

OUR NEWS BUDGET FOR OUR SATURDAY SUBSCRIBERS

TO ADDRESS ISLANDERS CLUB - Premier J. Walter Jones will be special speaker at Halifax on Feb. 17...

Major Andrew MacRae, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. MacRae of East Royalty, has recently been promoted and placed in command of Headquarters Company, 2nd Battalion, Royal Canadian Regiment at Fort Lewis, Washington.

Major MacRae went overseas in August of 1942 as a Lieutenant and returned to Canada in July, 1945, with the rank of Captain.

Seven members of the Army Cadet Corps in Charlottetown qualified recently as cadet Lieutenants, and fifteen as Sergeants as a result of a qualifying course held here recently under W.O. II BSM W. H. Pushe.

Prince of Wales College, qualified as cadet Lieutenant; Arthur King and Russell Kelly.

West Kent, qualified as Lieutenant; David S. MacDonald, qualified as Sergeant; Gordon Tweedy, Keith C. Stokings, William R. Kennedy, and William D. Ives.

Queen Square, qualified as Lieutenant; Joseph Revell, qualified as Sergeant; Brian Willoughby, Joseph Somers, Patrick McWade, Richard St. John and Brian McCallum.

Prince Street School, qualified as Lieutenant; Verne A. Ainsworth, John Wheatley and Roger Gardham, qualified as Sergeants; Bruce Leitch, Ralph Whitehead, Warren Hood, Benjamin Carson, Basil Miller and Angus MacLaren.

St. Dunstan's, time arrangements for course did not permit attendance of any candidates and rifle firing exercises were carried out by the Corps instead.

The seven inch snowfall early yesterday morning tied up all motor traffic in rural areas for time and caused the postponement of the one Maritime Central Airways flight during the day.

All main highways were reopened by nine o'clock last night reported Mr. Clifford Sherren of the Provincial Department of Public Works. He stated that cars were operating with difficulty during the day and that if the snow should drift last night the roads would be closed again this morning.

Island Motor Transport buses were encountering difficulties especially in the western section of the Province. The four o'clock trip to Summerside yesterday afternoon was cancelled and trouble was encountered on the Borden-Charlottetown run.

On several trips the buses were running right behind the plows.

An I.M.T. official last night reported that all trips were being made under difficulties. The 11:30 flight to Moncton from the local airport was postponed until late in the afternoon.

Mr. Warren Burns, weather observer at the Experimental Farm, recorded a seven inch snowfall. Snow began falling sometime after four o'clock yesterday morning.

City plows were operating on the streets last night. A clearing gang was trucking the snow away from the City's main streets.

A past president of the Provincial Federation of Agriculture, Mr. R. Allison Proffitt, Freetown, returned home Friday evening after attending the annual meeting of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture in Calgary and the Dairy Farmers of Canada in Winnipeg.

Mr. Proffitt, the Island director on the Canadian Federation executive and also the Island representative to the Dairy Farmers Association, was in western Canada for about two weeks.

Hardest problem the Federation of Agriculture executive dealt with was that of opening the live hog market to the United States, he reported. The western farmers were strongly in favor of this move while those in the east opposed the matter. The resolution was temporarily shelved to be considered at a later date.

Highlight of the Calgary meeting was the speech of the Federal Minister of Agriculture, Hon. James Gardiner, he stated. During his speech the Federal Minister stated that serious consideration was being given to the active support of potatoes in certain communities, said Mr. Proffitt.

Mr. Proffitt was one of the members on a panel discussion at the Dairy Farmers meeting and one of the policy committee of the association. This committee drafted the policies which will be sent to the Federal Cabinet through the Canadian Federation of Agriculture.

Highlight of the dairy farmers policies was one asking for a floor price on butter of 62 cents a pound, he stated. The meeting also asked that a high tax be placed on foreign oils which are used in the manufacture of oleomargarine. They will also press for other legislation which will protect the dairy industry, he said.

