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-CALF STARTER, cow show concentrate and milk chow, sold at Brace's.
-CARD AND CROKINOLE PARTY in Margate School, Friday evening.
-KEM-GLO. The Miracle Lustrine Finish for Kitchens, Bathrooms and Finest wood work. Looks and washes like baked enamel. Sold by The Summerside Hardware Co.
-JUNIOR HOCKEY, playoff game, Bedouque rink, tonight, Thursday, double-header, Freetown vs. Albany; Kinkora vs. Bedouque. Admission 25 cents.
-FLASHLIGHT and Radio batteries, fresh stock at Brace's.
-BINGO - Canadian Legion Home. Every Thursday at 8 p.m. usual prizes. Proceeds - usual. Coffee and doughnuts will be served by the Ladies' Auxiliary.
-KENSINGTON AREA ICE SPORTS - Kensington Rink, 7:30 P. M. Friday, February 29th, open to schools in Kensington and surrounding districts. Competitors admitted free.
-SERIOUSLY ILL - Mrs. Sutherland Bell, Mill River, left for Summerside today and on Feb. 28th she will leave for Halifax, N. S., for medical treatment in the Victoria General Hospital. Mrs. Bell has been seriously ill and her many friends will not be too long and that she will be able to return to her home.
-NEW QUARTERS - Mr. H. S. Cannon, manager of the Seed Potato Certification Branch, which has been located in the MacDonald Building for some time past, announced yesterday that his department has moved into new quarters in the Federal Building in Summerside and will in future be located there. This completes occupancy of all the offices in the new building. - S.
-ENTERTAINS AT CARDS - Mrs. Leonard Pickering and Mrs. Earle Thompson, Sherbrooke, entertained at auction forty-fives at their spacious home on two different occasions recently to aid in raising funds for the Sherbrooke Women's Institute. During the first evening fourteen tables of auction and two tables of crokinole were in play when the ladies prizes were won by Mrs. Ollie McCormack and Mrs. Ralph Campbell and the gentlemen's prizes by Messrs. Nelson Muirgidge and Clifton McCormack. The second evening seven tables of auction were in play. Prizes went to Mrs. James Harris, Mrs. Nelson Muirgidge, Messrs. Kenneth Simmons and Carl Chappell. The members of the Institute assisted the hostesses in serving lunch each evening and the sums of \$23.00 and \$29.00 were realized. Before leaving for their homes the Institute members thanked the hostesses for their kindness and neighborliness.

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. CLARA MARTIN
-The death of Mrs. Clara Martin occurred on Saturday, Feb. 16th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Bernard, St. Louis, in her 78th year, after several months illness.
-She is survived by three sons by a former marriage, Peter Doucette and Moses Doucette of Massachusetts and Jerome Doucette in Summerside.
-Her funeral was held on Monday morning, Feb. 18th at the Immaculate Conception Church, Palmer Road. Requiem Mass was celebrated by Rev. Patrick Walsh, who also officiated at the grave. Burial was in the church cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. AUGUSTINE DOUCETTE
-The death of Mrs. Augustine Doucette occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Doucette in Miscouche on Saturday, Feb. 16 at the age of 85.
-Mrs. Doucette was a former resident of St. Edward and had gone to visit at the home of her son when she was stricken seriously ill and passed away.
-Her remains were forwarded to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvain Doucette from where her funeral was held at the Immaculate Conception Church, Palmer Road. The Requiem Mass was celebrated by Rev. Patrick Walsh, who also read the committal prayers at the grave.
-Mrs. Doucette is survived by five boys and five girls, Sylvain Doucette and Ben Doucette of St. Edward, Cyrus Doucette of Miscouche, Wilfred Doucette and Patrick Doucette of Summerside, Mrs. Andrew Allain and Mrs. Wilfrid U. Gaudet of St. Louis, Mrs. Eddie Hackett of North Cape and Miss Jane Doucette and Mrs. Cecil Gallant, Summerside.

ISLANDER IS TOP OLD-TIM.

