

WEEK'S NEWS BUDGET FOR OUR SATURDAY SUBSCRIBERS

MONDAY

YOUNG PEOPLES SOCIETY MEETING—The Young Peoples Society of Trinity United Church, St. Dunstons, held its regular meeting Friday evening. Miss Zilpha Lillie led the devotional period. Plans were made to present a play later on.—S

LAID TO REST—The funeral of Stanislaus Gallant was held from his late residence, Kensington Road, Friday morning. The Rev. Father Basileus officiated. Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. P. McMahon, D. D. The pall bearers were: Messrs John Bell, Michael McDonald, Wm. Somers, Jos. Gaudet, Edward Cormier and Geo. McDonald. Service at the grave was conducted by Rev. E. Dalton.

"Every reasonable assurance" that Charlottetown's request for an appropriation for a local unemployment relief project would be granted was received from the federal Minister of Labor, Norman McL. Rogers, Mayor P. W. Turner said following his return from the Canadian capital Saturday night. Accompanied by the city clerk, Mr. G. P. Nicholson, Mayor Turner was in Ottawa last week to attend the Canadian Mayors' conference and to submit a plan for an unemployment relief project to assist the jobless in this city. The work, however, will not start until later in the summer.

FUNERAL OF LATE MRS. HERRELL—The funeral of Mrs. James Herrell which was largely attended, was held from her late residence, 48 Weymouth Street Friday morning to St. Dunstons' Basilica where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Dougan. The pall bearers were: Messrs R. L. Cotton, T. L. Smith, J. A. Webster, Victor Purdie, J. A. Griffith, and Wm. J. Grimes. Service at the grave was conducted by Rev. Father McCaule.

General regret was expressed by Trinity United Church congregation when it was announced that Rev. J. W. Barbour had asked the Presbytery for a change in pastoral relations and that his request had been forwarded to the Settlement Committee of the Maritime Conference. A congregational meeting was held on Wednesday evening last when the matter was considered and many bore testimony to the esteem in which Mr. Barbour was held throughout the congregation and it was stated and approved by all that he had laid the foundation for religious education in this Church not surpassed by any Church in the conference. This resolution was moved by E. T. Higgs, seconded by R. H. Rogers and passed unanimously.

The Guest Recital at the Women's Music Club meeting of March 28th was a rare treat from beginning to end. Mr. Gomez and Miss Wood are forging surely and rapidly ahead, and to say that they have never been heard to better advantage is no mere meaningless phrase. On Saturday they gave a magnificent performance, the sympathy and perfection of unity between violin and piano being decidedly, and gracefully marked. Miss Wood's piano solo, Sonata in D Minor, Opus 31, no. 2, three movements, "One of the most splendid of all Beethoven's sonatas," was played in the most splendid manner.

The other guest artists, Mr. and Mrs. Raoul Raymond, as usual quite charmed their listeners with their lovely duet, "Three Melancholies," "Villanelle" with encore "Lakme," by Mrs. Raymond accompanied by Mrs. Rogers, and "The Road to Mandalay," by Mr. Raymond accompanied by Mrs. Raymond.

Fire believed to have originated in a little room where batteries were being charged destroyed yesterday a grain-crushing and wood-working plant owned by Joseph Lannigan, Montague. The loss was estimated to be \$2,000. There was no insurance.

The owner from a window of his home nearby saw smoke seeping out from beneath the eaves of the newly-erected building about 5 o'clock yesterday evening, and when he rushed to investigate he found the building all in flames.

Accompanied by Brigadier H. F. Hertzberg, G.M.D., D.S.O., M.C., Halifax, commander of Military District No. 6, and by commanding officers of the various local militia units, His Honour arrived promptly at 3 o'clock. He was accompanied by a Guard of Honour composed of 100 men drawn from "A" Company, Prince Edward Island Highlanders, commanded by Capt. J. S. Des-Roches, Lieut. C. H. Campbell and Lieut. W. W. Reid, and by a mounted escort supplied from the Prince Edward Island Light Horse under the command of Capt. R. R. Ings. The Canadian Legion and Highlanders Pipe Band were in attendance. The customary salute was fired by the Second Medium Battery, R. C. A., commanded by Major G. W. Craig.

