

PRINCE EDWARD TO - DAY - WED.

SHOWING MATINEE 3:30; EVENING 7-9

Betty Grable... WABASH AVENUE... VICTOR MATURE - PHIL HARRIS... EXTRA March Of Time Tito, New Ally Cartoon, Ducksters

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AS IT SHATTERS THE NIGHT... NIGHT AND THE CITY... RICHARD WIDMARK GENE TIERNEY... GOOGIE WITHERS - HUGH MARLOWE - FRANCIS L. SULLIVAN

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THERE OUGHT TO BE A LAW

WHEN WORMWOOD PICKS A WINNER... BUT WHEN HE DROPS A BUNDLE... HEY, WORM! MILKWAGON CAME IN LAST! YOU HAD A BET ON HIM, DIDN'T YOU? THANKS TO BOBBY SWINTON, 244 PLEASANT ST., EAST WALPOLE, MASS.

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THE EASTERN GUARDIAN

AGENTS:—MONTAGUE: Harold F. Landry, Mrs. Byron Stewart, Mrs. Bruce MacPhee, Miss Joyce Wigginton, Miss Joan Johnston. AGENT GEORGETOWN: Walden Lavers.

The Guardian may be bought at the following places in Montague: Blue Dome Restaurant, and Guardian Office; in Georgetown: The Post Office; in Souris: The Snack Bar and H. Richards & Son.

"ALL BABY CLINIC.—Souris, Friday, January 19th, Town Hall. All pre-school children welcome.

Miss Margaret Curtis returned to Toronto, Ont., last week, after spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. B. Curtis, Cardigan.

"Mr. Bryer Llewellyn, accompanied by Mr. John Shaw of Montague, left for Cape Breton, where Mr. Llewellyn travels for Cockshutt Co.

"ALL THE members of Hillside Lodge are requested to attend the funeral of the late brother, Russell G. MacDonald, Funeral Wednesday afternoon at 2 p.m. from the United Church to Lower Montague.

"PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Divine services in St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, Montague, on Sunday were conducted by the minister, Rev. F. N. Young, at both services. Rev. Mr. Young brought messages of inspiration and encouragement. The music, under the direction of J. E. Dunning, included the anthem, "Jesus Lover Of My Soul" in the morning, and the anthem, "Faithful Unto Death" (Ira B. Wilson) in the evening.

"LEAVES FOR CONVENTIONS—R. W. Beck of Montague left Saturday morning for Boston, Mass., accompanied by Mrs. Beck and daughter Peggy. In Boston Mr. Beck will attend a convention of monument builders of New England. He will then visit a number of granite and marble quarries in the Eastern States, Ontario and Quebec. On January 20th, 21st, and 22nd, he will attend the annual convention of the Canadian Association of Memorial Craftsmen at Toronto. Mr. Beck is president of this association.

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By Fago'y & Shortea

There passed away at his home in Montague early yesterday morning, Mr. Russell G. MacDonald in his 65th year. The late Mr. MacDonald had been in ailing health for several years, and a few years ago had returned from Boston following a serious operation. For the past summer he was in ill health, and became seriously ill during the past two months. Mr. MacDonald was a native of Whim Road, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Michael MacDonald. He was a farmer and for the past number of years was chief potato inspector for King's County. He retired from active duty last year, and a few weeks ago was presented with a gift in appreciation of his many years of service. He was a charter member of the Montague Curling Club and had been an active member up until last year when his illness forced him to retire from active curling. He was also a member of Hillside I. O. O. F. Lodge in Montague and several months ago was presented with a life membership pin. He was a member of the United Church.

He was twice married. His first wife was the former Marjorie Beer, who predeceased him in 1939. His second wife was the former Vera Andrew, whom he leaves to mourn, besides two brothers, George and Angus in the U. S. A., and two sisters, Mrs. Angus MacBeth (Minnie), Whim Road, and Mrs. Angus Martin (Rubina), U. S. A., and also a host of friends who have known and respected his mature judgment, kindness, and friendliness. All have been aware of the burden of illness which marked his latter days, but all also admired the undaunted spirit with which he carried it, the spirit of a man who knew the value of toil, but also the spirit of a gentleman.

