



### Appointment

Mr. Fred C. Hoskinson (above) of Montreal has been appointed traffic and sales manager of Airwork Atlantic Limited at Dorval International Airport, Montreal. The appointment was announced by Mr. John E. Muhlheid, president of Airwork Atlantic Ltd. Mr. Hoskinson is the son-in-law of Mr. J. J. Morris, manager of the Provincial Bank, Charlotte-town and Mrs. Morris.

### Quintified Under Advanced Registry

The Advanced Registry Board for Swine has issued a report which shows the following: P. E. Island owned sows recently qualified: Diamond Hill 9H, S.J.F., Arsenault, 10-184-91; Woodstock Duchess 60C, Mrs. H. Richards, 10-189-81; Abney Duchess 23H, W. Wylie Gibson, 9-187-87; King, W. Wylie Gibson, 9-187-87; Stirling Lady 39H, Stirling Willis, 8-185-82; Colwellview Heather 12H, S. C. Stewart & Son, 10-179-82; Spay View Lass 33H, Garnet Campbell, 8-188-80.

### Fire Loss More Than \$12,000

Mr. and Mrs. Levi McNally of Johnston's River, whose home and store were destroyed by a flash fire in the early hours of yesterday morning, are staying with brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Connolly, 9 Bayfield Street, City. Mr. and Mrs. McNally with their eight-year-old daughter were barely able to escape from the blaze with a few personal belongings and ten minutes after the fire was discovered, it was impossible for anyone to re-enter the dwelling. Immediately following the fire the McNally family were taken into the home of their neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Trainor, before coming to Mr. Connolly's. The loss is in the vicinity of \$12,000-\$15,000 and is only partially covered by insurance. Mr. and Mrs. McNally are very grateful to all those who came to their assistance during this personal catastrophe.

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**BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS**  
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**BIRTHS**  
GALLANT—At the P. E. I. Hospital, March 26, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gallant (nee Hazel Miller), a son, Brian Anthony. Weight 9 lbs.  
BOULTER—At the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Kingston, Ontario, on March 16th, 1955, to Sgt. and Mrs. Leith D. Boulter, a son, Gregory Wilfred.

**DEATHS**  
TURNER—At the P. E. Island Hospital on Saturday, March 26, Percy W. Turner, aged 70 years. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home, funeral notice later. Interment People's Cemetery.  
GALLANT—At her home 461 Water St. West, Summerside, March 25th, Mary Josephine Gallant, wife of Andrew L. Gallant in her 71st year. Resting at the Compton Funeral Home until Saturday noon, then forwarded to the home of her son-in-law, Cyrus Arsenault, 49 Northumberland St. from where the funeral will be held Monday, March 28th to St. Paul's Church for Requiem Mass at 9 a.m. Interment in St. Paul's Cemetery.

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### City and Central

MUSICAL Easter eggs and baskets. The Island Book Room.  
RUMMAGE SALE. Saturday, March 26th, at 2:30 p. m. at St. WINDMILL special today, calves liver and onions or bacon. 65 cents.  
HAVE YOUR SILVERTONE T. V. installed today. Only \$10.00 down. Simpsons—Sears Ltd.

MAGNETIC NOTE PADS. A smart gift at a smart price. The Island Book Room.  
ATTENTION all lady canvassers for Red Cross in Charlotte-town. Canvassing materials are now ready at Red Cross Headquarters. Collecting to be done week of March 28th.

EASTER CARDS, choose from our large assortment in Braille too. The Island Book Room.

ST. PAUL'S SUNDAY School tomorrow morning at ten o'clock. All members are urged to be present. Visitors and new members will receive a cordial welcome.

VISIT HI-STYLE Millinery today and see the many new hats just arrived.

SATURDAY NIGHT special at the Windmill, grilled salmon steak, 80 cents.

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HAZLEBROOK B. Y. P. U. — Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood entertained the Hazlebrook Baptist Young People's Union at their home last night. There were 37 present. Olive Jenkins was the leader of the devotional period with prayer and a topic, A duet, "Open Up Your Heart" was enjoyed. Study period on the Parable of the 10 Virgins was conducted by Rev. Mr. Armstrong. A business meeting followed. An hour of recreation was enjoyed under the direction of Ludlow Carver and Leon Murphy. Lunch was served and the meeting closed with a lively sing song.

ZION Y. P. S. — On Tuesday evening, Zion Y. P. S. had as their guests the Baptist Y. P. U. The devotional period was under the leadership of Fay Hickox and Frances MacDonald with Marlene Balderston as pianist. The program, Roddie Hickox, extended a warm welcome to the visiting young people and also to Rev. and Mrs. Milton. Following this the young people joined in a hearty sing song with Margaret Matheson as pianist. The recreational period, consisting of games and films, was led by Louise MacEachern, Keith Beaton and Bob Younker. Lunch was served by the social committee. The singing of "Blest Be The Tie That Binds" brought to a close a most enjoyable evening.

