert MacLennan; (Jr.) 1. Barbara Ann MacLennan; 2. Henkie Duinkerken. Highest average in Senior Grades. Franklin Hickox, 87%.
Highest average in Junior Grades. Eleanor Gillis, 92%.
Perfect attendance, Joan MacLennan.
Teacher — Alma Craswell.

Golden Wedding Anniversary