U. S. TANK-LED

Wonju silent. It appeared that while Gen. MacArthur's forces were flanking the Chinese Reds in the west, the Korean Reds had made an end run around the 2nd Division in the east. Eastern field reports placed an enemy column of 1,000 men some 18 miles south of the road and some 10 miles north of the road and town of Tanyang. Another, smaller Communist force was at Yong-buk.

These points are 45 to 55 miles southeast of the 2nd Division's Wonju salient and as little as 45 miles north of the last summer's old allied defence anchor at Waegwan.

The stabs at Chinese Communist forces of Seoul came at a time when Gen. J. Lawton Collins, U. S. army chief of staff, was touring the field front with the Eighth Army commander, Lt.-Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway. Collins told correspondents upon his arrival from high-level conferences in Tokyo: "I am not going to go into the future, but as of now we intend to stay and fight in Korea." AP correspondent John Randolph said Collins explained the slow withdrawal of the Eighth Army in recent weeks as the only

Montague Wins 12-4 Over Georgetown

With some of the best hockey seen here in a long time, the Montague Meteors skated to a 12-4 victory over the Georgetown Eagles at the Montague rink last night in the first schedule game of the Southern Kings loop.

The first period was a see-saw affair with the locals opening the scoring at the 35 second mark, with a return from Georgetown at 4:28. With alternate scoring the first period ended 4-2.

In this period the Montague defenceman, L. Fraser, received a severe cut above the eye, necessitating seven stitches, but returned to the game in the second session, which got under way with the visitors tying the score at 4-all. The local squad then got really rolling, and from there on the scoring was all theirs, but not all the play.

The Meteor goalie, C. Walper, received a severe head cut and was removed to the King's County Hospital. He was replaced by F. Fraser who gave an equally excellent performance in the nets.

Lineups: Eagles—Goal, F. Stevens; defence, MacPhee, Doloy, Johnston; forwards, A. Lavandier, MacDonald, MacNeil, F. Landry, Martell, Murphy, Publicover, A. Landry. Meteors—Goal, C. Walper; defence, George, L. Fraser; forwards, Power, MacLean, Nelson, Clements, Lannigan, Jay, Collings, P. Fraser, MacLure.

Referee—A. Fraser. (Collings) Umpire—First Period 1—Meteors, Nelson (MacLean, P. Fraser) 3:35 2—Eagles, F. Landry (MacNeil) 4:28 3—Meteors, Nelson (Power) 6:36 4—Eagles, Stevens (A. Landry) 9:06 5—Meteors, Clements (Lannigan) 9:24 6—Meteors, Power (Clements) 15:24 Penalties—None. Second Period 7—Eagles, MacNeil (A. Landry) 5:27 8—Eagles, A. Landry (MacNeil) 6:07 9—Meteors, Lannigan (Collings) 15:24 10—Meteors, Nelson (Collings) 15:46 11—Meteors, MacLean (Power) 16:40 12—Meteors, Collings (Clements) 18:52 Penalties—None. Third Period 13—Meteors, Jay (F. Fraser, MacLure) 1:36 14—Meteors, MacLean (Power) 8:08 15—Meteors, Power (Lannigan, Clements) 9:35 16—Meteors, Collings (Clements) 11:56 Penalties—None.

possible manoeuvre for an army not large enough for its theatre and faced by overwhelming numbers of Red troops. Ridgway said there was "no shadow of a doubt" that the Eighth Army now could hold off the hordes of Chinese and North Korean Reds.

Collings said replacements would be arriving at the Korean front in "two or three months." Replacements have been meagre since the Chinese blunted American forces in the ill-fated end-of-the-war offensive launched by the Eighth Army Nov. 24. The U. S. 2nd division was given French and Netherlands battalions to rebuild some of its strength after losing a third of its men.

The appearance of the U. S. 3rd Division on the western front was the first time these veterans had been reported in action since the evacuation of Hungnam Christmas eve. As part of the U. S. 10th Corps, the 3rd Division hit off the Chinese Chinese Ringing the Hungnam perimeter when more than 105,000 U. N. troops escaped through that northeastern port from a Chinese trap.

After the successful withdrawal, the 3rd Division was taken by sea to Pusan in Southeast Korea where it rested. "Ten-to-ten" of 3rd Division infantrymen jumped off at 7 a. m. Monday along a nine-mile front in the western sector.

Correspondent Swinton said their mission was to re-establish contact with the Chinese Reds known to be massing in the vicinity and destroy as many as possible.

