

Strange But True
By E. H. MacArthur

Charlottetown has its parking problems like every city but Ottawa has a real headache arising out of the diplomatic immunity enjoyed by representatives of foreign countries in Ottawa. Members of the diplomatic corps park their cars on parliament hill in the space reserved for tourists and persons employed in the parliament building, and figuratively thumb their noses at the police who are unable to issue parking tickets to the diplomats in view of their immunity from prosecution in Canadian courts.

Did you know that more than 200 different types of cheese are made from milk? That a bishop is not a clergyman. He might be offended if he was referred to as one. He is the prince of the church.

Woe to anyone who stands in the way of tradition in storied old England. Recently a constable, Lloyd Staples, interfered with a dance in the streets by the children of the fishing village of Abbotbury — a custom dating back

to the middle ages — Mothers went up in arms. A lawyer was consulted and promised to contest the police action.

Mrs. Janet Barbee, 27, of Cleveland, Ohio, had her third child born on May 23, 1934, the same day the other two children came into the world.

Although the town of Chatteries, England, gave a number of its elderly persons a free car ride, a tour of inspection and a cup of tea, the municipal authorities couldn't persuade its aged citizens to swap their large, comfortable homes for smaller prefabricated ones.

Believe it or not, but Canadian motorists wasted enough gasoline in 1934 to drive 800,000,000 miles according to figures released by a finance company. Here's how the loss was reckoned: Our 2,300,000 passenger cars wasted one mile for each gallon of fuel used.

The average motorist gets 18 miles per gallon. But — and there is a but — if he followed a few simple rules he would get at least another mile per gallon. Easy starts, moderate and steady speeds and regular checkups would give Canadian motorists another 800,000,000 miles of driving. Think of it!

The Red Deer Valley in Alberta is one of the world's best known

sources of dinosaur remains. Prince Edward Island once banned automobiles because they scared the daylight out of horses. No wheeled vehicles are permitted on Japan's Iriomote Island, sacred to the ancient Shinto religion.

Hardening of the heart ages one faster than hardening of the arteries.

Tests successful on "Rubber Roads" in Canada. And additional rubber roads are planned all over the country. The new-type are expected to reduce highway maintenance costs. One big advantage of mixing natural rubber powder with asphalt in making new roads is that it provides less brittle pavement at below freezing temperatures and a harder surface in hot weather.

Captured by ferocious head hunters while exploring Cuba back in the 1920's, W. D. Warford, California adventurer, was saved from death when natives tattooed his entire body. They gazed in fear at the striped man and believed he was a god. Better still they gave him seven wives and made him their king for a couple of years.

After being burned out of their home three times in the last five years, Thomas Flaherty and his family believe they couldn't live in a more appropriately named town. They are residents of Hazardville, Conn.

More than 90 per cent of Norway's buses and taxicabs use Diesel engines.

A 21-foot automobile with solid brass fittings and the royal arms of Saudi Arabia in solid gold left Turin, Italy, on May 23 for delivery to King Saud Ibn Abdul. The car cost \$33,000. It weighs 20 tons.

HUNTER RIVER UNITED W. M. S.

Mrs. Hedley Spence entertained the members of the Auxiliary of the W. M. S. at her home on Thursday, January 6th. Mrs. MacLeod presided and opened the meeting with the call to Worship; the Theme being "Evangelism — the Church's Business." Hymn, "God of Mercy, God of Grace," was sung. Scripture reading from the book of Acts was read in unison. Questions from these readings were discussed and answered by the members. This was followed by the circle of prayer and prayer from the Missionary monthly in unison. Hymn, "Take Time to Be Holy" was sung.

A study period of the "Evangelism of the Church in India" was presented by Mrs. C. B. Matheson and Mrs. W. I. Bowman. Hymn, "We Give Thee, But Thine Own," and prayer closed the Worship period. There were 20 members and one visitor present.

Correspondence consisted of a card of thanks, and a letter from Mrs. Florence Murray read by Mrs. Jackie Bernard. Miss Murray told of some of the work that is being done in Korea, and thanked the W. M. S. for their prayers and support and for the relief parcels that have done so much to relieve the suffering of many. Miss Myrtle MacGregor is the Auxiliary's Missionary for the year, for whom prayers are to be offered.

Annual reports were given by the various officers. The treasurer reported allocation reached with a small increase. The president in her report urged the members to rededicate themselves to Him anew in 1935 — and in so doing to go forth with greater zeal and Christian unity for the great cause of missions.

The February meeting is to be at the home of Mrs. C. B. Matheson, roll call word, "Church." Mrs. John Craswell, Mrs. Fred Smith and Mrs. Don Bulman to be in charge of the study book, "The Presbyterian

JOHNSON'S RIVER W. M. S.

The regular monthly meeting of the Cornwall Auxiliary of the W. M. S., met at the home of the President, Mrs. Hazen Howard, who conducted the business part of the meeting.