The militia units presented a smart and soldier-like appearance, the turn-out being commented on very favorably by spectators.

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Thanks Unto Thee O Lord." Messrs. Casavant Brothers, St. Hyacinthe, are to be very highly congratulated for the beautiful organ they have built for St. Paul's Church. The organ is placed in the same position as the old one, the console being at the other side of the chancel.

FUNERAL SERVICE—The funeral of Francis MacDonald took place Saturday morning from his father's residence to the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer, then to the R. C. Cemetery. The pall bearers were: Messrs. Adam Peterson, Francis LeClair, Frank Gauthier, Henry Gauthier, Angus Jarvis and James Whalen. Service at the church was conducted by Rev. Fr. Emrich and at the grave by Rev. Fr. Baines.

ATTENDING RED CROSS CONVENTION—Mr. George J. Tweedy left Saturday morning for Ottawa where he will attend meetings of the Central Council of the Canadian Red Cross Society which meets in Government House on next Thursday and Friday. Lord Tweedmuir, Governor General of Canada, presides at the convention. Mr. D. A. MacKinnon, manager of the local branch of the Bank of Canada, leaves tomorrow to attend the meetings.

TUESDAY

LEAVES FOR NEW YORK—Dr. and Mrs. Leo Frank leave this morning for New York and Milwaukee in response to a telegram from Dr. Frank's sister, Mrs. Edith Fisher of New York, announcing the death of her husband, Dr. Fisher, after a short illness of pneumonia. Mrs. Fisher and daughter, Miss Felicia, who have visited here on several occasions will have the sympathy of their friends in their sudden bereavement.

FUNERAL SERVICE—The funeral of Mrs. Malcolm D. MacLeod took place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Trinity United Church, Summerside, and was conducted by Rev. L. E. G. Davies. The choir led the singing of favorite hymns. Mr. Albert Huestis sang "Shadows." The pallbearers were Messrs. A. S. MacKay, S. M. Hicks, L. R. Allen, Hooper, Linkletter, George Sheen and Willard Phillips. Interment was held on Wednesday. Rev. Mr. Davies officiated at the grave.—S

Miss Elizabeth MacMillan, B.Sc. (H.Sc.) of Charlottetown, Supervisor of the Women's Institutes of Prince Edward Island, is to resign from her position at head of the powerful social organization to take over the organization and supervision of Newfoundland's Jubilee Guild, it was learned here last night.

Miss MacMillan was placed at the head of all the Women's Institutes in this province about a year after she had joined one of the branch organizations. Under her direction, Prince Edward Island Women's Institutes have developed into the soundest and most formidable social bodies in the province. Miss MacMillan has been the organization's supervisor for five years. She is to take over direction of the old colony's women's body which is virtually the same as the Women's Institutes in Canada before May 1. The Jubilee Guild of Newfoundland was founded by Mrs. Anderson, wife of former Governor, Sir David Murray Anderson. Mr. L. W. Shaw, formerly supervisor of Teacher Training at Prince of Wales College and now Newfoundland Superintendent of Education, negotiated Miss MacMillan's appointment to the direction of the Guild.

Warm spring sunshine contributed a touch of optimism lacking in the Throne Speech at yesterday's formal opening of the second session of the 43rd General Assembly of the Province. The function, which was performed by His Honour Lieutenant Governor DeBlois, was witnessed by a large number of citizens.

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AT GYRO YESTERDAY—Plans were completed for an Easter Monday dance at the regular weekly meeting of the Gyro Club last night. The chairman was Mr. H. W. Fletcher.

THE FUNERAL OF Michael Beagan was held from his late residence, Donagh, Monday morning to St. Patrick's Church, Port Augustus, where Requiem High Mass was sung by the Parish Priest, Rev. D. P. Croken. The pallbearers were: Joseph Brazil, Edwin Brazil, Herbert Beagan, Anthony Beagan, Ernest Hughes and John McNally. Service at the grave was conducted by the Rev. D. P. Croken.

