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MONDAY

One of Newcastle's most highly esteemed ladies Mrs. Josephine McGrath passed away Monday morning at an early hour after a month's illness at Hotel Dieu Hospital, Chatham. Mrs. McGrath was well known and well loved for her kindly personality. She was the wife of the late Dr. F. C. McGrath, well known medical doctor of Newcastle, whose death which occurred about three years ago caused a great loss to the residents of this town because of his proficient and untiring work.

—MOURN DEATH — The death occurred in the Prince County Hospital on Saturday evening June 12 of Miss Henrietta Thelma England at the early age of 20 years, after an illess of about three months. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aldred England of Ellerslie. Prior to taking sick she was a popular and efficient member of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Summerside. She had attended school at Ellerslie and Summerside Academy. She leaves to mourn besides her sorrowing parents three brothers, Cadet Allison, with the Army overseas, L Bdr. Winston at Mulgrave, N.S., and Frank at home. Also one sister, Frona also at home. The funeral will be held on Tuesday.—S

FUNERAL AT MILTON — The funeral of Miss Gertrude H. Coles, R.N., was held from the MacLean Funeral Home yesterday to St. John's Anglican Church, Milton, where services were conducted by the Rev. Canon J. W. McDonald who also officiated at the graveside in Milton Cemetery. The pallbearers were: Messrs. Lindsay Coles, John Ford, William Curtis, Roy Moreside, Ernest Coles and Earl Coles. Miss Coles died Friday at the Prince Edward Island hospital after a long illness. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Coles and was a graduate of the P.E.I. Hospital School for Nurses. She practiced her profession in Charlottetown.

A profusion of apple blossoms and spring flowers adorned St. Mary's Anglican church and made a most effective setting for a wedding of interest to many friends in the province and the Maritimes on Saturday morning, June 12th at 10.30, when Margaret Evelyn, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Frank MacKenzie, Summerside became the bride of Flying Officer Robert Sheridan, son of Mr. James McAlpine and the late Mrs. McAlpine of Paisley, Scotland. Venerable Archdeacon G. R. Harrison performed the ceremony in the presence of a large number of guests and interested friends.

Supporting the groom was Flight Lieutenant J. W. Hoadley and the ushers were Flying Officer Stewart Walker, Summerside, and Flight Sergeant C. Ross MacKenzie, Ottawa, brother of the bride.

AIRMAN'S FUNERAL TODAY — Funeral services will be held here today for Sgt. William Frederick Thompson of the Royal Air Force. His body was recovered from the Gulf of St Lawrence off Sea View last week after he had been missing since January 5 when the aircraft of which he was a crew-member failed to return to its base at Summerside after a routine flight. The body will be transferred today from the MacLean Funeral Home to the nearby Royal Air Force Station where services will be held at 2 P.M. Burial will be in the R.A.F. plot at Sherwood Cemetery. Sgt. Thompson's home was at Ludlow, Shropshire, England. He was a member of the Royal Air Force and was training at the R.C.A.F. station at Summerside.

HOME FOR BURIAL — The body of Mrs. Mary Ranahan arrived in Prince Edward Island on June 1st. Burial took place in Seven Mile Bay in the family plot beside her late husband Peter Ranahan. Funeral Mass was sung by Rev. William V. MacDonald. Pallbearers were Messrs. Hudson Luther, Cyril MacFarlane, Ralph McCarville, George Sherry, Jerome Ranahan and Joseph Muttart. The body was accompanied home by her daughter Mrs. Laura Rhodes of Rochester, New Hampshire. Mrs. Ranahan leaves to mourn a son Thomas J. Ranahan, two grandsons Louis and Emmett with the armed forces, also two granddaughters, Lena studying for a nurse in Montreal, Reta in Summerside; two in Boston Mass., Mrs. John Darcy and Mrs. Walter Lingard and seven grandchildren.

WEDDED IN TORONTO—A quiet wedding took place in Knox Church Toronto on April 12th, when Effie MacFadyen, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dougall MacFadyen, Charlottetown, was united in marriage to Peter DeRoche of the R.C.A.F., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John DeRoche, Summerside. Rev. T. C. Innis officiated. The bride was becomingly attired in white sheer with pale blue accessories, and wore a corsage of pink roses. She was attended by Gertrude MacAulay as bridesmaid, who was smartly dressed in brown and gold dress and wore a corsage of yellow roses. The groomsman was George Lowe of Toronto. After the marriage the young couple and a few friends enjoyed a wedding supper at Haddon Hall, the table being centred with the wedding cake decorated with Spring flowers and candle light. The couple left on a honeymoon trip to P. E. Island to visit their people. Arriving by plane on Friday they left has been nursing in Torbride has been nursing in Toronto for the past two years.

—AMODEO-GALLANT NUPTIALS—A very pretty wedding took place in St. Mary's Convent chapel, Summerside on Saturday morning, June 12th, when Miss Mary Frances Gallant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Gallant, became the bride of LAC Sal J. Amodeo of the R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Amodeo of 43 Cheritan street, Montreal, P. Q. The bride looked lovely in a pale blue dress with matching accessories and carried a bouquet of white roses with fern. She was attended by Miss Teresa Gallant, who wore a pink dress with white accessories and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The nuptial mass was celebrated by Rt. Rev. G. J. MacLellan. The choir was under the direction of Mrs. Roy Ahearn. After the wedding ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride where a delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. Ted Perry Mrs. Frank Morrison, Nellie Wedge and Frances Razavette. Previous to her marriage the bride —iven a shower at which many lovely and useful gifts were received. Mr. and Mrs. Amodeo will spend their honeymoon visiting points of interest in the Maritimes and on their return will reside in Summerside where the groom is stationed as a member of the R.C.A.F. The Guardian and a host of friends join in wishing them a long life of wedded happiness.—S.

