



ADMITTED TO NURSING SCHOOL

Charlottetown Hospital School of Nursing Class now has its Class of '59.

These young ladies have completed their pre-clinical training, which they commenced in September 1956. They have now been admitted formally to the Charlottetown Hospital School of Nursing. BACK left to right—Evelyn Lantaigne, Lt. Montague; Elsie Conway, Tignish; Patricia Minnis, Summersville, Mass.; Sue

Peters, Rollo Bay; Elizabeth Aylward, Southport; Barbara Shea, Tignish; Carleen McEachern, Mount Stewart; Benita Binns, Charlottetown;

CENTRE Ella Cahill, Summerside; Mary McIvor, Kinkora; Bernadette Power, Summerside; Jane McCabe, Iona; Margaret Walsh, Kinkora; Camilla Walsh, Summersville; Janet Kenny, St. Mary's Rd.; Daphne MacMillan, Charlottetown; Mary Lee MacMil-

lan, Charlottetown; Marguerite Daley, St. Mary's Rd.; Janette MacDonald, Souris River; Merina Roberts, Kinkora;

FRONT Erma Gallant, Mischoque; Gloria Gallant, Mont Car-

mel; Mary McCarville, Kinkora; Elizabeth Doyle, North Rustico; Teresa Gallant, Southport; Marie Morgan, Charlottetown; Marie Waite, Charlottetown; Elizabeth Steele, Summerside.

Finds Farm Federation Is Not In Agreement

"I suggest to my farmer friends in my constituency, and a fellow province, that they have a selling job to do before their organization can present anything like an united front on this question," said Neil A. Matheson, M.P.

Queens, in a broadcast address on Saturday night. He was referring to the Federation of Agriculture request for unemployment insurance for farm workers on a voluntary basis.

"I found to my surprise," the Queens member stated, "that some of the very high officials in the Federation of Agriculture are not at all convinced that unemployment insurance for paid farm workers would be completely desirable. One man put it this way: 'I feel that if I had a farm worker and he was contributing to Unemployment Insurance I would have to pay his contribution as well as my own.'"

Mr. Matheson considered that a speech of the Deputy Minister of Labor at a recent farm conference indicated that the "Department of Labor people are favorable" to such a scheme. In this address the Deputy Minister, noting that the Unemployment Insurance Commission were work-

ing on a program to extend U.I. benefits to fishermen, added—"I do not think it is beyond the realm of possibility that they can go on from there and extend it to farm labor."

In his statement, the representative from Queens had good news for rural mail carriers. "The estimates tabled recently provides a liberal amount for adjusting their contracts. The department people here have told me that the contracts are being examined and that increases will be given where they are warranted, whether the courier applies or not. I am told that the increases in most cases will be fairly generous."

Mr. Matheson suggested that the recent announcement by Hon. Mr. Winters, "indicated clearly the Department is in earnest about the causeway. Indeed he gave me that very assurance in my office here a few days ago."

In regard to the Naval Barracks planned for Charlottetown, Mr. Matheson said there had been much longer delays than had been anticipated a year ago, but "at the officials responsible expect the plans to be approved 'about the last of this month.'"

50 Die In Old Folks Home Fire

WARRENTON, Mo. (AP)—Fire and several explosions ripped apart the Katie Jane Old Folks Home Sunday and the death toll was believed between 50 and 75.

The operator of the home, W. S. O'Sullivan, reported "probably 50 or 75 persons died." The state highway patrol said reports from the scene placed the number of dead "as high as 65."

Attendants, townspeople and firemen risked their lives in rescuing many bedridden inmates from the flaming 2½-story building of 1,500. A temporary morgue in this east-central Missouri was set up in a three-story building across the street from the home.

COULD SEE BODIES

The state patrol said they could see the bodies of victims lying in the smouldering ruins but efforts to remove the bodies were defeated by the intense heat generated by the flames.

Firemen said they were unable to pinpoint the cause of the fire and several muffled explosions which sent clouds of smoke billowing upward, visible for 30 miles.

A crowd of 1,000 quickly gathered and watched as firemen from Warrenton and nearby communities attempted unsuccessfully to cope with the blaze.

The patrol said it would be "an all night job" in determining how many persons died in the disaster.

There were conflicting reports on how many patients were in the home when the fire started. One report said 194 persons, another 150.

