

OUR NEWS BUDGET for OUR SATURDAY SUBSCRIBERS

MONDAY

SAD NEWS RECEIVED — The sad news has been received by Mrs. William Hennessey, City, of the death of her daughter, Mrs. Eldon Eady (nee Mildred Hennessey) in Pembroke, Ont.

FUNERAL SATURDAY — The funeral of the late Fergus MacNair Robertson, was held Saturday from his late residence, 83 Upper Prince St. Services at the home and grave were conducted by Rev. G. Carlyle Webster, The I.O.O.F. and Canadian Legion attended in a body and conducted their services at the grave. The pallbearers were Ernest Foster, Frank Miller, Harold Hertz, Robert Nicholson, George MacDonald, Chester Shaw. Interment People's Cemetery.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of David MacDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex MacDonald, Southport, was held yesterday afternoon. A short service at the home, conducted by Rev. E. R. MacVicar, assisted by Lie. Byron Howlett, was followed by service in Pleasant Valley United Church, conducted by Rev. W. B. MacPhail assisted by Rev. E. R. MacVicar. Rev. Mr. Richardson and Lie. Byron Howlett, Mr. J. B. Lewis sang very effectively "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." The pallbearers were Blair Scranton, Billy Aylward, Ben Cutcliffe, Gordon Stewart, Brewer Auld, Norman Ling. Interment in Church cemetery.

The death of Mrs. Arthur McCabe, Alberton South on April 26th. at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Aubrey, after a few days illness, came as a great shock to her relatives and friends. The late Mrs. McCabe, formerly Elsie Rix was born at Halifax, N.S., on May 15, 1872. She was the daughter of the late D. Birch Rix and Mrs. Mary Rix. After the death of her father, she and her mother moved to Cambridge, Mass., where they lived for a number of years. But the ties of her homeland could not be severed so easily and they returned to the Island located at Alberton where she and Mr. McCabe were married nearly sixteen years ago.

Cornerer Dr. Austin Delaney, Summerside, stated last night that no inquest would be held into the deaths of Almira and Albert Fitzgerald, three-months-old son and daughter of Mrs. and Mr. George Fitzgerald of Bedouque. Both children had been suffering from heavy colds and the authorities are satisfied the deaths were due to natural causes. The bodies were found dead in bed Saturday morning.

Dr. Delaney also stated that no inquest would be held into the death of Arthur A. Gallant, who died in the Prince County Hospital on Friday as a result of being run over by a tractor he had been operating. Dr. Delaney stated that an autopsy had been performed and death was due to internal hemorrhage.

The death took place a short time ago in the Prince Edward Island Hospital, Charlottetown, of Mrs. Abner Howatt, after a serious illness of some few weeks. Mrs. Howatt was formerly Lizzie McIntosh, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles McIntosh of Victoria, and had spent practically all her life in the village where by her quiet and kindly manner she had endeared herself to those who were privileged to know her. For many years previous to her death she had not enjoyed good health but through it all she maintained a spirit of bravery, and never lost faith in the God who had sustained her through many trying times.

She was lovingly cared for through her last illness by her son Whitfield and his wife, with whom she resided, and will be mourned by them, along with a daughter, Elsie, Mrs. E. V. MacLeod, Albany, a sister, Nellie, Mrs. Stedford Mullins, Hampton, and several grandchildren. Another sister, Gertrude, and several brothers reside in California.

The death of Mrs. Margaret Conway, occurred suddenly on May 16 at her home in Hampton, N.B. after a brief illness. Widow of Thomas Conway, she was in her 94th year and has resided in Hampton for 73 years.

She was a daughter of the late Michael and Margaret (Ryan) Conroy of Ireland, and was born at Model Farm, Kings County. Her husband, a retired C.N.R. employee, died six years ago. A son, the late Rev. Edward J. Conway, former pastor of St. Anthony's parish, of North Devon, now Fredericton, died in 1929 after serving nine years there.