### Personals

Dr. Heath McIntyre, city, is a patient in the P.E.I. Hospital.

Mrs. J. E. McLarty of Wardsville, Ont., is visiting her brother, Mr. J. E. Ritchie and Mrs. Ritchie, for a month.

### Hope For Early Lake Shipping

By THE CANADIAN PRESS  
Great Lakes shipping interests, preparing for a busy season, are hopeful of an early start of navigation on the great inland waterway. A Canadian Press survey found marine men looking upon 1955 as an historic year, both in relation to the past and to the future. It will see the celebration of the centennial of the huge ship canals at Sault Ste. Marie. It will also include the planning of many projects looking to construction of the St. Lawrence seaway. The actual start of the movement of grain and ore cargoes from the upper lakes depends on how soon the vessels can get through the ice in the St. Mary's river, the world's busiest waterway. Navigation officials at Sault Ste. Marie say this should be possible by the end of the month. In Toronto the tanker Britannia picked up the silk hat March 18 as the first arriving cargo vessel. Harbor officials said they expect other craft shortly.

### Traffic Accidents in Quebec Down

MONTREAL, (CP) — Paul E. Dumas of Rimouski, president of the Trucking Association of Quebec Inc., said today 25,988 trucks were involved in accidents in the province in 1954, a 53 per cent decrease from the previous year. In a statement issued by his Montreal office, he said the number of cars involved in accidents last year, dropped eight per cent from 1953.

### Card of Thanks

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the Doctors, Nurses and Staff of the P. E. I. Hospital and to the many friends who visited me, while I was a patient there, and a sincere thank you to those who sent cards, treats.

Chester J. Weeks, Fredericton.

### In Memoriam

In loving memory of Areta Jay who departed this life March 23rd, 1955.  
Inscribed by sons Bob and Howard.



### One Of Choice Steers At Sale

Pictured above is one of the choice steers bought yesterday by Canada Packers. Shown by Urban Gauthier (foreground), he was owned by Mr. Robert Borden of North River. Seen to the left of Mr. Gauthier in white coat, is Mr. L. W. Roper of the Dominion Livestock Production Branch. Acting as a bid taker Mr. Roper was a decided factor in the success of the sale.

Barter's Film Lab.

### \$35,000 Fire Destroys Vernon Bridge Feed Mill

A fire which totally destroyed the Shur Gain Feed Mill owned and operated by E. J. MacDougall, Vernon Bridge, broke out at 8:50 yesterday morning, causing a loss estimated at \$35,000, partially covered by insurance. The diesel engine used in operating the plant although damaged, was salvaged when a tow cable attached to it passed out to a heavy truck which pulled it through an opening made in the side of the burning building. The grain fire smouldered throughout the day yesterday and continued last evening. An early call to Charlottetown for assistance was cancelled when the threatened home of Gus Mossman, directly across the road, was declared out of danger. Mr. MacDougall said the fire is believed to have started in a small office which is seldom used and was unoccupied at the time. He intends to have the wreckage cleared away and construction on a new building started as quickly as possible.

### Asks Approval Of New N. S. Education Scheme

HAVERHAM, (CP) — Premier H. G. Wells, as the Nova Scotia legislatures Thursday night to approve a whole new scheme of education finance which will cost more but which conforms "to the most advanced views." The plan was set forth in a bill amending the Nova Scotia Education Act along lines proposed by the one-man royal commission of Judge Vincent J. Pottier of the Halifax country court late last year. Debate on the second reading was adjourned shortly after 11 p.m. AST and will be resumed to-day at 3 p.m. The bill seemed certain of passage without over-extended debate; both Progressive Conservative leader Robert L. Stanfield and one of the chamber's two CCF members, Russell Cunningham of Cape Breton East, supported it to varying degrees.

### Record Price

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### Inquest In Crapaud Death

A coroner's jury empaneled by Dr. L. E. Frowse met at the MacLean Funeral Home at 7:00 p.m. last evening to view the remains of the late Albert Stordy whose body had been found in a field at Crapaud on Thursday. Coroner Frowse reviewed some of the known circumstances surrounding the death of the man and ordered the jury to meet again on April 14 at City Hall. The following are the members of the jury: Spurgeon Jenkins (foreman), Reg. Ellison, Hawley Crockett, George Gillespie, G. Claude Smith, Stanley G. Bowles, Robert L. Champion.

### Canada Does Well At Games Swimming Meet

MEXICO CITY, (CP) — Canada marched off with the major share of honors in the final day of the Pan-American swimming competition Friday when Beth Whittall of Montreal captured two championships and swam in a relay all within a space of about 30 minutes. The 18-year-old sophomore student of Purdue University smashed the hopes of the United States' brightest stars with a sensational double slam in the 100-metre butterfly stroke event and the women's 400-metre free style relay.

The pretty, tall blonde girl gave Canada its third and fourth gold medals of the games and wound up the best day her country has had in 13 days of competition with a sterling performance in the 400-metre relay race. She set a Games record in winning the butterfly stroke championship and 15 minutes later came back to beat the best the U.S. had to offer in the tough 400-metre free style.

