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GOSPEL TENT North Bedeque, meetings nightly at 8.

KING HIRAM R.B.P. meeting postponed. Will meet in Summerside Orange Hall Thursday, July 25, 9:00 P.M. Cyril MacFarlane, W.P.

NEW LONDON Pastoral charge, Presbyterian Church in Canada. A special congregational meeting, Monday August 5th, 8:30 p.m. St. John's Church, Clifton.

A PANTRY sale will be held at Smallman's Summerside, Wednesday July 24 at 2:00 p.m. Sponsored by Cape Traverse Women's Institute.

I WILL be absent from my office from July 22 until July 29. Office will remain open for repairs and replacements. H.T. Collins, O.D. Optometrist, Summerside.

REGULAR THURSDAY night dance at the Canadian Legion home, Kensington. Music by the Mellovares. Dancing from 9:30 to 12:30. Admission 50 cents.

TEA AND BAZAAR, sponsored by Kensington and Indian River C.W.L., Saturday afternoon, July 27th. From three to six o'clock, on the lawn of the residence of Mrs. James Saunders, Kensington.

BEDEQUE

Mrs. J.S. Bonnell of New York City, and her sister-in-law, Miss Jessie Bonnell of Pawtucket Rhode Island, were weekend guests at the home of Mrs. Bonnell's sister Mrs. J.W. Read and Mr. Read, Middleton.

Mrs. MacKay of Halifax, N.S. is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hector Leard and Mr. Leard, Lower Bedeque.

Mr. Charles Leard of Ontario, spent a short time in the village, the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Flosie Lowther. He was accompanied by his wife and three children, who are vacationing at lower Bedeque, with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hector Leard.

Mrs. Nellie Fraser of Toronto, is spending some time with her cousins Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Craig, Bedeque Village.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Parker of Pepperell, Mass., have been spending their vacation with Mr. Parker's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wright. Mrs. Parker was the former Lilly Hill, North Bedeque.

Mrs. Earle Hunter and young son are visiting with Mrs. Hunter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Schurman, Central Bedeque. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John McKenna, Central Bedeque, on their 50th wedding anniversary which they celebrated at their home recently. Many friends called to wish them many more years of health and happiness.

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Farewell Party Is Given Pastor, His Wife And Family

Rev. and Mrs. S.H. Haslam and family were guests of honor at a farewell party held in the beautiful spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsay, New London on Friday evening, June 28. Guests numbering in the vicinity of 140 came from communities covered by the Margate pastoral charge including Margate, Long River and New London United Churches.

Mr. Harlan Found capably presided for the feature of the evening, when gifts were bestowed on the minister and his family as an expression of appreciation by the congregation for faithful and God-fearing service. Mr. Haslam has served in the Margate Charge since 1950. The address was read by Mr. Arthur Profit, while a generous purse was presented by Mr. Harold Mayhew. The three sons of the Manse, Roy, Gary and Keith were presented with bill-folds, also on behalf of the three churches, by Scott Woodside.

The Young People's Union also gave farewell gifts, represented by Mona Mayhew who read an address, Reginald Dennis who presented Mr. and Mrs. Haslam with a plate glass mirror, and Valerie Woodside, who presented each of the boys with a Waterman fountain pen.

Mrs. Haslam, as teacher of the Intermediate Sunday School Class at Margate, will take with her as a memento a bit of the red clay P.E.I., moulded to form an ornamental pitcher by Mrs. Noy Moose and Margate's skilled maker of pottery, and presented by Frances Henderson.

On behalf of the W.M.S. of Margate Church, Mrs. Wilbur Dennis presented Mrs. Haslam with an island scene, a view from Clinton, overlooking the Southwest River. Both Mr. and Mrs. Haslam voiced their thanks, their regret in leaving, and assured the gathering that the gifts will always recall pleasant memories of the friends made while serving in the Margate charge.

The remainder of the evening passed happily in social intercourse and music with Mrs. Ernest Dunning as accompanist for a duet by Messrs Ernest Dunning and Andrew Johnstone, and a sing-song. Ice cream and sweets were served.

"Blest Be the Tie that Binds", and "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," were sung in closing. Previously Mrs. Haslam had been entertained by friends, when she received various individual gifts.

The family left on the following Wednesday and will spend the month of July on holiday before assuming a pastoral charge at Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

Mrs. Wilber Dennis, Margate presented Mrs. Haslam with a gift of an "Island Scene" from the Margate Sunday School class of which she was a faithful teacher.

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Pastor Honoured At New London

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Among those who came to bid farewell was Rev. Mr. Bartlett of St. John's Church, New London. More than one hundred and fifty friends assembled in the spacious farm home. The programme had been thoughtfully planned by the different committees.

Mr. H. P. Found capably acted as chairman. He spoke fittingly of the pastor and his good work during the six and one half years in this pastoral charge.

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KENSINGTON

Miss Sheila Baglole, Summerside, is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Caseley, Kelvin Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Moase, Kensington, have had as their guest for the past week, their nephew, Ralph Paynter of Summerside.