Mrs. Albert N. Jenkins died at Vancouver on Saturday May 29th. She had recently passed her eighty-second birthday. She was the eldest daughter—Margaret—of the late Mr. and Mrs. William MacPhail of Orwell.

TUESDAY

One of Prince Edward Island's best-known citizens, Mr. G. Dudley Wright, ex-Mayor of Charlottetown, celebrates his 85th birthday today. Mr. Wright has been thirty years in public life. He served two years as engineer of the old Rollo fire engine, and was employed in the installation of the city's water work system. He served eight years as City Councillor, two years as Mayor, and has been for several years past a member of the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners. Mr. Wright enjoys excellent health, and is looking forward to celebrating his 95th birthday next decade. A host of friends will join in congratulating him on this occasion.

Word was received Sunday night that Lieutenant Fenton Newbery of the American Navy died Sunday morning as a result of an accident on active service.

Lieutenant Newbery is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Beverley R. Newbery of 10 Belmont Terrace, Yonkers, New York.

His father formerly belonged to Charlottetown, and although it is many years since he moved to the United States he and Mrs. Newbery have been here on several visits and are fondly remembered by a host of friends, whose hearts will go out to them in deepest sympathy, also to his sisters, Izme, Mrs. Richard Edie and Isabelle, Mrs. Norman MacWilliams, and his brother, Lewis.

Lieutenant Newbery was in charge of a Crash-Boat which was attached to the Aeronautical division. He was very popular among his fellow Officers and was held in the highest regard by all who were privileged to enjoy his friendship.

LAC. Edgar J. Dockendorff, R. C. A. F. was killed on active service overseas on Friday last, according to word received by his wife in Charlottetown. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Dockendorff of Mt. Hope, near Dundas.

LAC. Dockendorff, who was 27 years of age, enlisted with the Royal Canadian Air Force on July 1, 1940 at Moncton. He was among the first airmen to enlist from this province and after taking his training with the Air Force at schools in Upper Canada he went overseas on Feb. 4, 1942. Lately he has been flying.

The wire conveying the sad news of his death did not give details but promised that further information would follow in a letter.

Before enlisting, LAC. Dockendorff lived in Charlottetown and was employed for about six years with the firm of Hall and Stavert here.

Surviving besides his wife, the former Miss Marion Hume of this city, and his parents, are three brothers, Gordon with the R.C.A.F., Harold and Russel, at home and one sister Lillian Mrs. Stewart Davison of Hamilton, Ont.

At the monthly meeting of the City Council last night a resolution was passed authorizing an expenditure up to $1400 by the City for the year 1943 for A.R.P. purposes, on the basis set out in the following minute of the treasury board of the Province, as received in a communication from the deputy provincial secretary-treasurer:

"The Treasury Board having under consideration the immediate necessity for additional water and medical supplies in the Charlottetown area for A.R.P. purposes authorizes an expenditure not exceeding fourteen hundred dollars ($1,400) for the year 1943, being 25 per cent of the total expenditure to be made by the City of Charlottetown for said purposes. The remaining 75 per cent of the gross expenditure to be paid on the basis of 50 per cent Dominion government and 25 per cent City of Charlottetown."

His Worship, Mayor B. Roy Holman presided at last night's meeting which was attended by all the councillors except Coun. Chandler.

Mayor Holman gave a report of the conference of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities held in Ottawa recently. His Worship and Coun. Blanchard represented the City of Charlottetown.

The twenty third annual meeting of the Canadian National Silver Fox Breeders' Assn. opened yesterday afternoon at the head office in Summerside with a good attendance from the various provinces. The general meeting of all the members of the association will be held this morning at 10 A.M. It is about thirteen years since the meeting of the directors has been held in Summerside.

Yesterday afternoon an executive meeting of the directors was held at 2 P.M. Among the directors who arrived up to yesterday were vice-president, W.H.C. Ruthven from Alliston, Ont.; J. J. E. McCague, Ontario; Sven Klintberg, Manitoba; H. M. Dorathy, Quebec; F. H. Copp, New Brunswick; George McLeod, New Brunswick; Ken Taylor Nova Scotia. Many prominent members of the association have arrived for the meeting including: R.G. T. Hitchman, director Canadian National Livestock Records, Ottawa; A. P. MacVannell of the Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa; C. B. Lang, editor of Fur of Canada, Winnipeg; G. H. Donovan of the Donovan Publications, Toronto; H. M. Seldon Detroit, Mich.

The address of welcome to the visiting delegates was delivered by Hon. J. Walter Jones Premier and Minister of Agriculture. On behalf of the Town of Summerside Mayor W. J. Lidstone extended a welcome to the visiting delegates.

This evening at 8 o'clock the meeting is open to all fur breeders.

