OUR NEWS BUDGET FOR OUR SATURDAY SUBSCRIBERS

MONDAY

ARRIVES IN ENGLAND — Friends of Mrs. Charles Grayson will be glad to learn that she has arrived safely in England. She was a resident of Charlottetown for a time while her husband, a member of the Royal Air Force was stationed at the local airport. He was transferred from here last October.

—HOME ON FURLOUGH—Major Ira Hickey of the Prince Edward Island Highlanders is spending his furlough with his wife, the former Helen Rogers in Kensington, and his mother, Mrs. J.C. Hickey, Summerside. Major Hickey has rcenetly been promoted to his present rank from the rank of Captain.—S

COMPLETES SUPPLY WORK— Dr. Morgan E. Genge, who has been supply minister at the Central Christian Church here for several months preached his farewell sermon last night. He leaves for New Brunswick today. Dr. Genge retired from the active ministry in the Presbyterian Church last year.

FUNERAL FRIDAY — The funeral of the late Mrs. Edward A. Shaw of Harrington was held Friday afternoon from Winsloe North United Church. The service was conducted by the Rev T. Constable assisted by the Rev T. A. Wilson. The pallbearers were: Harold Cudmore, Leigh Stewart, Herbert Stewart, Garfield Stewart, Vernon Proud, and P M Rodd. Interment in adjoining cemetery.

ON BRIEF VISIT—Group Capt. H. R. Stewart, accompanied by Col. Nicolai Zabotin, military attache, and Major Basil Rogov, air attache to the U.S.S.R. Ambassador, Ottawa, visited Charlottetown on Friday, leaving for the mainland on Saturday. The Russian officers were loud in their praise of the Province and said it reminded them of the Crimea, which is the "garden of Russia." They inpected the Air Navigation School while here.

FUNERAL AT OYSTER BED— The funeral of the late Mrs. George Chandler Oyster Bed took place yesterday and was very largely attended. Services at the home and grave were conducted by Mr. Donald Nicholson, student minister, assisted by Rev. Lewis Murray. The pallbearers were: Messrs. Colin Higgins, Raymond Ling, Arthur Smith, Harold Chandler, Gordon Carew and Howard Carr. Interment was in Portage Cemetery.

FUNERAL AT GLASGOW ROAD — The funeral of the late Miss Margaret Buchanan was held from her residence Glasgow Road on Friday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted by Mr. Donald Nicholson and Rev. Lewis Murray. Interment was in Portage Cemetery. Pallbearers were:— Wallace Dover, John MacDonald, Archie McLeod, William Silliphant, Frank McRae, Alex MacRae.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER— Miss Anna MacDonald of Heatherdale was guest of honor at a shower given her by the community on Friday, June 30. The many lovely and useful gifts were opened by Miss Marjorie MacDonald while Miss Christine MacPhee read the amusing verses. The bride - to - be graciously expressed her thanks for the gifts and the good wishes. Lunch was served by members of the Women's Institute. Miss MacDonald was teacher at the Heatherdale school for the past year.

Friends in Prince Edward Island will be sorry to learn of the death of Rev. W. A. MacKay of New Toronto, in the Toronto General Hospital on June 27, after an illness of only two weeks. Born at River John, N.S., Mr. MacKay graduated in Arts at Dalhousie and in Theology at Princeton, and his first pastorate was at Montrose and Elmsdale, P.E.I. About the time of his marriage in 1909 to Miss Mary James, daughter of the late T. C. James of this city, he moved to Ontario and where since had held charges in various parts of that province. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Margaret whose husband, Squadron Leader Hugh Davidson, padre in the R.C.A.F., has been overseas for almost three years and is now in Italy, and Catherine, wife of Lieut. J. E. Skinner, at present with the 8th Army in Italy. There are also two little grandchildren, Janet and Sandy Davidson.

One of the worse electric storms in the memory of the oldest inhabitants visited Lennox Island and the Grand River district on Thursday evening and caused extensive damage to the St. Ann's Church on Lennox Island. The spire of the church was struck near the cross, ripping the shingles from the top of the spire and down a considerable way to the main roof. The interior of the spire was considerably damaged as well. In the main part of the church itself large portions of the plaster were loosened from the ceiling.

In the vicinity of Arlington many trees were blown down during the terrific gale which accompanied the storm. A fairly large barn at Arlington was reported blown down and another barn at Tyne Valley owned by Ivan McLean was struck by lightening although no material damage was done to the structure. The storm lasted about a half hour.

Mr. John Arsenault, one of the older inhabitants of the district, said that he had in years past witnessed many severe electric storms, but that this one was by far the worst. He had never seen or heard anything like it and hoped that he never would again.—S

ARMY CASUALTY LIST— Among those reported killed in action in the latest Canadian Army Casualty List is Pte. Alexander Joseph Ross, who was serving with a Nova Scotia and P E I. Regiment. Pte. Ross' next of kin is his wife, Mrs. Rita M. Ross Mount Stewart, P E I. Among those reported severely wounded is Pte. John Loughlin Sanderson, who was serving with a Nova Scotia and P. E I. Regiment. Pte. Sanderson's next of kin is his mother, Mrs. Margaret Sanderson, Cardigan, P E.I Among those reported slightly wounded is Pte. Strothard Eldon Acorn, who was serving with a Nova Scotia and P E I Regiment. Pte. Acorn's next of kin is his mother, Mrs. Katherine Acorn, West Devon, P.E I. and also Pte. Frederick Crawford MacCormack who was serving with a N.S.-P.E. I. Regiment. Pte. MacCormack's next of kin is his mother, Mrs. Mary MacCormack, Ebbsfleet, P.E. I. Among those reported injured is Gunner Finley Alexander Smith, who was serving with the Royal Canadian Artillery. Gnr. Smith's next of kin is his mother, Mrs. Jennie Smith, Newton Cross, P.E.I.

