

## Locals and Other Items

The First Canadian Division will begin to arrive here from France next week. The first battalion from this division will leave for Canada early in April.

About one hundred new books were received at the Public Library last week, comprising fiction, biography, history and general literature. They will be ready for circulation in a few days time.

During the war 8000 enemy airplanes shot down by the British air forces, while 2800 machines were missing, so Brigadier General J. E. B. announced in the House of Commons.

The second sermon in the Lenten services was preached at St. Dunstan's Cathedral on Sunday last by the Rev. Dr. McLennan of St. Dunstan's University, the subject being "Rivolution in Religion." The learned Doctor handled his subject in his usual masterly style; it is always a pleasure to hear him and a warm welcome is always accorded him by the parishioners of St. Dunstan's.

Lieut. Graham Thomas Lyall of a Central Ontario regiment received the Victoria Cross from the King at Buckingham Palace for rushing a position alone and capturing 45 prisoners and five machine guns. He was born in Manchester, England, in 1892 and enlisted at St. Catharines, Ont., in September 1915.

The Soldiers Settlement Commission has opened an office in the Riley Building, Queen Street, where all particulars may be obtained regarding loans to soldiers for land settlement and purchase. This affords an opportunity for every soldier who wishes to take up farming. Mr. N. W. Lither, provincial representative, is in charge, and will be pleased to give all particulars.

Any one interested in poultry and who wants to see a sight to charm the eyes should have a look at the pens of pullets in the egg laying contest at the Experiment Farm. All the pens look to be in the pink of condition and are turning out the eggs at a lively rate. The showing will be found well worth a visit by everybody who is interested in poultry for pleasure and profit.

St. Patrick's Day was observed in Charlottetown by the usual parade of the Benevolent Irish Society and the Ancient Order of Hibernians. Headed by the League of the Cross Band playing spirited Irish airs, the two Societies marched from their quarters on Lower Queen Street at 10 a. m. to St. Dunstan's Cathedral to service, where an eloquent sermon for the occasion was preached by Rev. Dr. McGuigan.

Alberton Fire Losses. The adjustment of the many insurance claims in the Alberton conflagration have all been completed and Messrs Hyndman & Co. are paying out immediately for their Companies about Thirty Thousand Dollars, being one half of the whole insurance loss in that town. Such prompt settlement in a disaster of this kind should go a long way to hearten the good people of Alberton in rebuilding and starting business again.

Up at the west end of the Island there is an immense quantity of snow and sleighing is likely to continue for a considerable time yet. One gentleman returned from Tignish on Saturday says that there is six feet of snow on the level, fences being mostly buried.

The British army on the Rhine includes a division of cavalry made up of twelve regiments, a statement issued by the War Office regarding the make up of the army shows. There are five battalions of cyclists in the force and twelve battalions of tanks, while the artillery comprises 260 batteries of all kinds. There are 32 squadrons of the Royal Air Force attached to the army. Of infantry there are 102 battalions with thirty light trench mortar battalions. The engineers, the Army Service Corps, the signal corps and other technical organizations are of a size to correspond with the main force of the army.

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The heartfelt sympathy of all will be extended to Mr. and Mrs. Reuben MacDonald on the death of their dearly beloved and only child, Athol William.

Mr. Romanus McDonald of Glenferris, has just received the Distinguished Conduct Medal which was won by his brother Lt. John J. MacDonald for conspicuous bravery on the field. Lt. MacDonald who is now in England, is attached to the 8th Canadian Railway troops.

The Dominion Treasury has a surplus for the eleven months of this fiscal year of about \$78,000,000 not including war expenditures. Revenues will cross the \$300,000,000 mark. But since revenue from present sources cannot keep up, on account of cessation of much war business, vigorous hunting of revenue from other sources is inevitable.

Clark Wright of 345th Field Artillery is awake after a four weeks sleep. Physicians who had failed to arouse him agree that either an attack of influenza or else too close studying in the army caused the long sleep. The lieutenant appears to be in fairly good health after his long nap.