Speakers at the meeting will be W. R. Shaw, Deputy Minister of Agriculture for P.E.I., Dr. E. Rendle Bowness of Toronto also Dr. C. K. Gunn, Superintendent of the Experimental Ranch.—S

KILLED IN ACTION—Mrs. Edgar J. Dockendorff (nee Marion Hume), 1 Esher Street, Charlottetown has received a cable conveying the sad news that her husband L. A. C. Edgar J. Dockendorff R. C. A. F. was killed.

BURIAL SUNDAY—The funeral of Miss Lona Fraser, Vernon which was held from her late residence Sunday was very largely attended. Services at the home and grave were conducted by the Rev. A. S. Weir. The pall bearers were Messrs. Edison Drake, Lorin Drake, Lloyd Furness, Stanton Jenkins, Claude Henry, Guy Sullivan. Interment St. John Presbyterian Cemetery, Belfast.

BURIED YESTERDAY—The funeral of Mary Rita LeClair was held yesterday morning from 53 Orlebar street to St. Dunstan's Basilica where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Louis Dougan, who also conducted service at the grave. The pall bearers were Messrs. Cecil Costello, Reggie McDonald, Thomas McAdam, Edward Pineau, Russel Kelly and James Coady. Interment was in the Roman Catholic cemetery.

J. Hale Strong, Summerside, was appointed acting town clerk for the town of Summerside for one year as from June first at a salary of $100 a month, on motion of Councillor Mollison and seconded by Councillor Gorrill, at the regular monthly meeting of the Summerside town council held last evening with Mayor Lidstone presiding and all councillors except Councillor Morrison present.

The ladies' aid of the Prince County Hospital were granted permission to hold a tag day on July first.

SUPREME COURT — One of the smallest dockets in years, with the exception of last spring when there were no cases, will be heard at the June Term of the Queen's County Supreme Court which opens in the Court House here today. His Lordship, Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell will preside. There are no criminal cases to be tried. A possible civil jury case, an appeal and a probable second one will make up the docket. Following are the members of the Grand Jury: Thomas McGregor, Nine Mile Creek; Albert E. Toombs, Charlottetown; Simon P. Paoli, Charlottetown; Charles McFadyen, Riverdale; D. Nicholson, Charlottetown; Warren Inman, DeSable; Ernest Champion, Charlottetown; Samuel B. French, Charlottetown; James E. Moffatt, Mayfield; William M. Rowe, Charlottetown; Walter Scott, Kinross.

Officials of the Federation of Automobile Dealer Associations of Canada were in Charlottetown yesterday and attended a meeting of the P. E. I. Automobile Dealer Association.

Local dealers present included the president, Mr. F. R. McLaine; the secretary-treasurer, Mr. Alex Horne of Summerside, and Samuel Johnston, Allison MacLeod, Ivan Horne and Elmer MacRae, all of Charlottetown; C. E. Corney, Summerside and Daniel Mullins, Mount Stewart. Mr. McLaine presided.

The meeting was addressed by C. Douglas Taylor of Montreal, president of the Federation and Howard B. Moore of Toronto, managing director.

Mr. Taylor emphasized the importance of motor transport and particularly the necessity of saving essential vehicles in order that this vital branch of the nation's transportation facilities be maintained. He also stressed the important part the automobile dealer has to play in keeping farmers' vehicles and vehicles engaged in other essential industry at the highest possible peak of efficieucy.

Urgent recommendations stressing the need of retaining the double passenger train service to and from the province have been made by the Provincial Government and the Charlottetown Board of Trade, it was learned yesterday.

This action was taken following the receipt over the week-end of a communication from Mr. T. C. Lockwood, traffic controller, Ottawa, to Mr. W. R. Higgins, Board of Trade secretary, stating it would be necessary to limit passenger traffic to one train daily and asking the Board to specify the train they preferred.

Board of Trade representatives conferred yesterday with Premier Jones, and the matter was further discussed by phone with Mr. Rand Matheson, manager of the Maritime Transportation Commission, and with the federal representatives at Ottawa.

Mr. B. Graham Rogers, supervisor of the Travel Bureau, went to Moncton by plane yesterday, armed with fuller representations.

Interviewed last night, Premier Jones said that every effort is being made to retain the double service for the summer.

Wartime traffic requirements are given as the reason for the proposed change, but provincial spokesmen point out that the double service is not a luxury but a necessity, and that through freight could be attached to the passenger trains if necessary.

Notification was also received that the pullman service was being cut off at Campbellton. This would be in accord with general railway policy in other regions, to meet pressing military transportation requirements.

No further word has been received from the traffic controller, but it is understood the Island representations are being given consideration.

If the new ruling went into effect, it would apply all through the summer and would presumably go into effect immediately.

WEDNESDAY

—HAS NARROW ESCAPE — A distressing accident happened on Thursday evening when Verna McArthur, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Obie McArthur, by a very close margin escaped death. With her young brother she accompanied her father to Schurman's shore from where he was hauling sand. Wishing to lighten the load which was about three tons, Mr. McArthur stopped the horse until the children were safely on the ground. Apparently Verna had been running close to the truckwagon and had fallen so close to the wheel that her cap was torn off her head and her forehead grazed, one wheel going over the wrist which thanks to the heavy underbed of sand was not broken. She has now completely recovered from the effects of the near tragedy.—S.

—PAINFUL ACCIDENT—Catherine Larkin, aged 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Larkin of Kensington, suffered a serious and painful accident recently while playing with another child. The two children were playing with an axe when in some way the Larkin child was struck in the face, inflicting a severe cut and almost severing the nose. She was rushed to the Prince County Hospital where her injuries were attended to.—S.

