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S'SIDE W.M.S., TRINITY CHURCH

The president, Mrs. Hammond Johnson, occupied the chair at the February meeting of the Afternoon Auxiliary of the W. M. S. of the Summerside Trinity United Church on Tuesday afternoon in the church parlor. Mrs. B. R. Sharpe was pianist. Opening with soft music the hymn "Jesus Shall Reign" was followed by prayer by Mrs. W. K. Llewellyn. The Community Friendship Service, Mrs. Albert Huestis, reported 24 hospital and 69 home calls during the month. The president reminded the members of the World Day of Prayer Service to be held in the Baptist Church on March 5. It was decided to send Christmas cards to Miss Alma Inman, missionary in Trinidad. The worship service, in charge of Mrs. G. L. Sheen, opened with prayer followed by the hymn "Saviour Sprinkle Many Nations", and the scripture lesson in St. Luke 51 read by Mrs. Charles Meikle. A detailed report of the 26th Annual Meeting of the Presbyterial was well prepared and presented by Mrs. Albert Huestis, a delegate. The offering was received by Mrs. John Boates and Mrs. Hugh D. Smith. During the Study Period, Mrs. Sheen read the chapter "Christ, the Answer" from the Study Book on India. The closing hymn, "From Greenland's Icy Mountains" was followed by the Mizpah benediction.

"BRIGHT ROAD" CAPITOL THEATRE, SUMMERSIDE

A motion picture off the best track is offered to Capitol Theatre patrons in "Bright Road", M-G-M's moving and poignant filmization of the prize-winning story, "See How They Run" by Mary Elizabeth Vroman, which won nation-wide attention after its publication in a national magazine. Infused with a disarming simplicity, gentle humor and tremendous heart appeal, "Bright Road" tells the story of Jane Richards, a young Negro teacher who comes to a small Southern town to instruct a class of fourth-graders and who finds both joy and sorrow in her task of enlightening the minds of her charges and a great victory in penetrating the shell of a sensitive eleven-year-old boy who has always been left behind in his class. The boy is C. T. Young, shy, diffident, trying to hide his poverty, ill at ease behind a classroom desk but with a passionate love for nature and a nobility of his own. It is the conflict between "C. T." and the young teacher, her efforts to overcome his distrust and the means by which she brings out his submerged talents which gives the story its principal theme and its heartfelt dramatic impact. The Hindus established principalities in Indonesia as early as the 2nd century.

