

Had Noteworthy Service Career

Lt. Col. F.B. Conrad, who was recently appointed Honorary Lt. Col. of a Signal Regiment, R.C. Signals, is a former Commanding Officer of this unit and is a veteran of World War I and World War II.

CENTRAL GUARDIAN

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POLICE COURT - In the City Police Court on Saturday morning before Magistrate K.M. Martin, one drunk and incapable was sentenced to 20 days without option, and another was sentenced to \$10, and costs or 10 days.

"EXIT TONY BLOUNT" is the strange story of a man's efforts to extricate himself from an extraordinary situation caused by a mistake in his identity. The Guardian is publishing this, one of Sydney Parkman's best novels, in serial form, starting tomorrow.

COMMUNITARIAN SERVICE - Communitarian services for the late Frederick J. Carver were held in the People's Cemetery Saturday afternoon and were conducted by Rev. J. D. Davison, Pall bearers were, Roy Jones, Henry Jones, William Drake, Boswell Carver.

GRADUATING CLASS OFFICERS - At a meeting in Prince of Wales College Friday of the Fourth Year Students, the following officers were elected for the graduating class. President, Kenneth Tull; Life President, Gordon Jenkins; Secretary, Johanna Macdonald; Vice-President, Earl Jewell; Class Prophet, Clark Crockett.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS - A City car waiting for a change of light at the intersection of Euston Street and Longworth Ave. was run into by a truck registered as from Covehead at midnight Saturday. Damage was slight. The truck driver was taken in charge by police. At two a.m. Sunday a truck apparently out of control smashed into a telephone pole on Green Street and sheared it off at ground level. The driver was taken in charge by City Police and booked to appear in court this morning on a drunken driving charge.

SUNDAY SONG SERVICE - Trinity Young People's Society held their regular song service last evening with the Alpha H-Y-Cettes, consisting of Harry Cook, Don Wood, Clair MacLeod, Bob Moase, Sidney Campbell, Leith Thompson, Carlyle Phillips and Wallace Wood, as guests. They were accompanied by Mrs. Edwin C. Johnstone. The singing for the evening was led by Leith Stetson and Don Wood, with Mary Morrison and Bob Crookes alternating at the piano. The service closed by singing "Blest Be The Tie That Binds" and repeating the Mizpah benediction.

MONTREAL LADIES FEATURED - Mrs. Donald Storey, wife of a Montreal business man and the first woman elected to a city council in the Montreal area, is shown in a group picture in recent issue of Colliers. The double page feature picture taken in Montreal's Windsor Hotel is in natural colours and shows an even dozen beautifully gowned ladies, who are attractive in their own right, and credited in the accompanying article as being highly accomplished and holding important positions in the business and social life of Montreal. Mrs. Storey is a daughter of Dr. John S. Jenkins and Mrs. Jenkins and a granddaughter of the late Dr. S. R. Jenkins and Mrs. Jenkins, of Charlottetown.

Card of Thanks

The family of the late Joseph J. Perry of the Covehead, P.E.I., who died on March 6, 1953, at the age of 80, sincerely thank Rev. J. A. Macdonald, Dr. Dubucane and nurses, all those who sent Mass cards and cards and letters of sympathy, and the many friends who helped in any way in their recent bereavement.

Speaks On Need Of Church Facilities

"In a single decade Canada's population has increased by 21.5 per cent, while the United Church of Canada has advanced in numbers by 30 per cent," said Rev. Malcolm C. Macdonald in addressing a large representation from the city and pastoral charges near Charlottetown, in Hearts Hall on Saturday afternoon.

Annual Meeting Of Maritime Hospital Service Association

MONCTON, N.B., March 8 - At its 10th annual meeting held at the Brunswick Hotel here Saturday, the Maritime Hospital Service Association (Blue Cross-Blue Shield) elected the following slate of officers: Chairman, John N. Flood; vice-chairman, Dr. H. E. Britton; members of the executive committee, Dr. J. A. MacDougall, Professor R. P. Donkin, P. M. Blanchet, E. O. Hodge, Dr. H. J. Devereaux, and elected a board of directors consisting of eighteen members—six public representatives who hold association contracts representing the medical societies of the four Atlantic Provinces and six representing the hospitals of the four Maritime Provinces.

