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MONDAY

Because the wealth of this Province lies in its soil and water resources, Prince Edward Island is joining the rest of Canada in celebrating National Wildlife Week which is held in connection with the birthday, April 10, of the late Jack Miner.

Taking an active part in the participation here of the week are Mr. E. K. MacNutt, president of the P. E. I. Fish and Game Association, and Professor Thomas Lothian, Prince of Wales College.

Dealing with conservation of our natural resources Professor Lothian said yesterday that Government regulations regarding the size of lobsters which may be taken were not set to make it more difficult for the lobstermen to make a living, but to insure that the lobstermen's sons might also make a living. He said the same thing applied to game birds; spring shooting of ducks and geese means fewer nests and therefore fewer birds in the fall. "If Island boys are to thrill to the whistling of wings over the duck blinds in the early dawn, their dads must see to it that enough birds survive to provide for future generations."

Four young lads from Park Street, filled with the spirit of adventure exemplified by Tom Sawyer, had an alarming half hour late yesterday afternoon when the raft on which they had been cruising in comparative safety near Hillsboro Bridge was carried by the current into fast water.

The boys, who are each about 12 years of age, were unwisely playing on a roomy raft which they found on the west side of the bridge approach near the city end. Shortly after being picked up by the current and carried into the river, passers-by raised the alarm which was responded to by a detachment of the city fire department and a couple of city police with the life-saving boat and equipment on a fire truck.

The boys who were rescued without difficulty said "We were pretty scared and sure glad when we saw the firemen and police coming."

The Charlottetown office of the Unemployment Insurance Commission reports a further drop in benefit claims during the week ending April 4th.

From a high of approximately 1750 in mid-March the total number of claimants has slowly dwindled to 1652. Of these slightly over 1000 were rural residents of King's and Queen's Counties and the remaining six hundred odd were domiciled in Charlottetown and vicinity. Despite the mild weather there has been no marked indication that seasonal unemployment is at an end, though some workers are returning to their post-winter occupations.

John Murphy's Kensington Juniors won the Junior North Shore League Trophy last week by defeating the Reserve Army 4-2 before a good attendance of fans in the Kensington Rink.

Kensington defeated the Army team in the first two games of the best of five finals by scores of 6-3 and 5-4 but lost the third contest to the soldiers by a 5-3 count.

In the final game Reuben Hall displayed fine form for the winners by scoring two goals and assisting on a third. Frank MacCarville turned in a sound defensive game for Kensington while Fred Dougherty scored the first Army goal and gave a good stick-handling display.

Following the game Ben Champion presented the MacNutt and Arsenault Trophy to George Riley, captain of the Kensington team.

Vista Highland Girl, a 2200-lb. Hereford cow, was sold last week to Harper MacDonald of Covehead Road by Tom and Miller Sanderson of North River. The weight was believed by several veteran breeders to have been the heaviest for a cow in many years.

Vista Highland Girl is the dam of Highland Bray Duo Tone Lass 25 D, the Grand Champion at Charlottetown in 1951 and 1952. She was reserve champion at the Maritime Winter Fair in 1950 and grand champion at Amherst in 1951. She also produced a grand champion steer at the Maritime Spring Show and Sale for the Sandersons a few years ago.

The eleven-year-old Hereford female was a grand daughter of Miss Coronet 85th, a perennial grand champion for the late E. H. Horne of Nova Scotia in her show days. The grand sire was Domino Heir Jr. The pair had been purchased for five thousand dollars each by Mr. Horne back in the thirties.

The sire of the big cow was Monte Vista Heir and the dam Highland Lady 2nd.

TUESDAY

HALIFAX, April 8 — (Special)— The Halifax Atlantics displayed near perfect form here tonight in outskating and outplaying the Charlottetown Islanders for a convincing 5-0 win in the opening game of the best of nine series for the Maritime Major Hockey League championship. The Atlantics, after getting away to a slow start in the opening five minutes, opened up with a flashy passing and pressure attack to keep the tired Islanders out of contention during the first and second periods.

The Halifax crew scored one goal in the first period and ripped through with four more in the penalty infested second period to put the game out of reach of the Islanders.