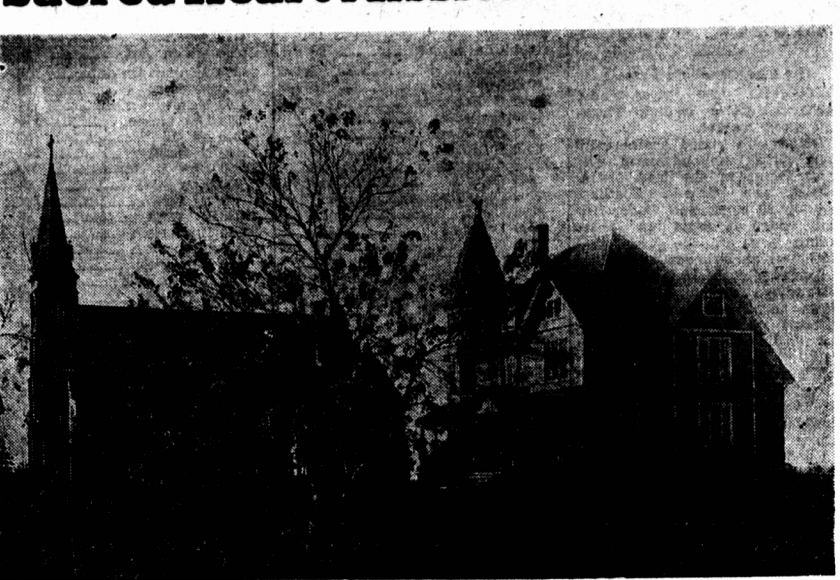
Freetown and Vicinity

Miss Alma Gould, supervisor at Grace Hospital, Halifax, N. S., was a recent visitor to Freetown at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Cairns. Miss Gould formerly resided in Bedeque. Friends of Mrs. Frank Reeves who has been ill at her home in Upper Freetown, are glad to know that her condition is showing improvement and all wish her a complete recovery. Alan K. Soles, student in Prince of Wales College, Charlottetown, spent the past week-end at his home in the village. Mrs. W. Russel Reeves, Mrs. S. A. Burns and Miss Helen Burgoyne were visitors to Charlottetown on January 25. Mrs. Archie Paynter of Long River, spent last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reeves, Upper Freetown. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Burns, Master Byron Burns and Mrs. Russell Burns spent January 24 with relatives in Charlottetown. Mr. and Mrs. Essie Wright of Middleton, were recent visitors to South Freetown. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haslam and daughter Edna of Charlottetown, visited in Freetown recently at the home of Mrs. Haslam's brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jardine. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lewis left January 26 for a weekly visit to friends in Yarmouth, N. S. Friends are pleased to know that Mr. J. Roy Burns who has been confined to his home through illness, is much improved. All hope for a speedy convalescence. Mr. Earle Handrahan of Freetown has enlisted in the armed services and left January 22 for the training depot in St. John's, Que. His many friends wish him every success. Friends regret to hear of the illness of the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Garth Linkletter. Linkletter had the church enlarged and a new sanctuary added. The present pastor has lately had the church painted interiorly and exteriorly and had installed a new oil-burning heating system which have much improved the appearance and comfort of the church. Altogether, the parish property is a credit to the pastor and his parishioners. The present parochial house which is one of the finest in the diocese was built in 1894, during the pastorate of Rev. A. E. Burke. The builder was Mr. George Gard who still resides in Alberton. He recalls that he cut all the materials for the building before commencing the erection of the building, a feat which not too many of the present day builders could duplicate. In 1942 a fine site was secured in the town of Alberton and a beautiful new hall was erected. The building measures 85 feet by

S'SIDE W.M.S., BAPTIST CHURCH

The February meeting of the W.M.S. of the Summerside Baptist Church was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. W. Leard. The opening hymn, "Take Time To Be Holy" was followed by invocation by the president, Mrs. Jack MacLeod. Reference was made to the World Day of Prayer Service to be held in the Baptist Church on March 5. Roll call was responded to with a Bible verse containing the word "prayer". Following the Scripture lesson in Psalms read by Mrs. Arthur Dunn, the president gave a meditation based on "In quietness and confidence will be your strength" followed by prayer and the singing of "Jesus The Very Thought Of Thee". Mrs. W. G. Ellis presented the missionary study on the life and works of Archibald Reekie, one of the earliest missionaries to Bolivia. She was assisted by Mrs. J. F. MacNeill. Following prayer the Mizpah benediction was given. A social hour was enjoyed when the hostess served refreshments.

Sacred Heart Mission At Alberton



Church of Sacred Heart, Alberton, built in 1877, and Parochial House built in 1894.

