

Monthly Meeting P.E.I. Presbytery

The Presbytery of Prince Edward Island held its May meeting on Tuesday in the Kirk Hall of St. James' Church with the Moderator, the Rev. D. A. Campbell, in the chair and the clerk, the Rev. T. H. B. Somers, at the desk. The following were also present: Rev. G. C. Webster, Rev. F. N. Young, Rev. R. S. Quigley, Rev. J. D. Mackay, and the Rev. E. S. Hales, together with the following Elders: Mr. R. A. MacKenzie, Mr. Angus Green, and Mr. George Jardine.

After the minutes and correspondence had been read and the docket approved, the clerk stated that he had received a call in favour of Dr. R. S. Quigley of Belfast to the Pastoral Charge of Port Elgin, Sackville and Dorchester, New Brunswick, and that he had notified the Minister-elect and the Kirk Session concerned. Tribute was paid to Dr. Quigley's pastorate by Mr. R. A. MacKenzie and Mr. J. F. MacDonald who stated that the people of Belfast were unanimous in their wish that Dr. Quigley remain as minister. However, the call was accepted and the pastoral tie dissolved as and from May 15th. At the request of the Belfast Session the Rev. G. C. Webster was appointed interim-moderator.

As convener of property, Mr. Webster reported that a sale had been arranged for the land and building of the former Dundas congregation and that the proceeds would be used eventually for the purchase of Camp Keir. Consideration was given to the Maritime Provinces but the Court expressed disapproval. The clerk reported that the minutes of the Presbytery for the years 1925-1935 had been placed for safekeeping in the vaults of the Eastern Trust Company in Charlottetown.

A communication was received listing the following student appointments for the summer: Mr. Stanley Self to Brookfield; Mr. T. Cunningham to Tyne Valley; Mr. Hugh Nugent to Murray Harbour North, and the Rev. J. B. Crawford from Northern Ireland to Marshfield as ordained supply for one year at least.

Miss Mary MacKenzie was re-appointed Deaconess at North Tryon until the end of September. Reporting as convener of youth work the Rev. G. B. Cunningham listed the following dates for the Young People's Camp Keir: 2-11; girls from July 16-25; and boys from July 30-August 8. The total charge for each camper per week will be \$9.00 and registrations are to be sent to the Rev. D. A. Campbell at New London.

Reporting on the budget, the convener, Rev. F. N. Young stated that congregations had increased their missionary givings during 1950 and that the allocations for 1951 were the same as in 1950. In discussing historical matters, the Rev. G. B. Cunningham announced that the 120th anniversary of the American Congregation would be celebrated with special services in July.

The next meeting of the Presbytery is to be held at Camp Keir on 12th July at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

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**BIRTHS**  
ELKIN—At Saint John, General Hospital, May 9th, to Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Elkin (nee Roberta Hill) a son, Robert Frederic.

**FOUND**—At the Charlottetown Hospital on May 1st, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Fulton L. Found, a daughter, Barbara Helen. Weight 7 lbs. 15 ozs.

**SANDERSON**—At the King's County Hospital on May 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sanderson Cardigan, a daughter, 10 lbs, 19 ozs.

**MARRIAGES**  
MacINNIS — CAMPBELL — At the United Church Manse, West Covehead, P. E. I. on Tuesday, May 8th, 1951, by Rev. Thomas A. Wilson, S. Sc., Lorne Edward MacInnis of Union Road, Queens Co., P. E. I., and Ida Jean Campbell of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

**DEATHS**  
RIGGS—Suddenly as a result of an accident, Thursday, May 10, Barry Riggs, aged 7. Funeral notice later.

**HOWATT**—At Tryon on May 10, Mrs. Lydia Howatt in her 87th year. Short service at the home of Mrs. Spurgeon Clark, Tryon at 2 p.m. thence to United Church at Cape Traverse where service will be held at 3 p.m. Interment in church cemetery.

**WEDDONALD**—The death occurred in the Charlottetown Hospital, May 10 of Russell MacDonal of South Lake in his 29th year. His remains are resting at the Frank Hennessey Funeral Home from where they will be transferred this afternoon at 2 p.m. to his home from where the funeral will take place Saturday morning at 9 a.m. at St. Columbus Church. Burial in the Church Cemetery.