—FINED FOR ANGLING WITHOUT LICENSE—Yesterday morning three Summerside anglers appeared before Stipendiary Magistrate Walter E. Darby and pleaded guilty to a Game Act charge of angling without a license. Fines and costs totalling $8.25 were imposed and paid. All three procured licenses for the current season. Defendants were checked by the game officer at Centreville on Monday evening and were found to have neglected purchasing a license for this season. All three had bought licenses in 1941 and 1942, and, incidentally, hadn't been checked.

—NEW TOWN CLERK — Mr. J Hale Strong who was appointed acting town clerk at the regular meeting of the Summerside Town Council on Monday evening is a native of Summerside, the son of Mr. Edward Strong. He left here in 1906 and joined the Bank of Nova Scotia, from which institution he is now superannuated. Mr Strong makes his home in Picton, Ont., where he was manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia prior to his retirement. He is a brother of Heath Strong and E. H. Strong, well-known local barristers. He is at present living with his father on Summer Street. —S

—COUNTY COURT — The County Court of Prince County, June Term commenced at Summerside Tuesday June 15th, Judge L. G. Lewis presiding. Thirty cases were on the docket. There were eleven contested cases and three cases stood over from the previous term. The contested garnishee cases were disposed of and the other contested cases set down on dates agreed on. The first case to be tried is Holman vs Small on the 18th June. The lawyers in attendance were Heath Strong, K.C., Morley M. Bell, K.C., Ernest H. Strong, K.C., J. Watson McNaught, K.C., Henry W. Noonan, C. D. McCallum, Lowell Compton and R. S. Hinton —S.

Mrs. R. S. Farquharson of this city has just received the information that her grandson Captain Rowan Neff, of the United States Army Air Force has been decorated upon order of the President of Washington with the "Distinguished Flying Cross" for participation as senior pilot in more than 50 operational flight missions between June 1942 and Feb. 1943 during which exposure to enemy fire was probable and expected. These missions were flown in unarmed B 24 Liberator Express transports from India to China over the Himalaya Mountains hazardous terraine and in bad weather to deliver personel and supplies to combat areas. Captain Neff, 23 years of age, has been flying this route for 14 months and has also been awarded the Air Medal, The Silver Star and the Oak Leaf.

He is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Grant Neff (formerly Beatrice Farquharson) of 745 Stanton St. Pasadena, California.

FAMILY REUNION — The family of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Myers, Hampton, gathered at their home over the week-end. The family consisted of the following. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nicholson of Charlottetown and family of one, Mr. and Mrs Frank Myers of Crapaud and family of three, Mr. and Mrs. Borden T. Myers of Charlottetown and family of one, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Myers of Crapaud and family of two and Borden Walton of Bayfield, N. B., and family of three, Mrs. Roy Oakes of Shediac, N. B., and family of two, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Myers of Hampton and family of one, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Myers of Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Myers of DeSable, Doris Myers of the Civil Service, Ottawa, Cpl. Arthur Myers of R. C. Signals at Camp Sussex, N. B., Norman, Betty, Billy and Mildred at home. Mr. Borden Walton and son Leigh of Bayfield, N. B., Flt. Sgt. Roy Oakes R. C. A. F. Shediac, N. B., and Joyce Nicholson of Charlottetown were absent from the gathering. During the course of the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Myers with their family of fifteen were photographed by Mr. Nicholson of Charlottetown. Luncheon was served buffet style.

Miss Katherine MacLennan was re-elected president of the Registered Nurses' Association of Prince Edward Island at the annual meeting of the organization held in Summerside yesterday afternoon and evening.

Other officers elected were:— Vice-president, Miss Georgie Brown; Treasurer and Registrar, Sr. Mary Magdalen; Rec. Sec'y, Miss Anna Mair; Chairman Hospital School of Nursing Sect. Miss Anna Bennett; Chairman General Nursing, Miss Dorothy Greenan; Public Health, Miss Ruth Ross.

The president, Miss MacLennan, presided at both sessions which were attended by upwards of sixty nurses. In her address she gave a comprehensive review of the year's activities. Stressing the importance of the work of nurses on the home front, she said, "To our own nurses who have remained in their positions, doing private duty, public health or institutional work, and thus kept the civilian machinery functioning, we owe a debt of thanks. But for these serious minded women, our provincial association would be facing a more acute problem than it is facing. Let us hope this spirit of co-operation will become more marked than it already is and that each and every graduate nurse will realize a definite responsibility rests with her."

An outstanding feature of the afternoon session was the address on "Poliomyelitis" by Miss Margaret Pringle, emergency nursing advisor for New Brunswick, now on loan to this Province as travelling instructor.

The treasurer's report showed a satisfactory balance and the sum of $50 was donated to the Russian Relief Fund and $100 to the British Civilian Nurses' Relief during the year.

LEAVES FOR WEST — Mrs. Emanuel Gallant of Charlottetown leaves this morning for an extended visit to Mrs. J. M. Currie of Edmonton, Alberta. She will also attend the wedding of her niece, Miss Margaret Gallant, in Moncton on Wednesday and spend a few days with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Kiggins, also of Moncton.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of the late Elijah Diamond 73, was held yesterday afternoon from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home. Services at the home and grave were conducted by Rev. A. E. Todd. The pallbearers were: Douglas Smith, Joseph Storey, John Essery, Oscar Proctor, Theodore Sentner, J. B. Ford. Interment was in the People's Cemetery. Mr. Diamond died Saturday in the P.E.I. Hospital.

