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WINSLOE Pastoral Charge, the United Church of Canada. Services Sunday are as follows: Highfield 11 a.m.; Winsloe North 3 p.m.; Winsloe South 7.30 p.m. Heber E. Hardy, Minister.

TRAVELogue by Mrs. Keith S. Rogers, also a short musical program, Hearts Hall, Jan. 4th, 8 p.m., sponsored by The King's Daughters.

ORWELL-VERNON UNITED CHURCH. Rev. John M. Sheen, Minister. Vernon River 11 a.m.; Eldon 2.30 p.m.; Orwell 7.30 p.m.

HAZELBROOK B.Y.P.U. Christmas service in Hazelbrook Church on Friday, Dec. 30th at 8 p.m. Guest speaker Lic. Bruce Moore.

BROOKFIELD CHARGE. The hours of service for Sunday, Jan. 1st are as follows: Hartsville 11 a.m.; Brookfield 3 p.m.; Glasgow Road 7.30 p.m. All are welcome. Rev. Lawrence Blaikie, Minister.

FUNERAL MONDAY Of Island Priest

Rev. Charles Russell Smith, 67, Pastor of the Church of the Immaculate Conception at Fall River, Mass., since 1941, died suddenly Wednesday at Fall River, Mass. Father Smith was born at Kelly's Cross, P. E. I., and after graduation from St. Dunstan's College, Charlottetown, in 1910, he studied Theology for four years at St. Bernard's Seminary in Rochester, New York. He was ordained to the priesthood at Fall River, Mass., on April 1, 1914. Prior to his latest incumbency, he served as curate at New Bedford and Fall River before being named pastor of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, Seekonk, Mass.

Two brothers and two sisters survive; they are: Alice, Sister St. Edmund, Superior at St. Gregory's Convent, Ontario, Catherine, Sister St. Laurentia, New Bedford, Mass., Sisters of Mercy, Dr. Frank Smith, M. D., Boston, Mass.; and Dr. St. Clair Smith, D. D. S., a dentist in Boston. Also surviving is a sister-in-law, Mrs. (Dr.) G. L. Smith, 5 Euston Street, Charlottetown.

Two brothers predeceased him, Rev. Lawrence Smith, formerly on the teaching staff of St. Dunstan's College, who died in 1930, and Dr. G. Linus Smith, whose death occurred in Charlottetown in July, 1950.

The funeral will be held on Monday at 10 o'clock from the Immaculate Conception Church, Fall River. Burial will be in Fall River Cemetery.

UNITED CHURCH of Canada, Covedale Pastoral Charge. Services for Sunday, Jan. 1st, 1956: Covedale 11 a.m.; Covedale 3 p.m.; Stanhope 7.30 p.m. Rev. N. R. Green, Pastoral Minister.

MARSHFIELD Pastoral Charge, The Presbyterian Church in Canada, Sunday, Jan. 1st, 11 a.m.; Marshfield, 3 p.m.; Harrington, 7.30 p.m.; Mount Stewart. Everyone welcome. Rev. Lic. M. MacNaughton, B.A., Minister.

CROSS ROADS, Alexandra. Hazelbrook services for Sunday, Jan. 1st: Cross Roads 11 a.m.; Alexandra 3 p.m.; Hazelbrook 7.30 p.m. All are welcome to these services. Rev. C. E. Armstrong, Minister.

Girls Chosen Best Campers

Gail Cameron, Joan Boyles and Thane Burke were chosen "Best Campers" at the annual supper meeting of young campers held at the Y.M.C.A. last evening.

The supper meeting, which was reminiscent of many enjoyable camp fire sessions at the Y.M.C.A. Camp at Holland Cove during the summer months, brought to the young folk in a renewal of friendship and happy recollections. Replete with good food, the group enjoyed a program of songs and stories as they squatted around the paper-made "campfire" with Jack Ross, camp program director, acting as Master of ceremonies. The campers were welcomed by "Y's" Secretary Gordon Maxwell who also extended congratulations to the "Best Campers" in their respective sections.

