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CANVASSERS FOR Sunset Lodge and Red Shield attention. Super meeting at the Salvation Army Tuesday 6:15 p.m.

ATTENDING CONVENTION - Miss Eleanor Lockhart, graduate nurse, Miss Edith St. John and Miss Anna Harrison attend nurses of the Prince Edward Island Hospital at left Saturday morning for Quebec City, Quebec, where they will attend the 26th Biennial Convention of the Canadian Nurses Association being held there this week.

MEETING AT MONCTON - At the annual meeting of the New Brunswick Society of Radiology Technicians, held on Saturday at Hotel Dieu, Moncton, Miss Helen MacKinnon, R.T., of the Moncton Hospital was elected president for the next year. Highlight of the meeting was "Information Please", a panel discussion in which several radiologists participated. Attending from Charlottetown were Sister Mary Edith, R.T. and Sister Ursula, R. T.

LOADING TO RESUME TODAY - The work of loading the M/V. Blue Seal, which started on Saturday, was discontinued over the weekend, and was slated to be resumed this morning. Potatoes, egg poultry and frozen chickens have been taken aboard, to a large extent, and the balance, with pigs, cattle and live poultry will make up the full cargo. Hope is entertained that the ship will carry a few more cattle than the Blue Prince as the vessel is larger. The mixed cargo is destined to St. Pierre and St. John's, Nfld., and the ship is expected to sail late this evening.

LEAVES FOR SAINT JOHN - Lieut. Col. H. Gordon Williams has left the city to take up residence in Saint John, N.B., where he will be employed in private industry as an accountant. The former officer, Commanding the 26th L. A. A. Regiment, accompanied by Mrs. Williams and their two daughters, left here Saturday for Tyne Valley where Mrs. Williams and the children will spend a holiday with her parents before going to Saint John to rejoin Col. Williams.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS 50c Per Insertion

BIRTHS - DOWNE - At the P. E. Island Hospital on Sunday, June 1, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Downey, a son, Robert Percy Downey, weight 8 lbs., 1 oz.

MARRIAGES - DRAKEINGS - At the United Church Parsonage, Pownal on May 24, 1952, by Rev. A. S. Weir, Annie Arlene Ings of Millville to Wallace Wynston Drake of Vernon.

DEATHS - WHITE - At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Hooper, 143 Euston St., on Monday, June 2, 1952, Mrs. W. T. White in her 86th year. Funeral at the MacLean Funeral Home, funeral notice later.

FETHICK - Passed away peacefully at his home 299 Euston St., Monday, June 2, Dr. William Howard Fethick. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home until this afternoon, then at his late residence. Funeral notice later. Please omit flowers.

MYSHRALL - At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Saturday, May 31, Alfred J. (Teddy) Myshrall, aged 1 year, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clair W. Myshrall of Dunstaffnage, formerly of St. Stephen, N.B. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home, from where the funeral will be held tomorrow (Tuesday) service starting at 2 o'clock. Interment Dunstaffnage Cemetery.

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"CINDERELLA" - Little Theatre Play, Empire Theatre, Next Thursday and Friday - Public Performance.

FIRE ON BRIDGE - The city firemen were called out at 5 o'clock on Sunday afternoon to subdue a blaze on Hillsboro Bridge attributed to a lighted cigarette lodging between planks where inflammable material had collected. The damage was slight.

POLICE COURT - In the City Police Court, before Magistrate K. M. Martin on Saturday morning, four drunk and disorderly persons were disposed of as follows: two given 20 days suspended, one 10 days suspended and one 20 days without option.

TO ATTEND CONCERT - More than 60 music lovers of the city, including many members of the Salvation Army, leave for Moncton this morning by bus and car to hear the Headquarters Band of the Army, from London Eng., now on the last leg of their tour which includes a performance at Moncton and back. A party of 40 by chartered bus have secured seats in advance for the concert which is booked for tonight, after which the band will proceed to Halifax for two concerts before leaving for St. John's, Newfoundland and their last Canadian appearance.

RECEIVED D. D. DEGREE - Rev. H. E. D. Ashford, D.D., accompanied by Mrs. Ashford, returned to the city on Saturday night after touring on Kingston, Ont., where he received his degree as Doctor of Divinity from Queen's University and his son Ian, B.Sc., was graduated in the course of industrial relations. Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Ashford then drove to Ashville, Tenn., where the former preached a mission for one week under a co-operative plan instituted by the Presbyterian and Methodist congregations in that city. He leaves tomorrow morning for Halifax where he is to speak at the 57th annual convention of the W. C. T. U. of Nova Scotia.

