

Tyne Valley Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan MacLean motored to Charlottetown recently. Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Williams, New York are visiting relatives and friends in Ellerslie and Tyne Valley.

Miss Louise MacLean spent a week visiting at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ramsay.

Mr. Eldon Ramsay of Halifax, N. S. was in Tyne Valley recently where he visited with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Strong of Summerside were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ramsay.

Mrs. William Burleigh Jr. has taken over her duties as matron of the Stewart Memorial Health Centre. We wish Mrs. Burleigh every success in her new position.

Mrs. D. N. Forbes and Miss Constance Forbes have returned to their home in Tyne Valley after vacationing in Bedeque.

Miss June Sharp, Toronto, Ontario, arrived by plane to spend her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Sharp, East Bideford.

The many friends of Mrs. Earle Williams are pleased to know that she is progressing favourably after having undergone an operation in the Prince County Hospital.

Many parents of this and the surrounding communities are taking advantage of the free Dental Clinic being held at the Stewart Memorial Health Centre for children who are beginning school.

The Tyne Valley Presbyterian Ladies Aid held their July meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Flatts. Plans were made at this meeting to hold an ice-cream social in the Tyne Valley hall.

Mr. Jack MacCombe motored home from Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., to spend some time visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Ellis. He will be accompanied on his return trip by his mother, Mrs. John MacCombe and his aunt, Mrs. Gordon Williams of Charlottetown.

Mr. Thomas Cunningham was visiting his brother, Rev. Mr. George Cunningham, Alberton, recently. While there he was guest speaker for some of the services held at the Aberdeen Presbyterian Church commemorating its 120th anniversary.

The friends of Mrs. Earnest Ellis are pleased to know that she has recovered sufficiently to return to her home after undergoing an operation in the Prince County Hospital.

The friends of Mrs. Hugh Stewart, Tyne Valley are sorry to hear that she is confined to her bed with illness. All hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Williams and son Stenning, of Hamilton, Ontario, arrived to spend their vacation at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stenning Williams, Tyne Valley.

Friends of Eloy Enman in this vicinity were glad to hear that he has returned home from Korea having served there in the United States Army since the outbreak of the Korean War. Mr. Enman is the son of Mrs. Gertie Enman, Harmony.

Borden

Mrs. William Ozon of Borden spent a week with her son Ralph and other relatives in O'Leary.

Mrs. Norman Oatway of Borden visited friends in Hunter River.

Miss Barbara MacDonald of Souris visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Ranahan at Borden.

Mrs. Harvey Bernard of Borden left for a visit to Amherst, Moncton, and Newcastle, N. B.

Miss Agnes Arsenault of Charlottetown is visiting her sister, Mrs. Emery Richards at Borden.

Misses Laura and Francis Ozon of Borden visited relatives in O'Leary.

Mrs. William LaBrush of Souris is spending a few weeks in Borden, guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ranahan.

Miss Hattie Ross of Summerside is spending her summer holidays with her sister, Mrs. Hector MacKenzie, Borden.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Pickering and family spent a week-end with Mrs. Pickering's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cooke at West Cape.

Misses Cheryl Ozon and Sandra Matthews who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ozon, Borden, returned to their homes in O'Leary.

Mrs. Thomas Gallant and son Elliot left to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Stephen Malley at Charlottetown.

Master Francis Chaisson of Morell has returned home after spending a week with his sister, Mrs. William Chaisson at Borden.

Master Julian Croken of Kensington is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Foch McKenna, Borden.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Pickering and son Hazen of Sea View were visitors to Borden guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Pickering.

Mr. and Mrs. William Chaisson and children Billie and Anne Marie spent a few days at Morell guests of Mrs. Vincent McGrath.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Campbell and Mr. Jean MacDonald of Hamilton, Ont., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Chaisson, Borden when enroute to visit relatives at Morell.

Mrs. Frank Butler and little sons Tommy and Frankie spent a few days in Borden with her mother, Mrs. John MacIsaac. Her mother accompanied her home and spent a week-end with her at Charlottetown.

The Jade God

By Mary Inlay Taylor

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CHAPTER XIII

Fosdick went to Burleson's office the next day in a rare puzzle. He had been called up at home the night before and told to find Mark Grant and tell him to meet him there. Aware of his own silence about Grant, Fosdick had a bad quarter of an hour. Of course Banks had told! The little cad had run bleating like a sheep. But, even so, he saw no reason to summon Mark and himself to a bar of justice—Burleson's office, in this case. Mark was free. Burleson could do nothing against him now, at least nothing that Fosdick could imagine. Then he remembered the rich man's suggestion to help. Was he going to carry that out? Fosdick grinned a little. He knew Mark would not take it.

"The boy was guilty; he's been punished—what's the use of making a fuss over Banks and the wagger now? Unless—" he thought of Pamela Rodney and suffered a twinge of conscience.

Burleson met him calmly enough. "Sit down," he said laconically, and then: "You got Grant, you say? Well, he's late."

Fosdick grinned. "He didn't want to come."

Burleson nodded. "Very likely!" Then he pushed a broken green jade head, bearded and saturnine, toward the lawyer. "Keep that, Fosdick; you'll need it."

Fosdick picked it up and looked at it over curiously; he was beginning to think that his friend's mind was affected. "Health's bad enough," he thought; "got water on the brain, I'll bet a dollar!"

