

In the World of Books

With Will R. Bird

Dr. W. G. Hardy, head of the Department of Classics at the University of Alberta, and author of note, is to be the new President of the Canadian Authors' Association. He will take office on June 30, at Montreal, where the annual Convention will be held. His three internationally successful novels are Father Abraham, Turn Back the River, and All Trumpets Sounded. CONFLICT by W. A. Plenderleith; Ryerson Press; \$3.50. Stories of the American Revolution have a peculiar interest for Maritime readers. This for the reason that the history of Nova Scotia is interwoven with that of the New England States, and many of the people of the province are descendants of United Empire Loyalists who came from New York, New Hampshire, Vermont and elsewhere. This new novel, Conflict, is another story of the Revolution, written with the flavor Kenneth Roberts so ably imparts to his writings. Alec Sinclair is the hero of the story and though the latter part of the book deals with Barker Hill and Johnson Hall, the first part deals with the sea and the writing shows that the author feels more at home when describing life aboard ship than when depicting fighting along an Indian trail. Alec is surgeon's mate on the Mercury, and the girl of his choice is Lora, daughter in a family made penniless by the fortunes of war, and depending on her marrying some money. The first chapters are a rollicking tale of life at sea and the scandal created by a buxom too-popular lady and her maid. The Mercury's errand is to capture a French ship loaded with supplies for America. The attack is cleverly planned and well executed. The

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account of it as presented by Mr. Plenderleith is as exciting as an action story can be. After this success, the Mercury is loaded at London with supplies for New York, and when he reaches America, young Alec sets off with others to visit the vast Johnson estate. There he spends some time on a trapline in the winter and the story of the revolted colonies gradually unfolds.

Alec's work with Little Elk, one of Johnston's Mohawk scouts, becomes one of the highlights of the book. Lora arrives in the country and the love story is renewed. There are graphic glimpses of sessions with Sir Henry Clinton and General Burgoyne in fact, it is not hard to fancy one is reading another Roberts' saga of the Revolution. The author follows the records, almost painfully at times, and all the atmosphere of the wilds is breathed into the pages. A very good book.

GHOSTS RETURNING by Harwood Steele; Ryerson Press; 272 pages; \$3.50 Ghosts Returning is a meo-dramatic novel of the North West Mounted Police and Indians in 1880, or, as the publishers say on the dust jacket, "A tale of mystery and high adventure for red-coats in the Land of the Long Knives." The author explains in his Forward that his novel deals with (a) International co-operation between Canada and the United States in enforcing law and order; (b) tracking down in the United States by North West Mounted Police of a criminal "wanted" in Canada; and (c) one of the most important, mysterious and fantastic chapters of the great and picturesque story of the North American Indian. This is Harwood Steele's fifth book on the Mounted Police, and he is well qualified to write on the subject both because of his great amount of research and because of his keen personal interest in the Force through his father, who was one of the old Originals. An interesting feature of Ghost Returning is an appendix which explains which parts of the book are factual and which are fictitious. It also explains which characters are his-

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CITY POLICE COURT. - At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court yesterday, two men charged with breaking and entering with intent to steal, were both remanded until Saturday. The case is in connection with an alleged break into Fennel and Chandler's warehouse at the rear of their main store on Queen Street. City Police made the arrests at an early hour yesterday morning at the time of the break. The only other case to appear yesterday, was that of a man charged with being drunk and incapable who was remanded until the 28th.

IN MEMORIAM

MR. JOSEPH INCE Mr. Joseph Ince, Hampton, died on April 2nd. The funeral was held at his home. Hymns sung were "The Lord's My Shepherd" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." Mr. Clayton Morrison singing "God Understands" as a solo. The service was conducted by the Rev. T. G. Head. Mr. Ince was a son of the late Thomas Ince and Mary Hardy. He was born in Hampton in 1869. He is survived by his wife, Catherine (MacPhail). The pallbearers were Arthur Gamble; Gordon Villett; Arthur Inman, Warren Inman, Robert Ferguson, William Farrow. The interment was in the Argyle Shore cemetery.

Card Of Thanks Mrs. Joseph Ince, Hampton, wishes to thank her relations and neighbours for their many acts of kindness during the illness and death of her husband, and also for the cards of sympathy which were sent.

WEST COVEHEAD SCHOOL Report for March. Grade X.-1, Carol MacDonald; 2, Ina Bell. Grade VIII Sr.-1, Gerald Dolron. Grade VIII Jr.-1, Beryl MacDonald; 2, Marie MacDonald; 3, Orville Willis. Grade VII.-1, Mary Dolron; 2, Donnie Allan; 3, Isabel Allan. Grade VI.-1, Doreen Hughes. Grade V.-1, David Reed; 2, Franklin MacMillan. Grade IV.-1, Myron MacDonald; 2, Dale Hughes; 3, Wendell Dolron. Grade III.-1, Alberta Myers; 2, Anna Myers; 3, Marlene Hughes. Grade II Sr.-1, Gerald MacLean. Grade II Jr.-1, Myrna MacMillan and Joan MacDonald, equal; 2, Norman MacLaughlan. Teacher-Shirley Cooke.

Personals Miss June Burns of Davidson, Sask., arrived by plane on Monday evening to spend her holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Burns and brother Robert of Free-town. Friends of Mr. George T. Hardie, North River Road, will be pleased to learn that although he is still in the P. E. I. Hospital, his condition is much improved and he is coming along nicely in recovering his usual good health.

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Chinese Reds Overrun Most Of Hainan Island

By Spencer Moosa TAIPEI, Formosa, April 25 - The Chinese Communists today appeared to have overrun most of Hainan, and guerrillas were reported four miles from Yulin, refugee capital of that South China island.

(Chinese Communist broadcasts left little doubt that Formosa, last major nationalist stronghold, is next on the schedule of Red conquest. The push is expected after Nationalist islands along the east coast are knocked out.) There was a virtual news blackout here Tuesday evening on the Hainan situation.

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