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CENTRAL GUARDIAN

This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a serious nature may be inserted at five cents a word, strictly payable in advance.

**MANY GIFTS for Mother at Toombs Music Store.**

**CITY POLICE COURT** — At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court yesterday, a clear docket was presented and the Court adjourned until today.

**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.; Clyde River 3 p.m.; Mother's Day service, Nine Mile Creek 7:30 p.m. Donald Nicholson, Minister.

**FOR MOTHER** Sunbeam Mixer, Automatic Toastmaster and Coffee Master. Toombs Music Store.

**THE PRESBYTERIAN Church** in Canada, a meeting of the congregation of the Dundas Presbyterian Church will be held at the church on Friday, May 18 at 7 p.m. for the purpose of making arrangements for incorporation. Rev. G. C. Webster, convener of property committee.

**NEW CHESTERFIELD**, rich wine and grape flavour. Price right. Toombs Music Store.

**FUNERAL AT MERMAID**—The funeral of the late Joseph Lemuel Matheson was held from his residence at Mermaid yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. G. B. Cunningham. Interment was in Mermaid Cemetery. The pall bearers were six nephews, Kenneth MacRae, Lincoln MacRae, Clifford Matheson, Alton Younker, Lowell Younker, Gordon Roberts.

**THE PRESBYTERIAN Church** in Canada, Eastern Parish, Services next Lord's Day are as follows: Brookfield 11 a.m.; Hartsville 3 p.m.; Hunter River 7:30 p.m. The services at Hunter River will be a joint service and will be held in the United Church. Rev. W. I. Green will be in charge of all services. Donald Nicholson, Interim Moderator.

**DIES IN HONG KONG** — Word has been received by Mrs. Fred Kelly of Charlottetown of the accidental death in Hong Kong of her nephew Arthur Landrigan son of the late William Landrigan and Mrs. Landrigan of East Boston. He has been attached to the American Embassy for the past few years.

**FUNERAL MR. J. GORMLEY** The funeral of John Gormley took place yesterday morning from his late residence 206 King St., to St. Dunstan's Basilica where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. James Smith, who also officiated at the grave. The pallbearers were: Lemuel Rush, Warren Gallant, Wallace MacDonald, Daniel Chipman, Patrick Dennis and James Cullen. Interment took place in the Catholic Cemetery.

**TO COMPETE ON MAINLAND**—Leaving for St. John's, N.S. this morning to compete in the Nova Scotia-Prince Edward Island drama festival is the Saint Peter's Cathedral Group, A.Y.P.A. With their play "The Red Key" they recently won the P. E. I. trophy over two other island plays in the drama festival here. The Group, directed by Stuart Dickson, will present their play tonight in the Nova Scotia town. In the cast are Barbara Pickard, Helen Acorn and Peter Shama.

**NOTES IMPROVEMENT** — Juvenile crime in this city shows a sharp reduction over similar periods of other years. There have been fewer than half a dozen examples since the first of the year. Police Chief Charles MacArthur said yesterday, General Arthur speaking instead of the many serious juvenile crimes to be dealt with in other years there is only a bit of ordinary mischief now.

**QUALIFIED AS LIEUTENANTS**—Three members of the Prince Edward Island Regiment (17th Recce) returned this week from Camp Borden and Mesford where they completed a six months Command and Contingent Officers' Qualification Course. They are, W. B. LePage, J. D. MacIntyre and R. I. Jenkins. All three qualified as Lieutenants in the Canadian Armoured Corps. The course which commenced last November covered all phases of military training including basic, wireless, driving and maintenance, gunnery and tactics.

**TEMPORARY SHORTAGE** — A threatened serious shortage of cigarette tobacco and papers in this city will probably be ended within a day or two. It is understood that a new supply has arrived here and will be available for distribution shortly. Belief has been expressed that the shortage was caused by wholesalers waiting to order until the new taxes on tobacco and reduced duties on papers had been put into effect. Cigarette papers which have been selling locally for 14 cents per book will be sharply reduced. Various estimates made of future prices range from guesses of 5 cents each to 8 cents. The latter figure may prove more nearly correct.

