

**M. C. A. Commemorates**  
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Saint John as a pilot 1947; joined Maritime Central Airways as First Officer in the Spring of 1951.  
**DONALD DOUGLAS**—First Officer—Native of Salsbury, N.B.; learned to fly at the Moncton Flying Club where he received his Commercial License; joined Maritime Central Airways in May of 1951 as First Officer.  
**W. J. BRUCE**—First Officer.—Learned to fly at the Toronto

Flying Club in 1937, joined the R.C.A.F. in 1940 and served as instructor at several stations. He spent a year overseas, received his discharge in January, 1946, and for the next four years operated the Bras D'Or Airways. Captain Bruce joined Maritime Central Airways as first officer in 1950.  
**G. J. GODFREY**—Captain—Native of Moncton, New Brunswick. Began his career early in life as a teenager at the old Moncton Airport. He worked as a mechanic for Canadian Airways. Then obtained his air engineer's license in 1937 and his commercial pilot's license

in 1939. Began flying with Canadian Airways as a bush pilot in Northern Manitoba in 1941. Also flew northern Quebec and Labrador with Canadian Pacific Airlines. In 1945 joined MCA as a Captain. He has approximately over 8,000 hours flying time.  
**R. W. MILLS**—Captain—Born Granville Ferry, N.S. He was educated in Annapolis High School. Enlisted in the R.C.A.F. in 1940 and flew two tours of operation in the Bomber Command in the Middle East. Then returned to Canada in 1945 and was attached as a pilot to Naval Aircrew School at Yarmouth. Was discharged in 1945 and joined MCA as first officer. He was promoted to Captain in January, 1946, and has over 7,000 hours flying time.  
**G. L. MACINNIS**—Captain—Native of Amherst, N.S. was educated in Montreal and Prince Edward Island. Pre-war experience was confined to fur farming. He joined the R.C.A.F. in March 1941 and completed a tour of operations as navigator and remustered as a pilot in 1942. Served in both Coastal Command and Ferry Command. Then joined the British Overseas Airways Corporation and was instructor and check pilot. After his discharge from the R.C.A.F. he returned to his farm in Murray River. In 1951 he joined MCA as Captain and has completed his first million miles in the air.  
**C. E. BLAIR**—Captain—Was born in Truro, N.S. Served five years with R.C.A.F. in Coastal Command and was decorated with the D.F.C. He received his discharge in 1945 and joined MCA as first officer. He was promoted to Captain in July 1946. He has over 7,000 hours flying time.  
**N. A. BALLANTYNE**—Native of Stratford, Ontario. Served in the R.C.A.F. Fighter Command. Received discharge in 1945. Then flew in the Maritimes with Springhill Air Service and Bathurst Air Service before joining MCA as first officer in 1947. He was promoted to Captain in 1950 and has approximately 7,000 hours flying time.  
**R. F. MURNAGHAN**—Captain—Native of Charlottetown, P. E. I., educated at St. Dunstan's University; worked as a passenger agent for TCA in 1940 and joined MCA as passenger agent in December 1941; joined the R.C.A.F. in 1942, was posted as a flying instructor to Trenton, Ont.; returned to MCA as First Officer in 1946 and promoted to Captain in 1947. He has 7,000 hours flying time.  
**MYLES CURRIE**—Captain on the New Brunswick Aerial Forest Patrol. Native of Fredericton, N.B.; learned to fly at a commercial school in 1940; served in the R.C.A.F. for five years as ground crew; discharged in 1945; received commercial flying license in 1946 and served as an instructor with the Sturgeon Flying School at Fredericton; operated his own Flying Service at Fredericton from 1948 to '51. Joined MCA in 1951 as a pilot on the New Brunswick Aerial Forest Patrol.  
**G. J. EDWARDS**—Captain—Native of Eastern Passage, N.S. Enlisted in R.C.A.F. in 1939. Flew Coastal Command in both Canada and England. He was discharged in 1945 and joined MCA as first officer in 1946. He was promoted to Captain in 1949.  
**F. E. MITTON**—First Officer—Native of Moncton, N.B.; learned to fly in 1938 at the Spartan School of Aeronautics, Tulsa, Okla.; enlisted in R.C.A.F. in 1940, served as a Flying Instructor at various service flying training schools in Canada. Posted to the Transport Command in the United Kingdom and Europe before returning to Canada in 1946. Joined MCA as First Officer in 1948.  
**ROBERT L. GRAHAM**—First Officer—Native of Debert, N. S.; began flying career in October 1945, training at New Glasgow and Truro; obtained Commercial License at Moncton Flying Club 1949. Since then has been engaged in commercial flying throughout the Maritimes. Joined MCA as First Officer in May 1951.