A distinguished visitor to Charlottetown at the present time is the Right Reverend James Morrison, D.D., Bishop of the diocese of Antigonish Nova Scotia. Bishop Morrison is a brother of Rev. F. X. Morrison, D.D., pastor of St. Joseph's church, Berkeley, at whose residence His Lordship will remain while in the bay district. The diocese of Antigonish is one of the largest in Eastern Canada and numbers amongst its noted Catholic institutions the famous University of St. Francis Xavier.—The Maple Leaf.

## DIED

McKELVIE—At Malpeque on Thursday, January 16th, Mrs. McKelvie in the 86th year of her age.

STEVENSON—At 93 Weymouth St., March 15th, Julia A. Kempton, beloved wife of Matthew Stevenson, aged 80 years.

McPhail—Suddenly at Argyle, Shore on Sunday morning the 16th Mary Eliza, beloved wife of James McPhail aged 51 years.

WOODSIDE—At Malpeque on Sunday, March 9th, Mrs. Jane Woodside, relict of the late James Woodside in the 73rd year of her age.

VICKERSON—At Missoula Montana, March 11th, 1919, Frank H. Vickerson, formerly of North River P. E. I.

PERRY—At North Rustico on March, 15th, 1919, Hubert Perry, aged 76 years. R. I. P.

MacDonald—At Dundas on March 9, Margaret, widow of the late John MacDonald in her 84th year.

MURRAY—At Tryon, Lot 5, March 17, 1919, John Murray aged 88 years.

MACDONALD.—In this city on the 16th inst. Athol William, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben MacDonald Upper Prince Street, aged seventeen months. The funeral will take place Thursday Morning at 10.30 o'clock to the People's Cemetery.

McDonald—At 305 Richmond St. March, 18th, Mary A. McDonald aged 25.—R. I. P.

CARLTON.—In Charlottetown on Tuesday morning Jessie A. eldest daughter of the late John Wear and widow of the late Alfred M. Carlton in the 57th year of her age. Funeral on Wednesday afternoon by train to Sherwood Cemetery. Service at the house to start at 1.45 p. m.

JENKINS.—In Georgetown, March 16, 1919, W. W. Jenkins, aged 58 years.

HOGAN.—At Hope River on March 8th, 1919 in her 64th year. Mary Anne Hogan beloved wife of Wm. H. Hogan. Price 25 cents a box.

## Death Of Mrs.

## Senator Murphy

A venerable and highly respected lady had passed to the Great Beyond, in the person of Mrs. Arsenault, widow of the late Senator Joseph O. Arsenault, which sad event occurred at her home in Summerside at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The late Mrs. Arsenault was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Felix Gaudet, one of the oldest and most prominent families in Misconche. She had been in failing health for some time past and since last autumn had been confined to her bed. Characteristic of the happy Christian life she had lived, her illness was borne with the highest Christian fortitude and patience. She was a lady of exemplary character, hospitable to a degree and her beautiful home in Abrams's Village during the life time of her husband will long be pleasantly remembered by the many in this and the neighboring provinces who enjoyed its hospitality. The many friends of their sons and daughters were always sure of a warm welcome from the Senator and his amiable wife. After the death of her husband Mrs. Arsenault resided with her son, Rev. S. J. Arsenault, and her daughter, Miss Jacqueline, in North Dakota. About six years ago she returned to Prince Edward Island and since then resided with her daughter, Miss Jacqueline in Summerside. She brought up a family of nine children, five sons and four daughters, all of whom she had the satisfaction of seeing well educated and comfortably settled. The sons and daughters are as follows: Rev. S. J. Arsenault, Crosby, North Dakota, who spent two months in the province last summer visiting his mother; Mrs. (Dr.) Gallant, Amherst, Magdalen Islands; Mr. J. E. Arsenault, Agent, for the London Life Assurance Co. residing in Charlottetown; Miss Jacqueline Arsenault Summer side; Hon. Aubin E. Arsenault, Premier of Prince Edward Island, Charlottetown; Mrs. P. W. Dugal, Quebec city; Mr. Anthony J. Arsenault, formerly of Williamsburg, North Dakota, now of Moncton, N. B.; Miss Octavia Arsenault, Summerside; Mr. T. O. Arsenault, Minneapolis.

The funeral will take place Thursday morning, the services being held in St. Paul's Church, Summerside and interment in the churchyard of her native parish, Egmont Bay.

