

**HIS HONOUR LIEUT. GOVERNOR**  
**J. A. BERNARD**  
 will receive at  
 Government House  
 on  
**Wednesday Afternoon**  
**JANUARY THE FIRST**  
 from 3 to 5:30  
**DR. J. A. MacMILLAN,**  
 Private Secretary

**MAYOR'S RECEPTION**  
 His Worship, Mayor B. Earle MacDonald, will receive at his residence, 99 North River Road, on New Year's afternoon between the hours of 3:30 and 5:30.  
**J. A. FULLERTON,**  
 City Clerk.

**In Memoriam**  
**MRS. RUSSELL C. CHANDLER**  
 Her many friends will be shocked to learn of the sudden passing of Eleanor Unsworth, wife of Lieut.-Col. R. C. Chandler of this city, which occurred on Thursday last. Of a gentle and kindly disposition Mrs. Chandler was highly esteemed, and very popular among a wide circle of friends. Although not in her usual good health during the past few weeks her end came as a severe blow to her relatives and friends.  
 Mrs. Chandler was the daughter of the late Lorne R. Unsworth, and Mrs. Unsworth who resides in Charlottetown. She leaves to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother, her husband and two daughters, Sylvia and Lorna; also surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Leith E. MacLeod, Mrs. Rita Kennedy of this city, and Mrs. Charles E. Robertson of London, England.

**BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS**  
 50c Per Insertion

**BIRTHS**  
**REDMOND**—At the City Hospital, December 24, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Felix Redmond, Lake Verde, a son.  
**MARRIAGES**  
**CHANDLER**—Suddenly on Thursday, Dec. 26, Mrs. R.C. Chandler in her 41st year. Funeral notice later.  
**LINKLETTER**—At his home in Linkletter on Dec. 29, Edgar Linkletter in his 86th year. Funeral notice later.  
**HICKEY**—At Darnley, Dec. 29, 1946, John Hickey, age 89 years. Funeral from his residence, Tuesday, at 9 a.m. to St. Mary's Church, Indian River.  
**HOWATT**—At Arlington, Mass., Dec. 29, 1946, Mrs. Harry Howatt, formerly of Charlottetown, died at her residence. The remains will be forwarded to the home of Mr. Heath Howatt, Tryon. Funeral notice later.  
**EDWARDS**—At Hampshire on Saturday, Dec. 28, Robert Edwards in his 74th year. Funeral from his residence on Tuesday, Dec. 31, service starting at 2 o'clock. Interment in Pownal cemetery.  
**WOOD**—At Cherry Valley, Dec. 28, 1946, Mrs. Edward Wood in her 82nd year. The remains are resting at the Cutcliffe Funeral Home where a short service will be held today, Monday, at 1:15; thence to Pownal United Church for service at 2 o'clock. Interment in Pownal cemetery.

**In Memoriam**  
 In loving memory of my dear husband, Vernon Parsons who passed away December 29th, 1942.  
 Dearest Vernon, how I miss you, Though I know 'tis vain to weep, Tears of love can never wake you from your happy peaceful sleep.  
 Though your smile has gone forever And your hand I cannot touch, I will always cherish memories Of the one I loved so much.  
 Friends may think I have forgotten When they sometimes see me smile, But they little know the heart ache That the smile hides all the while.  
 So rest at peace dear Vernon Your face in heaven's towers, The day when we shall meet Grows nearer every hour.  
 Ever Remembered by His Wife.