A quiet wedding took place in St. Paul's chapel at 10.30 yesterday morning, when Rev. Canon McDonald united in marraige Natalie Grace, youngest daughter of Lt.-Col. W. C. Cook and the late Mrs. Cook, and Lt. Cmdr. Harry Freeland, R.C.N.R., Sydney, N.S., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Freeland, of Hartlepool, England.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and wore a brown gabardine suit with gold blouse, gold straw hat, brown accessories, and a corsage of talisman roses.

Miss Lillian Earle presided at the organ.

Following the ceremony, a small reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Carruthers, sister and brother-in-law of the bride, after which Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. Freeland left on a honeymoon trip, travelling by the noon plane to Moncton.

Flying Officer Vincent Sanford MacAusland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burns MacAusland of Tyne Valley is reported to have been killed in an air raid over Germany. The parents of the airman have been informed that his death was reported by German authorities through the International Red Cross.

FO. MacAusland was reported missing earlier. He was said to have been one of the airmen who participated in the raids on the two great German dams, Eder and Mohone.

The parents of the flier, who was serving with the Royal Canadian Air Force, have received a letter of sympathy from Rev. Arnold Hart-Davies and Mrs. Davies in England. They were formerly stationed at Tyne Valley where Mr. Hart-Davies was rector of the Church of England.

—DEATH OF MRS. W. J. WHITNEY— The death occurred about 10.30 yesterday morning of an old and respected resident of Summerside in the person of Mrs. Wm. J. Whitney. She was the former Fanny Crabbe, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crabbe of Summerside. While the late Mrs. Whitney had been in failing health for a number of years she had been confined to bed for only about three or four weeks. Her husband predeceased her in 1937. There survives one son, Henry of the Canadian Army stationed in Yarmouth, N.S. Mrs. Whitney was the last surviving member of her family, her brother, Otto having died about a year ago. The funeral will be today (Wednesday) with a service at the house, conducted by Rev. G. R. Harrison. Mr. Henry Whitney arrived home on Saturday and his wife came on Monday.—S

COL. HEMMING IN TUNISIA— The London correspondent of the Financial Post writes: "Colonel Harold Hemming dropped in recently to say good-bye. He was waiting for a 'plane to take him to Tunisia. Hemming was born in Toronto, 50 years ago, was educated at McGill and won the M.C. with the Canadian artillery in the last war. He was full of theory and is the author of one of the gunnery textbooks used by the British army. After the last war, he joined a financial house in London and specialized in Canadian securities. When war came again he abandoned the city and, with the rank of Major, was put in charge of an important "hush hush" Artillery school. He has been telling me that British gunnery now has no rival anywhere. In Tunisia it apparently made the German technique look like something from the Boer war." (Colonel Hemming above referred to is a son of Mr. H. K. S. Hemming, Charlottetown.)

DEATH OF FORMER ISLANDER IN B. C.—Word has been received here recently of the death of Mrs. Jessie Beaton, of Vancouver, B.C., in her 74th year. Mrs. Beaton was formerly Jessie MacKinnon of Brooklyn, P.E.I., daughter of Lauchlin and Mary (MacDonald) MacKinnon (both of Scotland). Her husband, Lauchlin Beaton, Whim Road, predeceased her some years ago. Surviving members of the family are Donald MacKinnon, K.C., Charlottetown, and Hon. Murdock MacKinnon, ex-Governor of this Province; Martin MacKinnon, Montague, and Arch. MacKinnon, Charlottetown. One sister, Effie, Mrs. J. N. MacDonald, Kilmuir, also survives. Another sister, Annie, Mrs. Matheson of Brooklyn, predeceased her. Also D. L. MacKinnon, Montague and Wm. MacKinnon of Boston. Mrs. Beaton is survived by four sons and four daughters, also a number of grandchildren. Two sons are in the armed forces, the oldest one serving in Canada and the youngest overseas.

St. Mary's Chapel, Summerside, was the scene of a very pretty wedding yesterday morning when Mary Rita, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gallant became the bride of Writer George W. Olscamp of the R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Olscamp of Campbellton, N.B. The bride who was given in marriage by her father, looked charming in a pale blue sheer dress, with matching accessories, and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. She was attended by her sister Doris, who wore a rose crepe dress with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. The groom was ably supported by Mr. Arthur Clow, a friend of the groom.

The ceremony was performed and the nuptial mass celebrated by the Rt. Rev. G. J. MacLellan, V.G., the choir being under the direction of Mrs. Roy A'Hearn.

Mr. and Mrs. Olscamp will reside in Halifax where the groom is at present stationed.

HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT —Dr. B. C. Keeping, city health officer, in his report to the City Council last night, stated there were 164 chest examinations conducted during the month of May. There were five cases of communicable diseases, four of which were tuberculosis and one scarlet fever. Immunization clinics were concluded in all city schools. There were forty home visits by public health nurses during the month. The vital statistics report for the city of Charlottetown showed 56 births, 19 deaths and 19 marriages.

THURSDAY

EXCEEDS OBJECTIVE—Prince Edward Island subscribed a total of $3,107,950 to Canada's fourth Victory Loan, according to the final figures released yesterday by C. Guy Scott, secretary of the provincial administration of the National War Finance committee. This was 125 per cent of its original objective of $2,500,000.

