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Annual Meeting of Trinity Junior W.A.

The annual meeting of the Junior Women's Association was held in the Social Hall of Trinity United Church on Wednesday evening January 14th with the president Mrs. Fred Gamble, presiding. After the devotional period, the minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved. Reports were read from the 10 groups which showed an increase in membership and activity, the president, Mrs. Gamble in presenting her report, received the various activities of the Association, and expressed her appreciation to the members for their loyal support.

Mrs. Gordon Swan, acting for the chairman of the nominating committee, announced the new Slate of officers for the coming year: president, Mrs. Ewen Anderson; first vice president Mrs. Robert MacKinnon; second vice-president, Mrs. J. W. MacKenzie; secretary, Mrs. J. C. Montgomery; treasurer, Mrs. Ian Sinclair.

At the conclusion of the meeting, the Rev. J. T. Reid inducted the executive for the coming year, after which, a social hour was enjoyed.

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RETURNS FROM COURSE—Major J. A. MacDonald, second in command of the P. E. I. Regiment, returned yesterday after attending a week-long military course in Halifax.

PRINCE OF WALES CONCERT SERIES presents Lois Marshall, brilliant Canadian soprano, Tuesday evening, January 27th, at 8:30, College Auditorium. Admission 75 cents; students 25 cents.

HEAR PANEL discussion on traffic by Police Chief MacArthur, Mrs. J. A. Lawson, and P. W. Hyndman on Monday, January 23 at 10:30, Station CFCY. This program begins a series of community affairs broadcasts each Monday at 10:30.

Mr. Lorne Acorn and Mr. Eddie Acorn of Charlottetown, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Acorn, Village Green.

Display Of Art Work From India

An exhibition of art work from India and a sale of handicraft will be held Thursday and Friday of this week at 101 Queen Street. Two of the interesting items to be shown are caskets of gold and silver and sandalwood delicately carved and inlaid. They are gifts of the Maharajah of Mysore to the students of Canada. The display is made possible by the World University Service of Canada. President of the local committee at St. Dunstan's is Gerald Steele.

Mr. Ralph Mosher of the national office of the World University Service, Toronto, is expected here to make final preparations for the showing.

The proceeds from the sale of jewellery, Corungo glassware, Sandalwood, Ivory work and weaving will go to aid students in India and southeast Asia. Mrs. E. Mulvaney who has spent a considerable number of years in India will be on hand to explain the objects and answer questions. The exhibit and sale has been held in other university cities including Toronto, Montreal and Kingston.

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. RICHARD JOHNSTON

The death occurred at the Sacred Heart Home, Charlottetown, on December 16th, of Mrs. Richard Johnston. The deceased had suffered a severe attack in the early morning of December 14th, from which she failed to rally and on the above mentioned date her soul passed to the great beyond.

Although she had reached the advanced age of eighty-two years, Mrs. Johnston had been enjoying good health up until her sudden illness. The late Mrs. Johnston was formerly Sabina Kelly, born in Kinkora, and daughter of the late Andrew Kelly and Mary Beagan, and except for a few years spent in the U. S. A. she had lived in Kinkora all her life.

Two years ago, after the death of her husband, she went to live at the Sacred Heart Home, where the kindness of the Sisters made the remainder of her life very happy. Mrs. Johnston was of sterling character and a devoted Christian and her good works and example will live long after her passing.

There are left to mourn her passing one daughter and two sons, namely: Mary, (Mrs. Ernest Deighan), Summerside; Charles, (Everett, Mass.), and Sabinus of Kinkora, besides twenty-one grandchildren who will ever cherish loving memories of their grandmother. Also surviving are three sisters and three brothers, namely: Mrs. Thomas McCarville, Everett, Mass.; Mrs. Allan Morrison, Malden, Mass.; Mrs. John D. McCarville, Kinkora; Henry, Vancouver, B. C.; John and James, Kinkora.

The funeral which was held from the residence of her son Sabinus to St. Malachi's Church on Friday morning, December 19th and was very largely attended. Requiem Mass was sung by Rev. Claude Shea, who also officiated at the grave. The pall-bearers were Messrs Harold Mulligan, Thomas McAvinn, Edwin Smith, Charles McCardie, Leonard McCarville and Percy Murphy. May her soul rest in peace.