-The most interesting time in the world's last hundred years is right now, is the opinion of Mr. John A. Foley of Vancouver, B. C., a former resident of Waterford, Ont.
-A recent article in a Vancouver newspaper states that after watching all the achievements and troubles of almost a century, Mr. Foley should know, as he's just turned 96. Still sharp of mind and eye, he thinks scientific progress and problems of meeting the world's crises interesting challenges.
-Mr. Foley moved to British Columbia from Prince Edward Island 64 years ago, in 1888, and after operating a cigar store and acting as city clerk at Sloan City for a time he went into the real estate business in Vancouver until his retirement in 1928.
-Nine children, nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren of Mr. Foley are living in Canada and the United States. Vic Foley, famous lightweight boxer of years past, who is now reported to be silver mining successfully in the Yukon, is one of his sons. Mr. E. P. Foley, M. L. A., for Summerside, is another member of this prolific family which sprang originally from the branch of the Foley family in Alberton and Killdare, and now has representatives in many parts of the continent.
-Mr. Foley attributes his long life and good health to moderation in living. "I've never been quite a teetotaler and have used tobacco, but I've always been careful to avoid excesses," he said, when asked about the secret of his longevity.

Meeting Urges

-At the opening of last night's meeting there was a discussion on the advisability of carrying on with the proposed public speaking program. It was decided to learn if so then the contest will be continued. Mrs. W. E. Scarsbury was named to head a committee to discuss it with associations from other schools.

PERSONALS

-Mrs. Austin Beer, (formerly Ruth Hiltz of Amherst, N. S., and her two boys are visiting in Kensington. Mrs. Beer is a daughter of Mr. Sandy Hiltz.
-Mr. and Mrs. David McNally of Summerside were recent weekend visitors to Kensington. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius Croken.

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KING COLE COFFEE

Your Favourite Blend
As far as 200 miles from the sea, the Trawaddy River in Burma stretches one mile from bank to bank.

S'side Mercurys Edge R. C. A. F. Meteors 6-5

The Summerside Mercurys edged the R. C. A. F. Meteors in the first game of their play-off series in the Intermediate "B" bracket, at Bedouque rink last night by the close score of 7-6. The game was a brilliant affair with twenty penalties, including two misconducts, called by referees Chas. Hogan and Coke Grady. Summerside got off to a flying start and had a 4-0 lead three-quarters of the way through the initial period. The period ended 4-1. The Summerside boys were widely outplayed in the sandwich session, and their goalie, D. R. Morrison, put up a fine display of net guarding to keep the five goals off the score sheet on a good many occasions. They did manage to beat Morrison four times while the Mercurys were scoring twice and the period ended 6-5. One R. C. A. F. tally was deflected in by one of Summerside's defencemen. The two teams managed, to notch a goal apiece in the final frame. For the winners Charlie Deighan, Joe Bernard and Laysh Schurman got a brace of goals apiece. The Deighan-Bernard-Gay line were the smoothest working trio on the ice in the first frame, but penalties kept them disorganized after that. Laysh Schurman's two goals were beautiful efforts, Laysh going in each time to deke the goalie out of position before slipping the disk into the drapery. F/O Carreau, on defence for the losers, was easily the pick of the R. C. A. F. aggregation. He scored three goals on fine solo efforts, and the misconduct he received in the middle of the final period undoubtedly hurt his team's chances considerably. MacDonald was the most dangerous forward on the Meteors attack, but failed to dent the twines.
Lineups:
R. C. A. F. Meteors - Goal, Magee; defence, Thompson, Carreau, Bellefleur; forwards, Adams, MacDonald, Spencer, MacPherson, Chaisson, Seguin.
Summerside Mercurys - Goal, Morrison; defence, Gallant, Shields, R. Grady, Lecky, Corney; forwards, Gay, Bernard, Deighan, Landry, Doucette, Schurman, Kelly.