**KINSMEN'S MEETING** — The regular meeting of the Charlottetown Kinsmen Club was held in the Charlottetown Hotel last night with Joe Shelton as chairman. Fremont Archer gave a full report of the preparations for the coming Kinsmen Carnival to be held in the Forum May 31st, June 1st, and 2nd. The duties of each and every Kinsman were outlined, and all indications point to continued success in the raising of funds to send boys and girls to summer camp. President Ivan Sinclair spoke on the coming District Council meeting at Fredericton, N. on

Celebrated 90th Birthday Tuesday

A man with 108 living descendants Tuesday night celebrated his 90th birthday anniversary in the presence of 58 members of his family when Mr. Albert J. Phillips, Harrington, passed that milestone in life.

The birthday party was held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harold Stead, Brockley.

Mr. Phillips, a member of the Presbyterian Church for 65 years and of the Orange Lodge for 64 years, is a former town policeman and investigator in Prince County. He bought a farm in Harrington and moved there 35 years ago. For his birthday party his twelve sons and daughters, with their wives or husbands and their children gathered together. Also there for the occasion was Mr. Phillips' half-brother, Robert Phillips, of Summerside.

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the Canadians' positions from the front, the sides and the rear, when morning came April 28 those hills were still in Canadian hands.

As long as the Canadians remained, no further major attempt was made by the Chinese to break through that sector.

First hit that night was a spur jutting northward at the eastward end of the Canadian line and held by a company under Maj. Vince Lilley of Hamilton.

Sgt. Roy Ulmer of Castor, Alta., senior N. C. O. in the forward position there, commanded by Lieut. Harold Ross of St. Catharines, Ont., said the enemy approach was noiseless and invisible.

They were within 100 feet of Ross's slit trenches before the Canadians knew it.

At hand-to-hand range, and never more than 20 feet, the battle raged for three hours. Ross and his men fought until almost out of ammunition. They had no grenades and almost no bullets, and at three in the morning fell back 30 yards.

But Ross brought out all his wounded.

The enemy then fell onto the main company defenses, but his strength was spent for the moment, the attack from the front petered out.

And only in time. Lilley, reorganizing his position for Ross's withdrawal had spotted hundreds of Chinese massing in the valley below to attack the battalion's east flank.

Stone grouped the unit's half-trucks — armored troop-carriers that move on tracks but have normal truck-type front wheels — and massed them onto that sight. Under Capt. Lloyd Hill of Kentville, N.S., they poured fire from their 50 and 30-calibre machine-guns, thickened up with bombs from Hill's mortars and shells from supporting gunners, right into the Chinese formation.

It held briefly, then dispersed into chaos and was mown down in flight. The bodies testified in the morning.

B. on May 25th and the National Convention at Halifax starting August 20th. Dr. Loy Duffy reported for the nominating committee, bringing in nominations for 1951-52 club officials to be voted on at the next meeting. Don MacLeod was introduced as a new member.

**FUNERAL YESTERDAY** — The funeral of Bernard Carragher took place yesterday morning from the residence of his son, James B. Carragher, 27 Douglas Street, to the Church of the Most Holy Resurrection where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Eric Robins.

The pallbearers were: Urian Carragher, John Carragher, John Roberts, James Devine, Howard Molyneux and Joseph Donahue. Interment took place in the Catholic Cemetery in Charlottetown where service was conducted by Rev. Edward Doyle, C. S. R.

**POTATO SHIPMENTS** — Approximately 5,700,000 bushels of potatoes have been exported from the Province since last August, with about 750,000 bushels still left to ship. Mr. E. D. Reid, manager of the Potato Marketing Board stated yesterday, 1,709,523 bushels went to various States from Virginia to Florida and 2,341,256 bushels were the total shipments to the United States. 170,053 bushels went to Cuba, 27,190 to Jamaica, 24,749 to Israel, 18,338 to Chile, 8,609 to Venezuela and 3,365 to South Africa. Shipments to Central Canada are not included. The break-down of varieties showed that Sebagoes led with 1,383,064 bushels being shipped. Irish Cobblers were next with 955,590 bushels and Katahdins followed with 445,501. Green Mountains were fourth with 268,897 bushels being exported. Other varieties took care of the remaining 43,736 bushels which left the Province.