FATAL ACCIDENT—Funeral services were held yesterday for 7-year-old Ivan MacDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert MacDonald, of Peter's Road, who died in the King's County Hospital, Montague, Monday evening, several hours after a large road machine ran over him. He died from head injuries, it is reported. The boy was riding to Montague on the machine, which was driven by his father, when he was thrown from the seat and under the wheel when it hit a rock on the Commercial road near Whim road corner. The accident happened so unexpectedly that Mr. MacDonald could not save his son. The wheel of the 15,000-pound machine passed over or close to his head, but apparently the soft ground provided a cushion that softened the weight. He regained consciousness in the hospital some time after being rushed there for treatment. The boy talked with his parents for a while before passing away. Besides his sorrowing parents, he leaves to mourn one older brother, James.

A lovely June wedding was solemnized on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Trinity United Church Summerside, when the pastor, Rev. John Jarvie, united in marriage Mary Ferne, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dystant, Summerside, to Lieutenant Claude MacDowell Cook of the R.C.A.S.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley B. Cook, Waterville, N.S.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of white Faille Taffeta, modelled with high neckline and torso lines, with net applique on yoke and sleeves. Her veil of finger tip length was caught with lillies of the valley. Her only ornament was a strand of pearls, gift of the groom. She carried a sheaf of lilies tied with white streamers.

Miss Effie McKay, friend of the bride, played appropriate music for the occasion.

Her sister Edith, who was her only attendant, was gowned in a floor length dress of pale pink sheer, with net juliet cap to match and carried a nosegay of mixed flowers.

Captain Hillard E. Clark of the Army Dental Corps attended the groom.

Erection of a suitable nurses' home at Falconwood Hospital, to relieve congestion in the women's pavilion where the nurses are now housed, was recommended in the report of the Grand Jury submitted at yesterday's opening sitting of the June Term of the Supreme Court for Queen's County.

The Grand Jury further recommended the erection of modern farm buildings on Falconwood Farm, and improvements to the laundry of the institution.

The Court was adjourned until Tuesday, June 22, when the case of The King vs. Robert Edward Boswell, an appeal under the Excise Act, will be heard.

A pair of white gloves, denoting the absence of criminal cases, on the docket, was presented to Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell who presided. Justice A. C. Saunders was also on the bench.

Three appeals and one civil jury case made up the docket. These were: Dominic Butler vs. the City of Charlottetown, civil jury case; The King vs. Boswell, Excise Appeal ;The King vs. Grace Smith, Prohibition appeal; Carter vs. Rodd. The first case was set down for

The 23rd annual meeting of the Canadian National Silver Fox Breeders' Association concluded yesterday at its headquarters in Summerside.

At the morning session of the directors and members, Mr. W. H. C. Ruthven, of Alliston, Ontario, was elected president for the coming year, succeeding Mr. D. O. Stewart of Summerside.

Mr. Ruthven, the new president, is one of the leading fox ranchers of Canada and for many years a very successful showman, having at different occasions taken honors at the leading shows both here and in the United States. He was one of the early pioneers in the business in Ontario and has been a member of the Association for about twenty years. Not only is he a successful foxman but he also owns and operates a large farm and specializes in the raising of Holstein cattle and hogs.

Mr. L. W. Hancock, managing director of the International Fox and Animal Foods Ltd., and one of the most prominent fox ranchers in this part of the country was elected vice president, Mr. T. D. Car- Mr. Vernon Matthews re-appointed treasurer. The manager of the fur marketing dept. and chief inspector's post will, as before, be filled by Mr. George Callbeck.

Executive committee, George McLeod, Fredericton, N.B.; Lt.-Col. D. A. MacKinnon, Charlottetown; and Gordon MacMillan, Cornwall, P. E. I.

Registration committee, Sven Klintberg, Birds Hill, Man.; R. S. Humphrey, Kensington; F. George McLeod, Fredericton, N. B.

Delegates to C.N. livestock records board, W. H. C. Ruthven and J. J. E. McCague of Alliston, Ont. They were also appointed as delegates to Royal Winter Fair.

The fur committee, L. W. Hancock, D. O. Stewart and R. S. Humphrey.

At the conclusion of the meetings a lobster dinner was served in the meeting room at which all the directors and members were present

During the afternoon they motored to Charlottetown for a visit to the capital. Some of the directors left by evening boat for the mainland and the balance plan on leaving today by plane for their homes. —S.

FUNERAL AT GEORGETOWN— The remains of the late Miss Faustina Gotell, whose death occurred at Saint John, N. B., on June 14, arrived in Charlottetown last evening and were conveyed to her former home in Georgetown, where the funeral, which was postponed awaiting the arrival of a brother, will take place Saturday morning at 9.30 to St. James church, Georgetown. Interment in the church cemetery.

WEDDING ON SATURDAY— The marriage takes place Saturday in St. Dunstan's Basilica at 10 o'clock of Miss Denise T. Pottinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Pottinger, Victoria, B.C., formerly of Los Angeles, to Lieutenant W. G. Crawley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Crawley, Victoria, B.C., formerly of Washington and New York. Rev. Father Dougan will officiate. After a short honeymoon, Lieut. and Mrs. Crawley will reside in Charlottetown.