Borden Defeats Freetown 6-5

The Borden Nationals defeated the Freetown Royals 6-5 last night to win series C of the Intermediate B play-offs in two straight games.
Lineups:
Freetown - Goal, Richards; defence, Fowgh, Campbell, Roberts, Reid; forwards, Taylor, Duvay, Simmons, C. Mills, W. Mills, Gardiner, Roberts, Smith.
Borden - Goal, Mills; defence, Dalziel, Muttart, Oatway, Pickering; forwards, Campbell, Darrach, Howatt, Dorsey, Noonan, MacLean, Cutcliffe, G. MacPherson, W. MacPherson.

Northam and Vicinity

Sincere sympathy is being extended to Mrs. Thomas Folland upon the death of her sister who passed away recently after a short illness at her home in Boston, Mass.
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McArthur, Arlington, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. James E. MacLean and family.
Mrs. Waldo McDougal attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. William Hutchinson of Central Lot 16, on Saturday, February 16th.
Friends of Master Ronald McArthur are sorry to hear he is confined to his home with virus pneumonia.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred McDougal were the guests of Mrs. Ethel Brown and Miss Emily MacLean on Sunday February 17th.
Mrs. Reginald Birch was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Calbeck, on Saturday, February 16th.
The many friends of Mr. Ivan MacLean are glad to hear he is recovering from the illness which has kept him confined to his home for the past month.
Mr. Woodland Colwill spent the past week visiting his daughter, Mrs. Victor Sanderson, Summerside.

40-Year Romance Near An End

LONDON, Ont., Feb. 27-(CP)-A 40-year romance will culminate in wedding bells for Ethel H. Lane who tonight served her last shift as night matron at Westminister Veterans Hospital here. Next month she sails for Ceylon to marry a prince she met in 1912. The ceremony will open the final chapter of a love story which began nearly 40 years ago on the ancient walks of Cambridge College, England, when a shy Sinhalese student and a gracious English Miss became acquainted. The student now is Dr. D. E. Wijewardene whose family was instrumental in bringing federation to the last and smallest dominion in the Commonwealth. Miss Lane was a student nurse. Throughout the years she kept in touch with her friend of student days. They met four times in England. Last December she visited the Wijewardene estate at Colombo, Ceylon, on a trip around the world. It was then that the marriage was planned. The wedding will take place in Colombo as soon as her husband, Dr. Wijewardene, returns from Switzerland. After that plans are indefinite. Meanwhile staff and patients at Westminister are nearly as thrilled as the heroine of the story. "It couldn't happen to a nicer person," said one nurse. "And isn't it romantic? Just imagine—a real prince."
MALPEQUE W. I.
-The Malpeque Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Duncan McGougan on Wednesday, February 6.
-The meeting opened by singing the "Institute Ode" and repeating the "Creed" in unison. Fifteen members answered the roll call and the Institute was glad to welcome one new member.
-The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and the Treasurer then reported \$78.48 on hand. Sick committee reported treats had been sent to the sick and the school committee reported nothing needed for the school. Correspondence was then read and discussed, and several "thank-you" letters were read. It was moved and seconded to give \$50.00 to the March of Dimes, and \$50.00 to the school.
-The Drama Festival was discussed, and a committee appointed to see about getting a suitable play. A "bird" contest was much enjoyed by all, the prize being won by Mrs. C. Barrett and Mrs. F. Bealisto. Place of meeting for March was undecided, and roll call is to be answered with an "Irish" joke. Committee for March meeting will be Mrs. John McNutt, Mrs. R. Wall and Mrs. Will Ramsay.
-A delicious lunch was served by the committee in charge and the meeting closed with the National Anthem. Collection amounted to \$32.25.

