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O'Leary and Vicinity

On Sunday, Jan. 7 Mr. Sanford Phillips, a well known and respected resident of O'Leary suffered a severe heart attack. The family physician Dr. L. G. Dewar of O'Leary was immediately called. Mr. Phillips has rallied and his condition is such that he is expected to recover.

Deepest sympathy is extended to the widow and family and relatives of the late Ira Silliker who passed away on Saturday. Funeral services took place Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 10 from the O'Leary United Church. Officiating at the services was his minister Rev. C. O. Howlett who was assisted by Rev. W. G. Dickson.

The sad news came to O'Leary over the week-end that Mrs. Keith Matheson of O'Leary who underwent an operation in the Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal on Friday is now seriously ill and the members of her family have been advised of her condition. Her husband has been in Montreal since Mrs. Matheson went to the hospital. Her son, Ken of O'Leary, and her two sisters of Summerside have left for Montreal to be with her. The specialists do not hold out any hope for her recovery but her legion of friends in O'Leary and vicinity will hope and pray that her condition may yet take a turn for the better and that she may be spared to return to her home and loved ones and friends.

Bedeque Afternoon Auxiliary Holds Annual Meeting

The Auxiliary of the W.M.S. of Bedeque United Church held their annual meeting on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 3 at the home of Mrs. Pearl Affleck with the president, Mrs. E. S. Weeks presiding with Mrs. Edna Jenkins pianist, meeting opened with the members standing with bowed heads in memory of a departed member: Mrs. Albert Weeks who recently passed away, as the president read: There is no death. An Angel form Walks o'er the earth with silent tread;

He bears our best loved ones away; And then we call them "dead". They are ever near us though unseen, Their dear immortal spirits tread; For all this boundless universe Is life—"There are no dead."

Hymn, "Standing at the Portal of Another Year", and the Lord's Prayer in unison. The annual reports of the different secretaries was given and were very encouraging. Miss Mildred Calbeck, treasurer, gave the financial report showing the allocation of \$380.00 had been raised and forwarded to the Presbyterial Treasurer, and a small surplus on hand. Two new members were welcomed, Mrs. A. MacInnis and Mrs. Chas. Henderson. Sixteen house calls were reported for the last month. Mrs. Chas. Henderson and Mrs. Carrie Leard were appointed delegates to the Presbyterial to be held in Summerside Jan. 23 and 24. Collection amounted to \$17.35, emergency fund \$2.05. Miss Louisa Calbeck gave a talk on Temperance, and urged every member to join the Temperance Federation.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Carrie Leard. It was a Missionary study, subject, "The United Church re-enters Japan through partnership in church work." The president led the worship service, prayers were offered by Mrs. Pearl Affleck, Miss Louisa Calbeck and Mrs. E. S. Weeks.

Mrs. W. B. Crowe conducted an impressive installation ceremony of the newly appointed officers for 1951. V.I.S. president, Mrs. E. S. Weeks; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Pearl Affleck; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. James Henderson; Treasurer, Miss Mildred Calbeck; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Orville Johnson; Correspondent Secretary, Mrs. Carrie Leard; Christian Stewardship Secretary, Mrs. Walter Wright Supply Secretary, Mrs. Chas. Henderson; Community Friendship Secretary, Mrs. W. J. Reid; Missionary Monthly Secretary, Mrs. Robert Affleck; Mission Band Leader, Miss Louisa Calbeck; Press Secretary, Mrs. T. J. Inman; Literature Secretary and Pianist, Mrs. Edna Jenkins. Hymn "Take My Life and Let It Be" and Benediction brought the meeting to a close. A social hour followed and refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Orville Johnson.

The annual meeting of the Bloomfield United Church Young Peoples Union was held on Tuesday night, Jan. 9 in the Y.P.U. room of the church with the minister, Rev. W. G. Dickson, presiding. The following were elected by ballot: President, Harry MacAusland; vice-president, Helen Hardy; secretary-treasurer, Lina Craswell (re-elected). The following conveners were appointed: Citizenship, Edwin Hardy; Missions, Lela Craswell; recreation, Mrs. Heber Profit (re-elected); Fellowship, Helen Hardy; Culture, Heber Profit. The minister commented last year's president, Mrs. Errol Stetson, and her assistants for the excellence of their programs during the past year and wished the new executive God's richest blessing during 1951. The secretary-treasurer presented a fine financial report. Plans were made to hold a special meeting in conjunction with O'Leary Y.P.U. at which the special guest speaker will be Constable Keefe, R.C.M.P. of the Alberton detachment who will speak and show moving pictures on Canada's North where he was stationed for several years. The meeting closed by the Mizpah Benediction after which games were enjoyed, led by Mrs. Heber Profit.—O.

