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BIRNIE-MURPHY

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. John Baptist Church on Thursday evening, February 18th, at eight o'clock, when Alice Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Murphy, was united in marriage to George Birnie, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Birnie, Rev. N. Franchetti officiated.

The bride entered the church on the church on the arm of her father and was becomingly gowned in flesh pink satin, with black satin jacket banded with white fur, black hat and slippers. The bride's bouquet was composed of pink roses, and maiden hair fern, tied with pink tulle. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Earle D. Nesbitt.

Following the ceremony, a delicious supper was served at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Birnie are very popular in Edmundston, and have the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

NEW JEWELER ON CHURCH ST.

Mr. T. J. Aubé, formerly with Aube Brothers of Chatham, has recently bought the store occupied by F. O. Landry and is now open for business. Mr. Aubé is an experienced jeweler having worked in the Waltham manufacture for several years before going in business with his brother in Chatham.

No doubt our population will appreciate this opportunity of having this dependable jeweler in town for all kinds of repairs.

SALARY CUT FOR THE DIRECTORS?

Announcement was made at headquarters of the Canadian National Railways that at a recent directors' meeting the directors voted in favor of a ten per cent reduction

PERSONALS

—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Matheson entertained at a most enjoyable double bridge on Wednesday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Horton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Matheson, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brou, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Emory, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. MacAlary, Mrs. L. A. Landry, Miss Etta Reith, Miss Grace Stevens, Messrs. D. H. Sunderland, and Alex. Matheson. Prizes were won by Miss Stevens, Mrs. Stevenson and Alex. Matheson. Prizes were won by Miss Stevens, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Horton, Mr. Horton, Mr. Scott, and Mr. Stevenson. Assisting in serving were Mrs. G. Merritt, Mrs. Stevenson, and Mrs. Landry.

—The "Contractors" met with Mrs. D. R. Bishop on Saturday afternoon. Extra guests were Mrs. O. E. Horton and Mrs. J. F. MacKenzie. The prize was won by Mrs. R. S. White.

—Mrs. F. O. White entertained at a Luncheon Bridge of three tables on Friday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. D. H. Matheson, Mrs. F. G. Merritt, Mrs. T. J. Scott, Mrs. V. H. Emory, Mrs. Aubrey Crabtree, Mrs. R. S. White, Mrs. L. M. Sherwood, Mrs. J. R. Lockhart, Mrs. William Matheson, Mrs. D. A. Fraser, Mrs. E. W. G. Chapman. Prizes were won by Mrs. Donald Matheson and Mrs. Merritt.

—Miss Grace Stevens entertained the members of her bridge club on Thursday afternoon. Extra guests were Mrs. Aubrey Crabtree, Mrs. V. H. Emory, Mrs. H. H. Henderson and Mrs. L. M. Sherwood. The prize was won by Mrs. Henderson.

—D. H. Sunderland left on Monday for Boston. During the year he was living in Edmundston, and his departure is greatly regretted.

—Mrs. Aubrey Crabtree and Miss Phyllis Hall entertained at a delightful bridge on Saturday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Emory, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Matheson, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Henderson, Miss Grace Stevens, Messrs. H. S. MacLachlan, T. M. Barry, and Norman Allen. Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Merritt, first, and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fraser second.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Clair have returned from Montreal.

—Mrs. F. Dodd Tweedie is visiting friends in Woodstock.

—The monthly meeting of the Fraser Junior Executive Club took the form of a banquet at the Royal Hotel on Tuesday evening, February 23rd. Interesting lectures were given

Assassin's Victim



Ironically enough, the assassination of Jannuske Inouye (above), former Minister of Finance, is believed to have been prompted by his abhorrence of bloodshed. Inouye, shot to death in Tokyo, vigorously opposed Japanese military activities in China and in consequence was in extreme disfavor with the Jingoos, or militaristic clique.

NATIONAL MOTOR SHOW OF CANADA ANNOUNCED

Announcement of the dates for the National Motor Show of Canada is made by the Canadian Automobile Chamber of Commerce. It is to be held in Toronto in the Automobile Building on March 8th to 12th, inclusive. Arrangements have been made so that every automobile manufacturer selling in the Canadian market will be represented.

