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MONDAY

HOME FROM OTTAWA —The Hon. G. H. Barbour, Minister of Public Works and Highways, and Mr. Gordon White, engineer of the Department, returned from Ottawa last night.

RECEIVES SAD NEWS — Mrs. Carl Olsen, 54 Edward Street has received the sad news of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. J. H. Vaat in Kitchener, Ontario.

The staff and patients at Falconwood Hospital were entertained to a variety concert on Friday evening by a group of artists organized by Mr. Jimmy Power of Jimmy's Taxi, who not only arranged the concert, but also provided transportation to and from the Hospital for the performers.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of George Victor Essery was held from the MacLean Funeral Home yesterday afternoon. Service was conducted by Mr. J. T. Ibbott. Interment Peoples Cemetery. The pallbearers were Robert Wakelin, Richard Vessey, Seymour McInnis, Henry Josey, John Currie, D. L. MacKinnon.

VISITING NATIVE PROVINCE — Mrs. C. H. Warren, Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, and Mrs. J. R. Gibbons, Edmonton, Alberta, are visiting their native Island, after an absence of many years. At present they are the welcome guests of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Pomroy Murray, Bradalbane, en route to visit their brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sellick, Brackley.

Funeral services for Wilfred L. Crowley of Columbia Road, Dorchester, Mass., veteran of World War I and active in civic affairs in Ward 7, who died Feb. 21st, were held at St. Augustine's Church Monday. Rev. Christopher C. O'Neil was the celebrant of a solemn high mass of requiem, assisted by Rev. Daniel E. Hurley as deacon and Rev. Joseph McGoldrick as sub-deacon.

His wife was formerly Catherine E. Connolly of Charlottetown, who predeceased him by 10 years.

Mr. John A. MacPhee, formerly of Bellevue, P.E.I. passed from this life on Feb. 10, 1947. For some time he had been an invalid and he now rests from his trials.

Having been born in Bellevue eighty-five years ago, he spent most of his life in that district. He was a highly respected citizen and a man honoured by all who knew him.

He leaves to mourn his widow, the former Annie MacPherson, after fifty-two years of married life. Three children also survive him and three predeceased him. Those living are, Mrs. Arthur Fink (Katharine), Mrs. Malcolm MacPherson (Buena) both of Mass. U. S. A., and John of Upper Montague, P.E.I. He also leaves 10 grand children and four great grand children.

Plans for a mammoth reunion of the North Nova Scotia Highlanders of the Third Canadian Division, Saturday, August 16 at Amherst, were finalized at a meeting held Saturday at Truro, N.S.

The North Nova Scotia Highlanders was a composite battalion formed in Amherst in 1940, from personnel of the Prince Edward Island Highlanders, Cape Breton Highlanders, Pictou Highlanders and North Nova Scotia Highlanders (M.G.) They formed part of the all Highland Ninth Brigade of the Division which took part in the D-day assault on the French coast of Normandy on June 6, 1944.

The local planning committee for the reunion includes, Lieut.-Col. J. D. Stewart, Major Allan Nicholson, Major Jack Wright, Major J.A. Macdonald, M.L.A., W.R. Burnett and Harry Bishop.

(Malden News, Feb. 26)

Allan Stuart, 26A James St., a retired veteran El conductor running out of the Medford garage, passed away last night at the Hospital after a brief illness of complications, aged 83 years.

Mr. Stuart was born at New London, P.E.I., and had resided in Malden for more than 60 years. He was employed by the El for half a century and was retired ten years ago. He celebrated his golden wedding anniversary nine years ago.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Marie Eleanor Stuart, one son Charles A. of Waverly and two daughters, Mrs. Annie M. Tarbell, 27 Talbot St., and Mrs. Jessie L. Theriau of Cambridge, two grand and two great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held Friday at two o'clock at the Sprague funeral home with interment at Wyoming cemetery.

Stricken with a cerebral haemorrhage at 4.30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. James Trainor of 235 Elm St. West, resident of Sudbury died early Feb. 12th at her home. Always active in church and charitable organizations here the deceased was born in Crapaud, P.E.I. Her maiden name was Lavinia McKenna. She was married to James Trainor in 1899 and lived in Charlottetown, P.E.I., and Toronto. Her husband predeceased her in July, 1914. She took up residence in Sudbury in 1934 and has resided here since that time. A member of St. Clement's Roman Catholic Church here, the late Mrs. Trainor took an active part in the Women's Auxiliary, League of the Sacred Heart, Legion of Mary and the Catholic Women's League. She is survived by four children, Winnifred, a teacher at St. Aloysius School in Sudbury, Rita, also of Sudbury, Cyril, assistant manager of National Employment Service in Sudbury and Joseph, with the C.P.R. in Montreal. In addition to her immediate family she is also survived by one sister, Rev. Mother Constance, of St. John, N.B., and one brother, Charles McKenna of Manchester, N.H.

