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FROSTS CAUSE DAMAGE TO HIGHWAYS; HEAVY TRAFFIC CURTAILED DURING THAW-OUT

Anticipate Better Year for Syrup Makers

"CANADIAN VIEWPOINT"
By Allan McGee

Specially Written for Readers of The Watchman

Now that the Government has signed up for a joint waterways treaty with the United States and established a guarantee for the wheat producers in the western provinces, we can start to look around once more.

ROADS CLOSE FOR HEAVY TRAFFIC

The spring thaw is just around the corner and soon the roads will look like young Willie with the hives. The bumps and holes which are caused by the frost coming out of the ground cause a great deal of damage to our macadamized roads. For several weeks it will be impossible for large trucks to pass over certain sections with a full load, and the Department of Roads has already issued instructions to the various trucking firms concerning the curtailment of traffic during the thaw.

It is, therefore, advisable for anyone planning to move heavy loads in the near future to consult the local authorities. The roads in certain localities will be guarded against heavy traffic by a special squad of police, who will have the job of checking up on the load capacity of our transport trucks.

MAPLE SAP RUNNING

Once again the sap in the maples is starting its spring run for higher levels.

For centuries this province has been famous for its maple syrup and sugar, and every indication this year would point to a very heavy crop. The weather has been ideal, with warm, sunny days and clear cold nights which make for a good run of sap.

Last year the syrup was not up to expectations, due to extraordinary weather. Late snows held up the flow of the sap and in some parts the snow was so deep that it was impossible to make the rounds from tree to tree to gather the sap cans. This year it looks as though we are going to have plenty of syrup in the bush.

Incidentally, why not send some of our famous sugar to the boys overseas? They cannot get maple sugar in England very easily, and it is easy to prepare for overseas shipment. I know that many of the lads who got a small package of these sweets from home last year were enthusiastic over it. It's an idea.

PRESENTS FOR ADOLPH

While on the subject of small packages, you might be interested in an announcement which came from Ottawa this past week.

Three large factories are scheduled to come into production this year to supply us with a huge quantity of high explosives for presentation to Adolph Hitler. These explosives are of a type never before manufactured in Canada, and in the three plants alone there will be sufficient production to surpass the supply made at the end of the last war.

When the third factory is opened late this summer we will be able to supply all our national requirements and have enough left over to export to England. In addition we will be able to fill the shells now being manufactured in the United States. To date these American-made shells have been shipped to Great Britain without explosives and they had to be filled in English factories before being used against the enemy.

Now Hitler will get his presents with the well-known stamp, "Made in Canada."

AUSTRALIA ENDOWS CHILDREN

Because our province is noted for its large families, I think you should read this.

In Australia, on and after July 1st, the government will pay a subsidy to all mothers to help support, feed and educate their children. The money will be paid directly by the local authorities to the mother, or else to the woman in charge of the child.

The amount paid ($1.20) each week will be provided by a new tax on payrolls which goes into effect on June 30th.

It is hoped that the new system will encourage the people of Australia to have bigger and better families, and this new help to the mothers will assure each child of a fair chance to health and happiness.

In announcing the new payments, the government stated that they hoped it would be the forerunner of many new reforms in favor of the people.

ANNIVERSARY ON SUNDAY

On April 6th, 1917, the United States entered the World War on the side of the Allies. Today, even more than then, they are on our

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Lady Suffers Fractured Hand When Trampled By A Horse

Morin Heights — Mrs. Lawson Kennedy, of this place, suffered a broken hand when she was trampled by a horse last week.

H. M. Gall Is New President Of Curling Club

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING; OFFICERS ELECTED

PRESENTATION OF SEASON'S PRIZES, DINNER AND SOCIAL PROGRAM

At the semi-annual meeting of the Lachute Curling Club last Thursday, H. M. Gall was named to succeed James MacKimmie as president for the ensuing year. W. D. Stewart was chosen vice-president, while H. McFaul and T. Haller were appointed honorary secretary and treasurer, respectively.

On the board of directors are G. Valois, R. McArthur, J. W. Gall, J. Mason and R. Charron. John MacKimmie, H. Scott and W. J. Deacon were selected to the house and ice committee and W. D. Stewart, F. A. Bennian and J. R. Charron to the reception committee. Honorary auditors are J. W. Gall and G. Valois.

Reports showed a very successful season, and satisfaction in the new arrangement whereby the club operates under the Hawkesbury Centre in district tourneys, was expressed at the gathering. A vote of appreciation was also extended to retiring President MacKimmie for his untiring work.

A dinner was held in conjunction with the program and prizes won throughout the season were presented as follows:

Dunany Cup: L. Laurin, Dr. F. MacMartin, L. J. King, John MacKimmie, skip.

Mackie, Sr., Cup: U. Bartholomew, H. Scott, H. M. Gall, J. W. Gall, skip.

Mackie, Jr., Cup: J. Perodeau, H. Mason, G. Crichton, Dr. F. MacMartin, skip.

President's Prize for Doubles: R. McArthur, Dr. F. MacMartin.

Granite Competition: L. Carrière, W. D. Stewart, R. A. Giles, W. S. MacKimmie, skip.

Deer Falls Prey To Town Dogs

ANIMAL FOUND DEAD IN LACHUTE LIMITS

A 200-lb. buck deer, chased by dogs last week, fell exhausted within the town limits and was found dead on the Barron property behind the United Church. The deer had crossed the frozen river from the mountain, and tracks showed where it had fallen previously but later continued its flight from the marauding dogs until, overcome by exhaustion, it collapsed in the field. The carcass was removed by town workmen.

LACHUTE SPRING FAIR SURPLUS TO AUGMENT SPITFIRE FUND

Directors Prepare Plans; Unanimous Decision on Profits Is Patriotic Wartime Gesture

Churchill, Inspiration of British People



Britain's Prime Minister, Mr. Winston Churchill, is seen acknowledging cheers from dockyard workers when he paid a recent visit to Southampton and Portsmouth. It will be observed that Mr. Churchill carries his gas-mask and steel helmet.

Head of Canadian Corps Endorses the Work of Auxiliary Services

"It is to the great social and welfare organizations, grouped together for convenience of administration in Canadian Auxiliary Services, that we look for the provision of the valued extras in the way of comforts and conveniences and personal help which otherwise could not be made available or distributed to the individual we desire to benefit," Lieut-General A. G. L. McNaughton, Canadian Corps Commander, stated in a broadcast from England last week, in behalf of the appeal of the Canadian War Services.

"The wholesome use of leisure and the satisfaction of personal needs are problems which do not lend themselves to being solved effectively through the complex and highly specialized mechanism of military procedure," he pointed out, adding, "it is in this field of useful and constructive effort that the great Canadian social and welfare organizations are doing such invaluable work."

Maple Products for Overseas Camps And Hospitals

The Red Cross Society is inviting donations from maple syrup makers, to be sent to the troops overseas. One-gallon cans of syrup and 10-lb. packages of sugar will be welcomed for this purpose.

The Grimm Evaporator Co. and express firms will collaborate with free shipments, while Geo. Y. Deacon, Lachute Mills, has agreed to receive the maple products at his store and forward them to the Red Cross Headquarters; the donor entails no bother or expense in this connection.

The Ottawa Farm Journal Commends Action, Speaks Highly of Annual Fair

Having decided to hold the Lachute Fair this year, the directors met recently and set the dates for June 12-13-14. Losing no time, a further meeting was held last Saturday afternoon, at which the directors got down to work and adjusted the prize list, shortly to be issued.

In commenting on the action of the Society, the Ottawa Farm Journal says as follows:

"To our mind Lachute Spring Exhibition directors have taken the right and courageous course by deciding to hold their show in June this year. This has always been one of the best shows in the district, and the fact it is open to Eastern Ontario breeders and farmers makes the decision of particular importance.

"Now it is up to these breeders and farmers to show the Lachute directors they have made a wise decision. There is no reason why Lachute Fair next June should not be an outstanding show. Let's all work to make it one."

A public spirit was shown in the directors' unanimous decision that any surplus accruing from the Fair would be turned over to the Argenteuil Spitfire Fund.

Referendum on Sewerage Project Shows Majority of Property-Holders in Favor

Town Clerk Reports at Council Session

ROUTINE MATTERS UNDER DISCUSSION AT REGULAR TOWN MEETING

The regular meeting of Lachute Town Council was held last evening under chairmanship of Mayor H. Lamarche, the following were present — Aldermen F. McGibbon, E. Prevost, H. Roy, J. Speight, W. Morrissette, R. Muir, A. Scott and S. Holt.

The secretary reported on results of the referendum taken last week, March 28-29, on By-law 156 pertaining to sewer installations in the West Ward. A majority of 23 property-holders voted in favor of the project and flotation of loan to meet its cost. The count was as follows:

For — 71 voters, with property valuation of $554,985.00.

Against — 48 voters; valuation $422,825.00.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved on motion of Ald. Holt seconded by Alderman Speight — with exception of the clause pertaining to grant of $100 to A. Paulsen for floral culture of the memorial park . . . In this connection it was moved by Ald. Holt, seconded by Ald. Prevost, that Mr. Paulsen be given contract to supply plants and care of same in the park for the sum of $175.

It was moved by Ald. Prevost, seconded by Ald. Morrissette, that permit be extended to Mr. Lacasse for operation of his pool room for the current year.

It was moved by Ald. McGibbon, seconded by Ald. Prevost that the roads committee, be impowered to receive plans and give necessary authority for construction of a building by Wilfrid Durocher.

The secretary read a letter from Messrs. Vallee and Moore, of Verdun, enquiring as to the possibility of establishing a wood-working factory in town; the project was described as a plant to manufacture broom-handles, etc., with possible extension to the making of veneer.

It was moved by Ald. Scott, seconded by Ald. Speight, that J. Vivrais be hired to collect garbage at $20 per week during the summer months, the work to be done under supervision of health committee.

It was moved by Ald. McGibbon, seconded by Ald. Prevost, that the Mayor be appointed to represent Lachute at the annual convention of the Federation of Mayors and municipalities, to be held in Ottawa on April 22nd.

Two tenders were received for the Chapman property, one from Ed. Laurin, for $710, the other from H. Filion for $700. On motion of Ald. Muir, seconded by Ald. Scott, the matter was left over for further consideration.

It was moved by Ald. Prevost, seconded by Ald. Speight, that the town corporation sell its crusher, bin, boiler and engine to Aldege Filion, for the sum of $150.

Application from the Lachute Women's Institute for use of the Auditorium on April 22nd, was granted by council.

Early Rector of Grenville Parish Dead in Ontario

LATE DR. W. J. P. BAUGH IS SURVIVED BY TWO BROTHERS IN ANGLICAN CLERGY

Latterly Incumbent at Greensville, Ontario

The Rev. C. W. Baugh of Lakefield left here Tuesday for Greensville, Ont., to attend the funeral of his brother, the late Rev. Dr. Wm. Jesse Palmer Baugh, whose death occurred at the age of 60.

The late Rev. Baugh, Doctor of Literature, was a former rector of Grenville Parish in this county. He occupied the incumbency there in the years 1909 to 1915. He was first ordained to the diaconate in 1905 by Bishop Bond, and to the priesthood in 1906 by Bishop Carmichael. Before coming to Grenville he was minister to the parish of Portage du Fort, in Pontiac County. From Grenville he later went to Lacolle, Que., and finally to Greensville, Ont., where he was incumbent at the time of his decease. His wife, the former Muriel Thompson, died only a few months ago. They had no children.

Among surviving members of his family are a sister, and his two brothers in the Anglican clergy, the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh of this community and the Rev. H. G. L. Baugh, B. D., rector at Port Colborne, Ont.

The funeral was held today, Thursday, at Greensville.

Nowadays, a necessity is almost any luxury you see in the home of a neighbor.

The Watchman is on sale each week at the Rexall Drugstore, Main Street, Lachute, and at Stanley Thompson's, Brownsburg. Single copies, five cents.

Appointed Principal



Miss M. Cameron Hay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hay and a graduate of Lachute Academy, who succeeds the late W. Allen Walsh, former M.P., as principal of Strathcona Academy, Outremont.

Winter Road Is Profitable to Gv't

LAURENTIAN ROUTE BRINGS TOLLS AND GAS REVENUES

An estimated revenue of from $15,000 to $30,000 has accrued to Quebec Government through toll bridges and gasoline tax during the past winter through keeping the Laurentian highway open mainly through private enterprise. This figure is arrived at by Ken W. Harrison, of Ste. Agathe, general manager of the Laurentian Winter Roads Association, after a check on the number of cars that have travelled north beyond St. Jerome during the past three or four months. Last fall the association purchased a powerful "snow-fighter" with which the highway from St. Jerome to St. Jovite was kept open all the winter. The highway from Montreal to St. Jerome was kept open by the Provincial Government under contract, and the Government contributed $3,300 toward the cost of maintaining the 50 miles from there to St. Jovite. From St. Jovite to Mont Tremblant the highway was kept open by private enterprise.

Counting the toll bridge fees and the gas tax of eight cents a gallon, a conservative estimate of revenue that the government derived by having the road open was $1 on each car travelling the route, Mr. Harrison reports. On this basis the Winter Roads Association figured the Government derived a direct revenue of at least $15,000 with a possible maximum of $30,000, during the winter. In addition, Mr. Harrison pointed out, tourism to the province had been greatly increased and a large number of United States citizens visited the Laurentians by car during the winter.

Lachute Lady Is New Appointee To Principalship

MISS M. CAMERON HAY, B.A., FORMER ASSISTANT, HEADS STRATHCONA ACADEMY

Outstanding Authority On Educational Matters

Miss M. Cameron Hay, B.A., has been appointed principal of Strathcona Academy by the Outremont Protestant Board of School Trustees. Miss Hay succeeds the late W. Allen Walsh, former M.P.

Miss Hay is recognized as one of the outstanding educationists of the province. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hay, of Lachute, she was educated here at Lachute Academy and later attended McGill University, from which she graduated as a Bachelor of Arts. She started her teaching career at West Hill High School, and then became head of the department of mathematics at Strathcona Academy. She was appointed assistant principal of the academy eight years ago.

Miss Hay has given her services to various teachers' organizations in the province and has been honorary secretary and later vice-president of the Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers. In 1938 she was awarded the Order of Scholastic Merit, second class, by the Quebec Department of Education in recognition of her outstanding services in the cause of Protestant education.

Two mice of Florence, N. J., were too inquisitive and so they are dead — shot to death. They chewed a hole in a box of matches at William Brining's home. The matches fired Brining's hunting coat, thus setting off a box of shotgun pellets in a pocket. The pellets exploded, and when Brining, awakened by the bangs, investigated, he found the bodies of the two mice, riddled with pellets.

A certain New York negro believes in seizing opportunity wherever — and whenever — it beckons, even in a patrol wagon . . . A woman was arrested in New York and taken to court in a patrol wagon. When she started out, she had a purse and $42. When she reached her destination, she had neither purse or money. The only other passenger, a negro youth, was found in possession of both... Perhaps now he believes in the old adage that "there's a place for everything."

'Captains and Kings Depart' — With Key And Photograph

Ottawa — Canada's capital has reached the conclusion that the distinguished guest deserves something more than the keys of the city.

Kings and potentates, mayors and generals have carried from Ottawa stout plated keys given them as an indication of Ottawa's esteem, but the civic industrial and publicity committee has indicated its fear that some of these keys were dropped into drawers and forgotten.

In the future, if the committee's recommendation is approved, the honored visitor will carry away a key — and a large photograph of the capital's skyline.

Progress of the Spitfire Drive In St. Andrews

PATRIOTIC RECITAL GIVEN SUNDAY EVENING IN PRESBYTERIAN CH.

REPORT BY CHAIRMAN OF DISTRICT COMMITTEE

St. Andrews East — Mr. Harrison, organist of the Presbyterian Church, assisted by the choir, presented a recital of classical and folk music on Sunday evening at the Presbyterian Church. Dr. Rev. Wm. MacMillan presided. Soloists were Mrs. J. P. Bradley, Miss Hazel Robertson and Mrs. R. Roth. A silver collection was taken for the "Spitfire Fund".

Mr. George Rodger, as chairman of the committee in charge of collections in this district was called upon for a brief summary of results. The sum of $1,100 has been reached in St. Andrews, of which $500 was donated by Mrs. Phillip Seip, of New York, a former resident. Mr. Rodger urged that $1,500 be taken as our objective and effort made to reach it speedily. He thanked Mr. Harrison, the choir, and their guest, Miss H. Robertson, for their generous contribution of talent.

Great quantities of pitprops are being made in the Maritime Provinces to meet the needs of the British mining industry.

"The United States can be trusted to see that munitions and other supplies are delivered to Great Britain. Uncle Sam is a good postman. He will not have his mails robbed or parcels delivered to the wrong address."

—Lt.-Cmdr. Fletcher, Admiralty Undersecretary.

Lineman Injured By Falling Pole

POWER CO. EMPLOYEE IS VICTIM OF MISHAP

An accident in Brownsburg last Thursday afternoon caused injury to R. Desjardins, employee of the Gatineau Power Company, who has since been confined to his home with a sprained back. Desjardins was helping to erect poles for a power line on a new street.

While raising one of the heavy cedars, a fellow worker, holding a pipe pole, slipped on the icy ground, the pole rolled over and caught Desjardins a glancing blow on the back, spraining the lumbar muscle. Brought to Lachute, the man was treated by Dr. Jules Lafleur.

Our Farm News Letter

Contributed by

B. Leslie Emslie, C.D.A. (Glas.) F.C.S.

BOMBS AND CHORES ON SCOTTISH FARM

By B. Leslie Emslie

"It's a wonderful experience to be awakened by the crack of a bomb and hear plop! plop! plop! all around; then look out of the window and see fires springing up here and there until the whole place seems ablaze." So writes a farmer on the east coast of Scotland, who goes on to say that they have been "fairly lucky" so far. The closest call was one night when eight high explosive bombs were dropped nearby. All but one fell in the river; the house of a farm labourer was hit and set afire, one person killed and three injured.

Another time about 100 incendiary bombs were dropped around the farm buildings, burning themselves out in the fields. The Jerry then machine-gunned a hospital and attempted to douse a searchlight, when a Lewis gunner put finis to his career, and the flaming plane came down in a field of standing grain. But this farmer doesn't allow these incidents to disrupt his daily routine, even though his nights may sometimes be disturbed.

In the next sentence he tells of having gone out of sheep and increased his dairy herd to 50 cows. He is very pleased with a milking machine he has installed, remarking that it now takes less time to milk 40 than it used to take four milkers to do 28 cows. Feeding stuffs, he said, will be rationed in 1941, dairy herds getting preference. Potash in fertilizers, too, will be rationed, but he has already taken the precaution to order his fertilizer requirements for delivery before spring.

There is no more private selling of fat cattle; all have to be taken to a recognized mart and put on the scales, being paid for at a fixed price per pound, according as the grade is A, B or C. Fourteen days in advance notice must be given of intention to offer livestock for sale. The price of grain has doubled since the war started, but potatoes have not gone up so much. There is standard price for each kind and grade of product, and our friend seems to deplore lack of opportunity to drive a bargain!

Of the five brothers raised in this Scottish home two are farmers, two lawyers and one a graduate in agricultural science. Now only our correspondent remains on the farm, and he is a special constable. Two are air-raid wardens and two are in the regular army All are full of confidence, proud and determined to serve their country and defend their home.

Urges Utilities to Employ Experts for Tree Pruning

Ottawa — Members of the Ottawa Parks and Trees Committee have recommended that public utility companies in the city should employ professional tree pruners rather than have their regular linemen cut spaces in the trees through which their power lines run.

The recommendation followed complaints from Alderman W. Spearman that many trees had been ruined by improper trimming, and that the public utility companies did not seem to cooperate with the committee. "By the time they get through running the lines through the trees." he said, "they look as though they had been cannonaded. It seems there is no supervision of this work."

R. F. Waugh, city tree superintendent, said the companies were supposed to notify either Works Commissioner Askwith or himself when they were going to undertake this kind of work, but that he had not received notice of work presently being done throughout the city.

It was suggested by Alderman L. L. Coulter that the companies cut the trees so that the work would last for about five years, while Alderman H. H. Bradley termed the work on some trees he had seen as "butchery."

"The time has come," said Alderman Spearman, "when overhead wires should not be constructed in this city. They should be put underground. They interfere with the work of the firemen when there is a fire, and this has been sadly in evidence here within the past few days."

Province to Assume 75 Per Cent of Relief Costs

Toronto — The Ontario Treasury is ready to assume 75 per cent of unemployment relief costs in that province, Premier Mitchell F. Hepburn told the Ontario Mayors' Association.

The mayors had been discussing the possibility of having the Provincial Government accept 66⅔ or even 70 per cent of the cost. Mr. Hepburn then announced the Government was prepared to assume 75 per cent.

The provincial-municipal problem of sharing relief costs had been brought about by the termination of direct relief grants from the Federal Government, scheduled for March 31.

Mr. Hepburn differentiated between unemployed and unemployables. The Ontario Premier told the meeting that "unemployables once loaded on your doorstep will be there for perpetuity."

Playing Safe

Sitter: "How much will half a dozen photographs cost? And a dozen?"

Photographer: "We will discuss that afterwards—just now I want you to look pleasant."

Slightly Mixed

Mr. Crowe was a devout church-goer. The young minister of his church was also devout, but easily embarrassed. Imagine the consternation of Mr. Crowe and the delight of the congregation when the young divine solemnly said at a prayer meeting:

"And now, will Brother Pray please crow for us?"

'Good Business' for Farmer To Produce More Milk

DAIRYMAN CAN BOOST HIS INCOME 40% THIS YEAR

(Editorial in Ottawa Farm Journal)

"Let's Get Down to Brass Tacks"

Too much talk soon obscures an issue. Something of the kind may be happening just at present throughout Ontario and Quebec in this increased milk production campaign. There is so much talk of grievances and poor conditions that the real possibilities opened up to dairy farmers in these two provinces are obscured. From some of the talk a stranger might well get the impression the dairy farmer is being asked to produce more only as a patriotic duty — that there is little compensation in it for him.

Actually, what are the facts? When you get down to brass tacks you find that the dairyman who sends his milk to a cheese factory, who wants to work a little harder, put a little more thought and study into feed problems, look after his cows a little better than previously — can increase his 1941 income by 40 per cent over what he received in 1940.

And a 40 per cent increase is not to be sneezed at in any business. Most business men would be overjoyed if such a prospect was held out to them. The cheese produced can actually do this, and he can do it without worry about price changes or markets. If he wants to do his share the increased income is assured. In short, it is up to him.

How do we arrive at that 40 per cent? Well, both Ontario and Quebec cheese producers are certain of three cents more per pound this year, slightly more if collectively they can earn more quality premiums. That is a 20 per cent increase at least right off the bat.

The other 20 per cent is up to each individual farmer. In many cases it is up to him to make it if he wants to put in the extra work, reorganize his farm program somewhat. There are some who cannot do this—circumstances are against them from the start — but the vast majority can, if they have the will to.

How can they do it? First by starting at once to get their herds in the best shape possible, by organizing to open their factory earlier, by planning for feed during the difficult July 15 to August 15 period when greatest losses usually occur, and by planning to feed later in the fall and keeping factories open as long as humanly possible. All, or at least some, of these things can be done by most farmers.

True they cannot be done without more work and some expense. There is feed to purchase now, possibly seed which a dairy farmer would not normally buy. But who these days expects to increase income of 40 per cent without some outlay? The main thing is that the possibilities are there, waiting, but each individual must take advantage of them.

There is far too much talk about the labor shortage. Too much talk because it is one of those things little can be done about. The Government cannot produce men at will, and even more will be needed in munitions as the army. The sooner the labor problem is forgotten the better.

This is not all just being optimistic — it's hard, common sense. The market is ready to take every pound of cheese that can be made. A defeatist attitude is too prevalent at present, and the sooner farmers realize it will be good business to produce milk this year, the better it will be for them financially and the greater their contribution to the whole war effort.

National Registeration returns indicate that Canada's population now exceeds 12,000,000 as against 10,376,788 at the 1931 census.

R. Cuff, of Central 'Y' Is Speaker at Fireside Hour

Brownsburg, April 1 —

On Sunday March 23rd, Mr. R. Cuff of Central Y.M.C.A., Montreal, taking as his theme, "Living Positively", rendered a thought-provoking address which was well received by the appreciative audience who were in the Recreation Hall for the Fireside Hour.

Mr. Cuff believed that the good life was one which was lived on three bases. Firstly, living positively rather than negatively. That in the final count, a man is judged not by his abstention from wrong acts, but by his committing of good deeds. Christianity, Mr. Cuff said, had the strongest criticism of the man who did not use his talent, rather than of the man who tried to use his but failed. Secondly, live sympathetically, living in touch with reality and being as much concerned with everyday conduct as with going to church on Sunday. And thirdly, living with the faith that not only through your own efforts, but with the aid and guidance of religion, can your life be measured in its fullest terms.

Next Sunday, April 6th, Dr. K. E. Norris, president of Sir George Williams College, Montreal, will be the speaker.

Chairman (finishing eulogistic speech) — "Our dear old friend here has lived amongst us for forty years, is living with us now, and, he says, hopes to live amongst us for many years to come. Gentlemen, I can only add that we are looking forward to burying him here."

Chinese Army Gets Field Telephones From Britain

Five thousand field telephones, built by Britain for the Chinese army, weigh only nine pounds each —3½ pounds less than that of any foreign competitive specification.

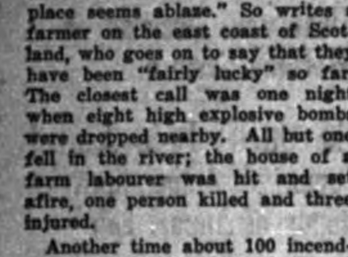
Despite their unusual light weight construction, these portable telephones are working under severe tropical conditions.

The carrier of black leather, which is little larger than that normally used for a hand camera, encloses the whole of the apparatus, including a combined receiver and transmitter. The hand generator is the latest design, incorporating a Nial magnet and internal gears, and having a high output, with a resistance of 500 ohms.

A straightforward circuit suitable for use with any normal magnetic switchboard is used and the battery consists of two small standard cells.

"Speaking of signs," writes a columnist, "I remember once standing in front of a grocery store and noticed the sign, 'A. Swindler' on the window. Entering, I asked the proprietor if it wouldn't look better, if, instead of 'A', he printed his full Christian name.

"No" he said, "it would look worse. My first name is Adam."



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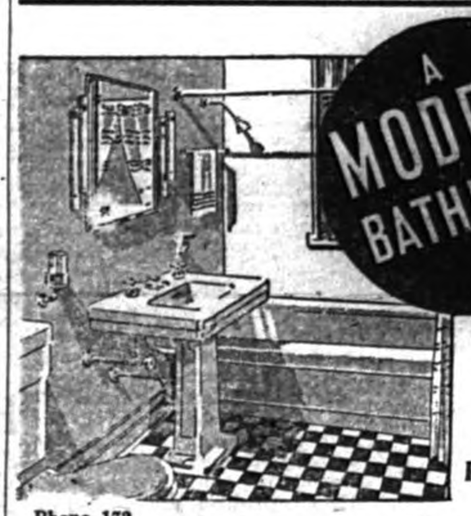
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EDITORIAL

An Early Clean-Up

The perennial thrill of April — when the last vestiges of snow disappear, ice goes down the river, and one scans the flower-bed for the first shoots of crocus and snowdrop — is marred only by the unsightliness of litter in our gutters and backyards. The early approach of spring this year prompts us to call on all good citizens for an early clean-up of their premises. Collection of garbage has been continued this winter, for the first time in Lachute, and the job of tidying properties should require less effort. — So, go to it, folks, in the interests of health and beauty; permit yourselves and your neighbors to enjoy the season from its start.

One consideration, this year, deserves particular thought: that is, the value of such scrap and chattels as were hitherto consigned to the dump. It should be remembered, the Salvation Army or some similar organization will canvass this district for salvage that may be saleable or turned into industrial products; the nature of these items has been outlined previously in The Watchman. The Lachute Boy Scouts, also, are collecting scrap metal for a gluttonous market, and their sales will bring welcome dollars to the Argenteuil Spitfire Fund.

Therefore, when the clean-up urge is upon you, remember that this war of hostilities is, equally, a war of internal economy in which "every little helps."

Thanks, Again !

Another of our contemporaries, the Granby Leader, has made kindly comment on recent changes in the make-up of this paper. The following paragraph appeared among the editorials in last week's Leader:

"Congratulations to the managers of the Lachute Watchman, who have changed their paper to a seven-column page. The Watchman is one of the leading weeklies of this province, and their enlarged paper will be better able to serve the needs of their growing district."

The Spice of Play

In boosting the War Services Fund, the Brownsburg C-I-L news bulletin draws an interesting analogy. Through the impetus of the Y.M.C.A., Brownsburg workers are now enjoying recreational facilities such as were never before available to them. And the bulletin pleads merely that its readers support this drive, to make similar pleasures available to our fighting men. — Which is fair enough.

The Brownsburg industries deserve recognition in having enlisted the experience of the "Y" in this venture. Brownsburg is keyed to hard work; the community nose is to the grindstone. But healthy living depends on balanced interests, and there should be an outlet for the recreative instincts in every type of worker. Mr. Herb Rumball, assigned to this expansive task, is doing a good job. Brownsburg will "carry on" with greater zeal and patriotism as a result of his efforts and the warm collaboration he is receiving.

It's an old, old maxim, "All work and no play . . ." But fighting men, factory hands, and folks in every modern sphere of labor, must know the wisdom of its application.

Market Trend

In pointing to a vein of humor which characterizes the advertising of Montreal car dealers this season, Walter O'Hearn in last week's Standard makes the observation that "disposal of trade-ins is still the besetting problem of the automobile business."

Things may be different out here, but it appears to us the dealers are finding a ready market for trade-in models. The used car lots are somewhat depleted of their stock-in-trade — attributable, of course, to the fact that our working classes are commuting in a big way to the Brownsburg industries . . . The 1941 styles also seem to be catching on, despite earlier expectations that there might be a lull in the market for new cars.

Darned clever, these Japanese! They say Jap scientists have discovered a new process which permits manufacture of gasoline from sardines. Sounds fishy!

Too Much Waste Paper

Day after day and week after week, weekly newspapers are flooded with all kinds of government propaganda, from speeches by members of the government to what not. Most of it finds its way into the wastepaper basket. This is only one instance of government wastefulness and its elimination would mean a saving of many tens of thousands of dollars. At a time when every cent is needed for the prosecution of the war, all unnecessary expenditures should be stopped.

—Stirling News-Argus, Ont.

Square-Shooters That Count

It isn't the number of square miles in a town that makes it what it is, but the number of square shooters in it. It is the citizens that make a town. Its prominence and a good name are controlled by the measure of co-operation and public spirit of its business men and leaders. The only way a town can be kept "on the map" is by the actions of those who dwell in it. If they do not boost their town, no one else will.

—Winchester Press, Ont.

Can't Be Beaten

Everyday feats of courage and heroism in England lend added support to the oft expressed belief that "there'll always be an England". Among these pulse stirring tales is that of the British sailor spending a furlough at his home in London. A time bomb weighing 100 pounds fell near his home and the gallant tar set fears of relatives and neighbors at rest by calmly picking up the deadly Nazi egg and carrying it to a spacious vacant lot some distance away. Instead of a medal he received a £3 fine for "removing and tampering with a bomb dropped from an enemy aircraft." The sailor hero paid the fine, probably muttering to himself as he did so, and walked to his home. On arrival he found neighbors had already collected a sum easily sufficient to cover the amount he had been assessed. — This brand of courage that permits a man picking up one hundred pounds of death will be hard to beat, Adolf!

Will They Be Changed?

British parents who have sent their girls and boys to Canada and the United States for the duration of the war may be surprised when the children return at the close of hostilities. For youthful war guests are rapidly picking up the free and easy ways of Canada and the United States and few, if any, haven't expressed themselves as delighted with conditions in their temporary homelands on this continent. British kiddies are completely "sold" on the Canadian delights of corn on the cob, ice cream cones and hot dogs. They have thrilled to the snow and have shown marked ability at the new sports of baseball, skating, skiing and hockey. Naturally the visiting youngsters are thrown into close daily contact with Canadian and American children and as a result radical changes in their language, deportment and general outlook on life may be expected. English parents may be surprised when their children return home after the war if the re-union includes such a greeting as "Hiya, Mom. Guess we handed Hitler a sock in the snoot — the big gorilla!"

Good Neighbors

Good neighbors are pearls beyond price and the United States is proving a friendly, sympathetic and very helpful neighbor to Canada and Great Britain in this time of distress. Residents of Canadian border towns have been loud in their praise of the support and co-operation lent by their American friends in patriotic drives and campaigns. Americans have contributed freely to Red Cross subscriptions and to the "Bundles For Britain" movement and the United States is rendering invaluable service in provision of the tools of war for the British. But the informal "good neighbor" policy in effect south of the Border doesn't stop here. It has been revealed that American young men are playing a very active part in the British Empire's war effort. Unofficial figures recently released reveal that more than 1,100 Americans are training under the British Commonwealth Air Training plan. Of these over 700 are in training for air crews, as gunners, pilots or observers, and more than 400 are serving as instructors or ferry pilots. Thank you, neighbor! Your friendly understanding, your valuable assistance is very much appreciated!

Pigeons Still Useful

Planes, ships and tanks used in the Great War are sadly out of date today. Guns have been improved to a tremendous extent and in every branch of the army, navy and air force amazing changes have taken place. Communication methods and equipment have also undergone extensive changes and new and more efficient lines have been devised. But they're still using pigeons in the modern warfare, just as they did in centuries long gone. In the United States the committee to defend America by aiding the allies is now appealing for 3,000 young homing pigeons to be sent to Britain for military communication purposes. It is claimed that pigeons are in demand especially in the Royal Air Force and that pilots of planes crashing in the sea have frequently been saved through releasing a pigeon with a message, thus enabling ships or planes to proceed to the rescue. Tanks, ships, planes and guns have changed, but the old style pigeon is still on active service.

News Item . . .

Cider is now being frozen and will be sold in half gallon chunks.

The barfly took a bit of grog,
'Twas 'hard stuff' you could see,
"This may be my last one, my friend,
'Tis sad indeed," quoth he.
"If I would keep my health I must,
Draw new and rigid borders,
Yep, I must give up Barleycorn,
Upon my dentist's orders!"

The average movie actor's salary is $14,857 a year, a recent survey of Hollywood salaries had disclosed. No wonder they call it the "silver screen!"

AND IN CONCLUSION:— Quebec reports encouraging progress in an experiment to teach wood sculpturing to 15 youths at St. Jean Port Joli. That's not news. Wood sculpture's a familiar art to many middle aged men who can recall boyhood lessons with axe and saw. A full wood box was a completed lesson.

THE LIFE OF WINSTON CHURCHILL

THE MAN WHO 'LL BEAT HITLER

(PART 3)

Critics of Winston Churchill have frequently taunted him with being a political "turncoat", and have alleged that opportunism dictated his political leanings at any given time. Certainly, Winston Churchill has always been ambitious, and a writer said of him a decade ago: "Power is meat and drink to him. Power acts on him like a spur and brings out all his tremendous vital qualities at full stretch. He works then with a furious energy which crashes through obstacles."

A study of his career, though, shows conclusively that political opportunism was never the controlling element in his actions. It is probably much nearer the truth to say that he was far more Liberal in his personal instincts than the Conservative party of the early part of the century.

Disowned by Constituents

Hardly had Winston Churchill been elected as a Conservative in 1900 than he found cause to criticize and oppose his own party, and succeeding sessions of Parliament saw the split ever widening. He staggered the Tory diehards by advocating the adoption of more Radical policies, and when Joseph Chamberlain inaugurated his great Tariff Reform (Protection) campaign, Winston Churchill fought it tooth and nail.

His own constituents disowned him and early in 1904 he was adopted Liberal candidate for North-west Manchester. In the General Election two years later he won this seat and was given the post of Colonial Under-Secretary in the new Liberal administration. Winston Churchill had thus been officially a member of the Liberal party for a considerable period before the political landslide put his party in the saddle.

Initiated Social Reforms

He now had an opportunity to co-operate in the policy of conciliation with the Boers which had been repudiated by his former Conservative colleagues. The obvious sucess of Home Rule in South Africa, so amply demonstrated as time passed, made a great impression on Winston Churchill's mind, with results that were seen later when he espoused Home Rule for Ireland, and in his dealings with other parts of the Empire.

In 1908, Mr. Churchill was taken into the Cabinet as President of the Board of Trade, but it was then that he received his first really serious check of his career. In the by-election which followed his Cabinet appointment, he was defeated in Manchester, and this was a grievous blow to his pride. However, the following month saw him elected at Dundee, a seat which he held for the next 14 years. He was made Home Secretary in 1910.

Advocated Unemployment Insurance

During these years, Winston Churchill concentrated his attention upon questions of social reform. He was responsible for the Trade Boards Act, which established a minimum wage for certain "sweated" industries; for the Shops Act, establishing a compulsory weekly half-holiday for shopkeepers and their assistants, and he had much to do with the introduction of the Old Age Pensions Act.

He was in the closest association at this time with Mr. Lloyd George, and with him played a vital part in establishing the Unemployment and Health Insurance Acts which laid the basis for the present sweeping social welfare services.

These reforms were not achieved without bitter political fighting, for the Conservatives opposed them at every turn. In one acrimonious debate, Winston Churchill, ever a master of repartee, quipped: "The Tories can, and do, resist everything — except temptation!"

The House of Lords voted the reform acts and Winston Churchill flung himself into the fray to end the Lords' veto with all the zeal and energy of a Crusader. When the battle was won and the power of veto by the Lords was wrested from them, thus sustaining the supreme rights of the Commons, this grandson of the Duke of Marlborough was not the least of the victors.

Whipped by Feminists!

Women's struggle for the suffrage was coming to the fore, and Winston Churchill showed less prescience than he invariably displayed, for he opposed the extension of the vote to women. As Home Secretary he was a particular object of attack by the feminists, and on two occasions he was dog-whipped by irate suffragettes.

When several of the more militant suffragettes chained themselves to a railing in Downing Street and said they wouldn't leave until women were given the vote, Mr. Churchill snorted: "A man might as well chain himself to the railings of St. Thomas Hospital and say he won't leave until he has a baby!"

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***Mr. Churchill's engrossing life story will be continued next week.

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Personality Parade

BY LAWRENCE HIBBERT

Eamon de Valera, Premier of Eire, has no love for the dictators, yet he resembles Hitler and Stalin in one respect — he is a foreigner to the country which he leads.

Born in New York 58 years ago, he is half-Spanish. His mother was an Irish schoolteacher who married a sculptor-musician.

De Valera was two years old when his father died. His mother remarried and young "Dev" was sent back to Ould Ireland to be cared for by his uncle. He was brought up to be a Catholic priest but became, instead, a teacher of mathematics and a revolutionary.

Life Spared by Britain

His American origin saved his life when he was captured by the British after the Easter Week rebellion in Dublin in 1916. Most of the revolutionary leaders were executed, but de Valera's life was spared because he was American-born.

He is said to eat, sleep and live for his ideal of "a United Ireland", but may yet see the day when he will be passionately grateful that the six countries of Ulster are not yet part of Eire. For some of Britain's crack troops are stationed in Ulster, and if Hitler invades Eire, these British troops will be vitally necessary to save Ireland — and de Valera.

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GERMAN PLOTS

In the recent wrecking of an hotel at Istanbul, when the British Ambassador to Bulgaria, George Rendel, nearly lost his life, it was revealed that the bomb had been made to look like a radio and placed in the baggage of the British party.

This isn't the first time things of this kind have happened. During the last war, thermos bottles were used as bombs, and a railway bridge in Canada was blown up by a bomb of this type, placed by a German plotter. The idea was, naturally, that a thermos bottle would never be suspected, even if it were discovered.

This is using guile to kill. But lives have also been saved by utilizing familiar things in unfamiliar ways.

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Repeat Performance

The diner, who had done himself extremely well, called for the manager of the restaurant.

"Do you know", he asked genially, "that I dined here five years ago and you had me thrown out because I couldn't pay?"

"Indeed, sir?" laughed the manager. "Well, well; please accept my apologies."

"Don't mention it," laughed the diner. "Do it again."

Diner's Plaints

Speaking of restaurants, may I list the following queries, garnered from years of popular-priced dining out, and title them:

Plaints of Patient Diner

A. Why do waiters — and waitresses for that matter, snatch the menu card from your hand as soon as you have begun to give your order, and never give it back?

B. Why do so many waitresses refuse to take your whole luncheon or dinner order at once?

C. Why, when you ask for coffee early, won't they let you have your coffee early?

D. Why do they label the one-price ready-to-serve meal "table d'hote", thereby confusing the diner and employing a phrase unknown in the French language?