Reds Plan

Continued from page 1. Frontier to frozen Novaya Zemlya island in the Arctic. When the chimes in the great gilded clock on Spassky tower on the Kremlin wall strike noon a.m. EST, it is 10 o'clock at night on the icy shores of Russia's Chukchi sea in far-east Khabarovsk territory, 7 p.m. in the vast Siberia tundra, and 2 p.m. on the high Pamirs on the "roof" of the world.

Huge Organization

Much had to be done to organize this mighty funeral demonstration. Factory and workers' memorial meetings were being held throughout the country, from Bakul's oilfields to the far eastern fishing fleets.

Poems and Eulogies

The country's press was filled with poems and eulogies. "You will always be with us," wrote Mikhail Sholokhov, author of "Quiet Flows the Don."

Afternoon Auxiliary Regular Meeting

The afternoon auxiliary of the Woman's Missionary Society of Trinity United Church met in the Social Hall on Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. A. Frank MacLean presiding. The devotional program opened with the singing of the hymn "City of God, How Broad and Far" followed by scripture reading, meditation and prayer. This worship service closed by singing "The Church's One Foundation". Mrs. MacLean then gave the high-lights of the Presbyterial, which met in Summerside.

The business meeting followed, the various secretaries giving their reports. Mrs. Morrison read a letter from Mrs. Allison Tait, Presbyterial literature secretary, urging the members to do more reading. She said there were many informative and interesting books available which would create wider interest and deeper belief in Christian World Missions.

Mrs. Justice George J. Tweedy then addressed the members concerning the coming church extension fund.

Mrs. Harold Newson reviewed a chapter of the study book. She explained the Laubach teaching method and said there is great unrest among the primitive people of Africa, who are really hungry for knowledge and eager to better their living conditions.

Miss Joyce MacCallum sang very sweetly "Thanks To Thee Our God and Heavenly Father". This hymn was used at the closing service of the Laubach literary campaign in Dandi, Africa. Miss Mabel Newsome then gave a pleasingly informal and descriptive talk about several of her missionary friends and their work in Africa. She quoted from their letters which told of their devotion and determination to bring that "more abundant life" to the people of Africa.

Refreshments were served at the close, affording the members time to chat with each other and enjoy a social half-hour.

MacKenzie-Campbell Wedding

Trinity United Church, Charlottetown, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Saturday, March 7th at 2 o'clock when Alice Bianchi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Campbell, Belvedere Ave., Charlottetown, became the bride of William Joseph, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex S. MacKenzie, Sydney, N.S. The Rev. J.K.L. Irwin officiated at the ceremony.

The church was decorated with bouquets of daffodils and guest presents were marked with pink and white satin bows.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was charmingly attired in a white nylon net gown with lace inserts and matching jacket with fingertip sleeves. Her finger tip veil of bridal illusion was made in bonnet style. She wore a double strand of pearls, gift of the groom and carried a cascade of American Beauty Roses.

She was attended by her sister Mrs. Wm. Ross, as matron of honor, who was becomingly attired in a lilac nylon net gown with matching accessories and carried a nosegay of yellow roses.

Mrs. Donald Campbell, sister-in-law of the bride, was bridesmaid and wore a blue nylon net dress with matching accessories and carried a nosegay of pink roses.

Miss Isobel Campbell, sister of the bride, was junior bridesmaid and wore a blue nylon net dress with matching accessories and carried a nosegay of pink roses.

The bride's niece, Miss Gail Campbell, was flower girl and wore a yellow nylon net dress, and floral halo and carried a nosegay of mixed flowers.

The groom was attended by Mr. Donald Campbell, brother of the bride.

