

THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

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EASTER DANCES—About 175 couples attended the Easter Supper Dance held at the Charlottetown Hotel last night. The music was furnished by Al Blanchard and his orchestra. A dance was held also at the Armouries by the Garrison Officers' Mess at which about 45 couples attended.

LAD TO REST—The funeral of the late Robert Edward Nicholson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nicholson, 131 North River Road, was held yesterday afternoon from the MacLean Funeral Home. Services were conducted by Rev. T. H. Bussell Somers. Interment was in the People's Cemetery.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY—The funeral of the late Elmer H. Foster, Charlottetown contractor, was held yesterday afternoon from the MacLean Funeral Home to St. Paul's Church. Services were conducted by Rev. J. T. Abbott. Interment was in the People's Cemetery. The pallbearers were, W. R. LePage, Leigh Bryenton, Walter Pickard, Roy McGillivray, Macdonald MacPherson, Bramwell Chandler.

FUNERAL AT BRISTOL—The funeral of the late George H. Drake was held from Bristol United Church yesterday afternoon. Interment was in West St. Peter's Cemetery. The pallbearers were, Arthur Blaxland, James Blaxland, Carl McAdam, Ralph Smith, Byron Webster and Cecil Edershaw. Members of the Morell Branch of the Canadian Legion attended in a body.

FUNERAL AT BROOKFIELD—The funeral of the late Heathy Elizabeth Dollar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew E. Dollar, was held yesterday afternoon from the residence of her parents at Brookfield. Interment was in Princeown Road Cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. S. J. Davies. Rev. Donald Nicholson and Rev. J. MacKay. The pallbearers were, Grant Proutie, Layton Proutie, Orion Proutie, Fulton Stewart, Elsworth Proutie and Milton Ward.

SLIGHT ACCIDENT—City Police reported last night that a slight accident occurred in the City about 11:30 P.M., when a car proceeding west on Fritzroy Street was in collision with a car traveling north on Queen Street at the intersection of the two streets. There were no injuries sustained by the occupants of the cars, although one vehicle received damage to its left front fender and headlight, and the other received damage to its left front fender and radiator.

In Memoriam

FRANK J. O'DONNELL The death occurred at his home at Souris River on Wednesday, March 17th of Frank J. O'Donnell in his seventy-fifth year. The deceased was a lifetime resident of Souris River, where he was a successful farmer. Of a quiet and unassuming disposition he was respected by all those who had the pleasure of his acquaintance. He will be missed in particular by those who lived in his vicinity, being a true neighbour, good citizen and a zealous member of his church.

MacFARLANE—At a Pigeonhole, Mass. hospital on March 28, Mrs. (Dr.) Frank MacFarlane, nee Nellie Sobey. Body expected to arrive in Summerside on Wednesday evening and will rest at the Compton Funeral Home. Funeral Thursday at 2 p.m., to North Bedeque Church and cemetery.

TUPLIN—The death occurred at O'Leary, March 29, of James C. Tuplin in his 78th year. Funeral service will be held from his home in O'Leary on Wednesday, March 31 at 1 p.m., service following at St. Peter's Church, Lot 11, on arrival.

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MUSICAL FESTIVAL ENTRY closing date April 1.

CONFEDERATION LIFE INSURANCE AT YOUR SERVICE—Arms' Coal Co. Phone 2498.

ON DIRECTORATE—Mr. Alex Hamilton, New Perth, Provincial Director of Canadian Co-Operative Wool Growers, returned Saturday evening from Toronto where he attended the annual meeting of the Association. Mr. Hamilton was re-elected to the Directorate.

WINS DEBATING AWARD—Miss Alberta Bryant, Charlottetown student at the University of King's College, is the first co-ed on the Dalhousie campus to win an award for debating. She will receive a gold "K" from the Quinquennial Debating Society of King's College this year for her participation in inter-collegiate debates.

CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT—Another successful cribbage tournament was held at the Legion Home last night when members and guests gathered around eight tables to enter into keen competition and entertainment. The tournament, which is a regular Monday night event, are sponsored by the Charlottetown Branch of the Canadian Legion to raise funds to buy cigarettes and fruit for veterans who are patients in the two city hospitals and the sanatorium, and to provide entertainment and fun during the winter months.

PERSONALS Alex Hamilton, New Perth, and W. A. Jenkins, Vernon, returned on Saturday evening from a business trip to Toronto.

Miss Audrey Gillis, student at Mt. Allison Music Conservatory, Sackville, is spending the Easter holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Gillis.

Mr. Stan Miller, student at Mt. Allison University, Sackville, is spending the Easter holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Miller, Exton Street.

MAY BE MORE

(Continued from Page 1) cent increase in freight rates will be delivered by the Board of Transport Commissioners here tomorrow morning.

Any increase granted—no matter what size—likely would have a bearing on the cost of many articles used in everyday life, such as food and clothing, flour, steel and textiles, which necessitate long hauls, likely would increase. The amount would vary according to areas, with Western Canada possibly feeling the weight more than Eastern and central provinces.

Helped Build Scaffold For Riel Execution CALGARY, March 29—(CP)—Funeral services will be held here tomorrow for the man who helped his father build the scaffold on which Louis Riel was hanged in 1885.

CARD OF THANKS The family of the late Frank O'Donnell wish to extend sincere thanks to neighbours and friends for their many acts of kindness, and also to all those who sent Mass Cards and messages of sympathy during their recent bereavement.

Cast Of Last Night's Play



Capacity House Attends City Hospital Play

Playing before a capacity house at the Prince Edward Theatre last night, the three-act comedy play entitled "Hold Everything" sponsored by the St. Charles Auxiliary of the Charlottetown Hospital, went over with astounding success in a performance which was nothing short of professional.

Everyone went through their parts in such a realistic manner, that it would be next to impossible to single out any individual performer. All through the play the players showed the result of the hard study and attention that they must have put in regarding stage manners, gestures and facial expressions, which did much credit to themselves and their director: Mr. J. Austin Trainor, C.D.A., who has been instrumental in directing so many fine plays here in the past.

At the conclusion of the second act, Dr. W. J. MacMillan, O.B.E., gave a short but effective address in which he thanked all the performers for their splendid showing, and expressed his gratitude, on behalf of the St. Charles Auxiliary and the Charlottetown Hospital, to the attending public for their fine support.

In addition to the evening performance, the show was also staged in a matinee performance in the afternoon, for the benefit of City school children, which met with the same wholehearted approval of the audience, as their evening performance.

"Hold Everything" is a three-act comedy by Austin Goetz, conceived and written on the Honeycomb Trail.

Christopher Morgan, (Farrell Gaudet), a successful banker, has his heart set on a match between his daughter, Connie, (Inez Murray), and Courtney Barrett (Joseph Duffy), the son of an old friend.

Cast of Characters Caroline Carruthers—A Hotel Proprietress—Hilda Brown. Niobe—A Colored Servant—Paul

Annual Meeting Of Bruce Stewart And Company Ltd.

A total volume of business amounting to \$250,046.08 with net profits of \$2,506.72 for the past year were reported at last night's annual meeting of Bruce Stewart and Company Ltd. In view of large capital expenditures which will have to be undertaken this year, the directors recommended that no dividend be paid for the year ending Jan. 31, 1948.

U. S. Milk Plane Lands At Ch'town

For the second time in a week a U. S. Air Force plane from Harmon Field, Newfoundland landed at Charlottetown yesterday instead of Summerside and supplies of milk, eggs and other dairy products had to be sent down by truck.

Yesterday Lieutenant Lindsay of U. S. Air Force came up to Summerside and inspected the field to make a report to his commanding officer at Harmon as to whether he considered it safe for them to continue using the field. He was accompanied on his inspection by Mr. J. Watson MacNaught, M.P., S.-L. W. C. Langstaff, D.P.C., commanding officer of the Summerside Station and Ft. Lt. W. F. Cooke, engineer officer. What ever the report, this condition of the runways is only expected to last two or three weeks until the frost is out of the ground. The same situation obtained last year for a few weeks.—S.