Regals Eliminate Maroons With 7-2 Win Last Night

The Alberton Regals outskated and outplayed the highly rated O'Leary Maroons to win the second game of the intermediate playoffs by the ondesid score of 7-2 in the Alberton rink last night before one of the largest crowds seen in the rink in the past two years. Following up their 4-3 win over the Maroons, last year's intermediate B champions, the Regals were in complete charge of the play from the opening whistle to the final bell, scoring three goals in the first period, without a reply, two in the second and two in the final stanza. O'Leary's two goals were obtained in the second period. Despite desperate efforts on the part of the O'Leary boys, who are a fast hard working team, the Regals strong defense broke up their plays before they could get going and backed up by the brilliant goal tending of veteran goalie, Percy Hardt, skated the Maroons off their feet and out of the series. Erskine Gavin and Glen Matthews were the big goal getters for the Regals with Gavin getting three and Matthews two. Earl Atkinson and M. Kinch each got one O'Leary's goals were scored by Smallman and J. Baglole. The Regals were playing without their star center, Fred Millman, at present in hospital in Fredericton, and Jack Rochford, defenceman, who was injured in practice.
Referees - B. Calourin and L. Silliker.

Severe Storm For Maritimes

HALIFAX, Feb. 27 (OP)-Red danger warnings were hoisted along the eastern seaboard tonight as a severe storm roared in from Cape Cod.
Five inches of snow and winds up to 65 miles an hour were forecast throughout the Maritimes and in adjoining coastal areas.
The snow, the wet, sticky type that usually disrupts communications and transportation, hit the Nova Scotia coast from Yarmouth to Halifax tonight.
The weather office warned all three Maritime provinces to prepare for a "severe storm" and snowfall ranging up to 10 inches.
The heavy winds were expected to cause deep drifts. Rain was forecast in some districts.
There were no early reports of damage or distress at sea.

Top-Level Purge In Czech Army

VIENNA, Feb. 27-(AP)-Reports from Prague indicated tonight that a top-level purge has occurred in the army of Czechoslovakia, which has the most modern military force among Russia's Communist satellites.
The Prague radio indirectly confirmed reports that Gen. Jaroslav Prochazka, who became chief of staff in May, 1950, has been removed.
Maj.-Gen. Vaclav Kratochvil was identified as "chief of staff" in a broadcast reporting details of a Communist ideological conference in Brno which Kratochvil attended.
The Prague newspaper Rude Pravo earlier today gave the name of an apparently new deputy defence minister. He was identified as Maj.-Gen. Vaclav Thor. It was the first time Thor's name has been mentioned as deputy to the defence minister, Dr. Alexi Cepicka.
The reports indicated that Czechoslovakia's Communist leadership—insecure in a crisis that came into the open with the arrest of former foreign minister, Vlado Clementis in 1950—is engaged in a wholesale action to remove doubtful elements from the army.

On Staff of N.B. Travel Bureau

FREDERICTON, Feb. 27 (CP)-Albert A. Tunis, Fredericton newspaperman, has been appointed to the staff of the New Brunswick Travel Bureau, it was announced today. A native of Winnipeg, Mr. Tunis has been on the staff of the Fredericton Daily Gleaner for the past several months.

HOCKEY REGENT

BORDEN RINK TONIGHT
R. C. A. F. VS. S'side All Stars
Admission 20c and 40c
Skate after game

KENSINGTON RINK

THURSDAY, FEB. 28th
2nd Game Finals
Eastern Prince Co. Girls BORDEN GIRLS VS. SUMMERSIDE C. & B. GIRLS
Game 8 Sharp.
1 Hour Skate After Game.
FRIDAY, FEB. 29th
SCHOOL SPORTS

O'Leary and Vicinity

A very successful afternoon tea sponsored by the Ladies Aid of the O'Leary United Church was held on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 27th from 3 to 5 p. m. at the home of Mrs. J. N. MacWilliam. It was largely attended and the ladies served a delicious lunch.
Mrs. Byron MacPhee, Coleman, who suffered a severe heart attack and for the past ten days has been a patient in the hospital in Charlottetown is improving in health. Her many friends hope that soon she will be able to return home.