The chief service in connection with the commemoration of the seventy-fifth anniversary of St. Peter's Cathedral was the solemn celebration of the Holy Eucharist in the early hours of St. Peter's day.

The celebrant was the Incumbent, Rev. Canon Malone, assisted by the Venerable G. R. Harrison as Deacon and the Rural Dean, the Rev. S. T. Davies as Sub-Deacon. The sacred ministers wore magnificent vestments of silk embroidered with gold. The Lord Bishop of the Diocese, the Rt. Rev. G. F. Kingston, vested in cope and mitre, and attended by Rev. G. R. Hartman as chaplain, pronounced the Absolution and gave the Benediction.

A very pretty early summer wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander Collings, Euston Street, Thursday, June 29 at 8.30 p.m. when their daughter Helen Elizabeth, became the bride of Robert Dalziel, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Dalziel.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a dress of powder blue silk jersey with matching flower hat. Her corsage was American Beauty roses.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. E. McLennan in the presence of the immediate families and a few close friends.

Among the officers in charge of the RCAF high speed rescue boat at Alberton harbour is Cpl. Seymour Young, formerly a resident of that part.

Cpl. Young enlisted in the RCAF in 1940 and owing to the fact that he was a veteran mariner (he holds a mate's ticket allowing him to navigate any ship under 8000 tons), he was immediately drafted to the marine section of the R. C. A. F.

Fishermen along the north shore will recall that Mr. Young was the pioneer in exploiting the extensive scallop beds which he had discovered off Alberton harbour about fifteen years ago. Upon his discovery, Mr. Young sent to Nova Scotia for modern scallop drags, initiated the local fishermen in the use of those drags, and was thus the agent in bringing many thousands of dollars into the pockets of those fishermen.

Later, when disease destroyed the known scallop beds in the vicinity of Alberton, Mr. Young was furnished with a boat and proper equipment and was engaged by the Dominion Government to make a thorough survey of the western coast of the Province for the purpose of discovering new beds.

His wife is at present residing at Government House, Halifax. They have one daughter, Thelma, whose husband, Kenneth Matthews is serving overseas.

Mr. Herbert Charles Stock, 64, a member of the civil service at Ottawa died unexpectedly here Saturday. He was stricken as he walked along a street and died shortly afterwards.

Mr. Stock arrived in this city Friday with his wife. They planned to spend a two months holiday in Prince Edward Island and were taking a cabin in the country.

The body will be sent to Ottawa.

On Saturday at 1 P. M. a Maritime Central Airways Lockheed plane took off from Charlottetown Airport for New Glasgow arriving there at 1 35 P M on the first scheduled trip of a service that should prove of great benefit to the entire afea of Pictou County and to this Province as well.

Representing Prince Edward Island on the inaugural flight Saturday were Premier J. Walter Jones, Mayor J E. Blanchard of Charlottetown and Mr B. Graham Rogers, Supervisor of the Prince Edward Island Travel Bureau. Mr. F J Colpman, Head Clerk Air Mail Services, Ottawa and Mr Leith MacLeod, District Director Postal Services for Prince Edward Island represented the Post Office Department. Captain Carl Burke and Captain James Wade flew the plane and represented the Maritime Central Airways, Ltd.

TUESDAY

R. C. A. F. DECORATIONS — In a supplementary list of R. C. A. F. decorated personnel as of May 31, 1943, appear the following names: Distinguished Flying Medal, Sgt. T. E. Campbell, 99 Pownal St., Charlottetown. Distinguished Flying Cross, Sqdn. Ldr. C. W. Higgins, St. Avards; Flying Officer P. R. Rackham, Central Street, Summerside.

CASUALTY LIST—Among those reported killed in action in the latest Canadian Army casualty list is Pte. James John MacDougall, who was serving with a Nova Scotia and P. E. I. Regiment. Pte. MacDougall's next of kin is his wife, Mrs. Margaret A. C. MacDougall, Mount Stewart E., P. E. I. Among those reported slightly wounded is A/L.-Cpl. James Earl Colwill, who was serving with the Canadian Armoured Corps. A/L.-Cpl. Colwill's next of kin is his wife, Mrs. Eva E. Colwill, Northam, P. E. I.

REGISTERED CATTLE PURCHASED—Mr. Wesley G. Bruce, Bothwell, P E I recently laid the foundation for a herd of registered Ayrshire cattle under the purchase bonus policy, he selecting an aged cow in milk and one heifer calf from the herd of Irving Nelson, Orwell Cove. Under the same policy, Mr. John Rodd, Milton, added to his previous selection with the purchase of a cow, and a heifer calf from Ernest Lund, Mt. Herbert. These animals were selected by Mr. L W. Roper, Live-Stock Field Man, Dominion Dept. Agriculture.

PRESENTATION — A surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gass, Hunter River, on Friday evening, June 16 when about 45 associates of the P.E.I. Telephone Company from Charlottetown and Summerside arrived and presented the couple with a beautiful walnut table. Mr. Starrett the manager gave the address. Mr. and Mrs. Gass greatly appreciated this kind act. Their former home was in Alberton and Mr. Gass has retired. A dainty lunch was served which was greatly enjoyed by all. Mr. and Mrs. Harland Hill, New Glasgow, were special guests.—G.

—WOUNDED IN ACTION—Mrs. Florence Paynter, Kensington, has received word that her son, Gunner Arthur Paynter, has been wounded in action in Italy. Further particulars to follow soon as available.

