



Executive officers brought in at the recent USC annual meeting of the P. E. I. Branch are (FROM LEFT) Isabel MacDonald, secretary; Mrs.

Phil Barlow, vice-president; Mrs. Fred Osborne, president and Mrs. A. A. MacKinnon, treasurer.

P.E.I. Branch USC Produces Fantastic Amount Of Work

The recent Annual Meeting of the Prince Edward Island Branch of the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada brought to light an almost unbelievable record for the past year. 218 boxes containing 18,147 pounds of clothing were shipped from the work room in the Dominion Building. This material was donated by 166 Women's Institutes; Carry-on Knitting Club; Catholic Social Welfare Bureau; Piusville District; St. Mark's Church, Kensington; Protestant Family Service Bureau; Queen Mary Needlework Guild; Belle River U.C.W.; Breadalbane WMS; Christian Church, South Lake WMS; Montrose Community School Club; Church of Christ, Murray Harbour; Long Creek Mission Band; Baptist Church, Clyde River; WMS Summerside High school; Mt. Herbert U.C.W. Crystal Chapter; Club; Metropolitan Store and a great many individuals too numerous to mention.

Donations from the West are assembled in the Fire Hall in Summerside by the Business and Professional Women's Club there and brought to the Charlottetown work room by the Summerside Y's Men. Here all material is sorted, mended, cleaned and packed by the Committee, assisted by volunteers from the WMS of the Pentecostal Church, the University Women's Club, the Baptist Church Women, the Zion Church Auxiliary, the Basilea Catholic Women's League, Parkdale Women's Institute, Charlottetown Business and Professional Women's Club and the Kirk of St.

James Auxiliary. The boxes are strapped and prepared for shipping by the Charlottetown Y's Men and taken to the airport by Jenkins Transfer and Bowness Transfer. Eastern Provincial Airways delivers them to the Saguenay Shipping Company for transport overseas. No monetary outlay is involved in their distribution and funds donated are all used to buy materials for mending and other necessary purchases. A total of 85 per cent of the work of the Committee is geared towards children and branch shipments included 357 complete layettes composed of over 4,000 articles. Also included were 194 pairs of heelless socks, 120 quilts, 149 pairs of mittens, and gloves, 108 cardigans and other articles.

The sum of \$200.00 was forwarded to headquarters in Ottawa to be added to the powdered milk fund as well as \$200.00 towards famine relief in India. Greetings were received from Dr. Lotta Hirschmanova and Ottawa staff, expressing appreciation to volunteers and donors.

The president, Mrs. Fred Osborne, congratulated members on the tremendous amount of work accomplished with the result that the Prince Edward Island Branch is regarded as the "wonder branch" of the Committee. The president also mentioned one more phase - the donation of fat from different establishments with which members made 300 pounds of home made soap which was included in the shipments.

The report of the nominating committee, read by Mrs. M. J.

Crosby resulted as follows: president, Mrs. Fred G Osborne; first vice-president, Mrs. Philip Barlow; chairman, King's County, Mrs. Spencer Sharam, Murray Harbour; Third vice-president, Mrs. Robert Shaw, Summerside, pro tem; secretary, Isabel MacDonald; treasurer, Mrs. Marjorie MacKinnon; board of directors, Mrs. Allen B. Cosh, Mrs. Reginald MacEwen, Mrs. Robert Sutherland, Mrs. Keith Rogers and Mrs. James Pendergast; wool convener, Mrs. Kitty Moore; shipping, Mrs. Arthur Seaman; acknowledgement, Mrs. Doris Brown and Mrs. Walter MacMillan, publicity (Radio and TV), Mrs. Julian Herring and Mrs. Robert Large; local publicity, Mrs. C.N. Bisitt; committees: buying, Mrs. John England, Isayettes, Lena MacCallum and Jean Aitken; home sewing, Mrs. Ernest Bell and Mrs. Frank Tinney; ways and means, Mrs. Lloyd Howatt and Isabel Miller; Afternoon mending, Ruth Wood, Mrs. Vera Sealey, Mrs. Helen McCarey, Mrs. A. W. Robertson and Mrs. Hedley Weeks; evening mending, Protestant church groups, Catholic Women's League, Women's Institutes, Island women's clubs, business and Professional Women's Clubs and University Women's groups; cleaning and packing, Mrs. Philip Barlow, Mrs. Walter MacMillan, Mrs. E. Mallett and Mrs. Lloyd Weeks.



HELEN MATTHEWS



PAUL ZWICKER

WEDDING PLANNED

The engagement is announced of Helen Irene Matthews Summerside, daughter of Mrs. George A. Matthews and the late Mr. Matthews to

Paul S. Zwicker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley S. Zwicker of South Brookfield, N. S. The wedding is to take place in May.

Morell WI To Cater On April 28

Members of Morell WI met at the home of Mrs. Leo Murphy for the April meeting when 10 members and one visitor were in attendance. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Etta Robbins.

