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CENTRAL BEDEQUE BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP — Rev. D. M. Archer, pastor. Both services for Sunday, Aug. 26, will be cancelled. 8-25-1i

CHURCH OF ENGLAND SERVICES for the Parish of New London: Aug. 26—11 a.m. Holy Communion St. Mark's, Kensington. 3 p.m. Evening Prayer, St. Thomas' Church, Rich River. 7.30 Evening Prayer St. Stephen's, Burlington. Rev. R. Noel, rector.

PRINCETOWN UNITED Church Rev. Mr. Crowdis, Rev C J Crowdis pastor. Service and Sunday School 10 a.m. by Rev. Melville Fisher 11 a.m. 7 p.m. Rev. G. J. Ramsay will preach. Mrs. Chester Simpson, organist. 8-26-1i

FOR SALE —Large Dictionary Stand (antique). Bedstead China Dishes, Large Lamp, Stainless Cookers, Cut Glass. Dishes, Pillows, Curtaine, Linen all in good condition. Telephone Kensington 45 ring 2. 8-25-1i

FUNERAL YESTERDAY—The funeral of the late Mrs. Jarvis P. Tanton was held yesterday morning from her late residence to St. Peter's Church, St. Eleanor's, where service was conducted at 10 o'clock a.m. Archdeacon Harrison who also conducted the service at the house. The pallbearers were Messrs. Percy Tanton. Roy Tanton, Ralph Compton, Heath Clark. Interment was in St. Eleanor's Cemetery.

TEACHERS APPOINTED — At a special meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Summerside High School and Academy, held on Saturday evening, the following appointments were made to the teaching staff of the Academy: Lucie Pineau, B.A., acting principal; Captain Francis McNeil, B.A., French teacher, grade 12 and acting commerce instructor; Miss Elaine Morrison, B.A., teacher grade eleven. Mr. B J Beck was appointed teacher in the High School. S

Personals

Miss Ruby Delaney, Bedeque, left on a two weeks holiday visiting relatives and friends in P.A.

Mrs. Louis Dystant and daughter, Miss Edith, left on Saturday on a motor trip through Nova Scotia and will visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mrs. Lizzie Cook and Mr. Cook, in Waterville.—S.

Mr. L. E. Dystant who has been visiting for the past week as the guest of his brother, Mr. Louis Dystant and Mrs. Dystant, Granville Street, Summerside, left on his home in Windsor, N. S., on Saturday.—S.

—PURE RAW OIL in stock at Brace's.

—WANTED by Queen Hotel, Summerside, two chambermaids. 8-24-3i

—FOR SALE — One hundred Barred Rock Pullets, starting to lay. Joseph Sheen, Kensington. 8-25-2i

—DR. BOWNESS' OFFICE will be closed from August 27th for one week. 8-27-1i

—TEACHER WANTED, for Springhill School, supplement $200. Charles Frost, Secretary, Northam R.R. 8, 20, 22, 24,-3i

—KENSINGTON — Cameo: Fri., 8.30, Sat. 9.00: "Under Western Skies", with Leon Errol, Martha O'Driscoll, Noah Beery Jr., and Leo Carrillo. They're out to rock the Rockies! Also Newsreel and Shorts. 8-24-2i

—PROMPT precision repair service on Watches, Clocks, Instruments, etc., by mail or otherwise. Wallace Moase, Kensington. 8-25, 27, 29-1-4i

—NOTICE. — E. C. Bell, Auctioneer, Cape Traverse. Charges moderate, sales solicited. No sale too large, no sale too small. Phone Borden 32-11. 8-4, 11. 18. 25. 9. 1.

—THRESHERS FOR SALE— Limited number available. Moody No. 7, equipped with blower, self-feeder, bagger, truck, etc. Apply W. D. Croken, Emerald, R.R. 1. 8-24-2i

—SERIOUSLY ILL — The many friends of Mr. J. E. Dalton of Summerside will regret to learn of his serious illness. He is a patient in the Prince County Hospital.—S.