—HOME BEREAVED — The residents of Wellington, P. E. I., and of the surrounding districts were shocked to learn of the death in the Prince County Hospital, of Mrs. David A. Cameron, of Wellington, P. E. I. The late Mrs. Cameron, born in 1880, was the daughter of William MacLeod and Christina MacDougall. She had entered the Prince County Hospital on January 26th with a broken hip, the result of having been thrown from a horse and sleigh on her way to Sunday Mass. Despite all medical aid, and the fondest and most loving care, she passed to her eternal rest early Tuesday morning, February 11th. The deceased taught school in Cross River for a number of years prior to her marriage, after which she made her home in Wellington, where she had resided until her death. She was a devout member of the Roman Catholic Church and took an active part in all Church activities. She was administered the last rites of the Catholic Church by Rev. Fr. White of Summerside. She leaves to mourn the loss of a fond and loving mother, two daughters, Mamie, housekeeper with Rev. Fr. Croken of St. Teresa's, Evelyn, Mrs. Archie Campbell of Summerside, and six sons, George, of Harvey, N.B., Clifford, of Wellington, Roland, of New Glasgow, N. S., Billie, of Halifax, N. S., Bennie, of Wellington on the homestead, and Felix of New Glasgow, N. S., all of whom were with their mother in her last days.

TUESDAY

HAS RECOVERED — Mr. Wes Nicholson, barber, who has been ill for two months with arthritis, has recovered and is able to be back at work.

VITAL STATISTICS REPORT—The vital statistics report, submitted to the City Council last night by Dr. B.C. Keeping, City Health Officer, showed there were 62 births, 19 deaths, and 11 marriages in the City last month.

—ENTERS TRAINING — Miss Ruth Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Kelly, Summerside, has entered the Charlottetown Hospital School of Nursing as a student nurse.—S.

V.D. REPORT—Sixty-one persons in the City, 37 males and 24 females, are receiving treatment for venereal disease, Dr. B.C. Keeping, City Health Officer, informed the City Council last night. Eleven of the 61 cases are new ones—eight of them female.

SUSPENDED SENTENCE — William Forrest MacDonald, Charlottetown, who pleaded guilty February 26, last, before Stipendiary-Magistrate Gilbert A. Gaudet of having committed bigamy, was granted a two-year suspended sentence yesterday.

PREMIER NAMED DIRECTOR —Premier J. Walter Jones has received notice that he has been appointed an honorary director of the Canadian National Exhibition Toronto. The notification from the Exhibition officials was received yesterday.

FUNERAL SERVICES — The funeral of the late Mr. Samuel Smith was held from Rose Valley Church on Saturday, March 8th. The services at the church and grave were conducted by the Rev. J. I. Morrison of Hunter River. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. James Dixon, George Dixon, James Todd, Wesley MacNevin, Willis Smith and Gerald Smith. Burial in South Granville cemetery.

—BUILDING NEW PLANT—Mr. Laurier Peters, proprietor of Summerside's only monumental works is building a new plant on Water Street East, next to the Island Equipment Co. Ltd. The building will be of wooden construction with a false front and there will be a lawn in front where he can display his monuments. Mr. Peters is now located on Central Street and he expects to move in the near future.—S.

Canadian National Railways engineers are, at present, surveying in Summerside and vicinity in connection with a project which, if carried out, would do away with all the crossings in the western section of the Town and would involve the construction of a new right-of-way along the shore south of Water Street, then through the Linkletter district to Miscouche. The crossing at St. Eleanor's across the main highway would also be eliminated, according to this plan, which would at the same time deprive the people of this area of their station.

The death of Mr. Roderick McLean, 94, took place at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Neil McLeod, Orwell, March 9th. His wife died some years ago. In the death of Mr. McLean the Belfast district loses one of its most respected and aged citizens. To visit this aged couple in their own home some few years ago was to remember them always, young people made their calls a delight. The latch string was always on the outside, kind, understanding, hospitable people, always jolly and happy—today they are gone but they leave behind a remembrance long to be cherished—what better monument?

