



President Truman, left, is seen as he welcomed Rene Pleven, Prime Minister of France, with a warm handshake on the latter's recent arrival at Washington, D.C.

Following meeting, President and Premier began their momentous talks on the program for Western European defence with mutual pledges of continuing warm friendship between their two nations.

### New Publisher For Antigonish Casket

ANTIGONISH, N. S., Feb. 2 — (CP) — Appointment of P. A. G. MacKay, Scotland-born member of the Montreal Gazette's news staff, as publisher of the Casket, a Roman Catholic weekly here, was announced by the board of directors Wednesday.

editor and manager of The Casket since August, 1947, who previously wrote for the Toronto Star and The Canadian Press. Mr. MacGillivray has now joined the staff of the Montreal Gazette. Mr. MacKay is a graduate of the University of Glasgow and London University. Before coming to Canada, he served on several British newspapers, including the army magazine Khaki Street, and wrote a weekly column for a chain of North Wales papers.

### The Neighbors

By George Clark



"Good news for your income tax, Dad. Our guinea pigs have ten new babies!"

### CENTRAL GUARDIAN

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

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HOWARD MacINNIS FOOT-WEAR at 175 Queen Street.

RUMMAGE SALE at the Clover Club, Saturday, February 3rd 3-5 o'clock.

NEW SKIRTS, blazers and sweaters arrived at the Fashion Shoppe.

RED CROSS ANNUAL MEETING at Charlottetown Hotel, Monday, February 12th, 6:15 P.M.

MUSICAL FESTIVAL SYLLABUS now available at Miller Bros. and Tombs Music Stores.

HEAR DR. FRANK MacKINNON speak on the new P. W. C. Alumni Association over C. F. C. Y., Monday, February 5th, 1:15 P. M.

LAI D TO REST — The funeral of the late Mr. Nelson Owen was held from his late residence, Hamilton, P.E.I., at 1 a.m. to Keir Memorial Presbyterian Church on Wednesday, Jan. 31 for service at 2 p.m. conducted by Rev. J. A. McGowan, assisted by Rev. James Cross. Hymns sung were "Jesus Saviour Pilot Me" and "There is No Night in Heaven". Mrs. Charles Lockhart and Mr. Parmenas Phillips sang as a duet "The Old Rugged Cross". King Edward F. and A.M. Lodge, Malpeque, accompanied the remains to its resting place. Masonic funeral honors were displayed by Bro. Rev. James Cross, assisted by the Brethren present. Interment in Malpeque cemetery. Pallbearers: Messrs. Roy Campbell, Wendell Crozier, James A. Ramsay, James M. Ramsay, David Morrison and Wm. C. Donald.

### BURGESS BEDTIME

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son" by Andre Mauris in the Reader's Digest for January. The name "Widow of Windsor" was the title given the Queen in a rather brash poem of Kipling's. Mauris is a brilliant writer, but as a historian we must make some allowance for discrepancies; they best every storyteller who repeats at second-hand! One sentence, however, will commend itself to all who can remember those stirring times—"Her (Victoria's) commonsense amounted to genius." What better can be said of any ruler?

### THE SKY IN FEBRUARY

The moon is in Perigee Feb. 3rd, being 226,800 miles away. New Moon Feb. 7th, and on the same date in conjunction with Venus. Feb. 8, conjunction of the moon with Jupiter, and a little later with Mars. Thus Venus, Jupiter and Mars are all in the same quarter of the sky. Feb. 13, Moon in First Quarter. Moon in Apogee, distant 251,400 miles, Feb. 15. Conjunction of Moon and Uranus Feb. 17. Feb. 21, Full Moon. Feb. 23, Conjunction of Moon and Saturn. Last Quarter of Moon, Feb. 28.

## Made Enjoyable Tour Of Eastern Canada And U.S.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Goodman, of Hunter River, have been married almost fifty-four years and enjoy life to its fullest extent.

On New Year's Eve, 1950, they returned from a tour of Eastern Canada and the States which had taken them almost two and a half months. During their trip they recorded all points of interest they saw, and upon their return to Hunter River made a complete record of their tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodman have recently forwarded a copy of this record to The Guardian, which appears below. They left Hunter River on Oct. 19 last by the morning train, and journeyed to Moncton where they transferred to a train which took them through Newcastle, Chatham and Campbellton to Montreal.