Mr. Proffitt continued from Calgary to the western coast. While in British Columbia he visited the Fraser Valley Milk Producers Association plant, one of the largest of its kind in North America.

"In the past year while the City has had the usual sporadic cases of communicable diseases, none reached epidemic proportions and in general the health of our citizens remained normal", he said in the health report prepared by the City Health Officer, Dr. W. L. MacDonald and read to the City Council last night.

"In the autumn a number of cases of infantile paralysis was reported, but the greater majority came from the rural areas rather than urban", the report continues. "No typhoid or paratyphoid was reported. Two families were quarantined for diphtheria; one child died. As a result of the compulsory immunizing of school children, diphtheria no longer can appear in epidemic form."

"Outside toilets continue to be a source of annoyance, but fortunately time is eliminating most of these, and our new by-law governing outside toilets should completely eliminate this source of menace."

"Our water supply continues to maintain its high standard of purity. Under the Provincial Department the school children are examined for communicable diseases, skin diseases, and also for physical defects such as teeth, tonsils, vision, hearing etc. and if found parents are notified."

"The City is no worse and is possibly much better off than most cities of its size. It is true here as well as everywhere else that homes should be built some way or other for the lower income group of people. No new houses have been built within the lower income group entirely in mind - and they constitute the larger portion of our population. In the near future something should be done or overcrowding will most certainly follow."

LEAVES FOR B.C. - Petty Officer Stoker Mechanic Richard L. Clair of Edward Street, Charlottetown, will leave this morning for H.M.C.S. "Naden" at Esquimaut, B.C. to take re-entry training in the Canadian Navy. Six other men have been sworn in at H.M.C.S. "Queen Charlotte" during the past week, and these include Dr. Cook Robert M. MacDougall, Morell; P/O Shipwright George Stewart, Chestnut Street, Charlottetown; Stoker Mechanic Milton MacDonald, Montague; Stoker Mechanic Cecil Paynter, New London; Stoker Mechanic Francis Green, Cardigan, and Ordinary Seaman Roy Chisholm, Chestnut Street, Charlottetown. The men are now on staff at the local Naval Barracks awaiting draft.

The 95th annual meeting of the City Council was held in the City Hall last night with His Worship Mayor B. Earle MacDonald presiding. The reading of reports comprised all the activity of the meeting.

Councillors W. H. Beaton, chairman of the Light Committee, and David Stewart, chairman of the Street Committee were absent. Councillor Beaton was ill and Councillor Stewart is in Ottawa at a civil defense meeting.

The following reports were presented: Mayor's report; Finance Committee, Coun. L. E. Prowse, M.D.; Police Committee, Coun. C. M. Cox; Fire Committee, Coun. L. O'Donnell; Tender Committee, Coun. A. R. Gormley; Public Property Committee, Coun. G. R. R. Stewart; Market Committee, Coun. E. C. Johnston.

The Fire Chief's report was read by Chief Jewell while the report of the Chief of Police Charles MacArthur was read by Coun. C. M. Cox. Major T. Edgar MacNutt presented the report of the Board of School Trustees and the Sewers and Water Commission report was read by Mr. Frank Vanderstine. The City Surveyor's report was presented by Mr. J. A. Meservy. Mr. John Butler read the Health Officer's report in the way of presenting reports at the Council meeting was heard last night in the replaying of a record of Coun. Stewart's Street Committee report. Coun. Beaton's report was not read.

Messrs. Byron Brown and Alex McDonald were appointed members to the Board of Appeal from civic rates and assessments in the City for 1951. H. R. Doane and Company were appointed auditors for the City Corporation.

WEDNESDAY

The February meeting of Charlottetown sub-division C. W. L., which was held last evening, was of exceptional interest, featuring as it did Rev. Alexander McLellan, C.S.S.R., Rector of the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer, as guest speaker.

Mr. Lorne L. Noonan, the president, was in the chair and prayer was recited by the director, Rev. P. F. McDonald. Following the plans of the "O" Canada" by Miss Marion Dougan, the speaker was introduced by the Reverend Director, who expressed appreciation of the presence of Father McLellan, and the privilege accorded the members of the sub-division in having him address them, at a time, when as the newly appointed rector of the Redeemptorist Church, many duties crowded the moments every day.