In spite of Mr. McLean's advanced years he was always enjoyable to talk to, but for the last two years he gradually fell away to the ravages of time and old age. He was a friend to all and a good neighbor, a good living and kindly man.

THE MARRIAGE is announced from Victoria, B. C., of Mrs. Lilla Morris Taylor, only daughter of Mrs. Morris and the late Albert H. Morris of Vancouver, B. C., to Harry W. Hinton, son of Mrs. Hinton and the late John S. Hinton of Summerside, P. E. Island.

ROTARY — Mrs. S. G. Osborne, who accompanied her husband to Misery Point where he was stationed as keeper of the light, and remained fourteen years in that isolated post, said yesterday at Rotary luncheon where she was guest speaker, that it would not take a great deal of urging to persuade both she and her husband to return there for another period. Mrs. Osborne gave a vivid description of her life on Belle Island. The place was practically a barren rock, and although the speaker made a brave attempt to make a garden, the wind and rain storms washed away the soil. Life was made brighter by the visits of Newfoundland fishermen, and Mrs. Osborne spoke very highly of them because of their kindliness. Miss Pearl Burns sang two solos which were greatly enjoyed. Co-chairmen were Rotarians R. H. Rogers and W. W. Reid.

The death occurred suddenly at his home on King St. in Summerside, yesterday morning of Mr. J. Henry Jenkins, a highly respected retired farmer. He was 76 years of age.

The late Mr. Jenkins was a native of Murray River where for many years he successfully engaged in farming. About six years ago he retired from active life and came to Summerside to spend his declining years. Up to the time of his death he had been enjoying his usual excellent health and news of his sudden passing came as a great shock to his many friends and neighbors who had learned to know of his many fine qualities during his short life in Summerside.

He leaves to mourn his wife, the former Delia Buell of Murray River, and the following sons and daughters: William E. and James B., prominent canners in Summerside; Harold in Charlottetown; Mrs. Sheldon Jenex and Mrs. Russell Gillis of New Glasgow, N.S.; Mrs. Elmer Jordan, Mrs. Lloyd Scott and Mrs. (Capt.) Beck of Summerside; also one brother, Joshua of New Glasgow, N.S., and two sisters, Mrs. Alice Reed and Mrs. John McDonald of Peter's Road, P.E.I.

The death occurred in the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Saturday, March 8th after a brief illness of Mr. Henry H. MacFarlane, one of Charlottetown's most respected citizens.

The late Mr. MacFarlane who would have celebrated his 87th birthday the 26th of this month, had been in excellent health until one week prior to his death and up to that time had attended daily to his upholstering business.

Starting some sixty years ago, as an employee of the Mark Wright Furniture Company, Mr. MacFarlane continued throughout all the years in the same line of business. He worked for many years with the firm of Beer and Weeks after which he carried on a most successful business of his own.

The late Mr. MacFarlane was born at Georgetown. His father, the late James MacFarlane was at one time senior partner of the firm of MacFarlane and Knight, Souris. His mother was the former Ann Leslie.

The deceased's grandparents had come to the Island from Scotland and founded a community at Lower Montague known as MacFarlane Mills.

There are left to mourn his passing two daughters, Mrs. Dan Anderson (Lyle), Montreal West and Miss Constance, Dean of Women at the University of Alberta, and two grand-children, Elizabeth Leslie Anderson and John Henry MacFarlane Anderson of Montreal West. His wife, the former Ida Leslie of Souris, predeceased him thirty-five years ago. Mrs. Anderson's husband is a son of the late John Anderson, former Provincial Auditor.

Mr. Anderson came by plane to visit his father-in-law while in the P.E.I. Hospital last week, returning to Montreal Thursday and on his arrival home Mrs. Anderson came down by plane Sunday and is remaining for several days. The late Mr. MacFarlane was a valued member and regular attendant of St. James Church and an honorary member of the I.O.O.F. His death is a great loss to his family who will have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends.

The funeral takes place from St. James Church this afternoon at two o'clock.

Under the auspices of the Women's Institutes a well-organized campaign for the establishment of a Regional High School between Miscouche and O'Leary culminated yesterday when a delegation from the districts surrounding Tyne Valley met in conference with the officials of Department of Education. The representatives from the widely scattered area travelled to Charlottetown by a chartered bus.

