

Proceedings In Court of Divorce

Five divorces were made absolute yesterday by the Court of Divorce in a two day sitting. One custody order was made and five applications for judgment nisi were heard. In two of them, however, the evidence was not completed. Judge nisi was granted in the other three. Those in which judgment was made absolute yesterday were: Edna Margaret Matthew, plaintiff vs. Thomas Vernon Matthew and Mary Killole, defendants. Mr. Morley M. Bell for the plaintiff; Mr. Samuel Kennedy, plaintiff vs. Samuel Lowell Kennedy, defendant. Mr. K. M. Martin, K.C. for the plaintiff; Anna Margaret Gauthier, plaintiff vs. John Celestine Gauthier and Marie Bodnar, defendants. Mr. A. H. Peake for the plaintiff; Glynis Johnston, plaintiff vs. Helen Jane Johnston and Norman Edward Johnston, defendants. Mr. B. S. Hinton for the plaintiff; Judgment nisi, which may be made absolute after six months, was granted in the following cases: Blanche Young, plaintiff vs. Ira Lawrence Young and Doris MacDonald, defendants. Mr. G. A. Gaudet for the plaintiff; Warren George Samuel McDonald, plaintiff vs. Ruth Mabel McDonald and James E. Stone, defendants. Mr. K. M. Martin, K.C. for the plaintiff; Mary Olive Gorrill, plaintiff vs. William Wellington Gorrill and Helen McGregor, defendants. Mr. F. A. Large, K.C. for the plaintiff. The two cases which were heard in part and adjourned until Jan. 3 were: Doris Johnston Walker vs. Kenneth Alexander Walker and Rachel Munn, defendants. Mr. W. C. S. MacDonald for the plaintiff; Emma Corney, plaintiff vs. Raymond Victor Corney and Jean Guest, defendants. Mr. G. R. Foster was counsel for the plaintiff.

Good Progress In C. N. I. B. Campaign

The annual Provincial campaign for the Canadian National Institute for the Blind was reported to be making very good progress towards the objective of \$6,200.00 by R. B. Gandy, Field Secretary last night. Judge C. St. Clair, Chairman of the Provincial Committee of the campaign, said that Gordon Foster, Chairman of the Prince Edward Island Advisory Board to the C.N.I.B., said that he was highly satisfied with the results to date which have realized a total of \$5,916.58. A few outside sections which were late starting are still to be heard from and several City business firms have yet to be canvassed.

New Murray Harbor Service Satisfactory

The newly re-instated service to Murray Harbour by the Canadian National Railway is operating smoothly to date and many favourable comments have been made on the arrangements, railway officials said yesterday. More people are taking advantage of the service as they become acquainted with it and it is expected that there will be a considerable increase in the number of passengers carried. Yesterday, the third day of operation, twenty eight passengers were on board the incoming train. The handling of express, less than carload freight and baggage is also proceeding smoothly with railroad trucks carrying it between the City and Southport. The work of installing a platform for the passengers and a run-around line for the locomotive is going ahead but the need for a station building at Southport is not thought to be necessary as no waiting time is involved for the passengers.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS 50c per insertion

BIRTHS McLELLAN—At the General Hospital, New Waterford, C. B., on October 19th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McLellan (nee Rosalie Higgins) a son, William Owen. MacDONALD—At the Charlottetown Hospital, Nov. 28, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Reginald J. MacDonald a daughter, Anne Jean, weight 5 lbs, 8 oz. DEATHS BOLGER — At Hope River on December 7th, 1951, Joseph Bolger. Funeral to St. Ann's Church, Monday, December 10th for Requiem Mass at 9.30. Interment Church Cemetery. ADAMS—At Prince County Hospital, Dec. 8th, 1951, Mrs. Lois Adams of Sea View, in her 76th year. Remains resting at Davison's Funeral Home until Monday noon, thence to St. Stephen's Church, Burlington where funeral service will be held at 2 p.m.