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## Legislature Opens April 2nd

A meeting of the Provincial Executive was held yesterday afternoon. Owing to the death of Premier Arsenault's mother and his leaving for Summerside in the afternoon some important matters intended for discussion were laid over for a future meeting to be called shortly. The date of the opening of the Legislature was fixed for Wednesday, April 2nd.

A SENSIBLE MERCHANT. Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders give women prompt relief from monthly pains, and have no bad after effects whatsoever. Be sure you get Milburn's. Price 25 cents a box.

## Rhodes Scholarships

The election of Rhodes Scholars postponed on account of the war will be resumed throughout Canada during the present year. Scholarships for both 1918 and 1919 are due to Prince Edward Island. The application of candidates should be made to the Chief Superintendent of Education for the Province, who will transmit them to the Trust in London. The Scholars for 1920 and 1921 will be elected in October 1920. The conditions of eligibility remain as in past years, except that extension of the age limit may be granted to candidates for 1919 who have been engaged in war service.

TENDERS  
For Steam Communication  
BETWEEN  
Charlottetown, Orwell, Cranston, and East and West Rivers

Department of Public Works, Charlottetown, P.E.I.  
March 10, 1919.

Sealed Tenders will be received at this Department until noon on Monday, April 14, 1919, from any person or persons willing to contract with the Government of Prince Edward Island to run a steamer of about 200 tons registered, and holding a certificate to carry not less than 200 passengers, and capable of maintaining a speed of not less than 10 knots per hour.

From Charlottetown to Cranston once a week.

From Charlottetown to Orwell once a week.

From Charlottetown to East River once a week.

From Charlottetown to West River once a week.

For a period of five years from the opening of navigation 1919. Parties tendering to state separately for what annual subsidy they will perform the services for a five or ten year period.

For further particulars as regards the rates for passengers and freight, also the days and hours for sailing from the respective places, apply to this office.

Good and sufficient securities must be provided for the faithful performance of the contract.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

L. B. McMillan,  
Secy. of Public Works,  
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## St. Louis Fur Exchange Buys Direct from Trapper

Due to certain complaints being brought to the notice of this St. Louis Fur Exchange, 7th and Chestnut Streets, St. Louis, Missouri, U. S. A., of unsatisfactory grading of furs, as made by some of the advertising fur houses of that market, where in January over ten million dollars worth of furs were sold, they are now also receiving shipments of furs from the trapper direct, and are recognized and registered under licence P. E. F. 30 with the U. S. Fur Trade Board and all the Collectors of Customs, thus insuring free passage of furs when addressed to them with the words "Raw Furs of Canadian Origin" on the package or shipping tag. Their advertisement appears on page 3.

## SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 4th April 1919 for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years six times per week over Rural Mail route No. 2 from Summerside P. E. Island from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions on proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Summerside and at the Post Office Inspector.

JOHN F. WHEAR  
Post Office Inspector  
Post Office Inspector's Office,  
March 5, 1919 31.

MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA.

## Announcement

For the information of our many patrons, in both town and country, we deem it necessary to announce that the Coal Business, successfully carried on in the past by the late Mr. Charles Lyons, will be continued by the Estate, under the old firm name of C. Lyons & Co.

By maintaining a high standard of service and by courteous and honest treatment of the public, this firm has, for a period of more than a quarter of a century, enjoyed a large and ever-increasing patronage; and in announcing our intention of "carrying on," we desire, most earnestly, to give expression to our appreciation thereof. We are deeply grateful to the firm's many patrons for their constant manifestation of confidence in it in the past, and we assure them that if they favor us with a similar evidence of their good-will in future there shall be no economy of effort on our part to make our intercourse both pleasant and profitable to them.

As we possess almost unlimited facilities for supplying the coal trade, and as we are desirous of extending our already large business, we respectfully invite the patronage of new customers; and if we succeed in thus increasing our present connection, we guarantee that we shall be indefatigable in our endeavor to justify the confidence of our new friends.

We again thank our patrons for their past generous patronage, and respectfully solicit a renewal of their esteemed custom.

C. LYONS & CO.  
Queen Street Charlottetown, P. E. I.  
March 19, 1919

PRIZE COMPETITION  
OPEN TO EVERY RESIDENT OF P. E. I.