Censorship did not permit identification of the port, where allied troops opened their thrust. By noon Monday, Swinton said, one company of a famous regiment slogged through mushy snow into Osan, and took it without firing a shot. It was the fifth time Osan had changed hands.

GENTLE CONSTIPATION RELIEF

TAKE PHILLIPS' TONITE... GENTLE CONSTIPATION RELIEF... TAKE PHILLIPS' TONITE... WAKE UP FRESH

MURDER TRIAL

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town; Ollie Shreenan, North River; Wesley MacQuarrie, Nine Mile Creek and John McManus, Bonshaw. Edward Garnham, professional photographer of Charlottetown, was the first witness to be called in the afternoon and identified photographs which are introduced as evidence as ones he had taken at the home of the deceased, 51 Douglas Street, and others which had been taken at the Hennessey Funeral Home.

Cross-examined by Mr. Bell, the witness stated he had gone to Douglas Street at approximately 8.15 a.m. on Dec. 5 to take the pictures, and found the house quite dirty inside, and the furniture disarranged. He did not see any recently broken furniture and assumed that rubbish had been accumulating in the house for some time.

Mr. Bell objected to the use of two pictures of the body which had been taken at the Funeral Home at noon, but the objection was over-ruled and the pictures were passed to the jury for examination.

Dr. Shaw's Evidence

Second witness called was Dr. Harold Shaw, Provincial Pathologist for the past five years. He stated he had commenced the examination of the deceased at approximately 11.30 a.m. on Dec. 5 at the Hennessey Funeral Home, and stated death had occurred not more than 24 hours.

There were external injuries, especially in the head area, and blood on the right side of the face and neck, apparently from the mouth. He said that blood also seemed to have originated from an abrasion on the front of the neck, and there was a dry blood clot on the upper lip. Superficial scratches and abrasions were present on the right side of the face, just below the junction of the lips, and a scratch on left cheek about three inches from mouth.

At the back of the head there was a bruised area in which the skin was depressed, about one inch square, and witness considered the blow which caused this depressed area to have been the direct cause of death. He stated considerable force was necessary behind the blow which caused this depression.

Witness went on to say he had examined the mouth and found the deceased had no teeth and a broken back of mouth were two areas of bruising and laceration. One area at the back of upper gum and the other at the back of the roof of the mouth. In the front of the mouth a small piece of tissue had been removed from the left upper gum which corresponded to a severely bruised area just inside the upper lip. There were also many small areas of bruising and lacerations on both sides of the tongue.

Dr. Shaw stated he had examined the fingernails of deceased and had taken scrapings from under the nails. These revealed the presence of skin tissue. He had examined the prisoner on the same day, with the prisoner's consent, and a written statement allegedly signed by the prisoner to this effect was produced. Upon objection by Mr. Bell the statement was not introduced as evidence.

Witness said that prisoner had a one and one-half inch scratch on his face, at the time of the examination, which ran up and down above the right eye. He also said there was an area of bruising on the right eyelid, a scratch on the bridge of his nose, and a broader scratch on the right side of his nose.

Questioned in regard to the injuries in the mouth of deceased, the witness stated any foreign object could have caused them if it were applied with some force. Under cross-examination by Mr. Bell, Dr. Shaw said the body of the deceased was in a poor physical condition and was physically weak due to doubt to malnutrition. He said the instrument which caused the depression on the back of the victim's head was a reasonably small, blunt instrument, and the injury could have been caused by the body falling and the head hitting an object. He said there were no marks on the neck which might have been caused by choking.

Asked where he had examined the prisoner, the witness stated it had been in the office of the Chief of Police, and to further questioning he said the skin was removed from three areas of the prisoner's face, resulting in scratches which were the thickness of the skin.

Other Witnesses

In her testimony, Mrs. A. Bruce, who lives in the next house east of the one in which the deceased lived, said she had seen the prisoner at Mullins' home on different occasions. On cross-examination she said Mullins had been a neighbour for twelve and a half years and not very many people visited him. Weeks was one of the most frequent visitors. She said she had taken a supper over to Mr. Mullins on the Friday before the incident and had given it to him at his front door. Asked about two windows which were boarded up in the home of deceased, the witness said it had been done by the deceased and Henry Weeks, father of the prisoner.

