

OUR NEWS BUDGET for OUR SATURDAY SUBSCRIBERS

MONDAY

GOOSE BAY, Labrador, (CP)—The RCAF search and rescue crew here fought strong headwinds and icing conditions during week-end on three mercy missions to remote northern communities, the air force reported Sunday night.

The first call for help reached the crew Friday from Baffin Island, where a 13-year-old Eskimo boy was critically ill with a bowel ailment. A communications blackout imposed in connection with exercise Loup Garou, the joint army RCAF war games, delayed the message for two days, however, and the boy was dead when the rescue plane arrived at the tiny community some 800 miles north of here.

The crew, headed by Lt-Lt. Bob Turtle of North Battleford, Sask., had just returned to its base when a second call came from Baffin Island that a man was suffering from a case of appendicitis and had to be flown to hospital. The men fought severe headwinds and picked up William Gaudet, 22, of Charlottetown. He was resting comfortably in hospital Sunday.

Georgina Thompson, 12-year-old Frenchtown P.E.I. girl, was the top girl in the All-Canadian Junior Judging Competition held in connection with the selection of the All-Canadian Holstein, with a score of 144 points out of a possible 150. She is Vice-President of the Milcove 4-H club and was a member of the group of three that stood first at the Rural Youth Fair at Charlottetown. In her club she was second with her calf and for showmanship.

TUESDAY

—Yesterday Mrs. Edward Leard, Tryon's grand old lady, celebrated her 97th birthday.

Despite her ripe old age Mrs. Leard still retains her usual good health and faculties.

Set Eric Tanton, Boy Scout District Commissioner for the Summerside area, who has been awarded the Medal of Merit by the Canadian General Council of the Boy Scouts Association.

Announcement of the award was made yesterday by His Excellency Governor General Massey in his capacity as Chief Scout for Canada.

Set Tanton's interest in Scout-ism first became aroused when he observed the skilled rescue work being done by uniformed Scouts.

HALIFAX, (CP)—The navy announced Monday that its Seafury squadron VSS-70 at Summerside, P.E.I., will be deactivated March 30.

The announcement was made by Rear Admiral R. E. S. Bidwell, flag officer at Atlantic coast.

The deactivation of the piston-driven Seafury squadron conforms with the navy's plan to equip its

air arm with jet-propelled aircraft. The move leaves Summerside with only one group of navy planes, Avenger Squadron 880.

In the same statement the navy said the Avengers would operate from Bermuda from March 29 to May 7.

"The objective of the Federal Government is to make available to every disabled man or woman all the necessary facilities for treatment, vocational guidance training and assistance in securing suitable employment," said Mr. J. B. Murray, local manager of the National Employment Service in an address before the Rotary Club at their weekly meeting held at the Charlottetown Hotel yesterday.

Girl Guides and Brownies from Charlottetown, Southport, Parkdale and Central Royalty observed Thinking Day, the birth date of Lord and Lady Baden-Powell, in a very successful joint rally at Prince of Wales College Auditorium last evening.

In a brief but very appropriate address, Mrs. F. Gordon Hutchison, provincial commissioner, told the Brownies and Guides that each had a talent for making others happy, and that the best way to develop this talent is to use it every day.

Police Constables Robert Downe and Hugh MacKinnon leave Friday morning for Halifax where they will enroll for a two weeks course at the Maritime Police School, from Mar. 1st to 13th inclusive.

The Charlottetown District Boy Scouts and Cubs turned out in strength last evening to celebrate the birthday of Lord Baden Powell, the founder of scouting.

The Cubs, numbering 225 from the various city packs met in Zion Church Hall. The programme was opened by Scoutmaster Costello with the Cub Salute and prayer, followed by the Grand Hymn.

Dr. George C. Fisher, District Commissioner, introduced the leaders and their assistants. The Sixth Charlottetown Cub Orchestra furnished music for the song Mrs. R. C. Parent, Assistant Cub Master of Zion Pack, told the story of "How Fear Came to the Jungle."