**N. D. MacLean**  
 UNDERTAKER  
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**CENTRAL GUARDIAN**  
 This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a new party may be inserted at five cents a word, strictly payable in advance.  
**CRABWELL** for Photographs.  
**CONFEDERATION LIFE INSURANCE**  
**THE FOURTH INSTALLMENT** of Civic Taxes is due December 31st.  
**QUEBEC HEATERS**—All sizes. A limited supply now on hand. Crockett & Storey Ltd.  
**HOWARD McINNIS'** Fitted Footwear now located at 175 Queen Street.  
**JUST RECEIVED** shipment of inside Mono-doors, but also 14th Birch plywood, MacDonald & Rowe Woodworking Company, Ltd.  
**PLASTIC SHEETING**—Colored white, cream, blue, 36 inches wide, excellent for kitchen tables; will wear a lifetime; guaranteed not to crack or tear. Price 95 cents per yard. Crockett & Storey Ltd.  
**BRASS FIRESIDE SETS** for your home, beautiful and useful. \$24.90 at Crockett & Storey Ltd.  
**MESSRS. HYNDMAN & CO. LTD.** have sent us a finely colored calendar of a little girl and dog which is much appreciated.  
**OFFICE SPACE** available with party who is out of town a lot. Write Box AM care Guardian.  
**SECRETARISHIPS** wanted by reliable party with considerable experience in this work. Write Box M care Guardian.  
**YOU WILL AVOID** long waits in the Tax Office by coming early to make your payment. Do not leave payments until the last day.  
**TOBAGGAN MATTRESSES** selling at cost. Rogers Hardware Co., Ltd.  
**HORNE MOTORS**, Parts Department will be closed Monday and Tuesday, December 30th and 31st.  
**FROM CHARLOTTETOWN**—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jay, Charlottetown, P.E.I., are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chipman—Sydney Post Record.  
**THE CITY TAX OFFICE** will remain open each evening until 9 o'clock commencing Friday, Dec. 27th until Dec. 31, 1946, for convenience of tax payers.  
**FIRE FRIDAY**—The fire on Lower Queen Street last Friday morning was in the office of J. and T. Morris Ltd., and not at Hall and Stavert's as previously reported. The damage was slight.  
**FUNERAL TODAY**—The remains of the late Charles Stewart Ross, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross, arrived from Port Land, Ore., Saturday evening. The funeral will be held from the MacLean Funeral Home this (Monday) afternoon, service starting at 2 o'clock.  
**CITY POLICE COURT**—At the City Police Court Saturday morning two men charged with breaking and entering were remanded until today. A taxi driver charged with carrying surplus non-fare passenger was remanded until today.  
**FUNERAL YESTERDAY**—The funeral of the late Mrs. Ada Jane Stevenson was held yesterday afternoon from the North River Baptist Church. The services at the church and grave were conducted by the Rev. A. E. Todd. The pallbearers were, Surgeon Warren, Ernest Warren, William Molynaux, Stafford Vickerson, Alfred Yeo, and Burgess Newsom. Interment was in East Wiltshire Cemetery.  
**HOME FROM CHINA**—Mr. Russell Bennett formerly of Montserrat returned Friday night from about a year and a half in China with a civilian ambulance unit. He arrived in Vancouver from Shanghai several weeks ago. The unit was sent to Tully at Cloverdale, and took a holiday trip through the United States before coming to this Province. When he left for East about two years ago he sailed from New York, travelled to India via the Mediterranean and since then travelled through much of that war-torn country.

**St. James' Annual Christmas Party**  
 The annual Christmas party of the Church School was held on Friday evening, and, despite the sub-zero weather, a splendid number of boys and girls and their parents and friends were in attendance to enjoy the fun and festivity of the night.  
 The program got under way with a few words of welcome and greeting by the chairman, the Rev. T.H. Bussell Somers, and consisted of various songs, piano solos, and recitations by the following: Wayne Dompierre, Catherine MacDonald, Daryl Rogers, Marion Clark, Pamela Stewart, Janet McLeod, Danny Fraser, Marilyn McOlenaghan, Glenda Jamieson, Gail Montgomery, Phyllis Clark, Margie Jardine, Heather Jamieson, Wayne MacDonald, Janet Rogers, Anne Fletcher, Adele Clark, Nancy MacDevlin, Helen Hyde, Jean Isobel MacDonald, Marion Hurd, Sheila MacInnis, Brian Chandler, Donald Clark, Allison Goss, Meredith McOlenaghan.  
 The Gallery Choir under the direction of Miss Lillian McKenzie sang several Christmas choruses and the Primary Department and Beginners' Department several carols. Under the direction of Sterling Walker the Cub Pack enacted a very humorous pantomime.  
 The stellar attraction of the evening, of course, was Santa Claus who arrived early and entered fully into the enjoyment of the evening, bringing the party to a close with his songs and music and the distribution of good things to eat.

