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THE MORE YOU PUT INTO IT, THE MORE YOU GET OUT OF IT. Profound truth is contained in those simple words. Even very amateur naturalists know that everyone who sincerely starts out to learn something about nature will quickly find the rewards flowing back to him when he begins to recognize as old friends the flowers, trees, birds and mammals.

NEXT MEETING

Date: Tuesday, May 7, 1974.
 Time: 8:00 pm.
 Place: Prov. Health Buildg., 3rd floor, Room 47.
 Program: Films on several nature subjects.

ENVIRONMENT WEEK

The week of May 6 to 11 has been designated as Environment week. What will you do to express your concern? Here are some suggestions: Make an effort to pick up garbage along one hike or section of road. Clean up blowing garbage in your backyard. Support the Women's Institute clean-up on May 11. Try to reduce your contribution to Canada's growing mound of disposables (e.g., reuse plastic bags, use fresh vegetables instead of canned or frozen, buy only returnable pop bottles).

The Bonshaw Hills Trail Club has scheduled one guided walk every day on a variety of topics. The schedule will be included in this newsletter. Try to attend at least one walk.

Field trips -- Summer 1974

		Leader
May 11	Bubbling Spring Nature Trail, P. E. I. National Park	Joan Saunders
June 1	East Suffolk, Winter River	Margaret Mallett
June 22	Canavoy, in search of pitcher plants and birds!	Bruce McLean
July 6	Peakes Road	Bill Reddin
July 27	Townsend woodlot, Basin Head	Diane Griffin
August 31	Devil's Punchbowl Prov. Park and Stanley Bridge	Diane Griffin Wendell McKay
Sept. 14	Tea Hill	Bill Reddin

We will meet for all of these outings at the YMCA corner, Charlottetown around 10:00 am, Saturday morning. The person designated as leader for each walk will not be giving a guided walk. However, they are familiar with the area and would welcome questions. The walks will vary in length, but usually last until mid-afternoon. So, come prepared with suitable provisions for nourishment, weather and insects.

Try to get out on most of these walks and bring a friend!