—SUNGLO FLEA POWDER containing pre-war poisons and guaranteed to kill 100 per cent is now available. Guard against fleas by using it liberally. International Fox and Animal Foods Ltd., Summerside. 8-14-18-21-25

—FOR SALE or trade for horses or cattle, 2 new binders, also 6-ft. Cockshutt binder with carrier and truck (like new), used 3 years, (taken in trade for tractor binder) $210; No. 2 Frost & Wood binder (in working condition) $25; McCormick binder, right cut, suitable for parts, $15; also Percheron mare 13 years, $90; choice Percheron horse 2 years, well broken, nearly 1200 lbs. Walter S. Weeks, Bayview. 8-24-2i

—MAGISTRATE'S COURT — A number of cases were heard before Magistrate R. S. Hinton in Summerside Thursday. A Summerside party was fined $25.00 and costs for an infraction of the Excise Act. Two young men were charged with damaging windows in the Church of the Nazarene, Springhill. One was fined $10.00 and costs and ordered to make restitution to the amount of $18.00. The other being a juvenile was fined $1.00 and costs and ordered to make restitution to the amount of $2.00.—S.

—HOME FROM OVERSEAS — Flying Officer Murray Willet, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Willet has arrived home from service overseas where he has been for a year and a half. F.O. Willet is a pilot and has also taken a flight engineer's course. He is now home on a thirty-day leave.—S.

BRITAIN HOPES—

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promise to Congress, disclosed that Britain had been offered the opportunity to pay for lend-lease stockpiles in the United States or in the process of manufacture or shipment, over a 30-year period at 2 3-8 per cent interest. Facilities of the export-import bank also are open to Britain, he said.)

Outlining Britain's plight, Mr. Attlee estimated she was spending abroad about $8,000,000,000 annually at the war's end. This was exclusive of money spent for munitions but including money spent in the United States in addition to lend-lease.

British exports brought in some $1,400,000,000 and another $1,800,000,000 came from spending here by American soldiers and reimbursements from the Dominions for expenditures on their behalf. Mr. Attlee said. This left an annual deficit of $4,800,000,000.

AUCTION

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will sell by Auction on premises late Caroline Bowness, North Bedeque, Monday, August 27th.

AT 1 P. M.

Household effects consisting of heater and wringer, tubs, sewing machine (New Williams), Dining-room extension table and chairs, china cabinet, Austrian china and cut glass, silver, linens, fancy china and glass, congoleum square, hall set, kitchen chairs, 2 hall hanging lamps, 3 Wilton rugs, 9 yards Wilton stair carpet (excellent condition).

Living room furniture consisting of heating room stove, table, couch, arm chairs, 3 small chairs, bookcase and writing desk combined, centre table, floor covering, curtains, ornaments, vases, etc.

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Island Officer On Directorate Of Education

HALIFAX, Aug. 23 — Major J. F. MacMillan of Charlottetown, P. E. I., District Education Officer at M. D. No. 6, Halifax, N. S., has been reposted to a position on the Directorate of Education, N. D. H. Q.

Commissioned as a Lieutenant in 1925 Major MacMillan served with the non-permanent active militia until the outbreak of the present war. Joining the active force in September 1939, when the Prince Edward Island Highlanders were mobilized, he saw service with this unit until June 1942 when he was loaned to the Canadian Legion Educational Services to assist in preparing text booklets on Practical Mathematics and Practical English for the Army.

He was appointed Educational Officer at Atlantic Command in June 1943. On the creation of an educational establishment for M. D. 6 in December 1943 he was given his present appointment.

Major MacMillan leaves for Ottawa on Thursday and will assume his new duties August 25. Since 1925 Major MacMillan was a member of the staff of the Prince of Wales College and Provincial Normal School in Charlottetown, P.E.I. He was given leave of absence to join the active army in September 1939.

The work of the District Education Office will be carried on by Capt. R. J. L. Grenier.

Moncton Times Has New Owner

(By The Canadian Press)

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 24—J. C. Keating has purchased all the holdings of stock of F. R. Sumner and associates in the Times Printing Company, and has also acquired all other stock not previously held by him, and thus becomes proprietor as well as publisher of the Times.