E. Why, when your fancy strays away from the plat du jour (or "table d'hote") and you start ordering around the card, does the average waiter look at you with a reproving glance and whisper, "That isn't on the dinner." Why?

F. Why do the people who write menus insist on disguising their wares in such terms as "Swiss steak", which is no steak at all, or "Salisbury steak", which is hamburger? —Walter O'Hearn in the Montreal Standard



"This century plant blooms every century, doesn't it, Miss Pritchard?"

Mice Were Given Pneumonia

London — Six hundred and ninety two families of mice were given pneumonia and died before a London bacteriologist, who was treating them with experimental compounds, discovered one which can cure pneumonia for nine shillings ($1.75).

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How does Britain get along with fourteen women members of Parliament? At Ottawa they have only one and seem to have no end of trouble with her.

— Goderich Signal-Star.

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DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

MORIN HEIGHTS

Mrs. Wm. R. Bell and daughter, Beverley, spent a few days with Mrs. R. B. Bell in Verdun last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Palmer were in Montreal for a couple of days recently.

Mrs. L. Aumais returned to Montreal on Sunday after spending the past three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fellows, of the Town of Mount Royal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis.

Mrs. Lawson Kennedy suffered a broken hand when she was trampled on by a horse on Tuesday last. Friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss I. Russell spent the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Kennedy.

In addition to the amount of $43.30 previously reported as being raised by the Morin Heights Women's Institute, a further amount of $13.60 is to be added, making a total of $56.90 to be handed over to The Argenteuil Spitfire Fund. The W. I. is indebted to the following store-keepers and citizens for goods donated and which the W. I. raffled for the benefit of this fund:

Messrs. J. E. Seale & Son, Albert Corbell, A. Vaillancourt, A. McCambley, F. Watchorn, E. Boyd, R. J. Seale, C. Campbell, J. Bouchard, H. Elias, A. E. Morgan, Mrs. H. Gilby, A. Stapleton, A. Hamilton, F. Goldthorpe, Willis Seale.

The sincere thanks of the W. I. is also extended to Mr. Fred Hammond, who very kindly gave permission for the raffles to take place in his dance hall.

LOST RIVER

The Rev. J. Herbison, of the Presbyterian Theological College, Montreal, spent the week-end in Lost River.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert MacTavish and family returned home on Saturday after spending the winter months in Montreal.

Miss Jean Brunelle, of Lachute, spent the week-end at her home here.

CUSHING

Mrs. Roy Dobbie spent the week-end and earlier part of this week as the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Heatlie of Ogdensburg.

Miss D. Leroy spent the week-end as guest of Mrs. H. Giles, Lachute.

Mrs. J. Innes visited friends in Montreal over the week-end.

Miss M. Tait spent the week-end in St. Laurent.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham were guests on Saturday of Miss C. Graham.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. L. Cushing in the death of her sister, Mrs. H. Patton, of Toronto, formerly Miss Bertha Davis of St. Andrews East. Mrs. Patton spent a month in Cushing last autumn, residing at Ingleside.

A joint meeting of the Women's Missionary Society and the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Chretien on Tuesday afternoon, April 8th, at the usual hour.

Communion will be held in St. Mungo's Church on Sunday, April 6th, at the morning service — 10.30 o'clock Standard Time.

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CAMBRIA

Friends of Mrs. Duncan Dawson are pleased to know that she is recuperating from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. David Morrow and son, Mervyn, left Mille Isles last week for Shrewsbury, where they have charge of Mr. E. Morrison's farm.

Mr. Allan Morrow spent several days in the city recently.

Mr. M. Captain has been making additions to his house.

The farmers of Mille Isles commenced tapping sugar maples last week.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Jeffrey, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Miss E. Hendry.

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Yale and children, of the Town of Mt. Royal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Yale on Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Wales of Grand'Mere, Que., is spending a vacation due to an outbreak of measles at her school, with her father, Mr. C. T. Wales,

Dr. and Mrs. Will Pitcairn spent the week-end with Dr. Pitcairn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pitcairn. Other week-enders here were Misses Freda Wales and Joyce Kendall, Mr. George Simpson and son, Bryan, Howard Lalonde, Lloyd Lilly and Ronald de la Ronde.

We are happy to report that Mrs. Fred Robertson, is able to be out again after her siege of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hamilton and sons, of Montreal, stayed here for the week-end getting installed in their new home, which has been leased for a year from Mrs. C. W. Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. David Morrison have moved to the west side of the river, having rented Mrs. F. Putton's smaller house.

Another anticipated move is that of Mr. William Entwistle and family, to the former rectory.

The Women's Auxiliary of Christ Church held their meeting at the home of Mrs. William Ball on March 27th. It was decided to hold a sale of home-cooking on April 23rd. Mr. E. C. Calder has kindly loaned the use of part of his store for the purpose.

Mr. George Phillips of Montreal, recently purchased from Oscar Lalonde the property at La Baie which was previously owned by Mr. George Perks.

Mr. Ovilde Giroux, postmaster, returned on March 31st from a trip to Vancouver, B. C., travelling home via Washington, where he paid a visit to an aged uncle. Mr. Giroux left here on March 16th.

Miss Agnes Sutherland spent the week-end with her cousin, Miss Mary Pitcairn.

LAKEFIELD

Miss Mary Baugh is staying with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. C. W. P. Baugh, for a few weeks, owing to an outbreak of measles in the school at North Hatley, where she is a teacher. Miss Baugh has been appointed teacher in the LaTuque High School for the coming term.

CUSHING WEST

Mrs. Lindley Kerr spent a day in the city last week.

Mr. Eddie Whelehan, of Montreal, is spending the week with his friends here.

Mr. Douglas Hartley and son, Kenneth, accompanied by Miss K. Whelehan, motored from the city and spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. C. F. Watson was hostess to the Ladies' Aid of St. Mungo's at their March meeting on Thursday last.

Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir motored to Montreal on Friday, and were accompanied on their return-

BROWNSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCullouch, of Grenville, visited friends here last week.

Miss Laura Londsdale spent Wednesday of last week in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansel Wilson are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilson.

Miss Amy MacQuaig, of the Verdun Protestant Hospital, staff, spent the week-end at her home here.

Leading Aircraftman Edward ThackRay, of the R.C.A.F., Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter MacQuaig.

Mr. W. J. Graham was in Montreal last week visiting his brother, Mr. John Graham, who is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

CALUMET

Miss Elsie Graham, of Verdun, and Miss Ellen Foreman, of Montreal, were recent guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. T. G. Foreman.

Geo. Martin, of the R. C. A. F., Montreal, spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Bunny Robinson spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mrs. W. M. Brigden and infant son are spending some time in Montreal.

Miss Elsie Trineer spent Thursday in Ottawa.

Mrs. C. G. Foreman spent Tuesday in the city.

Mrs. W. E. Brigden has returned from hospital in Montreal and is convalescing at her home here. Her many friends join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

Miss Melba McVicar, of Montreal, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Brannan for the week-end.

Mr. Grant Robinson, of Montreal, was a week-end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Robinson.

Mr. Laddie Foreman is spending a few days in Montreal, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Mott.

Miss Dorothy Morrow, of Grenville, visited at the home of Mrs. M. R. Robinson on Tuesday.

Stolen Goods Recovered At Hawkesbury and Vankleek Hill

Stolen goods from a garage property belonging to H. M. Lavigne, Lachute Mills, were recovered by Town Constable Alex Gervais, and the arrest of a gang of three Hawkesbury men, two formerly of Lachute, is likely within a few days. Quebec Provincial Police now have the case in hand.

Two auto wheels and tires complete, as used on an express delivery, also three tires, tubes and rims, were stolen from the garage on the night of March 19th; the door of the garage was later found unlocked.

The constable's investigations led him to Hawkesbury, where armed with a search warrant from Ontario Provincial Police, he found the two auto wheels on a small truck. The wheels had been painted over. Other of the stolen goods were also found, Officer Gervais going to l'Orignal, where one of his suspects had been lodged in jail on a charge of theft in Ontario.

Notifying Quebec Provincial Police, the constable suspected that, during their delay in arrival, the stolen goods would be disposed of. Accordingly he returned to Hawkesbury and found his conclusions correct. He located five of the tires and three tubes at a Vankleek Hill establishment, where the dealer had bought the lot for $7.

It is understood all three suspects have police records, and other charges to be laid against them.

Have Dreams Any Meaning?

By Lawrence Hibbert

Do you believe in dreams? I didn't used to, but now — well, let me tell you of a dream that happened to me not very long ago.

I dreamed that I was in school and my old headmaster was taking the class. Sitting with me was a personal friend of mine.

When I awoke two points about this dream struck me as peculiar. First, my old headmaster had been dead for some years: secondly, my friend never attended any school which I was attending.

The other day I heard from England that my friend, who is an Air Raid Warden, had been so badly hurt in an air raid that his life had been despaired of. Happily, he managed to pull through.

As near as I could figure it out, my dream came to me the same week that my friend was lying near death!



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OBITUARY

THE LATE MRS. L. D. TAYLOR, FORMER ELLEN WILSON OF LACHUTE

There passed away at her home — 55 Grace St., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. — Mrs. Lemuel D. Taylor, formerly Margaret Ellen Wilson, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilson of Lachute, in her 61st year.

Born in Lachute and educated in the Academy of this town, she married Mr. Taylor on April 13th, 1898, and moved to the Soo. — There she became an active member of St. Andrew's United Church; she was a member of Circle No. 7 of that church, and a past Noble Grand of the Flora Rebekah Lodge. Members of this lodge attended her funeral and formed a guard of honor.

The funeral took place on Monday, March 17th; from her home to St. Andrew's Church, and was conducted by the Rev. A. G. Donald. Mrs. Watts sang her favorite hymn "The Old Rugged Cross." Mrs. Oris Campbell presided at the organ.

Mrs. Taylor is survived by her husband, one son, Don Taylor, of Sault Ste. Marie; two daughters, Mrs. A. E. Wilson, of Toronto, and Miss Margaret at home; and three sisters, Mrs. Thos. Wilson of Lachine, Que., Mrs. R. A. King of N. D. G., and Mrs. C. J. Staniforth of Arundel, Que. The many friends who attended her funeral, and the beautiful flowers, bore silent testimony of the high esteem in which she was held.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Alex. Morrison, Jim McBain, Jim Langdon, Ed. Hanelt, W. E. Wright and Alex Stephens. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery.

LATE MRS. JOS. QUESNEL

There passed away at her late residence here, on March 26th, Mrs. Jos. Quesnel. Born at St. Andrews East, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Aspecht, she was in her 85th year and had lived in Lachute for the past 57 years.

She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband, one daughter, Mrs. David Bilodeau, and three sons, William and Edward, of Lachute, and George, of Laprairie.

The funeral was held from Ste. Anastasie Church on March 29th, burial following in the Lachute Cemetery.

THE LATE MISS K. PITCAIRN

St. Andrews E. — After many years of invalidism and, recently, several periods of angina, the late Miss Kate G. Pitcairn, eldest daughter of the late John Pitcairn and his wife Agnes Lamb, both of Pte. Fortune, passed away in the early hours of Friday, March 28th.

The funeral service was held at her recent home on Saturday afternoon, March 29th, and was conducted by her pastor, Rev. J. A. Mowatt, who brought to tender remembrance the valiant patience with which her disabilities had been borne. It had been a great gratification to her to have the W. M. S. meetings held at her home during the winter months. She took an alert interest in all phases of church work, but especially in the W. M. S., of which she was Supply Secretary for many years, continuing in office till her death.

The chief mourners are a sister, Miss Mary Pitcairn, and two brothers, Mr. James Pitcairn and Mr. W. J. Pitcairn, all of St. Andrews; also her nephews, Dr. W. Pitcairn of Montreal, Flt. Lieut. Keith Pitcairn, of Crumlin Fields, London, Ont.

Pall bearers were Messrs. Alex and Ross Barclay, H. Robinson, Hugh McLachlan, of Pte. Fortune, Archie Middleton, of Lachute, and Harold Cairns, of St. Andrews.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

BIRTHS

ANDERSON — at Brownsburg, on March 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Anderson, a son.

BOYD — at Sudbury, Ont., on March 30th, to Rev. and Mrs. John R. Boyd, a daughter (Iris Lewena). Both doing well.

IN MEMORIAM

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

BROWNSBURG UNITED YOUNG PEOPLE'S

Brownsburg—The United Y.P.U. meeting on Tuesday evening took the form of a debate following the devotional and business items. The subject was, "Resolved that the town is preferable to the city". Mr. Gerald Chase and Miss Evelyn Heatley argued for the affirmative, while Mr. Cedric Wheeler and Miss S. Lupien upheld the advantages of the city. A lively and humorous array of points were advanced, with which the judges, Messrs. C. Louttit, H. Mullen, Miss J. Gilker and Miss Alfreda Zimmer, had difficulty in deciding. Their decision, however, went to the upholders of the city, while the popular vote favored the town.

A singsong brought the enjoyable evening to a close.

The meeting next week will be a social gathering, when a taffy party will be held.

PATRIOTIC SERVICE AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, ST. ANDREWS EAST

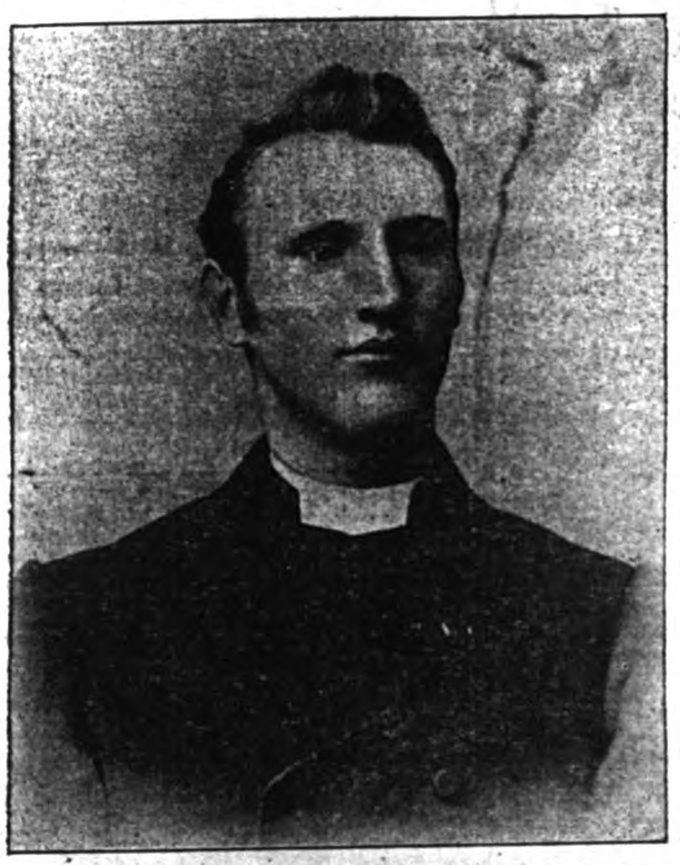
St. Andrews E. — On Sunday evening a patriotic service at the Presbyterian Church here, under the direction of C. R. Harrison, organist, was largely attended. Rev. Wm. MacMillan presided.

The program consisted of choral selections and organ recitals, all of which were greatly enjoyed. The proceeds of a silver collection amounted to $20, which has been handed over to the Argenteuil Spitfire Fund.

Sincere appreciation of the Fund committee is expressed to Mr. Harrison, whose wide experience in this connection was well exemplified in this function.

Among the hymns of the Church of England are compositons by a Quaker, a Presbyterian, a Methodist, a Congregationalist, a Baptist and a Roman Catholic.

An Early Rector of Grenville Parish



The Rev. Dr. W. J. P. Baugh, Rector of Grenville Parish in the years 1909-1915, whose death occurred this week at Greensville, near Hamilton, Ont. The late Dr. Baugh is survived by two brothers also in the ministry — Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Lakefield, and Rev. H. G. L. Baugh, Port Colborne, Ont.

Sunday Services

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.

10 a. m., Sabbath School.
11 a. m., Morning Worship.
"The Unpardonable or Eternal Sin."
7 p. m., Evening Service.
"The Call of Levi."
2.30 p. m. East Settlement
A cordial welcome to all!

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor, H. Charlton

11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Services
Tuesday, Prayer Meeting, 8 p. m.

MARGARET RODGER MEML. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Orsborn

10 a. m.—Sabbath School
11 a. m., Morning Worship.
The Coming of the King.
3 p. m.—Brownsburg
7 p. m.—Evening Worship.
Christ Lifted Up.

REGULAR BAPTIST
Rev. C. Hardie

Brownsburg 11 a. m. and 7.30 p.m.
Dalesville 2.30 p. m.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. J. R. Simpson, B.A., B.Th.

10 a. m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., "The King nears the Holy City."
7.30 p.m., Communion Service.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister

10 a. m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.—Special Palm Sunday Services.
Tuesday 7.30 p.m., Y. P. U. Meeting — Taffy Party.
April 13 — Easter Sunday. Communion.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. Baugh, Rector

Dunany —11 a. m.
Shrewsbury — 2.30 p.m.
Lakefield — 7.30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

"Unreality" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist throughout the world on Sunday April 6th.

The Golden Text is from I Timothy 6: 17. "Charge them that are rich in this world, that they be not highminded, nor trust in uncertain riches, but in the living God, who giveth us richly all things to enjoy."

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth." (Exodus 20: 4).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The everlasting I AM is not bounded nor compressed within the narrow limits of physical humanity, nor can He be understood aright through mortal concepts. The precise form of God must be of small importance in comparison with the sublime question, What is infinite Mind or divine Love?" (Page 256).

ANSWERS TO QUIZ

1. "Scot" means "payment."
2. In 1918, when he was Assistant Secretary U. S. Navy.
3. The Piraeus.
4. Joseph Smith, about 1830.
5. Oran (where the British destroyed part of the French Navy last Summer), Algiers and Bona.
6. (a) Boston, U. S. A.; (b) Belgium; (c) Bavaria, Germany; (d) Sussex, England — better known as the battle of Hastings.

"Now Johnny," said the teacher, "can you tell me what a hypocrite is?"

"Yes, Miss," said Johnny. "It's a boy that comes to school with a smile on his face."

This Week's Quiz

1. What is the meaning of the word 'scot'?
2. What year did Franklin D. Roosevelt visit England, and what public office was he then holding?
3. What is the "Port of Athens" in Greece?
4. Who founded the Mormons — Benjamin Franklin, Brigham Young or Joseph Smith?
5. What are the three main bases in Algeria?
6. What are the sites of these battles — (a) Bunker Hill; (b) Waterloo; (c) Blenheim; (d) Senlac?

(For answers, please see foot of page).

'Canadian Viewpoint'

(Continued from page 1)

side, and with their help we will win through.

We cannot win, though, if we are beset by labor troubles such as have appeared in the United States. We cannot win if factory workers clamor for more money while our soldiers are clamoring for more guns. We cannot win if our people do not realize, and realize quickly, that we must bend our every effort to the task of winning this war. We cannot win if we play around with minor details while the major faults go unnoticed. We cannot win, as Mr. Willkie told every Canadian, if the leaders do not follow the wishes of the people.

But we are going to win!

This is no time for labor trouble. This is no time for petty jealousy. This is no time for playing politics.

We are going to win! Because this Sunday, April 6th, we will remember that we have as a friend and ally the great democracy to the south. They will not let us down, and certainly we are not going to let them show us up.

THE PARTING THOUGHT

An epitaph is sometimes a statement that lies about the one who lies beneath.

Says Shelters Like Underground Slums

London — Lord Horder, the King's physician, told the Royal Empire Society that public air raid shelters are in danger of becoming "underground slums."

He said that in the provinces some shelters are harboring children who have not left for the outside in more than two months.

In another, which he described as "an underground fair," Lord Horder said people have dug themselves in and there are aged and infirm who have not been outside the shelter in four months.

He expressed himself as "anxious lest shelter life cause people eventually to emerge as slum habitues."

"I have actually myself seen one shelter in the provinces which was definitely an underground slum and is causing the regional commissioner so much anxiety that he is seriously considering whether or not to advise the ministries concerned to evacuate the children compulsorily," Lord Horder said.

FOR WAR WORK — A card party is being held in the Auditorium Tuesday evening, April 22; ladies and gentlemen; tickets 50c including refreshments. — Lachute W. I.

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Lions Club Meeting

The Lions Club met on Tuesday evening, with Lion W. M. Cottingham in the chair.

Mr. Cottingham was presented with a Lion in miniature, in celebration of Sec.-Gen. Melvin Jones' birthday; a medallion was also awarded to Lion H. M. Lavigne for the drive for new memberships.

A field day foursome is being arranged to provide funds for the Welfare Section of the club's activities. Lion LeCras and Lion F. Legault were appointed joint chairmen, with Lions W. Stewart, L. Rozon, Hugh Johnson, Dr. F. W. FitzGerald and James MacKimmie on the committee.

Arrangements are being made to hold the meeting of May 13th in Ottawa, joining with the club there who are having Lion Melvin Jones as their honored guest, with Lion Paquin as chairmain.

On the 3rd and 4th of May the club are going to Sherbrooke in connection with the two-day International rally. This is under the chairmanship of Lion P. G. Roy.

Whooping Cough Claims Most Lives Among Children Up to Five

"Whooping cough takes more lives than any other communicable disease among children up to one year of age, and in children one to five more than scarlet fever and diphtheria combined", the Michigan Department of Health declares in a recent report.

Acting on this fact, Michigan is endeavoring to do for the prevention of whooping cough what many Canadian cities have done toward the eradication of diphtheria. A new pertussin vaccine, which has proved its efficacy during field tests covering a four-year period and involving some 4,000 children, is being distributed throughout the State.

Tests with identical groups of 100 children recently showed 15.1 cases of whooping cough among the unvaccinated, and only 2.3 among the vaccinated. Some of these were questionable or very light attacks, and if these were eliminated the proportion would be 14.5 in unprotected and 1.4 in protected children, says the department's publication, Michigan Public Health.

At least one other State is reported experimenting with a similar vaccine, and the fight aginst whooping cough is likely to become widespread in the next few years.

Reasonable

Friend: "You've done a good wall-papering job, old fellow, but why the border at the bottom?"

Smith: "Well, Brown wanted his stepladder back before I could put the border at the top."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Misses Nora Jackson and Ivy Bates spent last week-end visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. Gordon G. Cruise, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. P. Cruise.

Mr. A. Dufoe, of Montreal, spent a few days this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McEntyre.

Miss Doris Blomquist, of Arundel, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Blomquist.

Miss Allison Cleland, nurse at the Western Hospital, Montreal, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Cleland, at St. Hermas last week.

Mr. Ernest Blomquist left this week for Montreal, where he has secured a position with the Dominion Engineering Company.

Miss Amy Wallace, of Renfrew, Ont., is spending a few days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pollock, prior to entering the Children's Memorial Hospital, Montreal, as a nurse-in-training.

Birthdays

A Toronto lady, Mrs. Elizabeth Mary Hollinger, celebrated her first birthday recently . . . at the age of 83. One of a large family born in Northern Ireland, Mrs. Hollinger's father never bothered about birthdays, and so she grew up without knowing what day she was born. Her son, John, recently decided it was time to find out, and so made enquiries, the birthday party following in due course.

The Dunn family of Omaha, Neb., need never worry about their birthdays. George Washington Dunn celebrated his birthday recently. His mother was born on Abraham Lincoln's birthday. And George's sister was born on Feb. 9, birthday of yet a third American president, William Henry Harrison. Mrs. Dunn probably often wonders what would happen if George became a president of the U. S. A. and a famous one at that!

Mr. Douglas Todd, of Montreal, visited friends in town this week.

Miss Janet Farmer is spending this week at her home in Lachine.

Miss J. Valpy spent last week-end visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Miller, in Ottawa.

Cyril Drew, of the R.C.A.F., Windsor Mills, spent last week-end in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Alder, of Verdun, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Graham last week-end.

Mrs. L. M. White, of McAdam, N. B., was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Titman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Drew, of Montreal, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. McEntyre.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Mann and little son, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Honsberger, Bedard Blvd.

Mrs. W. S. Gordon has returned home from Montreal, after undergoing an operation successfully in St. Mary's Hospital.

Marriage

Newton - Starr

The marriage of Mr. Chauncy Richard Newton, of Brownsburg, to Mrs. Salome Starr, of Timmins Ont., took place at the United Church manse, Brownsburg, on Wednesday, March 26th at 6 p.m., the Rev. S. J. Pike officiating.

Dressed in an Alice blue travelling suit, the bride was attended by Miss Mamie Bigelow. Following the ceremony supper was served at the home, at which a goodly number of relatives and friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton will reside in Brownsburg.

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HEALTH ARTICLE

By Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, Pres., Chicago Board of Health

VITAMIN DEFICIENCY SYNONYMOUS WITH SKIN DISEASE

When a person develops a skin rash, he most likely thinks there is something wrong with his blood. In reality the breaking out is most often due to the fact that he has eaten something which does not agree with him. Too much sugary and starchy food seems to produce skin eruptions in some persons. Too much fatty food may cause this condition in others. And then there are many persons who are sensitive to individual foods.

Since the discovery of vitamins it has been found that skin disease often develops as a result of a deficiency of vitamins in the diet. Thus, a lack of vitamin A may cause a skin condition in which there are little wart-like spots appearing around the hair roots.

The first change that occurs when the diet is lacking in vitamin A is a dryness of the skin. Then the little wart-like growths develop. This condition has been called toad-skin.

In babies who do not get enough vitamin A, such as is supplied by milk, cod-liver oil and similar substances, a diaper rash, which consists of redness in the part of the skin covered by the diaper, is likely to develop.

When the pellagra-preventing vitamin G is missing from the diet, a skin rash also may occur. This rash appears particularly on the back of the hands, the wrists, on the face and neck, and, less commonly, on the feet and body. There is inflammation of the skin, sometime forming large blisters. Exposure to the sunshine may make the rash worse in these cases.

In the treatment of this rash due to pellagra, the patient should get plenty of the pellagra-preventing vitamin in the form of nicotinic acid, prescribed in the proper dose by the doctor.

In addition, he should have a well-balanced diet, containing at least one quart of milk daily, plenty of fruits and vegetables and moderate amounts of meat, including liver, because these foods supply vitamin G, as well as other necessary food parts.

Tuberculosis of the skin is a condition which may occur, and which, of course, produces a skin rash. Diet has been employed in treating this condition.

The important part about diet for tuberculosis of the skin is that all salt should be excluded. There should, however, be plenty of lime or calcium and other minerals included in the diet. There should be plenty of uncooked vegetables, raw eggs, milk and butter. Meat should be restricted. The amount of starchy foods and sweets should be limited, too.

There is a disorder affecting the skin of the face, called acne rosacea, in which the little blood vessels become swollen and the area of the skin around the nose becomes red and flushed. The skin has a dull red color and is swollen.

One of the outstanding causes for this disorder is trouble with the digestion. The excessive use of tea, coffee, alcohol and spices may be contributing causes. Many of those who have acne rosecea lack acid in the stomach. Thus, treatment by diet is one of the important things in this disorder. Excessive amounts of sweets and rich sauces should be eliminated from the diet. The individual should not overeat. Foods should not be taken while they are hot.

Certain infections of the skin with yeasts, like ringworm, may develop. Another such common infection is the one called thrush, which develops in the mouth of infants.

These disorders seem to appear particularly in diabetics and in persons who are overweight. Thus, when a person develops a yeast infection, the sugars and starches in the diet should be limited. A careful study should always be made to determine whether or not the individual has diabetes, and if he has, it should be treated through diet and in other necessary ways, such as by the use of insulin.

There are a number of skin disorders which are due to allergy or oversenseitiveness. These include eczema, hives and a disorder, called angioneurotic edema in which there is sudden swelling and itching of the skin, particularly around the eyes and mouth. Of course, these disorders occur because the person eats some food to which he is oversensitive. When these foods are discovered and eliminated, the skin disorder clears up.

It may be seen that there are a number of disorders of the skin which have some relation to the diet. Thus, when an individual asks "Is my trouble due to something that I eat?" a careful study is necessary before an answer can be given. When a skin disturbance is due to a dietary difficulty, prompt correction of the diet is advisable.

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

HINTS FOR HOMEBODIES

By JESSIE ALLEN BROWN

Specially written for Readers of The Watchman

BRITAIN DELIVERS THE GOODS

The advertisements in the New York Sunday Times are full of British goods. The stores are certainly giving them plenty of space in their advertisements. There are woolens by the yard, and yarns, then coats and suits, china, potteries, lamps, biscuits and candies. The word "British" is emblazoned on almost every page. One ad had nothing but British ties for men. It is a nice gesture, and as one of the advertisements quote "Britain Delivers the Goods."

SPRING STYLES

The most noticeable things in the Spring styles are the changes in the shoulders and the neck-line. Shoulders are soft and natural. Necks are open-throated and are long, narrow V's. There are suits galore but they are soft and not the stiff tailored suits. Coats are mostly reefer styles. Prints are everywhere and are usually in some form of the classic, shirtmaker dress. Often they are combined with a plain fabric in a redingote. Alligator is the popular skin for purses, and there are woolen felts in bright colors in moderately priced bags. There seems to be such a variety of style and color used this season, everyone should be able to find something to suit their own particular needs.

NOVA SCOTIAN APPLES

The apple situation in the Maritimes is a queer one. On one hand the producers cannot sell their apples and on the other hand the consumers cannot buy them. We lived in Halifax for two years before the war and could not buy good apples, the reason given was that they were all exported. We are again in the Maritimes, this time in New Brunswick and I am still having apple trouble. I must say I did get better apples early in the winter, but on the day I paid $2.50 a bushel for Spies they were advertised in an Ontario paper for $1.65. Since the first of March I have not been able to buy apples, and the season should not be over that soon. I might be able to get them if I hunted around in various stores but my grocer, and he is a good one, says they rot so quickly after they come out of storage he cannot afford to handle them. He had eating apples at 39 cents a dozen, and although it hurts to buy apples by the dozen, it hurts worse to do without them, I ordered some and when they came they were B. C. Delicious. In the wartime we have to do without the apple-pies, puddings and baked apples we would like to have. An Ontario friend spent the week-end with us on his way home from Halifax where he had spent two months. He had enjoyed the fish and had tried to have as many varieties as possible. He decided he must not miss having some of the famous Nova Scotian apples. He hunted around until he saw good-looking ones and when he got them he found they were — you guessed it, B. C. apples. You have to hand it to the British Columbia growers, you can always get their apples. If the Nova Scotian producers would spend more effort on selling and distribution, they might not have so much to complain about. They say they cannot sell and the consumers cannot buy. What is wrong?

THUMB-SUCKING

The modern method of treating the thumb-sucking habit is to ignore it. Each time the child is scolded about it, it impresses the idea on his mind. When a baby starts sucking his thumb say nothing about it but quietly give him something to hold which will keep that hand occupied. Sometimes they start because they are not satisfied with their food. They are not getting enough to satisfy them until the next feeding. A young mother was telling me her two year old boy had started sucking his thumb. She has been scolding him about it. Occasionally he waves his hand until she looks at him then he grins and sticks in his thumb. He knows he is doing something he shouldn't and enjoys doing it. Maybe a little healthy ignoring might work here.

CANDIED FRUIT PEEL

Candied Fruit Peel seems to be a general favorite. I notice when I have it my guests pass up the candy to nibble on the peel. The last I made was from grape-fruit, and I colored part of it green. The yellow and green together are attractive for Spring Parties. To make it, boil grape-fruit skins gently until tender. Scoop off the white pulp with a spoon and cut in narrow strips of suitable length, with the scissors. Boil one cup of sugar with a half cup of water until the syrup threads from a spoon. Add the strips to the syrup and cook for five minutes. Take out a part of the strips and add coloring to the remainer, letting it stand off the heat, to absorb the color. Roll the strips in granulated sugar and put on waxed paper to dry, separating the strips. By the time these are rolled in sugar the colored strips are ready for the same treatment. This amount of sugar will do the skin of one large grape-fruit. Orange peel may be done in a similar manner. If this is kept in a tin box it will keep fresh for a long time.

RAISIN SAUCE

Ham has come to be the traditional Easter meat. A boiled ham is good but a baked ham is better. Boil a ham or bake one of the new tender hams, until almost tender, skin and score the fat. Rub into the fat all the brown sugar it will absorb, stick with cloves and bake until nicely browned. Here is a good recipe for Raisin Sauce to serve with your ham.

¾ cup seedless raisins, 1 tablespoon vinegar, ¾ cup sugar, 1 cup water, 5 cloves 1 teaspoon cornstarch, 1 tablespoon butter, 1 teaspoon lemon juice, a few drops Worcestershire sauce.

Cover the raisins with the water, add the cloves and cook until the raisins are tender. Mix the cornstarch with the sugar, stir into the raisin mixture, add the other ingredients and cook for three minutes, stirring steadily. Serve hot.

It's Easy for Husband To Fix Own Breakfast

A man should not make his poor wife get up out of bed to cook his breakfast. All he has to do is to:

Get a couple of eggs and a couple of slices of bacon, put the frying pan over the flame and put the bacon in the pan.

While the bacon is frying, put a couple of spoonfuls of coffee into a pot with a couple of cups of water and put the pot over a burner.

Grab a loaf of bread from the breadbox and a breadknife from the kitchen drawer and see if he can cut a couple of slices of bread before the bacon burns. Leap through the smoke and rescue the bacon.

Light the burner in the oven and place the bread under it to toast. Rush to the refrigerator for butter, cream and an orange, and get back to the range in time to save what coffee hasn't boiled over.

Break the eggs into the frying pan without breaking the yolks, rush for a knife to cut the orange and squeeze it. What's that burning? Great heavens! The toast! Dash back and save what is left of the toast, scraping off the charred portions.

Dish the eggs and the bacon and while they are getting cold, strain the coffee into a cup. It will either be a pale yellow it is so weak, or an inky black it is so strong.

Leave everything as it is for wife to clean up, put on hat and coat and go out to breakfast.

And there, with no more skill that it takes to make an airplane engine he has a breakfast fit for a king. The king it is fit for is probably one without a country, refugeeing from the war.

Personal Problems

By Anne Thomson

"Dear Miss Thomson: I am thirty one years of age and have lived at home all my life. For the past thirteen years I have been working, and naturally I have been paying board, although my family doesn't need it particularly. Nevertheless, I think it is only fair to take my share of the burden. I have a good job now, and make thirty dollars a week. Now, here is my problem. One of my best friends is a school teacher, and lives in rooms. She wants me to take an apartment with her, and I would just love to do it. I love my family, but they still treat me as though I were a young girl. They sit around when I have company, they check up on the times I come in, they criticise my clothes and my friends. I don't mean that they are worse than most families, but I have grown tired of it. Also, the only place I can entertain my friends in privacy is in my bedroom, which is on the third floor and very clod. My family were very hurt when I suggested moving away from home, and are still angry at me, but my girl friend says they would get over it. There are two children still at home, and I would even keep on giving them some board money, if they wanted it. What do you think?" —Worried.

I would go ahead and move. I think everyone has a right to their own life, even if it is only an apartment in the same town. You will get a great deal of pleasure out of it, too, when you start fixing it up. Be sure your room-mate is congenial and then go ahead, and I think you will find that your family will forgive you, especially when you offer still to continue to contribute to the household.

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"Dear Miss Thomson: I hope you don't mind a mere male coming to you for advice. My trouble in this. My mother died about six years ago, and since then Dad and I have lived together, with a housekeeper. Dad is not an old man, by any means, and I am very fond of him. In fact, we both have jobs in the same office. Now Dad has decided to marry again, and I do not approve of his choice. He insists on staying in the old house, of course, but he also insists that I continue to live with him, which I don't want to do after he is married. I could easily get a room at a boarding house where a lot of my friends live, and I would enjoy it, but he won't hear of it. What do you think I should do?" —A. T. K.

I think, under the circumstances I would move out, if I were you. Put it this way. You tell your father that you think every bride has a right to her own home for at least a year after she is married, without anyone else, even a favorite relative, interfering. Tell him that you will give them both a little breathing space, and he will understand. If you stay there, you will probably come to dislike your step-mother, but if you just visit in the house, you may grow very fond of her, and she of you.

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"Dear Anne: My daughter is twenty-one and has fallen in love with a man of thirty-eight. She has always been a quiet sensible girl, and I can't understand this folly. What can I do?" A Mother.

You can let her marry the man, if she loves him, and he is a decent sort, and let her be happy. What makes you think she can't be fond of a man just because he was born a few years before she was. You say she is a sensible girl . . . then let her show her sense and marry the man she loves.

BEAUTY

Helen Jameson (Mme. Qui Vive)

GETTING DYED HAIR BACK TO NORMAL

Many a woman who has been wedded to a bottle of hair dye suddenly decides to get a divorce from it. She is tired of the everlasting messing around. Or, if she has professional care, which means a frequent touch up, she may come to the conclusion that the beauty overhead is more than the checkbook traffic can bear.

What's to be done? A woman can have her head shaved, wear a wig. Bobbed wigs are cleverly made; it is no hardship to wear one. As healthy hair grows at the rate of five or six inches a year, it is no life-long agony to wear factory frizzes. In six months there is enough wool for a permanent wave and a pineapple bob, short curls all over the head.

In beauty shops, dye removers are used. How successful they are depends upon the preparation that the white-haired lady has used. Some dyes are not responsive; they stick and hang on, while others give way before oil treatments and the use of removers. Experts in hair-dyeing are extremely skillful in giving treatments that make happy the woman who is through with coloring agents. Sometimes the thatch is bleached. No woman should attempt to do that herself. Combining dyes and bleaches may lead to surprising and tearful results.

Some dyes are metallic, some are synthetic, being made from products of coal tar; some are combinations of both. When planning to get undyed, the cash customer, should give the operator a complete and truthful history of her experiences; what she has used, how often she has applied her coloring agents. If she has skipped gaily from one product to another, she must confess.

When pure henna has been the medium, equal parts of crude oil and castor oil are used, as hot as the scalp will bear. Applications are made twice a week, followed by a thorough shampoo within twelve hours. These treatments cannot be self-administered; always we suggest professional attention in such an important matter as hair reconditioning.

When dyes that are purely vegetable in character have been used, there are ways of bleaching the hair so that the veneer is removed from the shafts. Silver dyes are difficult to deal with.

Though much dyeing is going on these days, there never has been a time when white hair was as fashionable. A youthful-appearing woman with a complexion of good coloring looks stunning when her crown has silvered. White hair must be carefully shampooed; indeed, it requires more careful attention than hair of any other color, and it must be exquisitely coiffured. It is a mistake to believe that it makes every woman look older. On a woman of middle age, it makes her look younger because it has a softening effect upon wrinkles.

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A person can't really be called "pleasant" unless he has the habit of pleasantness; unless he has the kind of manners that make life pleasant for others as well as for himself.

A comforting thought is that if you watch and analyze people who have a reputation for being pleasant, you will realize that their pleasant outlook and their charming manners are compounded of small courtesies that seem big because they have the grace of consideration for other people. Pleasant people are always kind people.

Let's study a few of the daily gracious acts made by people who deservedly are called "pleasant."

They are the people who have a ready smile, bright and responsive. The sunny quality of their smile gives a lovely light, warms you, makes you feel that all's well with your world.

They are the people who, when they are introduced, say "How do you do" as if it were not at all conventional. Through the words is women a spirit of gracious welcoming, a certain winged quality.

They are the people who take a care to catch your name when the introduction is made, and to add it to their acknowledgment of the introduction.

They are the people who have a knack of comfortably beginning a conversation after an introduction. With easy grace they pick out of the air some interest of yours that starts the conversational ball merrily a-rolling.

They are the people who delight you by using your name frequently as they talk with you. It's a graceful bow to the human fact that we're all proud of our names.

They are the people who spontaneously and brightly say "Thank you" for any courtesy, great or small, to anyone, family, friends, acquaintances, strangers. It just isn't possible for them to omit a "please" when asking for anything from anybody.

They are the people who, when you meet them, always remember to ask about the health or welfare of your husband or wife, your children, your sister, your brother. When leaving, they send remembrances to someone close to you. Not only are they pleasant to you, but they never forget to remember those dear to you.

They are the people who, when you go to a tea where you know no one except the hostess, somehow find you, chat with you delightfully, introduce you to the place where refreshments are being served.

They are the people who, seeing the best in you, bring out the best in you. They say such appreciative and constructive things about people, that you, ashamed of your tart tongue, run to cover with your destructive remarks.

They are the people who avoid dangerously controversial subjects in conversation. They don't argue or contradict. They don't lay down the law. They don't monopolize the conversation, or monologue about their interests or hobbies.

They are the people who listen with complete and stimulating attention.

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TIP ON TABLE MANERS

It isn't necessary for you to wait until all the guests at table have been served before you begin to eat. When two or three of the other guests have been served, it is proper for those who have already been served to begin to eat.