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CALENDARS RECEIVED—The following Calendars have been received at The Guardian. De Blois Bros. "The last stage on the Portsmouth Road", L. M. Poole & Co. "Nature's Mirror", A. Kennedy & Co. Ltd. "The woods and temples hills."

CITY POLICE COURT — One man charged with being drunk and incapable was remanded for one week, and a second man on the same charge was dismissed by the Stipendiary Magistrate yesterday morning.

HOLD ANNUAL BANQUET — The Beta Sigma Phi Sorority held its annual fall banquet in the Blue Room at Old Spain on Thursday evening. After the banquet the members played bridge and canasta at Mrs. Milton Bell's apartment.

ENGAGEMENT—Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Pickard announce the engagement of their second daughter, Barbara Jean Margaret to Thomas Bruce, son of the Reverend and Mrs. T. E. MacLennan, Montreal, marriage to take place Jan. 15th, 1952 at St. Peter's Cathedral.

MILTON—RUSTICO PARISH — Rev. A. E. Piersay, R. D. Services for Sunday, December 9th, are as follows:—St. Mark's, Rustico, 11.00 A. M. Holy Communion and Sermon. St. John's, Milton, 3.00 Evening Prayer and Sermon. Come and bring the whole family.

FUNERAL SERVICES — The funeral of the late Herbert Moore was held yesterday afternoon from the MacLean Funeral Home to Murray River United Church where services were conducted by Rev. D. Wallace MacPherson. Interment was in Murray River cemetery. The pallbearers were: William Keenan, Benjamin Reynolds, Albert MacKay, Sandy Dutton, Fred Brehaut, J.L. MacKinnon.

FUNERAL TUESDAY — The funeral of Mrs. George Gallant took place on Tuesday morning from her late residence in Mayfield to St. Anne's Church, Hope River, where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Earl Dalton, who also officiated at the grave. The pallbearers were: Edgar Dolron, Ernest Buote, Andrew Dolron, Jerry Peters, James Dolron, Albert Gallant. Interment took place in the family plot in the church cemetery.

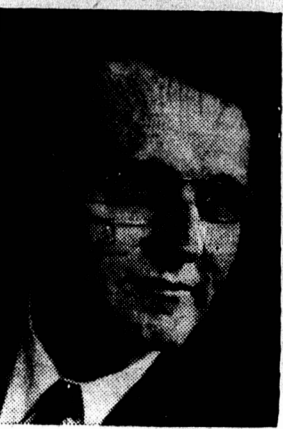
FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of the late J. Craig Matheson of Belle River was held yesterday afternoon from Wood Island Church. The services at the church and grave were conducted by Rev. E. S. Hales. The pallbearers were Elmer Stewart, Norman Bell, Dan Compton, Ralph MacKenzie, Jack Gillis and Donald Campbell.

SUPREME COURT — An Excise Act appeal of Irving MacKinnon, city, from a conviction of possession of illicit spirits and a Temperance Act appeal of George C. Shepherd, city were continued yesterday before Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell and adjourned until the 19th. Counsel in each case for the appellant was Mr. J. A. MacDonald, K.C., for the Crown Mr. J. P. Nicholson.

FUNERAL THURSDAY — The funeral of the late Mrs. Jane MacIntyre of West Royalty was held from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home on Thursday afternoon. Services at the home and grave was conducted by the Rev. J. B. Crawford. Pallbearers were David MacKinnon, Stewart MacKinnon, Lemuel MacKinnon, William MacKinnon, Edward Donnelly, Fred Gregory. Interment was in Highfield Cemetery.

LEARNS OF BROTHER'S DEATH — Word has been received by Mr. Frank Howard, Cornwall, of the sudden passing of his brother, Rev. Samuel Howard D.D., in Vancouver, B.C. on Monday afternoon Dec. 3rd. Mr. Howard attended devine worship on Sunday as usual and after service visited a friend. He was ill on Monday only one hour before he passed away. Mr. Howard was pastor of several churches in the Maritimes.

