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—RED CROSS Auction and Bridge in Town Hall Wednesday, March 24th. 3-24-1i.

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—HOCKEY FINALS, Tip Top League, Bedeque Rink, Wednesday, March 24. Borden Juniors vs. Freetown Juniors, fifth game in best-of-five game series. Tip Top Trophy will be presented to the winners after the game. Skate after. Admission 25 cents. 3-23-2i.

—HOCKEY finals East Prince championship Bedeque Rink, Thursday, March 25. Summerside Royals vs. Bedeque All-Stars, second game in two-game, total-goal series for Bell Trophy. Bedeque All-Stars have a one goal lead. The Douglas Bell Trophy will be presented to the winners of this series immediately after the game by the donor. Skate after. Admission 25 cents. 3-24-1i.

—REGRETTABLE ACCIDENT — On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Villers Carr of North St. Eleanors met with a distressing accident at her home when she slipped on the ice and fell breaking her hip. She was taken to the Prince County Hospital where on Sunday a cast was put on the injured hip. About three years ago a similar accident caused her to break her other hip. Although suffering from shock Mrs. Carr is resting as comfortable as can be expected.

BORDEN

Mrs. Sampson Walsh of Albany visited relatives in Borden recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. MacLaughlin of Borden left on Wednesday morning for Montreal.

Mr. James Dorsey, C. N. R. dining car waiter Halifax is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dorsey of Borden.

Mr. Jack Sexton, R. C. N. V. R. is spending his leave with his family at Borden.

Mrs. Hector MacKenzie of Borden was a visitor to Charlottetown on Saturday.

Mrs. Aeneas MacDonald of West St. Peters spent the weekend with her husband at Borden.

Mrs. Colin Love and daughter Olga who have been visiting in Montreal have returned to their home here.

The Women's Social Club met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Leard with the president, Mrs. Neil Darrach in the chair. Meeting opened by repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. Mrs. Herring reported for the church committee that new furnace pipe had been procured and installed. A number of quilt squares and holders were handed in, and two pairs of stamped pillow cases were given out for embroidery. A delicious afternoon tea was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Jennie Dawson after which the meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction. The members were invited to the home of Mrs. Wendell MacAssey for the next meeting.

An unfortunate accident took place at Borden rink on Saturday evening when Manford Nicholson C. N. R. section hand here, was about to go on the ice he fell heavily breaking his left arm above the elbow. The doctor was called and he took the injured boy to the hospital at Summerside where his arm was attended to. Manford, although only working in Borden for the past few months, has made many friends here who deeply regret his accident and hope he will make a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Harry Arnett of Albany is visiting her daughter Mrs. Claude Howatt of Borden.

Mr. George Stewart of Charlottetown is in Borden this week relieving Mr. A. G Chappell C. N. R. car inspector in Borden yard.

Sincere sympathy of many friends in Borden is extended to Mr. Hugh Morrison of Summerside on the death of his wife.

Mr. Austin MacDonald, brakeman in the C. N. R. yard here spent Sunday at his home in Tignish.

Mrs. Ed Lynds and Mrs Neil Darrach of Borden were recent visitors to Charlottetown.

On Thursday evening a number of Borden women gathered in the town hall and quilted two quilts for the Red Cross. Lunch was served and a collection taken in aid of the Red Cross.

Leading Stoker Ed. Oatway is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Oatway of Borden.

On Wednesday evening the Women's Institute held a very successful Bingo party in the town hall realizing the nice sum of $30.40 which is to be put towards the Red Cross drive

Miss Mildred [illegible] teacher at Borden School [illegible] at her home in [illegible]

Mr Peter [illegible] accompanied [illegible] Manford Nicholson to the P. C. [illegible] returned to B[illegible] on Sunday evening.

Miss Helen [illegible] the week-end at her home in [illegible] A.

—LEATHER horse halters obtainable at Brace's. 3-23-2i.

—CONGRATULATIONS — Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boates (nee Jean Profitt) on the birth of a son on Saturday at the Halifax Hospital—S

—LEAVES FOR TORONTO — T. J. Inman, Bedeque left Monday to attend the annual meeting of the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers at Toronto.