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News of Current SPORTS .. SHOWS & Entertainment

Lachute Curlers Play In Elgin Trophy Games With District Clubs

On Friday last a rink from the Men's Curling Club, comprising R. A. Giles, W. S. MacKimmie, Jas. MacKimmie and John MacKimmie (skip) went to Montreal to play in the Elgin Trophy Contest.

In the morning they were defeated by Howick, in the afternoon they won against Morrisburg, and in the evening they lost to Huntingdon.

A banquet was tendered to the various teams, at which Mr. Peterson presided. He was the recipient of a past president's badge presented by Mr. Raguin in appreciation of his services.

In an impromptu program Mr. John MacKimmie pleased the audience with one of his habitant selections, "Le Vieux Temps."

WANT & FOR SALE ADVERTISEMENTS.

EMPLOYMENT, PROPERTY, TENDERS, ETC.

TO RENT — a heated apartment, 6 rooms, corner Grace and Elizabeth. — Phone 355, Lachute. —1c.

PACKARD SEDAN — 5 passenger, 4 doors, fully equipped, in good condition, for sale. — Apply J. R. Charron, 250 Main Street, Lachute. —1c.

FOR SALE — a medium-sized refrigerator, in good condition. — Apply Russell Sutton, Brownsburg, Que. —1c.

FOR SALE — one dining room set. Apply M. G. Assaly, Lachute. —1c.

FOR SALE — 1930 Chevrolet coupe, in good condition. — Telephone 20, Lachute. —1c.

NEW MILLINERY AND HAT SHOP — now open at Brownsburg. Splendid assortment of ladies' hats in latest styles. — Philip Daoust, prop., 361 Beaver Board Ave., Brownsburg. —1x.

HOUSE FOR SALE — No. 33 Blvd. Bedard. — Apply Honorius Filion, Tel. 132.

FOR SALE — 2 vacant lots, side of Eddie Barker's property, Lachute Road, opposite Catholic Cemetery. For further particulars, Apply Mrs. S. Cox, R. R. No. 1, Lachute. —1p.

RADIO LICENCES — Owners of radio receiving sets are advised that Richard Morrison, accredited by the local Legion as licence collector, will call on them shortly for payment of fees.

FOR SALE — kitchen range with hot water front, in perfect order. —Apply Mrs. Winmill, Elizabeth street, near Bedard Blvd. —1p.

BABY CHICKS — Bray delivers the chicks — Bray Chicks "deliver the goods". Ask our agent about Bray Daily Specials. Get your brooder busy with Bray Chicks before the spring rush. Bray has what you want. — W. H. Gordon, 72 Bethany St., Lachute; Bethel Steele, Brownsburg. —1c.

HELP WANTED — Active man or woman wanted for profitable Watkins route. Steady repeat business. Full credit for all orders and repeat business. We supply the stock and train you. Big weekly earnings assured from start. This is your opportunity. Apply promptly to M. Semple, 2177 Masson St. Montreal. —A3-3c

FOR SALE — Underwood typewriter in excellent condition, 14-inch carriage, price $60; also Royal Portable DeLuxe, like new, price $40. Terms. Phone 335 or write P. O. Box 128, Lachute. 27-2c.

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FOR SALE — reasonably priced, 8 tea-room tables, circular topped, excellent condition. — Apply Spinning Wheel Tea Room, Main St., Lachute —1c.

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Bedtime Story Riles Axis Diplomats

Belgrade, (A.P.) — A simple tale in bedtime story fashion, like the stories of the animal kingdom that lull children to sleep the world over, blew up a furious diplomatic storm, particularly among the Italian and German diplomats seeking to woo Yugoslavia into the Axis.

The newspaper Pravda, which is close to the government, printed the story. Axis diplomats immediately expressed displeasure and admitted that only the delicacy of present negotiations with Yugoslavia prevented strong official protest—if not worse.

Here's the story:

In the forest one day the Wolf decided things were all wrong in the animal world. Some smaller animals were getting more to eat than they deserved. The Lion was too completely master of the situation so the Wolf decided something had to be done about it — only those of Wolf blood should be allowed to rule.

The Wolf started out by gobbling up all the Beetles in sight on the ground they lacked Wolf blood in their veins and were a nuisance anyway. Then he started swallowing a few smaller animals living near him.

Lion Gets Nervous

The Lion paid no attention to their pleas because he himself had eaten a few smaller animals in his day. But as the Wolf came nearer the Lion's den the Lion got nervous and announced he would fight the Wolf "to the last little animal."

Then the Hare, admiring the Wolf, said he would like to become the Wolf's ally.

"You are a coward by nature", the Wolf replied, "but if you disguise yourself I will accept you."

The Hare agreed.

The Fox, allied with the Lion, at first pretended to fight the Wolf but soon gave up because he was old, worn-out and lazy. The Hare in disguise entered the battle just as it was ending, seizing the Fox's tail as a trophy. Then, swelling with pride, the Hare began attacking the weakest animals — Birds, Fish, Frogs.

Hare Takes Flight

But when the Hare heard the Lion's roar he started fleeing the desert. None was able to catch him. Finally his disguise fell off and other animals realized that although he had taken on the teeth of a Panther he was no Panther, although he could run backward like a Deer he was no Deer, although he wore the Eagle's feathers he was no Eagle.

The Wolf finally told him: "If only I had you as an enemy I could quickly dispose of you, but inasmuch as you are my ally I must protect you. The best I can say for you is you at least have a good ally."

Had Napoleon The Itch?

It is well-known Napoleon I had for many years a skin disease and, because of this characteristic pose with his hand beneath his shirt, he was supposed to have had scabies, that is, the itch.

Now it is believed that his pose was a mannerism cultivated in boyhood and not due to the desire to scratch.

Dr. Reuben Friedman, assistant professor of dermatology, Temple University, Philidelphia, disposes of the itch legend. There are no authentic records to show that the great Corsican had such an affection. He had cleanly habit and took numerous sulphur baths. His first wife, Josephine, is not known to have had scabies, although his second wife, Marie Louise, may have had it. She is said to have been somewhat promiscuous. Finally the remedy prescribed by Napoleon's physician, Corvisart, and used successfully, was an extremely weak and practically useless one for scabies.

The Philadelphia physician mentioned above suggests that Napoleon suffered from dermatitis herpetiformosis, which began at the siege of Toulon and lasted ten years. The temporary "cure" effected by Corvisart coincided with the period of his life when he was able to rest and be relieved of the strain of his military campaigns.

There have been some 40,000 books written about Napoleon but none of them discusses the annoying disease of the skin referred to by Friedman. Dermatitis herpetiformosis is an inflammation of the skin marked by grouped, inflammatory lesions, papular, vesicular, pustular and bullous, occurring in varied combinations, accompanied by burning and itching. It is also called Duhring's disease, and is relatively easy of relief. But citation of remedies for the affection will afford little satisfaction to the one-time dictator of Europe at this date.

Immigration Means Employment

The one objection to increased immigration to Canada is the existence of an unemployment problem — writes Vera A. Merrifield, W. I. immigration convenor. Because there are people out of work it has been widely assumed that more workers means more workless, or, at least, a displacement of domestic labor by cheaper foreign hands wherever work opens up. We know unemployment can be solved only through increased production, which means constantly expanding markets. Increased production, whether it be of farm or factory, means work. This leads to another, the most important feature of the immigration question, which we seem to have overlooked. Many of the people now seeking escape from Central Europe are highly skilled. Such people have a contribution to make wherever they are. Men with the courage to sacrifice home, and all they own, sooner than conform to the autocratic mould, are of the stuff of which democracy is made, the same stuff that colonized and pioneered this country. Besides giving work, the newcomers have to be fed, housed and clothed — which means exports. Surely no one in Canada will say that we have no need of, and no place for, enterprise of this kind.

HOW DID THE $ SIGN ORIGINATE?

In early days in those Atlantic coast settlements which afterwards became the United States there was no legal currency, and the Spanish dollar became the most useful coin. This sum was equal to 8 reals, consequently the dollar was written 8, but to distinguish it from any other 8 a line was placed on either side of it, and later the lines were brought together and run through the figure itself. Still later and for no apparent reason, except facility of expression, the 8 became a capital S with, of course, the lines running through it as they do today.

DOMINION STORE CLOSING EASTER MONDAY

The public is advised that the Dominion Store, Lachute, will open on Good Friday from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. for convenience of week-end shoppers, but will be closed all day Easter Monday.

British Speed King Is Now Busy on New Devices

London — Sir Malcolm Campbell has turned his talent for speed to the benefit of the British armored car forces.

The 56-year-old Briton whose "Bluebird" motor boats and automobiles have been setting records for 30 years, has designed a new type of armored car and has turned out a number of inventions, one of which has been accepted by the British army.

Sir Malcolm stored his speedy cars and boats shortly after Great Britain went to war in September, 1939. He refused a promotion from his present captaincy, instead organizing and commanding a motorcycle company.

From that he moved into the laboratory, and for several months has been spending long hours in experimental work.

"All my life my hobby has been speed," he said. "I've always worked with speedy motorboats and cars. Now I find myself absorbed with entirely different automotive problems and I am pleased that my experiments have proved of some value."

Whether Sir Malcolm's experiments also include work on England's fast motor patrol boats was not disclosed. Officially, his work is termed a "military secret."

But if he should be, he might make these patrol boats hard to catch. Shortly after the war started, Sir Malcolm skittered his Bluebird over the waters of Lake Coniston in England at 141.74 miles an hour. Present patrol boats do possibly half that.

Auction Sales

At the residence of the
LATE DR. MAUDE ABBOTT,
St. Andrews East, on Saturday, April 5th, commencing at 12.30 o'clock D. S. T., the following effects:

Four beds, springs and mattresses, washstands, bureau, sofas, tables, chairs, 2 writing desks, rugs, radio, organ, hall stand and chair, piano, oil paintings and pictures, book case, fancy articles, kitchen table and dishes, buffet, dinner wagon, china cabinet and other articles.

Terms, cash.

To be sold at—
AMPLEMAN'S HOTEL
Foundry Street, Lachute, on Saturday, April 12th, commencing at one o'clock, the following effects:

One building, two-storey wood construction measuring about 15 x 100 feet; quantity of furniture comprising single and double beds, parlor suite, dining room suite, two radios, chairs, tables, 12 mattresses; also a buggy and other articles.

At the residence of the
LATE DANIEL THOMPSON,
Brownsburg, Que., on Thursday, April 10th, commencing at 2. p.m. D.S.T., the following effects:

3 beds, springs and mattresses; wash stands, bureau, sofas, tables, chairs, writing desk, roll top desk, 2 parlor tables, 2 stoves, washing machine, cupboards, dishes, pictures, kitchen utensils, sewing machine, tools, scales, linen and bedding.

Terms, cash.

Public Notice

IN RE: VACANT ESTATE GEORGES LAUZON

Notice is given to interested parties, to appear at the office of the Prothonotary of the Superior Court for the District of Terrebonne, at the Court House at St. Jerome, on the 15th day of April, 1941, at 11 o'clock of the forenoon — to authorize the sale of an immoveable property belonging to the above vacant estate.

For all information, see the curator, L. J. Boileau, Notary, No. 84 Notre-Dame West, Montreal.

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Notice of Tax Sales

CANADA, PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
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TOWN OF SAINT JEROME

Public notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Emile Martin, town clerk of the town of Saint Jerome, in the County of Terrebonne, that the properties hereinafter described will be sold by public auction, at the office of the Council, in the Town Hall, 280 Labelle Street, on the TWENTY-EIGHTH day of APRIL, 1941, at TEN o'clock in the forenoon, (daylight saving time) to satisfy to the payment of municipal taxes, general and special and school taxes with interest, mentioned in the hereunder statement, and also to the payment of the costs, unless these taxes, interests and costs be paid before the sale.

NAMES	Cadastral No.	Municipal Taxes	Interests	School Taxes	Interests	TOTAL
Lorrain, Samuel	Subd. 42 of No. 49	$ 2.18	0.13	0. 66		2.97
Lorrain, Samuel	Subd. 62 of No. 49	$ 2.18	0.13	0. 66		2.97
Lorrain, Samuel	Subd. 63 of No. 49	$ 2.18	0.13	0. 66		2.97
Lorrain, Samuel	Subd. 103 of No. 49	$ 2.18	0.13	0. 66		2.97
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1A of No. 12	34.20	3.26	20.48	1.89	59.83
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 25A of No. 10	34.20	3.26	20.48	1.89	59.83
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 213 of No. 10	17.10	1.63	10.24	0.95	29.92
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 412 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 611 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.49
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 855 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1099 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.49
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1320 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 81 of No. 10	34.20	3.26	20.48	1.89	59.83
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 275 of No. 10	17.10	1.63	10.24	0.95	29.92
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 478 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.49
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 692 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 936 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.49
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1180 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1355 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.49
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 146 of No. 10	34.20	3.26	20.48	1.89	59.83
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 341 of No. 10	17.10	1.63	10.24	0.95	29.92
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 540 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 773 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1017 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.47
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1261 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1390 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.47
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 183 of No. 10	34.20	3.26	20.48	1.89	59.83
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 376 of No. 10	17.10	1.63	10.24	0.95	29.92
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 377 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 570 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.47
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 814 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1058 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.47
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1302 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.48
Gagnon, Simone	Pt. of No. 435	105.10	43.75	18.70	3.20	170.75

A piece of land known and designated as being part of lot No. (435) Four hundred and thirty-five, of the official plan and book of reference for the town of Saint Jerome, in the County of Terrebonne, measuring 62 feet width, by 87 feet depth, English measure, more or less; bounded in front towards the West by Briere Street; on one side towards the South by the property of Armand Latreille or representatives; in rear towards the East by the property of "Les Commissaires d'Ecoles de la Ville de Saint Jerome"; and on the other side towards the North by the balance of said lot No. 435. Subject to active, passive, apparent or hidden servitudes.

Of the official plan and book of reference for the town of Saint Jerome.

Dated at Saint Jerome, this second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

E. MARTIN, Town Clerk

Pledge for War Savings

"SALADA" TEA

Hal Roach Production, "Road Show", Is Hilarious Comedy

Hal Roach made an agreeably happy selection of girls in his latest production, "Road Show", appearing on the Rex Theatre screen next week. — There are lots of 'em, too. There's Carole Landis, who stepped up the heart-beats of prehistoric monsters in "2000 B.C." There's Margaret Roach, who could have made them all sing tenor. Patsy Kelly, as second in command of a girl-owned carnival; Adolphe Menjou, as a sligthly daffy inventor of a trick camera which does everything but talk the excellent comedy lines for Menjou; there's Charles Butterworth, his eccentric and very wealthy nephew, with a penchant for fire-engines — he drives around the country in one, with chauffeur. Handsome John Hubbard plays the millionaire in disguise, who becomes a roustabout with the carnival, all for the love of the lady boss.

Colonel Carraway (Adolphe Menjou) escapes from a swank sanitarium with the collaboration of Drogo Gaines (John Hubbard). They become entangled with the fortunes of a nearby carnival, belonging to pretty Penguin Moore (Carole Landis). While they are sought across the continent, the Colonel and Drogo become regular employees of the show. Drogo, who is at first an acrobat's helper, is forced to become a lion tamer, through the Colonel's unguarded use of large, luscious lies in trying to promote Drogo's romance with Penguin. Meanwhile a silent Indian brave follows Jinx (Patsy Kelly) across the country, because she appears in Indian costume selling a herb medicine. Margaret Roach is a singing, dancing sideshow with the Charioteers quartet supplying musical accompaniment. It all ends up as a bangbang, typical Hal Roach finish.

COMING EVENTS

Notices of Entertainement, Concerts or Meetings, etc., 10 cents per line each insertion. Minimum 50 cents. If billed, 60 cts.

DANCE

—At McArthur's Hall on Saturday night, April 12th. A generous portion of the proceeds will be given in aid of the Spitfire Fund. Come and boost the event. A good time assured, Adm. 25c
A10. 3p —Howard Gauley

COMMUNITY CARD PARTY

In aid of war work by Lachute W. I., bridge, euchre, 500, for ladies and gentlemen, 8 p.m. Tues., April 22, Lachute Auditorium; tickets 50c, refreshments included.

LEGION ANNUAL MEETING

Annual meeting and election of officers for Argenteuil Legion No. 70 will be held at the Victoria Hall Thursday, April 10, at 8.15 p.m. A large attendance expected; unaffiliated veterans cordially invited. —1.

DANCE

A dance will be held in the L.O.B.A. Hall, 10 Hope St., Lachute, under auspices of Laurentian Lodge, on Saturday, April 19th. Admission 25c. Keep the date open. A-3-17-2c.

REX The House of Hits

THURS., FRI., SAT., APRIL 3-4-5
DON AMECHE, Eugenie Leontovitch, Mary Bette Hughes in
FOUR SONS
with Allan Curtis, George Ernest.

Billie Seward, Wm. Hoade, Charles Lang, Adele Pearce in
One Crowded Night
with J. M. Kerrigan, Paul Guilfoyle.
NEWS OF THE DAY

SUN., MON., TUES., WED., APRIL 6-7-8-9
ADOLPHE MENJOU, Carole Landis, John Hubbard, Charles Butterworth in
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with PATSY KELLY, Geo. E. Stone, Margaret Roach.
Lloyd Noland, Marjorie Weaver,
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Larry Nunn, Margaret Early, William Henry, Judith Barrett in
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Sun., continuous show from 2 p.m.
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FREDERIC MARCH, MARGARET SULLIVAN,
SO ENDS OUR NIGHT
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LEON ERROL, LUPE VELEZ, Elizabeth Risdon, Donald Woods in
Mexican Spitfire Out West
Our Gang Comedy:
BABIES' BLUES

WED., THURS., APRIL 9-10
George Murphy, Brenda Joyce,
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Anne of Windy Poplars
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New Housing Development for Lachute and Brownsburg

Scheme Is First Permanent Project of Its Kind in Canada

The biggest news in the residential development of Lachute and Brownsburg of recent years, comes with the materialization of two housing projects undertaken by the Precision Built Homes Limited, a locally organized concern, with National Housing Act financing. The scheme provides initially, for the erection of 15 houses in Lachute and ten in Brownsburg. The site of construction here is a five-acre tract between the Brownsburg Road and the West River, bounded on the east side by the abandoned C. N. R. track. This area would allow for the ultimate construction of 60 houses, should the need ever arise. In Brownsburg the building site is at the Filion development, adjacent to the C-I-L picnic grounds.

At a meeting of Lachute and Brownsburg councillors — with Mr. F. W. Nicolls, federal Director of Housing, and other authorities in the construction industry and administration — held in the town hall here Monday afternoon, particulars of the two building schemes became more generally known.

Mr. Nicolls stressed that a zoning regulation would be almost imperative to any government-financed scheme — as a precaution against uses of any property in the prescribed area which might detract from its strictly residential purpose, or have unfavorable effect on the desirability or value of the homes. The councillors agreed that such regulation could be enacted, and Mr. Nicolls was asked to furnish a specimen draft of a by-law as prepared by his department.

It was explained by Mr. W. M. Cottingham, of the Cottingham Supply Company, that the government would co-operate materially in the work by levelling the incline to the track at the building site. He recommended to the Lachute councillors, however, that the ditch parallel to the track be utilized for the water main and sewerage before filling operations commence.

In connection with sewerage on the local development, it was generally agreed that drainage to the West River would be most practical. Councillor F. McGibbon stated the levels would permit of this plan, providing however that Provincial Health Department would approve. It was recognized that introduction of a septic tank would be necessary in this plan of drainage. . . An 8-inch water main carries at present to the C. N. R. crossing, and it was considered that a 5-inch pipe from there into the properties would give ample domestic supply and fire protection.

The town's contribution to this development would be the construction of necessary roadway and laying of mains. The sewer installation, although chargeable to property holders, would first necessitate a loan — to which Mr. Nicolls believed the Quebec Government would grant approval.

Mr. Gitteman, planner and architect from the Housing Administration, sketched two alternative plans for the Lachute scheme. They showed the housing frontage to the north, toward the highway, also provisions for traffic circulation, a park and playgound for children.

Actual design of the houses was outlined by Mr. Cottingham, who exhibited a blueprint elevation of a typical 24 x 28 ft. house. The homes will present no "monotony" of appearance, according to Mr. Cottingham. Exterior finish of

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Precision Built Homes Ltd. Company Established Here Under Federal Charter

A new company has been organized here under federal charter to proceed with prefabricated home construction on the Lachute and Brownsburg projects. The company, termed "Precision Built Homes Limited", is headed by W. M. Cottingham as president, with L. T. Porter vice-president and W. D. Keir secretary-treasurer.

The firm will manufacture and erect homes on plans prepared by the National Housing Administration at Ottawa under direction of F. W. Nicolls, Federal Director of Housing, and the operations of the Company will be superintended by Mr. E. W. Barnes, consultant. Construction has already started on the Filion property at Brownsburg, where ten houses will be erected, and a further development of 15 homes will be commenced in Lachute, on the farm land of the late John Hay, M. L. A., where a properly prepared townsite will be laid open under supervision of the National Housing Administration. Here it is expected the development will provide for a small park and playgrounds.

N.H.A. Director of Housing Visits Building Sites and Confers With Councils

With Mayor H. Lamarche as chairman, a number of Lachute and Brownsburg councillors met with Mr. F. W. Nicolls, Director of Housing under the Federal Department of Finance, and other housing authorities, at the town hall here on Monday afternoon. Aspects of the Lachute and Brownsburg housing schemes were discussed.

Mr. Gitteman, accompanying the Director of Housing, is a town planner and architect with the National Housing Administration at Ottawa.

E. W. Barnes was present from Precision Built Homes Ltd., a company which has developed what is described as the most advanced system of total and partial prefabrication of houses.

Among the party was Griffith S. Clarke, who had left Trenton, N. J., by plane at 10.30 Monday morning to be present. Mr. Clarke has spent ten years in study and construction of prefabricated houses, in developments across the United States. He is connected with the Homasote Company, of Trenton, N. J. . . The Homasote Company, it is understood, has expended more time, energy and money in research than all the other efforts at "prefabrication" combined. When a Precision Built house is purchased, the buyer enjoys all the benefits of this experience at less cost than in purchasing a conventionally built home. The economies effected are represented in the saving of construction time, even though more material goes into a Precision Built home. Among many other advantages is the variation in design, as it is not necessary to build two houses of the same appearance to obtain the saving . . . As a gesture of co-operation in this Precision Built industry and in a spirit of international good will the Homasote Company are furnishing the services of Mr. Griffith Clarke, their housing engineer, who is also assistant to the vice-president of the company.

During the afternoon this party, conducted by Mr. W. M. Cottingham and town officials, made inspection of the Lachute building site, on what is known as the Hay property, across the old C. N. R. right-of-way in the northwestern limits of town. After meeting in the town hall, the gentlemen then proceeded to Brownsburg to look over the area planned for the building scheme in that village. Mayor Geo. Ball and members of his council accompanied the visitors.

Mr. H. L. McQuire, B. Arch., M.R.A.I.C., of the National Housing Administration at Ottawa, is now on the scene following the fabricating and assembling of the new Precision Built Homes in Brownsburg and Lachute. Mr. McQuire was originally responsible for the plans being used in this new development.

Before the last war there were more Germans earning a living in London, England, than in all the colonies owned by Germany in those days.

LACK OF MACHINE TOOLS SEEN AS IMPEDING WAR PRODUCTION IN CANADA

WOMEN ON ONTARIO JURIES; GUARANTEE FOR MARITIME APPLE CROP; BAN ON TAG DAYS

"CANADIAN VIEWPOINT"
By Allan McGee

Specially Written for Readers of The Watchman

Tomorrow is Good Friday, and that will mean a long week-end for a great many people.

May I suggest that, if you have nothing special in mind, you organize a good old-fashioned sugaring party for the holiday. There is no more fun than a jolly group of people out in the bush to sample the syrup and sugar.

Don't forget the syrup at home, too. Waffles and maple syrup will never taste better than this week-end when the syrup is fresh from the vats.

SAVE THOSE STAMPS

Some people in the district, hoping to help the war effort, have been burning their war-savings stamps and booklets.

This is not as good as it would seem on the surface.

The government, in issuing stamps, must lay aside enough money to cover the redemption of every stamp in the years to come. Thus they must allow for $72,000,000 to be paid out in 1948 on the basis of stamps and certificates issued in the past twelve months. If you destroy your war-savings stamps, the government will not know about it and they will still have to hold the amount in trust to cover your amount.

If you really want to help in this manner you are invited to send your booklet or stamps to the War Savings Committee to have them destroy it. They will then know that the stamps will never be redeemed and you will free that much money for the war effort.

I have also heard of others who send their stamps to the local school, hospital or local charity to be applied to their funds. In seven years, these institutions will be able to cash-in the stamps to aid them in their work.

GUARANTEE FOR APPLE CROP

The Federal Government has guaranteed the apple crop of the Maritime Provinces in order that the orchard owners will not have to suffer too greatly from the loss of their overseas market.

The price will be the same as that paid last year to the growers, and a minimum of 1,250,000 barrels has been covered by the original agreement.

New factories have been opened in Ontario and Quebec to convert many of this year's apples into white vinegar for preserving and pickling, and other factories are using the juice of the apples to provide a refreshing drink to thousands of Canadians.

MACHINE TOOLS LACKING

One of the major factors that is holding back our war effort is the lack of machine tools in the Dominion.

These tools are those heavy instruments used to make up special machines for war work and other heavy industrial uses. They are highly complicated and take skilled workmen many days to assemble. They are very accurate, some of them gauged down as fine as 1/100,000 of an inch.

The machines they help to make are used to turn out shells, guns, motors, optical instruments and other vital necessities in war work.

Machine tools are badly needed in this country and the War Requirements Board is making every effort to get more of them from the United States.

HOUSING INCREASING

Right across the continent, from Halifax to Vancouver, we will soon see the housing industry hit its highest peak in many a year. More and more people this year will take advantage of the government's help in building their own homes. Industrial towns will see a boom also in workers' houses, for there is an extreme shortage of these in many parts of the country. Houses and various other types of buildings will spring up like mushrooms, once the warmer weather sets in and the ground becomes soft enough to work.

WOMEN ON JURIES

In Ontario, the Legislative Assembly will vote on the question of having women of the province serve on local juries.

They are taking special precautions to see that the number of women serving on any jury will not be unreasonably small or unreasonably large. Of course, it would be impossible to have a husband and wife on the same jury — for then it would not be possible for them to arrive at a unanimous verdict !

Care would be taken also to see that a beautiful woman, no matter what the charge, would not be judged by a group of family mothers. The defendant just wouldn't have a chance, more especially if she were careless enough to cross her legs during the trial.

Wife-beaters, too, would have to be careful in choosing a jury. It would mean life, at least, for any man if he was tried by a woman jury.

BAN ON TAG DAYS

In many cities and towns the local council has passed a by-law prohibiting tag days, for the duration of the war.

With every cent possible going into the war effort (don't forget that new budget after Easter), it is too much to expect the people to contribute to any extra institution. Those private charities and organizations that depend on public help will be forced to turn elsewhere for their money, or else devise other means of raising it.



FLIES BRITISH FLAG

Her conning tower hit by a shell from the British cruiser Leander, this Italian submarine was beached and surrendered at the southern entrance to the Suez canal. The British white ensign flies above the Italian flag in this picture taken by a member of the Leander's crew.

B'burg Airman Takes Tea With Their Majesties

SGT. PILOT GEO. PROSSER TELLS EXPERIENCE

AIRMAIL LETTER RECEIVED BY HIS PARENTS

A letter to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Prosser, of Brownsburg, received by airmail on Monday, related a rare incident experienced by their son, Sgt. Pilot Geo. Prosser, with the R.C.A.F. in England. Following his safe arrival on English soil, among this young man's first adventures was no less a thrill than — to take tea with Their Majesties and the two Princesses at Windsor Castle.

Sgt. Pilot Prosser, 21 years of age this month, left Brownsburg to enlist with the R.C.A.F., in Montreal last May . . . After arriving in England, he narrates, a party of 30 Air Force men got leave to visit London. Arrangements were made for the men to visit Windsor Castle . . . While they were being conducted through the royal apartments, he states, the King and Queen made their appearance, with the Princesses. The soldiers were introduced personally to the royal couple, who conversed genially with each member of the party. The young Princesses asked many questions, and gave the Canadians each an autographed postcard as a souvenir of the visit. "The Princesses had four dogs with them, so it was quite an informal party," writes Prosser. He tells of having spoken lengthily with Lady Diana Peel, lady-in-waiting to the Queen; and to crown the royal hospitality, the visitors were invited to take tea with Their Majesties — an experience which they will treasure long in their memories.

Brownsburg Worker Dead, Girl Operator Hurt in Plant Explosion

Verdict of Accident, in Death of 31-Year-Old Hawkesbury Machinist

CORONER'S INQUEST HELD HERE LAST EVENING

(Special to The Watchman)

Brownsburg — Gilbert Soucess, 31-year-old machinist, of Hawkesbury, who suffered a compound fracture of the skull last Friday in an explosion which occurred at the Brownsburg plant of Canadian Industries Limited, succumbed to his injuries Tuesday afternoon at the Royal Victoria Hospital, while Miss Verna Judge, 19-year-old machine operator, whose home is in Verdun and who had both legs fractured in the same accident, is still on the danger list but is making satisfactory progress at St. Mary's Hospital in Montreal.

The accident occurred at 5.30 Friday afternoon last in the empty shot shell department of the ammunition works. The explosion, the cause of which has not yet been determined, is thought to have shattered the machine at which Miss Judge was working, causing fractures to both her legs below the knee, while Soucess is presumed to have been struck on the head by a flying piece of metal and to have sustained another head injury in falling.

Both employees were rushed to the plant hospital, where they were given immediate medical attention by Dr. A. R. Coté pending the arrival of an ambulance to convey them to hospital in Montreal, where emergency operations were performed.

Company officials notifed Mrs. Soucess in Hawkesbury and took her to Montreal, where she arrived soon after the admittance of her husband to the Neurological Institute of the Royal Victoria Hospital. Both the mother and father of Miss Judge were also notified.

Soucess has been employed at Brownsburg since September and Miss Judge since March of last year.

Company officials are conducting a thorough investigation into the cause of the accident.

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A jury of Brownsburg citizens empanelled by Dr. W. F. McMartin of Lachute, district coroner, heard evidence at an inquest held in Lachute town hall at 5 p.m. yesterday. They returned a verdict of accidental death.

The report of an autopsy made by Dr. Rosairo Fontaine, provincial medico-legal expert, showed the man had suffered numerous skull fractures. Testimony was given by two of the factory foremen and a fellow worker who was with Soucess at the time of the explosion.

Films Shown as A Medium of Town Publicity

COUNCILLORS AND CITIZENS' COMMITTEE ATTEND

ADDRESSED BY COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE

Members of the Lachute Town Council and of the recently formed Citizens' Committee met Monday evening in the town hall, where Mr. Hal Sothern of Ottawa, representing the John Powis Co. Ltd., showed motion pictures to demonstrate what could be achieved by this means to give favorable publicity to Lachute.

One of the films depicted the production of bicycle wheels and the varied processes of their manufacture, in a certain industrial centre.

It was thought that a film of 400 feet would cost about $1,000, and this would be lengthy enough to show many of the leading features of this particular community.

Thanks were extended to the speaker for his demonstration, but it was considered that the finances of the town precluded the use of this advertising medium at the present time, and the matter was held over for further consideration.

Home, to a small boy, is merely a filling station.

AN EASTER THOUGHT

Lift up your heads, ye sorrowing ones,
And be glad of heart,
For Calvary and Easter Day—
Earth's saddest day and gladdest day—
Were just one day apart.

"Yes!", mused Byron as he knelt to pray, "a sad day and a glad day, with but a day between."

An army division, in these days of mechanisation, requires about 3,000 vehicles, including guns, tractors, tanks and trucks.

B'burg Industries In 'Silver Seal' Savings Class

EMPLOYEES ON PAYROLL DEDUCTION SCHEME

GOV'T "HONOR ROLL" HAS THREE CATEGORIES

Brownsburg, April 8 —

When the Government started their War Savings Campaign, they organized it in a very thorough way. One of the big sections was the employer-employee plan in which we have been participating. To give the firms recognition an Honour Roll has been established. Any plant having over seventy-five percent of the employees buying War Savings Certificates by regular deductions from wages, are on the Honour Roll. This Honour Roll is divided into three divisions — hundred per cent firms are in the Gold Seal Class — ninety to ninety-nine per cent rate a Silver Seal — seventy-five to eighty-nine percenters are Bronze Sealers.

The percentages for these awards are calculated every three months and on the basis of the number of fully employed throughout the whole period. On this basis Unit "A" here are 91.5 per cent and Dominion Ammunition have 89.5 per cent. This puts the whole Brownsburg Works in the Silver Seal Class.

The Government gives another warning that we should be careful with our domestic buying. All the material of our country is needed for its protection. We have enough material, resources, energy and money to win this war but they have to be put to proper use. We must do MORE voluntarily than the Germans, Bulgarians, Rumanians and Italians are doing by forces such as the Gestapo.

(From the Brownsburg C-I-L News Bulletin)

Farm Home in E. Settlement Is Razed by Fire

ESTIMATED DAMAGE OF $4,000, PARTLY INSURED

FIRE BRIGADE RESPONDED, WATER SUPPLY INADEQUATE

Fire completely destroyed the farmhouse of David Black, East Settlement, about three miles east of Lachute, at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. From chimney sparks the shingle roof was ignited and the fire spread so rapidly that nothing could be done to control it, and the stone foundation is the only thing left. The Lachute fire brigade attended, but owing to lack of water could do little. Barns and outbuildings were not affected, and all furniture was removed from the home. Mr. Black, former president of the Liberal Association of Argenteuil and for many years on the board of the Montreal Milk Shippers' Association, only recently returned after undergoing an operation in Montreal.

The damage is estimated at $4,000, partly covered by insurance.

Now $2,000 Over Objective in War Services Fund

EXPECT OVER $13,000 AFTER RETURNS COMPLETE

FINE RESULT, CONSIDERING BAD ROAD CONDITIONS

Although full returns are not available for all sections of the county, it is reported by the War Services Drive joint-chairman, Geo. H. Heon, that Argenteuil has far exceeded its $10,000 objective, and the committee hope for an ultimate total around $13,000.

If view of bad travelling conditions — many back-country roads being still impassable to canvassers — this result is considered excellent. Mr. Heon points out that in four individual drives for the groups represented in this present campaign, namely the Y.M.C.A., the K. of C., the Legion and the Salvation Army, the previous collections in this district were only $5,200; which indicates the latest joint-campaign has more than doubled the previous results. Argenteuil, with the highest allocation of any constituency in the province, has therefore fulfilled its obligation nobly.

All the municipal corporations have subscribed, in amounts from $25 to $500. Among the communities not yet reported are — Arundel, Morin, Calumet, Avoca, Lost River and Weir. To date, however, the subscription total is approximately $12,555 — to which will be added a considerable sum in pledges, to bring the total well over $13,000.

Collections reported up to 8 p.m. last evening show the following:

Lachute and Argenteuil territory exclusive of Brownsburg	
Cash	$4,913.69
Pledges ...	515.00
Brownsb'g, Cash & Pledges	$6,000.
Lachute & Argenteuil territory exclusive of Brownsburg, reported but not turned in	$1,126.00
Total subscriptions	$12,555.37
Present excess over assigned district quota	$2,555.37

The committee, through the medium of this newspaper, accords warm appreciation to all who have worked in this campaign — many, as stated, having canvassed under difficult travelling condition.



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Safety Law Applies to Truck and Bus Owners

FLARES NOW REQUIRED

Bus and truck owners in the Province of Quebec are reminded that it is now compulsory for them to equip their vehicles with adequate flare lights for use in case of prolonged stops on the highway at night. This addition to article 27 of the Motor Vehicle Act, arising from general order No. 9 of the Provincial Transportation and Communication Board, has been in force since the beginning of March, but many operators have not yet complied with the regulation.

The April number of the Inter-Fleeter, issued to participants in the Province of Quebec Safety League's no-accident contest for commercial vehicle drivers, emphasizes the importance of this new by-law and urges its members to secure the required flares immediately.

The measure, it is claimed, was adopted following repeated requests and resolutions emanating from the P.Q.S.L., pointing out that it would mean the avoidance of countless severe collisions.

It will be recalled that numerous drivers, standing in front of their tail-light while parking on a dark road for a repair job, have been killed or seriously injured. These emergency lamps will prevent such mishaps, as well as those caused when the electrical system goes dead thereby putting out the truck's clearance and other lights.

The new by-law calls for at least two flares, lamps or portable lanterns that must be capable of being used during an interrupted period of at least eight hours as luminous signals visible at a distance of at least 500 feet. The lights should be placed 100 feet in front and 100 feet to the rear of the vehicle.

"Pilots defending Britain have no feeling of personal hatred when they shoot down attacking German planes. They feel as though they are destroying mad dogs."

—Flt.-Lt. Hartland Molson, at Toronto.

Five Years' Gas Tax in Ontario Brings 5 Millions

LEGISLATURE REPORT

Toronto — Gasoline tax collections in Ontario for the past five years have totalled $100,009,046, it was reported in a return tabled in the legislature. The tax in 1936 yielded $16,001,013 and since that time has risen each year until it totalled $27,428,149 in 1940.

George Henry (Con., York East) was advised in another return that $13,247,054 has been expended on the 74 miles of the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Niagara Falls.

Will Take Census As of June 2nd.

SPECIFIC DATE SET

The decennial cencus always is taken as of a certain date. This year it will be on June 2. If a man were alive on that day but died before the enumerator made his returns, he still would be classed among the living. This definite date is necessary all along the line because conditions may fluctuate.

There will be about 250 commissioners, one for each electoral district.

Buckingham Woman Is Found Dead in Home

NO INQUEST HELD

Buckingham, Que. — Coroner W. J. Costello, reported the body of Mrs. Joseph Ipperciel, 47, was found Friday morning hanging in her home.

The coroner held no inquest; he said he believed Mrs. Ipperciel suffered a temporary mental breakdown as a result of a long illness.

Experience is one teacher that always gets paid if not obeyed.

FOR WAR WORK — A card party is being held in the Auditorium Tuesday evening, April 22; ladies and gentlemen; tickets 50c including refreshments. — Lachute W. I.

"Do you wish the court to undestand that you refuse to renew your dog licence?"

"Yes, your worship, but . . ."

"We want no 'buts'. You will be fined. You know the licence has expired."

"Yes, and so has the dog."



Dealer Advises Home-Building to Peg Rentals

LIVING COST INCREASE

People who invest their money in a home of their own now will be taking an important step to protect themselves against higher living costs, is the opinion of Mr. W. M. Cottingham, of the Cottingham Supply Company, distributors here for Johns-Manville building materials.

A home of your own is the best protection against inflation or high prices, it is pointed out; and under the long-term NHA insured mortgage plan the owner of a home pays a fixed monthly rental that is a guarantee against higher costs.

"Payment of rent is an out and out expense," Mr. Cottingham said, "but when you buy a home on the low monthly installments we now have — at the lowest rates in history — you are paying the rent to yourself because it is building up an equity in your own home."

"The average family today can get an up-to-date and well-equipped home of their own at less monthly cost than they have to pay for rent. And you get materials of high quality which will give long usefulness, and will add much to the comfort of your home. Rock wool insulation against heat and cold, and fire-proof asbestos shingles, are instances of the quality materials developed in modern research laboratories which can make the modern home you build today a place of lasting comfort and satisfaction."

Mr. Cottingham pointed out that there has been a sharp increase in home building in most parts of Canada in the last year as a result of the fear of higher rents.

Measurement of Light And Sound Assists in Locating Enemy Position

Location of enemy batteries from the flash of hostile guns and by means of sound ranging methods are among duties for which recruits are being trained in the Survey Wing at Petawawa Artillery School. Included also in the work of a Survey Regiment is the extension of the survey network laid down by Field Survey Companies of the Royal Canadian Engineers up into the area occupied by Regiments of Artillery in order that the gunners may have accurate information on their own positions in relation to the positions of the enemy.

Instructors in this very scientific branch of the Artillery include geologists, mathematicians, land surveyors and architects. The men under instruction are hand-picked, a working knowledge of higher mathematics being a basic necessity. However, they must also learn the fundamentals of soldiering and are required to spend two months in a regular training camp before entering the Wing.

Men who take the course are given a thorough training in Survey, valuable asset in peacetime as well as being the basis of all dutics performed by a Survey Regiment in the R. C. A.

Advice to Farmers — This Year, Force The Pastures

Since Britain needs milk products urgently, and pastures furnish the lowest cost feed for milk production, now is the time for farmers to take the first step towards having abundant pasturage for their cows this year.

