

CHURCHES TOMORROW

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

S. PETER'S CATHEDRAL Anglican Rector: Canon E. H. Malone... SUNDAY SERVICES 8:00 A.M.—The Holy Communion...

S. PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

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8:30—Sacrament of Holy Communion. 11:00—Holy Communion. 2:30—Sunday School...

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The Reverend T. H. Russell Somers, M.A., S.T.M., Minister...

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MORNING WORSHIP

11:00 A.M. Theme: "The Man of Prayer and Power" Hymns: 50, 282, 493...

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Lenten Meditations

GOD IN HISTORY

(The London Times)

Christians ought to have something to say about the present world situation which is more than political or strategic truisms.

Unless the whole Bible is mistaken, religion is not merely one element in the course of history...

But if history is under God's providence, then amid all its terrors and ambiguities Christians may have courage and serenity...

"History is not like a train (says Professor Butterfield) the sole purpose of which is to get to its destination..."

But it follows that every age is an age of crisis. If it is the purpose of God that rules it, history is the stage of a moral drama...

It is one of the deepest Christian insights to recognize that this moral drama, played out afresh in every generation and in the life of every individual...

To that warfare God himself is committed, and in it the victory may be partaken through the Resurrection of Jesus Christ...

Christians as citizens have their obligations; but their specific obligation as Christians is to take their stand in those decisions which are being fought out within the soul of man.

Tillers Of The Soil

By F. H. MacArthur

"In ancient times the sacred plough of the Kings, and awful fathers of mankind..."

And some, with whom compared, your insect tribes Have held the scale of empire, ruled the storms...

Disdaining little delicacies, seized The plough and greatly independent-lived."

Don't think that tilling the soil is a menial job. It is not. Agriculture is the Mother of Arts...

It is difficult to understand why so many of our young people want to get away from their farm homes to our large cities...

But times have changed on the farm as they have in the factory. Shorter hours and better pay and more of the conveniences and comforts of life are but a part of this change...

The nation which neglects its agriculture must fall into ruin and decay as did ancient Rome.

Of all occupations, that of farming is best calculated to induce love of country. No profession stands higher. The farmer is monarch of all he surveys...

Why, then, do so many young men abandon the beautiful and ennobling care of the farm for the excitement and vicissitudes of city life and trade?

Perhaps one way to keep the boys and young men on our farms is to give them an education equal to the white-collared city fellows, who hold down...

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.

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HOWARD MacINNIS FOOT-WEAR at 175 Queen Street.

TICKETS FOR PARKDALE CONCERT available at Hughes Drug Co.

WINSLOE PASTORAL CHARGE.—Services Sunday, March 4th, are as follows: Highfield 11 A.M. Winsloe South 7:30 P.M. Rev. J. R. Skinner, Minister.

PANTY SALE at S. A. MacDonald's. 2:30 P.M. Saturday, March 3rd. Zion Young People's Society.

CAKE SALE.—Don't forget the Y's Menettes Cake Sale, Saturday, March 3rd at 3:30 P.M. at A. Pickard up-town office, 149 Great George Street.

AYRSHIRE BREEDERS interested in discussing an importation of bulls from Scotland are asked to meet at Prov. Dept. of Agriculture on Tuesday, March 6th, at 1:30. If stormy, March 8th.

CITY POLICE COURT.—At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court yesterday, a man charged with being drunk and disorderly was sentenced to 20 days in jail. It was the only case on the docket.

ACCEPTS POSITION.—Mr. C. Blair Swan, Sales Representative of the Singer Sewing Machine Co. has accepted a position with the Maritime Life Assurance Co., and he will leave for Halifax by train Sunday where he will take a course in Life Underwriting.

MILTON-RUSTICO PARISH.—Rev. A. E. Pierce, R.D. Services for Sunday, March 4th, are as follows: St. John's, Milton, 11:00 a.m. Holy Communion and sermon. St. Mark's, Rustico: 2:30, Evening Prayer and sermon. Come and bring the whole family.