—RETURNS FROM TAKING POST GRADUATE COURSE — Dr. and Mrs. A.R. Grant have returned to Summerside from Chicago where the Doctor has been taking a post graduate course. Mrs. Cornelius MacLellan who has been visiting at Brandford returned with Dr. and Mrs. Grant.—S

—FORTY HOURS DEVOTION — Forty hours devotion opened in St. Paul's Church Summerside on Monday morning with the High Mass of Exposition celebrated by Rev. J.C. MacDonald. A large number of priests from the different parishes were present for the occasion and the devotion closed this morning.AS

—ST. MARY'S ACADEMY ICE SPORTS.—The Annual Ice Sports for the pupils of St. Mary's Academy were held at the Crystal Rink last Tuesday night and proved a decided success. Some very interesting novelty races and clown acts were thoroughly enjoyed by the large number of children and parents present. S.

—FUNERAL OF ALEX CHAMPION—The funeral of the late Alex Champion of Travellers Rest was held on Sunday afternoon from his late residence to the People's Cemetery and was conducted by his pastor, Rev. James Cross who sang "No Burdens Yonder." His pall bearers were: John Pillman, Edwin McNeill, Harri Heffle, Howard England, Douglas Gunning, and John McInnis—S

—BEDEQUE RINK CARNIVAL— The Carnival which was held in Central Bedeque Rink and sponsored by several Red Cross Units was a splendid success and reflected much credit on the originators of the idea. The costumes were good making the tassk of the judges very difficult in awarding prizes. The management whiches to thank all those who assisted in any way in making the Red Cross Carnival the success it was.—S

—BREAK AT SUMMERSIDE — The Pool Room operated by Mr. George Bishop in Summerside was entered last Friday night and a sum of money taken. Admittance was gained to the pool room which is on the second floor of the Strong Building by a ladder and a small section of a window pane was cut to allow the insertion of a man's hand to unlock the window. The amount of money taken was not disclosed. S.

—SPLENDID RESPONSE —Returns from rural districts in Prince County show a greatly increased contribution to this year's Red Cross financial drive compared with the amount subscribed a year ago. Wellington, where the chairman is S. F. Gaudet, reported subscriptions 219 per cent above those of last year; Cape Traverse, with Hedley Muttart, chairman, reports 215 per cent increase; while Freetown, with R. A. Profitt, chairman, reports a 214 per cent increase

—FUNERAL OF LATE MRS. MORRISON.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Hugh Morrison took place from her home on Monday March 22 to the Presbyterian Church where Reverend Harvey Bishop assisted by Reverend Mr. Jarvie were the officiating clergymen. During the service a quartette composed of L. W. Hancock, J. C. Mountain, Earl Schurman, Morris Mill sang "Shall We Meet Beyond The Rver". Interment took place at Cape Traverse, after the funeral service at the Church there where Reverend Mr. Bishop conducted the service. The pall-bearers were: Messrs A. S. McKay, John Carruthers, Heath Strong, James Cairns, Dr. Lockhard, George Sheen. S.

—WORDS OF PRAISE FOR LOCAL WORKERS.—His Worship Mayor Lidstone of Summerside has received a letter from Mr. Mr. L. B. Unwin, Administrator of Consumer rationing Ottawa, in which he highly commends the Mayor and all his colleagues and everyone concerned for the splendid co-operation in carrying out the campaign for distribution of the ration books. Adding his own personal thanks Mr. Unwin refers to the campaign as a complicated and difficult one and says: "In spite of all obstacles, you and your colleagues have accomplished this undertaking, not only on time, but in characteristic fashion worthy of the highest praise and commendation." He goes on to congratulate and thank every member of the Board for the support and cooperation given. In Summerside Mr. J. M. Nicholson was chief distributor assisted by Mr. J. A. O'Halloran. S.

Personals

—Mrs. Cecil Scharfe (nee Margaret Matthews) has left for Montreal to join her husband. S.

—Major Leith Crue is spending a few days with his wife and family in Summerside S.

—Sgt. Eric Sheen, R.C.A.F., is spending a week''s leave at his home in Summerside. S.

—Sgt. Major Ralph Boates of the Prince Edward Island Highlanders is spending a few days leave at his home in Summerside. S.

—Miss Claire Laughlin of Sher[illegible] has accepted a position with The Pioneer Publishing Co. Ltd., Summerside. S.

