

OUR NEWS BUDGET for OUR SATURDAY SUBSCRIBERS

MONDAY Mrs. William Edward Smith of Charlottetown passed away yesterday at Beach Grove Inn where she had been a resident for several years. She was in her 96th year.

Born at Little Sands and for a short time a resident of Glen William, Mrs. Smith, the former Christine MacDonald married and lived in Charlottetown for many years, being predeceased by her husband 17 years ago.

Surviving sons are Major Walter A. Smith, and Frederick in Charlottetown and two daughters, Mrs. Louis J. Moore (Florence) and Mrs. John MacMillan, (Mary), both residing in Toronto.

HALIFAX—(Special)—The Halifax Atlantic Fleet is within one day of the Maritime Major Hockey League championship Saturday night by pouncing out an 8-3 victory over the Charlottetown Islanders in a one-sided game before a crowd of nearly 7,000 fans at the Halifax Forum.

The fleet Halifax forwards, capitalizing on their speed in the six Halifax Forum cut through the Islanders defenses with apparent ease to whip eight pucks past the unprotected A. Millar.

"Dollar Bill" scored a big money producer for Halifax skated the Islanders defense 59 seconds after the opening whistle and converted Bill Watson's long pass to shove the Atlantics into a lead which was never seriously threatened by the spiritless Islanders.

—Kenneth Bryenton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith C. Bryenton, of Union Road, was taken to Prince County Hospital in an unconscious condition yesterday afternoon after the single cylinder Royal Enfield motorcycle he was driving west on Water Street in Summerside was in collision with a 1947 Chev sedan turning onto Water Street from Granville Street, driven by George McGuirk of Borden.

The injured man suffered a severe concussion and was treated by Dr. Austin Delaney who arrived at the scene shortly after the accident. He was removed to Prince County Hospital where his condition last evening was reported as slightly improved. He had regained consciousness.

The residence of Mrs. Rose Porter, Abney, a few miles from Murray River, was destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon. The blaze was discovered about 4 o'clock but by the time neighbors gathered the fire had progressed so far it was not possible to save any of the contents of the dwelling.

Mrs. Porter was said to have been away at the time. A 16-year-old daughter was at home. There was a high wind blowing and the flames spread very quickly.

The loss was reported in the neighborhood of \$5,000, partially covered by insurance.

A tragic drowning accident claimed the lives of two well-known Charlottetown men at an early hour yesterday morning when Messrs. Ivan Andrews, 79 Spring Park Road, and Arthur Douglas Ramsay, 44 Villa Avenue, were apparently thrown from an overturned boat at Marshall's Pond, Stanhope. Mr. Andrews was 35 years of age. Mr. Ramsay in his 30th year.

The two men, who had been talking to the mill proprietor, Mr. Marshall, at about 8 a.m. were in a small boat with an outboard motor and apparently in no difficulty. Shortly after 4 p.m. Mr. Joseph Gallant and his son Carol who were fishing from a rubber dinghy, saw the victims on the bottom of the pond and notified the Mounted Police of their discovery. Later they assisted the Police in recovering the bodies.

Mr. Andrews who had conducted a meat and grocery business on Elm Avenue for several years, was born at North Milton, the son of Mr. Alfred Andrews and the late Mrs. Andrews. He is survived by his wife, the former Lillian Gard, and three young children, Errol, age 10, Dorren, 9, and Wayne, 6. Two brothers, Leith and Raymond, of North Milton, and one sister, Mrs. Fred Coles, North Wiltshire, also survive.

Mr. Andrews was a veteran of the late war, having served in the Navy and Leading Stores Assistant. He was also a member of St. Lawrence Lodge, I.O.O.F. and of Prince Street Baptist Church.

Mr. Ramsay was born at O'Leary and was predeceased by both parents several years ago. He had latterly been employed by Michael Bros. on Dorchester Street.