Surviving are four sons, Michael J., Montreal; William T., Moncton; Walter A., Hampton and Dr. C.J. Conway, Hampton, a graduate of St. Dunstan's University, as well as four grandchildren.

TUESDAY

RECEIVED SAD NEWS — Miss Alice Dumes of 74 Upper Queen Street, received word on Sunday of the death of her cousin, Mrs. Michael F. Sullivan, of Fall River, Mass., formerly Miss Emma Curley of Auburn, P. E. I. The funeral will be on Wednesday morning.

The wharf, warehouses and fish selling plant of Matthew and MacLean, Ltd., at Souris is being purchased by the Eastern Packing Company, Ltd., Souris, according to an unofficial report received last night.

The president of the latter company, which has a branch office in Charlottetown is Mr. Paul Gallant of Souris.

The transaction does not involve the large general store of Matthew and MacLean, Ltd., at Souris.

FUNERAL AT YORK — The funeral of the late John Wesley Vessey was held yesterday afternoon from the MacLean Funeral Home to York United Church where the service was conducted by Rev. J. H. MacCallum. Interment was in York Cemetery. Pallbearers were Leith Brown, Archibald Vessey, Frank Vessey, Peter Proud, Harry Lewis, Harry Vessey.

REVISED STAMPS — Postmaster General Bertrand has announced that the new postage stamps bearing reproductions of recent portraits of King George VI in the 1c, 2c, 3c, 4c, and 5c denominations will not be issued on 6 June 1949, as was originally planned, because of the necessity of making changes in the design. The revised stamps will be issued as soon as possible.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of Robert S. Ducean was held yesterday morning from his late residence to St. Dunstan's Basilica where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. P. F. MacDonald, who also conducted service at the grave. Pallbearers were: Cleaver MacLean, Louis Hynes, W. A. Gaudet, Harry Morgan, Gavin Duffy and Charles J. Mitchell. At the grave, the Canadian Legion conducted their burial service, the ritual being read by Conrade Harry Morgan. Members of the local branch of the Canadian Legion preceded the funeral. Employees of the Patriot Publishing Company, of which the deceased was a member, attended in a body. The funeral was largely attended.

On Friday morning May 13th, people of Marshfield and vicinity were grieved to hear of the death of Miss Emily Lulu Bertha Foster, daughter of Mrs. Foster and the late L. H. D. Foster. Born at Marshfield on April 28, 1904, she attended school, and later Business College at Charlottetown, then taking a position with the T. Eaton Co., Limited there. In more recent years, until her illness last November she was at secretarial work in New Glasgow, N.S.

Throughout her life Miss Foster was a faithful and active member of the Presbyterian Church, and was a teacher in the Sunday School for a number of years. During her illness she received many flowers, testifying to her popularity among her friends. Possessed of charm, energy, and gifts of friendship, she was always ready to assist any worthy cause. In her home where her cheerful smile, her goodness and kindness were apparent to all, she will be greatly missed.

She leaves to mourn her mother; one sister Rena, (Mrs. S. R. Pendleton, Kensington); and five brothers, Earl of East Royalty, Heath and Thelma of Marsfield, and M. R. Little, York, and Clarence, St. Avaris.

The funeral of Mr. Daniel J. Riley was held yesterday morning from his late residence, 111 Villa Avenue to the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer where Solemn Requiem High Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Fr. Reverend Edward Baldwin, assisted by Rev. W. Mann, C.S.S.R. as deacon and Rev. R. Delaney, C.S.S.R., as sub-deacon. Rt. Rev. Dr. R. V. MacKenzie, Rector of St. Dunstan's University, was present in the Sanctuary.

Honorary pallbearers were: Hon. J. Walter Jones, Hon. C. D. MacMillan, Dr. J. O. Hyndman, Dr. J. D. McGuigan, A. E. Arsenault, Judge C. Gavan Duffy and James Harris. Active pallbearers will be: Members of City Police, City Fire Department and His Worship Mayor B. Earle MacDonald and members of the City Council attended in a body.

