

City and Central

TOYS, TOYS, Toys—Firestone.
"CRASWELL for better photo graphs".
HARD GOAL. A. Pickard and Co. are unloading cars of blue hard coal today.

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS. Television \$219 up installed. Vail's, 294 Kent St.

EMPRESS BEAUTY SALON. Specials on cold waves, manicures and machine permanents still on. Open Tuesday and Thursday evening. Dial 8714 for appointment.

WE WILL be closed Monday, December 26th and Tuesday, January 2nd. Feed warehouse will be open Tuesday instead of Monday. Signed, Wilshire Dairy Co.

POLICE COURT— Two cases were dealt with by Magistrate Martin yesterday. The first charged with vagrancy was sentenced to sixty days, the second for operating a motor vehicle whilst intoxicated was sentenced to seven days.

THE UNITED Baptist Church, North River, Sunday, Dec. 25th: Long Creek 11 a.m., Clyde River 3 p.m., Kingston 7:30 p.m. Sunday School, Clyde River 2 p.m. Rev. Owen Cochran, Minister.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH in Canada, Central Parish. Services next Lord's Day are as follows: Canoe Cove 11 a.m., S.S. 10 a.m.; Nine Mile Creek 3 p.m.; Clyde River 7:30 p.m. Rev. Donald Nicholson, Minister.

FREDERICTON and Breadalbane, Sunday, Dec. 25th: Fredericton Sunday School at 10:30 a.m., worship and communion at 3 p.m. M. D. Dunbar, speaker. Breadalbane Sunday School 10:30 a.m., worship and communion at 3 p.m. Special music. W. O. Weale, speaker.

FUNERAL THURSDAY — The funeral of the late Mrs. Everett Goveatt was held from the MacEachern residence, 83 Elm Avenue, Sunday, Dec. 22nd. Service was conducted by Rev. A. Frank MacLean, Rev. A.S. Weir and Rev. H.L. Milton. Interment was in the People's cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Frank Mills, Malcolm MacEachern, Walter Carver, Fred Chandler, Ray Murphy, Frank Murphy.

NEW GLASGOW Christian Church, Sunday, Dec. 25. Christmas service: Morning worship and Communion, 11 a.m. New Glasgow Community Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. There will be no service in the United Baptist Church, Cavendish, Rev. Bryer R. Jones, B.A., B.D., Minister.

FUNERAL WEDNESDAY — The funeral of the late William Jones Cudmore was held Wednesday afternoon from his residence, 83 Elm Avenue, Sunday, Dec. 22nd. Service was conducted by Rev. A. Frank MacLean, Rev. Howard Christie and Rev. W. H. Brown. Interment was in the People's cemetery. The honorary pall bearers were Hon. George D. DeBlois, G.G. Wood, J.K. Lewis, A. B. Gillis, J.A. Simmonds, F. Moreside. The active pall bearers were six nephews, Ernest Carr, Clive Cudmore, Eric Cudmore, Paul Cudmore, Clarence MacInnis, John MacInnis.

PERSONALS
Teddy Redmond, student of Saint Dunstan's University is leaving this morning for Montreal to spend Christmas with his sister Betty (Mrs. Noel Wade).

ULTRA - MODERN
A telephone cable linking some West German cities carries 1,600 calls simultaneously.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS
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BIRTHS
McQUAID—At the Charlottetown Hospital Dec. 21, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Linaus McQuaid (nee Geneva Morrison) a son.

ENSKERINK—At the P. E. I. Hospital on Dec. 20 to Mr. and Mrs. L. Enskerink a daughter, Hilma Johanna.

SMITH—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on December 21, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Clark Smith, Hunter River, a son (Donald George).

STEWART—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Dec. 19, 1955 to Mr. and Mrs. R. Stewart (nee Kathleen McCarville) a son, David Leonard, 4 lbs. 10 oz.

MURPHY—At Moncton City Hospital on Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. James F. Murphy (nee Rita MacDonald) a daughter.

DEATHS
BRENNAN—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Thursday, Dec. 22, 1955, Mary Beatrice Brennan, aged 78 years. Her remains are resting at the Home of the Holy Family where the funeral service will be held on Saturday morning at 9:30. Interment in the church cemetery.