Correspondence included a letter from the CAC and one from the USC acknowledging knitted garments which had been received. A report on the Red Cross meeting and Seminar was given by Mrs. J. J. Rooney.

Members agreed to pay the expenses of 4-H club girls who are to attend a meeting at Birch Court. The president and four other members will attend a district officers' meeting at Bridgetown on April 28.

It was also decided to cater to a hot dinner for Regional School trustees on Wednesday, April 28. The following committee was appointed to assist the president with same: Mrs. William Aylward, Mrs. Freeman Jaay, Mrs. Cecil McCarthy and Mrs. Rooney, Mrs. F.G. MacKinnon consented to take care of dishes for the dinner.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.



P.E.I. Hairdressers Association

EXAMINATIONS

Wednesday, June 15th - 7 P.M.

Theory Examinations at 5:30

Isabelle Beauty Shop, 225 Queen St.

Followed by Practical Examinations at

Kent Beauty Shop—Rita's Beauty Shop

Written applications for examinations must be in by June 8th to the registrar, Mrs. Rita MacIntyre c/o Rita's Beauty Shop, 102 Kent Street, Ch'town.

Only written applications will be considered. Applicants must bring the following equipment: Shampoo cape, towels, shampoo, color rinse, scissors, razor, comb, brush, pin curl clips, rollers, cold wave rods, end papers, wave sets.

EXAMINATION FEE \$10.00

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ELLEN'S DIARY

Pussy Willows Were Out Along The Old Millroad

"Peter sat as still as a mouse" Alex has left this written in a twinkle of "lead", on the heretofore blank sheet of tonight's Diary-to-be. About to go home, he, in an idle moment had caught the younger, and usually active lad, in deep concentration before the TV, over a feature just closing. The old clock on its shelf had warned of a deadline. They must don jackets and betake themselves along the lighted yard-path which leads home. Their day was closing happily. Indeed childhood tears are becoming rare at Alderlea. Few minor hurts of body or spirit now occasion them—few there are to be fondly kissed away.

"It's good there comes a week end. Ellen" James remarks, washing up at the kitchen sink. "What would life be like, if there was no pause in the work no one day of rest?"

And our world about, now in the shadow of Sunday, is at peace. Stars watch over the quiet fields, where already farmers have come by day to pick up once more the rested threads of the fieldwork. Would you come now to the door with us to enjoy the night? To marvel over its delightful silence in the noise and confusion of less peaceful rural spots. No ceaseless beat of traffic disturbs the serenity. The sound of it which comes in over the rim of our valley, from the Highway, is muted, the shade indeed of the substance, a quiet echo only, a murmur of things. Nothing disturbs the hush obtaining. Even the closing of a car door down in the dim near the mill, where an angler has lingered on into the dusk, fades away lightly into the silence. And its lights, presently moving a wide swath up the hill and beyond, tell a nice story of one homing to shelter and rest.

So the day goes, taking with it the week. The month too spends away, rolls on, nearing

its close. An opalescent month April is, a jewel of many shades, each day with a different appearance, a different charm. Now the green of springtime is deeper on the meadows. In the woodlands, the maples' tops turn to rose. Pussy willows are well silvered along the old millroad. Up the creek they lean over to primp in the now quietly flowing stream. The sky is a sea of sunny blue, whereon great fleecy clouds hoist their sails.

And everywhere the seasonal promises, the hopes renewed reflect a warmth in the depths of folks' hearts. So increasingly lovely the days are we continually "Praise de Lawd," and find with Edna Jacques in her verse "Just Livin'" that "Just being alive... is such splendid fun." What is this "Just livin'" "It's bread and jam and a pot of tea.

With someone you love for company. A fire for chilly nights, a chair, and radio music sounding there. A sense of home and familiar things. An old back porch where a cricket sings.

Not askin' much, just a place to stay. A quiet bed at the end of day. A friend to drop in for a little chat. Gossiping over this and that. A game of checkers or dominos. And a small wood fire that softly glows...

It's bread and butter and simple things. Tears and laughter and wedding rings.

A birth in the house - a death in the door. A friend falling upon the floor. A child to love then the day is done. Just being alive... is such splendid fun. Until Monday... Diary... Good-night...

HAPPENINGS

Audrey Jenkins, Women's Editor, Phone 4-8506

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Cahill, Springfield, left by train on Thursday for Saint John, N. B., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Morrison and family. They were accompanied to Moncton by Mrs. John Hagen who was enroute to visit Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Willison and baby daughter, Pamela, in Peterborough, Ont.

Elizabeth and Nora MacDonald, Kensington, have returned home after spending a recent holiday at New Glasgow, guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson MacDonald.

Wayne Champion, Kensington, who left recently for Vancouver, B. C. where he will be joined later by his wife and family was the recipient of an engraved gift from the Island Telephone staff of the Summerside area at a party held in his honor, prior to his departure.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Rix, Dartmouth, N. S., motored to Elmsdale and Woodstock recently. They were accompanied by

datation when panelists will be: Mrs. Frank Ross, convener of education; Mrs. Rudi Dalenback, rural development with ARDA; Reginald McDonald, Supt. of Schools and Harold Godfrey representing parents of district. Invitations have been extended to Clyde River and Meadow Bank Institutes and to Cornwall Home and School Association to attend as guests.