Gilbert Hudgins, 21, whose home is at Kingston, King's County, N.S., was charged in Summerside yesterday with manslaughter. He was arraigned before Stipendiary Magistrate W.E. Darby and pleaded not guilty. He was released on a $4,000 bail bond.

The charge arose out of the death near St. Louis, Prince County, on May 22 of Miss Louise Cormier, 19, of Waterford, P.E.I. The girl died after being struck by a motor truck driven by Hudgins.

The preliminary hearing was adjourned until June 24.

Hudgins was employed as a truck driver by the Tomlinson Construction Company at Mount Pleasant.

ROBINSON-PATELAKIS—A very pretty wedding took place yesterday morning, June 16th, in All Saints chapel (St. Peters Cathedral) when Eileen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Patelakis, was united in marriage to Thomas A. Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson, Belfast, Ireland. Rev. Canon E. M. Malone officiated. The bride entered the church on the arm of her father and looked lovely in a white satin street length dress with white accessories and a corsage of red roses. The bride's mother wore light blue crepe with navy accessories and a corsage of red roses. The happy young couple left by plane for New Brunswick.

WEDDING BELLS—The many friends of Mary Evelyn MacLean, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. MacLean of High Bank, will be interested to learn of her marriage recently to Pte. Harry A. Welton, R.C.A.S.C., of Parrsboro, N. S., now stationed at Camp Borden, Ontario. Rev. C. R. F. MacLennan, pastor of the United church, New Glasgow, N.S., performed the ceremony. She was attended by her friend Miss Doris MacKinnon, of Peter's Road, P.E.I., while Gordon Gillis, a cousin of the bride was groomsman. Following their marriage the happy couple left amid the best wishes of numerous friends, for a short visit to the bride's former home and also to Parrsboro, after which Pte. Welton returned to military duty at Camp Borden.

MacDOUGALL-MacDONALD — Miss Mary Blanche MacDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacDonald of Newton Cross, was married in St. Paul's church Tuesday evening to Petty Officer (Writer) Lorne Duncan MacDougall, son of Mr. and Mrs. John MacDougall of Newton Cross. The ceremony, which was attended by relatives and friends of the bride and groom was performed by Rev. Canon MacDonald. The bride was dressed in white and carried a bouquet of roses. Miss Mary Clow was the bridesmaid while the groom was attended by Writer John Stewart, R. C.N.V.R. Following the ceremony an enjoyable reception was held at the Queen Hotel at which about 45 guests were present. The happy young couple left yesterday on a wedding trip through the Maritimes. The groom is a member of the crew of the H.M.C.S. Queen Charlotte in Charlottetown.

Mr. J. E. Dalton of Summerside was elected president of the P.E.I. Pharmaceutical Association at the annual meeting held yesterday at Summerside. He replaces Mr. E. P. Foley, also of Summerside.

Other officers include: vice-president, W. J. Brown, Charlottetown; treasurer, E. A. Foster, Charlottetown; secretary-registrar, R. M. Smallman; auditors, L. Bryenton and L. M. Doucette, Charlottetown.

Mr. Foster and Mr. Foley were named delegates to the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association.

The business meeting, in the afternoon, was held at the Town Hall. Mr. Foley presided.

In the evening Dr. J. A. MacMillan of Charlottetown was guest speaker at a dinner meeting at the Clifton Hotel. The new president was in the chair.

Dr. MacMillan spoke on Group Hospitalization.

Hospital on June 9, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Cairns, Summerside, a son.

FRIDAY

—LAID TO REST—A large number of friends were present on Tuesday afternoon to pay their last respects to the late Thelma England, whose funeral took place at 2.30 with a short service at the home and a service at St. John's Anglican church, Ellerslie. Rev. H. D. Henderson, the pastor, officiated at both services and Rev. Mr. Parker of the Bideford United church gave the committal service at the grave. The pall-bearers were Clifford Morrison, Clifford Williams, Jack England, Donald Forbes, Elroy Ramsay and George Hayes—S.

MT. ALLISON MUSIC EXAMS. —The following local candidates were successful in the annual examinations held yesterday by Mt. Allison Conservatory of Music. Names are in order of merit: — Grade V—Piano, Olivene McLean; Grade IV—Ivan Robinson (vocal) distinction, Gerald McAulay, distinction; Grade III — Clarence Christie, distinction, Hanley McNair, George Halliwell (vocal); Grade II—Barbara Dick and Gerda Hansen, tie, distinction Elizabeth Anderson, Arthur Avard, Joan Storey, Mildred Auld (vocal); Grade I—Janet McEachern and Jeanette Ladner, tie, distinction, Jane Giddings, distinction Maureen Bohaker, Clive Cudmore; Examiner: Harold S. Hamer, Esq., F.R.C.O.; Teachers, Mr. John Inch, Mus. Bac.; Mr. A. Roy Kendall, L.R.A.M., A.C.C.O., A.A.G.O.