CARPENTERS URGE RECOGNITION OF WAGE RATES—Charlottetown civic authorities last night were urged to recognize present wage rates of the city carpenters' union in any future work projects carried out in this city. A resolution asking for recognition of their wage rates was passed by a meeting of members of the carpenters' union and will be contained in a letter to be forwarded to the city council. Mr. Edward Landry, union president tendered his resignation during last night's session and a trustee, Mr. John W. MacKenzie was appointed to replace Mr. Wood in the position of trustee.

Each year the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire promotes a Dominion-wide contest in English Composition for the school pupils of the capital city of each province. The purpose of these competitions is to keep alive the memory of Sarah Maxwell, principal of Hochelaga School, Montreal, who heroically gave her life in an effort to rescue her small charges from death by fire.

The composition this year was in the form of a play entitled "The King's Silver Jubilee—1925" or any important event or events during the late King's reign.

From the large number of excellent essays submitted, the committee has selected the following prize winners: First, Mary MacKay, Grade VIII, Miss Taylor's Dept. W. K. S.

Second, Francis Reay, same department, W. K. S. Third, Josephine Pickard, Grade IX, W. K. S.

Miss Mary MacKay's essay will be forwarded to Toronto for re-examination along with the winning essays from the winners.

It will be recalled that last year's Dominion winner was Miss Muriel Cozier, a pupil of Grade VII West Kent. In 1934 this honor went to Drummond Cobb a pupil of Grade VII West Kent School.

Increasing interest is taken in these essay competitions year by year, and the I. O. E. is to be commended on the successful promotion of this fine educational feature.

It was with deep regret that her many friends learned of the death of Gertrude Callaghan, devoted and dearly beloved wife of Frederick McKenna, Montreal, where she was a member of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia, which position she held until her marriage about five years ago.

She leaves to mourn a sorrowing husband and two children, Louis Frederick and an infant daughter; also four sisters and four brothers, viz: Mrs. Joseph McKenna, Mermaid; Rev. Sister St. Sabina, Notre Dame Academy, and Mrs. Andrew Butler of Charlottetown; Mrs. Jas. McKenna and Mr. John Callaghan both residing in Montreal; Mr. Sabina, Montreal; New York; Messrs. Peter and Patrick Callaghan, Wisconsin.

Her funeral took place on March 12th from her home in Mermaid to St. Dunstons' Basilica. The funeral Mass was sung by Rev. Patrick McKenna. Her remains were laid to rest in the Roman Catholic cemetery, where services at the grave were conducted by Rev. Louis Dougan. The pallbearers were Messrs. George McDonald, James McEachern, Fred Trainor, Walter Walker, Joseph Slavin and Joseph Smith.

May her soul rest in peace.

Many friends throughout the province were shocked when they learned that Mr. Albert Sherren of Cape Traverse had passed away very suddenly at his home, on Friday, March 27th, following a heart attack. He had been in his usual health, and after doing his usual morning chores brought in the mail, when he was suddenly stricken. Dr. Bell, who was hurriedly summoned, arrived almost immediately, only to find that the patient was already beyond human aid. Mr. Sherren was a splendid citizen, upright and industrious, and will be greatly missed in the community. He was a member of the Anglican church, and a staunch Liberal in the politics. He leaves to mourn their loss his sorrowing widow, formerly Mrs. Bessie Mearns, three sons, Russell in Midland, Ont., Robert in Augustine Cove, Ernest of Cape Traverse and three daughters, Hazel, Alice and Annie, all at home also a sister, Mrs. Bigany in Boston and two brothers, David of Capraud and Alfred of Victoria. The funeral, which was held on Sunday, was very largely attended in spite of the very bad conditions of the roads. Mr. Sherren had some time ago chosen the music which he wished at his funeral and his requests were carried out. Rev. Arthur Organ of Bedouque conducted the service at the home, and spoke very feelingly from the words "In the midst of life we are in death." The hymn Rock of Ages was sung also a duet Abide With Me, by Mrs. Thomas Bell and Mr. Charles Bell. The remains were taken to St. John's Church at

