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Alberton and Vicinity

The Misses Doris and Rella Bryant, North Enmore, were recent guests of Mrs. Joseph Callaghan, Alberton.

Miss Antoinette Bernard, Reg. N. New York, is spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bernard, Alberton.

Mr. and Mrs. "Mickey" Bernard, Montreal, are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bernard, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Saunders, Alberton.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Oliver of Springfield, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and other relatives in Alberton and Elmsdale. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. L. Monaghan, also of Springfield.

"ONLY THE VALIANT" AT THE CAPITOL

Donning the blues of a gallant captain of cavalry, Peck plays the role of Captain Richard Lance, an officer admired by his men as a soldier yet hated for the iron qualities of discipline which made him a great leader. When at the story's climax Peck takes a patrol out in a desperate effort to save an entire fort from annihilation, he chooses the toughest, most hard-bitten of the garrison, on none of whom could he turn his back for a moment. The drama and suspense of the sequence are said to make "Only the Valiant" one of not-to-be-missed films of the year.

LONDON, July 22—(AP)—Russia's new ambassador to Britain, Andrei A. Gromyko, is expected to arrive Thursday, officials said yesterday.

Birch Hill Church Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Birch Hill Church of Scotland congregation was held in the church recently with the minister of the congregation, Rev. J. H. Bishop, in the chair. He opened the meeting with Scripture reading and Prayer. The minutes of the last annual meeting were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Russel Jenkins and adopted as read and the financial report was read by the Treasurer, Mr. Leigh Ferguson, and adopted. The financial report showed a marked improvement over previous years.

After the minister's salary had been paid in full—the third largest in the church—and all bills had been paid, the largest balance in the church history was found in the treasury.

The report of the Ladies' Auxiliary showed that the Auxiliary had a splendid year, with a large balance on hand after contributing to the church repairs, Foreign Missions and the Minister's Car Fund.

The Sunday School report was given and it showed a splendid year in attendance, and progress in studies.

The Cemetery Committee reported and it was agreed by the meeting that said committee should have all necessary work with the cemetery done, and to see to the purchase of a new lawn-mower. Since the meeting this has been done. A new rotary power lawn mower has been purchased, and the cemetery, after much work done, now presents a very fine appearance.

It was agreed to authorize the trustees to see to all necessary repairs on the church building—especially the shingling of the north side of the church roof.

The trustees appointed for the year 1952-53 are: Messrs. Russel Jenkins, Elmer Myers, Gordon Myers, Edwin Robertson, and Albert Bruce.

The meeting was closed with prayer by the minister.

The annual outing of the congregation and the Sunday School was held on Tuesday, July 8th, at Brackley Beach where members of the congregation and Sunday School enjoyed bathing, a social time, and a splendid lunch with ice cream provided by the ladies of the Auxiliary.

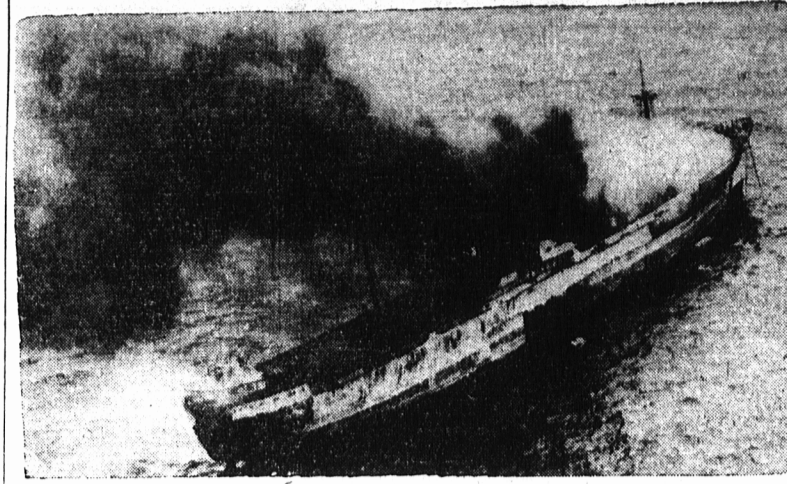
The annual rally and display of the Sunday School was held on Friday, July 11th, in the Church at 8 p. m. Rev. J. H. Bishop presided. Six members of the Sunday School, Marie Myers, Sandra MacLean, Norma Robertson, Eleanor Ferguson, Loyde Bruce and Douglas Robertson received certificates and prizes for memorizing the Catechism, and prizes were awarded to the children in the different departments for good work done.

