

Boy Rescued From Drowning

A drowning fatality was narrowly averted on Thursday evening when Mr. Reuben Tuplin, of Rocky Point, plunged fully clothed into the chilly waters of Charlottetown harbour to rescue James McCallum, age 7 who fell from the old ferry wharf at the foot of Prince St.

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COOPER - At the Charlottetown Hospital on May 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cooper, Southport, a son.

CONNOLLY - At the Charlottetown Hospital on May 6th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen P. Connolly, City, a son.

MacKAY - At the P.E. Island Hospital on Friday, May 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmore MacKay, a son, Lyle Donald.

FRASER - The funeral of the late William J. Fraser will be held at Trinity United Church, Montague, Saturday at 2:30 p.m.

CLARK - At Beach Grove Thursday, May 7, 1953, Frank W. Clark of Mount Stewart in his 81st year.

DOUCETTE - At Sutherland Memorial Hospital, Pictou, N. S., on May 8th, 1952, Mrs. (Capt) Jerry Doucette, in her 67th year.

BAMBRICK - At 225 Water Street, Charlottetown, on May 8th, Mrs. Mary Etta Bambrick in her 87th year.

MacDONALD - In the Charlottetown Hospital, Thursday, May 7, 1953, Ronald Neil MacDonald of St. Peter's in his 104th year.

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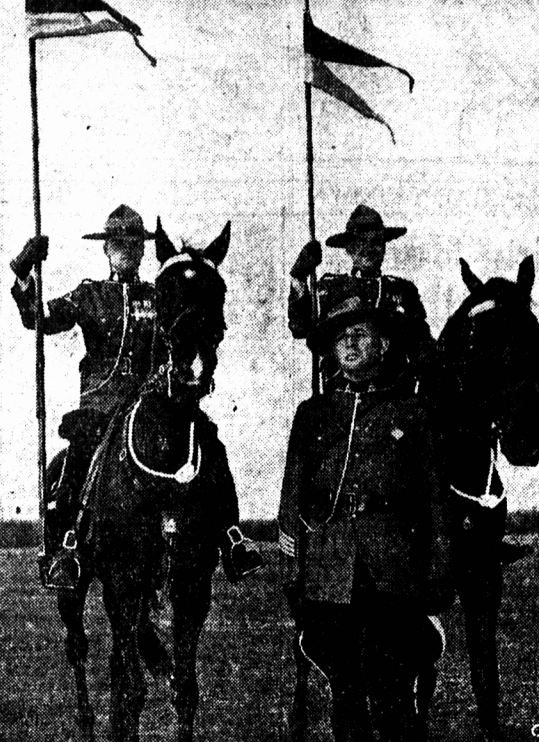
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Islander In Mounties' Ride



The R. C. M. P. Musical Ride to be performed at the Royal Tournament in London after the Coronation June 2, includes some of the best men in the force, men who have won awards for heroism and devotion to duty. On the left wearing the DFC is Cpl. Ernie Hill, Glasgow-born wartime flying officer with the R. C. A. F. who now prefers a horse to a plane. Cpl. L. F. M. Strong (right) of Souris, P. E. I. won the King's Police Medal for saving a drowning boy. Riding master C. W. (Andy) Anderson stands in front. (OP Photo).

Cpl. L. F. M. Strong, above mentioned, will be remembered in Charlottetown for his rescue of a seven-year-old boy from drowning in the harbour here in 1942, an act of heroism which won for him both the King's police and fire service medal and the Royal Canadian Humane Association medal. In making the presentation to Cpl. then Cons. Strong on Nov. 19, 1942, Premier Thane A. Campbell said: "Young Arnold MacCallum, whose father is in the fighting services, lives with his mother on Cumberland st., and was that day playing on the ice on the Hillsboro river, when the piece of ice drifted out to sea. Cons. Strong, seeing the boy, swam out against a strong wind to rescue him, a distance of from 50 to 70 yards. He reached the ice cake just as it was broken up. Harold Hennessey swam out 25 yards to meet Cons. Strong as he was bringing the unconscious boy to shore. The boy and Cons. Strong were taken to hospital where the former recovered in a few days but Strong was in hospital for two weeks suffering from exhaustion and shock."

First Aid Class Presentation At Wheatley River

The members of the First Aid Class of Wheatley River met at the community hall recently to honour their instructor, Mrs. Bin Andrew and to receive Red Cross First Aid Certificates. Mrs. Preston Rackham read an address of appreciation and Mrs. Harry Ling presented a gift to Mrs. Andrew on behalf of the group. Mrs. Henry Peters, Red Cross Representative, presented First Aid Certificates and commended the class upon the splendid results of their examinations. The following members received certificates: Standard - Mrs. Gordon Andrews, Gordon Andrews, William Andrew, Mrs. Harold Buntin, Jean Chandler, Mrs. Harold Chandler, Mrs. Harry Ling, Mrs. Leonard Ling, Mrs. Fred MacRae, Fred MacRae, Doris Rackham, Keith Rackham, Mrs. Preston Rackham, John Ross, Mrs. John Ross, Theo. Sellar. Junior - Jackie Chandler.

