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LONDON—(CP)—Cost of living has leaped to the highest figure since January, 1927. For every 155 pence needed on Sept. 1 to keep an average working-class household, 173 pence are now needed, an increase of more than 11 1-2 per cent.

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5:30 p.m.—News in English; Music. RNE, 12 meg., 25 m.

BUDAPEST

7:00 p.m.—"Military March." HAT4, 9.12 meg., 32.8 m.

LONDON

7:30 p.m.—Full News Bulletin. GSD, 11.75 meg., 25.5 m.; GSC, 9.58 meg, 31.3 m.

ROME

7:30 p.m.—News in English; Light Music; Tourist Notes. 2RO, 11.81 meg., 25.4 m.; IRF, 9.83 meg., 30.5 m.

MADRID

8:25 p.m.—News in English. EAQ, 9.86 meg., 30.4 m.

TOKYO

8:30 p.m.—Vocal Solo. JZK, 15.16 meg., 19.7 m.

EINDHOVEN

8:45 p.m — Transmission to South-Eastern U. S. A: PCJ, 9.59 meg., 31.2 m

BERLIN

9:00 p.m.—Current Events (English). DXB, 9.61 meg., 31.2 m; DJD, 11.77 meg., 25.4 m.

PARIS

9:15 p.m — Radio Sketches. TPB11, 11.88 meg., 25.2 m; TPA4, 11.71 meg., 25.6 m.

BERLIN

10:50 p.m.—News in English. DXB, 9.61 meg., 31.2 m.; DJC, 6.02 meg., 49.8 m.

LONDON

11:30 p.m.—Talk: "Matters of Moment." GSC, 9.58 meg., 31.3 m.

PARIS

12:15 a.m.—News in English. TPB11, 11.88 meg., 25.4 m.; TPA4, 11.71 meg, 25.6 m.

TOKYO

12:20 a.m.—Vocal Solo. JZI, 9.53 meg., 31.4 m.

Worst Snowstorm In Generation Hits U. S. South

ATLANTA, Jan. 23 —(AP) —The land of cotton shouldered an unaccustomed blanket of snow tonight and found it a wearying load.

In many areas it was the worst snowstorm of a generation. Atlanta's 9 1-2 inch fall set up a record for the city and 10 inches was an all-time mark for Jackson, Miss.

Shivering southerners dug in for several days' seige as meteorologists forecast temperatures considerably lower than the 25-30 degrees that accompanied the snow.

From southern Georgia west through mid-Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas and Louisiana to Texas snow piled up. In some places it measured an official foot.

Air, motor car and bus, train and water transportation was hampered.

The Dixie snow belt extended into the Carolinas and Virginia, spread over hilly Tennessee. Sub-freezing cold reached far south into the citrus belts of the Florida peninsula and Texas' Rio Grande Valley, endangering several millions of dollars worth of fruit. Earlier, it had dealt a heavy blow to tender truck crops in South Florida Mucklands.

The Central Guardian

This column is reserved for news of local interest but advertising of a newsy nature may be inserted at 5 cents a word strictly payable in advance.

ALL WALTZ PROGRAM at Forum tonight. Band. Admission 25c. L-842-1-24-1i.

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NAMES OMITTED —In the account of the Cormier and Duffy wedding in yesterday's paper, the names of the groom's parents, Mr. Frank Duffy and the late Mrs. Winnifred Duffy were inadvertently omitted.

BURIAL AT FORT AUGUSTUS —The funeral of Mrs. John Smith was held Monday morning from the residence of her son Phillip Smith, Websters Corner, to St. Patrick's Church, Fort Augustus, where Requiem High Mass was sung by the Pastor, Rev. L. Callaghan who also conducted the service at the grave. The pallbearers were six grandsons of the deceased: Reginald Smith, Ivan Smith, James Smith, Buddy Smith, Elmer Smith and Kenneth Smith.