—Sig. Earl Ramsay of the R.C. N.V.R. who has been spending a leave of absence at his home in [illegible] left Saturday morning [illegible] short trip to Boston before returning to his military duties.—S

TO-DAY

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MYERS - DUNCAN WEDDING

(Montreal Star, March 20)

In the First Presbyterian Church, at five o'clock this afternoon, the marriage will be solemnized of Audrey Blanche, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gordon Duncan, of Outremont, and great grand-daughter of the late Hon. Thomas Heath Haviland, of Charlottetown, formerly Lieut.-Governor of Prince Edward Island, to Petty Officer Richard Myers, R.C.N.V.R., only son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Myers, of Cote des Neiges The Very Rev. Malcolm A. Campbell, D.D., will perform the ceremony. Mr. George H. Brook will be at the organ and Miss Gladys Felders will sing "Because" and "I Love You Truly", while the register is being signed. Pink snapdragons and white stocks and ferns form the decorations.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride will be attended by Miss Kathleen Coleman. Leading Aircraftman Ellery G. Duncan, R.C.A.F., brother of the bride, will be best man, and the ushers will be Mr. Arthur Pond and AC 2 William Fergusson, R.C.A.F.

The bride will wear a floor-length gown of forget-me-not blue, with finger-tip veil of tulle illusion, held in place by a coronet of matching flowers. Her only ornament will be a pearl necklace, the gift of the bridegroom, and she will carry a cascade bouquet of Dream roses.

The bridesmaid will be in daffodil yellow made floor length, with a shoulder length veil of tulle illusion falling from a Duchess cap of yellow daisies, while she will carry an arm bouquet of Queen Elizabeth roses and iris.

Mrs. Duncan, mother of the bride, will be gowned in Queen's blue crepe, with black accessories, a silver fox neckpiece, and a corsage bouquet of Rosedale roses. Mrs. Myers, the bridegroom's mother, is wearing a dress of aqua crepe, with black accessories, and a silver fox cape, her corsage cluster being of Briarcliff roses. The reception following the ceremony will be held in the Oak Room and the Blue Room of the Windsor Hotel, after which the newly married couple will leave for a wedding trip to Ste. Marguerite, where they will be guests at the Alpine Inn. The bride is wearing for travelling a dusty rose crepe dress, a black off-the-face hat with matching veil, and black patent leather accessories, with a muskrat coat, and a corsage spray of Talisman roses.

MacPHAIL-MacFARLANE WEDDING

The marriage of Miss Anne Jemima MacPhail, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John J. MacPhail, Argyle Shore, to Mr. George Walter MacFarlane, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. MacFarlane DeSable, took place at the home of Miss Bea. VanIderstine, Windsor Apts., Charlottetown on Wednesday evening, February 17th, at 8 o'clock.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. H. Bishop of Carleton, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the Brde and Groom.

The bride who was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Bert MacPhail was becomingly attired in a street length dress of Queen's Blue Crepe. She wore black accessories. The couple were unattended.

Immediately following the ceremony a dainty luncheon was served in the dining-room. The tea cups were presided over by Miss Agnes Williams while those assisting in serving were Mrs. Walter MacPhail, Mrs. J. D. MacPhail and Mrs. Goodwill MacPhail of Argyle Shore, and girl friends of the bride.

The happy couple left for a short honeymoon trip to the mainland followed by the good wishes of a host of friends. The bride travelled in a black boucle coat with silver fox collar and hat to match over a rose wool dress.

The bride is a valued employee of Bruce Stewart & Co., Ltd., while the groom is a popular farmer in DeSable. They received many lovely gifts and several cheques, including a substantial one from the firm of Bruce Stewart & Co., Ltd., and a beautiful clock and coffee table from the employees.

The bride was the guest of honor at a post-nuptial shower by the office girls and other friends at which she was the recipient of many lovely and useful gifts. The bride although taken by surprise made a fitting reply thanking her friends for their generous gifts.

The Guardian extends Congratulations.

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filment of Confederation pledges, including increased subsidy, the restoration of our representation at Ottawa, and provision for continuous communication with the mainland.

B.N.A.A. Amendment

Originally the Province was represented in the Federal Parliament by six members, but under the Quebec ratio agreement the number fell to four and was likely to fall still further when Premier Mathieson presented the Island's case before the Inter-provincial Conference of 1913. He subsequently appealed to the Federal Government, armed with an effective brief. With the assistance of his colleagues, notably the present Mr. Justice A. E. Arsenault, he succeeded in getting the British North America Act changed to provide that our representation in the House of Commons should not fall below the number of our Senate members, namely, four.

