

OUR NEWS BUDGET FOR OUR SATURDAY SUBSCRIBERS

MONDAY
Fire which broke out on Friday morning, March 11th, completely destroyed the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Matthews in O'Leary. The local fire department was very quickly on the scene but they were hampered by lack of water and by the intensely cold wind which fanned the flames.

The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Prince Edward Island has been notified by the Dominion Board of Examiners that the following candidates were successful in the standard examinations held throughout the Dominion in December last:
Final: Erna Patterson MacPherson, Charlottetown.
Intermediate: Lorne H. Ives, Charlottetown.
Primary: Cyril (Bill) Hickey, Summerside; Norman L. Hogg, Summerside.

City police arrested a young Charlottetown man at five o'clock yesterday afternoon and recovered 5,000 cigarettes which had allegedly been stolen from the establishment of Mr. Herbert Campbell, 163 Grafton Street.

Mr. Campbell's soft drink and tobacco shop had been broken into about two o'clock yesterday morning and the cigarettes taken. Entry had been made through the side portion of the display window next to the door. The break had been reported to City police shortly after it had occurred, by a night watchman who was making his rounds in that area.

Mr. Nell J. McCannell, clerk of the County Court for Queen's County, passed away at 8 o'clock yesterday evening at his home, 146 Great George Street, City, after a brief illness. He was 65 years of age.

The late Mr. McCannell taught school in various sections of the Province for 22 years before coming to Charlottetown in 1929. From that time, with the exception of one interval of four years, he has officiated in the Law Courts building as County Court clerk. He is survived by two sons, D.A. McCannell, of the Checker Taxi, and Wendell L. McCannell of Montreal, also a daughter, Mrs. Fred McPhail, of Annapolis Shore. His wife predeceased him in 1940.

The funeral of the late Mr. Ralph Gavin was held from his home in Alma, P. E. I., Friday morning to the Sacred Heart Church, Alberton and was largely attended. Requiem High Mass was celebrated by the Rev. W. V. Monaghan, who also performed the last rites at the grave. The pallbearers were, Messrs. Lorne Cahill, Basil Whelan, Ralph Bussell, Ernest McMillan, Ernest Gavin, Wilbert Murphy. The late Mr. Gavin was 32 years of age and will be greatly missed in the home where he was a favorite of his sisters and brothers to whom deep sympathy is extended. The sisters are Helen at home, Mrs. W. J. Gillis, Kildare Central, Mrs. Wilbert Murphy, St. Louis, and four brothers, Ben, Al, Mac and Lester, all at home.

TUESDAY
HOME BEREAVED—Word has been received, by Mrs. Walter Lund, City, of the death in Philadelphia, of her brother, George Callant, formerly of Waterford, P. E. I.

There passed away in the Prince County Hospital on Sunday, February 8th, Mr. Samuel George Corney, born to Robert and Jean Corney, April 22, 1860, in Charlottetown, where he spent the earlier years of his life.

A vote of \$300 to assist in the organization of a Town band was passed at the regular meeting of the Summerside Town Council last evening with His Worship, Mayor J.F. Arnett presiding. Councilors Driscoll, Wedge, Hurman and Gorrill were present.

TRAVELLED BY PLANE—Miss Janie MacEwen, R.N., returned to Charlottetown by plane from Montreal where she spent two weeks of professional duty at the Royal Victoria Hospital. On arriving in Charlottetown she chartered a plane from Paul's Flying Service to spend a few days at her home before returning to duty.

ENGINE OFF TRACK—A Canadian National Railway engine went part way off the track at Elmira last night during switching operations. The engine had taken the switching when the accident occurred, about 10 p.m. It was not decided early today whether it would be necessary to send a wrecking crew out. Railway officials said the train crew might be able to get the engine back on the track through their own efforts.