Between Quebec and Montreal Mr. Goodman says he found a beautiful prosperous looking farming section. The farms were long and narrow, and the village streets lined with Lombardy Poplars.

"We remained in the same car until we reached Montreal," he says, "and the service on the train was excellent. We arrived in Montreal at 9:15 a. m. In five minutes we changed cars and left for Hamilton, Ontario. Between Montreal and Toronto was a lovely farming section with some sections rocky and stones scattered over cleared fields like tomb stones. Holstein cattle predominated all over this section.

"Nearing Toronto we came into nice orchards and well-tilled fields. Travelling hours in sight of Lake Ontario we arrived in Toronto at 5:25 p. m. and left at 5:55 p. m. for Hamilton, a distance of 50 miles where we arrived at 6:55 Hamilton is a large industrial city of 200,000 with 13 Roman Catholic churches. Oct. 21st was very warm, up to 60 in Hamilton with snow in Northern Ontario. The weather was delightful here. I believe with all its great industries, the Westinghouse, the Firestone, and auto factories, and the great steel company, (the ore is brought in on lake steamers) that Hamilton will soon be the Pittsburgh of Canada. The parks are beautiful.

### Visited Castle

"On Sunday we paid a visit to Dundurn Castle and its beautiful park. The castle is a museum of interesting relics of early Ontario both civil and military and relics of the stormy times of the Family Compact including a portrait of the McNabbs and the bed that he slept on. These were the times of the agitation for self-government in Upper Canada. The hospitality of our friends could not be exceeded. The McRaes of Orwell Cove, the Kelly's of Iona, the Powers of Elliotvale, and wherever we met an Islander we met a friend. There are a lot of Islanders in Hamilton. "On Nov. 1st I went to Toronto to a hockey game between the Maple Leafs and Canadiens 5-4 in favor of the Leafs. On Nov. 6th we went to Niagara Falls, a distance of 50 miles. I believe it is the greatest fruit belt in Canada, vineyards and orchards and small fruit cover most of the district. We passed through St. Catherine's



Mr. and Mrs. Peter Goodman

and crossed the Welland Canal. The Falls give one an impression of what an enormous amount of energy has yet to be harnessed. "On the Sunday before leaving Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parsons and William Parsons of Toronto came to see us. Left Hamilton Nov. 17th at 3 p. m. by way of Dundas on the Grand Trunk. Arrived in Detroit at 8 p. m. It is a very modern city of 2,000,000, a city of wide streets and no subways. A city where everyone owns their own car and everyone parks their car on the street and there are no parking meters, and no tenement houses as we know them. The city is encircled with cottages. The area of the city is about 20 x 16 miles.

### Met Relatives

"We motored across the city to Dearborn where Henry Ford is buried. A simple stone marks the spot. His life was sufficient memory. We intended to go to his museum but a strike was on among the maintenance workers who had the place picketed. We also had a look at Detroit River from the 21st floor of the National Bank building where my nephew-in-law has his law office. He is Alonzo O'Mara, and during our stay in Detroit we were their guests and also visited my niece, Sister Mary who is at the head of a new order to work amongst the coloured people of Detroit. There are 300,000 of them there.

"I also met my nephews, Bruce and his family and Joseph Shultz, Joseph is a steward on one of the Lake boats.

"On Sunday the 26th we went to Mass at the Church of the Little Flower. Rev. Father Coughlin is famous for his sermons on the air in favor of giving the working man a fair deal. The church is, I believe, a donation from his admirers. The church is of very unusual appearance, circular in shape and in style Byzantine. The altar has no back. As we know it, the seats are formed in a circle all around the church with a small space for the officiating clergy to get to the altar.

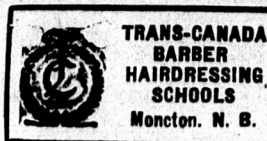
"We motored around Belle Island, situated in the Detroit River, about one mile wide and two and a half miles long, leased by Canada to the U.S. for 500 years. They have converted it into breathing space for the city with a lot of attractions. A beautiful bridge connects it with Detroit. A vast amount of shipping goes through on the Canadian side. We had quite a fall of snow, about five inches here.

### At Grand Central

"On December 1st, 8:20 A.M. we left Detroit, crossed over to Windsor, and travelled four hours in Canada, a section that grows more corn than anywhere else in the Dominion. Crossed from Niagara to Buffalo, N.Y. Of historic interest the first lake steamboat was built here. The city was burned by the British in the war of 1812. From Buffalo to New York, a distance of 456 miles down through the Mohawk valley, famous as the gateway to Canada for the fur trades of New York. Also passed Tarrytown, the scene of the exploits of the Headless Horseman and Fenimore Cooper's Spy, and the other tales of fiction. We arrived at the Grand Central Station at 9:45 P.M.

