



Queens Members Sworn In

Justice Mark R. MacGuigan of the Supreme Court of Prince Edward Island is seen administering the Oath of Allegiance to the

members of the Provincial Legislature from Queen's County. One of the members, Mr. Frederic A. Large, Q.C., was obliged to ap-

pear on crutches after he had suffered a broken ankle last week. To the left of Justice MacGuigan is Mr. Thomas R. Cullen,

Clerk of the House. Facing camera are Harold Smith, Pownall (left) and R. R. Bell, Q.C. Leader of Her Majesty's Loyal Opposition.

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"YOUR DOLLAR BUYS MORE at the Hughes Drug Store."
TURKEY DINNER in Parkdale Hall, Thurs. Feb. 23 from 4.30 to 6.30. Tickets \$1.
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RETURNED BY popular request! Brought crowds to Prince Edward last year—see film "Reaching From Heaven" Friday, Feb. 24, 8 o'clock, Prince of Wales Auditorium. Sponsored by Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship. Tickets 50 cents at Rendezvous Restaurant.
ZION YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY—Zion P. Y. P. S. held its weekly meeting on Tuesday evening. The devotional period was led by Dan Panting and Gordon Brown. Carol Staver was pianist. During the business period membership cards were distributed and the aims of each member of the Society were outlined by the president, Mr. Malcolm MacKenzie then led an interesting discussion period on "Leisure Time". The meeting adjourned to the lower hall for games under the leadership of Joan Douglas and Shirley Garmeter. The meeting closed with the singing of "Blest Be The Tie That Binds."

CONDITION IMPROVED—The many friends of Miss Amy Earle will be pleased to hear that her condition is somewhat improved, although still critical. Miss Earle is now conscious and able to recognize visitors. Mrs. H. E. Millar's condition has greatly improved; she was permitted to be up for a period yesterday. The two ladies were injured when struck by a car recently, at the intersection of Prince and Grafton Streets.
CENTRAL CHRISTIAN Y.P.S.—Last night was film night for Central Christian Church Young People's Society. A series of beautiful colored slides, depicting the missionary work of the "Preams" and Phillips among the natives of Jamaica, was shown. Alan Deane read the interesting commentary which accompanied these slides which embodied a challenge for the support of such a magnificent project.

TRINITY C.G.I.T.—The weekly meeting of the Charlottetown Trinity C.G.I.T. Group was held on Tuesday evening in the Social Hall. Last week the members were divided into two groups. Last evening an executive for each group was elected as follows: Intermediate Group: President, Sondra Sutherland; secretary, Virginia MacKay; treasurer, Marilyn Taylor; Senior Group: President, Gail Jenkins; vice president, Mary Larzer; secretary, Joyce Hemphill; treasurer, Elizabeth Munn.
PROCEEDINGS TELEVIEWED—An interesting feature of the opening here yesterday of the Prince Edward Island Legislature was the fact that camera crews from Halifax and Moncton were on hand to televise the proceedings. All other Provincial Legislatures and the House of Commons were televised this year and the filming of the opening here completed the pattern. William Curtis handled the camera for CKCW-TV, Moncton; and W. D. Fraser filmed the proceedings for the CBC, Halifax. Arrangements for the television program was made as a result of a request from the Prince Edward Island Travel Bureau.