TRAIN TWO HOURS LATE — The train with mails and passengers from the mainland arrived in Charlottetown two hours behind schedule last night. The greater part of the delay was due to late connections on the mainland, Canadian National Railway officials said. In addition the ferry Charlottetown lost time on the evening crossing because of ice conditions in Northumberland Strait. Heavy north west wind had piled drift ice hard against the Prince Edward Island shore, it was reported. Last night the ferry took double the time of a summer crossing to smash her way through the closely packed ice. On the first trip in the morning even heavier ice conditions were experienced.

ELECT OFFICERS —At the annual meeting of the Charlottetown Women's Liberal Club held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. J. Riley the entire slate of officers was re-elected. Officers, executive and patronesses are: Honorary President, rMs. H. J. Palmer; Past President, Mrs. Reuben Macdonald; President, Mrs. D. J. Riley; 1st Vice President, Mrs. Mark R. McGuigan; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. T. W. L. Prowse; 3rd Vice President, Mrs. H. J. Phillips; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Neil A. Matheson; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. John Rattenbury; Treasurer Mrs. G. A. McDonald. Executive members, Mrs. G. Kielly, Mrs. Geo. J. Tweedy, Mrs Gavin Harding, Mrs. E. T. Higgs, Mrs. Reuben Macdonald, Mrs. Benjamin Rogers, Jr. Patronesses: —Mrs. C. A. Dunning, Mrs. Peter Sinclair, Mrs. A. E. MacLean, Mrs. Thane A. Campbell.

"HUNS" HAVING HARD TIME —A threatening snow storm last night was bad news for our feathered friends, the hungarian partridge. Difficulty in obtaining food because of a hard crust of snow has caused these birds to become somewhat thinner this season, it has been learned. A snow storm at this time would make it increasingly hard for the "huns" to obtain food. There is still a large number of the birds in the Province despite the shooting during last fall. Many farmers are placing food out for the birds. As far as can be learned there has been no fatalities due to lack of food. If a thaw comes soon the lot of the hungarians will be bettered It has been over a decade since the hungarian partridge was imported to the Island by a group of interested sportsmen. Since then their number has increased rapidly.

DARRACH-CROSBY NUPTIALS —A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at the United Church Parsonage, Hampton, at 4 p. m. Saturday, December 30, 1939, when Rev. D. J. Morrison, united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Miss Marguerite Lillian Crosby, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Crosby, Bonshaw and Mr. John James Darrach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Darrach, Clyde River. The bride was becomingly attired in wine whipcord silk dress with wine accessories. The young couple were unattended. At the conclusion of the ceremony the bridal party motored to the home of the bride's parents, where immediate relatives and friends extended best wishes, after which all partook of a delicious wedding repast. The dining-room was artistically decorated with white wedding bells and streamers of pink and white hue. A toast to the bride and groom was given by Mr. Sterling MacLeod, uncle of the bride. The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful compartment vanity case. During the evening a good crowd of serenaders arrived to extend their best wishes for future happiness and after bouncing the groom, all departed to their respective homes. The young couple will reside in Clyde River where the groom is a prosperous farmer.

NORTH WILTSHIRE Y. P. U.— On Thursday of the Week of Prayer, January 11th, the Young People met at the home of Mrs. Bowman for our weekly meeting, which was also a social. Muriel Toombs and Lloyd Howatt were leaders for the evening, with the following as service: Hymn, "O God of Love"; Reading and prayer by Rev. Mr. McQuarrie, also a short comment on civilization as it is today. Hymn "In Christ There Is No East nor West". Prayer led by Rev. Mr. McQuarrie. Roll call was answered by 23 members, including two new members. Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted. Lillian Deacon then gave the financial report of the year ending 1939. Victor Deacon, Mr. Noye Mrs. L. Bowman and Gertie Toombs were appointed as helpers on the Fellowship Committee which is led by Miss Weeks. Offerings taken up amounted to $1.24. Need of new hymn books and repairing of the old ones was discussed. Reta Easter, Ethel Bowman and Mrs. Toombs were appointed on the Book Repairing Committee. A church play was also discussed. Reta Easter, Mrs. Noye and Emerson Deacon are on the committee. Next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. W. R. Clark. Mrs. Weeks is to have charge of this meeting. The rest of the evening was spent in social entertainment which consisted of contests and games. The National Anthem brought the meeting to a close.