—FUNERAL OF LATE MRS. W. J. WHITNEY— The funeral of the late Mrs. W. J. Whitney of Summerside was held on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 with a service at the home conducted by Venerable Archdeacon Harrison. The pallbearers were Messrs. D. O. Stewart, H. T. Holman, Frank McNeill, Major Small, Charles Peters and Sqn.-Ldr. R. E. Ellis.—S

—MR. STAVERT'S FUNERAL — The funeral of the late Charles Stavert took place on Tuesday afternoon from the Presbyterian Church to the Peoples' Cemetery, where interment took place. The pallbearers were as follows: Messrs B. R. Sharpe, Roy Campbell, Ralph Campbell, J. W. Waugh, Heber Myers, Jarvis Tanton. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Mr. Carnegy, assisted by Rev. Mr. Jarvie. S

On May 19th a very wide circle of friends learned with deep regret of the passing of Allan Joseph MacDonald at the grand old age of 90 years, at Prince County Hospital after six months illness borne with christian patience and fortitude. Mr. MacDonald was a life long resident of Pisquid where he was a farmer there, until ten years ago, he went to live with his daughter Mrs. Phonse McLellan, Grand River.

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Dr. J. J. Gillis, British Columbia; Harold Jenkins, Alberta; Dr. R. H. MacDonald, Saskatchewan; Sven Klintberg, Manitoba; J. J. E. McCague, W. H. C. Ruthven, Ontario, Dr. J. E. LaForest, H. A. Dorathy, Quebec; George MacDonald, F. H. Copp, New Brunswick; K. W. Taylor, Nova Scotia; D. O. Stewart, L. W. Hancock, R. S. Humphrey, Gordon MacMillan, Col. D. A. MacKinnon, Capt. J. L. Read, J. Heber McPhail, Prince Edward Island.—S

The conclusion of an eight-day's Retreat, conducted by Reverend Donald McKay, C.S.S.R., was marked by a ceremony of Religious reception in the Chapel of St. Dunstan's College on Monday, June 14th, when four young ladies were received into the Congregation of the Sisters of St. Martha.

The young ladies who received the Habit with their names in religion are: Dorothy Macdonald (Sister Mary Dorothy), Georgetown; Eileen O'Toole (Sister Mary Raphael), Bonshaw; Olive Gaudet (Sister Mary Louise) Palmer Road; Lestina McKearney (Sister Mary Damian), St. Mary's Road.

The following were the flower girls: Agnes Arthur, Ruth Cudmore, Margaret Toole, Marion Toole, Teresa Gaudet, Celia Heartz, Betty McManus, Bernadette McManus.

DWYER—DECATUR — A very pretty lawn wedding took place Sunday, June 6, at 4, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Decatur, 6 Draper Road, Tower Hill, Wayland, Mass. when their daughter Miss Dorothy, was united in marriage to Russell N. Dwyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dwyer, 255 Greenview Ave, Jamaica Plain, Mass. Rev. Norman C. MacLean pastor of the Central Congregational Church of Chelsea, a cousin of the groom, officiated. The bride was given in marriage by her father, while her sister Miss Susan served as matron of honor, and another sister, Miss Beatrice, played the wedding march. The groom was supported by his brother Frederick Dwyer.

BIRTHS

CURRAN—At the King's County Hospital, Montague, P.E.I. on June 15, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Curran, St. Theresa, P.E.I., a son.

MORRISEY—At the King's County Hospital, Montague, P.E.I. on June 14, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Morrisey, Cherry Valley, P.E.I., a daughter.

BURTON—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital, on June 7, 1943, to Flt.-Lt. and Mrs. W. R. Burton, Charlottetown, a son, Peter Robert.

MARRIAGES

CONNORS-CAMPBELL — At the Baptist church parsonage on Tuesday, June 1, 1943, by Rev. I. J. Levy, Bessie Connors of Charlottetown to L/Cpl. Harold Campbell of Beach Grove Inn, Charlottetown.

FITZGERALD — STIRLING — At Halifax, N.S., May 228, 1943, by Rev. W. R Seeley, Mary Charlotte Fitzgerald, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. John J. Fitzgerald of Boston, Mass., to Lieut. Ian Ross Stirling, R.C.A., son of the late Rev. John Stirling and Mrs. Stirling of Kensington, P. E. I.

THOMPSON—CONNELL— At the Margate Parsonage, Kensington June 9th, 1943, by Rev. E. J. O. Fraser, Roy Gough Thompson, of Margate, and Mamie Hazel Connell, of Margate.

BUCHANAN-CRAWFORD—At the Montague United church manse on May 22nd, 1943, by the Rev. E. S. Hayward, Elizabeth Florence Buchanan, Cardigan, P.E.I. and James Elmer Crawford, Roseneath, P.E.I.

DEATHS

MacDONALD—At Eldon on June 16th, 1943, Mrs. M. F. MacDonald.

MALLETT—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on June 16, 1943, Mrs. Cephas Mallett, 196 Prince St., Charlottetown, in her 76th year.

DOCHERTY—At Pisquid East on Thursday June 17, 1943, Mrs. Catherine D. Docherty, aged 73 years

CLARK—Suddenly in Long Island, New York, on June 13th, 1943, Stephen W. Clark, formerly of Emerald Jct., P. E. Island.

ARSENAULT — At her home in Summerside on Thursday, June 17, 1943, Mrs. Lemuel Arsenault, aged 72 years

GODFREY— At Suffolk, June 17th, 1943, James W. Godfrey in his 85th year

McQUAID—At St. Teresa June 17, 1943, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Bradley, Peter McQuaid aged 95 years.

ENGLAND — At the Prince County Hospital on June 12, 1943, Miss Henrietta Thelma England, of Ellerslie, aged 20 years.

STAVERT—At the Prince County Hospital on June 12, 1943, Charles R. Stavert of Summerside, aged 59 years