

Fleming-Richard Wedding

St. Lawrence R. C. Church, Hamilton, Ont., was the scene of an interesting wedding on August 1, when Ann Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Richard of Howland, P. E. I., became the bride of Mr. Robert Fleming, son of Mr. Gerald Fleming and the late Mrs. Dorothy Fleming of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Pastel gladioli framed the lovely altar, at which the Most Rev. Fr. J. A. Mattice officiated. Given in marriage by Aubain Richard of St. Louis, P. E. I., the bride looked lovely in a gown of white satin and lace, a Juliette cap, holding a fingertip veil of net illusion. She carried a white prayer book, laden with white orchard stephanotis and white streamers. Mrs. Elmer Blanchard, sister of the bride was maid of honor wearing a pale green satin gown with full net skirt and matching headpiece with a corsage of yellow gardenias. Mr. Elmer Blanchard served as groomsmen.

A Country Garden

Lyon, a dark red, medium in size and free flowering, and Nelly Moser a beautiful rose with violet stripes.

Clematis is the very best vine for form and foliage, and the varieties mentioned are hardy and easily grown.

Bedding Dahlias are now at their best; Colness Gem are bright scarlet and making the border near the home beautiful for the summer season. In England and other countries they are used in parks and many private gardens. New varieties are added to the garden here every year.

I am amazed at the number of folk who are interested in an upper Canadian city, asked me for advice on planting her attractive newly built home. She had made a good beginning by enclosing her city lot with a low growing hedge and had kept her lawn without cutting it up into beds. All flower beds were near the boundaries making for easier upkeep and her small lot would seem larger planted in this way.

Suggestions were given on the variety of plants and shrubs near the home... only plant those of good form and foliage. Annuals and bedding Dahlias with long-lasting flowering. Tuberoses Begonias for shady, sheltered spots. The grouping of the lovely bulbs followed by some biennials growing closely together so that gaps can be filled by later blooming perennials. Masses of one variety of flower or shrub give a better effect than a mixture of many varieties. Sweeps and patches and trails and spires of delightful colour in happy agreement is what our aim for in gardening. In a garden one patch of colour beautifully or strikingly composed, avails more than an acre of beautiful flowers thrown into it without intention. The patch would have all the attraction of a picture, the acre of flowers would be merely like a palette after a day's work, a waste of colour.

Nature, it is true, jumbles her colours together, but a garden is not a field or mountain side, it is an artificial thing or rather a work of art; and a gardener, by throwing together his colours say-how has done no more than if one empties part of a furniture shop into one's drawing room.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our darling daughter and sister,

DOREEN GRANT who died August 18th, 1948.

Our hearts still ache with loneliness. Our eyes shed many a tear. God alone knows how we miss her, As it dawns another year.

Lovingly Remembered and Sadly Missed. Dad, Mom, Brothers and Sisters.

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BROTHER PASSES ON — Mr. C. H. Hodgson has received word of the sudden passing of his brother, Albert W. Hodgson, at Yorkton, Saskatchewan. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, also four brothers.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED — Mr. and Mrs. Angus Marchison, Point Prim, P. E. I., announce the engagement of their daughter, Rolla Elizabeth to Charles Martin Ross, son of Mrs. C. Ponton, Pinette, P. E. I., and the late Garfield Ross of Roseberry, P. E. I. Marriage to take place Sept. 5.

Personals

Mr. C. W. Speirs, Toronto, has arrived to spend his annual vacation in the Province. He is registered at the Charlottetown Hotel.

Mr. J. Edward Turner, Hope River, was a visitor to Charlottetown Aug. 13, and attended the exhibition and horse races.

Col. and Mrs. W. B. Brady and daughter Susan of Oak Park, Ill., are spending a vacation with relatives and friends in Charlottetown and Stanhope.

Mr. William Fraser and sons, Ronald and Douglas, formerly of Millvale, P. E. I., now of Toronto, Ont., are enjoying a visit with friends in Millvale, Hope River and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Singleton with daughters Susan and Sharon, returned home to Wakefield, Mass., after spending a two-week vacation with Mrs. Singleton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacKinnon, Clyde River.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon E. Hooley from Toronto, Ont., accompanied by Mr. Keith Hooley of Oshawa, Ont., have returned following a visit with Mr. Hooley's mother, Mrs. R. B. Ratary and Mr. Ratary, 285 Grafton Street.

NEW ANNAN W. I.

The August meeting of New Annan W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Delbert Raynor with an attendance of 18.

Each member responded to roll call with a flower towards a bouquet which was to be given to a lady who is ill.

A donation will be sent to the Cancer Society. Secretary to send to the Red Cross for 3000 fish oil capsules for school children.

New school committee will be Mr. Wall. It was decided to have the school cleaned and scrubbed before school opening.

Lunch committee will be Mrs. Robert Williams and Mrs. Robert Moore.