Premier Mathieson also pressed for reopening of the provincial subsidy question at Ottawa, and succeeded, in 1913, in obtaining an annual increase of $100,000. This greatly relieved the straightened financial resources of the Province at the time, and proved the forerunner of other successful appeals, based largely on grounds covered by the Mathieson Government's brief.

Obtained Car Ferry

It is to the Mathieson Government, assisted by Mr. A. A. MacLean, K C., and the late Mr. Donald Nicholson, our representatives in the House of Commons at the time, that we owe our present car ferry steamer, for it was through their able presentations at Ottawa that the Borden Government undertook this project and carried it through. The car ferry was followed by the widening of our railway lines to standard gauge and the establishment of a system of improved road building with federal assistance.

Another reform undertaken by Premier Mathieson was the introduction of the secret ballot. Up to 1912, there was open voting for election to the Provincial Legislature. In accordance with its election pledge, the Mathieson Government passed the Franchise Act, and in 1915, for the first time in the Island's history voters were free to make choice of their representatives in secrecy.

Introduced Automobiles

Another important reform introduced by the Mathieson Government with the support of many outstanding Liberals headed by the late Mr. L. E. Prowse and Senator Prowse, was to abolish the ban on automobiles. The move was opposed by the official Liberal Opposition and in the 1915 campaign this became an exciting issue. When the votes were counted it was found that the Government had been sustained, though with a greatly reduced majority.

The first fruits of the 1915 Conservative victory were seen in the introduction of an aggressive health policy. The Dalton Sanatorium, erected and equipped by the late Lieut. Governor Dalton (then a member of the Mathieson Government) was followed by the introduction of a war and health tax for the dual purpose of financing the Province's war expenditures and providing ways and means of maintaining the sanatorium. This institution, which proved of great value at the time, was later leased by the Dominion Government as a hospital for returned soldiers.

In June 1917, on the retirement of Sir William Wilfrid Sullivan as Chief Justice, Premier Mathieson was chosen to succeed him. His chief lieutenant in the cabinet, Hon. A. E. Arsenault, became Premier and Attorney General in his place.

In 1919, on the occasion of the visit of the Prince of Wales, now Duke of Windsor, Chief Justice Mathieson was Administrator of Prince Edward Island, and he and Mrs. Mathieson entertained his Royal Highness at Brighton Villa.

Maritime Claims

An outstanding authority on the subject of Maritime claims, it is not surprising that in 1934 Chief Justice Mathieson should have been chosen unanimously by the three Maritime Provinces to represent them on the Royal Commission on subsidy settlement. This commission, headed by Sir Thomas White, recommended subsidy increases to each of the Maritimes, the increase to Prince Edward Island amounting to $150,000 annually. But in addition to the recommendations embodied in the majority report of the commission, Chief Justice Mathieson filed a memorandum of dissent, in which he emphasized the importance of "fiscal need as a guiding principle in determining the amount of subsidy which provinces are entitled to receive from the Federal Government in support of provincial governments and legislatures."

The same principle of fiscal need was subsequently recognized in the Rowell-Sirois report on Dominion-provincial relations, and is actually the basis of much of the revenue we receive from Ottawa at the present time.

A few years before the war, Chief Justice and Mrs. Mathieson visited the Old Country. This may be said to have been his first real vacation since entering public life, and his wide reading and knowledge of Empire affairs prepared him to enjoy every moment of it. On their return, at a banquet given in his honour by the Law Society, the Chief Justice gave an illuminating address on his experiences and impressions overseas.

Chief Justice and Mrs. Mathieson's son, Capt. David L. Mathieson, is also a member of the legal profession and a member of the firm of Bell and Mathieson. He volunteered for overseas duty at the outbreak of the war, as a Lieutenant in the Artillery. He has remained on active service in Great Britain, having been promoted to the rank of Captain some time ago.

BANKS

Montreal	160
Royal	138

SEVEN YEARS GROWING

Olive trees reach full-bearing maturity in seven years or more.

Served In Many Theatres Of War

Flight Sergeant Bertram Cameron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Cameron, Hampton, attached to the Royal Air Force in action overseas, is at present spending a 14-day leave at home. He has seen action in Europe, Malta, Egypt, India, El Alemein, and other theatres of war.