Hon. G. H. Barbour, Minister of Public Works and Highways, was approached by the Bideford Women's Institute to arrange a suitable date for this conference. Mrs. Eliza Stewart, Tyne Valley, was appointed chairman of the delegation and Mrs. A. England acted as secretary during the campaign.

WEDNESDAY

—TEACHER SICK — Mr. Leland Curley of Clermont, teacher of Indian River school is ill with pneumonia developed from a bad attack of influenza. Miss Eunice Shea of Indian River is substituting in his stead.—K.

—HALIFAX VISITORS — Mrs. Stanley Thompson, Miss Marjorie Baker of Charlottetown and Mrs. Maurice Caseley of Kelvin were recent visitors to Halifax.—K.

ON EXTENDED TRIP — Mr. D. Hooper Essery of the Charlottetown Post Office left by plane this morning accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Mabel Anderson of Halifax, N. S., and also his brother, Roy of Lynn, Mass., on an extended trip to Halifax, N.S., Lynn, Mass., New York City and Elizabeth, N. J.

Dr. A.A. MacDonald and Mr John MacLean were nominated unanimously as Progressive Conservative standard-bearers for the First District of King's at a large and enthusiastic party convention held yesterday at St. Mary's Hall, Souris.

90TH. BIRTHDAY — The many friends and relatives of Mrs. Susan Campbell of Brookfield will be pleased to hear that she has on Saturday March 8 celebrated her 90th birthday. Mrs. Campbell is the only living member of an original family of ten. She still goes about her household duties in her usual cheerful manner and rarely has she consulted a doctor. All her acquaintances wish her many happy returns.

The first swimmer of the 1947 season to test the water of Charlottetown Harbour took off from the shore near the railway yards yesterday afternoon.

Whether or not he would have succeeded in reaching the Southport shore — about a mile distant and to which he was heading — appeared problematical to Charles McFadyen and John Bradley of the Porter and Sons Construction Co. They launched a rowboat, caught up with him midway in the harbour, and pulled him into the boat.

The sheep, which had escaped from the freight shed about 3.30 yesterday afternoon, appeared no worse for his experience.

FUNERAL FRIDAY—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret McAdam took place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from the residence Fort Augustus to St. Patrick's Church where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Louis Callaghan, who also conducted the service at the grave. The pallbearers were Messrs. Joseph McCarron, Damien Lynn, Raymond Boylan, James Lafferty, Joseph Simpson and Ernest Shea.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of the late Henry P. MacFarlane was held from St. James Church yesterday afternoon. The service was conducted by the Rev. T. H. Bussell Somers. Interment was in People's Cemetery. The honorary pall-bearers were the Hon. A. E. Arsenault, D. A. MacKinnon, S. A. McLeod, J. R. Burnett, A. E. Morrison, W. A. Stewart, A. W. Hyndman, R. S. P. Jardine, Ian Burnett, William MacLean, Aben MacLean. The active pall-bearers were, Ross MacEwen, Harry Weeks, Edwin Johnstone, Dr. Ayres, A. W. Matheson and Percy Landrigan.

News of the sudden passing of Mrs. George Millar came with a shock of profound sorrow to her numerous friends in Prince Edward Island a few days ago.

Mrs. Millar was born in Charlottetown in 1878 the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. TC. James. She received her education in Prince St. School and Prince of Wales College, Charlottetown, and served as a teacher in the schools of this city for several years. In 1907 she was married to Rev. George Millar, then minister of the Presbyterian Church at Alberton. There and in Dr. Millar's later pastorates at New London in this Province, in the United Churches at New Mills and Douglastown in New Brunswick and Mulgrave in Nova Scotia, and for one year in Trinidad, the late Mrs. Millar proved a worthy and devoted helpmeet. Their happy union came to an end on Dr. Millar's lamented death in 1934. A son Douglas had passed away at the age of eleven years during the ministry in Douglastown, and his loss was very deeply mourned by Dr. and Mrs. Millar.

