

Week's News Budget for Our Saturday Subscribers

MONDAY

REMOVED TO HOSPITAL—Mr. Jullum Bruce, M.L.A., Avondale, who has been ill during the past month, entered the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Friday. His friends hope for his speedy recovery.

WORD HAS BEEN received of the sudden death in Winnipeg on Saturday of Mr. Frank Attenborough. The late Mr. Attenborough was married to Miss Grace Hamilton of Summerside, sister of Mrs. J. A. Collins, Charlottetown.

IS SERIOUSLY ILL—His many friends will be sorry to learn that Mr. Charles Cuming, for many years chief engineer of the Steam Navigation Co.'s Steamers, is seriously ill. His sons have been summoned home, and are with him at present.

RETURNED TO BOSTON—Mrs. Edward L. Trainor, Boston, Mass., who had been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Power 219 Water St., for the past two months, left Friday morning on return to her home. She was accompanied as far as Saint John by her mother, and aunt, Mrs. William O. Davey.

FUNERAL OF MRS. HENRY AITKEN—The funeral of the late Mrs. Henry Aitken, held at 245 yesterday afternoon from her late residence on Longworth Avenue, was very largely attended. Rev. H. D. Raymond conducted the services at the house and at the grave. The pall-bearers were Messrs. W. E. Bentley, J. O. Hyndman, Dr. Pethick, Dr. J. S. Jenkins, Harry Winchester, and Hooper Horne. Interment was at the People's Cemetery.

INJURED IN FALL—Friends of Mr. E. R. Brow will regret to learn that he is confined to the Prince Edward Island Hospital as a result of injuries received when he fell in the street in Summerside on Friday. Mr. Brow will remain in the hospital for several days, as he received a very severe shaking up. He was taken to Charlottetown from Summerside Friday evening in an ambulance, and was subsequently removed to the hospital.

DEATH OF MR. ARTEMAS E. FARROW—The death occurred at his home in Central Bedouque last Thursday of Mr. Artemas Farrow at the age of 77 years. The deceased had resided in Bedouque all his life and was one of the district's most successful farmers. About nine years ago he sold his farm and lived quietly in Bedouque. The late Mr. Farrow was an ardent Conservative and in his younger days worked with unflinching zeal for his party. For many years he was the chairman of the Conservative Committee in Bedouque. He was a good friend and neighbour and was keenly interested in the welfare of the community. He was a member of the Baptist Church at Bedouque. There are left to mourn, his widow, formerly Miss Jane Schurman of Bedouque, and two daughters, Mrs. Walter Leard of Fernwood and Mrs. Alvin Sudbury of Cleveland, Ohio, to whom sincere sympathy is extended. Mr. Silas Farrow of Bedouque, is a brother of the deceased.—S.

TUESDAY—Sympathy is expressed for the family of Miss Tessie Perry, who passed away at her home in Misconche on Saturday after a lingering illness at the tender age of seventeen years. There are left to mourn besides her sorrowing parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Perry, several younger brothers and sisters to whom The Guardian extends sympathy. The funeral took place on Monday at 9 a. m. from the home to St. John the Baptist Church and Cemetery at Misconche, Rev. Dr. Monaghan officiating. S.

DEATH OF MRS. JOSEPH McDONALD—There passed away in the Prince County Hospital on Saturday night after an illness of only three weeks, Mrs. Joseph McDonald of Summerside. The deceased was formerly Miss McKinnon of New Annan and had lived at New Annan since her marriage until about a year ago when she removed with her husband and family to Summerside. Mrs. McDonald was a devoted wife and mother and will be sorely missed in the home. She was a faithful member of St. Paul's Church, Summerside, and had many friends. There are left to mourn besides her husband seven children, namely: Donald in Saskatchewan; Hubert, Sandy, Charles, Elizabeth, Mary and Patricia all at home, to whom the sincere sympathy of the community is extended in their sad loss. The funeral will take place on Wednesday morning at 9 a. m. from the home to St. Paul's Church and Cemetery. S.

NO DATE SET—No date has been set as yet for the inquest into the death of Percy Gay whose body was found on Oct. 20 last near Souris, the Provincial Police state, as there is a number of pressing matters on hand at the moment, and there are several cases pending.

