

# Golden Anniversary Party At Ch'town Rotary Club

Last evening at the Charlotte-town Hotel, 170 Rotarians and friends gathered to celebrate the golden anniversary of Rotary.

The dinner took the form of a usual Rotary meeting with added entertainment. The toast to the ladies was proposed by Dr. George Fisher and responded to by Mrs. R. C. P. P. P.

Messages of greeting were received and read to the gathering from District Governor Alan Macdonald and Doctor Frank MacKinnon.

During the evening the gathering joined in singing several old favorites of 1905 vintage and awards were given to Mrs. R. C.

## Cards of Thanks

Mrs. John E. Connolly, and Annie wish to thank the kind neighbours who assisted them during the illness and death of Mr. Connolly.

I wish to sincerely thank the staff doctors, nurses and aides of the Provincial Sanatorium for their kindness to me while a patient there, also the patients who by their many acts of kindness made my stay there such a pleasant one.

Sincerely, Roderick J. MacDonald.

## BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

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### BIRTHS

**THOMSON**—At the Prince County Hospital on February 16th, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thomson of North Tryon, a daughter, Nancy Elizabeth.

**CLOW**—At the Prince County Hospital, on Tuesday, February 15th, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Clow (nee Shirley Pineau) Summerside, a daughter, Heather Lynn, 6 lbs. 7 ozs.

**NOONAN**—At the Prince County Hospital on Wednesday, February 16th, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Noonan, Albany, a son, 8½ lbs. Jeremiah Bernard.

**MCCARVILLE**—In Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McCarville (nee Josie Larter), a daughter, Nancy Irene, 7 lbs. 5 ozs.

### MARRIAGES

**ARNOLD-HERRING**—At Charlottetown, February 2, 1955, by Rev. A. Frank MacLean, Alex Arnold, Murray Harbor and Martin L. Herring, Murray Harbor.

**THOMSON—DAWSON**—At the North Tryon Presbyterian Manse, February 16th, 1955, at 3 p. m. by the Rev. Lawrence Blaikie, Louise Joan Dawson of Albany, and Charles Everett Thomson of North Tryon.

### DEATHS

**BRADSHAW**—At the Prince County Hospital, Feb. 17, 1955, Ella Bradshaw of Middleton, in his 86th year. Remains will be forwarded from Davison's Funeral Home to his late residence Friday evening. Funeral notice later.

**MURPHY**—Suddenly on February 16, 1955, John Ernest Murphy, aged 71 years. His remains were transferred from the Henessey Funeral Home to his late residence, 215 Great George Street last evening at 8 o'clock from where the funeral will be held Saturday morning leaving his late residence at 9 o'clock for Requeim High Mass at St. Dunstan's Basilica. Interment in the Catholic Cemetery.

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Parent and Hon. A. W. Matheson whose birthdays fell closest to the birthday of Rotary, 23 Feb. 1905.

Following the dinner, dancing and cards were enjoyed by all with Don Messer's Orchestra providing appropriate music.

Walter Hyndman was song-leader for the evening with Al Blanchard at the piano. President Hal Shaw was chairman for the evening assisted by Bill Reid.

## City and Central

**TWO RACKS** teen-age Dresses clearing ½ price. Third floor—S. A. MacDonald's.

**HEAR** the Charlottetown Choral this evening over station CFCY at 9:30 p.m.

**SALE** Saturday only, one rack of dresses, reg. \$14.95 for \$5.00 Helen's Dress Shop.

**ONE GROUP** Children's Coat Sets, sizes 2 to 6. Clearing ½ price. Third floor—S. A. MacDonald's.

**THIRD FLOOR SPECIAL**—70 x 80 Pink and Blue flannellette Blankets, \$3.95 pair. S. A. MacDonald's.

**NORTH TRYON** Presbyterian Church services Feb. 20, 11 a.m. church school 12.15. Miss Mary A. MacKenzie, Deaconess.

**NEW GLASGOW** Church of Christ services for Sunday, Feb. 20. New Glasgow Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship service 11 a.m. Cavendish Baptist Church 3 p.m. Byard Thurber, guest speaker.

**CENTENNIAL BALL**—Members of the City Fire Department held a Centennial ball last night at the Rollaway Club. The evening was most enjoyable. Music being furnished by The Downtowners.

**FIRST READING**—First reading in the Legislature yesterday were given to two bills: "An Act to Amend the Education Act" and "An Act to Amend the Mother's Allowance Act."

**CRAPAUD** and Springfield Parishes. Services for Sunday, February 20th. Quinquagesima Sunday, St. Elizabeth's Church, Springfield, 11:00 a.m. morning prayer, St. John's Church, Crapaud, 7:30 p.m. evening prayer. Rev. George R. F. Ebsary, rector.

