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WEST PRINCE OFFICE

Alberton: Frank Weeks, Representative Phone: 68-2 Office and 68-3 House.

DR. DEWAR, O'Leary, will be absent from his office from Oct. 7 to Oct. 21st, inclusive.

BORDEN TOWN HALL, Friday, October 12th, at 8.30, the famous Nova Scotia's Eastern Five Singers! Dancers! Comedians! Cash prize contests. Admission 25c and 50c. Special matinee for children at 3.30.

ENGAGEMENT - Mr. and Mrs. George Key, Summerside, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruby Alice, to William Gregory, son of Michael G. Warshick and the late Mrs. Warshick of Saskatoon, Sask., marriage to take place Wednesday, the seventh of November, at St. Mary's Anglican Church, Summerside at four o'clock.

CALLING KENSINGTON DISTRICT! Thursday, October 11th, the famous Nova Scotia's Eastern Five present their big vaudeville Jamboree show, at King George Hall. Singers! Dancers! Comedians! Music and fun for everyone. Contests with cash prizes. Hill-billy comedians that will make you "split" your sides laughing. Admission 25c and 50c. Time 8.30

FRESH RASPBERRIES - The fruit crop in Prince County this year may not have been as abundant as in former years but there is one resident of Summerside with whom nature has been very lavish this season. Mr. Max Robinson of the firm of Maurice Mill, 4 Mens Wear, brought to the Guardian Office, Summerside, several sprigs of raspberry plants each bearing a fine cluster of firm, well formed, berries picked in his garden that morning. They tasted delicious as well and the staff is very grateful to Mr. Robinson for his out of season treat.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Allie B. Cutcliffe, Charlottetown, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bruce North River, were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Burch, Borden.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burch, Borden have returned from a enjoyable motor trip in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick visiting many historical places of interest.

Alberton and Vicinity

Mr. Stephen Weeks, Bracebridge, Ont., left yesterday on return to his home after a pleasant ten days visit with relatives and friends in Alberton.

It has been learned that a lot of land on the north side of the West Prince Dry Cleaning Plant has been purchased by Mr. Hanson Oliver, Alberton, who is planning on building a service station and auto show room. Mr. Oliver is at present manager of the White Rose Service Station at Elmsdale and on completion of the new station will be handling the same company's products.

Gavin - Gallant Wedding

A very pretty wedding took place at the Immaculate Conception Church, Palmer Road on Wednesday morning, October 10th, at eight o'clock, when the pastor, Rev. Patrick Walsh united in holy matrimony, Mary Evelyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin E. Gallant, of Ebbetsford, and John Joseph, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. Gavin, Alberton South.

The bride was lovely in a floor length dress of white rayon satin, fashioned on princess lines, full skirt, sweet heart neckline with tulle illusion and fine sautache braid, pyramidal sleeves tapered to pointed cuffs. Her fingering veil of tulle illusion hung from a coronet of seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Eleanor Gallant, sister of the bride was attired in a floor length dress of pale blue taffeta, full skirt, short puffed sleeves, and matching shoulder veil. Her bouquet was pink roses. Justin Gavin, brother of the groom, was best man.

Wedding music was played by the church organist, Mrs. John S. Gaudet, while the choir sang appropriate hymns. Following the ceremony, breakfast was served at the bridal home, after which the bridal party motored to the home of the groom where dinner was served to a number of invited guests. The bride's table was centered by a three tier wedding cake, topped by a miniature bride and groom. The groom's gift to the bride was a silver mounted crystal rotary. The happy couple will reside at Alberton South for the present. Prior to her marriage the bride was employed as Nurse's Aid at the Alberton Western Hospital.

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gavin, Saint John, N. B.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gavin, Saint John, William Kent, Ernest and Kenneth Gavin, Saint John and Mrs. Evelyn Shepherd and Miss Marie Knox also from Saint John, N. B.

