31st, Annual Diocesan Convention C.W.L. NORTH RUSTICO Aug. 31st, Sept. 2nd,

PROGRAMME

Monday, August 31st, 1953

5:00 P.M.—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at Stella Maris Church.
Celebrant: Rev. Eric Robin.
6:30 P.M.—Dinner meeting at Stella Maris Hall.

Tuesday, September 1st

8:00 A.M.—Stella Maris Church: Convention Mass and Sermon.
Celebrant: Most Rev. James Boyle, D.D., Bishop of Charlottetown.
Intention: Christian Charity.
9:00 A.M.—Registration at Stella Maris Hall.
Convention called to order by Provincial President.
Prayer, Roll Call, Announcement and Adoption of Rules of Order.
Minutes of last Convention — Provincial Secretary.
Business from Minutes: Correspondence.
Appointment of Nomination and Resolutions Committees.
Report of Provincial Secretary.
Report of Provincial Treasurer.
Report of Corresponding Secretary.
Report of National Convention—Mrs. L. L. Noonan.
Reports of Provincial Conveners:—
Education—Mrs. J. Austin Murphy.
Spiritual and Lay Retreats—Mrs. Clarence McGuigan.
National Scholarship—Mrs. D. F. McNeill.
Magazine—Mrs. J. E. Rossiter.
Immigration and Citizenship — Mrs. Parnell McMahon.
Publicity—Miss Gertrude Coady.
Social Service and Child Welfare—Mrs. M. J. McQuaid.
Girl Guides—Mrs. Carroll Delaney.
Our Lady's Missionaries — Mrs. Clayton McCabe.
Crusade for Good Reading—Mrs. Katherine Creamer.
Sisters of Saint Martha — Mrs. Charles Rogerson.
Organization—Prince, Mrs. Joseph MacDonald; Queen's, Mrs. Patrick Clarkin; King's, Mrs. Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan.
Discussion and recommendations following each report will be permitted, and welcomed.
Sub-division reports.
7:00 P.M.—Address.
Musical programme.
Sub-division reports concluded.

Wednesday, September 2nd

8:00 A.M.—Mass at Stella Maris Church.
Celebrant: Rev. George MacCormac, Provincial Director, C.W.L.
Intention: Living and deceased members of C.W.L.
9:00 A.M.—Report of Resolution Committee.
Discussion and Adoption.
Unfinished business.
Election and Installation of Officers.
New Business
Invitation for next Convention.
Adjournment.
God Save The Queen.
Meeting of New Executive.

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Lapierre-McCallum Wedding

A pretty wedding of local interest took place August 5 at 8.30 o'clock, when Janet Marion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. F. McCallum, became the bride of Gerald Joseph Lapierre, son of Mrs. Geraldine Lapierre and the late Joseph Lapierre of Cornwall, Ont. Rev. Monsignor P. McMahon performed the double-ring ceremony and celebrated nuptial Mass.

The altar was decorated with vases of gladioli, carnations and Shasta daisies and baskets of snapdragons adorned the Sanctuary.

During the Mass, appropriate hymns were sung by Mr. James Flanagan with Mrs. Joseph Dougan as organist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and was attended by Miss Rita Shanahan as maid of honor and Miss Shirley Hennessey as bridesmaid.

Mr. Lorne Hennessey was groomsman and Messrs. Ed Lund and Brian McCallum, brother of the bride, were ushers.

The bride was attired in a floor-length gown of white Chantilly lace and nylon tulle skirt over taffeta, with lace overskirt and wore a crinoline.

The bodice was of lace and the long sleeves ended in points at the wrists. Her finger-tip veil was of tulle illusion and was held in place by a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a cascade bouquet of red roses and maiden hair fern.

The maid of honor was gowned in a floor-length dress of mauve organza with net overskirt and a braided net headdress and carried a nosegay of baby mums and roses. The bridesmaid wore yellow taffeta and a headdress of yellow net and also carried a nosegay of baby mums and roses.

Mrs. McCallum wore a frock of navy taffeta with navy and white accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

The groom's mother was attired in powder blue with white embroidery and wore a corsage of pink roses.

A reception was held at the Queen Hotel where the bride's table was centered with a three-tier wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom under a wedding bell. The toast to the bride was proposed by Mr. Lorne Hennessey and responded to by the groom.