The speaker, who incidentally is a native of Inverness, Cape Breton, thanked the League for its invitation to address the meeting.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the St. Paul's Church Laymen's Association was held last night in the Parish Hall under the chairmanship of the president, Mr. T. D. DeBois. Amongst the numerous guests welcomed to the meeting were the presidents or representatives of the Men's Associations of the City churches.

After an appetizing supper served by the ladies of the Parish Guild supervised by Mrs. George G. Wood, Mr. Leigh Dingwell rendered a number of vocal selections followed by a singsong in which all heartily joined, accompanied by St. Paul's Laymen's Orchestra under the direction of Mr. Royston Muford. The chairman introduced the speaker of the meeting, Mr. Walter Hyndman, who gave a very excellent and instructive talk on the subject of amateur radio transmission and reception. Mr. Hyndman, who has spent many years at what he called "just another hobby", had a portable station set up and operating in the hall, contacting several amateurs during the course of his address.

A vote of thanks was tendered the speaker by Mr. James Hanson, who recalled attending a radio school conducted by Mr. Hyndman in the days when he was virtually a pioneer in this field.

The meeting was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

A member of the Town Council and a member of the Water and Sewerage Commission were re-elected in Summerside's civic election yesterday. Councillor H. B. Schurman defeated Mr. Liewellyn Rogers in the East Ward by a majority of 243 votes. The count was Schurman 365, Rogers 122.

Commissioner Leigh Stewart defeated two opponents to retain his Water and Sewerage Commission seat. He had a plurality over his nearest rival of 21 votes. The count was: Arsenault Prichard Stewart West Ward 183 149 80 Center Ward 34 54 67 East Ward 69 163 240 Totals 286 368 387

Two other members of the Town Council were re-elected by acclamation on nomination day a week ago. They were: Councillor J. L. Driscoll in the West Ward and Councillor G. B. Sheehan in the Center Ward. According to Summerside's peculiar system of civic elections three councillors are elected each year for a two-year term. The mayor is elected every two years.

The campaign was fairly quiet and the vote was moderately heavy although considerably below last year's record turnout when there was a mayoralty contest. The campaign has been enlivened somewhat in regard to the commission for water and sewerage commission by a series of letters in the newspapers. This is an unusual development in a Summerside civic election and maybe a precedent which may be followed in future years.-S.

THURSDAY

An enthusiastic meeting of the planning committee for the Charlottetown Festive Week to be held the first week of July, took place last evening in the City Hall with the chairman, Brig. W. W. Reid, presiding.

Representatives of a number of local organizations were present to join in the discussion, which centred mainly around the program and the committees in charge of the various activities for the week.

It was suggested the parade of the Services be under a committee comprised of Captain J. J. Connolly, Brig. G. O. K. Fisher, Lt.-Col. A. W. Rogers, Lt.-Col. H. G. Wiggin, Lt.-Col. E. M. Johnston and Lt. Col. J. K. L. Irwin. The parade of the floats will be a project of the Charlottetown Board of Trade with the assistance of various suggested individuals, and the aquatic meet will be arranged by the Y's Men's Club.

The Business and Professional Women's Club have agreed to arrange the beauty contest which will be a feature of the festivities, and also should be used to speak as a body, representing ex-Air Force personnel, to the permanent Air Force.

He continued by saying that world conditions being what they are, it was highly probable that many of those present would be called upon to again serve their country, and he hoped they would live up to the high reputation of the R.C.A.F.

After receiving the charter from Wing Cdr. McLean, President McNinnis expressed the hope that the local Wing would eventually be a leading group of the Dominion. He announced the obtaining of a permanent club room in the Bank of Commerce building in Charlottetown, and asked that all members co-operate in its furnishing and decorating. The charter will be framed and bears

the signature of Air Vice-Marshal A. L. Morfee, President of the Dominion Executive Council. Those present at the head table included the following members of the new Wing: Stewart Chandler, Miss Hazel Roland, George Hood, Miss Mary Robin, Mrs. Inez Sweetwood and Peter Sinclair.