She concluded by saying deceased had told her someone was taking his money and on further questioning said he had told her he believed it to be William Weeks. Florence Malone, a neighbour on the west side of Mullins' gave evidence stating she had seen deceased between 6 and 6.30 on evening of December 4 as he went to his back door from the street. Deceased had told her father he had lost his front door key. At 10.30 that evening her mother had gone to the back door to lock it and had called witness who went out and heard moans apparently coming

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ing from the home of deceased. She said it sounded as if someone were getting hurt. Her mother went upstairs to call her father but the moans stopped before he came down. Shortly after this she saw a match struck inside the back porch of Mullins' home but could not see anyone.

Questioned by Mr. Bell, the witness stated she had known the prisoner and Mrs. Weeks for some time. She said she had heard movements after the goans stopped but had not seen anyone leave the house.

William Howatt, unemployed laborer, 11 Alley Street, was the final witness to be called, and said he had been at the home of Mrs. Steele on Alley Street shortly before noon on December 4 when the prisoner came in with his wife. Weeks had told him he had been at the Unemployment Office and they had stopped his money as they had a job for him to start on in the afternoon. He had gone to the Weeks' home with them and prisoner had left shortly before one o'clock saying he was going to work. He had returned at approximately two o'clock for a few minutes to get a house jack he had forgotten.

Wine and "Shako" Witness then left and met James MacDonald on Alley Street and they went to the vendor's to purchase a quart of wine. They then proceeded to Queen Square where he saw prisoner talking to an older man. He called Weeks over and they went together to a home on the corner of Pownall and Richmond. They finished the wine there and prisoner produced a bottle of "Shako" from which witness had one drink. He went outside for a few minutes and on his return noticed that bottle was empty. Prisoner stated he had three other bottles of "Shako".

He left the house with the prisoner at approximately seven o'clock and they went to the vendor's to purchase another bottle of wine with four quarters of the prisoner had given him. Prisoner had stated it was all the money he had. They opened the bottle of wine in a gangway on Kent Street and each had a drink before they proceeded along Kent to P. J. MacDonald's grocery store. Prisoner had entered and witness said he waited outside and met a friend. He and his friend then finished the bottle of wine and left before prisoner came out of the store.

Witness continued by saying he had gone to the Weeks' home at approximately seven o'clock that evening and found the prisoner and his wife and their two children at home. He had felt sick and after lying down had fallen asleep. He awoke at eleven and found the prisoner had gone out. Witness had then left after telling Mrs. Weeks he would return later.

He returned shortly before midnight and found prisoner at home with his wife. Mrs. Weeks told him Billy said he had killed a man and he sat beside him in the kitchen and tried to get him to say who it was. Prisoner would not say who it was and he had gone to the Steele's home in search of James MacDonald. Accompanied by MacDonald, Roma Steele and Dianne Steele he had returned to the Weeks and prisoner was then pacing the floor saying he had killed a man.

MacDonald and the prisoner had left the house shortly after and the witness left for home approximately twenty minutes afterwards. The trial will be resumed this morning at ten-thirty.

EIGHT PROVINCES

(Continued from Page 1) of last summer's general strike. At a session scheduled to hear any argument against this date, no objections developed from any of the Provinces that have been opposing the post-war rate increases. However, it was indicated the Provinces will be on hand Friday to argue against the rate increase itself.

The five-per-cent case is the first phase of a three-way railway application dealing with rates filed Dec. 21. In the second phase, the railways ask an unspecified increase to take care of a shortened work week for employees to go into effect next June 1. No date has been set for hearing this.

The third part of the case—for which also no hearings has been set—is an application by the railways for a new method of setting freight rates.

View of Governments The Prairie Governments, in a statement presented on their behalf by Manitoba counsel Wilson E. McLean, today expressed the view that "no useful purpose" would be achieved now by embarking on an extensive investigation when it was possible rapidly to legislate in the next few months as the result of the report of the Royal Commission. Mr. McLean indicated that the Board was going to go on with the inquiry, the Prairie Governments would not take part in the proceedings. Lee Kelly of Ottawa, appearing for the Government of British Columbia, said it occurred in the Prairie view. For the Maritimes and Newfoundland, John J. Connolly of Ottawa asked for a deferment of the public hearings of the inquiry until the recommendations of the Royal Commission had been considered and implemented by legislation. OSLO, Norway, Jan. 12—(Reuters)—King Haakon of Norway said today the Norwegian Government seek to increase the period of draft service—at present one year, because of the coming year, because of the tense international situation.