PRaises OF RUM ESSENTIALLY ENGLISH

Let Scotland have her whiskey, Holland her gin, France her wines and brandy; England can still lay claim to rum as the true spirit of the Englishman, states Mr. H. Warner Allen in effect, in his interesting booklet, "Rum, the Englishman's Spirit," just published in London.

by K. S. MacLachlan, and O. E. Horton. Song selections by Ray Bourgeois were greatly enjoyed, and the meeting closed with the singing of "God Save the King." Music was furnished by Pat Martin's orchestra.

VAN BUREN

—Mr. Jacob Klein, prominent local merchant, whose store was completely destroyed by fire, lately has gone to Portland, to join his family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dow Brewer and family left recently for Houlton, where they will make their home. Mr. Brewer having accepted a position with the Bangor and Aroostook railroad here.

—Miss Villa Hayden, State Nurse, has been conducting a health clinic for the students of Sacred Heart high school, in town last week. A number of conferences on hygiene were also given by Miss Hayden.

—The local Rotary club held a Shrove Tuesday banquet at the Cyr hotel in St. Leonard, the event being one of the happiest gatherings of the year for this organization. The program was in charge of Lora Park, and included an interesting and enlightening talk on the local business situation. He was followed by Charles L. O'Connell, superintendent of Van Buren Schools, who spoke on the subject of "The Model Building Contest," which has as an incentive \$75,000 in awards. This international contest, which closes on July 1st, is adding new competitors daily.

IS THE FISH A PROPER FOOD?

60 VARIETIES OF GOOD FISH

The value of fish as a food is pointed out in a recent article in the Fisheries News Bulletin, official publication of the Canadian Department of Fisheries, which quotes from an address delivered at Ottawa by Dr. Harden E. Taylor, one of America's foremost fisheries research authorities. Attention is drawn particularly to the copper, iodine and the contents of the fish and also to the importance of fish in which the valuable Vitamin D is present. Copper, it is stated, is present in all sea foods, especially in shell fish, and it is this element that is so vital to persons suffering from anaemia. Iodine, lacking in most foods, is relatively abundant in fish and is a great preventative of such diseases as goitre. Sea foods as a class are rich in lime or calcium, the great bone-forming substance, the haddock for example having a time content nearly five times that of any other common food. In dealing with the noted Vitamin D, which gives cod liver oil its great medicinal value, it is pointed out that the oil distributed through the bodies of various fishes such as herring and salmon is similar to the liver oil of the cod in vitamin potency. The eating of fish thus affords the body an easy method of assimilating this necessary vitamin. In Canada, the article states, fish is easily procurable, more than 60 varieties of food fish of highest quality being taken in the commercial fisheries of the country.

SERVICE, IN TIMES OF STRESS

The social significance of life insurance has possibly received insufficient attention in recent years. Some of its other features have received unusual emphasis. It is this tendency that has been in evidence in periods of special prosperity. It is, perhaps, natural that the trying conditions of the past two years should cause people to realize the old primary values on which life insurance is based. During a time when all forms of business suffered severely and many succumbed, life insurance has withstood every strain, and has justified every claim. Not a single company on this continent has failed to meet every demand, even though these demands were unusually heavy. Within a decade and a half, life insurance has successfully survived the tests of a world war, of pestilence, and of unexampled depression.

Its steady, unobtrusive, but wonderfully helpful service to its policyholders is strikingly praised in a reference by President T. B. Macdonald at the annual meeting of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada held recently. He pointed out that the Sun Life Company last year paid out \$83,000,000 to policyholders and beneficiaries, and that since organization it has paid out nearly \$600,000,000. In the ordinary course of business, there will be paid out to policyholders and beneficiaries during the present generation the whole three billion dollars of assurance now embraced in the huge Sun Life business in force.

The stabilizing and constructive factor of the Sun Life and other companies in modern economic life is but lightly appreciated. The annual report of the Company indicates that its new paid for assurance last year amounted to \$527,000,000, indicating how generally the public, during a trying period, turned to life insurance as a sure and tested refuge. With assets of \$524,000,000 and total assurance in force of over \$3,000,000,000 the Sun Life Company continues to set new records in the life insurance field.

