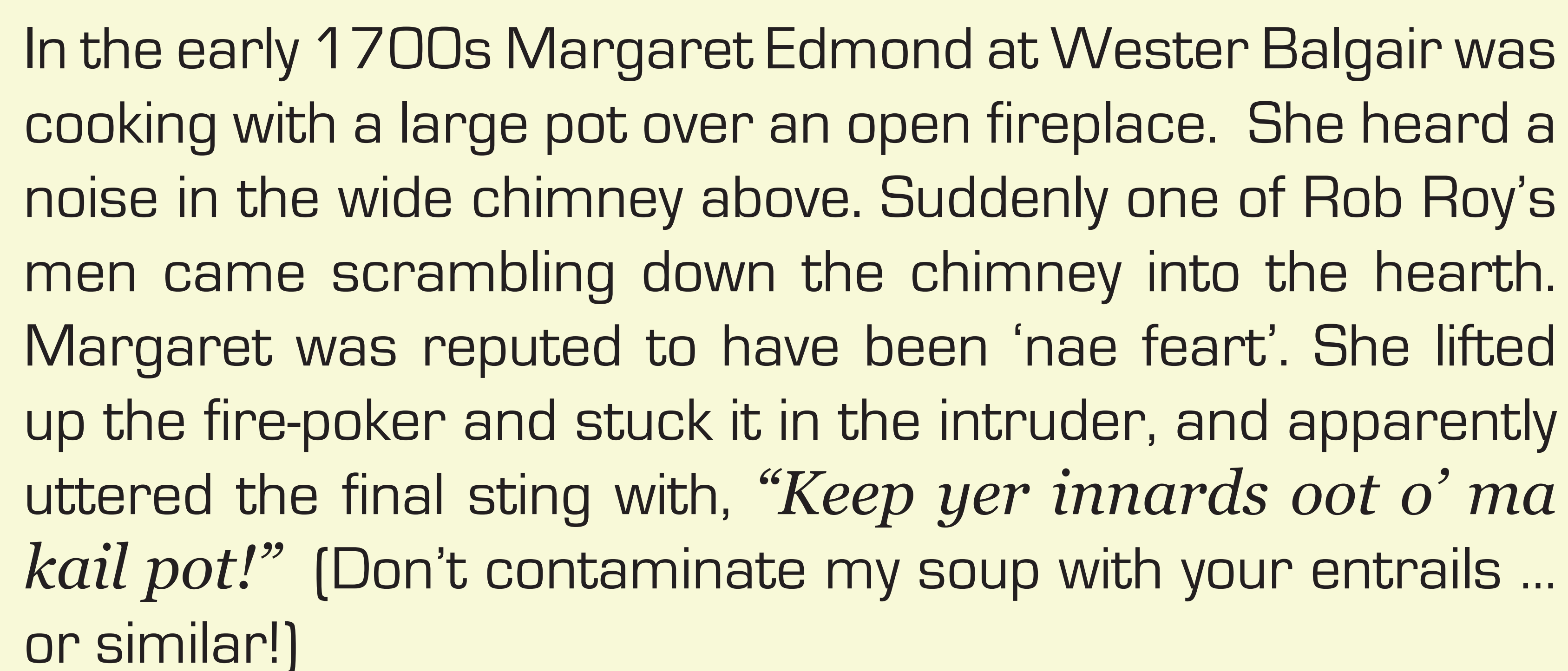
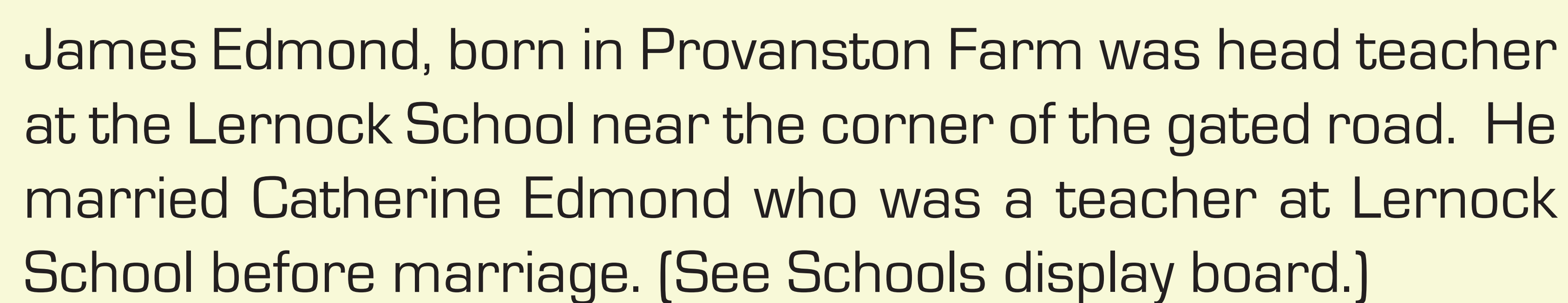


*There have been Edmonds going back for over 500 years in Fintry. A will for Patrick Edmond, of Netherglinns is stored in the Mormon Salt Lake City archives. It is dated 1548 and Patrick was most likely Fintry born in the 1400s.*

Rob Roy was the romanticised cattle raider and thorn in the flesh of the Duke of Montrose. He is known to have regularly hidden out at Broomhole by Spittalhill, to rob the factor of his rent collections in the Fintry area.



A later Patrick Edmond worked as a blacksmith amongst other jobs. He had done much good work for Culcreuch Castle but times were hard. The Napiers who owned Culcreuch had become bankrupt. Patrick Edmond's will on his death showed a debtor was Culcreuch. They were owing him 100 Merk Scots, or in today's money almost £7,000.



Another James Edmond, (Hugh's uncle) set off from Balafark Farm to fight for King and Country in World War 1. He took with him a horse, gifted by his mother from the farm. Neither returned. Their story is told in another display here.