FUNERAL SERVICES—The funeral of Mr. Michael Monaghan took place yesterday morning from the A. A. Hennessey Funeral Home to St. Dunstan's Basilica, where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by the Rector, Rev. Dr. McMahon. Rev. Dr. Bernard Gillis assisted in the choir. The pallbearers were Messrs. John King, Charles Gauthier, Harry Murphy, George McKinnon, Vincent King and Joseph Hughes. Interment took place in the family plot in

the Catholic cemetery, where services were conducted by Dr. McMahon.

A quiet but very pretty wedding ceremony was solemnized at the United Church Manse on Thursday afternoon, March 4th, when the Pastor, Rev. W. G. Dickson united in the bonds of Holy Matrimony Miss Mildred Evelyn Adams of Bloomfield Station and Mr. Lyman Emerson Gorrill of Mills. They were attended by Miss Helen M. L. MacWilliams of Milburn and by Mr. S. E. Adams of Bloomfield. The young couple, who are very popular in the district, have the good wishes of their many friends for a long and happy wedded life.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer MacLennan and family have moved to Unionville where Mr. MacLennan has purchased the farm of Mr. Allison Horne. Mr. MacLennan suffered a very severe loss when his newly remodelled home was completely destroyed by fire on Jan. 24th, 1948, at Springfield West. They are receiving a cordial welcome to the community. They are splendid citizens and good church workers. At Springfield West Mr. MacLennan was the Recording Steward of the West Cape United Church Circuit.

SERIOUS INJURY—Mrs. John Doughty was the recent victim of an especially unfortunate accident when she suffered a broken hip. Mrs. Doughty had returned home on February 16, from the Prince County Hospital. Last fall she had broken her arm and later, in a fall, while a patient in the hospital, had received injuries to head and neck. After many weeks in hospital she had returned home, only to fall on her bedroom floor where she was found a few moments later by her companion, Mrs. McEwan, and it was found that her hip was broken. Bur.

CAPT. LAVERS HONORED—Mr. and Mrs. A. Earl Lavers entertained a number of their friends on Saturday evening to a dinner party at their home on Hillsboro St. The guest of honor being Capt. F. R. Lavers of the R. C. A. F. Summerside. After a hearty dinner served by the hostess in her usual gracious manner, assisted by Mrs. Lorne Good, a jolly song sung by Miss Frances Kellen of Summerside with Bill Tanton and Dr. S. E. Giddings at the piano. Opl. Lavers leaves Tuesday morning by plane for Goose Bay where he wishes his friends farewell.

34TH BIRTHDAY—On February 15th, 1948, Mr. John Hill, 64, of the R. C. A. F., Summerside, celebrated his 34th birthday. He is able to be up every day but this winter has been staying indoors. His daughter, Miss Amelia Hill, and two sons Ernest and Cecil, with their families, joined him at supper and shared his birthday cake. Two daughters, Mrs. N. W. Paynter, Burlington, and Mrs. W. B. Buntain, Rustico, were unable to be present, due to weather conditions. His sister, Mrs. Louisa Glover, Summerside, is 87, and two brothers Jabez and Palmerston, of Summerside, are 85 and 80 respectively, their combined ages totalling 346 years. Bur.

SELLS PROPERTY—Mr. Edson Wright, Middleton, has sold his valuable property to Mr. Vernon Webster, Central Bedouque. This is one of the old Wright properties formerly occupied by Mr. Colin T. Wright. The buildings are in an ideal situation on a high elevation with a southern slope from which a splendid view of the entire farm is obtained and a very thick grove to the north provides excellent shelter. The house is fitted with modern conveniences, electricity and a hot water heating system. The large barn has a frost-proof basement. A never failing brook crosses the farm and a large hardwood grove forms the basis of the fuel supply for many years. —B

ON TRIPS OF MERCY—Once again Mr. D. L. Mullen's snowmobile has performed another great feat in overcoming the hazards of winter. On Saturday and Sunday when the roads were blocked with drifts the snowmobile took Dr. Roach and Dr. Shepherd on many sick calls. On Sunday it proved its worth in transporting another patient to the hospital with great ease and comfort. The patient in this case was Father McPherson of Tracadie who was seriously ill and in urgent need of hospital treatment. The citizens of Mr. Stewart and those within a wide area are very fortunate indeed in having Mr. Mullen owning this most modern vehicle for his own use and for the benefit and comfort of his many friends. —M. St.