IN MEMORIAM WILLIAM E. GILLESPIE

Another in Israel has fallen. The late William E. Gillespie, son of the late James and Sarah Campbell Gillespie of Carleton, who lived for a time in Carleton, later for about twenty years in Summerside, and for the last three years, at 128 Upper Prince St., Charlottetown, passed to his rest, reconciled to His Master's Will, resting on Calvary's finished work, at the P. E. I. Hospital on Wednesday, April 29th in his 76th year. The late Mr. Gillespie was highly and favourably known, ever manifesting a keen interest in the social, economic, and religious life of the day. He was a kind and faithful husband and father, and will be deeply missed in his home and by his family. Besides his wife, the former Elizabeth Gillespie of Long River, he leaves to mourn his passing, one son Stirling of Souris, two daughters, Olive, Mrs. Preston Green of Malpeque, and Viola, Mrs. Duncan MacPherson of Charlottetown, two grandchildren, Shirley Green, Malpeque, Ann Gillespie, Souris, also three sisters, Euphemia, Mrs. D. M. Campbell of Saskatoon, Sask., Rebecca of Charlottetown, and Jean, Mrs. Ernest MacLaren of Toronto, Ont. Two brothers, James Campbell, and Thomas B., predeceased him. The brother Thomas passed away two months ago. The funeral, which was largely attended, was held from his late residence on Friday, May 1st, service being conducted by Rev. J. H. Bishop of the Church of Scotland, of which church the late Mr. Gillespie was an elder, assisted by Rev. Donald Nicholson of Clyde River Presbyterian Church. Pall bearers were Messrs. Fred Bell, Arthur Dawson, Robert Caruthers, Hazen Gillespie, Nathan Bell and Edgar Gillespie. Interment was in Sherwood cemetery.

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To Start Work On City Square

The Public Property Committee of the City Council under the chairmanship of Coun. Geo. R. Keefe announced last evening that city employees will begin laying asphalt walks in Hillsboro Square on Monday morning. When this work is completed the land will be graded and seeded with a view to restoring the Square to its original beauty before the Corpus Christi ceremonies which in recent years have been held annually at that centre. The restoration of Hillsboro Square will be followed in due course by similar treatment at Connaught Square. The mixing and preparing of the materials used will be done at the City plant near the entrance to Hillsboro Bridge. Mr. H. A. Messervey, City engineer, will supervise the work. The Streets Committee, under the chairmanship of Coun. F. J. Storey, also met yesterday when the announcement was made that all city streets not paved, have been graded and rolled in preparation for an application of dust laying oil. Several days must elapse before the streets are properly dried out to permit the proper use of the oil, which is now enroute from the processing plant. This work is scheduled to begin in about ten days.

Fishing Boats To Be Blessed

The age-old ceremony of the blessing of the fishing boats will take place at North Rustico, Sunday at 2:30 o'clock. Approximately fifty boats and over one hundred fishermen, will take part in the beautiful ceremony. All will join in the official prayer of the church that "God may bless this boat and all who sail thereon - guard this boat and ever keep it safe from every peril, together with all aboard, and grant that their servants may gather into their boats a good haul of fish, and come finally to the port of eternal blessedness laden with heavenly merits." At the same time the lobster fishing factories owned by the North Rustico Canning Co. and the Co-operative fishermen will also be blessed.

Addresses Women's Mission Society Of United Church

"Missionary efforts have opened the doors of the schools to the poor and downtrodden and inspired modern Democratic education to the teeming millions of India," said Prof. C. W. David of Indore Christian College in an address before the Women's Missionary Society Presbyterian of the United Church in Canada last night. The speaker continued, "The Government and the United Nation's Organizations and the Colombo Plan are now carrying on the work. With all that the Missions have done and inspired, the literacy of women in India was only 12 per cent. Commenting on the work in the field of Health and Social services, Prof. David said that India recognized that the Women's Missionary women had done a great task in relieving sickness and disease and training young women in nursing midwifery. He pointed out the great need of India as he told that there is one doctor for every 6,500 persons, one nurse for every 40,000 persons and one midwife for every 63,000 persons in India whereas the requirements are one doctor for every 2,000, one nurse for every 500 and one midwife for every 4,000 persons. Social Services Speaking about social services, Prof. David said that under the five year plan new avenues of social service are opening up where trained women from Canada could make a lasting contribution. Christ has opened many other doors. Finally he pointed out that Christ, through the good women, has opened the door of the Church to women. Women are taking a large part in the Church work in India. The need for evangelization is great. Only two per cent of the population is Christian. In Central India there were about

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Lamentable Housing Conditions Revealed In Welfare Report

Lamentable housing conditions due to overcrowding in this city were spoken of Thursday night at the annual meeting of the Catholic Social Welfare Bureau with Mr. Gerald Johnston presiding. Mr. Howard McInnis, chairman of the Family Welfare Committee, said in his report that it was the feeling of his committee that if the public in general knew of the conditions under which some families lived there would be an effort made to change things. The report stated that a survey of the living accommodations of many here, especially those of underprivileged families, would disclose "unbelievable" facts. The report noted that many homes were in a state of ill repair and lacked the ordinary sanitary facilities and said the condition is "shocking in a Christian community." It also stated that the lack of social consciousness among those in authority is delaying a long-overdue program for proper city planning. The Child Welfare Committee, with Dr. L. I. Duffy as chairman, reported progress in the handling of several cases. Among the directors present were Rev. A. MacLellan, Mr. Jerome Gillis, Dr. L. I. Duffy, Albert Lannon, Robert McDonald, Frank O'Neill, Gerald Johnston and Howard McInnis. 2 million women who haven't been told about Christ. Prof. David brought greetings, gratitude from all women and W.M.S. Associations in Central India and invoked intensive all-out effort for this great task.

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