Personals

The many friends of Mrs. Daniel MacPadyen, Hunter River, are sorry to hear she is a patient in the P. E. I. Hospital.

Mr. George Larter, Charlottetown has entered the City Hospital for treatment.

The many friends of Mr. Edward Vessey will regret to learn that he has entered the Charlottetown Hospital for treatment.

**VIENNA, May 10**—(AP)—Over United States protests, Russia has broken off a joint investigation into the killing last week of an American military policeman in a Vienna street, it was disclosed tonight. Witnesses said one of two Russian soldiers fired the shot.

W. I. Executive Meeting Yesterday

The annual convention of Women's Institutes to be held in July promises to be a most interesting one, judging from the comprehensive plans formulated yesterday at the monthly meeting of the P. E. I. Women's Institute Executive. Everything from musical selections and craft displays to visits to various points of interest and a fashion-show will be featured for the enjoyment of the delegates. Business sessions will be highlighted by nomination of officers, and the presentation of Provincial Life Memberships to two Past-Presidents. Guest speakers including Mrs. Davies, representing the National Federation of Women's Institutes of England and Wales, and Miss Anna Tompleton, who represents the Jubilee Guilds of Newfoundland and Labrador. All in all, it should prove a most interesting and enjoyable convention for all.

Several additions were made to the brief to be presented to the F. W. I. C. biennial meeting.

W. I. representatives to the Council of Education reported that their suggestion of an increase in the grant to new schools had received approval by the Council. The grant has been raised to \$100,000.

Several members were appointed to represent the Institute Executive at the joint meeting of Musical Festival, Teachers' Federation, Music Instructors and South Shore Festival, to be held in the Y. M. C. A. this evening.

It was decided to appoint a representative to the Festival of Edinburgh being held in September, who will visit with the Scottish Women's Institutes and re-appoint the work being carried on by P. E. I. Institutes.

A letter from the Unitarian Services of Canada was read, which expressed grateful thanks for the many cartons of baby garments sent throughout the winter months by the P. E. I. W. I.

After tentative plans had been mapped out for Mrs. Davies' week-long visit during convention time, the meeting adjourned.

Navy Display At Theatre

Theatre patrons attending this week's showing of the Navy film, "Operation Pacific," at the Prince Edward theatre will see a fine tribute to the men of the "silent service." The theatre show window has taken on a Navy look, for through the co-operation of our local navy training establishment, H. M. C. S. Queen Charlotte, some of the equipment used for instruction classes, is displayed. Patrons will be interested in the fine collection of knots, bends, splices, hitches, and sentis used by sailors. This collection was made by the late Lieut. M. A. Cumming and presented to the R. C. N. V. R., Charlottetown. Miniature replicas of navy ships, from the small minesweeper to large battle cruisers and air-carriers are displayed, along with a ship's life-boat hung on its davits. This is used for instruction to sailors in the proper method of launching boats over the ship's side.

The Picture "Operation Pacific" co-starring John Wayne and Patricia Neal, Warner Bros. brings to the screen some of the most exciting submarine war scenes ever filmed. In fact, the magnificent submarine "Thunderfish" challenges John Wayne as the hero of "Operation Pacific," for this is the story of a sub as well as the men who fight in her.

In the forays against her opponents, including one thrilling meeting with the mighty enemy fleet, the "Thunderfish" comes up against almost every type of armed vessel. She doesn't always win, but it all leads to some of the greatest sea action scenes ever photographed, according to advance reports.

All the scenes are authentic, for the technical adviser on "Operation Pacific" was one of the world's greatest experts on undersea warfare, U. S. Admiral Charles Lockwood, U. S. Navy, U. S. who was top commander of U. S. submarines in the Pacific during World War II.

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plans for forces in two or three years. He said the failure of United States and the United Kingdom to agree on standardization of equipment should be a cause for concern. Standardization might mean the difference between victory and defeat in an emergency.