**PYTHIAN SISTERS CARD PARTY**—Pythian Sisters held their first card party Wednesday, Feb. 16. Prize winners were: Ladies' 1st Bessie Jay; Shirley Mrs. Herb Vessey. Consolation: Mrs. C. Fardy. Men's first, H. A. MacLeod; second, Vernon Jay. Consolation, Roy White. Freeze-out, Mrs. Charles Worth and Norman MacFadyen.

**CARD PARTY**—The weekly card party was held in Central Royalty Hall last evening with the following winners: Ladies' first, Mrs. M. Gorman consolation, Mrs. M. J. Doyle. Men's first, Leslie McLaughlin; consolation, Malcolm MacLeod. Door prize, Edgar Hayes. Freeze-out, Hugh MacLeod and Mrs. John MacLea.

**FUNERAL YESTERDAY**—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Margaret Caseley was held from the MacLean Funeral Home yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. A. Frank MacLean who also officiated at the grave. Interment was in Kensington cemetery. Pall bearers were, Wallace Caseley, Leman Caseley, Clark Caseley, Nelson Caseley, Bruce Riley, Earl Hog.

**PRIZE WINNERS**—Prize winners Wednesday night at a card party held in Winsloe Station hall were as follows: Ladies' first, Mrs. Gordon Stetson; second, Ethel Callaghan; consolation, Vivian Switzer. Men's first, Ralph Frizell; second, William Ferguson; consolation, Tim Ranaghan. Freeze-out, Malton Dollar and Hammond Sanderson.

**FUNERAL SERVICE**—The funeral of the late Mrs. Flora MacKinnon was held yesterday. Short service conducted at the MacLean Funeral Home by Major Stanley and Rev. A. Frank MacLean. Funeral service in Dunas United Church by Rev. E. C. Custance. During the service a trio composed of Herbert MacLeod, William Ives, Walter Burdett sang "Sweet Peace" and Mr. Walter Burdett sang as a solo "When I Get To The End Of The Way." Pall bearers were Allison MacDonald, Samuel Burhoe, John Livingston, Robert Acorn, Wendell MacLeod, J. C. MacBeth.

**Personals**  
Mr. A. B. Culliffe, Charlottetown, is out of the hospital after six weeks' illness.  
Mr. Gavin Burgoyne, farmer of North Granville, delivered a truck load of cattle to Canada Packers yesterday. Mr. Burgoyne said, the roads were extra good for this time of year.  
Mr. William Bernard, retired farmer of French River, was a welcome visitor to the City yesterday. He spent the day calling on some of his many friends, but he did not forget to call on the sick in the hospital.  
Dr. J. Ralph Calder of Long Beach, Calif., is expected to arrive in Charlottetown to visit his father, Mr. Marcus Calder, who is seriously ill in hospital.



## Trinity Memorial Organ To Be Dedicated On Sunday

Featured above is Trinity Church memorial organ and members of the choir. Inset is the organist, Mr. George Thompson, F.R.C.O. (CHM), R.C.M. The choir members are: Front row: Elizabeth Wright, Mrs. J. Keith Boyce, Mrs. Ruth MacLeod, Mrs. Rita Wotton, Mrs. W. G. Spencer, Mrs. E. Tait, Mrs. Joseph Neale, Maida Rogerson. Second row: Joyce MacCallum, Roberta Todd, Mrs. Bruce MacLaren, Mrs. C. J. Fear, Mrs. T. Lowther, Mrs. K. A. Parker, Joan Rogerson, Mrs. Edwin MacRae. Third row: Helen Wilson, Mrs. H. W. Davison, Mrs. E. Arnfast, Mrs. B. E. Lockhart, Mrs. Lloyd Ward, Linnie Aitken, Mrs. Helen MacEachern, Helen Sutherland, Mrs. Fred Osborne, Mrs. James Boyce. Back row: Esben Arnfast, Earl Stewart, Russell Finlay, Dr. Eric Found, George Johnson, Lyle Robson, Peter Small, William Rogerson, Keith Boyce, Frank Mills, Duncan MacPherson, Stanley Lancaster, Lloyd Ward.

The dedication service in connection with Trinity memorial organ, which has been placed in the church in memory of the men who gave their lives in the Second World War, in the Korean War and those who died in service, will take place Sunday morning. The ceremony will be carried out by Rev. A. Frank MacLean, assisted by Rev. Howard Christie.

The memorial organ, which is one of the largest in the Maritime Provinces, was built by Casavant Freres, Saint Hyacinthe, Que. The work of dismantling the old organ began last July and shortly after New Year's the new instrument arrived in Charlottetown.

