40th Anniversary On Guardian Staff

A pleasing ceremony took place in The Guardian news room yesterday when Miss Florence Bradley (above), a veteran member of the typesetting department, was presented with a handsome gold wrist-watch, suitably inscribed, marking her fortieth anniversary of continuous service with the newspaper.

The presentation was made by Mr. Ian Burnett, president of The Guardian Publishing Company, who warmly congratulated Miss Bradley on her meritorious record. All the members of the day staff were present, and congratulated the recipient heartily.

Last Bombs Hit Red Airfields

SEOUL, (Reuters)—A B-26 light bomber dropped the last bomb of the Korean war at 9:34 local time Monday night 26 minutes before the truce became effective. Allied bombers concentrated their last attacks of the war Monday on Communist airfields.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

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BIRTHS

GODFREY—At the Charlottetown Hospital, July 23rd, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Godfrey, a son, Gordon Wayne, 7 lbs, 13 ozs.

STEAD — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Tuesday, July 21st, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stead, Wheatley River, a son. 7 lbs. 7 ozzs.

DOCHERTY — At the Charlottetown Hospital July 24th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Docherty, Charlottetown, a son, David Vernon, 7 lbs., 13 ozs.

DEATHS

McINNIS—Suddenly at his home in Borden, July 28, Patrick McInnis. Remains will be transferred from the Monaghan Funeral Home to his late residence this afternoon. Funeral notice later.

MUTCH—At the P. E. I. Hospital, Tuesday, July 28th, 1953, William Perley Mutch of Southport in his 76th year. Resting at the MacLeau Funeral Home until 10:00 this morning, then at his late residence from where the funeral will be held tomorrow, Thursday, service commencing at 2:00. Interment in Clifton Cemetery.

MacMILLAN—At the home of her sister, Mrs. John Pigott, Savage Harbour, July 26, 1953, Mrs. Emma MacMillan in her 61st year. Remains are resting at the Cutcliffe Funeral Home until noon Thursday, then to Mount Stewart United Church for funeral service at 2.00. Interment in Mount Stewart cemetery.

DUFFY— At the Sacred Heart Home July 28, 1953, Mrs. Susan Duffy, formerly of Fort Augustus in her 92nd year. Her remains will be transferred this afternoon from the Charlottetown Funeral Home to the residence of her daughter Mrs. John Coyle, 53 Brighton Ave. Funeral Friday morning leaving her late residence at 8:45 for Requiem Mass at the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer. Interment in the Roman Catholic Cemetery.

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FUNERAL YESTERDAY — The funeral of the late Carolyn Margaret Bell, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Bell was held privately from the MacLean Funeral Home on Monday afternoon. Service was conducted by Rev. A. F. MacLean. Interment was in the People's Cemetery.

IN HOSPITAL — Mr. Donald Hill and Mr. Manuel Arsenault of Charlottetown were taken to the Prince Edward Island Hospital last night suffering from cuts and bruises which they sustained in an automobile accident on the Brackley Road when the car in which they were riding collided with a dump truck.

CLAN CHIEF'S ARRIVAL—Chief Arthur Avalon MacKinnon of the MacKinnon Clan arrived at Moncton yesterday evening, aad was met by the President of the Caledonian Club. Mr. W. Blair MacDonald, who remained in Moncton with him. He is expected to arrive at the Charlottetown airport this morning at 7.30 where he will be met by clansmen Dr. Frank MacKinnon, Hon Dougald MacKinnon and Mr. Malcolm MacKinnon. After breakfast at the Charlottetown hotel Chief MacKinnon will likely be taken on a sight seeing tour of the City and the Island. In the afternoon he will officiate at the gathering of the Clans at Montague.

Personals

Mr. Clifford Hynes, 25 Alexander Drive, who was injured in an automobile accident on Monday, is resting comfortably at the City Hospital. He has a bone broken in his shoulder, and suffered severe lacerations to his back and head.

Petitioners Re Potato Board To Wait Upon Gov't

A petition asking the Government to cancel existing legislation under which the Potato Marketing Board operates is expected to be presented at a meeting of the Executive Council here on Thursday. It will also urge the setting up of an advisory board of nine growers and six dealers to look after the welfare of the industry.

Mr. Neil Bradshaw, Searletown, one of a group of 12 who served on a committee which prepared a resolution for distribution among potato growers, stated that it is being circulated by growers only. A farmer, he said, must be a genuine grower of not less than one acre of potatoes before he is asked to sign. He also said that only one member of each family is asked, to prevent "padding".