**THE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Morning worship at 11 a.m. was conducted by the minister, the Rev. I. Judson Levy, B.D., with sermon "Forgetting the Past".  
 In the epistle to the Philippians Saint Paul says "forgetting these things which are behind and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus."  
 What shall we do with the past? It is one of the most important questions. We cannot at one stroke wipe out the past. There is a past with each of us that we would forget, there is a past that we hold in precious memory. It is not so much a matter of forgetting as of selection, forgetting is taking a weed out of the garden of memory and replacing it with a flower. A great editor once said "an editor's success consists in knowing what to throw into the waste basket".  
 Saint Paul has in mind the future, the days ahead, his principle, to retain that which adequately helps the future. No man's past should ever be a handicap to his future. It is ours to forget that which prevents fellowship with Jesus, retain that which makes for such fellowship.  
 The face of Stephen, the arch of persecuted Christians, yes, Paul remembers these but in the light of the blessed truth, the forgiveness of Jesus. Paul was a sinner redeemed.  
 Is your future stained by your past? It need not be so, only the forgiven can be forgotten, bring it to the throne of God.  
 And we must forget much of our success and accomplishment, the memory of past successes may be a dead weight, as Christians we dare not settle down, be not content with gracious memories, with Saint Paul it is ours to press toward the mark of the high calling.  
 The morning anthem was "The First Nowell" (traditional).  
 The Church School met at the close of morning worship.  
 Evening worship was conducted by Mr. Levy with sermon "If Christians Had Not Come".  
 The Christmas hymn was "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel".  
 Music for the day was conducted by Mrs. V. L. Dingwell, organist and director of choir.

**Complete Wild Duck Census Is Planned**  
 WASHINGTON, Dec. 29 (CP)—The number of Canadian wild ducks spending this winter at home instead of going south will influence 1947 hunting regulations in the United States, the Fish and Wildlife Service announced Saturday.  
 January will be the most comprehensive wild duck census ever attempted by the service, with Canada, Alaska, Mexico and Central America included to make it continental-wide.  
 "Reports on duck hunting this fall from most parts of the country have been discouraging," the Service announced. "We propose to do our utmost to find out what has happened."  
 The Canadian government is organizing comprehensive surveys of all important wild fowl wintering areas, particularly in British Columbia, the announcement said, so that the continent-wide picture may be complete.

**Carruthers-Johnston**  
 On Saturday morning, Dec. 28, at St. Dunstan's Basilica, Charlottetown, the marriage was solemnized of Miss Olive Johnston, daughter of Mr. J.J. Johnston, K.C., and Mrs. Johnston, of Charlottetown, to Mr. Henry A. Carruthers, son of Mr. Charles A. Carruthers, of Guelph, Ont. The ceremony was performed by Monsignor Maurice MacDonald, who also celebrated the nuptial mass.  
 The bride was given in marriage by her father and was attended by her sister, Mrs. Walter Lawlor. The bridegroom's best man was the Gerald J. Johnston brother of the bride's parents.  
 The ceremony was held at the residence of Mr. Walter Lawlor and Mr. Frank Sigsworth, Jr.  
 The bride wore a straight length dress of brown moire with matching hat and corsage of pink roses. The groom wore a tuxedo in turquoise blue, with gold accessories, her flowers being Tallman roses.  
 After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents. The happy couple then left by plane for Montreal. They will reside at Guelph, Ont.