Mourners were: D. A. Riley, St. John; Col. W. J. MacDonald, W. M. Flynn, Frank Flynn, Maurice Flynn, Lewis MacDonald, William MacDonald, Jr., Vernon MacDonald, Fred Reddin and Dr. James Reddin, A. A. Dowling, Ivan Dowling, Fred Coyle, Alex MacDonald, Souris; Stephen Burke, Alberton. Interment took place in the Catholic Cemetery where services were conducted by Rev. Walter Mann, C.S.S.R.

WEDNESDAY

In a pleasant ceremony yesterday afternoon, members of the staff of the City of Charlottetown presented Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stewart with a Duncans Playette walnut drum-topped lamp table on the occasion of Mr. Stewart taking a position with the Central Creameries.

In a short address read by Mr. Avie MacDonald, regret was expressed at Mr. Stewart's departure and confidence was felt that he would succeed in his new appointment. The address was signed by James A. Fullerton, Avie MacDonald, John Eubler, Ruby Reynolds, Mary McQuaid, W. H. Poole, Blanche Holmes, Bill MacDonald, Russell Abbott, H. A. Messervy, George Abbott, Benj. Doiron, Fred Large, K. M. Martin, Ralph Crockett, Louis Ramnhan, Cliff Birwistle, Lawrence MacInnis, Fred Bradley, Alfred Fritzell, Michael Langley, Ernest McTague, Walter Smith, Earl Burke, Ern Selier.

A feature of the presentation was the musical offerings by various members of the staff. Gaelic songs were sung by Messrs K. M. Martin and Harold A. Messervy, who were assisted by Maj. Walker Smith. Mrs. Stewart also sang a Gaelic number.

Whistling choruses and group singing was enjoyed by the company and the meeting concluded by all singing "Auld Lang Syne."

SAD NEWS RECEIVED — Many friends of the Rev. T. H. Russell Somers and Mrs. Somers will regret to learn that Mrs. Somers' mother, Mrs. Walls, passed away at Toronto yesterday. Mrs. Walls has been in delicate health for some time and her death was not unexpected. Both Mr. and Mrs. Somers were with her at her death. The interment will be at St. Thomas, Ontario on Thursday.

CONVICTED UNDER GAME ACT — Fines and costs totalling \$64.00 were imposed on two Summerside men yesterday evening at Summerside by Justice of the Peace John E. Campbell. Both defendants pleaded guilty to charges under the Game Act of exceeding the daily limit on trout. The two men were found by an F. C. M. Police patrol with 63 trout in their fishing baskets on Sunday evening at Currie's Mill, Glenwood. The penalty was imposed on the ratio of the number of trout in possession. The cases were investigated and prosecuted by the R. C. M. Police.

FUNERAL OF ACCIDENT VICTIM — The funeral of David MacDowell, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex MacDowell of Southport, was held Sunday afternoon. A short service was held at the Cullifield Funeral Home conducted by Rev. E. R. MacVicar, assisted by Lie. Byron Howlett of Cross Roads. From there the very large funeral procession proceeded to Pleasant Valley where service was held in the church. Those participating in the service were: Rev. W. B. MacPhail, the church pastor, Rev. Mr. MacVicar, Rev. Mr. Richardson of New Glasgow, and Lie. Howlett. The solo, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" was rendered very effectively by J. B. Lewis. Pallbearers, all little boys of David's approximate age, were Blair Scranton, Billy Aylward, Ben Cutcliffe, Gordon Stewart, Brewer Auld and Norman Ling. A group of school chums, some twenty in all, carried the large number of floral tributes. Interment was in the church cemetery at Pleasant Valley and this was the first grave in the new cemetery there.

THURSDAY

FUNERAL AT CUMBERLAND — The funeral of the late Mrs. Daniel Smith was held in the Sunday Church at Cumberland yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by the Rev. M. K. Charman. Interment was in the New Dominion Cemetery. The pallbearers were: Angus MacEachern, James Gorvette, Garnet Campbell, Gordon Taylor, Alex MacIsaac and J. Gorvette.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of Christina Walker took place yesterday morning from the residence of her nephew, Peter Walker, to St. George's Church where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Bennett MacDonald, who also officiated at the grave. The pallbearers were: Angus Walker, Joseph Walker, Felix Walker, Herman MacDonald, John A. Morrison and James H. Walker. Interment took place in the family plot in the church cemetery.

