



Domestic Help Scarce In West

VANCOUVER (CP)—A domestic servant in this area can choose from dozens of jobs offering ideal working conditions. The demand for cooks, housekeepers and maids is so high that Mrs. Cora Grey, co-owner and manager of an employment agency, is flying to England shortly to hire about two dozen British girls as domestics. She is ranging with prospective employers for fare advances for the girls, who will be hand-picked to meet the standards of each employer. And the girls can set their own standards of employment in the current shortage.

"There just aren't enough girls and women to meet the demand," she said. "Any girl or woman with experience can be placed immediately."

FLOW TO INDUSTRY
Mrs. Eleanor Morley, co-ordinator of women's employment for National Employment Service, said the demand is greater now than at any time in the last 14 years.

Many former servants now find the work unattractive despite higher wages and better working conditions, and are finding jobs in business and industry. "The flow of immigrant girls brought here to work as domestics has virtually dried up," she said. "Only five or six a month are now processed through my department."

"These girls, if they speak no English, start at \$75 a month and board. When they have paid back their passage in a year, they are free to find other employment and most of them do."

Going rate for servants fluctuates from \$100 to \$150 a month plus board, estimated at about \$50.

Employers complain that they no longer have the right to choose the woman they want. The shoe is on the other foot. Many domestics will not do the cooking, will wash only if there is an automatic washer and will do no heavy work.

KINGSTON SCHOOL
The following is the report for the month of November.
Senior Department:
Grade X—1. Rena Yeo.
Grade IX—1. Donna Yeo; 2. Bernice MacGregor; 3. Reta Green.
Grade VIII—1. Ruth Hansen; 2. Arnold Stone.
Grade VII—1. Ann Hansen; 2. Joan Hansen; 3. Marion Newson.
Grade VI—1. Allan MacRae; 2. Billy Stone.
Grade V—1. Lillian Willis; 2. Helen MacGregor; 3. Bryon Willis.
Highest average in Senior Department: Lillian Willis (92).
Kay MacEachern (teacher).
Primary Department:
Grade IV—1. Donnie Holmes & Miriam Holmes (equal); 2. Wayne Newson; 3. Elsie MacRae; 4. Hollis Newson.
Grade III—1. Wilma Stone; 2. Arlene Docherty; 3. Mervin Holmes; 4. Kenneth Cahill.
Grade II—1. Evelyn Newson; 2. Norma Proud; 3. Carol Green; 4. June Holmes.
Grade I—1. Lorna Docherty; 2. Garth Holmes; 3. Mary Cahill; 4. Delbert Jewell.
Highest average in Primary Department: Evelyn Newson and Lorna Docherty (96).
Reta Campbell (teacher).

BURTON W. I.
Mrs. Peter Dalton was hostess to Burton W. I. on Mon., Dec. 10 in the absence of the president the vice pres., Mrs. Henry Dalton, presided. Meeting opened by singing "Silent Night", and repeating the Mary Stewart Collect in unison. Six members were present. Roll call was an exchange of Christmas gifts.

Minutes and treasurer's report were read by the secretary, Mrs. Peter Dalton. Correspondence

was read and dealt with. Mrs. Colridge Rogers was appointed to attend the Ladies Aid meeting in O'Leary on Wednesday, Dec. 19.
\$5. was voted for Christmas treats for school children, \$1. for T. B. seals. Three visits were made to sick. New committees are Sick, Mrs. Edward Collicutt, Mrs. Elmer Cook; School, Mrs. Lance Dalton; Lunch, Mrs. Melvin MacGregor; Mrs. Edna Collicutt, Mrs. Harold Howard.
An interesting "City of Canada" travelogue was conducted by Mrs. Melvin MacGregor. An interesting reading was given by Mrs. Edward Collicutt. Mrs. Melvin MacGregor will be hostess for the January meeting. Roll call will be a New Year's resolution. Lunch was served by the hostesses, assisted by the Bur-on 4-H Club girls. Meeting adjourned with the Queen.

O'BRIEN ROAD SCHOOL
The following is the November report for O'Brien School.
Grade 10. 1. Bonita Henderson
Grade 9. 1. Sylvia Henderson
Grade 8. 1. Jean Barnett
Grade 7. 1. Laverne Henderson
Grade 6. 1. Grace Brennan
Grade 5. 1. William Murray
Grade 4. 1. Banda MacNeill
Grade 3. 1. Doreen Henderson
Grade 2. 1. Sheldon Henderson
Grade 1. 1. Lorna Henderson
Teacher: Mrs. Jean C. O'Brien

HOLLYWOOD (AP)— Swedish actress Anita Ekberg early Saturday bailed her husband, British actor Anthony Steel out of jail after he was arrested on suspicion of drunk driving. Police said they arrested Steel as he was driving his wife's sports car 50 miles an hour in a thick fog.