P. E. I. Intermediate Baseball Champions



Inquest Into Airman's Death At Summerside

A coroner's jury sitting at Summerside last night found that Flying Officer Delmar Hoffman came to his death at Summerside on September 23th as the result of a car collision. It was an open verdict.

The inquest was held at the Town Hall with Coroner Dr. Austin Delaney presiding and Mr. J. Harold Goodwin representing the Crown. At the commencement of the hearing, which had been adjourned from September 29th when the body had been identified, a statement was read from Dr. A. R. Grant which gave the cause of death as massive cerebral hemorrhage, right side, with possible fracture of the skull.

The coroner gave a report on a post mortem examination which he himself had conducted which agreed with the medical report and confirmed that there were multiple fractures of the skull. Flying Officer Reginald Breault testified that he had been with F/O Hoffman on the night of the accident. He said that the two of them along with Flying Officer Cummings went to Charlottetown to a dance. They left Charlottetown at approximately 12.30 and came straight back to Summerside where they stopped at Andy's Restaurant. He said that they left Andy's about 2.40 and went north on Spring Street, turned left on Notre Dame and proceeded west.

Witness was sitting beside the driver and looking out right window when he felt the brakes being applied. He looked ahead and saw another vehicle at right angles to their car. It was proceeding north on Summer. He braced himself and then came a crash. He said he did not think that Hoffman stopped at the stop sign at the corner. It was raining quite heavily at the time. He said that he first saw the lights of the other car shine across their path. He estimated their speed at from 20 to 25 miles an hour. He said that after the crash their car came to rest on the left side of Summer Street facing north and north of the intersection. He got out and found Hoffman lying on the grass. Witness said that he was dazed but is of the opinion that Hoffman was thrown from the car. He said he covered him with his trench coat and asked the taxi driver to telephone the police and a doctor. He said that the other car had come to a stop on the right side of Notre Dame facing west and west of the intersection. He thinks the car struck broadside on as their car turned right and the taxi swerved left in an attempt to avoid a collision.

He explained that F/O Cummings had remained at Andy's and was not with them during the accident. Witness said that to his knowledge the deceased had not had any liquor to drink and there was no liquor in the car at the time of the accident. He recalled that when they set out for Charlottetown Cummings opened a bottle in the back seat and did not put the top on tightly and it spilled out. It was White Star rum. He said that nobody drank any of it. He said that as far as he could tell the taxi driver was not under the influence of liquor.

Witness Describes the taxi driver, said that he has been employed for two years driving a Meteor taxi. On the morning in question he was heading north on Summer Street to pick up a passenger at the hospital. On approaching the intersection of Summer and Notre Dame Streets he was travelling between 20 and 30 miles an hour and saw no car or no car lights. He said that on the first sign of anything wrong he was felt a jar and when he awoke up it was all over. He saw a man lying on the grass and another man getting out of the car. He said it was raining and the visibility was fair and he did not remember swerving the car to avoid a collision. He said he was not drinking and there was no liquor in his car. He explained that he works on a 24 hour shift which means 24 hours on duty and 24 hours off. He said he was aware he was driving on a through street.

Rev. Joseph MacLeod testified that he heard the crash and got up and came out. He saw the two cars and a man lying on the ground. One car was jammed against a broken pole.

Text of Verdict

The verdict stated: "We do find that according to the evidence submitted F/O Delmar Hoffman came to his death as a result of injuries sustained when the automobile bearing license plate number A6943 of the Province of Ontario in which he was driving was in collision with a Meteor Taxi automobile bearing license plate 17275 of Prince Edward Island and driven by Wilbert Joseph DesRoches at the intersection of Summer and Notre Dame Streets, Summerside, P.E.I., at approximately 2.50 a.m. Friday, September 28, 1951."

The jurors were: T. D. Carruthers, foreman, John Schurman, James Hogan, Roy Johnston, Heath Warren, Claude Kenny, and R. T. Dods.—S.