N. D. MacLean
UNDERTAKER
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Charlottetown and
North Wilshire
DIAL 3640

PARKING METERS—All parking meters throughout the city have now been removed for the winter by Hawley Crockett and the City Police. The meters will be completely overhauled by Mr. Crockett, in readiness for the spring.

Holman's Santa Has Busy Day

Holman's Santa Claus had a busy time yesterday afternoon and last evening when, accompanied by Mr. R. E. Sellar and Phillip Doyle, musician, he visited the Charlottetown Hospital and the P.E. Island Hospital and called on each patient with a gift of fruit and candy to which was added a cheery word of comfort and encouragement.
Mr. Doyle entertained patients and staff at both places with accordion music while Santa went the rounds. The whole gesture of good will was much appreciated by all concerned.
Santa's retinue was augmented by a group of Rotarians headed by president Frank Curtis as he made the rounds of the San, calling on all patients and devoting just a little more time to the children in the polio division. Each child in the San was presented with a gift from Rotary while Mr. Doyle played the accordion in the corridors in entertaining numbers.

Entertainment At Infirmary

An enjoyable evening of entertainment for the patients of the Provincial Infirmary was provided last Tuesday evening, by James Power and his group. The patients were treated to a number of tap and step dancing numbers by Maurice MacQuarrie, Millie Roberts and Marlene Weatherbie. Singers for the evening were Charlie Chamberlain, Duke Neilson impersonating Grandpa Jones and James Power who rendered a number of Irish songs. Wee McTavue gave mouth organ solo's. Some fine singing was given by the girls of Rochford Square School.
Midway through the programme the head man of the season, Santa Claus arrived to distribute treats of fruit and candy to the patients, which were kindly donated by James Power and Carvell Bros.
Accompanists for the evening were Edward Arsenault and A. Blanchard. The evening was brought to a close with the "Queen

LOSES CAR IN COLD
MONTREAL (CP) — Montreal's current cold spell cost a United States motorist his car Tuesday.

George R. Davis, 20, Philadelphia, recruited a fellow motorist to push his car, which had stalled because of the cold, across a level rail crossing in suburban Ville St. Pierre. As both autos moved over the crossing, Davis' car stopped dead. Moments later a Canadian Pacific Railway train struck the car and demolished it.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Ambrose Barrett who passed away Dec. 22, 1947.

It is sweet to know we will meet again
Where partings are no more,
And that the one we loved so well
Has only gone before.

Always remembered by wife and family.

In loving memory of Lieut. Robert Grant Howlett, who passed away December 23, 1944.

Gone is the face we loved so dear,
Silent is the voice we loved to hear;
Too far away for sight or speech,
But not too far for thoughts to reach.
Sweet to remember him who once was here,
And who, though absent, is just as dear.

Sadly missed but always remembered by his parents, Rev. C. O. and Mrs. Howlett.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Doctors Farmer and Maloney, the Sisters, nurses and all those who sent cards and treats while I was a patient in the Prince County Hospital.
Mrs. Charles McIvor.

CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS FOR ALL OUR FRIENDS

The Wise men knew that this is the season for great rejoicing and many blessings. We wish you all the joys of this holy holiday.

DeBLOIS BROS.



NAVAL CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

Above Santa was certainly not hand to greet him, and as usual children and mothers each received a treat as they entered the establishment. A great deal of credit goes to Petty Officer Winston Judson and those that assisted him for the huge success of the party, which was carried out in the usual traditional manner of the Navy.



CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY AT THE ARMORIES

Over 100 children accompanied by their parents were guests of the officers of No. 2 Military Group at a Christmas party and tree at the Armories last evening. Major Mike Campbell, Mess President, presided. The young folk were welcomed by Brigadier G.G.K. Peake, D.S.O., E.D. The occupied area of the drill hall was nicely decorated under the supervision of Capt. Rogers and Major O.D. Simons. Above is Santa Claus and a group of the children.

CHILDREN AT

We Are Happy" and 12 juniors were seen in the dance "Clap, Clap, Clap". Silvia Gratto rendered "Yellow Butterfly" as a piano solo.