LEAPING RODENTS The jerboa, a rat-sized rodent found in North Africa, resembles the kangaroo. The jerboa has oversized hind legs and can jump remarkable distances.

line Whelan. Christopher Morgan—A Banker—Farrell Gaudet. Connie Morgan—His Daughter—Inez Murray. Bee Williams—Connie's Friend—Isabel MacDonald. Courtney Barrett Jr.—Connie's Pet Aversion—Joseph Duffy. Mrs. Julia Gibbs—An Ambitious Mother—Mrs. Edith Davison. Lottie Gibbs, Wanda Gibbs, Daisy Gibbs—Her Daughters—Betty Jane Beers, Helen Green, Mary Arsenault. Steven, Andy—Crooks en route—Hugh Trainor, Elmer Gallant. Tim Maccauley—A Detective—James Doyle. The Milkman—A Masculine Voice—J. A. Romhart.

Specialties Between Acts 1 and 2—Betty Jean Beer, pleasing soloist. "Ave Maria". J. Austin Trainor, Character songs of the Gay Nineties; Vaudeville Days. Mary Arsenault, dainty tap dancing artist. Between Acts 2 and 3—P. W. C. Girls' Quartette. Popular Harmony Singers—Marie Jenkins, Bethany McDonald, Donald Shirley Dalziel. Loman McAulay and Chester Cooper, radio artists in person. Make-up artist—Mr. Barry Bugden.

Accompagnists at the piano—Mrs. Leith Dingwell, R. F. Mugford, A.R.C.O., Albert Blanchard, Jackie Doyle.

Clear Your Skin Ugly, disgusting blemishes, Pimples, Eczema, Itching, Scaly Skin, Psoriasis, Acne, Blackheads, or Red Nose are common. Try Nivea cream tonight. Three way action works fast to help bring you a clearer, softer, smoother skin. Nivea keeps itching, burning, smarting in 5 minutes. Nivea kills many germs and parasites, often the real cause of skin disorders. Nivea helps heal the skin. Nivea keeps your skin Nivea makes you look younger for the Nivea cream today.

Death Of Pioneer Silver Fox Breeder

Mr. James Tuplin, known throughout Canada and the United States as one of the pioneer breeders of silver foxes, died at his home in O'Leary yesterday morning. He was 79 years old.

The late Mr. Tuplin was probably the most colorful of the early fox breeders who, as a result of their activities, brought eager purchasers of live foxes to the Province from all parts of the world. While a young man he acquired a wide local reputation as a sportsman and was an accomplished cyclist and long distance runner. Few of his contemporaries could equal him in his knowledge of his native fauna and flora.

He grew up in the Black Banks region of Prince County which at that time was a heavy wilderness where roamed in great numbers bears, foxes, muskrats, weasels, and many others of the smaller fur-bearing animals. It is said, so great was his knowledge of nature, that he could tell, by the impression of an animal's foot print upon the ground or snow, how much time had elapsed since the animal had made it.

As a boy he took delight in frequenting the camps of the Indians who lived but a few miles from his home and he was the only white man in the Province who could converse fluently in the Micmac language. More than one passenger on an Island train who was unacquainted with the late Mr. Tuplin has been surprised to see a tall white man come down the aisle, take a seat beside an Indian man or woman, and immediately plunge into conversation in the Indian language. The passenger, upon making enquiries, was always told the white man was "Jim" Tuplin.

Lighthouse Keeper Before becoming one of the world's pioneer foxmen, the late Mr. Tuplin had been in charge of the main lighthouse in Alberton Harbour. While living there with his wife, the former Caroline Williams of Elmsdale, the late Mr. Tuplin used his leisure time to fish lobsters. He was the first man to ever bring a Nova Scotia built fishing boat to Alberton and by so doing he revolutionized the deep-sea fishing in that section of the Province for the two boats he brought were able and faster than any which had hitherto sailed out of that harbour.