ANCIENT CONVENT

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Summerside Holman's, P. E. I. Intermediate baseball champions of 1951 and successors to the Curran and Briggs intermediates, last year's Maritime champions. Holman's team is presently awaiting an opportunity to play for this year's Maritime championship. Standing left to right: D. O. Stewart (president, Summerside Athletic Association), S. Bernard, B. J. Hunter, C. F. St. John, H. D. Carson, I. R. Barlow, I. K. Walker, C. G. MacKay, R. Charles Hogan, chairman, baseball committee. Seated: N. Underwood, R. P. Schurman, C. G. Gay, P. H. Landry, S. H. Gallant, H. G. Bernard, P. A. Stewart, P. Michael Scott, bat boy, Missing: Don MacKenzie, B. J. and J. Grady, cf.

—Photo by Heckbert.

Tignish

Mrs. Harold Shea, Anglo-Tignish, is at present a patient in Western Hospital, Alberton.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Morrissey, North Cape have as their guest their son, Mr. John Morrissey, Toronto, Ontario.

Mr. William Wallace, teacher at Skinner's Pond, spent the past weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ready, Christopher's Cross.

Miss Aldona Perry, who for the past year has resided in Toronto, Ontario, has come to Tignish to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Perry.

Mrs. Wilbert Keough is ill at her home in Christopher's Cross and her many friends in Tignish hope she may make a quick recovery to health.

Mr. and Mrs. Ozzanie Gaudet, Charlottetown, were weekend guests of Mrs. Urban M. Gaudet, Tignish and Mr. and Mrs. Michael C. Bernard, Nail Pond.

Mrs. William Aylward, Skinner's Pond, spent two days of last week in Western Hospital, Alberton, where she was receiving a routine check-up.

Mr. Percy Morrissey is having extensive repairs made to the exterior of his home at North Cape, which adds greatly to its already attractive appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Harper have closed their summer home at Christopher's Cross, and on Saturday, September 29th, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Frances and Mr. John McGuire, left by automobile for their home at Somerville, Mass.

Mrs. W. A. Shea and children, Mary, Wayne and Bette Ann, and Miss Jane Cornish, Alberton, spent Monday, October 1st, visiting Mrs. Shea's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Morrissey, North Cape.

Mr. Alonzo Hogan, who has spent some time in Labrador where he was employed with a construction crew has returned to Tignish to visit for a while with his wife and two children, Margery and Joseph.

Miss Kathleen MacDonald, R.N. left Tignish on Sunday, September 30th for Toronto, Ont., after a pleasant four weeks spent visiting her mother, Mrs. A. J. MacDonald. Miss MacDonald is on the staff of the St. Michael's Hospital in Toronto.

Miss Frances Christopher, Tignish, entertained a group of her friends at her home on Sunday evening, September 30th. A pleasant evening of music and singing was enjoyed. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. John B. Christopher.

Congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy married life are being extended to Mr. Albert Perry, DeBlais and his bride, Miss Rita Bernard, Palmer Road, whose marriage was solemnized in the Immaculate Conception Church, Palmer Road, by Rev. Patrick Walsh, P.P., on Wednesday morning, September 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Arsenault have returned to their home at Tignish from a pleasant two weeks vacation spent in visiting places of interest in central Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Arsenault made the trip by rail and first went to Toronto, Ontario, where they visited their son, Mr. Reg-

FREDERICTON SCHOOL

Following is the report for the month of August and September: Grade X.—1. Helen Stevenson; 2. Earl Weeks; 3. Mary Weeks; Grade IX.—1. Allan Stevenson; 2. Allison Weeks; Grade VIII.—1. Evelyn Weeks; 2. Robert Weeks; 3. Byron Cutcliffe; Grade VII.—1. Jimmy Ross; 2. Kathleen Weeks; 3. Gerald Ross; Grade VI.—1. Albert Weeks; 2. Wesley Stevenson; Grade IV.—1. Shirley Weeks; 2. Ronnie Ross; 3. Jean Stevenson; Grade III.—1. Roma Rackham; 2. Blois Weeks; 3. Jimmy Weeks; Grade II.—1. Catherine Stevenson; 2. Heather Jorgensen; 3. Thelma Ross; Grade I. A.—1. Nancy Bertram; Grade I. B.—1. Brenda Rackham; 2. Leonard Morrell; 3. Martin Jorgensen. Teacher—Phyllis Gills.