The Senior Rhythm Band was heard in "The Scotch Dance" and "The Shoemaker's Dance" followed by Robert Sherren in the recitation "Pleasing Santa Claus".

Following a dialogue "A Mother Goose Christmas" the entertainment ended with the Pageant "The Nativity".

Accompanists were Mrs. L.W. Morgan and William Murchison.

General satisfaction was expressed for the order and decorum in the training of the children in the various numbers. The experience of Mrs. Carson previous to taking up residence in Charlottetown makes her a valuable addition to such work among the children.

Mrs. Avela Wright, Matron and Miss MacInnis, school teacher both received well-merited approval for the order and decorum which prevailed and the neat and cheery appearance of the young folk under their charge.

Following the entertainment a treat of ice-cream and various Christmas dainties was provided by the members of Alexandra Chapter Royal Arch Masons.

TYPE OF RABBIT

The true guinea pig is a South American guinea, a small animal distantly related to the rabbit.

St. Paul's W. A. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of Branch "B" of the W. A. of St. Paul's Church was held December 13th in the Parish Hall, with the President, Mrs. A. J. Haslam, presiding.

The members met at 1:30 p.m. and enjoyed a delightful luncheon, catered for by a committee with Mrs. N. H. DeBlois as convener.

Mrs. W. E. Champion, President of the Diocesan Board of the W.A. was a guest, and she later spoke to the members of the Branch on some aspects and history of the W.A. It was founded in 1805, with a membership of 7 and has grown until now the W.A. has 148,893 members.

The president gave a very interesting report of the year's activities. In April a bale of clothing was shipped, Mrs. George DeBlois convened the making of the lavette for St. Faith's Mission and a lovely baby trousseau was assembled.

Mrs. Haslam expressed her thanks to the members for all the work accomplished and the fellowship enjoyed during the year.

The following officers were elected for 1956: Hon. President, Mrs. J. T. Abbott; President, Mrs. A. J. Haslam; Vice President, Mrs. O. S.



Merry Christmas
Our Friends and Customers...
Roy D. MacGillivray
District Manager
The Imperial Life Assurance Co. of Canada

New Transcontinental Air Service Plan Rejected

OTTAWA (CP)—The air transport board has rejected a bid by a Pacific coast airline to fly a low-cost trans-continental air coach service because it would compete with the government-owned Trans-Canada Air Lines.
In rejecting the application by Pacific Western Airlines, the board said it considered it in the light of government policy that some regional competition to TCA would be permitted but that trans-continental traffic would "continue to be reserved for Trans-Canada Air Lines."
"INTER-CITY AEROBUS"
The application of the Vancouver firm to establish an intercity service coast to coast, the board said, went beyond the scope of regional competition. In addition the proposed service was adequately covered by TCA.
Pacific Western, which now operates more aircraft than any other Canadian airline, applied for a license to establish an "inter-city aerobus service." Officials of the firm have said the proposal would cut costs for air passengers by scrapping the elaborate reservation system used by other air lines and by eliminating other frills.
Pacific Western's proposed service Vancouver, Lethbridge and Medicine Hat, Alta.; Swift Current, Moose Jaw and Regina, Sask. Brandon, Man., and Winnipeg; Kenora, Fort Frances, Fort William, Sault Ste. Marie, Toronto, Windsor, London and Ottawa, Ont., Montreal and Quebec City; Fredericton and Saint John, N. B.; and Halifax.

IN MEMORIAM

JOHN ALFRED MAYHEW

Margate and surrounding districts lost one of their oldest and respected citizens in the passing of Mr. John Alfred Mayhew on November 27th, 1955 at the age of 83 years.

The late Mr. Mayhew had been enjoying fairly good health until about two weeks before his death which occurred in the Prince County Hospital.

The deceased was born on May 9th, 1872, at Margate where he spent his life. He was the eldest son of the late George Mayhew and his wife, Charlotte Bentley. During his early years he was successfully engaged in farming. He was a member of the Margate United Church, and his place in the House of God was seldom vacant. He was an elder in the church and for many years a Sunday School teacher and worker.

