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Freetown Notes

Mr. Wyville Reeves left on Tuesday for Brantford, Ontario, where he plans to spend the winter months.

The many friends of Mr. Basil Taylor regret to hear of his illness, at his home in Freetown, and all hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles MacKenzie of Winsloe were visitors to Freetown recently, at the home of their daughter Mrs. Brewer Auld.

Mr. Robert Schurman spent last week in Charlottetown attending the Leadership training course, sponsored by the Provincial Department of Agriculture.

Miss Susan Jardine, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Jardine of Montague, returned home on New Year's day, after spending an enjoyable week in Freetown, at the home of her grand parents Mr. and Mrs. George Jardine.

Mrs. S. A. Burns returned home on Friday from a three weeks visit to Dartmouth, N. S. where she was the guest of L. A. C. Frank Adams, Mrs. Adams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie McCarville of South Freetown spent Christmas week pleasantly in St. John N. B., where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Justin McIvor and family. Mrs. McIvor is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McCarville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Auld were visitors to Kensington recently where they attended the baptism of their granddaughter, infant daughter of Dr. Waldon Auld and Mrs. Auld. The little one was given the name of Barbara Anne, and the officiating clergyman was Rev. L. M. Murray. Others present at the ceremony included Mrs. Gerald P. Strong the baby's maternal grandmother of Windsor, Nova Scotia, Miss Geraldine Strong and Miss Dorothy Auld.

A very enjoyable evening was spent in Birch Grove Hall when the pupils of Freetown school presented their Christmas concert. The programme consisted of songs, recitations, and dialogues which were very much enjoyed by all present. The hall was nicely decorated for the occasion with Christmas tree and other decorations. Much credit is due the teachers, Miss McPhee and Miss Hughes for the excellent way in which the children staged the performance.

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O'Leary and Vicinity

The Canadian Girls in Training of the O'Leary United Church met on Friday night, Jan. 5 in the Sunday School room of the church. The devotions were led by Bessie Dennis assisted by Florence Gallant. The business period was presided over by the president, Isabel MacDonald. The girls were presented with beautiful religious mottos by their leaders, Mrs. W. G. Dickson and Mrs. Herbert Vatcher.

Mrs. Keith Matheson of O'Leary underwent an operation on Friday, Jan. 5 in the Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal where she has been a patient undergoing treatment and observation. Latest reports indicate that she came through the operation splendidly and her legion of friends wish her a speedy convalescence and an early return to home and loved ones and friends in O'Leary. Mr. Matheson accompanied his wife to Montreal.

The Women's Missionary Society of the O'Leary United Church held their regular meeting at the manse on Jan. 5 with a splendid attendance and with the president, Mrs. Alice Turner, presiding and conducting the worship service assisted by a number of the ladies who had different parts in the service or who led in prayer. Mrs. Claude Jelly gave a fine reading on "Stewardship". A very interesting letter was read from Miss Elma Inman, a native Islander, who is a missionary in Trinidad and who last year on her furlough spoke in a number of centres in Prince Edward Island among them O'Leary. Her letter was very interesting and instructive. The secretary-treasurer, Mrs. A. J. Matheson reported the fine total raised in 1950 for missionary purposes to be five hundred and thirty-eight (\$538) dollars. This marvellous amount was raised by contributions from the members of the W.M.S., the Evening Auxiliary, the Mission Circle and the Mission Band. This is the largest amount ever to be sent away and reflects much sacrificial giving. Last year the total was four hundred and fifteen (\$415) dollars. The president asked the ladies to please stand, when she heard about the fine financial standing, and asked all to sing "The Doxology". The minister, Rev. W. G. Dickson then used the beautiful ritual as he installed the officers of the W.M.S. for the New Year. The meeting closed by the Benediction.

After the Week of Prayer service on Friday night, Jan. 5 the annual meeting of the West Devon United Church was held. The minister, Rev. W. G. Dickson of O'Leary presided. The minutes were read by the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Charles Moreshead, who also presented a very fine report of the general church finances, showing that a total of \$437.15 was contributed from envelopes, contributions, etc. After the denominational funds, the local bills and the minister's salary was paid, there remained a small surplus. Mrs. Moreshead also gave the report for the Ladies' Aid which showed receipts amounting to \$117.29 and expenditures of \$59.14. The Ladies' Aid helped in the manse repair bill, bought blinds for the church windows, bought wire and steeples for fence, etc. The Missionary and Maintenance report was given by Mrs. J. A. Grigg and showed a fine total of eighty (\$80.00) dollars. Mrs. Grigg was warmly commended for her work as well as for her valued services as the church janitor and was reappointed. The Sunday School report was given by the Superintendent Charles Moreshead. The Young Peoples Union had a fine report, presented by its president, Miss Ruby Cornish, which showed receipts of almost \$50.00 with expenditures of \$45.00. The minister gave the Session report and thanked the Elders, the Trustees, and spoke of the fine co-operation of every family. He remarked on the splendid attendance during the year and asked for the continued cooperation of the people for the year 1951. The minister complimented the fine service of the organist and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Charles Moreshead. All church officers were re-elected. The meeting closed by the Benediction.

