

ELLEN'S DIARY

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There is no death
'For' many years," says Dr. Norman Vincent Peale. "I have been recording a series of incidents which bear out the conviction that life, not death, is the basic principle of our universe."

October Reader's Digest brings you a condensed excerpt from Dr. Peale's best-seller, "The Power of Positive Thinking." The famed religious leader tells why he profoundly believes there are two sides to the phenomenon known as death: this side where we now live, and the other side where we shall continue to live.

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so early," James commented, "it's pretty brittle — There'll be little last to it, I'm thinking... Would-n't it be nice, Ellen," he smiled, rising now and stopping at the window to regard the out-of-doors, "if we could look out and see the wind rippling the millpond?"

BROOKFIELD W. I.

The September meeting was held on Sept. 8, at the home of Mrs. Robert Andrew. Mrs. Donald Campbell took charge of the meeting in the absence of the president.

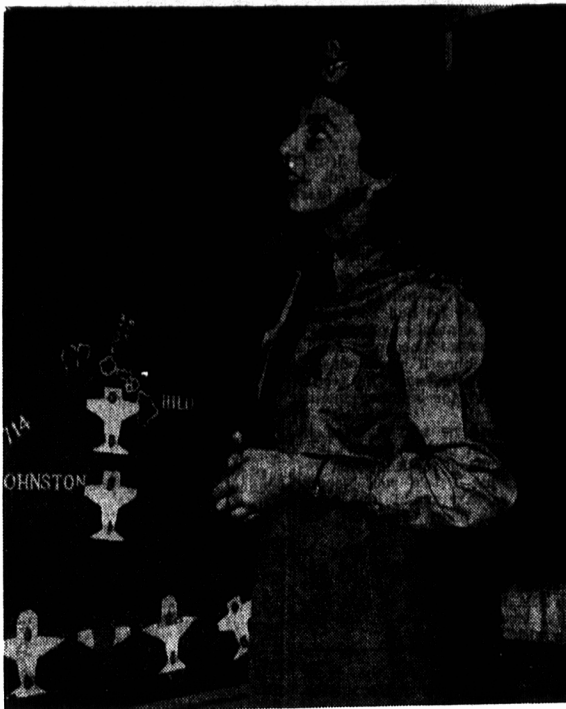
Roll call was answered by nine members and one visitor. One new member was added to the roll. The teacher reported the need of two Guide Books and was asked to get them and the Institute would pay for them.

The sick committee reported making calls and taking fruit, two cards of thanks were received.

It was decided \$5 be given the Cancer Fund and \$5 to the Orphanage. The secretary was asked to get 1000 cod liver oil capsules for next meeting.

It was decided to send another shipment of woollens to be made into blankets the latter part of October. Next meeting will be held in the school. Program was a sale of hats at 15 cents each. Meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Islander In Hawaii



HICKAM AIR FORCE BASE, HAWAII — Flying Officer Edna Polier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Polier of Saint Nicholas, P. E. I., (above) recently arrived in Hawaii to work in close cooperation with the 1453rd Medical Aero-Evacuation Squadron of the Pacific Division, Military Air Transport Service (MATS). The Headquarters of the 1453rd Squadron is located at Hickam Air Force Base. Squadron personnel is composed of U. S. Air Force and Navy Flight nurses and medical technicians.

The squadron's mission is the handling and care of those wounded in combat who are air evacuated to hospitals either in Hawaii or in the United States which will afford them the best of medical attention. Whenever possible, the veterans are transported to military hospitals near their homes. From the initial phases of the Korean action until the present time over 62,000 combat wounded or ill GIs have been evacuated from the Far East. MATS is commanded by Rear Admiral John M. Hoskins, the Navy's famed "Peg Leg Admiral."

Flying Officer Polier represents the Royal Canadian Air Force contribution to the Aero Medical Evacuation effort since the RCAF has no medical flight detachment in the forward area to aid in the evacuation of the wounded. Her duty, therefore, is twofold — to care for fellow Canadians who are wounded, and aid the United Nations effort as a whole by providing efficient medical help to other UN veterans who are on their air evacuation flights.

While she is with the squadron she will perform her duties on numerous air evacuation flights over the Pacific. The Pacific Division MATS planes pick up the evacuees at Tokyo International Airport, Japan, and fly back to Hickam

That Body Of Yours

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having to urinate often both day and night. Unfortunately, the damage done to kidneys and bladder was permanent."

It is regrettable that the first cases treated by large doses of vitamin D were so successful in the treatment of arthritis in a large number of cases because so many physicians began prescribing these large doses in all the different types of arthritis and rheumatism. Some reported no adverse results from these large doses, and some reported the symptoms recorded above in addition to the large deposits of calcium in the tissues. This means that just as some individuals are sensitive to certain substances (pollen, dust, foods, feathers) and the majority of people are not sensitive to these substances, so it appears that some are sensitive to large doses of vitamin D.

These physicians therefore state that "the administration of large doses of vitamin D preparations is potentially dangerous in susceptible individuals. The occurrence of massive deposits of calcium may not only cause the symptoms above-mentioned but may lead to death.

tion training program is to enable Canada to have a specialized corps of experienced personnel to train other nurses in the event of an all out war in the future. Also, trained personnel will be able to help evacuate critical medical cases in northern Canada and other isolated areas that have no ready access to doctors and medical facilities. Because no two evacuation flights are alike, Flying Officer Polier may expect to gain enough practical experience to meet virtually any

From the social and educational aspect, she may look forward to visiting the islands of Guam, Japan, and the Philippines during her tour of duty.

Flying Officer Polier became a registered nurse upon graduating from nurses' training at Hotel Dieu Hospital, Moncton, N. B., in 1949. She is a member — the registered nurses association of New Brunswick.

BRACKLEY POINT W. I.

The September meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Walter Gregor on Thursday evening, Sept. 3. Sixteen members were present as well as four visitors.

A letter of appreciation was read from the chairman of the Red Shield appeal, acknowledging the splendid donation of \$50 from the district canvass.

The report of the public health nurse was given by the secretary, and was very satisfactory. The Red Cross Society having again offered fish liver capsules at a reduced rate, it was decided to order a quantity of these through the Institute for distribution among the school children.

Mrs. Lowell Younker was re-appointed school visitor for the month of September and several members volunteered to meet at the school to care for the flowers and lawn.

It was decided to organize a C. G. I. T. group in the near future, with Mrs. Clayton Cudmore as leader. Members who attended the reception held in P. W. C. for the A. C. W. W. delegates told of the pleasant social evening spent, and interesting conversations held with W. I. members of other lands.

Six dollars was passed in as a donation from the summer guests at Gregor's Hotel. Collection was

Contract Bridge

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cashied the spade king, led the spade six to the ace, and returned a low diamond, putting in his own ten. West won with the jack and exited with a heart, driving out dummy's king. East discarded a spade on this trick, but when declarer then led dummy's last spade to his own queen, East found himself in an inexorable squeeze. If he let go the club eight, declarer's seven would obviously become good; and on East's actual discard of a diamond, South simply cashed the diamond ace, then led the diamond four to the king, dropping East's queen and establishing the diamond eight for the ninth and fulfilling trick.

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