Crapaud where the rector, Rev. E. R. Bridgewater conducted the service. The hymns were Safe in the Arms of Jesus and Nearer My God to Thee. Interment in the Church of England Cemetery. The pallbearers were all nephews of the deceased, Messrs. George and Fred McDonald and Messrs. Clifford, Arthur, George and Stewart Sherren.—D

WEDNESDAY

Deep sadness fell over the community of Hampton and vicinity when the Angel of Death entered their midst and claimed Edna A. Nelson beloved wife of George R. Cannon on the morning of Wednesday, March 11th, inst.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT—Mr. W. C. McLeod was seriously hurt Monday evening by a fall from the roof of his house on which he was at work shingling. The top scaffolding gave way suddenly, the others broke and Mr. McLeod fell from the second storey of his home. He was with him saved himself by grasping the saddleboard. Mr. McLeod had to be carried into his house. A doctor was called and the outcome of his examination is not known at the present writing.—K

After a long, industrious, and successful Christian life Mr. James Matthew West Covehead, P. E. I. passed away at his home there on Thursday March 19, 1936, aged 83 years. In failing health since the death of his wife, he gradually weakened to the end, which was peaceful and seemingly without pain. He was a former resident of North Wilshire, P. E. I., and when he was twenty years of age he married Miss Susan Jane Hughes of Covehead, and the first of their children, a daughter, was born in North Wilshire. Mr. West Covehead was a member of the Methodist Church, and was a member of the St. James' Episcopal Church, where he was a member of the choir. He was a member of the St. James' Episcopal Church, where he was a member of the choir. He was a member of the St. James' Episcopal Church, where he was a member of the choir.

On March 10th the many friends and relatives were shocked to hear that Mrs. Anabella Cummings, widow of the late Malcolm Cummings, formerly of Darlington, passed away at the home of her son Allan at Breadalbane a few days illness. Mrs. Cummings was in her usual good health, visiting around among her old friends and relations, when she suddenly took ill, then pneumonia developed and all that medical skill and loving hands could do was of no avail and she passed away to her Heavenly home on the above mentioned date.

ISLAND LADY AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP—Miss Marion MacLennan, daughter of Mrs. M. Gillis, Charlottetown, graduates on April the second with the Missionary and Deaconess School at Toronto. In recognition of the splendid work that she has done, Miss MacLennan has been awarded the Robertson Mothercraft Scholarship by the Missionary and Deaconess Board of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. The scholarship donated by Mrs. Irving Robertson, wife of the founder of the Mothercraft Hospital in Toronto, is for a sixteen month course at the Mothercraft Hospital in Toronto. This hospital founded by the late Irving Robertson is the only one of its kind in Canada. Miss MacLennan will visit her sister at Mount Allison University the latter part of the week on her way to Toronto early in June to commence her new work.

THE LATE EPHRAIM PHILLIPS—Many throughout the province will hear with deep regret of the passing on Monday afternoon of Ephraim Phillips, well known and highly respected resident of Tyne Valley, in his 64th year. He was born and made his home in Tyne Valley and was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Phillips. For many years he travelled for the Massey-Harris Company, and many who hear of his death will remember his cheery laugh and kind encouraging word. Mr. Phillips was a member of the Masonic fraternity and was for many years a leading member of the United Church choir at Tyne Valley. His deep bass voice was always heard to good advantage. He is survived by his wife formerly Miss Etta Ramsay, and two daughters, Myrtle, Mrs. Walter Wheeler, of Bedford, Maine; and Georgie, Mrs. Cecil Birch, of Tyne Valley. One son, Stanley, also lives at home. A brother Hubert Phillips, Tyne Valley, also survives. The funeral will take place today at two p. m. from the United Church, Rev. J. A. Nicholson and Rev. Mr. White officiating.

The passing of Mr. Frederick Compton whose death occurred at his home in St. Eleonors on March 21st has cast a gloom over the whole community where he was so well and favorably known.

The late Mr. Compton was born at St. Eleonors sixty-two years ago. He belonged to one of the oldest and most highly respected families in the province. He was the third eldest son of the late George Compton and a grandson of Major Thomas Compton who was the founder of St. Eleonors district and who by his efforts, did so much for the improvement and development of St. Eleonors in its early days.