KNOCKED FROM BICYCLE — A fourteen year old lad, Lloyd Dunn, 26 Chestnut street, was struck by a car at the corner of Queen and Richmond streets about 5 30 yesterday evening while riding a bicycle. While the bicycle was badly damaged, the lad escaped serious injury and after an examination at the P. E. I. Hospital, was allowed to go home.

FINE FIGHTING SPIRIT — A stirring account of fighting by the Cape Breton Highlanders in the drive that pushed the Germans back from the broken Hitler line in Italy was given recently by a Canadian Press correspondent. Among those mentioned as participating was Corp. C. T. MacDonald, Baltic Lot, P. E. I., who was wounded but who carried on under fire, reaching his section's objective and helping to consolidate it.

RELIGIOUS RECEPTION — On Wednesday, June 28, at the conclusion of an Annual Retreat at Mount St. Mary's, directed by Rev. A. Conlogue, C.SS.R., two young ladies of the Diocese received the Religious Habit of the Sisters of St. Martha. This memorable investiture with its traditional bridal ceremonial marked the first visit of Most Reverend James Boyle, D.D., to the Mother House. Bishop Boyle was assisted by Rev. J. P. E. O'Hanley and Rev. A. O. Murphy. Following the Mass. His Excellency congratulated the new novices and their parents, stressing the nobility of their vocation, and pointing out the truth of the Gospel saying, "The harvest indeed is great, and the laborers are few." The young ladies who received the habit with their names in religion are: I. McGrath (Sister Mary of the Sacred Heart), Morell; and Rebecca Sark (Sister Ann Celestine), Lennox Island.

HERON—McSHANE — A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Holy Family Church, Montreal, on June 17th, when Helena Pearle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Heron of Webster's Corner, P. E. I., was united in marriage to John Gerard, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. McShane of Montreal. The bride, who was given in marriage by her cousin, Mr. A. Boyd, wore a floor-length gown of white satin with finger-tip veil and carried a bouquet of Talisman roses and carnations. She was attended by Miss Marguerite Kelly of Fort Augustus, P. E. I., who wore a long dress of pink chiffon with veil and slippers to match and carried a bouquet of sweet peas and maiden hair fern. Mr. F. O'Brien acted as groomsman. A reception was held at the home of the groom's parents, where their many friends were gathered to wish them the best of luck and happiness. They left on a honeymoon to the Laurentians. On their return the happy couple will reside in Verdun, Quebec.

W. O. N. MacKENZIE MISSING —W.O. Norman MacKenzie, 20, who formerly resided with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman MacKenzie, at the Provincial Hospital, Battleford, has been reported missing in action over enemy territory. Born at Saltcoats, Warrant Officer MacKenzie received his high school education at Battleford. He enlisted in the RCAF in March, 1942. He received his initial training at No. 7 I.T.S., and also trained at No. 4 S.F.T.S., Saskatoon, at Brandon, Virden and Lethbridge and received his wings as a bombardier at Pearce, Alberta. He went overseas in February, 1943.—Saskatoon Star. (Norman is a Grandson of Mr. Alexander MacKenzie of Long Creek, P.E.I.)

ROTARY LUNCHEON — At a luncheon of the Charlottetown Rotary Club yesterday, Mr. T. Roy Cudmore gave his first address as President of the Club. He supported the statement recently made by past District Governor Norman that the great fault of many people is that they are insular or provincial in thought. Mr. Cudmore asserted that the Rotary spirit is opposed to such a narrow viewpoint and that it endeavours always to see important questions from an international point of view. In support of his thesis, Mr. Cudmore quoted the Archbishop of Canterbury as having said: "The first necessity for progress is more and better Christians taking full responsibility as citizens for the political, social, and economic system under which they and their fellows live."

—BIRTHDAY SHOWER— A miscellaneous shower, which was largely attended, was held on Friday evening, July 16th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Smallman, in honour of LAC. and Mrs. Thomas Phillips. To the strains of music played by Mrs. W. P. MacNeill, the bride and groom took their places beneath a beautifully decorated arch. The numerous and beautiful gifts were opened by Elga Buchanan and Edith Palmer; the accompanying verses read by Sadie Ramsay; presentations by Mrs. Erland Millar, and arrangements on table by Mrs. Fred Champion. On behalf of himself and his bride, the groom thanked one and all for their kindness and generosity. All joined in singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows." A delicious and bountiful lunch was served by the hostess assisted by several other ladies. The remainder of the evening was spent in social chat, while several of the young men present furnished instrumental music which was greatly enjoyed by all. At a late hour the guests departed to their respective homes wishing Mr. and Mrs. Phillips a pleasant voyage on the matrimonial sea of life.

ARMY CASUALTY LIST — Among those reported slightly wounded in the latest Canadian Army casualty list are Pte. James Lawrence Gallant, and Pte. Joseph Alphonse Arsenault. Pte. Gallant was serving with a Nova Scotia and P. E. I. Regiment, and his next of kin is his mother, Mrs. Margaret Gallant, Coleman, P. E. I. Pte. Arsenault was serving with a New Brunswick Regiment, and his next of kin is his mother, Mrs. Evangeline Arsenault, Wellington, P. E. I. Also reported slightly wounded is Pte. Richard Joseph Quinn, who was serving with a Nova Scotia and P. E. I. Regiment. Pte. Quinn's next of kin is his mother, Mrs. Mary Quinn, Cardigan, P. E. I. Among those reported dangerously wounded is Pte. Calvin Hart, who was serving with a Nova Scotia and P. E. I. Regiment. Pte. Hart's next of kin is his mother, Mrs. Janie Hart, O'Leary, P. E. I. Among those reported killed on active service in the latest casualty list of the Royal Canadian Air Force is WO. George Richard Coathup. WO. Coathup's next of kin is his wife, Mrs. G. R. Coathup, Summerside, P. E. I. Among those previously reported missing on active service, and now for official purposes presumed dead, is F/Sgt. James Theodore Roach. F/Sgt. Roach's next of kin is his mother, Mrs. J. O. Roach, 230 King Street, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

WEDNESDAY

SUDDEN DEATH — The sad news was received by Mrs. James Mooney, Peake's Station, on July 2nd, of the accidental death of her son, Joseph Henry Mooney, Dorchester, Mass., on July 1st.