FUNERAL TUESDAY—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary MacLean was held from the MacLean Funeral Home yesterday afternoon. Service was conducted by Rev. Harvey Bishop. Interment was in Argyle Shore Cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Robert MacNeve, Harold Gould, Ivan MacKinnon, Kenneth MacDougall, Bert Docherty, Kelsey Buchanan.
FUNERAL TUESDAY—The funeral of the late Thomas Scully was held Tuesday morning from the Charlottetown Funeral Home, St. Alexis Church, Rollo Bay, where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Wilfred Keefe. Interment was in the church cemetery, where service was conducted by Rev. A. L. Sinnott. The pall bearers were Messrs. James MacCormack, Abidin Hallett, Valentine Mullanly, William Howlett, John Mullally, Francis Howlett. The funeral was very largely attended.
TRINITY SR. Y. P. U.—The regular meeting of Trinity Senior Y. P. U. was held last night in the social hall. The meeting opened with recreation, which was greatly enjoyed. The special feature of the evening was an interesting talk given by Constable Sturden on the history of the R. C. M. P. Constable Sturden also showed a colorful film on the Musical Ride which was appreciated by everyone. The meeting closed with an inspiring worship service by Anna Matheson, Elizabeth Gillis and Fred Sellar.
TO MAKE TV APPEARANCE—Loman McAulay, popular CFCY announcer for the past fourteen years, has been invited to make a guest appearance on the television program, "Cross-Canada Hit Parade" on February 29th. The program originates in Toronto. As guest announcer, he will appear in person to predict a hit tune of the future, and it will be sung by one of the stars of the show. Due to the fact that there is no micro-wave network at the present time, the program will be seen in the Maritimes two weeks later. Loman McAulay is the son of Mr. Louis McAulay and the late Mrs. McAulay of Charlottetown. He joined the staff of CFCY in 1942, and during the war, spent two years in the Canadian Navy, returning to CFCY at the conclusion of hostilities. He is married to the former Betty McCormick and they have three

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Death Yesterday of F. D. Webster

The death of Frank Douglas Webster, retired businessman, occurred at his home, 9 King Square, Charlottetown on Monday, Feb. 20 after an illness of four years.
Mr. Webster was born at Searlestown, P. E. Island, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Webster. His wife predeceased him in 1951.
After attending school at Searlestown he moved with his parents to Mitchell, Ont. where he completed his common school education.
On returning to the Island as a young man Mr. Webster engaged in farming at Tryon and later he conducted a successful business as a general merchant. Following the same occupation he later opened a store at Covehead, Hampton and eventually in Charlottetown. He did considerable

GEAR COLLAPSE ON RUNWAY

CHICAGO (AP) — The landing gear of a four-engine Capital Airlines plane collapsed on landing at midway airport Monday. The airline said none of 37 passengers and four crew members on the Viscount turbo-prop ship was injured. A capital spokesman said the plane had alighted on a runway, apparently normally, but the wheels collapsed slowly after about 30 per cent of its braking roll was completed.
Trading and shipping along with general merchandising during his business life.
For several years before his retirement five years ago Mr. Webster was associated with the Potato Growers Association under the late Wilfrid Boulter.
Surviving relatives are two sons, Kenneth and Sterns, and one daughter, Norma, also one brother Bradford, all of whom reside in Charlottetown.

Text Of Throne Speech In The Legislature Yesterday

Following is the full text of the Speech from Throne given in the Legislature yesterday.
"Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly.
"In the name of Her Majesty The Queen I greet and welcome you to this, the first session of the Forty-eighth General Assembly of our Province.
"Last month the western part of the province was subjected to one of the most destructive sleet storms in its history. The inconvenience suffered by so many of our people is deeply deplored. Many of the rural communities are still without the public utilities which today form an essential part of every living. An attempt was made to assist areas in getting telephone and electric power restored as soon as possible, but it is very difficult to provide for rural dis-

tributed widely separated from the sources of supply. Workmen who toiled many long hours to restore lines to stricken areas deserve the commendation of all our people.
"The celebration in connection with the one hundredth anniversary of the incorporation of our city and province many visitors to Charlottetown in charge of the Charlottetown Centennial program and the Mayor and Councilors of the city deserve credit for their efforts. It is hoped that the good public relations carried out by all those who helped in Charlottetown's Centenary will bring more tourists to our province.
"During the past year my Ministers attended Federal-Provincial Conferences at which policies of fiscal arrangements, unemployment assistance, public investments and national health insurance were discussed with representatives of the Government of Canada and representatives of the other provinces.
UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF
"In April of last year members of my Government conferred with the Government of Canada on the sharing of costs for unemployment assistance. An agreement has been signed whereby the Federal Government will share fifty per cent in the cost of relief for individuals beyond point four five per cent of our population.
"My Government, the Government of Canada and the Governments of the other provinces have recently been conferring on the subject of health insurance. The suggested program is one which has many features which would benefit our people, but the cost thereof must be carefully studied before a final decision is reached. My Ministers are studying the proposals very closely and are prepared to enter into such further negotiations as may become necessary.
"It has been the policy of my Government to provide assistance to municipal authorities to enable them to meet their many requirements. For the first time direct-municipal representation was included in a delegation which attended the Federal-Provincial Conference on fiscal relations on October third last.
"On October twenty-fourth of last year the Royal Commission on Canada's Economic Prospects was presented by my Government and by three local organizations. A very attentive hearing was accorded all witnesses and Mr. Gordon and his associates intimated that they would give careful consideration to the problems of Prince Edward Island. The brief presented by the province will be tabled for the information of hon-