Mr. Keating has been connected with the Times for a good many years, having joined the staff as accountant in 1906. He became circulation and advertising manager in 1912, and general manager and secretary-treasurer in 1916, and has continued in that position since that date.

Mr. Keating's two sons are associated with him on the directorate and at a recent meeting of the board, J. C. Keating was elected president, Claude Keating, vice-president, and Lloyd Keating, secretary-treasurer.

CANADA EMERGES—

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import potential of 1,000,000,000 pounds.

Despite the present heavy demand for Canadian pork products, hog production this year will be away down from the peak of last year, with the drop probably totalling more than 1,000,000 hogs.

The declining hog production is tied up with grain marketings. In years when grains such as wheat, oats and barley were not moving freely farmers used them to fatten their hogs. Now, with these grains moving in volume, more are marketed direct than through the medium of pork.

Agriculture department spokesmen believe that to be a condition which will stabilize itself eventually.

FOR SALE

At Ethel Tanton's place at St. Eleanor's, one driving wagon, 1 jaunting sleigh, 1 wood sleigh, 1 light harrows, 1 single plow, double and single swingle trees, 1 hay mower, 1 seeder and harrow. The first 6 articles for $150.00; everything together for $220.00. Must sell by Monday, Aug. 27th. Apply—

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CENTRAL GUARDIAN

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

RACE ENTRIES—Entries for the races at Summerside Aug. 29 will be published on Monday. 8-25-1i

LIBERAL MEETING — Mr. Fred MacDonald, Crapaud, was re-elected president at the annual meeting Thursday night of the Liberal Association of First Queen's. Andrew Stevenson, Bradalbane, was elected vice president and Manford Beer, Hampton, secretary. The usual routine business was transacted at the meeting, which was held in Bradalbane hall.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL—A Mr. David Gregory was admitted to the City Hospital early this morning suffering from undetermined injuries, after being conveyed from his residence in Souris East. Particulars of the accident in which the victim was injured could not be learned.

ARE WARNED — Several teenaged youths concerned with acts bordering on vandalism appeared in Juvenile Court yesterday. They were let off with a warning. It is understood that the police are checking - up on youthful bands of "commandoes" whose activities have become a source of annoyance and concern to property holders.

COVEHEAD - UNION ROAD — United Church services for Sunday, Aug. 26 are West Covehead 11 A. M., S. S. 10; Union Road 7:30 P.M. Miss Margaret Sterns of Charlottetown will sing at the morning service at West Covehead. Rev. Thos. A. Wilson, Minister. 8-25-1i

ADDRESSED MEDICAL ASSOCIATION — The Prince Edward Island Medical Association held a quarterly dinner at the Charlottetown Hotel Thursday evening. The president, Dr. T. Leonard Farmer, Mt. Stewart, presided. The guest speaker was Lieut.-Col. Donald Campbell, prominent Charlottetown surgeon, who has recently returned from overseas duty where he was Surgeon-in-Chief of No. 7 Canadian General Hospital. Dr. Campbell, in a vivid and interesting manner, gave a running description of his experiences from the time he was stationed at Debert Military camp, Nova Scotia, until he returned to Canada, which included time spent in England, France and Germany. In his remarks Dr. Campbell paid a high tribute to the Island doctors and nurses who served under him and also expressed his sincere gratitude for the facilities provided in Canadian hospitals by the Canadian Red Cross. Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan moved a hearty vote of thanks to Dr. Campbell and Dr. John MacNeil of Summerside seconded the motion which was indorsed by all present. The three Counties were well represented by doctors from all districts.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Enman, Summerside, were in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Murnaghan and daughter Elenor of Somerville, Mass., are visiting their old home in Fort Augustus, the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McGuirk and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murnaghan.

PO. Ewen E. A. Keefe, R. C. N. V. R., son of Councillor and Mrs. G. R. Keefe, arrived home Thursday evening. PO. Keefe has been in the services for a long time and has had interesting experiences.

Flt. Sgt. Samuel B. Robison, son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Robison, who arrived home from overseas on a 30-day leave, left yesterday for Fredericton, N.B., and is returning next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Sherren are leaving this morning for their home in Halifax, N.S., after spending their holidays visiting friends and relatives in P.E.I.