AIR CADETS GO TO CAMP— Thirty members of No. 60 Squadron Air Cadets here left yesterday for a 10-day training course at an RC AF station in Dartmouth, N.S. Two cadets went to Summerside to take an N.C.O.'s course.

—N.C.O.'s CAMP — Non Commissioned officers of air cadet corps from all over the Maritimes arrived in Summerside on Monday evening to undergo a two week's training period at the Summerside R.C.A.F. station. While in camp they will take courses in drill, leadership etc. Three boys from the Summerside Air Cadet Corps are in attendance. They are: Howard McFarlane, Alec McInnis and Ivan Straight.—S

FUNERAL MONDAY —The funeral of the late Mrs. Roland Constable, 162 Elm Avenue, was held Monday afternoon. A short service was held at the Cutcliffe Funeral Home, followed by services in Birch Hill Church, conducted by Rev. Harvey Bishop. The pallbearers were: Messrs. Wesley Constable, Robert Constable, Harold Campbell, Ray Judson, Benjamin Moore and Frank Wood. Interment was in Birch Hill Cemetery.

EGG RECEIPTS DECLINE — Egg receipts show a further decline this week. Prevailing warm weather is affecting egg quality to some extent. Bulk of the shipments are going to Maritime points. P.E.I. stations are paying for ungraded eggs delivered: AL 30-1, AM 28-9, B 24-5, C 19-20. Graded shipments delivered Charlottetown: AL 35 1-2, AM 33 1-2, B 26-9, C 23-4.

—FIREMEN CALLED — An awning at the front of M. L. Frank MacKenzie's store on Water Street caught fire about 9 p.m. yesterday and the Summerside firemen were called. In the meantime, however, passers-by had torn down the blazing canvas and the fire was almost extinguished by the time the firemen arrived. The blaze was threatening to set fire to the building itself.—S

SUDDEN DEATH — Mrs. James D. Flood of South Melville received a wire on Sunday, July 2 conveying the sad news of the sudden death of her brother, Police Officer Frank E. Ready, at his home in Lowell, Mass. Officer Ready who was in his 62nd year had a host of friends and relatives in this Province who will regret to learn of his demise. For years he had been spending his annual vacation here and had plans made to come again in August.

INJURED IN ACCIDENT — Mrs. Charles Munroe, 44 Edward Street, while proceeding east on Kent St., yesterday afternoon cut in between two cars one going south on Queen Street past the corner of Kent, and the other which was going west on Kent. The Queen Street car struck Mrs. Munroe with the result that she was taken to the P E I. Hospital by an R.C A F ambulance. There it was discovered that Mrs. Munroe had sustained a severe cut on the head and possibly a slight fracture. The accident occurred at 3 15 p.m.

— BORN WITH CONFEDERATION — Mrs. A. P. Wells, Summerside, attained her 77th birthday on Saturday last having been born with the Dominion of Canada at Confederation on July 1, 1867. Mrs. Wells is a daughter of the late Silas Raynor and his wife, Emily Cannon Raynor, the former being one of the early pioneers of the fox industry. Most of her life was spent in this province with the exception of ten years in Worchester, Mass.—S.

—MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER— A large number of young people gathered at the Olympia Summerside on Friday evening to tender a surprise shower to Miss Leonora McInnis previous to her marriage. The chair of honor was attractively decorated by Mr. Leo Coyle, proprietor of the Olympia. The many beautiful gifts were opened by Miss Ruth Rogers and Miss Mary Kennedy, and were arranged by Mrs Florence Harris. After a dainty lunch was served the remainder of the evening was enjoyably spent in dancing.—S

HOME AFTER 17 YEARS' ABSENCE — Mrs. Nina Colbrow, Nipawin, Saskatchewan, returned home on Monday having received word of the illness of her mother, Mrs. John VanIderstine, Murray Harbor, making the trip in five days by train, airplane, bus, boat and taxi. She was accompanied from Winnipeg, Man., by Pte. Neil Beaton of Charlottetown, who has been in His Majesty's service for the past five years, and now is stationed at Vancouver Island. Mr. Beaton is a member of the Island Highlanders, being piper for five years. He is visiting his home in Charlottetown for a few days.

— K. OF C. SOCIAL — The Annual Lawn Social held by the Knights of Columbus, Summerside Council was continued on Monday evening and drew a large attendance. The strawberries, Ice Cream and cake were eagerly sought after by the crowd after the heat of the day while the hot dog stand was busy throughout the night dishing out the luscious weiners. Over in the Monte Carlo section the boys in charge of the blankets and the bingo table were on the jump all evening. Altogether the entire social was a decided success both evenings and a goodly sum was realized for the expenses connected with the promotion of the annual boys camp, sponsored by the Council—S.