Pownal W. M. S. Held Annual Meeting
The Pownal W.M.S. held its annual meeting on Thursday evening December 6th at the parsonage. A most inspiring worship and candle-lighting service based on the theme "His Constant Lamp" was conducted under the leadership of Mrs. Gay Judson. Several members participated. The many Christmas tapers in attractive holders set hearts aglow in anticipation of the coming Yuletide season. Smaller candles were lit from the large central one which symbolized the Light that is in Christ. "So Christ gives to all who will receive it the Light that is in him."

Routine business was conducted by the president, Mrs. Harold Smith. The contents of the holiday bags, which were collected at this meeting, helped to swell the treasury. After some discussion the report of the nominating committee was adopted. The following are the officers for the coming year.
President: Mrs. Harold Smith
1st Vice-President: Mrs. Arden Richards, 2nd Vice-President: Mrs. T.R. Goudge, Recording Secretary: Mrs. Wallace Brehaut, Assistant Secretary—Mrs. Gay Judson, Treasurer—Mrs. Fred Hooper, Assistant Treasurer—Mrs. Edison Smith, Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Lodge Lane, Literature Secretary—Mrs. Wilbur Jones, Press Secretary—Mrs. Edward Wood, Temperance and Christian Citizenship Secretary—Mrs. Fred Mossman, Associate Members Secretary—Mrs. Nat MacKinnon, Friendship Secretary—Mrs. William Ings, Supply Secretary—Mrs. Wilfred Lawton and Mrs. T. R. Goudge, Missionary Monthly Secretary—Mrs. Atwood MacRae, Christian Stewardship Secretary—Mrs. Harold Beaton, Organist—

O'LEARY
Mrs. Edna MacAuley, who has been spending some time with her mother, Mrs. D. D. Campbell, in O'Leary, left on Friday morning for Toronto. She will visit with her daughter and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Palmer, O'Leary, attended the banquet for the Calf Club Leaders which was held in Charlottetown on Thursday night.
A good crowd gathered at the St. Luke's Hall on O'Leary Corner on Friday night to join in a game of crokinole. This was the first game in this hall. All had a very nice time. Prizes were given to the ones getting the highest marks, and also to those with the lowest count.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Collicutt, and small daughter, of Burton, have gone to the Mainland. Mr. Collicutt expects to be employed there for the winter months.

The many friends of Miss Lana Wood of Cape Wolfe, are very sorry to hear that she is a patient in the Prince County Hospital in Summerside, following an operation for appendicitis. Her school chums all wish her a speedy get well.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. John Moreshead, O'Leary, motored to Summerside on Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wood accompanied by Mrs. Percy Senter, O'Leary, were in Summerside on Sunday. They visited Lana Wood who is a patient in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Glyden Willis of Kensington, were Sunday guests of Mr. Willis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willis, O'Leary. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris, O'Leary, were Sunday guests of Mr. Willis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willis, O'Leary. Mrs. Vera Williams who is employed at the Amalgamated Dairies in O'Leary, spent the weekend with friends and relatives in Elms-

dale. Mr. and Mrs. George Shaw of Cape Wolfe, were recent visitors at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shaw in O'Leary.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shaw and family of Cape Wolfe, have taken up residence in O'Leary for the winter months.
Mr. and Mrs. William McEachern and family of Charlottetown, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Thompson in Mt. Royal.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred MacLeod of Brae, were recent visitors to Summerside, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seaman Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burlleigh and family, of Ellerslie, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Jelley in O'Leary.
Mr. and Mrs. Everett MacDougall and family, of Vernon, were Sunday guests of Mr. MacDougall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed MacDougall in O'Leary.

A very satisfactory sale took place on Saturday afternoon, when sections of the rink were sold by auction. A nice sum was realized. Work has begun in getting ready to move it away.

A nice party for the Teen-agers was held in the new basement of the school on Monday night. Games and dancing were enjoyed and all went home feeling they had a very good time.

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WIFE PRESERVERS
A nice Christmas gift for a man who travels a good deal would be this bag which is large enough to hold his shaving gear and other toilet accessories. It comes in attractive fallie lined with cast vinyl film over satin. The spring closure at the top of the case snaps shut with a gentle squeeze, and it takes up but little room in the suitcase. It is also easily cleaned and is waterproof.