MAGISTRATE'S COURT - Before Magistrate Gilbert A. Gaudet on Saturday a man from St. Eleanor's was fined \$3 and costs or 5 days for operating a motor car with insufficient lights (one headlight). Two residents of West Cove were found guilty of consuming intoxicating liquor in a public place and were fined \$20 and costs or 30 days each. For consuming intoxicating liquor in a place other than his residence, a Charlottetown man was fined \$20 and costs, or 30 days. A city man found guilty of driving a motor vehicle while his faculties were impaired by liquor was remanded until today for sentence, and two city residents charged with breaking, entering and theft were remanded for one week.

First Television Reception Here

So far as is known the first television show ever to be seen here was received yesterday afternoon by Lieut. Col. K. S. Rogers. He reported that reception was excellent as he watched shows televised from Detroit by the Detroit News and from Greensboro, North Carolina, and Cincinnati. He also watched the regular Sunday afternoon service of Mgr. Sheehan which is broadcast and televised from New York.

Col. Rogers stated that he had been trying to get good reception for over six months before he obtained the success enjoyed yesterday.

It was in the early spring of 1912 that Col. Rogers wireless to this voice heard over the air. In 1920, he heard the first radio program brought here.

NEW GLASGOW W.M.S.

The regular monthly meeting of New Glasgow W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. T. L. MacNeill on Tuesday evening, May 13th. Miss Alma Rollings was devotional leader and opened the meeting with the singing of the hymn "Jesus Shall Reign". Scripture reading, Acts 16:25-34 was given by Mrs. Revell Dickenson and interesting readings were given by Miss Alma Rollings, Mrs. Harland Nelson, Mrs. Marjorie Brown, Mrs. Roy Dickenson, Mrs. Howard Ling and Mrs. Herbert Stevenson. Prayer was led by Mrs. Roy Dickenson, followed by the hymn "Stand Up, Stand Up, For Jesus". Minutes were read and approved and the roll call responded to with a Bible verse beginning with the letter "Y".

The treasurer's report was given, and various other committees gave reports. Several letters were read acknowledging sympathy cards. It was decided to have a pageant in the "Challenge of the Cross" in the near future. Miss Marjorie Brown gave the story of the Bible woman "Hannah", and an interesting discussion followed.

Large Attendance At Funeral Of Late Mr. John MacLeod

Funeral services were held yesterday from the United Church, Hunter River, for the late Mr. John MacLeod who for over 30 years had been Postmaster of the village, and who died unexpectedly in hospital last Thursday. There was a very large attendance at the funeral.

The services at the church and grave were conducted by Rev. Howard Christie, Rev. George Gough and Rev. Lawrence Blaikie. At the graveside the Masonic funeral service was conducted by Mr. Waldo Darrach, Grand Master of the Lodge at Kensington, while the Canadian Legion service was held by Major A. H. Peake, president of the Provincial Command. The Last Post was sounded by Bugler Frank Smith.

The late Mr. MacLeod had a distinguished military career in World War I when he won the Military Medal. He went to Halifax on Canadian duty in 1915 and later joined the 105th Battalion before going overseas with the 13th Battalion. He was severely wounded at Arras, losing a leg, and was hospitalized for a year before returning to Canada in 1919. He was a member of the Canadian Legion and the A.F. and A.M. Lodge of Free Masons.

Surviving are his wife, the former Bessie Mabel Barrett, two sisters and three brothers. The sisters are Flora, Mrs. W. E. Horne, Marlborough, Mass., and Isobel, Mrs. R. E. Sells, Charlottetown. The brothers are Murdoch and Lloyd, Hartsville, and Archibald, Edmonton, Alta. Another brother, Donald, was killed in the First World War.

Island Odds And Ends

June second is a date sacred to the memory of many veterans of the First World War, and particularly those ex-members of the old Third Canadian Division who survived the ordeal to which they were exposed on that date thirty-six years ago. A number of these men have also survived the intervening years, and of this group who have withstood the passing of time some live here on the Island.