The couple left by plane for a wedding trip to various parts of Ontario.

For travelling, the bride wore a suit of white gabardine with navy accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Lapierre will reside in Toronto, where the groom is employed.

Before her marriage, the bride was guest of honor at several showers and a dinner party in Toronto, and again in Charlottetown.

Among the out-of-town guests were Miss Edera Rodd, Toronto, Ont.; Miss Rita Walsh, Toronto, Ont.; Miss Marion Murray, Toronto, Ont.; Miss Joan Cronin, Toronto, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. George McLean, Hamilton, Ont.; Mrs. Geraldine Lapierre, Toronto, Ont.; Mrs. A. G. Gaudet, Wellington, P. E. I.; Mr. W. Currie, Toronto, Ont.; Mr. Elmo Praught, Cherry Valley, P. E. I.; Mr. and Mrs. T. McCormack, Summerside, P. E. I.

SAFE LANDINGS

FORT WILLIAM, (CP) — A couple of independent homing pigeons have set up a home of their own in Chippewa Park. The birds, already caged by the park keeper to protect them from hawks and owls, are wearing bands numbered A-U-51-5618 and C-U-50-5425.

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W.C.T.U. NOTES

DOES ALCOHOL AID CREATIVE ABILITY?

By Harry S. Warner

That mild stages of intoxication in some mystical fashion give freer play to creative mental activities, is an impression that has prevailed for ages. It is found especially among the followers of writers, poets, dramatists, and it is fondly supported by some of these men of genius themselves. Biographers of great leaders, men of public affairs, statesmen, philosophers, industrialists, have echoed similar opinions as to the drinking customs of their heroes.

For ages alcohol has seemed to be an effective means of releasing emotions and abilities that are finer, more profound or brilliant than they would be without its aid. Men of genius have counted on it, have employed and praised it. By inference and imitation vast numbers of men of ordinary or lesser ability have turned to it without question as an aid to whatever they desire to be or to accomplish.

However, the idea and its literary ideology are illusory, products of wishful thinking and subjective writing. Through all the history of great literary accomplishment, there has stood out another list of men, men of supreme ability whose creative activity has been clearly dissociated from wine and the wine cup; and yet others who have even questioned its value, described its excesses, and won their fame in spite of it.

Even in the period of heaviest drinking in England, when the custom was well-nigh universal, the list of non-drinking writers was disproportionately great. Among these were Milton, Shelley, Wordsworth, Southey and Tennyson. In modern times Bernard Shaw says: "Alcohol knocks off the last inch of efficiency which, in all really fine work, makes the difference between first-rate and second-rate."

It is not clear reasoning to infer that slumps in mental ability that transform an auto driver into a public menace on the highway will bring constructive aid to a thinker, a writer, an artist, in the fine, creative work he seeks to do. And the scientific explanation is no longer in doubt.

Alcohol impairs constructive ability, rather than increases it. Depressing, as it does, the highest and most sensitive complex of human capacities, the centres of man's intellectual and spiritual resources, it permits the lower and the more automatic to take control of the personality. The changes are marked in thought and conversation, in form of emotional expression; in receding self-control, in the replacing of self-observation and criticism by self-exploitation and exhibitionism, in displays of primary emotions, in confused mental processes, and in conduct inconsistent with the cultured character of the individual and his higher social standards.

Scientifically, Haven Emerson sums up the results of many scientific experiments: "Every test gave the same answer; the universal inferiority of human performance after the use of alcohol."

—The International Student.

Seven Days A Week

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charge papers."

The sergeant returned shortly and thrust the discharge papers into Simpkins' hand. Private Simpkins took one look and let out a shriek of glee. "This is it! he exclaimed and vanished quickly from sight.

FRIDAY: For this day you might try a tuna-egg casserole. Simmer 1 cup chopped celery in cream of mushroom soup, (10 1-2 oz. size) and blend. Combine 1-2 can of tuna, 2 tsps. lemon peel and remainder of the mushroom soup. In a greased casserole, (one quart size), arrange layers of tuna, chopped egg whites, (4), crumbled yolks (4), and celery and soup mixture. Add salt and pepper. Top with 1-2 cup of cheese. Bake in a hot oven, (450 degrees F.) 15 minutes or until bubbly and brown. Serves 5.