..BIRTHDAY SURPRISE PARTY.—On Saturday, February 22nd, Mr. D. P. Ross of Lower Montague was pleasantly surprised by his family and friends together with the members of the Lower Montague Church choir of which he is the director, the occasion being his 85th birthday. A very pleasant evening was spent in singing the familiar old hymns with Mrs. Austin Ross, church organist at the piano. During the evening Mr. Ross was presented with gifts from his family and from the choir together with the best of good wishes from all present. Mr. Ross then thanked the guests for their thoughtfulness of him and Mrs. Ross in her most pleasing manner spoke of the pleasure Mr. Ross derives from his part in the choir and invited them to have their choir practice at their home each week for the remainder of the winter months. At this pleasant gathering Mr. and Mrs. Ross had all their children present, namely (Irene) Mrs. Colin MacDonald, Whim Road; (Lois) Mrs. Laurie MacClure, Murray Harbour; (Delia) Mrs. Don Gillis, Charlottetown; Austin, Sandy and Harvey, all of Lower Montague, and eight grandchildren. Special features of the evening were solos by two of the grand children, Elaine MacClure and Robert Ross, and by Ralph Coulson, after which Mr. Coulson took pictures of the family group. The evening came to a close with the serving of a delicious lunch, ice cream and a beautifully decorated three tier birthday cake made and presented to Mr. Ross by Mrs. T. R. Jackson of Lower Montague. —(Patriot please copy.)

THURSDAY

80TH BIRTHDAY —Mr. Fidele Gauthier of Sydney Street, Charlottetown has been receiving congratulations from his many friends on the occasion of his 80th birthday, which he observed on Saturday, March 8.

HOME BEREAVED — Mr. Leo Doucette received the sad news of the death of his brother Isadore (Fritz) in Montreal yesterday morning. Mr. Wilfred Doucette, another brother, had gone to Montreal two weeks ago, and was with his brother when he passed away.

FUNERAL SERVICES — The funeral of Mrs. Percy MacDonald was held yesterday afternoon from St. Paul's Church where service was conducted by Rev. J.T. Ibbott who also officiated at the grave. The pallbearers were Lorne Casford, Frank Gauthier, Lloyd Cudmore, Warren Cudmore, Clarence Babcock and George Reid. Members of the Canadian Legion attended in a body, the late Mrs. MacDonald having been a former member of the C.W.A.C.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth MacDougall who died in Brewer, Maine, was held yesterday at Bangor, P.E.I. The service was conducted by the Rev. D.W. MacPherson and the Rev. T.W. Goodwill. Interment was in Marie Cemetery. The pall-bearers were Simon MacKinnon, Martin Compton, Hector Compton, William Cullins, and James Raneghan.

Many readers here and in far flung parts will regret to learn of the death of Mr. Charlie O'Keefe at the ripe old age of 101 years, which took place in Charlottetown, a short time ago. Mr. O'Keefe, better known as Charlie, was a knight of the road as long as memory goes back and long before that. Stormy and fine, Charlie would be seen going east or west somewhere along the St. Peter's road as late as last fall. Charlie is gone and so are his stories told around the fireside. He will be much missed.

Thanks to Mr. McCormack who writes from Vancouver for a correction regarding Dr. R. J. MacDonald. He claims he was the Doctor's first patient sixty years ago at his old home in Monticello. The writer understood the Doctor had been practicing fifty four years. It is good to know and we are happy to say the good Doctor McDonald is still attending patients here right now, the daddy of them all.

OUTSTANDING STUDENT. — Miss Eleanor Dixon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dixon, (both of P. E. I., the father from Gaspereaux, the mother from Forest Hill, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter N. Reilly), 31 Greylock avenue, has been selected as an outstanding girl student of the senior class of the Taunton high school to qualify as a Good Citizenship Pilgrim and represent Lydia Cobb chapter at the Daughters of American Revolution Pilgrimage to be held in Boston, March 27, at the Copley Plaza. Miss Dixon was selected by the faculty of the high school on the basis of character, scholastic records, dependability and good citizenship, says a Boston Exchange.

ISLANDER DEAD — His many friends will regret to hear of the death of Mr. Peter D. McDonald, formerly of Souris, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, on February 10th. He was an electrical engineer and for years ran between Salt Lake City and Ogden. His son Howard of Boston was with his father up to the time of his death. His funeral took place from St. Patrick's Cathedral, Milwaukee. Mrs. Barrett, Montana, Mrs. McCormack, Boston and Mrs. A. A. McDonald, Charlottetown, are sisters and Dr. F. W. McDonald, Souris, is a brother of the deceased.

On Wednesday evening March 5th. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Crockett were very pleasantly surprised when about twenty of the Argyle Shore friends of Mrs. Crockett called to extend greetings to her in her new home. During the evening Mr. Leslie McNevin, acting as chairman, called the gathering to order. In his usual pleasant way he somewhat enlarged on the high esteem in which Mrs. Crockett was held in Argyle Shore where she had lived all her life and then called on Mrs. Fred McPhail to read the following address which was accompanied by a well filled purse presented by Mrs. Goodwill McPhail.