He was home on furlough last Christmas when he was a Sergeant but now he has returned as a Flight Sergeant Air Gunner instructor. He has been posted at points in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia since returning to Canada.

Enlisting in 1940, the Island airman was soon after sent to England where he was attached to the R.A.F. He was there during the Nazi air blitz and saw plenty of action.

Flt. Sgt. Cameron spent five months in besieged Malta. Following this he went to Egypt and participated in the battle of the clouds for about three months before moving on to India.

One of his most narrow escapes came when the plane in which he was flying from Gibraltar to Malta was shot down. Along with his other companions in the aircraft he spent six hours in a rubber dinghy floating about the Mediterranean. Fortunately, the airmen were sighted by a friendly aircraft about 90 miles from Malta and picked up.

During his stay in Malta, Flt. Sgt. Cameron witnessed day and night bombing. Part of his job was to assist in beating off these marauders and the toll of planes shot down told the story of how well this was accomplished by the young sky fighters of the United Nations. His pilot was W. O. Barlow of Wellington.

Transferred to Egypt and comparative quiet after Malta, he spent about a month at harassing the enemy and was then sent to India. After giving a good account of himself in the Far East, the young airman returned to Egypt and was on hand for the general advance on El Alemein. His second last flight in this area was made on his birthday and he narrowly escaped crashing when the aircraft was badly damaged by enemy fire.

Flt. Sgt. Cameron then returned to England where he took an instructor's course before returning to Canada.

Baptist Y.P.U. Present Enjoyable Entertainment

The Baptist Young People's Union presented a most enjoyable entertainment last night before an audience, which completely filled the church hall.

Rev. I. J. Levy, the minister presided.

The proceeds are for the Camp Fund of the B.Y.P.U.

The program consisted of piano-forte and accordion solos by LAC. Roy Mugford, R.A.F.; Trumpet solos by LAC. Sydney Spelling, R. A. F., and cartoon drawings by Victor Runtz, R C N V R., of H. M. C. S. "Queen Charlotte."

A humorous play "The Great Chicken Case," which was directed by Mrs. I. J. Levy, was very well received.

The Young People taking part were, Victor Runtz, George Jones, Hedley Palmer, George Halliwell, Aietha Saunders, Arnold Hiltz, Nathan Mair, Hazel Malone, Margaret McEwen, Keith Robinson, Mae Robinson, Ivan Robinson, Beverly Pound, Sterling Inman, Floyd Drake, Billy Johnston and Bernice Ward.

Well-Known Potato Inspector Died Yesterday

Mr. Ira W. Douglas, 53-year-old member of the inspection branch of the fruit and vegetable department of the Dominion Department of Agriculture died in the P. E. I. Hospital here yesterday. He had been in failing health for more than a year and had been in hospital for the past month.

Mr. Douglas was a native of Head of Hillsboro and came to Charlottetown as a potato inspector in 1929. Prior to his appointment he had farmed and travelled as an agent for a manufacturer of farm machinery.

For a number of years Mr. Douglas had been supervisory inspector. Although his health was failing he continued to work until about 10 weeks ago.

He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James E. Douglas.

Surviving are his wife, formerly Miss Ella Garrett of St. Peters and a 12-year-old son, Leith Douglas.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon from his home 69 Longworth Ave. Burial will be in the People's Cemetery

Yesterday's Market

CORRECTED FOR WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY ISSUES

Boiling Meat	15-25c
Onions, lb.	7c
Tomatoes, lb.	29c
Steak, lb.	28-35c
Beef, qr.	18c
Fowl, each	$1.20-$1.50
Butter, dairy	40c
Eggs, doz.	34-40c
Cabbage, lb.	5c
Roast Beef	25-35c
Cream, qt.	40c
Imported Head lettuce, each	20c
Potted plants	50-75c
Beets, per lb.	5c; 6lb. for 25c
Turnips,	6 for 25c
Parsnips, 7c lb.	4 lb. 25c
Carrots, 6c lb.	5lb. 25c
Mushrooms, per box	30c
Grapefruit, 3 for	25c
Cooking apples, per pk.	70c
Chickens	$1.50-$2.50
Oranges, doz.	29-39c
Delicious apples, doz.	45c
Pink Grapefruit, 2 for	25c
New Brussel Sprouts,	32c lb.
Fresh Spinach lb.	25c
Brocoli, bunch	32c
New carrots, 2 bunches	29c
Cauliflower	35-50c
Fresh Rhubarb lb.	25c
Squash	3lbs. 25c
Potatoes pk.	40c
Cucumbers, each	25c

CENTRAL GUARDIAN

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

CRASWELL for Photographs.

