Music Diplomas Presented At Special Notre Dame Convent Concert Last Night

Diplomas awarded by the Royal Conservatory of Music, Toronto, were presented last night by Rev. P. F. MacDonald following a special concert by music pupils at Notre Dame Convent. Receiving their awards were 30 pupils ranging from Grade 1 piano to the degree of A.R.C.T.

The Sisters at the convent said they were pleased to announce that Miss Patricia MacDonald "having fulfilled the requirements of the examinations in piano 'solo performer' as prescribed by the Royal Conservatory of Music of Toronto" has been granted the associate diploma of the Conservatory of music with first class honors and permission to use the latters A. R. C. T. Miss MacDonald is a daughter of Lieut. Col. Leo MacDonald and Mrs. MacDonald.

During the concert last night the girls all appeared in long evening dresses in various shades to provide a colorful appearance. Among the outstanding performers were the vocalists headed by the splendid range of the soprana of Miss Maureen Blake. Great things in the future are predicted for Miss Blake. Other vocalists who created a splendid impression included Virginia MacDougall, Laurdrene Wood and Mariedith McDonald.

The choruses were exceptionally good and brought words of high praise from the packed audience while the folk dancing was one of the highlights of the evening.

Among the many taking part were Marguerite Duguy, Mary Smith, Bonita Smallman, Shelagh Molloy, Barbara Dalton, June Gallant, Marie McGuigan, Carol Clinton, Patricia Laurie, Patricia Cronin, Janet Gay, Paula Morris, Mary White, Norma Gay, Ruth Brun, Shelia Dickieson, Roberta Lappin, Marina Kays.

Legion Meeting Last Night

The regular monthly meeting of the Charlottetown Branch of the Canadian Legion was held in the Legion Rooms last night. President Stanley Bryant presided.

The first item of business was the report of the various committee chairmen, all of whom had a favorable report. Comrade Mortimer reported that there were a large number of veterans in hospital, all of whom had been visited and presented with cigarettes. Comrade Phil Palmer spoke on the issue of cigarettes to hospitalized veterans from outside branches. Comrade Sinclair moved that the other branches be contacted in this regard. This motion was seconded and carried.

Comrade Leard for employment reported that twenty requests had been received from veterans re help in securing employment. He asked the help and suggestions from the members in dealing with this problem. He had made four recommendations to the Provincial Government but as yet had not received a reply.

Comrade Sinclair in reporting for property in absence of Comrade Morgan advised of the necessity of immediate spring house cleaning of the property. This will be attended to in the near future.

Regarding pension and welfare, Comrade Sinclair spoke of an old case and reported what action was being taken by Service Bureau. He also gave a resume on where branch money goes that is paid to Dominion Command.

A veterans' dance is being held tonight for the veterans, their wives and friends.

Four members were appointed to attend the Dominion convention in Toronto in August with four others to serve as alternate members.

Comrade Sinclair as zone chairman reported on a meeting of the Provincial Command attended on April 28th.

Comrade Leard made a motion that a committee be appointed to look into the possibility of procuring a site to be developed into a fishing pond for the use of Legion members. Comrades Bryant, Brown and Harry Morgan will serve on this committee.

Comrade Sinclair announced that a zone rally will be held in the Charlottetown branch in the latter part of May to be attended by all branches in Queen's County.

Comrade Harry Morgan made the motion that $25.00 be donated to each of the school Cadet Corps (Prince Street, Queen Square and West Kent), this money to be distributed as prizes to each. This motion was heartily endorsed and seconded by Comrade Sinclair and strongly recommended by several other members.

There being no further business the meeting then adjourned with "God Save the Queen."

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS
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BIRTHS

BUTLER—At the Charlottetown Hospital on April 29th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butler, a son.

BALLUM—At the Prince County Hospital on April 27th to Mr. and Mrs. Ancel Ballum, Mt. Pleasant, a son Robert Allen. Weight 7 lbs, 2 ozs.

HARDY—At the Western Hospital, Friday, April 9th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hardy, Rosebank, a son, 9 lbs, 10 ozs.

SIGSWORTH— At the Charlottetown Hospital on April 27th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Newman Sigsworth, Borden ,a son, weight 8 lbs.

