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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES DEATHS

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BIRTHS

BURNETT-At the P. E. I. Hospital, January 23rd, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Ian A. Burnett, a daughter, Carol Lynn Rose.

MOONEY-At the Souris Hospital on January 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Xavier Mooney, Bear River, (Katheryn Kelly) a son, 8 lbs., 5 oz., Kenneth Francis.

KELLY-At the Souris Hospital on January 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kelly, Bear River (nee Pansy McKenzie) a daughter, 6 lbs., 10 oz., Celia Rosemary.

HURRY-At the P. E. I. Hospital on January 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hurry, Winsloe, a daughter, Audrey Joan, 7 lbs., 11 oz.

MACDONALD-At the Charlottetown Hospital on Jan. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald A. MacDonald, Glenfinnan, a son (weight 8 1/2 lbs.).

MARRIAGES

TUDOR-PIGOTT-On Thursday evening, January 5, 1950, in the Warriors' Chapel, St. John's Anglican Church, Ottawa, by Rev. T. J. Finlay, Isabel Gladys, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fulton E. Pigott, of Savage Harbour, to Maurice Henry, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tudor, of Ottawa.

DEATHS

ASHLEY-Died at Toronto, Ont., January 4th, 1950, Adam J. Ashley, aged 72, formerly of Appleton Road, P. E. I., leaving two brothers to mourn his loss, J. Washley, Appleton Road and John A. Ashley, Riverview.

OWEN-At Hamilton on Jan. 23, Mrs. Lea Owen, age 69. Funeral from her late residence, Wednesday at 2 p.m., Interment Malpeque Cemetery.

LAWLESS-At her home in Kinkora on Jan. 23, 1950, Mrs. Frances Lawless. The funeral will take place on Thursday, Jan. 26, leaving her late residence at 9 a.m. Requiem Mass in St. James Church, Summersfield, Burial in the adjoining cemetery.

STEWART-At the P. E. I. Hospital, Monday, January 23rd, Miss Bessie J. Stewart of Union Road in her 68th year. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home. Funeral from Harrington Presbyterian Church tomorrow (Wednesday) service starting at 2:00 o'clock. Interment Harrington cemetery.

MACCALLUM-Suddenly at Charlottetown on Jan. 22, Mrs. Eben L. MacCallum, in her 77th year. Resting at the residence of her son, Kenneth MacCallum, St. Peter's from where the funeral will be held to St. Peter's United Church, tomorrow (Wednesday) service starting at 2:30. Interment Midgill cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our darling Leah Mae Canfield, who passed away January 24th, 1941.

Times of sadness still come o'er us Tears in silence often flow Memory keeps you ever near us, Since you left nine years ago.

Lovingly Remembered by Mother and Father.

N. D. MacLean

UNDERTAKER EMBALMER Charlottetown and North Wiltsford PHONE 149

Hospital Has Biggest Patient

CHERTSEY, Surrey, England, Jan. 23 (AP)—Ernest Evans is eight feet, six inches tall. He weighs 434 pounds. And he's flat on his back — on two beds placed end to end — in St. Peter's Hospital here. He is the biggest case St. Peter's ever had. Evans was trucked in for a minor knee operation. It took 11 male nurses to move him. The staff couldn't figure out a good way to lift him unconscious on to the operating table. He had to climb on himself and then take the anaesthetic.

Gleanings of a Rural District New Glasgow

Miss Marion Stevenson is the guest of her young friends Misses Doris and Nell Andrew, and while there she is attending Mayfield School.

In a recent letter to his parents, Mr. George Andrew stated while attending skil school up the Laurentians, it was hard to get the practice due to the absence of snow.

Mrs. Ernest McNeill returned to her home after a pleasant visit with her brother, Rev. W. J. and Mrs. McLeod.

Miss Martha Brown is confined to her home with a severe cold. Her many friends look forward to her being about as usual, as she is much missed for her jovial and understanding personality.