The spokesman for the group said the committee which drew up the petition came from such widely scattered parts of the Province as O'Leary and Souris. He denied that dealers had anything to do with the petition and are not asked to sign even though they may be growers as well.

Bombers Made Non-Stop Flight

MONTREAL, (CP) — Bombers which "attacked" Canada during "Operation Tailwind" July 10-12 operated from the United Kingdom and returned to base without landing in Canada or refuelling, the Ensign reported Tuesday.

In an article by L. V. Kavanagh, a member of the Ensign staff who also is a member of the R. C. A. F. auxiliary in Montreal, the weekly newspaper said the flights highlighted the joint United States Canadian air scheme.

"An outstanding feature of the exercise was the fact that special United States B-36 bombers, equipped with both piston engines and jets, flew the Atlantic, participated in the exercises over Canada and the U. S. without once landing, and continued their nonstop flight right back to their base in the United Kingdom.

They neither landed nor even needed re-fuelling in the air, and had a cruising radius at operational speed of more than 20 hours."

Jenny Lind gave her first concert in New York in 1850 at the age of 29.

Enjoying Vacation

His Eminence James Cardinal McGuigan, above, is spending a vacation in Prince Edward Island, visiting relatives and old friends in his native Province. Here for an approximate three weeks' stay, he has called at many parts of the Island where he is being welcomed by all.

Next Victims of Red Purge

BERLIN (CP) —Four East German cabinet ministers were named unofficially Tuesday night as the next victims of the Communist purge.

Walter Ulbritch, the party boss, was plainly not satisfied with the official scalps of ex-justice minister Max Fechner and ex-security minister Wilhelm Zaisser.

Backed by Moscow as the leader of East Germany's long-term sovietization, Ulbricht appeared on the verge of firing these suspected rivals:

Acting Foreign Minister Anton Ackermann, wro sided with Zaisser in a move recently to force Ulbricht's own retirement.

Education Minister Else Ziasser, devoted middle-class wife of the former Red Gestapo chief.

Bernd Weinberger ,minister of construction of transport equipment and agricultural machinery, whose real assignment has been armament production.

Elli Schmidt, estranged wife of Ackermann and head of the state trade and supply commission with the rank of minister.

Workers Strike In California

SAN FRANCISCO (CP)—Twenty-thousand cannery workers went on strike at 60 California processing plants Tuesday, jeopardizing California's $40,000,000 peach and apricot crops. The workers, members of the Cannery Union AFL, walked out after breakdown of negotiations with growers for higher wages.

Troops Suffer Food Poisoning

By BILL BOSS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

SEOUL, (CP) — Canadian brigade headquarters says that 87 members of the Royal 22nd Regiment suffered food poisoning just before the Korean cease-fire became effective.

All but eight — five Van Doos and three Koreans serving with the regiment—were back on duty Tuesday.

The army said the outbreak, attributed to contaminated ham served at evening meal Monday, was the first occurrence of gastro-enteritis in the brigade.

Actually, the 50th field squadron of engineers had a case of poisoning last week when sappers drank insufficiently chlorinated water. Only one man was still in hospital.

U. S. Air Armada On Canada Tour

OTTAWA, (CP)—An air armada of 53 privately-owned aircraft carrying 150 flying enthusiasts from Montana, Oregon anad California, landed here today on a two-week holiday tour of Canada and the United States.

There wasn't a professional pilot in the lot. The planes ranged from single-engine craft to 18-passenger size and their occupants ranged from children travelling with their parents to 70-year-old Will Peters of Portland, Ore., who learned to fly after he was 60.

They were taken on a tour of the city and will leave Wednesday for Montreal and Yarmouth, N. S., to spend a few days fishing.

TAVISTOCK, England CP — Hard-riding Olive Evans, 15, bested 177 male contestants in staying aboard wild moor ponies at a nearby Cymkhana. Olive won three pounds for sticking with her "really nasty mount."

Official Opening Of New Kiwanis Club Wading Pool

Terming it "another milestone in th emany recreational facilities provided the youth of the city by service clubs", Mayor J. D. Stewart officially opened the new Kiwanis Club wading pool in Victoria Park last night.

His Honor offered his congratulations to the club for what it had done as he added that it was important for children of an Island Province to learn to swim at an early age. And he said this could best be done in a pool. Mayor Stewart then cut the long streamer of pink ribbon.

There were hundreds of youngsters gathered for the occasion and many adults with dozens of automobiles parked in the vicinity.

Presiding for the occasion was Lieut. Col. A. W. Rogers who introduced the speakers. On the stand besides the Mayor were Hon. B. Earle MacDonald, Minister of Health and Welfare, who represented the Provincial Government, Mrs. Harry Cudmore, Red Cross director of the swimming and water safety program and Kiwanis president Somerled Trainor.