Following an illness of several months, Mr. Walter Wakelin of Charlottetown died yesterday afternoon in the Prince Edward Island Hospital. He was 49 years of age.

Mr. Wakelin had been ill since last spring but had continued working until November. He entered hospital shortly before Christmas and underwent an operation from which he failed to recover.

He was employed by the City during the past year. Previously he had operated a garage in this City for a number of years.

He was born in Charlottetown the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wakelin. His parents survive him. Also surviving are his wife the former Margaret Emma Keir of South Granville, his five brothers, Lloyd and Everett, in Charlottetown; Stanley and Cecil. One brother predeceased him several years ago.

Captain P. A. Soucy of Saskatchewan has arrived in the city to succeed Capt. A. R. Bowles as Administration and Training Officer with the 5th Signals Regiment R.C. Signals at the Charlottetown Armouries.

Capt. Soucy joined the Canadian Army Permanent Force in 1930 after serving eight years in the old N.P.A.M. as a Signaller. He took on instructional duties in New Brunswick and Quebec from 1933 to 1935. From 1941 to 1942 he was Regimental Sergeant Major at Vimy Barracks, Kingston, Ont. Later he received his commission and proceeded overseas in 1943, serving in England and Holland.

On his return to Canada in 1946 he took over the duties of Administration and Training Officer in Quebec until 1947 when he was transferred to Vancouver Island. Three-and-a-half years later he joined the Army on a temporary basis and was transferred to Charlottetown.

Capt. Soucy will be joined by Mrs. Soucy here as soon as suitable accommodation can be located in the City. Mrs. Soucy is presently in Saint John, N. B.

A well known Charlottetown man, William G. Bruce of the Hanford Apartments, Water St., died yesterday afternoon in the Prince Edward Island Hospital following an illness of several months.

Mr. Bruce, a war veteran, joined the local Customs Department staff in 1918. He remained in the employ of the customs until poor health forced his retirement in 1945.

He served with distinction in the First World War. After enlisting in Winnipeg with the 13th R.F.A. he proceeded overseas in 1914 with the First Contingent. He received severe leg wounds at the second Battle of Ypres in April 1915 and never fully recovered from the effects of these wounds.

He was born in Kingsboro on Oct. 7, 1881, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bruce. Surviving are his wife, the former Gladys McFarquhar of Calgary, Alberta, and one daughter Betty, Mrs. C. J. Smith of Whitehouse, Yukon. Three grandchildren, one brother and two sisters also survive.

The brother is Harry of East Baltic, and the sisters are Margaret, Mrs. Walter Young of Toronto, and Amy, Mrs. J. A. MacLean of Berkeley, California.

The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon from the MacLean Funeral Home with services starting at two o'clock.

FRIDAY

Several changes in the medical staff at the Provincial Sanatorium here have been made during the past few months with the latest addition to the staff being Dr. Ger Au Chan, M.P.H., F.C.P. L.M.C.C.C., 34 year old physician and specialist in chest diseases from Hong Kong.

Dr. Chan, Resident Physician at the Sanatorium, replaces Dr. T. Rosol who is now working at Gage Institute, a chest clinic in Toronto.

Dr. Chan is the second Chinese physician to assume duties here with the Provincial Department of Public Health at the Sanatorium. The other physician, Dr. Yue began work several months ago.

Two other physicians who worked here within the past year, are now engaged in health work outside the province. Dr. Ian MacLeod is performing Public Health work in Worcester, Mass., and Dr. O'Riley is doing similar work in Saskatchewan.

Dr. Chan, who took over his new duties in January, graduated from the Lingnan University Medical College at Canton in 1942 at the head of his class. He interned at Queen Mary Hospital, Hong Kong before taking over the command of three First Aid Stations in the Kwuntung war theatre for a ten month period.