KEENAN - SULLIVAN — A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Dunstan's Basilica at 5.30 on Tuesday morning, June 26, when Marian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sullivan, of Cardigan, became the bride of John W., son of Mrs. Augusta Keenan and the late Thomas Keenan, Kenlock. The ceremony was performed by Capt. Rev. Louis A. Dougan who also celebrated the Nuptial Mass. The bride looked charming in a suite of blue taffeta and carried a white prayer book. The bride was attended by her sister Sadie who wore pink crepe and accessories to match. The groom was ably supported by his cousin, Bernard Keenan, Georgetown. During the ceremony Mrs. Joseph Dougan presided at the organ and W. J. Brown rendered several beautiful hymns. After the ceremony the wedding party motored to the Queen Hotel where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served to the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The happy couple left on a trip through the Maritimes. On their return they will reside in Kenlock.

Zion United Baptist Church, Yarmouth, N.S., was the scene of a most brilliant social affair when on Friday evening, June 23, the sacrament of marriage was celebrated between Elsie Margaret Dawson, daughter of Lt.-Col. Ulric G. Dawson, V.D., Camp Commandant at Camp 60 C.I. (E) T.C., and Mrs. Dawson, formerly of Charlottetown, P. E. I., and Flt. Lieut. Joseph Edward Ledbetter, RCAF, only son of Mrs. Welthy Ledbetter, of Bemis, Tennessee.

The 57th annual meeting of the Prince Edward Island Presbyterial of the Woman's Missionary Societies (Eastern Division) of the Presbyterian Church in Canada was held yesterday in St. James Church, Charlottetown. The president, Mrs. G. Caryle Webster, conducted the morning and afternoon meetings. A service of worship preceded the morning's business.

The greetings of St. James session and Woman's Missionary Society were brought by Rev. T. H. Bussel Somers. He spoke of the historical and missionary significance of St. James Church, of the memorial windows depicting the missionary saints of the early church and of the memorial to two later missionaries Rev. and Mrs. Goodwill to the New Hebrides. He welcomed all to the Kirk and expressed the hope that the meetings might be happy, profitable and a blessing to all.

The nominating committee was appointed as follows:— Mrs. John MacKay, Stanley Bridge; Mrs. L. H.D. Foster, Marshfield; Mrs. J. W. MacKenzie, Summerside; Mrs. A.W. Humphrey, Kensington; Miss Margaret MacDougall, Wood Islands. Other committees were: For credentials Miss Mary Irving, for resolutions and courtesies, Miss Margaret MacDougall and Mrs. W. C S. MacLure.

Reports were brought by the corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. W. Patterson; the secretary of literature, Miss Hattie MacLeod; the home mission secretary, Mrs. Warren Simms; the Presbyterian Message secretary, Mrs. George P. MacLeod; the home helpers' secretary, Mrs. Hardy Ramsay; the 1st vice-president, Mrs. Mary MacLean; and the treasurer, Mrs. Frank Bagnall. All reports showed increased membership and the treasurer reported allocations fully realized.

The morning session was closed with the Benediction by Rev. T.H. Bussel Somers.

Afternoon Session

The devotional service was conducted by Wood Islands W.M.S. members, Mrs Finlay MacDougall, Mrs. Flora MacKay and Miss Margaret MacDougall.

A history of the Montague Presbyterian Church, written by Mrs. Eliza MacInnis, first president of the re-organized Presbyterial of 1925, was read by her sister Miss Lily B. Aitken. She told of the hardships endured by the early settlers and their long struggle to obtain a church where they might worship God and bring up their children in the faith of their fathers.

The report of the nominating committee was read by Mrs. John MacKay of Stanley Bridge and the officers elected as follows:—President — Mrs. Mary MacLean, Charlottetown; 1st vice-president — Mrs. G. Carlyle Webster, Charlottetown; 2nd vice president — Miss Katie MacEachern, Eldon. 3rd vice president — Mrs. Hilbert Johnson, Summerside. 4th vice president — Mrs. William Irving, Alberton. 5th vice president — Mrs. Irving Millar, Murray Harbor North. 6th vice president — Mrs. A. M. Green, New London. Recording Secretary — Mrs. F. A. A. Mutch, Charlottetown. Corresponding secretary, — Mrs. C. W. Patterson, Charlottetown. Girls' Work secretary — Miss Margaret MacDougall, Wood Islands. Mission Band secretary — Miss Kathryn MacLeod, Belfast. Literature secretary — Mrs. Robert A. Stavert, Kensington. Home Mission secretary — Mrs. Warren Simms, French River. Home Helpers secretary — Mrs. Hardy Ramsay, Tyne Valley. Message secretary — Mrs. George P. MacLeod, New London. Treasurer — Mrs. Frank Bagnall, Hunter River.

A wedding of interest to a host of friends took place at six o'clock Monday evening June 26th, at the Charlottetown Baptist Church when Aletha Edith only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Saunders, was united in marriage in a double ring ceremony to Petty Officer Victor Alexander, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Runtz of Arnprior, Ontario. The ceremony was performed by Rev. I. J. Levy, Professor John Inch presided at the organ assisted by the choir of which Aletha was a member was present and sang beautifully "O Perfect Love" The bride who was given in marriage by her father, looked charming in a floor length gown of white brocaded satin with a finger-tip veil of tulle illusion held in place by a bandeau of flowers. She carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. Her only ornament was a string of pearls gift of the groom. Miss Marguerite Brehaut the bride's only attendant, wore a floor length gown of turquoise net over silk rayon with matching hat and carried a bouquet of buttercup roses.

THURSDAY

RETURN FROM CONFERENCE — Prof. Hazen Wigmore and Mr. Ralph MacLean, both of Charlottetown have returned from attending a Maritime conference of Y's Men at Moncton, N. B.

