

Awards Presented As PEI Drama Festival Ends

The Charlottetown Little Theatre Guild's presentation of "Sunday Costs Five Pesos", under the direction of Mrs. J. P. Miller, was awarded the Smallman Trophy for the best production in the Provincial Festival, which concluded last evening.

Award for the best actress in the festival was presented to Gwynneth Patterson as Salome in the "Pesos" cast, and the award for best actor in the festival was given to Arthur MacLean as Harry Holloway, in the St. Peter's A.Y.P.A. presentation of "Moon-Up".

Other winners of the festival were: Hunter Rural Women's Institute, "The Dear Departed", runner up, "The Dummy", by Kinkora Sodality. Rural Junior was divided into two parts, one "Tom Sawyer" written by Clyde River washes the fence; by Clyde River School, and the other section being "The Pampered Darling" by Kinkora Convent. The city group competition was awarded to the Charlottetown Little Theatre Guild.

Individual awards were presented as follows: In the rural section, best actress was Marjory Smith as Mrs. Slater in the cast of "The Dear Departed", and best actor was Ralph Crockett as James Potter in "The Married Well", by the York players. In the junior class, "The Women's Institute" trophy was awarded to the cast of "The Dummy", as runner-up in the rural senior group, and each director of a winning play was presented with a ten dollar scholarship to help defray expenses when attending the short course in dramatics, which the institute hopes will be held in the fall.

Honorable mention was given to the work of Ethel Gillespie who played Aunt Polly in the "Tom Sawyer" production, and to James Andrew for his characterization of Henry Slater in "The Dear Departed".

Four Plays Last Evening
Four plays were presented last evening, and due to the late hour, adjudication by Mr. J. L. Robertson was necessarily out rather short. In "Moon-Up" he commented on the very consistent characterization of Hilda Pickard as "Ma Holloway", and on the excellent delivery of Arthur MacLean as "Harry". This production, which was well presented but lacked pace, Milton Acorn who played the part of the Sheriff in this play, did so with only one rehearsal after the original member of the cast was not available to perform last evening. Mr. Acorn is to be commended on his stepping into the breach at such short notice, and filling the empty shoes of the Sheriff so well.

Highlights in the other plays as mentioned by Mr. Robertson, were the fair for comedy as displayed by Ralph Crockett in his role of James Potter and Elaine Cash's consistent performance as Janet Gibbons.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES DEATHS 50c Per Insertion

BIRTHS

WOOD—At the Prince County Hospital on May 17th, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wood, a daughter, Donalda Marie, 7 lbs 4 oz.

WALLIS—At the Ostaple Hospital, Montreal, May 28th, 1950, to Flying Officer Tom and Mrs. Wallis, (nee Dora Woodside) a son, weighing 7 1/2 lbs.

FLETCHER—At Kings County Hospital, Montague, on May 26th, 1950, to the Rev. G. Maurice and Mrs. Fletcher a daughter.

LARGE—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital, Wednesday, May 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Large, M Fitzroy St., a daughter.

GAUTHIER—At P. E. Island Hospital on May 31st to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Gauthier, Charlottetown, a son, 8 lb 14 oz.

DEATHS

BRYENTON—The death occurred in the Prince County Hospital on Wednesday, May 31, 1950, of B. C. Bryenton, Funeral at Brice on Friday June 2, 1950 at 2 p.m.

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THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a new nature may be inserted at five cents a word, strictly payable in advance.

CORONER'S JURY REPORT — In the finding of the coroner's jury in the case of the late Miss Nicholson at Searletown reference was made to death having occurred under tragic circumstances. This phrase erroneously appeared as the report in Tuesday's Guardian.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of the late Mr. Irvin D. Alchorn was held from his residence at Fairview yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. G. Carlyle Webster. Interment was in the New Dominion Cemetery. The pallbearers were: John McLeod, E. McIsaac, A. McIsaac, Douglas McLean, Newton Taylor and Allison MacMillan.