The death of Mrs. Daniel O'Brien (nee Catherine Foley) occurred at the home of her nephew, Mr. Alfred Gillis, Kildare South, on Monday, March 3rd, 1947.

The deceased, who was 88 years of age had lived the greater part of her life in Alberton with the exception of a few years in Calgary, Alberta, where she, and her late husband were residing at the time of his death.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. Herman Cahill, Joseph Callaghan Ben Smith, Raymond Shea, Alan McAleer and Joseph Foley.

The late Mrs. O'Brien is survived by one sister, Mrs. James McIntyre, Montrose and one brother, Mr. M. M. Foley, Alberton to whom sincere condolence is extended.

HARBOUR ICE DISAPPEARING SLOWLY — The ice in Charlottetown harbour is slowly breaking up under the present spell of sunny weather and if this favorable condition prevails, navigation will be possible at an early date this year. There is a great area of open water some distance from the shore but around the wharves the ice is still a solid mass with occasional openings in evidence. On Tuesday morning the ice was being travelled from Rocky Point to the City but was gradually becoming more and more dangerous as the day wore on. There was considerable activity about the waterfront yesterday morning where many owners and skippers were preparing their craft for an early launching. The S.S. Fairview had its engines turning over warming up for the trial run yesterday afternoon. The Ferry seemed to be in good condition and as soon as the ice opens up and the jetty is repaired it will be able to carry out the usual schedule.

BRIDAL SHOWER. — On Tuesday evening, February 25th, over one hundred friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs. A. W. Robertson, East Royalty to tender a miscellaneous shower in honor of their daughter, Ada MacLeod, whose marriage is to take place on March 20th. Miss Shirley Darrach played the wedding march. The bride to be was escorted to the seat of honour by Mrs. Walter Heartz, while gaily colored balloons were burst showering her with confetti. A carriage decorated in pink and white and laden with gifts, was wheeled in by Lewis and Fergus Robertson, dressed as "Bell Hops" in red and white suits. The gifts were opened by Miss Velma Andrew, while Mrs. Cyril MacMillan read the verses. Others assisting were Mrs. H. Heartz and Miss Ursula Morrissey. The bride to be thanked one and all for the many lovely gifts after which all joined in singing "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow." The remainder of the evening was spent in music and dancing. Luncheon was served by the ladies, after which all departed to their homes having enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Friends learned with regret of the death of Miss Katherine Malone which occurred at the Charlottetown Hospital on Monday after a comparatively brief illness.

The deceased who was born in this City eighty years ago, was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Malone and resided in the City during her lifetime, with the exception of about two years spent in Boston, Mass.

She received her education in St. Joseph's Convent, and when quite young was called upon to mourn the loss of her mother. Following the death of her father she resided with her brother, Thomas, well known druggist of this City who is at present a patient in the Charlottetown Hospital.

There are left to mourn, one sister Margaret, widow of Robert Mitchell, Worcester, Mass.; Thomas, mentioned above; four neices, residing in Worcester and one in Fort Kent, Maine.

A niece, Miss Ann Mitchell, of Worcester, Mass., arrived by plane on Monday, but her aunt had passed away shortly before her arrival.

FRIDAY

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — Funeral of the late Mrs. Thomas L. Howatt was held from her late residence, 50 School Street, yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted by the Rev. T.H.B. Somers. Interment was in the Peoples Cemetery. Pallbearers were John Martin, Neil MacNevin, John Inglis, James Howatt, Stanley Wakelin and Arthur Perry.

CHURCH SERVICE AT SAN—A church service, conducted by the Rev. I. J. Levy, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Charlottetown, was held in the Auditorium of the Provincial Sanatorium last Thursday evening. Miss Pearl Burns was the soloist and Miss Pauline Simmonds, the organist. The girls' choir rendered two choral selections. The service was under the auspices of the P. E. Island Ministerial Association.

—Mrs. Colin Burt, North Granville, Mrs. Wilfred Whitlock, Mr. Leigh Folland, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacFadyen, all of Hunter River motored to Summerside on Wednesday. They were accompanied by the latter's grandmother, Mrs. Melissa Wall, North Granville, who entered the Prince County for treatment. Her many friends sincerely wish Mrs. Wall a speedy recovery.