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**APPRECIATION**  
 The Provincial Sanatorium Commission takes this opportunity to thank the following firms, organizations and individuals who by their thoughtfulness helped to make the Christmas festivities so happy and enjoyable for the patients.  
**CHRISTMAS DONATIONS AND GIFTS**  
 Joseph MacDonald \$75.00  
 Communities of Lower Be-  
 deque and Fernwood 64.00  
 A. Pickard H. B. 10.00  
 Brudenell W. I. 10.00  
 Mrs. R. S. Lea 10.00  
 Hyndman & Co. 10.00  
 Sisters of St. Martha 10.00  
 Miss Helen Martin (Boston) 5.00  
 New Haven W. I. 5.00  
 Royal Edward Chapter I. O. D. E. Made five pairs pyjamas.  
 United Church, Happy Workers' Club, Georgetown: Individual gifts.  
 Trinity Church, Charlottetown: Hamper of apples and oranges.  
 Little Pond C. W. L.: Individual gifts.  
 Kirk Auxiliary, St. James Church, Charlottetown: Subscription to four magazines.  
 Social Service, Charlottetown Hospital: Individual baskets of fruit and candy.  
 Garret Bros. 2 lugs grapes.  
 Clarke Fruit Co.: 2 lugs of grapes.  
 DeBlais Bros. Ltd.: 1 case grapefruit.  
 Frosche Bros. Ltd.: 1 case oranges.  
 Stewart's Bakery: Cake.  
 Costello's Meat Market: Chicken.  
 J. C. Saint: 1 lug grapes.  
 New London W. I.: 1 lug grapes and candy.  
 R. E. Mutch & Co.: Candy.  
 Mrs. J. R. Munn and Jean: Christmas parcel.  
 Mrs. R. B. Longworth: Christmas parcel.  
 Other donations and gifts received during the year:  
 Kelvin Grove W. I. \$25.00  
 Mrs. R. Lea 10.00  
 H. V. Grads 325.00  
 Montague W. I. 20.00  
 Bonshaw W. I. 10.00  
 Springfield W. I. 10.00  
 Miss Violet Owen 10.00  
 New London W. I. 50.00  
 Victoria W. I. 10.00  
 Long Creek W. I. 10.00  
 West Royal W. I.: Arm chair and stool.  
 Mrs. W. Macdonald, Glenfinnan: Made two pairs pyjamas.  
 Alumnae Association Notre Dame: Religious pamphlets and stand.  
 Canadian Legion: 112 new books and second book case.  
 King's daughters, Trinity Church, Charlottetown: Twelve pairs children's pyjamas.  
 Albion W. I.: One quilt.  
 Royal Edward Chapter I. O. D. E.: Made three pairs pyjamas.  
 Margate W. I.: One wool puff.  
 Orwell W. I.: One pair sheets and pillow cases.  
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**THEY'RE JUST THE WAY YOU PICTURED THEM!**  
 The Adventures of America's Most Beloved Comic Strip Favorites Brought to Reality!  
**JOE PALOOKA, CHAMP**  
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 ALSO: NEWS - COMEDY - FLICKERS

**LAUGHS ARE HOWLS WITH RED SKELTON AS "THE SHOW-OFF"**  
 The laughs are long and loud on the Prince Edward screen where Red Skelton is bringing to life "The Show-Off", M-G-M's rib-tickling portrait of a pest who is familiar to everyone who has ever suffered from a loud-mouthed, back-slapping, know-it-all brother-in-law.  
 Although such members as Ma and Pop Fisher, daughter Clara and her husband Frank, are made the unhappy victims of Aubrey Piper's egotism when he is brought home to the family as Amy's husband, it is Amy's brother, Joe, who suffers the greatest persecution. Joe, an inventor, is about to sell a rust preventative when the interfering Aubrey not only blunders into Joe's chemical paraphernalia and sets the house on fire, but later visits the prospective buyers of the invention and turns down their offer because he considers it too small.  
 Red Skelton's portrayal of the bragart hero is a gem of comedy acting, with Marilyn Maxwell giving excellent contrast as the loyal Amy for whom Aubrey can do no wrong. The role of the long-suffering Ma Fisher is amusingly played by the staunch Marjorie Main, the plighted Joe is sympathetically enacted by Marshall Thompson, and others who contribute to the humor and action are Virginia O'Brien, Eddie "Rochester" Anderson, George Cleveland, Leon Ames and Jacqueline White.