The ushers were Mr. Burt Vail and Mr. Kenneth Larkin. The bride's mother wore a rust suit of gabardine with black and white accessories and a corsage of Tallman Roses.

During the signing of the register Miss Nancy MacNeven rendered the solo, "I'll Walk Beside You." Organist was Mrs. Keith Rogers.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the Queen Hotel. The toast to the bride was proposed by Rev. Mr. Irwin and the groom responded. The bride's table was decorated with bouquets of daffodils and a three-tier wedding cake.

Following the ceremony a large number of friends were received at the home of the bride's parents by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd MacKenzie and were later joined by the bridal party and guests after which the bride and groom left on a short tour of the Maritimes. For traveling the bride wore a black belted coral coat dress with black and white accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

Mr. and Mrs. MacKenzie are both former employees of M.C.A.-M.L. Bill as an instrument technician and Alice as a stenographer for the R.C.A.F. detachment. Shortly after their return the bride and groom will leave to take up residence in Winnipeg, Man., where Mr. MacKenzie has accepted a position with MacDonald Brothers AC Ltd.

Recommendations Made In Farm Federation Brief

Need for a reconsideration of the trade arrangements on potatoes rose 4.8 percent. The seriousness with which the threat of replacement of butterfat with oils is considered is noticeable in the opinion expressed in the brief that it is allowed to continue the possibilities of fraud on the consuming public would be tremendous. It is also stated that many Canadian dairy farmers will be forced out of production. Prohibition of such substitutes in all Provinces is urged. At the same time it is recommended that a close study be made of the matter of establishing a standard colour for butter. To this effect it is suggested in the brief that a conference of Provincial Deputy Ministers of Agriculture, representatives of the dairy farmers and the National Dairy Council be called to study the subject.

Another item of importance to all farmers of Canada is the matter of dealing with income tax. The brief suggested that a bona fide transfer of a farm or farm equipment to a son or daughter of the farmer should be treated the same as a transfer to any other buyer with respect to depreciation for income tax purposes.

The brief states it is the belief of farmers that the costs of clearing and breaking bush and forest land for agricultural purposes is just as much a cost of developing natural resources as the costs involved in exploration for gas, oil and minerals. Because of this the Federation asks that such clearing and breaking be considered a deductible farm expense.

Agriculture Insecure. Many other matters pertaining to agriculture were brought out in the presentation and they ranged through the entire field of the industry. It was stated that agriculture does not feel secure in its economic position and because of this there is a need for the development of a more complete and long-term program for the industry designed to provide the returns and stability necessary to maintain a balanced position in the national economy.

While it is noted that there still is a considerable amount of free competition within agriculture there is less free and equal competition between economic groups. For this reason the Federation suggests that many of the weaknesses cannot be blamed on the industry itself but should be considered as a part of the whole economic picture of the country.

In this respect it is noted that farming recognizes the right of workers to organize or withhold their labor, and that management to control operations and wages for the development of a new technique for settling disputes between the two without any stoppages that disrupt public services and halt the economic machinery of the country.

Farm Exports. The brief points out to the Government that a much smaller percentage of total farm production is being exported than in former years and states that in 1951 there was a decrease of 12 percent in farm income while farm costs

Butter Prices

An increase to 63 cents per pound for butter is also asked as the brief maintains that the cost of production of cream has risen 15 percent since the present floor price of 58 cents was established. A freer exchange of goods between this country and Great Britain is urged in view of the fact that people in the Old Country have long been traditional customers for the cheese made here. The Federation also suggests that though hog prices have been well above the floor price of 25 cents there has been a serious reduction on the best interests of the producers would be served if a higher floor price were established. This is suggested in order that production in future months might be maintained at least at the level of domestic requirements.

Disatisfaction with the marketing of coarse feed grains is also expressed as it is not felt that the process has been satisfactory to Eastern Canadian farmers. The fact that the policy in operation has resulted in undue price fluctuations is also noted.