Douglas Robertson received a prize for the highest attendance for the year. The children of the Sunday School splendidly performed in memorization and explanation as they were examined in their work by Rev. J. H. Bishop. Much credit is due to the Superintendent and teachers, for their energetic and zealous work in this field.

The Communion of the Congregation was held on Sunday, July 13th, with a very large attendance at both services of the day. There was an increase of twenty communicants over the previous year. The preparatory services were held on Thursday and Saturday evenings and the Thanksgiving service on Monday morning.

Deep sorrow is being felt by the congregation and Sunday School in the great loss it has suffered by the death of one of its beloved members, Mr. Leith Myers.

RAMSGATE, England, July 22—(AP)—Twenty-two men played a soccer game yesterday—seven miles out at sea. The field was the Goodwin Sands, a huge flat sandbank off England's southeast coast. The Goodwins are under water except for a brief period—long enough for a soccer game—at low tide.



INFERNO AT SEA — Smoke and flames envelope the abandoned Norwegian freighter Black Gull, which burst into a floating inferno 65 miles off Montauk Point, N.Y. The Swedish liner Gripholm rescued 45 crew members on board the blazing 5000-ton vessel. Four crewmen were lost.

Fredericton and Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Weeks and daughter Marilyn, of Halifax, N. S., are spending their holidays visiting relatives in Fredericton.

Mrs. Stanley Curtis and son, Orville, Milton, returned home on July 19th, after spending several days in Pleasant Valley, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevenson.

Master Wesley Curtis, Milton, is spending a few days in Pleasant Valley, the guest of Mr. Roy Stewart.

Mrs. Daniel MacPhee, Charlottetown, spent a recent weekend visiting at her home in Springton.

Mrs. A. C. Madsen and daughter Janet, of Montreal, Que., are spending their vacation visiting relatives and friends in Fredericton and Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cutcliffe and sons Ben and Wayne, Fredericton, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Calbeck and son Arthur, Tryon, left on Monday, July 14th, for a motor trip through Canada and the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Leigh MacKenzie and family of Moncton, N. B., are visiting relatives in Fredericton. Mr. Ben Cutcliffe, Fredericton, and Mr. Norman Ling, Pleasant Valley, attended the weekend Young People's Camp held at Augustine Cove from July 11th to 14th.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Wigmore and family of Moose Jaw, Sask., were recent guests of Dr. Wigmore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wigmore, Kensington. They were also the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Weeks, Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. MacDowell had as their guests on Monday, July 21st, Mrs. George Craig, Mr. and Mrs. William Craig, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. William Craig, Jr., of Scarsdale, N. Y.

Miss Evelynne Balkler, Clyde, has returned to her duties at the Provincial Sanatorium after spending her vacation at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Cutcliffe have as their guest Master Wayne Melish of Petitoctiac, N. B.

Mr. Frank Stevenson and Mr. William S. Stevenson, Springton, were visitors to Charlottetown on Monday, July 21st.

HAVANA, Cuba, July 22—(Reuters)—Fourteen new cases of infantile paralysis have been reported in Cuba for a 48-hour period, bringing to 48 the number now in hospital with the disease.

Sport Echoes From Prince County

The reported hitting power of the Curran & Briggs Juniors, and the supposed lack of pitching of the R.C.A.F. Royals both look like gross exaggerations if you can believe what you see in those semi-final games between the two clubs.

The C & B boys have a batting average of .186 in four games against the airforce pitching. They managed 11 hits in one game, but couldn't get beyond a total of 11 in the other three. The airforce boys, renowned for their power at the plate, have an average of .212 against the Carson-Simmons combination and that is about what was expected. But the unexpected strength of the R.C.A.F. flingers, or the unexpected weakness of the C & B batters (you tell us which it is) is what is making the series such a tough one.

We're still inclined to think the Curran-Carroll club will pull the series out of the fire, but it's going to be a struggle right down to the wire, (scrambled metaphors are all the rage now), and if the C & B crew do win, they'd better sharpen up their hitting before they tackle those toys on the Hillsboro River. The way they've been failing to hit late, Donnie MacKenzie or Red MacKenzie or Lefty McAleer would breeze through them like a tornado through a circus tent.

Johnny Carroll will probably throw in his ace lefty, Benny Carson, to try to grab off that vital fifth game or sixth and junior title. Benny is tossing the ball around every day now, and the wound he received in his right elbow doesn't seem to be cramping his style a bit.

After due consideration, we don't think that anything was eligible for participation in the Island League is decided. We suppose we can be outspoken about this because we are being critical of ourselves no less than the others responsible for drafting this regulation. We said at the meeting and agreed fully to the plan. Fact is, we thought it was all right at the time, but we see it differently now.