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 A coroner's jury, presided over by Coroner Dr. J. J. Yeo, will hold an inquest into the cause of death at the MacLean Funeral Parlors this evening at 8 o'clock.  
 The jury comprises Messrs. W. L. Higgins, foreman; Gordon Garnham, W. L. MacLean, Earl Stewart, W. E. Southbury, Douglas Kieley, and Harold Gallant.

**12 Killed, 11 Injured In Plane Crash**  
 SHANNON AIRPORT, Eire, Dec. 29 (AP)—A Trans-World Airline Constellation plane settling to land at Shannon Airport crashed 1-1/2 miles short of the mist-shrouded runway early Saturday, killing 12 persons and injuring 11 others, some of whom were hurtled out of the exploding wreckage into a watery Irish bog that slowed rescue for hours.  
 Six of the injured were listed as critically hurt, but one airport official said it was "truly a miracle" that all 23 occupants of the Paris-New York luxury airliner "Star of Cairo" did not perish in the flash of flame and shattered wreckage on an island in the Shannon River.  
 Pending completion of an investigation, T.W.A. officials and government investigators refused to speculate on possible reasons for the crash.  
 Surviving were six of the nine crew members and five of the 14 passengers. Among the dead was Pierre N. Dreyfus, identified by a brother-in-law in New York as the son of the late Capt. Alfred Dreyfus, whose conviction as a French military traitor in 1894 provoked a world-wide protest which led to his later exoneration. More than 100 rescuers wading waist-deep in mud did not bring out the last of the injured until midnight Saturday.  
 The hostess Miss Vera Ferguson 25, of Jackson Heights, N. Y., was acclaimed as a heroine for the resourcefulness and efficiency with which she set about helping the injured.  
 She dragged unconscious persons away from the fire, bandaged wounds and directed the rescuers.

**Reached Canadian Ship Resumes Voyage**  
 HAMILTON, Bermuda, Dec. 29 (CP Cable)—The 7,500-ton Canadian National Steamships freighter Canadian Cruiser, towed here Dec. 11 when she developed engine trouble 60 miles out of Hamilton, resumed her maiden voyage today after being repaired at the Royal Navy dockyard.  
 Her original cargo, except for some vegetables sold on the local market, still was aboard the ship as she continued her voyage to other West Indies ports. She sailed from Halifax Dec. 8.  
**TWINS TWICE IN YEAR**  
 BALLINA, Waterford, England—(CP)—Mrs. Ellen Maughan, aged 42, recently gave birth to her second set of twins in a year, and her third in all. Her husband, John Maughan, is a twin.  
 when they came. She worked on despite a wrenched knee, but collapsed as she was being taken to an ambulance.  
 Miss Ferguson and the passengers had no inkling that anything was wrong as the plane prepared to land in a fog and drizzle.  
 "I had just told the passengers to fasten their safety belts for the landing," she said. "Then we crashed, without a moment's warning."

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 Ch'town Branch Canadian Legion B.E.S.L.

**Adjustment In Fares**  
 Owing to the fact some of our rates were set before the war there is a slight inequality in fares. Rapidly rising costs of operation such as equipment, parts, tires, wages and taxes makes it absolutely necessary for us to put these lower pre-war fares on the same basis as fares established during the war and this will involve a small increase between some points.  
 This equalization of fares has been approved by The Motor Carrier Board to become effective January 1st, 1947.  
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**ANNOUNCEMENT**  
 On and after January 1st, 1947, the price of milk and cream to consumers in the Charlottetown and Summerside areas shall be:  
**PASTEURIZED MILK**  
 Retail, Per Quart . . . 14c  
 Wholesale, Per Quart 13c  
**RAW MILK:**  
 Retail, Per Quart . . . 13c  
 Wholesale, Per Quart 12c  
**CREAM**  
 Retail, Per Quart . . . 25c  
 Retail, 1/2 Pint . . . 13c  
 Wholesale, Per Qt. . . 46c  
 Wholesale, 1/2 Pint . . . 23c  
 Wholesale, 1/2 Pint 12c  
 These prices shall be in effect until further notice.  
 H. J. MacDONALD, Chairman,  
 G. E. SMITH, Member,  
 P. I. MILK CONTROL BOARD.

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