This mission is composed of part of old Cascumpec and part of Tignish parishes, and is quite of recent date. The town of Alberton, a busy little place, had its first beginning in the house and store of Mr. Herbert Bell. To the cross roads, where this store was situated, the country people would come to buy groceries and articles of wearing apparel and the spot became generally known as Bell's Cross. Here a village gradually grew up, and as it increased, the ideas of its inhabitants kept pace until, at a meeting, convened in the town hall, they decided to call their town Alberton in memory of the Prince Consort of England. To Mr. Bell's country store succeeded many business establishments, some on a large scale, such as those of Keefe and Co. Michael Foley, Hon. Benjamin Rogers, Reid Brothers and the Hon. Senator George W. Howland, who became famous as the originator of the great tunnel scheme, by which he hoped to see Prince Edward Island connected with the Mainland. At a little distance from Alberton is Cascumpec Point where, at one time, the Hon. James C. Pope had a large ship yard. Here, in the beginning of the last century, an Englishman named Hill, carried on an extensive business in timber. He induced some of the Highland emigrants lately arrived in Prince Edward Island to come here and work for him, and he also gave employment to the French settlers in the adjacent settlement of Cascumpec village. These French residents eventually removed westward to the newly-formed mission of Bloomfield, while the Irish and Scotch workmen of the Point, drifted to Alberton. Thus out of one mission, two were formed. The Hon. Lemuel Cambridge who succeeded Mr. Hill in the timber and shipbuilding business at Cascumpec Point employed a large number of workmen of different nationalities who settled in the environs of Alberton. About the year 1877 the first church of this mission was built. It was, unfortunately blown down in the autumn of that year. A new frame was erected on the same site, various differences of opinion respecting the finishing of it arose, so that the work was stopped for a while and the outlook for the new church of Alberton was not at all bright. This matter being brought to the notice of His Lordship, Bishop MacIntyre he be-thought himself of his friends, the zealous workers, who had constituted the Building Committee of the Tignish church. Proceeding to Tignish, His Lordship asked these worthy men if they would give him a day's work on the Alberton Church, for the sake of old times. To this request they cheerfully acceded, and going in a body to Alberton, they shingled the entire church in three days. They were entertained by the Bishop who never forgot the cheerful generosity with which they came to his assistance. The church which is dedicated to the Sacred Heart is ninety feet in length by forty feet in width. The first pastor Rev. S. T. Phelan had it plastered and fitted with pews of pine and walnut. He also added a spire in which he placed a fine bell. The altar at first was a temporary one, which was soon replaced by one more in keeping with the style of the church. The first presbytery was built at Cascumpec village by Bishop MacIntyre during the time of his pastorate at Tignish. When the new parishes were formed, the house was given to the Bishop who presented it to Alberton, where it was hauled in the winter of 1879, and served as a Rectory until 1879. The mission of Alberton includes the beautiful and fertile district of Kildare which was settled by Irish and French farmers in the beginning of the 19th century. The scenery in the vicinity of the Kildare River is considered as fine as any that Prince Edward Island can show. First Catholic settlers of the Sacred Heart Mission, Alberton: Alexander McKinnon, John Keefe, Edward Rose, Thomas Cochrane, Angus McLellan, (ugh), Maurice O'Connor, Mrs. O'Mara, John McAlduff, William O'Mara, Patrick Cunningham. Pastors of Sacred Heart Church, Alberton: Rev. Stephen Thomas Phelan from October 1879 to September 1888. Rev. Alfred Edward Burke, D.D., from September 1888 to June 1908. Rev. John T. Murphy (administrator) from June 1908 to June 1909. Rev. Felix L. Connolly from June 1909 to August 1913. Rev. Maurice McDonald from August 1913 to August 1915. Rev. Terence Campbell from August 1915 to August 1937. Rev. William V. MacDonald D.D., from August 1937 to May 1941. Rev. William E. Monaghan, D.D., from 1941, Present pastor. Ordination in Sacred Heart Church. On June 20, 1943, Rev. Willard O'Brien was ordained by Rt. Rev. Charles Leo Neilligan, Bishop of Pembroke, Ontario. Father O'Brien, who is a native of Alberton is at the present time pastor in Nanaimo, British Columbia. Since the organization of the parish of the Sacred Heart in 1879, some thirty of its young ladies have become members of various Religious Orders in Canada and the United States. The Church built in 1879 was renovated some years later by Rev. A. E. Burke. Rev. Terence Campbell had the church enlarged and a new sanctuary added. The present pastor has lately had the church painted interiorly and exteriorly and had installed a new oil-burning heating system which have much improved the appearance and comfort of the church. The parish registers begin on November 2, 1879 with the record of the baptism of Bernard Walsh, son of John Walsh and Susana Yeo. The first marriage is that of John Bulger, son of James Bulger and Ellen Rowan of Lot 11, and Annie MacDonald, daughter of Archibald MacDonald and Julia Anne MacDonald of Alberton, dated November 3, 1879. The first burial is that of Mrs. James MacKinnon on November 4, 1879. These three entries are signed by Rev. Stephen T. Phelan, P.P. "Prince Edward Island Place Names" by R. Douglas, Secretary of the Geographic Board of Canada, in reference to the name Alberton has the following: "Alberton, town, Lot 4. After Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, later Edward VII, who visited Charlottetown at the age of nineteen, August 10 to 12, 1860. Names suggested by Hon. Benjamin Rogers. Earlier known as Cascumpec." (The above sketch is from a series of articles prepared by the late Rev. A. E. Burke and brought up to date by Prof. J. H. Blanchard, Charlottetown.)

