

# City and Central

**TOYS, TOYS, Toys—Firestone.**  
**WE TREAT THE SICK WELL.**  
Giggey's Pharmacy, open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

**S. A. McDONALD'S** will be closed on Monday, December 26 and Tuesday, December 27.

**ST. PAUL'S** Sunday School Pastoral rehearsal Monday, Dec. 26, 2 o'clock. Pupils of Senior, Junior and Primary please attend.

**BRADALBANE** Presbyterian Church. Services in the church at 1:45 p.m. Dec. 25, roads permitting. Rev. Lawrence Blaikie, Interim Moderator.

**NORTH TRYON** Presbyterian Church Christmas Service Dec. 25 11 a.m. Church School is taking part. Miss Mary A. MacKenzie, Deaconess.

**CONTRACT AWARDED**—Listed in the contracts awarded during the last half of November by the Department of Defence Production is an amount of \$17,910 to Central Creameries, Charlottetown for dairy products.

**NAME OMITTED**—In the article yesterday regarding the entertainment of patients at the Provincial Infirmary Tuesday evening by James Power and his group. The name of Andrew Gallant was inadvertently omitted.

**WINSLOE** Pastoral Charge, the United Church of Canada. Services Sunday are as follows: Winsloe North 11 a.m., Glasgow Road 1:45 p.m., Winsloe South 3:00 p.m., Princeton Road 7:30 p.m. Heber H. Hardy, Minister.

**BROOKFIELD CHARGE.** The hours of service for Dec. 25 are as follows: Brookfield 11 a.m., Glasgow Road 3:30 p.m., Hunter River 7:30 p.m. A candlelight service. All are welcome. Rev. Lawrence Blaikie, Minister.

**JUNIOR FARMERS MEET**—A small but representative group of Junior Farmers met last evening at St. George's school. The president, George C. MacDonald presided and presented an excellent report on the year's work. New officers elected were: Laura MacLellan, president; Charles Somers, vice-president; Lorraine Fay, secretary-treasurer. Mr. R. A. Pierce, King's county agricultural representative gave an interesting talk, and was thanked by the president.

## Personals

Master Danny Buell, son of Mr. Garnet Buell is a patient in the P. E. I. Hospital.

Mr. Keith B. Young, Clyde River left recently for Toronto, Ont., to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young.

Miss Diane Willis, student at the United Baptist Bible Training School, Moncton, N.B., arrived by plane Tuesday to spend the Christmas holiday at her home in Charlottetown RR3.

Mr. Frank Newsome and Granddaughter Annie Newsome Rose Valley were visitors to Charlottetown and to the Guardian on Friday, December 23.

Miss Theresa Trainor, R.N., arrived by plane from Halifax to spend Christmas holidays with her mother Mrs. Catherine Trainor, Valley Street, City.

Mr. Richard Ferguson, B.Sc. of the Testing Lab, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and Miss Joyce Ferguson, 2nd year student of Prince of Wales College, Charlottetown, are spending their vacations with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ferguson, Hampton.

Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. Joseph Paquet and family are spending the Christmas holiday with Mrs. Paquet's father Mr. William MacKenzie, City. Chief Paquet and family will sail for England, where he has been posted for duty in the RCN shore base, on December 31.

**Howard McInnis**  
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**BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS**  
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## BIRTHS

**CAIRNS**—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Dec. 20, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. John Cairns, Dunstaffnage, a son, John Robin.

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**MILTON — RUSTICO** Parish Rector Rev. A. E. Piercey. Services for Christmas Day are St. John's, Milton: 11:00 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon. 7:30 p.m. Evening Prayer with Carols and Sermon. St. Mark's, Rustico: 2:30 p.m. Holy Communion and Sermon. "Come and bring the whole

**POTATO ESTIMATE**—In the recent report of United States production estimates which shows a reduction from 176,000,000 bushels to 173,397,000 bushels it should be noted that this reduction applies only in the nine Central and nine Eastern States and does not make reference to the over all crop in the United States.

## IN MEMORIAM

**McNALLY**—In fond and loving memory of my dear wife who departed this life on December 26, 1954, aged 59 years.

Gone thru the mist with my heart left to grieve  
Went the love and the grace that was you Genevieve,  
I look all around me and feel so alone

The years we were given, so swiftly have flown,  
I look at my children and their children too  
And what I see here is reflected on you.

Our hearts should not grieve, our minds should not fret  
For tho' you are gone you live with us yet.

Sadly missed by husband Philip.

In fond and loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Phillip McNally, who departed this life on December 26th, 1954, aged 59 years.

During the holy Christmas season Of nineteen fifty-four,  
Jesus looked down on my mother And He opened heaven's door.  
Now Mom you're gone, I know it's true  
And yet I can't believe it,  
My eyes have seen and still my heart

Refuses to receive it.  
You told us you'd be happy  
If you knew we wouldn't weep,  
And taught us all so many times  
Before your last long sleep,  
That it is more blessed  
"To give than to keep".  
With broken hearts we bowed our heads  
And prayed "God's will be done"  
And Jesus smiled and took your hand  
And gently bade you "Come".

Sadly missed by four daughters and six sons.

In loving memory of our father, George Harris Inman, who passed away Dec. 24, 1948,  
Always a grievous heartache  
Oft a silent tear  
But always a beautiful memory  
Of a father we loved so dear.