Grass and clover fields should be top dressed with manure as early as possible this spring, and not later than the end of April. Manuring will pay better on these fields than on most other crops. Then, too, long time experiments have well proved that light frequent applications (5 to 8 loads per acre) of manure, spread over a larger acreage, have resulted in greater returns per ton of manure than when heavier applications are made on smaller acreages. The number of acres which can be manured each year will naturally depend on the amount of manure available, but many successful farmers follow the practice of applying nearly all the manure produced on the farm to the hay and pasture fields, and depend chiefly upon fertilizers for the wheat or corn crops.

Another excellent practice is to cut the meadows early, so as to make best quality hay and to give a strong aftermath for pasture.

The fact that the grass and clover fields require to be plowed and reseeded only once in three or four years, and that the cows harvest the pasture crop at no cost for labour, makes pasture much the lowest cost feed on the farm. Abundant pasture and high quality hay are of supreme importance in milk production.

Remember the slogan, "Much milk flows where good grass grows."

St. Hermas Man Is Found Hanging on Tramway Pole

NEAR MOUNT ROYAL

Montreal — A man, identified by a registration card in his pocket as Hugo Wohlers, 48, of St. Hermas, Que., was found hanging from a Montreal Tramway pole near the upper end of the line on Mount Royal last Saturday.

The discovery was made by Constable A. Deconick, who was patrolling his beat on the mountain at the time. He notified the authorities, and the body was removed to the morgue.

Three Jailed on Vagrancy Charge at Ste. Agathe

ARRESTED FOR BEGGING

Ste. Agathe, April 5 — Three men were sentenced here today to 30 days in the St. Jerome jail as the result of an attempt to obtain food at the home of Countess Ogier d'Ivry.

The Countess and her sister were alone in the house when the three men, Aime Houle, alias Plante, 26, of St. Hyacinthe, Joseph Dutil, 30, of St. Hyacinthe, and Raoul Daignault, 40, of Ste. Rose, knocked on the door. The Countess peeked through the curtains and saw the men, then telephoned the police. She then went to the door and engaged then in conversation until Chief Albert Bergeron and Constable Joseph Tourangeau arrived.

Houle and Dutil, police said, had been begging in the town during Friday morning and had been escorted to the limits.

The trio appeared before Mayor Georges Liboiron, justice of the peace, and were charged with vagrancy. Pleading guilty they were sentenced to pay $5 and costs. Unable to raise the money they were sent to jail in St. Jerome for 30 days.

Precautionary Note

Teacher: "Well, Jack, what did you do on your holidays?"

Jack: "Oh, not much, sir,—not enough to write an essay on, anyway"

Driving Lesson

Wife: "Oh, dear! What shall I do now?"

Husband: "Just imagine I'm driving and you are in the back seat."



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EDITORIAL

The New Housing Scheme

While it becomes increasingly obvious that Lachute and Brownsburg are in need of added housing accommodation — a demand which private enterprise appears inadequate to fill — these communities may count themselves fortunate that there will be no haphazard erection of dwellings in their civic limits. Development of that kind is the more common outcome of such emergencies; so-called "boom towns" are a tragic memorial to the mistake.

Government collaboration in these two municipalities is placing at their disposal experts highly qualified in town planning and home design. Private or syndicate projects for the building of homes, unaided by the Government, would pay dearly for such services.

Through the initiative of Cottingham Supply Company here, two modest building schemes are planned; at Brownsburg, in fact, the work is now under way. The National Housing Act plan of financing has been invoked to facilitate the citizen-ownership of these homes.

The plan is projected, naturally, to meet the present abnormal demand for dwellings consequent upon the activity of war industries. But it is not the aim of the promoters to over-build so that there will be a surplus of homes in these communities after the war. Nor is Government collaboration extended to any project that will exceed the demand of normal times.

Our two communities — we repeat — are favored, inasmuch as their respective schemes will be well planned to ensure architectural beauty, healthful conditions, zoning restrictions, and everything that is desirable in community growth — while at the same time they will meet a need, not of the wealthy class, but of the everyday citizen who, as a prospective home-owner, has long needed such assistance in his plans.

The Functions of the Press

Commencing next week it is our intention to feature a series of editorials outlining the functions of the press in a democratic community and its relationship to the various phases of community life. There is considerable ignorance as to the position and prerogatives of the press in the area it serves. This lack of knowledge is almost entirely the fault of the press itself, because it has neglected the important duty of making its readers conversant with the fundamental principles involved in the publication of a community newspaper. The series seeks to make amends for the omissions of the past, and to present in simple language an explanation of the main relationship between the newspaper, its readers, its community groups and institutions within the realm it seeks to serve.

The phases to be discussed are: The Freedom of the Press, The Press and Governments, The Press and the Churches, The Press and the Advertiser, The Press and Propaganda, The Functions of an Editor, The Functions of a Reporter, The Press and Local History, and The Guarantee of Freedom. We sincerely hope that our readers will carefully study and digest these articles, because we believe they will give them a new understanding of their local newspaper, and the historical purpose of its mission in the community.

A Bureau of (Mis-)Information ?

It would be regrettable if the outcry regarding the Dominion government's expenditure on the bureau of information resulted in abolition of a trained organization for the dissemination of facts which the public wishes and has a right to know. Only if some of the personnel do not know their jobs in the publication or radio field should they be dismissed.

One gets the impression that public resentment at the moment is not with regard to the expenditure — actually a small amount in relation to the job to be done — but that the public feels it has been misled and misinformed. There is apparently an effort to paint too rosy a picture. If our government had emulated Churchill and told the truth, however unpalatable, we think the criticism today would have been much less than it is.

What Canada has done in this war so far may be — and probably is — highly creditable to a country, a small country, which up to two years ago had only a tiny nucleus of an army with obsolete equipment, an airforce about as large as that of Norway and a navy of a few destroyers for coastguard work. To build a real military effort from such a start takes time under the best of circumstances. Possibly we have done amazingly well.

Where the rub comes, is that Ottawa has been promising more than has been performed. In that promising, the bureau of information, consciously or not, has been an agent. Churchill would not have permitted deception, for he would have known that Canadians are old enough to be told the facts of war. If the British people had not been told, the war likely would have been lost.

—The Printed Word ("Facts of War")

Fashion note from Paris — via Berlin — says wasp waists characterized the first showing of spring fashions since the German occupation. Men will also wear their belts several notches tighter since the Nazis have clamped onto the French food supply.

Most of us are really sincere when we ask Heaven to help the poor. We feel that it relieves us of the responsibility of helping them ourselves.

—Forest Standard, Ont.

Answering the Lindberghers

Many arguments against intervention in the Great War have been advanced by the Charles Lindbergh group in the United States, but few of them hold water. Generally they suggest that the mad dogs of Europe have no intention of invading this continent and proceed to build arguments upon that foundation. But here are Hitler's own words, and serious consideration of the German Dictator's ideas will strike the pro-Nazi arguments at the base: "My motto is, destroy by every means . . . So-called international laws will not check me . . . One is either a German or a Christian. You cannot be both." — Hard words for any anti-Britisher in the United States to explain away.

Arthur, John and Dick

Arthur, John and Dick sound like a party. You can easily imagine the trio as a group of nice boys, possibly wearing the khaki or air force blue and out for a good time . . . But Arthur, John and Dick aren't nice boys at all. They are names used to designate new and particularly dangerous poison gases made through combining better known gases used in the Great War. Gases of the newer types, it is stated, are exceptionally deadly in that they are completely invisible and odorless, thus affording not the slightest warning to the victims. Gas was a terrible weapon in the Great War, and though little is heard of the deadly vapor in this new conflict it is nevertheless stated that Germans have used the poison during the invasion of Belgium. It certainly seems a shame, however, to choose such friendly, respectable and youthful names as Arthur, John and Dick to designate a particularly nasty form of warfare.

The Lesson of Yugoslavia

The quick and spontaneous Yugoslav revolt against the Axis alignment provides a heartening lesson for Democratic countries of the world. Just eight hours before the bloodless rebellion the Regency had bowed to the Rome-Berlin Axis demands and it was apparent that another country had been cowed into submission by the big bullies of Europe. But men are still men and common men of Yugoslavia refused to countenance the Regency government's action in virtually selling them into slavery. Demonstrations followed quickly on news of the pact being signed and the rioting spread as a raging fire spreads through a dry forest. In eight hours the turn-over was so complete that Prince Paul, the chief Regent, had been deposed and King Peter had already met the new cabinet, later riding through the streets of Belgrade while the cheering populace pelted him with flowers. No one knows, as yet, what the future holds for Yugoslavia but the quick refusal to bow to the rule of might indicates the lessening of Germany's power to inspire terror by the mere show of military strength.

Advertising Pays Again

Almost every day some new evidence of the genuine value of newspaper advertising crops up. Commenting on the success of the recent appeal for early income tax payments, Hon. Colin Gibson, Minister of National Revenue, says: "The newspapers counted more than all the circulars sent out." Advertising — especially in the newspapers — never fails to pay !

News Item . . .

Sandy, officially listed as an aircraftsman at an R.C.A.F. station in the east, is a brawny police dog adopted by the depot after his master, an R.C.A.F. officer, was transferred elsewhere.

Aircraftsman Sandy is really quite handy.
A "top dog", his friends they declare,
He's a popular pup, but they do bring it up,
That he's scarcely the type for the Air,
A police dog, they hint, should be with the M. P's.
But an Air Force camp would be much merrier,
With a mascot whose papers would prove him to be,
Either AIR-dale or flighty Skye-Terrier !

They'll be taking the census this summer, and a lot of Canadians beset by war worries will be taking leave of their senses when the enumerators begin asking a lot of silly question.

Working on a Western movie thriller, a young actress was slightly injured when she was hit by an old-fashioned stage coach during the making of an action scene. Just another stage-struck girl !

Major crimes are on the decrease in Canada, according to statistics for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940, and tabled in the House of Commons. Perhaps major criminals here have lost confidence in their ability and their wickedness after reading the tales of evil that follow the trail of the Nazis in Europe.

Boston dishwasher has inherited $10,000. That's acquiring wealth suddsingly!

AND IN CONCLUSION: Mussolini's record of defeats grows longer and Italian dissatisfaction is increasing daily. Maybe 'twon't be long before the King gives the Duce the Deuce !

THE LIFE OF WINSTON CHURCHILL

THE MAN WHO 'LL BEAT HITLER

(PART 4)

Nothing so illustrated the picturesque and devil-may-care character of Winston Churchill in his early days than an incident which occurred when he was Home Secretary. A group of Russian anarchists, led by a desperado named Peter the Painter, were running amok in London, stealing and pillaging. They shot a policeman to death and were run to earth in a house on Sydney Street, where they barricaded themselves in.

Police surrounded the house but the anarchists shot at them recklessly, and the Home Secretary was appealed to for troops. He sent them — and himself headed the company, walking along the street to reconnoitre the situation, entirely regardless of the storm of bullets from the besieged house.

The house eventually burst into flames and Winston Churchill, with a police inspector and a sergeant, strode to the front door, expecting at any moment a wild dash by the bandits, but none came — and when they entered, they found the charred bodies of two members of the gang.

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Churchill the Appeaser !

But Winston Churchill was soon to be confronted with the problem of a different kind of "bandit" — the swashbuckling Kaiser. And it was to mark the turning point of his life.

It is difficult to picture the dashing young Churchill as an appeaser! Yet for the first ten years of his Parliamentary life, no one so consistently and vehemently advocated economies in the Services estimates, or so bitingly scoffed at the likelihood of war with Germany.

During this period, he was engrossed in problems of social welfare at home, and it is true that many of the reforms he introduced were of enduring value to his country. But politics were the breath of life to him.

When he was asked if politics were more to him than any other pursuit of mankind, he replied: "Politics are almost as exciting as war, and quite as dangerous. In war you can only be killed once, but in politics many times."

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To Justify His Father

In advocating and practising appeasement, Winston Churchill was carrying the torch for his dead father — Lord Randolph Churchill. "Randy", as he was popularly known, had exerted a great and decisive influence on the fortunes of the Conservative Party, resurrecting it from the stupor of many years.

A brilliant, if somewhat erratic personality who fought a continual struggle with ill-health, he became Chancellor of the Exchequer at 37, and seemed destined for enduring heights — when he suddenly threw away his career in what has been called "a fit of temper."

Peace, Retrenchment and Reform was his slogan. He forced economies on the Admiralty, but when the War Office insisted on a trifling increase in the War estimates, Randy resigned, never again to hold office. He died in 1895, an embittered man.

Winston, with instinctive loyalty for his dead father, lifted again what he called "the tattered flag of retrenchment and economy."

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German "Sabre-Rattling"

The Liberal Government, of which he was a member, strove sincerely and zealously for peace, even suggesting a mutual limitation of naval armaments with Germany — an offer which the Germans answered in typical Hun manner by largely increasing their naval building.

Early in 1911, the British Government reluctantly began to realize that its hopes for peace were not so much confident beliefs as mere pious wishes. When in July, Kaiser Wilhelm sent his warship "Panther" to French Morocco to "protect" German nationals, the impudent gesture was justifiably regarded as sinister confirmation of an increasing German bellicosity.

Mr. Asquith, the Premier, had great faith in Winston Churchill's initiative and fiery industry, and his administrative qualities had already been amply confirmed. In October, Mr. Churchill was given the post of First Lord of the Admiralty, with secret orders to make it capable of successfully combatting the German navy.

The appointment elated all Britain's enemies, and there was particular glee in Germany where it was believed that, under the leadership of Winston Churcill, the British Navy would cease to be a first-rate power for action.

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Appointment Delighted Enemies

Strangely enough, the only discordant note in this chorus of ominous praise was raised by a peace-loving radical, who said — how prophetically! — "It is very sad: Churchill will make the Royal Navy so dreadfully efficient!"

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***Next week's article tells the dramatic story of how Winston Churchill revolutionised the Navy.

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Personality Parade

BY LAWRENCE HIBBERT

Viscount Halifax, British Ambassador to the United States, who recently made his first public address in that country, is grave in manner but he is a most entertaining story-teller.

He is a man, too, of deep religious principles, but a story that he is fond of telling concerns a bishop who was somewhat alarmed by a storm at sea. "Whatever shall we do?" he asked anxiously. The captain answered: "We can only place ourselves in the hands of Providence." "Good gracious!" exclaimed the bishop. "Is it as bad as that?"

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QUEEN VICTORIA'S GIFT TO U. S. A.

In view of the increasing cooperation between the United States and Britain, it is interesting to recall that the desk at which President Roosevelt sits when he is outlining those aid-Britain measures, was a gift to the White House from Queen Victoria.

This desk was made of oak beams from H. M. S. Resolute, and is nearly 10 feet broad. One may well think that the ghost of Britain's famous queen smiles down benignly on her country's great friend — Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

Just outside the President's study is a large gilt-framed portrait of the man who drove George III out of America, and on either side of it are little framed, signed photos of our present King and Queen. What tricks History does play!

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SAVED BY LEG OF MUTTON !

Some years ago, the Atlantic flyer, Stanley Hauser, fell into the sea. His plane floated and he managed to keep alive, until rescued, for days by — of all things — catching fish by means of his compass needle, bent into a hook.

When a girl living in the North of Scotland was assaulted by a man, she managed to grab a fire extinguisher and squirted the chemical contents in her attacker's face, causing him to plunge away in anguish.

And prosaically enough, there is the case of an English butcher who defeated an armed thief by knocking him unconscious with a leg of mutton!

But that was in pre-rationing days. Today, he'd probably let the thief take his money.

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"A smaller cherry—u'm on a diet!"

A Real Leader of A Real People

Some time ago, when the bombing of London was most severe, it was thought by some people in high places that the Royal children, Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose, should be moved out of Britain for their safety. This suggestion was carried to Her Majesty the Queen, and it is understood Her Majesty replied as follows:

"My children will not leave England until I leave. I will not leave England until the King leaves. The King will not leave until the people of England leave. The people of England will never leave."

Can it be wondered why the people of Britain have such a deep and sincere love for this gracious royal lady? God bless her.

Alameda Dispatch, Sask.

Climate and Health

Dr. Clarence Alonzo Mills, professor of experimental medicine at the University of Cincinnati, has the theory that a warm climate tends to the growth of a shorter, sicker and less healthy race.

Cold climates stimulate people, he says. It tends to make them grow faster thus protecting them against infections. In the Dark Ages, when wine grapes grew in England and cereals in Iceland, men were poor specimens — short, sluggish, easy victims of the plague.

Everyone knows that for the last 80 or 90 years college boys have steadily grown taller and heavier. Girls have grown longer-legged, bigger-waisted and smaller in the hips. They have reached womanhood earlier. This has been almost universally attributed to better nutrition. Dr. Mills attributes this physical precocity to a delayed effect of cold weather in the 18th and 19th centuries.

Since 1929, while people have grown bigger, the world weather has grown warmer and Mills looks for, as a consequence, an ebbing tide in human growth.

Well, we shall see, but common sense still points to food as the chief factor in this growth. There are of course other factors, but cold, except as a stimulant to appetite, is an unlikely cause of the increased growth of the period behind us.

In India, a hot climate, and also tropical and sub-tropical Africa, there are examples of people of fine stature. These conditions occur where food of the right kind is plentiful. Where food is scarce the stature of the inhabitants is poor.

It is, one thinks, nutrition and not climate, that chiefly influences the growth activity. It is food and not the influence of weather, past or to come, that gives the wild animal his weight, his shiny coat and his strength and endurance.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

CUSHING

Mr. A. Chretien spent Monday in Montreal and St. Lambert.

Mr. and Mrs. L. McGain, of N. D. G., were guests for the week-end of Mr. G. W. Elliott. Mr. Elliott's son-in-law, Mr. Henry Christie, who is in training camp at St. Thomas, Ont., was also a guest.

Miss D. Leroy, of St. Andrews East, was a Sunday guest of Mrs. A. Chretien.

Frontier Branch of the W. I. are holding a taffy social at the home of Mrs. James Murdoch in aid of the Spitfire Fund, on Thursday, April 10th, in the evening.

Mrs. John Somerville, of Monalea, and Mrs. A. Graham, were guests of Miss Christine Graham on Monday.

Miss Margaret Canning and Mr. and Mrs. M. Lees, of Lakefield, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning.

Mrs. Archie Graham was in Montreal, over the week-end, attending on Firday afternoon the Presbyterial monthly executive meeting of the W. M. S., and attended on Saturday night, in company with fellow members of the Canadian Authors Association, who were invited guests of the Holland-Canada Society at their meeting in the Victoria Hall, Westmount, at which the guest speaker was His Excellency Mr. E. H. Groenman, Minister for the Netherlands, at Ottawa. Mrs. Graham had as her personal guests, Mrs. G. F. W. Kuhring and Miss Mildred Douglas.

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CUSHING WEST

Mrs. Usher arrived home recently having been absent several months during which she visited friends in Montreal, Ottawa, Armprior, and also her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Wishart, at Belleville, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Hartley and daughters, Muriel and Connie, motored here and spent Sunday at their Cushing residence.

Dr. Cushing with his brother, Mr. Jas. Cushing, visited his residence here Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Mahoney and the Misses Hilda and Bernice Parke, of Montreal, also Mr. Teddy Mahoney of Ottawa and Mr. W. H. Robert of Monalea, were guests of Mr. and Miss Whelehan on Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas of Ottawa, accompanied by her son and daughter-in-law, and Mrs. Alcide Tessier, who has been her guest for some time, motored down and visited the latter's residence at Grece's Point last Friday.

CALUMET

Mrs. S. Arnold, Mrs. L. Jorgensen, Mrs. R. C. Whinfield, Miss Doris Arnold and Master Gordon Arnold motored to Ottawa on Saturday. Mrs. K. Carlisle, of Montreal, who is at present a guest of Mrs. Arnold, also accompanied them.

Messrs. Albert Gardiner and Grant Robinson, of Montreal, were week-end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Milton and little sons, Peter and Dannie, of Montreal, are visitors at the home of Mrs. Milton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. McGibbon.

Misses Elsie MacIver and Ellen Foreman, of Montreal, were week-end guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. T. G. Foreman.

Mr. Francis Jackson, of Hull, cycled through Calumet on Sunday and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brigden.

Mrs. L. G. Martin, Mrs. H. G. Brannan, Mrs. S. Harris, Mrs. L. Jorgensen, Miss Mary Higginson and Miss Mary MacIntyre motored to Montreal on Monday.

The many friends of Mr. L. G. Martin are glad to know that he has returned from hospital in Hawkesbury and is convalescing at his home here.

Miss Anne Foreman, of MacDonald College, is spending the Easter holidays at her home.

WEIR

Miss Thelma Beaven, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Beaven.

Mrs. Chas. Mountain is spending the present week in Montreal visiting friends.

Mrs. Russell Bowie, Jr., of Montreal, is at present the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig. Mr. Bowie returned to Montreal on Sunday after spending the week-end here.

Mr. Frank Hurdle, of Montreal, was the Sunday guest of Mr. Gordon Beaven.

Mrs. A. Latulippe returned home on Friday after spending the past week in Montreal and Danville. Miss Helen Latulippe, of Danville, accompanied her mother home to spend the Easter holidays with her parents here.

Mr. D. Tressider, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Schippel.

CAMBRIA

Mrs. Thos. Ryan, of Winnipeg, who spent some weeks in Mille Isles with friends, left on Monday for her home.

Mr. Leonard Pollock, of Montreal, spent the week-end in Mille Isles.

Friends of Mr. Hector Dey are pleased to hear of his recovery to health following his recent appendix operation.

Messrs. Wesley Dawson and Henry Woods made the trip to St. Jerome, on the first day of April, with a wheeled vehicle. For some weeks past, the two miles or more on this side of St. Jerome had not been good even for sleighs . . . Mr. Willis Black, who takes the mail to and from St. Jerome, had his car taken out on sleighs, so that he could use it, and on April 3rd, he came through to Maxwell's corner with his car.

ARUNDEL

The Girls' Guild met at the home of Mrs. D. Cooke on Saturday, March 29th.

Mrs. Margaret Boyd has returned home after visiting in Montreal, Lachute and Pine Hill for the past two months.

Mr. Roy Cooke, of Westmount, was a Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Baugh and children, of Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. Perley Staniforth and daughter, of Ottawa, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Staniforth; also Mr. Haig Staniforth, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Staniforth.

The United Ladies' Aid held their monthly meeting in the church hall on Thursday last. Mrs. M. E. Davis and Mrs. C. O. Bennett were the hostesses.

Miss Stella Cooke has returned home after spending the past month at Mont Tremblant.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kerr, of Weir, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Kerr.

The Misses Margaret O'Reilly and Rose Cooke spent a week-end in Montreal recently.

Mrs. Val Swail, Jr., spent a few days visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sterling Simon, in Hudson Heights.

LAKEFIELD

The Rev. C. W. P. Baugh and Mr. Horace Baugh attended the funeral of Mr. Baugh's brother which took place last Thursday at Greensville, Ont.

Miss Margaret Canning is spending the Easter holidays at her home in Cushing.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. James Thompson in the death of his father, at East Settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Dawson entertained at a raffle and taffy party in aid of the Argenteuil Spitfire Fund on Saturday evening. Proceeds amounted to $16.

Miss Jean Lees is spending some time here.

Mr. Howard Baugh conducted the services at Grenville and Calumet last Sunday, while Mr. Horace Baugh preached at New Glasgow.

BROWNSBURG

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. William Fletcher on April 3rd. There was a good attendance, including the county president, Mrs. George Armstrong, visitors and new members. Mrs. L. Wilson, the newly elected president, was in charge of the meeting. The address, entitled "Our Own Front Line", was given by Mrs. A. W. Porter and proved very interesting. During the evening Mrs. Armstrong presented Mrs. Fletcher with a purse as a birthday gift from the members. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting, including a lovely birthday cake which was donated by the hostess.

The annual meeting of Quebec Division of the Canadian Red Cross Society was held in the Windsor Hotel on Tuesday. Those attending from this town were — Mrs. E. L. Johnson, Mrs. P. McQuaig, Mrs. Shearsmith, Mrs. J. T. Seary, Mrs. Wyman McGibbon and Mrs. N. E. Smillie.

Mr. J. Davis and two sons, Basil and Lawrence, of Toronto, were week-end guests of relatives here.

The B. Y. P. U. of Maple Avenue Baptist Church are holding a Sunrise Service in the church on Sunday at 6.30 a.m. An appropriate program is being prepared; visitors are cordially invited to attend. A sacred concert will be given by the young people on Friday evening, April 11, when the pageant, "The Challenge of the Cross", will be presented. An invitation is extended to all interested to attend. A silver offering will be taken.

Harrington locals on page 8.

None of us gets along too well together if we have too much of our own way. We learn, by combatting wits in open-minded fashion, to respect the convictions of our fellows. —Coldwater News.

DEATH

THOMPSON — At his home in East Settlement on April 6th, 1941, William Thompson, aged 73 yrs.

IN MEMORIAM

DEMERSE — In memory of a beloved mother, who passed away on April 6, 1938.—Gilbert Demerse and family.

There's an open door at the end of the road,
Through each must go alone,
And there is a light we cannot see,
Our Father claims his own.

GOLDTHORPE — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Frank Goldthorpe, who passed away April 7th, 1939. — Ever remembered by his loving wife and daughter.

In tears we saw you sinking
And watched you fade away;
God knows how much we miss you
As it dawns two years today.
We often stand before your grave
With hearts still sad and sore,
And think we hear those loving words:
"Not dead but gone before."

Early Resident Dead, In Her 100th Year

LATE MRS. E. OLCOTT, THE FORMER JESSIE POLLOCK

Mrs. Janet Pollock Olcott (Jessie), widow of the late Dr. Edgar Olcott, passed away on March 26th, at her home in Brooklyn, New York. She was the younger daughter of the late Alexander Pollock and his wife, Jane L. Paul, of Lachute.

Mrs. Olcott was born March 2nd, 1842, on the farm now occupied by her nephew, Gordon Pollock. She left her home at the age of 16 and finished her education in Jersey City, N. Y. After her marriage to Dr. Olcott she made her home in Brooklyn, N. Y.

She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. Edgaretta Clinton; a grandson, Francis W. Clinton; a great-granddaughter, Janet O. Clinton; and a number of nieces and nephews in Lachute. Her husband predeceased her in 1872.

The Late William Thompson

With deep regret we record the death of William Thompson, who passed away after a brief illness at his home in East Settlement on April 6th.

He was born in the community of East Settlement in 1868 and lived his entire life there. He had been failing in health for a time and suffered a heart attack on Saturday, passing peacefully away in the early hours of Sunday morning. He was of a kind and cheerful disposition and was loved by all.

Left to mourn his loss are two sons, James and Oswald; one daughter, Mrs. Lester Thompson; twelve grandchildren; also four sisters, Mrs. P. Cruise and Mrs. R. Carkner, of Lachute, Mrs. A. Tuttle and Mrs. Cleland of Wisconsin, U. S. A.

The Rev. W. B. Rosborough conducted the funeral, which was largely attended by sorrowing friends and relatives.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. J. Nichol, Andrew Boa, Leonard Boa, Simon Wilson, Harry Todd and Robert Leishman.

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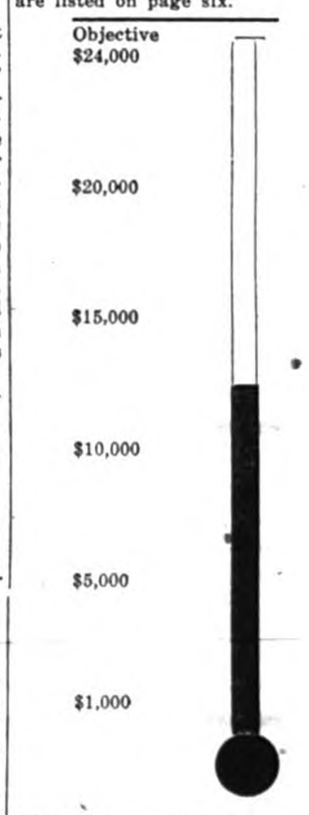
Spitfire Fund Reaches Sum of $12,870

SUCCESS OF WAR SERVICES SHOULD NOW INSPIRE KEENER EFFORT

With the gratifying news that the War Services drive in Argenteuil has gone well "over the top" and far exceeded its $10,000 objective — the organizing committee for the Argenteuil Spitfire Fund now look forward to their effort reaching its goal. Advanced in a period allotted to various other war campaigns, the Spitfire collection has achieved remarkable success in having reached the sum of $12,870 at this time — and this exclusive of the effort which will be launched in Brownsburg, which will undoubtedly receive generous support.

The committee gratefully records the many gifts from county organizations which are working hard to swell the total. If every group, citizen and friend lends a helping hand, the Spitfire Fund will soon attain its goal.

Subscriptions received this week are listed on page six.



Sunday Services

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.

10 a. m., Sabbath School.
11 a.m., Communion Service.
7 p. m., Evening Service.
"The Message of Easter."
Special Easter music will be rendered at both morning and evening services.
A Service Preparatory to Communion will be held on Good Friday morning, at 11 o'clock, at which the Preacher will be Rev. A. S. C. Ritchie, B.A., of Cote des Neiges United Church, Montreal.
A cordial welcome to all!

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor, H. Charlton

11 a.m., "The Exceeding Greatness of His Power."
7 p.m., Special Service of Praise.
Tuesday, Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEML. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Orsborn

10 a. m.—Sabbath School
11 a. m., Morning Worship.
The Cross and the Garden.
3 p. m.—Brownsburg
7 p. m.—Evening Worship.
Angels were There.

REGULAR BAPTIST
Rev. C. Hardie

11 a.m., Brownsburg.
Subject, "The Resurrection".
2.30 p.m., Dalesville.
Subject, "If Christ be not risen, what?"
7.30 p.m., Brownsburg.
Subject, "The Cross".
Special Easter music rendered at all services.
Welcome to all Services !

CHURCH OF ENGLAND
St. Simeon's Church, Lachute

Easter Day
7.45 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m., Holy Communion and Sermon.

St. George's, Brownsburg

9 a.m., Holy Communion and Sermon.

Good Friday
10.30 a.m., St. Simeon's.
7 p.m., St. George's.

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Share Easter Spirit With Your Friends

By Mrs. Cornelius Beeckman

Easter, with its beauty and color and renewed life, its high-hearted spirit of Spring, is only a few days away — Easter, with its inspired message of promise and hope; the promise and the hope which is a needed tonic to the spirit of today's troubled world.

In our hearts, this year especially, is the urge to share with others the significance of the Easter spirit. From heart to heart Easter greetings cards will be winning their joyous message. We should choose cards, therefore, that say what Easter cards were meant to say. Make your cards convey a message of lovely things in graceful, radiant words. Don't be tempted to buy cards that carry — maudlin, childish greetings to grown-ups, allegedly humorous or "cute" greetings.

There is such a variety of simple, appropriate and attractive cards that it is an artistic crime to buy ostentatious ones that exhibit the wrong meaning and people prefer to write notes of wrong taste.

As at Christmas-time, many Easter greetings. Because of their nature, these can be especially appealing. Some people write, on plain white notepaper, an Easter quotation from the Bible. The triumphant word "Hallelujah!" written across a white sheet of paper, would, I think, be an excellent idea to add to the hope of the world. Or "Easter . . . Welcome, happy morning!" A message, written in a friend's handwriting, is always, like Easter morning, especially welcome.

When you are planning to say your Easter greetings with flowers, remember especially the aged, the shut-ins, relatives and friends who are ill. For Easter means words of cheers, its message is "Remember". Spring flowers are the perfect messengers for Easter greetings — bright daffodils, tulips, hyacinths, gay primroses, delicate sweetpeas, glowing Easter lilies. Cut flowers, flowering plants, corsages, rose-trees, blossoming branches, the endless varieties of flowers in baskets — all these sing the kindly chorus of Easter.

Books, too, are favorite Easter gifts, especially religious books; and increasing in popularity are small, framed pictures, a copy of one of the old masters, or a picture that brings the message of Spring.

Perhaps it's wishful thinking, but it seems to me that Easter-rabbits and downy chicks and fluffy ducklings, egg-baskets, sugar-eggs, and other Easter accessories were never so imaginatively and festively presented as this year. You can imagine the joy they will bring to the hearts of children!

New Housing Development

(Continued from page 1)

roofs and walls will be varied; colors will be varied but harmonized; frontage distance to the road will be systematically varied — the entire layout to present conformity without monotony, all on strictly practical though pleasing lines. The homes would not be cut identical to stock pattern. Nor would they be temporary structures, in any sense. The "prefabrication" idea in this case did not mean portable or movable buildings.

The Precision Built Homes, according to Mr. Cottingham, will range in price from $2,800 to $3,800; but supplying the essential units in quantity, would mean a saving of roughly 20 per cent, so that the values would reach a higher figure by actual comparison. The homes will be equipped with Curtis Silentite windows, and all the window glass used is "Lusterglass" permitting the entry of the ultra-violet rays of the sun.

Mr. Nicolls asserted, here, that government assistance was not designed to promote any building scheme in excess of normal, that is, pre-war needs. The councillors concurred that any boom growth of such kind was not to be desired. Their objective was to meet the average peace-time needs for accommodation. In this regard Mayor Geo. Ball referred particularly to Brownsburg. Whereas accommodation was hopelessly inadequate at the present time, the housing problem had been acute in his village even before the war, when 50 additional houses could have been occupied, he stated.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

REV. H. C. SCOTT SPEAKER AT "FIRESIDE HOUR"

Brownsburg, April 8 —

On Sunday, March 30, the Rev. H. Crawford Scott of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Hawkesbury, was guest speaker at the Sunday Evening Fireside . . . Mr. Scott spoke briefly on the plan of the church in the contemporary social order, dealt with the criticisms levelled against it, and replied that with all its faults, the church was still one of the few organizations committed to the propagation of the righteous life and that many of the men who have made and are making the greatest contribution in the world are men, and women, who have been inspired by the churches' ideals.

PRESBYTERIAN Y. P. S.

The Presbyterian Young People's Society held their regular meeting Wednesday night, with a good attendance. The main business item was the distribution of tickets for a Spitfire show to be held on April 30.

The guests of the evening were from the St. Andrews Society, and the Rev. Mr. McMillan gave a very fitting address.

Visitors and members then gathered around the tables to do justice to the refreshments.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. J. R. Simpson, B.A., B.Th.

6.30 a.m. to 7.15 a.m., Sunrise Service.
10 a. m., Sunday School.
11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m., Easter Day Sermon.
Good Friday evening at 8 o'clock a play entitled "The Challenge of the Cross."

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister

10 a. m.—Sunday School.
11 a. m., Holy Communion.
7 p.m. Special Easter Service.
Good Friday Service 8 p.m.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. Baugh, Rector

Lakefield, 11 a.m., Holy Communion.
Louisa, 2.30 p.m., Holy Communion.
Dunany, 7 p.m., Evensong.
Good Friday, Lakefield Service at 8 p.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED Y.P.U.

Brownsburg — The meeting of the Young People's Union of the United Church was in the form of a taffy party. Following the devotions and business matters, the departmental groups met to consider plans for their meetings after Easter, and then reassembled with the social committee in charge. Another devotional period was observed, after which games and contests arranged by the social committee, were much enjoyed. Refreshments took the form of "sugar on snow" with pickles.

In view of an invitation from the Lachute Y. P. U. to be their guests on Wednesday of next week, the regular meeting on Tuesday will be withdrawn.

Special practices of the Choir are being held this week for Easter Sunday, including a session Friday at 7 p.m., so as to lead the Good Friday Preparatory service at 8 o'clock in its musical items.

LACHUTE UNITED Y. P. U.

On Monday evening the Lachute United Young People's Union held a taffy party at Mr. W. T. Jackson's camp. There were about 30 present and all reported a good time.

The regular weekly meeting was held last evening. The amount of $43.65 was reported as proceeds from the show; this amount is to be donated to the Argenteuil Spitfire Fund.

The Rev. W. B. Rosborough spoke on "The Cross, the Symbol of Victory". He spoke of Jesus' life during the week preceding his crucifixion, of the events of Gethsemane, before Pilate, in Jerusalem and Golgotha. The cross, he said, is the sign of hope, and Jesus gave up his life on it, it was not taken away from him. There was no note of defeat from Jesus, he remained a serene and majestic conqueror, not a defeated victim. Someone had to pay the price, and Jesus was the one to do it.

Next week's meeting will take the form of a social evening at which the Brownsburg Y. P. U. will be present.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. A. MacDonald spent Tuesday in Alexandria attending the funeral of a nephew.

Mrs. E. H. McCoy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Donald Hay and Mr. Hay, in Cowansville.

Miss Alma Riddell, of Montreal, spent the week-end visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and M. Elder.

Miss Muriel Vickers, of Montreal, is spending a few days this week at the home of Mr. John S. Pollock, Hill Head.

Miss Dorothy Copeland, of Cedars, is spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Copeland, in East Settlement.

Miss Jean Graham and Mr. Billy Fish, of Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, were practice-teaching in the Lachute High School this week.

Mrs. J. Laverdiere and daughters, Fleurette and Jeannine, Mr. and Mrs. John Perreault, Mr. L. Boucher, Mr. and Mrs. H. Farand, Mr. L. Farand and Miss M. Monty, all of Outremont, visited Mr. Louis Lafleur last week-end.

Miss Amy Kyle, of Montreal, visited friends in town last week-end.

Miss Gene Bain, of Montreal, visited friends in town over the week-end.

Mr. Jack Archibald, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. George Deacon, Jr.

Mrs. N. H. Adams, of Verdun, spent Sunday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo .Y. Deacon.

Mr. Edwin Pollock, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pollock.

Mr. Sydney Roberts, of Montreal, spent the week-end at his home here and had as his guest Mr. Wyatt Dennan, of Montreal.

Mr. Joe Berniquer, telegrapher in the R. C. N., stationed at Sydney, N. S., is spending a two weeks' leave with his mother, Mrs. J. Berniquer.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stewart, of Lachute, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Hannah Dorothy Elizabeth, to Guardsman Wm. Earl Marshall, of the Canadian Grenadier Guards, Valcartier. The marriage will take place shortly.

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THERMOMETER NOW HAS MANY COATS OF PAINT

Brownsburg, April 8 —

Brownsburg continues in its usual generous way to help shove the thermometer at the Social Club up into the thousands of dollars again. By this time the canvassers will have received money or pledges for over $4,000 in the War Services Fund. All of this will be used to the best advantage to help those that are "over there" and "on guard" across Canada.

It would be interesting to know just how many coats of paint are on the thermometer. It comes out at all campaigns of every description —Red Cross, War Savings, Legion, War Services Fund — to get its red paint and then a white coat for the next time.

A recruit doesn't have to be sworn at to make him a better soldier, say high army officials. No, but it makes a better sergeant. —Grimsby Independent.

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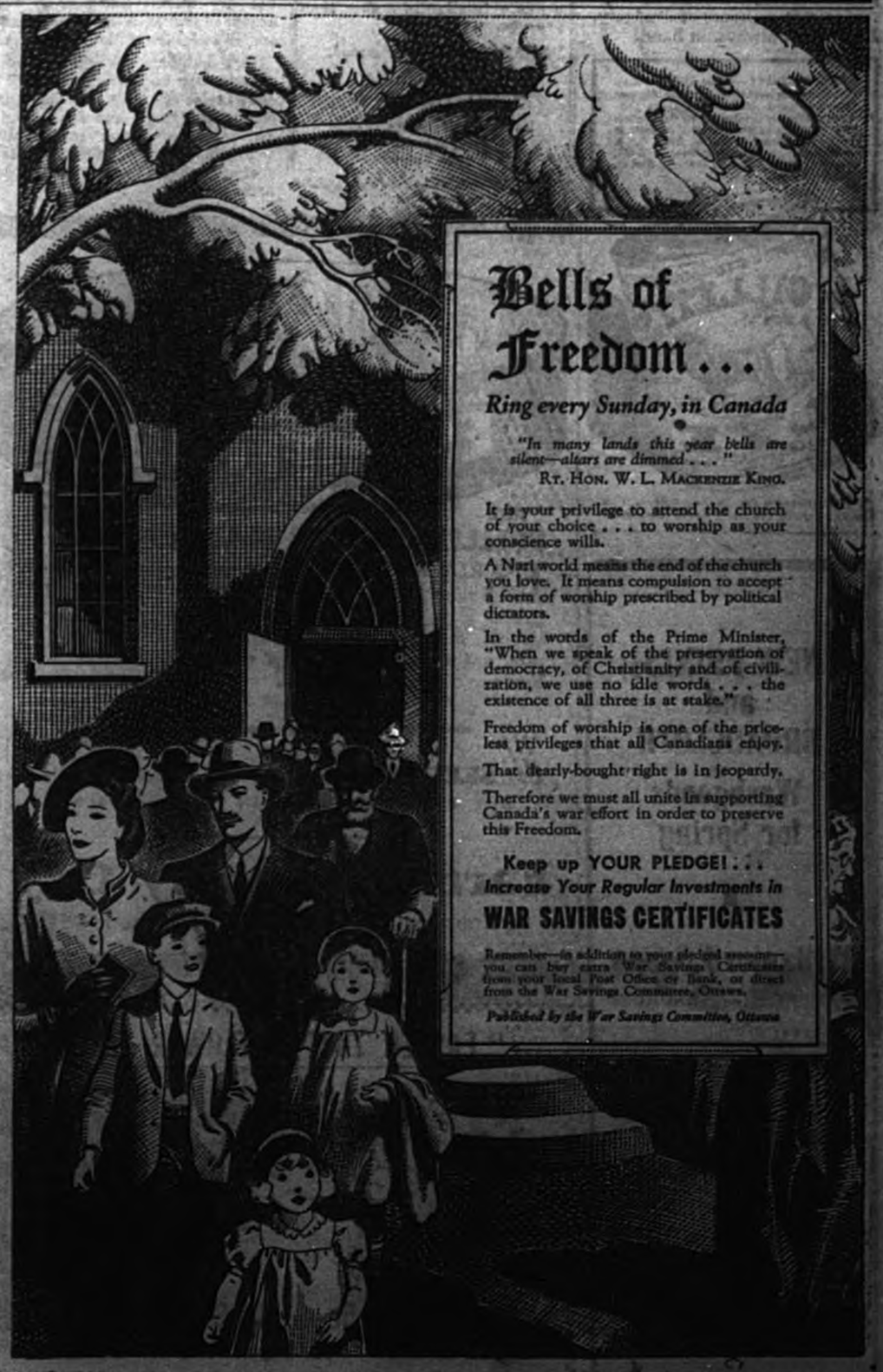


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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Mrs. G. F. Shaw, of Montreal, stayed several days last week with friends here.