MATERNAL HEALTH Classes: New series begins Wednesday, January 4, 1956. Afternoon class 2.30 p.m.; evening class 8.00 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 5, 1956 at 8.00 p.m. (If both parents are able to attend) at the Health Centre, 188 Prince Street. Phone 9515 for further information. Child and Maternal Health Division, Department of Health.

FUNERAL THURSDAY — The funeral of Mrs. J. J. Duffy was held Thursday morning from the Hennessey Funeral home to St. Dunstan's Basilica where Solemn Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rt. Rev. Patrick McMahon, Dean of the Cathedral. Rev. Reginald Phelan, Present in the sanctuary were: Rev. Dr. Louis Callaghan, Very Rev. P. F. MacDonald, Rev. Leo Herrell and Rev. James Kelly. Rev. Dr. Bernard Hillis assisted in the choir. Members of the St. Charles Auxiliary and the Basilica sub-division of the C. W. L. attended in a body. Pall bearers were Leonard MacDonald, James MacDonald, John A. MacDonald, Ivan Connors, Harold Storey and Gordon Toombs. Interment was in the Catholic Cemetery where services were conducted by Rt. Rev. P. McMahon and Rev. L. Callaghan. Interment was in the Catholic Cemetery.

"Molly Darling" Chosen For St. Patrick's Day

"Molly Darling", a sparkling three-act comedy, has been chosen for the 1956 St. Patrick's entertainment by the Benevolent Irish Society.

Many details for the March 16 and 17 performances at the Community Centre were ironed out at a play committee meeting last evening presided over by the president, Thomas McLaughlin.

Director J. Plus Callaghan assured the members that "Molly Darling" was the type of comedy St. Patrick's day patrons.

A very capable cast has been selected and rehearsals will get underway the middle of next week. It was also decided to once again hold the annual St. Patrick's Day parade. Chief Marshal Fred Steele advised those present that many of the parade details had already been attended to.

Reports from various other chairmen were also given at the play committee meeting.

PERSONALS

Mr. Wallace MacKay has received the sad news of the death of his brother-in-law, Mr. J.B. Kirkpatrick, on Dec. 26 at his home in Newton Center, Mass.

Mother And Son Burned To Death

WOLSELEY, Sask. (CP) — A young mother and her four-year-old son were burned to death early Thursday following a coal-gas explosion in their one-storey farm home.

The father, Maurice Hebert, escaped after throwing his two-year-old daughter through a broken window. In his bare feet during sub-zero weather, he ran with her through a half-mile of snow to a neighbor's house.

Dead are his wife, 22, and son Gerry. Hebert and his daughter Shirley, suffering burns and frostbite, were taken to hospital in this town 65 miles east of Regina.

Police said Hebert awoke to find the house full of gas. He opened the coal stove, causing the explosion. An inquest was called.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

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BIRTHS

MACLEOD—At the Charlottetown Hospital, Dec. 29, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Urban MacLeod, Waterdale, a son, 7 lbs, 10 ozs.

Three Quint Sisters Are Going Home New Year's

MONTREAL (CP) — The quintuplet sisters Yvonne, Annette and Cecile announced Thursday they are going home for New Year's in an effort to heal a family rift.

Marie—fourth of the surviving quintets—will not be going because of her health, the girls announced through business spokesman L. M. Edwards.

The announcement came after the four held council Wednesday night with Mr. Edwards following a series of reports of a serious rift between the quintets and their parents.

"The girls are going to see their parents to prove that there is no question of them drifting away from their family," Mr. Edwards said in an interview.

The quintets had been "perplexed" by their father's statements that they should prove their parents.

COOLER AFTER 21

The father, Olive Dionne, had said in North Bay that the quintets were cold toward the rest of the family because more announced

Leaving By Plane For 7,500 Free Air Jaunt

Miss Lorraine McCormac, 22-year-old daughter of Councillor and Mrs. P.R. McCormac, 9 Longworth Ave., leaves by plane today for New York on the first leg of a 7,500 air jaunt which will take her to Miami Beach, Havana, Cuba, and Mexico.

Miss McCormac, who spent Christmas with her parents, was awarded the trip by MacLean, Hunter Publications Ltd., as their most successful sales-girl in Dominion-wide competition for the year 1955.