MADE REMARKABLE RECOVERY—Mr. Johnny Perry, son of Mr. Stanley Perry of St. Nicholas, is expected to leave the Prince County Hospital in a few days completely recovered from three very serious operations. Mr. Perry has been in the hospital for ten weeks and for some time caused his family much concern. After three very skillful operations he is at last making headway. On leaving the hospital he will stay for a time with his aunt, Mrs. Mark Gaudet of Summerside. S.

WEDNESDAY

ARRIVED LAST EVENING—Mrs. Charles Dalton, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor Dalton arrived in the city last evening, from Brookline, Mass., accompanied by her daughter Mrs. Adolph Orpseff, and Master Jack little son of the latter.

DEEPLY REGRETTED ACCIDENT—A telegram Monday to Mr. D. B. Stewart from Los Angeles, California brought the sad news that Jessie, daughter of his niece, Mrs. Arthur G. Ligertwood, had been killed in an aeroplane accident at that place.

WEDDING BELLS—The marriage of Pauline W. Pinard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Pinard, of Atlantic Highlands, N.J., and Henry Freeman Baerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald F. Baerman, took place on Nov. 25th in the West Side Unitarian Church, New York City.

SAD NEWS RECEIVED—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Noonan of Summerside have received the sad news from Montreal that their daughter, Edna, (Mrs. Robert Morrison) is very ill in the Royal Victoria Hospital and little hopes are entertained for her recovery. It will be remembered that Mrs. Morrison was operated on some time ago and had returned to her home in Nevada, Quebec, and the doctors had great hopes for her recovery. But she was suddenly taken ill again last week. Her sisters, Mrs. Talmire and Miss Polly Noonan, R. N., are with her at the present time.—S.

INTERESTING WEDDING—A marriage of widespread interest took place on Dec. 11, 1930, at the residence of Prof. Dr. T. C. Cook, of Acadia University, Wolfville, N.S., when his sister, Rebecca Mae, and Mr. Wallace Everett Scantlebury were united in marriage by Rev. H. G. Mellick, D.D., in the presence of the members of the family. The groom is a popular young business man of Charlottetown, P.E.I. The bride is a daughter of Mr. T. L. Cook, prominent business man of Murray River, P. E. I. and of Mrs. Cook. She was for some time the efficient principal of the school and was a leader in the social life of that place. The bride was given away by her brother, Dr. Cook and Mrs. Cook played the Wedding March. After the ceremony, lunch was served and the happy young couple took the train for Halifax. The bride was gowned in a travelling dress of brown crepe with accessories to correspond. After the holiday season, they will sail for Europe on an extended trip.

RETURNS FROM ROAD CONVENTION—Mr. L. B. McMillan, deputy Minister of Public Works, returned recently from Memphis, Tenn., where he attended a convention of the American Asphalt Association and of the American Institute of Paving Technicians. The convention was attended by 500 delegates many informative papers being read on the subject of road paving. Discussing the subject with several of the delegates, Mr. McMillan was informed that the problem of paving roads of sand-clay soil is being grappled with in the United States. His inquiries were made with a view to ascertaining an economic method of asphalt road paving in this Province. Mr. McMillan expressed approval of the Canadian Good Roads Association's advocacy of a research bureau for economic road building similar to one existing in the United States. Mr. Charles A. Mullen, of the Milton Hersey Company, whose series of articles in The Guardian last August suggesting the possibility of economic asphalt road paving in this Province will be recalled, was elected president of the American Institute of Paving Technicians for the coming year.

When boiling rice add a teaspoon of lemon juice to a quart of water. Rice will cook very white and grains separated when it is boiled.

THURSDAY

FUNERAL YESTERDAY—The funeral of the late James Cullen was held yesterday morning from his late residence 3 Hillsboro Street to St. Dunstan's Basilica where a Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. George McDonald. The pall bearers were: Messrs Patrick Dennis, J. B. Fleming, Wm. Cameron, Robert N. McNeill, D. J. McDonald and James Lappin. Service at the grave was conducted by Rev. C. McCarthy.

GOOD SLEIGHING—Good roads for travel by sleigh are at present reported general throughout the province. While cars are running on all streets of the City, motor traffic is difficult in most rural sections, although a few cars are reported to have negotiated the distance between Charlottetown and Summerside. Another snowstorm should suffice to make travel by car impossible on the country districts.