Central Royalty Pack demonstrated the Jungle Dance, "Death of Sher-Khane." The Ninth Charlottetown Trinity performed a skit, "The Old Ford Car."

WEDNESDAY

Mr. Roland MacDonald of Southport was re-elected President of the Provincial Federation of Agriculture last night at the Federation's annual meeting in Charlottetown.

"We are not worried about moving the balance of the potato crop to Prince Edward Island. There are only about 3,000 carloads left in the Province and they will all go but they may not go in March," stated Leo P. McIsaac last night at the annual meeting of the P. E. I. Federation of Agriculture in the Charlottetown Hotel.

Mr. McIsaac, who was reporting on the activities of the Potato Marketing Board in the absence of Mr. D. A. MacDonald, Board Chairman, pointed out that some of the seed potatoes would be moved as table stock. Mr. MacDonald is attending a potato meeting in Washington.

Over-expansion of beef production in this Province was stressed in the report of the Live

Stock Branch, Canada Production Service, presented at the Agricultural Conference yesterday by Mr. H. W. Clay, Senior Live Stock Fieldman, Federal Department of Agriculture.

In this over expansion the assistance given in the purchase of straight beef bulls has been a contributing factor, the report states. Based on conditions of the present and of the foreseeable future, all departmental assistance, it is suggested, should be confined to the placement of dairy or dual purpose bulls.

The main problem in agriculture today is cost of production, and costs are increased in Prince Edward Island which is so far from the big markets, stated Hon. C. G. Baker, Minister of Agriculture, in speaking at the opening of the seventh annual meeting of the Agriculture Conference. The conference is being held at Birch Court, Experimental Station, President G. W. Ayres presided at the opening session yesterday morning.

Mr. VonClure Gay celebrated his 97th birthday quietly with the immediate members of his family at his home Upper Prince Street yesterday.

Mr. Gay was born at Pownal and at an early age became associated with his father, Mr. J. J. Gay, at that place where they operated a highly successful nursery, catering to a large number of farmers in the development of vegetables and flowers. Eventually Mr. Gay purchased the Hurd Estate which was then regarded as the outskirts of the city, where he continued to increase and expand his business which eventually required spacious city quarters which he secured in the old Market Building. Here the business was conducted successfully for many years until Mr. Gay retired and confined his activities to minor developments at the home farm, where the production and sale of flowers under his skill and knowledge remained more than a hobby.

THURSDAY

More than 100 telephone and electric light poles were pulled down in the past two days by the weight of ice on the wires. While the silver thaw brought beauty to the average person it brought a lot of overtime work to linemen of both companies.

Most of the damage appeared to be centred in King's County with Telephone Company officials reporting that there were at least 39 poles down in the area of Rollo Bay, Marie Station, Five Houses and Sparrows Road. There was also considerable damage to lines between New Perth and Montague.

Rev. A. S. Weir of Cornwall, is one of the ministers of the United Church who will receive the Degree of honorary Doctor of Divinity at Pine Hill Divinity Hall on April 1st.

The second evening of the Dominion-Provincial Agriculture Conference being held at Birch Court was featured last night by a delicious turkey dinner served by the ladies of the Parkdale Women's Institute. Mr. George Ayres presided and welcomed the guests.

Among those present at the head table was Hon. C. C. Baker, and Mr. Baker, Dr. J. A. Clark, former superintendent of the Experimental Farm and Mrs. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. George Ayres and Mr. Sydney Williams, who was the guest speaker of the evening.

Mr. Walter R. Shaw, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, was honored by members of the Dominion Provincial Agriculture Conference at a dinner meeting held last evening at Birch Court. An address and presentation was made by Mr. Frank Tinney on behalf of the Conference which Mr. Shaw organized and promoted seven years ago. Mrs. Shaw was also remembered with a suitable gift which co-incided nicely with her birthday.

