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WEDS MR. and MRS. James Maurice Checkley are above following their candlelight and floral wedding at United church, April 7. Mrs. Checkley is the youngest daughter of Mrs. J. Stromdahl and the late Mr. O. Stromdahl of Prince Rupert and Mr. Checkley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Checkley of Prince George. Out of town guests for the occasion were Mr. Carl Sunderland of Ketchikan, Alaska, sister of the groom and Mrs. Checkley and youngest son Terry of Prince George, mother and brother of the groom.

Regional PTA Parley May Be Staged Here

Possibility of a regional Conference of Parent Teacher Associations being held at Prince Rupert was voiced at the British Columbia PTA Federation convention at Nanaimo, Mrs. A. L. Bell, Prince Rupert Parent-Teacher Council delegate told King Edward PTA last night.

She said that president of the federation, Mrs. A. H. Young, had made this a definite promise if such a conference was the wish of the PTAs and PT Council here. All that was needed, Mrs. Bell said, was that the city groups get behind the project to bring it to fulfilment.

Other centres to be included in a regional conference would be Alice Arm, Bella Coola, Massett, Port Simpson, Sandspit, Skidegate, Stewart, Terrace, Smithers and Port Edward.

Mrs. Bell told the meeting that the only motion made by her at the three-day conference, asked that more information be sent out with the resolutions so that they could be discussed intelligently by the various PTAs.

Mrs. Bell said that she was greatly impressed with the "capable people in charge of the conference. Women, she said, were in the majority among 900 delegates, there being only about 75 men attending.

UP TO PARENTS

She said the keynote of the Parent Teacher goal was set by Dr. Brock Chisholm, former director of the World Health Organization who said "it is up to the parents of today to save the world of tomorrow."

::If we won't bring our children up properly we won't have a world in which to live." He added that pre-school training in kindergartens and the home is of greatest importance.

"Man's chances of survival in the nuclear age lies in the home not in the United Nations," Dr. Chisholm said.

Minister of Education Ray Williston praised the role of the teacher clubs now organized in a great many B.C. high schools, Mrs. Bell said. The clubs, made up of students from senior grades, may help solve the present teacher shortage, Mr. Williston said.

"LIVE PTA NOT TALK IT"

Mrs. Bell said that Mrs. A. E. Delmage of Vancouver, oldest PTA member and known as "Mrs. PTA" made a great impression on the convention delegates when she concluded her speech with the admonition "that the best way to support PTA was to live it, not talk it."

Mrs. Bell said that the theme "Welding Relationships" was exemplified by the delegates themselves who became very conscious of the world "courtesy" and its meaning during the convention.

In other business last night the PTA donated the proceeds of the last square dance, $5, to the Museum Board. Another dance will be held May 14.

TO BUY BOOKS

The meeting decided that its project for this year would be the purchase of library books for the school. Books will include works on social studies, music, drama and some fiction.

The PTA was told that the King Ed safety patrol boys were entertained with two films on safety, soft drinks and doughnuts before the Easter holidays and that further entertainment is planned for them before the end of the school term.

Mrs. Ronald Merrison will be the PTA's representative at a meeting of the Prince Rupert Children's Preventative Dental Clinic at the Civic Centre May 25.

Mrs. O. R. Green was named chairman of the nominating committee with Mrs. E. Turner and Mrs. K. Hardy assisting her.

Prizes for attendance were won by Maxwell Tracey's class and Mrs. N. Halliday's class.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Green and her committee in the absence of Mrs. W. Johnson.

—Photo by Van Meer Studio

HONEYMOONING in Los Angeles, Vancouver, Kamloops and Jasper are newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Darlington, shown above following the candlelight wedding ceremony at First United church, April 14. Mrs. Darlington is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Arthur Mainprize, Pacific Place, Prince Rupert and Mr. Darlington is the son of Mrs. Janet Legg, 226 Nicola Street, Kamloops, B.C. Upon their return they will live at Suite One, Killas and Christopher Block.

UBC Alumni Planning Reunion While Dean G. C. Andrew Here

Prince Rupert alumni of the University of British Columbia are hoping to stage a reunion tomorrow night while Dean Geoffrey C. Andrew, of UBC is in this city.

Dean Andrew, professor of English at UBC and deputy to President Norman McKenzie, arrived today by plane to speak to the Prince Rupert Canadian Club tonight, at the Civic Centre.

While here for three days Dean Andrew hopes to visit the Columbia Cellulose Company mill at Watson Island, Booth Memorial High School and also take in the Potpourri at the Civic Centre. If it can be arranged the alumni reunion will be held at the Civic Centre.

Mrs. W. D. Smith, president of the Canadian Club met Dean Andrew at the plane this morning and she and her husband will be hosts for the dean at dinner tonight.

Credit Policy Lesson Topic

Value of a firm policy and the part accounting plays in business were outlined to the Prince Rupert Credit Women's Breakfast club Saturday morning by Education Secretary Bea Grant.

On display at the club's regular breakfast session at the Commodore Cafe, was the newly-donated Achievement Award, first won by the PRCWBC. It was put up for competition by District No. 10 past president Rilla Anderson.

In other business President Chrissie Sauer welcomed a new member, Mary Halverson; Jocelyn Bolton won the monthly prize donated by Agnes Burgess and Mrs. Burgess was presented with a birthday corsage.