The many friends of Mrs. Brenton Dickleson will be sorry to learn of her indisposition. While coming out from her home on Monday evening she slipped, causing her to fall, which resulted in a bad shaking up, as well as injury to her ribs.

Mrs. Henry Bernard had the misfortune to fall in her home on Sunday evening fracturing her hip. She was rushed to the P. E. Island Hospital where she is resting as comfortable as can be expected. Her numerous friends will look forward to her speedy recovery.

Neighbours and friends of the district gathered in the local hall on Monday evening and in the form of a shower, presented household necessities to Mr. Kenneth Stevenson and Mrs. Edwin Stevenson and family. The guests of the evening were escorted to the platform by Mrs. Earle Houston and Messrs. John Bulman and Harland Hill, while the chairman Mr. Lorne Stevenson, in a well worded speech, opened the program. The gifts were opened by Mrs. Roy Dickleson, Mrs. Foster Sellar, Mrs. Revell Dickleson, and Mrs. Earl Houston. The accompanying verses were read by Mrs. Harland Hill, while the lovely variety of gifts were placed on the table by Mrs. Lorne Stevenson. Mr. Edwin Stevenson expressed thanks on behalf of the family, and said although they had a great loss, they had found many friends. With Mrs. George Dickleson as organist, all joined in singing Auld Lang Syne, and a jolly song was enjoyed. A delicious lunch was served by the ladies, which was enjoyed by all.

HEALTH RECORD In 1940, Toronto achieved a world record for diphtheria cases when there was not a single case of diphtheria.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Catholic Social Welfare Bureau will be held Wednesday, Jan. 25 at 8 p.m. in the Knights of Columbus Hall (Bank of Commerce Building, Grafton St.). Members and those interested are requested to attend.

ROY D. MACGILLIVRAY, President.

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 payable in advance.

COOK'S for Photographs.

THE NATION'S BUSINESS. — M. J. Coldwell will speak over C. B. A. Tuesday, January 24th, at 8:45 P. M.

ALL CREPE. Taffeta Dresses, etc. clearing at 33 1-3 off at The Fashion Shoppe.

CLYDE RIVER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. The annual congregational meeting will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 25th at 2:30 p.m. If not time the following day at the same time, Rev. G. Carlyle Webster, interim moderator.

FIREMEN CALLED — City firemen were called out about 12:30 last night to attend a small fire at the rear of Benjamin's Second Hand Store on Richmond Street. The fire was thought to have originated from ashes which were dumped in a small lean-to adjoining the store. Two fire engines and their crews answered the call. Damage was slight.

C. W. L. CARD PARTY — The first of a series of weekly card parties, sponsored by the local C. W. L., was held last night in the League rooms and was well attended. The following are the prize winners: Men's first, H. A. MacLeod, second, V. McInnis, Ladies first Miss Annie Joseph, second, Mrs. W. D. Berrigan. Door prize, Mr. Ben Callaghan. Freeze-out winners, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kelly.

CITY POLICE COURT — At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court yesterday, a man convicted of possession of stolen goods was sentenced to 30 days in jail. Two men and one woman, all charged with being drunk and disorderly appeared. One was sentenced to 10 days in jail and the other two were remanded, one until today and the other until Thursday. Two drunk and incapable also appeared, one being fined \$20 and costs and the other \$10 and costs or 20 days. A man charged with vagrancy was dismissed.

Personals

Miss Ella Cronin of the Gloria Ladies' Wear left for Montreal yesterday on a buying trip.

Mr. Clive MacMillan spent a pleasant week-end in Halifax, the guest of friends.

Mr. Ernest Larkin, R.C.N., has returned to his base after spending a very enjoyable vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Larkin, St. Peter's Bay. He also spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. J. W. McQuaid of Charlottetown.

