OUR NEWS BUDGET FOR OUR SATURDAY SUBSCRIBERS

MONDAY

Mrs. Walter Murphy and Mrs. Louis Sherry have returned from Halifax where they accompanied Mrs. Murphy's little daughter Joyce home from the children's hospital and whose condition remains unchanged.

Mr. Harry Brown, manager of the Queen Hotel, who has been a patient in the Charlottetown Hospital, has returned to his duties much improved in health.

TO GOOD ROADS CONVENTION —Mr. and Mrs. R. S. MacBeath left by motor yesterday for Truro. From there Mr. MacBeath will proceed to Quebec City where he will attend the annual convention of The Good Roads Association. Mrs. MacBeath will visit her son Donald who is an undergraduate at Acadia University.

—Mr. and Mrs. Philbert Gaudet of Miscouche have arrived home after spending the winter months in Millville, New Jersey, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Mitchell Pindale and Mr. Pindale.—S.

ILL AT NEW YORK—Word has been received by his relatives that Lawrence "Larry" Clinton of this city, is ill in hospital at New York. Nature of the illness was not stated. Mr. Clinton has been engaged with the American Merchant Marine since the beginning of the war and his many friends are hoping for a speedy recovery.

FUNERAL SATURDAY — The funeral of the late Mrs. Frank Paul, 57 Brighton Avenue, was held Saturday afternoon from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home. The services at the home and grave were conducted by the Rev. Canon E. M. Malone. The pallbearers were: Allison McLeod, Reginald J. Mahar, William Max King, Lloyd S. McNevin, W. Benjamin Peters, Hillson Proude. Interment was in St. Peter's Cemetery.

The death occurred Saturday evening at his home at 182 King Street, City, of Mr. Nelson Garnhum, chief pressman of the Charlottetown Patriot.

The late Mr. Garnhum, who was 47 years of age, had been in ill health for several months and was forced to quit his duties as pressman last November. A few weeks later, he went to Toronto for medical treatment and remained there for two months. He returned home about a month ago.

He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Doris Welsh, and an adopted daughter.

The funeral will be held Tuesday morning from St. Dunstan's Basilica. Burial will be in the Roman Catholic Cemetery.

Mr. Blair Andrew had rather a fearful experience the other evening, while returning home with a team of horses attached to a truck wagon loaded with saw dust. He was coming up what is known as Laird's hill, the load turned over taking with it the horses. Mr. Andrew was helpless, until the arrival of his son Billie who ran for further help returning with Mr. Chalmers Laird and Mr. John Buntain. They were able to ease the weight, enough to release the horses from what looked likely to have been their doom. However glad to say, the animals suffered no major injuries, but everyone hopes that when the new road is made through this way in the summer, this awful trap will be lessened, as this has not been the first misfortune on this hill.

Mr. L. W. Hancock, a well known fox rancher of Summerside, on Saturday night received a large shipment of mink from Winnipeg Manitoba, valued at approximately $7,000. This shipment consisted of 36 female mink, including "snowwhites" and half blood "silverblu" platinums and one "silverblu" platinum male. These are the first "snowhite" type mink to be imported to this Province and there are only a few of the others.

Mr. Hancock had also previously received a few royal Kohinoor mink. These are three new types which have been developed in recent years. The silverblu platinum pelts were the sensation of the year at the New York fur sale when 1900 of these pelts were marketed at an average price of $101.50. It is Mr. Hancock's intention to develop mink in addition to his already extensive fox ranching activities. S.

—**WELCOME HOME**—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rayner, Travellers' Rest was crowded to capacity when the residents of that village with friends from outlying districts gathered to give their son, Rayworth a welcome home from overseas where he had been serving for three years. The reading of a community address by Mr. John Marchbank was followed by the presentation of a purse of money by Mr. Clarence Marchbank. Ray thanked his friends for their kind welcome and gift and concluded by inviting them to visit at his home in the future. At this time a song composed by Mrs. George Ramsay, New Annan especially for this occasion, "When Ray Comes Marching Home," was sung. A sing song, games and refreshments concluded the evening.—S.

Preaching last evening in The Kirk the minister, the Rev. T.H.B. Somers, said: And so I would bring you as I would bring myself, face to face with the great mystery of an indwelling Christ. I would like you to see that truth in the light of all I have been saying. These deepest things of God were never meant to be speculative wonders—it is when we live them, we find how very real they are—and it is Christ in us, the hope of glory, that saves us from the peril of an empty heart.

