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SEE Bedeque Players present
"The Missing Heiress" in Summer-
field Hall, May 19th, at 8.30 P. M.
Sponsored by Springfield W. I.

NOTICE. All rate payers of
Clermont district who have not
paid their school taxes kindly do
so on or before the 6th day of
June, Edison Rayner, secretary.

RETURN FROM OTTAWA
Mr. J. Watson MacNaught, M.P.,
parliamentary assistant to the
Minister of Fisheries, accompan-

PERSONALS
Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Moore,
Charlottetown, spent the week-end
at Summerside.

ALBERTON AND VICINITY
Mr. and Mrs. George Ramsay
returned to their home in Alber-
ton on Monday after spending
three weeks at the home
of their son-in-law, Mr. George
Ramsay, Charlottetown.

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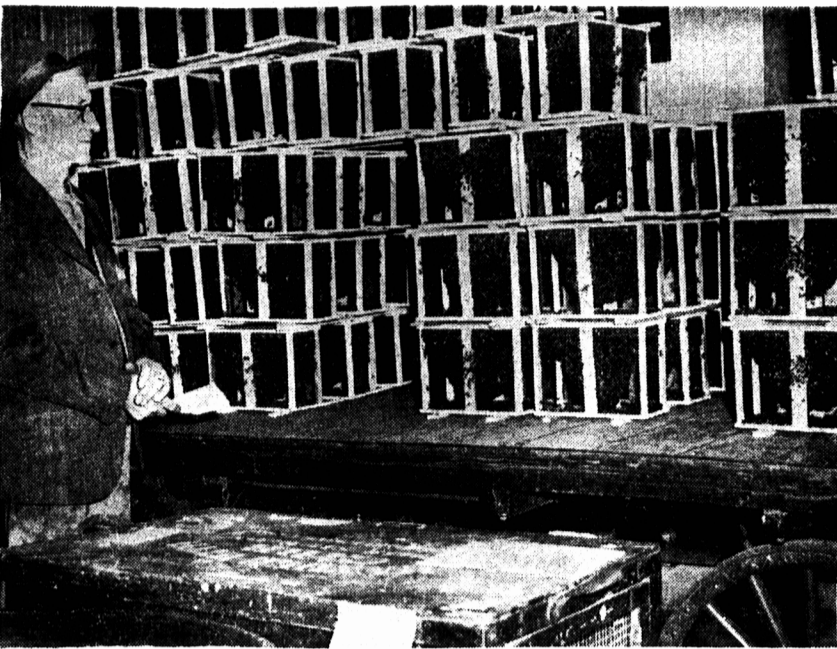
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Imports Bees From Florida



George A. Bowness, Summer-
side, apiarist, who has had some
50 years experience in handling
bees, is seen inspecting a ship-
ment of 58 packages of bees that
arrived recently from Florida for
distribution in Summerside and
vicinity.

Each package contains a queen
bee and two pounds of honey-pro-
ducing bees that will form the nu-
cleus of a bee colony in each hive.
In a normal hive the bee popula-
tion will increase at the rate of
2000 to 3000 bees per day.

The apiarists by making sure no
drone cells are in the breeding
section of the hive, endeavour to
eliminate the reproduction of
drones—the bees who do no work
in the hive. The "workers" or hon-
ey-gathering bees will work from
out clothes. The neighbors soon
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from a nearby brook, the fire was
soon extinguished, but not before
extensive damage was done.

The great value of bees in the
work of pollination is recognized
by agriculturists who have stated
that the pollination action of the
bees on plants, vegetables, field
crops and flowers is worth ten
times as much to a community
as is realized by the apiarist from
the sale of honey produced.

The Government assists in the
importation of bees by waiving
custom duties and paying trans-
portation costs from Florida to
P. E. I. on primary bee stock, as
shown in above photo.

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Miscouche and Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Martin DesRoches
and family were in Rustico on
Sunday, May 10th, visiting at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence
Gallant.

A miscellaneous shower was re-
cently held at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. John Small of Miscouche
in honour of their daughter, Mar-
garet, whose marriage will take
place in the near future.

Friends of Mrs. Fred DesRoches
of Miscouche are happy to learn
that she has recently returned to
her home after having spent sev-
eral days in the Prince County
Hospital, Summerside.

Mrs. Hubert Gallant and two
children, Brian and Wayne, were
in Miscouche on Tuesday, May 12
at the home of her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Percy Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. A. DesRoches and
family of Miscouche were in Rus-
tico on Sunday, May 10th.