DEATHS

MILLS—At 41 Prince Street on Thursday, April 29th, 1954, Mrs. Thomas H. Mills in her 68th year. Her remains resting at the MacLean Funeral Home until this evening then at her late residence. Funeral notice later. Interment in the People's Cemetery.

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Sudden Death Of Mrs. Nellie Mills

The death occurred suddenly last night of Mrs. Nellie Mills, widow of the late Thomas H. Mills of this City at 67 years of age. The late Mrs. Mills had not been enjoying the best of health but her sudden passing comes as a shock to a host of friends.

Born in Charlottetown, Nellie Thorne, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thorne.

Surviving children are: Gordon, Roy, Frank, Ben, of Charlottetown, Elsie, (Mrs. Howard White) Milton, Helen (Mrs. Robert Stewart) City, Mary (Mrs. George Simcoe) Winnipeg, Fern, (Mrs. Carl Crosby) Summerside. Four children predeceased her. Also surviving are three sisters, Mrs William Dalziel, Mrs. Jack Beaton, Mrs. Gordon Mutlow and a brother Stephen Thorne, all of Charlottetown.

Brooder House Destroyed By Fire

A brooder house containing some 400 chickens was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning at Cherry Valley South. The owner, Mr. Bennett McIsaac, and his family were not aware of the fire until they arose at the usual time to find only smoldering embers.

The building was located in an orchard, some distance from the farm buildings.

The blaze was seen by travellers on the highway some distance away at 4 o'clock.

Prince St. Home, School Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Prince Street Home and School Association was held last evening in the Assembly Hall with a large number in attendance.

The highlights of the evening's entertainment consisted of a number of very enjoyable selections by the School Band under the direction of Mr. Ivo Cudmore and a panel discussion on discipline in which Col. Lowther, Mrs. Malone, Mrs. Nash and Rev. Mr. Dunbar participated.

Some discussion took place concerning the distribution of cod liver oil capsules among the pupils of Grades I to VI. It was decided to continue this project.

After a delicious lunch served by the catering committee the meeting adjourned.

Acknowledgement

The Central Royalty Women's Institute acknowledges with thanks, donations from the following as prizes in the card tournament just concluded: W. G. Barbour Ltd., Moore & MacLeod Ltd., Island Propane Gas, Mrs. M. J. MacMillan, Mr. Earl Mills, Mr. Bill Matthews, J. F. T. Morris Ltd.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of a dear Father, Malcolm Kenneth Docherty who passed away April 30th, 1942.

God only knows how we miss him
In a home that is lonely yet
But the hearts that always loved him,
Are the hearts that never forget.

Lovingly Remembered by Wife and Family.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear father who passed away April 29th, 1953.

Always remembered and ever loved by son Kenneth, Beulah and

CITY AND DISTRICT

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TINY TOTS have whittled prices down to pint size. March right in and save a lot of money.

HEAR Mr. Gordon MacDonald speak on Red Cross disaster services, CFCY today at 1 p.m.

GENERAL ELECTRIC FLOOR POLISHERS reduced to $54.50. Toombs Music Store.

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REGULAR Red Cross radio broadcast CFCY Friday at 1 p.m. instead of Saturday.

MENT'S FRIDAY SPECIAL. Chilled tomato juice, baked haddock with dressing, rolls and butter, tea, coffee or milk, 55 cents.

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CHARLOTTETOWN Optometrists will be closed all day every Wednesday from April to September.

ENGAGEMENT—Mr. and Mrs Lea MacKinnon, Winsloe, announce the engagement of their daughter, Freda Lois to Eric Watson MacKinnon, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas MacKinnon, Clyde River, marriage to take place in the near future.

B. Y. P. U. SUPPER — Last evening the Baptist Young People's Union closed a very successful season with a "Pot Luck" Supper. This was superintended by the girls with the boys, headed by the president, Donald Holden, doing the dish-washing.

ENGAGEMENT—Mr. and Mrs Vernon Currie, Charlottetown, announce the engagement of their daughter Donna Kay to Charles Percy Ripley, son of Mrs. O. H Trites and the late Mr. F. A. Ripley, Moncton, N. B., marriage to take place early in June.

BROOKFIELD CHARGE, Presbyterian Church in Canada The hours of service for Sunday, May 2nd, are as follows: Hunter River 11 a. m. Hartsville 3 p. m. Brookfield 7.30 p. m. Sunday School at Brookfield 11 a. m. All are welcome. Rev. Lawrence Blaikie, Minister.