Miss Adrian Dorion, of Montreal, spent several days visiting her relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin and Miss Irene Irwin occupied their home here for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hamilton, of Montreal, occupied their home for the week-end.

Others noted here over the week-end were — Major D. Corrigall, Misses Ruth Bradley, Pat Liddell, Messrs. Ronald de la Ronde, Lloyd Lilly, Howard and Ralph Lalonde and their guest, Kenneth Baker.

Mrs. T. Ball, who has been indisposed for some weeks, is able to be out again.

Mr. Kendric Dorion, of Valleyfield, spent Sunday with his family.

Mr. Sydney Kendall, of Montreal, spent Sunday at his home here.

No meeting of the Red Cross on Good Friday — however, Mrs. L. Bezanson, and Mrs. Cairns will give out work to those requiring material.

The W. A. of the Anglican Church purpose holding a sale of home-cooking on May 23rd — not April 23rd, which is the date of their next meeting. (Your reporter was misinformed last week).

The house at the Fur Farm has been rented by Mr. Sydney Pring. But the mink, and their manager, Stephen Lilly, have moved to a new location on Mr. Stanley Rodger's farm, Lachute Rd., for a season.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacGregor stayed at their home for several days last week and expect to return for Easter.

Mrs. John Fraser, Sr., who has been confined to her home with bronchitis most of the winter, has recovered.

Our congratulations to Mr. E. Stewart Cowen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. A. Cowen, of Westmount, upon his recently announced engagement to Miss Betsey Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Howard Lewis. Mr. Cowen spent many vacations with his family at their summer home here.

The club house at the golf course has been put in readiness and the caddies have been notified to report for service on Thursday afternoon.

MORIN HEIGHTS

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McDowall and son were week-end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Seale.

Mrs. Lawson Kennedy spent a couple days in Montreal last week, undergoing treatment on her injured hand.

Mrs. Willis Seale and daughter, Doreen, have returned home after spending the past week visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Murdock at Brownsburg and friends in Montreal.

Rev. and Mrs. V. Temple spent a few days in Montreal last week.

Mrs. H. Gillingham, Sr., was in Montreal last week, bidding farewell to her son, Harold, who has left for Toronto as an instructor in the R.C.A.F.

The Women's Institute meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Carl Seale, with Mrs. M. Dey as joint hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gillingham, Jr., and children, are spending this week at their cottage here.

Mrs. A. Kennedy is now visiting with friends in Montreal.

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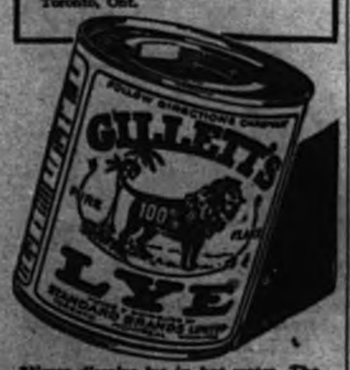
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The firm of J. J. JOUBERT are contemplating starting a milk round in Lachute and Brownsburg, for sale of PASTEURIZED AND HOMOGENIZED MILK, but are first desirous of ascertaining the names of those who would support them if this scheme materializes.

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

HINTS FOR HOMEBODIES

By JESSIE ALLEN BROWN

Specially written for Readers of The Watchman

EXTRACT FROM A LETTER

This little bit is lifted from a letter from a friend who has just returned from the West. "There was a young Mountie on the train coming home on his first leave. He was so kind to a crippled old couple in the end berth. He helped them with their meals, lifted the old lady in and out of bed, and looked after them generally. It made me so proud to think we have a R. C. M. P., instead of a Gestapo — and Heaven help to keep them!" So say we all.

MILITARY CAMPS

Unless one has seen some of the Military Camps, it is difficult to realise the contruction work that has been done. It must be quite a problem for the neighboring towns and villages to do their part in providing for the men, both civilian and military. Take a town of two thousand which suddenly has six thousand soldiers added to its population. The camp at Debert, N. S., has been one of the major miracles. Debert is a village of a few hundred people and they have a camp there with 20,000 men. The Truro News says that at one time there were 6,300 civilian workers. The first job was to pull stumps and clear land. Leave is limited to 2,000 at a time, but a steady influx of 2,000 men on leave must be quite a problem for the neighboring Truro to handle. We were driving to Halifax in the late Fall and happened to be on the road just when the workers were leaving Debert. We must have met every one of those 6,300 workers, to say nothing of the men on leave. The traffic delayed us so long we spent the night in Truro instead of going to Halifax. We all wish that more was done than has been done in our war effort, but we may be thankful we are not at the head of affairs and have the tremendous burden to carry that these men have.

DO NOT TEACH FEARS

There are too many mothers who train their children to be afraid of things. They start when they are babies and snatch them away from their attempts to learn. Through the years they hear, don't get your feet wet, don't touch the dog it may bite you, don't handle that there may be germs on it, don't play football you might get hurt.

The right and the wrong way is nicely illustrated by the way two mothers handled the situation when their babies began to want to climb stairs. One mother barricaded the stairs and if by any chance her child started to climb stairs she snatched him away quickly, scaring him over climbing stairs. Now climbing stairs is something a child must learn to do. Another mother realised this and when her baby started climbing them she took time off for a few days to help him learn how. She just let him climb three steps, praised him and picked him up and put him at the bottom step again. She let him do it over and over until with practice he learned how and had confidence. After he learned how, he was satisfied and not continually wanting to climb them. True, he might have fallen but he was not nearly as apt to as the child who had not practiced and who was frightened of being caught at it. It is a great thing to teach our children confidence instead of filling them with fears.

FOR A CHILDREN'S PARTY

Easter is a favorite time for Children's parties. They go for decorations in a big way and it is not much trouble to make a cake with plenty of eye appeal for them. Make a plain cake and cover with boiled icing. Cover the sides of the cake thickly with cocoanut, leaving the top plain for decoration. If you can get yellow cocoanut so much the better. Make flowers with little gumdrops, either whole or sliced, shaping the leaves and stems from the green ones. Or, you might put clusters of them on colored tooth-picks adding some little chickens or rabbits to carry out the Easter idea. Children love something just for themselves, so use animal crackers for place cards and write each child's name with a toothpick dipped in a fairly thin icing. A Fruit Man is easily made for a favor. Use a fig for the body, make the arms and legs from dates, and a marshmallow for the head, fastening the works together with toothpicks.

PINEAPPLE CARROT SALAD

1 package orange flavored gelatin, 2 cups boiling water, 1/16 teaspoon salt, 2 cups grated or ground carrot, 1¼ cups shredded canned pineapple, 1 table spoon lemon juice.

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water and let cool until partially congealed. Add remaining ingredients and pour into molds. Let chill until set and serve on lettuce.



PRINCESS WEDS CANADIAN

Henry Wallace Norrington, Toronto, went to England with his fellow sappers in the Royal Canadian Engineers. There he met and fell in love with Princess Marie Obolensky, Russian princess and daughter of Prince and Princess Serge Obolesky. They are seen in the garden of her London home, where they announced they would marry, likely sometime in May.

BEAUTY

Helen Jameson (Mme. Qui Vive)

DIRECTIONS FOR A HURRY-UP MANICURE

It always happens! You didn't get around to your usual date with Annabelle, the beautiful manicurist, and your finger nails look terrible, you having taken it into your pretty head to do some extra digging around the house. The telephone gives a loud clang and here are those interesting people you met on your last trip out of town who would enjoy your delightful company at dinner. No time now to get to Annabelle, even if her appointment book had a vacant space in it.

For such emergencies you must have a complete manicuring kit and you must know how to put your pink shells in form. Every woman should. We won't say that the home treatment is up to the professional one, but it will serve. Easy enough to put the left hand in form, but not so easy getting after the right one.

Here are the instruments and cosmetics that you will need and, if you haven't got them all, you'd better put the missing ones on your shopping list. Most important are a high grade flexible file and the best pair of needle point manicuring scissors you can find.

Add to these a package of emery boards, some orange wood sticks, cuticle cream, nail white, nail polish and polish remover.

Don't start with a hand washing. Before doing that, shape the nails with the fine-grained metal file, working from the sides toward the center, forming a pleasing oval outline. Do both hands. Run the orange wood stick under the nail eaves; you will bring out some little shags that must be removed with the beveling file of emery board.

Give the hands a good scouring with warm soapy water and a brush. Use the brush on the nails to soften the surrounding cuticle. Rinse with clear water and dry.

Apply cuticle cream or olive oil. With the orange wood stick, do rotary movements along the flesh, lifting it away from the nail. Don't press heavily at the base; you may injure the matrix and a deformed nail may result. If hangnails are present, remove them with the scissors, holding the points downward.

Add a drop or two of water to your nail white; with that and the orange wood stick form a clear neat outline of the nail eave. All this need not take more than ten minutes.

Scour the hands again, using soap freely. Unless all the oil is removed you'll have trouble with your nail glow. Wipe very dry. Apply nail polish, sweeping the brush from the nail base upward. Include the eave in the application, if you so desire; some do, some don't.

As a final flourish put your favorite perfume on the back of your hands. Some gallant gent may kiss them. Who knows?

HEALTH ARTICLE

By Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, Pres., Chicago Board of Health

ADVISES AGAINST PICKING UP CRYING BABY

When a new baby comes into the family he may seem to be just a helpless little mite who needs only his mother, and both his parents may think that anything they do with him in his early weeks has no importance as long as he is well. This is not true. From the very start, the doctor's advice as to who to care for baby needs father's cooperation as well as mother's.

The doctor knows that mother and father, or for that matter any other member of the family, can introduce some very undesirable habits very early into the baby's life as, for example, the habit of picking up the baby whenever he cries.

When the baby is born, according to Dr. C. Sweet and his coworkers of Oakland, Calif., there must be some readjustment of the relationships of the various members of the family. At first, the baby requires but little, so that the adjustments are easily made. Nevertheless, as slight as they may be these early adjustments are important.

The father must take an active part in the family life. Just assuming the financial responsibilities is not enough. The father and mother must work together in planning for the baby and taking care of him.

Mothers, after the birth of the baby, may have fears concerning the child's physical condition. This fear may be overcome if the baby is given a complete examination by the physician and his exact condition reported to the mother. Her fears should be discussed frankly with her doctor. Such fears are common and they can be readily overcome when the baby's physical condition is determined by the physician and explained to the parents.

Parents often become worried about the baby's crying. Of course, every baby cries more or less. Some babies cry more than others, The parents should attempt to reduce the crying to its lowest level, but must not expect that the baby will not cry at all.

Because the baby cries it does not mean that he is "bad". Of course, spoiling is a cause of frequent and continued crying. Until the baby gets other means of showing that he wants something and needs attention, crying is the only way which he can employ Thus, says Dr. Sweet, the fact that the baby cries because he wants something shows an intelligent use of his limited resources. If, however, the crying is used to gain attention when some other method, such as a speech, should be substituted for it, there is need for some correction of the child's behavior. In such instances, ignoring of the youngster when he cries and not "giving in" to his crying usually will overcome the difficulty.

Any baby may suffer from some discomfort as a result of trouble with digestion. This discomfort rarely amounts to acutal pain. Every reasonable effort should be made to relieve the discomfort, but Dr. Sweet points out that the baby must suffer from the discomfort which cannot be avoided.

The discomfort is not relieved by carrying the baby about. Furthermore, since there is no way of measuring the discomfort, it is necessary to watch the infant carefully to determine, if possible, how much of his crying is the result of his discomfort and how much is just his desire for attention.

Since crying is entirely harmless to any baby, Dr. Sweet insists that the infant be allowed to "cry it out." It is only in this way that parents can tell the difference between when the baby is uncomfortable and when he is crying just to have attention. The crying soon stops when the baby is crying for attention only.

Attention on the part of parents to these few simple matters will do much to make the baby's early days less of a strain on the family life, and will aid them also in caring for the baby so as to avoid future mental and emotional difficulties.

"TO MATCH DESTRUCTION OVERSEAS WITH PRODUCTION AT HOME"

RED CROSS HELPERS ARE URGED TO KEEP UP THEIR QUOTAS

Montreal — With cables from London, England, indicating that the Canadian Red Cross is pouring supplies into distressed and bombed areas of Britain, Red Cross women volunteers across the Dominion are urged to keep up their quotas of hospital supplies and woollen comforts.

"Our workers should keep closely in touch with their branches for information on the type of garments and the quantity required," Quebec Red Cross officials stated. "If the million Canadian women who are Red Cross volunteers continue this co-operation, we can match destruction overseas with production at home."

"The Canadian Red Cross in Britain has been able to fulfil every call for assistance from any of the agencies distributing relief to bombed civilians and our Society and the American Red Cross are now the chief sources of aid for clothing, woollen comforts and hospital supplies overseas. Since the first of the year more than one million articles have been distributed overseas. We urge Red Cross women to keep up their quotas and follow instructions from their branches."

Although Canada has been able to give unstinting aid to British air raid victims, Red Cross warehouses in England are endeavoring to keep on hand an adequate stock of hospital supplies and woollen comforts for any emergency needs of the Canadian armed forces in Britain.

GOOD MANNERS

MRS. CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

Famous Authority on Good Manners and Good Taste

THANK YOUR HOSTESS FOR HOSPITALITY, NOT FOR FOOD

Have you ever heard some guests who, on departing from a party, thank their hostess only for the food? The hostess doesn't live whose heart doesn't swell with pride when a guest commends her food. She's spent time and trouble and money in planning the menu she hopes will appeal to her guests and she's done or supervised the cooking so that the foods will be as delicious as possible. Naturally, she appreciates appreciation of her successful achievement.

But the hostess is rare who considers that food is the "be-all and end-all' of her dinner party. Your hostess, any hostess, has not asked for the pleasure of your company just to have you eat her foods. She has an ideal of being considered a gracious hostess, of keeping the conversational ball rolling merrily and easily back and forth, of combining the guests with easy grace. In short, doing everything she can to make her guests happy and comfortable, delighted to share her hospitality as well as the foods.

And what do some guests thank her for? Only for the food! Apparently they consider they have been invited merely for the roast, not for the sake of hospitality! If you feel inclined to compliment your hostess on her meal or on a particular dish, don't hold back your enthusiasm. Either during the meal or afterwards, she'll be thrilled to have you say, "I've never tasted such good fried chicken", or, "What delicious dessert, this chocolate souffle", or, "That was a perfect dinner, Jean."

When you're doing your real job of expressing your thanks, it isn't the food but the hospitality you thank for. When you're leaving, say what your hostess is really wanting to have you say: "I had such a happy time at your party, Jean. Thank you so much for asking me", or, "Thank you for your wonderful party. You're a perfect hostess, and Tom is a perfect host!"

WEAR YOUR EARRINGS

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

Will you please answer this question for me? I have a pair of drop earrings which I should very much like to wear. Are they in fashion at the present time?

—Dorothy

Today, when earrings are so rampantly in the fashion picture, there doesn't seem to be any kind that isn't worn. The only artistic demand is that the type worn should be becoming to the wearer!

COUNTRY WEEK-END

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

I am to be invited to spend a week-end at a country home. I should like to know if it is customary to take the hostess a gift, and if so, when is the proper time to give it — upon arriving or when I leave?

It is a pleasant and generous custom for a week-end guest either to take a gift with her when she goes for the visit, or to send a gift of some kind with the bread-and-butter letter that she writes at the earliest possible moment after she returns home. If you take the gift with you, you give it to the hostess when you arrive. There isn't any point in holding back on the presentation.

(Mrs. Beeckman will be glad to answer questions on Good Manners submitted by readers.)

FOR WAR WORK—A card party is being held in the Auditorium Tuesday evening, April 22; ladies and gentlemen; tickets 50c including refreshments. — Lachute W. I.

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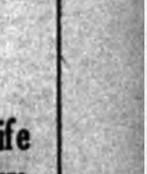
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News of Current SPORTS .. SHOWS & Entertainment

A blackmailer wrote a threatening letter to a motion-picture star, stating that his recently wedded wife would be kidnapped unless a substantial sum was forth-coming. By error the letter was delivered at the house of a workingman of the same name.

He promptly replied: "Sir, I haven't got no money, but I'm sure interested in your proposition."

WANT & FOR SALE ADVERTISEMENTS.

EMPLOYMENT, PROPERTY, TENDERS, ETC.

AUCTION SALES
on page six.

FOR SALE — building lots situated on Main Street, East Ward, Lachute. — For information write P. O. Box 377, or Tel. 360 —1p.

FOR SALE — Studebaker coach car, in good running order. Can be seen Saturday, at 136 Main St., Lachute. —1p.

SUMMER COTTAGE — for sale, Pointe au Chêne, Que. — A. M. Pinard, 174 Main St., Hull, Que. Telephone, 3-1229 or 2-0934. —1-.

FOR SALE — reasonably priced, 8 tea-room tables, circular topped, excellent condition. — Apply Spinning Wheel Tea Room, Main St., Lachute. —xc.

FOR SALE — Massey Harris cream separator, just new; size 7, 750 lbs per hour; paid $135, will sell for $75. — Apply Mrs. Geo. Kilpatrick, Mille Isles, R. R. 1 —1c.

FURNITURE SALE — Louis Lafleur will open a store of new and second-hand furniture, also house furnishings, etc., at the store premises of the late Mrs. W. J. Todd, Main Street W. Sale commencing Tuesday April 15.

HELP WANTED — Active man or woman wanted for profitable Watkins route. Steady repeat business. Full credit for all orders and repeat business. We supply the stock and train you. Big weekly earnings assured from start. This is your opportunity. Apply promptly to M. Semple, 2177 Masson St. Montreal. —A24-3c.

FOR SALE — lot with house, situated on Barron Ave. near Main Street; also home property with business.—Apply Mrs. C. F. James, 103 Princess Ave., Lachute Mills. —1p.

FOR SALE — 1930 Chevrolet coupe, in good condition.—Tel. 20, Lachute. —1c.

FOR SALE — moving immediately selling at a sacrifice the following, Singer sewing machine, enamel ice box, enamel stove, washing machine, radio, 10-piece dining room set and other household articles, all in good order. Apply Mrs. V. Marchand, French Hill, near Catholic Church, or phone Brownsburg 324. —1c.

PROPERTY FOR SALE — 6-roomed house, with bathroom, modern conveniences, in Brownsburg. — W. J. Cumbers, Jr., Brownsburg. —1p.

LOST — on Friday between Lachute High School and the United Church, a boy's brown school-bag. Finder please phone 598.

FOR SALE — 1929 Ford Tudor, in good condition, cheap for cash. — S. Wilson, 106 Bedard Blvd, Lachute. —1p.

BABY CHICKS — Order your Bray Chicks right here and save time. Our agent will see you get what you want. Pullets, capons, cockerels, dayolds, started. Fill your brooder with Bray Chicks for the good markets. Bethel Steele, Brownsburg; W. H. Gordon, 72 Btehany St., Lachute. —1c.

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Ladies' Curling Club Closing and Presentation of Season's Prizes

NEW OFFICERS APPOINTED FOR 1941-42

The Ladies of the Lachute Curling Club held their semi-annual meeting, followed by a tea and the presentation of prizes, in their club-rooms on Monday afternoon.

Following is the list of bonspiels and prize winners of the 1940-41 season:

Club Trophy—Mrs. Haller, Mrs. King, Mrs. Earle, Miss A. Riddell (skip).

President's Prize—Mrs. K. Wilson, Mrs. King, Mrs. S. McFaul, Mrs. W. Cottingham (skip).

Doubles, Vice-President's Prize—Miss Janet McOuat, Mrs. W. Cottingham (skip).

Junior Trophy — Miss Anna Rosborough, Mrs. Haller, Mrs. MacDonald, Miss Lila Giles (skip).

Mrs. Wilson's Spoons — Mrs. Geo. McGibbon, Mrs. Haller, Mrs. S. McFaul, Miss A. Riddell (skip).

Mitchell Trophy — Miss Anna Rosborough, Mrs. A. A. Hills, Mrs. H. McFaul, Miss A. Riddell (skip).

Mrs. R. Fraser's Prize — Mrs. Geo. Calder, Mrs. Jas. MacKimmie, Mrs. H. McFaul, Mrs. Mitchell (skip).

Mrs. S. McFaul's Prize — Mrs. Roy Fraser, Mrs. Haller, Mrs. A. A. Hills, Mrs. Mitchell (skip).

Gala Day Prize — donated by Mrs. Brennian — Mrs. Jamison, Mrs. Haller, Mrs. R. McOuat, Mrs. W. Cottingham (skip).

Consolation Gala Day—donated by Mrs. King — Mrs. Barbour, Mrs. Geo. McGibbon, Mrs. W. K. McArthur, Mrs. W. Deacon (skip).

Mrs. R. McOuat's Prize — (Granites) — Mrs. Jamison, Mrs. A. A. Hills, Mrs. Earle, Miss A. Riddell (skip).

Holders of the Wilson Challenge Cup — Mrs. Jas. MacKimmie, Mrs. Brennian, Mrs. Cottingham, Mrs. Mitchell (skip).

Match Committee Prize — Mrs. Roy Fraser, Mrs. Haller, Mrs. Earle, Miss A. Riddell (skip).

Point Winner — prize donated by Mrs. J. W. Gall — Mrs. E. H. Wilson.

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2 lots with buildings thereon erected, situated on the south side of Lefebvre Street, Lachute.

M1-4c.

Properties In New Hands Undergoing Renovation At St. Andrews East

St. Andrews E. — Mr. and Mrs. Bury, of Montreal, are busy superintending the alterations and redecorating of their new home, formerly that of the late Dr. Maude E. Abbott, which they purchased from her heirs. Mr. Bury also bought the two semi-detached houses on the adjoining property, which also belonged to the estate.

M. Honoré Parent, of Montreal, has been a frequent visitor to his newly acquired home, "Abernor", inspecting the painting and redecorating of the house, which was formerly owned by Mr. John Fair. M. Jos. Legault has been installed as farm manager, and maple syrup is now being produced.

HARRINGTON

Miss R. Grey, of Montreal, spent last week-end as the guest of Mrs. J. Dobbie.

Mrs. J. McMahon is visiting friends in Ottawa this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McMahon, also Miss I. Fraser, of Lachute, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shaw last week.

Misses Edith and Isabel McCallum spent Saturday last in Montreal.

The United Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Bennett on Tuesday; the afternoon was spent in quilting.

Banquet Concludes Hockey Season At Brownsburg

Ken Wright, in the Brownsburg News Bulletin

The successful Interdepartmental Hockey League was brought to an equally successful close by the Banquet which was held on Thursday 20th March and at which approximately 125 were present. Guests at the head table included T. W. Smith, Manager of the Patent Department of C-I-L, Mr. H. A. (Harry) Johnston, Sales Manager of the Ammunition Division, and Merle Harding, National Physical Director of the Y.M.C.A. During his introduction of Mr. T. W. Smith, Mr. O. A. Petersen expressed regret at the absence of Mr. E. L. Johnson, Works Manager, who had hoped to be present but who had wired from Boston informing him that he would be unable to get back in time, and also the absence of Mr. C. H. Jackson, Divisional Manager, who had also been called away to the United States but had written a letter expressing his disappointment at being unable to attend.

Mr. Smith presented the cup, which was a doration from P. B. Yancey, General Manager of the Explosives and Ammunition Group of C-I-L, to the champion Machine Shop team, and became one of the "fellows" by the manner in which he delivered his remarks. Mr. H. Greville Smith, Vice-President of Defence Industries Ltd., who by chance heard of our league and became keenly interested, donated individual medallions but these had not arrived as yet. Mr. Harry Johnston presented Geo. Crichton and Art Agnew with bill-folds on behalf of the boys, who are appreciative of the hard work these two men put into the league this year. Merle Harding, who was then introduced by Herb. Rumball, gave an appropriate address on the importance of sleep and sport in keeping the wheels of our war effort turning, following which the banquet was brought to a close by a floor show put on by "Pop" Brownlee. No write-up would be complete without mention of the great work done by John Duncan, who acted as chairman, in making the banquet a success.

COMING EVENTS

COMMUNITY CARD PARTY

In aid of war work by Lachute W. I., bridge, euchre, 500, for ladies and gentlemen, 8 p.m. Tues., April 22, Lachute Auditorium; tickets 50c, refreshments included.

DANCE

—At McArthur's Hall on Saturday night, April 12th. A generous portion of the proceeds will be given in aid of the Spitfire Fund. Come and boost the event. A good time assured, Adm. 25c

A10. 3p —Howard Gauley

EASTER TEA

The Ladies' Guild of St. George's Anglican Church, Brownsburg, are holding an Easter Tea on Wednesday, April 16th, from 3 to 6 o'clock, in the parish hall. Afternoon tea will be served; home-cooking and cut flowers for sale. M27.A102c

SPITFIRE DANCE

A Spitfire Dance will be held in the Geneva School House, Lachute Road, on Monday, April 14th. Good music. Admission 25c. —1p.

W. I. STUDY GROUP

The monthly meeting of the W.I. Study Group will be held in the High School on Tuesday, April 15th, at 3 p.m. An illustrated lecture on Astronomy will be given by Mr. Henry F. Hall, Dean of Sir George Williams College.

—Mrs. K. McFaul and Mrs. Geo. McGibbon, Convenors. —1c.

EASTER THANK - OFFERING

The Women's Missionary Society of the Lachute United Church are holding their Easter Thank-Offering on Thursday, April 17th, at 3 p.m., in the church hall. The guest speaker is Miss Mary L. Lamb, of St. Andrews East, recently returned missionary from China. —1c.

SPRING TEA

A Spring Tea, under auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of Lachute United Church, will be held in the church hall on Saturday, May 3rd, from 3 to 6 o'clock. Home-cooked food for sale. A10-M1-2c.

W. I. AMATEUR PROGRAM

An Amateur Program will be held in Lachute Aditorium, in aid of the Spitfire Fund — under auspices of Pioneer Women's Institute, on May 8th. Any one wishing to compete, write Mrs. J. MacKenzie, R. R. 2, Lachute, or phone 912-r-21. —1c.

Notice of Tax Sales

CANADA, PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
DISTRICT OF TERREBONNE,
TOWN OF SAINT JEROME

Public notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Emile Martin, town clerk of the town of Saint Jerome, in the County of Terrebonne, that the properties hereinafter described will be sold by public auction, at the office of the Council, in the Town Hall, 280 Labelle Street, on the TWENTY-EIGHTH day of APRIL, 1941, at TEN o'clock in the forenoon, (daylight saving time) to satisfy to the payment of municipal taxes, general and special and school taxes with interest, mentioned in the hereunder statement, and also to the payment of the costs, unless these taxes, interests and costs be paid before the sale.

NAMES	Cadastral No.	Municipal Taxes	Interests	School Taxes	Interests	TOTAL
Lorrain, Samuel	Subd. 42 of No. 49	$ 2.18	0.13	0. 66		2.97
Lorrain, Samuel	Subd. 62 of No. 49	$ 2.18	0.13	0. 66		2.97
Lorrain, Samuel	Subd. 63 of No. 49	$ 2.18	0.13	0. 66		2.97
Lorrain, Samuel	Subd. 103 of No. 49	$ 2.18	0.13	0. 66		2.97
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1A of No. 12	34.20	3.26	20.48	1.89	59.83
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 25A of No. 10	34.20	3.26	20.48	1.89	59.83
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 213 of No. 10	17.10	1.63	10.24	0.95	29.92
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 412 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 611 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.49
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 855 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1099 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.49
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1320 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 81 of No. 10	34.20	3.26	20.48	1.89	59.83
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 275 of No. 10	17.10	1.63	10.24	0.95	29.92
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 478 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.49
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 692 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 936 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.49
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1180 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1355 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.49
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 146 of No. 10	34.20	3.26	20.48	1.89	59.83
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 341 of No. 10	17.10	1.63	10.24	0.95	29.92
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 540 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.24	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 773 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1017 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.47
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1261 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1390 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.47
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 183 of No. 10	34.20	3.26	20.48	1.89	59.83
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 376 of No. 10	17.10	1.63	10.24	0.95	29.92
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 377 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 570 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.47
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 814 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.48
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1058 of No. 10	4.27	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.47
Lamoureux, Succ., O.E.	Subd. 1302 of No. 10	4.28	0.41	2.56	0.23	7.48
Gagnon, Simone	Pt. of No. 435	105.10	43.75	18.70	3.20	170.75

A piece of land known and designated as being part of lot No. (435) Four hundred and thirty-five, of the official plan and book of reference for the town of Saint Jerome, in the County of Terrebonne, measuring 62 feet width, by 87 feet depth, English measure, more or less; bounded in front towards the West by Briere Street; on one side towards the South by the property of Armand Latreille or representatives; in rear towards the East by the property of "Les Commissaires d'Ecoles de la Ville de Saint Jerome"; and on the other side towards the North by the balance of said lot No. 435. Subject to active, passive, apparent or hidden servitudes.

Of the official plan and book of reference for the town of Saint Jerome.

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Eddie Albert, Joan Leslie in
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NEWS OF THE DAY

SUN., MON., APRIL 13, 14
Sun., continuous show from 2.30
Holiday Program
GENE AUTRY, with Smiley Burnette in
RIDIN' ON A RAINBOW
JOHN BARRYMORE, Virginia Bruce, John Howard in
The Invisible Woman
with CHARLIE RUGGLES.
LAUREL AND HARDY Comedy:
Their First Mistake

TUES., WED., THURS., APRIL 15, 16, 17
John Wayne, Thomas Mitchell,
THE LONG VOYAGE HOME
George Sanders, Wendy Barrie in
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CAROLE LOMBARD, with ROBERT MONTGOMERY,
Mr. & Mrs. Smith
with Jack Carson, Philip Merivale.
Winter Sports

WED., THURS., APRIL 16, 17
CHARLIE GRAPEWIN, Marjorie Rambeau in
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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Mr. David Black and family wish to thank friends and neighbors and also the Lachute Fire Brigade, for assistance given during their recent fire.

FOR WAR WORK—A card party is being held in the Auditorium Tuesday evening, April 22; ladies and gentlemen; tickets 50c including refreshments. — Lachute W. I.

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INDICATIONS SIROIS REPORT WILL SOON BE REVIVED FOR DISCUSSION IN PARLIAMENT

Threat of Invasion from Arctic Minimized; "Jewels" to Scintillate in Spitfire Drive:

"CANADIAN VIEWPOINT"
By Allan McGee

Our Columnist Joins the Army !

Specially Written for Readers of The Watchman

Rumor has it that the Sirois report will be revived for discussion within a very short while.

Certainly the report, which cost the people thousands of dollars, has some good points and should be talked over to see whether or not it is practical. There are several vital items which could be used to benefit the country at large. These include the question of provincial debts and the unemployment insurance. Some of the minor points can be left over until the war ends because they are not vital to our needs but the major questions could be and should be brought before the various provincial governments for discussion.

NO INVASION FROM NORTHERN CANADA

If Herr Hitler is planning to invade this country he will certainly not do it by way of the Arctic.

Although the northern part of our country is barren and the population is widely scattered, it would be almost impossible for the Germans to establish landing bases in that section. The native Eskimos would soon report any activity by enemy planes and the outposts of the trading companies are fitted with wireless outfits to make regular reports.

Bombing planes based in Quebec and Ontario would be able to blast any camps set up by the enemy and fighting planes would attack the troops and motor transports if they started to advance towards the cities of the St. Lawrence Valley.

If nothing hindered the German plans, the weather would stop them dead. For seven months of the year the frozen northlands are submitted to freezing temperatures that would prevent military flying and the cold weather would be too much for the men of any attacking army who were not used to such cold.

KIBBEE A FORMER NEWSPAPERMAN

Journalism's loss was the theatre's gain when Guy Kibbee left his father's newspaper to try his hand on the stage.

Guy, who is a favourite in many a movie house, was working for his father in the hopes of becoming a reporter for the small-town paper. His brother James was manager of a one-night stand road company and he appointed Guy to be the property manager of the show.

One night there was a vacancy in the cast and Guy was asked to fill in for the evening. He did so under protest but was quite a success and couldn't get out again.

Today he is sought after for many supporting roles by the major studios and has appeared in all types of roles.

Which just goes to show you that you can get to Hollywood tomorrow if you have a brother who is a producer.

INVASION THREAT STILL PRESENT

As I write this, there is some talk that the attempted invasion of Britain will take place within the week. Thus, as you read this column, you might know that the actual invasion was taking place.

Prime Minister Churchill has repeatedly told the people that Germany will try to invade England very soon. The threat of invasion which has hung over that country since the war broke out is still present.

Last September, according to reports, the invaders were actually on their way across the channel. The Navy and the R. A. F. stopped them cold.

This time both sides will be better prepared. They have had a long winter to get ready their equipment and to train their men. Both sides are confident that the invasion will settle the war. If the Germans are defeated they will break apart as quickly as they rose to power.

They will crumble and fall in pieces for their whole plan depends on the defeat of the British island-fortress. They must conquer or fail.

The British people, despite their suffering from bombings and air-raids, are much stronger now than they have been in the past decade. They are ready for anything that might come along. They are sure that the invaders will be repulsed, turned back and otherwise annihilated.

How can they feel otherwise with a man like Churchill to lead them?

(Continued on page 5)



BEST FOOT FORWARD

Putting their "best foot" forward are the tallest and shortest members of the U. S. Army Air Corps at Kelly Field. James B. "Pee Wee" Cook is six feet, seven inches, wears 15-C shoes. His companion, Corp. E. M. Sonnen, is one inch over the five-foot mark.

A "Precision Built" Bungalow at Brownsburg



This photograph of the new home described in the accompanying article, shows progress in construction just six hours after erection of the panel units — a nine-hour procedure from foundation to roof . . . This bungalow is the first of ten homes to be erected on the Brownsburg housing site.

Response to Appeal For Maple Syrup

In response to a call for maple syrup and sugar for shipment to military hospitals and camps overseas, Mr. Geo. Y. Deason reports five gallons of maple syrup have been left at his store as the result of an item in last week's Watchman. Further donations from local producers will be gladly accepted. No trouble or expense is involved in shipment, and donors may be confident their gifts, despatched through the Red Cross Society to the proper destinations, will be welcomed by Canadians now serving overseas.

Culmination of 'Services' Fund Bespeaks New Zeal for Spitfire

Spurt of Energy, Generosity, Patriotism Will Achieve Remaining $10,000

COLLECTION NOW APPROACHES $14,000

When "The Watchman" published a first brief editorial suggesting that this county should raise funds to present a Spitfire to Prime Minister Churchill, only a few hours elapsed before this newspaper received a telephone call from a West End resident, highly commending the idea and backing it up with a substantial offer of $300. The citizen requested that his name be withheld, however. This was done in all modesty; and it is proper, now, that due credit should be given Mr. A. D. McGibbon for having accepted the challenge and started this campaign which is now reaching the $14,000 mark.

While the subscription list at this stage appears to be lagging in pace — due largely to strenuous efforts exerted in the local War Services drive which, we are proud to record, exceeded its objective in a big way — nevertheless our faith is firm that the people of Argenteuil, whether within or outside the county, will rally to the support of the Spitfire Fund and turn in their gifts. This is a voluntary war effort in which everyone can share; and in the prime ambition to close this drive both successfully and expeditiously, citizens and friends of the community can prove their worth.

As we pay warm recognition to the first subscriber, we now look forward to acknowledging, at an early date, the LAST donation, which will climax the Argenteuil Spitfire campaign for $24,000.

Foundation to Roof in 9-Hour Day, Construction Time in First B'burg House on the 'Precision Built' Plan

Quick Work Seen in Initial Structure

Prominent Housing Authorities Here

A demonstration of speedy house assembly on the "Precision Built" plan is shown in construction of the first house in the Brownsburg development. The essential stages of construction, according to an observer, ran on the following schedule:

At 8 a.m. last Saturday the builders commenced erection of Precision units on previously prepared concrete foundation.

By 10 a.m. all outside walls and interior partition units were erected.

By 12 noon the ceiling units were in place and . . .

By 6 p.m. the rafters and roof were on.

This — to the lay "kibitzer", at least — is quick work, and if the entire project in Lachute and Brownsburg is carried out with the same speed and precision, there should soon be strong, tangible arguments for the "Precision Built" method in this community—evidence transmuted into the comfortable homes and living quarters now urgently needed among our population.

To the general public the word "precision" does not convey very much importance, but to the workman engaged in construction it is of vital concern, for the margin of error allowed on the width or depth of building is only 3/16 of an inch.

This construction work is under supervision of E. W. Barnes, a housing authority and consultant of wide experience . . . On behalf of the National Housing Administration, another notable authority, Ralph C. Ham, architect, has been visiting here this week to give advice on the project. Mr. Ham, member of a firm of Winnipeg architects, has made extensive studies not only in the famed Winnipeg housing development, but also in "emergent" schemes sponsored by the Federal Government in war-industrial areas.

The bungalow here described and illustrated will have exterior walls finished in cedar shingles, and a roofing of asphalt slate-surfaced shingles. Other types to follow will be finished in cedar-grain asbestos shingle or colonial clapboard.

The bungalow contains a living room, two bedrooms with clothes-presses, bathroom with built-in cast iron enamaled bath and medicine cabinet; a small hall with linen and coat cupboards; and a planned kitchen with built-in sink and cabinet, also space for refrigerator and dinette.

Argentl. Legion Officers Elected

Branch No. 70 of the Canadian Legion held their annual meeting on Thursday evening, April 10, when election of officers resulted in the following appointments:

H. Stansfield, president; Geo. Leggett, vice-president and secretary; C. Duncan, treasurer.

A very satisfactory report of the branch activities and financial standing was given. Definite figures, now received, show the sum of $374. was raised by the Spitfire Dance; this amount has been handed over to that worthy cause.

A pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of a cuff-link set to Comrades Leggett and Duncan, who in their positions of secretary and treasurer respectively have done so much for the branch.

Comrade W. Cross, the retiring president, expressed his appreciation of the hearty co-operation which all had given him during his term of office.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

News of Former Mission Workers From Lachute

BAPTIST CHURCH MINISTER, CAPT. REV. R. E. SMITH, HOME FROM INDIA

DR. McCLURE CELEBRATES HIS 85TH BIRTHDAY

Capt. the Rev. Ralph E. Smith, Simcoe, Ont., has just returned to his home after 33 years in India as a missionary for the Baptist Church of Canada. The Rev. Mr. Smith was a well known and popular minister of Lachute Baptist Church forty years ago, prior to his going to India in 1903. At the outbreak of the Great War he served in the Indian army in Mesopotamia and received the rank of Captain in 1916. Three times he was mentioned in dispatches. Capt. Smith also saw action in the Arab War in Mesopotamia in 1920-1921. Returning to Simcoe in 1922, he was married in 1924 to Mildred Johnson, of Simcoe. He and his wife and family returned to India as missionaries in 1927. Mrs. Smith, with their three sons, returned to Simcoe in 1939.

Rev. Mr. Smith expressed confidence that there was no danger of internal trouble in India with the Empire now at war. He states that most people in India support the British against the Axis powers.

His trip home included 51 days aboard a Dutch cargo steamer. Unable to return by way of England, he travelled via the Pacific route, leaving Calcutta on February 6, and arriving at Portland, Ore., on March 28. When coming through the Torres Strait between Australia and New Guinea, Rev. Mr. Smith knew the danger of passing a heavily mined area. An Australian pilot came aboard and stayed with the ship until the minefields were passed.