Civic Necessity

Mr. Trainor briefly told the crowd that the motto of Kiwanis is "We Build" and he thought it never better exemplified than in the pool they were opening then. He termed swimming facilities for small children a "civic necessity" and stated that the pool had successfully passed all tests despite earlier predictions that it might not prove healthful. In speaking of the purity of the water he paid tribute to Mr. Giles Cantwell, of the Sanitary Engineer's office, for his aid in assuring pure water for the children.

Hon. B. Earle MacDonald offered his congraulations to the Kiwanis for their achievement and said he would not worry too much about the pool water. If it were bad then all the water around us is bad, he said, adding "and I never heard yet of anyone dying from swimming in the Hillsborough River."

Thanks of the club was expressed to everyone from those who gave moral support to those who supplied gravel. They were particularly appreciative of the work of City Clerk James Fullerton.

As the official ceremonies came to a close Chairman Rogers announced the presence of an internationally known swimmer who would give a special demonstration. The youngsters were delighted when he turned out to be a clown with all the usual paraphernalia of the trade. After passing out treats to them he amused them for some time outside the pool before starting his swim. He appeared to be in some difficulty and a member of the Kiwanis tossed out a life belt. However, in the struggle the rescurer was himself hauled into the pool.

Mrs. Harry Cudmore then told the large group of the methods used in teaching the youngsters and emphasized that water safety was considered just as important as the swimming. Instructors then took various groups ranging in size from the tiny beginners to the more advanced pupils and showed the parents how the teaching was done.

The pool itself is a well constructed one with a set of steps at the shallow end. Just above the steps is a foot bath which all must use before being permitted to enter the pool. Already in practical use, it has been visited by hundreds of children with upwards of 300 using in it a single day.

Claims Petition Statements To Be False And Misleading

The following statement by the directors of the P. E. I. Federation of Agriculture was given yesterday for publication by the secretary, Mr. J. Lincoln Dewar:

"The directors of the Federation of Agriculture have now had the opportunity of studying the petition which is being circulated for signatures among the potato growers of the Province; the document, in question, bears a singular resemblance to statements and submissions which have previously been made by spokesmen for the potato dealers of the Province and no further proof would appear to be necessary in support of the belief that our farmers are being asked to support a course of action dictated by the potato trade.

"Many farmers who sign the petition may not be aware of the fact that they are endorsing statements which are misleading, inaccurate, false, or plain humbug.

"The opening statement of the petition suggests that the Board was brought into being by a small group—in this connection, the fact is overlooked that over seven thousand (7000) farmers voted for the Potato Board, and with reference to small meetings, the one

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Senator Taft In Serious Condition

NEW YORK, (AP) — New York hospital announced Tuesday night that condition of Senator Robert Taft Rep. O. "continues to be unsatisfactory."

A 6 p.m. EDT hospital bulletin said the senator has been able to take "very little nourishment and is generally weaker. However, he is experiencing no pain and has no fever.

Earlier in the day, the hospital had said the senator's physical condition was deteriorating.

C.N.R. Head Urges Full Use Of Ballot

MONTREAL, Que., July 28 — Calling the cloth curtain of the voters' booth a guarantee of freedom in a world split by the iron curtain of tyranny, Donald Gordon, C.M.G., chairman and president of the Canadian National Railways, has urged all eligible employees of the company to vote as you wish, but vote, and thank God you are free to do it.

Mr. Gordon's message, which is appearing in the current issue of the Canadian National Magazine, is in support of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce non-partisan "get out and vote" campaign.

Nearly 700 boards of trade and chambers of commerce and their 2,350 member companies are cooperating in the campaign.

He said that the cloth curtain of the voters' booth symbolizes the right to choose our government. The cloth curtain is our protection, our guarantee of freedom. It is there only that we can cast our ballot, free from intimidation or any sort of compulsion".

Mr. Gordon contrasted this curtain to the iron curtain. The iron curtain "is not there to ensure privacy and freedom of choice but to hide mediaeval tyranny and terrorism. The iron curtain shuts in oppression so that the free nations cannot see it, and shuts out the rest of the world so that the oppressed may be kept in ignorance and subjection."

Our way of life has been achieved after centuries of struggle and trial, Mr. Gordon said, but, he continued, "if we do not realize that freedom is a responsibility as well as a privilege, we may lose it. The "essence of political freedom is in the exercise of the first vote. On August 10, go to your poll and vote. Vote as you wish, but vote, and as you step behind the cloth curtain to mark your ballot, thank God you are free to do it."