Albany and Vicinity

Mr. George Murtart, Jr., of North Tryon, was a recent business visitor to Summerside and getting some medical advice. The many friends of Mr. Sterling Noonan of Albany, will be sorry to learn of the accident that put his shoulder out of place. Mr. Noonan slipped on the cellar stairs and injured himself. He is employed as trackman on the Borden and Albany section of the C. N. Railway here. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Flager, of Moncton, N. B., spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Flager's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thompson of North Tryon, returning to Moncton on the late boat, Sunday evening. Friends of Mr. Max Cope, of Albany, will be pleased to learn that Mr. Cope is feeling much better after receiving medical attention. He expects to be out around again in the near future. Miss Hazel Dawson, community student of the Summerside High School spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Dawson, Albany. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Callbeck, of Summerside, motored to Tryon and visited with friends on January 31. Mr. Callbeck closed up his home here for the winter months. Mr. Goldie Delaney and son of Kentville N. S. were recent visitors to North Tryon. Mr. Delaney was visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Delaney of North Tryon. Mrs. Parker Delaney recently arrived home from the Prince Edward Island Hospital where she has been a patient for some time. Mr. Elmer Gamble, of North Tryon, who is field manager for the Amalgamated Dairy Co. Ltd. of Summerside, was storm-bound in the City during the recent snow storm. Mr. Frank Woods and Mr. Reece Guley of Mount Tryon, were recent visitors to Borden and were engaged to shovel snow in the Borden yard of the C. N. Railroad. Mrs. Heath Chisholm, of North Tryon left here February 2, to spend a month's vacation with friends and relatives in Cambridge, N. B.

Inverness and Vicinity

Mrs. Everett Biggar was in Summerside on business recently. Mr. Charles Milligan was in Summerside January 30 to visit his wife who is convalescing at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Dymont. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Saunders and son Ronnie, and Mr. Reginald Pineau, Bloomfield, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sharbell, Portage. Mrs. John Costain was in Summerside on January 31 on business. The many friends of Mrs. Charles Milligan will regret to learn that he is in Summerside receiving medical care, and all join in wishing her a speedy recovery to good health. Mr. Eric Adams, who joined up in R. C. A. F. left January 27 for St. Johns, Que., where he will be stationed. The best wishes of a host of friends are extended to Eric in this new undertaking. Miss Rosella Coughlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Coughlin was taken to Halifax, N. S., to have a spinal operation. Her many friends wish her every success. Mr. Robert Coughlin, Summerside, was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles MacDonald. Mr. and Mrs. Alan MacDonald were in Summerside on February 2 on business. purchasing same. At the close of the meeting the ladies served a delicious beans and brown bread supper, the proceeds of which were in aid of the Mission Band which is under the leadership of Mrs. Kenneth Robblee. The pastor spoke briefly on future work together.

Elected President



The Board of Directors of the Dominion Automobile Association with Head Offices in London Canada, announces the election of Robert W. Trollope as President of the Association, effective January 1, 1954.