The late Mr. Compton was twice married, his first wife was Marie Munro of Georgetown who predeceased him some thirty years ago, his second wife was Elizabeth Andrew of No. St. Eleonors, who with seven children survive him, namely, Marie, Edna, Eleanor, Sadie in the United States; Lillian, Clifton and Louise at home. On the 24th of March a large crowd of sorrowing friends gathered at the home to pay their last respects to a departed friend and neighbor. Mr. MacLauchlan never married, but he leaves to mourn their loss, two brothers, James in Stanhope and Archibald in Boston, Mass., and also two sisters, Christina, a nurse on the Medical Staff of the United States Army, at present stationed in Honolulu, and Mary Belle, Mrs. D. L. Murphy of Boston, Mass.

His remains were laid to rest beneath the graves of his father and mother in the family plot at the West Covehead United Church Cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. Ira Carr, Ashley MacLauchlan, Thomas Horgan, Frank Marshall, Rupert Ross and J. W. McCabe.

MATHER—WRIGHT—The marriage took place on March 19th at Grace Presbyterian Church, Calgary, Alta., of Alan Stewart Mather, a resident of Banff, to Grace Louise Wright, a daughter of Mr. C. D. and the late Mrs. Wright of Tryon, P. E. I. Mr. and Mrs. Mather will reside in Banff.

WILL ATTEND FUNERAL—Mr. Guy Moore, Union Road, Kings County, leaves this morning for East Southampton, Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, James E. Smith, who died Monday morning. He was a native of Nova Scotia and had been engaged in farming all his life. He leaves to mourn a widow, nee Elizabeth Moore of Union Road.

EXHIBITS PAINTING AT OTTAWA—Among the oil paintings receiving favorable mention at the annual exhibition of the Art Association of Ottawa recently was one by Miss George B. Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Read, Bordas. The painting, "Afternoon Light," striking in its richness of colors and general warmth of expression," critics said. Miss Read's picture was painted in the beautiful Margaree Valley in Cape Breton last summer. At present she is attending the Ottawa Ladies' College. The exhibition was opened by Her Excellency Lady Tweedmuir.

Daniel William Cantelo, 77 years of age, passed away March 25th at 8 a. m. at his residence, 1340 Marentette Ave., Windsor, Ont., following a lengthy illness.

A native of Prince Edward Island, Mr. Cantelo came to Windsor about ten years ago. He was a member of the St. James' Episcopal Church, beloved husband of Elizabeth; dear father of Florence, Miami, Fia; Grace, New York City; Mrs. W. L. Tomson, Toronto, Ont.; Lester and Milford, of Windsor; Ezra, of Detroit, Mich.; Elmer of Vancouver, B. C.; and also survived by two sons, Elmer and Sarah, of Boston, Mass.

Service at James H. Sutton's Funeral Home, 655 Ouellette Ave., Saturday, March 28, at 1 p. m. Interment Windsor Grove.

THURSDAY

MISSIONARY TO VISIT HERE—Mr. John Gallagher, M.M., missionary on furlough from Swatow, China, expects to visit this Province about the first of July. At present he is lecturing in the United States. Rev. Fr. Gallagher expects to return to the Orient about November. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Gallagher, Tacoma, Washington.

By the death of Mrs. Christene MacDonald on Tuesday morning, March 24th, Lorne Valley lost one of its oldest and most highly respected citizens. Mrs. MacDonald was born on the Isle of Skye, Scotland, in the year 1852. In the year 1882, when she was but a girl of seventeen, she, along with her parents migrated to the Garden of the Gulf. They selected Bellevue as their island community. After a number of years she married Mr. Alex. MacDonald of the same district. They had three children, Mr. MacDonald died May 10, 1888.