"It is a city within a city. More than half a million people pass through this station each day. Six hundred trains a day glide tracks that serve the Grand Central terminal. Steel and concrete pillars support the apartment houses and office buildings. Smart shops and hotels without going on the sidewalk. My nephew was waiting to take us to the home of my sister, Mrs. J.H. Fanning, Brooklyn, her family, and my nephew, John J. O'Brien of Ridgewood. He is a telegraph operator in New York. His son is in the regular service, stationed at Sault Ste. Marie.

"We also visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGuigan of Astoria, Ore.



look us for an auto ride through Central Park and Times Square and past St. Patrick's Cathedral, the Empire State Building, and the Bronx. We crossed Triborough Bridge which connects the three boroughs, Manhattan, Queens and Bronx, built at a cost of \$60,000,000 and cut to La Guardia field. The size of the field has to be seen to be appreciated.

"On Sunday night we went to a play, "The Gay Nineties". It was good. The costumes were all of that period. St. Michael's Parish put it on, a parish of 25,000. A grand niece of mine was one of the ushers so I was assured of a good seat. Television is all the rage. You can stay home and take in the sports. I saw the Rangers trim the Maple Leafs on Christmas eve. I heard Van Trapps sing "Holy Night".

### Visited Western Electric

"We went to Midnight Mass at St. Michael's, 4th Avenue. On Christmas day we motored to Maywood, New Jersey, went by the Manhattan tunnel two and a half miles long, and the Holland tunnel, one and a half miles. We had dinner at my nephews, Ray Fanning's. It was a family dinner and quite a reunion. "We visited the Western Electric, a huge plant of over 20,000 employees. It is a branch of the Bell Telephone Company. It has a wonderful recreation centre this year. They planted a live Christmas tree twenty feet high.

"Coming back we crossed the George Washington Bridge and back to Brooklyn. My nephews are old employees of the Western Union. I mean the Fanning boys, Wilfred and Ray are veterans of the late war. On Friday, the 29th of December, we left New York central terminal at 3 P.M. for home. Left Boston at 9:30 by way of Portland, St. John and Moncton. We expected to stay over Sunday in Moncton, but found at St. John that the late train was still running. Arrived home by our general taxi driver, Ernest Cousins, at 11 P.M. Dec. 30th."

**Dorothy Dix Says—**  
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to do great things. He wanted to go into business for himself. There were good openings that he wanted to take. But his wife's lack of faith in him made him lose faith in himself and he settled down, into being a failure.  
But it is the children who are the most pitiful victims of the chronic discourager. They are too young and ignorant to know how to discount their parents' croakings. And so, when their fathers and mothers tell them that they cannot do what other men and women have done; that there are no opportunities to rise in the world now; a days, they believe the pessimistic doctrine. It saps their courage. It quenches their ambition. It turns them into quitters who are licked before they ever begin to fight.  
There are many evil men and women in the world, but I doubt if any do more harm than the chronic discouragers.

DOROTHY DIX cannot personally reply to readers, but will answer letters of general interest through her column.

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Stay out of crowds as much as possible when colds, flu and pneumonia are going the rounds.

Avoid direct contact with people who have colds.

Build good body resistance by EATING ENOUGH of the RIGHT KINDS of food EVERY DAY:

- MILK—  
Children at least 1 pt.  
Adolescents: at least 1 1/2 pts.  
Adults: at least 1/2 pt.
- CITRUS FRUIT or TOMATOES or their juices and one other fruit.
- WHOLE GRAIN CEREAL and BREAD VEGETABLES—  
Two others besides potatoes, preferably one yellow or green and often raw ones.
- MEAT, FISH, POULTRY—  
or meat alternates. Liver frequently. Eggs and cheese three times a week.
- COD LIVER OIL

**START THE DAY WITH A HEARTY BREAKFAST**

Get enough rest. Eight hours for adults and ten for children. Wear clothes suitable to weather conditions. Avoid wet feet, drafts, damp clothing, exposure to bad weather. Avoid chilling when overheated or wet with perspiration. Keep your hands clean.

Don't spread germs to others. Cover your nose when sneezing or coughing

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