FRIDAY

Mr. Stewart Wright, Senior

fieldman of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, yesterday was elected president of the Dominion-Provincial Agricultural Conference at the final session of the meeting held at Birch Court.

The honorary president is Mr. Walter R. Shaw, Deputy Minister of Agriculture. Other officers named included vice president D. B. Dickson and secretary Maurice Deacon. The additional directors are retiring president Mr. George Ayres and Messrs W. P. MacLeod, Henry MacLaren, H. W. Clay, E. R. Hurst, F. M. Nash and R. C. Parent.

"I hope we will be able to continue to extend assistance to all the Island hospitals in view of the great work they are doing," said Hon. B. Earl MacDonald, Minister of Health and Welfare in a brief address at the 71st annual meeting of the Prince Edward Island Hospital Trustees Board held last evening in the lecture hall of the Nurses' residence. Mr. MacDonald expressed his pleasure on hearing the splendid reports of the trustees and various committees, with special reference to the work of the ladies' organizations.

Mr. N. D. MacLean, chairman of the board in his report referred to the admission of 4488 patients with a total of 49,945 patient days and an additional 2258 outpatients.

Mr. H. F. MacPhee of Charlottetown has received the sad news of the death of his brother, Rev. W. A. MacPhee at Edmonton, Alberta last night. He had been ill for some months.

A native of Georgetown, son of the late Capt. Hugh MacPhee and Mrs. MacPhee, Father MacPhee had been in Alberta since his ordination in Georgetown in 1927. He will be buried in his old parish at Clan Donald, Alberta. The funeral will be Tuesday.

An objective of slightly over \$27,000 has been set for this Province in the present Red Cross Campaign. Brig. W. W. Reid, Provincial Campaign Chairman, recently named his chief workers. They are Judge L. G. Lewis, Summer-side, chairman for Prince County; Messrs. R. D. MacGillivray and Gordon MacMillan, co-chairmen for Queens County, and Judge J. S. DesRoches, chairman for Kings County.

BIRTHS

TAYLOR—At the P. E. I. Hospital on Saturday, February 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Roland G. Taylor a daughter Eleanor Leah Jane.

DINGWELL—At the P. E. I. Hospital, Saturday, February 20, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Cuyler Dingwell, Marie, a daughter, Betty Elaine.

STEELE—At the P. E. I. Hospital on Sunday, Feb. 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward (Dick) Steele, a daughter, Joan Marie.

MACINNIS—At the P. E. I. Hospital on February 19th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. William C. Macinnis, Milvale, a son Allan Charles.

MURPHY—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Feb. 21st, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murphy (nee Gladys Henry) City, a daughter, Deborah Ann, 7 lbs.

MYERS—At the P. E. I. Hospital, on Friday, February 19th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. William Myers Hampton, a daughter, Sylvia Adelaide.

PROUD—At the P. E. I. Hospital on February 23rd, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Proud, a daughter, Nettie Marlan.

BURGE—At Charlottetown Hospital on Feb. 23 to Mr. and Mrs. J. Ivan Burge a son.

CAMPBELL—At the King's County Hospital on Feb. 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence (Buddy) Campbell, Martindale, a son, weight 7 lbs. 1 oz.

MACDONALD—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Sunday, February 21, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. John B. MacDonald, Pleasant Grove, a son, 6 lbs. 3 ozs, Michael Francis.

DEATHS

CHEVERIE—At the Charlottetown Hospital Sunday, Feb. 21, Matthew Cheverie of 253 Dorchester Street.

ROONEY—At her home in Mill River on Saturday, February 20th, Mrs. John James Rooney, aged seventy-one years.

ARSENAULT—At the Prince County Hospital on February 21st,

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with a fence rail from the side of the road, the Model T was lifted out from a mud hole to firm ground, when frost was coming out of the road in the spring, occasionally by the driver, without assistance.