FUNERAL OF MR. HENRY SPEARS—The funeral of Mr. Henry Spears of Summerside was held on Tuesday afternoon from Mr. P. L. Bowness' Funeral Parlor to the People's Cemetery. Rev. Archdeacon White, D.D., officiating. Among those attending the funeral were Mrs. Lettewell and her son from Bloomfield. The pall bearers were Messrs. George Bowness, Reigh Tinney, George McCallum, H. H. Lefurgey, William Clark and P. J. E. Wright.—S.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MARY JANE ADAMS—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Jane Adams took place on Monday from her home to the Presbyterian Church at Kensington, Rev. D. L. Griffiths officiating. Interment was in the Malpeque Cemetery. The late Mrs. Adams was formerly Miss Mary Jane Cousins and married Mr. Frank Adams, of Sea View. After her husband's death, about twenty years ago, she lived for awhile in Indian River, but removed later to Kensington, where she resided until her death. She leaves to mourn, one daughter, Ethel, Mrs. Dockendorff, to whom sympathy is expressed.—S.

FUNERAL SERVICES—The funeral of the late Artemas E. Farrow, of Bedouque, was held on Sunday afternoon and was very largely attended by friends from Summerside and other parts of the Province. There was a short service at the house followed by a service in the Baptist Church. Rev. Mr. Crowe officiating. A male quartette composed of Messrs. J. B. Lewis, J. Lidstone, Covey Lewis and Howatt Selurman rendered two appropriate hymns. Mr. J. B. Lewis also sang very effectively "Shadows." The pall bearers were Messrs. William Calbeck, Leonard Schurman, George Taylor, John Stewart, John Frizzell and Rufus Bagnall. Interment was in the Baptist Cemetery at Bedouque.—S.

FRIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Leo French, Everett, Mass., have returned to their native province, having purchased a farm in Sturgeon, P. E. I. They were met at Tormentine by Mrs. French's mother and brother, Mrs. Edward Champion and Mr. Ansel Champion, Darnley.

At Mermaid, Lot 48, P. E. Island, on October 7, 1930, Neil MacEachern, a respected resident, passed away at the advanced age of 90 years. He was a son of the late Alexander MacEachern, who was a native of the Isle of Skye, and Isabella Henderson his wife, and was one of a large family. He is survived by one brother, Joseph MacEachern, of the Pacific coast. Mr. MacEachern married Miss Elizabeth Boyce, who predeceased him. His two sons, George and Joseph, occupy adjoining farms at Mermaid, one daughter, Melinda, wife of Nicholas Jenkins, of Mount Abion, passed away some years ago. Mr. MacEachern was an industrious farmer and with his family had built up a fine homestead. Many shared the hospitality of their home and partook of the true friendship of their household. Like his father, he was a member of the Church of Scotland. He was strong in his convictions and fearless in his denunciation of everything that did not agree with his conception of righteousness. We would have wished that he had taken a more active part in the affairs and work of the Church, for he was a man of good understanding and excellent memory; we feel, however, that his individual work and influence in warnings and exhortations have left their impression upon many. With wonderful insight he often predicted the downfall of enterprise in which he could detect an irreligious motive. He had suffered from weakness during the past summer and at the time already mentioned, passed peacefully away to enter into the fulness of that which he had so dearly feared. "The love of God in Christ Jesus Our Lord." His

family and their children as well as all friends and neighbors feel the loss of a good counselor and sympathetic friend.

The funeral took place on Thursday, October 9th, to Mermaid cemetery and was very largely attended. The services were conducted at the house and grave by Rev. Ewen MacDougall, of Charlottetown. The pall bearers were his nephews, Perley Drake, Wallace Drake, George B. MacEachern, Uzdah Boyce, Stewart MacEachern, and W. Scott Cairns.

AUCTION FORTY-FIVES—A very successful card party was enjoyed by members of the Curling Club at Summerside Curling Rink on Tuesday evening. Twelve tables of auction forty-fives were in play, the lucky prize winners were first, George A. Smallman; Consolation, H. T. Holman, Jack McPherson was the winner of the prize for the lucky score card.—S.