The Charlottetown Industrial Promotion Committee offer a series of PRIZES for the best articles on the subject of

## New Manufacturing Industries For P. E. Island

The Prizes are as follows:  
First Prize.....\$10.00  
Second Prize.....7.00  
Third Prize.....3.00

IN ORDER TO AFFORD THE GREATEST POSSIBLE OPPORTUNITY TO CONTRIBUTORS, THE TIME FOR RECEIVING SAME HAS BEEN EXTENDED TO MARCH 25th.

The articles will be limited to 500 words. As a suggestion to competitors the following general subjects are proposed:

(1) The benefit of Manufacturing Industries to Prince Edward Island.  
(2) Manufacturing Industries which would be most suitable to Prince Edward Island.  
(3) The best means of obtaining such manufacturing industries.

The prizes for these articles will be donated by MOORE & McLEOD, Limited, and PROWSE BROS., Limited.

Articles will be judged by the Publicity Section of the Charlottetown Industrial Promotion Committee. All articles to be written on one side of the paper only, marked "Prize Competition," signed by the writer, and addressed as follows:

Mr. J. E. B. MCCREADY,  
Publicity Agent,  
Charlottetown, P. E. I.

March 19, 1919

FOOTWEAR  
FOR  
Fall and Winter

All our New Fall Shoes are here. This year we have many special lines in each department.

## Amherst Work Shoes

These shoes are the best heavy shoes made. See our many lines for men, women and children.

## Heavy Rubbers

The kind that keep you warm and dry. We sell the INDEPENDENT MAKE—Canada's Best.

We are agents for Queen Quality, Invictus, Clarke Bros. and Amherst Shoes.

BARGAINS  
Button Boots for Women, worth \$6.00. Now \$3.98  
Button Boots for Women, worth \$4.00. Now \$2.98  
ALLEY & CO.  
135 QUEEN STREET.

## HERRING. HERRING

We have some good Herring in stock, by Pail, Dozen and Half Barrel.  
If you desire a Half Barrel mail us \$6.25 and add Fifty Cents extra for freight if you do not receive your freight at a Booking Station.  
If Herring are not satisfactory return at once and your money will be refunded. Address

R. F. MADDIGAN  
CHARLOTTETOWN

## Furs. Furs. Furs

—SHIP TO US DIRECT—  
THE TOP MARKET PRICE PAID  
AND EQUITABLE GRADING MADE  
—NO DELAYS AT ANY POINT—

We are registered with and recognized by the United States War Trade Board and all of the Collectors for Customs under licence P. B. F. 30, and you can send your furs to us direct by our tag or any tag, changed to suit, if marked "Furs of Canadian Origin," and your furs will come right through.

## FAIR GRADING

The rules and ethics of the exchange do not permit of sending out alluring price lists, yet we give you an exact and expert grading and pay you at a rate of five to twenty-five cents more on the dollar than the average advertising fur company, as we cut out all middleman's profit in dealing direct with you.

## St. Louis Fur Exchange

7th & Chestnut, St. Louis, Mo., U.S.A.  
March 12, 1919—31

CARTER'S  
Feed and Grain Store

Oats, Pressed Hay, Pressed Straw  
Feed Wheat for poultry, Chicken Feed, Scratch Feed, Ground Oyster Shells, Cotton Seed Meal, Sugar Beet Meal, Cracked Grain, Milk Mash and Egg Mash for laying hens, Flax Seed, Pure Linseed Meal, Charcoal for poultry, Alfalfa Meal, Bird Seed, Bird Gravel, Ground Poultry Bone Beef & Bone Scraps, Leg Bands Wire Hen's Nests, Drinking Fountains, &c., &c., all at LOWEST PRICE

## WHOLESALE and RETAIL

Carter & Co., Ltd  
Seed Warehouse, Queen Street

Buy W-S Where You See This Sign

WHEN AFFIXED TO A WAIVER CERTIFICATE AND SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS PRINTED THEREON

5 FIVE DOLLARS 5

W-S

Read the Figures  
Notice how the cost—and the cash value—of the stamp advances each month until, on the 1st day of January, 1924, the Dominion of Canada is pledged to pay \$5.00 for each W-S.

ACTUAL SIZE OF W-S