CORSETS FOR SALE

As local representative, I offer for sale "Spencer" Corsets, custom-made, for Health and Dress purposes. Any lady interested in inspecting the styles and samples may call Mrs. Raymond Clavette, Phone: 90-2.

Here and There

WHAT OF MARITIMES?

Nearly 30,000 farmers in Toronto, Quebec, Saskatchewan and British Columbia benefited directly last year through the operation of four Agricultural Demonstration trains by the Canadian National Railways working in cooperation with the various provincial governments. These trains are virtually travelling colleges and are fitted with charts, samples, and experimental apparatus and manned by technical agriculturists, their main purpose being to improve farming methods in the Dominion.

13,000 BOYS ENROLL IN GUILD

Displays at Motor Shows held throughout the Dominion disclose increasing interest in the Fishery Body Craftsman's Guild, with the total enrollment of boys now numbering 13,000. During one week in Winnipeg, 850 boys signed as active participants in the Coach-model building contest, which has as an incentive \$75,000 in awards. This international contest, which closes on July 1st, is adding new competitors daily.

HISTORIC WATER

Grand Pre, N. B. February 22nd. —Water from the well from which Evangeline oftentimes had recourse to replenish the household supply was taken from that historic well at Grand Pre, Nova Scotia, put into a brown jug, and transported to Newport News, Virginia, where it was used in christening the new 10,000 ton steamer "Acadia," latest addition to the Eastern Steamship Lines, a treaty between New York and Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, the ceremony taking place at Newport News.

As the jug contained nothing but water, and historic water at that, it was not anticipated that any undue delay would result in its journey across the border.

VISIONS OF WEALTH

Moncton, N. B. February 23rd. —Visions of wealth loomed before the proprietor of a local oyster shop when he opened an oyster which contained a salt water pearl one half inch in diameter and of a delicate creamy shade. It was later learned that the pearl was not of any considerable value.

The oyster came from the vicinity of the famous Bouctouche oyster beds in New Brunswick from which large shipments are made over the Canadian National Railways to other parts of the Dominion.

MILLINERS GET READY WITH STRAW HATS

Now is the time for harassed husbands to put an extra twenty dollars into the bank against the time when Easter is still six weeks away. Canada's milliners are making preparations for the big Spring hat campaign. The first gun was fired when a carload of straw braid passed through Winnipeg recently over the C. N. B. route to wholesale milliners in the East. The braid destined to adorn many a handsome bonnet, reached Canada from the Orient via Vancouver. The fast freight train in addition to 2,983 staves had three cars of cypress leaves and a consignment of grass rugs.

BACK TO FARM LANDS

One of the most marked "back to the land" movements from Canadian urban centres experienced in years is taking place at the present time and is likely to gain momentum during the present year, according to W. J. Black, Director of Colonization and Agriculture for the Canadian National Railways. Its extent is indicated by the fact that during 1931, 2,894 families were settled on farm lands adjacent to Canadian National Railways lines embracing an area of approximately 403,700 acres in addition to 2,983 staves that placed in agricultural employment.

JUST AS YOU SAY

Sending flowers by wire as become me a commonplace, but it remained for a Montreal lady to send a canary to New York by the same route. The feat was accomplished by the Canadian National Telegraphs office in Montreal when a lady from the east end of the city sought assistance in having a singing canary delivered to her boy in the Bronx on Christmas day. The matter was simply arranged by the lady giving the name and address of her son in New York, furnishing full specifications of the type of bird required and leaving the rest to the telegraph company. The bird was bought locally in New York by the company's agents and delivered on Christmas morning. The same procedure was used widely to deliver turkeys, Christmas cake and even plum pudding by wire, the Canadian National Telegraphs report.