Mr. Drew chided Mr. Claxton for claiming that the Defence Department has been looking for five years for an area 100 miles by 30 to train units up to the size of a brigade. Many of the existing camps could have been enlarged.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear Mother, Mrs. Nelson Kennedy, who passed away May 11st, 1947.

Often a lonely heartache Many a silent tear, But always a beautiful memory Of my Mother. Loving memories never died As hearts go on and days go by, In my heart she is living yet I loved her too dearly to ever forget.

Lovingly remembered by daughter, Mrs. Earl Buell.

Y's Men Entertain Y Grads Club

The Charlottetown Y's Men's Club entertained twenty-one members of the Y Grads Club at a lobster supper in the banquet room of the Y. M. C. A. last night. Y's Men Ray Smallman was in the chair. Guests introduced were: Bud MacMurtre and Erwin Jenkins of Charlottetown. President Roy Barrett introduced Percival Simmons, President of the Grads Club who introduced the members of his club. The sing-song was led by Y's Man Walter Cox with Y's Man O. K. Presby at the piano. The business part of the meeting was conducted by club president Roy Barrett. The members and guests heard three short talks on the aims, ideals and history of the Y's. These talks were given by three past-presidents of the local club, Y's Men Jack MacNair, Jim Haslam, and Ralph MacLean. Y's Man W. R. L. Page, chairman of the games committee, presented the bowling prizes for the season to the following Y's Men: High single, Ralph MacLean; high double, Fred Small. Winning team: Percy Moreside, Murray Mellich, Ernest Bell, Jock Lawson, Loran McLehlan, Edwin Johnstone.

Maritime Areas For Training Offered

OTTAWA, May 10—(Special)—Defence Minister Claxton found out today that the House of Commons is one of the country's best advertising mediums.

When answering questions on Canada's defence expenditures, Mr. Claxton lamented the fact that while the Army's general staff had been looking for a new Maritime training camp area in the Maritimes since 1946, they had failed to find a site that measured up to requirements.

As soon as he could get Mr. Speaker's eye, Lt.-Col. E. W. George, Liberal member for Westmorland, N. B., rose at his desk and told the Minister he had two excellent sites in mind. By coincidence, the two sites are in Mr. George's own riding. He invited the Minister to inspect the areas or to send some of his headquarters men down to look them over. Col. George intimated he would be delighted to accompany them on the tour of inspection.

Mr. Claxton's specifications for a Maritime training camp are that it be about 100 square miles in area; that it could be converted into a training camp without displacing many civilians; that it be devoid of merchantable timber. Later it was learned that additional requirements are that a good source of water supply be available and that the ground be of fairly light well-drained soil.

It is anticipated that other sites will be offered the Minister in the Maritime Provinces, although no offer has yet been made from Prince Edward Island members. M.P.'s from New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Newfoundland are confident they can find many suitable sites for a training camp in the Maritimes and avoid loss of time incurred by Maritime reserve army units who now go to Petawawa in North Central Ontario.

**EASTBOURNE, England**—(CP) Among articles offered at a police auction of unclaimed lost property were six sets of false teeth—all upper plates.

HOLMAN STORE NEWS

— G. H. M. — A Holman Service that you SHOULD know about . . . THE GROCERY CASH WEEKLY! By purchasing your Groceries on this efficient type of charge account you are able to keep track of the money spent on food right to the penny. Buy your Groceries every day, your bill is rendered and is payable every week. Many, many people find this convenient system the very best ever — if you have not a Grocery Cash Weekly Charge Account — Open one today! Then order your Groceries as you want them and say — "CHARGE TO MY GROCERY CASH WEEKLY!"

This morning I tried out one of the new Revlon Nail Polishes . . . "LILAC CHAMPAGNE" — for Summer wear it is perfection, will make tan hands tanner and white hands more lily-like! "Lilac Champagne" is quite pink with a touch of mauve, it will blend or complement your Summer colors, it is priced 75 cents a bottle. If you are one of the women who love "RED" then you'll want the "BABY TANGERINE", it's a true orange red and that you are able to get Revlon Lipstick in matching colors. The really smartly dressed woman always matches her Nail Polish and Lipstick . . . Buy Revlon in the Accessory Department.