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Dr. William McClure celebrated his 85th birthday at the home of his son, Dr. Robert B. McClure, in Toronto, on Wednesday of last week. For 50 years he was a member of the United Church Missions in China, returning some two and a half years ago. Dr. McClure was born in Lachute, graduating from McGill University. For many years he was on the teaching staff of Cheeloo University at Tsinan, Shantung Province.

Succession of Fires in Lachute And Brownsb'g

SIX ESCAPE IN NIGHT CLOTHES FROM DWELLING IN LACHUTE MILLS

WOMEN'S BUNKHOUSE IS SWEPT BY BLAZE

Shortly after the noon hour last Friday, Lachute Fire Brigade answered a call to the eastern outskirts of town, where a grass fire of serious proportions threatened to ignite outbuildings on town properties. The fire occurred in the long grass at the rear of the S. S. Campbell residence, spreading over an expanse of two acres in the direction of the river. Sheds behind Mr. Campbell's and Mrs. White's property, nearby, were in line of the fire when the Brigade were called. Firemen used shovels to check the blaze.

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At 6 p.m. on Tuesday a chimney fire was extinguished, with no serious damage, in the dwelling owned and occupied by F. Normand, Sydney Street.

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At 4 a.m. on Wednesday firemen were summoned to a more serious outbreak which gutted the home of Wilfrid Lavergne, a frame dwelling on Wilson Street, Lachute Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavergne, with their three children and Mr. Lavergne's father, were driven from the house by dense smoke; they escaped in their night attire through an upstairs window opening onto a shed roof.

Flames swept through the house, destroying the contents and the entire interior. The damage, estimated at about $2,000, is partially covered by insurance. Owner of the property is Joseph Joly.

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A blaze in one of the C-I-L bunkhouses at Brownsburg late Sunday night drove the women occupants from their quarters, and many suffered the loss of clothing and effects. The fire occurred after 10 p.m. in Camp No. 4, the last building in the two lines of ladies' dwellings at rear of the Consolidated School.

Adequate fire protection is provided for the area, and from an adjacent hydrant the company's firemen played three streams of water and saved the camp from complete destruction. Fortunately there was no wind to endanger the other bunkhouses in close proximity.

Suit for Damages Is Sequel to Hunting Mishap

MONTREALER CLAIMS $10,000 FOR INJURY SUSTAINED IN ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING

INCIDENT OCCURRED LAST FALL AT THOS.' GORE

Harry Wyshynski, who suffered an injured hand in a hunting accident last October at Thomas' Gore, has entered suit for $10,000 damages against Paul Corriveau, the companion who accidentally shot him while on a hunting expedition here. The action was heard in Superior Court last week.

Plaintiff alleged that he was invited by Corriveau, his foreman at the Canada Car and Foundry Company, to go to the latter's country home near Lachute on week-ends and do odd jobs such as potato digging.

On one occasion when he was a guest there on Sunday morning, October 6, 1940, Corriveau rushed him off to a shooting expedition. He told him to stay at a certain place while Corriveau moved off, and a little while later, while Wyshynski was smoking a cigarette, Corriveau fired at him and hit him in the left hand. The result is that he has been unable to work and entered action for $10,000.

Corriveau's story was that he had plaintiff at his place as a guest, and that he was anxious to take part in a deer hunt. He, Corriveau, is a veteran hunter. He started off with Wyshynski this Sunday morning, taking a rifle himself, and giving his guest a shot gun. As is the custom with deer hunters the party, which also included a man named Baker, separated. Later he saw a movement in the woods and, thinking it was the white tail of a deer, fired. He had no idea that the plaintiff would take off his coat and thereby expose himself to danger.

Corriveau said he had done all possible for the man after he had been wounded. His own son had provided the blood for a transfusion. Corriveau claimed that the fault had been entirely that of plaintiff, specially in that he had taken his coat off.

Isidore Popliger, K.C. represented plaintiff and Philippe Lamarre, K.C., and Paul Bumbray appeared for the defendant. Judgment was reserved.

This Strange World

It was so cold recently at Portland, Oregon, that when a duck sat down it froze to the ground.

At Moneda Chapel, Santiago, 51 baby boys, all seventh sons of 51 families, have been simultaneously baptised.

A baby girl was born to an airman's wife in the waiting-room at Peterborough North Station, England. The station is on the L.N.E. Railways line, and the stationmaster suggested naming the baby Eleanor (LNER). She was !

A Negress, of Hokerton, North Carolina, has given birth to twins, one white and the other black! Scientists believe that either she or her husband had a white ancestor. We hope he's right.

Army divisions, in these days of mechanization, require about 3,000 vehicles, including guns, tractors, tanks and lorries.

Meetings of County W.I. Branches

Frontier Branch of the W. I. held an interesting quizz at their Home Economics meeting. The roll-call was answered by naming a wartime economy. Further activities were planned. Nine members and six visitors were present at this branch meeting.

Morin Heights Branch report the making of an afghan and a quilt; also five sweaters for evacuees were on display. The following items were read by the convenor: "The Need to Use the Vote Wisely", by Mrs. P. F. Casgrain, and "Payment of Pensions to Men in the Armed Forces," as discussed in the House of Commons. Fun was added to the meeting by an April Fool joke being played on the members by the president.

Pioneer Branch report the holding of a button-hole contest — two prizes being given. The roll-call was answered by a wartime economy, also three tea-bags to be sent overseas. A paper was read by Mrs. G. Armstrong on "The Food Needs of Adults". Plans were made for the holding of an amateur program in Lachute Auditorium in aid of the Argenteuil Spitfire Fund. Five dollars was donated to the War Services Fund.

The Upper Lachute Branch report the reading of a paper on "What This Country has to Offer Newcomers to Our Shores." Patriotic songs were sung. The roll-call was "Something we could do to make immigrants feel at home." A member was presented with a piece of jewelry in honor of her birthday. Taffy was served in conclusion.



MEMORIAL CROSS IS GIVEN WIDOW

"Isn't it beautiful!" exclaimed Mrs. Marion Hutt, of Ottawa, widow of the only Canadian soldier killed in action in France in this war, as she examined her memorial cross. They will be given to widows or mothers of men who have died with the Canadian armed forces or the merchant marine during the present war. It is a replica of the one given to the immediate next-of-kin of nearly 60,000 Canadians who died in the first great war. Her husband, Donald, was in charge of a signals convoy when the Canadians entered Brest, and he was knocked against one of the trucks carrying refugees on June 13, and died three hours later in hospital. He was buried in the Anglican cemetery in Brest.

Downtown Tract Laid Out for Building Lots

LAND "ACROSS THE TRACK" MAY BE DEVELOPED INTO RESIDENTIAL AREA

SURVEYOR TO PLAN STREETS AND SITES

The dowtown area between the abandoned C. N. R. track and the North River has been purchased from the Barron Estate by Honorius Filion and his son, Germain Filion, town secretary. The new owners plan to divide this property into building lots, and a surveyor will be on the scene in a few days to plan the streets and subdivisions.

The property, measuring 850 by 300 feet, will provide for 30 or 35 building sites. Harriet and Bellingham streets will be continued northward to the river, with two throughfares intersecting the property from east to west. Messrs. H. and G. Filion are planning to lay these streets and the necessary sewerage; it is understood this work will be proceeded with immediately.

Since abandonment of the C.N.R., lots have been bought by other speculators in this section, and it is foreseen the tract of farm land formerly "below the track" may possibly develop into a desirable residential area in full view of the foothills and bounded by the winding North River.

A man in Stalingrad (Russia) became so annoyed with the oxen drawing his water-cart that he swore at them. He was sentenced to a year's imprisonment in a local court for "orally hurting the feeling of his oxen." Happily, a higher tribunal in Moscow later quashed the sentence.

The British Empire owns about half the total number of sheep in the world — 670,000,000 in all.





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Forest Fire Vigil Termed A Real War Duty

Montreal, April 15 — "In these times when the full strength of Canada is required to bring victory to our armed forces, I gladly join the appeal of the Canadian Forestry Association to banish forest fires from our Dominion "for the duration", said Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Canada's Minister of Justice today in a public statement.

"We are paying for our military purchases in foreign countries largely from the lumber and pulp and paper sold to foreign consumers. As we increase our shipments abroad, employment for our Canadian people increases likewise. Quebec stands to gain from lively markets in forest products more than any other province for it is the home of one-half of all the pulp and paper manufacture of the Dominion.

"Everything has its price. Forest industry and employment do not flourish on burned forests. The forest fire menace must be branded as a saboteur of the country's vitality, to be rooted out of every timber-growing area.

"I am told that in every hundred forest fires, campers are guilty of twenty, smokers fifteen, settlers sixteen, incendiary eight, and "unknown causes" about fifteen. This means that the large majority of damaged or destroyed forests are the work of careless or reckless human beings.

"Does this rank as fair and sportmanlike conduct in time of war when patriotic men stand ready to protect and serve their native land? It is painful enough to know that enemy bombs are striking at the heart of England, but it is both painful and inexcusable when our Canadian citizens let fiery destruction loose upon the precious forests of their homeland.

"I appeal to my fellow Canadians to regard the nation's woodland as one of the great pillars of our strength in both war and peace. The forests of our country can use ten thousand patriots on sentry duty during the hazardous fire months ahead. I can think of no better way to serve Canada then to save her forest possessions. Therefore, let me ask that every person who is in the forest this year will consider himself a self-appointed forest guardian against fire."

Veterans of Present War Recognized as "Ex-Service Men"

Ottawa — The term "ex-service men" will henceforth include those who have served with the active service forces of Canada during the present war as well as veterans of the war of 1914-18. Emphasis is placed on this fact in an instruction from the Department of National Defence to those in charge of government works under the supervision of the Department, suggesting that, other things being equal, unemployed ex-service men receive preference on these works.

Our Farm News Letter

Contributed by

B. Leslie Emslie, C.D.A. (Glas.) F.C.S.

BIRDS AND BOMBS IN LONDON TOWN

By B. Leslie Emslie

Not fear but defiance of the enemy is the spirit of our tenacious, courageous kin across the sea, whose inborn principles of freedom, toleration and justice, pride of race and love of country have found expression in true British fashion and tradition. It is the only way they know. According to the Ministry of Information in London, delivery of the milk and newspaper has never missed a morning there. A new neighborliness has been developed through the sharing of experience; all this is building up a new and truer democracy.

In a London square one morning a reporter, viewing the damage caused by a bomb the night before, observed two men intently at work on a plot. When asked what they were doing, one straightened his back and replied, "It's them confounded sparrows. We're fixing thread so as they wont thieve the grass we've just sown for spring." This incident typifies the spirit of a people who can't be scared or discouraged but, given the tools, will finish the job !

British Industry Equips Planes With Plastics

Equips Spitfires With Parts Made from Powder

London — Shell nose caps are now being made in plastics.

Great Britain's biggest baby industry is today devoting 75 per cent of its plant, brains and energy to turning out plastics for the fighting forces.

Out of a plain powder made from phenol and formaldehyle, moulded by giant pressea in hard-steel dies — has come a vast range of war material: infantry equipment, small ship components, the controls and wing sections of the Spitfire fighters.

Lightness, strength and fire resistance are qualities which make plastics particularly useful in aeroplane work.

Despite these demands, the British plastics industry last year shipped abroad no less than £150,000 of its moulding powders. It did it by rationalizing itself into a single economic unit for export trade and raw material distribution.

Australia has been the biggest buyer. The main markets have been within the Empire but South America is steadily increasing her demands, particularly for articles made from plastics such as crockery, door fitments and similar domestic accessories.

More and more plastics are coming into their own as a substitute for the less strong metals: for example for a cistern ball cocks.

100 PLANT DISEASES SPREAD BY INSECTS

By Ralph E. Cudmore

In assessing the damage wrought by insect pests on our agricultural crops, the indirect losses due to plant diseases spread by insect life is frequently overlooked.

The association of insects with plant diseases constitutes a phase of insect injury which in importance approaches the damage caused by direct feeding of insects. The role of insects in the transmission of human and animal diseases is generally well known, but the fact that insects play an important part in the transmission of considerably more than one hundred serious plant diseases has never been sufficiently emphasized. In some instances the function of the insect is confined to injuring the protective outer cuticle or skin of the plant, permitting the entrance of the disease organism, while in other cases fungi, bacteria and virus bodies are carried internally and externally by insects and in this manner spread rapidly from plant to plant. The disease-causing elements thus transported to fresh plant tissue may establish themselves independently, or they may actually be injected hypodermically into the plant tissue.

With the rather alarming increase in the incidence of plant disease, particularly those of a virus nature, greater emphasis must be placed upon the control of insects such as aphids and leaf-hoppers. Frequently the direct feeding of these insects does not appear serious enough to warrant treatment; their insidious work, however, in transmitting destructive plant diseases will usually justify prompt control measure.



GIVEN TO U. S. NAVY

The 185-foot racing schooner Atlantic, which, after 36 years, still holds the record for racing under sail between England and the U. S., has been donated to the U. S. Government. Her owner, Gerard B. Lambert, industrialist and yachtsman, said he also was giving his 50-foot power yacht Utilitie to the government.

Farmer Spent Three Years Chasing Cows !

PASTURE YOUR LAND NEAREST THE BARN, IS CONCLUSION

Halifax, N. S. — Checking the life story of a farmer who for thirty years pastured the back end of his farm and afterwards figured that he had spent two hours each summer day driving his cows to and from pasture, scientific agriculturists calculated that this chore accounted for nine hundred 10-hour days, or working time for three full years doing nothing but chasing cows! That tale was one of several stressed by J. E. McIntyre, of Moncton, Agricultural Agent for the Canadian National Railways in the Maritimes, when interviewed during a farm broadcast. Mr. McIntyre's recommendation was to pasture the land nearest the barn.

Fertilizing pastures reduces by two-thirds the acreage otherwise required, thus releasing that much more land for other crops, was a statement broadcast by Mr. McIntyre, who claimed that good pasture provides the cheapest and the best food for grazing animals.

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EDITORIAL

The Freedom of the Press

Great men of history who have left us the legacy of democratic government all seem to have been of one mind, that the preservation of freedom depended to a large degree on the preservation of the freedom of the press. That is why in all truly democratic states a free press is more than a just a tradition — it is an essential principle of democracy.

One of the prerequisites of an autocracy is the abrogation of the freedom of the press, because this freedom has essentially, through the centuries, shown itself to be the one great force which has seen to it that the freedom of the individual has been preserved. When freedom of the press is abolished, other freedoms go with it. There is little need at this time to stress that point. There are so many poignant and tragic examples in the world today of a subservient press, that it must be obvious to any intelligent person that the freedom of the press is synonymous with the freedom which is democracy.

There have always been those, who, often for reasons of personal aggrandisement or lust for power, would rob the press of this precious jewel in the crown of liberty. There have been others who cry out for personal freedom of expression, but who would deny this right to the press. It has been claimed that this freedom can become licence, but this is one of those half-truths which unthinking people are likely to accept at its face value.

Actually the press enjoys a freedom which gives it no privilege above the individual. It must conform to the laws of the state. Its freedom is bound by the laws of libel and slander. It certainly offers no greater opportunity for defaming any person or institution, than does the inherent right of free speech with which every citizen is endowed as a birthright. Abraham Lincoln in a debate on the constitution once said: "The liberty of the press is the tyrant's scourge; it is the true friend and the supremest supporter of civil liberty." The principle of freedom of the press, as it exists today is the result of a long and bitter struggle between those who believed in civil rights and constituted authority, and those who feared the exercise of these rights.

It is significant that the first amendment to the Bill of Rights of the American Constitution, adopted in 1791, is one that relates to the freedom of the press. It reads: "Congress shall make no law respecting the establishment of religion, or the prohibition of the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble and to petition the government for a redress of grievances." The very wording of this amendment places freedom of the press on the same level, and of equal import with freedom of religion, of speech and of assembly.

A Rhode Island State provision sums up the question of a free press in a few words when it says: "The liberty of the press being essential to the security and freedom of the state, any person may publish his sentiments on any subject, being responsible for the abuse of that liberty, and in all trials for libel, both civil and criminal, the truth, unless published from malicious motives, shall be sufficient defense to the person charged." Many other democratic countries have passed similar legislation, because from a wide study of the dangers of a subservient press, they have learned that a free press is the best assurance of a free country.

To be fully comprehended, the freedom of the press must be accepted by democratic peoples as a typical example of the privileges they enjoy as individuals in a democratic state. To abolish the freedom of the press, is to invite the abolition of all freedom for the individual.

Youth Has Its Day

The status of the young man has entirely changed during the past few years. It is not so long ago that the newspapers were full of the problem of what to do with the young men who were endeavoring to find a place in a world that apparently had no place for them.

Now it is the young man's day when his services are being sought on every hand. A cartoon in recent papers shows a bewildered young man in the centre of calls from all sides, as follows, "The Navy is Calling You! The Army Mants You! The Air Force Needs You! Industry needs young men! You are needed at Home! Continue your studies, your country will need professional men now, more than aver! What are you going to do about it!" It is now a problem for the young man to decide between an avalanche of opportunities.

—Granby Leader

Dynamic Leaders Wanted

What we need in Canada today is more men of dynamic energy, the intelligent ability and the patriotic ideals of the Right Hon. Richard B. Bennett. . .We do not go so far as to ask for a National Government. There are men of great ability in the King Cabinet, but they are saddled with too much detail work. Bring in a number of qualified key men and relieve Ministers of the necessity of devoting too much time to trivial incidentals. Make a sincere effort to establish an administrative body which would include able men and women regardless of their political views.

—Sherbrooke Telegram, Que.

A Christmas post card mailed in Sweden travelled more than 15,000 miles, via Leningrad, Vladivostock, Vancouver and Montreal, before reaching its London destination three months later. Sender probably failed to observe the "Mail early and avoid the Christmas rush" advice.

Accidents in Industry

A country at war should be a saving country, watching for every little trickle of waste. Canadians have responded nobly to the War Savings Campaign appeal and have been very generous in their support of the Red Cross and other war service organizations. They have given up many luxuries to increase subscriptions to worthy causes and, as individuals, they are practicing economies in many ways in order to further the war effort. But a great deal of careless wastage is still going on and attention is directed particularly to the matter of accidents in industry. Cost of caring for men hurt in such mishaps is tremendous but the cost is comparatively unimportant when loss of production power through injuries of skilled workers is taken into consideration. Cutting down the number of industrial accidents will materially increase production of war supplies and the careful workman who practices Safety First at his daily work is rendering a very valuable service to his country in this period of emergency.

No Maginot Line

Fall of the Maginot Line during the German surge leading to capitulation of France came as a stunning blow to all who support the British cause. The Maginot Line had been widely publicised as the strongest defensive wall in the world. Columns and columns had been written of its great garrison, its mighty armaments and tremendous stores, but the Maginot Line failed to halt the onrush of Hitler's hordes and since then the world has been inclined to doubt the so-called impregnability of these great defensive bulwarks. Even Gibraltar, for years a symbol of tremendous defensive strength, has "lost face" through the surprising failure of the Maginot Line. But Gibraltar won't fall as easily as did France's great wall. Gibraltar won't fall ! An American newspaper woman only recently returned to this continent, paints an impressive picture of Gibraltar's massive strength. She tells of great water reservoirs, of hospitals no bomb will ever reach, of modern refrigeration equipment, great stores of food and a tremendous variety of defensive weapons. Gibraltar is still a magnificent fortress. It is still "as strong as the rock of Gibraltar." And it stands as a symbol of British strength, courage and determination.

Motorists As Taxpayers

Mr. and Mrs. Motorist, the people who pass you on the highway and park beside you in town every day, are taking their places among Canada's heaviest taxpayers. The Ontario government has reported gasoline tax collections for the past five years as totalling $100,009,046. In 1936 the total gasoline tax collection was $16,001,013 and since that year a steady increase has been noted with the 1940 total collection reaching an imposing figure of $27,428,149. It is true Ontario motorists receive good highways in return for this money but the surplus of revenue over cost must be high. Every turn of the wheel contributes dollars for Provincial coffers but the gasoline tax, in most cases, is comparatively painless and complaints in this regard have been remarkably few.

Long Arm of Publicity

Smith Falls, Ont., Chamber of Commerce will send town advertising literature to men on active service overseas, suggesting they may be able to spread this about and provide valuable contacts for the town.

He must brush up on his sniping,
He must take all his turn on guard,
He must practice all the arts of war,
But doesn't it seem hard,
That after all his work is done,
The lad can't quip and clown,
For in spare time he must help to
Advertise the ol' home town!

News Item . . .

Lady cobbler in England slipped a good-luck note into an army shoe she had repaired. Later a gunner in the Royal Artillery received the shoes, read the note and proposed marriage in a return letter. His proposed is now receiving serious consideration . . .

She poured her heart into the note,
This lady cobbler bold,
Then sent the billet-doux off with
The shoes she had half-soled.
He read her burning lines and by
Return mail he proposed,
And anyone would think this charming
Romance now was closed.
Yet still she can't her fears conceal,
That her sole mate might prove a heel !

Representative Robert Rich makes a one minute speech almost every day in the House of Representatives at Washington. On April 1st. he cut his remarks down to just two words, "April Fool!" Wasn't there a cigarette company slogan just a short time ago: "It's fun to be fooled!"

AND IN CONCLUSION: "Poles in Grip of Berlin," reads headline. They're also in the grip of ardent fishermen in Canada now that Spring has at last put in an appearance.

THE LIFE OF WINSTON CHURCHILL

THE MAN WHO 'LL BEAT HITLER

(Part 5)

Winston Churchill threw into his new task at the Admiralty all the energy which had been devoted to fostering social reforms. The imminent danger of war with Germany was realised fully, but this time, by most members of the Government, and Mr. Churchill was faced with accomplishing in a year or two what would ordinarily require 15 or twenty years.

With terrific efficiency and purpose, Winston Churchill turned the Admiralty "upside down." The system of automatic promotion was jettisoned and instead, enthusiastic and competent young officers were promoted.

Promoted "Youngsters"

Criticism was frequent and vocal, but Mr. Churchill went his way undismayed. Sir John Jellicoe was promoted over the heads of many senior admirals, and despite the disapproval of many, young Rear-Admiral Beatty, then out of a berth, was made Mr. Churchill's Naval Secretary. Had it not been for Winston Churchill, Beatty would have been placed on the retired list instead of going on and up to become what a colleague called "a second Nelson."

New naval building, already enlarged under the inspiration of Lord Fisher, was accelerated. Winston Churchill, the former arch-priest of economy, now, under the growing shadow of the German menace, became the most fervent apostle of rearmament.

Paying Penalty for Past

In the face of intense home opposition, and twitted constantly about his previous passionate please for retrenchment, he insisted on larger naval expenditures. As a sop to his critics, however, he did, early in 1912, suggest a Naval Holiday to Germany

That he had little belief in its prospects of success was evident, for one of his critics complained that: "Mr. Churchill approached Germany with an olive-branch in one hand and a sword in the other. But he took good care to keep the olive-branch in his trousers pocket; so all the Germans saw was the sword."

Germany's answer to this suggestion was — more intensive naval building, and when during a visit to Belfast, Winston Churchill was informed that the Kaiser had announced still further naval increases, he immediately declared that "to Germany a navy is a luxury, but to England it is a necessity." With that speech he flabbergasted the "peace-at-any-price" advocates and astonished the Germans who had felt confident that under Churchill, Britain's Navy would diminish. That, too, marked the end of Winston Churchill as an Appeaser (modern fashion).

Increased Navy and Subterfuge !

The public was difficult to convince of the possibility of war with Germany, and the vast sums that Mr. Churchill asked for were not forthcoming without intense bitterness and opposition. Indeed, he had to resort to subterfuge to get all he wanted, for it is strongly suspected that the gift of a super-dreadnought from the Federated Malay States was inspired by himself. When Ramsay MacDonald, then leader of Labor Party, questioned this transaction, Churchill fobbed him off with the remark: "I would accept a dreadnought from even the Labour Party if they offered it."

Providence Again !

He ordered a change-over from coal to oil, a revolutionary measure but one which greatly increased the cruising range of vessels. With foresight denied to most of his contemporaries, he created the Royal Naval Air Force, and in 1916, Mr. Balfour, never a particular admirer of Winston Churchill, could say: "The naval Air Service entirely owes its origin to Mr. Churchill . . . Long before the usefulness of aircraft had been proved by experience, he foresaw the important part it was going to play."

Nor did he disdain to fly in the "crates" of those days, and once again the Churchill luck was in evidence. The day after Churchill's first lesson in flying, the pilot who had acted as his instructor was killed. Again, an experimental flight of a new seaplane was ordered, and Mr. Churchill went along, without incident. The next time the seaplane was tried, its three officer occupants were killed when it crashed.

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***Next week — How Winston Churchill secretly mobilized the Fleet.

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Personality Parade

BY LAWRENCE HIBBERT

F. D. R.'S HOBBIES

There is nothing ostentatious about President Roosevelt. He is a man of simple tastes. In his study is just one telephone — and he doesn't like bells or buzzers. When he wants one of his secretaries, he simply calls out for him.

Around the White House are mementoes of F. D. R's hobbies. He used to collect ships' models, and his collection is worth thousands of dollars.

Another of his hobbies was collecting old clocks, and he is tremendously fond of grandfather clocks. He has one that he discovered on one of his fishing trips, and it is said to be worth more than $20,000.

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TAKES NO CHANCES !

Mr. Cordell Hull, U. S. Secretary of State, another great friend of ours, is a man of few words, and his friends claim that he must be one of the world's most careful speakers. He never says anything until he is quite sure of it — a trait which we would like to see more universal !

Here is a story that aptly illustrates this characteristic of Mr. Hull's. Once during a train journey, a travelling companion of Mr. Hull's poinfed out a flock of sheep to him. "Look," he said. "Those sheep have just been sheared." The Secretary of State looked, then said cautiously: "Sheared on this side, anyway!"

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CHURCHILL'S BARK !

Col. Josiah C. Wedgwood, D.S.O., M.P., is a Labor member of the British Commons, but he is, too, a great personal friend of Prime Minister Churchill's. The two of them led the way in warning Parliament and the nation of the growing menace of Hitlerism — and neither was listened to, then.

In his Memoirs, just published, Col. Wedgwood tells a story of that long campaign of warning. He and Winston were fellow-passengers on the express to Manchester on the evening when Hitler marched into Vienna.

A few hours previously, Mr. Churchill had lunched with the Cabinet — to meet Herr von Ribbentrop, then German ambassador to Great Britain. Col. Wedgwood expressed some surprise at Mr. Churchill having been invited, for he was non persona grata with the Government of that period.

"Well," said Mr. Churchill, "I suppose they asked me, to show von Ribbentrop that, if they couldn't bark themselves, they kept a dog who could bark, and might even bite !

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Fuzzy Wuzzy, the 12-year-old fox terrier of the late Mrs. Gertrude H. Wilson, of Portsmouth, N. H., will never "go to the cupboard and find it bare" — but Mrs. Wilson's son, Richard, might . . . In her will, just made public, Mrs. Wilson left a $50,000 estate. She provided sufficient funds for Fuzzy Wuzzy's lifetime care, but Richard was left nothing.



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British Radio Laughs At U-Boats

Huge Exports Got There Safely in 1940

London — The U-boats failed to catch £1,298,832 worth of radio exports from Great Britain last year.

India took 20,000 units, or more than double the total for the year before.

The average price of the receiving sets sent to India was, at the exporting end, £6.93, or 90 rupees. High duties and freights have kept British radio sets out of the poorer India home and British manufacturers are now at producing a "People's Set" especially for them.

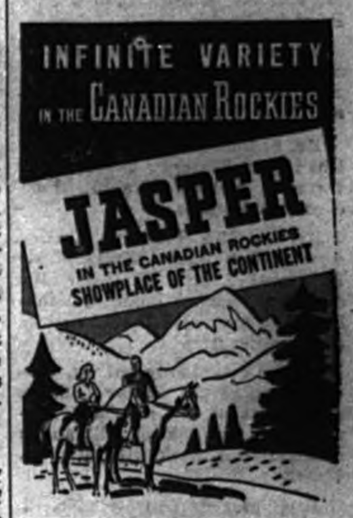
South Africa was the next best market to India, with a total value of £100,000 worth of radio units and components bought and delivered last year.

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DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

CUSHING WEST

Mrs. C. N. Mattinson has arrived from the city, where she spent the winter, and has opened her residence here for the summer. Mr. H. Young and daughter, Edna, were her guests for the Easter vacation.

Dr. Cushing, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Marjorie Cushing, Mr. James and Miss Florence Cushing, also Miss Thomson and Dr. Harbert of the General Hospital, spent Friday at his residence.

Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir and daughters, Dorothy and Helen, also Miss Eleanor Weir of Thorold and Miss McLaren of Toronto, motored to Thorold, Ont., and spent the Easter holidays with relatives there.

Mrs. Norman Dowd, of Ottawa, her daughter Patsy, also her sons, Mr. Emerson Dowd and Lieut. Elbert Dowd, were motor guests of Mrs. Dowd's sister, Mrs. W. Usher, and other friends here on Saturday. Lieut. Dowd, who recently graduated in engineering from Queen's University, is at present stationed at Petawawa.

Pte. Jean Louis Brookes and Pte. Blanchard, of Levis, Que., on vacation from Petawawa Camp, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brookes, at Grece's Point for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hartley and Mr. Eddie Whelehan, of Montreal, were Easter guests of Mr. and Miss Whelehan.

Mr. S. Robert and Miss K. Whelehan spent Easter as guests of the former's mother, Mrs. R. Funcheon, at Monalea.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Keatley were Easter guests of Mr. Keatley's mother, Mrs. W. Usher. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bond, of Vankleek Hill, were also Easter visitors at Mrs. Usher's.

Miss Doris Leroy, of St. Andrews, spent the Easter holidays as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bond at Vankleek Hill, and is spending this week with Mrs. W. Usher.

Miss Muriel Tait, of No. 2. School, is spending the Easter vacation at her home in Frelighsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton and Mr. and Mrs. Murray Watson, of Montreal, spent Easter at the latter's residence.

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MORIN HEIGHTS

Mrs. E. Johnson and daughter, Margaret, of Montreal, visited with relatives here during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hollingworth, of Dixie, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Dey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Palmer have given up Laurentian Rest Inn for a new position at Pointe Claire.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Greene spent the past week in Montreal.

Mr. J. Watchorn, also Miss Isabel Bethel, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gilby.

The Women's Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. J. Kennedy on Thursday last.

A great deal of carpenter work is going on in this community now — with Mr. Carl Seale building apartments in what was formerly the Syvret Store, Mr. Fred Watchorn making an addition to his house, and many other similar improvements.

CUSHING

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Innes, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. Innes, Sr. Miss Isabel Meservey, of Ottawa, was also a guest.

Miss Margaret Canning, of Lakefield, spent the Easter week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning.

Miss Doris Leroy visited at the home of her cousin, Mrs. L. Boyd, of Vankleek Hill, over the week-end also the earlier part of the week.

Mrs. Leslie Morris of Lachute and Valois was an over-night guest of Mrs. W. H. Canning on Thursday.

Miss Elsie M. Graham of Verdun is spending the Easter holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham; Mrs. J. C. MacDougall, also of Verdun, is their guest during this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Weir and family spent Easter week-end at Thorold, Ont.

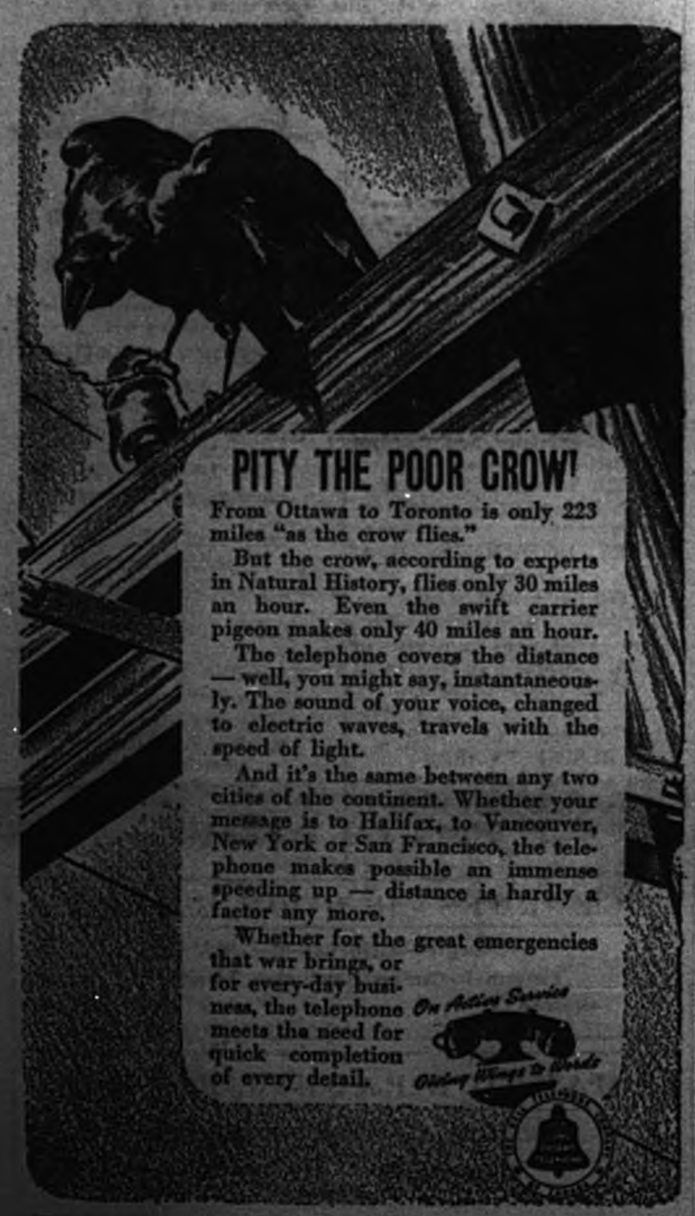
Miss Margaret Graham, of Ormstown, visited her sister, Miss Christine Graham, over the week-end.

Miss Helen Hoar and Mr. W. Godwin, of Montreal, visited at Glenelen on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Beecher, of Notre Dame de Grace, occupied their cottage Lilac Lodge over the week-end, also Miss Marjorie Beecher and Mr. Robert Maw.

Miss Alberta Cleland of Montreal was a guest of Mrs. James Chambers the earlier part of April.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Candlish, of Montreal, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham.



ST. ANDREWS EAST

Miss Helen and Master Stuart MacIntyre, of Montreal, are guests of their uncle and aunt, Col. and Mrs. L. M. Hooker.

Gunners Charles and Roy DeWitt, of Petawawa, Ont., and Messrs. John, of Ottawa, George and Bill DeWitt, of Montreal, were vacationing with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. DeWitt, for Easter season.

Flt.-Lieut. Keith Pitcairn, of Crumblin Air Field, and Dr. and Mrs. Will Pitcairn, of Montreal, spent Good Friday with their parents; Dr. and Mrs. Pitcairn remained till Saturday evening.

Miss M. Loynachan, of Montreal, returned on Monday after a two weeks' visit with her niece, Mrs. E. C. Calder, Miss Margaret Taylor is visiting her sister, Mrs. Calder, for the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Neale, of Montreal, were guests on Good Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rejall, who spent several days at their summer home here.

Pte. Shirley Simpson, C.A.M.C., and a guest, Mr. Wilkinson of Westmount, stayed for the week-end at his summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pritchard were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simpson, for the Easter season.

Mr. Bryan Simpson entertained a few friends at his summer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slater, Miss Joyce Slater and Master Donald Slater occupied their summer home for the holidays.

Misses Elizabeth, of Grand'Mere, Grace, of Toronto, Jeannette and Freda Wales, of Montreal, stayed with their father, Mr. C. S. Wales, for their vacation.

Mr. J. P. Lanctôt and family, of Montreal, stayed at their summer home here for the Easter season.

Other holidaying here were — Misses Bessie Rodger, Lois Perks, Gladys Hyde, Janet Watson, Alison Rodger, Enid Robertson, and Mr. Hugh Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Yale returned on Monday after several days' visit with their sons in the Town of Mount Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Steeves, of Montreal, made a short visit to their home here.

Miss Andrée Loiseau, of Montreal, stayed with Mrs. J. A. Mowatt for her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Shipman, of Montreal, spent Sunday with Mrs. Shipman's father, Mr. Gilbert Hamilton.

Miss M. Hopper and Mr. Clyde Hopper are guests of their sister, Mrs. E. Charman.

The last of the ice which was holding on the wide stretch of river opposite Mrs. Robert Simpson's moved out quietly on Wednesday night. The River Road was in good condition, so the goodly number of golf enthusiasts had no difficulty in reaching the course.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McAdam and family are getting settled in their new home recently purchased at Brownsburg. Mr. McAdam is now in the retailing end of the milk business. Best wishes are extended to him for success in this undertaking. Such genial folk as he and Mrs. McAdam (Margaret Rodger) will doubtless make new friends very quickly, but their friends here trust they will find time for an occasional visit to St. Andrews East.

Our congratulations to Mr. Raymond A. M. Montague, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Montague, of Montreal, upon his marriage on Saturday evening, April 12th, to Miss Gladys M. Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and the late Mrs. Ernest Reynolds, of Notre Dame de Grace. Mr. Montague was recently a teacher in the Consolidated School here.

Mrs. Kenneth de la Ronde, Mrs. R. R. Roth and Mrs. J. Lalonde were in Montreal on Monday to attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Geo. H. Driver, of Toronto, Mrs. Driver and her daughter, Hildred, have spent a number of vacations with Mrs. de la Ronde in the past.

Deep sympathy is extended to the sisters who recently suffered a similar experience.

CARILLON

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bradley visited in Carillon during Easter week.

Miss Ruth Bradley is spending the Easter vacation at St. Sauveur.

HARRINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. McMahon, of Lachute, visited relatives in Harrington on Monday.

Miss Grace Anderson, of Montreal, spent the Easter holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. McCabe.

Mrs. C. Bennett attended the funeral of the late Mr. J. Lewis, in Ottawa last Saturday.

Miss J. Taylor, of Ottawa, and Gnr. F. T. Armstrong, of Petewawa Camp, were holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Swail and son, spent Thursday at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Wm. Swail, in Arundel.

Mr. J. Dobbie visited friends in Montreal on Tuesday.

Miss Glena M. Bennett is spending this week in Ottawa.

Miss Maud Dobbie is spending the Easter holidays at the home of her brother, Mr. J. Dobbie.

Mr. J. G. Bennett and sons, of Mon-Royal, are spending the holiday at their cottage.

Mr. J. G. Bennett and son, of Mount Royal are spending the holiday at their cottage.

ARUNDEL

Miss Ruth Thomson, of Montreal, and Miss Opal Undseth, of Victoria, B. C., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. MacArthur for Easter.

Mrs. Gordon Cooke spent Easter in Montreal visiting friends.

The following are spending the Easter holidays at their respective homes — the Misses Muriel Graham, Janet Smellie, Jean Smellie, Edna Moncrieff, Viola Moncrieff, Dorothy Kerr, Laura Davis, Gertrude Morrison, Kathleen Morrison, Eunice Morrison, Annie Cooke, and Messrs. Edgar Boyd, Gavin Graham, Melvin Graham and James Smellie.

Mrs. MacRae, of Montreal, spent the week-end visiting the Rev. and Mrs. C. Cushing.

Mr. Wenville Graham spent Easter with his brother, Mr. Herman Graham and Mrs. Graham, in Senneterre, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cooke and Miss Margaret Cooke are spending the holiday at their home here. Master David Beers, Sherbrooke, Que., is their guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilfillan, of Mount Royal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cooke.

Messrs. Charles and Stuart Forbell spent a few days here visiting friends.

Master Val Swail is spending the holiday with his sister, Mrs. S. Simon, in Hudson Heights.

Miss Dorothy Ross spent some time at the rectory the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Royle.

Mr. Stanley Cooke spent Good Friday at his home here.

Miss Margaret Henvis spent the week-end at her home here.

Miss Freda Bennett and Private Arthur Bennett, R.C.S., spent the holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bulley spent the holiday at their home here.

Miss Thelma Marshall spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Proudlock.

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OBITUARY

LATE H. D. PARKER, OF THE DEPT. OF HEALTH, OTTAWA, WAS RELATED HERE

Mr. Herbert D. Parker, of the Department of Pensions and National Health, Ottawa, died suddenly at the age of 52.

Surviving are his wife, the former Annette Morin, one daughter, and a step-sister, Mrs. Lawrence Cruise, of Lachute Mills. Mr. Parker was born in Montreal.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE EMARIS LAROCQUE

Sympathy of this community is extended to Mrs. Zotique Rochon and Mrs. Jos. Belanger, who received word last week of the death of their brother, Emaris Larocque, of Legal, Alberta, which occurred on Good Friday, April 11th.