B. C. Drama Festival Winners

VANCOUVER, Jan. 23 (CP)—Everyman Theatre's second entry in the British Columbia Regional Drama Festival, the Biblical story of "Noah," by Andre Ober, Saturday night won the Hamber Award for the best play of the festival. Adjudicator Maxwell Wray of London praised the Sydney Risk production, presented as the final play of the week, for its "sense of drama and sincerity" and for the "teamwork of the actors."

Second place for the best drama exclusive of the winning play, went to the Elsie Graham Drama Group's presentation of Lillian Hellman's "The Little Foxes." Judged the best comedy, and President-elect of the Nova Scotia Dramatic Association, announced last night Dr. McGuigan, who had been appointed chairman of the first annual Maritime Convention held at St. Andrew's, N. B., last year, said the purpose of these gatherings was to bring members of the profession up to date on the newest techniques and methods used to combat dental caries, the most prevalent of all diseases.

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FIRST ON CONTINENT

Opened in 1890, the Ontario Government Laboratory was the first public health institution of its kind in North America.

RICH HARVEST During 1948 agriculture production in Ontario reached the \$1,000,000,000 mark.

COUGHS EASED with antiseptic Boots BRONCHIAL Lozenges 50¢ per Drug Store

Coroner's Jury Fails To Agree On Verdict

A coroner's inquest resumed last night at the Town Hall, Summerside, to inquire into the cause of death of James Crossman, 73, who was found dead in a cell in the Prince County Jail on January 8th with a double tier steel bunk across his body.

After evidence was taken from seventeen witnesses, the coroner's jury deliberated and at an early hour this morning reached a disagreement and stated that according to the evidence submitted they were unable to come to any verdict as to the cause of death.

The next move in the case was not announced.

The hearing was conducted before Coroner Dr. Austin Delaney and the members of the jury were: Ralph Dodds, foreman, Herb Stright, Ray Tanton, Louis Polinger, Vernon Arsenault, John Steele, Norman MacDonald.

Medical evidence given by Dr. Clure Tanton, who performed the autopsy, stated that he found four ribs broken on each side of the body. The breast bone was broken in two places. In his opinion death was caused by internal hemorrhage from a cut in the lungs through which he had slowly died.

Dr. Tanton said it would require a great deal of force to produce the injuries found. Contents of the stomach and blood showed sufficient alcoholic content to consider he had been seriously intoxicated. Although it was only a personal supposition, Dr. Tanton said his impression was that the deceased had been struck by some heavy object, the wheel of a car for example, for the infliction of the injuries would require the application of several hundred pounds of pressure applied for an appreciable length of time.

He said he could have received these injuries and still remain conscious for one or two hours and even feel no pain as the alcohol would serve as an anesthetic. Nothing could have been done to save his life, Dr. Tanton said, even after being picked up by the police and given immediate attention.

Crossman was picked up on First Street by Constable Don Davies of the R.C.M.P., who after trying to get a taxi to take him home then brought him to the police station and turned him over to the local police. Evidence submitted showed that the deceased asked not to be taken home but to be taken to jail. He was lodged in the cell at about midnight by the police. At approximately two o'clock another prisoner, Samuel McAusland, was placed in the same cell.

At daybreak on Sunday morning, January 8th, McAusland called the janitor and told him that there was a dead man in the cell. Janitor did not believe him and half an hour later McAusland again called him. It was then about eight o'clock and the jailer was called. The jailer went into the cell and then immediately called Dr. W. B. Howatt who after examining the body pronounced the man dead.

Maritime Dentists To Hold Meeting

A second convention of dentists of the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland will be held at the Pines Hotel, Digby, next August 30 to September 2 inclusive, Dr. J. P. McGuigan, President of the Halifax Dental Society and President-elect of the Nova Scotia Dental Association, announced last night Dr. McGuigan, who had been appointed chairman of the first annual Maritime Convention held at St. Andrew's, N. B., last year, said the purpose of these gatherings was to bring members of the profession up to date on the newest techniques and methods used to combat dental caries, the most prevalent of all diseases.