BUSINESS CHANGES—Beginning April 1st the premises now occupied by Crockett & Storey Ltd., Jamieson's Drug Store, and the Wright Shoe Co., 131 to 135 Queen St., is to be demolished to make way for the new Woolworth store. Crockett & Storey Ltd. will continue at their present store until March 25th, when they move to temporary quarters in the Canadian Legion Hall, 57 Grafton St., near the Prince Edward Theatre where they will carry on till the end of June when they move to an all new and modernized store on the site now occupied by L. H. Kennedy, 134 Kent St., right in the centre of the city, where Crockett & Storey Ltd. will be in an even better position to more efficiently take care of an ever

increasing clientele. They feel this will be their last business move for many years.

Bloomfield and surrounding districts were saddened last Sunday morning when it was learned that one of the oldest and most respected citizens, in the person of Mr. Andrew Martin, had passed away at 12:30 A.M. at the ripe old age of 87. He leaves to mourn his daughter, Lauretta, who tenderly cared for him in his last illness, also the following other daughters and sons: Mrs. Nelson Gallant, Pluville; Mrs. Rose Boudreau; Mrs. Louis Gallant, Chelsea, Mass.; Mrs. James Baker, New York; Mrs. Peter Gallant, Maine; Mrs. Arthur and Robert in Bloomfield. The funeral, which was largely attended, was held on Tuesday morning at St. Anthony's Church. The pallbearers were Leo Alyre and Elmer Gallant, Perdie Martin, all grandsons of the deceased, Louis Peters and Joseph Pineau. May his soul rest in peace.

PRESENTATION AT INDIAN RIVER—The congregation of the historic old parish of Indian River assembled on Saturday morning, Feb. 28, to welcome Rev. Urban Gillis, who was ordained in New York on Feb. 21st by Cardinal Spellman. Father Gillis celebrated a High Mass of thanksgiving at Indian River and after Mass he blessed the graves of his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. John Gillis of Indian River. Rev. R. F. Donald, pastor of Indian River, welcomed the newly ordained priest to his native parish and called on Mr. James Pendergast to read an address to him. Another son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gillis, Rev. Raymond Gillis, who was ordained five years ago, intended to visit Indian River with his brother but was detained for a day and did not arrive till Saturday night. He was included in the address in absentia. Purse

WEDNESDAY
The sympathy of this community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Matthews, O'Leary, who lost their home by fire on March 5. Mr. Matthews was a young veteran of World War II, and had just built a new house last summer. The smouldering ruins of Elmer Matthews home was still warm when a house to house canvass was made of the homes of O'Leary and complete, yet already over \$200 has been given. It is reported that the management of the Verdun Theatre will have a Benefit Show for Mr. Matthews.

A fire that turned out to be more spectacular than damaging occurred at the Court House and Jail Building at Summerside about eight o'clock last evening. The house was confined to the attic and cupola but water caused a great deal of damage to certain sections of the building, particularly the Supreme Court room.

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized in Trinity United Church east parlor, Charlottetown on Friday evening, Feb. 27, when Rev. A. E. Ward the bride's former pastor united in marriage Miss Evelyn Mutch, R. N. daughter of Mr. and the late Mrs. R. Roy Mutch of Earncliffe to Kenneth Donald Jenkins of M. Herbert.

ROBINS ARRIVE—The first reminder of Spring was a pair of robins seen by Mrs. Malcolm MacSwain, Malpeque, who lost their first time from her kitchen window the latter part of February. The robins are around her house daily and are as chipper and gay as if there were green fields instead of snow.