It is fair, of course, to all the individual ball players who come home after June 15th, and find themselves shut out of organized ball. Benny Grady is only one example. We hasten to add, however, that we find no fault with the league officials who are only following the by-laws drawn up by the accredited representatives.

We hate to say anything about umpires. They're a much abused lot, and do a good job for all the thanks they get. Twice, however, in the last week or so, with a runner on first base, and one out, when the catcher let the third strike go through him, the officiating arbiter behind the plate let the batter go safely to first. The umpires all know the rule. It is just a case of being caught napping on the play. The best way for an umpire to keep that rule and the infield fly rule in mind is to think of it before the play happens. To say to himself: "If the batter hits a fly ball now, it will have to be called an infield fly" or "if the catcher drops the third strike in this situation, the batter is out."

WELLINGBOROUGH, Northampton, England, July 20—(Reuters)—Police organized a wolf hunt Saturday after a half-grown grey Canadian wolf got loose at a railway station and escaped into the fields. A policeman later shot the animal, which had broken out of a wooden cage while en route from Ilfracombe Zoo to Wellingborough Zoo.

Northam and Vicinity

Miss Fay Ellis has accepted a position in Summerside.

Friends of Mr. James Dymont are sorry to hear that he is confined to his home with flu.

Mrs. Stenning McNevin and son, Alden, of Borden, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Colwill.

Sincere sympathy is being extended to the bereaved family of the late Mrs. Alex MacLeod, whose death occurred recently.

Congratulations are being offered to Miss Priscilla MacArthur who was successful in passing her examinations in the St. Mary Academy Summerside.

Many from this district attended the induction service at Bideford United Church on Friday evening, July 4th of the Rev. J. A. MacDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barbour, Alma, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baker and Mr. James E. MacLean on Sunday, July 13th.

Miss Irene Ramsay, Poplar Grove, is spending her vacation with friends and relations in Northam.

Mr. Uriah Williams of Albany New York, is spending his holidays visiting his brothers, Earle and Edison of Tyne Valley, and sister, Mrs. D. S. Ramsay of Northam.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace MacLeod of Boston, Mass., have returned to their home after a very pleasant holiday with Mr. and Mrs. George Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin.

Sincere sympathy from this community is being extended to Mrs. Priscilla Ramsay, upon the death of her daughter, Mrs. Alex MacLeod, who passed away on Sunday, July 13th.

Miss Judy Millar, Bideford, has returned home after a very pleasant holiday with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Linkletter, Northam.

The regular monthly meeting of the Northam Women's Institute was held on Tuesday July 8th at the home of Mrs. Edmund Maynard and Mrs. Leigh Maynard, with the President in the chair. Roll call was responded to by a large attendance and lunch was served by the hostess assisted by the lunch committee.

The regular meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid was held at the home of Mrs. C.S. Miller on Thursday evening, July 10th. The President Mrs. Elmer Baker, led the meeting which opened in the usual manner. Regular routine business was carried on and a delightful lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by the Committee.

The large number of sorrowing relatives and friends from different parts of the province who attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Alex MacLeod testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. Sincere sympathy is being extended to the bereaved

May Offer New Financial Lure To Korean Veterans

OTTAWA, July 23 — (CP) — Thousands of Canada's Korean veterans may soon be offered a new financial lure to keep them in uniform. The cabinet is considering a move to increase the attractions of remaining in uniform for the thousands of veterans now on 60 days' leave and presumably coming to a conclusion about their future. The army wants them to stay.

Attractions of financial benefits for those taking a discharge now are such—roughly \$750 for a corporal with a year's service—that some officers feel hundreds of the men will quit the army mainly for that reason. It has been recommended to the cabinet that one of the bulwarks of the discharge benefits—the gratuity—be made available at once to the men whether they take their discharge or not. It now goes immediately only to those who quit uniform.

The corporal with a year's service would thus have a \$280 lure whether he stays in the uniform or not. The problem of the discharge benefits arises because they were never designed for this sort of situation. They were originally developed on the Second World War assumption that virtually everybody would become a civilian. Benefits now have been copied for Korea.

So far, of the original 10,000, more than 2,500 have gone through discharges or died. These are the benefits the corporal with a year's service would get on discharge: 1. A clothing allowance of \$100. 2. One month's extra pay and allowances, about \$205. 3. A basic gratuity of 50 cents

husband and family, brothers and sisters in their hour of sorrow.

Truro Baseball, a few percentage points behind in the official list, say it isn't so and they should have top billing.

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Members and visiting Masons are requested to meet at the Lodge Rooms in O'Leary at 2 p.m. sharp.

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