A large audience listened with delight to the concert given by the "Trail Builders' Mission Band of Trinity United Church in Hearts Memorial Hall last night. A considerable company of little ones, from three to twelve years of age, took part, rendering choruses, recitations, drills, etc., in a manner reflecting the greatest credit on Miss Mabel Newcome, Superintendent, and her corps of faithful helpers.

WINS ESSAY PRIZE—Malcolm Reeves, a pupil of Cross Roads School, Lot 48, has been successful in winning the prize awarded for the best essay written in connection with the "Improvement of school grounds" competition, for the year 1930. This prize of five dollars has been awarded annually by the Canadian Horticultural Society, and is open to all schools in the province, which have entered in the above competition.

COMPLETION OF P.W.C. EXAMINATIONS—The final set of Christmas examinations at Prince of Wales College will be written today by the second and third year students. The first year students completed their work for the term yesterday, and received the results of the examinations, just written. Many departed in the afternoon for their respective homes. Former students of "old Prince of Wales" will appreciate the relief with which the present generation of collegians hail the people from the recent weeks of hard study, and the usual cramming in preparation for the semi-annual tests.

THE CABOT TOWER, Captain Ernest Wells, the last boat to leave Montreal for this season arrived in Charlottetown Wednesday. She brought the two pilots here and sent them back by train this morning as there was too much ice when they reached Father Point to send them back from there. Between Father Point and Charlottetown Captain Wells encountered between 60 and 70 miles of ice. At West Point, Right bank and Esplanade the lights were out and the Cabot Tower was obliged to anchor out till daylight. She will be loading general cargo and leaves this afternoon for Newfoundland. This will likely be the last cargo to leave the Island. For the past 15 years Capt. Wells with the Cabot Tower, has been the last boat to leave Montreal.

MONTHLY MEETING OF CANADIAN LEGION—At the regular monthly meeting of the Charlottetown Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. held last night in the Legion Home, a very interesting address was given by Comrade J. P. Hillon on "How the Great War Arose." This paper, a full report of which will appear later, was very interesting to the audience. At the conclusion of the address, Comrade Dr. Goodwill expressed his appreciation and moved a vote of thanks. This was seconded by Comrade Finney and conveyed to the speaker by Comrade Pres. J. A. LeBlond. A much enjoyed Sing Song led by Comrade A. G. Bruce with Comrade Fielding at the piano followed. Comrade Goodwill gave notice of a meeting of certain changes in the By-laws, notably those regarding date of monthly and annual meetings. Monthly meetings to be held on 4th Thursday of each month, instead of 4th Friday as at present to avoid conflicting with hockey matches. Annual meeting to be held in September, instead of October, on account of the close proximity of Armistice. Discussion on matters relating to Pensions Act, Allen Labour and Employment followed, in which many comrades participated. The following were received as new members: Comrades Allen J. MacDonald, W. Lund, C. E. Hickey, Russel MacGregor, Dr. L. B. McKenna, P. C. Brown, Chas. H. Lewis, Fred A. Bunch, Martha, closed with "The King."

Mr. Joseph Clinton's many friends are welcoming him back to Souris, after having spent the last year in Boston. It is understood that Mr. Clinton is remaining home for the winter months.

Miss Elizabeth MacDonald has returned to her home in Souris, after having spent a few weeks holiday in Charlottetown.

HEARING CONCLUDED—The hearing in the case of the King vs. Griffin, which concluded yesterday afternoon resulted in the acquittal of the accused, Griffin, from a charge of indecent assault. The case was tried before Magistrate D. E. Shaw. Mr. Mark McGuigan appeared for the Crown and Messrs. J. J. Johnstone, K.C., and R. R. Bell for the accused.

RACING CLUB OFFICIALS—The Stanley Bridge Racing Club held their annual meeting for re-organization, Saturday evening, President Frank Bell occupied the chair and was re-elected president for the ensuing year. Thomas Bulger, Vice-President; Walter Wigmore, Secretary. The Executive Committee of James Reid, Harold Mayhew, D. J. McLeod, were also re-elected, as was the speed committee of last year. The accounts were submitted, showing a balance over forty dollars in favour of the club. A new up-to-date judge's stand is to be built and racing resumed whenever ice will permit.