The remains arrived here on Monday last, and the funeral service was held this morning, Thursday, at Ste. Anastasie Church.

Mr. Larocque had been suffering from a heart condition and had intended holding an auction sale of his effects in order to retire to Lachute.

BROWNSBURG

Miss Mary Hutchin has returned to Thurso after spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hutchin.

Mr. Bernard Petley, of Montreal, was home for the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Graham and Master Keith Graham were recent guests of relatives here.

Miss Rosamond and Mr. Stephen Pike spent the holidays with their parents, the Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Pike.

A number of the young people from Maple Ave. Baptist Church were in Ottawa on Monday, when they presented the play "The Challenge of the Cross", in the First Baptist Church.

Mr. Harold Smith and Miss B. Argue, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Creswell.

Miss Brophy, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Simpson.

Mrs. A. D. McCullouch was in Montreal on Saturday visiting her husband, who is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Petley and little son, Wayne, were in Montreal last Saturday.

Mr. George Prosser, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, is visiting his family here.

DALESVILLE

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Campbell were — Miss Enid Campbell, Miss Kay McLennan, Miss Ruth Campbell and Miss Greta Briard.

Miss Beryl MacVicar was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McCormick.

Miss Charlotte Murdoch was a guest of Mrs. Thomas Morrow.

Easter week-end was the occasion of a family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Campbell, where some fourteen relatives gathered.

Mr. Thomas Hall has taken over the business previously owned by Mr. Joseph Hamilton. We wish Mr. Hall every success.

RESIDENT OF RAWCLIFFE, MRS. SIDNEY LAUGHREN DIES IN 77TH YEAR

Elizabeth Kimball, widow of the late Sidney Laughren, passed away at her residence in Rawcliffe, Que., on April 6th, in her 77th year. Mrs. Laughren had lived all her life in the community of Rawcliffe. She was the fourth daughter of the late Wm. Kimball and Nancy Laughren.

The funeral was held from St. Matthew's Anglican Church, Grenville, the service being conducted by the Rev. W. LeCras, of Lachute.

Left to mourn her loss are four daughters—Kate and Florence, of Rawcliffe, Nettie, of Grenville, Alice, of Buffalo; two sons, William of Grenville, and Edmund, of Pittsburg, Pa.; three sisters, Mrs. McNeill and Mrs. Anderson, of Shawinigan Falls, and Mrs. Kerr, of Port Alfred; also 17 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

The pall-bearers were James Johnson, Ernest Nixon, Wm. Gauley, Wm. MacGillvray, Stuart McNeill and Robert Trineer.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

Births, Marriages, Deaths, In Memoriam, etc., 50 cents each insertion; 5c a line extra for verse with In Memoriam.

BIRTHS

TOOKE — At Montreal, on April 11th, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. John P. Tooke, (née Hazel O'Brien), a daughter.

SILVERSON — at Lachute, on April 10th, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Silverson, a daughter, Ruth Norma.

DEATHS

DOBIE — On April 16th, 1941, at St. Augustine, Que., John Dobie, son of the late James Dobie, in his 80th year. Funeral service at the family residence, Friday, April 18th, at 2 p.m. (D.S.T.); interment at the Ste. Therese Cemetery.

HADLEY — At Lachute, Que., on April 14, 1941, Mary Jane Griffith, beloved wife of Henry Hadley, in her 83rd year.

THE LATE CHARLES DORION

The funeral of the late Charles Dorion, son of Archie Dorion of Brown's Gore, was held in the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church, Lachute, on Wednesday, April 9, service being conducted by the Rev. E. Orsborn.

Mr. Dorion passed away at Shawville, Que., on April 8th, at the age of 75 years. He leaves to mourn his death two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Robertson and Mrs. Félix Charlebois.

Interment was made in St. Andrews Cemetery, the pall-bearers being his six nephews, E., A. and R. Robertson, H. and A. Charlebois and E. Ladouceur.

IN MEMORIAM

DRENNAN — In loving memory of our dear mother, Margaret Drennan, who passed away April 23, 1940.—Sadly missed by her two daughters, Helen, Margaret, son John, and two stepsons Willie and Frank.

Her memory we shall always keep.
While she lies in peaceful sleep.

PROPHET — In loving memory of our dear Olive, who passed away April 16th, 1939.— Dad and grandparents.

Some may think you are forgotten;
Though on earth you are no more,
But fond hearts long to linger
Round the grave where Olive sleeps.

PROPHET — In loving memory of dear Olive, who passed away April 16th, 1939. — Ever remembered by Jean and Mary.

At evening time and all day through,
We think of you as we used to do,
Your voice, your eyes, your cheery smile,
Just as they were, are with us all the while;
We deeply miss your presence here
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Some time, some day, our eyes shall see
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PEACHES	Dessert 2 15 oz. Tins		23¢
PEAS	IONA 4 Sieve 2 20 oz. Tins		17¢
TOMATOES	IONA	28 oz. Tin	12¢
ENGLISH FRUIT CAKE Ea. 25¢			
BROOMS	Red Handle	Ea.	29¢
PLUM JAM	Colour & Pectin	32 oz. Jar	21¢
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AMONG THE CHURCHES

THANK-OFFERING SERVICES AT ST. ANDREWS EAST

St. Andrews E. — The Easter Thank-Offering service of the W. M. S. was held on Tuesday evening, April 8, in the church. Miss Mary L. Lamb was the speaker. By relating a series of cases of personal contact in which the acceptance of the Gospel message had transformed lives, Miss Lamb proved how very worthwhile the missionary enterprise has been. Miss T. Wales played Chinese tunes used in singing their hymns.

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St. Andrews East — The Easter Thank-Offering meeting of the Presbyterian W. M. S. was held in the church on Good Friday night. Mrs. Joseph Bradley conducted the devotional period. Mrs. Owen Reid Campbell, of Montreal, was guest speaker, her topic being "God's Unspeakable Gift". The choir, and music by the organist, Mr. Harrison, added much to the pleasure of this impressive meeting.

LACHUTE UNITED Y. P. U.

The weekly meeting of the Lachute United Young People's Union, held last evening, was in the form of a social gathering, the members of the Brownsburg Y.P.U. being present. In the absence of the president, Miss Anna Rosborough took charge of the meeting.

After the devotional period a short program was given.

The Misses Lorna Giles and Mae Gordon favored with two vocal numbers, and Miss Gordon also sang two solos. A short community singsong followed after which games were played and refreshments served. The meeting closed with more community singing.

Mr. Clifford Louttit extended his thanks on behalf of the visiting group.

BROWNSBURG UNITED

In place of the regular meeting of the Y. P. U. on Tuesday, the young folks were the guests of Lachute group the following evening, Wednesday. A good number met at the church at 8 p.m., where transportation arrangements were made. Their next monthly service will be Sunday evening, April 27.

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Next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock the Women's Missionary Society will have charge of the service. Miss Mary Lamb, a missionary from China, will be the special speaker. The C.G.I.T. will occupy the choir space and lead the vocal items, while the Mission Band will also take part in the service.

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The Easter services last Sunday were well attended and special music was featured. The enlarged senior choir, at the morning service, gave a good account of themselves, especially in their anthem, while the juniors, at the evening service, were heard very acceptably in two special items.

Communion was held at the morning service.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SUNDAY SERVICES

"Doctrine of Atonement" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist throughout the world on Sunday April 20th.

The Golden Text is from II Corinthians 5:18. "All things are of God, who hath reconciled us to himself by Jesus Christ, and hath given to us the ministry of reconciliation."

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God." (Matthew 5:8).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook "Science and health with Key to Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Though demonstrating his control over sin and disease, the great Teacher by no means relieved others from giving the requisite proofs of their own piety. He worked for their guidance, that they might demonstrate this power as he did and understand its divine Principle. Implicit faith in the Teacher and all the emotional love we can bestow on him, will never alone make us imitators of him. We must go and do likewise, else we are not improving the great blessings which our Master worked and suffered to bestow upon us." (Page 25).

Sunday Services

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a. m., Sabbath School.
11 a. m., Morning Worship. "Fidelity."
7 p. m., Evening Service. "Songs In The Night."
2.30 p. m. East Settlement
A cordial welcome to all!

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor, H. Charlton
11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Services
Tuesday, Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEML. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Orsborn
10 a. m.—Sabbath School
11 a. m., Morning Worship. Thomas Sees it Through.
3 p. m.—Brownsburg
7 p. m.—Evening Worship. An Evening Walk with Jesus.

REGULAR BAPTIST
Rev. C. Hardie
Brownsburg 11 a. m. and 7.30 p.m.
2.30 p.m., Dalesville.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. J. R. Simpson, B.A., B.Th.
10 a. m., Sunday School.
7.30 p.m., "The Cross that Sways the World."

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
10 a. m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Regular services. W. M. S. in charge in the evening. Miss M. Lamb, Missionary from China, speaker.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
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'Canadian Viewpoint'

(Continued from page 1)

JEWELS DONATE PLANE

What's in a name?

Well, if your name is the same as any precious stone you can do your part in the war against tyranny by helping the Jewel Spitfire Fund.

This fund is being organized for all women who have been christened with a Christian name such as Pearl, Ruby, Opal, Diamond or some such name.

Leader of the appeal is Mrs. William (Pearl) Dixon, Essex St., Sussex, New Brunswick. She believes that everyone with a jewel name could contribute some small amount and so build up a fund for the purchase of a Spitfire for Britain.

I don't know why they always want to buy a Spitfire. We are making Hurricanes here in Canada for the British Government and if these Canadian funds were to specify that the money would go for a Hurricane, then we could have the pleasure of making with our own hands and machinery the equipment that would send many a German and Italian plane spinning from the skies.

SHORTER SKIRTS FORECAST

From London comes word of a fashion change.

The lack of material for making dresses will result in the shortening of skirts in the British Isles. Just how this change will be taken by the British women is not known yet but there is no indication that there will be much objection. After all, war is war and if a few inches of skirt will help to win it, then, by all means the skirts will be shortened.

New York stylists have not planned to follow the new trend because some of them claim that the American girl is wearing her skirts short enough now. They are still two inches longer than the British dresses.

"You're in the Army now,
You're not behind the plow."

That's the way the army song goes and they really aren't fooling when they sing it.

Even as you read this, your humble correspondent will be well initiated into the ways of Army life. It will be quite an adventure and, while I don't expect to have to peel too many potatoes I can't tell you yet how I am going to like it.

To one accustomed to sleeping till 8 o'clock every morning and even later on Sunday, it will be quite a change to roll out with the sun.

To a night-hawk that hits the hay at all hours, it will be strange to bed down at 9.30.

For a fellow that likes his quiet home-life and avoids crowds whenever possible, I can see a new kind of life ahead.

To one accustomed to doing pretty well as he pleased, the rules and regulations of army life will be a little hard at first. To one who has been used to giving orders, it will seem funny to have to listen (and like it).

If at any time this column seems to take on a grudge tone, you will know what is causing it. Red tape and rules are the very essence of the army. I think I can take it.

If you'd like to write a note or a letter I would be pleased to hear from you. The editor has volunteered to forward your mail to me, so why not sit down and write me sometime? I like to visit you on Thursdays and would like to know more about you too. If the stamps hold out, I'll answer your letter but remember, too, that they aren't fooling when they finish that old army song!

"You'll never get rich,
While digging a ditch",
You're in the Army NOW!

W. I. Study Group Hears Discourse on Astronomy

MR. HENRY F. HALL IS SPEAKER

Dean of Sir George Williams College, Montreal

Mr. Henry F. Hall, Dean of Sir George Williams College, Montreal, and brother of Principal Hall of Lachute High School, was guest speaker before the Study Group of Lachute Women's Institute on Tuesday afternoon. His address on "The Stars and Planets" proved highly interesting to the large number of ladies present.

The speaker described the stars as the "poetry of the universe", saying that, in these times, people need diversion, particularly intellectual diversion. The solar system, he said, is but a tiny part of the universe but is very important to us because we happen to live on the third planet from the sun. The speaker discussed the sun, moon, and various planets in turn illustrating his discussion by references to the history of astronomy. Slides were shown depicting photographs of the various heavenly bodies taken at various observatories.

The speaker then turned his attention to the stars saying that, although the distances in the solar system seem great to us they are small when compared to the greater distances in outer space. This he illustrated by saying that, if the distance to the sun were reduced to one inch, the nearest star would be four miles away on this scale.

Finally the galaxies were discussed, the lecturer showing that stars are really assembled in great star groups—the galaxies—of which there are thousands. Our own galaxy, he said, is estimated to contain more than twenty billion stars of which our sun is just an average one.

Dean Hall was introduced by Mrs. Geo. McGibbon, and a vote of thanks was extended by Mrs. F. S. McGibbon . . . Mrs. J. S. Giles read a letter received from a member of the W. I. overseas, and the meeting closed with the singing of the national anthem. The meeting was held in Lachute High School.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Bill Taylor spent the holiday week-end at his home in Huntingdon.

Mr. Ross Todd, of Kiosk, spent last week-end visiting friends in town.

Mr. Levis Massicotte spent the week-end visiting relatives in Grand'Mere.

Miss Nellie Thompson, of Montreal, spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Roy Elliott.

Mr. Lloyd Graham, of Shawinigan Falls, visited at his home here over the week-end.

Miss Agnes Wilson, of Montreal, is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. King.

Messrs. Cyril and Don Taylor, of the R.C.A.F., Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Heatlie.

Mr. Harold McOuat, of Ile Bizard, spent the week-end as the guest of his aunt, Miss Ethel Walker.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Kelly and daughter, of Ogdensburg, N.Y., visited friends in Lachute this week.

Mr. George Munson, of Montreal West, has spent the past month at the home of Mrs. Wm. Morrison.

Mr. Bill McGibbon, of Kiosk, is spending this week at the home of Miss M. Buchan.

Master Bobby Giles is spending this week visiting his aunt, Mrs. Alex Robertson, in Tetreaultville.

Mrs. Jack Findlay and sons, of Montreal, are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Creswell.

Miss Dorothy McOuat, of Mille Isles, and Miss Eleanor McOuat, of Kilmar, were home for the Easter holidays.

Dispatch-Rider Fred Forton and Mrs. Forton spent the Easter week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Aitkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Amey and son, Barlow, of Montreal West, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Carson.

Miss Alice Leishman, of Buckingham, was a week-end visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Leishman.

Mr. Leonard Morrison, of Beauchêne, spent the Easter holidays with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. MacGibbon.

Miss Mary Aboud, of Grand'Mere, Miss Nonie Brady and Mr. Eric Smith, of Montreal, were Good Friday guests of Miss Evelyn Heatlie.

Lt. G. F. W. Kuhring, of No. 4 Active Co'y, V.G.C., Farnham Que., and Mrs. Kuhring, of Montreal, spent the week-end in this vicinity.

Mr. Sydney and Miss Bernice Roberts, Mrs. S. Roberts and Mr. Wyatt Denman, of Montreal, spent the Easter week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts.

Mrs. J. St. Eloi, of Mattawa, spent the week-end and early part of the week visiting her daughter, Miss Vivian St. Eloi, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Quesnel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McArthur and Miss Lorna McArthur, of Ottawa, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McArthur. Miss Willow Lavery, of Montreal, is spending the holidays here.

Miss Grace McMahon, of Thurso, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McMahon. Miss Agnes McMahon, of LaTuque, is spending the Easter holidays at her home here.

Red Cross Reports

AVOCA UNIT

The Avoca Red Cross Unit of Seigniory Club branch reports the following articles of knitting have been completed by members during the month of March:

10 prs. wrislets, 29 prs. mitts, 3 prs. rifle mitts, 6 prs. two-way mitts, 1 pr. gloves, 29 caps, 5 sweaters, 1 pr. one-half mitts, 2 helmets.

LACHUTE BRANCH

Lachute branch of the Red Cross Society shipped 1176 articles to headquarters in Montreal during the month of March. The shipment was made up of the following:

451 Knitted articles; 60 sewed articles for boys and women's kits; 404 hospital supplies; 6 refugee garments; 47 donations — of 11 quilts, 10 blankets, dresses, socks, etc., 48 conservation articles — consisting of bath robes, shirts and pyjamas; 137 dresses, coats and caps, socks, etc., as extra work, not included in kits; 23 women's auxiliary knee stockings, ankle socks, gloves and helmets.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

CALUMET

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harries, of Farnham, are guests of the latter's father, Mr. George Higginson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Milton and little sons, Peter and Dannie, spent the Easter week-end with Mrs. Milton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. McGibbon.

Miss E. White, of Ottawa, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Whinfield for the week-end.

Miss Ellen Foreman, Mr. Ronald Brigden and Mr. Grant Robinson, all of Montreal, are spending the Easter holidays at their respective homes here.

Mr. George Martin, R.C.A.F., was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brigden, of Montreal, spent Easter Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brigden.

Mrs. L. Jorgensen and Miss Doris Arnold spent a few days in Quebec.

Miss Anne Foreman has returned to Macdonald College after spending her Easter vacation with her mother, Mrs. T. G. Foreman.

Miss Dolores Johns, of Montreal, is spending the Easter vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Mahon.

Mr. A. Comba, of Ottawa, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Foreman.

Mr. John Wilkins, of Loyola College, is spending the Easter holidays with his grandfather, Mr. Fred Lannigan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Robinson and daughters, Dolores and Therese, of Gatineau, spent the Easter week-end in Calumet, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Robinson. Mr. Albert Gardiner was also a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robinson on Easter Day.

Miss Claire Williamson, of Ottawa, spent Easter week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williamson. Misses Lucille and Jennie Williamson and Master George Williamson are also home from their schools in Ottawa to spend the vacation with their parents.

WEIR

Col. and Mrs. E. A. Williams, accompanied by Mrs. J. McConnel, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their cottage here.

Mrs. Thos. Purcell, of Lake View, accompanied by Mrs. John Purcell and son Edward, of Lost River, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Purcell on Monday.

Pte. Leonard Hyde, of the Victoria Rifles, C.A.S.F., was home from Newfoundland to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Geo. Bigrow, this week.

Miss Mildred Cowan, of Montreal, is spending the holidays at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Larose.

Miss Jessie Bennett, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shearer, of Montreal, have arrived at their cottage to spend the summer here.

Signalman George Owen, R.C.C.S., of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cleland and family, of Dalesville, were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Geo. Bigrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brazier, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their cottage here.

Miss Christena Thompson, who is attending High School in Montreal, is spending her holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bowie, Jr., returned to their home in Montreal on Sunday after spending the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig.

Mrs. Victor Courte, accompanied by Mrs. E. Labelle, of Rouge Valley, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Courte, Jr.

Mr. Wm. Bell, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. John Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Schnauffer, of Montreal, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sobey.

Mrs. Doug Tressider returned to her home in Montreal on Sunday after spending the past month visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Schippel.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Cox, of Montreal, were recent guests at the home of Mrs. E. R. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. George Philips, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. Philips, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry King and family, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their cottage here.

Mrs. J. Brodie, of Brockville, Ont., spent the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Harpin.

GRENVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Weymouth P. Gaudry and youngest daughter, Roberta, of Greenfield Park, visited his mother, Mrs. A. V. Gaudry, and his brother and family, here during Easter week-end.

Bible Class and Sunday School in Grenville Baptist Church are being held Sunday morning at 10.30 D.S.T.; service at 11 o'clock — the Rev. J. R. Simpson will take charge.

Misses Evelyn and Helen McCullough are spending the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. McCullough, Grenville Bay.

Mrs. Milton Anderson, of Ottawa, is at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. Page, helping to care for their mother, Mrs. James Stewart, who is seriously ill.

Funeral of the Late Daniel McIntyre, Sr.

The funeral of the late Daniel McIntyre, Sr., took place from his residence to the Presbyterian Church last week. Mr. McIntyre had reached the ripe age of 90 years, and was highly respected throughout the community. The funeral was largely attended. His six sons were pall-bearers . . Sincere sympathy is extended to his widow and family.

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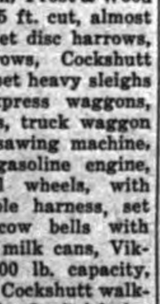
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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

HINTS FOR HOMEBODIES

By JESSIE ALLEN BROWN

Specially written for Readers of The Watchman

A TOUCH OF HUMOR

Harvey Klemmer, an attache of the American Embassy in London has written a book, "They'll Never Quit". He tells of what England is undergoing and lards it plentifully with stories of their everyday life. The Defence squadrons, which deal with delayed action bombs, do a perilous work. One of them was lowered into a crater to remove a bomb. They heard him yelling to bring him up quick. The other members thought he had lost his nerve or that the bomb was going off so they hastily brought him up, he exclaimed "there's a rat down there." A London teacher had a class of Cockneys and she asked them who wrote the poem beginning with "Oh, to be in England." One child answered "Hitler", and there was a joyous yell from the whole room.

PARENTS ARE PEOPLE

Sometimes one hears a parent say they have sacrificed everything for their children. Usually they say it proudly, or sometimes, complainingly. Actually it is nothing to be proud of. Children do not appreciate a parent who has sacrificed everything for them. They want to be proud of their parents. If a mother has done without clothes and put everything on her daughter's back, there will probably come a time when the daughter is ashamed of her mother's appearance. If parents have done without anything to make them grow mentally, they cannot have made the most of themselves. Mature minds need education too, whether it be by books, papers, magazines or classes. If all the money for entertainment has gone to the children then the parents are apt to be dull. Parents are people too. Mothers are the ones who are apt to deny themselves too much in their oversolicitous care of their children, or perhaps in their over-ambition. We all want to do our very best for our children, but it is not best to give the children everything. We want them to make the most of themselves but we should also make the most of ourselves. We love to be proud of our children but it is a great satisfaction to be proud of our parents too. Let us do everything to let our children have that satisfaction. Our children will be better men and women if they have learned to share and not to be just selfish takers.

POTATO HINTS

Come Spring we begin to get tired of potatoes. We have them so often done in the same old ways, boiled, mashed, scalloped, or maybe fried. Here are a few different methods, none of them new, but maybe they may suggest something by way of a change.

Bake enough potatoes for two meals, the second day slice them in quarter-inch slices, skin and all, and browns in hot fat.

Cut cold potatoes, (baked are specially good), in cubes, and mix with cream sauce flavored with a little onion. Bake for 20 minutes, to let the sauce cook in well. Make the sauce fairly thin as it thickens with further cooking. Add cheese to the cream sauce by way of variety.

Fry sliced raw potatoes in plenty of fat. Do not have too many in the pan and play kitchen checkers with them so they will all get browned.

Make Potato Biscuits

Spread mashed potatoes in a baking dish, hollow out nests and drop an egg in each nest. Bake in a moderate oven until the eggs are set.

Season cold mashed potatoes with a little scraped onion, and a little thyme on sage, mix with a beaten egg and form into rolls. Flatten the ends by hitting gently on the table. Roll in dried crumbs, dot with butter, put on a greased pan, and brown in a moderate oven.

ASPARAGUS SALAD

1 package lemon jelly, 1 cup asparagus tips, ½ teaspoon onion juice, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 2 cups asparagus liquid, 2 hard cooked eggs.

Dissolve the lemon jelly in the hot asparagus liquid, using either canned or fresh boiled. Add the lemon and onion juice and let stand until it starts to thicken. Stir in the eggs, cut in pieces and the asparagus. Pour into molds and chill. Serve on lettuce.

OATMEAL COOKIES

1 egg beaten, 1 tablespoon molasses, ¾ cup melted butter and lard, 2½ cups rolled oats, 1 cup flour, 1 cup sugar, 1 teaspoon soda.

Mix and chill before rolling. If the mixture is slightly soft, use rolled oats instead of flour, on the board. Cut and bake in a moderate oven of 350 degrees. I like this the best of all my oatmeal cookie recipes, perhaps because of the molasses.

QUICK MAYONNAISE

½ cup melted butter, 1 cup vinegar, 2 teaspoons mustard, 2 eggs, 1 can sweetened condensed milk, pinch of salt.

Melt butter in a bowl, add vinegar and salt. Beat the eggs until light and add with the condensed milk. Beat the whole mixture until very light. Keep in a cool place.

Red Cross Provincial Report Shows Work and Contributions from Argenteuil Branches

A report of Red Cross work from all branches in the province, issued last week by the Quebec Division of the Society, shows the following results from units in this county:

(The members indicate articles of the following four classifications, in the order listed — knitted comforts, hospital supplies, relief clothing, donations).

Arundel	730	1,000	230	18
Brownsburg	1,726	3,356	831	26
Kilmar	200	104	285	65
Lachute	2,279	3,310	743	547
Morin	1,321	2,831	1,306	375
St. Andrews	1,666	4,414	513	223

(The figures from Grenville branch are not reported).

Subscriptions of money, reporting up to March 19th last, show a total of $13,716.59 from this county, made up as follows:

Arundel	$ 354.95
Bethany	16.80
Brownsburg	8,087.68
Calumet	145.95
Carillon	21.05
Cushing	143.15
Dalesville	48.50
Dunany, Louisa	170.04
East Settlement	25.10
Grenville	397.90
Harrington	96.80
Hill Foot	9.00
Hill Head	13.00
Kilmar	295.35
Lachute	1,491.72
Lachute Mills	1,304.32
16 Island Lake	17.60
Lakefield	75.25
Morin Heights	257.97
North River	14.00
Pine Hill	8.00
St. Adolphe	95.55
St. Andrews East	437.97
St. Jerusalem	24.00
St. Michel	7.10
Upper Lachute	38.56
Vide Sac	29.35

BEAUTY

Helen Jameson (Mme. Qui Vive)

DO WOMEN DRESS TO PLEASE MEN ?

Does it ever perish, that desire on the part of a woman for the admiration of the male of the species? It isn't likely. It is a living spark in every feminine heart. But does it influence a woman's taste, have much of a place in her beauty plans? We doubt it. Women dress to please men when the men's ideas of clothes agree with their own.

A beauty operator tells this story which shows, I think, which way the wind blows. A customer, close to eighty, regarded her new-laid coiffure in the mirror. Her hair was silver white, the wave lines were graceful, a few soft rolls rested close to her ears. She beamed with satisfaction that was close to vanity.

"I have a neighbor," the sweet old thing confined to the attendant, "a nice old fellow who drops in now and then for a friendly chat in the evening. I do hope he comes to see me tonight. I'd love to have him see my beautiful hair. It is beautiful, isn't it?"

And so with us all. The little girl preens before the mirror, asks Daddy if she doesn't look nice. If some little boy in the second grade tells her he likes her dress it makes her happy; mother is puzzled because she wants to wear the same frock every day.

The wife is delighted when the husband says, "You were the prettiest and best dressed girl at the party." The mother feels a warm glow in her heart when her young son says that he loves to tuck his finger tips in her soft, silky hair. All these small events oil the wheels of life. But I maintain, even so, that women dress to please themselves rather than to please the men.

The husband who tells a wife how to dress is half-brother to the one who tells his wife how to cook. She listens politely, goes ahead with her projects according to her own notions. If a man has too much to say about dress details she is likely to consider him a bit of a sissy. Yes, we know that many great dressmakers are men.

Consider—if you are old enough to remember — when the world of women bobbed its hair. Men were as an army of opposition. They pleaded, fought, threatened divorce, offered bribes, and a lot of good it did them. The shearing went right on. Men are conservative about their own women. Make eyes at the blasting girl, but want the mama to stay as is.

Consider also, bright red nail polish. Did you ever hear a man say he likes it? Not I, and I've asked a lot of them. They say that it gives them the creeps; they think it is murderous. The dear-hearts go right on using it. At least most of us do.

Girls have changed. They still don't trust a man too far, but in the old days they wouldn't trust him too near. —Pictou Advocate.

Tiny But Tasty

By Frances Lee Barton

It is not necessary to go to a lot of trouble in order to place a pleasing dainty before your friends.

Some of the most delightful tasties imaginable consist of only three or four ingredients. For instance, here is a coconut mound that calls for only a few, all available from the emergency shelf. Furthermore, cost and time are also minimized.

Coconut Apricot Mounds

1½ cups dried apricots; 1 cup moist, sweetened coconut; 1 cup sweetened condensed milk.

Wash apricots and dry thoroughly; put through food chopper. Mix with coconut. Add milk and mix until blended. Drop from teaspoon into confectioners' sugar; roll and shape into balls. Let stand until firm. Makes about 2¼ dozen.

Mannequins in New Shades of Make-Up

Mayfair Chooses New Shades in Rose, Pink and Red

London — Eight famous beauty salons of Mayfair have chosen new shades in make-up for the mannequins who are showing the London Fashion Collection to South America this month. Dawn Rose, a lovely pink shade for the fair-skinned; Honey Bloom, for the mid-brunette complexion; and Cyclamen for the dark Spanish type.

The most popular shades of powder seem to be Rose Rachelle, Peach and Suntan. Suntan powder and Tan lipstick have been particularly chosen for tweeds.

Yardley's have a new color called Hollyred. Cyclax have Brilliant, which is a deep red; Velvet Grape a deep rose; and Pink Clover a Cyclamen shade. Cyclamen is considered the most attractive color for evening wear.

A number of the mannequins have chosen Miss Seymour's Gleam Perfume. Other favorites are Bond Street and Orchis.

In spite of the war, Britain has large reserves of all cosmetics, and her beauty specialists continue to send them to most parts of the world, as in peace time.

Quebec Gov't Asked To Provide Exhibit For W. I. Convention

Owing to war conditions it has been decided to ask the Department of Handicrafts of the Quebec Government to provide an exhibit of Handicrafts from that department for the Provincial W. I. Convention. This cancels the exhibit which the Q. W. I. had intended to arrange for the annual convention, in June, the Government exhibit taking its place.

Queen's Canadian Fund Makes Good Start

The Queen's Canadian Fund for Air Raid Victims, backed by nearly all the daily newspapers and weekly newspapers in Canada, has got off to a good start.

Her Majesty has sent her best wishes for the success of the appeal, which is now formally opened. Subscriptions are being received from all across the Dominion. In a message for the opening of the appeal, the Prime Minister, Mr. W. L. Mackenzie King, sent his warmest commendation.

The Queen's Canadian Fund collects money which is transmitted to the Lord Mayor of London for distribution through his National Air Raid Distress Fund throughout the United Kingdom.

Canada's contribution has amounted to $737,000 by private subscriptions and through local funds established in different parts of the country. Many of these local funds are associated with the Queen's Canadian Fund without loss of identity.

The small administrative and publicity expenses of the Queen's Canadian Fund are covered by private subscription, so that all contributions will be forwarded to Britain without deduction.

The headquarters of the Fund are in Montreal and its agents are the Royal Trust Company in Montreal and elsewhere. Subscriptions may be sent to the head office of these trust companies or to any of their branches.

FOR WAR WORK—A card party is being held in the Auditorium Tuesday evening, April 22; ladies and gentlemen; tickets 50c including refreshments. — Lachute W. I.



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HEALTH ARTICLE

By Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, Pres., Chicago Board of Health

VICTIM CAN PROLONG LIFE WITH PROPER CARE

When the inside of a piece of pipe is rough, naturally the water will flow through it more slowly. For practical purposes, you can picture the same thing happening in blood vessels in the body. As a result of hardening of the arteries, the inner lining becomes roughened or thickened so that the blood flows more slowly through them. The slow flowing blood may form a clot. This condition, known as coronary thrombosis, may develop in the arteries which supply the heart muscle with blood.

This means that a blood clot forms in the coronary artery, which shuts off the blood supply to the heart muscle. This, in turn, causes death of some of the muscle tissue, which is replaced by scar tissue, which in turn weakens the heart muscle.

An attack of coronary thrombosis produces severe pain. The individual is prostrated. Usually, within twenty-four hours, he has fever and an increase in the number of white blood cells. When such an attacks occurs, it is important that the disturbance be diagnosed promptly.

With the proper treatment, recovery of the patient may be brought about, and then by proper regulation of his habits of living, further damage to the heart may be prevented and life prolonged.

When an attack occurs, it is usually advisable that the patient have a narcotic drug administered by the doctor. This gives the patient rest and also relieves the pain. The individual is kept quiet, is put to bed, kept warm, and not disturbed.

At first, there may be some sickness to the stomach. However, as soon as this clears up, small amounts of fluids may be given by mouth. After the symptoms of the attack have cleared up, according to Dr. A. C. Ernestene, of Cleveland, further drugs are not, as a rule, necessary. However, a preparation known as quinidine sulphate may be given to help prevent irregular beating of the heart and, if the signs of heart failure occur, the drug digitalis may be given, in the proper dose. The drugs are administered by the physician.

The diet should be made up of foods which are easily digested, and should not supply more than 1,000 calories a day. In other words, the quantity of food should be reduced, and such foods as bread, cereals, soft-cooked eggs and milk employed.

For at least two weeks after an attack of coronary thrombolis, the patient should be kept at rest in bed and, if possible, not even allowed to feed himself or change his position. Then, too, rest should be continued for from six to eight weeks. After this time, the patient may be allowed out of bed each day for a gradually increasing length of time. But as a rule it is best that he not return to his work for from three to twelve months, depending upon how severe the attack has been.

Among the most important complications of coronary thrombosis is heart failure, and when this does develop, it makes the disorder much more dangerous and requires more prolonged treatment.

When heart failure does develop, it is important that digitalis be given promptly by the doctor, in the right amounts.

Just why coronary thrombosis develops cannot always be told. It seems to occur most often in middle-aged persons who have hardening of the arteries. It is suggested that perhaps the high speed of modern living may be a factor in the increased frequency of coronary thrombosis. Thus, in order to help prevent the condition, individuals should learn to slow down and to avoid overexertion and over-strain at all times.

Airline Stewardesses Answer Cupid's Call

Edmonton — Stewardesses are employed for an average of about a year, according to Miss Patricia Eccleston, supervisory stewardess of the Trans-Canada Air Lines. The company tries to keep them longer, but competition with Cupid is too keen. They don't marry pilots or passengers, but the boy friends they left at home. Miss Eccleston has 17 girls on her division. One of the things that keeps her busy is hiring new stewardesses.

Good Manners

By Mrs. Cornelius Beeckman

TABLE MANNERS TIP

Don't put your napkin on the table until you see that the rest of the guests are about to rise to leave the table.

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AUCTION SALE
on page six.

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Ontario Sporting Note

Recently police in an Ontario city raided a cockfight and seized both human and feathered participants. The spectators paid their fines, but the birds, after remaining in custody for a few days, were sold for $50. On the authority of fanciers it is stated that the price is ridiculously low, but it is a high enough figure to suggest that the purchaser did not intend to serve the fowl on his Sunday dinner table.

Apparently the net result of the raid was the spoiling of an evening's amusement for several persons and the collection of a few hundred dollars in fines and proceeds of sale. The reprehensible sport of cockfighting will continue to flourish in Ontario as it has for many years.

In one town, at least, the sport is unchecked as long as a decent pretense of secrecy is observed. A generation ago, a new chief of police decided that moral reform was overdue, and he raided two or three cockfights, much to the chagrin of some members of the town's best families, who were enthusiastic breeders of gamecocks. They made no open complaint, but one evening the chief learned that a really gala affair was being planned in the near future. The place was Blank's livery stable, which he had raided successfully once before. The time was midnight on Sunday evening.

Hidden in a doorway on the Sunday appointed, the chief had the satisfaction of seeing old acquaintances sidle furtively into the stable. He looked at his watch, and allowed fifteen minutes to elapse for the fun to get under way. Then he blew his whistle, and he and his force, Constable Hennesey, burst into the stable.

At opposite sides of the ring, two men were holding birds in readiness. The case was complete.

"Everybody stay where youse are", commanded the chief. "Hennesey, seize the birds."

Hennesey moved forward to obey.— The handlers released the combatants. With a sickly grin, Hennesey moved back. The birds were stuffed.

For months afterwards the chief never stepped out on the street without hearing a "Cockle-doodle-do" from one or more urchins as they vanished around the corner. Moral reform in that town received a setback from which it has never recovered.

—The Printed Word

A clergyman gave out the hymn, "I love to Steal Awhile Away." The deaco who led the singing began: "I Love to Steal —" but found he had pitched the note too high.

Again he began, "I Love to Steal—" but this time it was too low. Once more he tried, "I Love to Steal—" but again got the pitch too low.

After the third failure the minister said, "Observing our brother's propensities, let us pray."

Judge: The sentence is twenty years' penal servitude.

Prisoner: But, my Lord, I won't live that long!

Judge: Never mind, just do the best you can.

Some people are never satisfied. For instance, the prisoner who complained of the literature that the prison angel gave him to read.

"Nuttin but continued stories," he grumbled. "An' I'm to be hanged on Tuesday."

Public Notice

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No. 4803

GAETAN VALOIS, notary, of the town of Lachute, Petitioner.

Public notice is hereby given that a meeting of the relatives and creditors of the late J. Félicien Lavigne, in his lifetime, notary, /at Lachute, is to take place in the Court House at St. Jerome on Thursday, the 24th of April, 1941, at 10 o'clock a.m. advanced time, to the ends of procuring the nomination of a curator to the estate of the said deceased, which has been declared vacant by an order of this date.

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New Recreation Hall Opens Shortly For B'burg Employees

Brownsburg, April 12 —

To all battle scarred veterans of the pillar dodging, elbow jostling, toe treading, bargain basement scramble that featured dancing in the old recreation hall comes news to cheer the cockles in the heart of a marble bust.

Our new hall will soon be in use. Concentrated in its spacious confines will be all the necessities and a great many of the luxuries that go far towards making life in our moments of ease a thing of complete satisfaction. As one enters the wide main entrance the eye is at once caught and held by the gleaming beauty and unobstructed expanse of hard-wood flooring. The observing sports enthusiast will not fail to note the red, white and blue lines of demarcation that indicate badminton courts and basketball floors and shuffle board courts.

We move on past well appointed powder rooms and retiring rooms, deep seated, restful chairs grouped in a manner to suggest the untasted delights of intimate conversation beneath softly shaded lights. The lilting laugh, the cheering bon mot, — all these parade in delightful sequence as the mind looks to the future and the manner in which these things shall be enjoyed by the working population of this community.

Across the south end of the hall its lowered curtains bathed in the roseate golden glow of footlights stands the equipped stage, which is complete with up-to-date projection equipment, both sight and sound.

SCOUT-LEADER REPORTS

A report by Patrol Leader P. Willis of the 33rd Coventry West Boy Scout Troop: "I regret to advise you that Second Douglas Hill and Scout Bernard Harbourne, were killed while acting as fire watchers at St. Nicholas church, Redford. They were two fine lads, who had been in the Movement for seven and two years respectively. The church received a direct hit, and everything, including the Scout and Guide flags, was lost."

He Finally Landed

The road to Hollywood had many twists and turns for Warner Baxter before the star of Columbia's "Adam Had Four Sons" finally landed in pictures. He sold typewriters, farm implements and life insurance, and ran a garage.



PRINCESS MEETS PRINCESS

Mrs. Abraham Johnny, princess of the Corichan tribe of Indians on Vancouver Island, said shyly: "It's kind of old fashioned." She was presenting a beaded buckskin bag to Her Royal Highness, Princess Alice. The ceremony took place on the government house grounds at Victoria, in the shadow of a frowning Indian totem pole. From the wife of Canada's governor-general, the Indian princess received a fish-shaped brooch in return for her gift.

The girl who goes around in a fog is never mist.

"Cheers for Miss Bishop" Recalls Memorable Hit "Goodbye Mr. Chips"

"Cheers for Miss Bishop" (United Artists), is the life story of a teacher who sacrificed love for duty . . . The picture is booked for the Capitol screen tomorrow and Saturday only.

As poignantly tender in spots as "Goodbye Mr. Chips" is this beautifully told tale of an eager young schoolteacher in a growing Midwestern college, who gives so much of herself to the young men and women eager for knowledge and understanding. When love comes to Miss Bishop, her allegiance to duty is strengthened; her heart is broken but not her spirit. Down through the years she travels, renouncing selfish happiness for duty, coming finally to the reward of those who triumph over personal selfishness.

Martha Scott is wonderful, both as the young and the elder Miss Bishop. Here is indeed a fine actress and a splendid addition to the screen. William Gargan as her lifelong friend and suitor, Edmund Gwenn as the kindly and wise college president, Mary Anderson as the cousin who betrays the teacher, Rosemary DeCamp as the Swedish student, are all perfect in their roles.

The picture will leave you with tender and speculative memories.

Jane Withers Spurns $50,000 for Dolls

Jane Withers this week refused $50,000 for her famous collection of dolls. The offer which came from a Baltimore collector, arrived just as the young actress received her 1800th doll. It came from 80-year-old Mrs. Dan Jones, Meridan, Miss. The toy itself is 48 years old.

More than 200 dolls have been added to the Withers collection in the last year. Twenty-five, including one that is 150 years old, are being used in "Her First Beau", the Columbia picture in which Jane is being starred with Jackie Cooper.