CONFEDERATION LIFE INSURANCE. L-97i

TRAIN ARRIVAL — The train arrived last evening at 6:40 with 96 passengers.

JOHNSON & JOHNSON will be the only drug store open this afternoon and evening. 3-24-1i.

VARIETY CONCERT Central Christian Schoolroom, Thursday, March 25, 8.15 p.m. 3-24-2i.

DONATION TO FUND—Mr. Jos. O'Brien has received an acknowledgment from London for the sum of 3 pounds, 2s, 8d which he sent to the Lord Mayor's Empire Air Raid Distress Fund.

JOIN C. W. A. C.'s—The Misses Marion Elizabeth McRae, New London, Helen Barbara MacAulay Cardigan Head and Marie Laure Jeanne Arsenault, Charlottetown, leave for Halifax this morning to take up their duties with the Canadian Women's Army Corps.

INJURY TO FOOT — Mr. Augustine Mallard, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mallard, St. Margaret's is a patient in the Charlottetown Hospital suffering with a crushed foot. The accident occurred yesterday when a tree fell on his foot while he was working in the woods. He was resting quite comfortably last night.

MANY ATTEND DANCE — Many service men and their friends attended the regular Tuesday night dance at the Legion. Bill Moreside's Orchestra furnished the music. Chaperones were: Mrs. Hoover Horne, Mrs. N. W. Lowther, Miss K. Irving and Mrs. E. Vinnicombe.

CAR FERRY MOVEMENTS — The car ferry S.S. "Prince Edward Island" completed nine round trips before midnight last night, making the crossings on an average in 55 minutes. On the trips between Borden and Tormentine the ice-breaker carried 44 loads of potatoes and turnips and two empty box-cars. When the day's work was completed all freight on the Island side was cleared up. The boat moved 42 loads of freight and 49 empty refrigerator cars from the New Brunswick side during the day. The loaded cars were mixed freight and merchandise. At midnight 40 loads of freight and 30 empties were still left on the New Brunswick side awaiting transportation here.

FIRE CAUSES DAMAGE— Fire at the Victor Coyle Drug Store on Richmond Street yesterday caused considerable damage before it was finally extinguished. The blaze broke out first shortly before noon and before it was all out firemen were called back twice, the third time about 3 o'clock. The drug store was badly gutted and a large quantity of stock damaged. There was no immediate estimate of the loss. The building housing the drug store is part of the Duffy estate. A store operated by a member of the Duffy family is in the same building. Some damage was caused to the Duffy store by smoke. The origin of the fire is unknown.

RE-HEARING GRANTED—A rehearing of the formal investigation into the sinking of the S.S. Charlottetown has been granted to Capt. John L. Read, the Guardian was informed by Capt. Read yesterday. The date of the new hearing has not yet been set. The Charlottetown was lost on June 18, 1941, and Mr. Justice M.B. Archibald, heading a court of inquiry set up by the Department of Transport found the master, Capt. Read, to have been solely responsible. Capt. Read's certificate was suspended for six months, after which he was placed on retiring allowance. He states that he has since been trying to have the case re-opened, and has now received definite assurance from Ottawa to this effect.

ISLANDER PASSES—The death of Mr. Earle Fraser, formerly of Vernon, occurred in the Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal over the week-end. He had been residing in Montreal for several years. The late Mr. Fraser was born at Vernon about 37 years ago and has resided there most of his life. He was a widely-known butcher in that section before leaving there to take a position in Montreal a few years ago. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Edward Fraser, who has been spending the winter in Montreal; five brothers, Russell, Newman, Allan, Edison all in Montreal and Pte. Harold with the Canadian Army; two sisters, Emmeline, Mrs. Gerald McQuaid, Vernon and Edna, Mrs. Charles Murphy, Vernon. The funeral takes place at Vernon, P. E. I., this morning.

Personals

Miss Enya Gonzales, New York City, Community Concert artist arrived at The Charlottetown last night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Bonnell are leaving this morning on a visit to Sydney, N. S., where they lived for over 17 years.

