

Transportation Ass'n Of Potato Shippers Mooted

A number of the potato shippers of the Province yesterday afternoon met with Premier Jones, Hon. W. F. A. Stewart and Hon. G. H. Barbour in the Legislative Chamber to discuss mutual transportation problems.

CRITICAL OF

Being the Russian and American statements, saying: "Before the United States Government received a reply from the Soviet Government, publication was made through the Tass agency, while that diplomatic usage goes on, the clearing of the ground for an understanding is almost impossible."

NURSES GRADUATION

(Continued from Page 1)

the piano, and taking their seats on a platform, gaily decorated with flowers and the class colors of pink and gold, with a large hospital insignia and motto in the background.

Following the procession, the chairman made his opening address, and on behalf of the Sisters and staff of the hospital, offered a sincere and cordial welcome to all present. It was, he said, an inspiring sight to see such a large supporting audience. He also commended the splendid moral and financial support that is always given so readily to the hospitals by the people of this Province.

Dr. MacMillan congratulated the nurses on their reaching the end of a successful training period, and wished them every success and happiness for the future. He spoke of the new nurses' home which has been built at the Prince Edward Island Hospital and the new wing of the City Hospital, which is now under construction; also of the skilled and competent staffs in hospitals throughout the Province and of the care and treatment received by the patients. In closing he spoke of the hard work and study the nurses had to go through during their training period, and complimented the hospital staff and the parents, in contributing to the success of the graduates.

ADDRESS TO GRADUATES

The value of true Christian principles in the lives of every citizen of Canada was emphasized by Dr. F. A. MacMillan in addressing the graduating nurses last evening.

Congratulating the graduates on passing this important milestone in their career, he warned that the journey ahead comprised "many steep hills and sharp descents, and here and there dangerous curves and perilous intersections." The problems to which he referred were something more than just the ordinary ones connected with private and professional life. He recalled the ominous signals of another world conflict, and the moral obligation of every Canadian to contribute everything in his and her power to establish peace on a permanent basis.

"How can we as individuals contribute to this objective?" Dr. MacMillan asked. "Let us reflect for a moment on the Hitler Youth Movement during the Nazi regime in Germany, not from the point of view of whether its basic philosophy was right or wrong—we know it was wrong—but from the point of view of its effectiveness. In the short space of approximately ten years this movement to fashion German youth in an atheistic and materialistic design shook the world to such an extent that we were plunged into a world affliction which we could very well have lived on many occasions except for that abstract thing we call 'faith.' But 'right' will always conquer over 'wrong' and to me this last conflict with all its misery and suffering was meant to teach us just that lesson."

One Sure Method

"As a result there seems to be just one sure way to establish a true and lasting peace, and that is by eliminating that which is wrong and by concentrating on a movement designed to teach our youth only that which is right. In other words, speaking generally, we are allowing too big a gap to exist between faith and science. We teach our youth more than we ever have before how to make a living, which is indeed much to our credit, but we teach them little or nothing on how to live in complete harmony with our fellow-men, which is equally important."

"We speak of religion and education as if they were separate and distinct entities with no relationship one to the other, when in truth religion is an actual part, or should be, of any educational system. Faith and science always have and always will emanate from the same source, and why should we as God's creatures attempt to divide these two sources of harnessable energy which He has given us, when they were meant to go hand in hand in a world that is only a stepping stone to Eternity."

"Yes, we do indeed live in an age of scientific plethora but unfortunately in an age of spiritual anemia, and until such time as we realize this fact and take the necessary steps to have legislation enacted to teach the youth of today the destructive features of atheistic materialism we cannot expect a democratic peoples to ever establish a true or a lasting peace."

"We have been fortunate in this Island Province of ours that Christianity has always been an essential factor in the lives of our citizens."