Mrs. Helen Gillis has returned
to school after having been con-
fined to her home for several
days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pineau
and family of Miscouche were in
Bloomfield on Sunday, May 10th.

Miss Wanda Steele has returned
to school after having spent sev-
eral days at home due to a sprained
ankle.

Mrs. Estelle Gallant of Egmont
Bay is visiting in Miscouche the
home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred
DesRoches.

The grades eight to eleven pu-
pils of Miscouche High School
were on retreat from May 11th to
13th. It was organized by Rever-
end Father Toner, a Jesuit from
Montreal, who preached appropri-
ate sermons to them. Several of
the former pupils attended some
of the evening sessions.

On Tuesday, May 12th, a wed-
ding took place in the St. John
Baptist Church when Mildred
Gallant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Edmond Gallant, became the wife
of Julian Gaudet, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Sylvère Gaudet. The couple
were attended by Miss Sylvia
Gaudet, sister of the groom, as
bridesmaid, and Mr. John Joe
Gallant, brother of the bride as
best man. Reverend J. D. Kelly
performed the ceremony and the
Children of Mary's choir sang ap-
propriate hymns.

Mr. and Mrs. Paulinus Kelly and
sons, of Roseville, were guests of
their daughter and son-in-law, Mr.
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Finalists In 3-Act Play Class Announced

The two finalists in the 3-act
play class, Provincial Drama Festi-
val, were announced by Mr.
Barry Bugden previous to his ad-
judication of three 1-act plays at
Kensington last evening.

Mr. Bugden announced that the
Indian River Players, with "The
Family Doctor"; and the Tignish
Players with "Here Comes Char-
lie", have been selected as final-
ists in the 3-act play class to com-
pete for the championship in the
Provincial Drama Festival at
Charlottetown on the week of
May 25th.

He said that finalists in the
1-act play class will be announced
on Thursday morning, following
the adjudication of one play to be
seen at Brackley on Wednesday
evening.

The three 1-act plays seen last
evening were—"Mushrooms Com-
ing Up" by the Indian River
Players directed by Mrs. Leslie G.
Ramsay; "Billy's Coming", by the
Hamilton Players directed by Mrs.
Neil Simpson; and "Operation
Cold Cure", by North Tryon
Players directed by Mrs. William
A. Jones.

Considerable interest in these
plays was evidenced by the fact
that players from several dis-
tricts other than those competing
last evening were present, includ-
ing a carload of players from
O'Leary who had already presen-
ted their play for adjudication.

Mrs. Harold Laird, past president
of the Provincial Drama Associa-
tion provided the introduction for
each of the plays, and at their
conclusion called on Mrs. Fred
Gates, president of the Drama As-
sociation.

Praises Women's Institutes
Mrs. Gates paid tribute to the
Women's Institutes for their in-
terest in the work of the P. E. I.
Drama Association, and for their
participation in the Drama Festival
competitions.

She said that in addition to the
other advantages and pleasures de-
rived from drama work, the dif-
ficulties of the work are over-
come, and the roll call. Next
meeting to be at home of Mrs.
Waldron Barbour. Lunch was
served by hostess assisted by com-
mittee.

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Mr. and Mrs. John P. Wallace
were guests at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Earl Gaudet and Mrs.
William Gaudet on Sunday, May
10th.

Mr. Keir Dunbar, Summerside,
spent a weekend recently visiting
his mother, Mrs. Joyce Dunbar.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gray of
Brackley were guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Isaac Dunbar. They were
accompanied by their four child-
ren. Mr. and Mrs. Gray recently
returned to the Island from Tor-
onto, where they spent the past
two years.

Miss Sophie Barbour, R.N., re-
turned to her home on Monday,
May 11th, after spending the last
few months in Boston, Mass.

Mrs. James Slavin and her brother
Mr. Russell Clark returned
to Boston, Mass. on Friday, May
8th, after spending a few days
with their parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Hammond Crockett who were both
ill, Mrs. Crockett being a patient
in the Western Hospital.

Mr. Brenton Ramsay returned to
his home recently after spending
a few weeks visiting relatives in Bos-
ton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred MacDou-
gal, Tyne Valley, Mrs. Fred Mac-
Kinnon and family, and Mr. and
Mrs. Kenneth MacKay and Blanche
MacKay were visitors to Elmsdale
on Sunday, May 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Avarad Harris and
Mrs. Charles Ellis were guests of
Mr. and Mrs. James Dunbar and
Mrs. Heber Ellis on Sunday, May
3rd.