Mrs. Warren Houston, Charlottetown, who has been visiting her sisters Mrs. E. C. LePage and Mrs. W. M. Taylor, Moncton, returned home Monday evening.

The many friends of Mr. E. C. LePage, Rustico, who has been spending the winter in Moncton will be glad to know he is recovering from his recent illness and expects to return home in the near future.

Legislature Hears Request Re Prohibition

A large delegation from the P. E. Island Temperance federation waited on the Provincial Legislature yesterday afternoon to ask that a limit of 50 prescriptions for alcohol a month be imposed on medical doctors. The request was based in part on the result of the vote taken at the plebiscite in 1940. The delegation was led by Mr. J. H. MacFarlane, Bedeque, president of the Federation. The meeting with the Legislature was the result of special assembly of the Federation held yesterday morning at the Y.M.C.A. Various parts of the Province were largely represented. The motion to meet the Legislature was made by Mr. Thomas Moyse, Bedeque, and seconded by Rev. Geo Tilley, Cavendish.

Resolution

Following was the resolution presented to the Legislature:

"Whereas the people of the Province in the plebiscite of June 25, 1940 urgently desired the Provincial Government to limit the number of prescriptions for alcoholic beverages to 50 a month for each medical doctor;

"Whereas it is apparent that a number of doctors are issuing such prescriptions in number far in excess of any medical requirements and are to that extent thwarting the intention of the Prohibition Act, as well as leaving more conscientious fellow-practicioners open to suspicion;

"Whereas the increased difficulty experienced by bootleggers and others in securing illicit liquor will probably lead these gentry to endeavour to replenish their supplies from vendors' stores by means of doctors' prescriptions;

"Whereas other narcotic drugs, not in general anti-social use, have almost completely supplanted the narcotic, beverage alcohol, as medicine;

"Whereas the beverage use of alcohol is everywhere related to serious crime, to the spread of disease, particularly social diseases, and to moral, spiritual, and social degeneracy;

"Whereas the Prime Minister has asked the Canadian people to reduce their consumption of liquor during the war emergency;

"Therefore be it resolved that the P E I Temperance Federation strongly insist that the number of prescriptions issued to each doctor be limited to fifty (50) per month, and that the prescriptions be not transferred from doctor to doctor."

Those speaking to the resolution were Mr. J H. MacFarlane, Mr. Heber McPhail, Clyde River, Mr. Hugh Campbell, Graham's Road, Miss Louise Callbeck, Bedeque, Mrs. A.E. Todd, North River, Miss Edith Sterns, Charlottetown, Mr. Ralph McCaull, Bedeque, Rev. R.E. Shaw, New Glasgow. Premier T.A. Campbell in replying stated that the limitation of prescriptions was not a matter of government policy; however a private member could bring a resolution before the House.

Thee sessions of the Temperance Federation were held yesterday. The morning session was devoted largely to the limitation of the prescriptions. Matters discussed at the other sessions included Federation financing, temperance education, the question of bringing a resolution or amendment to the Prohibition Act before the Legislature.

QUESTIONS

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minion Government in reference to this matter during the past year.

Ans.:—

(1) Yes.

(2) Although this is a matter of Dominion jurisdiction, the Provincial Government has frequently urged upon the Dominion Government the advisability of constructing a drydock or marine slip in this Province. The benefits of such a structure from the point of view of repairs to naval and merchant marine vessels, and particularly from that of repairs to the car ferry steamer, have been stressed.

(3) No correspondence. Representations have been made in the course of personal interviews with Hon. J.L. Ralston, and our other Federal representatives, and through them to the various Dominion departments concerned.

Questions Unanswered

Answers to the following questions have not yet been tabled.

Mr. MacPhee:

Table all correspondence which has passed between the Government of this Province and any minister or officials of the Dominion Government during the past year in reference to a new car ferry to replace "The Charlottetown".

Mr. McLean:

Table all correspondence which has passed between the Government of this Province and any department or official of the Dominion Government during the past year in reference to the establishment of any war industry or industries in this Province.

BAHAMAS TRADE-CONSCIOUS

NASSAU, West Indies — (CP) — Plans are prepared for development of exports in spices and herbs long grown in the Bahamas for domestic use but for which there formerly was no market outside in competition with other existing trade.