The scene was the dead Ypres salient, long a death trap for troops on the British and Canadian armies. On that June morning thirty-six years ago, massed German batteries ringing the deep salient which extended into the enemy lines, opened a furious bombardment, with pin-point accuracy on the Canadian positions. Firing on targets from front, both flanks and from the rear on the most forward Canadian positions, the Germans systematically destroyed trenches and strong points, communications and gun positions. With characteristic thoroughness they confined the rain of shells to the area which had been marked for destruction and hardly a yard of the terrain escaped the fury of the prolonged barrage. Casualties mounted rapidly in the Canadian lines, where trenches and shelters built in the soggy soil of Flanders were soon a shambles, from the weight of gun fire.

Just prior to the infantry attack which followed the hours of shelling, the enemy exploded several mines which had been tunneled under the Canadian positions, killing and wounding several hundred of those who had endured the long bombardment, and remained unbroken.

The attack which followed was resisted by remnants of the decimated battalions, and the Germans advanced a thousand yards. They might have gone much farther but Canadian battalions in close reserve, themselves punished by determined and stopped any deep penetration. Ten days later further counter attacks, the Canadians had raked as much of the tortured ground as they found necessary to reconstitute their defence system, and the front quieted down.

Shelters At National Park Reported Wrecked By Vandals

Serious acts of vandalism on two Saturday nights in succession have been reported by Mr. G. B. McGillivray, supervisor of the National Park. He stated that on the past two Saturdays people had used the kitchen shelters provided in the Park and then left the buildings almost in ruins. Last Saturday night a group completely wrecked the shelter at Stanhope and then broke into the one at Dalvey where they repeated their destruction.

"We are only too glad to give service to people who use things properly, but we have too much work to do to spend all our time repairing the damage caused by vandals," Mr. McGillivray said. He stated that the R. C. M. Police were being notified and they would endeavour to locate those responsible. Because the Park is Federal property such acts of vandalism carry a heavy penalty. A great deal of work has been carried on this spring at the National Park as the past winter the buildings necessitating heavy repairs. There will be greatly improved camping and picnic facilities this year as improvement has been made to the camping grounds and extra grassed areas have been added. Mr. McGillivray said it was hoped that they would be able to add more such areas at Cavendish as well. He said that the Park would consistently expand to meet the growing needs.

Life Guard Service - Once again there will be life guards on duty at the four principal beaches in the Park, but they will not take on their duties until the middle of this month. The guards will be stationed on the beaches at Brackley, Dalvey, Cavendish and Stanhope. Mr. McGillivray could not state definitely who the guards would be this year as he is still waiting for confirmation of acceptance of the positions from several of them.

"We are always optimistic, and naturally we expect more visits this year than ever before," he said. Everything was being done to improve the services offered and he mentioned the recently hard-surfaced road in from Dalvey. It is hoped to have the road done in the Cavendish-Rustico section in the near future. The National Park officially opened for the 1952 season yesterday.

comrades. In Charlottetown there are several well-known citizens who will recall the "June scrap" vividly, since they were among those who lived through the attack, and took part in the counter attack.

Colonel F. W. Andrew and Major Norman Lowther are two of these and another, Mr. Arthur Henderson resides at Winsloe. The first mentioned officers, at that time commissioned were. They were serving with the Fifth C.M.R. "Art" Henderson was attached to a signal unit.

Other units attacked that day included the R.C.R.'s, the Princess Pats, the 48th Battalion from Edmonton, the Forty-second Black Watch from Montreal, the 1st C.M.R. Battalion from Winnipeg, the 2nd C.M.R. from Victoria, B.C., and the 4th C.M.R. from Toronto.

Scattered across the Island are men who soldiered with all of these First War regiments, and a good percentage were at the June 2nd show.

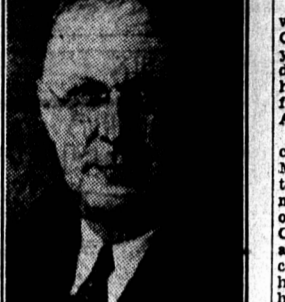
Today they will have no difficulty in recalling the events which took place on that spring day more than half a life span ago. They are among the very lucky who lived to remember.

In five hours of shelling the Canadian Mounted Rifles Brigade, who had long been organized into infantry battalions, lost 1800 men out of a trench strength of 2800. Men needed luck to be on hand for roll-call after memorable June 2nd.

JOINT OPERATION - WALKERTON, Ont. - (CP) - A friendly compromise settled the argument when two fishermen hooked the same pike in the Sauguenay River. Albert Strader cooked the fish, which had swallowed both hooks, and Joseph Sutter helped him eat it.