During the spring and summer, Miss McCormac covered most of Newfoundland, the Maritime Provinces and parts of Ontario representing the publishers magazine, MacLean's, Chatelaine and others. On her return in mid-July she will be assigned to duty at the Hamilton, Ont., office of the firm, and later resume work on the road.



MISS MCCORMAC
Leaves Hunter organization early last spring.

Citizenship Ceremony Before Judge Trainor

Three natives of Poland and the American-born wife of an Island doctor became Canadians at a citizenship ceremony held at the County Court at Charlottetown yesterday. Judge C. St. Clair Trainor carried out the ceremony which admitted Mr. and Mrs. Teodor Hucz, now of Covehead, former natives of Poland; Mr. Wolodymyr Maksyew of Cardigan, also of Polish extraction; and Mrs. Lloyd S. Cox, wife of Dr. R. H. Cox, a dentist and a native of the United States, to Canadian citizenship.

At the conclusion of his address to the new citizens Judge Trainor said that another short ceremony would follow under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League and Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire. He thanked the women of these organizations for their attendance, and the interest they were taking in the naturalization ceremonies. Each society then presented the new citizens with cards of welcome.

The following ladies were present from the C.W.L.: Mrs. W. J. P. MacMillan, Provincial Convener of Immigration; Basilica, L. L. Noonan, Mrs. M. J. Lee, Mrs. R. J. MacDonald; Holy Redeemer; Mrs. Leonard MacDonald; From the I.O.D.E. Royal Edward Chapter: Mrs. John B. Murley, Mrs. J. Walter Jones, Lucy Maud Montgomery Chapter; Mrs. R. W. MacLean, Mrs. B. B. Jones, Earl of Hillsborough Chapter; Mrs. J. W. Hunter and Mrs. Marjorie Stewart.

Presbytery Considers Calls To P.E.I. Charges

The Presbytery of Prince Edward Island met Thursday afternoon in the Kirk Hall of St. James' Church, with the Rev. Donald Nicholson in the chair in the absence of the Moderator, Rev. M. Carl Currie, and the Rev. T. H. B. Somers, clerk, at the desk.

The following were also present: Rev. D. A. Campbell, Rev. J. D. Mackay, Rev. L. M. MacNaughton, Rev. L. E. Blaikie, Rev. E. H. Bean, Rev. W. H. Brown, Rev. Donald Campbell, Mr. Murdoch MacPhee, Mr. E. A. Cudmore, Mr. Roy Beaman, Mr. Milton Fraser, and Mr. W. Breckon Simons.

The pro rata meeting was called to deal with a Call to the Rev. L. M. MacNaughton of Marshfield to the Tyne Valley charge. Representatives of the three congregations in the Marshfield charge spoke in warmest appreciation of the splendid work Mr. MacNaughton had accomplished and the progress that had been made during his brief ministry and urged that he remain their Minister. The call, however, was accepted, and Mr. MacNaughton will go to Tyne Valley as Minister as and from March 6th, 1956.

A call was also presented from St. Andrew's Church, Moncton, in favour of the Rev. L. E. Blaikie of Brookfield. A large representation was heard from all four congregations in this charge bearing tribute to Mr. Blaikie's splendid work and worth and hoping he could be retained. The call was accepted, however, and Mr. Blaikie will go to Moncton, as and from January 15th, 1956. All the Ministers present spoke highly of Mr. Blaikie's services and wished him every blessing in his new field of work.

5 Per Cent Increase In Electric Power Generated

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada's capacity to generate electric "juice" for power-thirsty consumers increased by five per cent in 1955 and promised to grow faster in the next two years.

The northern affairs department in a year-end review of the power industry issued Thursday, said the 1955 increase in generating capacity of 839,630 horsepower brought total output to 17,531,536 h.p.

More than half the increase this year was accounted for by addition of five units with total output of 325,000 h.p. at the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission's Sir Adam Beck - Niagara generating station No. 2.

Projects still in the preliminary stages would provide an additional 4,000,000 h.p., including the massive St. Lawrence river power project which is scheduled to provide 1,200,000 h.p. by 1960.

The department estimated that only 27 per cent of the country's total water power resources have been harnessed "to meet expanding industrial needs and increasing consumption by business and domestic users."

