

### Novel Chancery Procedure Used

For the first time in this Province apparently a question is being brought before the Court of Chancery by originating summons. First enacted in the Chancery Act in 1949, the simplified procedure is being used before Vice-Chancellor George J. Tweedy in place of the older procedure of "commencing an administration suit, raising the particular point by the pleadings, obtaining an inquiry or direction, and then staying further proceedings."

### P. E. I. Hospital Junior Ladies Aid Meeting

The regular meeting of the Junior Ladies Aid of the Prince Edward Island Hospital was held on April 23 in the Cundall Home with 32 members present. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Laidlaw, with the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison, after which the minutes of the March meeting and of an executive meeting were read and approved.

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### Second Performance Of Fine Operetta

Another capacity audience greeted the second presentation of the operetta "Rose of the Danube" at the Prince of Wales College auditorium last evening.  
Miss Maureen Blake as "Rose" the king's daughter was in splendid voice which was heard to advantage in several duets with Mr. Barry Bugden, the male lead and billed as "the cameraman from Hollywood, who also sang exceptionally well throughout the performance."  
Mr. Fred Pound as Percival McPipp, a moving picture director from Hollywood, created a continuous round of laughter and merriment as he bargained with King Emergentia of Eucorania, exceptionally well played by Mr. Fred Gamble who was outstanding—as were also the three conspirators played by Mr. Roy Smallman, Mr. Loman MacAulay and Mr. Ivan Docherty.

### St. Paul's Auxiliary Hold Social Evening

The three senior branches of St. Paul's Anglican Women's Auxiliary met in joint session last evening in St. Paul's Parish Hall to mark the termination of their work for the season and to enjoy a social hour together.  
The beautiful display of children's garments suitable to all ages, and a number of quilts and other essentials bore testimony to the way in which the members of the organizations devoted their time to the welfare of the children.  
The articles on display will be sold and sent to Gordon Indian Residential School at Pelly, Yukon, and St. Paul's Mission School at Swan River, Manitoba, both institutions being the special objective of concern to the Auxiliary.

### Home and School Fed. Executive Holds Meeting

The monthly meeting of the executive of the Provincial Home and School Federation was held in Charlottetown on April 23. Plans for the annual meeting in June were discussed.  
Mrs. Duckworth, national convener for parent education will be the guest speaker at both afternoon and evening sessions. A play will also be presented on the evening program, followed by a discussion period.  
It was announced that a Home and School representative is to be appointed to the P. E. Island Education Council and a letter was read from the Director of Education asking that three names be submitted to assist the council in its selection. This was referred to the nominating committee who will bring their report before the annual meeting.

### Sheep Breeders

Ernest Underhay, Bay Fortune, Director to Federation of Agriculture, Hudson Frisman, director of veterinary services, spoke briefly on the control of parasites in sheep. He pointed out that the winters in this country are severe enough to kill the worm of the parasite but the eggs were not affected by the severe frosts. He advocated the piling of the entire flock and castrated against infection by turning the sheep out on previously contaminated ground. Asked whether certain breeds of sheep were more resistant than others, Dr. Fisher replied that this fact had not yet been established.  
Mr. Alex Hamilton who attended the Canadian Wool Growers Association meeting, reported that there was a noticeable feeling of optimism among the sheep breeders across Canada and the situation of the average grower is quite favorable. He stated that the volume of wool handled last year was up slightly over the preceding year. Mr. Hamilton urged greater participation among members in the purchase of the Association stock which he said was consistently yielding five per cent dividends. He said that the prospects for wool prices this year were quite favorable since there were no stock piles and there was an increasing demand from foreign countries.  
A vote of thanks to Mr. W. R. Shaw was moved by Mr. Hamilton on behalf of the Association for the splendid contribution he has made on behalf of the sheep breeders of this Province. Judges named to act at the Provincial Exhibition were Mr. Garfield Chapman of Waterloo, P. Q., and Mr. Boyd Ayre of Hampton, Ontario.

**HISTORIC SITE**  
A trading post operated as early as 1778 where the town of Port Hope now stands, 60 miles east of Toronto.



— G. H. M. —  
TIME surely does fly—here we have April galloping by and the end of the week brings May! Makes you think doesn't it? The month of May means MOTHER'S DAY — this year that important day falls on May 9th and you want to be ready with a very fine gift for your very own Mother... Why not choose for her one of the new BLOUSES in the new miracle fabric—"DACRON" that makes for "Easy-Living"! Dacron Blouses retain their shape, are strong and long wearing, dry in minutes and require little or no ironing, they're wrinkle resistant—wonderful for travelling, are non irritating (there's no allergy sensitivity to Dacron). The Ladies' Shop in Charlottetown and the Sportswear Department in the Summerside Store have Dacron Blouses in two charming styles—one with a knife pleated neck trim and the other with dainty embroidery trimming the neat collar and front panel. They are fairly opaque and are a beautiful bright white. Sizes are 12 to 18 priced each 5.95. Choose a Gift for your Mother from the Ladies' Shop, Charlottetown or the Sportswear in Holman's Summerside.