Egg Production

Both over and under-production of eggs is foreseen. If the present support price of 38 cents per dozen, Grade A large into storage, is continued, the brief expresses the opinion that such a support price is unrealistic and recommends a price of 45 cents per dozen to stabilize the industry. It also asks for a floor price program on poultry meats.

A special disaster loan system should also be established, it is believed, to cover needy farmers in such a declared area. This fund would permit farmers whose crops are damaged by flood, drought, storm, insect damage, unusual frost or some other natural calamity to obtain rehabilitation loans on special terms.

Named Executive Director

The three past executive directors were reappointed. The immediate past chairman, Dr. Joseph A. McMillan, of Charlottetown, was named executive medical director.

Dr. McMillan, is also chairman of the medical advisory committee. He is a prominent medical man of Charlottetown, and was one of the original charter members. He brought to the chairmanship of Blue Cross a quality of leadership, a brilliancy of vision and a sense of dedication to the welfare of the people of the Maritime Provinces.

A review of the financial position of the plan submitted by the auditors disclosed that the plan was financially in a satisfactory condition. Income benefits paid and reserves have reached an all-time high and while the reserve position may leave something to

Kaganovich, a deputy prime minister. Significantly, Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov, widely considered, along with Beria, to have been a rival of Malenkov to succeed Stalin, was not mentioned as appearing in this picture.

Capt. Titcombe To Attend Staff College In London



Twenty-one years ago to the day, after leaving his home in England to seek a living with a future as a farm hand in Canada, Sr. Captain L. Titcombe (above) of the Salvation Army, sails from Saint John, N.B. on the Empress of France on Wednesday to attend the Army Staff College in London, as Canada's chosen delegate.

Captain Titcombe, who has been in charge of the Charlottetown corps for the past 18 months, first became identified with the Salvation Army in 1934 and was gazetted an officer "in the field" in 1938. He joined the R. C. A. F. at Regina and was transferred to the Army with which he went overseas, terminating his services in the war theatre with six months duty with the army of occupation.

On his return to Canada he was assigned as Corps Officer in the Salvation Army at Nanaimo, B.C. where his time was devoted chiefly to social work. During his assignment there he became identified with the Rotary Club of which organization he was a member of the Board of Directors. He came to Charlottetown direct from Nanaimo in September 1951.

On his return to the Citadel on Saturday night after the open air meeting, Captain Titcombe was met by an unusually large assembly of 13 - Mr. Ralph Jones and Mr. Alastair MacLeod and No. 14 - Mr. L. A. Walther Gaudet and Mr. Edwin C. Johnstone.

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Names Committee Prepare For Red Cross Campaign

The Special Names Committee of the Charlottetown Red Cross Campaign Organization will meet this evening at Red Cross Headquarters to select the names of the firms and individuals who will be called on this week. Mr. Darrel McGuire is the chairman of the Special Names Committee and the 14 teams are composed of the following: No. 1 - Dr. Owen Curtis and Mr. Frank A. MacKenzie; No. 2 - Lt. Col. K.M. Johnston and Mr. Walter Hyndman; No. 3 - Mr. T.D. DeBlais and Mr. Fred G. Moore; No. 4 - Mr. A.B. Belcher and Mr. Gordon MacDonald; No. 5 - Mr. P.W. Turner and Mr. J.C. Montgomery; No. 6 - Brig. G.G.K. Peake and Mr. J.T. Davies; No. 7 - Mr. Gordon Foster and Mr. M.A. Farmer; No. 8 - Mr. W.M. Mellish and Dr. J.H. Shaw; No. 9 - Mr. Frank Curtis and Mr. Arthur Mould; No. 10 - Brig. W.W. Reid and Mr. N.D. MacLean; No. 11 - Mr. T.G. Ives and Mr. G.A. Walters; No. 12 - Mr. J.A. MacIsaac and Lt. Col. L.F. Macdonald; No. 13 - Mr. Ralph Jones and Mr. Alastair MacLeod and No. 14 - Mr. L. A. Walther Gaudet and Mr. Edwin C. Johnstone.