HOORAY!

The Merry Minstrels are coming

Holy Name Hall

Tuesday, Jan. 30 and Wednesday, Jan. 31

RETURN TO MONTREAL — The regular Moncton flight was carried out on schedule by Canadian Airways yesterday. Mr. George G. Wakeman, General Traffic Manager, of the Trans-Canada Lines was an outgoing passenger on the afternoon trip He was enroute to his home in Montreal.

W. K. S. PARENTS-TEACHERS MEET—The West Kent Parent-Teacher Association met in the School Hall last evening, the new President, Dr. W. R. Carson presiding. After the usual business was transacted Mr. P. S. Bradley, Secretary of the Board of Education, gave an interesting address on Educational Problems. Discussion followed in which a number took part.

LENTEN SERMONS—There will be no special lenten speaker at St. Dunstan's Basilica this year, it was announced last night. For the past few years it has been the custom to have one of the Paulist Fathers from New York to preach the lenten services. This year, however, it has been decided that the sermons will be preached by clergy of the Basilica staff and also clergy of St. Dunstan's University staff.

LAID TO REST—The funeral of Captain Theodore Doucette was held yesterday morning from the residence of his son-in-law, Frederick McGuigan, 22 Chestnut St., to the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer where Requiem High Mass was sung by Rev. George McKenna, C.S.S.R. The pallbearers were: Messrs. Amos Gauthier, John Gauthier, Joseph Doiron, Henry Peters, and John Savidant. Service at the grave was conducted by Rev. R. L. H. Baynes, C. S. S. R.

REMAINS FORWARDED— The death occurred in the city, Jan 23rd of Mrs. Henrietta MacLean, dearly beloved wife of the late (Dr.) Angus MacLean, age 70 years. The body was forwarded from the residence of Capt. A. A. Macdonald, Hillsborough St., yesterday afternoon at 2:30 to C. N. R. depot, thence by train to Souris for burial. Honorary pallbearers to the station were: Messrs. D. J MacDonald, H. F. MacPhee, J. J. Morris, Roland Paton, S. A. MacLeod, Donald MacKinnon. Active pallbearers were: Messrs. William Flynn, J. A. MacDonald, Roderick Macdonald, Philip Rossiter, Weston Lowe. Mourners were: Capt. A. A. MacDonald, A. A. MacLean, Dr. Houston, Ex-Conductor John MacDonald.

SUPREME COURT —The case of John Doyle, plaintiff, vs. the Canadian National Railway Company, defendant, was heard by Mr. Justice Saunders at yesterday's sitting of the January term of the Supreme Court. A jury was selected last Thursday to hear this case and the Court adjourned until today. Messrs. W. E. Darby, Summerside, and I. C. Rand, C. N. R. regional counsel, Moncton, appeared for the C. N. R., and Mr. M Alban Farmer for the plaintiff The case arose out of the car ferry steamer "Charlottetown" being brought to this port on Jan. 6th, 1939, to release a steamer caught in the ice. The plaintiff alleged that the ferry in the course of her operations damaged his nets. He sought damages to the extent of $125—$75 for the smelt net and $50 to cover loss for his fishing season. After hearing the evidence the jury retired and brought in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff allowing him $35. damages for the net and $50 to cover his loss for the fishing season. Witnesses heard were: J. W. Boulter, Percy Williams, John Doyle, Francis Doyle, Peter Bird, Clayton Shaw, Capt John L. Read.