"THE AWAKENING OF THE CHURCH," an interesting and impressive pageant, was very finely presented at the Baptist Church last evening, setting forth in its message the application of the great commission of the Church of today. The pageant was under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society, assisted by the choir. Leading parts were taken by Mrs. Henry Calbeck, Mrs. Samuel Campbell, Dr. Zell Clark, Miss Ethel Sutherland, Mrs. Benj. J. Milford, Mrs. Gordon Starratt, Mrs. A. K. MacPherson, Mrs. Johnson. A large congregation heard and saw the pageant with interest and profit. The organist, Miss Helen Calbeck, and choir assisted throughout the scenes of the pageant. Benediction was given by Rev. F. E. Bishop, who also made a few brief remarks.

On Friday, March 27, 1936, Mr. Alexander MacLauchlan of Stanhope, P. E. I. passed away after a long illness of two years. Although so long confined to his bed with the weakness he never gave up hope of recovery till the end drew near. Mr. MacLauchlan was his fifty-eight years old, had on different occasions resided in the United States returning home to Stanhope frequently. His last residence abroad was in Boston where he lived eight years up to his return two or three years ago. He was a son of the late Dunca MacLauchlan of Stanhope, and his wife Euphemia MacPherson. While resident in Stanhope Mr. MacLauchlan lived with his brother James, from whose home the funeral was held. The services were conducted by Rev. Thos. A. Wilson of West Covehead, Minister of the Stanhope Congregation of the United Church of Canada. The text of the funeral address was Romans 8:38. "I am persuaded that neither death nor life - nor things present nor things to come - shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord." A great number of people assembled to pay their last respects to a departed friend and neighbor. Mr. MacLauchlan never married, but he leaves to mourn their loss, two brothers, James in Stanhope and Archibald in Boston, Mass., and also two sisters, Christina, a nurse on the Medical Staff of the United States Army, at present stationed in Honolulu, and Mary Belle, Mrs. D. L. Murphy of Boston, Mass.

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EASTER HOLIDAYS—The City Schools will close for the Easter holidays at 3 o'clock Monday, the 6th of April, and re-open at 9 o'clock Tuesday, the 14th.

TO INSPECT R.C.N.V.R.—Commander W. B. Creery, R.C.N., director of naval reserves, Ottawa, arrived in Charlottetown last night, for a sleigh drive, a sing song, and headquarters on the corner of Kent and Hillsboro Streets. Annual inspection of the Charlottetown half-company will take place this evening.

The funeral of Mary Cecily Deveau, Howland, was held Friday morning, March 27th from the home of her step-father, Mr. Jerry Peters to the church of St. Anthony's where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Gaudet. There are left to mourn besides her step-father and mother one sister Sophy. Sincere sympathy is extended to the family.

The funeral of Mr. John Kelly of Kelly Road was held Saturday morning from his late residence to St. Anthony's church where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Gaudet. With the passing of Mr. Kelly, Kelly Road has lost one of its oldest citizens. He was 78 years old, a gentleman of the old school, kind and courteous and a good neighbor. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family.

There passed peacefully away at Head of Hillsborough on March 27th, Mr. James Myers at the age of 66 years. The late Mr. Myers had been ill only seventeen days and during that time he was attended by his skilled physician, Dr. A. B. Martin of St. John's and tenderly cared for by his loving wife and family who did all they could to stay the Grim Reaper of death, but God willed otherwise and the soul of a kind and loving husband and father passed from earth to its Creator.

A pretty wedding took place in United Church parsonage Springfield West on Wednesday evening, March 25th when Miss Bernice MacKenzie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis MacKenzie, became the bride of Mr. James Luther MacWilliams of Cape Wolfe. They were attended by the groom's brother, Mr. Reginald MacWilliams who is teaching in the Springfield West school, and by Miss Josephine MacKenzie, sister of the bride. The happy couple will reside at Cape Wolfe. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. W. Parker, pastor of Bethel United Church.

B. I. S. MONTHLY MEETING—Increased demands for charitable purposes was announced by Mr. Henry Dalton chairman of the charities committee, at the regular monthly meeting of the B. I. S. last night. The president, Mr. J. H. McKenna, occupied the chair. There was a full attendance of officers. The St. Patrick's Day play was very successful. Mr. Joseph McEachern reported. A resolution thanking all who assisted in making the performance a success was passed at last night's meeting.