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To Be Ordained At St. Peter's Cathedral



Mr. W. G. Hogg, (above) well known former insurance man of this city, will be ordained to the priesthood in the Church of England on Wednesday morning, June 11, at St. Peter's Cathedral here by Right Rev. R. H. Waterman, Bishop of Nova Scotia.

Mr. Hogg was ordained as Deacon of the church in March of last year. Rev. Waterman will arrive in the city this week and will hold confirmation in St. Peter's next Sunday. He will also attend the semi-annual meetings of the Diocesan Church Society of the Women's Auxiliary. These meetings will begin with the celebration of Holy Communion at 10:30 Tuesday morning, June 10, at St. John's Church, Crapaud. The Bishop will also attend similar meetings in other parts of the Province.

NORTH WILTSHIRE W.M.S.

Mrs. Walter Clark entertained the members of the North Wiltshire Auxiliary of the Woman's Missionary Society for the May meeting.

The evening opened with a short worship service led by Mrs. F. Mitchell opening with Psalm 121 read in union, followed by the hymn "Unto the Hills". Scripture reading was taken from St. Matthew 20, verses 20 to 28. Prayer and the Lord's Prayer in union, followed by the hymn "Mountain of Good" closed this period.

The president presided over the business period and in the absence of the secretary, Mrs. Albert Bowman was asked to act. Thirteen members were reported. The Baby Band secretary reported having sent \$4.00 to Presbytery treasurer from sale of quilt and the treasurer reported \$36.00 sent for first quarter and \$30 total of Easter offering to date. The members contributed two dollars to Temperance Federation.

Books were exchanged among members and two members paid birthday money. Plans were made for a pantry sale at a local store. Quite a number of sick and hospital calls were made.

The meeting closed with hymn "Work For the Night is Coming" and the benediction.

LOVE'S LABOR LOST

HALIFAX - (CP) - Fire engines roared along the streets and firefighters doused the blaze in an old defence department building here. Shortly after they left, demolition workers arrived for the day shift on their job-tearing down the old structure.

HALIFAX, June 1 - (CP) - Some 60 small contractors seeking a separate truce in the city's weak-old construction strike will meet labor leaders tomorrow. Otherwise, no immediate settlement was imminent.

PORTABLES POPULAR - Canadian firms manufacture about 28,500 portable typewriters each year.

Special General Meeting

There will be a special general meeting of all shareholders of Liguorian Credit Union Ltd. this evening, June 2, at 8:15.

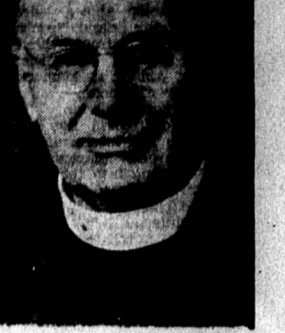
The meeting is called to discuss forms of insurance which affect the Credit Union, and will be held in the Community Room of Holy Redeemer Community Centre.

Missionary Speaks At Trinity Church

Dr. W. Sidney Gilchrist, who was the speaker at Trinity United Church at the evening service yesterday, will return to Africa during the first week of July, when he expects to fly direct from Halifax to the home of his adoption Angola, Portuguese Africa.

As a Medical Missionary Dr. Gilchrist is in charge of a Canadian Mission hospital of 75 beds for tropical diseases, operated and maintained by the United Church of Canada. "Malariaitis," said Dr. Gilchrist, "along with cataracts and other eye conditions, are the chief difficulties with which we have to contend." "Leprosy, which has always been a problem here as elsewhere, is being treated successfully at one of our colonies by the use of D.D.S. Unfortunately, T.B. is on the increase, but we are setting up preventive measures through training natives to take charge of village 'Posts' and in addition native women are being given first aid, in places where hospitalization is impossible." This training of natives to work "at front line level," said Dr. Gilchrist, "is proving to be valuable in cases of pneumonia, malaria, the dysentery and other serious ailments." Dr. Gilchrist served in the Second World War, and will be well remembered by veterans, especially those of the North Nova Scotia Battalion, of which he was for considerable time, medical officer.

To Preside



Pictured above is Rev. A. S. Weir, Pownal, president of the Maritime Conference of the United Church of Canada, who will preside at the 28th annual meeting of that body this week. The sessions, which open Tuesday afternoon, will be held in Charles Fawcett Memorial Hall, Sackville, N. B.

Annual Meeting Junior League of City Hospital

The annual meeting of the Junior League of the Charlottetown Hospital was held Friday evening, May 30th, at the Nurses' Residence with 42 members present.