AT TORONTO HOSPITAL—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Delaney, Malpeque, will be pleased to hear that their son Edmund who went recently to plane to a Toronto Hospital is improving rapidly under treatment for a malignant growth in his throat. Latest reports of his condition are most encouraging. He was accompanied on the plane trip by Mr. Edward Foley, Summerside.—K.

SORORITY MEETING—The regular weekly meeting of the Philat Sorority was held Monday evening, March 8th, at the home of the Misses Doris Johnstone and

The sudden death of Mr. Henry Hughes occurred on February 11, 1948 at his home in Charlottetown. Henry (Hop), as he was known to his many friends, was enjoying very good health the past year and his sudden death came as a great shock to his relatives and friends.

LEAVING FOR UNITED STATES—Mr. Gerald Boudreau who has been a patient for the past seven years at the Provincial Sanatorium leaves this morning for the United States on a visit to his aunt. Before leaving he was presented with a gift from the patients and staff of the Sanatorium.

PASSES SUDDENLY—Mrs. Vernon L. MacDonald, of this city received the sad news recently of the sudden death of her father, Mr. Dennis Sheehan, who passed away in London, England. Mr. Sheehan was laid to rest in Kilroe Cemetery in his native Kanturk, County Cork, Ireland.

All women taxpayers as well as men will have the right to vote in the next civic election, but in no case will any person not a tax-

SAL HEPATICA THE GENTLE, SPEEDY LAXATIVE that gives FAST RELIEF Also treats EXCESS GASTRIC ACIDITY

Peggy MacLaine with President Fleur Hillon in the chair. Following the consideration of routine business, plans were made for a skating party. Reports were made on recent activities. At the conclusion of the meeting a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

The death of Mrs. John D. MacKenzie of Borden, took place in the Prince County Hospital on the morning of Thursday, February 19th, at the age of 51 years. Seven years ago she was stricken with serious illness and through the years she had been a great sufferer spending much time in hospitals at Summerside, Charlottetown and Montreal, but highest medical skill was of no avail and God called her to her final reward in a land where pain and suffering are unknown.

Drilling operations are being conducted along the west side of the Hillsborough Bridge by an engineer of the Dominion Government as a preliminary step in determining a suitable location for the construction of a marine slip in Charlottetown, it was learned yesterday.

The engineer, Mr. J.A. Villandre, Borings Branch, Department of Marine and Transport, Ottawa, came to Charlottetown at the request of the Provincial Government which has been in communication with the Dominion Government concerning a suitable site for a marine slip in Charlottetown for the past year.

L.A.C. Wilson MacDonald, R.C.A.F. of Caledonia, arrived in the City Monday night from Camp Borden, Ontario, where he has just completed a course in mechanical engineering, having led his class with top honours.

Mr. MacDonald spent Monday night with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coulson, Kent Street, City, and complained in one of Mr. Paul Sharpe's private planes yesterday morning for his home in Caledonia where he will spend three weeks leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus MacDonald. Following his leave, Mr. MacDonald will take up his duties at an R.C.A.F. station at Trenton, Ontario.

BRIDAL SHOWER—A shower was held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Helen McKinnon, in honor of Miss Helen McKinnon, Piquid, and Junior Clarence Coffin, bride and groom to be. One hundred guests gathered to welcome them. Music and dancing was indulged in and a delicious lunch was served. Vocal music was rendered by Mrs. Joseph Code and the Wedding March was played by Miss Reta McDonald of St. Andrews. A beautifully laden carriage with gifts was wheeled into the parlor by Miss Lois McDonald and Francis McKinnon. The verses were read by Mrs. Danie Birnie and the presentation was by Miss Norma McDonald and presented to bride and groom to be. Then all singing for The Arie Jolly Good Fellows. The guests left for their homes.

THURSDAY
Mrs. J. F. Crockett, City, left yesterday for Halifax where she will visit Mr. D. C. MacLean, formerly of DeSable, who is seriously ill.