LONDON, Jan. 9 —(CP)—The first R.A.F. contingent for Canada's air training plan will leave Britain Thursday. Twenty-eight cadet pilots, averaging about 20 years in age, will be inspected and addressed at nearby Uxbridge R. A. F. station tomorrow by Air Minister Arthur Henderson.

Piusville and Vicinity

—Mr. Ernest Brown, Halifax, spent Christmas in Piusville.

Mr. Ralph Hardy, Summerside, spent the week-end at his home in Rosebank.

Mr. Wilfred Gallant recently left for New Brunswick to seek employment for the winter months.

Miss Lorraine Corcoran recently spent a few days in St. Louis guest of her sister, Mrs. William O'Brien and Mr. O'Brien.

Mr. Ben Gallant, Piusville, spent the week-end in St. Louis.

Messrs. Dolare Gallant and Neilson Gallant recently left for New Brunswick to seek employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Corcoran and children, Herman, Cheryl and Beatrice were visiting in Waterford on Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. John Corcoran who visited her daughter Mrs. William O'Brien and Mr. O'Brien, St. Louis.

BARCELONA, Spain, Jan. 9 —(AP)—Guided by radar, five United States warships steamed into port through a dense fog today for the first American naval visit to Barcelona since the Spanish civil war. The flotilla included a heavy cruiser and four destroyers.

By Fago & Shorter



Elsa Wreggitt is seen holding a small piece of X-ray film, which will be used to help guard radiologists from deadly stray rays emitted by their x-ray machines. The film then will be sent to Ottawa once a week for inspection by Dr. G. M. Guest, senior scientific officer of the department of national health and welfare. In cases where film was found to be heavily blackened, those who turned it in would be warned they had been dangerously close to radiation.

Annual Meeting Bloomfield Church

The annual meeting of the Bloomfield United Church congregation was held on Tuesday afternoon Jan. 9 in the Sunday School room of the church with the minister Rev. W. G. Dickson presiding and the secretary, Reginald F. MacAusland, read the minutes. The Sunday School report was given by the Supt. John R. Dignan. Receipts were \$98 and expenditures amounted to \$52. The Superintendent referred to the loyalty of the parents and the Sunday School teachers and scholars. The Sunday School has an enrollment of 26 with an average attendance about 22. They won many diplomas and certificates for Bible memorization.

Mrs. Reginald F. MacAusland reported for the Missionary societies of the church and announced that the Women's Missionary Society Auxiliary, the Mission Band and Baby Band had raised the splendid total of \$351.50 and in addition sent boxes and bales to Labrador and to Korea.

Mrs. A. W. Craswell reported for the Young Peoples Union. This small group of young people with an average attendance of only thirteen, had a successful year. They paid \$22 toward the O'Leary Community projector. They donated a large sum to the Missionary and Maintenance Fund and made donations to the Augustine Cove Camp, the Manitoba Flood Relief Fund, etc. They collected during the year almost \$85.

The secretary-treasurer Mr. MacAusland gave the report of the congregation for the year. Over \$1,110 was collected and expenditures amount to over \$1,097. The large allocation for the Missionary and Maintenance Fund was raised amounting to \$220. The sum of \$67.50 was sent to the Mount Allison University campaign. The treasurer announced that all denominational funds had been met, the minister's salary paid, etc.

Messrs. John R. Dignan and Alban W. Craswell, retiring stewards, were re-appointed as was the janitor, Mrs. Earl Cornish. The minister thanked all the members for their interest and loyalty during the past year and asked for their continued help and prayers during this New Year. He announced that on the pastoral charge there were 18 funerals, 20 baptisms and three weddings. There was also a number who joined the church on profession of faith. The meeting closed by the Benediction.—O.

GREENHILL SCHOOL CONCERT

On December 22 a large crowd witnessed the Greenhill School Concert which was held in the schoolroom.

The school was traditionally decorated in red and green and a gaily decorated tree occupied one corner.

The following program was presented, with Mr. Arnold Wood as chairman.

Chorus, "Christmas All Year Long."

Welcome Recitation, by Norma MacNeill.

Drill, "The Christmas Dollies", by Freda MacMillan.

Recitation, "Don't Open Till Christmas", by Ina Smith.

Song, "Rudolph", by Erma and Lillian Phillips and Alice MacNeill.

Dialogue, "Order of Independent Unmarried Women", by seven senior girls.

Recitation, "The Winner", by Evan MacDougall.

Dialogue, "Mixed Numbers", by Ruth Wood, Norma MacNeill, Erma and Lillian Phillips.

Drill, "The Christmas Letters," Carols of old, Christmas Carols, Motion Songs in costume, by Freda MacMillan, Alice MacDougall.