At that time he had thirty nurses and several British doctors under him in an International Red Cross unit.

His travels took him to 30 hospitals and sanatoria in Canada and the United States along with others in China, Japan, Australia, the Philippines, the Malay Peninsula, Hawaii and other places. One time he would work on surgery, another at X-ray then back as a physician on chest diseases.

After serving in the war theatre for ten months he was appointed by the Medical College of his university as a fellow to study at the Post Graduate School of Preventive Medicine in the National Central University at Chengtu, (the Nation-

alist wartime capital about 130 miles from Chungking). It was here that he qualified for his Master of Public Health Degree. During his two year post grad work he lectured on preventive medicine and was connected with X-ray work in the University hospital.

He left Hong Kong in 1946 for the United States going by the Panama Canal to New York City, where he spent a few months at Bellevue Hospital. From there he joined the Nassau County Sanatorium as Resident Physician, then to Hamburg State Sanatorium, Penn., as Surgical Resident specializing in chest diseases.

Five Prince Edward Island men are aboard the H.M.C.S. Nooka, Canadian destroyer, latest ship of the Canadian Navy to enter the Korean conflict. The Nooka only recently entered Korean waters to replace the H.M.C.S. Slouze.

Two of the sailors are from East Royalty while the other three are from Charlottetown, Miscouche and Borden.

The Charlottetown sailor is Petty Officer Ervin A. Platts whose wife, Mrs. Eileen Platts, lives at 46 Upper Hillsboro Street.

Leading Seaman Harvey R. MacAusland and AB Donald K. Smith are East Royalty men serving on the ship. Leading Seaman MacAusland's next of kin is his wife, Mrs. Rita MacAusland, and AB Smith's next of kin is his mother, Mrs. Ruth Smith.

Other Islanders on the destroyer are Able Seaman Urie J. Desroches from Miscouche and Walter Westhaver, Borden. Mrs. Alfred Desroche is the mother of AB Desroches and Mrs. Anna M. Westhaver, the mother of AB Westhaver.

25 AT SHORT COURSE - About 25 farm people are attending the Short Course in progress at the Vocational School in Charlottetown which opened last Monday.

Mr. Stewart Wright in the weekly agricultural report. He notes that the instruction being given this week on animal first aid is successful from the standpoint of instruction being given, but rather disappointing from the number of farmers who are participating. Emphasis during the next two weeks will be placed on Farm Mechanics with instruction also being given on soils and fertilizers, grasslands, the importance of soil analysis and other kindred subjects. The fourth week of the Course will be devoted entirely to forestry and its importance in the economic welfare of the Province.

An executive meeting of the P. E. I. Auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society was held yesterday afternoon in St. Paul's Parish Hall. The President, Dr. Lloyd W. Shaw presided.

The meeting opened with prayer by the Rev. T. H. B. Somers. Many important matters received attention, and the various reports covering work of the past year were presented.

The Treasurer, A. G. Putnam, presented the financial report, showing General Collections, \$7,520.77; Life Memberships \$650.00; Interest \$434.25; Contribution \$47.09; Bequests, \$8,106.90, total receipts being \$13,768.91. The report notes an increase over the previous year of \$333.15 in general receipts, and of \$3,833.90 on bequests. It was on motion adopted that \$8,500.00 be forwarded to the National Office in Toronto, being for the annual contribution and towards the 150th Jubilee offering.

The Secretary, J. E. H. Worth presented the Bible House and distribution reports. The Bible House had a most satisfactory year, having a surplus of \$41.00 which was placed in the general funds of the Society. In presenting the Distribution Report, it was noted that circulation of Scriptures and Scriptural supplies from the Bible House has enjoyed a great increase.

MACMILLAN - At the Charlottetown Hospital on Feb. 5, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. MacMillan, City, a daughter.

MATHESON - At the P. E. I. Hospital, Feb. 3, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Matheson (nee Jean Wedlock), City, a daughter, Kathy Lynn, 8 lbs.