—The following officers were elected for the ensuing year at the annual meeting of the Summerside C.W.L. held last evening in the Knights of Columbus Home on Central Street:

President, Mrs. Thomas Linkletter; 1st vice president, Mrs. Carrol Delaney; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Frank Arsenault; 3rd vice president, Mrs. Wilfred Gallant; recording secretary, Miss Margaret Wedge; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Joseph Linkletter; treasurer, Mrs. Laurier Peters.—S.

The death occurred suddenly yesterday morning about ten o'clock in the Prince County Hospital of Mr. Lorne H. Read, a well known Summerside retired photographer. He was 64 years of age. Mr. Read had suffered a heart attack about a month ago and had been a patient in hospital since that time. However, he seemed to be recovering and his death was entirely unexpected.

Mr. Read established a photographic business in Summerside in 1908 and made an outstanding success of this profession, becoming well known outside the boundaries of the Maritimes for some of his work.

A two-pound package of bees installed during the last week of April, or the first week in May, with abundance of stores in the hive, will, under normal weather conditions, produce a good average crop of honey, says W. A. Burns, Apiarist at the Dominion Experimental Station here.

In experiments conducted at the Charlottetown Station, in which two and three pound packages were installed at different dates, it was found that the two-pound package installed within the dates mentioned gave best results. The difference in yield from the three-pound size was not sufficient to pay the extra cost.

An experiment on spacing distances with cucumbers conducted at the Charlottetown Experimental Station has shown some interesting results. The experiment was begun in 1948 and completed in 1952, the results proving that close spacing gives the highest yields and the best cash returns per acre.

The experiments was laid out in two series, reports C. G. Warren of the Charlottetown Station, one with the rows spaced six feet apart, the other with the rows spaced eight feet apart. The plants in each series were thinned to stand one, and one-half, two, two and one-half and three feet apart.

In the first series the one-foot spacings yielded 7,646 lb. of fruit while the three-foot spacings produced only 4,687 lb. In the second series, the one-foot spacings produced 6,235 lb. as against 3,340 lb for the eight-foot spacings.

When the one foot spacings of the two series are compared the plants thinned to stand one foot by six feet apart outyielded those at one foot by eight feet apart by 1,411 lb.

WEDNESDAY

Possible changes in the Rules of Order of the Provincial Legislature are forecast by the appointment yesterday of a five man committee to investigate them and report to the House at the next regular session.

A resolution to this effect was introduced yesterday afternoon by Hon. A. W. Matheson, Minister of Health and Welfare, by leave of Mr. Speaker. Hon. Mr. Matheson said that the present Rules had been passed in 1922 and times have changed since then. He thought they should be revised and brought up to date. Mr. Matheson while noting that under the present regulations the Rules of the House of Commons apply on all doubtful occasions said that those Rules have frequently been changed and few members were thoroughly familiar with them.

Appointed to the committee to study the Rules were Mr. T. R. Cullen and Mr. W. F. A. Stewart, both former Speakers, Hon. W. F. Phillips, present Speaker, Hon. A. W. Matheson and Mr. R. R. Bell, Leader of the Opposition.

—Fire of undetermined origin broke out yesterday morning about ten o'clock in a shed on First Street, Summerside and within a matter of minutes had spread to the White Castle Snack Bar situated a few feet away, at the intersection of Central and First streets.

Within a short time the flames had gutted the shed and the snack bar, completely destroying the equipment and personal effects of Miss Mary Cameron who operated the business and lived in a small apartment at the rear. The fire then spread to a larger building north of the snack bar but by that time the Fire Department had steady streams of water playing on the flames from all directions and this building escaped destruction although the roof and south side were badly damaged, while the interior suffered considerable smoke and water damage. The ground floor of this building houses a barber shop while the upstair portion is used as a dwelling.