MISCELLANEOUS PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER—A miscellaneous shower was held on the night of December 27th, 1939, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Beaton, Bonshaw, in honor of Miss Marguerite Crosby, one of Bonshaw's popular young ladies. The seat of honor was prettily decorated for the occasion with white bell and pink and white streamers. To the strains of the wedding march, played by Mr. Peter MacDonald, the guest of honor was escorted to the decorated chair by Misses Irene MacLeod and Florence Moore. The gifts were conveyed in a prettily decorated basket by Misses Thelma Beaton and Mildred Sellar. The accompanying humorous verses were read by Miss Irene MacLeod and the gifts were arranged on the table by Miss Florence Moore The lovely display of beautiful gifts testify to the popularity of Miss Crosby. Miss Crosby in her usual pleasing manner thanked the donors for their many useful gifts, and extended her sincere thanks to Mr and Mrs. Beaton and The'ma for the use of their home for the evening's entertainment. All joined in singing "For She's A Jolly Good Fellow," after which the bride-to-be was bounced. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by some of the young ladies. The remainder of the evening was spent in chasing the glowing hours with flying feet. All wended their way homeward in the wee small hours of the morning, after having a very pleasant time.

Minard's kills pain.

St. Margaret's Credit Union Annual Meeting

Twenty-seven members of the St. Margaret's Credit Union, Ltd., braved the coldest night of the winter to attend their annual meeting on Jan. 18 Mr. Wilfred McPhee presided. Reports showed that this credit union, one of the youngest in the province, at the end of the year had 92 members and had done an encouraging amount of business. All officers were re-elected.

Rev. George MacDonald and W. F. Rose of Mt. Stewart addressed the meeting at the conclusion of the evening's business. Officers of the credit union for 1940 are:—Wilfred McPhee, President; Daniel O'Hanley, Vice President; Joseph Gillis, Treasurer; John A. McDonald, Donald J. MacDonald, Peter McPhee, Stephen Gillis. Directors.

Credit Committee: —R. C. McPhee, Melvin McPhee, George Gallant Allan J. MacDonald, Allan McCormack. Supervisory Committee: Rev. Geo. McDonald, Hugh McPhee, Donald Bryan.

INTER-CLASS HOCKEY— The first of the inter class hockey games in Prince of Wales College was played yesterday. Section A in second year went down to a 2-1 defeat by second years from Section C. The game was played on the open air rink built by the students last fall.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of the late Mrs. George Casford was held yesterday from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Hillier to St. Paul's Church thence to the People's Cemetery. Services were conducted by the Rev. LeDrew Gardiner. Pallbearers were: Messrs. W. E. Champion, W. W. Warren, Dr. W. H. Pethick, James Smith, George Cudmore and H. H. Horne.

L. P. U. ANNUAL BALL—The 38th annual Labourers Protective Union Ball, which was staged last night at the Sporting Club in Charlottetown was an unqualified success. A record crowd of over 500 people crowded into the building. Dancing which commenced early last night continued throughout the night and lasted until 5 a.m. this morning. The large crowd of dancers filled the commodious floor for every number on the program. Modern and old time dancing featured the evening's entertainment. The music for the occasion was furnished by Al Blanchard's orchestra. Scenes reminiscent of the last war were enacted last night as the uniforms of over 100 men from different military units swelled the ranks of civilians. Many of the popular war songs were echoed through the building as the orchestra struck up the tunes. "We'll Hang Out the Washing on the Siegfried Line," and "The Beer Barrel Polka" seemed to be the most popular as the soldiers led in the singing. Lunches were served in a room adjoining the dance hall and it is estimated that over 400 people were fed. Wives of the Union members waited on the tables. A perfect dance floor, with a highly polished surface, facilitated dancing at last night's Union Ball. The biggest advance sale of tickets on record, was announced last night by President Arthur Gormley.

Personals

Pte Harry Keating has returned to join his regiment after spending a few days with his wife and family in Glen Valley.

Mrs. Kenneth Thibodeau, Sydney, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P.S. Bradley, Hawthorne Avenue.

Mr. J. Lester Douglas, M. P., Senator Sinclair, and Senator Hughes, have left for Ottawa to attend Parliament which opens on Thursday next.

Mr. R. C. Hanson, of the British United Press staff, Montreal, was a visitor yesterday, calling upon the Rev Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Miller of Trinity Church.

Mrs. Laura Bustin and Miss Laura Stewart, delegates from Charlottetown, P. E. I., to the twentieth biennial convention of the New Brunswick branch of the King's Daughters and Sons in Saint John, have returned home.