Recitation, by four boys, Marvin MacDonald, Clara MacDonald, Erwin Phillips, Sherrill Barwise.

Dialogue, "David's Brave Attempt."

Song, "Star of the East", by Ruth Wood.

Recitation, "Light on Santa", by Linda MacWilliams and Marvin MacDonald.

Recitation, "The Crippled Dolly", by Lillian Phillips.

Monologue, "The Mix Up", by Fairley Dumville.

Recitation, by Erma Phillips.

The Upside Down Drill, by five pupils.

Chorus, "Santa Claus Has Come To Town."

Santa then arrived and in his usual jovial manner presented presents, candy and fruit to the pupils and their teacher, Mrs. Ira MacDonald.

A very enjoyable evening was brought to a close with a recitation—Farewell, by Audrey Dumville.

Report for November: Grade X-1. Ruth Wood, Jennie Frizzell (equal).

Grade IX-1. Ella Smith; 2. Alice MacDonald; 3. Lillian Phillips.

Grade VIII-1. Ernest Wood; 2. Leigh MacDonald.

Grade VII-1. Freda MacMillan; 2. Audrey Dumville; 3. Ralph MacWilliams.

Grade VI-1. Raymond MacWilliams.

Grade V-1. Ina Smith; 2. Evan MacDougall.

Grade IV-1. Marvin MacDonald; Linda MacWilliams (equal).

Grade I (a) 1. Clara MacDonald, Erwin Phillips.

Grade I (b)—Sherrill Barwise

Grade I (c)—Garfield MacMillan.

FLAG FEATURE

The Southern Cross constellation was first used on the Australian flag in 1864.

NEWSY NOTES

By Agricola

THE YELLOW PALM WARBLER

This bird was known to Baln under the name of the Yellow Red-poll. "We have only observed," he writes, "the Yellow Red-poll in the Autumn on the barrens of Prince County." Elsewhere he remarks, "It is a rare bird here." It appears in the lists of all three Maritime Provinces. It was seen by Dwight at Tignish in 1892, and at Pownal by Miss Maude M. Jones on Aug. 27, 1896.

One of the field-marks of this species, is the habit of nervously twitching its tail up and down. The only other species that indulges in tail-flicking is the Prairie Warbler, which has never been reported here. The Palm Warbler winters in southern U. S. A.

Yellow Palm Warbler, AOU, 672a. Summer Resident — 1916 list. Male: Crown chestnut, line over eye, and eye-ring, yellow; back brownish-olive; rump olive-green; no wing-bars, but secondaries sometimes tinged chestnut. Underparts entirely bright yellow, but throat, breast, and sides streaked chestnut. Tail edged olive-green, outer feathers with white spots on their inner vanes near the tips. Female similar, duller, sometimes with no chestnut on the back. Length of adult, 5.45 inches.

Plant for Naming

Mrs. M. B. R. City, — The little spring of bloom which you sent in, was from an Azalea as you surmised. The name "Petrick" on the plant-label merely indicates that it is a horticultural variety. In a way, Azalea may be looked upon as the surname of this beautiful flowering shrub, and "Mme. Petrick" as the given or christened name.

Madame Petrick is a hybrid of the so-called Indian Azalea and when well grown, is covered with rosy-hued flowers. There are at least ten other varieties, all of different colors, and equally adapted for forcing for the Christmas trade. Most forced plants may be saved, if their peculiar requirements are attended to, but it takes a year or more for them to recuperate after the forcing. Azaleas need an acid soil in repotting; such a soil as suits blueberries, Mayflower (Arbutus) or wintergreen, together with peat and leaf mold.

The Stone of Destiny (2)

Last week, you will recall, these Notes related the history of the Lia-fail — the Stone of Fate — from the time when Edward I shipped it to England, to the present day. That was authentic history, but the traditional history is more interesting, very much longer, and certainly with more action.

It is related, in the Book of Genesis that Jacob, the fugitive son of Isaac, fleeing from the wrath of his brother, chose a stone whereon to pillow his weary head. As he slept, he dreamed of a ladder set up from earth to Heaven; and when he awoke he said "Truly God is in this place", and set up the stone as an altar. There is something of a break here, for we next read that Jacob handed over the stone to his son Joseph who in turn bequeathed it to his heirs. Along with the Ark of the Covenant, and other sacred relics it accompanied the Israelites through the wilderness. One recent account says "there are iron rings let into its battered surface," and suggests that these are consistent with the idea of long migrations with the stone supported on poles. The present writer looked over

ald, Ella Smith, Lillian Phillips, Pantomime, "The Inoculation," Song, "Frosty the Snowman", by seven girls.