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NAPOLEON and UNCLE ELBY by Clifford McBride



Fredericton and Vicinity

Master Gordon Stevenson enjoyed a short holiday in North Wilshire visiting his friend Randolph Nicholson.

Miss Edith MacLellan, obliging saleslady at N. A. Cutcliffe store, spent the week-end at her home in Pleasant Valley.

Miss Phyllis Ling, Summerside, spent the week-end in Pleasant Valley the guest of her mother, Mrs. Hammond Ling.

Mr. Fred Weeks has accepted a position with Schurman's at Kensington. His Fredericton friends wish him success in his new undertaking.

Miss Joyce Ling, commercial student in Summerside, has resumed her studies after spending an enjoyable holiday with her mother Mrs. Hammond Ling, Pleasant Valley.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacKinnon, Pleasant Valley, learn with regret of the continued illness of their infant son in a Halifax hospital. All look forward to renewed health for this winsome child.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dunford of Charlottetown accompanied by their young son, Hal, spent the week-end in Fredericton the guests of Mrs. Dunford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Cutcliffe.

Mrs. W. E. Stevenson, Fredericton, is almost a daily visitor to Charlottetown the guest of her daughter, Ireta, who is still a patient in the P. E. I. Hospital. Best wishes are extended to Ireta, who had to discontinue her studies at Prince of Wales College due to a virus condition.

During the past week residents of Pleasant Valley have entered a new world—the world of electricity. To many the door has closed upon the days of the oil and gas lamps, and now lights shine more brightly from windows, yards are lighted and the farmers and their wives enjoy new conveniences.

The December meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. N. Aubrey Cutcliffe. The president Mrs. Harry Weeks presided. Mrs. N. A. Cutcliffe was leader of the devotional period. A beautiful candlelight service was presented. The five lighted candles on the table were symbolic of the thoughts expressed in the service—joy, love, light, peace, and hope. The Christmas story was read, and the following Carols sung: "Angels, from the Realms of Glory," "Joy to the World," "Come let us sing of a Wonderful Love," "The race that long in darkness pined," "It came upon the midnight clear," and "All my heart this night rejoices." Mrs. J. B. MacDowell, Christian stewardship secretary, read Matt. 2:9-11, also a poem from the missionary monthly. Roll call was answered by twelve members and three visitors. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. Collection was taken and mite boxes were opened. Correspondence was read, including a letter from Mrs. MacFarlane, our Presbyterian president. The sick committee gave their report. There were eight home and twelve hospital calls during the month. Mrs. John Weeks and Mrs. Eldred Weeks were the new sick committee appointed. Next meeting to be held in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Weeks, the officers for the coming year will be installed at this meeting. Meeting closed by singing, "Light of the lonely pilgrims heart," followed by prayer by Mrs. J. B. MacDowell.

India Begins To Feel

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Russia is believed to need more oil. So its easy to see whom the Iranian Prime Minister sees as the most likely to try out his army.

Where would an invasion of Iran stop? That worries India and Pakistan too.

Tribesmen of the jagged region along the Afghan frontier have long been agitating for independence. They bothered the British when they were governing India, and they're kicking up their heels again. They want to set up an independent state to be called Poooshtoonistan, named for the group of languages spoken by many of the peoples of the area. There are Poooshtoon on the Afghan side of the border, too, but little has been said about carving out a piece of Afghanistan to be included in the new state.

There's no strong indication that the Poooshtoonian thing is Communist inspired, but it's certainly another one of those things that Communism stands ready to exploit.

And Communists certainly are not unfamiliar with the territory. Within it is located the Khyber Pass. Red Russian spies—and, before them, Czarist Russian spies—have swarmed through that pass for years, dressed as traders.

Peoples who have lived in India, however, say that Russian spies never fooled anybody much. They ask so many questions a trader would never ask that they give themselves away.

BURGESS BEDTIME

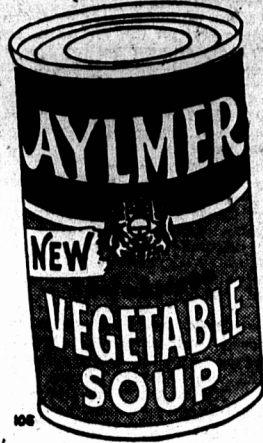
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torted Spite. All the time he was edging a little. He hoped that Shadow wouldn't notice it.

"Don't think you can catch me, you big bully, because you can't," snarled his small cousin in white, whose eyes were red with rage.

Spite made a sudden rush. Shadow vanished as by magic. There was a small hole at the foot of a tree close to where Shadow had been just a moment before. Spite saw Shadow's black tail vanish in that hole. A moment later Shadow's face appeared just inside the entrance. "Can't catch me!" he taunted.

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