U. S. Sidesteps Jap Proposal For Trade Plan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23—(AP)—The United States sidestepped today a Japanese request for a temporary commercial arrangement and told Japan that future commerical relations would depend upon developments in the Far East.

With the Japanese-American commercial treatly expiring Friday, Ambassador Kensuke Horinouchi was told by A. A. Berle, Assistant Secretay of State, in effect, that a new commercial treaty could be based only on a Japanese change of heart toward China and United States rights there.

Berle also informed Horinouchi that after Friday, Japanese merchants doing business in the United States would be regarded as temporary alien visitors subject to the immigration law of 1924. At present they have the status of "treaty merchants" with many rights and privileges.

The Ambassador aked whether, after Friday, there would be any change in import duties and tonnage rates. He was told that the expiration of the treaty did not of itself bring about any changes but that the American government had repeatedly made clear that future commerical relations would depend upon developments.

SUMMERVILLE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The January meeting of the Summerville Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Maurice Walsh on January 10th with an attendance of 10 members and two visitors .The President, Mrs. William Walsh, presided, roll call was answered by New Year Resolution. Reports from the different committees were read.

The following committee were appointed: Sick, Mrs. Maurice Walsh and Mary Murphy. Program, Miss Mary Doyle and Mrs. William Walsh.

A letter of thanks from the Tuberculosis League was read.

It was decided to suscribe for Institute News and to Lottery Fruit Cake.

Mrs. Arthur Cain kindly invited members for next meeting Roll call to be answered by "What women dislike most in men."

Meeting then adjourned by singing the National Anthem.

The remainder of the evening was spent in card playing, musical selections and contests

Minard's is good for sprains.

Trinity United Church

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24

3.30—7th Charlottetown Brownie Pack—Social Hall.

6.30—7th Charlottetown Guide Co.—Social Hall.

The Eastern Guardian

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SUBSCRIPTIONS to the Charlottetown Guardian may be handed to their Rept. Archie Hume.

BURNS CONCERT, Montague, January 25th. Pipes, Gaelic Songs, Scotch Dancing, Readings etc. Come and enjoy a real Scotch entertainment. L-803-1-23-2i

ON HOLIDAY — Mr. W. A. MacLaggan, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Montague left for a weeks visit to Halifax, N. S., —L

SERIOUS ACCIDENT— Friends will hear with regret that Mrs. Daniel Gordon, Montague had a fall today fracturing her hip, she was taken to the Kings County Hospital.—L

WELL KNOWN IN P. E. I.— The death occurred in Roslindale Mass., on January 8th of Mrs. Lannon, mother of Edgar Lannon of West Roxbury, Mass., and a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. L. H Douglas of Georgetown, P. E. I. Mr. Lannon, with his wife and family usually spends his summer vacation in Georgetown where he is well known.

MISSIONARY SLIDES —Lantern slides were shown in Montague United Church on Sunday after the evening service. The slides showing the work of our missionaries in Africa were sponsored by the Young People's Society and were most interesting. Miss Alva Brehaut read the Lecture, The Male Trio sang, "Lord I Want To Be A Christian" while the offering was taken. Tupper Hayward and Lloyd Sickles had charge of the lantern and showed the slides.—L

Personals

Miss Ruby Reynolds Montague, spent Sunday at her home in Murray River. L.

Mrs. J. H MacGregor is confined to the house with a severe cold. L

Miss Edna Fraser, Charlottetown, spent the weekend in Montague.—L

Four Customs Officers Are Acquitted

WINDSOR, Ont., Jan. 23—(CP)—Four customs officers were acquitted of conspiracy charges today but the fifth accused person, Sam Miller, Windsor owner, was convicted by a Supreme court jury of conspiracy to commit an indictable offence and of conspiracy to defraud the public.

Miller was acquitted on the third count of conspiracy to give or accept a bribe.

The three charges were similar in the cases of the four suspended customs officers, Norman Lepain, Carl Gough, Wilfrid Fletcher and Ed Mansell.

The lengthy trial was featured by evidence of another customs officer, David Armaly, that motor cars carrying alcohol frequently were passed by the customs officers without inspection. Armaly, who had been promised immunity in return for his evidence, told of definite sums of money being paid on account of each car that was passed without inspection.