The Superintendent of a Maritime Experimental Farm was having breakfast with us one morning, when we mentioned that we had succeeded in starting the Model T without cranking it. This was before there were self-starters on Ford's. He said: "It cannot be done." We said he could see for himself after breakfast. We went out to the car, pulled out choke and primed each of the four cylinders by turning the engine over, then leaving the piston of one cylinder just beyond the dead centre, we got in the car, released the clutch and turned the ignition key. The car started at once. "Well," he said, "you cannot do it again." We started it in the same way several times.

We once observed two husky chaps with a Model T on the market square in Charlottetown, who had evidently mislaid their crank. One man went behind the car, turned his back to it, reached down a little way as he bent his knees, caught hold of the crank and as he straightened up, raised the left rear wheel off the ground. The other chap, who had the car in high gear, gave the wheel a spin and started the car. He climbed in and released the clutch, before the other set the car wheel on the ground, and away they went.

Mary Ann Arsenault in her 74th year.

MACTAGUE—In the Charlottetown Hospital on Saturday, Feb. 20, James MacTague, aged 77, formerly of Iona.

GAUDET—Suddenly at the residence of her father Joseph Gaudet Kensington Road on Sunday morning, Mary Gaudet in her 33rd year.

DAVIS—Suddenly as a result of drowning at Boston, Mass., on Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1954, James J. Davis, formerly of Charlottetown in his 63th year.

HUGHES—At his home in Emerald on Feb. 22, 1954, Carl Hughes, aged 50 years.

LANG—At North Tryon, Monday, February 22, 1954, Mrs. Elizabeth Lang, wife of the late Frank Lang in her 77th year.

MURNAGHAN—In the City Hospital February 22nd, William Joseph Murnaghan, in his 78th year.

HOWARD—At North Bend, Oregon, on February 10th, 1954, Mrs. Emma Ross Howard, age 94, formerly of North River, P. E. I.

KOZEN—At Providence, R. I., on February 22nd, 1954, Mrs. Raymond Kozen; (nee Lillian Kirker) formerly of New Dominion, P. E. I.

WRIGHT—At Toronto, Ont., on Tuesday, Feb. 23, 1954, Mrs. Leith Wright, aged 64 years.

SHERREN—At the P. E. I. Hospital, Tuesday, Feb. 23, 1954, James T. Sherren of St. Catherine's in his 68th year.

JENKINS—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Tuesday, Feb. 23rd, 1954, Mrs. Everett S. Jenkins of Millview, in her 60th year.

NICHOLSON—At Hunter River on Feb. 23, Mrs. Angus Nicholson in her 89th.

MCISAAC—In this City Feb. 24, Daniel Joseph McIsaac of Souris in his 75th year.

ST. JOHN—At Chicago, Illinois, on Feb. 17th, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Richard R. St. John in his 85th year.

MOSHER—At Calgary, Alberta, February 22, 1954, Robert Longworth MacMillan, beloved husband of Mrs. Zoe MacMillan, 625 Sifton Boulevard, Calgary.

CARTER—At Charlottetown on Thursday, Feb. 25, James Aeneas Carter of Monticello in his 85th year.

MOSHER—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Wednesday, Feb. 24, Mrs. Lottie Mosher of Bristol in her 63rd year.

VANBUSKIRK—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Tuesday, February 25th, 1954, Mrs. Pearl VanBuskirk (house-mother Cur-dill Home) in her 60th year.

MACDONALD—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Thursday, February 25th, William David Edward MacDonald in his 18th year.

BURGESS BEDTIME

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such small wings as those of a sparrow can be heard, but not the great wings of Hooty the Owl. He files silently.

So Blacky hadn't heard him coming and hadn't seen him until suddenly he was there. Blacky kept very, very still. For a few minutes Hooty sat there turning his head from side to side, and so far around that it sometimes seemed as if he turned it completely around. Satisfied that all was as it should be, Hooty closed his great yellow eyes. Blacky slipped out from the fir tree and away as fast as his wings could take him.

The Stars Say

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services or donate money to charitable or community enterprises.