Tribute To Chairman

"Tonight I would like to pay a tribute to one of the finest Christian gentlemen and one of the most outstanding citizens the Island has ever produced—The Hon. Sir William Joseph Parnell MacMillan, our distinguished chairman. For the past forty years he has been a member of the Medical Staff of the Charlottetown Hospital and

City Hospital Graduating Class



Pictured above are the nurses who received their diplomas at the Graduation Exercises of the Charlottetown Hospital School of Nursing held at the Whelan Memorial Hall last evening. Front row, left to right (sitting): Kathleen Reid, Hope River; Loretta Trainor, Charlottetown; Eileen Walsh, East Royalty; Merrill Meurant, Souris. Back row, left to right (standing): Genevieve Macdonald,

for the past nineteen years he has been the President of that Staff. I can assure you that from the time of his first association with the hospital he has given untiringly and unselfishly of his time and energy to the advancement of the hospital to its present position of a first class and up-to-date treatment centre.

"Under his capable direction classes such as we have before us tonight are graduated yearly, classes that have always been of an outstanding calibre in the nursing profession. But his energy, which seems to be limitless, was not devoted only to his profession or to his hospital, it was spent wherever the need arose in this community which he served so well. For his outstanding work in this community he has been twice honored in the past four years by two of the greatest reigning sovereigns in the world today. Four years ago His Majesty the King of England honored him by making him an Officer of the British Empire. This year His Majesty the King of the Papal States, His Holiness the Pope, singularly honored him by making him a Knight Gregory of the Great. I would like to take this opportunity publicly, on behalf of your medical staff, to offer you our hearty congratulations, and in so doing I feel that I am also expressing the sentiments of the board of directors, the board of management, the sisters and nursing staff of the Charlottetown Hospital."

Parents and Teachers

Addressing the graduates directly, the speaker told them they had been particularly fortunate, "first because you have good parents, and second because you have had good teachers. Nothing has been spared to give you all the armament you need to meet the obstacles in that chaotic world whose picture I tried to paint for you this evening. That armament could not have been given to you except for the sacrifices of your parents and for the noble efforts to fulfill that sacred trust delegated by them to the good sisters of the Charlottetown Hospital. To both of them you owe much in the way of gratitude."

"As a parting word to you I would caution you that as of tonight you will be, so to speak, dual personalities. First you will be citizens, second you will be members of a truly noble and great profession. As citizens you will owe a duty, first to God to live according to his Holy Law, secondly to the State to live according to its laws in so far as they are in conformity with the law of God, and thirdly to your neighbor to love him and to always be Christian in your dealings with him. To your profession you also owe a duty and I do not think that I could better express that duty than by repeating for you the words of your beloved founder, Florence Nightingale, in her solemn pledge."

"I solemnly pledge myself before God and in the presence of this assembly: 'To pass my life in purity and to practice my profession faithfully. I will abstain from whatever is deleterious and mischievous and will not take or knowingly administer any harmful drug. I will do all in my power to elevate the standard of my profession, and will hold in confidence all personal matters committed to

my keeping, and all family affairs coming to my knowledge in the practice of my profession. 'With loyalty will I endeavor to aid the physician in his work, and devote myself to the welfare of those committed to my care.' God's speed to you all. Following Dr. MacMillan's address, a fine violin selection entitled "Broken Melody" was rendered by Mr. Alfred MacKeeney, after which a splendid valedictory address was given by Miss Mary E.O. Macdonald.

Blooming Point; Teresa Trainor, Charlottetown; Agatha Arsenault, St. Nicholas; Teresa Macdonald, Panmore Island; Mary C. Macdonald, Blooming Point. Sister Anne Celestine, Mount St. Mary's, who also received her diploma is not included in the above photo.