Fear 100 Still Missing From Burned Liner

GENOA, Jan. 23—(AP)—Officials feared 100 passengers and crew from the burned Italian liner Orazio were still missing tonight after two rescue ships disembarked some 500 injured, forlorn survivors of the Mediterranean tragedy.

Two-thirds of those missing were members of the crew, lost when the storm-tossed liner burned Sunday on her way to Barcelona enroute to South America.

The Italian liners Biancamano and Colombo brought in 511 survivors, a prelinminary check showed, but officials said they feared a closer count might disclose fewer had been saved. Of the Orazio's 643 passengers and crew, 12 Germans were removed by a French patrol boat before the fire and 48 persons later were taken to Marseille by rescue ships.

Nearly half the survivors suffered from burns or other injuries and many were carried to hopsitals. Survivors said one lifeboat had been swamped as the blazing liner was abandoned and all occupants were feared lost while many more died from exposure as cold waves drenched the boats.

Members of the Orazio's crew told investigators that the fire, which began about 4 a.m, Sunday, resulted from an explosion that ignitel fuel oil.

They said sparks from a burned piston in an auxiliary engine room probably set off the blast after the piston became so hot from friction that it burned up its lubricating oil.

TO-MORROW
(THURSDAY)
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SPECIAL MEETING
THURSDAY, JANUARY 25th
8.00 P. M.
Full Attendance Requested

To Retaliate If Non-military Points Bombed

TORONTO, Jan. 23 —(CP) —If non-military objectives are attacked by German planes, Britain and France will not hesitate to bomb German industrial centres, Lord Marley deputy speaker of the House of Lords and chief labor whip in it, told the Ontario legislature today.

Lord Marley, introduced by Premier Mitchell Hepburn, spoke to the members before orders of the day were taken up. Women and children have not been evacuated from the German industrial centres, he said.

"An attack would lead to loss of civilian life and the accusation we were attacking women and children which would be used as excuse to justify similar attacks by our opponents.

"But if they attack, we shall not hesitate —not to attack women and children—but to attack those great industrial centres of the Rhineland which are easily vulnerable. There can be no possibility of failure in the destruction of these centres if and when we find it necessary to undertake it."

The British peer voiced appreciation for Canada's war effort.

"The training of air force pilots will turn out perhaps to be your greatest contribution to the eventual successful conclusion of military operations," he said. The industrial development to be brought about by war would be a great factor in Canada's after-war industrial expansion.

In Memoriam

MISS ELIZABETH EMILY CLARK

There passed away in Summerside on the morning of January 16, 1940, Miss Elizabeth Emily Clark, in her 97th year.

Born in Cavendish on October 4, 1843, she was the last member of the family of the late David Clark and his wife, Mary S. Dix Bagnall Clark of Hazel Grove.

In early life Miss Clark moved to Charlottetown and set up a dressmaking establishment there, living there for a number of years, making many friends. In the year 1884 she with her sister Alice moved to Truro, N. S., where they continued to work at the dressmaking trade for some time. From Truro they went to Wolfville and established a boarding house for students of Acadia College, carrying on quite successfully for some time, until ill-health and home ties created a wish to return to the Island, which she did and for the past eight years had made her home with her nephew, Mr. J. Wilbur Clark and family at Summerside, where she passed away to her eternal reward.

Miss Clark was fond of reading and having a retentive memory had an intelligent interest in passing events. She was also very capable with her needle, and being always busy many pieces of her handiwork are in the possession of relatives and are very highly prized by them and appreciated.

Miss Clark was the last surviving charter member of the Cavendish Baptist Church which dates back to 1869. Miss Clark was always much interested in the work of that church. Her funeral was held from there on January 18th. Although the day was the coldest day this winter many old friends came to pay their last tribute of respect to an honoured friend. The service was conducted by Rev. George Tilley of the United Church, whose text from Job 5-26 "Thou shalt come to thy grave in a full age, like a shock of corn cometh in his season", was most appropriate. Hymns sung were favorites of the deceased. "The Lord is My Shepherd", "What a Friend We Have In Jesus" and "Abide With Me."