WEATHER

TORONTO (CP)—Temperatures issued by the Toronto public weather office:

	Min. (Night)	Max. (Day)
Dawson	21b	26
Vancouver	29	53
Victoria	39	53
Edmonton	22	22
Calgary	24	30
Regina	15	21
Winnipeg	5b	17
Toronto	18	34
Ottawa	23	29
Montreal	24	31
Quebec	24	29
Fredericton	20	30
Saint John	20	32
Moncton	26	28
Halifax	29	36
Charlottetown	21	27
Sydney	21	33
Yarmouth	30	35
St. John's	28	32

HALIFAX (CP)—The weather office says a storm centred over the Gulf of St. Lawrence is still causing snow and strong winds in the Maritimes. It is moving northward, and will weaken today, but cloudy weather is expected to persist over this district.

Regional forecasts:

Northern Nova Scotia: Cloudy; a little colder; west winds 20 diminishing in afternoon to light winds. Low-high at New Glasgow

20 and 27.

Prince Edward Island, Eastern N.B. counties, Bay of Chaleur: Cloudy with snowflurries; a little colder; west winds 20 becoming light in afternoon. Low-high at Charlottetown 20 and 27, Moncton 15 and 25, Campbellton 20 and 22.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 1.12 a.m. and 1.31 p.m. Summer-side tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises 10 day at 7.09 a.m. and sets at 5.44 p.m.



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Six Escape When R.C.A.F. Bomber Crashes Empty House

WINNIPEG (CP)—Six members of the RCAF escaped death Sunday night when their Mitchell bomber crashed one block short of a Stevenson Field runway in nearby St. James and struck a house. The house was empty.

The plane was returning from a long-range navigation flight to Vancouver.

A RCAF spokesman said it apparently depended on a double as it approached the field from the southeast over a thickly populated residential section of St. James.

The plane ripped off the roof of a two-storey house. One wing clipped the chimney of another house.

The aircraft chopped off a utility pole and lifted the roof from a garage before plunging into an incomplete house on the only lot in the block that is unoccupied.

Residents at the scene said the plane was piloted by FO Jack Sargeant with FO Bob Gibson as co-pilot.

One of the airmen was trapped in the twisted wreckage for 20 minutes before being carried out. He was taken to hospital on a stretcher.

There was no fire.

An RCAF spokesman said the plane carried three crewmen and three passengers. Their identity was not immediately available.

Should Have Acted In 1955 - Truman

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP)—Harry S. Truman said Saturday night the Eisenhower administration's plan for settling the Middle East crisis is "too little and too late."

The former Democratic president said if the United States had acted "boldly and firmly" in 1955 when it learned Russia was shipping arms to Egypt, "I believe this whole disastrous scheme might have been nipped in the bud."

"Although the Eisenhower Middle East plan at long last is a beginning, it is too little and too late," he said in a speech prepared for an Israeli bond drive dinner. Truman is vacationing in Florida.

"Its chances of solving the problem by itself are very limited. It is clearly an emergency reaction to a danger that has grown from small beginnings and spread, without effective counter measures on our part, until that danger is now of the most threatening proportions."

President Eisenhower has asked Congress for authority to use U.S. armed forces in the Middle East if he deems it necessary to repel Communist aggression, and to spend \$200,000,000 on economic aid in that area in the next 4½ months.

Island Jersey Breeders Meet In Charlottetown

The annual meeting of the P.E.I. Jersey Club was held in Charlottetown on February with the largest attendance in many years. The meeting was presided over by the president Mr. Albert Boswell, Dunstaffnage.

The main topic of the meeting was a decision on how to spend the grant from the Provincial Government. It was unanimously agreed that the policy of the previous year was a suitable one and it was decided to carry out the same policy this year namely: The housing of new breeders, Financial Aid to 4-H Clubs and advertising.

The meeting was addressed by Mr. L.W. Roper of the Federal Department of Agriculture. In his opening remarks Mr. Roper extended the congratulations of his Department to Mr. Edison Mutch of North River, on having sold the highest priced animal of all breeds in the Sale of Stars, held in conjunction with the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, Mr. Roper who attended the Royal last year, said that he was tremendously impressed by the Jersey show and that it was the general consensus of the ringside that it was the greatest Jersey show in the world.

Mr. Roper was of the opinion that it was a great tribute to the breeders of the Maritimes that their entries should attain such prominence at this great show.

Mr. Roper's address was based on the importance of the 4-H Club work in the province and he stressed the fact that it was the duty of the established breeders to assist the club members at all times and in every way possible.

VOTE OF THANKS

It was moved and seconded that a note of thanks be extended to the retiring secretary-treasurer Dr. J.P. Lantz for his many years of service on the executive of the club. The popular "Doc" has long been a driving force behind the promotion of the Jersey breed and an inspiration to the breeders while he was associated with them.