Last Group Of Potato Pickers Reach S'side

The last of the imported potato pickers for this season arrived in Summerside last night bringing the total for this season in Prince County to 261. This is far short of the number which were brought in last fall which reached a high of 576. The decrease is due to a smaller crop and smaller acreage. Last evening 40 men all from Cape Breton arrived on two buses. The first bus came in about 8.45 but the second suffered a breakdown and did not show up till about eleven. On Tuesday evening 101 men also from Cape Breton came in four buses. As a matter of fact practically all the men brought in for the potato harvest came from Cape Breton with the exception of a few from Moncton and New Glasgow.—S.

Native of Tyne Valley Killed In Korean War

Pte. Leonard F. MacDougall, 22, of Prince Edward Island and Halifax, has been killed in action while serving with the Royal Canadian Regiment in Korea, according to word received by his parents Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank MacDougall, 97 Bayers Road, Halifax, received word of their son's death in a terse Ottawa telegram Sunday. No details were given. Born in Tyne Valley, P. E. I., where he spent his early years, Pte. MacDougall came to Halifax with his parents in 1941. He attended Oxford Street School here, and later took a course in plastering at the Industrial Vocational School at the Exhibition grounds. Overseas in April He joined the army in August, 1950, and proceeded to Petawawa, Ont., and Fort Lewis, Wash., for training. In April he went to Korea with the Royal Canadian Regiment. Besides his parents, he is survived by two sisters and three brothers. Mrs. C. C. Martell, 4 Edgewood Ave., Halifax; a Gerald, in Toronto; and Basil, Pauline, and Rozina, all at home. Another brother, Donald, was killed in a highway accident in P. E. I., October 5, 1946. He is survived by many relatives in Prince Edward Island.

IN MEMORIAM

LLOYD FRANK HARDY

The funeral service of Lloyd Frank, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardy of Rosebank, was held on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 26th from his home. The service was conducted by Rev. John M. Sheen of Elmsdale assisted by Rev. C. O. Howlett of O'Leary. Hymn sung was "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Life's Railway to Heaven" was sung by Mrs. Hazel Cameron, Max Cameron and Hampton Horne. The text of the comforting message was: "Except ye be converted and become as little children, ye shall not enter the Kingdom of Heaven." The little lad was only fourteen months old. Besides his sorrowing parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardy, he is survived by two sisters, Hazel and Jean and one brother Roger. The pall bearers were: Alton Hardy, Gerald Hardy, Brenton and Herman Smallman. The flower bearers were: Eldred and

FISH STORY

FOLKESTONE, England (CP)—In an all-night fishing contest here, G. Colley caught an 11-pound Conger eel and a 7-ounce pouting. But when he weighed his catch at dawn, there was only one—an eel now weighing 11 pounds, seven ounces. Leslie Hardy, Warburton Murray, Glendon MacKendrick and Burton Stewart. Interment was in Elmsdale.

SNAMRUHCS LOOHCS EDARAP 7:30 p. m. Each Friday Evening C J R W 1240 ON THE DIAL

The Neighbors By George Clark. Illustration of a woman sitting at a desk with a lamp. Caption: "Eddie's a poor student, but his father deserves a good mark for this homework."

Used Tractors For Sale. If you are interested in a good used tractor we have the following to offer: 2 John Deere M T tractors purchased Spring 1951 1 John Deere M tractor purchased Spring 1951 1 John Deere B tractor purchased Fall 1950 J. L. Rayner COCKSHUTT DEALER Water Street East Summerside

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