O'Leary and Vicinity

Mr. Milford Ellis and Mr. Earl
Phillips of West Cape motored to
Summerside last week.

Dr. Fisher of Charlottetown was
in O'Leary Thursday, May 7th, on
business.

Mrs. E. J. Johnson and family of
Summerside were visiting in Knuts-
ford on Sunday, May 10th.

Mr. Earl Ellis was a business visitor
to Summerside on Monday,
May 11th.

Mr. Thane Milligan has accepted
a position with the Charlottetown
Co-op.

Mrs. Melvin Ellis of O'Leary
spent a few days in Summerside
visiting with her sister, Mrs. Len-
nie Ellis.

Mrs. Ralph MacIsaac spent the
weekend of May 10 in O'Leary with
her mother, Mrs. Melvin Ellis.

Very large congregations attend-
ing the Mother's Day services in all
the churches of O'Leary on Sun-
day, May 10th.

The many friends of Mr. Patrick
O'Connor of Cape Wolfe are pleas-
ed to hear he is much improved in
health after a severe attack of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Harrington,
Burlington, were Sunday, May 10,
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aiton Boul-
ter, O'Leary, also of Mr. and Mrs.
Henry MacAusland and family of
O'Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dignan and
family of Charlottetown were also
Sunday, May 10 guests at the Mac-
Ausland and Boulter homes.

Friends of Mrs. James Thomas of
Casumpec are pleased to learn she
is progressing favorably in the
Prince County Hospital.

Kensington and Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Jonsson of
Burlington visited Charlottetown
on Monday, May 11th.

Mrs. Ralph Jonsson of Charlottetown
was a visitor to Kensington
on Monday, May 11th.

Mr. Robert Goodwin has left for
Labrador where he has accepted
a position in the R. C. A. F. Post
Office.

Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Bowness
and family motored to Shediac on
Sunday, May 10th, where they vis-
ited the doctor's sister, Mrs. Alma
Ingalls and family.

Mr. Norman Macdonald of Sum-
merside, former principal of Ken-
sington School, was a visitor to
Kensington on Monday, May 11th.

The one-act play, "Mushrooms
Coming Up" and variety concert
staged by the O'Leary Women's
Institute was presented in the Tyne
Valley Hall on Thursday, May 7th,
before a very large and appreciative
audience. The individual parts
were very well played and deserv-
ing of praise. There was a sale of
candy and a substantial sum of
money was realized.

The death of Mr. Walter Living-
stone occurred at Bangor, Maine,
on April 18, 1953, in his 63th year.
He is survived by his mother, Mrs.
Allison MacWilliam of Glenwood,
P. E. I. The funeral service was
held at the West Point Presbyter-
ian Church, service being conducted
by the Rev. William Forsythe
of the Bethel United Church.
Hymns sung were "Safe in the
Arms of Jesus", "Abide With Me"
and "Rock of Ages". Pallbearers
were: Lionel Lew, Clifford, Lyle
and James Livingstone, and Clar-
ence MacWilliam. Interment was
in the church cemetery.

South Freetown Home & School Assoc.

The regular monthly meeting
of the South Freetown Home and
School Association was held at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett
Reeves on Tuesday evening, May
12th. The president, Mrs. Eidon
Drummond, was in the chair and
opened the meeting with Home and
School Prayer this was followed by
the Creed in unison.

The secretary, Mrs. Wallace
Reeves read the minutes of the
previous meeting which were ap-
proved.

Discussion then took place on
a play recently put on by Sum-
merside players in Freetown Hall.
Proceeds from this amounted
to thirty-two dollars which in-
cluded sale of candy and drinks.
The corresponding secretary, Mrs.
Elmer Gauthier was asked to see if
Films could be shown at our annual
Ice Cream Social to be held in
July.

Corresponding secretary was also
asked to request the Mobile x-ray
unit to visit our school this sum-
mer.

Borden School

Report for months of March
and April:
Principal's Dept.:
Grade X-1. Graham Lodge; 2.
Desmond McIver; 3. Freda Noon-
an.

Grade IX-1. Baden Sexton and
Malcolm Lodge; 2. John L. Read;
3. Elizabeth Jay.

Grade VIII-1. Betty Currie; 2.
Edith McIver; 3. Aldona Gallant.

Vice-Principal's Dept.:
Grade VII-1. Elizabeth Read;
2. Robert Gallant; 3. Donna Cur-
rie, Peter Ceretti and Donald Mac-
Donald.