He is survived by his wife, the former Jean Street, and three children, Gayle, age 9, Sandra, 8, and Douglas, 15 months. One brother, Lorne, at Bedford and a sister, Mrs. L. Stetson, O'Leary, also survive. He was a member of Trinity United Church, Charlottetown.

The largest draft of the year of troops returning from the Far East is expected to land on the West Coast this week. Included in the group slated for all parts of Canada are 271 army members from the Atlantic Provinces. All have completed a one year tour in Korea and on arrival on the West Coast will immediately proceed on leave.

The Eastern draft includes 174 from Nova Scotia, 69 from New Brunswick, 29 from Newfoundland and 17 from Prince Edward Island. The names and addresses of the P. E. I. men follow:

Charlottetown: Pte. P. G. MacDonald, Georgetown; Sgt. B. H. Trubault, Alberton; Pte. H. E. R. Hawkins, Charlottetown; Pte. P. J. Sark, Port Hill and Cpl. C. E. Taylor, Charlottetown.

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The loss, he said, is from the farms and there are many communities where nearly a third of the farm homes are vacant, although the land may be operated by adjacent farmers.

An address prepared by W. R. Shaw, deputy minister of agriculture for P.E.I., drew attention to the reluctance of young people to face the uncertainty and toil of farm life. S. C. Wright, Charlottetown, read the address in Mr. Shaw's absence.

Four jovial black-face comedians, led by a competent interlocutor, produced smiles, chuckles and deep down laughs from an audience that filled Holy Name Hall last evening to witness the Merry Minstrel performance.

The entertainment, which was of exceptional merit throughout, was presented by the Holy Name Society of St. Dunstan's Basilica and produced by Mr. Conroy LeClair. The directors were Messrs. Earle Nicholson and Austin Connolly.

A succession of song specialties ranging from colored spirituals to the more sedate numbers with an occasional Western production in close harmony by two quartets, added variety and zest to the well balanced programme.

An eagerly awaited event which more than 1,000 people of all ages attended was the concert presented last night by the de Pau Infantry Chorus under the auspices of the Community Concert Association, at Prince of Wales College Auditorium, which was formed during World War II and sang for American troops from two Jima to Berlin, sprang into immediate popularity on its first post war tour.

It is now making its sixth concert-wide tour, performing before packed audiences all the way. The return of the chorus to Charlottetown has been impatiently awaited for, and the audience which was on hand for the group's re-appearance here more than filled the auditorium.

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A strong committee was inaugurated by Mayor Stewart at a meeting held in the Council Chambers, City Hall, yesterday afternoon to begin planning for the suitable observance of the Coronation of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

Councillor T. R. Cudmore heads the committee which includes Brigadier W. W. Reid, Lieut. Col. P. S. Fielding, Clerk of the Executive Council, Councillors P. C. McGormac, E. C. Johnson, Mayor D. Stewart, City Clerk J. A. Fullerton, Messrs. Ralph Crockett, Gerald Maddigan, Robert Large and in charge of publicity, Messrs. Farrel Gaudet and George Fraser.

Dr. R. G. Lea, Chairman of the City School Board, will have oversight of matters dealing with school children including parade, distribution of souvenir medals, and other features designed to make the occasion a memorable one for the public.

The chairman was requested to approach the following organizations at once with a request that they send representatives to a committee meeting to be held at City Hall next Tuesday at 7 p.m. for the purpose of organizing a parade. The organizations are: Air Force Association, R. C. M. P., City Police, Boy Scouts, Girl Guides, Exhibition Association, Labour Protective Union, and the various fraternal organizations, the Board of Trade and the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The highest honor which can be accorded an Ayrshire bull in Canada came to this Province when Glengarry Bit O'Fashion, was named as a Preferential Three Star bull. He is owned by Col. F. I. Andrew.

This is only the 16th time this honor has been given since Advanced Registry was introduced, and the first time it ever has come to the Maritime Provinces. Bit O'Fashion is also believed to be the only one of the 16 winners still living.