KINETTE MEETING — On Wednesday evening, Dec. 5, the Charlottetown Kinetite Club held a dinner meeting at the Rendezvous with the president, Mrs. A. Walther Gaudet as hostess and conducting the meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.



GEORGE A. SCHELL

Mr. J. S. McLean, President of Canada Packers Limited, has announced the appointment of Mr. George A. Schell as Assistant to the President. Mr. Schell is a Director of the Company and previously occupied the position of Manager of Canada Packers' Toronto plant, the largest packing plant in Canada. Mr. Schell's place as Toronto Manager will be taken by Mr. William W. Lasby, previously Manager of the Company's Provision Department in Toronto. Mr. Schell has been with the Company since 1919 and Mr. Lasby since 1934.

Blind To Have Christmas Party

Plans for a party for the blind of Charlottetown and vicinity were laid at a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary, Canadian Institute of the Blind, at The Charlottetown yesterday. It will be held at the Clover Club, in the Canadian Legion building on Grafton Street, on December 27th. Mrs. D. J. Riley, President, presided at the well attended meeting. Invitations are being sent out to 42 blind men, women and children in the City and immediate vicinity, and a hearty welcome will be extended to any other blind person on Prince Edward Island who can be in Charlottetown on that date.

St. Paul's W.A. Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of St. Paul's Branch "B" of the W. A. was held in the Parish Hall on December 4, with an attendance of 38 members. The President, Mrs. W. E. Scantlebury, presided. The meeting opened by singing hymn 269. The 1st Vice-President, Mrs. L. E. MacLeod, led the Devotional period and Litany, and Mrs. Scantlebury gave an interesting report which covered the work of the W. A. for the past year. Special mention was made of the bales which were sent to All Saints Residential School, Alberta, Sask. They have 450 children and could not exist without the help of the W. A. All reports showed a very satisfactory year. The following officers were elected for 1952:— President — Mrs. W. E. Scantlebury. Vice-President — Mrs. Leith MacLeod. 2nd Vice-President — Mrs. G. B. Raylor. Secretary — Mrs. O. S. Harper. Treasurer — Mrs. W. R. Jenkins. Corresponding Secretary — Mrs. P. D. Worth. Educational Secretary — Mrs. Arthur Duvar. Juniors — Mrs. John Clarke and Mrs. O. Simons. Little Helpers — Mrs. W. R. Aitken. Dorcas Secretaries — Mrs. G. G. Wood and Mrs. E. Heartz. Living Message — Mrs. E. Sellar. Thank Offering — Mrs. F. I. Andrew. Cent-a-Week — Miss Lorna Weeks. Prayer Partner — Mrs. B. C. Prowse. Social Service — Mrs. G. Richards.

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Mr. W. Hayden Dixon has resigned his position as Settlement Officer under the Veterans' Land Act.

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An announcement made yesterday by Mr. G. E. Hartlen, manager of Canada Packers Limited, that his company is proceeding immediately with the construction of an extension to their local plant which will cost in the vicinity of \$350,000, including equipment, speaks well for the faith they have in the possibilities for greatly increased livestock in this Province. The new building will be a three storey 80 ft. by 80 ft. extension to the north side of the main plant. In addition there will be an enclosed truck loading court which will accommodate five trucks loading at the same time.

Students Campaign To Put Christ Back Into Christmas

MONTREAL, Dec. 7.—Students of Montreal colleges have launched a campaign to bring back the spirit of Christ's birth to Christmas festivities. They plan to spread their message with 150,000 handbills to be distributed in schools, colleges and factories. The students also have enlisted the aid of civic officials in several municipalities. Heads of several stores have agreed to use the Nativity as a motif for window displays. Non-denominational and bilingual, the campaign is being conducted by students from Marianopolis and Loyola Colleges, McGill University and the Universite de Montreal. Students from Sir George Williams College are expected to join the group. The campaign is endorsed by Msgr. Paul-Emile Leger, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Montreal.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of James Allan Smith who died Dec. 8, 1925. Lovingly remembered by his Wife and Family.