Mr. Edwin Farquhar is leaving this morning for his home in Boston, Mass., after spending his holidays visiting friends and relatives in P.E.I. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Farquhar, formerly of Charlottetown where his father worked for Messrs. Waller and Doyle, painters.

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EVIDENCE HEARD—

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which Hale was a member," Lt.-Col. Watt, the prosecutor, said.

"The evidence will disclose that Hale at one time in the autumn of 1941 was in charge of a working party of some 21 prisoners of war In the working party were two soldiers—Tpr. Lawrence of No. 3 Command, London, and Pte. H.R. Harwood, of the Canadian Black Watch who has been brought from the United States to give evidence.

Tpr. Lawrence will testify that Hale on his knowledge and on his own admission, had been associating with a German underofficer and that Hale had informed Tpr. Lawrence that he (Hale) was going to Breslau over Christmas with the underofficer and would be wearing civilian clothes.

"Evidence will also be given that Hale was allowed to walk about without any guard or escort and had unrestricted movement.

"Pte. Harwood had several conversations with Hale. At one time he overheard Hale questioning prisoners in the party about underground ammunition dumps in England and their location."

The prosecution said it also would call Norman McLean of Regina, now a civilian, who formerly was a company sergeant-major in the Fusiliers Mont Royal, and who had been brought from Canada for the trial. McLean would testify he attended a meeting at which Hale asked and answered questions.

Tpr. Lawrence was then called by the prosecution. He said he had been taken prisoner at Dieppe and was taken to Stalag 8B at Landsdorf. There were nine compounds at the camp and he was in the Canadian compound, he testified.

He said he was at this camp for about three weeks. In September he went out with a working party for a month, and then went to another at Hindenburg. He said there were 21 men in this group.

Asked by the prosecution if there was anyone in the room who was on that party, Tpr. Lawrence pointed to Hale.

Witness said that at the camp Hale wore the rank of a staff sergeant and was in charge of the working party.

He then told of a conversation with Hale at the camp.

"One evening after leaving work, we went into the room where we had meals and after the meal I got into a conversation with Hale. He saked me different times about the commandos, how we worked and where we trained.

"I told him that he was a prisoner the same as me and that it didn't concern him. He made no reply to that."

Lawrence testified that on two occasions he saw Hale in the company of a German underofficer in the yard alone.

When questioned later by the judge advocate, Lawrence said it was not unusual for Hale to be talking to the underofficer because Hale was in charge of the work party.

Asked for the name of the underofficer, Lawrence said he was known as "South American Joe."

BIRTHS

WOOD — At Burnham, Buckingham, England, Aug. 22, 1945, to Corporal and Mrs. William Wood (nee Margaret Clarke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarke) a son, William Legate.

DEATHS

RICHARDS — At the P.E. Island Hospital Aug. 21st, James Edward, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Richards, Gladstone, age 21 days. Funeral took place at the home of his parents on Aug. 23rd. Interment in the Murray River Cemetery.

LeBLANC—At Gardner, Mass., on Sunday Aug. 12th, 1945, Mrs. Leo LeBlanc (nee Alodie Gallant), beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isadore O. Gallant of Richmond in her 40th year.

FAIRCHILD — At Georgetown on August 24th, 1945, Captain Nelson Fairchild, aged 78 years. Funeral will be held at 2.30 Sunday afternoon from Holy Trinity Anglican Church. Masonic service will be held at the grave.

In Memoriam

In fond and loving memory of Angelina Monaghan, who departed this life August 25, 1941.
Fondly remembered by
Marion.
8-25-1i

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Phone 149

PREMIER KING—

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As such he played a leading role in the organization of the Liberal party for the recent general election. He has been in the Senate for about two years and is a former member of the Nova Scotia Legislature. His father at one time was speaker of the Legislature.

"Senator Robertson is keenly interested in the Government's social program," said Mr. King at a hastily-called press conference. "I think it is all-important that the people understand we are very much in earnest in getting ahead with our reforms."

Dr. King, who steps from the party leadership in the Upper House to the speakership, has been leader since 1942 and a member of the Senate since 1930. He formerly represented Victoria in the Commons and once served as Minister of Health. Prior to that he was in the British Columbia Legislature.

