

IN RESPONSE TO POPULAR DEMAND  
**The Charlottetown Little Theatre Guild**  
 Again Presents  
**NOEL COWARD'S GREATEST COMEDY SUCCESS**  
**"Blithe Spirit"**  
 At The  
**Empire Theatre**  
 On  
**TUESDAY, JUNE 21st, ONLY**  
 Curtain Time 8:15 P.M.  
 Tickets now on Sale at The Abegweit Gift Shop  
 Admission Fifty Cents



**PAT CATANACH ADMIRES FRED'S ARTISTIC WORK**  
 Luckiest bride of this month may well be British-born Mary Hebb. On June 10 she was married to Fred J. Putt, of London, Ont., a sea-view station operator who can cook. Proof of his prowess is a six-storey 120-pound wedding cake into which he has poured weeks of work and such riches in ingredients that folks in his neighborhood can't talk about anything else. Fred's culinary art began as a hobby but it is not only a hobby now—it is a successful business. Fred can boast of 100 cakes that he has baked for his customers.



**JEANNINE CASEY, SHIRLEY CHARLTON, FRANCIS CASEY**  
 Flinton "Pickets" Want Principal Back  
 The three members of the high school board in the village of Flinton, 40 miles north of Napanee, Ont., are standing pat in the unexplained dismissal of the high school principal, Keith MacEwan, 40. Their action has resulted in a storm of protest from some 40 pupils and their parents. Chairman of the high school board, Stafford Yanch, Flinton hotelman, states the board was justified in asking for the principal's resignation. But further than that he will not go. He would give no reason for the dismissal. "If the school board is not permitted to make its own decision in a matter of this kind, then there is no use having a school board," he says.

**NOW! NEW! IMPROVED!**  
**VEL** 25% more weight  
 More Cleaning Power  
 More Suds...

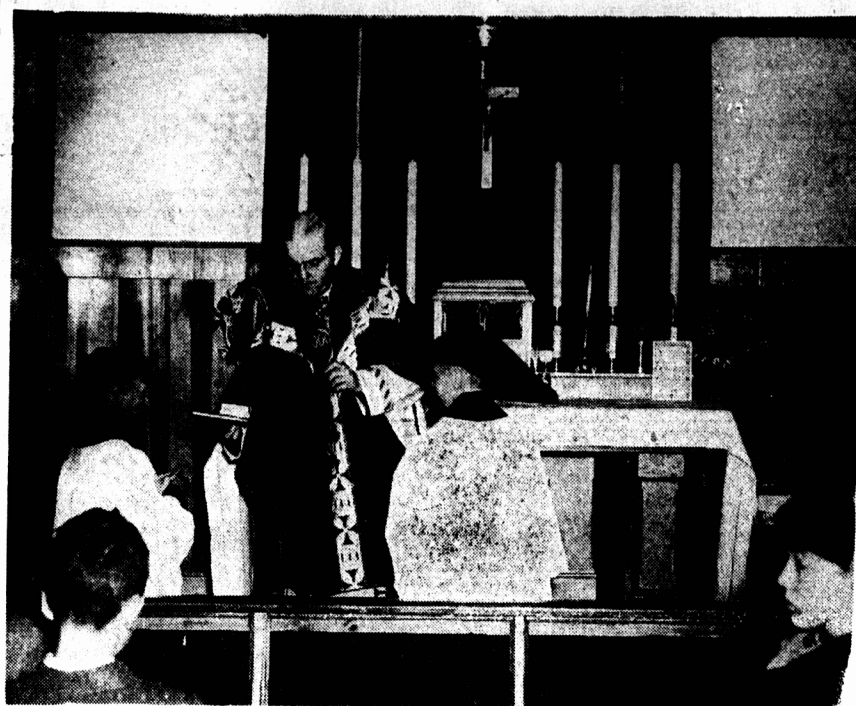
**New Improved VEL**  
 Does This for You

- 1 VEL cuts dishwashing time; No wiping! No dishpan ring!
- 2 Cuts grease—banishes soap scum. Loosens even cooked-on food.
- 3 Gives you soft water washing in any water.
- 4 Safer for woolsens, stockings and lingerie.
- 5 Milder to hands and to all fine washables. No dulling soap film. No fading.

**SAVE MONEY!** Use only 1/2 as much VEL as soap



**First Mass In New Church**



Rev. Father Pitre celebrates opening Mass in Hunter River Roman Catholic Church. —Photo by Garnhus.