The holy gospel does not merely come to us and say, "You must give up that sin." It does not bid us empty our hearts of evil, and leave them empty to the end. It knows the danger of a soul unoccupied; the certain fall of a heart without a tenant. And so the gospel is prepared to give you something far better than what it drives away. It is prepared to inhabit the temple of our hearts with the Holy Spirit of Christ. Know we not that our bodies are temples of the Holy Ghost who dwelleth in us? That is the kind exchange the gospel offers. In place of the unclean spirit which is gone, the spirit of the Christ [illegible]

TUESDAY

—Mrs. Ralph Parker and Mrs. Gerda Morrison of Summerside motored to Halifax last week. —S.

—Miss Gladys Holman left by plane on last Friday for Montreal where she will spend some time. —S.

—Miss Lois Jenkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jenkins, Summerside has entered the Prince Edward Island Hospital to undergo an operation on her nose.—S.

—Mrs. James Millman, Summerside left on Monday for Moncton to spend several days visiting her husband. —S.

—Mrs. A. S. McKay, Central Street, Summerside accompanied by her daughter, Effie, left on Monday by motor for Truro to meet her son, Lieut. Alexander McKay and his wife who will arrive this week in Halifax from Bermuda. —S.

—Lieut. (N.S.) Beatrice Rankin has returned to Sussex Military Hospital after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Rankin, Summerside.—S

—**NURSES MEETING** — The regular monthly meeting of the graduate nurses was held on Monday evening at the Prince County Hospital with the president, Miss Margaret Jamieson, R.N., presiding. There were eighteen members present. The first part of the meeting was devoted to business and discussion of future plans. It was decided to have an annual fee and a silver collection taken up at each meeting for current expenses. It was also decided that the group would assume responsibility for Blue Cross membership. Miss Theresa McCarville, R.N. was appointed treasurer. Considerable discussion took place on ways and means by which the nurses could help with the building fund of the new hospital. A report will be given and a decision made at the next meeting in May. Following the business session the meeting adjourned for a social hour. Mrs. Hazen McLellan, R.N., introduced Mrs. J. S. Parry who gave several interesting and entertaining readings. Refreshments were served. —S.

WEDNESDAY

ISLANDER PASSES — Word has been received recently by friends in this province of the death of David Corbett, Maple Creek, Sask., formerly of North Granville, P. E. I. His wife, the former Emily Bertram of Hazel Grove predeceased her husband some two years ago.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT — Mr. Alfred Duchemin, woodworking plant owner and operator, suffered the loss of three fingers of his left hand last week when a board unaccountably flew through the air catching nim on the hand.

RETURNING FROM ENGLAND —Mrs. Gordon Baty, nee Lylia Stewart, Norboro and little son, are expected to arrive here from England about April 6th. Her husband was expected to reach Halifax Tuesday having been overseas with the R.C.A.F.

HOME FROM TORONTO—Mr. Alden MacLaren of Brudenell and Mr. Alex Hamilton of New Porth returned last night from a business trip to Toronto. Mr. Hamilton attended the annual meeting of the Canadian Wool Growers Association and was re-elected to the board of directors.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY —The funeral of the late Mrs. David Garnhum, Malpeque Road was held yesterday afternoon from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home. Services at the home and grave-side in the People's Cemetery were conducted by Rev. G. E. Whitely, assisted by Rev. I. J Levy The pallbearers were, David MacKinnon, Cyrus Vessey, Daniel Garnhum, Frank LeClair, Leith Stewart, Ruben Higgins.

NOT FINALIZED—A spokesman for the Polyclinic yesterday drew the attention of the Guardian to a report in its columns yesterday that Dr. J. Kent L. Irwin had been appointed successor to Dr. Tidmarsh on its staff. This he said is not quite correct as the matter has just come up for consideration.

TRANSFERRED — Mr. Gordon Starrett, plant superintendent of the Maritime Telephone Company, City, is being transferred to the Company's headquarters in Halifax. Mr. Starrett has been with the Company for the past 15 years. Mrs. Starrett and daughter will leave for Halifax within the next few days.

DIES IN SEATTLE—Mrs. A. J. MacLaine has received word of the death in Seattle Wash., of Mr. James B. Hall formerly of Summerside on March 19th. Mr. Hall is survived by his wife who was Miss Madge MacLaine formerly of St. Peter's Bay, P.E.I. and three sons, Cown Rankin of Los Angeles, Alfred of New York and John of Seattle, also three granddaughters, Dorothy Madge, Patsy and Carol, daughters of John Hall.

FUNERAL SERVICES — The eral of Mr. Nelson Garnhum was held yesterday morning from his late residence, 182 King Street to St. Dunstan's Basilica where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. P. F. McDonald, who also conducted service at the grave. The employees of the Patriot Publishing Company preceded the hearse in a body. The pallbearers were: Messrs. W. A. Gaudet, Robert Duncan, Frank L. Dillon, William Larter, Egbert Hughes and John Redmond. Interment was in the Catholic Cemetery.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bulman, March 20th, when friends were invited in, to indulge in the light fantastic, games and a real sociable evening with friends, neighbours and relatives. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by a number of ladies. After thanking Mr. and Mrs. Bulman each one wended their way homeward, hoping there would soon be another such an happy evening with the young and older ones together.