FUNERAL AT SOUTH GRANVILLE.—The funeral of Mr. Hector F. Keir was held from his late residence, 263 Dorchester St., at 8:45 to St. Dunstan's Basilica where Requie High Mass was celebrated by Rev. David McTague who also conducted services at the grave. Pallbearers were: Patrick Dennis, Frank Doyle, Matthew Cheverie, Patrick Cullen, Herbert Mahar, John Bradley. Burial in the R.C. cemetery.

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FUNERAL OF MRS. J. A. CROIN.—The funeral of Mrs. J. A. Cronin was held yesterday morning at 10:30 from her late residence, 123 Water St. to St. Dunstan's Basilica where Requie High Mass was celebrated by Rev. James Smith, who also conducted services at the grave. Pallbearers were: James Coyle, John Flynn, John Hogan, Harry Bonnell, Allan McDonald, Allie Mutch.

clerks, lawyers, merchants, etc. And by all means let the farmer be led to properly estimate his high and honorable position in the community. Listen to the wise words of Goldswait: "Remember that for health, and substantial wealth, for rare opportunities for self-improvement, for long life and real independence, farming is the best business on earth."

The Delphian vales, the Palestines, The Meccas of the Mind."

It was Robert Burns, who became Scotland's national poet and one of the world's great singers. Some of his best verses were composed while engaged in rural pursuits. Every age had produced its noble men, many of those lives were in one way or another linked up with agriculture.

George Washington would rather plough a furrow than wield a sword, and he pronounced farming "the most healthy, the most useful, and the most noble employment of man."

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Of all occupations, that of farming is best calculated to induce love of country. No profession stands higher. The farmer is monarch of all he surveys. So think twice young man before you turn your back on your agrarian domain, and count not the fame that accumulates around the other professions and trades."

SEEDS

WRITE FOR FREE CATALOGUE

ARTHUR VESEY YORK, P.E.I. SEEDS

For a period of about two weeks, dormant might be the best word to describe the extra-curricular activities on the campus at St. Dunstan's.

FLIGHTS DAILY except Sunday to New Glasgow and Halifax. Phone Maritime Central Airways 2061 or 504.

SPRING SALE AND TEA.—St. Peter's Cathedral Hall. Reserve Wednesday afternoon, April 4th.

STEWART BAKERIES can supply you with an appetizing variety in "daily bread"—White, Brown, Raisin, Sesame and large whole-some Home Made types.

IN THE OBITUARY of Mrs. John J. MacIntyre, a Spiritual Bouquet from Sister Margaret Marie, St. Teresa's Convent, was inadvertently omitted from the list.

CAMPING ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE MEETS.—The Executive of the Prince Edward Island Camping Association met Wednesday afternoon, February 28, in the Y. M. C. A. Plans were made for the Annual Meeting of the Association which will be held in two weeks time.

YOUR observer wandered to the bathroom on second corridor where Ernie Smith, Dunstan Murphy, and Ernie MacDonald were hard at it with buckets, mops, and rolled-up sleeves. In other parts of the corridors, armed with equipment used in the eradication of dirt, were Donald "Muscles" MacPhee, Charlie Gorman, and Frank Ledwell.

SAD NEWS RECEIVED.—Mr. Fred C. Inman, Victoria, Prince Edward Island, received the sad news Wednesday, Feb. 28th, of the passing away that morning of his brother, Thomas W. Inman, 309 Rosedale Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

To some this will seem an insignificant incident scarcely worthy of so much valuable newspaper space. It does not seem that way to us; nor does it to some of the members of the faculty who, to put it mildly, were highly edified by the impromptu effort of the seniors, juniors, and sophomores who really did a job on the debris that was beginning to pile up.

We think it important that little things like these be given more attention. Too often are college students depicted as irresponsible young men who are bent on having a good time at someone else's expense. There are countless incidents which could be cited to prove the contrary.

Miss Katherine MacKinnon of Highfield left this week by the Queen Elizabeth to visit with her sister, Mrs. Richard J. Cole, Cirenister, England.

The many friends of Mr. Joseph A. Dougan, financial supervisor of the Charlottetown Post Office, will be pleased to see him out again after a severe attack of the flu.