Stevenson Quizzed On Irish Question

LONDON, (Reuters)—Adlai Stevenson was treated Tuesday to a 10-minute harangue on the question of Irish reunification.

The U. S. Democratic leader had just finished his opening remarks at a press conference when a reporter jumped to his feet and began what turned out to be a speech on the reuniting of Ulster with Eire.

He referred to representative John Fogarty's (Dem. R. I.) resolution at the beginning of the new U. S. congressional session for Island's reunification.

"Are you aware, sir," the reporter shouted, "that the resolution has the signatures of 91 states?"

"Did you say, 'states', sir?" Stevenson asked. "I know many things have happened since I've been away, but I hadn't realized . . ." laughter drowned the rest.

"I have been put down by others, sir," the reported continued in injured tone, "by Gen. Bradley and President Eisenhower."

"So have I, sir," Stevenson retorted.

The repartee came to an end when the reporter asked Stevenson if he was prepared to support the unification of Ireland. Stevenson said, "whatever personal views I might have, I don't feel free to present them here."

FLEA CIRCUS

KITCHENER, Ont. CP — A policeman's lot is not a happy one, says a Kitchener constable. Visiting a home to check for stolen goods, he picked up so many fleas he needed a change of clothes, a shower and a de-lousing treatment to get rid of them.

Ch'town Boy Leaves For Camp

Mr. Donnie MacLeod, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Arthur MacLeod, 73 Cumberland Street, Charlottetown, left yesterday evening by plane for Moncton and will proceed from there to Toronto. Donnie has been chosen to represent the Province at the Youth Leadership Training Camp which is held at Lake Couchiching from July 30th to Aug. 12th (boys' camp) under the auspices of the Ontario Department of Education at the expense of McCormick's Limited, London, Ontario.

Each boy is selected by a committee from the various Provincial Departments of Education and the qualifications are based on scholarship, leadership, athletics and general proficiency.

Donnie did exceptionally well this last term in first year Prince of Wales College and took an active part in all sports such as hockey, basketball and baseball, etc.

His many friends wish for him an enjoyable and well-earned trip

States Against Red China Seat

WASHINGTON, (AP)—State Secretary John Foster Dulles gave notice Tuesday that the United States will not trade admission of Red China to the United Nations for Korean unification. He said that if necessary the U. S. will use the veto to bar the Peiping regime.

Dulles is leaving Sunday by plane for Seoul to consult with President Syngman Rhee in preparation for the Korean peace conference. He has asked a bi-partisan group of four senators to go with him to help negotiate with Rhee a promised United States-South Korea security treaty.

French Forces Hammer Vietminh

SAIGON, Indo-China, (AP) — French Union forces hammered by air, sea and land Tuesday at a 3,000-man Vietminh regiment based near the coast of central Indo-China north of Hue, the capital of Annam province.

French officers said heavy fighting had developed in this biggest action of the Indo-Chinese war since the armistice ended the shooting in Korea.

The French threw 10,000 men into the assault, hoping to close a ring around the Communist-led troops before the enemy had a chance to flee from entrenchments to nearby mountains.

Several battalions of the enemy already had been surrounded and were being pounded by bombers and by warships, the French said. French tanks were on hand for the mop-up.

The Vietminh regiment had been harassing communications between Hue and Quan Tri, 40 miles to the north, for several months.

The trap was set up over an area about seven miles long and five miles wide. Warships landed men along the northern and southern boundaries while marching columns took up positions inland. Thirty-nine transport planes dropped parachutists into the region.

Calcutta Papers Cease Publication

CALCUTTA, (AP) — Calcutta's 23 daily newspapers suspended publication Tuesday in protest against a police attack on reporters and photographers last Wednesday in which 18 of the newspaper men were injured. The clash came when the newspaper men were covering a banned open air meeting called by opponents of a recent streetcar fare increase that has brought a continuing wave of riots and disorders to the city.

PIONEER CYCLIST

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. CP — Sylvia Melson, a secretary at the University of Toronto, is believed the first to cross Newfoundland on a bicycle. She made the trip in "easy stages" over a route ranging from paved highways to rough trails.

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Jumbo Jackpot Winner

Mrs. Milton Cannon is shown receiving her prize of $200 from Mr. Fred Egan (right) Canada Packers Sales Manager, and Mr. Bill Stevenson (left) Canada Packers City Salesman, for giving the correct answer to the Jumbo Jackpot operator last Monday evening. The prize of $200 this week was due to the fact that no correct answers were given the previous week, and $100 was carried over. Mrs. Cannon, along with her husband, has been following the Canada Packers Jumbo Jackpot Contest since its beginning, ten weeks ago. She was the tenth and final winner of the contest for this series.