**Conservative Meeting Held At Heatherdale**

The recent Progressive Conservative meeting at Heatherdale hall was opened by the chairman, Mr. Laughlin MacKinnon who introduced the candidate, Mr. John A. MacDonald.

After a few introductory remarks, Mr. MacDonald compared the long and distinguished record of public service of the Progressive Conservative leader, Col. Geo. Drew, with the comparatively recent entry into public life of Mr. Louis St. Laurent, the leader of the Liberal party, and Col. Drew's chief opponent.

In discussing Dominion-Provincial relations he spoke of the poor deal which P. E. Island received. In proof, he pointed out the increased deficit.

Col. Drew promises to reconvene the conferences and make the necessary readjustments.

Mr. MacDonald said the removal of the subsidy on flour was a mistake. He declared that one of the reasons for high taxes was the unnecessary large number of civil servants. He stated that many war-time appointees were kept on because the Liberal government was afraid of losing support if it discharged them. "We need a new government with an energetic leader to solve the problem," declared Mr. MacDonald, "and in Col. Drew we have that leader."

Mr. MacDonald said the Liberal administration had slipped up in their marketing of agricultural products. He said that they were trying to put on a show but we knew and they knew that they were not meeting with success. To prove his point, he cited the decline in the food contracts to the United Kingdom. He said the Liberal government had tried to direct the trade to the United States to replace the losses in the British trade but without much success. If the Progressive Conservatives were elected, he said they would take steps at once to regain the lost markets or to find new ones. Mr. Bracken, a sincere and well qualified man, will likely be Minister of Agriculture if the Progressive Conservatives form the next government.

Mr. MacDonald said that it took a long time to convince the Liberal government that the Liberals times needed a support price for their potatoes, as the Western farmers were getting for wheat, and when finally the legislation was passed, the 6c a bush, which was granted was wholly inadequate. And although the cost of production had risen a great deal since the first floor price was guaranteed in 1947, the support price was again only 6c in 1949.

Mr. MacDonald then went on to review fully the Progressive Conservative policy in Social Services and veterans affairs.

In reviewing Maritime problems, Mr. MacDonald said that although it was an acknowledged fact that the Maritimes need special consideration with regard to freight rates, the three Liberal members from P. E. Island voted for the straight 20% increase. He also called attention to the unfair zoning system, in which Queen's County enjoys advantages over King's and Prince in freight rates. He said that P. E. I. should be only one zone at the rates prevailing in Queen's County.

The Progressive Conservatives if elected, would supply Federal aid in developing a large scale hydro electric system in conjunction with the construction of the Chignecto Canal.

Mr. MacDonald pointed out that during the war years, King's County had not received any grants for a project such as an airport. He said it is doubtful now if we will get a part of the Trans-Canada Highway in King's County. He also mentioned the slow system of delivery of mail at this end of the Island. Mr. MacDonald said that if he is elected, he would do all in his power to remedy these conditions.

In conclusion, he said that the Liberals had grown careless and should be replaced on June 27 by a Progressive Conservative government led by Mr. Drew.

Mr. Murdoch MacGowan spoke briefly in support of Mr. MacDonald. He called attention to the fact that although the prices for farm produce are good, the cost of production is so high that there is very little left for the farmer. He also pointed out that profitable contracts for construction of roads, etc. have not been given out to benefit the public as a whole, but have served to enrich a comparatively small group. Mr. MacGowan felt that it was time for a change and said he had an able candidate in Mr. MacDonald.

When the question of Federal aid for education, according to a plan proposed by the Canadian Teachers' Federation, was brought up before the meeting closed, Mr. MacDonald expressed himself as strongly in favour of it and said he would do all in his power to support it if he were elected.

**Russian Composer Critical Of Much In The United States**

(By Tom Whitney)  
 MOSCOW, June 14 — (AP) — Dmitri Shostakovich found much to criticize and even more to smile at on his recent visit to the United States.

Writing in "Crocodile," the Soviet humor magazine, the famed Russian composer registered his dislike of New York's skyscrapers. "From above," he wrote, "they looked like immense pencils which some mischievous giant had stuck into the ground. The dismal barack-like height of these buildings does not inspire, but humiliates a person."

Shostakovich expressed surprise at the way American concert-goers dress. He said:

"I went to a symphony concert under the direction of the well-known orchestra leader L. Stokowski. The program... had no interest, although the orchestra played very well."