—Mrs. Douglas Leard, Peterborough, Ont., arrived home by plane Sunday, March 2nd to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Jessie McKendrick who was seriously ill, and passed away on Monday, March 10th in the Montague Hospital: Her two children Nancy and arol, age 4 and 5 years accompanied her and are staying with their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earle D. Leard, Central Bedeque. Her husband was unable to come with her on account of having a recent operation for appendicitis.—B.

DEATH OF COL. NELLES — Many friends of Mrs. Nelles, the former Miss Josephine Barrett, of this city, will hear with regret of the death of her husband, Col. S. B. Nelles of Regina, Sask., which took place Wednesday after a short illness. Col. Nelles, it will be remembered, organized and took overseas a battalion made up of Western Canadians in the First Great War and was represented in the Second World War by his four sons, all of whom returned safely, and with his widow are left to mourn. Mrs. Nelles' sister, Mrs. James Paton, is with the family in their bereavement.

A large number of relatives and friends from Kelvin Grove and vicinity assembled at the spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. William Stavert, on Thursday evening, February 6th, to tender a miscellaneous shower in honor of their son Alfred and his bride, the former Miss Helen Watson, of Leith, Scotland. The living room was tastefully decorated by Mrs. Ralph Moase and Mrs. Scott Clarke, with pink white and yellow streamers and white wedding bells.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of the late James J. Taylor (lighthouse keeper) was held yesterday afternoon. A short service was held at his late residence, 248 Kent Street, conducted by the Rev. G. Carlyle Webster and Rev. T.W. Goodwill. Pallbearers at the house were, Ernest MacInnis, Sr., A.J. Watts, John Lund, Albert MacDougall, Joseph Shelfoon, Sr., and Cephas Power. Funeral services were held at New Dominion and were conducted by Rev. G. Carlyle Webster. Interment was in New Dominion Cemetery. Pall bearers were, Seymour Murphy, Norman MacDonald, Robbie MacDonald, Michael Murphy, James Smith and Joseph Shelfoon, Jr.

The funeral of the late J. Henry Jenkins was held from his late residence, 61 King Street, on March 12, 1947. A short service was held at his home and thence to the Kirk Church where service was conducted by the Rev. Harvey Bishop, assisted by the Rev. Ernest J. Barrass of the Baptist Church.

A large attendance overflowing the Church came to pay their last respect to a very loving and kind citizen, a friend to all both young and old, and, one who will be greatly missed at home and among friends since coming to Summerside.

He leaves to mourn besides a sorrowing widow, five daughters, Mrs. Sadie Jenoux and Mrs. Russell Gillis of Trenton, N. S.; Mrs. Capt. Beck, Mrs. Elmer Jordan and Mrs. Lloyd Scott all residing in Summerside.

—DEATH OF MISS MARY PERRY — The death occurred on Wednesday, March 12th at the Queen Hotel, Summerside of Miss Mary Perry at the advanced age of eighty years. She had been in failing health for some years but bore her affliction with true Christian fortitude. She was a daughter of the late John Perry formerly of Summerside, and a niece of the late Frank Perry, owner and manager of the Queen Hotel, where she spent the greater part of her life. She leaves to mourn two sisters, Mrs. John Perry of Summerside, and Mrs. J. M. Arsenault of Newark, N. J. The funeral was held this Friday morning at nine o'clock with Requiem Mass at St. Mary's Convent Chapel. Burial in St. Paul's R. C. cemetery, Summerside.—S.

APPEAL COURT — Two cases were heard yesterday morning before the full Bench of the Court of Criminal Appeal. No judgment was rendered in the appeal of John and Edward Jenkins, Souris, from a conviction on a charge of assault causing grievous bodily harm. The case was adjourned until March 27. D.L. Mathieson, K.C., appeared for the appellants and G.R. Holmes, K.C. for the Crown. An appeal from a conviction by Stipendiary-Magistrate K.M. Martin for having stolen a newspaper (The Guardian) from a citizen's door was abandoned. R.R. Bell K.C., represented the appellant and G.R. Holmes, K.C., the Crown. Further argument was heard in the afternoon in the appeal of the J.W. Windsor Co. against a tax assessment made by the City of Charlottetown. The hearing was adjourned for consideration to a date to be set. J.O.C. Campbell represented the J.W. Windsor Co. and K.M. Martin, K.C. the City of Charlottetown. The appeal was argued before Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell and Mr. Justice M.R. McGuigan.