MARITIME DEVELOPMENT

In the Maritimes, the Nova Scotia Power Commission completed its 6,240-h.p. development on the Mersey river while the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission began development of the Beechwood site on the St. John river, which will provide 90,000 h.p. by the spring of 1958.

In Newfoundland, the initial 2,000-h.p. turbine of union electric plant at Manitou Falls, on the River plant was expected to be in service by the end of the year. A second similar unit was to go into operation in 1956.

Hydro-electric projects under construction in Ontario, besides the St. Lawrence development, were a 74,000-h.p. generating station at Manitou Falls, on the English river scheduled for completion next year and the Whitford generating station on the Winnipeg river 12 miles east of the Manitoba border, expected to provide 243,000 h.p. in 1957.

In Quebec, hydro-electric construction, stimulated by mining development and growth in the aluminum industry, will expand. Shawinigan Water and Power Co. added 158,300 h.p. with installation of new units in its three St. Maurice river plants. Northern Quebec Power Company added 34,500 h.p. to the capacity of its Quinze Rapids plant on the upper Ottawa river.

Portuguese Hospital Ship Use Is Free To Canadians

OTTAWA (CP) — A big, white hospital ship flying the Portuguese flag will minister to Canadian deep-sea fishermen and the good banks of Canada's east coast. Her facilities are being made available free to Canadian fishermen just as they are to members of her own 5,000-man fishing fleet.

A Portuguese embassy spokesman here said Thursday the free service is Portugal's way of repaying Canada for services and hospitality afforded the Portuguese fishing fleet at east coast ports. Other fleets—mainly Spanish and French—will pay for her service under an agreement recently concluded among the governments.

Her holds are specially designed to help carry the fish catch back to Portugal when the fleet leaves Canadian waters for home in October.

When the Gil Enanes made her maiden voyage to the Grand Banks last May she called at St. John's, Nfld., bringing a statue of Our Lady of Fatima as a gift from Portugal to the cathedral at St. John's.

The Portuguese have been fishing the cod banks off Canada's east coast for almost five centuries. The Portuguese fleet consists of both druggers and bankers which launch hand-line dories. The druggers leave for the Grand Banks in February and the bankers in April.

SPECIALLY BUILT

The fleet has been accompanied by a mother ship for many years. At first it was a Portuguese merchant ship and later a converted merchant vessel.

The hospital ship usually joins the fleet on the Grand Banks in May and accompanies it in June when most of the vessels sail north for the waters off Greenland. Many of the vessels, accompanied by the mother ship, subsequently return to the Grand Banks in September for further fishing before leaving for their home ports early in October.

See New "Evidence" That Universe Is Expanding

By ALTON BLAKESLEE

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) — Radio signals coming from a gigantic collision of two milky ways give new evidence our universe is blowing apart, two young scientists said Thursday.

They find these radio broadcasts show the same kind of "red shift" as do light waves coming from distant stars. The shift of distant light to the red range of wavelength is a main reason for believing that star systems are rushing away from us at incredible speeds, going faster the farther away they are.

Their work marks the first time the red shift has been measured in the radio waves coming to us from space.

"SEE" FARTHER

It raises the possibility that by radio measurements, astronomers may be able to "see" farther into space than with regular telescopes.

The important radio wave measurements were described by Dr. A. Edward Lilley and Edward F. McClain of the United States naval research laboratory, Washington.

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out in space of two great galaxies or milky ways of stars. Each galaxy is spiral shaped, each probably contains hundreds of millions of stars, just like our own milky way.

The head-on collision involves tremendous amounts of hydrogen gas. As the gas molecules collide, their energy of motion is turned into energy of radiation, both light waves and radio waves.

NOT TOO CLOSE

This colliding star system is known as Cygnus A, and is 100,000,000 light years away. A light year is the distance light travels in one year, at a speed of 186,000 miles a second.

Cygnus A was first detected and its position fixed by British and Australian radio astronomers. Knowing where to look for it, Palomar observatory astronomers then also found it with the 200-inch light telescope. The Palomar astronomers estimated Cygnus A is speeding away from us at 10,500 miles per second.

The discovery of Cygnus A by radio telescope and the new radio measurements mean that even more distant galaxies might be found by radio means, including those beyond the range of optical telescopes. This would greatly extend knowledge of our universe.