Since that time Casavant's representative, Mr. Raymond Beaupre, assisted by Mr. J. L. Curran, city, have been busy assembling and tuning the huge organ which contains 2,378 speaking pipes and weighs approximately 20 tons. It is a three manual and a pedal instrument with 48 stops. There are over 600 electro-magnets in the mechanism around the legs of which are wound a total of 35 miles of very fine copper wire. The multiple line cables leading from the detached console to the interior of the organ, if laid end on end, would total 11 miles.

The Trinity memorial organ is actually four organs in one, each of which can be played separately or all at one time. There is the "great organ," the "swell organ," the "choir organ" and the "pedal organ." The music of practically any instrument can be simulated on the organ; included among these are a tuba and chimes.

To install the new organ, which is greater in depth than the former one, architectural changes had to be effected in the choir loft and reinforcement in the foundations made. This work was carried out by M. F. Schurman Ltd., who also executed the redecorating of the church interior which is done in light green with buff trim. Indirect lighting will feature the illumination over the choir loft.

Presiding at the console of the memorial organ on Sunday, will be Mr. George Thompson, F.R.C.O. (CHM), A.R.C.M., who came to Charlottetown from England during the summer of 1953. An accomplished musician and choir leader, Mr. Thompson will have the pleasant experience of being the first to play this fine instrument after seven months of accompanying his 40-50 voice choir on a piano.

At the close of the evening Mr. Thompson, assisted by the choir, with Pauline Simmonds Fear as soloist, will give a recital of sacred music.

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## Local Legion Protests Railway Application

At a special meeting of the local Branch of the Canadian Legion held on Wednesday evening, many items of business were dealt with, important being a brief to be presented to the Government emphasizing the Legion's stand regarding the application for permission to discontinue the mixed passenger train service to Tignish, Souris, Georgetown and Murray Harbour during eight months of the year.

A resolution was moved by Com. C. M. Sinclair, seconded by Com. Elric Campbell and unanimously adopted, that the brief under discussion be passed to the Provincial Command, who would in turn present it to the local government.

The brief reads in part, "we, the executive members of the Charlottetown branch now in session, do strongly oppose the application made by the C.N.R. to discontinue the mixed passenger train service on our local railways to Tignish, Souris, Georgetown and Murray Harbour during eight months of the year. It is our opinion that this would be the greatest act of injustice and rank discrimination ever perpetrated by high officials in central Canada against this, the smallest, but by no means the least important of the ten Canadian provinces.

"We believe that this province, the Cradle of Confederation, has been a great asset to Canada. It has served Canada nobly and well, in peace and in war."

The meeting opened with prayer by Rev. J. H. Bishop. The usual business was dealt with.

Mr. Dunbar urged members to attend the meeting at Prince of Wales College, March 10th, to hear Professor Mowat, Professor of Education, Dalhousie University, N.S., the guest speaker for Education Week.

Mrs. Rogerson introduced the guest for the evening, Mr. Vic Runtz, who gave a talk on the history of cartooning and then delighted the audience with some clever cartoons.

Miss Barbara Pound moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Runtz for his fine entertainment.

A social time, in which Mr. Dunbar led in games, was then enjoyed by all.

Refreshments were served by the catering committee.

## P.E.I. Tourists Director Speaks At Club Meeting

Mr. George Fraser, director of the Prince Edward Island Tourist Bureau, was the guest speaker at the regular weekly supper meeting of the Alpha Y's Men's Club in the banquet room of the Y. M. C. A. last night.

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## PRE-LENTEN DANCE

**PARKDALE HALL**  
Monday, Feb. 21  
Legion Orchestra

**SHAMA'S SPECIALS**  
FOWL, Grade "A", Fresh, lb. . . . . 35c  
Roasting PORK, Fresh, lb. . . . . 39c  
Beef LIVER, Fresh, lb. . . . . 39c  
SPARE RIBS, Corned, 4 lbs. . . . . 69c  
EGGS, Grade "B", doz. . . . . 35c  
SALT HERRING, Large, 3 for . . . . . 25c  
SMOKED FILLETS, lb. . . . . 39c  
Corned  
BEEF, Boneless, lb. . . . . 39c  
Sliced  
BACON, lb. . . . . 49c  
24's \$1.59  
2 Pkgs. 65c  
SOUP, Clark's, Mixed, 6 tins . . . . . 69c  
Aylmer's—20 oz.  
TOMATO JUICE COCKTAIL, 2 tins . . . . . 29c  
PEAS, Devon, 20 oz., 2 tins . . . . . 37c  
York PORK & BEANS, 20 oz., 2 tins . . . . . 39c  
Perfection MILK, 6 tins . . . . . 89c  
LUX SOAP, 4 bars . . . . . 34c  
Campbell's TOMATO SOUP, 2 tins . . . . . 25c  
COFFEE, any brand, lb. . . . . \$1.19  
Aylmer TOMATO JUICE, 48 oz . . . . . 35c  
APPLE JUICE, 48 oz. . . . . 35c  
LARD, 2 lbs. . . . . 45c  
SHORTENING, 2 lbs. . . . . 57c  
ICING SUGAR, 2 pkgs. . . . . 23c  
LANTIC SUGAR, 10 lb. bag . . . . . 85c  
Sunkist ORANGES, 2 doz., Med. size 69c  
Pink or White  
Large Juicy GRAPEFRUIT, 6 for . . . . . 49c  
Large Cooking APPLES, 3 lbs. . . . . 35c  
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## Local Staff Promotions In Employment Office