Mr. John A. McDonald of Southport sowed early wheat on Tuesday, March 31, and thereby probably came near to establishing a record for the province. Mr. Lemuel MacKinnon, Highfield, recalls hearing his father, the late Mr. Hugh MacKinnon, tell of sowing wheat on March 28 many years ago. Four inches of snow and considerable frost in April did not prevent a good harvest. Mr. MacKinnon remembered hearing his father say, "If the wheat sown by Mr. McDonald matures in the usual time it should be ready to harvest during the early days of July."

SHERWOOD CEMETERY—The sixty-second annual meeting of the plott holders of Sherwood Cemetery was held yesterday afternoon. The financial statement showed the cemetery finances to be in very good shape and that the fund for perpetual care is greatly increasing. The meeting decided to have a new plan of the cemetery made showing the position of each grave. The meeting also ordered that iron markers bearing the words "Perpetual Care" be placed on all the plots of those who have paid a sum to put the plot under perpetual care. The resignation of Mr. H. W. Longworth as a Director was accepted with much regret and his place was filled by the appointment of the Hon. George D. DeBlois. The remainder of the Board is as last year, Hon. W. S. Stewart, chairman, Henry Smith, C. H. Black and Captain T. G. Taylor.

COMPLETE COURSE IN SIGNALING—Recently No. 2 Company Sixth Divisional Signals completed a special course in signaling, the first of its kind to be held in the Maritimes. The pre-qualification course started in October last year. Thirteen men completed the work and took the examination in December. The course proper started the first week in February, with twelve in attendance, one of the first class having to discontinue the work owing to illness. Classes were held three nights a week in the Drill Hall, Charlottetown, consisting of two written papers and practical tests on transmitting and receiving were conducted on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week. In the reading test the candidate had to read twenty messages at the rate of twenty words a minute, ten clear and ten in cipher through interference. For a first class ranking the candidate was required to make 98 per cent. The instructor was Sergeant Major Wallace, Halifax, of the Royal Canadian Signals and the examinations were conducted by Capt. Owens of Halifax, district signals officer, M.D. No. 6. The results of the examinations will be announced later.

FRIDAY

Deep sadness fell over the community of Little Pond and vicinity, when suddenly called to its eternal reward the soul of Mrs. Lucretia McDonald, widow of the late John George McDonald, on Friday morning, Jan. 31.

OFFICERS ELECTED—At a regular meeting of Charlottetown Council No. 15 National Association of Marine Engineers, Canada (Incorporated) the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Frank Payne; Vice President, G. E. Gillis; Secretary, Treasurer, L. Winchester; Conductor, Howard McDonald; Doorkeeper, G. Charles Butt.

YOUNG PEOPLE ORGANIZED—The young people of St. John's Church, Crapaud, have organized a branch of the Anglican Young People's Association and have held regular weekly meetings since January last, with a membership of thirty-six. Social evenings included a Valentine party, taffy pull, a sleigh drive, a sing song, and a party. The officers for the year are: President, E. R. Norton; Vice President, W. R. Macdonald; Secretary, Margaret Wilson; Treasurer, N. W. Molyneux; Chairman of Program Committee, Marjorie Sturdy; Chairman of Social Committee, Mrs. Louis Sherren.

GUEST OF HONOR AT REGIMENTAL DINNER—Col. F. I. Andrew and Mrs. Andrew were guests of honor at a Regimental dinner attended by officers of the light horse and their wives last Monday night. The function was held at Crowlands, Major Duval's residence, North River Road. Col. Andrew has retired as commander of the P. E. I. Light Horse and has been succeeded by Major L. T. Lowther. The retiring commander was presented with a beautifully engraved silver tray by the regiment. His Honor Lt-Governor DeBlois, honorary Colonel of the Light Horse, presided at the dinner, which was also attended by Brigadier Hertzberg, Commander of M. D. No. 6.