Tyne Valley Notes

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. MacDougall Summerside, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Newcombe on Tuesday evening, Jan. 19th. Mr. Clark Baglole and Mrs. Bertha Harding and Elmer Stewart were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Leaman Campbell on Tuesday evening, Jan. 19th. Mrs. Ivan MacLean spent a few days recently at the home of her mother, Mrs. D. N. Forbes, who is ill. Mr. L. B. Kumpula who is stationed in Ontario, spent a few days with his wife and family here recently. Mrs. Leaman Campbell went to Summerside on Monday, Jan. 25 to help care for her mother Mrs. Laura Yeo, who is ill at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Campbell. The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacLean are sorry to hear that their little daughter Elizabeth Ann had to enter the Health Centre Jan. 24, suffering from pneumonia. The Presbyterian Ladies Aid met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Platts on Friday evening, Jan. 22, with a good attendance. The Credit Union met at Port Hill on Monday evening, Jan. 25. After the business of the meeting was completed the members enjoyed a few tables of auction. A card party was held in Tyne Valley Hall on Wednesday evening, Jan. 20th, with ten tables of auction and one table of bridge in play. First prizes were won by Miss Eleanor Birch and Mr. Leaman Campbell. Consolation prizes, Mrs. Horace Newcombe and Dr. Malcolm Burleigh. Lunch was served by the ladies and a good evening of entertainment was enjoyed by all. Proceeds for the Health Centre.

Advertisement for Capitol Summerside Double Bill. Features Roy Rogers and Dale Evans in 'The Golden Stallion' and 'Trigger, Jr.'.

Advertisement for Capitol Summerside Double Bill. Features 'One of M-G-M's Finest' and 'Bright Road'.

Advertisement for Kensington Rink. Friday, Feb. 5. Farmers League vs. Springfield. Game 8:30 sharp. Skate after.

Advertisement for Kensington Rink. Saturday, Feb. 6. Skating 1:30 to 3:30. 8 to 10.

Advertisement for Royal Theatre. Fri. 7 p.m.; Sat. 3:30-7:15-9:15. Alan Ladd, Deborah Kerr, Charles Boyer. "Thunder in the East". Bank drawing Saturday worth \$22.50; if no winner last Tuesday worth \$45.00.

Advertisement for Cameo Theatre. Kensington. Friday - Saturday 7:15 - 9:15; Matinee Saturday 3:30. "The Fuller Brush Girl". Lucille Ball, Eddie Albert.

Advertisement for Mount Allison Athletic Reunion. Many Islanders who were former students will be present for the Mount Allison University athletic reunion in May this year, when members of football, hockey, track and basketball teams from 1890 to 1954 will be in attendance.

Advertisement for Annual Meeting Tryon United Baptist Church. The annual business meeting of the Tryon United Baptist Church was held Dec. 20. Rev. E. J. Barrass conducted a short devotional service after which Mr. Otto Johnson was appointed chairman. Deacon Arthur Simmons, church treasurer, gave the financial report. Reports of various organizations of the Westmoreland Branch were received, as well as from the W.M.S., the Y.W.A., the Sunday School, Y.P.U. and Mission Band of the Tryon Church. These all showed zealous interest throughout.

Advertisement for Western Hospital, Alberton. The building measures 85 feet by 32 feet, is well finished and has lately been painted and decorated.

Advertisement for Borden Rink. Tonight. Dress Carnival 8 P. M. Prizes for best costumes. Admission 30 cents to all. Skate after.

Advertisement for Regent Theatre. Today 3:30 - 7 - 9:15. Saturday 2:30 - 7 - 9:15. "All Ashore".

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Advertisement for Evening Office Hours. Patients please note change in Evening Office Hours. Dr. W. E. Callaghan will be in office Monday, Thursday, Saturday evenings. Dr. H. B. MacNeill will be in office Tuesday, Friday, Saturday evenings. Emergencies will be attended to at all times.

Advertisement for Millars Store. Our January Clearance Sale on winter goods and footwear will be continued until Wednesday, February 10th, due to storm and road conditions.

Advertisement for King Cole Tea. ANY TIME - it's time for KING COLE TEA.