SORORITY MEETING —Alpha Chapter, Beta Sigmi Phi, held its annual meeting on Monday evening, March 25th at Jean MacDonald's. The president, Esther Walter, presided. The executive for next year was voted on and the members elected are: President, Jean Macdonald; Vice President, Kaye Johnstone; Corresponding Secretary, Alfreda Pickard; Treasurer, Margaret McLennan; Recording Secretary, Joan Wellner. Betty Large was in charge of the program for the evening and the members enjoyed her talk on poetry and the reading of poems. Tea was served by the hostess during the discussion.

The April meeting of the Prince Edward Island Ministerial Association was held on Monday afternoon in the hall of Zion Church with the President, the Rev. T. H. Bussell Somers, in the chair, and the secretary, Rev. J. A. Nicholson, at the desk. In addition the following ministers were present: Rev. I. J. Levy, Major Victor MacLean, Rev. M. D. Dunbar, Rev. W. R. Webster, Rev. Geo. C. Webster, Rev. J. Harvey Bishop, Rev. J. T. Ibbott, Rev. J. W. Hayter, Rev. T. E. McLennan, and Rev. E R. MacVicar. After Lenten worship had been conducted by the president, the secretary read the minutes which were approved.

—**RECEIVES SAD WORD** — Mrs. James A. Morrison, Summerside, has received the sad news of the death of her sister, Mrs. W. D. Haywood, in Vancouver, B. C. on March 28th. Mrs. Haywood is a daughter of the late Mrs. (Capt.) George W. McKay of Summerside. There are left to mourn, her husband and a daughter, Georgie, (Mrs. T.C. Hunter), and a son, Donald all of Vancouver. Mrs. Morrison is the last surviving member of the family Another sister, Mrs. H. C. Wyand, New York, passed away ten years ago. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to Mrs. Morrison in her bereavement.—S.

TROUBLE LOCATED BY X-RAY—New cases of active tuberculosis discovered by the Mobile X-ray unit up to March 18th last when it had X-rayed 18,180 persons, totalled 83 or slightly less than one-half of one per cent of those X-rayed, according to a report recently released by the tuberculosis division of the department of public health and welfare. Eight hundred and fifteen cases of inactive primary infection and six cases of active primary infection were also discovered. Altogether, there were found 279 cases of inactive tuberculosis. The report breaks them up as follows: minimal, 224; moderate, 49; and far advanced, six.

HOLY REDEEMER MEETING — The annual meeting of Holy Redeemer Parish Altar Society was held Monday evening with Father Baldwin C. SS. R. present. The election of officers took place with Mrs. C. Gaudet, Mrs. A. Dowling, Mrs. Gallant on the nominating committee and brought in the following slate for 1946. President—Mrs. H. Toombs; 1st Vice President, —Mrs. Allan McDonald; 2nd Vice President—Mrs. P. H. Morris; 3rd Vice President—Mrs. Robert Bradley; Secretary Treasurer—Mrs. F. Walker (re-elected). Father Baldwin then spoke and thanked the outgoing officers for their splendid co-operation during their term of office. Discussion then took place about the future activities.

—**SURPRISE FOR THE RODDS** —A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker, on Friday evening, March 15th, when the residents of Travellers' Rest gathered to honor Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Rodd, who recently moved to this community. Having purchased the store formerly owned by Ernest Rayner, Mr. Rodd has had considerable improvement done to the building and has now a suitable dwelling and store combined, and has just recently had electric lights installed. It has been a great benefit to the people of this thriving village to have a store opened here, and as Mr. Rodd has had considerable experience as a merchant, the people of Traveller' Rest wish him every success and hope both he and Mrs. Rodd will make many new acquaintances. After all had gathered a lively sing song of Irish songs led by Mrs. George Ramsay was greatly enjoyed by all. Margaret Walker favored the guests with pleasing solos, and Mrs. Harold Moase and Mrs. Ramsay contributed a number of piano duets. Mrs. Clarence Marchbank played instrumental selections and also led in a sing song of "Old Favorites." This part of the program concluded all were ushered into the living room where the surprise awaited the Rodds. James Marchbank acted as chairman and in his usual capable manner explained the purpose of the gathering. He then called on Edwin MacNeill who read an appropriate address, while Benjamin Pillman made the presentation of a lovely electric table lamp with shade, also a sum of money. Mr. Rodd thanked his many friends for their kind words, thoughtfulness and beautiful gifts and extended a hearty invitation to all present to visit them in their new home. All joined in singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows"

THURSDAY

IN STOCK NOW—All kinds of Seeds, Timothy Mixture, Clover and Timothy, Late Clover and Early Clover, Mangles and Turnip Seeds. Buy now while stock is complete. Dillon and Spillett. 3-29-tf.