Life And Property Damage Heavy In P.E.I. During 1955

Sixteen deaths and a total of one hundred and eighty-eight persons injured in traffic accidents during 1955 was shown in the annual report of the Motor Vehicle Branch of the Provincial Government issued yesterday. This was a result of 828 accidents involving 1,452 vehicles. The estimated property damage amounted to approximately \$284,935.00. Broken down this gives an average of \$344.15 per accident and \$196.25 per vehicle.
Of the accidents 295 occurred to drivers in the 16 to 30 age group, 291 in the 21 to 30, 107 in the 16 to 20, 81 in the 51 to 60 and six under the age of sixteen. At the time of occurrence the condition of the majority of the drivers was normal, of the remainder 82 had been drinking, nine were under the strain of extreme fatigue and one was suffering physical disability. In the matter of drivers' experience it was noted that 555 accidents involved drivers with five years or over, 161 occurred to those with one to five years and 92 to those with less than one year's experience.
INATTENTION
The main cause contributing to most cases was that of inattention followed by too great a speed for conditions. These were followed by driving on wrong side of road, drinking, faulty equipment, following too close, hit and run, blinding lights and fatigue. Pedestrians were the cause of at least thirty-six of the accidents reported and involved such things as coming out of hidden position, inattention and walking on wrong side of roads.
Mr. J. A. Gallant, registrar of the Motor Vehicle Branch, informed The Guardian that as a result of the Dominion-Provincial conference at Ottawa in December 1954 on Motor Vehicle Traffic Accident Statistics, a new type of accident report form has been devised. This form is now in use throughout the Province, putting the whole area on a uniform basis. In all cases where the value of the damage involved is one hundred dollars or greater one copy of the report must be submitted to the Motor Vehicle Branch.
Mr. Gallant also expressed the



LADIES WHO PARTICIPATED in conducting the tea function by the Charlottetown Liberal Women's Club yesterday in Confederation Chamber. Standing left to right: Mrs. G. A. MacDonald, Mrs. L. E. Wellner, Mrs. J. J. Trainer, Mrs. Russell Roper (president), Mrs. Harry Bonner, Mrs. Milton Bell, con-

venor, Mrs. Bruce MacPherson, Mrs. Arthur Wellner, Mrs. Vernon T. Howatt, Mrs. George Johnston, Mrs. O. C. Craswell, Mrs. Walter M. Bears. Pouring, left, Mrs. Edgar Heartz; right, Mrs. S. P. Paoll. (Guardian Photo)

ALTERNATIVE

rental agreements. The proposed plan would take effect when the current pact expires March 31, 1957.
Under the existing system, eight governments—all except Ontario and Quebec—the federal government their personal and corporation income tax fields and succession duties in return for set annual payments. Ontario rents the two types of income tax, but not succession duties. Quebec has not entered the plan.
Mr. St. Laurent in an interview would say no more than that he had written all the premiers identical letters Saturday and had wired them Tuesday that he intends to table the letters in the Commons today.
He declined to say whether the letters concerned a federal-provincial conference. He also declined to deny or confirm a statement at Victoria by Premier Bennett of British Columbia that Mr. St. Laurent had asked him whether he would attend a conference March 2 or March 9.

FISHERIES DEPT.