SMITH - At the P. E. I. Hospital, Feb. 3, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, South Granville, a son, 8 lbs. 15 oz.

MACEachern - At the P. E. I. Hospital, on January 24th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Murchison MacEachern, Charlottetown, (nee Morey Morrison, Hampton) a daughter, Wendy Lee, 8 lbs. 8 oz.

CARSON - At Bonshaw, Feb. 3, 1951, Mrs. Ruby Carson in her 57th year.

MARTIN - The death occurred at the City Hospital, Feb. 7, of Mrs. Russell Martin, aged 49 years.

BRUCE - At the P.E.I. Hospital, Wednesday, Feb. 7, William G. Bruce of the Harland Apts, Water Street, in his 70th year.

WAKELIN - At the P.E.I. Hospital Wednesday, Feb. 7, Walter R. Wakelin in his 49th year.

BARRETT - At Charlottetown Feb. 7, 1951, Reuben Barrett of Kingston in his 86th year.

FURBISH - At the P.E.I. Hospital Feb. 7, 1951, Arthur G. Furbish, 99 Fitzroy St., in his 85th year.

CLOW - At Summerside, Mass. Feb. 6th, 1951, Elmer Clow, aged 58 years, formerly of New Haven.

MAHAR - Suddenly at her home, 303 Fitzroy Street, Feb. 8, Mrs. Leo Mahar.

HARRIS - At Elmira, Thursday, Feb. 8, Miss Annie Harris.

BEAL - Suddenly at his residence 333 Metcalfe Avenue, Westmount on Monday, February 5th, 1951, Stewart Beal in his 57th year, beloved husband of Nellie R. Beal.

DEATHS

MACDOUGALL - At 60 Roseland Street, Cambridge, Mass., on February 1st, 1951, George MacDougall, aged 80 years, formerly of New Argyle, P.E.I.

MACPHEE - At the P. E. I. Hospital, Feb. 6, 1951, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard MacPhee, New Haven, aged 6 days.

THOMAS - At the Ottawa General Hospital on January 23rd, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas (nee Rena MacLean) Glen Valley, a daughter.

CHRISTIE - At the Prince Edward Island Hospital to Rev. Howard and Mrs. Christie, Hunter River, February 6th, 1951, a son, Kenneth George. Weight 9 lbs. 2 oz.

GILLIS - To Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Gillis (nee Myrtle Greenan), at St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto, Ontario, on Jan. 17, a daughter, Deborah Jean.

QUINN - At the King's County Hospital, on Feb. 2nd, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. John Quinn, Cardigan, a son, weight, 8 lbs. 3 oz.

JARDINER - At the King's Coun-

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



OUR WAY

BY J. R. WILLIAMS



DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1. Unit of magnetic flux density (C.S.)
3. Cushion (abbr.)
9. Hidden from others
10. Region
12. Undivided
13. International language
14. Snare
15. Presiding Elder (abbr.)
16. Fastens securely
18. One of Santa's reindeer
21. River (Chin.)
22. University at New Haven
23. Juice of plants
25. Right Side (abbr.)
26. Sack
28. Silent
30. King of Bahaan (Bib.)
32. Alcoholic liquor
34. Builder of the ark (Bib.)
37. Land-measure
39. A series of links
41. A favoring
43. Water god (Baby.)
44. Paradise

DOWN
1. Missile weapon
2. Costlier
3. Very wet
11. Point of an orbit
17. Star
19. White linen vestment (Ecol.)
20. Close to
24. Touchwood
27. Sea bird
29. Extinct bird (N.Z.)
30. Simpletons
31. Marked
33. A forage grass
35. Deputies

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER
36. Leads
38. Scoff
40. Artless
42. Covered with ink
46. Tavern
49. Erbium (sym.)

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE - Here's how to work it:
A K Y D L B A A K E
H L O N G F E L L O W
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 Question
L E B K Q B X U P R C U K E R J U I N P E F R J
L N J O B C F O P J F P O J M U Q C V V I J
S I S E M - O X P Q S