The two delegates to the annual convention gave interesting reports of the meetings.

Lunch was served by the hostesses assisted by the committee.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Angus A. MacDonald, Flat River, who passed away August 16th, 1951.

Till the day break and the shadows flee away.

Ever Loved by His Wife,

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of dear WILLIAM VERNON O'CONNOR who died August 18th, 1952.

and his brother

LORNE O'CONNOR who died October 22nd, 1948.

They are ever remembered in our prayers and masses.

Inserted by the Family

Strange But True

By F. H. MacArthur

Canada's oldest nun, sister Marie-Clothilde, of Montreal, died last February at the age of 104. She taught in convents so long that many of her pupils are now grandmothers.

She was a member of the Holy Name of Jesus and Mary Order for 89 years!

More than 1,300 Canadians were in the \$50,000-a-year class in 1952. It used to be a custom in this province to ask for a lock of hair from the head of a person who did the aster some special favor or honor.

We find the custom in vogue in General George Washington's time and one finds an amusing insight on the human character of the Commander-in-Chief in this message to a young lady admirer, "General Washington," it reads, "having been informed lately of the honor done him by Miss Kitty Livingston in wishing for a lock of his hair, takes the liberty of enclosing one, accompanied by his respectful compliments."

Research turns up some very unusual names. Among members of the MacNeil family of Mon, for example, were characters named Aachen, Hanataux, Hezikiah and Octavia.

If you will take the trouble to trace your ancestors back through several generations you'll find just as unusual and funny names attached to them as the ones I have just given.

And here's another amusing epiphany that found its way into my files recently: "Here lies cut down like unripe fruit

A son of Mr. Amos Tute ... The means employed his life to save. Hurred, him heading to the grave."

The old-fashioned parlor of a half century ago was a gloomy place full of starch and polish. Even members of the family only got into it on rare occasions such as weddings and funerals. Family gatherings and meals were always held in the large, comfortable kitchens which in early homes of this province boasted three women cooked, ironed, mended, and what not. Men coming in from the fields hung up outer garments, took off long-legged boots, and relaxed and smoked before the open fireplace. (There were no male baby sitters in those days) and father knew how to spank a naughty youngster even if he didn't know how to change its diaper.

The capital city of Iceland is heated entirely from the hot springs that lie just outside the city. There is no illiteracy in this land of ice and fire and up until comparatively recently a minister had the right to refuse marrying anyone who could not read and write!

Meteorites that have survived their fall to earth were found to be of the stony type rather than iron. In many respects these fallen bodies are like earthy rocks in appearance, except for a thin, brown crust of fused stone, the result of heating as the meteorites speed through space.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leasure, of El Paso, Texas have a fireplace in their living room made up of 192 specimens of rocks collected from all over the nation.

The writer once saw a fireplace in Michigan made up of pieces of gold ore, Indian artifacts, petrified animals, snails and oysters. Incidentally, the oyster shells came from our own shores, having been picked up at North River and carried to Flint by the present owner's great-grandfather.

Were their faces red? When police rushed to an apartment building in Montreal some time ago, they acted on the advice of a man who said a guy was about to jump off the roof.

"Don't jump!" the law yelled to a figure leaning over the edge of the building. "Then they found the stairs leading to the roof and their man — a straw stuffed dummy. The owner explained to the cops that his man was up there to shoot off the pigeons."

In the mountains interior of New Guinea the coveted Canadian dollar is worthless. The currency there is glass, beads, tobacco and newspapers and shells.

To earn any of these a native will work for long periods doing the hardest kinds of labor.

A good prospective wife is worth about 10 large oyster shells and as many pigs. Women are bought and sold and are virtual slaves to their husbands. They do all the heavy work besides rearing their numerous children.

Girls of wealthy parents wear a number of collars in the form of flat shells. Once they marry they must discard their ear-style nose shells and other feminine decorations and tend the pigs, and bear children.

Instead of putting up iron curtains and other kinds of curtains, the nations of the world would do well to emulate the United States and Canada's pledge of eternal amity by erecting International

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Kingston And Vicinity

Misses Edna Colwill and Velda Green spent the week-end at the home of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Newson and son are spending a vacation the guests of Mr. Newson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Newson of this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. George Green and children of Chatham, Ont., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Green.

Mrs. Duncan Marshall was visited by her sister Mrs. Janie Vickers of Boston, Mass.

Friends of Mr. Duncan Marshall are glad to see him out around again, after his long illness.

An enjoyable evening was spent Aug. 15, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Green, when the family and brothers and sisters gathered to honor them on their 25th Wedding Anniversary.

School has re-opened for the coming term, with same teachers Mrs. Grant Willis and Mrs. Nell Campbell.

Congratulations are being extended to the farmers who won prizes for their stock at the Provincial Exhibition.