LEAVES FOR BOSTON — Mrs. Keith Morrow, with her baby boy, leaves this morning for Boston to join her husband, Lieut. Keith Morrow, who is R. C. N. V. R. liaison officer there.

FIREMEN CALLED — A small blaze in a shed, the property of Augustine Dowling, 29 Victory Ave. called out the fire department at 11 o'clock last night. The fire was soon extinguished.

LEAVES FOR MAINLAND — The Rev Canon Malone, Rector of St. Peter's Cathedral, City, has spent several days in Summerside, the guest of Miss Hunt and Mrs. Musson. Canon Malone left yesterday morning for the mainland.

CASUALTY LIST — Among those reported slightly wounded in the latest Canadian Army Casualty List is Pte. Earl Russell Jardine, who was serving with a Nova Scotia and P E I Regiment. Pte. Jardine's next of kin is his father, Mr. Gilmore Jardine, Mount Stewart, P E I.

—ROTARY LUNCHEON — Mr. W. E. Darby, newly elected president of the Summerside Rotary Club, presided at the first luncheon for the new year on Tuesday and introduced the new officers to the members. Mr. J. F. Arnett spoke on his attendance at the district convention at Sackville. Rotarian W. A. Fox of Amherst was a guest.—S.

PRESENTED WITH GIFT —On Tuesday evening the Patriot composing room was the scene of a pleasant ceremony when her co-workers presented the popular young bride-to-be, Miss Margaret Tierney, with a useful gift on the occasion of her approaching marriage. James Coyle, composing room foreman, made the presentation and spoke briefly of the esteem in which Miss Tierney is held.

HISTORIC COMMITTEE — At the 57th annual W. M. S. Presbyterial in St. James Presbyterian Church, the following committee was appointed to look after papers and articles of historic interest and value: Mrs. W. A. Stewart, Mrs. H. J. Gordon, Mrs. E.G. Saunders, Rev. T. H. Bussel Somers, Rev. G. C. Webster. It was also announced that Mrs. J. W. MacKenzie of Summerside was appointed convenor of the nominating committee for 1945 Presbyterial.

RENEWING OLD FRIENDSHIPS — Mrs. H. W. McKay and daughter motored from Clifton last Friday with their cousins, Mr. John L. Clark and sister of Rustico, through Stanley and Cavendish, and reviewed the homes of the material relatives of Mrs. McKay. They visited the Park beach and were around Green Gables and into the cemetery and visited the graves of the four grandparents of Mrs. McKay, later calling at Mr. Fred Clark's and Mrs. Roy Toombs'. Mrs. McKay and Mysie spent a few days at J. L. Clark's, Rustico.

BUTLER—MALLON — The marriage of Flying Officer Cyril Thomas Butler, D. F. M., R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Butler, of York Point, P.E.I., to Miss Mary Eugenie (Jean) Mallon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Mallon, of Montreal, took place at St. Agnes' sacristy on June 28, at eleven o'clock in the morning. The Rev. Father E. J. Jones officiated. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Mary Augustina Mallon, and Corporal J. C. Ferguson, R.C.A.F., was best man. Following a reception which was held at the home of the bride's parents, the couple left for Prince Edward Island and on their honeymoon. Flying Officer Butler recently returned from overseas on special leave, after having completed a tour of operations, over enemy territory, and also a tour as instructor. — Montreal Star.

Flying Officer C. T. Butler, D.F.M. North River, P.E.I., returned to Canada recently after serving with the RCAF in Britain. Although he had to bail out on one occasion and underwent several attacks by enemy aircraft, F.O. Butler continued 'to fly on operations with unflagging zeal and enthusiasm," according to the citation that accompanied his decoration.

He is the son of Sgt. and Mrs. William Butler, North River. His father, a veteran of the last war, is now serving at Beech Grove Training Centre.

Flying Officer Butler enlisted in the RCAF at Charlottetown in 1940 and received his training in Upper Canada. He went overseas in 1941, returned for a much needed rest in May, and will soon rejoin his squadron overseas.

His brother, Flt.-Sgt. Ronald H. Butler, enlisted in the RCAF at beginning of the war and went overseas in 1942. He has been reported missing since October, 1943.

Another brother, Flt.-Sgt. J. W. Butler, enlisted in the RCAF very early in the war, received his training in Upper Canada, then returned East to serve with the Eastern Air Command. He went overseas in January, 1944. Prior to the war, Flt.-Sgt. J. W. Butler was employed with DeBlois Bros., Charlottetown.

Still another brother, Flt.-Sgt. Allen Butler, joined the RCAF in 1942, trained in Upper Canada, and went overseas in May, of this year.

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, when Anna Ruth, only daughter of Mrs. John Sterns and the late Mr. Sterns, was united in the bonds of Holy Matrimony by the Rev T E McLennan to Mr. Ewen Harvey Anderson, Charlottetown, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Anderson, Morell.

The marriage took place at the home of the bride's mother, 234 Richmond Street in a room, artistically decorated with various shades of peonies, pink and white snapdragons, pond-lilies and fern. The bride, given away by her cousin, Mr. Frank Sterns, Souris, was smartly attired in a becoming gown of aqua silk jersey, of street length, with a matching hat of flowers, and wore a corsage of yellow roses.

The bride's mother wore an attractive ensemble of black, and flowered silk, with corsage of red carnations.

During the signing of the register Miss Sally Wood, accompanied by her sister, Verna, on the piano rendered the vocal selection "I'll walk beside you" by Allan Murray. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson were the recipients of many beautiful gifts, and the groom's gift to the bride was a string of pearls.