While the speakership of the Senate is a Government appointment the Speaker and deputy in the House of Commons must be elected by the House. Mr. King's announcement of the names of Dr. Fauteux and Mr. MacDonald means that the Government will nominate them for the posts and their election is customary. It also is customary to indicate the nominations in advance of the opening of Parliament so necessary preparations can be attended to.

Dr. Fauteux, a prominent Montreal dentist, came into the House in 1942 and has since been an active member. He served as a sergeant with the Dental Corps in the First Great War. Since becoming a member he has been mentioned as a possibility for a diplomatic appointment.

Mr. Graham, defeated in the general election last June, is a prominent lawyer and a veteran of the First Great War. As deputy clerk he is likely successor to Dr. Arthur Beauchesne, the present veteran clerk who is anxious to retire. Mr. King said Dr. Beauchesne had agreed to remain at his post for another year.

The posts of assistant clerk and sergeant-at-arms have been vacant for some time, and Dr. Beauchesne has had the entire responsibility for the internal management of affairs in the Commons.

The former sergeant-at-arms, Brig. Milton F. Gregg, V.C., went on active service at the beginning of the war, and now is president of the University of New Brunswick.

The new appointee, Lt.-Col. Franklin, served in the First Great War and commanded the 1st Battalion, Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry Highlanders, on its mobilization in this war. When he was found unfit to proceed overseas with the unit he assumed command of the 2nd Reserve Battalion with headquarters at Cornwall.

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Sun Life Of Canada
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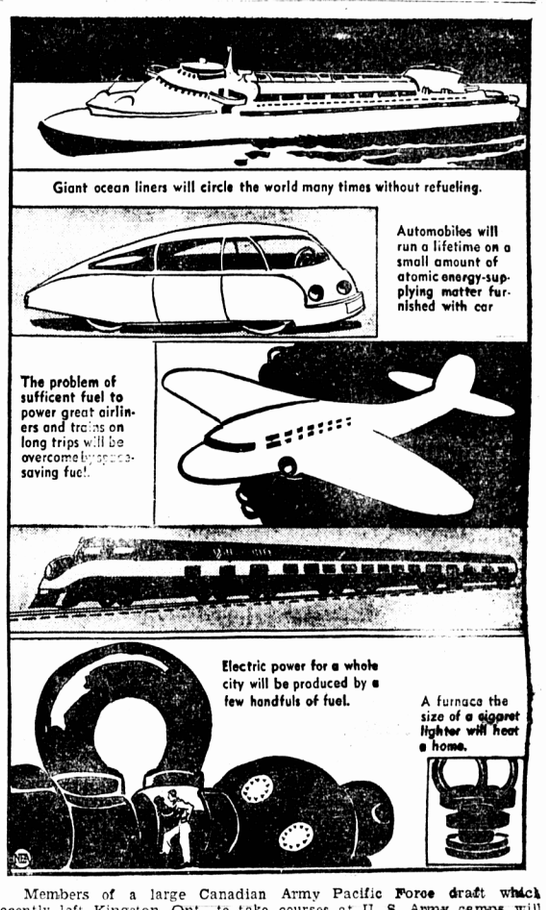
Major C. L. H. Bowen, E.D., of Sherbrooke, Que., who will fly to Manila with the Canadian Repatriation Liaison Group, consisting of thirty commissioned and non-commissioned officers, who will speed-up the repatriation of liberated Canadian prisoners of war in Japanese camps. Major Bowen has been serving with the Directorate of Repatriation, Prisoner of War Section. (Canadian Army Photo).

IRAN'S WATERFRONTS

Iran has two valuable waterfronts—one on the north shaped by the Caspian Sea, the other on the south formed by the Persian and the Gulf of Oman.



Members of a large Canadian Army Pacific Force draft which recently left Kingston, Ont., to take courses at U. S. Army camps, will later rejoin the Sixth Canadian Infantry Division at Fort Brookinridge, Kentucky. Pictured here are twin brothers, Ray (left) and Roy Buttery, of Regina, both sergeants from the Regina Rifles, standing in front of a Japanese-language sign in Kingston, and holding new type American style helmets which are issued to members of the C. A. P. F. — (Canadian Army Photo).