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Another tradition varies the story. The Stone was transported to Egypt by the patriarch's sons, and thither also came Gathelus, son of King Cecrops of Athens. Gathelus married Scota, Pharaoh's daughter, and alarmed by the acts of Moses, fled with the Stone to Spain. From thence it was carried to Ireland by Simon Brech, the favorite son of Milo the Scot. Fifty or sixty years ago some cranks commenced excavations at Tara to find the tomb of the Judaeo princess and recover the sacred relics buried there. They made such a rough job of the historic site that they roused public indignation and the work was stopped.

The newspapers, when the War broke out, reported that the Stone was in hiding "somewhere in the country." After the war, it was revealed that the Stone was buried in the Abbey; it was the chair that was hidden in the basement of Gloucester Cathedral. What is the weight of the Stone? Some accounts say over 300 lbs; others say, over 400 lbs. Just another mystery!

Hymn-tune "America"

The other week these Notes embodied the history of the National Anthem "God Save the King." It was also stated that musicians in the U. S. A. called the tune "America" and that the present writer did not think that any special words were attached to it.

Mrs. John A. MacDonald, of Bethel, has kindly sent in a song-book with these words to the tune: My country, 'tis of thee, Sweet land of liberty,

Land where my fathers died, Land of the Pilgrims' pride, From ev'ry mountain-side Let freedom ring.

There are three verses but space is scarce! A footnote says that this hymn was first sung in Park Street Church, Boston, July 4, 1832. Mrs. MacDonald, who was born and reared in the U. S. A., gives some interesting details of her schooldays at Malden, Mass. There every day was begun by the teacher reading a portion of Scripture, then the class stood at attention and recited the "Salute to the Flag" in unison; finally saluting a large American Flag which stood at the front of the classroom. The song "America" was sung quite frequently in the school, especially at dismissal on Fridays. The classes usually contained a few pupils of other nationalities and creeds — mostly Protestant, but some Catholics, and Jews. With the exception of Saluting the Flag, this letter reminds me of my own schooldays. Many thanks to Mrs. MacDonald for her kind wishes.

Am. Fox is the title of the very strong fox breeders association which was formed some months ago at Milwaukee, Wisconsin. A further meeting of all concerned will be held this month for the election of officers and the adoption of further plans. Such top breeders as Edward Langenfeldt, David Henderson, Eldon Platt, Otto Grosse, Edward Fromm, Omar Brager-Larsen, Alma Erickson, Roy Harman, A. J. Worth, Ronald Stevenson, Bert Avery, Paul Reinhardt, Joseph Francis and others are behind this new association with all their force.

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VAL D'OR, Que. Jan. 9 —(CP)—For years Recorder J. L. Ballargeon, in traffic court, has emphasized that motorists should never leave ignition keys in parked cars. Today the police are searching for the Ballargeon car. Yep Ballargeon left his keys in a car.

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Waiting For "End Of World" That Never Came



MRS. CARLSON IS SEEN WITH HUSBAND, GEORGE

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TIMELY NOTES ON TOPICS CONNECTED WITH Silver Fox and Mink Farming

The American Fox and Fur Breeders have held many live fox and mink shows the last two months and the final big event was the International Felt Show at the International Fur Show at Marshfield, Wis., Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week. They expected to have exhibitors of pelts from Canada and at least five of the states in the U. S. A. A pelt show was a regular feature of our Silver Fox Breeders Association until the past two years. It seems a pity that it was discontinued as it was no doubt the means of attracting a lot of exhibitors and giving evidence to the breeder of the quality of the foxes he was raising. After all it is the pelt that the foxes are finally judged on.

The New York Auction Company offered 26,000 standard ranch mink last week and about 80 per cent attendance competition was keen. The strongest selling bracket was from \$28. to \$26. for males and from \$14.75 to \$13.75 for females. Part of the collection was from the Great Lakes Mink Association which has a reputation for producing good mink. The Great Lakes Mink Company also offered 50,000 fresh mink at Lampton, Fraser and Huth's sale early this week.

The F. C. Taylor Fur Company of St. Louis held an auction last week and results were that prices of all mink were unchanged from the week before, while raccoon and muskrat were 1 per cent higher. Part of the collection was from the Great Lakes Mink Association which has a reputation for producing good mink. The Great Lakes Mink Company also offered 50,000 fresh mink at Lampton, Fraser and Huth's sale early this week.

In the column, "They Say in The Fur Market" from Women's Wear Daily, New York, is the following: "More long-haired furs are coming on the scene as the result of the successful revival of fox this past year. Manufacturers have already added styles in other long-haired furs and buyers are showing interest. These are in small pieces, capes, stoles and jackets planned for Spring.

LONDON — (CP)—"If I can't have the turkey I'll take the sausages," said a Dutch traveller at London Airport. He pulled two sausages from the centre of a cooked turkey he was forced to return because of customs regulations.

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