Ever remembered by Linda, Addie, and Harvey.

In loving memory of our dear beloved son, William Ralph Howatt, who was called away Dec. 24, 1951.

A bud born on earth  
To blossom in Heaven.  
Sadly missed by Daddy and Mommy.

In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Frederick G. Johnston, who passed away at Murray River, Dec. 26th, 1952.

In heaven the loved one we have lost  
Has found sweet peace, rest,  
Within the sheltering care of Him  
Who knows our sorrows best;  
He called him to a happier home  
But lost not what he has given,  
For still he lives with us in thought,  
As truly as in heaven.

Always remembered by wife and family.

In loving memory of our dear Grandfather, who passed away Dec. 26, 1952.  
Dear Grandpa how we miss you  
Since you have gone away,  
But we know that you are waiting  
At the gateway bright and fair;  
And will greet us some glad morning,  
As we join you over there.  
Always remembered by his grandchildren.

**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 Charlottetown Hospital.  
Mrs. Charles McIvor.



## HAPPY PATIENTS MEET SANTA

Santa Claus seems to be doing some deep thinking in the above picture. Perhaps he is wondering how he is going to get around to see all the little boys and girls throughout the City but one thing sure, he will not forget the fine looking youngsters of the Provincial Sanatorium. All in the above picture are TB patients and received a gift from Santa along with toys from the Charlottetown Rotarians. Nurse Gertrude Arsenault holds little Billy Ryan on her knee. Photo by Margaret Mallett.



MR. J.A. LIKELY  
**Local Man On Executive of Blue Cross Plan**

Mr. J. A. Likely, Charlottetown, was elected vice-president, Canadian Council of Blue Cross Plans at the annual meeting of the organization held in the Royal York Hotel, Toronto.

At the meeting it was revealed that the five Canadian plans now protect approximately 3,500,000 citizens—a net increase of about 200,000 since Dec. 31, 1954. A very large percentage of this enrolment is through employed groups in some 23,000 firms.

One of the contributing factors in the growth of participation in Blue Cross was the introduction of the national group contract a year ago, which makes it possible for Canadian employers, who have employees across the country, to secure uniform benefits at uniform rates.

Mr. F. D. MacCharles will succeed Miss Ruth C. Wilson, executive director of the Maritime Plan, as commissioner for Canada at the annual conference of Blue Cross Plans in April.

God rest you, merry innocents,  
While innocence endures,  
A sweeter Christmas than we to ours  
May you bequeath to yours.  
(A Carol for Children, Ogden Nash.)

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## Colorful Operetta On Dickens' Christmas Carol

A capacity audience was in attendance at the Queen Charlotte High School Thursday evening for the presentation of a colorful and timely operetta based on Dickens' Christmas Carol.

A cast of over 70, exclusive of the chorus, was used in the production made up of pupils from West Kent and Queen Charlotte, assisting throughout was the Junior Glee Club of the High School.

Principal C. F. Hine of West Kent School welcomed the gathering and paid tribute to the musical director, Miss Ruth Boswell. She not only directed the production but designed most of the costumes. Miss Boswell and Mrs. K. A. Parkes were accompanists and one of the grade nine pupils, Miss Dianne Rupert directed the Junior Glee in several choruses. Prior to the

operetta, the Senior Glee Club was heard in four carols. The following is the cast of Characters: Ebenezer Scrooge, Gordon Giddings; Fred (Scrooge's Clerk), Jim Matheson; Bob Cratchit (Scrooge's nephew), Dewar Harper; Two Gentlemen, Alan Holman; and Ray MacLean; Jacob Marley's Ghost, Terry Manning; Mrs. Cratchit (Bob's Wife), Elizabeth Morris; Peter (Bob's Son), John Anderson; Tiny Tim, John Owen, Belinda Bea Hogan; Martha, Marilyn Mac-

**SANTA'S REQUESTS**  
Santa Claus still gets letters from youngsters with the same cherished requests—bicycles and dolls. But last year a child wanted a live cow. He told a department store Santa so.  
Another kid wanted a new daddy because hers was "wearing out on top."

In France and Scotland many of the Christmas customs are observed on New Year's Day, particularly the exchanging of gifts.  
The wild boar has been revered from ancient times, and was especially honored at Christmastime for having taught mankind the art of plowing by rooting into the ground with his tusks.  
children Graham, age 11 and Susan, age 2½ years were passengers on the "Saxonia" from Liverpool to Halifax.

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## NEW ORGANIST

Mr. H. John Harris, Fellow of the Royal College of Organists, arrived in Charlottetown yesterday from England to assume his duties as organist of St. Paul's Anglican Church. For the past five years he has been organist of St. John the Baptist Church in Leicester, Eng. Immediately following the war, in which he served for five and a half years with the Royal Air Force, Mr. Harris was organist at St. John's Church, Coventry, while in Coventry he conducted the Annual Festival of the Coventry Church Choirs of 900 voices, started the Coventry Organist's Association and was appointed their first President.

In Leicester, Mr. Harris was besides his church appointment, Organist for the Diocesan Choral Association, director of music for the Church Mission Society Annual pageant and past-president of the Leicester Organists' Association. His wife was awarded the King George Medal for valiant service during the Coventry air raids.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harris and their

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