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ANCIENT SPORT

Bull-fighting, still a favorite sport in Spain and South America, was a common entertainment in ancient Greece and Rome.
PARK CORNER - FRENCH RIVER W. I.
-The regular monthly meeting of Coronation Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Brown on Feb. 14, 1952. The meeting opened with the president in the chair and the singing of the "Institute Ode" and repeating the "Creed" in unison. Roll call was answered by 15 members and one visitor repeating a valentine verse. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.
A social evening for the W. I. members was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Bernard on Feb. 6th, which proved to be a very enjoyable evening to all. Sick committee reported five calls had been made and the school committee reported hot chocolate had been sent for the nontime meal and the pupils were enjoying it very much.
Correspondence was read which consisted of a letter from Dr. O'Meara with information on the Dental Clinic, also thank-you letters from those who received treats during the month. A paper on "Catering for a Crowd" and the fourth paper on "Winter Meals For The Family" were heard.
A committee was appointed to select a play to be put on in the near future. Other committees appointed included the sick committee. Mrs. George Howatt and Miss Lottie Parsons.
It was also decided that the W. I. scrub the school this month. A selected piece of poetry was read by Miss Annie MacLeod. "We Mourn Our King" by John Robert Lamont Campbell.
Mrs. George Howatt invited the members to her home for the next meeting, where the roll call is to be answered with a donation for a grab bag.
A spelling contest was put on by Miss Annie MacLeod which proved very educational, also a contest, "Famous Lovers". First prizes were won by Miss Eliza Campbell and Mrs. Henry Meek. Collection amounted to \$135.
The meeting closed with the National Anthem and a very delicious lunch was served by the hostess and ladies in charge.

S'side Legion Auxiliary Meets

With an encouraging attendance of members present, a meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Summerside branch of the Canadian Legion was held in the Legion Home on Tuesday evening, with Mrs. R. L. Mollison, president of the Ladies Auxiliary, presiding.
As a result of a discussion of extending the membership of ladies in the organization it was decided to hold a social night at the Legion Home on Tuesday, March 4th, for the purpose of getting acquainted with potential members and discussing future activities of the auxiliary.
Since the opening of the new Legion Home last August it has been the objective of the Ladies Auxiliary to extend the membership of the Auxiliary, and this step will be welcomed by members and prospective members alike. Provision has been made in the Legion Home for Ladies Auxiliary quarters, and plans are being made for furnishing them.
Members of the Legion executive met with the members of the Ladies Auxiliary following their meeting, and were delighted with attendance, and the plans for assistance to the branch.
At their meeting the ladies approved a plan to operate a canteen at the bingo on Thursday.

Pig Escapes During Storm

Residents of Alberry Plains had a rare experience last week when during the snow storm a three-month-old pig, belonging to Mr. Bernard MacMillan, ran away and despite a continual search until after dark, Mr. MacMillan was unable to locate the missing animal. However two days later when the storm had abated the little piggy was seen in the middle of a field by Mr. Edward Walsh and immediately the chase was on again. Mr. Walsh, on skills, followed the animal for more than a mile finally overtaking it and bringing it back safely to its owner. Despite its exposure in near zero weather and four feet of snow, the little animal is said to be none the worse for its experience.

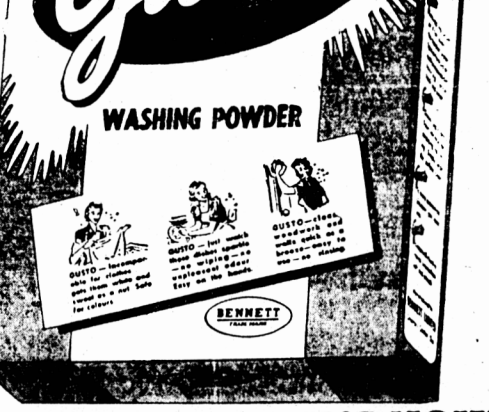
Curling Schedule At Summerside

The following is the curling schedule at the Summerside Rink for this evening.
7:00 p.m.
RCAP vs. Bank Managers
Night Flyers vs. Auto Dealers
M. F. Schurman Co. vs. Morrison and MacRae.
8:45 p.m.
Holman vs. Legals
Bag Factory vs. Bank Accountants-S.

IN MEMORIAM

In Loving Memory of
G. WILBERT McCARVILLE,
who passed away
February 28, 1943.
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his Wife, James D., and Rosaleen.

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