"Justly proud today are the citizens of Montague of their school children, who last night won all major trophies at the provincial ice meet held at the Forum in Charlottetown. Compiling a total of 46 points, split evenly between th girls and boys, the Montague School contingent captured the provincial championship, boys aggregate trophy, girls aggregate trophy, girls relay trophy, all donated by Physical Fitness, and the boys relay cup donated by the Bike Shop. In addition the Montague group took home fourteen individual trophies marking firsts in events. This marks the first occasion on which Montague has won a major trophy, and also the first occasion in the history of the meet that one school captured all major trophies.

The Charlottetown Festive Week Committee held a brief meeting at City Hall last evening with W. W. Reid, acting as chairman. The members heard last year's financial report and discussed the feasibility of staging Festive Week again this year.

After a thorough discussion those in attendance decided to go ahead with plans for the period June 27-July 1st and a further meeting will be held shortly to discuss more detailed plans and to enlist the assistance of other individuals and community groups.

THURSDAY

HALIFAX, April 8 — The Halifax Atlantics rammed home three goals within the space of five minutes of a wild and uncontrollable third period here tonight to defeat the Charlottetown Islanders 5-3 and take a two-game lead in the best-of-nine final series for the M.M.-H.L. championship. Winger Frank King emerged the hero of tonight's game after scoring the tying and winning goals for the hard driving Halifax club in as riotous a third period as has been played in the Maritimes for several seasons.

The Islanders were leading 3-2 in the third when King, laying flat on the ice, scooped the puck into the net with his stick after Al Millar had fallen flat on his back to make a stop. He fired the winning goal from 20 feet in front of the net as the Islanders played a man short about three minutes later.

—On Tuesday evening fire of unknown origin destroyed the general store and stock of Mr. Major Noye and Son at Enmore.

The owners had left the building at approximately five o'clock and at that time everything appeared to be in order. At nine o'clock a nearby resident saw flames breaking through the roof of the one-story building. The alarm was spread immediately but the fire had gained too much headway to prevent complete destruction of the store and contents.

It is understood that some insurance was carried and that the estimated loss would be between four and five thousand dollars.—S.

OTTAWA, (CP) — The Federal Government has not refused permission for the operation of a third boat on the ferry route between Wood Islands, P.E.I., and Caribou, N.S., Transport Minister Chevrier said in the Commons Wednesday.

He was replying to a question asked by W. Chester S. McLure (PC — Queens). Mr. McLure had said it was reported Northumberland Ferries, Ltd., was not being allowed to operate a third vessel pending replacement by a new one to be built by the federal government.

Mr. Chevrier said neither he nor the Government has refused permission for the operation of another boat.

The Minister added the matter was under the jurisdiction of the Canadian Maritime Commission, which had suggested to the ferry company that, pending construction of the government ship, its current subsidy contract with the Commission be extended from a one-year to a two-year basis.

FRIDAY

OTTAWA, April 9—(Special) — Works Minister Fournier today skilfully dodged a question asked on the floor of the Commons by W. Chester S. McLure, Progressive Conservative member for Queen's. When deploring the fact that amounts voted for public works in Prince Edward Island were made up almost altogether of revotes, Mr. McLure asked why a revote was used for the public building at Kensington. He said there was need of the post office building at Kensington, but why was money for it provided by the strategy of a revote.

In replying to the complaint, Mr. Fournier skipped the question about Kensington altogether. Mr. McLure was trying to find out how much it cost the department to make alternations to the Kensington Post Office when it was under construction, but the information was not forthcoming. When the item of $235,000 for acquisition of land, construction and improvements of public building came up, Mr. McLure said: "I am sure the Minister will be pleased with this item, because it consists of revotes. The first part of it refers to a public building in Charlottetown involving a revote of $50,000. That has been carried over for the last eight or nine years. I notice that in connection with the Charlottetown building, too small an amount was voted and there had to be a revote. I would like to have an explanation." In reply Mr. Fournier said he would stand by his words in the House the previous day on the subject of the proposed Federal Building at Charlottetown. He repeated that 80 percent of the plans are completed and his department is working on the balance of those plans. The site, he noted, is owned by the Federal Government.

BIRTHS

JAY—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on April 2nd, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Roland L. Jay, Mt. Stewart, a son, Allan Lemuel.

CURLEY—At the Charlottetown Hospital, April 2nd, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Curley, Freetown, a son.