CELEBRATES JUBILEE—Rev. William V. McCabe, of St. Dunstan's Basilica Parish, celebrated the Silver Jubilee of his ordination to the Priesthood at the Provincial Sanatorium yesterday, where he is at present a patient. To commemorate the occasion, Mass was conducted there by Father P. J. Hennessy of Holy Redeemer Parish and members of the Holy Redeemer girls choir sang at the service. Many patients of the Sanatorium were in attendance. Father McCabe was born at Iona, P. E. I. and was ordained at Charlottetown on May 31st, 1925. He had been stationed at a number of parishes in the Province before becoming a Chaplain in the Armed Services during the Second World War, and was attached to the Saint Dunstan's Basilica staff for the past two years until his present illness.

INTERESTING MEETING — A very interesting and instructive evening was enjoyed by the veterans and citizens of Summerside who attended the demonstration at the High School Auditorium covering development work presently supervised by Mr. E. W. Campbell, regional supervisor of Veterans Land Act in Prince Edward Island. Mr. John Byrne, district horticulturist for the Maritime Provinces was in attendance and was introduced to the gathering by the chairman, Mr. J. E. Dalton of Summerside. Mr. Byrne covered development work carried out by the field supervisors in their respective areas and used a demonstration kit presently carried by each field supervisor. Mr. Byrne deserves great credit for this very timely demonstration which was thoroughly enjoyed by those who were in attendance.

Former Head Of Co-op Is Honored At Morell

The citizens of Morell paid tribute to Mr. Jerome O'Brien, former co-manager of the Morell Co-op Ltd. and now manager of the Island Co-op Services Ltd. and Mrs. O'Brien at an enthusiastic cooperative rally in Morell Memorial Hall last night.

Enlightening addresses on the cooperative movement were given by two pioneer cooperative clergymen, Dr. M. M. Coady of St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish and Rev. Nelson MacDonald of Dartmouth United Church. Disguised under the title of a cooperative rally, the presentation to Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien was perhaps one of the best hidden and most deserved ever made in Morell. Not until he was called to the stage did Mr. O'Brien realize the primary purpose of the meeting.

Rev. Dr. Coady reiterated that we are now living in a new age called the decentralized age and the new economic age. In the decentralized age he was witnessing, he cited the extension of Cape Breton Island into a large rural city.

In illustrating the new economic age, he depicted the growth of American and Canadian national incomes over the 17 year period since 1933. American national income has grown to 14 times its size in that period and Canadian income has increased nearly 500 per cent, he stated.

"Have the incomes of the farmers and fishermen increased by nearly 500 per cent?", he asked. When the farmers and workers organize, he stated, they will be doing a patriotic work. "If they continue to live the same way they will permit the greatest bureaucracy to grow that ever existed in the world. By organization they will pump down to the masses of the people the money that makes the wheels of industry turn."

"There is a new world around the corner and it is the job of all to create a free world where everyone will have his fair share. There are two kinds of democracy, he stated, political and economic, and political democracy is nullified without economic democracy. He outlined the growth of political democracy and the incoming of economic royalists with the event of the machine age. If we can get economic democracy, he stated, it will be the last of the freedoms, the freedom of man over himself.

The belief in economic truths, he stated, was necessary for a new society to arise. He enumerated six of these truths which meant a fair share to all.

Applauded For Service
People transported to the hall by the truck load, by car and wagon loudly applauded Mr. O'Brien for his nine successful years of service to their community as well as Mrs. O'Brien stepped onto the stage.

Mr. O'Brien was given a purse of money and Mrs. O'Brien a beautiful floor lamp. In his thanks to the people, Mr. O'Brien admitted that it was the first time he had been taken unawares. He quickly recovered, however, and reminded them that there was still a lot of work to be done in Morell.

Capably presided over by Mr. Louis MacGuire of Morell, the meeting had a balanced program of music, step dancing, speeches and lunch. One of the features of the entertainment was a dancing number by young Kenny Durn, son of Frank Dunn who manages the Morell Co-operative at present.