Friends are sorry to learn of Mrs. Adam Livingstone's sudden illness. Mrs. Livingstone is a patient in the P. E. Island Hospital. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Younker and family of Saint John, N.B., are visiting at the home of their parents in this vicinity.

Mrs. Merrill Green was hostess to the United Church W.M.S. for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Lorne Smith conducted the worship part of the meeting. Plans were made to hold a pantry sale in the year future. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Loyde MacKinnon. A dainty lunch was served by hostess assisted by committee in charge.

Mrs. Albert and Mrs. Lewis Clow were joint hostesses to the August meeting of the Kingston Women's Institute. The president presided over the business part of the meeting. Reports of the annual convention were given by delegates. Roll call was answered by 13 members and two visitors. A dainty lunch was served by hostess assisted by committee in charge.

GEORGETOWN W. A.

The monthly meeting of St. David's W. A. took place in the Church Hall on August 11. Fourteen members attended. The ladies were pleased to have with them as a guest, Mrs. Roland Marsh, holding the office of W. A. President herself in Five Islands, N. S.

The meeting opened with the Lord's Prayer. The treasurer reported that net proceeds from three presentations of the play, "His Women-Folks," has exceeded \$100. The play has been staged in Murray River, Georgetown, and Cardigan. Plans are being made for presentation in other centres.

The sick committee reported three visits. A combination door has been received for the Hall kitchen. Plans were made for the Anniversary supper to be held late in August.

At the close of the meeting, a tasty lunch was served by Mrs. George Mair and Mrs. Andrew MacNeill.

Peace Gardens along their borders. The period of incubation for turtle eggs depends upon the temperature. Eggs laid in June do not set a rule batch until the middle of September. Eggs laid in the fall remain in the ground all winter and then hatch out about the first of May.

By the end of five years, the turtle has a shell five inches long and is mature. Eighty years is considered a pretty old turtle though they have been known to reach the century mark or over. There are 300 different kinds of turtles.

A snapping turtle, 25-year-old, may be seen in the lab at the P.W.C., Charlottetown.

Woodside-MacDonald Wedding

St. Andrew's United Church, Saint John, N. B., was the scene of a pretty wedding of local interest August 8 at 3:30 p. m., when Sheila Margaret MacDonald, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Howard MacDonald, became the bride of Dr. Donald Garth Woodside, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall L. Woodside, New Glasgow and York, P. E. I.

Rev. Dr. William Briggs officiated and the church was decorated with baskets of white gladioli. The guest pews were marked with white satin bows.

Dr. Harry C. Dunlop presided at the organ and Mrs. E. J. Grandy sang "The Lord's Prayer," by Malote, as the bridal party stood at the altar, and "I'll Walk Beside You" during the signing of the register.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attended by Miss Helen May of Digby, as maid of honor, and by her cousin Miss Lorna MacDonald and the Misses Elaine and Eleanor Woodside, twin sisters of the groom, as bridesmaids.

Dr. Edwin MacIntosh of Liverpool, was the best man and Graeme Macdonald of Montreal, brother of the bride, Dr. Donald Chipman, and Douglas Price of Halifax were the ushers.

The bride's gown was of imported lace and nylon tulle over satin, the bodice, buttoned in the back, having a high neckline, and the long sleeves tapering to points. The bouffant skirt had pointed inserts of lace over the hips and was slightly en train. Her chapel veil of tulle illusion fell from a coronet of matching lace and she carried a cascade bouquet of yellow rosea and bouvardia centered with a white orchid.

The bride's attendants were dressed alike in flame colored gowns of Chantilly lace in ballerina length and had strapless bodices complemented with capes in the same shade. Their flower headpieces had nose veils. They carried natural colored baskets of tulle roses.

Mrs. MacDonald wore a floor-length gown of redwood Chantilly lace and a French model flouncy hat and matching accessories. Her corsage was of sweetheart roses.

Mrs. Woodside wore a floor-length gown of queen's blue crepe and lace and matching model hat. Her accessories were eggshell and she wore a corsage of Johanna Hill roses.

Wedding Reception A reception was held in the Admiral Beatty Hotel. Mrs. Clifford Hannah, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Justin Woodside, aunt of the groom, presided over the tea cups and friends of the bride served.

The toast to the bride was proposed by James M. H. Fraser. Later, Dr. and Mrs. Woodside left on a motor trip to points of interest in the Maritimes and on their return will take up residence in Toronto, where the groom will pursue post-graduate studies in orthodontics at Toronto University. For travelling the bride wore a navy blue dressmaker suit with white accessories and her corsage was a white orchid.

The bride is a graduate of Dalhousie University with a B. A. degree and the groom is a graduate of Dalhousie with degrees of B. Sc. and D. D. S. The groom has spent many summers on P. E. I.

Out-of-town guests attended the wedding from the Maritime Provinces and the Eastern States.

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