For the Birthday. If Monday is your birthday, the planetary aspects for the balance of the year are favorable for furthering affairs of a reasonable nature. Speculation, extravagance, gambling of any type is not encouraged—especially during the next three months—but, conversely, financial matters should progress satisfactorily for you.

During the summer months, there is a strong possibility that you will meet someone who can be of great importance to your future plans; also a likelihood that a special wish may be granted through the offices of a good friend. Make the most of opportunities offered during November and December ahead, if you do, you will find this period of expansion carrying well over into 1955.

A child born on this day will be sensitive, idealistic and extremely affectionate.

Mortgage Sale

To be sold by public auction in front of the Law Courts Building in Charlottetown on Tuesday the 9th day of March, 1954 at the hour of twelve o'clock noon ALL that parcel of land situated being on Lot of Township Number Sixty-one in King's County aforesaid bounded and described as follows:—

COMMENCING at a stake fixed in the south side of the Saint Mary's Road and in the northwest angle of farm Lot Number Thirty-five and now in the occupation of Peter Gormley running thence by the Magnetic Meridian of the year 1764 south to the division line between Townships Numbers sixty-one and sixty-three, thence north to the road aforesaid and thence along the same east to the place of commencement the said piece of land being known and distinguished as farm plot Number Thirty-six and is more particularly delineated on a plan thereof in the margin of a Government Deed to John McGuigan dated the 6th day of November A. D. 1885 containing fifty acres of land a little more or less.

The above sale is made under a power of sale contained in an indenture of Mortgage dated 26th December 1916 made by Joseph McGuigan of Saint Mary's Road, Lot 61, farmer, of the first part and Alexander Martin of Valleyfield, farmer, of the second part, which mortgage by divers mesne Assignments and Acts in the law is now vested in the undersigned, default having been made in payment of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage.

For further particulars apply to McLeod & Bentley, Charlottetown. Dated this 5th day of February 1954.

William E. Bentley, Trustee Assignee.

AUCTION SALE

ON MONDAY, MARCH 1st AT 2:30 O'CLOCK At East Royalty Road Near Airport Building 62 x 30 ft. (A former Airport building, in excellent condition). Also all the lumber, wire and pump jack, the property of East Royalty Skating Rink. Terms Cash.

J. J. MUSTARD, Auctioneer.

There Ought To Be A Law

By Fagaly And Shorten



DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS 1. Cry, as a calf. 5. Throw. 9. Ancient people of the Southern Crimea. 10. Ancient country rich in gold. 12. Beige. 13. The lily maid of Astolat. 14. One-spot card. 15. Decorated. 16. Window which opens outward. 18. Biblical city. 19. Not (prefix). 20. Shed, as fur. 21. Dough-like. 22. Put off. 23. Mix. 24. Source of light. 25. Sloth. 26. One of the hills of ancient Rome. 27. Window accessory. 28. An ounce. 29. Long-legged shore bird. 30. Let it stand (print). 31. Sew again. 32. Plague. 33. Man's nickname (poss.). 42. Game fish. 43. Chinese seaport. 17. Enraptured. 21. From. 22. Thinness. 23. European seaport. 25. River (Chin.). 26. Sand hill. 28. Denomination. 31. Scenes. 32. Participle (sym.). 34. Baking chamber. 35. Flower. 38. Body of water. 40. Terbium (sym.).

Yesterday's Answer

- 34. Baking chamber. 35. Flower. 38. Body of water. 40. Terbium (sym.).

A crossword puzzle grid with some letters filled in, corresponding to the clues provided.

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

AXYDLBAAXR LONGFELLOW One letter simply stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation

WBN VHNLUV JKV KSSG N UHV C JHBECC JHVNEHT, HE CNHANLG LGKMTHTV SEEF HS LUC CAGGM—CLKDQACGREG.

Yesterday's Cryptogram: THE SEA THAT LAUGHS AROUND US HATH SUNDERED NOT BUT BOUND US—ARWINBURNE.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