AT POLYCLINIC — Dr. J. Kent L. Irwin, at present, taking a post graduate course in the Royal Victoria Maternity Hospital, Montreal, has been appointed successor to Dr. Tidmarsh at the Polyclinic, Charlottetown.

VISITED RUSTICO — Mr. J. S. Galbraith, Dominion technical adviser on housing, accompanied by Mr. J. F. Connolly, provincial deputy-Minister of Reconstruction, were in Rustico over the weekend discussing Rustico's housing situation with the citizens of that community.

ON INSPECTION TRIP — Mr. Robert Sommerville, general manager of all Canadian National Hotels in Canada, is now making an inspection of the Charlottetown Hotel. Mr. Sommerville arrived Tuesday night.

CHARLOTTETOWN OFFICIALS EXTEND WELCOME — His Worship, Mayor B. Earle MacDonald, accompanied by City Councillors J. D. Stewart and N. W. Lowther and City Clerk J. A. Fullerton, met the victorious Summerside Juvenile Kinsmen hockey team at the local airport Saturday evening on their return from Sydney, N. S. The City officials warmly congratulated the boys on their well-earned victory over the Sydney Shipyards Juvenile team.

TRANSFERRED TO NFLD.—Mr. Kenneth MacAulay, Souris, left yesterday for St. John's, Newfoundland, where he will continue his work with the Canadian Bank of Commerce. Mr. MacAulay, who has been on the Bank of Commerce staff for nearly four years has worked in many different centres of the Maritime Provinces.

FIREMEN CALLED TWICE — A porch fire at the residence of Mr. Dominick Doyle, Spring Park Road, had the firemen out at 2.40 yesterday afternoon. Slight damage resulted to the porch before the fire was put out. Fifteen minutes later, they were again called out to a flue fire at 56 Kent Street. There was no damage.

TO ADDRESS MEETINGS—Mr. J. S. Galbraith, Dominion Government town-planning authority, and Mr. J. F. Connolly, provincial deputy-minister of reconstruction, are leaving Charlottetown this morning to address meetings in O'Leary and Alberton, on town planning.

—**TO ATTEND CONVENTION**— His Worship, Mayor J. F. Arnett and town clerk, Mr. J. H. Strong left Summerside Sunday afternoon by plane to attend the annual convention of the Good Roads Association being held in Quebec City. They will return the latter part of this week.—S.

There passed away on March 12th at her home in Kensington, Mary Condon Larkin, widow of the late Owen Larkin who predeceased her by one year. The late Mrs. Larkin was born at Clermont, seventy-one years ago and after her marriage resided for a time in Summerside.

In 1930 she moved to Kensington where she resided until the Angel of Death claimed her on the above mentioned date.

—**SOCIAL GATHERINGS** —Mrs Robert Humphrey was hostess Wednesday afternoon to a number of ladies namely: Mrs. George Simpson, Mrs. G W Profitt, Mrs. James Profitt, Mrs. Annie Humphrey, Mrs. Paul Thompson, Mrs. Hammond Toombs and Mrs. W C. MacLeod. A very entertaining and pleasant afternoon including a sumptuous repast was enjoyed by all present and again on the following Wednesday these ladies were invited to the home of Mrs. George Simpson where they enjoyed the same kind hospitality.

A large circle of relatives and friends were greatly shocked and grieved to learn of the sudden and tragic passing of one of Spring Valley's most popular young men in the person of Myron Wesley Cole who died at Ottawa on March 16th, in the full flush of manhood at the early age of 27 years.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs Wesley Cole of Spring Valley, P.E.I. and was the victim of a tragic accident which occurred in Ottawa on the night of March 15, being hit and dragged a considerable distance by a car driven by Lionel Groulx of Ottawa who failed to stop at the scene of the accident.

—**AUXILIARY MEETING** —The April meeting of Trinity Evening Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Lorne Campbell. Mrs. Sullivan conducted a beautiful Easter programme as follows: Scripture reading, Mrs. Clifford Rankin; Prayer, Mrs. Wallace Bradshaw; Solo, He did not die in vain, Mrs. John Hogg; Poem, An Easter Canticle, Mabel Linkletter; Piano solo, Mrs. Eric Sheen; Reading, a poem by Lt. John Gillespie Magee, Mrs. A. E. Weymouth. The programme was interspersed with Easter hymns. This was followed by the business meeting conducted by the president, Mrs. S. S. Beaton. 22 members and 9 visitors were present. Following the routine business it was decided to pack a box of clothing for European women and children who are in such dire need. The Lord's prayer brought the meeting to a close. This was followed by a very pleasant social half hour.—S.