But he put the jade god's head down with a gingerly touch. "I remember. Used to squat on your table. How did you break it?"

Burleson looked at it bleakly; he was gray as ashes today. "I smashed it. Temper, Fosdick; once in awhile I break out. It's rotten, but it's a fact. It's the second time I've pitched that accursed jade god; I wish I'd smashed it to begin with!"

"Humph!" Fosdick poked it with his long bony forefinger. "Where did you get it anyway?"

"Eh?" The old lawyer straightened up, suddenly his eyes met the hollow eyes opposite and he felt a qualm of dismay. What the deuce did it mean? Then he heard a door open and looked around. A clerk was showing Mark Grant, into the sanctum. Fosdick stared at the young man with a feeling that he could not define; it certainly could not be admiration for a criminal, or even toleration, yet he had to admit—reluctantly—that Mark's very presence in the room was like a rush of fresh air in a choking atmosphere. There was something in his size, in his clean-cut face and clear eyes, that was reassuring; his suit never appeared dingy on the surface. Fosdick admitted that; he looked like a brave man with a clear conscience. He seemed to tower, too, and the lawyer thought that Burleson, by comparison, grew leaner, more gray and more morose.

Burleson, too, was studying the newcomer, and no one spoke until Mark broke the silence that seemed to him soaked through by their examination of him. "Think I'm a jallbird!" he thought hotly. Then tartly, to Burleson: "You sent for me."

Burleson nodded. "Sit down," he said in a voice that struck Fosdick at once as singular; he looked at him sharply.

"Thank you; I'll stand. I'm going out of town almost at once," Mark retorted shortly. Then his eye fell on the broken jade head on the desk and the blood leaped into his face. "Is it about that?" he asked quickly.

"Yes," Burleson replied quietly; "you're right about it; I could have cleared you; your uncle gave that to me after you'd left him."

Mark's face hardened. "I was sure of it! You'll state that now, Mr. Burleson?"

Burleson smiled oddly. "That's why I sent for you. I can do more than that," he paused an instant, staring in front of him—then he went on coldly: "your uncle gave it to me. After that we quarrelled. You know the things Grant Barton said when he was angry? He said to many of them: I lost my temper and flung the jade god in his face. It struck his temple and killed him instantly."

"Good! God!" Fosdick's violent surprise made him collapse in his chair, but neither Mark nor Burleson flinched.

"I always felt you knew something," Mark said bitterly; "and you let me suffer!"

"I let things go!" Burleson drummed on the arms of his chair with nervous fingers. "The whole thing happened in a minute; I didn't expect to hit him. To my utter amazement he went down like lead."

Fosdick rallied his powers now; he sat up. "Why, in God's name, didn't you tell it at once? It was unpremeditated—in a quarrel!"

Burleson nodded coldly. "Granted! But a man doesn't think clearly in such a case at once. I was horror-stricken, naturally; was going to call a doctor, but I felt it was—the man was stone dead! It was the most amazing thing! It knocked me out." He leaned back in his chair, passing his hand quickly over his face.

(To be continued)



DIES SUDDENLY — Formally-attired Adm. Forrest P. Sherman (left), Chief of U. S. Naval Operations, attends a reception in Madrid after a heart attack in Naples.

St. Chrysostome and Vicinity

The Misses Marion Arsenault and Corinne Arsenault of Moncton recently spent a few days at their homes in St. Chrysostome.

Mrs. Fred McDonald and children, of Toronto, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Arsenault, St. Chrysostome.

Mr. Rany Arsenault is home again after spending some time in Valleyfield, Que. While there he attended the wedding of his son Emmanuel.

Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald and family recently spent a few days visiting Mrs. McDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel Arsenault, St. Chrysostome.

Mrs. John F. Arsenault of St. Chrysostome has recently left for Montreal where she will visit her son and daughter.

Little friends of Master Albert Arsenault are glad to see that he is well again after being a patient in the Prince County Hospital for a few days. All wish for him a complete recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Arsenault and their three sons, of Chelsea, Mass., spent two weeks visiting Mr. Arsenault's parents and other relatives in Egmont Bay.

Mrs. Jean Lalonde and family of Arvida, Que., are spending the summer months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Arsenault, of St. Chrysostome.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvain Arsenault and children, Melvin, Marina Louise and Marc, of Valleyfield, Que., were recently visiting Mrs. Arsenault's father and other relatives in Egmont Bay and vicinity.

Among the students who are spending their holidays at home are Jean Marc Arsenault, Armand Arsenault, Aurelia Gallant of St. Chrysostome; Eliza Gallant, Abram's Village; Louise Arsenault, St. Gilbert, and Raymond Arsenault and Peter Arsenault of Abram's Village.

Mr. and Mrs. Dona Arsenault and family, Mr. and Mrs. Amard Gallant and family, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gallant, Mr. and Mrs. Urban Gallant and family, Mrs. Fred McDonald and family, and Mrs. Hubert Arsenault, all of Egmont Bay were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hector Arsenault of Mt. Carmel recently.

Congratulations are extended to

Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel Arsenault who were recently married in Valleyfield, Que. The bride is the former Miss Cecile Lafontaine. Upon their arrival in St. Chrysostome they were tendered a reception at the groom's home where a delicious supper was served to a number of friends and relatives, after which music, singing and dancing were enjoyed by all. Then all departed wishing the young couple many good wishes. On their return they will reside in Valleyfield where the groom is employed.

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