The president, Mrs. George Chandler, opened the meeting with prayer, and introduced Sister St. Hugh and Sister Mary David as guests. The minutes of the last annual meeting were read by the secretary and adopted; also a letter from Sister Mary David, thanking the members for all the work done for the nursery during the year.

It was moved by Mrs. John Connolly, seconded by Mrs. B. H. Hughes that a cheque be given Mrs. George Chandler, president, and Mrs. Alex MacIsaac, vice-president, as delegates to the Maritime Hospital Convention.

Mrs. Chandler then presented her report as president which was most interesting and showed a very successful and active year for the League.

This was followed by the treasurer's report by Mrs. Gerald Johnson and approved as read. Mrs. John MacEachern as chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, reported on the very successful money raising activities which realized a large sum and thanked her committee and all the members for their co-operation.

In the absence of the chairman, Mrs. John Gaudet, Mrs. Simon Paoli then reported for the sewing committee. Her report showed a total of \$34 articles which kept the nursery well stocked as well as articles for the Hospital Bazaar and Spring Tea. Included in this total were six layettes donated to the Social Welfare at Christmas; also two layettes to the Hospital.

Mrs. Jean Pineau as chairman of the knitting committee reported 337 knitted garments which included the Hospital Bazaar, Spring Tea, as well as the knitted articles for the above mentioned layettes.

The following chairmen gave their reports: For the Sick: Miss Mary Cronin; Magazines: Mrs. A. J. Peterson; Luncheon: Mrs. Lomer Gaudet; Membership: Mrs. Guy Sullivan. In addition to the \$1,000 mentioned in the President's report a cheque for \$500.00 was presented to Sister Mary David as a further payment on the cubicles in the nursery.

Sister then expressed her thanks to the League for their generous donations to the Hospital; also Sister Mary Magdalen for the kindnesses extended to the student nurses.

On behalf of the graduate nurses Miss Margaret McKinnon extended their appreciation for the reception given them following the graduation exercises. Miss Jean Aylward, winner of the scholarship in Obstetrics, also expressed her thanks and appreciation. The election of officers then followed.

Special Youth Services At Zion

Yesterday morning Boy Scouts, Cubs, Girl Guides and Brownies, with their leaders attended Zion Church in a body and heard Mr. John A. Johnston, student minister, in a solemn service of dedication of the flags appropriate to each group which were provided by the Men's Association.

Representatives of the Scout and Cub troops taking part in the service were James Walker, Harold Rodd and Ralph Beaton. The Boy Scout Association was represented by Brig. W. W. Reid, chairman of the Provincial Committee; Mr. Clarence Walker, chairman Zion Church Scout Committee; also Dr. Geo. Fisher, Mr. R. C. Parent and Mr. Fred Driscoll.

Mr. Johnston selected as his topic for the sermon, "A Young Man's Battle" and gave the young people present a message that should long live in their memories - "Scout and allied youth work serves to help the young man to make his choice for good and eventually win life's battle but the greatest help he said was to keep faith in God."

He stressed that to win the battle youth should use the power of prayer, should read God's word and use it in the battle and obey God's commands, and by so doing the victory will be won. Even, he said, as Oliver Cromwell faced his worldly battles and gave the "Songs of David" on his lips so we should face our battles with a prayer in our hearts. In conclusion he said "Life is a battle but life is God's battle when we are His servants."

The choir under the able direction of Mr. Frank Johnston, ATCL, rendered special music for the occasion.

BUILD THEIR OWN

BOURNEMOUTH, Eng. - (CP) - With the help of a lawyer and an architect, a group of married executives plan to build their own homes in this Hampshire community. After the first bungalow is finished it will be put on mortgage system to provide funds for a second, and so on.

DAKAR, French West Africa, June 1 - (AP) - The forced landing of a British airliner at the edge of the Sahara Desert last Monday claimed its first victim Saturday. A crew member died of a stroke. The plane, carrying 19 persons, went down 1,300 miles off course and officials still are trying to figure out how it got there.

HOLMAN STORE NEWS - LET'S linger in the Furniture Department of either the Charlottetown or the Summerside Store... LET'S linger in the Youth Centre, direct from the new SCHNEIDER SWIM SUITS for children... LET'S linger in the China Department of the Summerside Store... LET'S linger in the Sportswear Department this morning... There's a whole table of BOUCLE SWEATERS and they're REDUCED TO ONLY JUST \$3.95 each.