LOVELY LINGERIE

By Tracy Adrian
with Christmas just a few shopping days away we thought this might be a good gift suggestion for husbands to give their wives or for relatives to give girls who are planning a trousseau. The lingerie set is really the essence of feminine luxury in a glamorous, full-length lace gown, and a matching coat. The gown, lined in nylon tulle, is sashed high at the Empire Waist. Its filmy, finger tip coat has three-quarter puffed sleeves and a shirred yoke with two rhinestone buttons.

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. SARAH ROCKWELL
Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah MacLean Rockwell, 76, Rockwell, Mass., Nov. 14, 1956 who died Wednesday, were held Saturday afternoon at the Folsom Chapel, 63 Belgrade avenue, with Rev. Adam Arnold of the Rosindale Baptist Church officiating.
Mrs. Rockwell was a native of Prince Edward Island, she had made her home in Rosindale for the past 20 years. She was the widow of Ernest J. Rockwell.
Most of her P. E. I. years were spent at Surrey. She had relatives at Belle River and Wood Islands. Surviving are a son, Ernest A. of East Bridgewater; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Miller of Rosindale, with whom she made her home, and Rosella Rockwell of Troy, N. Y.; two brothers, Angus of Dedham and Archibald MacLean of British Columbia; a sister, Mrs. Catherine Hughes of Dedham, and three grandchildren of East Bridgewater.
Burial was in Forest Hills Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

MR. LESTER ROBERTSON
Seldom or ever were the eastern districts more shocked and saddened when the news came that one of Kingsboro's, and formerly of Red Point, most highly and respected citizens, Mr. Lester Robertson, had passed away very suddenly in the P.E.I. Hospital.

Mr. Robertson had been ill only a short time and entered the South Hospital and later the P.E.I. Hospital. It was found necessary that he undergo an operation. This was thought to be a success. His loved ones were counting the time when he would return to his home again, but on the night of November 26th, he passed away very suddenly.

His death has left a gap not only in the home but in the church and community. He was a man of the highest mark, a real gentleman, true, sincere and honest in all his dealings. He was always ready to leave his own work and help out his neighbours and fellowmen. Many had the occasion to call on him when in need or troubled. His hospitality at his home in Red Point or Kingsboro was unequalled. It was a pleasure to be in his company and his pleasant friendly manner will long be in the hearts of the present generation. He leaves to mourn his loss, his devoted wife (nee Elizabeth Pope) who was at all times a devoted companion to him and who stayed by him through his illness and death in Hospital. Also four daughters and two sons survive: Mrs. Russell Garrett (Velma), Red Point; Mrs. Irwin Robertson (Mabel), Lakeville; Mrs. Gordon MacLeod (Helen), Brookfield; Mrs. Jack MacDonald (Ruth), Moncton; Messrs. Earle Robertson, Charlottetown, and Irwin Robertson, Red Point; also Mrs. Wallace Rose, East Baltic; Mrs. Harry Bruce, Red Point; Mrs. Lester Little, Lynn, Mass.; Mrs. Laurie Bertram, of Fredericton; and Messrs. John W. Robertson, Edward Robertson, William Robertson, James Robertson, N.S. and Kingsboro, Rev. Alvin Robertson, N.S.; and Mr. Fulton Robertson, Charlottetown, who will all cherish and mourn the loss of a loving father and brother.

The largely attended funeral was held from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Russell Garrett, Red Point, on the afternoon of November 29 to the East Point United Church. Service was conducted by Rev. D. S. Sharp.

CARD OF THANKS
The family of the late Mrs. A. W. Rattray wish to convey their thanks to all neighbours and friends who sent cards, flowers and helped in any way during their bereavement. Also wish to thank the clergy Rev. George Tilley, and Rev. D. S. Sharp, and a special thank you to the nurse Mrs. James Lewis, R. N., and James McKenzie.

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MORNING SMILE

"We took one of those 'All-Expense' tours this summer—and that's just what it was."

HOUSEHOLD HINT

Hang a shoe bag on the door of the kitchen broom closet. It makes a splendid place to keep dust cloths, polishes and other cleaning aids.
Oily clothes, however, should be stored in a metal container as a fire prevention measure.

ISLAND CAPITAL

Charlottetown, capital of Prince Edward Island, was the site of a fortified French post as early as 1713.



IN MEMORIAM

MRS. A. W. RATTRAY
There passed away very peacefully at her home in Greenwood, Mrs. A. W. Rattray. The late Mrs. Rattray was born at Cable Head West, June 22nd, 1881, daughter of the late Ezekiel and Jemima (McKay) Duke. She was the last surviving member of a family of two.