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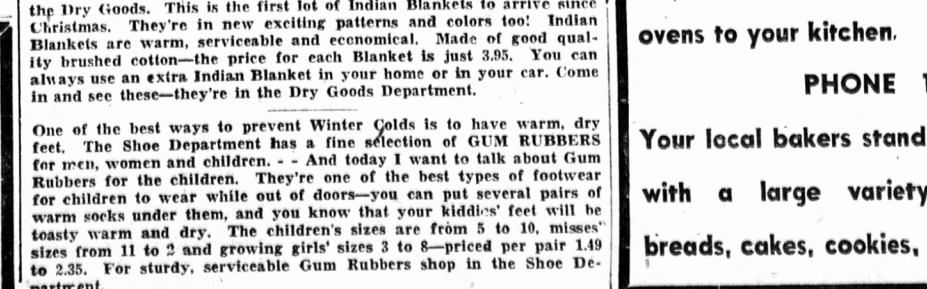
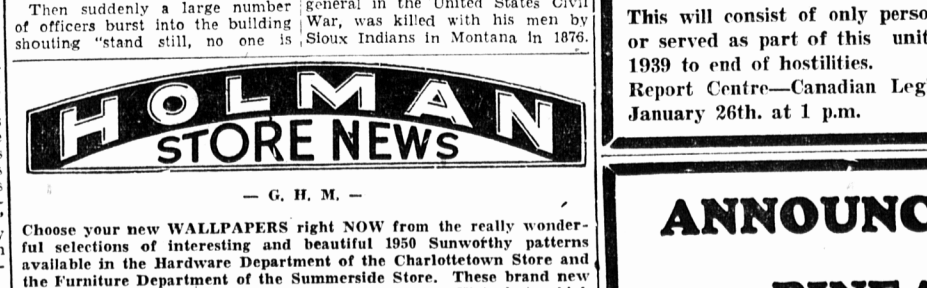
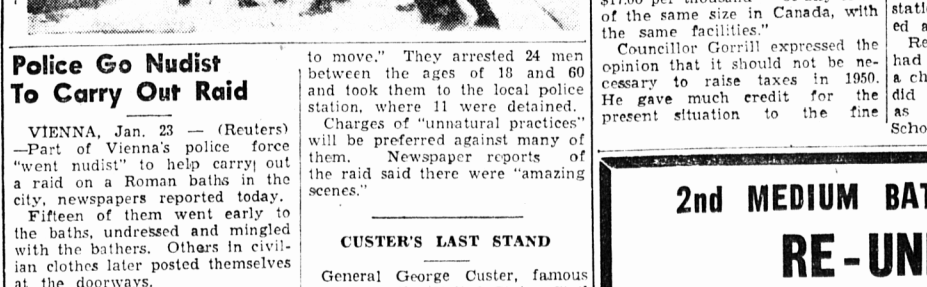
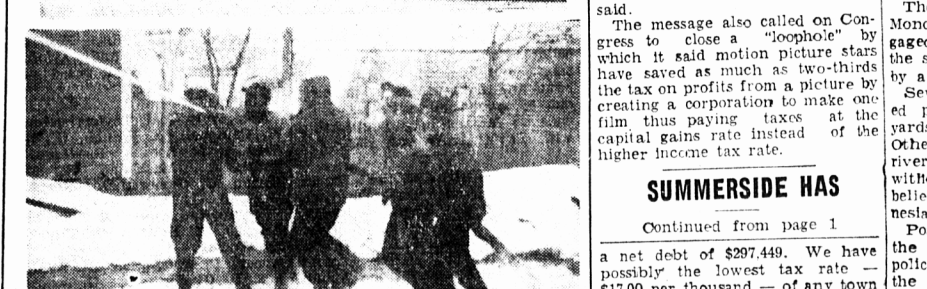
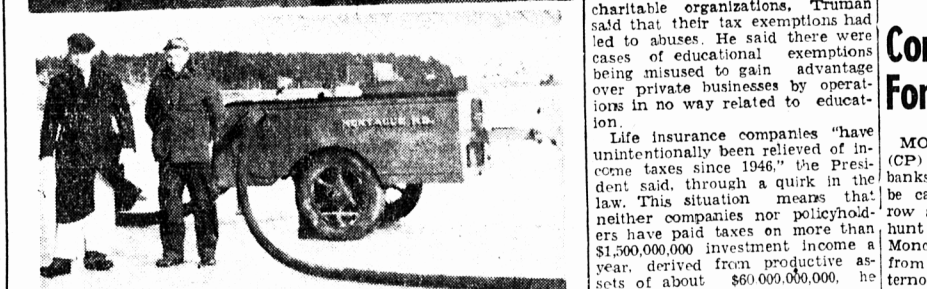
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MADE ARCTIC PASSAGE