Mr. Henry Spears who passed away last Sunday in the Prince County Hospital has left in his will \$16,000 to the Protestant Orphanage and \$10,000 to the Catholic Orphanage which are both situated in Charlottetown.

A life interest in the residence of his estate goes to Mrs. Mandy Luttrell of Roseville, P. E. I. On Mrs. Luttrell's death the balance of his estate is to be divided equally between the two orphanages. His jewelry is left to Mrs. Luttrell.

Mr. H. T. Holman and Mr. B. S. Leacon are the executives of the will. The full value of the estate has not been proved yet.

The late Henry Spears was a native of England but left there when only thirteen years of age. In his wandering life on the sea he came to Prince Edward Island when about nineteen years old. There he found a friend in Mrs. Luttrell. For many years he lived in the United States but came again to the home of his nooption about seventeen years ago.

Two years ago he took a trip to England to try and find his mother and sister but could not find them. Mr. Spears, always a friend of children and having no relatives, very generously left it to the orphans of Prince Edward Island.—S.

There passed away at his late residence Mount Stewart on Wednesday, Nov. 12, Mr. John MacDonald. The second son of the late Donald (Allister) and Perpetua MacDonald of Blooming Point, at the advanced age of eighty two years.

Death was due to paralysis to which he succumbed after an illness of about three weeks.

When a young man Mr. MacDonald moved to Mount Stewart and for a period of almost half a century conducted a tailoring establishment there, where he gained the confidence and esteem of a large section of the public, who will regret his passing.

In religion, Mr. MacDonald was a Catholic and attended St. Andrew's Church where his funeral on Friday Nov. 14, was held, and very largely attended. A High Mass of Requiem was sung by the pastor, Rev. A. P. McLellan, who also administered the last sacraments to the deceased during his illness. After the final absolution the remains of a kindly gentleman, loved and respected by all in the community, were laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. He leaves to mourn a sorrowing widow (formerly Mary E. McIntyre of Savage Harbor) and one son, William J. of the Department of National Revenue Ottawa, who was present during his father's illness and death. Two brothers James B. and Joseph A. of Bloomington Point are also left to mourn.

Mass cards, spiritual offerings and messages of sympathy were received from many relatives and friends in this province, Massachusetts, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Ottawa, Ont. May His Soul Rest in Peace.

At the regular assembly of Prince Edward Preceptory No. 33 Knights Templar held on Wednesday evening at the Masonic Hall, the work for the year was reviewed, and the affairs of the Preceptory were satisfactorily concluded. A large number of the 32° K. T.'s were present, as well as a number of Past Preceptors,

also Rt. Em. Sir K. T. V. L. Goodwill, Provincial Grand Prior, of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, who, after the regular business of the Preceptory, installed into their respective offices, the officers for the ensuing year. The officers are as following:

President, Preceptor, Sir K. T. F. Hearn.
Imm. Past Preceptor, Em. Sir K. T. B. C. VanDerstine.
Constable, Sir K. T. L. A. M. McDougall.
Marshall, Sir K. T. C. M. Williams.
Chaplain, T. G. Ives.
Registrar, Em. Sir K. T. E. Kemp.
Treasurer, Em. Sir K. T. W. T. Drake.
Sub. Marshall, Em. Sir K. T. L. McDonald.
Capt. of the Guard, Em. Sir K. T. B. G. Acorn.
Almoner, Sir K. T. A. E. Tomlins.
1st Standard Bearer, Sir K. T. W. Hogg.
2nd Standard Bearer, Sir K. T. T. W. Bentley.
Sword Bearer, Em. Sir K. T. J. A. Williams.
Guard, Sir K. T. S. B. French.

A notable feature in connection with K. T. work in Canada, is its care and attention of orphan children. The Sovereign Great Priory of Canada itself, maintains its own homes. Besides this, the members of the local Charlottetown Preceptory, have, since the inception of the orphanage at Mt. Herbert, made a yearly pilgrimage on Christmas day to that institution and dispensed good cheer to the kiddies and staff. This yearly event is looked forward to by the members, with as much anticipation and pleasure as the recipients do at receiving their generous bounty.