The Breeders choice for judge at this year's Provincial Exhibition was Mr. Oliver Evans, fieldman for the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club, alternate choices were Prof. George Rathby, Guelph, Ontario and Mr. Gilbert Robinson, Harvey Station, N.B. The slate of officers for 1957 were as follows: President, Mr. Albert J. Boswell, Dunstaffnage (re-elected); Vice-President, Mr. Elmer Myers, Hazelbrook; Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. Reginald Clark, New Wiltshire. Directors: Mr. Earnest Underhay, Fortune; Mr. Millar Henderson New Wiltshire; Mr. Peter Sauer, Savage Harbour; Mr. Edwin Lord, Bedeque; Mr. Arthur MacDonald, St. Peters.

FIRST TUG IN

OWEN SOUND (CP)—The tug Owen Hindman has battled through harbor ice to become the first vessel to dock at Owen Sound this year. She made the trip through Georgian Bay Friday from Collingwood after being dry-docked for repairs since last fall.

All men and women of Prince Edward Island will be given an opportunity to meet and to hear

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Toscanini's Remains Are Returned To Beloved Milan

ROME (AP)—The maestro came home Sunday night to rest. Under a brilliant blue sky, a massive lead and oak casket containing the remains of Arturo Toscanini, lion of Italian music for more than 60 years, was wheeled gently out of the plane which brought it here from New York, where the maestro died Jan. 16 at the age of 89.

Four simple wreaths and 500 silent mourners awaited the last return of the maestro to his beloved homeland.

It was a moving moment. Airport workers wept and a number knelt in prayer as four airport porters manoeuvred the heavy, flag-draped casket onto a little trolley to wheel it slowly to a waiting hearse.

There were no speeches, no ceremonies.

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Trade & Labor Members Attend Council Weekend Institute

An educational Labour Institute sponsored by the Canadian Labour Congress in conjunction with the Charlottetown and District Labour Council was held here at Prince of Wales College during Saturday and Sunday.

About 70 union representatives from various parts of the province took part in courses outlining matters of importance to organized labour on a national as well as provincial level.

Results of the courses were summarized at the conclusion of classes in a general assembly and all classes were loud in their praise of the Institute and the manner in which it was carried out. Their suggestion of holding these educational seminars more often was well received by Congress representatives.

On Saturday evening, the delegates and their wives and friends attended a banquet at the Charlottetown Hotel, an account of which appears elsewhere in this issue.

The Director of the Institute was Henry Harm, Regional Director of Education for Atlantic Region C.L.C. Chairman and Registrar was J.M. McAluff, District Labour Council. Those conducting the courses were Canadian Labour Congress Representatives W.K. Craig and J.H. Stafford, Saint John, N.B. and Don Nicholson, New Glasgow, N.S.

Sister Of City Clerk Passes

Her many friends here will regret to learn of the passing of Mrs. C.A. Voight at her home in Spokane, Washington. Mrs. Voight was the former Margaret Fullerton, eldest daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Fullerton and Mrs. Fullerton of this city.

Mrs. Voight, who was greatly beloved by her family and friends, visited here a few years ago.

Besides her sorrowing husband and daughter, she leaves to mourn her aged mother, three sisters, Olive, Mrs. Rev. Dr. MacArthur, of California; Miss Jessie, teacher at Prince Street School; and Jean, Mrs. A.M. Agnew, of Charlottetown; also two brothers - John in British Columbia, and James, City Clerk, Charlottetown.

Mrs. MacArthur was with her sister when she passed away.

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Chapters Observe The Founders' Day

The Royal Edward Chapter, The Earl of Hillsborough Chapter and the Lucy Maud Montgomery Chapter met at the Charlottetown Hotel on Wednesday evening to celebrate Founders Day with a banquet. Mrs. William Brehaut was Chairman for the evening and called on Mrs. W.A. Stewart to ask the Blessing.

One of the interesting highlights of the evening was the cutting of a huge birthday cake by Mrs. T. W.L. Prowse, wife of the Lieutenant Governor. The toast to the Queen was proposed by Mrs. Brehaut and the Toast to the Order by Miss Catherine Bethune.

Following the banquet a most interesting address was given by

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TICKETS FOR "The Chalk Garden" at Burn's Jewellers, Hughes Drug Store, Old Spain and Rendezvous. 75 cents.

SEE "THE Chalk Garden" at Queen Charlotte High School Tuesday and Wednesday Feb. 19 and 20, 8 p.m.

MOTHER'S MARCH on Polio will be held in Charlottetown on Monday, February 18th, between 6 and 8 p.m. Welcome your local canvassers.