Word has been received from Hollywood, Calif. of the death of William Grant McNeill on February 23, 1948, at the late Alexander S. McNeill, formerly of Rocky Point, P.E.I. and Winnipeg, Man.

The congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Huntingdon, Quebec, has decided to extend a call to the Rev. R.D. MacLean of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Montague, it was learned last night.

A regrettable accident occurred in the freight yard at Tignish on Tuesday night when Norman Doucette, age 12, suffered the loss of his left leg below the knee by being run over by a freight car. The young lad, who with several companions was playing about the yards and tripping on the cars as they were being shunted along the tracks, apparently lost his hold on the iron rung and fell under the rear wheels of a box car.

LAST NIGHT was "Industrious Night" at the Charlottetown Y.M.C. Club and five new members, Leslie Barkhouse, Harry Edwards, Milton Gillespie, Frank Johnson and Percy Moreside, were inducted in a very impressive ceremony under the direction of Ralph MacLean, supported by Edwin Johnstone, Jim McConnell, Ben Clawson, Jim Haslam, Ben Dick, Ralph Rupert and O. K. Presby.

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payer be entitled to the ballot, according to a new electoral form introduced in an Act consolidating and amending the several Acts of incorporation of the City of Charlottetown, now in course of second reading in the Legislature.

BIRTHDAY PARTY—A jolly little party was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace MacFarlane, Beaver Street, Summerside, when their son Garth celebrated his fifth birthday with ten of his friends. After a delicious supper, with a candlelighted cake the centre of attraction, the children were entertained with moving pictures. S

The Rev. Sidney J. Boyce was called to Gasperaux this week for the funeral of Mr. Richard Collings who died suddenly on Sunday evening while returning to his home with his wife after visiting a neighbor. Mrs. Collings is the former Grace Hemphill of this place for whom deep sympathy is felt in her sorrow. Interment was made at the Lower Montague Community Cemetery.

PAINFUL INJURY—An unfortunate accident occurred at Hunter River, in Mr. Roy Bagnall's saw mill a few days ago, when Mr. John L. Proctor, who is an experienced mill-hand, had an arm gougedly fractured while readjusting a belt. He was at once conveyed to the Charlottetown Hospital where an examination revealed the fact that the injured limb could not be set for a considerable time.

REV. JOHN M. SHEEN, B.A. ACCEPTS CALL—It has been announced that the Rev. John Matthew Sheen, B.A., of Shediac, N.B. has accepted the call to the Montrose pastoral charge of the United Church of Canada comprising the appointments of Emsdale where the Manse is, Montrose, Miminegash, and Campbellton. Subject to the approval of the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island and the Presbytery of Moncton, Rev. Mr. Sheen will begin his pastoral duties at Montrose early in July. The

FUNERAL YESTERDAY—The funeral of the late Nell McCannell, 146 Great George St. was held yesterday afternoon from Trinity United Church. Services at the church and grave were conducted by Rev. T.E. MacLennan. Mr. George Johnston sang very effectively "The Old Rugged Cross". The honorary pallbearers were Justice George J. Tweedy, Justice Mark B. McGuigan, Judge H.H. Palmer, Judge C.G. Duffy, Messrs. R.H. Rogers, Harold Buel, John G. MacFarlane, Aeneas MacEachern. The acting pallbearers were, Messrs. Bonar Dalziel, Thurlow Hiscott, A.K. MacPhee, John L. Beaton, L.E. MacKinnon, Malcolm MacFarlane. The members of the Burial Association attended the funeral in a body. Interment was in New Dominion cemetery.

FRIDAY
SAD NEWS RECEIVED—Word has been received by Mrs. John A. Whitehead, Graham's Road of the death in New Westminster, B.C. of her brother, William A. MacKinnon, formerly of Graham's Road, P. E. I.

BRIDGE PARTY—Miss Lois Brady, R.N., entertained at a delightful bridge party for her friends on Thursday evening. The first and second prizes were won by Mrs. Barbara Bowles and Miss Myrtle Gallant, R.N., respectively. The consolation went to Mrs. W.D. Sherren.