As the result of a general re-classification of positions in the National Employment Offices throughout Canada, several members of the Charlottetown staff have been promoted. The positions effected were upgraded to bring them more in line with the importance and responsibilities of the duties involved. At the same time the office was allotted a fixed quota of employees. Since the war, the quota has been reduced by one-third. The reduction has taken place gradually and was completed some time ago.

Those due for promotion through re-classification, are Mrs. Lily Corrigan, Mr. C. A. Orford, Mr. W. B. Peters and Mr. E. C. Carroll.

Mrs. Corrigan has been employed at the local office for twelve years. She entered government service after some years' experience with a Charlottetown insurance office. After two years with the National Employment Service, she advanced to the position of an Employment and Claims officer. She now becomes Supervisor of Claims and with full authority as an adjudicator. Mrs. Corrigan is presently serving her second term as president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion. She has been an active member of the auxiliary for some years and served in various offices before becoming president.

Mr. C. A. Orford is a veteran of the Normandy campaign in the last war and joined the staff of the Employment Office shortly after his discharge. He was wounded during the advance through France. The re-classification gives him the rank of an Employment and Claims Officer in the Claims Payment Section of the office. Mr. Orford still maintains his connection with the Reserve Army and is also a member of the Charlottetown Fire Department.

Another war veteran who served in the Italian campaign and in the Legislature yesterday by Hon. Eugene Cullen, Minister of Industry and Natural Resources, who started his speech on the Draft Address shortly before the House adjourned for the weekend.

Mr. Cullen gave a description of the work being carried on in the iron ore district north of Seven Islands, called Knob Lake. He said that the population of Seven Islands was about 10,000, "not large but when it is taken into consideration that everything that is consumed in this area has to be brought in from the outside it represents a considerable market."

The Minister told of a visit he made to Seven Islands last fall. From what he saw and learned, he felt that this market was well worth developing. He pointed out however that if some form of regular transportation could not be guaranteed, he did not believe that the population would be interested in trading with the island. "We must be prepared to compete with centres which are nearer to Seven Islands than we are." He felt that shipment by rail via Rimouski would be too costly to prove profitable.

It was the opinion of the Minister that no great increase in development could be expected in that area at the present time but if the railway were to be extended to the Hudson Bay, then Seven Islands would become the "gateway to the North" and the possibilities would be very worth while.

Mr. Cullen will continue his address on Monday.

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## Hon. Mr. Cullen Reopens Address

The possibilities of Seven Islands as an outlet for Island agricultural products were discussed

## ICFG Banquet

Valentine decorations lent a festive air to the annual banquet of the Irwin Christian Fellowship Group held in the social hall of Trinity Church last night. A turkey dinner with all the accessories comprised the menu. The president, Wallace Mallett, presided.

Following the dinner the thanks to the ladies was expressed by Ivan Darrach and fittingly responded to by Miss Blanche Howatt. Mr. Stewart Pierce in a comprehensive review of the year's work paid tribute to the work of the past president, Allison MacKinnon, who for two years directed the group. Mrs. Edith Robson on behalf of the group presented Mr. MacKinnon with a beautifully bound monogrammed copy of the church hymnary.

Mr. MacKinnon, who was taken by surprise, expressed his thanks to the Group in a few brief remarks which indicated his appreciation of the fellowship enjoyed since the organization was first formed in 1951.

A special treat of the evening were several selections by the Trinity Male Eight. A hearty singing directed by Stewart Pierce rounded out a very enjoyable evening which was brought to a close by the benediction by Rev. Howard Christie.

## ALLISON MacLEOD INVITES

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Black four-door sedan. Hydramatic Transmission. Only—  
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**1BB — 1951 PONTIAC**  
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\$450.00

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1949 Ford 1-2 Panel . . . . . \$550.00  
1946 Packard Sedan. Radio . . . \$350.00

**BARGAINS**  
1948 Standard Coach . . . . . \$250.00  
1949 Hillman Sedan . . . . . \$450.00  
1940 Chevrolet Sedan . . . . . \$175.00