With the death of his father, the late Robert Tuplin, at Black Banks in 1910, he resigned from the position of lighthouse keeper and with his wife and family went to the Black Banks where he took over the larger part of his father's fox ranch. His brother, Samuel, also fell heir to a substantial part of the business.

The late Mr. Tuplin soon made his experience of wild life tell in the conduct of the new business. He had outstanding success as a breeder and was soon selling live foxes at prices ranging from \$10,000 to \$20,000 a pair.

During the last few years, Mr. Tuplin had not been in good health and had received hospital treatment in Boston, Montreal, and Charlottetown. His wife predeceased him about a year ago. Surviving him are two sons, Reuben, in Halifax, and George in Conroy; also two daughters, Mrs. Charles Keizer of O'Leary, now a patient in the Prince Edward Island Hospital; and Olive, at home. Another son, Denzel, died about two years ago.

Advertisement for Farmers' stock pens, including text: 'LOADING DAILY AT OUR STOCK PENS AT CHARLOTTETOWN, CATTLE, CALVES, SHEEP AND HOGS. OUR BUYERS WILL QUOTE YOU OUR PRICES. MAKE THIS YOUR DAILY CASH MARKET. SWIFT CANADIAN CO. LTD. CHARLOTTETOWN PHONE 1457'

Advertisement for Taylor's Jewellers: 'KEEP YOUR WATCH UP TO THE MINUTE PROMPT SERVICE Mail or Bring your Watch to TAYLOR'S JEWELLERS Charlottetown and Montague'

Advertisement for Active Margarine: 'exceptionally "butter conscious". Canadian dairy organizations not only discovered the existence of the "margarine lobby" but within the past few days have engaged additional farm-trained staff to combat what they claim to be "spurious arguments" of the butter substitute group.'

Advertisement for margarine: 'The soy bean, dairy experts say, cannot be profitably grown in the prairie region and produces heavy crops only in certain restricted areas of Ontario, Quebec and possibly the Maritimes. It would take years, butter exponents declare, for Canada to raise plants from which edible oils are produced in quantities sufficient to sustain a margarine industry.'

Advertisement for margarine: 'Canadian dairy officials at National Headquarters admit the possibility of the manufacture of butter from fish oils. This, according to information in their files, has been accomplished in Norway and Sweden and "ersatz" fish oil butter was produced in quantity in Germany during the war years. On the other hand, they have written evidence of experts that in the matter of taste and flavor this artificial butter comes nowhere near the butter produced in the Canadian creameries.'

Advertisement for margarine: 'It is admitted that proponents of margarine in both Senate and Commons have a chance to rally more supporters to their side in 1948 than Senator Euler was able to line up in 1946 and 1947. Just prior to leaving Ottawa for the Easter recess, Senator John Sinclair of Prince Edward Island told The Guardian he believed the four Senators from the Island would again stand solidly in favor of the banning of margarine from this country. This attitude will be followed, it is expected, by members from all constituencies where butter production and dairy farming are important factors.'

Advertisement for Births, Marriages, Deaths: 'SHOW FOREIGN FILMS Foreign language films are frequently shown at Ottawa by the National Film Board to members and staffs of foreign embassies. BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS 50c Per Insertion'

Advertisement for Births: 'BIRTHS CALLAGHAN—At St. Mary's Hospital, Montreal, to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Callaghan a baby boy, 8 lbs 14 oz. BUTLER—At the P. E. Island Hospital on March 25th, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Butler, Mayfield a daughter, Carol Eileen.'

Advertisement for Deaths: 'DEATHS MacFARLANE—At a Pigeonhole, Mass. hospital on March 28, Mrs. (Dr.) Frank MacFarlane, nee Nellie Sobey. Body expected to arrive in Summerside on Wednesday evening and will rest at the Compton Funeral Home. Funeral Thursday at 2 p.m., to North Bedeque Church and cemetery. TUPLIN—The death occurred at O'Leary, March 29, of James C. Tuplin in his 78th year. Funeral service will be held from his home in O'Leary on Wednesday, March 31 at 1 p.m., service following at St. Peter's Church, Lot 11, on arrival. STANLEY—At her home, 56 King Street, on Sunday, March 28, Mrs. Augustus Stanley, aged 95 years. Her remains are resting at her late residence from where the funeral will take place Wednesday morning at 8:45 to St. Dunstan's Basilica, thence to the R. C. cemetery.'