WINCHESTER—At Grace Maternity Hospital, Halifax, N. S., Sunday, April 5th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Winchester (nee Enid M. Gill, R. N.) a daughter.

YOUNG — At the Charlottetown Hospital, April 3rd, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D Young, Wood Islands, a daughter, Beverley Ann. Weight 8 lbs. 9 ozs.

PARLEE—At the P. E. I. Hospital, April 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Parlee, a son, 6 lbs, 5 oz., Bertram Mullin.

PICKARD—At the Catherine Booth Hospital, Montreal, on April 2nd, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Pickard a daughter, Barbara Jean.

MacKENZIE—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on April 7, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald N. MacKenzie, Charlottetown, a daughter, Marion Janet.

THOMAS—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital, on Monday, April 6th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thomas (nee Lorraine MacWilliams) West Covehead, a son, Albert Stuart. Weight 8 lbs.

NANTES—At the Charlottetown Hospital, April 8th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nantes, Kelly's Cross, a son, Kenneth Gerald.

NEWELL—At the P. E. Island Hospital, April 8th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. James C. Newell, Charlottetown, a daughter, Barbara Jane.

McSWAIN—At the Souris Hospital, April 5th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McSwain, Mt. Hope, a son Weight 10 lbs. 6 ozs.

POWER—At the Charlottetown Hospital on April 7th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Power, Tracadie, a daughter.

JENKINS—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on April 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold S. Jenkins, Parkdale, a son, John Frederick, 7 lbs, 4 ozs.

STRANG—At the P. E. I. Hospital, April 8th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Strang, a daughter, Bonnie Lee.

ANDREW—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on April 8th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Andrew, East Royalty, a daughter, Frances Kathryn.

DEATHS

CROSSMAN—At the residence of her sister, Mrs. George S. Hennessey, 256 Fitzroy St., on Sunday, April 5th, 1953, Mrs. Frederick Crossman of Tryon in her 61st year.

MURDOCK—At Boston, Mass., on Sunday, April 5, 1953, William Murdock, formerly of Melville, P. E. I., in his 66th year.

WICKETT—At Kensington, April 5th, Mrs. Hattie Wickett in her 86th year.

MacLEAN—At the Aberdeen Hospital, New Glasgow, N. S., Friday, April 3rd, 1953, Russel R. MacLean aged 71 years.

PENDERGAST—At the P. E. Island Hospital on Thursday, April 2nd, 1953, Eric C. Pendergast of Hazelbrook in his 55th year.

NELSON—At Boston, Tuesday, March 31, 1953, Mrs. Marjorie Nelson, widow of the late C. Hammond Nelson.

FRIZZEL—At the P. E. Island Hospital, April 6, 1953, Mrs. Herbert Frizzel, in her 77th year.

ARSENAULT—At Summerside on Monday, April 6th, Michael Arsenault in his 84th year.

CLARK—At the Prince County Hospital on Monday, April 6th, Julie Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Clark, Augustine Cove.

ARSENAULT—At Halifax on Friday, April 3rd, Petty Officer J. Vernon Arsenault in his 24th year.

MOBBS—At the Prince County Hospital on Monday, April 6th, 1953, William G. Mobbs in his 80th year.

REID—At the Prince County Hospital on Monday, April 6th, Lorne H. Reid in his 64th year.

CLARK—At Cavendish on April 6th, 1953, Mrs. Frederick W. Clark, age 76 years.

ROSS—At Bridgetown, P. E. I., on April 4th, 1953, Mrs. George W. Ross.

MALLOY—At 27 Thorndike St., Arlington, Mass., Colman C. Malloy, beloved husband of Mary C. (McIntyre) Malloy, formerly of Mill Cove, P. E. I.

PELLETIER— At Slemon Park, Tuesday, April 7, 1953, Joseph George Pelletier, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Pelletier.

DOUCETTE—At his residence, 27 Grafton Street, Tuesday, April 7, 1953, Angus Doucette in his 66th year.

FRIZZEL—At the P. E. Island Hospital, April 6, 1953, Mrs. Herbert Frizzel, in her 77th year.