A disastrous fire which occurred on Tuesday afternoon completely destroyed the residence of Mr. Joseph Gallant at Miminegash. The fire which was discovered by Mrs. Gallant at about two o'clock, also destroyed all furniture and house furnishings as well as twenty five hundred dollars in cash which was stored in one of the upstairs rooms.

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FOR BRONCHIAL ASTHMA YOU CAN'T BEAT BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE

FUNERAL SERVICES—The funeral of Mrs. Patrick Walsh took place on Tuesday morning from the home of her son, Austin Walsh to the Church of the Holy Redeemer, where the funeral Mass was sung after which the remains were conveyed to the Frank Hennessey Funeral Home and later taken by train to St. Ann's Church Hope River where the final service and burial was conducted by the pastor Rev. Fr. Dalton.

MEETING OF EMPIRE LODGE—Empire Lodge No. 19 held its regular meeting on Thursday evening with a large number present. The rank of Esquire was exemplified for the benefit of John Good, Allison MacKinnon, Robert Daniels, Archibald Gillis, Glen Cotton and Wilfred Thompson. The main attraction of the evening was the presentation of an Honor Certificate and Lapel Button from Supreme Lodge Dutton Club to Keith Johnston who sponsored twelve new members within the year. It was announced by the Chancellor that the rank of Knight would be conferred on eleven candidates next Thursday evening. Meeting closed in due Pythian form.

I.O.D.E. BRIDGE—Most gratifying results have been realized from the I.O.D.E. Marathon Bridge which has been conducted during the last two months with a substantial amount of money cleared for I.O.D.E. purposes. The prize winners for the games played to date are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. George Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilfred Lecky, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Currie, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Gentleman, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Howatt, Mrs. A. Sherman MacAsay and Mrs. Llewellyn Rogers. Mrs. R. MacLean and Mrs. H. Clark, Mrs. Harry Dickie and Mrs. Harold Schurman, Mrs. Reg Pope and Mrs. John Wright, and Mrs. T. H. E. Inman. The conveners were: Mrs. Horace MacFarlane, Mrs. Leslie Simmonds, Mrs. Harry Lee, Mrs. R. S. Hinton, Mrs. Eric MacKay, Mrs. T. H. E. Inman and Mrs. Thane A. Campbell.—S.

RECEIVES SAD NEWS—Mrs. C. D. MacCallum, Summerside, has received the sad news of the death in Toronto on Monday, March 8, of her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. Ernest Mellish, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Mellish was the former Matilda (Tilly) Brown, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, who had been prominent merchants in Charlottetown in their day. She is the last remaining member of a large family, her brother, Mr. Fred Brown, having passed away in Florida a month ago. Many friends will regret to hear of the death of Mrs. Mellish, a woman prominent in church work. She had many fine qualities of heart and mind and will be sorely missed by her devoted husband, who will have much sympathy in his great bereavement. Mrs. John Fraser, Charlottetown, is a niece and Lieutenant Colonel Roland Paton is a nephew of the deceased.—S.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY—Mrs. Lydia Simms, Kensington was "at home" to her numerous friends on the afternoon and evening of March 10th, her 90th birthday anniversary. She was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Robert Bowles and Mrs. W. C. McLeod. The door was opened by Mrs. George Bowness. Assisting her daughter, Miss Lottie Simms in serving a delicious supper were the following ladies: Mrs. Robert McKay, Amherst, N.S.; Mrs. Cecil Mill and Mrs. Ernest Mill, Clermont; Mrs. Gerald Bowness and Mrs. H. Simms, Charlottetown; Mrs. Frank McNeill, Summerside; Mrs. Earl Kennedy, Mrs. Vera Bearlato, Mrs. Helen Bulman, Miss Thelma Gill, Mrs. Wm. Gill, Kensington and Mrs. Herb. McEwen, Stanley Bridge. Expressions of love and good will were showered on Mrs. Simms in the form of telegrams, cards, gifts and several beautiful bouquets of flowers. Callers bearing good wishes came and went continuously all afternoon and evening. Group singing with Mrs. Robert McKay and Miss Mariou Lockhart playing accompaniments entertained the guests. Before departing congratulatory speeches were made by Messrs. James Pendergast, Archibald MacKenzie and

DEATHS
WALSH—At the home of her son on Saturday, March 6, Mrs. Patrick Walsh, age 87 years.