Don Messer and His Islanders, well known Island dance band and radio entertainers, leave on a tour of the Maritimes, Quebec and Ontario cities Saturday.

The tour will open at Kentville where the band will take part in the annual concert of the Junior Farmers' Association of the Junear Farmer's Association of Ontario. They will return to the Province the second week of August.

Members of the band include: Don Messer, Chas Chamberlain and Margaret Osborne, vocalists, Duke Nielson, Rae Simmonds, Jackie Doyle, Harold McRae and Warren McRae.

Word was received here yesterday by wire of the death of Dr. Alfred Mullally, D.D.S., who died suddenly yesterday morning at his home in Milton, Mass. The wire was received by Wendell Beaton who had been a friend for many years.

Dr. Mullally was born at Souris where his brother John and sister Ella still live on the old home farm. He was the son of the late John and Mary Mullally, who was formerly Ellen Sinnott. Dr. Mullally leaves to mourn his wife who was formerly Anna Campbell of Campbell's Cove, P. E. Island, and two sons, John H. studying dentistry at Boston College and the other son Irwin, is also a student at the same college. Other members of the family who survive are a brother, Rev. John Mullally, and a sister, Miss Evelyn Mullally who resides in Winnipeg and another sister, Mrs. Frank Cairns who lives in Souris. Two sisters predeceased him. They were Mother St. Helen and Sister Mary Alfred.

FRIDAY

HAPPY GET-TOGETHER — A joyous party was held at Sandy's Restaurant, Marshfield, last night at which Mr. George Rogers, who is shortly to enter the ranks of the benedictus, was the honoured guest. Mr. Rankine MacLaine acted as chairman. Following a delightful lobster dinner the gathering joined in a sing-song led by Mr. James Power with Al Blanchard accompanist. Master Leith Swersey rendered several solo selections which were heartily applauded. The gathering expressed congratulations to George and wished him every future happiness.

RECEIVES NEWS OF DEATH — Yesterday Mrs. E. J. Fitzgerald received word of the sudden death on May 29th of Mrs. Frank Dean of Winchester, Mass. The late Mrs. Dean had a great many friends in this City where she and her late husband spent many summers at Brighton Beach.

RECEIVED SAD NEWS — Mr. Cecil J. Stewart, Hampshire, received the sad news of the death of his sister Mrs. Samuel P. Willis, Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. Willis was formerly Charlotte Stewart of Hampshire. Her many friends in this Province will regret to hear of her sudden passing.

KIWANIS MEETING — The regular monthly meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Charlottetown was held on Tuesday evening at The Charlottetown Hotel with President Leo MacDonald as Chairman. One guest, Gordon Roldans, Moncton, N. B. was introduced to the Club. The financial statement was presented by Treasurer Charles Praught and showed a very comfortable balance in the general fund as well as the project fund. On motion by Joseph McMillan, seconded by Cyril Arsenault it was decided to continue with the Charlottetown Driving Park and Exhibition Association refreshment booth concession as the major Club project for the 1949 season. Charles Praught was elected as project manager.

BIRTHS

REID — At the Charlottetown Hospital on May 28, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Reid, a son.

SCHAPIRA — To Dr. and Mrs. M. Schapira, New Glasgow, P.E.I., on May 27, a son.

JAY — At the P. E. Island Hospital, May 29, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Hollis D. Jay, two daughters, 8 lbs. 4 oz. Stella Colleen.

MUTTART — At the Prince County Hospital on Sunday, May 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Muttart, a daughter, Betty Jean.

BURKE — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Friday, May 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burke, Piquette, a son, Wayne Bruce.