The community of North Winsloe and surrounding districts were shocked and saddened to hear of the sudden passing on March 12th, of Margaret Helen Ford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ford, at the early age of 14 months. Taken suddenly ill on Monday night, medical aid was immediately summoned, but all that loving hands and tender care could do, was of no avail. Her spirit gently passed away in the early morning hours of March 12th.

Her loving smile will be greatly missed, by her sorrowing parents and two sisters Ruth and Ivy. Her funeral was held on March 14th. Services were conducted by Mr. Murdo MacLeod. Her remains were tenderly laid to rest in North Milton Cemetery The pall bearers were Robert Dodds, Raymond Dodds, Robert Craswell, Wilmot Cudmore.

Mr. Frank Paul wishes to sincerely thank all those kind friends who so generously gave of their time and sympathy in his recent bereavement. 4-2-1i.

CHARLOTTETOWN GIRL HONORED — Last Thursday marked the closing at district headquarters of the popular Salvation Army canteen in Halifax after more than three years catering service to the boys and girls employed on the staff during the war, a service which had been greatly appreciated. In charge of the canteen is Miss Rita Keenan of Charlottetown who has won the regard of all at headquarters through her friendly co-operation. In tangible recognition of their regard, the personnel presented Miss Keenan with a handsome travelling case complete as a token of their esteem, the presentation being made by Sergt. W. A. "Bill" Foster on behalf of the staff at headquarters. Miss Keenan spent three years as canteen stewardess with Atlantic Command headquarters, and latterly district headquarters. She made a host of friends during her stay and she will be greatly missed by all who know her.—Halifax Exchange. Miss Keenan whose home is at 174 Sydney Street, Charlottetown has been asked to take over

Miss Margaret Wedge was elected president of the Summerside Sub Division of the Catholic Womens League at the annual meeting of the Society held in the Knights of Columbus Home last evening. Mrs. W. J. Sullivan the retiring president presided.

The following is the slate of officers elected to act with Miss Wedge as president. First Vice-President: Mrs. Laurier Peters; Second Vice-President, Mrs. Leo Wood; Third Vice-President, Mrs. T. E. Hickey (re-elected); Recording Secretary, Mrs. Carrol Delaney; Treasurer, Mrs. Wilfred Perry (re-elected); Corresponding Secretary, Miss Margaret Arsenault (re-elected).

The following appointments were also made conveners: Red Cross, Mrs. D. F. McNeil; Social Service, Mrs. Abel Arsenault; Press, Mrs. Josephine Murphy; Magazine, Mrs. Leo Wood; Education, Mrs. T. Earle Hickey; Citizenship, Mrs. Elmer Pineau; Membership, Mrs. Laurier Peters; Program, Mrs. Abel Arsenault; Councillors, Mrs. Joseph Hickey, Mrs. Larry Gallant, Mrs. Joseph Dechant, Miss Ida Dawson, Mrs. Joseph Linkletter, Mrs. Medius Wedge, Mrs. Ben Wedge, Mrs. Elmer Pineau.—S.

The annual meeting of the Catholic Women's League was held Tuesday evening with Mrs. MacMillan presiding. After prayer the minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. The treasurer's report showed a satisfactory balance in the bank with a $50 bond. Mrs. McMahon and seconded by Miss G. Coady and presented to the retiring president and recording secretary for their work during their two years of office. Two ladies were named as scrutineers for the election of officers. Mrs. A. Richard and Miss Jessie Gillis. The nominating committee with Mrs. J. Doucette as convenor posted the names of members submitted for office. The balloting resulted as follows.

President: Mrs. A. E. McMahon.

1st Vice President: Mrs. Nellie Nicholson.

2nd Vice President: Mrs. Jas. Blake.

3rd Vice President: Mrs. F. Walker.

Recording Secretary: Miss E. Vessey.

Corresponding Secretary: Mrs. F. Murray.

Treasurer: Miss Mary Bradley.

Councillors: Mrs. S. G. Peppin, Mrs. H. Curran, Mrs. Frank Murphy, Mrs W. T. Coady, Mrs. Charles L McDonald, Miss Florence Hogan, Mrs. Sara Benoit, Mrs. Lorne Noonan.

FRIDAY

IN HOSPITAL—Friends of Mr. Earl Keizer, proofreader of The Guardian will be sorry to learn that he underwent a serious operation at the Prince Edward Island Hospital yesterday afternoon.