Reds Praise Cyrus Eaton

MOSCOW (AP) — Financier Cyrus Eaton has been hailed by Russia's government organ, Izvestia, for his "sensible observations" on East-West coexistence.

Viktor Politarsky, one of the seven journalists who toured the United States last fall, wrote of the group's meeting with Eaton.

"Millionaire" Eaton, said Politarsky, looks soberly on what is going on in the world and said so emphatically he supports the coexistence and cultural contacts between the United States and the Soviet Union.

"One cannot but agree with Eaton's sensible observations," he added.

Eaton entertained both the newspaper men and a delegation of touring Soviet agriculturists at his farm near Cleveland in the last year. He presented the farm group with one of his shorthorn bulls. Later he told the Soviet journalists it "is better to exchange bulls than bullets."

Teach Children Discrimination

TORONTO (CP) — The ability to detect the difference between sense and nonsense should be one of the most important elements imparted to school children, Dr. A. W. Trueman, chairman of the national film board said Wednesday night.

Dr. Trueman, a former president of the universities of Manitoba and New Brunswick, told 800 delegates at the annual dinner of the Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation convention that discrimination is a much-maligned word.

He suggested an early start in the fostering of discrimination leading to "more and better thinking by subtler and more original minds."

Discrimination, he said, is "continuing practice of the preference and search for fine quality and truth."

NEED ADVENTURE

Canadians also need a corresponding sense of both physical and intellectual adventure to offset the current trend towards "security," he said.

The film board head criticized "Men so specialize in their pursuit of knowledge," he said, "that in effect they cultivate little plots of ground, neatly walled in from other little plots of ground."

Rumor Townsend Will Quit Position

BRUSSELS (AP) — Group Captain Peter Townsend, former suitor of Princess Margaret, soon will vacate his job as air attaché here and leave the RAF, the newspaper La Nation Belge said Thursday.

It said Townsend probably will become a horse trainer on the French Riviera, possibly for the stable of Prince Aly Khan.

In London, an air ministry spokesman said that Townsend's tour of duty in Belgium is due to terminate in February.

Asked if Townsend has intimated he wants to resign, the spokesman replied:

"We have not received any application for resignation from Group Capt. Townsend."

IGLOO LIGHTED BY ELECTRICITY

THE PAS, Man. (CP) — probably the only electrically-lighted igloo in existence stands on the grounds of the Clearwater Lake sanatorium near this northern Manitoba town.

The 10-foot high igloo was erected by Eskimo patients, covered with colored lights and fitted with a large bulb inside.

Six male Eskimo patients, now fully recovered, built the thing.

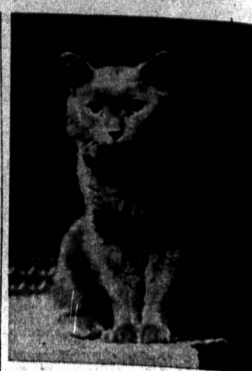
"Smokey" Earns Keep As Champ Around Fire Hall

Charlottetown's Fire Station, like its counterpart in many small cities across Canada, is a friendly place where members and veterans of the department and their friends like to gather for an evening's sociability. Many Fire Departments have their pets or mascots, and Charlottetown is no remiss in this respect. "Smokey", a male Maltese cat, is the pride and spoil of darning of the local fire fighters.

About five years ago "Smokey" was rescued from a midnight fire, a two month old kitten, more dead than alive. When the firemen broke in the door of a blazing room he was found with his nose pressed against the door, scorched, saturated with water and half smothered with smoke. It was Bill Batt, veteran fireman, who picked the victim up and saw that he was removed to the Fire Hall. The kitten was in such bad physical condition that it was tough and go as to whether it was worth the effort to attempt to save his life. But the firemen decided to give "Smokey" his chance to recover and Sam Morrison, one of the Fire Station's daily visitors took over the task, of restoring the kitten to health and friskiness.

A CHAMPION

Well-cared for and plentifully supplied first with milk, and later with good red beef, the kitten made a great come-back and developed into the strong and vigorous "Smokey" of today. Everyone around the Fire Hall knows his story and Sam Morrison who feeds the big cat daily, or Bill Batt for that matter, will tell you that he is the Island's Champion rat killer.