—Photo by L. F. McInnis.

Potato Price Fixing Scored At Meeting Of Growers Ass'n

A resolution strongly criticising the Potato Marketing Board's price-fixing policy and urging consideration of a resolution now being circulated throughout the Province for establishment of a Board under different management was adopted unanimously at the annual meeting of the P. E. I. Potato Growers Association yesterday.

The resolution, which was moved by Brenton G. Clark, seconded by E. Howatt, reads as follows:

Whereas this annual meeting of the P. E. I. Potato Growers Association notes with concern the extreme difficulty in the marketing of the potato crop during the season of 1952-53, due to the continuous unrealistic attitude of the P. E. I. Potato Marketing Board in fixing prices which had no bearing on the market but forced the dealer or grower to suffer losses in order to maintain prices arbitrarily fixed by said Board.

Be it therefore resolved that this Association in annual assembly go on record as urging the Provincial Marketing Board and also the Provincial Government to give careful consideration to the considered opinions of the farmers as now being expressed in the petition now being circulated and ensure that before the next season commences, a competent Board will be set up which will be able to portray daily to the growers a true and correct picture of the marketing situation, and continue to provide the funds necessary for the protection of the industry and advertising as required and to discontinue the useless practice of establishing prices which cannot be enforced except at the expense of the dealer or grower.

Mr. L. T. Beaton of Bonshaw who presided at the meeting was re-elected President at a meeting of the board of directors immediately following. Directors for the coming year are Mr. George Saville, M.L.A. (re-elected) and Mr. Douglas Bell of Carleton, replacing Mr. Colin Waugh, Wilmot.

Manager's Report

"It is regretable that we cannot supply a more favorable report of our transactions for the year," stated Mr. Fred Bell, in his report as manager. "We might be able to offer many reasons why the situation is not more favourable than it is. Reasons may be advanced, and possibly they could be construed as a reason for failure. The best of my ability has been employed to show a profit. I would not at this time enter into the merits or demerits of the regulations governing the potato business. I will leave that to you to judge for yourselves. Should you consider that my effort has been unfavourable I can only abide by your decision.

"My actions have been entirely as I would have conducted my

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Regiment Prepares For Summer Camp

Preparations for summer camp by 5 Signals Regiment are fully underway and the advance party leaves here today for Camp Utopia to set up camp for the main body which will leave here Saturday morning by train.

The advance party of 10 all ranks will be commanded by Major F. S. Jenkins, second in command of the unit, who will have with him Capt. Earl Carmody and Lieut. Lorne Ramsay. They will travel in regimental vehicles.

When the main party leaves Saturday there will be 55 men all ranks under command of Lieut. Col. K. M. Johnston, officer commanding the regiment. With him as other officers will be Maj. E. A. McCarey, Capt. Ray Hennessey and Capt. R. L. B. Champion. Also attending will be Regimental Sergeant Major John Smith.

Attlee To Visit With Tito

LONDON, (Reuters — Clement Attlee, Labor party leader, will leave London Saturday for a three-week stay in Yugoslavia as guest of the government. He will stay part of the time with Marshal Tito.

in Suffolk was the setting for Benjamin Britten's opera "Peter Grimes."

HOLMAN STORE NEWS

— G. H. M. —

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YOU can take my word for it! . . . The HATS that are arriving daily will delight your eye and flatter your "Transition" wardrobe. They are styled in the newest mode and they are truly becoming. Such fine fabrics as fur felt, shimmering velvet, luxurious velour and serviceable wool felt in rich shades of black, brown, gray, deep green, wine and gay scarlet. The trimmings are novel—finely pleated grosgrain, steel beads, plastic flowers that glow and feathers are featured with entrancing veiling. We love them! . . . You will too! Come see and try the smart, new HATS, priced from 4.98 to 6.95 in the Millinery Section at Holman's.

YOU can take my word for it! . . . The touches of fine lace on the new SLIPS add the final filip to being well dressed. This morning, I really inspected four FANTASY SLIPS that will please the most choosy woman. They are of satin or lingerie crepe with either nylon or good cotton lace on the hemline and bodice top—in fact, one has a complete camisole top of lace, so it is perfect for under your sheer blouses. There are gored and straight cut styles and these four distinctive styles are exceptionally well made. The sizes are 32 to 42 and the prices are 2.98 and 3.98 in the Lingerie Section at Holman's.

IT'S TIME FOR A CHANGE - 22 YEARS WOULD BE TOO LONG

Inserted by the Queen's County Progressive Conservative Association