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Dr. L. G. Dewar (P.C. 2nd Prince, A. A. MacIsaac (L.), St. John's, and Leo Rossiter (P.C. 2nd Kings).
Mr. Thomas R. Cullen was named Clerk of the House for the Session and Major Victor T. Travere Sergeant at Arms. Messrs. Joseph H. Livingstone, Allan Hickox and Fred Gaudet were appointed messengers and John T. Watts, Raymond Birch and Joseph Durant doorkeepers for the House. The Law Clerk of the House is to be Mr. Allison M. Gillis.
SPECIAL COMMITTEE
The Special Committee named to select the standing committees comprised Hon. Eugene Cullen (chairman), Hon. M. L. Bonnell, M.D., L. G. Dewar, M.D., A. A. MacIsaac, Forrest L. Phillips.
Premier Matheson recalled that following the election of May 25 last year, the Lieutenant Governor had approved the personnel of the Executive Council: Hon. A. W. Matheson, Premier and Attor-

Legislature Tea Held By City Liberal Women's Club

A most enjoyable tea held in the Confederation Chamber in the Provincial building, following the opening of Parliament yesterday, marked the 36th year of the existence of the Charlottetown Liberal Women's Club.
Distinguished guests present included His Honour Lieutenant Governor Prowse and Mrs. Prowse, accompanied by His Honour's Army, Navy and Air Aides and their ladies, and Private Secretary, Surgeon Commander L. E. Prowse and Mrs. Prowse, Premier A. W. Matheson and Mrs. Matheson and their daughter Janet.
The members of the Legislature attending were on the most part accompanied by their wives.
Several members of the judiciary, accompanied by their wives were present as well as a large representation of officers of the Militia headed by Brigadier Peake, D.S.O., D. D. Inspector E. L. Mart in, RCMP was also in attendance.
The guests were received by Mrs. Russell Roper (President) and Mrs. J. J. Trainer. Pouring tea were, Mrs. S. P. Paoll, Mrs. C. W. Kelly, Mrs. G. A. MacDonald, Mrs. Edgar Heartz and Mrs. Hattie Godkin.
The table was beautifully decorated with spring flowers. The candelabra carried yellow and green candles.
Mrs. Milton Bell was convener of the committee arranging the function.

Assisting in serving were: Mrs. B. B. Jones, Mrs. M. E. Burgoine, Mrs. Gordon Avard, Mrs. W. G. Falder, Mrs. W. J. Rodd, Mrs. R. H. Barrett, Mrs. W. J. Storey, Mrs. P. R. McCormac, Mrs. W. G. Bruce, Mrs. Walter Bears, Mrs. O. C. Craswell, Mrs. David Mutch, Mrs. George Lea, Mrs. Arthur Henry, Mrs. B. Earle Macdonald, Mrs. E. Falder, Mrs. Bruce MacPherson, Mrs. Miss Norcen MacPherson, Mrs. Albert McKinnon, Mrs. Russell Farquharson, Mrs. Alfred Larzer, Mrs. Sheldon Smallwood, Mrs. Arnold Rattenbury, Mrs. Lester O'Donnell, Mrs. Neil Matheson, Mrs. J. Lester Douglas, Mrs. Wendell Tidmarsh, Mrs. Roland Macdonald, Mrs. Vernon T. Howatt, Mrs. A. B. Cutcliffe, Mrs. Harry Bonnell, Mrs. Edgar Whitlock, Mrs. Myron R. Bell, Mrs. W. A. Macdonald, Mrs. A. W. Wellner, Mrs. L. Balderston, Mrs. E. Falder, Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. Eugene Cullen, Mrs. L. E. Wellner and Mrs. Alex Melsaac.

Planning For Next Year's Music Festival

A meeting of the Musical Festival Executive was held Tuesday evening in Prince of Wales College with the president Mrs. Preston Beck presiding.
The convenors for the syllabus for 1957 Festival are Mrs. J. L. Anderson and Mr. Arthur Vesey who are beginning their work immediately for next year's syllabus.
Mrs. Neil Matheson, for the Record Committee reported that several one room schools have already applied for the record "King of Song" and that a letter will be sent to the one room rural schools giving them more particulars pertaining to the records.
Miss Lena MacLure has been appointed to adjudicate the Choral Reading.
The scholarship committee were given permission to purchase a shield for two and three room rural schools.
Mrs. Lorne Calbeck reporting for the membership committee said that all notices have been sent out and several renewal received. The allotment will be available to rural schools as in previous years.
The executive committee is in the process of procuring official accompanists for the forthcoming Festival. Mrs. Earle Norrie has been appointed convener of awards and certificates.

PERSONNEL

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