Donnie Stevenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stevenson, has returned home after his recent tonsillectomy operation at the P. E. I. Hospital. His friends will be pleased to learn that he is recovering nicely.

Personals

Report for semi-final examinations in January.

Grade X — 1. Jean Stewart and Eva Jenkins (equal).

Grade IX — 1. Anne MacPhail and Shirley Myers (equal). 2. Scott MacPhail.

Grade VIII — 1. Joan Trowsdale. 2. Louise Jenkins. 3. Sterling Jenkins.

Grade VII — 1. Barbara MacPhail.

Grade V — 1. Marie Myers. 2. Lloyd Jenkins.

Grade IV — 1. Sandra MacLean. 2. Dewar Myers. 3. Elinoe Ferguson.

Grade III (Sc.) — 1. Bertha Ferguson. 2. Donald Jenkins. 3. Warren Myers.

Grade II (Sr.) — 1. Edna Jenkins. 2. Hecy Myers. 3. Jennie Myers. Grade I (Sr. and Jr.) — No tests. Teacher — M. Brazel.

The hope expressed in this space last week that the basketball team would regain its winning ways after being defeated by Prince of Wales was justified by two successes since that time. The Saints met the Y. M. C. A. in an exhibition game, and again in a regular league game on Wednesday evening.

At a joint meeting of the senior and junior classes on Monday afternoon, plans were formulated for the holding of the Philosopher's Day Banquet held annually on March 7, the feast of St. Thomas Aquinas, the great Christian philosopher during the greatest era of Christian culture, whose philosophy is today being revived into a

Gerald Waring Reporting

OTTAWA — Time was, not so long ago, when Hon. Lester Bowles Pearson never wore anything around his neck but a bow tie, and never answered to any name but Mike.

But not now. The Secretary of State for External Affairs is appearing more and more frequently in an ordinary cravat—a four-in-hand, with as much individuality as the bald heads in the Commons. And the "Mike" of yore is now rarely anyone but the Hon. L. B.

It may be a reflection of the growing seriousness of the times—or the man—this gradual conversion of Pearson to more conventional neckwear and nomenclature.

But so far, as the ties go, Mr. Pearson for one thinks not. Her theory is that Mike-L.B. is so busy, and has so much on his mind, that when he dresses in the morning he just grabs the first tie which comes to hand.

"I'm sure Mrs. Pearson won't mind if I don't buy that. Pearson isn't the sort of man who does anything—even such a simple thing as donning a tie—without thinking. No, a more likely explanation is that Pearson has concluded that in keeping with the dignity of his position as Canada's foreign minister, he should dispense with informal neckwear and nicknames—even the "Mike" label he has worn since Gallipoli.

Then, too, maybe somebody mentioned the remark—originally made in reference to Mackenzie King—that Canadians like their politicians and their prime ministers to be colourless.

Cartoonists Mourn However, posterity will still know the carefree convivial Mike of his natty neckwear days. When Finnish sculptor Kalervo Kallio modeled Pearson's bust last year, the latter wore a bow tie for the occasion.

Not the least dismayed by Pearson's growing tendency to abandon his badge of masculine individuality are the nation's political cartoonists. Pearson has a vaguely cherubic face which doesn't lend itself well to caricature, so cartoonists have leaned heavily on his bow tie to identify him.

Those same cartoonists, incidentally, have done something to all of us over the years which hasn't been good. At least, that's the opinion of Professor J. A. Corry, head of the Political Science department at Queen's University. Corry was in Ottawa the other day addressing a National Liberal meeting, and bemoaned the disappearance of Jack Canuck, as he put it, "from the cartoons, from the language, and from our consciousness."

You remember the sturdy young man who used to personify Canada—open faced, resolute, clad in breeches, plaid shirt and stiff brimmed sombrero.

Well, says Corry, "He has been replaced in the cartoons by a dwarfish little man with a bed-ragged mustache and a puzzled air, who gives the impression that he had been pushed around a good deal, isn't quite sure who did it or why, or what he can do about it. Almost never does he stand erect and look the whole world in the face the way Jack Canuck did."