C. W. L. CARD PARTY — A card party was held at the Community Centre last night sponsored by the C. W. L. Prize winners were: Ladies' first, Mrs. George Larter; second, Sylvia Coffin. men's first, Fred McAdam; second, Ernie Trainor and Vincent Trainor (tie). Door prize, Rose Gaudet. Freezeout, Mrs. Alex Ford and M. Blanchard.

CAPACITY AUDIENCE — A capacity house greeted the Cornwall - York players last night in Cornwall Hall. A most enjoyable program consisting of 2 one act plays, "Firemen save my child", "Mrs. O'Leary's Cow" and specialties included humerous readings and skits' singing and instrumental music. The concert will be repeated tonight.

POLICE COURT — In City Police Court yesterday morning before Magistrate Martin, a resident of Mermaid was given a two year suspended sentence on a charge of false pretenses. Police report that he issued a cheque in favor of a local merchant when there were no funds in the bank. In view of restitution made the sentence was suspended. A motorist found guilty of operating a motor vehicle without markers was fined $5 and costs.

BLUE SEAL PRODUCER — Maplewood Linda Rooker a member of the purebred Holstein herd of A. M. Jardine, Freetown, has qualified for a Blue Seal Certificate of Longtime production presented by the Holstein-Friesian Association of Canada. To qualify for this honour Linda produced in 9 lactations 127213 lbs. milk containing 4366 lbs. fat. In each of these lactations she was tested through the Record of Performance branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. She was milked twice daily through her lifetime.

PLAY AND CONCERT — Afton Hall was filled to capacity on Wednesday night, when New Dominion W. I. presented their one-act play and variety concert. Instrumental music opened the pragramme, then the play "In doubt about Daisy" was staged, and received much favorable comment. Intermission and sale of candy followed, after which the variety concert was presented, featuring readings, songs and instrumental music, much enjoyed by the orderly and appreciative audience. The entire cast led in singing "God save the Queen" Dancing was then enjoyed by the younger set. with good music supplied by the local orchestra.

UNIVERSITY WOMEN — This Province is the most prosperous looking of the Atlantic Provinces from the air in the opinion of Dr. Martha Law, who has been touring this part of Canada in the interest of the Canadian Federation of University Women. Dr. Law, who is a doctor of dental surgery with the Toronto schools, is president of the Federation. Last evening she met sixteen interested women at the Charlottetown Hotel. There is no proposal at present to organize a branch of the Federation but Miss Doris Anderson will maintain contact with Dr. Law in case it should prove feasible. No less than fourteen new branches have been organized since Dr. Law assumed the presidency and ten others are tentatively organizing.

NURSES HOLD MEETING — Poposed changes in the constitutional structure of the Canadian Nursing Association were discussed at a special general meeting of the Nursing Association of Prince Edward Island held last night at Red Cross House. Each provincial association is holding similar meetings to determine what changes will be approved when the biennial meeting of the C.N.A. is held in Banff in June. Presiding last night was Miss Verna Darrach, president of the Provincial Association, while Miss Muriel Archibald was the secretary registrar.

Scene From A Y P A Play

Scene in "This Night Shall Pass" —A one-act play presented by A. Y.P.A. of St. Peter's Cathedral on Wednesday night.

Standing: June Dickson and Art MacLean, reclining, Harry Shama. This one act play will be presented in competition at Halifax in the Diocesan Dramatic Festival in May.

In the one act play "Decision" also presented by the A.Y.P.A. of St. Peter's Cathedral the splendid effort on the part of the three young ladies making their first appearance was highly commended These were: Miss Jane Buchanan as Jennie Swan, Priscella Griffith as Cora Swan and Roma Kerry as Bertha Scott. Mr. Harry Shama as the solo male representative in the cast, gave the beginners excellent support.

The second play titled "This Night Shall Pass" was confined to three more experienced performers, Harry Shama, June Dickson and Art MacLean, and was a highly satisfactory demonstration of the state of perfection they have attained before the footlights.

Stage setting was by Charlie Willett and Warren MacKenzie, decorating, Beverley Place and Dodie Morris, make-up, Alice Dickson, sound, Paul Kays, lights, Peter Shama, script, Gladys Kays.