The annual meeting of the W. M. Society of Darnley and Sea View was held at the home of Mrs. Edwin Donald Saturday afternoon, Dec. 6. The meeting opened with the President in the chair. After the regular devotional period a life membership certificate was presented to Mrs. George Brander, Mrs. Edward MacKay took the chair during the election of officers. President, Miss Mary MacNutt (re-elected); Vice President, Mrs. Frank MacKay; Secretary, Mrs. Colin Donald; Treasurer, Mrs. Edwin Donald (re-elected). Meeting closed with sentence prayers and hymn "Jesus shall reign."

On Sunday, Dec. 14th, the services in Princetown United Church were of a very special nature. Both morning and evening services were set aside as memorial services, due to a presentation of memorial rooms fitted and furnished especially for young people's work by F. J. and Mrs. Lockerby in memory of their son Earle J. Lockerby, and all the other boys from Princetown congregation who also gave their lives in the Great War. At both services there were present with the pastor Rev. E. M. Aitken, Rev. Dr. Clarence MacKinnon of Pine Hill Divinity Hall, Halifax, and Rev. B. C. Salter, B. A., of St. Paul's United Church, Sussex, N. E.

At the morning service Rev. Mr. Salter told in a most movingly interesting and effective way the story of his comradeship with Earl Lockerby, of their meeting at college, of their becoming friends, of their existing together, of their going over to France, of their transfer from the Cycle Corps to the 2nd Battalion, of their comradeship in the trenches until the day came that brought the attack from which Earle did not return.

After the service of worship, the donor, Mr. Lockerby, came forward and presented to the pastor on behalf of the congregation the gift and trust. At the time appointed a row of the flags of the Allies that draped the large folding doors that open the remains into the main auditorium were drawn aside by Ernest and Lloyd Lockerby, brother and nephew of the fallen hero, and the memorial was dedicated by Dr. MacKinnon. The ceremony throughout was exceedingly impressive and will long be remembered by those who were present.

The memorial tablet to be placed in the rooms will bear the following inscription:

"These rooms were prepared and furnished by F. J. and Mrs. Lockerby in memory of their son Earle Lockerby, student for the Christian Ministry, and in honor of all the other boys from Princetown congregation who also made the supreme sacrifice in the world war of 1914-1918."

At the evening service the pastor was assisted in the service of worship by Rev. Mr. Salter, who read the scripture lesson and led in prayer. The sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. MacKinnon, who took as his text Ephesians 4-12 "For the work of the Ministry." In his usual forceful style of his logic and oratory to this

mountain peak on which the writer of Ephesians stood as he saw the place to be filled and the purpose to be accomplished by the Christian minister—the man who is mapping out the course of life from the word of God as the captain maps out the course of the ship from the chart before him. The minister is the man at centre, the vital control of life. He appealed for a more universal recognition of the spiritual in life and a fuller consecration to those things which are the most worth while.

The music at both service was of a special nature under the capable direction of the organist Mrs. James Campbell.

The following is the programme:

Morning
Preludes, "Largo," Handel; "Traumerel," Schumann.
Offertory "Slumber Song," Nevin
Anthem, "Far Away," Choir.
Postlude, "Deed March" from Saul, Handel.

Evening
Preludes, "Twilight Devotion," S. B. Peace; "La Chanson," Hoffman.
Solo, "Just for Today," Seaver; Mr. Ewen Nicholson.
Quartette, "Looking Beyond," Mrs. Preston Kennedy, Mrs. Harold Laird, Mr. Roscoe Walker, Mr. Harold Laird.
Offertory, Sextet from "Lucia," Donizetti.
Anthem, "On Jordan's Stormy Banks," choir, Bowdesh.
Postlude, Marche Brillante, Lowden.

(Canadian Press)
MONTREAL, Dec. 18.—P. E. I. Potatoes of the green mountain variety appeared on the vegetable market during the past week in 15lb sacks and met a good demand. These potatoes are of excellent quality and meet the demands of many purchasers, who buy all their food stuff in small quantities, which has become the popular method of shipping in recent years.

(Special to the Guardian)
OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—The proposed Australian-Canadian trade agreement to be made public tomorrow contains much more favorable automobile lumber schedules for Canada than in the existing treaty. Lumber schedules are especially favorable to Canada in competition with the United States in the Australian market.