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In loving memory of W. C. McLeod who departed this life Dec. 8, 1945.

IN MEMORIAM

Today our thoughts they all go back To just six years ago When all our smiles were turned to tears By a sad and bitter blow. Inserted by Wife and Family.

HOLMAN STORE NEWS

SAY "Merry Christmas" with a gift of fine ENGLISH DINNERWARE from the China Department of either the Charlottetown or the Summerside Store. There are beautiful and interesting patterns from the Spode, Aynsley, Doulton, Royal Albert and Foley Potteries, imported direct from England. There's one pattern in particular, that I think well worthy of your notice. . . . The "Blue Pomeroy", Doulton Earthenware is patterned in blue as the name implies, fruit and flowers on a gleaming white background. The "Starter Set" — four place settings is priced only 15.00. . . . I think it's perfectly beautiful, and I hope you will too. Come in and see the English Dinnerware in the China Departments of Both Holman Stores.

SAY "Merry Christmas" with a gift of NYLONS from the 5 and 10 Department. You don't have to go broke buying them either, because they're so very reasonable here! Substandard quality (the imperfections are very, very slight, can hardly be detected) 42 gauge, walking sheers are 99 cents a pair — 51 gauge with fancy outline heels are 1.39 a pair and 61 gauge with slimming heels are 1.49 a pair. Come shop today, while the selection is complete, in the 5 and 10 Department.

SAY "Merry Christmas" with a gift of PEEK FREAN BISCUITS from either the RCAF Groceries or the Grocery Department. These fresh, new Peek Frean have only just been received AND they're specially packaged in smart tins for Christmas Giving. . . . There are some specially for Children, there are some for your posh cocktail parties and they ALL make most welcome gifts. Choose the Peek Frean Biscuits you want for Christmas in the RCAF Groceries or the Grocery Department at Holman's.

SAY "Merry Christmas" with a Gift from Holman's and before you leave the store take it to the CHRISTMAS GIFT WRAPPING SECTION in the Millinery Department and have it beautifully wrapped and ready to give. . . . There is a small charge for this Special Christmas Service. Your Gifts, no matter how tiny, will be artistic and gay with festive papers and ribbons — You'll be proud of them! Come take advantage of the Christmas Gift Wrapping Service, avoid messy parcels and flurried nerves. Bring your gifts to the Gift Wrapping Section in the Millinery Department.

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NOTICE

Mr. W. Hayden Dixon has resigned his position as Settlement Officer under the Veterans' Land Act.

Any Veteran living in the area formerly supervised by Mr. Dixon, wishing information pertaining to The Veterans' Land Act may, for the time being, communicate with Regional Office, V.L.A., 155 Kent Street, Charlottetown, P. E. I., Box 446.

E. W. CAMPBELL, Regional Supervisor.

Rt. Rev. John Dixon, Anglican Bishop of Montreal; Rev. Dr. E. Dewitt Scott, secretary of the Montreal United Church Presbytery; and Rev. Dr. Allan S. Reid, clerk of the Montreal Presbyterian Presbytery. The students say they feel "the real meaning of Christmas has been lost" and pledge themselves to restore it in the Montreal area. Miss Margaret Ann Laffoley, a spokeswoman for the committee, lists the purposes of the campaign as: To have Nativity scenes under the Christmas tree in every home, in store display windows, and outside on lawns, in parks and public squares, where snow sculptures could be used. To have parents and teachers tell children the story of the coming of the Christ Child. To have carols sung by all members of the family in the homes and by children in schools. To have people share "the good things given by God" and to "prepare by prayer for His coming." To have people attend church on Christmas Day. The committee will hold its next meeting at Marianopolis College at 7 p.m. Thursday.

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