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COME to the card party in the Rebekah Hall, Alberton, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 9th at 8 o'clock. Under the auspices of the Ladies Aid of the Western Hospital.

KENSINGTON United Church, Youth Sunday, February 7th: Sunday School 10 o'clock; morning worship 11 o'clock; evening worship 7:30—special youth service—boys' and girls choir, Summerfield 2:30 p.m. Rev. Lewis M. Murray, B.A., P.D., Minister.
CONDITION IMPROVING—The many friends of Mr. Joseph Wood, who has been a patient in the Prince County Hospital for some time, will be pleased to learn that his condition is now much improved and it is expected that he will be released from hospital in a few days.
ENGAGEMENT—Mr. and Mrs. George Albert Callbeck, Summerside, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Russell, to Lloyd Edwin, son of Mrs. Wilfred Inman, Summerside and the late Mr. Inman, North Tryon. The marriage will take place Saturday, March 6th, Summerside.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND Church Services for the New London Parish on February 7th, the 5th Sunday after the Epiphany, Rector, Rev. W. Eric Ingraham, St. Mark's, Kensington, Sunday School and Bible Class 10 a.m. Holy Communion 11 a.m. St. Thomas, French River, Evening Prayer 7:30 p.m. St. Stephen's, Burlington, Evening Prayer 7:30 p.m. Every-body welcome.
LAST RITES—The funeral of the late Edgar Clark was held Thursday afternoon with service at the United Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. William Harper, assisted by Rev. James Wilson who also jointly conducted the services at the grave. Interment was in the People's Cemetery. Honorary pallbearers were: Dr. J. C. Simpson, Dr. John MacNeill, Dr. Archie McMurdo, A. W. MacDowell, Charles Taylor, C. B. Morris. Active pallbearers were: J. F. Arnett, Judge L. G. Lewis, Dr. H. T. Colvin, C. H. Jelly, George Hogg, R. S. Hinton.

DOUBLE FUNERAL—A double funeral took place yesterday morning at Egmont Bay Church when Requiem Mass was celebrated by Rev. Charles Gallant for the late Philip J. Gallant of St. Gilbert and the late James E. Gallant of Urbainville. The pallbearers for the late Mr. Philbert Gallant were Messrs. Anthony Gallant, Philbert B. Gallant, Earl Gaudet and Antoine Arseneault. Those for the late James B. Gallant were Messrs. Michael LeClair, Eddie Perry, Manuel Arseneault, Emmet E. Arseneault, Cornelius Gallant and Anthony J. Gallant. The final rites at the grave were performed by Rev. Nazaire Poirier. Interment was in the church cemetery.
55TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY—A highly esteemed and well-known Charlottetown couple were honoured on their 55th wedding anniversary on Feb. 1, when members of the Presbyterian Church Choir and Session gathered at the Manse to tender Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Hiltz a surprise party. The highlights of the happy social evening was a presentation when the celebrants were suitably addressed by their host, the Rev. E. H. Bean. A Kenwood blanket was presented by Mr. Roy MacArthur on behalf of the Session, and an electric kettle by Mrs. Fred Semple on behalf of the choir. A wedding cake beautifully decorated in gold and silver was presented by Mrs. Horace Paynter. A silver butter dish, presented by Mrs. Elmer Bernard was a gift of the W.M.S. and Ladies' Aid of which organizations Mrs. Hiltz is a valuable member. Mr. Hiltz has for many years given freely of his time and talents in the choir and as a member of the Session—Bur.

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, (CP)—A court martial Thursday convicted four Seventh-Day Adventist soldiers, who refused to take part in a practice alert on a Saturday, their sabbath, of willful disobedience of orders. They were sentenced to six months' hard labor. The four originally were charged with mutiny, an offence carrying a possible death penalty, but the charge was reduced after investigating officers said.
The men are all members of the Alaska mission of the Seventh-Day Adventist church.
They were arrested Jan. 30 after they told their superiors they could not, because of their religious beliefs, participate in a practice alert at Fort Richardson.
The soldiers testified at the 4-1/2 hour trial that the Army usually gave them Saturdays off to observe their sabbath, and they normally had regular duties on Sundays.

CONVENIENT! MRS. PEKOE'S selected ORANGE PEKOE TEA IN BAGS!

Alberton And Vicinity

Mr. Keir Fraser, Alberton south, is a patient in the Veterans Wing of the Prince Edward Island Hospital, Charlottetown.
Eugene Callaghan, Alberton, has joined the Royal Canadian Air Force and leaves Feb. 10 for No. 2 Manning Depot at St. John's, P. Q. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Callaghan, Alberton.