"I was astonished... that the majority of those in the hall slumped down in the chairs, in coats and hats, although the vestibule of the hall had a coat and hat-check counter."

Shostakovich did not like the manners of American newspaper reporters. He described how in a Berlin hotel room he was awakened by a photographer who entered the room and was about to snap his picture in bed.

**Note On Montreal Fashion Show**

MONTREAL, June 14 — (CP) — Clothing manufacturers and designers being what they are—always ahead of the girls—the new fashions being shown during Montreal's fashion week have to do with autumn-winter wear despite the current heat wave. The tip is some features aren't so different from the late 20's.

For one thing there is the cloche.

Fashion writers reported today it is not as "clochey" as it was in the late 20s but it's unmistakably a bell-like topper and along with it came a camel hair coat.

The dusier coat was another old-timer brought out in refurbished form as compared with the horseless carriage days.

Some collar treatments appeared to have come right out of the old picture frames, bonnets with ties under the chin and all sorts of pretty lady touches found in the tintype era.

One fashion writer reported: "Fashions are gay and fun, more wearable, more versatile," which is about what was said during last year's Montreal Fashion Industries show. Still there was plenty to attract attention.

Fall rainwear features fallies, gabardines, corduroys and satins in glowing colors. Fall shades of wine, green, red, brown and gold will be worn then along with navy, grey, beige and black.

The large cover-up hood has one innovation—a link-button treatment just above the collar which eliminates the "slipping" problem of the full-draped hood.

The forecast, is much a case of imported fabrics from France with a lot of lace, satin and metallics while velvet gets a play in wear for all hours of the day.

Everything, say the style experts, is panelled. The silhouette is mainly a "wrap" slender one, sometimes known as "plissé-plastered look" with free-flowing panels.

**FLOWER'S COUSIN**  
 The apple tree is classified in the rose family.

**WON'T LAST LONG**

**WETASKIWIN, Alta. — (CP) —** Joe Abousally, a local merchant, recently ordered \$10,000 worth of paint. It took a freight car to ship the 35,000-pound order. Immediately a farmer bought \$1,200 worth to paint all the buildings on his farm.

**JUICY SWIFT CURRENT**

**MOOSE JAW, Sask. — (CP) —** George Heath-Gracie, Derby, England, one of the adjudicators at the local musical festival couldn't remember the name of a city he was to visit west of here, though he thought it sounded like "fruit juice or something." Later he recalled the name — Swift Current.

**FOR SALE**

Desirable thirteen room house; good condition; two bathrooms; hot water heating system. Centrally located in City.  
 Write XO e/o Guardian



**MORE QUALITY PER CUP**

**CENTRAL GUARDIAN**

This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a new nature may be inserted at five cents a word, strictly payable in advance.

**AT YOUR SERVICE—Arifast**  
 Coal Company, Phone 2488.

**CANADA'S FINEST** race track opens Saturday night. Meet your friends there.

**JACK CAMERON—Men's Wear.** choice selection of Suits, Sports Jackets, Slacks, etc. Moved to temporary quarters over Toombs Music Store.

**PUPILS' RECITAL,** Charlottetown School of Music, A. R. Kendall, L.R.A.M. Tuesday 8 p.m. June 21st.

**DON'T FORGET** the free dance at the Clover Club tonight, sponsored by the Young Progressive Conservatives. All young people between the ages of 18 and 35 years welcome, especially those voting for the first time in the forthcoming Federal election.

**NEW FIELDMAN APPOINTED—** A second graduate in agriculture from MacDonald College has been appointed within the past month as fieldman with the Provincial Dept. of Agriculture in the person of David Peacock of Bayfield, N.B. who started his duties yesterday. Raised on a farm near Bayfield, Mr. Peacock took his B.Sc. degree in general agriculture.

**DON'T FORGET** the free dance at the Clover Club tonight, sponsored by the Young Progressive Conservatives. All young people between the ages of 18 and 35 years welcome, especially those voting for the first time in the forthcoming Federal election.

**PRE-NUPITAL SHOWER—** Miss Noreen Newson, a June-bride-to-be, was guest of honor at a shower given by Mrs. Vic Runtz at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Saunders on Friday evening, June 10. After Miss Newson was escorted to a decorated chair, little Marie Ruth Runtz, wheeled in a heavy laden wheelbarrow full of gifts. Miss Avis Prowse read the accompanying verses and Mrs. Norris Scott arranged them on the table. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

**DON'T FORGET** the free dance at the Clover Club tonight, sponsored by the Young Progressive Conservatives. All young people between the ages of 18 and 35 years welcome, especially those voting for the first time in the forthcoming Federal election.