Inspiring Address
Although suffering from laryngitis, Rev. Nelson MacDonald delivered an inspiring address on the necessity of economic co-operation. Cooperation, he stated is the balance wheel of our economy.

Pointing out that economic co-operation was necessary in this age, he said that there was nothing really wrong with the capitalistic system but that it had been outgrown by the thinking of the people. The world has changed, he stated, we are living in a streamlined age.

He cited his own experiences in an economy that was topsy turvey and told why he was led to promote the cooperative movement. The record has shown that economic cooperation works, he said.

Education for all was one of the corner stones of co-operation, he stated.

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U. S. Holiday Death Toll Reaches 571

CHICAGO, May 31—(AP)—Five hundred and seventy-one Americans died violently in accidents during the four-day Memorial Day holiday week-end.

The death toll included 347 traffic victims, a record for the Memorial Day period. The former record for the holiday was set last year when 253 traffic deaths were counted during a three-day period.

In Chicago, Ned H. Dearborn, president of the Safety Council, termed the traffic death mark "a Memorial Day massacre" and attributed it to "slam-bang driving."

In Washington, however, a spokesman for the American Automobile Association said motorists deserve a pat on the back for the Memorial Day week-end record.

In addition to the 347 traffic fatalities, drowning took 96 lives and 128 persons were killed in miscellaneous accidents.

REPORT MAY

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New Brunswick were the last to be heard.

From one standpoint or another, all of them delivered attacks against submissions of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

J. J. Frawley, Alberta counsel, assailed C. P. R. objections to Alberta Government proposals including:

1. Statutory amendment directing that freight rates should not discourage secondary industry from locating near sources of primary production.
2. Tightening of the "long-and-short-haul" rule of rail rate-making, which prescribes the rates between intermediate points.

Mr. Frawley told the Commission some of the C. P. R. objections to his proposals were "absurd." He denied the railway claim that his industrial location recommendation would dislocate industry, and its contention that the other suggestion would lead to chaos in rate-making.

J. Paul Barry, New Brunswick counsel, renewed his government's request that the rate preference given the Maritimes under the M. F. R. A. be extended from 20 to 30 per cent.

N. S. Barristers' Society Meeting

HALIFAX, May 31—(CP)—Frederic W. Brissett, K. C., of Halifax today was elected president of the Nova Scotia Barristers' Society at the annual meeting here today.

Leonard Fraser of Halifax and Hansen Dowell of Middleton were named vice-presidents.

Resolutions of tribute to the late H. P. Duchemin, K. C., publisher of the Sydney Post-Record, and L. S. Whinnyard, law courts librarian, were passed.

HOLMAN STORE NEWS
— G. H. M. —

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For Summer "OUTDOORABLES" be sure to shop in HOLMAN'S new Outdoor Shop. It's on the second floor near the Furniture Department in the Summerside Store. You'll find smart swim suits, beach accessories, shorts, halters, sun and fun clothes and skirts for both Big and Little Girls in the new Outdoor Shop. . . . And speaking of SKIRTS, this morning I noticed some very, very nice DIRNDLS. These are made of a sparkling array of different print cottons with the deep shirred waistband that will positively fit all sizes—they're terrifically reasonable in price too—JUST 1.98! A Dirndl is the most useful of skirts—slip one on with a crisp blouse and you're fresh as a daisy. Come see our new Outdoor Shop—it is for your shopping convenience—it's on the Second Floor with the Furniture Department in the Summerside Store.

For "sleepy time gals" who like cool, cool comfort for their sleepy time hours—the answer is SHORTY PJAMAS. These are made of fancy, sheer printed voile in pink or blue designs. The tops are in a lace trimmed bolero style gathered into a closing with satin ribbon—the bottoms are comfortable straight shorts. SHORTY PJAMAS are available in sizes 12 to 18—priced at 1.98 a pair. I'm sure that you're a "sleepy time gal" who likes cool, cool comfort and I'm sure that you'll really like these cunning SHORTY PJAMAS—you'll see them on display in the Lingerie Department.

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