CARD PARTY Spring Park hall, Monday, 8 p.m. Lunches, prizes, tournament.

CARD PARTY St. Pius X Hall, Parkdale, Monday 8:30. Weekly prizes and lunch.

"THE CHALK GARDEN" at Queen Charlotte postponed until Tuesday and Wednesday Evenings.

HEAR MRS. Neil Matheson in an interview C.F.C.Y. Tuesday morning February 19th 10 o'clock in interests of Prince Edward Island musical Festival Association.

HOUSE TO HOUSE Canvassers for the March of Dimes will be conducted by volunteer canvassers on Monday, February 18th, between 6 and 8 p.m. Please donate generously to this Mother's March.

VISITING PARENTS — Mrs. George McNichol, Dartmouth, N.S., is home on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ferguson, Charlottetown. Her husband will join her the 25th of this month.

LIGHTS ON For The Ladies — Canvassers will be ringing your doorbell on Monday, February 18, between 6 and 8 p.m. for your donation to the March of Dimes Campaign. Help Fight Polio by your generous contribution.

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FUNERAL HELD

The funeral service for Mrs. Florence Hale was held at the MacLean Funeral Home on Saturday afternoon and was conducted by Rev. E.C. Evans. Owing to storm interment was postponed and will be in the Peoples Cemetery.

FUNERAL — The funeral of the late Mrs. Maud Thompson was held Sunday afternoon from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home to York United Church where services were conducted by Rev. J.M. Sproule. Pall bearers were Leith Brown, Harry Lewis, Ira Lewis, William Crockett, Frank Vessey, Harold Watts. Interment was in the church cemetery.

"CHALK GARDEN" — Mr. Alister Macdonald, President of the Charlottetown Little Theatre Guild, announced last evening that the 3-act play "The Chalk Garden" scheduled for tonight and tomorrow evening, will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. This change has been made necessary by the current stormy weather which is forecast to continue throughout Monday.

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS—Mrs. George Reynolds President of the P.E.I. Chapter of the Multiple Sclerosis Society has received word that Mr. A.G. Cleland, Executive Secretary of the M.S. Society of Canada will pay the local Chapter an official visit on Thursday and Friday of this week. It is expected that Mr. Cleland will address a public meeting on Friday evening in the City.

REGIONAL VICE-PRESIDENT The Charlottetown Branch of the Canadian Postal Employees' Association had as their guest over the weekend Mr. Arthur E. Dean Regional Vice-President of the Association from St. John. Mr. Dean addressed the regular monthly meeting and later attended a dinner in his honour at the Queen Hotel. Many matters of interest to local postal workers were discussed.

RUSHED TO HOSPITAL — Gordon Rogerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Rogerson, Malden, Mass., formerly of Hampton, P. E. I., was rushed to the Malden Hospital February 11th in an emergency appendectomy operation. Gordon is six years of age and is a pupil at the Faulkner School, Malden. He has one brother, Dennis, five, and a sister, Marsha Louise, age three. Mr. and Mrs. John Rogerson, Hampton, P. E. I., are his grandparents, and Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Crapaud, P.E.I.

PERSONALS

Captain Alex MacLean is spending his holidays at his home on Chesnut Street.

Friends of Mr. Reg. Howard, Moncton, (formerly of Charlottetown), will be sorry to hear that he is ill in Moncton Hospital. All his friends wish him the best and hope he will be up and around again soon.

Mr. Justice H.L. Palmer returned on Saturday from a short stay in Montreal where he was a delegate from the Diocese of Nova Scotia (including Prince Edward Island) at a meeting of the Anglican Church Synod Council.

DEATHS

BIRT — At the P.E.I. Hospital, Feb 17, 1957, Mrs. Norman Birt of 140 Upper Queen St.

BYRNE — The death occurred in Toronto on Feb. 15, 1957 of Robert Emmett Byrne, age 59, formerly of Bedford Station. Funeral in Toronto, Monday Feb. 18th.

MACPHERSON — At Darlington on Feb. 15, 1957, Mrs. Joseph H. MacPherson, age 82. The funeral from her late residence today (Monday), Feb. 18 at 1:30 p.m. Interment in Brookfield Cemetery.

PALMER — At his home 323 Poplar Avenue Summerside on Feb. 17th, 1957 Allen W. Palmer in his 58th year Forwarded from the Bowness funeral Home to his late residence this Monday afternoon 1:30 when a funeral service will be held at 2:30

day February 19th. Followed by service at St. Mary's Anglican Church at 2:30 p.m. Interment will be in Peoples Cemetery.