6. SATURDAY: I ate these at a friend's home not so long ago. They were extra nice and my hostess told me that the original recipe won a $1,000 prize in a nation-wide contest last year. I hope you enjoy them too.

1 cup sifted enriched all-purpose flour;
¼ tsp. soda;
½ tsp. cinnamon,
½ cup butter or other shortening;
½ cup brown sugar firmly packed;
2 tblsp. beaten egg;
1 tsp. vanilla;
¼ tsp. salt;
1 cup salted peanuts.

Sift together flour, cinnamon, soda. Cream butter, add sugar gradually, creaming well. Add tblsp egg and vanilla. Beat well. Blend in dry ingredients and ½ cup peanuts, finely chopped. Mix thoroughly. Spread or pat dough on a greased baking sheet to a 14 inch by 10 inch rectangle. Brush with remaining egg. Sprinkle on ½ cup peanuts. Bake in a slow oven (325 degrees F.) 20 to 25 minutes. Do not overbake Cut or break into pieces while warm. Yield, 2 dozen cookies.

7. SUNDAY: The German poet and philosopher wrote this — "There are nine requisites for contented living: health enough to make work a pleasure; wealth enough to support your needs; strength to battle with difficulties and overcome them; grace enough to confess your sins and forsake them; patience enough to toil until some good is accomplished; charity enough to see some good in your neighbor; love enough to move you to be useful and helpful to others; faith enough to make real the things of God; hope enough to remove all anxious fears concerning the future."

And now the end of another week, "One week nearer to Fall vacation," says Ron optimistically, as he helps me to pick a pan of beans. How we enjoy the garden's harvest these days. Beets, carrots, beans and so on are at their very best. The sun is a shimmering golden globe as it rides high across the heaven's dome. Bees hum drowsily as they garner a supply of sweetness from flower and blossom. A huge combine wheels up the road past the gate and the wheels droning seems to say "Summer is about over." Our feathered friends deny this assertion loudly as their bursts of song seem louder and more cheerful than ever. A tiny humming bird, like a bit of thistledown, pays us a visit every day, hovering over the marigolds as if entrained. But we know the lovely summer is fading and such delusions are only "bits of hearded April — strange to hear, amid the languor of the fading year."

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DR. J. C. GALLANT'S OFFICE will be closed August 13th to August 29th.

YOU WILL ENJOY the Garden Party, Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. Gordon MacMillan, Cornwall.

ENGAGEMENT. — Mr. and Mrs. James T. McCloskey, Emyvale, wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Mary Margaret, to James Bernard, son of Mrs. and the late Daniel Woods, Emyvale. Marriage to take place September 2nd.

FUNERAL AT NORTH WINSLOE—The funeral of Sheldon MacQuarrie was held from his late residence on Friday afternoon, August 14th, and was largely attended. Mr. Hardy and Rev. Mr. Wilson conducted the services. The pallbearers were: Sydney MacQuarrie, Emmett Farish, Lawson MacKinnon, Allison Yeo, Leonard Ford and John MacInnis. Burial was in North Winsloe Cemetery.

Personals

Miss Charlotte Hughes has returned from a visit with her aunt in U. S. A.

Mr. and Mrs. James Feehan are spending their vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hughes, Fort Augustus.

Mrs. John McLellan is spending some time at home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dalton.

Melvin and Ivan Dalton have returned to Toronto.

Mrs. Lloyd March and daughter Linda returned to their home in Toronto, after a pleasant month's holiday spent visiting her brother, Earl Moore, New Haven and other relatives and friends on the Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hembrough with their sons Allen and Roger of Englewood, New Jersey, are spending a two weeks holiday in the city, guests at the Charlottetown. Mrs. Hembrough is a niece of Mrs. B. W. LePage, 7 West Street, City.

Bagnall - MacKay Wedding

A pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents on July 29 at 7 p.m., when Minnie Flo Leone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland MacKay, Springfield, exchanged marriage vows with Errol Boyd Bagnall, Hazel Grove.

The ceremony was performed under an arch of tiny pink roses.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a ballerina-length gown of lilac nylon net over taffeta. The separate hao was embroidered with rhinestones; her matching headdress and mitts were of net, and she carried a cascade bouquet of yellow roses and snapdragon.

Miss Freda Hickox was bridesmaid and wore a nile green nylon net over taffeta, with matching headdress and mitts. Her bouquet was a nosegay of pink roses.