Miss Lorraine Coulson of Sea View spent the past week in Kensington guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James McKenzie, and attended the United Church Vacation School.

Mr. and Mrs. Heath Mayhew and daughter Diane, have returned to their home in Margate from a trip taking them as far as Washington, Ont.

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N. Bedeque Men To Form Choir

Hymns and their background, was the subject of a very interesting and inspiring address delivered by Rev. Lewis Murray at the regular monthly meeting of the North Bedeque Charge Men's Club which took place at the Free-town United Church. The President, Allison Profit, presided.

A special project of the Men's Club will be the formation of a men's choir and no time was lost at the meeting in getting some instruction from Rev. Mr. Murray who is well qualified in this work.

The matter of appointing delegates to coming conferences was taken up. The meeting closed with the benediction by Rev. S. Profit who is visiting his brother in Freetown. Following the meeting, the Freetown Ladies' Aid served cake and ice cream. Mr. Frank Jardine fittingly thanked the ladies for their kindness.

EASTERN PEAKS The Hindu-Kush mountains of Afghanistan are from 15,000 to 16,000 feet high.

AGAIN CONTENDING The main event and greatest attraction continues to be the Three-Mile Race won last year by Dav-

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Aquatic Day's Big Event Will Be The 3-Mile Swim

When five swimmers competed without benefit of prizes or sponsor, the Three-mile Swimming Race has been expanded under the sponsorship of the Alberton and West Prince Board of Trade into a complete afternoon of water sports, outdoor motor races, high diving exhibitions, life saving demonstrations and other entertainment. This year almost every member of the West Prince Board is actively engaged on one of the many committees appointed to make Aquatic Day, July 31st one of the biggest tourist attractions on Prince Edward Island.

Premier A.W. Matheson, Hon. George MacKay, Minister of Highways, Clyde MacLaggan, president of the Summerside Board of Trade, Alfred Parkes, secretary of the Maritime Provinces Boards of Trade and a number of other prominent officials have been invited to attend the official opening ceremonies.

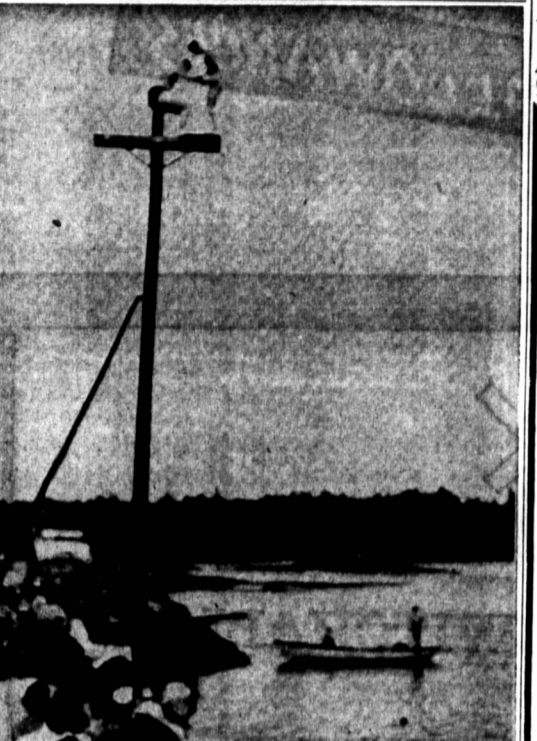
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HIGH DIVER Prince Edward Island's high diving champion, Ron MacArthur, of Summerside will thrill spectators again this year on Aquatic Day at Alberton with a number of stunt dives from a height of over fifty feet. Ron is shown above preparing to do a dive with Elmer Gallant also of Summerside on his back.

THE ALBERTON AND WEST PRINCE BOARD OF TRADE ANNUAL AQUATIC DAY AT KILDARE RIVER BRIDGE (NEAR ALBERTON) WEDNESDAY JULY 31 OFFICIAL OPENING AT 2 P.M. FOLLOWED BY GUEST SPEAKERS AND INTRODUCTION OF CONTESTANTS. Main Event—3 mile swimming race from the Montrose Bridge to Kildare Bridge. Rules—Each contestant must be a resident of Prince Edward Island and is required to make arrangements for an accompanying row boat and two attendants—Entry fee of \$5.00 to ensure starting, refunded after race. Prizes for Main Event—Winners first \$25.00; Second—\$15.00; Third—\$10.00 in both ladies and gents divisions. Also a \$5.00 consolation prize for all contestants completing the course. Second Feature Event—Tourist Swim—200 yards. Prizes for first and second place. Outboard Motor Boat Races—Three Classes 7 1/2 H.P. and under—16 H.P. and under and over 16 H.P. Prizes or ribbons for all events which includes over twenty other races and contests open to all boys and girls. Application forms available at Herb Riley's, O'Leary, E. C. Perry's, Tignish and C. R. Leard, Alberton. Use application form below for two main events and outboard races. All forms to be mailed to the secretary of the Alberton and West Prince Board of Trade, C. R. LEARD, ALBERTON

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