### Oldest Twin Brothers To Visit Oldest Sisters

BRUSSELS, III. (AP) — The oldest twin brothers in the United States — widowers and veteran fliers — are planning an air trip to Kentucky to visit the oldest American twin sisters — widows. Each pair of twins is 82. August and Fred Whiting, both spry and active, are life-long residents of this scenic apple orchard district. They noticed a newspaper story about the 92nd birthday last Jan. 11 of the sisters, Mrs. Mary Mcullen of Maysville, Ky., and Mrs. Eva Bowman of Newport, Ky. The story mentioned that the sisters were honored as the oldest American twins at a St. Louis meeting five years ago of the International Twins Association. The Schulze brothers want to set the sisters straight on this. They say their own 92nd birthday was exactly five months earlier, last Aug. 11. They sent birthday greetings to the sisters. Travelling by air is old stuff to the Schulze brothers. They operate a seed-corn business here and use their own airplane to distribute the seed over a 12-state territory.

### Brief Monopoly

Department of Defence Production.  
TORONTO, (CP) — The federal government is discriminating against Ontario potato growers, the Ontario legislature was told Thursday. Agriculture Minister Thomas read into the record two Royal Canadian Army Service Corps tenders which specified that the orders had to be filled with Prince Edward Island potatoes. The orders were for 600 bags each. Mr. Thomas said he protested the exclusion of local farmers from the chance of bidding when they had plenty of first-grade Ontario potatoes to sell.

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### Banquet At Baptist Hall

An annual banquet honoring members of the choir, teachers and officers of the Sunday School who attended with their guests, was held last evening in the Baptist Church's lower hall. The hostess was Mrs. Keith Robinson, president of the choir. A hymn sing, followed by the turkey dinner, was led by Mr. W. S. McMurtry, with choirmaster Roy P. Mugford at the piano. Members of each group in turn were called upon to introduce themselves.

A toast to the church was proposed by Mr. Alfred Tall, and responded to by the pastor, Rev. H. L. Milton. Mr. Milton took the opportunity to express his pleasure in being present, stressing the valuable contribution in the life of the church which choir and Sunday School make. A toast to the Sunday School was proposed by Mr. Harper MacNeill, which was replied to by Mr. Vic Runtz, Superintendent of the Sunday School. J. J. Rupert proposed the toast to the choir, adding an amusing touch to his tribute when he sang "Ode to the Choir" and had all join in the chorus. Mr. S. H. Burhoe, on behalf of the choir, responded. Mr. McMurtry extended the thanks of those present for the delicious dinner to conveners, Mrs. L. F. Myatt and Mrs. Spurgeon MacNeill, and ladies of the church who assisted. The banquet closed with a benediction by the pastor.

### New Quebec Securities Act Effective May 1

QUEBEC, (CP) Premier Duplessis announced Friday Quebec's revamped Securities Act designed to crack down on stockeaters goes into force May 1. Trading of securities will fall under the jurisdiction of a three-man securities commission with wide powers to investigate and prosecute. Mr. Duplessis, who made the announcement during his press conference Friday, said commission members will be appointed before May 1.

### LIFETIME POSTS

It is believed members of the new commission, to have a semi-judicial status, will be appointed for life and chosen from the legal and accounting professions. Salary of the chairman will be \$11,000 a year. Commissioners will receive \$10,000 each. Infractions will be punishable by fines up to \$25,000 and prison terms up to two years. Legislation revamping the old Quebec Securities Act was adopted during the recent session. Transactions of the bond market do not fall under the commission.

### Fishermen in East Envious of Westeners

OTTAWA, (CP) — Finance Minister Harris said Friday night fishermen on Canada's east coast look with envy at fishermen on the west coast. The reason, he told the Commons, is the difference in income and consequently the standard of living of the two groups. The government was attempting to bolster the living standards of the east coast fishermen through payment of support prices on east coast fish catches. A total of \$744,000 is contained

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### Starters And Odds In Grand National

LONDON, (CP)—Following are the probable starters and odds for Saturday's Grand National steeplechase at Aintree: Early Mist 15-2, Tudor Line 19-2, Quare Times 100-9, Copp 100-8, Irish Lizard, Mariner's Log 100-7, M'sas tu vu 18-1, Carey's cottage, Beaver Valley. The veterans of the Charlottetown branch were the guests of the Auxiliary. A daily lunch was served by the lunch committee.

### Boy Scouts Council Meets

The regular monthly meeting of the Provincial Council of the Boy Scouts Association was held yesterday in headquarters with provincial president Bill Reid in the chair. In addition to usual routine business other matters discussed were the splendid progress of the annual provincial campaign, plans for the World Jamboree at Niagara-on-the-Lake in August, including amount of the Jamboree fee and what assistance would be given from council funds to boys and leaders attending; also tentative plans for the necessary pre-Jamboree camp.

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