MAYFLOWERS IN APRIL — Mrs. I. J. Horne of Souris, now a patient in P.E.I. Hospital, received Mayflowers April 2nd, from her home in Souris. A good sign of spring in the prosperous eastern town.

ACCEPTS POSITION —Gordon T. Stewart has left for Borden, P. E. I., where he has accepted a position with Inman Seafoods Ltd. Mrs Stewart and family are remaining here for the present. — Amherst News.

—**TOWN PLANNING MEETINGS**—Premier J. Walter Jones accompanied Mr. J. S. Galbraith, Dominion Government town-planning adviser, and Mr. J. J. Connolly, provincial deputy minister of reconstruction to O'Leary and Alberton yesterday. Large meetings in the interest of town-planning were held in both places.

—**PRIZE MONEY DONATED**— At the regular monthly meeting of the Summerside School Board on Tuesday evening it was announced that Mr. M. L. Bradshaw had donated the sum of $25.00 for prizes to be awarded among the pupils for general proficiency. S

RESERVE BID HELD—The property of Mr. L. O. Kelly, Southport was offered for sale by public auction by Mr. W. H. Beaton, auctioneer yesterday afternoon. The bidding reached $10,100 but there was a reserve bid of $10,500. A large crowd was in attendance.

BY CAR TO HALIFAX — Mr. and Mrs. Picton Brown, daughter Josephine, and son Picton left yesterday morning by car for Halifax to meet their son, Pte. Earl Brown who arrives on the Isle de France from overseas, where he has served six years.

ATTEND MEETING—A directors' meeting of the Maritime Stock Breeders' Association and Amherst Winter Fair was held in Moncton Wednesday. The Prince Edward Island officials in attendance were Keith Boswell, Victoria; Ernest Houston, Hunter River; W. R. Shaw, Charlottetown; Seymour Wood, Mt. Herbert.

CONFINED TO HOME—Friends of Mr. T.W. Bentley, Island manager of the Maritime Life Assurance Co., will regret to learn that he has been confined to bed through illness for the past week, and it is likely that it will be a while yet before he will be able to resume his duties.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY —The funeral of the late Mrs. Norman MacDonald took place yesterday morning at 9.30 from the home of her son-in-law, Mathias Coughan, Donah, to St. Patrick's Church, Fort Augustus, where Requiem High Mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. Louis Callaghan who also conducted services at the grave. The pallbearers were, Norman Coughan, William Coughan, Victor Coughan, Joseph Trainor, Louis Trainor and Lawrence Trainor. Interment was in the church cemetery.

At a largely attended meeting in Alberton yesterday afternoon of the Alberton and West Prince Board of Trade, resolutions calling for the establishment of a ferry service between West Point and Buctouche, N. B., and the making of Alberton a port of call for the regular commercial service between Charlottetown and Newfoundland ports, were unanimously passed.

HAS RARE STAMP — Rev. Peter Jackson, United Church Minister, at Hampton, P. E. I., has in his collection an unique envelope bearing the stamps of Toga, a group of South Sea Islands. The particular Island is Niuafoou or Hope Island and often called Tin Can Island because of the peculiar method used in receiving and dispatching mail. Being volcanic, the Island is mushroom shape, and rises straight out of the sea. There is no harbour and no beaches. The practice has been to enclose the mail in tins and throw the container from cliffs to the sea where swimmers wait to toss them to passing steamers. Mail dispatched in this manner bears a special stamp reading "Tin Can Mail."

Mrs. Robert Thompson of Manchester, New Hampshire, has returned to her home after spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Fred MacDonald. Friends will be glad to learn Mrs. MacDonald is recovering favorably from her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Homer have gone to Dalhousie, N. B. where they intend to locate. Mr. Homer was stationed at the Queen Charlotte and has returned to the employment of the International Pulp and Paper Mills, Dalhousie, N. B.

Mr. Joseph Earl Gallant, arrived home on Thursday from an extended visit to his sister Mrs. Harvey McDonald of Maple Hills. Mr. Gallant recently obtained his discharge from the army having served three and one half years overseas with the North Nova Scotia Highlanders and being wounded while in action. He is the third of Mr. John H. Gallant's sons to return to civilian life, a fourth son Arthur, still remaining overseas. —Rus.

Y'S MEN ELECT OFFICERS— H. W. Dick was elected president of the local Y's Men's Club at its regular business meeting last night. Other officers elected were: R. J. Rupert, vice-president; Randolph Manning, secretary; Carr Thompson, treasurer. New members of the executive also include Arthur Dewar, Walter Cox, Charles Wilkins, and Merritt Forsythe.