Grade VI-1. Freddie Leard; 2.
Willard Leard; 3. Patsy MacDon-
ald.

Miss Greenan's Dept.:
Grade V-1. Arlyn Jane Mac-
Leod and Judy Ann Davies; 2.
Coren Grant and Allan MacLean;
3. Mona Jay, Carol Love and Nor-
ma Ceretti.

Grade IV-1. Raiphie Leard; 2.
Olga McKenna; 3. Ronnie Sharp
and Eric Darrach.

Miss McKenna's Dept.:
Grade III-1. Bonnie MacLean;
2. Joanne Doucette; 3. Dianne
MacLellan, Marie Coy and Diane
Keough.

Grade II-1. Rodger Stewart,
Teddy Grant; 2. Diane Leard,
Betty McKenna and Kenneth Mac-
Donald; 3. John Jay, Elaine Ar-
senault and Richard Davies.

Miss Farmer's Dept.:
Grade I-1. Judy Anne MacKen-
zie and Elliott Gallant; 2. Judy
Darrach and Reni MacLean; 3.
Heather Macdonald and Colin
Love.

Alabama annually produces
more than 500,000 bales of cotton
lint.

Play Presented At Wellington Centre

On Monday evening, May 4th,
a 3-act play, "Deacon Dubbs" was
presented by Wellington Centre
and Richmond players in Well-
ington Centre Hall. The hall was
filled to capacity.

The same play was presented in
Wellington Station Hall on Tues-
day evening, May 12th, with a very
good attendance.

The cast of characters was as
follows:
Deacon Dubbs—Leonard McNeill.
Anno Coleman; his nephew—
Emmett Cameron.

Rawdon Crawley; wolf in sheep's
clothing—Zeno O'Brien.
Major McNutt; auctioneer—Arnold
McEntee.

Deuteronomy Jones; a country
product—Jerome McNeill.
Rose Raleigh; brave little school
ma'am—Margaret McNeill.

Miss Phillip Poppon; both eyes
on deacon—Mrs. Joe Bolger.
Emilly Dale; richest girl in town
—Marie McNeill.

Trixie Coleman; full of mischief
—Aileen Chappell.
Yennie Yensen; hired girl from
Sweden—Mrs. Vernon Fitzgerald.

Northam

Miss Phyllis Colwell was the
guest of her aunt, Mrs. James
Phillips, Summerside on Saturday,
May 9th.

The Calf Club was organized in
the Northam School on Thursday
evening, May 7th for the coming
season.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McArthur
were Sunday, May 3th guests of
Mr. MacArthur's sister, Mrs. Maude
Phillips O'Leary, who is seriously
ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Crozier,
Baltic were visitors at the homes
of Mr. James Dymont, Mr. and
Mrs. Russell Dymont and Mr. and
Mrs. Spurgeon Dymont on Sun-
day, May 3rd.

A large number from this
vicinity attended the auction sale
of Mrs. Veda Inman, Belmont Lot
16 on Wednesday, May 6th.

Sincere and heartfelt sympathy
is extended to Mrs. Gordon Mac-
Arthur and family also to his
brothers and sisters upon the death
of Mr. MacArthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Dymont
and family, Siemon Park was vis-
itors at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Thomas Folland on Sunday, May
10th.

The many friends of Mr. Ernest
MacAusland will be pleased to learn
that he was able to return home,
after being a patient in the Ste-
wart Memorial Health Centre for
the past week.

The large number of sorrowing
relatives and friends from different
parts of the Province who attended
the funeral of the late Mr. Gordon
McArthur on Sunday, May 10th
testified to the esteem in which
the deceased was held by all who
had the pleasure of his acquaint-
ance. Sincere sympathy is being ex-
tended to the bereaved family in
their hour of sorrow.

The funeral of the late Gordon
MacArthur was held on Sunday
afternoon, May 10th and was very
largely attended. A short service
in the home followed by service
in Victoria West Presbyterian
Church with interment in the
Victoria West Cemetery. His Pastor
Mr. Williamson conducted the
service, assisted by Mr. Waldron
Wellington and Mr. Campbell Mc-
Fossant. The many beautiful
floral tributes testified to the
esteem in which the deceased was
held.

At least two mountains in the
Antarctic have been estimated as
15,000 feet or higher.

Canada's divorce rate fell from
65.3 per 100,000 population in 1947
to 38.6 in 1952.

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