The February meeting of the Alberton United Church Guild met at the home of Mrs. Wesley Hardy with fifteen members present. The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Tommy Phillips, vice-president. Mrs. Roy Leard led the devotional period followed by the Lord's Supper. Plans were made for the supper to be served for Men's Club. The friendship secretary, Mrs. Arthur Wilkie, reported that five get well cards were sent out. The visiting committee reported 29 home calls and seven hospital calls. Committees for March: devotions, Mrs. Orville Phillips; program, Mrs. Arthur Wilkie and Mrs. Walter Wells; lunch, Miss Beth Clarke and Mrs. Frank Weeks; hostess, Mrs. Roy Leard. All members are on the visiting committee. The program was conducted by Miss Helen Hardy and Miss Beth Clarke. A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses. Mrs. Hardy assisted by Mr. Walter Wells and Mrs. Albert Clarke.

T'gnish And Vicinity

Mrs. Delia Perry arrived by plane from Boston, Mass., on February 2 to be with her father, Mr. Peter M. Chaisson, who is ill at his home in Tignish.
Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. Burke have returned to their home in Tignish from Summerside where they have spent the past several weeks with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Cameron.
The weekly card party sponsored by the Tignish Catholic Women's League was held at the home of Mrs. Milton Keough, on January 25 with a good attendance. Six tables of auction forty-fives were in play. The highest points for the evening were scored by Mrs. Edna Fitzgerald who also won the prize for the keenly contested freeze-out. The consolation prizes went to Miss Lucy Arsenault and Mrs. Michael McPhee. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. James McQuarrie, Wellestey, Mass., Mrs. Plus Byrne, Waterdown, Mass., and Mr. Leo McCue, Dorchester, Mass., returned to their respective homes after spending a few days in Tignish and Alberton. The McCue family were called here owing to the sickness and death of their father, Mr. John McCue, Nail Pond.
The second in the series of card parties which are being held in the basement assembly room of the Dalton School was held January 27. Seventeen tables of auction forty-fives and two of forty-fives were in play. Mr. Eugene Perry donated the auction forty-fives prize which was won by Mrs. Maxine McInnis. The prize for forty-fives was won by Mr. Francis Arsenault. The prettily trimmed cake which was made and donated by Mrs. Andre Patrel was sold by Italian auction and won by Mr. Eugene Richard. The proceeds of the evenings entertaining were in aid of the Parish funds.

An enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fitzgerald on January 30, when a card party was held in aid of the Tignish Home and School Association. The auction forty-fives prize was won by Mr. Fred Fitzgerald and Mrs. Alyre Bernard was the winner of the second prize. The consolation prize went to Mr. James F. Gallant. A dressed chicken donated by Mr. Camille Chaisson was won by Mr. Alfred Handrhan. After the card game a social hour was enjoyed with piano selections rendered by the host Mr. Fred Fitzgerald. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The evening was a grand success both socially and financially.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McKinnon and family, Tignish, were recent visitors to Charlottetown.
The Messrs. Gerard Bernard and Eutrope Chaisson, Nail Pond, and Omer Bernard, Skinner's Pond, motored to Nova Scotia on February 1, where they plan to remain for the next few months.
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Doucette, Montreal, Que., are visiting Mr. Doucette's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Doucette, Harper Road.

Community wide sympathy is being extended to the relatives of the late Mr. Edward Elisworth, whose death occurred in a Massachusetts Hospital on January 30, after a lengthy illness. Mr. Elisworth left his home in Waterford, P. E. I. about 25 years ago to take up residence in the U. S. A. He leaves to mourn his passing his widow, the former Margaret Doyle of Norway, P. E. I.; also three sons who were present at his bedside before his passing. He also leaves to mourn, his mother, Mrs. Edward Elisworth, Waterford, six brothers and two sisters, Rev. Richard Elisworth, St. Dunstan's University, Charlottetown; Harry of Boston; Francis of Hartford, Conn.; Jordan, Louis and Claude of Waterford; Kathleen (Mrs. Glen Bennett) Vermont, N. H.