Members of the family left to mourn are his three daughters, Ruth, Mrs. Wilbur Dennis; Elsie, Mrs. Chester Howard of Margate; Hazel, Mrs. Heath Campbell of Long River; four sons, Harold of New London; George of Margate; Heath at home and Frank of Charlottetown, 21 grandchildren and 23 great-grand children, also one sister, Mrs. Clarence Johnson, O'Leary and two brothers, Waldo of Revere, Mass., and Percy of Shaunavon, Sask. His wife predeceased him thirteen years ago.

The funeral service which was largely attended, was held in the Margate United Church on Tuesday, November 29th, and was conducted by his pastor, Rev. S. H. Haslam, followed by a Masonic service.

The pall bearers were six grandsons, Charles Dennis, Ralph Howland, William Campbell, Robert Mayhew, Clair Mayhew and Murray Mayhew. Interment was in the Church Cemetery.

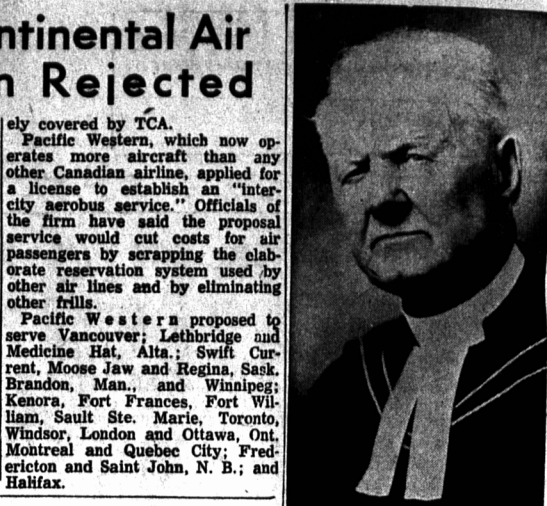
Mrs. Andrew T. Gallant
Mrs. Jerome Gallant
Mrs. Leo Gallant
Mrs. Joseph Gaudin
Mrs. Reuel Gauthier
Mrs. Martha Gauthier
Mrs. James C. Blaquiere
Mrs. Harold Doucette
Mrs. Stanley Doucette
Mrs. Augustine Gallant
Mrs. Vincent Gallant
Mrs. Rudolph LeClair.

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New Haven School Concert

The pupils of New Haven staged a very entertaining program in the school on Thursday evening Dec. 22nd. Master Wayne MacPhee kept the program moving smoothly along, as he very capably acted as master of ceremonies.

The program, under the direction of the teacher, Leonard O'Holloran, with Mrs. Stanley Newman as accompanist, consisted of monologues, recitations, solos, dialogues and several musical numbers. Each number was well received by the audience especially the "Christmas Wreath Drill" by 8 little girls dressed in white crepe paper dresses, with red and green sashes, ropes and headresses and carrying red wreaths.

But the school really rocked with applause as 8 small pupils danced "Solomon Levi" square dance. They responded to their encore by dancing "Barnacle Bill".

Several Christmas songs were sung by a chorus of 16 junior pupils, and the 4 "singing boys" also rendered four Christmas selections.

This concert will be repeated on Tuesday night, Dec. 27th, at 8 o'clock. Also on Tuesday night the lovely voice of Leo Gallant will be heard in some vocal selections.

3 KILLED IN CRASH
DUESSELDORF, Germany (AP) — A British charter aircraft crashed in woods near here Thursday and all three crew members were killed. The C-47 plane was heading for Lohausen airport at Duesseeldorf to pick up British soldiers going home on Christmas leave.

TOWN OF WEOTT

The town's 300 residents added to the scores more evacuated from nine other northern California communities.

Some 300 persons were evacuated at Grants Pass, 300 to 500 in the Eugene, Ore., area and possibly as many as 500 to 600 near Roseburg and scattered communities westward to the coast.

Although buses were rerouted after slides and high water cut the main routes, seven were stalled at Grants Pass Thursday morning. They carried 300 southbound passengers.

Flowers For Christmas
To last minute shoppers. What gift would be more appreciated than cut flowers, and plants.
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