MacBEATH—At the P. E. Island Hospital, April 7th, 1953, A. A. MacBeath in his 75th year.

McLELLAN—At the Charlottetown Hospital, April 8th, Mr. John C. McLellan, 220 Sydney Street in his 78th year.

McQUAID—At her residence, 136 Water St., Charlottetown, on April 8, Miss Josephine McQuaid.

WALSH — At Charlottetown on Wednesday, April 8th, 1953, John Walsh in his 57th year.

MacDONALD—At Maple Hill, Mt. Stewart, April 8, Miss Margaret MacDonald in her 93rd year.

MATHESON—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital, Thursday, April 9, 1953, Janet Kathleen Matheson, age 16 days, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Matheson.

HOOPER—At the P. E. Island Hospital on Thursday, April 9th, 1953, Nelson Hooper of 45 Bayfield St., in his 73rd year.

MacDONALD—At Maple Hill, Mt. Stewart, April 8, 1953, Miss Margaret MacDonald in her 93rd year.

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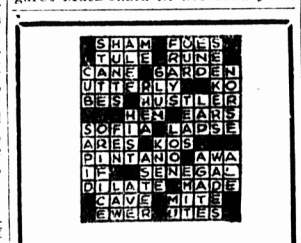
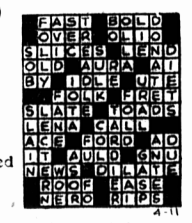


Solution To Last Saturday's Crossword

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1. Cut, as meat
6. Outmoded
11. Above (dial.)
12. Suffered a dull pain
13. Not fast
14. Dress
15. Evening sun god (Egypt.)
16. Evening (poet.)
17. Enclosure
18. A notch in a margin
21. Mountain nymphs
23. Incarnation of Vishnu (Hindu)
27. A meat pie
28. Troubled
29. Girl's name
30. Inborn
31. Endured
33. Lofty mountain
36. Underworld god
37. Water barrier
40. Molded masses of bread
42. Long for
43. Remove, as the cap
44. One who gives
45. Intended
46. River (Fr.)

DOWN
1. Form in a mold
2. Dexterous
3. Largest
4. Solemn promise
5. Half an em
6. Thin metal disk
7. Division of a play
8. Water craft
9. Wither
10. Paradise
14. Birds as a class
16. Founder of Christian Science
19. Seaport in Brazil
20. Threefold
21. Open (poet.)
22. Rodent
24. Arabian Nights character (poss.)
25. Encountered
26. Any fruit drink
28. Emmets
30. Egyptian goddess
32. Skillful
33. An astringent
34. Solitary
35. Rodent (So. Am.)
38. Presently
39. Simple
41. Carting vehicle
42. Taro paste
44. District Attorney (abbr.)



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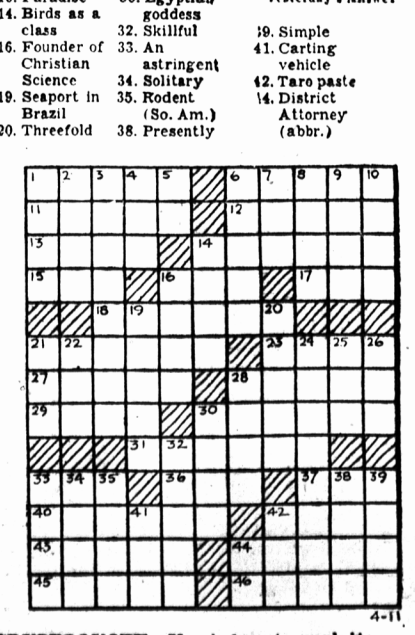

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:
A X Y D L B A A X R
is L O N G F E L L O W

One letter simply stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophies, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation

NLGEG UC K ATGKCBEG UV AHGN. UJ AKUVC, RLUJL HVTF AHGNC DVHR—JHRAGE.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: A CURSE ATTENDS THAT WOMAN'S LOVE WHO ALWAYS WOULD BE PLEASING—GAY.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE — MAJOR HOOPLE

There Ought To Be A Law — By Fagaly And Shorter