Mrs. Attlee Has Some Misgivings About Life At 10 Downing Street

Britain's "First Lady" Faces Major Change From Simple Country Life

By ELLESIVA SAYERS
NEA Staff Correspondent

LONDON, Aug. 24 — Britain's "First Lady", Violet Helen Attlee, is a small town mother and housewife. Mrs. Attlee, her husband and four children, have lived in an old-fashioned red-brick villa at Stanmore, for the past 13 years. Stanmore is a quiet Middlesex village not far from London.

Shopping list in hand, she waits in queues at the stores, chatting with other women of the community about the everyday problems of raising a family.

When I visited her, daughter Felicity, who is 20 and studying nursing, answered the door. There is no maid, only a housekeeper. Mrs. Attlee came down from the upstairs drawing room.

She's a slim, gray-haired young-looking woman in the middle forties. She has a pretty smile, but neither a colorful nor a warm personality. She's efficient, businesslike, dutiful, and can be quite brusque in manner.

FEW INTIMATES

Although she has worked consistently in the village, few people know her intimately. Mrs. Attlee is Commandant of the Red Cross. Once a week she drives a Y.M.C.A. refreshment van from which she serves tea to hundreds, mostly airmen. During the blitzes she took charge of billeting arrangements for evacuees and worked in a rest center. But all her outside interests are executed in a purely formal, almost uncommunicative, aloof manner.

In addition to her many war-related duties, she has run her 11-room house single-handed. She acquired the services of a housekeeper only recently. An odd job man also comes once weekly for gardening.

Mrs. Attlee is wrapped up in her home and husband. Her face lit up when she spoke to me of her family. The eldest daughter, Janet, 22, is a section officer in the WAAF. Felicity, 20, helps her busy mother in many ways. Martin, 18, recently quit school to join the merchant navy, where he's a midshipman. Alison, 15, is at school. Martin cabled from Nova Scotia recently, to tell her for the first time where he had been posted.

She doesn't know when she will move into 10 Downing Street, where she'll have a retinue of servants including butlers, footmen, and at least one secretary. She will also have a country mansion at Chequers, Buckinghamshire. She is a simple woman accustomed to simple life. It is more important for her at the moment to add up the shillings and pence the village people have saved for the national savings campaign.

Britain's "First Lady", Mrs. Clement Attlee, does her own housework with the aid of her daughters. Mrs. Attlee runs the vacuum cleaner over living room rugs while daughter Felicity, right, dusts the mantle. Daughter Janet, left, on leave from the WAAFS, rearranges the furniture.

Clement R. Attlee is a man of modest tastes. He reads voraciously — his favorites being Jane Austen's "Pride and Prejudice" and Pepy's Diary. Occasionally he helps in household duties, such as feeding the chickens. He is slight in build, has a soft voice, and smokes a long straight pipe which he continually lights with matches. He is a shy man, retiring, efficient, businesslike, and thoughtful. What he says will bear the keenest logical analysis.

COZY HOME

He is one of four sons and not "of the people." He was born in Putney, London, 62 years ago, son of a solicitor who was president of the Law Society. He was educated in Haileybury, one of England's best known public schools, and the University College at Oxford, where he took honors degree in history. Later he became a lawyer, but he took little interest in law, preferring to work in the east end of London where his sympathies with the labor movement developed and grew.

Inside their home are cozy, unpretentious furnishings, with many books and bookcases. In the drawing room a signed photograph of the present King has the place of honor. An airedale dog, an old friend of the family, blind in one eye, sleeps in a basket in the front hall. He usually accompanies Mrs. Attlee or a member of the family on shopping expeditions in the village.

From this warm, modest, homely house, Mr. and Mrs. Clement Attlee will move into 10 Downing Street to entertain cabinet ministers and their wives, ambassadors and statesmen of other countries. Mrs. Attlee will have to be friendlier to them than she was to me and other newspaper folk. Her parting words to me, spoken without a smile, were, "I hope you won't bother me any more."