MAKING LEFT TURN

Recent newspaper announcements stated in no uncertain terms that the driver would be required by law to indicate his intention of making a left turn. Several devices for this purpose have come on the market, one of which is the large unwieldy wooden arm that swings up like a railroad crossing gate. This is a piece of equipment has been used by trucks with overhanging bodies that make the driver's left arm useless. Then, of course, we have the small

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SUCRE	Finement Granulé	5 livres	25c
SAVON SURPRISE	5 barres	22c	
RIZ RANGOON	la livre	05c	
SOUPES AYLMEYER	Toutes sortes, sauf Poulet, 2 btes	15c	

Demandez le Poisson des Maritimes

SARDINES	Marque Brunswick Dans l'huile ou Saure aux Tomates	La Bte	05¢
CLAMS	Qualité de Choix	2 pour	25¢
HOMARD	bte 1/2 liv.	33¢	bte 1/4 liv. 19¢
FIGURES	Qualité de Choix pour Cuire, la liv.		10¢
SAUMON	Rose de Choix Boîtes de 1 livre	2 btes	23¢
HADDIE	Fillets Fumés Garantie Frais	2 liv.	19¢
CHICKEN HADDIE	Marque Brunswick boîtes 14 onces		15¢
Têtes d'Asperges	Qualité Aylmer Fancy		45¢

Pommes Canadiennes, le gallon 25¢

SAMEDI PAIN "HARDING"	grossier ordinaire	2 pour	15¢
FARINE "PURITY"	sac de 24 lbs		79¢

TOMATES Rouges	de choix - la lb	11¢
SAMEDI de 230 à 330 heures SEULEMENT	AYLMEYER - aux Tomates	10¢
PAMPLEMOUSSE "Dominica" de choix.	4 pour	23¢
CITRONS "Messina" nouveaux, la douzaine		28¢
ORANGES "Valencia" espagnoles, sucrées et juteuses, la douz.		29¢

The Social Worker Waxes Enthusiastic!



"IT is stimulating to see the splendid spirit of equanimity with which most unfortunate view conditions. They realize that no one is to blame, and as a rule they have unbounded faith in the ability of our country to get on top again."

"As one lovely old Irish woman said, 'My three boys were out of work for a long time, but we're thankful to be alive and healthy, and now since two of them are back at work it seems to us that prosperity is here again!'"

You Can't Talk Prosperity Back With Pessimism!

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Faith Healing

At an examination of a class in first aid, a member was asked: "What would you do if you found a man in a fainting condition?" "I'd give him some brandy," was the answer. "And if there was no brandy?" "I'd promise him some." — Baltimore Sun.

Callers

Editor — "You report me as saying that I knew no more about the matter than I did about riding Greek gods." Editor — "Yes, sir. Wasn't that what you said?" Caller — "Certainly not. I said 'writing Greek Odes'." — Boston Transcript.

Ice Sport Meet—Coming Event

The Fraser Junior Executive Club is putting on an Ice Sports Meet at the Bachelor's Arena on Saturday afternoon, February 27th, at two o'clock. Races in all classes are scheduled for both the ladies and gentlemen, and boys and girls; also a race for puck carriers.

There will be Jumps, Tug-O-War, Fancy Skating and a Fat Man's Race; in fact, an event for everybody. Prizes will be offered the winners of each of the events and the public of both Edmundston and Madawaska are invited to enter their favorites.

All entries should be in the hands of the Committee not later than February 25th. Watch for further details to be posted, giving a complete list of the events. This affair will provide a lot of fun and a chance to get a laugh and also give a chance to settle any argument as to who is the fastest skater.

Entry Blanks will be ready Saturday morning and can be obtained at the Arena or the Time-Offices in Madawaska or Edmundston, and they can be filled in and left at these places or mailed to the Fraser Club.

The Olympic Sports at Lac Placid, just completed, will have nothing on this Exhibition.

FOR SALE OR RENT

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NOTICE

On Easter Monday, March 28th, the Fraser Junior Executive Club will hold a dance in Olympia Hall, Madawaska. Watch for further announcements.

Notice of Legislation

NOTICE is hereby given that Application will be made by the Roman Catholic Bishop of Chatham to the Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick at its next Session for the passage of a Bill or Act to amend Chapter 76 of the Act of 25 Victoria of the Statutes of New Brunswick to permit the said Corporation to borrow on mortgages without limitation as to the extent and to sell and convey any of its real estate now owned or hereafter acquired. Dated this 6th day of February, A. D. 1932. Antoine J. LEBLANC, Solicitor for the Applicant. 319-1116v.