Mr. T. J. Inman, Bedeque, is staying a few days in Ottawa en route from Toronto to Lenoxville, P. Q., where he is negotiating arrangements in connection with the wool trade. Mr. Inman found four or five feet of snow in Campbellton, N. B., and two days later on the Niagara Peninsula saw a tractor ploughing and the grass and shrubbery quite green.

MARRIAGE ARRANGED — The marriage of Miss Clara Allan, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew P. Allan, of Notre Dame de Grace and Mr. Cortland Ware MacNeil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ware MacNeil, of Outremont, will take place at half-past three o'clock on Saturday afternoon, April 6, in Calvary United Church, Westmount. Mrs. Jack T. Keay will be matron of honor and Miss Helen Ferguson, of Charlottetown, P.E.I., will be bridesmaid. Mr. Edward E. Rowe will be best man, the ushers being Mr. Robert A. S. MacNeil, O.B.E., of Rockcliffe Park, Ont., brother of the bridegroom; Mr. Charles L. Coleman, of Toronto, his cousin; Jack T. Keay and Mr. Ronald W. Shand. The reception following the ceremony will be held in the Blue Room of the Ritz-Carleton. — (Montreal Star.)

BRIDAL SHOWER—Upwards of one hundred friends gathered at the home of Mrs. A. D. MacDonald, Bridgetown, on Thursday evening, March 14th, to honor two popular young people of the district, Miss Marjorie MacLeod and Mr. Roddie MacKenzie, whose marriage took place the following week. The living room was nicely decorated in colors of white and pink. While Mrs. Robin Clay played the Wedding March, the young couple were seated in specially decorated chairs beneath a gaily bedecked umbrella which, however, failed to ward off the "shower" which followed. The parcels when opened revealed a display of many beautiful articles for the home, as well as a substantial amount of money. Included were a handsome pair of blankets, the gift of Dundas Y. P. U., of which Marjorie is president. The gifts were opened and arranged by Misses Lexie MacDonald, Beatrice MacLean and Theresa MacDonald. The accompanying expressions of good wishes were read by Mrs. Bentley Creed. After the presentation, Marjorie and Roddie thanked their friends for the gifts and good wishes. The bouncing of the prospective bride and groom terminated this part of the evening's activities. Afterwards a bountiful lunch was served by the hostess, and the remainder of the evening passed enjoyably with games and music. On departing their friends bade the guests of honor a pleasant good night, and best wishes for a happy married life.

An important meeting of the Charlottetown Citizens' Rehabilitation Committee was held in the Council Chamber last night. This Committee has been working quietly but very effectively for the past three years in the interests of returning Island service men and women.

Major H. V. Corkum, the District Rehabilitation Officer for the Army, was present and a very full discussion of the problems of service men and women took place.

Major Corkum was anxious to tell Island service personnel what they could expect from the citizens of Charlottetown apart from the different officials who are employed by D.V.A. and the Employment Services.

Lt.-Col. Rogers told him that the Charlottetown Rotary Club stood prepared to advise, encourage and assist any service personnel to the utmost of their ability.

Leo Bradley, D.C.M., past president of the Canadian Legion, and Mrs. Arthur Henry, president of the ladies' auxiliary of the Legion, also told of the part the Legion took in making the path smoother for returning men and women. Mr. J. E. Walker has also been a very active member of the committee and has been assisting Island service personnel in getting rehabilitated. Other members, speaking of the plans made for service personnel, were Jas. T. Robson, Veterans Welfare Officer; W. G. Bruce, D.C.M., of the Department of Veterans Affairs; Major D. N. Bell of the Home Department, and Mrs. C. F. MacKenzie, representing the Ladies Auxiliary of the Navy League.

His Worship Mayor B. Earle MacDonald also spoke to the committee, assuring all of his continued support. Mayor MacDonald was appointed honorary chairman of the Citizens Committee and N. W. Lowther was elected as chairman. The committee meets again very shortly to discuss the pressing problems of employment and [illegible]

BIRTHS

BISHOP — At the Prince County Hospital on March 31, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bishop, Summerside, a son.—S.

GENDRON — At the Montreal Maternity Hospital, March 28, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. William Gendron (nee Jean Profitt), a son.

PROFITT — At the Prince County Hospital on March 28, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Profitt, Spring Valley, a daughter, Jacqueline Muriel.

SHIPLEY — At the Kings County Hospital, Montague, P.E.I., on April 2, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Shipley (nee Lois Johnston) Peter's Road, P.E.I., a son, Donald Robert.

MURPHY — At the Kings County Hospital, Montague, P. E. I., to Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Murphy, Summerside, P.E.I., on April 2, 1946, a son.

DOVER — At the P. E. I. Hospital, March 31, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dover, a daughter.

FOOLE — At the Charlottetown Hospital, March 26, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. James Poole, Souris, a daughter.