MACDONALD — At the Souris Hospital on May 24th 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. John P. MacDonald, Rollo Bay, (nee Helen B. MacDonald) a son, 7 lbs. 7 ounces. Gerard Wayne.

REDDALL — At P. E. I. Hospital on June 1st, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Reddall of 28 Admiral Street, England, a daughter.

WALKER — At the P. E. I. Hospital May 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walker, Charlottetown, R. R. 6, twin daughters, Shirley Ann and Susan Florence, weight 5 1/2 and 5 lbs.

CORR — At the Prince County Hospital on May 13th, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Corr, Kinross, a son, John Leslie.

MACRAE — At the City Hospital, May 28, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. John MacRae, Orwell Cove a son.

WARD — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on May 27, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd E. Ward (nee Elaine Ramsay), a son, Dale Ernest. Weight 9 lbs. 2 oz.

MARRIAGES

GREEN-STEVENSON — At the United Church Manse, Hunter's River, May 28, 1949, by Rev. H. Christie, Erma Beatrice Stevenson of Hazel Grove to Chester Roy Green of Kingston.

FRASER — Suddenly at her home in Souris on May 30th, 1949, Mrs. A. L. Fraser in her 81st year.

CHOWAN — The death occurred in the Charlottetown Hospital on May 30, of Anne Marie Chowan, aged 4 years.

GAUDET — At the Prince County Hospital on Monday, May 30, Ernest F. Gaudet, Wellington, aged 70 years.

SMITH — At Cumberland, Tuesday May 31, Mrs. Daniel Smith in her 67th yr.

WALKER — At the Sacred Heart Home, Tuesday, May 31, 1949, Christina Walker, formerly of St. Georges, in her 89th year.

ROSS — At Aberdeen, Washington, U. S. A., on May 18th, 1949, William Ernest Ross, age 78. Son of the late Lewis G. Ross of Bridgetown, P. E. I.

INNES — At the Kings County Hospital on May 31st, 1949, Miss Annie J. Innes, age 87.

MARTY — Suddenly at Milton, U.S.A., May 24th, 1949, Neil Martin in his 78th year.

WEBB — At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. John A. White, 23 Pleasant St., Thursday, June 2, 1949, Gordon Webb of Brackley, in his 55th year.

Battle Of The B-36 Gets Hotter



REP. JAMES E. VAN ZANDT, Pennsylvania Republican, demands Congress investigate reports from "sources I cannot disregard" that a "huge aircraft combine" would be formed as soon as the 1950 budget, with more B-36 funds, is approved and that . . .



SECRETARY OF AIR W. STUART SYMINGTON would resign his cabinet job to head the new organization, Symington retorted that the charges are "obviously and demonstrably false." Van Zandt also said the new combine would be controlled by . . .