Card Of Thanks

The family of the late Mrs. Richard Johnston wish to extend their sincere thanks to all kind neighbours and friends who assisted them in their recent sad bereavement, also to the Sisters of the Sacred Heart Home and all those who sent mass cards and messages of sympathy.

MORELL C. W. L.

The regular monthly meeting of the Little Flower sub-division, Catholic Women's League, was held at the home of Mrs. G. F. Bonnel Sunday evening January 11th. The president, Mrs. J. E. Rooster, opened the meeting, with the League prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. J. F. MacInnis, and approved. Letters were read from the following:—Father McKenna, Sister St. Theodore, Rustico, Mrs. Adeline Hynes, Mrs. Somerled Kelly, Mrs. Charles Rogerson, Mrs. Della Clarkin.

The treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Jay, read the financial report. It was moved and seconded that all bills be paid and \$5.00 be sent to the T. B. Convalescent Home in Montague, and \$5.00 to the Sisters of Mariba.

Mrs. Ed. Rooster invited the members to her home for the next meeting.

The meeting then adjourned and the hostess, assisted by the lunch committee, served refreshments.

BAGS FIRST WOLF

SARNIA, ONT.—(CP)—Wolves driven South in search of food have appeared in Lambton County. Walter Core, 16, shot one and was given credit for killing the first animal of the season here.

Strange, But True

By F. L. MacArthur

Have you ever wondered how the word "sourdough" came to be applied to the men of the Yukon? Leavening was unknown in the Yukon and much ingenuity was shown by the miners in concocting yeast from a mixture of flour and water that was allowed to go sour. Thus as the famous gold field grew, the name "sourdough" was tacked on to the veterans who had learned not only to make Yukon bread but the hundred and one tricks of survival on the fringe of the Arctic Circle.

It is interesting to note how some of the world's great gold mines came to be discovered. Take, for instance, Coalgardie, in Western Australia.

In 1892 a couple of adventurers, named Bailey and Lord, camped for the night with the intention of going back to Paeth the next day. The sound of kicking horses woke Bailey from sound sleep. He went to investigate. The night was dark and he stumbled and fell over a stone. The weight of the stone aroused his suspicion. It could be gold. Forgetting all about the kicking horses Bailey rushed back to the campfire. He was right. It was a solid mass of gold. The claim he staked out made him a rich man in four weeks.

One of the country's best stories is that of the prospector who found the Sabbath day so boring, and, to pass the time, began to dig away the soil under his tent. In less than ten minutes he struck a rich pocket. That was the beginning of Kalgoolie which later became one of the world's wonder places.

One day a ne'er-do-well named Thomas Cootal asked a party to let him go with them in the prospecting of the Lebonbo mountains in the Transvaal. Thomas who had a greater fondness for liquor than prospecting, got so drunk his companions could not get him up and on the march in the morning. Refusing to be kept from their work they left him lying on the summit of a rocky ledge. When Thomas at last awoke from his drunken stupor his head was sore from the sharp-edged boulder he had used for a pillow. He sat up to push it away, so that he could settle down for another nap. His sleepy eyes opened wide in amazement; the rock was studded with gold nuggets.

Instances like these I have mentioned could be multiplied many times, but enough of these items have been recorded to prove that Lady Luck often plays an important role in the discovery of new gold fields.

While I am on the subject of gold, it may not be out of order to draw the reader's attention to the Book of Kings which says: "And they came to Ophair, and belched from thence gold, four hundred and twenty talents, and brought it to King Solomon. Now the weight of gold that came to Solomon in one year was six hundred three score and six talents of gold, beside that he had of the merchantmen, and all the kings of Arabia, and of the governors of the country."

Geologists and treasure-hunters have all read and reread the above Biblical passage in the hope of finding the key that would unlock one of the mysteries of the ages, namely: just where was Solomon's gold mine. They failed to find in Scriptures the least clue because the question is not answered in the Bible. On one fact only are all agreed: the wise man's gold came somewhere from Continental Africa.

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