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Advertisement for Royal Edward Chapter: 'Royal Edward Chapter I. O. D. E. Monthly Meeting The Royal Edward Chapter, O. D. E., held their regular monthly meeting in their rooms on Monday, March 29th at 3:15 p.m. with the Regent, Mrs. T. G. Ives, presiding. In response to the request from the Canadian Red Cross campaign organization, Mrs. James A. MacMillan, Mrs. E. G. Saunders, Miss Mary Irving and Mrs. Earle Macdonald volunteered to assist with their campaign to be held in April. Mrs. Milton Brehaut and Mrs. Eldon Campbell were welcomed into the Chapter as new members. A very interesting and instructive address was given on India by the Empire Study convener, Miss Mary Irving. A donation of cribbage and checker boards, ash trays and mirrors was made to the Veterans' Wing of the P. E. I. Hospital, for which a letter of appreciation was received from the Supervisor, Miss Hattie MacLean. Money was voted for: (a) Supplementary reading for two city schools; (b) Scholarship to Musical Festival; (c) Purchase of milk for needy children. Many members assisted the Tuberculosis League during the X-Ray Clinic which is being held in the City.'

Advertisement for Pioneer N. S. Social Worker Passes: 'Pioneer N. S. Social Worker Passes HALIFAX, March 29—(CP)—E.H. Blois, 70, former Juvenile Court judge, retired Deputy Minister of Public Welfare for Nova Scotia and a pioneer social worker in the Province, died at his home here tonight. When he retired from public life last year Mr. Blois had completed 40 years as a leader in child and family welfare work in Nova Scotia. Health Minister Davis said at that time that work now being carried on by the Department was a tribute to Mr. Blois' planning and foresight. Mr. Blois started his public service career as superintendent of the Halifax Industrial School and subsequently became superintendent of dependent children for the Province, director of child welfare, administrator of mothers' allowances, director of old age pensions and deputy minister of welfare.'

Advertisement for Umbrellas Treasonable: 'UMBRELLAS TREASONABLE VANCOUVER—(CP)—Vancouver newspapers that print pictures of people holding umbrellas over their heads commit "treason," Leo Sweeney, local booster, told a civic meeting here. "A few dewdrops are manna from heaven, they're good for the complexion," he said.'

Advertisement for Granddaddy of 'em All: 'GRANDDADDY OF 'EM ALL Film boards in Australia, Great Britain, India and South Africa were modelled on Canada's National Film Board.'

Advertisement for New Catalog: 'NEW CATALOG FREE SEEDS, PLANTS, GARDEN SUPPLIES Cut out this advertisement, mail it at once with your name and address. You will receive FREE our beautiful new garden book, fully illustrated, several pages in natural colours, finest, most complete ever published. W.H. PERRON & CO. SEEDSMEN, NURSE FRYMERS, 555 ST. LAWRENCE BLVD. MONTREAL'

Advertisement for Canadians to Practice Landings: 'CANADIANS TO Practice Landings HAMILTON, Bermuda, March 29—(CP)—Joint exercises carried out by five British and Canadian warships will culminate in a "practice landing" on the Virgin Islands April 1, it was announced here today. Vice-Admiral Sir William Tennant, commanding operations from the America and West Indies Fleet flagship, the cruiser Stetfield, said the scheme had been to date an "unqualified success." Canadian ships taking part in the exercise, which began March 25, are the destroyers Nootka and Crescent and the cruiser Ontario. In India the government sent around instructors to teach villagers principles of bee-keeping and farming.'

Advertisement for Men Snowbound: 'MEN SNOWBOUND FLY WITH PAUL'S Business - Pleasure - Emergency PAUL'S FLYING SERVICE Phone 1800-3'