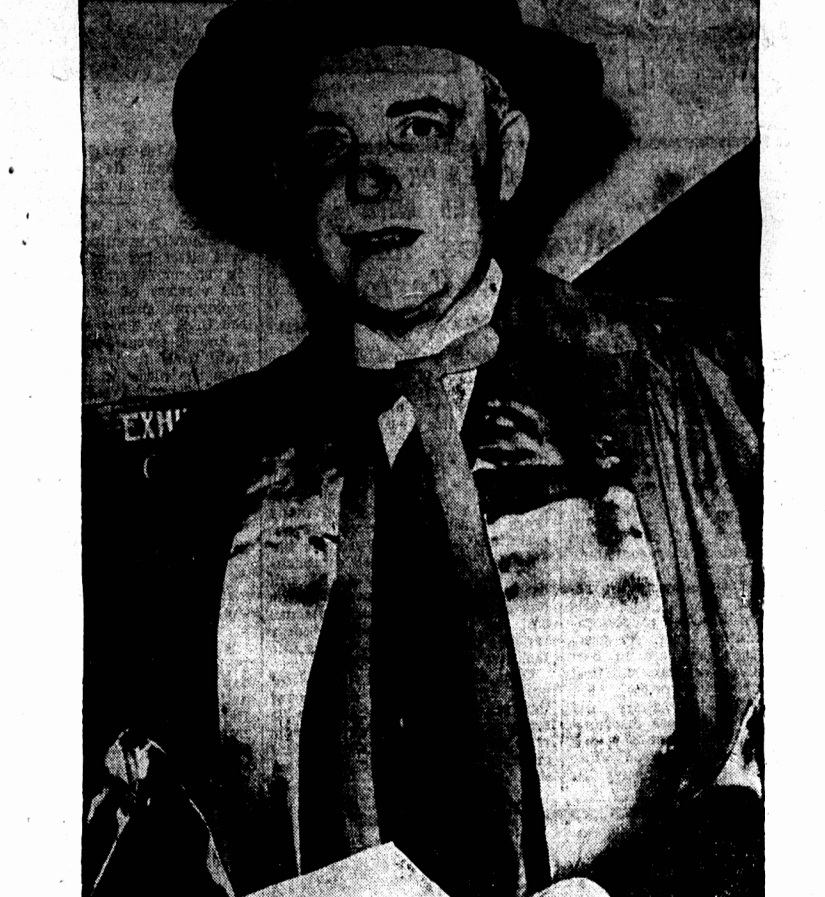
FLOYD B. ODLUM, who now controls Consolidated-Vultee Aircraft Corp., manufacturer of the B-36 and heads the fabulous Atlas Corp., also mentioned in connection with alleged irregularities. Van Zandt declared "well-founded reports" say Odium helped . . .



DEFENCE SECRETARY LOUIS JOHNSON raise campaign funds for the Democrats last fall. Johnson resigned as a director of Consolidated-Vultee before being sworn in. Chairman Vinson of the House Armed Services Committee, announced a full investigation.



Prime Minister Receives Degree of Doctor of Civil Law



The greatest convocation ceremony in the history of McGill University, Montreal, saw Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent receive degree of doctor of civil law. Degree was conferred upon Mr. St. Laurent by the chancellor, Principal Cyril James told the prime minister the degree was being conferred "in testimony of our admiration and appreciation," and that it was with great pride and pleasure he took part in the ceremony. Above, robed and ready, Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent awaits the conferring of the degree.

NEW AIR FORCE FILM "FIGHTER SQUADRON"

Warner Bros.' smashing Technicolor action film, "Fighter Squadron," with Edmond O'Brien, Robert Stack and John Rodney plus a host of rising screen luminaries, is announced as the next attraction at the Prince Edward Theatre. "Fighter Squadron," one of the most important films to come out of Hollywood in months, and in Warner Bros.' high tradition along with "Destination Tokyo," "Objective Burma," "Action in the North Atlantic," "Dive Bomber," "Dawn Patrol" and "Air Force," is the story of a devil-may-care fighter command in England during the late war. It is the story of life and duty as the Army Air Forces struggled for supremacy in the air over Europe in the months before D-Day. It tells the story of one squadron and its valiant group of men who attacked one by one as they kept pressing the fight against the enemy.

Seton I. Miller, who produced and wrote the film for Warner Bros., completed the first draft of the script after months of intensive research both in California and in the Pentagon in Washington. He read hundreds of records of combat experiences and saw nearly a million feet of combat camera footage before a single word of the material to form his story. Raoul Walsh directed "Fighter Squadron." Edmond O'Brien, who takes the role of Major and late Lt. Col. Ed Hardin makes his Warner debut in this saga of the Army Air Forces. He hails from the stage and excelled in Shakespearean roles with Laurence Olivier and Vivian Leigh. He was in the Army during the war and later appeared in "Winged Victory" on the stage.

Advertisement for Dominion Life Assurance Company, featuring a portrait of E. C. Johnstone and the text "When a man dies, his wife not only loses her husband but his income also; yet her needs and those of her family do not change. LET'S TALK THIS OVER EDWIN C. JOHNSTONE, B.A., C.L.U., Provincial Manager 111-115 Grafton Street, Charlottetown, P. E. I."

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