"BOWMAN, H." RELEASED

LONDON —(CP)— Frederick H. M. Bowman, pacifist and author, detained since June, 1940, under Defence Regulation 18B, has been released. Officially addressed in prison as "Bowman, H." he took to addressing Home Secretary Herbert Morrison as "Morrison, H."

FUNERAL NOTICE

The Officers and Brethren of Victoria Lodge No. 2 A.F. & A.M., St. Johns Lodge, No 1, A.F. & A.M. and visiting Brethren are requested to meet at their Lodge Rooms at 1.30 P. M., Thursday, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother Ira W. Douglas. Funeral from his late residence, 69 Longworth Ave., service starting at 2.00 P.M.

By order of the Worshipful Master.

ERNEST S. LORD,
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Take Driving And Maintenance Course

30 members of the 17th (Reserve) Armoured Regiment went into Camp at the Ordnance Grounds, Charlottetown yesterday for a 10 days course in Driving and Maintenance.

Headquarters Squadron

G. L. Chandler, New Glasgow
W.M. Higgins, New Glasgow
G. W. Boyce, Victoria.

"A" Squadron

W. K. Howatt, North Wiltshire
H. D. Huggan, Pownal
H. A. Scott, Charlottetown.
L. S. Acorn, Charlotteown.

"B" Squadron.

D. E. Henderson, Kensington
J. A. Campbell, Carleton

"C" Squadron

A. B. Henderson, Mt. Stewart
E. J. Grant, Souris
W. R. Grant, Souris
L. G. McDonald, Souris

"D" Squadron

P. C. Taylor, Winsloe
P. C. Cudmore, Winsloe
R. E. Diamond, Winsloe
E. L. Yeo, North River
J. H. McPhail, Milton

"E" Squadron

R. Doucette, Rustico
T. E. Doyle, North Rustico
E. Bulman, South Rustico
J. C. Doucette, South Rustico
J. R. Doucette, Rustico
G. A. Prowse, Murray Harbor
C. B. Irving, Murray Harbor
J. F. Williams, Murray Harbor

"F" Squadron

C. E. Hogan, Tignish
P. S. Kinch, Tignish
W. L. McLeod, Tignish
L. G. Tattrie, O'Leary

At the completion of the course a test will be conducted leading to qualification as Driver I. C., Class 3. The course is in charge of S. S. M. Morley Smith, Sergt. J. M. Lee, Trooper J. S. Gillespie.

GREENVALE W. I.

The members of Greenvale Women's Institute were entertained at the home of Mrs Russel White on March 11th. Meeting opened with the Creed, the [illegible] presiding. Seven members answered roll call with an Exchange of Receipes. The treasurer reported that $18.30 proceeds of bean supper had been given to Red Cross. Two members expressed their thanks for fruit received. $1. was to be paid Percy Whitlock for stove parts. School committee reported soap and towels needed. Red Cross committee had forwarded twelve pairs boy's shorts to Red Cross, and members had met two afternoons for quilting. Donations of cotton had been received, also $1.25 Government Grant. Institute News was distributed.

The program, Home Economics was in charge of Mrs. Miller MacPherson, who gave the questionnarie; and Mrs. James Brown and Miss Rackham gave a reading "The Milky Way to Health." Following this a Cooking Contest proved quite interesting. Miss Rackham gave a donation towards the War Saving Certificate and collection amounted to forty-seven cents.

Meeting closed with National Anthem, after which delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

BIRTHS

GRANT—At the City Hospital on March 20, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grant, Borden, a daughter.

MacLEOD— At the Prince County Hospital, Summerside, on March 22, 1943 to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce MacLeod, Kensington, a son, Carl Bruce.

DEATHS

SHEPHARD—In the city on March 23, 1943, John Edward, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shephard age 4 months. Burial yesterday afternoon.

CAMPBELL—In Medford Mass. on March 12, J. Alexander, husband of Elizabeth, (Egan) Campbell. Burial was at Sturgeon, P. E. I.

WEEKS—In Dorchester Mass. on March 11, 1943, Leo F. Weeks, brother of James Weeks, formerly of P. E. Island.

DOUGLAS—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on March 23, 1943, Ira W. Douglas, in his 54th year. The funeral will be held from his [illegible] residence, 69 Longworth Ave., [illegible]day afternoon, service starting at 2 p.m. Interment in the People's Cemetery.

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