And, concludes Prof. Corry, "We lost something precious when we lost Janek Canuck."

Can't one say the same thing about bow-tied Mike?

Quietist Quotes Prime Minister St. Laurent's statement in the Commons on emergency powers, Lincolnesque in its humility:

"The fate of this government is not of great importance, but the fate of governments in democratic countries is vital to the preservation of our system."

Progressive Conservative leader George Drew in the same debate said:

"I believe in free enterprise, but I believe free enterprise will be preserved most effectively if the people of this country are convinced that no one has been able to take advantage of the desperate plight in which we find ourselves at this hour."

World particularly in need of a philosophy that will restore sanity. The guest speaker at this year's banquet will be Mr. Brendan O'Grady, head of the English department here at St. Dunstan's.

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Literature And Life

By BOOKMAN

THE BIBLE IN TENNYSON

Henry Van Dyke said this in his little book on Tennyson: "The English Bible was popular in the broadest sense, long before it was recognized as one of our noblest English classics. It has colored the talk of the household and the street, as well as colored the language of scholars. It has been something more than a well of English undefiled;—the music of its familiar phrases haunts the fields and groves of our fine literature. We find Biblical allusions and quotations in poets like Shakespeare, Milton and Wordsworth; in novelists like Scott and Hawthorne; in essayists like Bacon, Steele and Addison; and in critics like Ruskin and Carlyle. He was a student of the Bible as those who read "In Memoriam" know. He also read all available literature that shed light on the scriptures. He hoped that the Bible would be read by more and more people, because," he said, "of the good English in which it is written." In his view it was an education to know it.

In 1820 he won the university prize by his poem "Timbuctoo," in which these words occur—"and teach him to attain by shadowing forth the unattainable," surely an echo of "Be ye perfect..." This is one of the earliest references or allusions to the Bible in his writings.

The longest of his works, "Idylls of the King," at which he worked for sixty years, beginning with "The Lady of Shalott," may be gathered up in one statement, an illustration of the struggle between sense and soul. This is a great Biblical idea. Paul in the seventh chapter of Romans tells us that this was his problem. Browning puts it well in "Rabbi Ben Ezra." "Thy body at its best how far can it project thy soul on life's loud way?" "He is a brute whose flesh has soul to suit." It was a sin of the flesh that brought the "Round Table" to ruin. Lancelot, one of Arthur's knights, paid too much attention to the Queen Guinevere. This whole poem is full of allusions to the Bible. The tragedy of sin and its consequences is shown here.

"In Memoriam" said to be the "greatest poem that ever grew out of a grave" is saturated with the Bible. It is Christian throughout. It deals with the problem of immortality. Take the references to Lazarus. His silence after he was raised—"Did something seal the lips of the Evangelist?" Take too the cantos dealing with Christ-mas, viz., 28, 76, 104. Take also those musical verses, "Ring out Wild Bells," culminating with "Ring in the Christ who is to be." He hopes to meet Hallam in the next world.

The poem "Kilnham" is a notable case where he takes a Biblical character and uses an event in English life along with it and weaves them into a poem which so captivated the mind of Swinburne—especially the line, "They moved in my side," referring to the bones which the mother picked up under the gallows.

Tennyson was a Christian poet. He believed in prayer and those lines in "The Passing of Arthur"—"More things are wrought by prayer than this world dreams of"—are well-known. He believed in progress—"through the ages one increasing purpose runs." Did he not see in imagination many of our modern improvements? Take the first Locksley Hall: "Saw the heavens fill with commerce, argosies of magic sails, Pilots of the purple twilight... Heard the heavens filled with shouting, and there rained from the nations' airy navies grappling in the central blue."

He hoped too for what men are dreaming of now—"The Parliament of men, the Federation of the world."

Like his brother, Browning, on a neighboring peak of "Fernassus," he believed in the "larger hope"—"That good would be the final goal of ill."

in the College rink. A much larger crowd than attended the first skate is expected at this evening's entertainment as it is felt that the ice may not hold out long enough to have many more.

For those of you who cannot get out to the skate this evening: Until next week—From S.D.U. to all of you, health and happiness.

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