The bride's sister, Marjorie, dressed in yellow nylon sheer, with green crochet basket of mixed peas was the attractive little flower girl.

Mr. Borden Bagnall supported his brother as groomsman.

The wedding music was played by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Hillard Meek; and a solo, "Oh Perfect Love", was beautifully rendered by Rev. Mr. Murray.

A reception attended by the immediate relatives and close friends of the bride and groom was held at Shining Waters Lodge, Cavendish.

The bride's table, laid with lace cloth and decorated with sweetpeas and lighted tapers, was centred with a three-tier wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom.

The toast to the bride was proposed by Rev. Mr. Murray and responded to by the groom.

Later the couple left by motor on a honeymoon trip through the Maritimes, visiting Cape Breton, and driving over the Cabot Trail. The bride travelled in a blue suit with navy and white accessories and corsage of red roses.

The best wishes of their many friends are extended to them as they take up residence in Hazel Grove.

Strange But True

By F. H. MacArthur

When he tagged his wife's automobile for over-parking, a policeman in Summerside, Prince Edward Island, wrote on the back of the ticket; "Who's boss now, eh?"

No one is ever too old to learn, but many people keep putting it off.

Suddenly inherited wealth is just about the worst thing that could happen to an individual.

Not having the proper training to guard the suddenly acquired fortune and invest it wisely, is but one of the many problems you'd meet.

Countless agents, with something to sell or give away, would beat a well-worn path to your door. Solicitors for charitable organizations and what not, would descend upon you like a plague of locusts on a field of grain; you would be the victim of confidence men, quacks and beggars.

A Toronto woman who inherited a fortune not so long ago, received a letter from a total stranger asking for $2,000 so she could start raising a family.

A Montreal man who came by a fortune through an uncle in the U. S. A., got a letter from a crank who wanted $10,000. If he didn't get the money by return mail, he threatened to blow out his brains and have a friend mail them to the Montrealer.

Upon the receipt of this news the wealthy Montrealer pulled up stakes and sailed for France where he is still living. So I don't know whether the money or the brains ever got into the mails.

Instead of yearning for sudden riches we should thank our lucky stars the Fates kept us poor, or at any rate, just above poverty.

Believe me, money isn't everything.

Although his dog is deaf, Dean Show, of Larimo, Wyo., says the animal now takes his orders through a hearing aid which Show made especially for the dog.

Resturant sign in Plant City, Fla., "What foods these morsels be. be".

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Strangest of all ceremonial drinks is that of the Vapes Indians of the Upper Amazon in Brazil, South America. They have a drink which they believe will symbolically transmit them to all qualities of those who have gone to the happy hunting grounds.

These Indians cremate their dead to a very fine ash which they save and add to a drink called Casire. Then they drink it with all the pomp and ceremony the tribe can muster.

We now learn that cows can be identified positively by taking a print of their noses. Every member of the bovine family has a distinctive noseprint just as every human has a distinctive finger print. This should do away with the cruel practice of branding now in vogue among all large cattle ranches.

Snakes do not have vocal cords, and a single silk worm is capable of producing a thread about 800 to 1000 yards in length.

More effective than fines for reckless driving would be to make the offender spend a week in hospital watching the accident victims being brought in.

Listen to this amazing news item!

"33-years ago Napoleon Magotte left his home in Ottawa, on a shopping tour. He got back last month.

"Magotte's wife, who found her man in a Toronto hospital, learned that he had lost his memory.

"So, instead of going shopping in Ottawa, Magotte boarded a train, rode it to Vancouver and back to Toronto, where he picked up a job and worked for 33years before he was located and claimed by his wife and daughter."

Sounds fantastic, but then truth is stranger than fiction.

Since 1920 the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the Canadian Government have banded 6,000,000 birds from their 1000 banding stations. This banding service enables conservationists to determine migratory routes, distribution, and other facts.

It's a curious fact that most waterfowl are different rom other bright-colored birds in that during the summer they acquire what corresponds to the dull plumage of other birds.

Waterfowl also differ from most birds in that they lose all their flight feathers at once and for several weeks are unable to fly. Once they have replaced their flight feathers, they start coming back into their bright breeding plumage again.