**SPORT SHIRTS for the "24h" . . .** The Men's Wear Department has a wonderful array of both Arrow and Bluestone Brands, they're good fitting and beautifully tailored of pure rayon gabardine or pure wool gabardine — whichever you prefer! The Bluestones are available in two styles: with a buttoned front or an open neck with smart knit "dicky". The sizes are small, medium, medium large and large — priced 4.95 to 7.50 in the Men's Wear Department.

For a "Sporty" Summer, a whole array of "T" SHIRTS is Must, Must, Must! The Little Shop in Charlottetown and the Sportwear Department in Summerside has collection of fine lock-knit "T" Shirts in colors you'll love . . . They're priced ONLY 1.95 each. The Helen Harper "Cuba Coolers" are available in stunning stripes. The St. Michael Shirts are in solid colors — many of them, and styles with close necklines or the new boat necklines. Shop for your "T" Shirt Wardrobe in the Little Shop in Charlottetown or the Sportwear Department in the Summerside Store.

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1st Prize—\$25.00—Mrs. Wm. F. Power, Tracadie Cross.

2nd Prize—\$20.00—Mrs. Tess Garrett, 18 Upper Prince St.

3rd Prize—\$15.00—Mrs. Alex Conohan, 18 Haviland St.

4th Prize—\$10.00—Mrs. G. A. Cairns, Malpeque Road.

A.Y.P.A. Players At St. Paul's Hall

A highly appreciative audience last night heard the A.Y.P.A. Players in two one-act plays produced in St. Paul's Church Hall. The plays were "For All Eternity," directed by Charles Bentley, and a comedy, "Mr. Fothergill Joins the Angels," directed by Sydney Jeffreys.

The first play had a faint tinge of the supernatural in it and created situations which were very capably handled by the cast of four. Laughs were frequent as the larger cast in the second play kept it moving at a fast pace.

In between the plays were several entertaining specialties ranging from vocals and piano music to comedy skits. Those providing the specialties were Weston Carmody, Jimmy Ibbott, George Scantlebury, Don Webster, Barbara Rogers and Maureen Boker.

The cast of "For All Eternity" had as its principals Miss Eleanor Clapp as Beverley Sutton; Bob Beggs as Mark Sutton; Don Naus as Mr. Foster; and Florine Evans as Mrs. Putnam.

Performing in "Mr. Fothergill Joins the Angels" were George Anderson as Mr. Fothergill; Daisy Tweed as Blanche Fothergill; Gerda Hansen as Mr. Fothergill's mother; Clair Dennis as Dr. Butterwell; Weston Carmody as Dr. Sopwith; Ian MacQuarrie as Smith, the office boy; Anne Worthy as Ellen Brown; Betty Nesbitt as Susan Brown; and George MacMillan as the Vicar.

Attack On Late Col. Ralston Sets Off Bitter Debate

OTTAWA, May 10—(CP)—A charge that statements by Col. J. L. Ralston, former Defence Minister, caused the loss of thousands of Allied lives in the Second World War threw the commons into bitter, running turmoil tonight.

It was made by Jean Francois Pouliot (L-Temisouata), a central figure of Commons' storms many times in the past. It was attacked as "vicious, nasty, unwarranted and nonsensical" by Opposition members.

Two Opposition Party leaders and two Cabinet Ministers as well as members of parties in Opposition entered the fray as it gained momentum and ran more than 90 minutes off and on.

The provocation came from Mr. Pouliot's statement that, after Col. Ralston's resignation from the cabinet in late 1944 on the conscription issue, he made statements about weaknesses in the Allied line on the Western Front which led to a major German attack. Col. Ralston died in 1949.

Mr. Pouliot cited the instance to back his contention that it is unwise to discuss important military matters in public.

Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes V. C. (PC—Nanaimo) and a cluster of other members joined in praising Col. Ralston as a great Canadian, a great soldier and a great public servant. Mr. Pouliot kept accusing them of distorting his remarks.