Mrs. Rattray was a devoted Christian, and displayed her faith in her Saviour at all times. She was widely known, and no one ever called on her in time of sickness that she was not ready to lend a helping hand.
She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, two daughters and two sons: Mrs. Tudor Roberts (Elizabeth) Boston; Mrs. Harold Gordon (Thelma) at home, Raymond, Boston; Harry Greenwith and nine grandchildren. The funeral was held on Wednesday, Nov. 21 with a short service at the home followed by a service at St. Peter's Bay United Church. The hymns sung were favorites of the deceased. "The Lord's My Shepherd", "There is a Green Hill far away", and a special selection by the men of the choir "Old Rugged Cross."

She was laid to rest in Midgell cemetery. The large attendance bore silent tribute to a friend well esteemed. The service at the church and grave was conducted by Rev. D. Sharp.
Fall bearers were: Earl MacEwen, Henry Craswell, Emery McEwen, Walter Hayden, Freeman Leslie, and Harold Lewis.
FLOWERS

PILLOW
Beth, Bob, Raymond, Florrie and family.
WREATH
Husband
Albert Rattray.
SPRAYS
Harold, Thelma and Harry, Harry, Marjorie and family, Donnie and Peggy, Bertha, Miriam and Bobby, Joe, Ella, Maggie, Elmer and family, Mrs. Webster, Lorne, Harold and W. I. of Greenwood.
Mr. and Mrs. Craswell.
They are not dead who live in the hearts of those they leave behind.

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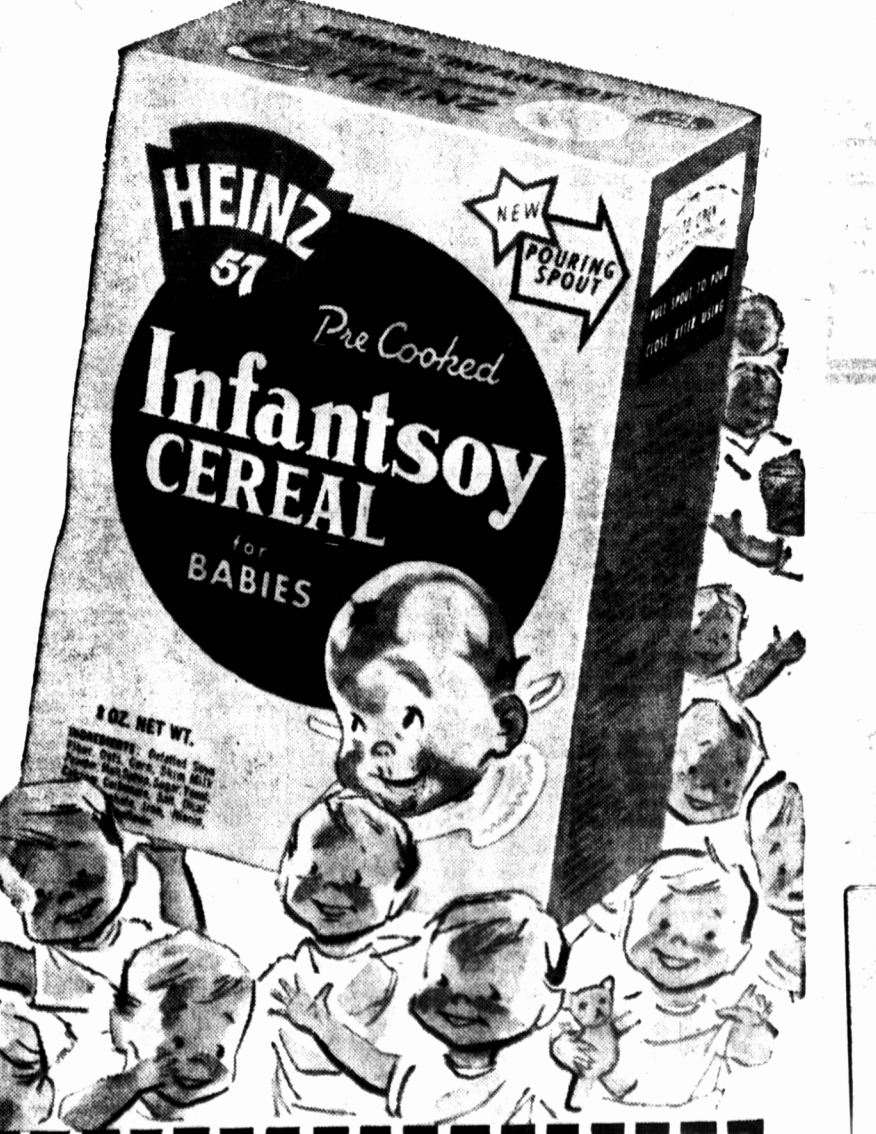
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