LIONETTES CLUB MEETS — The regular monthly meeting of the Lionettes Club of Charlottetown was held at the Rendezvous Restaurant last night with Queen Lionette Loie Stevenson presiding. Various reports were given and forthcoming business projects discussed. Plans were also drawn up for the charter meeting to be held late in May. During the course of the evening, Lionettes pins were distributed. The meeting closed with the singing of "The Queen".

ALPHA Y'S MEN'S CLUB — At the regular weekly meeting of the Alpha Y's Men's Club last evening in the Y.M.C.A., Jack MacNair presided. Following the reading of the minutes president Dick Matheson spoke about the show "Rose of the Danube" which the club had presented at Prince of Wales College hall earlier in the week and extended the thanks of the club to all who had participated in putting on this very pleasing entertainment. Three new members, Jack Haystead, Keith Jenkins, and Jack Kirby in a very impressive ceremony received their induction charge, following which Jack MacNair explained to them what it means to be a Y's Man and the meaning of the motto "To Acknowledge the Duty that Accompanies Every Right." John Szotak and Eric Duvar were guests and introduced to the club. The sing-song was led by Harvey McPherson with O. K. Presby at the piano.

PRIZE WINNERS — Following are the winners at last night's card party in Central Royalty Hall: Ladies first, Mrs. James Davey; ladies consolation, Helena O'Brien; gents first, Irving Buchanan; gents consolation, Henry Perry. The door prize was won by Mrs. Norman MacLeod and the freezeout by Mr. and Mrs. Vince Shea. The recent tournament of several weeks duration was also ended last night. Mrs. Rita Worth with a score of 3680 was high scorer and won an electric kettle. Other winners with their scores and prizes were: Ladies first, Mrs. A. E. MacLean, 3480, bed spread; ladies second, Mrs. John McAleer Jr., 3420, billfold; ladies third, Mrs. Marge Duffy, 3420, crochet centre-piece; gents first, Brent Howatt, 3490, a travelling case; gents second, Irving Buchanan, 3455, one gallon paint; gents third, Vernon MacLean, 3450, seven pounds candy.

Personals

Mrs. J. L. Lund of Summerside is a patient in Prince County Hospital. —S

Mrs. William Hickey of Indian River, is a patient in Prince County Hospital. —S

HIGHLAND DANCING, CHORAL READING FEATURE FESTIVAL OPENING TODAY

Highland dancing and choral reading will feature the opening day of the 1954 Prince Edward Island Musical Festival when it begins at 9.30 this morning in Prince of Wales College hall.

Major Ian Callum MacLeod, Gaelic adviser to the Department of Education in the Province of Nova Scotia will adjudicate the dancing and the choral reading will be adjudicated by Miss Helen Yeo, of the Faculty of Prince of Wales College.

The number of entries in the Musical Festival has been increasing steadily every year and approximately 1,700 will be judged before the Festival ends a week from tomorrow night. The facilities for handling the Festival have of course had to be extended and this year in addition to the three centres in Charlottetown, 25 classes will be adjudicated in Summerside. The finals of the 25 specified classes will be heard in Charlottetown some time next week.

The official opening of the Festival will take place on Monday night and will be under the distinguished patronage of His Honor Lieutenant Governor T. W. L. Prowse; Honorable A. W. Matheson, Premier of Prince Edward Island and His Worship, Mayor J. D. Stewart.

The president of the Festival, Dr. G. D. Steel will give the opening address.

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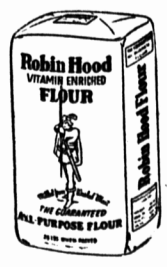
Cheese Whiz Jar	35c
Shredded Wheat, 2 pkgs.	39c
Perfection and Carnation Milk, 6 tins	89c
Broken Pekoe Tea, lb.	79c
Salada Tea, lb.	95c
Wethey's Two Fruit Marmalade, lge. jar	39c
Woodbury's Soap, 4 bars	31c
Purex ad White Swan, Toilet Tissue 2 for	25c
Tomatoes, Oakleaf, 2 tins	39c
Corn, Frankford, 2 tins	29c



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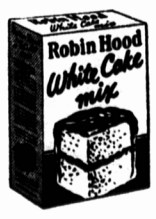

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