It is interesting to note that in the heavy Ayrshire county of Waterloo, Hamilton and Oxford, Ontario, the three cattle breeding associations have an artificial insemination service and two of the bulls used are sons of Bit O'Fashion. They are Fairview Fashion Count and Kendal Fashion King.

Top recognition of the value of the Island-type Yorkshire swine has been received with an order from the Central Experimental Farm Station, Ottawa. The swine have been asked for six bred sows and two boars to start a herd of their own.

The presence of Island bred Yorkshires in Ottawa should prove of inestimable publicity value to the Province as the Central Experimental Farm is the show case of Canadian agriculture. Countless United States farmers and breeders visit the Farm annually.

A similar request for Island stock was received this year from the Experimental Farm at Lennoxville, Quebec, and recently Mr. James Nicholson said that the locally bred animals are well known and fully recognized at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., where he recently completed a course in animal husbandry. In fact he said that the college husbandry department was using a son of a boar bred by McAuley, Souris.

The waterfront promises to be a busy spot today if the weather clears and permits loading and unloading operations of the half dozen ships in port.

The C.G.S. "Saxel", Captain Chouhaur, arrived yesterday and was berthed at the Marine wharf taking on buoys despite the inclement weather. The first lot to be placed will be the approaches to Charlottetown harbor followed by a distribution of the balance of the first outward trip to points in the Magdalen Islands area. Light-keepers will be landed at Bird Rock and other places during this trip. Mr. E. K. MacNutt, agent for the Department of Transport, Marine Branch, announced yesterday.

BIRTHS DOYLE—At the Prince County Hospital on Thursday, April 16, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Doyle, Summerside, a son, David.

MILLAR—At the Prince County Hospital, Summerside, on Wednesday, April 22, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Millar, (nee Helen Cairns), Kelvin, a daughter.

BERRIGAN—At the Charlottetown Hospital on April 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Berrigan, City, a son.

BELL—At Grace Maternity Hospital, Halifax, on April 12, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell, formerly of Borden, twins, a boy Donald Arthur and a girl Donna Jean.

MORRISON—At St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, on April 18th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. William Morrison (nee Theresa Carragher) a son James Gerard, 8 lbs. 15 ozs.

MAVICAR—At the P. E. Island Hospital, April 22nd, 1953, to Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Mavicar, Charlottetown, a boy, Brian Archibald MacDonald.

FOR RENT Four room heated apartment in central part of the city. Unfurnished. Electric stove and Frigidaire supplied. Possession May 1st. For further particulars apply— The Eastern Trust Company, 154 Richmond Street.

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FOR SALE Large nine-roomed brick house in good repair, central residential section. Two fireplaces, hot water heating throughout. Lot 40' x 100', with garage. For further particulars PHONE 42-1.

FOR SALE Summer cottage at York Point, opposite Brighton Shore. Cottage has two bedrooms, living room, kitchen, sunporch and built-in bathroom with school-type septic tank. Apply— GORDON C. WARREN, Experimental Farm, Telephone 2835.

FOR SALE Registered No. 1 Charlottetown No. 80 Barley. Germination test 99%. Apply, 108 Prince St. or at my farm, East Royalty. FRED I. ANDREW, Phone 1872.

AUCTION SALE There will be public auction on the premises at Morell on Saturday, May 2nd, 1953, at 2 o'clock P. M., the house and lot and a small quantity of personal effects belonging to the Estate of Mrs. Leticia L. O'Halloran. This was the property formerly owned by the Estate of the late Georgina Barry, and consists of a residence on a plot of land sized 70 ft. x 74 ft. Terms made known at sale. M. A. FARMER, Solicitor. JAMES B. JAY, Auctioneer.

LAND FOR SALE Two acres of land in Royalty Charlottetown. Apply— PALMER & HASLAM, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

FOR SALE HILLMAN MINX 7,000 Miles Excellent Condition 78 BRIGHTON ROAD Phone 1660

FOR SALE Desirable farm of 50 acres at Kelly's Cross. Formerly owned by the late Philip Monaghan. For full particulars apply to M. A. FARMER, Solicitor.