The Fire Hall has its share of rats and "Smokey" has the proud record of killing nine in one night. He believes in the slogan "seeing is believing" and when he makes a kill he drags the victim to the middle of the Station Hall for all to see and admire. He had nine on display the morning after he made his record.

Al Frizzell, Fire Station engineer confirms his prowess as a rat exterminator and tells of the occasion when "Smokey" made a sudden dive into a tin pail came up with two rats, one in his mouth and the other in his claws. It is little wonder that the members of the Fire Department approve the red meat diet so regularly fed "Smokey" by Sam Morrison because they figure he earns every bite of it.

Too much Duty On Gifts To Russia

WINNIPEG (CP) — Relatives of a Winnipeg man are returning gift parcels to him from Russia because they couldn't afford to pay the duty on them.

Lazer Pecker said Thursday he sent five parcels to relatives in the Ukraine at a cost of approximately \$5 postage apiece.

"They wrote me that they just couldn't pay the duty," said Mr. Pecker. "My sister said that one hat alone, a used one of my wife's the duty was placed at 200 rubels (\$50 at the official rate of exchange). My sister said she could get a new hat for far less."

FINE GIFT

ADDIS ABABA (CP) — The Indian community in Ethiopia presented the Gandhi maternity hospital, built through their own contributions, to Emperor Haile Selassie on his silver jubilee. The plan to start Christmas Eve on an Atlantic crossing in a 25-foot boat powered by a motor of only three horsepower. "With such a low-hospital will be used by both Ethiopian and Indian patients."

COLORFUL BIRD

GLASGOW, Scotland (CP) — George Downman has bred a tartan budgerigar. The bird, colored yellow, green, blue and black, shown at a Derby exhibition, is said to be worth 100 pounds.

VALUABLE LETTER

LONDON (CP) — A letter written by the poet Samuel Coleridge, who died in 1834, to the late Maj.-Gen. Sotheby of Northampton was sold at auction for £260. The letter accompanied an original draft of Coleridge's poem "Dejection."

DARING PLAN

ROWHEDGE, England (CP) — Two former Royal Marine officers powered boat 1 reckon fuel costs will only be six guineas," said the skipper, Ian Major.

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L. E. PROWSE,
Private Secretary.

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MAYOR J. DAVID STEWART, D.S.O., E.D.
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At The
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J. A. FULLERTON, City Clerk.

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Most Reverend Malcolm MacEachern
Bishop of Charlottetown

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Saturday, Dec. 31st
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ISLAND REFUGE
Formosa, home of the Chinese Nationalist government since 1950, is an island of 12,800 square miles.
well enough to go.
Marie, frailest of the four, left a cloistered convent in Quebec last month when she found the life too rigorous for her strength. Annette, a music student, also has been in hospital but now is fully recovered.

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MACLEOD—At the Charlottetown Hospital, Dec. 29, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Urban MacLeod, Waterdale, a son, 7 lbs, 10 ozs.

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UNDERTAKER
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Mother And Son Burned To Death

HISTORIC CENTRE
Verona in Italy, home of Shakespeare's Romeo, is an agricultural centre of 186,000 inhabitants.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks to all the rural box holders on Summerside R.R. 1 for all the lovely gifts and good wishes given to us at Christmas.
Nelson and Ruth Compton.

Three Quint Sisters Are Going Home New Year's

after they came into a 250,000 fortune on their 21st birthday last May. They had not even sent greetings at Christmas.

"The girls were so concerned about that statement and that's why they're going to see them," said Mr. Edwards.

The quintets and their friends had been "amused" at reports that performance may have played a part in the rift. None of the girls has any serious heart interests, said Mr. Edwards, adding:

"Their father has never tried to dominate these girls, so why should they be resentful in any way?"

It was not known immediately when they plan to start for the 12-room mansion at Callander, Ont., their birthplace.

Yvonne and Cecile, both nurses-in-training, were taking time off for the trip.

MARIE NOT WELL

Annette would join them but since they were on strike Sept. 19, she has been in hospital where she was treated for a sun-burn condition, was still not