Will Make Start On Seeding Today

Seeding operations at the Experimental Farm are expected to get underway today, it was learned last night from Mr. R. C. Parent, Farm Superintendent, who stated that it was planned to seed some grain in rotation.

Mr. Parent reported that the Farm employees have been sowing fertilizer on pasture and hay fields this past week and are working up the land as quickly as possible for crop planting and seeding.

He noted that the land has been drying out nicely and recommends that farmers get in their crops as early as possible. There is more to gain by early seeding and planting than late planting, he stated.

He reported that he noticed several people planting potatoes already this season, reports of grain seeding are becoming common one man in Dunstaffnage at least had sowed oats on April 30.

Mr. Parent reported that wheat and mangold should be sowed as quickly as possible. Early potatoes should also be planted as soon as possible, he states.

Clover and timothy came along very fast during April which was unusually warm. He stated that the growth was slowed due to cold weather this past week and pointed out that a good warm rain is needed.

Presentation Of Lewis Trophy To City Air Cadets

"A public which has grown with, and is well informed about, our uniformed services is the greatest guarantee we can have of a continuance of our way of life," Wing Commander E. Pierce, R. C. A. F. Maritime Group Headquarters, told the local Air Cadet Squadron following their inspection at the Armouries last night.

The Charlottetown Squadron was presented with the Group Captain Lewis trophy for being the most proficient squadron in the Province. In 1948 and 1949 the trophy was won by the Summerside Squadron. The presentation was made last night by Wing Commander Pierce who also pinned the Air Cadet Pilot Wings on the tunic of A/C Sgt. James Ibbott. Sgt. Ibbott had won his wings at the training centre in Moncton last summer.

On behalf of the Squadron he also accepted the Lewis trophy. W/C Pierce following his inspection during which he stopped frequently to chat with the boys congratulated them and their commanding officer for the splendid turnout and the ability they had shown. He said he realized they were working under a handicap in having to train in the Armouries and share the space with others.

He told the boys "Some of you will go on to make a career of the service and others will take up other professions. We would like you to remember your associations with us and give us your support in the future." He said time now was taken up with drill, but that was essential. "Drill has much to do with other phases of your training through teaching you how to work and think systematically. In the work that some of you will be called on to do on high speed aircraft just one nut not dealt with systematically can cost a man his life."

The Charlottetown Air Cadet Squadron is under command of P/O Gordon Rayner and last night the parade square commands were given by Flt. Lt. J. E. Campbell. Accompanying Wing Commander Pierce on his inspection were Sqdn. Ldr. A. Ross, Maritime Group Air Cadet Liaison Officer, Flt. Lt. Frank Campbell-Rogers, Station Air Cadet Liaison Officer, R. C. A. F., Summerside, and F.O. A. Lyon, Squadron Air Cadet Liaison Officer, Summerside.

IN MEMORIAM

In fond and loving memory of Mother and Grandmother, MRS. CHARLES MACLEAN

Departed this life on May 11th, 1949.

Inserted by John D. MacLean and Family.

VISIT NORMA'S FOR MOTHER'S DAY GIFTS. We have dozens of items sure to please her. In our new ladies' wear store you will find a warm welcome and gift selections both practical and reasonable. Make Norma's your Mother's Day Gift Shop. NORMA'S 160A Kent St.

For your record library... Great music of all time on RCA VICTOR RECORDS. Tommy Dorsey plays Cole Porter, Vaughan Monroe plays Victor Herbert, Freddy Martin plays Jerome Kern, Sammy Kaye plays Irving Berlin, Tex Beneke plays Hoagy Carmichael, Ralph Flanagan plays Rogers and Hammerstein, Claude Thornhill plays George Gershwin, Wayne King plays Johann Strauss, Ray McKinley plays Rogers and Hart, Larry Green plays Vincent Youmans, Erskine Hawkins plays W. C. Handy, Charlie Ventura plays Duke Ellington, Spade Cooley plays Billy Hill, Miguelito Valdes plays Ernesto Lecuona, Frankie Carle plays Frank Loesser.

HOLMAN'S 2 BIG STORES SUMMERSIDE & CHARLOTTETOWN. "Where Old Friends Meet" Don't Forget Charlottetown's Festive Week July 1-7