(Photo by Saunders)

Civic Officials Visit S'ide, Inspect New Bus Terminal There

A number of City Councillors, city officials and citizens of Charlottetown were guests of the Town of Summerside yesterday afternoon and evening at a series of functions which included a reception at the Town Hall, a tour of the Town and a dinner at Copley's Restaurant. The trip was originally planned by the Island Motor Transport Ltd. to give the City Councillors the opportunity of inspecting the new bus terminal in Summerside. When Mayor Arnett heard the visit was planned he immediately made arrangements to tender civic hospitality to the official visitors from the Capital City. Those in the party included Councillors C. M. Cox, Peter Holland, Samuel Doyle and Edwin Johnstone, James Fullerton, City Clerk; H. A. Messervy, City Engineer; Earle Taylor and Walter Hyndman of the City Planning Board; W. A. Gaudet of the Patriotic; Ray Stull, Island manager of the I. M. T.; Miss Mary McQuaid, assistant City Clerk; B. Graham Rogers and Wm. Brennan.

The visiting party arrived at 3 o'clock and after inspecting the bus terminal were taken to the Council Chamber of the Town Hall where Mayor Arnett tendered an official welcome. He said the occasion was unique in that it was the first time that Summerside had been visited by a party of this nature.

P.E.I. Graduates At Dalhousie

The convocation of Dalhousie University on Tuesday, at which Miss Dorothy Cullen, Charlottetown, was awarded the Avery Prize as First Distinction Graduate, saw also the graduation of seven Prince Edward Islanders in medicine and surgery and two in dental surgery. Following is the complete list of Island graduates: Bachelor of Arts: Dorothy Agnes Cullen, Charlottetown; Aleah Henderson Palmer, Summerside; Robert David Willet, Summerside. Bachelor of Science: Mary Alberta Bryant, Charlottetown; William Dudley Leonard Sherren, Charlottetown. Bachelor of Commerce: John Rowland Rogers, Charlottetown. Bachelor of Laws: Gerard Raymond Foster, Charlottetown. Doctor of Medicine and Master of Surgery: Lloyd Sharp Allen, Summerside; Lorne Houston Eudett, Dundas Centre; Lloyd Sutherland Cox, Morrell; Marcus Allison Deacon, Freetown; Allison Lee-Saunders, Charlottetown; Walter Maynard Shaw, Clyde River; Pius Manning Walker Sigsworth, Newport. (The latter won the Halifax Infirmary Award). Doctor of Dental Surgery: Omond Edward Dalton, B.S.C., Summerside; William Archibald MacMurdo, Summerside.

FORMER FEDERAL

He signed the agreement which instituted old-age pensions to Ontario. He was born in Tullaree, County Down, Ireland, Feb. 19, 1875, but at an early age moved with his parents to Worthington in Northern England, where he was educated. He learned the trade of locomotive engineer there and soon after received his certificate to go to Costa Rica. Fever finally drove him from that Central American country and he returned to England. In 1902, at the age of 27, he came to Canada and settled at Kenora, Ont., continuing to work as an engineer. He was elected to the Ontario Legislature in 1919 and was re-elected in 1923. In 1925, he resigned his Legislature seat to accept nomination as a Liberal-Labor candidate for the House of Commons. He was elected that year and was appointed Labor Minister in a MacKenzie King Cabinet in 1937.

Royal Salute Fired At Victoria Park

A Royal Salute of 21 guns was fired by 114 L.A.A. Coy, R.C.A., at noon yesterday to commemorate the anniversary of the Coronation of His Majesty King George VI. The saluting Battery was stationed at Victoria Park and was under command of Major C. D. Ives. Capt. D. J. McCormack was in charge of the guns and the following members of the administration and training staff assisted, Capt. C. D. R. Rands, Staff Sergeant P. W. McGrath, Sgt. D. A. Moreside and Gnr. S. R. McCabe. The gun detachments consisted of the following personnel: No. 1 Gun—Sgt. R. J. Burke, Gnr. L. J. Rogers, Gnr. L. J. Dolron and Gnr. J. Vissey. No. 2 Gun—Bdr. A. R. Dalziel, Bdr. W. C. MacDonald, Bdr. W. A. Rogers and Gnr. M. V. Beagan. Lt. Col. R. D. MacNeill was the Medical Officer in attendance.