FOR SALE 1 1/4 acres at Pleasant Grove, with new five room bungalow, cement foundation. Well and pump in house. One quarter mile from pavement. For further particulars apply to— Bell, Mathieson & Foster Solicitors, Charlottetown.

FOR SALE Very desirable property situated in the Brighton area. New dwelling containing seven rooms. Very modern. Air conditioned. Oil heating. Large lot. Garage attached to house. For particulars apply— The Eastern Trust Company, 154 Richmond Street.

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Valuable Three Apartment House FOR SALE Estate A. T. MacKinnon, No. 51 Prince Street, Charlottetown.—One, six-room apartment; TWO, five-room apartments. Each with modern bathroom. Good central hot water Heating System. For particulars apply to Mrs. A. T. MacKinnon, on the premises, or to the undersigned. MacPHEE and TRAINOR, Barristers, &c., 165 Queen Street, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

FOR SALE Bay gelding 3 yrs., sire Pagliacci, 2:07 1/2, dam Arlene's Money 2:11 1/5, by Real Money 2:09, 2nd dam Tara Hanover, 3 yrs. 2:16 by Bunter 2:04, 3rd dam Roma Dillon by Dillon Axworthy, 4th dam Madame Peters by Peter the Great. Dudie Harvester, bay brood mare, 10 yrs. by Dude Harvester by Lee Harvester (dam Sadie McKinney), 1st dam Dorothy Davenport by Davenport. 1 set used hoppers, 1 set used harness, 2 high class western saddles. Leaving to take up duties elsewhere, everything going at sacrifice prices. Write or wire— EDWARD LINDON, Newcastle, N. B. Phone No. 193-W, Newcastle.

FOR SALE FACTORY EQUIPMENT 1 Steam Engine 10 H.P. Steam Boiler, Murray 2 Retorts All other factory equipment All in good shape. Apply to— JOSEPH BELL, Murray Harbour.

RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY FOR SALE One of the most desirable homes in the vicinity of Charlottetown. Situated on paved highway one and a half miles from City limits. House has three bedrooms and bathroom on second floor. Living room with fireplace, bedroom with separate bathroom, den, dining room and kitchen on first floor. Large basement with rumpus room. Heated garage attached to house. Hot water oil burning furnace. Property faces Charlottetown Harbor and contains two acres of land with right of way to beach. Mrs. Sherman MacDuff Brookfield, P.E.I.

Kennedy & Mustard REAL ESTATE BROKERS 125 Kent Street Phone 1108

AUCTION SALE AT ST. CATHERINES ON APRIL 29th—1 P.M. Consisting of the following:— STOCK: 3 good work horses; 2 newly freshened cows, 7 and 4 years; 1 cow, 5 yrs., freshen in June; 1 fat cow; 2 heifers, 2 yrs.; 4 yearlings; spring calves, all Shorthorn grade. MACHINERY: 1 McCormack binder; 1 hay-cutter; 1 grain crusher; 1 spring tooth harrow; 1 lever harrow; 1 light harrow; 1 Broadcast seeder; 1 gang plough (new); 3 single ploughs; 1 hiller; 1 scuffer; 1 thrasher and cleaner combined; 1 engine; 1 pulper; 1 hay rake; 1 roller; 2 wood sleighs and pole; 1 truck wagon box and rack; 1 driving wagon; 1 driving sleigh; 1 saw bench; 1 set three horse eveners; hay fork, 100 ft. rope; cart-saddle and breeching; all work and driving harness; 2 sets block and tackle; quantity cedar shingles; Daisy churn; cream separator, 600 lbs.; 2 cream cans; quantity mixed grain and oats; number wooden tubs; 2 hay stacks; carpenter's tools; forks; shovels; hoes, and saws, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS: All sums up to ten dollars Cash; over that amount six months' credit on approved joint note with 6% interest. Sale positive as farm is sold. If stormy, first fine day. JOHN C. MacPHEE, Auctioneer. GORDON MacLEAN, Owner.