Following the ceremony, a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served to the immediate relatives. Miss Gertrude Sterns and Miss Hazel Sterns presided over the tea cups and Mrs. William Roach, Mrs. Fred Pickard, Miss Evelyn Johnston and Miss Elizabeth Cox assisted in serving. Later the happy couple left on a motor trip to Nova Scotia, Mrs. Anderson wearing an appropriate suit of biege, with brown accessories.

FRIDAY

BOY SCOUTS IN CAMP—Sixty-five Boy Scouts, under the command of W.J. Harper, N.S. and P.E.I. Boy Scout Field Secretary, assisted by Harry Pineau, are now at Camp Buchan where they will undergo training in signalling and the various arts pertaining to woodcraft. The training will last for ten days at the end of which time the boys will break camp.

CAPTAIN A. A. MacLEOD HERE —Captain A. A. MacLeod, Army Chaplain, attached to M. D. 7 was in the city yesterday in connection with handing over his office of Grand Scribe of the Sons of Temperance. The Captain is well-known in this province, where he previously held Baptist charges at Montague and O'Leary, and as the father of Sqdn. Leader MacLeod, who had a distinguished career overseas, and is now an instructor in the west. The Captain has the Military Hospital at Saint John as well as other sections of District No. 7 under his ministerial supervision.

SUGGESTS CONFERENCE — Premier J. Walter Jones has sent an invitation to the Premiers of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick to come here for a Maritime conference to discuss post-war reconstruction policies. His suggestion is that each of the Provinces would send delegates to meet in the Confederation Chamber around the same table where Maritime delegates met in 1864 to discuss a union of the three Maritime Provinces. The conference later turned into a discussion of wider union and formed the basis of Confederation. Newfoundland might also be invited to send delegates, it was suggested.

ACTIVE IN LOS ANGELES — Another Prince Edward Islander who is "doing his bit" as a war bond salesman is Major J. A. Crozier, now of Westlake, Los Angeles. In one Liberty Loan he raised $150,000 in just eighteen minutes and his name appears in a recent issue of the Westlake Post as having been invited by Aimee Semple McPherson of Angelus Temple to take part in the bond selling campaign at Pershing Square on the Fourth of July. Major Crozier is a native of Baltic, Lot 18. He is the founder of the Westlake Chamber of Commerce and a life member and past president of that organization.

CASUALTY LIST — Among those reported slightly wounded in the latest Canadian Army Casualty List are A Cpl. William Lloyd Adams, Pte. John Robert Milligan, Cpl. Amos John Ramsay, and Pte. William Streatly Waller each of whom were serving with a Nova Scotia and P. E. I. Regiment.

A. Cpl. Adams' next of kin is his wife, Mrs. Marjorie Adams, Portage, P. E. I. Pte. Milligan's next of kin is his mother Mrs. Belle Milligan, Portage, P. E. I. Cpl. Ramsay's next of kin is his wife, Mrs. Marguerite A. Ramsay, Alberton, P. E. I. Pte. Waller's next of kin is his mother, Mrs. Beatrice Waller, 93 Green Street, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

BRIDE IS REMEMBERED — At the conclusion of rehearsal Friday, June 30th, the choir of Trinity United Church met in the East parlor of Heartz Memorial Hall and gave a party in honor of one of their members, Miss Ruth Sterns. A very pleasant time was spent in games and group singing, Mrs. A. McEachern presiding at the piano. Miss Sterns was the recipient of a wedding gift presented by Miss Sally Wood, on behalf of the choir. Rev. T. E. McLennan, the Minister, and Mr. A. R. Kendall, choir director, spoke appreciatively of Miss Sterns' work in the choir and extended best wishes for future happiness. Refreshments were in charge of Mrs. E. A. Large and Miss D. Black. Mrs. A. R. Kendall presided at the tea table.

FRASER—FRASER NUPTIALS — A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at 7 p. m. Wednesday June 21 at the Baptist Parsonage, Kingsboro, when Rev. H. R. Bell united in marriage Fannie Martha, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Fraser, North Lake, and Herbie Headley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fraser, South Lake. The bride looked charming in a suit of navy blue, with accessories to match. She was attended by her friend, Miss Aletha M. Bruce, who was attractively attired in light blue, with contrasting accessories. Mr. Stirling Robertson, Charlottetown, ably supported the groom. The happy young couple left the following morning for a honeymoon in points of interest in P. E. I. On their return a sumptuous wedding supper was served to near relatives and friends at their home in Bothwell. A jolly crowd of serenaders were present also, to extend to the bride and groom, their best wishes. Previous to their marriage the bride was tendered a miscellaneous shower at her home in North Lake. Their many friends wish them many happy years together.—(Patriot Please Copy)

ENTERED CARPIQUET — The Lieut. Tommy Thompson, mentioned in an overseas Canadian Press cable yesterday as going into Carpiquet, France, with a French-speaking unit with whom he is special liaison officer, is the son of Colonel and Mrs. C. C. Thompson, 101 Upper Prince Street, city. Lieut. Thompson enlisted as a signaller in the Signalling Corps at Charlottetown two days prior to the outbreak of war. He went to Halifax in November, 1939, and received his commission as Lieutenant in August, 1940. He then served at Yarmouth and at Aldershot where he was promoted Captain. In November, 1942, he married Miss Yvette Reymond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raoul Reymond and shortly afterwards reverted to the rank of Lieutenant in order to go overseas. He sailed for overseas in October, 1943. Lieut. Thompson's regiment is the 17th Duke of York's Royal Canadian Hussars.

Representatives from the Women's Institutes of Cross Roads, Bunbury, Mt. Herbert, Southport, Mt. Albion, Alexandra, Pownal, Hazelbrook, Watervale, Donah, and Johnston's River met yesterday at their annual District Convention. Mrs. Leigh Kennedy presided.