CENTRAL GUARDIAN

This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a new nature may be inserted at five cents a word strictly payable in advance. COOK'S for Photographs. RUMMAGE SALE Holy Name Hall, Friday, 3 o'clock. FREE DISPENSARY Annual collection beginning May 15th. Please be generous. NEW PLANE FOR M. C. A.—The new Stinson Voyager on floats, the property of Maritime Central Airways, landed yesterday morning a short distance off Carville's wharf. This plane will immediately replace the other Stinson which has been doing Forest Patrol of New Brunswick since May 1st.

Provincial C.W.L. Executive Meets

A meeting of the executive of the C.W.L. Provincial Council was held on Monday, May 10th, at 1:30 p.m. in the League Hall, Charlottetown. Mrs. Henry Trainor, Provincial president, presided, and recited prayer in the unavoidable absence of the Provincial Director, Rev. Francis McQuaid. Minutes of the previous executive meeting held January 30th, were read by the executive secretary, Miss Elsie Gillis and approved as was the report of the treasurer, Miss Gertrude Coady. Correspondence received by the president and read by the secretary, Mrs. S. Trainor included letters from the national president, Mrs. W. J. Dundin; the national laws convener, Miss Ishbel Hutton; Dr. G. J. Wherrett, executive secretary, Canadian T. B. Association; Hon. Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan, K.O.S.G. appreciation of congratulations re Papal honor; Mrs. J. A. Hanway (Maritime) convener of immigration, and L. J. McDonald, D.F.A. (C.N.R.). Of special interest was the announcement from national headquarters that Miss Katherine Sheridan has been appointed national executive secretary and editor of "The Canadian League". Since the retirement and subsequent death of the former secretary and editor, Mrs. Elizabeth Glennon, the business at national office has been carried on under the direction of the national president, Mrs. W. J. Dundin.

ASK REPRESENTATION

Members of the Council of the Charlottetown Board of Trade, headed by the president, Mr. F. W. Curtis, waited on Premier Jones yesterday to request that the Province send a representative to the International Trade Fair which meets at Toronto from May 31 to June 12. The Premier, who expressed sympathy with the request, told the delegation he would consult his Ministers concerning the matter.

ICE PATROL CONTINUES

A field of drift ice 5 to 20 miles wide and 35 miles long was sighted yesterday about 20 miles off Sydney, Capt. Angus Brown, observer for the Department of Transport, reported after an aerial patrol. Because of the field it is possible another patrol will be made before the service is discontinued. No ice remains inside the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Once the patrol is completed Capt. Brown will rejoin his ship, the C. G. S. Braith of which he is first officer.

WEDDING BELLS

A very pretty double wedding ring ceremony took place at the Army Citadel on the evening of April 27th, when Miss Velda Caroline Walker, became the bride of Mr. Bruce Condie Chandler. The bride looked charming in a powder blue crepe dress with hat and accessories to match, and carried a bouquet of American Beauty Roses. She was attended by Miss Eva MacFadyen who wore a rose colored jersey with hat and accessories to match and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The groom was ably supported by his brother, Mr. Ted Chandler. The bride was given in marriage by her brother Mr. Leigh Walker. The ceremony was performed by Major MacLean, the church being very beautifully decorated in silver and white. The bride entered the church to the strains of "Here Comes The Bride" played on the piano by Mrs. Major MacLean. During the signing of the Register, Mrs. Sidney Clay sang very beautifully "I Love You Truly." The bride's gift to the bridesmaid was a gold brooch, and to Mrs. W. J. P. MacMillan a gold necklace and bracelet. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold pendant and chain, and to the groomsmen a gold tie pin and cufflinks to match. The ushers were Russell Downe and Robert Chandler. The bride is a graduate of the Provincial Infirmary and has returned to her responsible position after one week's holidays. The wedding reception was held at the home of the groom, 72 Douglas St., where quite a number of guests were entertained. The many friends of the popular bride and groom wish them many happy years of wedded life.