DRAKE—At the P. E. Island Hospital, March 8, 1948, Mrs. John Drake of Hazelbrook in her 49th year.

CAIRNS—At the Sacred Heart Home on Sunday, March 7, Mrs. Patrick Cairns, age 91 years.

BOYLE—At the Prince County Hospital on March 7, 1948, Ruth Edna Boyle, aged 44 years, wife of Henry Boyle, Inverness, P. E. I. years.

MORRELL—At the home of his sister Mrs. Robert Holland, Lewis Bedouque, on March 7, J. Albert Morrell, aged 82 years.

BROWN—At the Prince County Hospital March 8, 1948, Mrs. Harry Brown of Kensington, aged 6 years.

MACCANNELL—Suddenly at 144 Great George St. March 7th, 1948, Nell MacCannell in his 66th year.

LANNIGAN—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Monday, March 8, William E. Lannigan, aged 6 years.

J. F. Proffitt who acted as Master of Ceremonies. The happy celebrant expressed her appreciation in a brief but appropriate speech. A song written for the occasion was heartily sung by all the guests followed by "Auld Lang Syne", "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow" and "God Save the King" completing the program. The guests departed wishing Mrs. Simms many happy returns of the day.—K.

BIRTHS
MACDONALD—At the Grace Hospital, Toronto, Ont., on February 29th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence MacDonald (nee Doris White) a daughter, Margaret Clow THOMPSON—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on March 5th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Thompson, York, a daughter, Barbara Helen.

GRAHAM—At Kings County Memorial Hospital, March 2nd, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas F. Graham, (nee Mary Lannigan, R.N.) a son, Douglas Paul SHERRY—Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brown are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Cheryl Pauline, at Toronto Western Hospital, Feb. 17, 1948.

PAQUET—In the P. E. Island Hospital, March 7, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Paquet, nee Vernita MacKenzie, a daughter, Nancy Jean.

DELANEY—At the P. E. Island Hospital, March 5, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Delaney, a daughter, Marjorie Jane.

MACLEOD—At the P. E. Island Hospital on March 7th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. John A. MacLeod, a son. HUGHES—At the Charlottetown Hospital, March 3, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Ivan Hughes, a daughter.

MACAUSLAND—At the P. E. Island Hospital, March 7th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry MacAusland of East Royally a daughter, Judith Pauleite.

SHERRY—At the Prince County Hospital on February 28th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sherry, Fernwood, a daughter, Elizabeth Mabel.

SCRINGEOUR—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital, March 10, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart Scringeour, 132 Water St., City, a son.

GILMORE—At Sackville Memorial Hospital, February 21st, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. John Gilmore (Betty MacKenzie) a daughter, Sandra Elizabeth.

FRIZZELL-TODD—At Rose Valley, Saturday, March 6, by Rev. Horace F. MacEwan, Leslie Frizzell of Stanchel to Hazel Todd of Rose Valley.

MURRAY-LEWIS—On Monday, March 1st, 1948, at the Metropolitan United Church, Toronto, Ont., by the Rev. Peter Bryce, Laura Barbara Lewis of Alberton, P. E. I., to Ralph George Murray of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

COFFIN -McKINNON—At the Holy Redeemer Parish, Charlottetown, January 26th, 1948, marriage was solemnized between Clarence D. Coffin and Mary Helen McKinnon of Piquid West. Marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Baldwin of Charlottetown.

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