The Norwegian explorer, Roald Amundsen, was the first to take a ship from the Atlantic to the Pacific through the Arctic Ocean, at the beginning of the present century.

K. OF C. CARD PARTY Knights of Columbus will hold an auction 45 card party for members and friends in their home tonight, 8:15.

Scenes At Masonic Temple Fire In Montague



Above and left are pictures of the Masonic Temple fire at Montague last Friday morning. The top picture and one below are two views of the brick and tile building during the fire, which caused damage unofficially estimated at \$25,000. The building, constructed in 1926, was gutted. The two lower pictures are other scenes at the fire. One shows a pumper from the Montague Fire Department on Montague River ice where some of the water to fight the fire was secured. The bottom picture shows a group of volunteer firemen handling a hose during the blaze in near-zero weather. — Photos by courtesy G. Clements.

leadership of Mayor Arnett and also thanked the Town Clerk and staff.

The statement of revenue and expenditure showed that the two largest items of revenue are property taxes of \$86,225 and electric light department \$68,889.82. The last item is made up of light revenue, debenture interest and sinking fund provision.

At the conclusion of the report Mayor Arnett commented that it was very credible. Councillor Henry Wedge also congratulated Councillor Gorrell on his splendid report. On motion of Councillor Wedge, seconded by Councillor T. D. Morrison, a new street on "The Hill" between Central and Duke Streets was named Highland Avenue and a new street between Water and Notre Dame Street was named West Street.

Councillor Morrison said that the construction of the new wing on the electric light plant to house the new unit is coming along very well.

Fire Report

Councillor H. B. Schurman reported that fire losses in the Town for 1949 amounted to \$58,500. He said that the fire which destroyed the property of Palmer and Williams Ltd. was the greatest loss, amounting to \$45,000. Now that the Town has a surplus, he thought it would be a good time to press for new fire equipment. With a new hospital, new post office and possibly a new rink being built, new equipment was needed all the more. He thought that when the new committee is appointed it should get the Fire Department the best equipment it can get.

Officials for the coming civic election were appointed as follows: East Ward, returning officer, Donald Lidstone; poll clerk, George Glow; door keeper, Sara Gallant.

West Ward: Returning officer, W. B. McNeill; poll clerk, William Corney; door keeper, Hazen MacDonald. Centre Ward: Returning officer, R. T. Dodds; poll clerk, Jack Carruthers; door keeper, Albert Gay.

Councillor Gerald Sheen reported that 88 1/2 per cent of the property taxes had been paid by the end of the year.—S

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ed, he said, but not by giving "hundreds of millions of dollars annually in tax exemptions to a favored few at the expense of the many."

Truman did not recommend how this law should be changed.

Cites Abuses

Turning to educational and charitable organizations, Truman said that their tax exemptions had led to abuses. He said there were cases of educational exemptions being misused to gain advantage over private businesses by operations in no way related to education.