**FUNERAL AT MIDDLETON—** The funeral of the late Mrs. Patrick Tierney took place on Monday morning from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. E. McCordie, Middleton, to St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church, Seven Mile River. Rev. W. MacDonald celebrated Requiem High Mass and conducted service at the grave. The pall-bearers were James Noonan, Basil Sherry, Charles McCordie, Leonard Murphy, Bert Hammill and Harold Mulligan. The interment was in the church cemetery.

**INFIRMARY PATIENTS ENTERTAINED—** On Wednesday evening, June 8th, Major Hutchinson accompanied by Mrs. Hutchinson and Major Vanroon of the Salvation Army, motored to Beach Grove Infirmary, where the patients and staff were entertained with various films. At the close of the evening, Mr. Bonnell, superintendent of the infirmary, thanked the officers for the very enjoyable evening, and for the treat of candy to the patients. And hoped that in the very near future that we would have the privilege of their visit once again.

**SHUT-IN SERVICE —** A very impressive shut-in service was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McKenzie, Southville, on June 8th at 4:30 p.m., when Rev. T.G. Head, pastor of Hampton United Pastoral Charge, very kindly carried the communion of the Lord's Supper to Mrs. McKenzie who has been a wheel chair patient for some years. Mr. Head was very capably assisted by Mr. Ernest Holm with Mrs. John Dixon as organist. Hymns sung were "Breath on me Breath of God" and "Never Further than the Cross," with Scripture reading and prayer by Mr. Head. Those assisting in singing were Mrs. Homer Provencher, Mrs. Ernest Holm, Mrs. L. Ferguson, Mrs. Margaret Gordon and Miss Hazel McKenzie. Mrs. McKenzie very graciously thanked Mr. Head for being so kind and thoughtful. The writer would also like to thank Mr. Head and all those who helped in every way to make this service possible.  
 (Patrio please copy)

**PERSONALS**  
 Mrs. J. J. Duffy and Mrs. M. J. Conway left for Halifax, N. S. where they will attend the Maritime Annual Hospital Convention.

Mr. P. J. McInnis, Borden, is among the postmasters attending the Maritime Postmasters' Convention in Charlottetown.

Mrs. Vic Runtz and little son Ralph of Charlottetown are leaving by train this morning for Arnprior, Ontario, for a summer visit with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Runtz.

**Vigorine**  
 Men! Vigorine Tonic for those who are rundown, lacking in strength, energy, ambition. Vigorine helps regain strength, tone up nervous system. Look better, feel better—more energetic. 15-day treatment \$1.00; 45 days, \$2.50. At all drug and department stores.

**Little Girl Doomed to Die Now Heads Toward Complete Recovery**



Once doomed to early death by doctors because of a bladder malformation, little Pamela Lamphere, whose fight touched the hearts of millions last year, seems headed toward complete recovery following a series of delicate operations which corrected the dangerous condition. Here the little girl is pictured in her hospital bed in Chicago, Ill., after the latest, and it is hoped, the final operation to make her a healthy little girl. Her parents once separated because of differences of opinion whether the little girl should be submitted to such dangerous surgery, but eventually the mother and father agreed to abide by decision of a board of surgeons who recommended the knife. The Lamphers are now all together again.

**IN MEMORIAM**  
 In fond and loving memory of my dear Mother  
**MRS. PETER P. McQUAID**  
 who departed this life June 15, 1935.  
 Gone but not forgotten.  
 Sadly missed by her sons and daughters.

**- LOST -**  
 Between North Tryon and Charlottetown a small grey suitcase. Very important that owner should have it immediately. Call collect Charlottetown Exchange 2320.

**Gandhi's Son Welcomed to This Continent**



Youngest son of the late Mahatma Gandhi, Devadas Gandhi, welcomed on his arrival in New York by J. J. Singh (left), president of the India League of America. Managing editor of the Hindustan Times, Gandhi plans to attend the meeting of the U.N. sub-committee on Freedom of Information and Press before returning to India.

**QUICKIES BY KEN REYNOLDS**



— just plug it in anywhere, it says here in the Guardian Want Ads!