LEWIS—At the P. E. Island Hospital, March 20, 1946, to Petty Officer Marshall I. Lewis and Mrs. Lewis, a son.

DOIRON — At North Rustico, April 1, 1946, Francis Randolph, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Doiron.

DARRACH—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on April 3, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Darrach, Kensington, a son.

GHIZ—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital, April 4, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ghiz, Charlottetown, a son.

BEARS—At the Prince County County Hospital April 1, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Austin Bears, Summerside, a son, James Alexander.

MacLAUCHLAN—At the P. E. I. Hospital, April 3, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Anson A. MacLauchlan, Milton, a daughter, Judith Gail.

DUFFY —At the Charlottetown Hospital, March 28, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Duffy, a son.

BISHOP—At the Prince County Hospital on March 31, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bishop, Summerside, a daughter.

BRICKER—At Toronto, March 31, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bricker (nee Edna Baker), Summerside) a daughter.

DEATHS

MATHESON —At his home in Dundas, Monday, April 1, 1946, Angus G. Matheson, in his 82nd year.

MACDONALD —At the residence of her son-in-law, Mathias Keoughan, Donah, April 2, 1946, Mrs. Norman MacDonald in her 86th year.

HURRY—At West Royalty, April 3, 1946, Mrs. James Hurry in her 63rd year.

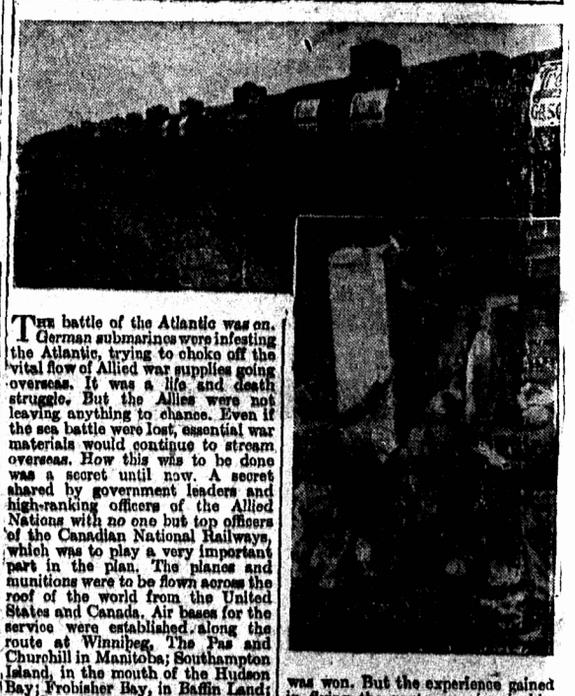
McMILLAN—At Kensington, April 3, 1946, Daniel McMillan, 76 years of age.

MATHESON — Suddenly at Hermon, Maine, April 2, 1946, Elizabeth K. Matheson, formerly of Dundas.

GARNHUM—At his residence 182 King Street, Charlottetown, on Saturday, March 30, 1946, Nelson J. Garnhum in his 48th year

GARNHUM — At Malpeque Road, March 30, 1946, Mrs. David Garnhum in her 77th year.

NOW THE LID IS OFF



THE battle of the Atlantic was on. German submarines were infesting the Atlantic, trying to choke off the vital flow of Allied war supplies going overseas. It was a life and death struggle. But the Allies were not leaving anything to chance. Even if the sea battle were lost, essential war materials would continue to stream overseas. How this was to be done was a secret until now. A secret shared by government leaders and high-ranking officers of the Allied Nations with no one but top officers of the Canadian National Railways, which was to play a very important part in the plan. The planes and munitions were to be flown across the roof of the world from the United States and Canada. Air bases for the service were established along the route at Winnipeg, The Pas and Churchill in Manitoba; Southampton Island, in the mouth of the Hudson Bay; Frobisher Bay, in Baffin Land; and Greenland and Iceland. To construct them, millions of tons of building materials and equipment and foodstuffs to feed the workers on the multi-million dollar project, and millions of gallons of fuel and supplies were carried as far as Churchill, the most northerly point on the C.N.R. system, 1,000 miles from Winnipeg. Beyond Churchill they were flown in. Everything was ready. Fortunately, the battle of the Atlantic was won. But the experience gained in flying the route was invaluable. There is no doubt peacetime aviation will benefit much from the pioneering done in 1942 to keep the life-line of civilization open. In the upper photograph a string of tank cars carrying high grade fuel oil to the far northern airports is shown leaving Winnipeg. Inset, equipment is being unloaded from a C.N.R. freight car by United States Army personnel at Churchill.

Trygve Lie, Secretary-General of the United Nations Organization, tries out microphone at council table in Hunter College, New York City, where UNO Security Council opened its sessions March 25.