Life insurance companies "have unintentionally been relieved of income taxes since 1946," the President said, through a quirk in the law. This situation means that neither companies nor policyholders have paid taxes on more than \$1,500,000,000 investment income a year, derived from productive assets of about \$60,000,000,000, he said.

The message also called on Congress to close a "loophole" by which it said motion picture stars have saved as much as two-thirds the tax on profits from a picture by creating a corporation to make out the film thus paying taxes at the capital gains rate instead of the higher income tax rate.

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a net debt of \$297,449. We have possibly the lowest tax rate — \$17.00 per thousand — of any town of the same size in Canada, with the same facilities."

Councillor Gorrell expressed the opinion that it should not be necessary to raise taxes in 1950. He gave much credit for the present situation to the fine

Continue Search For Missing Man

MONCTON, N.B., Jan. 23 (CP) — An aerial search of the banks of the Petitcodiac River will be carried out at low tide tomorrow as part of the ever-expanding hunt for Harris C. Harper, 48. Moncton school principal, missing from his home since Saturday afternoon.

The Times and Transcript, Moncton's newspapers, have engaged a private pilot to carry out the search. He will be accompanied by a staff photographer.

Several hundred volunteers joined police today in a search of yards and buildings in the city. Others patrolled the banks of the river and creeks north of the city without result. Police said they believed he had suffered an amnesia attack.

Possibility that Harper had left the city was being investigated by police. When last seen, he was near the Canadian National Railway station shortly after he had visited a doctor for routine treatment. Relatives said Harper's health had been reasonably good. He had a chronic nervous disposition which did not interfere with his duties as principal of Prince Edward School.

2nd MEDIUM BATTERY R.C.A. RE-UNION This will consist of only personnel who enlisted with or served as part of this unit from 1st. September, 1939 to end of hostilities. Report Centre—Canadian Legion Home, Grafton St. January 26th. at 1 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT PINEAU'S HOME BAKERY Will now deliver an order to your home. Delivery 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. daily. Get your fresh-baked goods direct from our ovens to your kitchen. PHONE 1686-J Your local bakers stand ready to serve you with a large variety of freshly-baked breads, cakes, cookies, pies, etc

HOLMAN STORE NEWS — G. H. M. —

Choose your new WALLPAPERS right NOW from the really wonderful selections of interesting and beautiful 1950 Sunworthy patterns available in the Hardware Department of the Charlottetown Store and the Furniture Department of the Summerside Store. These brand new Sunworthy Papers, made by the Boxer Company are Waterfast, which means that you can keep them speck and span by washing off spots or smudges — isn't that an advantage! For the newest and best of Wallpapers, come to Holman's.

Roses are red Violets are blue The China has Count's VALENTINES For all your loves and you!

There's really a super collection of Valentines in the China Department of the Summerside Store. Lacy, frilly, sentimental tokens of love — Cute comic ones for kiddies and personal Valentines for members of your family. Come see them, and choose the ones you want — Valentines are priced from 5 cents to 1.00 each in the Summerside China Dept.

A new shipment of INDIAN BLANKETS has just been received by the Dry Goods. This is the first lot of Indian Blankets to arrive since Christmas. They're in new exciting patterns and colors too! Indian Blankets are warm, serviceable and economical. Made of good quality brushed cotton — the price for each Blanket is just 3.95. You can always use an extra Indian Blanket in your home or in your car. Come in and see these — they're in the Dry Goods Department.

One of the best ways to prevent Winter Colds is to have warm, dry feet. The Shoe Department has a fine selection of GUM RUBBERS for men, women and children. — And today I want to talk about Gum Rubbers for the children. They're one of the best types of footwear for children to wear while out of doors — you can put several pairs of warm socks under them, and you know that your kiddie's feet will be toasty warm and dry. The children's sizes are from 5 to 10, misses' sizes from 11 to 2 and serving girls' sizes 3 to 8 — priced per pair 1.49 to 2.35. For sturdy, serviceable Gum Rubbers shop in the Shoe Department.