S'ide High Notes

Last week school activities were largely thwarted by the weather. At least academic wheels came to a stop for Thursday afternoon and Friday. "Teen Topics" did, however, go on the air and a hockey match was held between grade 9 A and B. Mr. Murphy's grade 9A won.
Bowling was held last week before the storm and the scores were as follows, for February 27: High single and high three for girls was Patsy Preston's 227 and 523. John Whalen led boys with 222 and 688. MacLean's Service Station had the highest total with 2762.
This week was special, for it was Co-Ed Week when girls play gallants and pay for dates, help boys with coats, books, etc. However, the girls seemed rather shy for they didn't observe all the rules as posted on the bulletin board despite the impending 90 cent fine. Thursday afternoon, the girls were assembled to be given a pep talk on the matter. As observed at the Sadie Hawkins dance earlier this year, they showed themselves good sports at girls' tag and this boded well at last for co-ed dance Friday, Feb. 5.
At this dance, girls wore red socks, boys white, as a reminder of Valentine's Day coming up. School colors were requested for wear and dress was optional—ordinary or high times.
This Wednesday, Dorothy Smallman led girl bowlers with 199 and Elizabeth Nicholson had high three of 454. Stan Gay led boys in both instances with 283 and 598. Family Bakery had high total of 2584.
Once more, classes at Summerside High are originating ideas for their respective exhibits for Education Week, the second week in March. The home economics class is staging its annual fashion show of clothes made in that department, with the makers also as models. It promises to be a sensation with lots of pretty evening gowns, new styles and original ideas to typify the choice of the modern teen-age girl.
At 2 o'clock Friday, Feb. 5, the bonspiel with Charlottetown curlers began. Two teams from both Charlottetown and Summerside were being chosen and the boys winning in the game Friday and Saturday will be the team going to Hamilton, Ontario to meet other Canadian champions. We wish our two teams the best of luck for this important curling event.—S.

Mr. Ernest Hardy, Summerside was in Summerside on January 28 on business.
Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson were in Summerside on business recently.
Mr. Wyman Milligan, Alberton, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Milligan, Murray Road, recently.

The many friends of Mrs. Arthur Adams, will regret to learn she is confined to her home with the "flu" and all join in wishing her a speedy recovery.
Mr. Stewart Milligan has returned to his home after spending a couple of days in Charlottetown on business.
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Alma And Vicinity

The many friends of Mr. William Mountain of Alma, are sorry to hear he is confined to his bed with pneumonia. All are hoping for his speedy recovery.
Mr. Fred Horne, Moncton, has returned to his home after attending the funeral of his sister the late Mrs. Donald Gordon, Alma.

Mrs. Alton Gordon and daughter, Eleanor, Alma, have been visiting Mrs. Gordon's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Matthews, Montrose.
Miss Norma Locke, teacher at Montrose spent a week-end recently visiting Miss Marion Barbour, Alma.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Raynor, Greenmont are spending a few days visiting Mrs. Raynor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon.
The many friends of Mrs. James Gordon, Alma, are glad to know she is feeling much better after being on the sick list for a few days.
The many friends of Mr. James Dumas are glad to know that he is able to be up and about again after a recent heart attack.

The sympathy of this community is extended to the husband and family also brothers of the late Mrs. David L. Gordon whose death took place at her home after a lengthy illness on Jan. 20.—D

Vote Money For Airport Safety

OTTAWA, (CP)—The government proposes to spend \$1,000,000 during the coming year to make safer Canada's main terminal airports.
The proposed expenditure, contained in Finance Minister Abbott's 1954-55 estimates tabled today in the Commons, follows a number of serious crashes at Canadian and United States airports. The accidents were caused by hazards to flying in the vicinity of the terminals.
The money would be used to purchase land in the area around main airports to prevent the erection of hazards.

Japan Buys Several Cargoes of Wheat

WINNIPEG, (CP)—Trade reports from the Winnipeg grain exchange Friday indicated Japan had purchased "several" cargoes of Canadian wheat, believed in connection with an offer Thursday by the Canadian wheat board.
The board announced it had made eight cargoes—about 2,600,000 bushels—of wheat available for offering to Japan.
Seven of the cargoes involved grades 1 to 4 Northern at the prevailing International Wheat Agreement price, which Thursday stood at \$1.87 5-8 for No. 1 Western. The other cargo was No. 5 wheat to be sold at the class two—or open market price—of \$1.85.

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Hope To Get Iranian Oil Flowing Again

LONDON, (AP)—Oil experts here optimistically hope to get Iranian oil flowing again to world markets by mid-year under an international combine.
Representatives of eight of the world's major oil companies are conferring regularly behind closed doors on the complicated details necessary to set up such an arrangement.