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\*Her many friends will be pleased to learn that Miss Eileen Anneau has been discharged from the King's County Hospital where she was a patient, and has returned to her home in Lower Montague.  
\***DIES IN QUEBEC**—Mrs. John J. MacDonald, Glen William, has received the sad news of the death of her only sister, Mrs. Bert Arthur, St. Lambert's, Quebec, at the age of 62 years. Mrs. Arthur was formerly Lillian Bert of Peakes, P.E.I. Mrs. James MacLean and Mr. Bert MacDonald, Montague, are a niece and nephew of the deceased.  
\***FUNERAL SERVICES**—The funeral of the late Mrs. Ethel Adolphe was held yesterday afternoon. A short service was held at the MacLean Funeral Home in Charlottetown, conducted by Rev. H. E. D. Ashford. During the service Miss Lena McLure sang as a solo "The Christian's Good-Night." The pall bearers at the funeral home were Merritt Forsythe, Dr. W. R. Carson, Talmage Foster, Heath Foster, Harvey MacEwen and Edgar Jardine. Funeral services followed at the Lower Montague United Church and were conducted by Rev. Dr. A. D. MacKenzie. Interment was in Lower Montague cemetery. The pall bearers were David Wright, Ray Aitken, Louis Wright, John Aitken, Charles Llewellyn and William Anneau.

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**CHAPTER THIRTY-SEVEN**  
Part One  
Looking at Bernice's pretty face as the red lips puffed out angry smoke, Victoria reflected dryly that the soft and sentimental women are apt to go very hard when practicality rears its ugly head. Bernice had discarded sentiment with regard to Stan in favor of a matter-of-fact approach to the situation, and now the actor-like quality of the man which had once so deeply fooled and enchanted her was seen stripped bare, and was far from enchanting.  
Bernice stabbed out her cigarette. She looked at Victoria with large brown eyes. "Why don't you phone Stan and talk with him?" she asked suddenly. "I mean, he knows you opening all about everything. Remember that Richards boy wanted to marry and that Mama hated so and how we'd go to movies and you'd let Mama think I'd gone with you?" Bernice's voice was bright, pressing this memory from the past to emphasize their long friendship, to coax Victoria into serving this present need.  
"It's a ridiculous notion," said Victoria.  
Bernice gave her a hard little glance. "Oh, all right. I'll do it myself, then."  
Quite deliberately, Victoria listened to Bernice speaking in the little hallway. "Stan, this is Bernice. Stan, you MUST stop calling me. I mean it. . . . We said goodbye. That's not true; you enjoy this sort of thing. Well, I don't. . . . Are you doing it out of malice? I've explained the whole thing to you." (Long pause.) "You never cared for anyone but yourself, Stan, but I'm asking you to stop phoning my house. What? Is that so? Oh, is that so? How about what you call your house, it belongs to your mother unless I'm much mistaken! . . . What? I'll be delighted to. I intended to do so anyhow, but it was such a trifling little gift that I felt it might seem insulting. A messenger will deliver it to you tomorrow!"  
Bernice returned shaken. "What a cheap little devil he is," she said, and sighed. She sat down wearily and her eyes misted with something like tears. "He wants his bracelet back, it seems it's really his mother's."  
"That's practically symbolic. So is he."  
Bernice's roving and abstracted eye fell on Victoria's sapphire ring. She shot forward toward Victoria, one arm propping her weight. With the other hand she pointed. Her black-gloved finger was long and thin. "Where did you get that?"  
Victoria told her.  
Bernice, who was holding Victoria's ring hand in her own, suddenly flung it aside like something she was casting away. "It's ridiculous!" she said, contemptuously. "Why, he didn't make a quarter of what you do! It's in very bad taste, considering that! VERY bad taste!"  
"I thought it one of the kindest things anyone has ever done for me," said Victoria quietly.  
Bernice flung her arms around Victoria, kissed the side of her face with lips that would leave, Victoria knew, a double red stain like a bite.  
"I'm mean!" she cried. "I'm venomous and selfish! How could I have said such a thing! It was sweet of him! It was dear of him!"  
In her new agitation Bernice stood up, pacing restlessly before the coffee table on her tiny high-heeled feet. "I'm a terrible woman, terrible!" she cried. Her black-gloved hands went to her face and covered it. She stood there, stylishly wide shoulders crouched in

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Twenty-two members were present.  
A delicious supper was served by the Ladies Aid, assisted by the ladies of the Young Adults Club. Following supper the members engaged in a hearty sing-song led by Mr. Wigginton, with Miss Shirley Jenkins as piano accompanist.  
Owing to a severe cold, and the extreme weather, Mr. J. A. Clarke of Charlottetown, who was to be the special speaker, was unable to attend.  
The president then called on each member to give some accounts of his various boyhood experiences, which were colorful and much enjoyed. Dr. MacKenzie recounted some of his experiences in different congregations which were greatly appreciated by the audience.  
The attendance and membership committee promised that the first meeting of the new year would be the biggest yet, and would be enjoyed by all. After the meeting several members remained to take part in badminton.

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