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Former Prince Rupert Girl Winner of Trip to Toronto

Odowes, former Prince Rupert girl was one of 26 students at Sudbury Technical School who recently won a trip to Toronto and a visit to the Ontario Legislature, according to her father, Johnny Odowes, well-known city sportsman and bowler.

The award was awarded in March for students attaining top marks in their schools and was arranged and financed by the Sudbury school board.

Miss Odowes reports the trip was "wonderful" experience, included a tour of factories, university grounds, museums and galleries in the Toronto area as well as a chance to sit in on the session of the legislature.

During their stay in Toronto, the students, accompanied by their teacher were the guests of Simpson-Sears.

Miss Odowes, now 16, was born in Hudson, Ontario and came to Prince Rupert to live when she was three years old. She attended Borden Street elementary school and six years ago went east to live.

She will be coming back to Prince Rupert this summer to spend part of the summer holidays here.

PERSONALS

Mr. Duncan McRae, McRae Brothers, left this morning by Canadian Pacific Airlines plane for Vancouver on the first leg of the flight which will carry him across Canada and the Atlantic to Europe where he will visit in Paris, London, Eindhovn, Amsterdam and Brussels. Mr. McRae won the trip for being one of the four top salesmen in British Columbia for an electrical products firm.

Mr. Wentworth Brown, vice-president and general manager of Columbia Cellulose Company Ltd., left by plane this morning for Vancouver after spending the past eight days here. He was accompanied by Mr. Eugene Bartlett, assistant plant engineer of CCC, Watson Island, who is visiting Vancouver on business.

Mrs. William Tibbet left the city this morning by plane for her home in Port Alberni after attending the wedding last night of her niece, Miss Marjorie Way, to RCMP Constable Desmond Gilligan.

Mr. Joseph Bowker of Vancouver left the city this morning also by plane after visiting here for the past week, confering with officials of Saanich Plumbing and Heating.

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READERS

● Regular meeting of International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 510, will be held Thursday at 8 p.m. in the Board Room, Civic Centre. Can. Director R. G. Hill of Toronto will be present. All members are urged to attend. (93)

● Rupert Shoreworkers U.F.A.W.U. will meet Thursday, April 21, at 8:00 p.m. in the Metropole Hall. Business: Convention Reports. (93)

● Drama Festival April 28-30. Afternoons and Evenings. Tickets at Colussi's, Civic Centre, High School, April 20-27 incl. (11)

● Meeting, Hospital Auxiliary, Thursday, April 21, Civic Centre, 8 p.m. (11)

● Presbyterian sale of aprons and candy at the Civic Centre on April 21. (92)

● Local 708 — Union meeting Wednesday. (92)

PTA Hears Talk On Fluoridation, Polio Vaccine

Fluoridation and the Salk polio vaccine were topics of a talk by Sanitary Inspector J. L. Hiebert given last night to the Borden Street Parent-Teacher Association.

Mr. Hiebert told the meeting that a film on fluoridation will be shown the Prince Rupert Children's Preventative Dental Clinic meeting May 25. Mrs. George Cook will represent the PTA at the meeting. Gordon Freeman and Mrs. J. M. Forbes are representatives on the Parent-Teacher Council's fluoridation committee.

Mrs. Robert Munro, convener for the recent hot cross bun sale told the meeting that the sale had netted the PTA $37.08.

The meeing was also told that the Canadian Citizenship council needs volunteer teachers preferably persons speaking two languages, for its program to aid New Canadians. They are asked to attend a meeting April 26 at the Metropole Hall.

At the annual meeting in May when election of officers will be held, Mrs. A. L. Bell, delegate to the PTA convention in Nanaimo will be guest speaker.

Nominating committee for the election of officers is composed of Mrs. Hector Cobb, Mrs. H. J. Marchant and Mrs. Ken Harding.

Attendance banner was won by divisions taught by Mrs. K. P. Stone, Mrs. W. G. Calderwood, Mrs. Lydia Saunders and Gordon Freeman.

Vice-president R. O. Evans, chaired the meeting and refreshments were served by Mrs. Marchant and Mrs. Harding.

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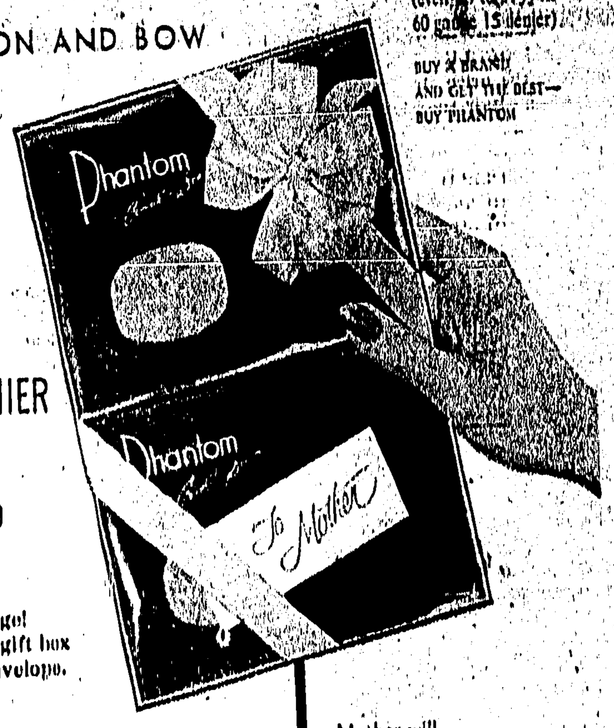

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