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Conducting Course For Military Units

An instructional and Administration Cadre staff headed by Capt. P. A. Soucy, formerly of this city when he was attached to the 5 Signals Regiment as training officer, is conducting a course here for various members of the units. Assisting Capt. Soucy are W.O. J. E. Smith, Staff Sgt. J. Doble, Sgt. L. A. Fisher and Sgt. Jack Porter. The latter is permanently attached to the P. E. I. Regiment, while the others are temporarily assigned from headquarters at Halifax. They are conducting courses for senior and junior non-commissioned officers, for basic recruits and for the recently taken on strength Canadian Women's Army Corps members who are performing Orderly Room duties.

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For everyday wear there's nothing on the market to equal Nylon Mesh HOSE - they're "run-proof" you know. The 5 and 10 Department wishes me to tell you that they have these Nylon Mesh Stockings, Substandard quality (the imperfections are very, very slight) in 51 gauge, 15 denier. There are 3 springlike shades - Fantare, Debonair and Tropic Dawn. The sizes are 8 1/2 to 11 and the price is only just 1.29 a pair. Here's a tip - buy Mesh Hose in a half size larger than you usually wear, they're snug fitting. Stock up on Substandard Nylon Mesh Hose for everyday wear from the 5 and 10 at Holman's.

THIS morning in the Dry Goods Department I saw them unwrapping yards and yards of a brand new DRESS MATERIAL - it's a cotton blend called "CHEV RAY" and it is "EVERGLAZE" which means that it is permanently embossed, wrinkle, soil and spot resistant, also it is pre-shrunk. This crisp, 36 inch wide fabric has a look of Summer and it is time now to be sewing on your Summer Wardrobe. "Chev Ray" is in a new design of neat, small chevrons. The colors are white, green, mauve, yellow or turquoise and the price is just 89 cents a yard... Come today while the color selection is still complete... "Chev Ray" for your Spring and Summer smartness is just 89 cents a yard in the Dry Goods at Holman's.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

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BIRTHS THOMPSON - At P.E.I. Hospital on March 8, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Thompson, Frenchfort, a daughter.

KELLY - At the Charlottetown Hospital on March 6, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Kelly, Morell, a son.

MacGUGAN - At the Prince County Hospital on Friday, March 6, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. MacGugan, of Malpeque, (nee Genevieve Delaney), a son, William Duncan.

ENGLAND - At the Prince County Hospital on Sunday, March 8, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Allison England, Ellerslie, (nee Ruth Campbell), a son, 8 pounds, 5 1/2 ounces.

MARRIAGES

MUNROE-TUPLIN - At Trinity United Church, New Glasgow, N.S., February 27, 1953, Shirley Alice, youngest daughter of Mr. James P. Tuplin and the late Mrs. Tuplin of New Annapolis, P.E.I., to Theodore David Munroe, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Munroe, of Phillips Harbour, N.S.

DEATHS

COLES - At Winnipeg, Manitoba, March 7, 1953, C. Sampson Coles, formerly of Milton, Prince Edward Island.

LARKIN - At the Charlottetown Hospital, Sunday, March 8th, Patrick K. Larkin of St. Peter's Bay in his 88th year. His remains are resting at the A. A. Henessey Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

BURDETT - At the P. E. I. Hospital on Saturday, March 7, 1953, Mrs. Thomas E. Burdett in her 90th year. Remains were transferred from the MacLean Funeral Home yesterday afternoon to her late residence at Fairview. Funeral notice later.

MacDONALD - At West St. Peter's on Sunday, March 8, 1953, Mrs. Allen J. Macdonald in her 85th year. Remains will be transferred this afternoon from the Frank Henessey Funeral Home to her late residence at West St. Peter's from where the funeral will be held tomorrow (Tuesday) morning, leaving the home at 9 o'clock for St. Andrew's Church for Requiem High Mass. Interment in the church cemetery.

N. D. MacLean

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