BIRTHS

LARGE — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital, March 11, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Frederic A. Large, a son.

GALLANT—At the Charlottetown Hospital, March 8th, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Alyre N. Gallant, Rusticoville, P. E. I., a daughter.

MITCHELL — At the P. E. I. Hospital, March 12, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. George H. Mitchell, City, a daughter.

McAVINN — At the Charlottetown Hospital, on March 11, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McAvinn (nee Alice McManus) a daughter.

BAKER — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on March 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Earle C. Baker, a son, Donald Earle.

MacPHERSON — At the P. E. I. Hospital on Thursday, March 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. John A. MacPherson City, a son (stillborn).

GAY — At the Prince County Hospital on Sunday, March 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Gay, Summerside, a son, Albert Reginald.

HUME — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on March 10, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Don Hume, Belle River, twin girls.

ROSS—At the P. E. I. Hospital, March 6, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Ross (nee Anne MacCallum) Stanhope, a son, James Barry. 9 lbs, 10 ozs.

HOGG—At the P. E. I. Hospital on March 9, 1947, to Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Hogg, City, a son.

MATHESON—At the P. E. I. Hospital, Saturday, March 8, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Matheson, City, a son.

MARRIAGES

WOODS—TOOLE — At St. Joseph's Church, Kelly's Cross, on February 17th, 1947, Charles Gavin Woods of Kelly's Cross and Ellen Catherine Toole of Green Road were united in Holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Wilfred Keefe.

DEATHS

HOWATT — At 50 School Street, Tuesday, March 11, 1947, Mrs. Thomas L. Howatt in her 75th year.

TAYLOR — At 248 Kent Street on Tuesday, March 11, James J. Taylor (Lighthouse keeper) in his 71st year.

MacDONALD — At the P. E. I. Hospital on Monday, March 10, Mrs. Percy MacDonald, nee Myrtle Hillier in her 29th year.

MacLURE — There passed away at the City Hospital Friday morning, March 14, Mr. Philip D.D. MacLure of North Rustico, aged 86 years.

PERRY — At the Queen Hotel, Summerside, Wednesday, March 12, 1947, Mary Perry, age 80 years.

HOWATT — At 50 School Street Tuesday, March 11, 1947, Mrs. Thomas L. Howatt in her 75th. year.

HARDING — At Kensington, March 13, 1947, Mrs. Harry Harding of French River, age 68 years.

JOHNSTONE — At Spring Brook, March 13, 1947, Mrs. Alice Johnstone, age 71 years.

KEOUGH — At the Charlottetown Hospital on Thursday, March 13, Mrs. Daniel Keough, 91 Rochford St., City, in her 50th year.

MacKINNON — Suddenly at Toronto, March 12, 1947, Horace MacKinnon in his 70th year, formerly of Keppoch.

HOLLAND — At 48 Green Street, Charlottetown, on Sunday evening March 9, 1947, Mrs. C. F. Holland, formerly of Halifax, aged 84 years.

MacLEAN — At the home of his daughter, Mrs. Neil H. MacLeod, Orwell, on Sunday, March 9th, Roderick MacLean, in his 93rd year.

MacFARLANE — At the P. E. Island Hospital on Saturday, March 8, Henry H. MacFarlane in his 87th year.

JEWELL—At Hartsville, P. E. I., on March 11th., Mrs. Hammond Jewell, aged 84 years.

TAYLOR—At 248 Kent Street on Tuesday, March 11, James J. Taylor (lighthouse keeper) in his 70th year.

MacNUTT — At Kensington, March 10, Peter MacNutt, aged 85 years.

MACDONALD—At the P.E.I. Hospital on Monday, March 10, Mrs. Percy MacDonald, nee Myrtle Hillier, in her 29th year.

JENKINS — Suddenly at his home on King Street, Summerside on Monday, March 10, J. Henry Jenkins, aged 76 years.

MALONE — In the Charlottetown Hospital Monday, March 10, Katherine Malone of 131 Great George Street in her 80th year.

Convicted recently in Detroit, Mich., of the murder of her husband and then released on probation, Mrs. Vera Devore begins a new life in the mountain home of her grandmother near Abingdon, Va. She is shown (right) aiding her daughter, Frankie, in repairing a doll's chair. It was Frankie's testimony that clinched the conviction of Mrs. Devore, and it was Frankie's heart-wringing letter to the court that brought about her mother's release on probation.