The pall bearers were: Messrs. J. Wilbur Clark, Ernest Clark and Fred Clark, nephews of the deceased, and Walter Buntain, Roy Toombs and Louis Toombs. Interment was in the family plot at Cavendish Cemetery.—S.

COURT CLERKS SAYING PLEASE

NEW YORK, Jan. 24—(CP) — Instead of rapping on a desk with a pencil and telling lawyers and spectators at court openings to "Draw near and give your attention," Supreme Court clerks in the Ninth Judicial District of White Plains will henceforth say: "All arise please, the Justice of the Supreme Court Hear ye, hear ye, this, the Supreme Court of the State of New York, is now in session. Please be seated."

TOULON, France—Italian liner Orazio, 900 aboard, burns in Mediterranean, three ships picking up survivors.

Girl Guide News

A GOLDEN LINK FOR THE NEW YEAR

At this time, when each of us is questioning in which way lies her duty—whether she can best serve through the medium of Guiding or through some specific avenue of War Work—it is well for us to remember that the Home Front must be kept strong and as cheerfully normal as possible.

Guiding is National Service in a special sense of the word; and our Guide Law leads the way to high ideals of loyalty and service.

As Guides we are pledged to practice an active spirit of friendship and understanding for ourselves and for others. By the practice of this spirit at home, at work and at play we can make a valuable contribution not only to the life of our own country, but towards a world in which peace and goodwill shall prevail against the forces of cruelty and injustice.

On January 11th, 1910, the very first Canadian Guide Company was registered. During these thirty years the constant and deepening growth of our Movement has seemed to prove the need for it. The one Company has expanded to over 2,500 Companies and Packs with a membership of over 60,000 girls and women, all working and playing together for the one end, namely, to help toward a better Canada.

Co-operation and unity of purpose can accomplish much. Guides! let us carry on, so that the next thirty years may see even greater progress in goodwill, mutual understanding and helpfulness.

To each member of our Guide family, I send an invisible Golden Link for the New Year, as a reminder of the chain of Guiding which is forged through friendship and made bright through service. May each new link formed in 1940 shine with the joy of new friendships and greater service.

SARAH T. WARREN,
Chief Commissioner

FIXED EASTER IN NEW ORDER

NEW YORK, Jan. 23—(CP) — Eventual adoption of an "ideal" calendar by the World Calendar Association would see a fixed Easter. When and if a new calendar is adopted, every year will have an equal chance of parading forth a fine Easter in Spring. But until then the day may be anytime between March 21 and April 25, as it will be in 1943.

HONG KONG—Chinese military dispatches report setbacks for Japanese troops in Southeastern China.

BIRTHS

GAUDET—At the Prince County Hospital January 22nd, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gaudet a son.

ROE—At the Prince County Hospital January 19th., 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roe, Porthill a daughter.

CAMPBELL—To Hon. Premier Thane A. Campbell, K. C., and Mrs. Campbell, January 20th., 1940, a daughter.

CROZIER—At the Prince County Hospital January 22nd., 1940, to Mr. and Mrs Ira Crozier, a son.

DesROCHES—At the City Hospital, Jan. 13, 1940, to Major and Mrs. J.S. DesRoches, a son.

BLANCHARD—At the City Hospital, Jan. 22, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs Urban Blanchard (nee Theresa McInnis) a son.

MARRIAGES

MacKENZIE-MacLEOD —At Zion Manse, on Saturday, Jan. 20th, 1940, by the Rev. G. Carlyle Webster, Miss Letitia Jean MacLeod of Glasgow Road to Mr Robert Coles MacKenzie of Milton.

DEATHS

MacSWAIN—At Rosencath on December 28, 1939, Mrs. John MacSwain, aged 58 years. Funeral from her late residence on December 30

MACLEAN —In Charlottetown Jan. 23, 1940, Mrs. Henrietta MacLean, age 70 years dearly beloved wife of the late Dr Angus MacLean. Remains forwarded to Souris for burial.

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