Refreshments included a birthday cake, celebrating the 53 birthday of Cornwall WI. Candles were blown out by Mrs. Gordon MacMillan a charter member of the Institute.

ARTS CAMP GROWS REGINA (CP) - The Saskatchewan Arts Board will conduct a three-week-long school of the arts this summer at Carleton Place, Ont. Amalgamated with the summer music camp, the school's courses include various kinds of music, acting, writing and painting.

Doyle at the home of her sister Mrs. Peter MacMillan in Charlottetown. The gift was also in appreciation of Mrs. Doyle's interest in, and support of the Legion and its activities over the years.

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Monday, April 25—8 p.m.

T'GNISH REGIONAL AUDITORIUM

1. Tignish Regional - "High Window"
2. Alberton Regional - "Still Stands the House"
3. O'Leary Regional - "The Reign of Gen. Marias"

Tuesday, April 26

1. Kinkora Regional - "The Shock of His Life"
2. Kinkora Regional - "Squaring it with the Boss"

KENSINGTON REGIONAL AUDITORIUM

Wednesday, April 27—8 p.m.

1. Stella Maris Regional - "The Long Silence"
2. Stella Maris Regional - "Casket Scene Merchant of Venice"
3. St. Dunstan's High - "Seven Against One"

Thursday, April 28

1. Notre Dame Academy - "Twelve Old Men"
2. Notre Dame Academy - "Florence Unlimited"
3. Central Queens Regional - "Mother-in-law Once Removed"

SOURIS REGIONAL AUDITORIUM

Friday, April 29

1. Souris Regional - "The Patchwork Quilt"
2. Morell Regional - "A Pound on Demand"
3. Montague Regional - "Still Stands the House"

Saturday—8 p.m.

1. Charlottetown Rural - "The Inconstant Moon"
2. Charlottetown Rural - "Lord Byron's Love Letter"
3. Provincial Vocational Institute - "Riders to the Sea"

Adjudicator
Mr. Murray Parter, Halifax, N. S.
Admission Adults 75c; Students 35c at all performances.

Women

The Guardian, Charlottetown, Sat., April 23, 1966.

WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS

Cornwall WI Will Hold Panel Discussion In May

Mrs. Gordon Worth was hostess to the Cornwall WI for their April meeting which was held in the school auditorium. The meeting opened with an Easter thought and Mrs. Gordon MacMillan at the piano. Roll call answered with a verse from an old autograph album. Mrs. Harold Godfrey reported for visiting committee and Mrs. Gordon Worth gave an interesting report on "Consolidation of Elementary Schools". A report on the Safety Seminar held in Confederation Centre was given by Mrs. Harold Scott. Mrs. Harold Donahue reported on the Helen Herring radio programme. April report to be given by Mrs. Gordon Worth.

The members decided to sponsor, along with a number of other Institutes, the opening performance of "Anne of Green Gables" - tickets will be available from the members. Highlight of the meeting was the showing of colored slides by Keith Brehaut on "rural beautification" which was much enjoyed. Next meeting will be held in school basement when roll call "always remember what mother said (a maxim for me to live by)". Mrs. George MacMillan will be citizenship convener and all members will be on the food committee. A panel discussion will be held on Elementary school consoli-

A pound of sugar today costs less than it did 15 years ago.

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MR. AND MRS. ANDREW MACRAE

HONORED ON ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew MacRae, East Royalty marked their 25th wedding anniversary recently when their only son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs. Ian MacRae took them to dinner at the Charlottetown Hotel, and presented them with a boutonniere and a corsage. In the early evening, a number of friends held a surprise party for the celebrants at the hotel, with refreshments served, buffet style. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Betts, St. Peter's Road also entertained for the couple at their home, when Wendall MacKay acted as emcee and gave a humorous address and a presentation was made from the group. Mr. MacRae is minister of agriculture for

the province and Mrs. MacRae is the former Rena Jay of Charlottetown. They were married in Zion Presbyterian Church in April 1931 by Rev G. Caryle Webster.

CHRONIC BRONCHITIS BRONCHIAL COUGH, ASTHMA

Do you cough, cough, cough night and day because of bronchial irritation caused by highly-poisoned phlegm in your bronchial tubes? Do you gasp for breath, wheeze and cough as you find it hard to do your work or get your proper rest? Then here is GOOD NEWS for you from Mrs. G. Schofield, 75 Alamo Street, Toronto: "I have been subject to chronic bronchitis which made me cough and gasp for breath. I also get asthmatic attacks in damp weather. I am thankful to say I have found in RAZ-MAH capsules quick and satisfactory relief from my suffering. I recommend RAZ-MAH capsules to my friends. You can get this same satisfactory relief. Get RAZ-MAH capsules from your druggist, 85c and \$1.65. For children get RAZ-MAH Gummies. 7c-8c

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