AND yet another Mother's Day Gift suggestion—Give that most important Lady something for her home—something to make her life happier and her living more gracious! The Dry Goods Department in Summerside and the Home Furnishing Department in the Charlottetown Store have delightful, colorful, serviceable Leacock Hand Printed COTTON TABLE CLOTHS that will make simply ideal Mother's Day Gifts. They are in two useful sizes—54 inch square size, priced 2.98 and 54 by 70 inch size priced 3.98. Big, bright, splashy flowers artistically set on a snowy white background will make a festive occasion of each and every meal. Choose a happy Floral Print Table Cloth for your Mother from either the Dry Goods Department in Summerside or the Home Furnishing Department in the Charlottetown Store.

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### BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

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**BIRTHS**  
**CUDMORE**—At the P. E. Island Hospital on April 22nd, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cudmore, a son, **JAY**—At Moncton City Hospital, on April 15th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jay (ne Jessie Gardiner) a son, Brian Lee.  
**MacNEILL**—At the P. E. Island Hospital April 25th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Reagh T. MacNeill a daughter, Miriam Dawn. Weight 7 lb. 12 oz.  
**LEIGHTON**—At the Ottawa Civic Hospital, April 20th, 1954, to Lieutenant and Mrs. C. E. Leighton, (nee Shirley MacLeod, Reg. N. Diggs), a daughter, Robin Lee.  
**HIGGINS**—At Niagara Falls, Ontario, April 25, 1954, to Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Higgins, twin sons, Gregory Mark and John Michael, 6 lbs. 8 ozs., 6 lbs. 14 ozs. Dr. Higgins is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Higgins, Belmont, Lot 16.

**MARRIAGES**  
**HENDERSON — CAMPBELL** — In Darlington, Maryland, on April 15th, 1954, by the Rev. F. Marshall Paige. Harmony Presbyterian Church, Mary Elizabeth Campbell, to Parker W. Henderson.

**DEATHS**  
**MELLISS**—At the Winnipeg General Hospital on Sunday, April 25, David L. Mellish, in his 71st year, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John T. Mellish of Montague. Burial in Winnipeg, Friday, April 30, 1954.  
**McCARRON**—At the home of his sister, Mrs. Vincent Gallant, 266 Sydney St., on Tuesday, April 27, 1954, Brian McCarron in his 38th year. His remains will be transferred this morning from the Charlottetown Funeral Home to his late residence in St. Mary's Road. Funeral notice later.  
**CAMPBELL**—At the Provincial Sanatorium on Tuesday, April 27, 1954, Plus Campbell of Cardigan North in his 43rd year. His remains were transferred yesterday afternoon from the Hennessey Funeral Home to his late residence where the funeral will be held on Thursday morning at 8:30 for Requiem High Mass in All Saints Church, Cardigan. Interment in the church cemetery.

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### Hold Pre-festival Concert In Central Royalty Hall

A pre-festival concert directed by William Keith Rogers and Royston F. Mugford, with Helen MacRae as accompanist was attended by a capacity audience in Central Royalty Hall last evening.  
The concert was sponsored by the Central Royalty Glee Club and provided an opportunity for a grading classification in performers from grades 1 to 10 in the school followed by a variety of highly entertaining numbers by the adults of the community.  
Included in the program were school choruses, piano solos, vocal solos, folk dancing, and vocal duets by children of the different grades.  
The Rhythm Band was heard in several enjoyable numbers and color was added to the scene by the inclusion of the Highland Flute and bag pipe solo. The double quartette of the Glee Club was followed by a number by the Central Royalty Girl Guides and the Women's Chorus, the Men's Chorus and the Mixed Chorus rendered two numbers each most effectively.  
The concert was opened by President George Ayers with appropriate words of welcome and expressions of appreciation for the large attendance.  
Stage arrangements were by Mrs. Earl Foster, Herbert Baxter and Mrs. Marjorie Dover. The concert committee consisted of J. F. MacAleer and Preston Beck.

### Card Of Thanks

The family of little Kenneth Gerard (Jerry) Webster wish to extend their most sincere thanks to all friends who were so helpful in their great loss. They particularly wish to thank their doctor, members of the clergy, the Wolf Cubs of Zion Church, Jerry's teacher and fellow pupils of Prince Street School and the countless friends who came to their home to express the deep sympathy that all felt. The loss we sustained and the ready response of so many people serves to reaffirm our belief in the faith we have and in Christianity as it is practised in this Province.

The Family.

### Community Hall Spring Park

**BULLETIN**  
Wednesday, April 28th—  
Turkey Dinner served by W. I.  
Thursday, April 29th—  
Monthly meeting of Club. Good attendance required for discussion on hall and catering project.

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