Commissioners For Murray Harbor

Murray Harbour villagers elected Messrs. R. P. Brooks, John Dewar and E. A. Keeping as Commissioners to conduct the business of the village for the next year, at a well attended meeting called for the purpose on Tuesday evening, Feb. 3. Mr. E. A. Keeping is chairman of the board.

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Albany and Vicinity

The many friends of Mrs. Edward Sharkey of North Tryon, will be sorry to learn of his illness and hope to see her up again in the near future.
Mr. M. Larsen was a recent motorist to Charlottetown with a load of live hogs.

Friends of Mrs. Eldon Large of Albany, will be glad to know that her condition is somewhat improved after being a patient in the Prince Edward Island Hospital for some time.
Mr. Howard Muirhead and son William, Jr., of St. Catharines, were recent visitors to North Tryon for a few days during the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. William Muirhead of North Tryon.

Mr. Walter H. Bell of Tryon, has been reporting some good catches of smelts during the past week. Most of the fishermen took up their gear on account of the poor catches and low prices of smelts on the Boston and New York markets. But a price boost has started them after the smelts again.

There wasn't any mail delivery in this section for the past couple of days. Our capable mail driver who always tries to deliver if possible could not make the route and was forced to cancel the usual delivery on Jan. 28 and 29. Mr. Wyman Waddell is the driver of this Albany and Tryon route and has some 20 miles to cover.

The people of this section were glad to know that Mrs. Parker Delaney of North Tryon, returned to her home in a much improved condition after being a patient in the Prince Edward Island Hospital, Charlottetown, where she had been for a surgical operation.
Mr. Arthur T. Dawson and Mr. Max Lefuray of North Tryon, attended the funeral of the late Mr. William McQuarrie of Hampton, who passed away at the age of 92.

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O'Leary And Vicinity

Miss Margaret Woodbridge, O'Leary, is a patient in the Western Hospital. Her many friends are sorry to hear this. Margaret is one of the girls in the hockey team and it is regretted that she will be out of it this year.
Mr. and Mrs. George MacDonald and son Munsey, who have been visiting in Ottawa, have returned to O'Leary.

Mr. Joseph MacIsaac of Souris is the teacher in Springfield West School and the work is progressing favorably under his management.
Mr. and Mrs. Leith Ellis and family of Nova Scotia are visiting with relatives in O'Leary for a time, and are receiving a hearty welcome at their former home.

The many friends of Mrs. Dorcas Gay are sorry to hear that she had to enter the Turner Hospital in O'Leary for special treatment, and hope that she will soon be able to return to her home again.
Mr. and Mrs. James MacDougall who have been residing in Halifax for the past 10 years or so, have returned to their home in O'Leary. Mrs. MacDougall has been on the sick list for some time and has improved in health and all are wishing her a complete recovery.

Miss Marcia Pate and her sister Norma of O'Leary, attended the Burns Concert in the Prince of Wales College in Charlottetown.

Mrs. Ralph Caine of Springfield West is spending a few days at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Livingstone in Glenwood.
The friends of Mrs. Stanford Lockhart are sorry to hear that she is a patient in the Western Hospital in Alberton, and all hope to see her home again soon.

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Breadalbane and Vicinity

Mr. John Ewijk, Freetown, spent the week-end of January 31, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ewijk, Breadalbane.
Mrs. Harry Bernard, was a visitor to Charlottetown on February 1.
Friends will be pleased to learn that Mr. Donnie Barlowe is able to be out again after his recent illness.

Master Wayne Ripley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ripley, is ill with the mumps. All wish him a speedy recovery.
Miss Marie Stuart was a visitor to Charlottetown on February 1.
Mrs. John J. MacLeod, Mrs. Angus Gillis and Mrs. Hedley Woodside, Breadalbane, were among those who attended the Prince Edward Island Presbyterial which convened in Charlottetown on January 26.

Mrs. Edward Horne, Charlottetown, was the guest of Mrs. Hugh F. MacKay, during the week-end of January 30.
Mrs. Millage MacLeod, and her daughter Gill were visitors to Charlottetown on January 30.
Mrs. D. J. MacInnis, who has been a patient in the Charlottetown Hospital since January 11, returned to her home in Rose Valley on February 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Somers made a business trip to Charlottetown on January 26.
Mr. Walter Lord and Mr. Earl Todd were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ewen Todd, on January 25.

Mrs. Reggie Robertson and her daughter Barbara returned February 2, from several days visit with Mr. Reggie Robertson of the Canadian Army, who is presently located in Kentville, Nova Scotia.
Miss Lulu Champion made a business trip to Charlottetown, on February 1.

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