WITNESSES

(Continued from Page 1) fired, Smith declared. Keith Millett also claimed he saw Godfrey fire the shot and afterwards "I had to knock him down to get the gun away." Earlier evidence by several witnesses had disclosed the men had been on a prolonged drinking bout the night before the killing and there had been a fist fight between Godfrey and Crowell in which the older man had drawn blood. Defence counsel George C. Nowland gave notice that the accused would take the stand when the trial resumes tomorrow. Dr. Robert O. Jones, a Halifax psychiatrist, also will be called as witness tomorrow and it is believed the defence will plead insanity.

GRAND ORANGE

(Continued from Page 1) The annual C.W.L. diocesan prizes for education were voted as follows: Ten dollars to St. Dunstan's University; ten dollars to Prince of Wales College; five dollars to each of the following high schools: Tignish, Miscouche, Kinkora, Charlottetown and Souris. In accordance with the "crusade for good reading", the placing of approved books in libraries has been inaugurated, and sub-divisions are being supplied with lists of books. Officers Elected: Officers for the incoming year are as follows: R.W.G.M. Colin D. McPhail, Meadowbank. R.W. Deputy G.M.—G. Arthur Cudmore, Charlottetown. Jr. Deputy G.M.—George Docherty, Pnetite. Grand Chaplain—M.A. McNeill, Little Sands. Grand Secretary—John A. Murray, Clyde River. Grand Treasurer—Peter G. McEachern, Charlottetown. Grand Marshal—Ernest Moore, Summerside. Grand Lecturer—Alfred Frost, Enmore. Deputy Grand Lecturer—Walter Wood, Brookfield. Grand Auditors—J.A. McKinnon, Clyde River, Cnester Shaw, Charlottetown. Deputy Grand Secretary—A.A. McCullum, Borden. Deputy Grand Chaplains, Revs. S.J. Davies, Kensington, W.A. McQuarrie, Souris. Representative to C.W.L. Grand Lodge of B.A.—C.D. McPhail, Kingston. Legislation Committee—Bros. Rev. J.R. Skinner, O.E. Shaw, J.H. Colwell. The officers were installed by P.G.M. J.V. Moore, Cnester. The Military Trophy, a beautiful Silver Cup, was presented to Tanton Lodge, Brookfield for the greatest increase in membership, by any one primary lodge, for the year 1947.

CANCER SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Prince Edward Island Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society will be held on FRIDAY, MAY 21st at 7:30 P.M. in the Council Chambers of the City Hall, Charlottetown. The public is cordially invited to attend and participate in the business. All contributors to the Cancer Campaign are members and entitled to vote. DR. W. J. P. MACMILLAN, President. H. L. BOHAKER, Honorary Secretary.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS 50c Per Insertion

BIRTHS SQUAREBRIGGS — At the P. E. Island Hospital, May 12th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Squarebriggs, City, a son, 5 lbs. 1 oz. GENGÉ — Born May 12, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Genge, Southport, a son. Weight 8 lbs. 3 oz. DEATHS PETERS — At the Charlottetown Hospital, May 12, Mrs. Elizabeth Peters of St. Andrew's. Her remains are resting at the A. A. Kenney Funeral Home, funeral arrangements to be announced later. PALMER — At the home of her son, Earl Palmer, Woodstock, P. E. I., on Wednesday, May 12, Mrs. James Palmer in her 84th year. Funeral Friday afternoon. BIGELOW — At Charlottetown on May 12, Muriel Bigelow, aged 21 years. Remains will be forwarded to home in Lot 18 from Bowness Funeral Home on Thursday. Funeral notices later. BEER — At Charlottetown May 12, Eliza Blanche Newman, wife of William C. Beer of Kingston. Remains resting at Oudlife Funeral Home until noon Friday, then to her late residence where a short service will be held on Saturday at 1:30, followed by funeral in Kingston United Church, service starting at 2:30. Interment Kingston Cemetery.

N. D. MacLean UNDERTAKER EMBALMER Charlottetown and North Wilshire Phone 149