VISITS SCHOOL—The pupils of Grade Ten in Rochford Square School of Charlottetown visited yesterday morning from Mr. C. H. B. Longworth, Chairman of the City School Board. Mr. Longworth listened to the recitation of lessons in History, Geography and Latin. He questioned the pupils and examined the results of their work. At the close of his visit, Mr. Longworth presented Miss Veritina MacKenzie, Miss Catherine Feavour and Miss Dorothy Regan, who attained first, second and third rank respectively in the regular examination. Generous prizes. Needless to say the pupils are most appreciative of Mr. Longworth's kindly interest and encouragement.

Y'S MEN ELECT DIRECTORS—The following are the directors of the Y's Men's Club for the ensuing year: Messrs. Claude Smith, William Massey, W. R. LePage, Fred Small, Malcolm Irwin, James Haslam, F. J. Holman and Edwin Johnston. They were announced at the March weekly meeting of the club. The annual election of the club will be held the first week of May at which time the newly elected officers will be installed. Before that time they will elect from among themselves a president and other officers. Some discussion took place last night on the constitution and by-laws of the organization. Mr. N. D. McLean, the president, occupied the chair.

ANNUAL INSPECTION OF R. C. N. V. R.—The annual inspection of the Charlottetown division of the R. C. N. V. R. was conducted last evening by Commander Creery, R. C. N., director of Naval Reserves, Ottawa. The men were inspected at work and the Commander was highly pleased with the showing and complimented the men on the turnout and on their athletic activities. Commander Creery was also pleased with the building, which he claimed to be one of the best Naval Reserve buildings in Canada. The wireless station also came in for favorable comment as the best in Canada so far; naval reserves is concerned. Annual training will be carried on as usual starting the first of June. Summer cruises will be arranged on receipt of the schedule of the ships. The local Naval Division is in command of Lieutenant Jack Connolly. He took command in July last following the retirement of Lt-Commander Buntain.

DRIVING CLUB MEETING—The Montague Driving Club held a well attended meeting Monday evening, March 30, with a good attendance, despite the bad condition of the roads many horsemen from distant points were there, which is a sure sign that the racing fever is on. Edward R. Murphy was elected president. Geo. McIntyre, Archie Llewellyn, Alex. McLeod and Edward R. Murphy, race committee; Gordon McLean, clerk of course. Secretary to be elected later. Many important suggestions were made by Mr. W. McKenna of Vernon Bridge. Mr. H. Killam, owner of Star Dillon and Toke; Mr. Edward Murphy, Mr. James McLean, owner of Billie Cope, and Mr. James Murphy, owner of Misses and former owner of Johnnie Miles, Mr. Archie Llewellyn and Mr. Geo. McIntyre. Plans are in the way for a series of matinee races at the Montague track this summer. The next meeting will be advertised in the Charlottetown Guardian, at which meeting the Club will look for a bumper crop of horsemen who will be anxious to hear the word "Go," and get off together to a good start. H.

FUNERAL SERVICES were held Sunday afternoon in Tacoma for George Gilbert Ritchie, 63, who died suddenly last Thursday morning from a blood clot while apparently making a rapid recovery from a recent operation on his knee.

While his home was at 3556 Monroe Street, Tacoma, Mr. Ritchie and his wife had resided here for the past several months, or since the death of Mrs. Ritchie, who died in 1924. Before coming here Mr. Ritchie had worked for a Tacoma creamery company for fourteen years as a salesman. He was forced to give up his work some time ago because of an injured knee.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Bessie Ritchie of Winlock, as well as five sisters, one brother and five sisters, all of whom reside at the birthplace of deceased at Prince Edward Island, Canada.

Following the service at Tacoma, interment took place in Tacoma cemetery.

BIRTHS

PARK—At the Prince County Hospital, Wednesday, April 1, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Park, Wilmot Valley, a daughter.

HOWATT—At Tryon, P. E. I., March 31, 1936 to Mr. and Mrs. Heath Howatt, a daughter.

GAMBLE—At Westmoreland on March 28, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. Orion Gamble, a son, Orion Carl.

GOOD—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on April 3, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Good, City, a daughter.

ROBERTSON—At Kingsboro, Lot 47, Sunday, March 29, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. Alton R. Robertson, a daughter.

WOODGATE—At Montague Hospital on March 31, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. William Woodgate, Montague, a son. (Stillborn).