Twenty three members answered roll call with a verse of Scripture, and three new members were warmly welcomed.

Mrs. Pearl Scott led the devotional period, assisted by Mrs. J. D. MacFarlane with Bible Study, "reading by Mrs. Sterling Clow on "Evangelism," reading by Mrs. Earl Lowther, "The Importance of Little Things." A duet by Mrs. Walter Gregor

which is to meet in Summerside on January 25 and 26 was discussed, was left for as many as possible to attend.

Lunch for February, Mrs. C. B. Matheson, Mrs. Elmer MacMillan and Mrs. O. Sellar. The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

NORTHERN BIRD

The Canadian raven, now found largely in the north, is a large member of the crow species.

and Mrs. Stewart Drake was very pleasingly rendered.

Mrs. Bain had the study book and gave a very full account of Evangelistic work being done in India, and a view of the great work still to be done.

Delegates were appointed to attend Presbyterian which meets in Summerside, January 25-26, and nominations made to fill the offices which will be vacant at that time.

Mrs. D. J. MacArthur will be hostess for our next meeting at her home, and Mrs. Harry Crosby will lead the devotional period. Meeting closed with Mizpah benediction after which a delicious lunch was served by the committee in charge.

STANHOPE

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ross Stanhope, returned home after spending the holidays with friends in the City.

Cpl. John E. Misener and Mrs. Misener and Mr. Bert Misener, motored to the city on Monday on business.

Mr. Earnest Bell and Oliver Bryenton were visitors to the City Monday.

The farmers of Friston Road and Stanhope are busy moving their potatoes, the weather being mild, and trucks are on the road hauling.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gunn and Mrs. Sheldon Gunn were visitors at Stanhope Saturday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Misener.

Mr. Harry McLaughlin our general merchant is busy engaged in pulp wood buying in Georgetown and other parts of the Island.

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Johnston's River School Concert

On Tuesday night, December 21st a very enjoyable concert was put on by the pupils of Johnston's River School in Mt. Ryan Hall, under the capable direction of the teacher Mr. Peter Driscoll. The concert consisted of a splendid selection of music and songs appropriate to the Christmas season and was ably carried out by the pupils showing the fine co-operation existing between them and their teacher.

Mr. Willie Trainor acted as chairman, and the teacher was organist for the occasion. Violin music was rendered by Mr. Walter Walker.

Following is the program:
Part one: address of welcome by Brenda Driscoll; chorus: "O Little Town of Bethlehem", by school; monologue: "In Grandma's Days", by Agnes Brazel; recitation: "Talking Hints", by Earnell Trainor; recitation: "Contagious", by Colleen Power; dialogue: "Getting Even With Sister's Beau", by Bernadette and Robert Brazel, Charlie Power, Brian Currie and Brenda Driscoll; recitation: "An Explanation", by Marie Walker; Christmas carols, by school; "Merry Christmas Drill", by Grade I to V; recitation: "My First Gift", by Kenneth MacDonald; song: "Away in a Manger", by Michael and Lewis Beagan.

Step dance, by Leo and Florence Walker; recitation: "Santa's Romance", by Rose Trainor; dialogue: "Making A Cake", by Lewis Beagan, Brian Currie and Kenneth MacDonald; recitation: "Secrets", by Doreen Driscoll; playette: "Writing to Santa", by Grades II and III; recitation: "Why", by John Driscoll; song: "Mother's Love Is A Blessing", by Rose and Barbara Ann Trainor.

Intermission and sale of candy.

Part two:
"Married Couple's Dance", by Grades III and IV and directed by Brian Currie; song: "First Nowell", by Marilyn and Brenda Driscoll, Florence Walker, Rose Trainor and Korlees Currie; recitation: "Unfair to Small Boys", by Stanley MacDonald; one-act play: "Blue Vase", by Helen Power, Rose Trainor, Michael Beagan, Glen Trainor, Leo Walker, Joe Brazel and Gordon MacDonald; recitation: "A Man's Complaint", by Charles Power; recitation: "Merely Ringing", by Glen Trainor; song: "My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean", by Marie Walker and Barbara Driscoll; recitation: "Without Christmas", by Mary Power; recitation: "So Was I", by Brian Currie; dialogue: The Fright Before Christmas, by three senior pupils; recitation: "A Child Of

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In Memoriam

In loving memory of my "Aunt Lizzie", Mrs. Frank Stevenson, who departed this life January 21st, 1934.

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His Saints. Psalm 116:15.

Inserted by Randolph.

In loving memory of Mrs. Gordon Robbins of Midgell and son Hall, who departed this life four years ago today, January 21st.

Memories are treasures no one can steal. Death leaves a wound no one can heal. We do not forget them, nor do we. We think of them daily and will to the end.

Lovingly Remembered by Garfield, Shirley and Granddaughter Glenda.

Card of Thanks

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