Canada already has a preference on newspaper and this preference is extended to wood pulp kraft paper and fruit wrapping paper. No change is made in the agricultural implement schedules.

Under the new agreement Canada imposes a duty of eight cents per pound on Australian butter. If, however, the combined Australian price and the Canadian duty of eight cents per pound is below 32 cents, the duty increases to stabilize the minimum import price at 32 cents. There are other changes and all with the object of replacing foreign products in the Australian and Canadian markets with Dominion products. The agreement must be ratified by Parliaments of both countries before coming into effect.

LIEGE, Belgium, Dec. 18.—The population of the Liege district today became highly alarmed at the appearance of a dense fog, fearing a recurrence of the recent mysterious epidemic which killed more than three score persons.

Many families of Engls. Jeanette Augree and Seraitus prepared to move from the valley to the neighboring heights, and those suffering from asthma or other respiratory affections hurried especially to evacuate the lower places.

They were all the more anxious to leave since the news spread that post-mortem examinations of the previous victims and scientific investigations of the tragedy had not been able to fix definite blame for the deaths.

When disaster first overwhelmed the valley, killing both human beings and livestock, it was feared that buried stores of German war gas had been disturbed or that noxious fumes from industrial plants had permeated the thick mist and paralyzed the respiratory organs of the victims.

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future, thus enabling the Government to make definite conclusions and suggest appropriate legislation for protecting persons who live in great industrial areas.

One reason for today's fear is the fact that many persons have not recovered from the previous attack. At Engis alone nearly 100 persons still are under medical attention.

BIRTHS

STEWART—At Montague, Wednesday, December 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stewart, a daughter.

SAUNDERS—In this city, Dec. 11, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Saunders a son, (Everett Frederick).

MACLEAN—At Darlington, on Dec. 16, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Dan A. MacLean, a son.

MUNN—At the P. E. I. Hospital, Dec. 16, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Munn, a daughter.

ROSS—At P. E. I. Hospital, Dec. 17, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ross, a son.

COOK—At P. E. I. Hospital, Dec. 17, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. John Cook, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

WEST—GRATZ—In the Episcopal Church, New York, on Dec. 9, 1930, by Rev. Dr. Randolph Ray, Bernice Delemer, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Lovette West, to Dr. C. M. Gratz, son of Rev. H. G. Gratz and Mrs. Gratz, Sunnyslope, Alta.

PARSONS—PIGDEON—At St. Mary's Rectory, Summerside, P.E.I., on Nov. 19, 1930, by the Rector, H. R. Coleman, of Port Hill, Robert Elmer Parsons, of Millvale, to Millie Jane Pigdeon, of Park Corner.

WHITE—MACLEOD—At the Rectory, Kensington, on Nov. 19, 1930, by Rev. G. T. Spriggs, Ernest Reagh White, Charlottetown, to Hazel Emily MacLeod, Brookfield.

DEATHS

CHAISSON—In this city, Dec. 18, Arthur Chaisson, aged 30.

FARRELL—At Sturgeon, Dec. 14, 1930, Mrs. James Farrell, aged 62 years.

MACDONALD—At Labour Hill, December 17th, Mrs. James A. MacDonald, sister of the late Rev. Plus MacDonald.

MACDONALD—At Wheatley River Dec. 16, Mrs. John MacDonald.

STEWART—At Brookfield, Dec. 10, 1930, Alexander Stewart, aged 75.

TOOMBS—On Tuesday, Dec. 16th, Lorenzo B. Toombs.

CULLEN—In this city, Dec. 14, 1930, James F. Cullen at his residence, 3 Hillsboro St.

HYDE—At the P. E. I. Hospital, Monday, Dec. 15, Laura May Hyde, aged 62 years.

CHAPPEL—At Braganbair on Dec. 13, Mrs. R. Chappel.

CAMPBELL—Died at Johnstons River, Dec. 13, Augustus A. Campbell, aged 81.

FARQUHARSON—On Saturday, Dec. 13th, Sampson Farquharson.

ADAMS—At Kensington, Mary Ann Adams, aged 78 years.

SPEARS—At the Prince County Hospital, December 14th, Harry Spears.

WRIGHT—At his home on Pannure Island, Dec. 16, 1930, John A. Wright, aged 24 years, 16 months.