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Every farm boy and girl is familiar with tame geese. Close observation has taught them how the father and mother goose brings up their little ones. They know, for instance, that the gander merely accompanies his mate to the nest and then stands on guard; he never takes over the egg-setting job. But he stays close by his mate through the incubation period and takes a hand in raising the babies.

Often I have seen an old gander proudly leading a flock of goslings, followed by mama goose, the parents keeping their offsprings always between them.

And strange but true, geese are models of fidelity. They retain the same mates from year to year—providing one or the other does not get knocked off for a Christmas dinner.

Gas was sold for a flat charge per burner until the invention of the meter in 1833. In those days street lights and kitchen stoves burned right around the clock.

Breadalbane and Vicinity

Miss Louise Ramsay, Hamilton, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Seaman, Breadalbane.

Miss Norma Newson, Westmoreland, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs Alex J. MacDonald during the weekend of August 2.

Mrs. Earl Chappell was hostess for the monthly meeting of the Breadalbane Village Institute, on Monday, August 10.

Rev. and Mrs. Wellington Murray, Warren, Ohio, are visiting Mr. Murray's brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Murray, Breadalbane.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gatto and little daughter, Sheryl Jean, Somerville, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Gatto's grandmother, Mrs. Bruce Somers, Breadalbane, and other friends in this vicinity.

The enjoyment of Old Home Week was greatly marred for two citizens of this vicinity, both of whom were relieved of large sums of money while attending the Provincial Exhibition on Wednesday, August 12. In both cases the name and address of the owner was enclosed in the billfold.

Friends will regret to learn that Mr. Goodwill MacDougall, who has been supply minister for the Presbyterian Church, Breadalbane, for several months, unfortunately broke one of his legs while he was attending the Presbyterian Church Camp at French River. Mr. MacDougall is now a patient in the P. E. I. Hospital).

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BANGKOK, Thailand, (Reuters) —Bangkok is speeding up air raid precautions in view of recent Communist Vietminh activity not far from the Thai and Indo-Chinese border, a civil defence official said Thursday. Observers also have noted an increase in Thai military manoeuvres in recent weeks.

Mt. Mellick Garden Club Meeting

The regular meeting of Mt. Mellick Garden Club was held at the home of Harvey and Lloyd Bruce on Thursday evening with all members present. Douglas Robertson presided. The 4-H Club pledge was repeated by each member in answer to roll call. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

It was decided that next meeting would be on August 19 when Elda and Elaine Boswell will be hostesses. A lesson on plant diseases and insects was studied. Norma Robertson and Donald MacRae were asked to prepare games for next meeting.

Two interesting contests were conducted by the committee. Mrs. Bruce served a delicious lunch. On motion of Elaine Boswell a hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce, and the meeting adjourned.

ILLUSTRATION STATION FIELD DAYS

The Dominion Department of Agriculture in cooperation with the Provincial Department of Agriculture will hold Illustration Station Field Days on the following dates — rain or shine:

Farm of J. W. MacKenzie and Son, Rose Valley, August 18, 2:00 p.m. Speakers: Mrs. R. C. Parent; R. C. Parent; F. M. Cannon; W. R. Shaw.

Farm of Robert Woodside and Son, Knutsford, August 19, 2:00 p.m. Speakers: Mrs. R. C. Parent; R. C. Parent; F. M. Cannon; W. R. Shaw.

Farm of Hugh J. MacDonald, Monticello, August 20, 2:00 p.m. Speakers: Mrs. R. C. Parent; R. C. Parent; F. M. Cannon; S. C. Wright.

Farm of James E. Daly and Son, Iona, August 21, 2:00 p.m. Speakers: Mrs. R. C. Parent; R. C. Parent; F. M. Cannon; S. C. Wright.

A tour will be made of the station fields; and fertilized pastures, meadows, cereals, root and potato crops will be observed. Managed woodlots will be inspected, and selective cutting measures will be discussed. The experimental work active on the Illustration Stations will be reviewed by the Supervisor.

Take this as an opportunity to meet your neighbors, to converse with departmental representatives and view the work that is in progress.

W. N. Black, Agronomist.
Supervisor of Illustration Stations
for Prince Edward Island.

CARD OF THANKS

Our thanks and appreciation are extended to all those who gave us such splendid support in Monday's election. These include the workers and the Liberal supporters in the County and also to a great many other people who were kind enough to give us personal votes regardless of their own party affiliations.

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