At the evening session the meeting was addressed by Premier Jones and Mr. Lloyd Shaw, recently appointed Director of Education for Prince Edward Island. Premier Jones referred to the great experience Mr. Shaw has had along educational lines mentioning particularly his former work here and later his work in Newfoundland and more recently at Ottawa.

Premier Jones said that his Government would do everything in their power to promote the work of the Women's Institutes in P. E. I. and that he personally considered their work one of the greatest sources for good in the Province.

In speaking of education he said that every farmer is a technician and that the younger generation needs technical education particularly along the lines of modren discoveries.

BIRTHS

ACTON — At the Kings County Hospital, Montague, P.E.I. to LAC William Acton (Overseas) and Mrs. Acton, Glen William, P.E.I., a daughter, Wilma Jane.

MacKENZIE — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on June 26 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacKenzie, Long Creek, a son, Norman Dale.

STOGRE—At the Prince County Hospital on June 26, 1944, to Cpl. and Mrs. Alec Stogre, a son.

OWEN — At Iroquois Falls, Ontario, on June 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Maitland Owen, a daughter, Evalyn Dianne.

MARRIAGES

DALZIEL - COLLINGS — At the home of the bride's parents, 304 Euston Street on June 29th by the Rev. T.E. McLennan, Helen Elizabeth Collings to Robert Dalziel, both of Charlottetown.

MONTIGNY—HOOD — At Zion Manse on Friday, June 30, 1944, by the Rev. G. Carlyle Webster, Miss Ruth Frances Hood, Charlottetown, to Mr. Lowey Alfred Montigny, Timmins, Ont.

MacDONALD—AULD — At Zion Church on Saturday, July 1, 1944, by the Rev. G. Carlyle Webster, Miss Mildred Edna Auld, Charlottetown, to Mr. Gordon David MacDonald, Mermaid.

BRAMMER—CHAMPION — At Zion Manse on Monday, July 3, 1944, by the Rev. G. Carlyle Webster, Miss Jane Elizabeth Champion, Hamilton, P. E. I., to Mr. Leedham Walker Brammer, Worksop, Nottinghamshire, England.

MacEWEN—MacDONALD — At the Manse, Windsor, Ontario, on June 12th 1944, by Rev. H.M. Paulin, Pearl Lois MacDonald of Windsor Ont., formerly of Mermaid, P.E.I. to L A C Stanley Douglas MacEwen R.C.A.F. Gimli, Manitoba, formerly of Bristol, P.E.I.

CARTER—MacQUARRIE — At the United Church Parsonage on June 28, 1944, by Rev. J.R. Skinner, Hilda May Elizabeth MacQuarrie of Oyster Bed Bridge to Ernest Edward Carter, of Cornwall.

SCARTH—WALLACE — At H. M. C. S. Cornwallis on June 17, Nursing Sister Emily Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wallace of Carleton Place, Ont., to Lt. Ian Scarth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scarth of Sherbrooke, Quebec.

ROSS — MACDONALD — At Zion Manse, on Wednesday, July 5, 1944, by the Rev. G. Carlyle Webster, Miss Anna Margaret MacDonald Heatherdale, to Mr. Francis Augustus Ross, Flat River.

MOORE — MILLAR — At Erskine Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, on Saturday, June 24, 1944, Julia Matilda Millar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. R Millar of Charlottetown to Reagh William Moore, son of the late Mr and Mrs. Lewis J. Moore, of Milburn, P E I Rev R. Good officiating.

DEATHS

CLARK—At his home in Summerside on Friday, June 30, 1944, P. B. Clark, aged 83 years.

CONSTABLE—At the P E I Hospital July 1, 1944, Mrs. Roland Constable in her 27th year.

DINGWELL—At the P.E.I. Hospital on Friday, June 30, 1944, Milton R. Dingwell, aged 66 years, of Bay Fortune.

STOCK — Suddenly on Saturday, July 1, 1944, Herbert Charles Stock aged 64 years.

CHANDLER — At Oyster Bed on June 30, 1944, Mrs. George Chandler, aged 80 years.

MacNEILL—At New Glasgow on July 2, 1944, Miss Eva MacNeill, aged 91 years.

LAWLOR—At his home 68 Lawrence St., Halifax, N S, on Monday, July 3, 1944, Edward (Ned) Lawlor age 70 formerly of Charlottetown.

MACLEOD — At Uigg, July 3rd, 1944 Donald M MacLeod. Funeral service Tuesday, July 4th at the home at 2 o'clock.

READY — Suddenly at Lowell, Mass. Francis E. Ready, son of the late James Ready and Margaret Creamer.

WOODSIDE — At Victoria, July 3, 1944, Mrs. M. D. Woodside, age 88.

DOYLE — In Melrose Highlands, June 17, 1944, Melvina (Cheverie), widow of William M. Doyle.

JARVIS—At Charlottetown Hospital, July 4th, Mrs. Annie Jarvis, widow of the late Michael Jarvis, age 72 years.

COFFIN — At Savage Harbour on Wednesday July 5th 1944 Samuel A Coffin in his 97th year.

MacLEOD—At the P.E.I. Hospital on Wednesday, July 5, Mrs. Murdock W. MacLeod, in her 80th year.

MITCHELL — At the P E I Hospital on Wednesday July 5th 1944 Charles Augustus Mitchell in his 90th year. The remains are resting at the MacLean

COFFIN — At Savage Harbour on Wednesday, July 5, 1944, Samuel A Coffin in her 97th year.

TAIT — At the P.E.I. Hospital on Thursday, July 6, 1944, Mrs. James Tait in her [illegible] year.