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COMMUNITY CARD PARTY

In aid of war work by Lachute W. I., bridge, euchre, 500, for ladies and gentlemen, 8 p.m. Tues., April 22, Lachute Auditorium; tickets 50c, refreshments included.

Buy tickets in advance, from any Lachute W. I. member.

DANCE

A dance will be held in the L.O.B.A. Hall, 10 Hope St., Lachute, under auspices of Laurentian Lodge, on Saturday, April 19th. Admission 25c. Keep the date open. A-3-17-2c.

SPITFIRE SHOW

The Young People's Society of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church are holding a Spitfire benefit show at the Rex Theatre on Wednesday, April 30th. Shows at 7.15 and 9.30. Admission 35c. Come and support a worthy cause. A 24-2 c.

ANNUAL SPRING RUMMAGE SALE

The ladies of Lachute United Church are holding their annual spring rummage sale on April 25 and 26 at Mr. Geo. Y. Deacon's Store, 92 Main St. This sale was formerly held at the store of the late Mrs. W. J. Todd.

SALE, BROWNSBURG

The Ladies' Aid of the Brownsburg Presbyterian Church are holding their summer sale on Thursday, June 12th. Fancy work and home-cooking. Keep the date open. —1c.

The average person spends thirty minutes reading the newspaper and three minutes forgetting what was read. —Goderich Signal-Star.

REX THE HOUSE OF HITS

FRI., SAT., APRIL 18, 19
DOROTHY LAMOUR,
Preston Foster, Robert Preston in
MOON OVER BURMA

EDWARD G. ROBINSON,
Edna Best, Eddie Albert in
A Dispatch from Reuter's
And NEWS of the DAY

SUN., MON., APRIL 20, 21
Sun., continuous show from 2.30
MARLENE DIETRICH with
John Wayne, Broderick Crawford
SEVEN SINNERS

Roger Pryor, Lucile Fairbanks, Eddie Foy Jr. in
A Fugitive for Justice
A Full-length comedy:
Calling All Tires

TUES., WED., THURS., APRIL 22, 23, 24
GARY COOPER, Walter Brennan with Doris Davenport in
THE WESTERNER

Grant Mitchell, Nana Bryant,
Father is a Prince
Cartoon: **Prehistoric Porky**

CAPITOL

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Also special midnight program. Special Preview Thursday Night

FRI., SAT., APRIL 18,19
Martha Scott, William Gargan, Edmund Gwenn in
CHEERS for MISS BISHOP
Wayne Morris, Virginia Dale,
The Quarterback
with EDGAR KENNEDY.
A Quentin Reynolds narration
Christmas Under Fire

SUN., MON., TUES., APRIL 20, 21, 22
Ida Lupino, Humphrey Bogart, Henry Hull in
HIGH SIERRA
with Henry Travers, Alan Curtis.
Robert Paige, Grace McDonald, Peter Hayes in
Dancing On A Dime

WED., THURS., APRIL 23, 24
Lucille Ball, Desi Arnaz, Ann Miller, Richard Carlson in
TOO MANY GIRLS
DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS Jr., Rita Hayworth, Thomas Mitchell in—
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and morning train Sun., April 20.
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CANADIAN PACIFIC

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Lachute Council Proclaims Clean-Up Week, May 1 - 7

NEW TRAINEES ARE NOTIFIED; INNOVATION IN DIVISION OF FOUR-MONTH 'CURRICULUM'

More Vitamin-B Content in New Type of Bread For Canadian Consumers; Farmers Should Benefit By Government Pegging of Butter Prices

"CANADIAN VIEWPOINT"
By Allan McGee

Specially Written for Readers of The Watchman

Take a tip from the old master and put in your winter coal early this year. There is no need to worry, but if you place an early order you will get your fuel supply in early and take a load off the boat companies.

The increasing shortage of Welsh fuel, the rate of exchange on American coal and the Maritime shortage, all will contribute to higher prices in the fall.

Order early and be safe !

NEW BREAD FOR CANADIANS

A new type of bread will soon be available to Canadian housewives.

The bread, milled by different methods, is said to contain more vitamin B than formerly and yet it is the same color, same taste, same general appearance.

Ottawa is testing the bread in several towns to see how the people like it. If they approve, then we will have the new bread as a regular feature.

BUTTER TO BE PEGGED

Official word from Ottawa will come soon on the butter situation. The people want lower prices. The stores want a stabilized price and the farmers want to get some of those so-called war profits. The farmers are due for some extra cash. They work hard enough to earn their money and it is about time they got some reward.

NEW TRAINING NOTICES SENT OUT

The next batch of trainees will report for four months about the end of May. The new soldiers will report for two months basic training and then they will be given a chance to specialize in some portion of army service.

If at any time the trainee wishes to join the active service he may do so.

One good advantage of the new scheme is that the boys are all the same age in the trainee camps. They have the same likes and dislikes and everyone has a uniform that doesn't fit; after all, it is the army.

CENSORS WORK AT NIGHT

Twenty-four hours a day in all parts of the world, the censors are working against enemies of the state. They must watch letters, telegrams, cables, newspapers and all types of communication. They must see that nothing passes out of the country that would be of value to the opposition.

They must be sharp to catch some of the tricks used by enemy spies. They must know some foreign language.

They get tipped off sometimes when news is going through, but very often they must use their wits to catch a message.

It is a job that many people envy —everyone, that is, except the censors themselves.

CARIBOU STOP TRAINS

In northern Manitoba the railways are having trouble with jaywalkers. Already several trains have had to stop and allow them to pass. They weigh almost 300 pounds and they would make quite a racket if they were hit, so discretion is the better part of valor. The jay-walkers are caribou from the government reservations and they have right of way over any train. Last fall they moved south to better feeding grounds and now they are moving north again.

When the trek is over the trains will run on time again.

THE PARTING THOUGHT

One swallow may not always make a summer, but one grasshopper can always make a spring.

$15,000 Is Final Figure in War Services Drive

EXCEEDS PREVIOUS WAR-ORGANIZATION DRIVES IN THIS COUNTY

RESULT HIGHLY CREDITABLE TO CANVASSERS

Latest total for the Argenteuil collection in the War Services Campaign, as released by the district joint-chairman, Geo. H. Héon, is $14,739.60 at this date. To this gratifying figure, representing cash collections and pledges, further donations promised before closing of the books will bring the final amount to over $15,000.

The largest subscription list hitherto recorded in the recent war collections, was a total of over $13,000 returned in Argenteuil for the Red Cross — which was the first organized drive for the aid of auxiliary war services. This figure is exceeded in the campaign just concluded, by at least $1,200.

The outcome of the War Services drive is a distinct credit to the organizers and their canvassers in the County of Argenteuil.

Fighting Services Co-operate to Help Recruits Find Their Particular Niche in Armed Forces

Ottawa — For the man desirous of joining any of Canada's fighting services today, there is satisfaction in the knowledge that instead of competition for recruits among the services, there is a working arrangement whereby he will receive direction as to where he can serve most effectively, and at the same time the services will get around the difficulty of trying to fit square pegs in round holes.

A recruit presenting himself to the Air Force may possibly lack some of the required qualifications but may be thoroughly suitable for some branch of Army and Navy. He will be so advised and directed, and the Navy and Army representative will be told. These two services in turn will give similar assistance to each other, to the Air Force and to recruits.

A joint committee of the three services meets from time to time in Ottawa to elaborate, amend or extend instructions covering this co-ordination of effort on the part of recruiting officers. Through their direction, liaison is established in all centres where the three services have recruiting officers. One of the duties of the officers in charge is to see that all recruits are advised of their opportunities for service. The double value of this routine is that recruits not only go to the service for which they are fitted, but some may be saved disappointment of total rejection by direction to another arm.

In the basic training centres also provision is included in the syllabus of training for lectures by officers of all three services describing the work and functions of the forces, thus assisting recruits to determine the best means of directing their knowledge and capabilities to the country's service.

Lists of these Reserve recruits of the Army previously called up for training, who have expressed willingness to serve in active capacity, are furnished the Navy and the Air Force in conformity with the close liaison now established. Under the new training plan now in force provision is made whereby Reserve recruits at the end of two months' basic training may, if they so desire, join active forces of one of the three services, and be immediately diverted to that service.

This Strange World

Waiting for a train at Wynberg, South Africa, Mr. Samuel James fell asleep. He awoke to find that his hat, cigarette case, and other articles had disappeared, and the shoes he was wearing had been stolen.

Busy with her class of thirty-four pupils, teacher Dollie Board of Joplin, Miss., had a sudden presentiment of disaster. "Run, children," she cried. "Let's see who can get out of the room first." A few minutes later, as the last child scurried out, the classroom ceiling crashed down, splintering the desks.

Representives at Conference of Mayors, Ottawa

INTERNATIONAL FLAVOR TO MEETING OF FEDERATION OF MUNICIPALITIES

TWELVE MAYORS FROM THE UNITED STATES

The fourth annual conference of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities was brought to a successful close today. Its sessions were attended by J. S. Giles, representing the Municipal Review of Canada, and Ald. F. S. McGibbon, representative of Mayor H. Lamarche.

To this convention mayors and civic officials from all parts of the Dominion, as well as a dozen mayors from United States cities as far apart as Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, and Birmingham, Alabama, gathered at the Canadian capital.

The greater interest attached to this year's convention was a reflection of the increasing importance which the deliberations occupy in the public mind. It is evidenced that the governments of the cities and towns are closest to the people and this conference affords an opportunity for getting together in a real spirit of good will, where vexatious questions can be threshed out and discussed meritoriously. In the subjects selected for discussion was seen the increasing part played by the municipalities in the war effort. Wartime housing, air-raid precautions, and the contribution which localities can make towards the national undertaking were topics to which the chief sessions were given over, and experienced government officials were present to share their views and knowledge with the mayors.

An international tone was given the meeting by presence of the 12 United States mayors and the reciprocal sharing of ideas, inaugurated a year ago when Mayor LaGuardia led a group of American mayors to Ottawa, and Mayor S. Lewis of Ottawa led a group of Canadian mayors to New York last September.

Train Demolishes Automobile on Laurentian Road

Mont Rolland, April 22. — Rita Maurice, 18, of Mont Rolland, was seriously hurt and her father and two other men narrowly escaped injury when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a train at the C. P. R. level-crossing here this morning.

The accident occurred at 7 a.m. The auto, moving into the path of a Montreal-bound train, was dragged many feet and overturned several times. Miss Maurice, her face and head badly cut and bruised, was given first-aid treatment by Dr. Leon Dugal of this place, and then taken to Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal, for further attention.

Aside of a few minor bruises in the general shake-up, the three men were uninjured.

The car was a total wreck.

Savings Stamps As W.I. Bridge Prizes

A successful bridge was held Tuesday evening by the ladies of Lachute Women's Institute, in aid of their funds allotted to war services. Over 200 persons attended, and while the event was voted an entire success from its social angle, it was equally successful in financial returns. A war savings stamp was the prize awarded to the winner at each table. The affair was held in the newly decorated Auditorium. Refreshments were served in the basement.

C-I-L News Bulletin Is Named 'The Tracer'

The Brownsburg news bulletin for C-I-L and D-I-L employees appeared this week in its third issue under the caption, "The Tracer". The name was selected by means of a contest, in which readers submitted their suggestions to the editor. The award of five dollars went to Jean Robert of the "Dominion" Ammunition, Machine Shop.

In announcing the winning entry, the editor writes as follows: "The specifications of a tracer bullet call for 85 per cent of the bullets tracing 600 yards . . . This paper, by the same name, is aiming to do a 100 per cent job and go the full distance."

Missionary's Talk On China Proves Inspiring Topic

"CHINA SHALL RISE AGAIN", STIRRING THEME BASED ON PERSONAL OBSERVATION

AT LACHUTE UNITED W. M. S. EASTER THANK-OFFERING

Following is a digest of the talk given at Lachute United W. M. S. Easter Thank-Offering by Miss Mary L. Lamb, of St. Andrews East, returned missionary, who has spent many years in China. The meeting was held on Thursday afternoon, April 17th, in the United Church hall . . .

Our topic, "Resurgam — China shall rise again" is one that was chosen by that marvellous woman, Madame Chiang Kai Shek, for a series of talks which she gave in Chungking, the wartime capital of China, and she has recently published a book under that title. To those of us who believe in the guidance of God, and that He has a plan for the world, as well as for each of us, it does seem as if God had prepared the Generalissimo and his wonderful wife, Madame Chiang Kai Shek to meet the present crisis in China . . . We met them first when they came to Chungking in 1936. At this time they called all of us missionaries together to put before us the plans for the New Life Movement (which had already been launched for two years) and to ask for our help and co-operation in the scheme.

The following are some of the departments of the movement as we have seen it in operation during the past four years in West China.

War Services. This includes the work for the 25,000 war orphans (or "Warphans", as Madame Chiang calls them), who have been taken into the interior for safety.

The friends of the "wounded soldier society", working in all the hospitals.

Refugee work. (It is estimated that over ten million people have migrated to the western provinces since the war began). Aviation

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ONLY GIRDERS REMAIN

Only "twisted and molten girders" remain of the rebuilt library of the University of Louvain. So Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler has learned in a letter from E. Van Cauwenbergh, the university librarian. Dr. Butler, president of Columbia University, announced the Belgian librarian informed him "the library was nearly completely gutted by fire, only a few thousand books were saved and all the most precious are gone."

Judgment Given For Victim of Hunting Accident

$1,635 DAMAGES PAYABLE BY DEFENDANT IN FORM OF MONTHLY PENSION

VICTIM INCAPACITATED BY INJURY TO ARM

Montreal — Paul Corriveau, foreman at the Canadian Car and Foundry Company, was ordered to pay monthly compensation of $12.50 for a period of ten years to Harry Wyshynski, formerly a laborer in the same company, who suffered permanent injury to his arm when shot by Corriveau on a hunting trip to Thomas' Gore, near Lachute, last fall. Action was taken by Wyshynski, who is unable to work, and judgment of Mr. Justice L. J. Loranger was handed down in Superior Court on Tuesday.

As a result of the accident, previously reported in this newspaper, Wyshynski's arm is useless, and may even have to be amputated. The judge agreed that it may be impossible for the victim to get work, knowing little of the languages of the country, and having little social standing to help him.

His Lordship found the fault rested upon Corriveau, ordered him to pay the medical costs of $135, and assessed $1,500 damages. However, instead of this being paid as a capital sum, Justice Loranger found a precedent in 1881 in a judgment rendered by the late Sir Louis Amable Jette, in which a pension was awarded; and the defendant was ordered to pay damages in this same manner.

Farmer Fatally Injured While Tending Cattle

St. Andrews East — Sincere sympathy is extended by this community to Mme. Joseph Proulx and family, of Beech Ridge, upon the tragic death of her husband. M. Proulx suffered a fracture of the skull while attending his cattle in the stable. He managed to stagger out of the stable, carrying a lighted lantern, but when brought into the house by his wife, he collapsed. He did not regain consciousness. A bruise on the thigh points to the supposition that he was kicked by a colt and in falling struck his head.

PROCLAMATION

Clean-Up Week, May 1st to 7th.

Public Notice is given to the citizens of Lachute, that the week from May 1st to May 7th is proclaimed "Clean-Up Week". Proprietors and tenants are requested to remove rubbish and tidy their premises within or before the prescribed dates — subject to inspection by Provincial Health Officer; any disregard of this order to be duly reported to the Council Committee.

By order of the MAYOR AND COUNCIL.
—(Signed) G. Filion, Secretary Treasurer.

Request for Removal of Utility Poles Along River Wall; Blot on Landscape

Also for Street Paving, Widening of B'burg Road

Discuss System of Garbage Collection

At a special meeting of Town Council held Monday evening under chairmanship of Mayor Hector Lamarche a variety of business was dealt with.

Two measures of notable interest as affecting the beauty and appearance of this town — a timely consideration with the arrival of spring — were the proclamation of a civic Clean-Up Week from May 1st to 7th, and also a move to have unsightly poles removed from the river bend bordered by the revetment wall from the C. P. R. crossing to the fire station.

Members of the council present were — Mayor H. Lamarche, Aldermen F. S. McGibbon, W. Morrissette, L. St. Jacques, A. Scott, S. Holt, and the secretary-treasurer, G. Filion.

GARBAGE DISPOSAL

On motion of Ald. Morrissette, seconded by Ald. McGibbon, the chairman of the Health Committee was authorized to engage Alex Menard at a fee of $6 weekly to superintend dumping of garbage on the dump-site, in order to enforce such instructions as the chairman deemed advisable in this matter.

L. W. Armstrong, Health Unit inspector, entered into discussion with the Council regarding the collection of garbage. In the case of hotels, apartment houses and similar establishments, it was considered necessary to provide for more frequent garbage collection, and in the general interest of householders and civic sanitation, the need was stressed to arrange garbage collection within specified hours on the days appointed — thus to avoid having containers at the curb during all hours of the day. The need for use of proper closed cans was also urged by Mr. Armstrong . . . These matters were left for investigation of the Health Committee, who will report at next meeting of Council.

SALE OF CHAPMAN PROPERTY

Following discussion on the Chapman property owned by the town and recently offered for sale, it was moved by Ald. McGibbon, seconded by Ald. Holt, that tenders be disregarded and deposits returned to the bidders; and on motion of Ald. St. Jacques, seconded by Ald. Morrissette, the Mayor and Secretary were authorized to execute a deed for sale of this property to Hercule Legault for the price of $1,000. Terms of sale are $500 cash and balance payable by June 21st next, the purchaser to take possession on May 1st, but the deed to be passed only after full payment is effected.

MOTION ON ROADS

A discussion on the bad condition of certain thoroughfares was followed with a motion by Ald. Morrissette, seconded by Ald. McGibbon, that Hon. G. E. Dansereau be requested to approach the Minister of Highways for widening of the Lachute-Brownsburg road, and also for the paving of Bethany and Chatham streets over their entire width between sidewalks.

CLEAN-UP WEEK

The resolution on Clean-Up Week was advanced by Ald. McGibbon, seconded by Ald. Scott. It was ruled that public notice be given that Board of Health inspections will be made, and measures taken against any contravention of this ruling. The secretary was instructed to request the clergy to announce Clean-Up Week to the congregations of their churches.

Mayor Lamarche reported that in connection with laying of a sidewalk at the corner of Meikle and Water streets, Lester Thomson had agreed to give necessary land for the town to lay this sidewalk and maintain uniform width of street.

PLAN TO COMPLETE SIDNEY STREET

It was moved by Ald. Morrissette, seconded by Ald. McGibbon, that the Board of Ste. Anastasie Church be asked to state their figure for sale of a strip of land necessary to the town, for completion of Sidney street, eastward through to Bethany.

Motion was passed for the discontinuance of charity to an indigent citizen.

Napoléon Lachance was engaged to supervise the park and act as janitor for the Auditorium and Victoria Hall, at $12 a week, to replace W. Belanger. The motion, by Ald. Scott, was seconded by Ald. F. S. McGibbon.

These councillors also sponsored a motion to request the Bell Telephone Company to remove their poles from the river wall to the opposite side of Main Street, similar to the Gatineau Power poles. It was generally agreed the poles detracted from the appearance of this otherwise pleasant outlook across the North River.

Police Officers were instructed to give notice to proprietors in the case of defective or dangerous sidewalks, giving 15 days' grace for the execution of necessary repairs in these cases.

The meeting was then adjourned.

Village Firemen Combat 2 Fires At Brownsburg

HIGH WIND ENDANGERS QUARRY VILLAGE AND DRY BUSH LAND

MATCHES CAUSE BLAZE IN GENERAL STORE

Brownsburg fire brigade and residents of The Quarry did effective work in checking the spread of a dwelling-house fire which, in a strong wind last Monday, threatened the entire Quarry settlement and surrounding bush.

The fire occurred at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, presumably from a chimney or stovepipe, in a double tenement owned by Charles Libersan. The old frame house, accommodating two families, was completely destroyed, and few of the contents were saved. Firemen were handicapped by lack of water; they hand-pumped their water supply from wells, and by means of buckets checked the spread of the blaze to houses on either side. These were only ten or twelve feet distant from the burning building. Adjacent sheds were also torn down, and small fires caused from sparks in the neighboring bush land were promptly stamped out.

In response to a call for assistance, Lachute fire fighters sent their auxiliary truck, but the fire was well under control by the time this equipment arrived.

Insurance was held on both the dwelling and contents.

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Shortly after one o'clock on Tuesday afternoon fire broke out in the general store of G. I. McFaul, but quick action averted any extensive damage to the property. The blaze originated under the store counter in a stock of matches, causing a considerable flare, smoke and sulphur fumes. The blaze damaged the space and contents beneath the counter, also some of the stock around the area, and scorched the wall and ceiling.

Fire Chief Bevin arrived at the scene, and a hose-line was connected to the hydrant at the Social Club property. With this and the aid of chemical extinguishers the fire was quickly subdued.

The loss was covered by insurance.

Excelsior !

An electric light meter is like eternity; it never stops working. The light may flicker once in a while, get tired, weak in the back, and perhaps go out, while the town sleeps in impenetrable gloom; but the bill never fades, never gets fagged out, jaded or depleted, never sleeps, is always in good working order, healthy and youthful, and like the lark, always on the rise. —Hartland Observer

Bird Population of Argenteuil to Be Shown In New Exhibit at Historical Society Museum

H. B. CUSHING, M. D.,
Pres., Argenteuil Historical Socy.

The bird population of Argenteuil County is unusually varied and numerous. This is partly due to the variety of natural conditions, with mountains, forests, cultivated fields, marshes, lakes and rivers, and partly because the county lies in the Ottawa valley on one of the main arteries of bird migration. Hence the species found in the county include practically all the birds of Eastern Canada, with the exception of the sea-fowl of the Coast districts.

On reading early accounts of the birds found here, we find that the bird species have changed enormously within recent years. In fact the changes in bird life have parallelled the history of the county. In the early days of Indian occupation the county was solidly wooded throughout and mostly inhabited by the northern species of birds. It especially teemed with game birds of all sorts, partridge, plover, ducks and geese, which played an important part in sustaining the life of the human population. With these were naturally many of the larger brids of prey, hawks, falcons and owls. Following the clearing of the land and cultivation of the fields as well as the introduction of more destructive weapons, the larger birds have been rapidly disappearing and many species formerly common here are now practically extinct. Their place, however, has been taken by the smaller song-birds and insectivorous birds swarming in from the South. Bobolinks, meadow-larks, orioles, finches, tanagers, swallows and hosts of other small birds that were previously unknown in this district now abound. With these came also the birds who have associated themselves with man so as to be half domesticated, the robins, house-wrens, barn-swallows, chimney swifts, et ceters, and finally the rather less welcome introduced species, the English sparrows and the European starlings.

Noting these many changes and realizing the importance of preserving records of the vanishing species as well of the newly introduced ones, the Historical Society has made a special effort to include in its Museum at Carillon an adequate representation of the birds of the county. It is hoped that this may assist in the spreading of knowledge of birdlore in an agricultural community, to whom it is of such vital importance, and also assist in the preservation of many useful and interesting varieties of birds, which are threatened with extinction.

In the re-arrangement of the Museum for this year one large room has been devoted entirely to exhibits of the natural resources of Argenteuil County. The largest section of this room is given up to a demonstration of the local birds. It is believed that this spring there will be a thoroughly representative collection of upwards of 100 species of local birds, illustrating all the most important groups and carefully labelled in English and French, with brief accounts of their distribution and practical importance. One case will be given up to examples of various forms of birds' nests and the materials used. In the associated Wales library are some of the standard text-books of Ornithology which may be referred to by visitors.

It is hoped that this exhibit of birds will prove of interest and value to the visitors to the Museum, and it is with the object of calling attention to this collection that these few notes have been written. If any of the readers of The Watchman can assist in this work by contributions, suggestions or assistance in arranging and labelling the collection, the writer will be delighted if they will communicate with him — at the Medical Arts Building, Montreal.

"Never Mind the Blasted Windows"

How Britain's Shopkeepers Mock the Blitz

London — In spite of bombs and the blackout, shop-window display in Britain has not only continued but actually increased in ingenuity and service. One of the country's leading electrical firms promptly discovered a substitute for plywood — the peace-time foundation of window display — in linen stretched taut on wooden frames.

Display settings in linen, it was found, could be folded into small compass. Where, in former days, a van could carry only three or four sets, now it can transport ten times as many.

Instead of leaving wartime window-display to the individual dealers, the firm decided to send around experts to do the job. No fewer than 54,000 personal visits have been made to all parts of the country and 85,900 separate pieces of display material have been placed in position.

Bombed shops, with their slogans "More Open Than Ever" or "Never Mind the Blasted Windows — Come In", carry impressive displays showing that the British radio and electrical industry, in spite of all threats, is very much alive and kicking.

Old age pensions are being paid to some 3,350,000 people in Britain. (This includes widows over 60).

The Prefabricated House

F. W. NICHOLLS, M.R.A.I.C.,
Director of Housing, Ottawa.

The definition of the word "prefabricate" is "to fabricate or construct beforehand; to manufacture houses in standardized parts or sections ready for rapid assembling and erection when wanted."

To thos unfamiliar with the progress which has been made in prefabrication the word has very little meaning and is associated with a cheap flimsy type of portable contruction only suitable for summer cottages and garages.

To those unfamiliar with the progress which has been made during the past few years the word prefabrication is of tremendous importance and holds out the promise of being the first progressive step in house construction in many years.

Prefabrication has not appeared suddenly. It has been coming for years. Despite many handicaps it is a natural evolution and, no doubt, would have been accepted years ago by architects and builders had it not been for the well recognized fact that, of all industries, construction is the most conservative and only changes because of economic pressure.

That economic pressure exists under present circumstances there can be no doubt; that more house for the dollar must be produced is very essential, and prefabrica- would appear to be the answer.

The present shortage of housing can be traced to the inability of the contruction industry to meet the demand at a price which the market can afford.

Prefabrication would appear to answer the problem of how to produce 100 cents worth of housing for $1.00. Not only will the cost of construction be reduced but a better constructed house will be the result.

Practically all systems of prefabrication now in use are predicated on the use of some particular manufacturer's material of a fixed dimension and known insulating value. The problem which we had to face in designing our system was that it must be flexible to permit the use of the several different materials manufactured by different firms and of varying degrees of insulation and physical properties.

Prefabrication may be the means of establishing the construction industry on a year-round basis. The building industry works probably seven or eight months per year and in this period must earn enough to support itself for the remaining four or five months. No other industry can afford to take four or five months vacation per year and if the truth is told the construction industry cannot afford this forced layoff. Prefabrication, because part of the work can be completed inside, may be done during the winter when outside construction is not feasible. The outside erection can then be done during the summer season, thus permitting the construction industry to operate on a year-round basis at an increase in efficiency and a decrease in the cost of housing.

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Farmers Should Plan To Help Each Other

There is an old saying that "the Lord helps those who help themselves," and it would be equally true to say that "the Lord help those who help each other." Many farmers will literally have to help each other this year if they cannot get sufficient help for their own individual farms.

There will be, from all accounts, a number of "One-man" farms this year with a consequent reduction in crop acres as a result of the farm help situation unless farmers co-operate in the old-fashioned neighborly manner of changing "works" with each other. It will be recalled that during severe farm labor shortages in the last war, neighbors worked back and forth helping each other with seeding and harvest operations.

A return to this method of operation will mean that farmers will be able to plant and harvest more crop acres and feed more hogs and cattle than they would by attempting to run the farm alone.

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Our Farm News Letter

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SOME SHORT CUTS SAVE FARM LABOUR

"For, lo, the winter is past . . . The flowers appear in the earth; the time of the singing of the birds is come and the voice of the turtle is heard in our land." In Canada it is the voice of the frog that accompanies the swelling bud and greening meadows. Spring on the farm is a beautiful and busy season. This year it will be busier than ever, for hired help is scarce and in many instances unprocurable.

There is a stubble field that could not be ploughed last fall and may now have to do with a lick and a promise, or a cut of the disc and a stroke of the harrow. That's all it needs anyway. The sod field that was due to be ploughed last fall may have to remain a sod field for the present; but its usefulness may be prolonged and its productiveness restored by the application of a suitable fertilizer.

Mechanized equipment is as important in farming as it is in military operations. The combination seed drill and the machine gun, the tractor and the tank, one creative, the other destructive, represent progress in the arts of peace and war. This year the tractor will have to play a larger part, and where horse-power is still the main motive force, the farmer will probably rig up a 4-horse hitch and fix himself a buggy seat to follow the extended team up and down the field, while his erst-while hired man drills in another field, not the farm, or labours to produce weapons of war.

With reduced man-power on the farm, all labour-saving devices available should be utilized. It may be found necessary to limit the hoed-crop acreage to a minimum but yet to grow as large a crop as possible on the restricted area. This also can be done with the aid of fertilizers. There may be more weeds in some fields this year, but an attempt should be made to keep the noxious ones in check. The others may be no detriment but sometimes an advantage by serving as a protective shade to the legitimate crop.

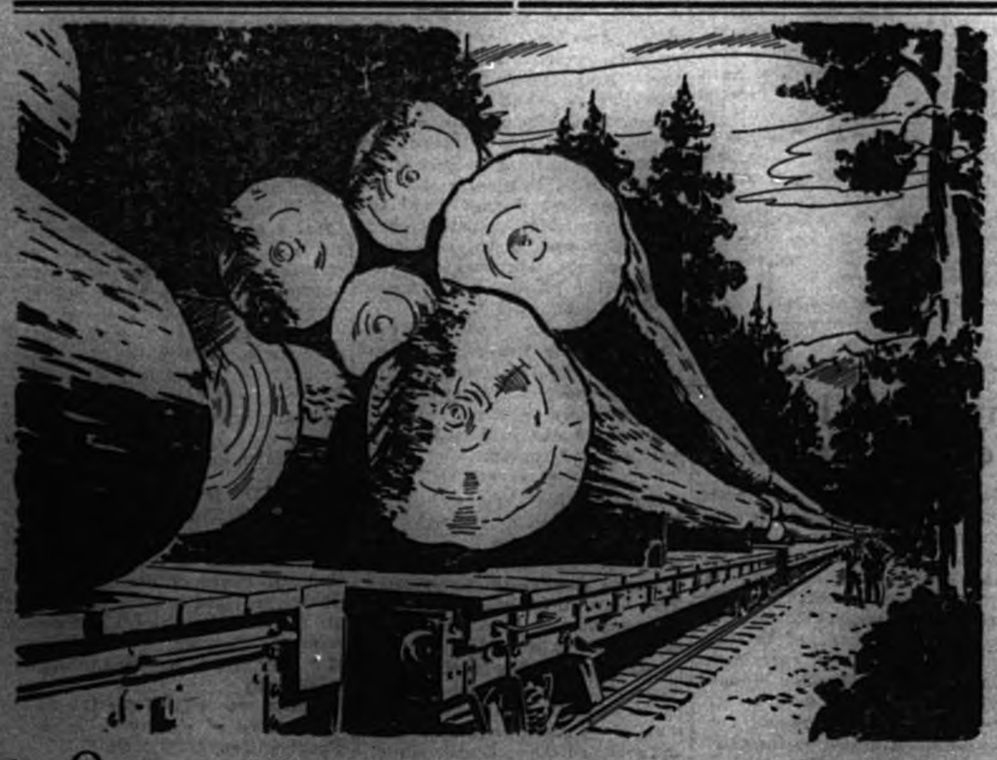
If in this militant discourse one may be permitted to mention the Romans, the nobler and the manlier ones, there was Cincinatus who was called from the plough to the dictatorship and after saving his country went back to his farm. Horace, the poet, was a farmer who became a military commander, and Virgil after receiving his education returned to the parental farm. In more recent times Garibaldi, noblest Roman of them all, lived on his small farm in the island of Caprere.

Farming has its sorrows and its joys, too much of the former at present perhaps but the latter must not be ruled out. It is a truism that God made the country; man made the town. A superior generation is how the British Minister of Health describes the children removed from town to country districts. The fresh air and country pursuits have strengthened their bodies and broadened their minds.

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EDITORIAL

No. 1 Fashion Parade

In a Montreal weekly, oft-quoted on this page, an observing columnist notes that the Easter Parade in the metropolis proved something of a flop. Which, we gather from his remarks, is nothing unusual for Montreal.

We are moved to mention at this late date our own personal observations on Easter Day at Sunnyside, the showplace of Toronto. It was our privilege — our ordeal, we might say — to drive along the lakefront that cheery Sunday afternoon. Three traffic lines bordered the walk — for a distance of many miles, it seemed; the outer line of parked cars afforded ringside seats for the Easter Parade; the second line jerked spasmodically forward, whenever the car ahead advanced a few feet; the third and inner line of traffic proceeded more expeditiously toward the city, at a snail's gait of five or six miles an hour. Mounted policemen did their best. And wailing through the outbound traffic came a city ambulance; some hapless kibitzer had fallen by the wayside !

If the traffic lanes were crowded — yes, a sardine can would appear spacious quarters for its occupants compared with Sunnyside boardwalk itself. All we saw was hats — mostly of the pancake type, that kind which ladies, at the behest of fashion, push forward obliquely into the breeze. There were smart tailored suits, sleek jacquettes, outfits in the military trend, furry neckpieces; but beyond an occasional flash of color between the cars, one saw little of these sights while cussing in that second line of traffic.

The Savings Sense

Describing "War Weapons Weeks" in various centres of England, Sir Robert Kindersley, president of the National Savings Committee in Great Britain, told Canadians in a recent broadcast that in the City of Liverpool the total subscriptions for the week there reached £16. 2s. per head of her population. Then Edinburgh came along and raised £25. 1s. per head, and a few weeks later the city of Halifax came with a rush and beat the lot by raising £26. 9s. 8d. per head.

One of the most important jobs in selling the War Savings idea, according to Sir Robert, is "to create such a strong public opinion that it will be easier for everyone to practice economy than to be carelessly extravagant and self-indulgent. We have to create a public opinion so strong that the blatant spender becomes a social outcast.

"People are coming to realize that any prosperity which may be theirs today is made possible only by the readiness of others to sacrifice even life itself. And that, therefore, every shilling we earn beyond what is necessary for our health and efficiency is in the nature of a sacred trust and should be dedicated to the winning of the War by being lent to the country. The utmost simplicity of living must be the keynote to every home both rich and poor, and in this respect the rich have the heavy responsibility of setting an example, and must be made to understand that with the present limitation of supplies whoever consumes more than his share is robbing another."

Sir Robert Kindersley further stressed that this is the costliest war that has ever been fought. The warship costs two or three times as much as in the last war. Aircraft costs three to seven times as much. It costs twice as much to equip and maintain an army division. And as a concrete example of this increase, the following instance was cited:

Whereas the guns, the gun-mountings and fire-control gear of His Majesty's Ship "King George V" of 1913 cost six hundred and ninety-two thousand pounds, those of His Majesty's ship of the same name which was recently commissioned and in which Lord Halifax crossed to America cost two million, nine hundred thousand pounds.

The Press and the Churches

(Third of a series of editorials on the functions of a community newspaper).

One of the most easily misconstrued relationships in the publishing field it that between the weekly newspaper and the churches of the community. The newspaper man asks himself the question: "What should be my attitude toward the churches?" He endeavours to answer that question so that he will be fair both to the churches and to himself.

Churches sometimes assume the attitude that, as they are supported solely by voluntary donations, and as they are a spiritual and moral force in the community, any publicity desired should be given without charge by the newspaper. Strangely enough the churches do not expect the same privilege from any other business or profession. It should be remembered that most publishers are church members, and that as individuals they are decidedly interested in the welfare of the church with which they are affiliated. They give regularly and as generously as their circumstances permit. They attend various functions to raise funds for the continuance of the church's work. As such they must be considered as any other church member who is conscientiously striving to support the church and what it stands for.

While newspapers are more generous with space to churches than to other institutions, this is simply a recognition of the premier place held by the church in the sphere of the community. However the church has no legal right to expect the press to give more generously than any individual church member. It is not expected of the man who sells the church fuel, or the public utilities which serve the church. In larger centres it is not expected that the organist should give his services free, or that the caretaker should work without remuneration.

The press will always recognize the value of the church in the community. It will realise that the community without the church would be like a rudderless ship, not knowing whence the tide of events and fortune might lead it. The press will continue to give service to the church as one important institution to another, but the church must also realise that, to continue its service, not only to the church but to the community, the newspaper must have an income, and that income can only come from the space it sells in its columns. This same reasoning must apply to charitable organizations in the community. To them the publisher and the men and women who work for the publisher give generously of their private means and of their time and talent. They, too, must prosper if they are to continue their support to the church and kindred organizations.

Unenviable Immortality

Being frail, egotistic creatures, human beings possess a common desire for immortality and to say a man's name will "live forever" is to pay him the highest possible tribute. In all probability Vidkun Quisling has achieved that distinction. His name will live forever but few will envy him his fame. Quisling, Norwegian Nazi leader, was the chief betrayer of his country at the time of the German invasion of a year ago and his name has since come to common usage as an epithet to be applied to treasonous plotters who sell their country for personal satisfaction or gain. Vladimir Macek, the No. 2 man of Yugoslavia's war government, earned the unenviable "Quisling" appelation when a swift fifth column uprising of Great Separatists ceded the Croatian capital of Zagreb to the German Army recently. Quisling's name was in the news again recently when a British court ruled it was slanderous to call any Britisher by that name and imposed a fine upon a man for this act. Vidkun Quisling has achieved immortality, an unenviable immortality that has made his name a common symbol of treason and traitorism. Judas enjoyed much the same distinction.

Words to the Wise

With the leaders of the two great parties, Franklyn D. Roosevelt and Wendell L. Willkie, lending their solid support to Great Britain in her fight to save democracy it is becoming more and more apparent that the United States will eventually wind up taking a more active part in this war. Ranks of the isolationists are dwindling rapidly as the shadow of Hitler grows more menacing and the common man in the United States cannot help but recognize the wisdom of statements made by men in places of prominence. Leaders in every walk of life have recognized the need for action — quick, decisive action — on the part of the United States and Eddie Rickenbacker, former automobile racing star, ace in the Great War and now prominent as the president of Eastern Air Lines, says: "We had better prepare today to die fighting rather than to fight dying." Frank Knox, U. S. secretary of the Navy, sums it up neatly too. "No matter what the cost, it is cheaper to be ready too soon and too much than too little and too late." No "average American" can fail to recognize the wisdom in these words uttered by men listed among the nation's leaders.

"Phoneless days" have been ordered in overseas army camps to permit officers becoming accustomed to a condition which might result from a bomb destroying telephone communication lines. We'd enjoy phoneless days here. Especially when the tinkle of the bell sounds just as the only occupant of the house is in the bath tub.

News Item . . .

An Italian held on suspicion of sabotage in the United States attempted to commit suicide by eating the lenses of his spectacles.

They rushed him to the hospital,
The doctor's worked like sin,
To save his life and as they worked,
The patient forced a grin.
"Oh, shun the flowing bowl," he said,
"On it waste not a penny,
Young man I've reached this awful state,
From just one glass too many."

News Item . . .

A 68-year-old man in Melbourne, Australia, said his gray hair turned black after he had suffered a stroke. Doctors declared the stroke caused increased circulation and revitalized the hair . . .

He suffered a stroke and his iron gray locks
Turned as black as the wing of a raven,
His hair has returned to the shade of its youth,
And he's thinking of permanent wavin',
Most elderly persons who suffer a stroke,
Are inclined to blast out language scorchin',
But this black-haired fellow declares he regards
HIS stroke as a stroke of good fortune !

AND IN CONCLUSION: Onions have brought tremendous prices in London and indications are that the strong vegetables are very much in demand. — A "crying" need for onions, you might say.

THE LIFE OF WINSTON CHURCHILL

THE MAN WHO 'LL BEAT HITLER

(Part 6)

The German menace was not the only problem of those pre-1914 days. At home, labour was in a state of ferment, strikes were swidespread and riots broke out at various industrial centres. Then, there was the ever-present Irish problem, a burning question that threatened to burst into the flame of revolt.

Winston Churchill was disposed to give Home Rule of Ireland. Indeed, he was prepared to do anything that would clear the national decks so that the German threat could be faced by an all-out national effort. Ulster didn't want Home Rule, wouldn't have it at any price, and was grimly determined to fight if need be, to resist it.

The Fleet Was Ready

Winston Churchill introduced the Second Home Rule Bill to Parliament, as a Government measure, and the men of Ulster, passionately determined not to become detached from the Motherland, started drilling and practised rifle-shooting. Bloody strife seemed inevitable. But internal controversies were soon to be stilled as the nation faced a new peril.

On July 18, 1914, the Royal Navy was reviewed by King George V. Fleet demobilisation was to commence on July 27. Instead, as events on the continent sped swiftly towards the climax of stark tragedy, Winston Churchill warned the Fleet to stand ready, and two days later he secretly ordered Britain's mighty armada to battle stations.

When war was declared on August 4, the German Navy was bottled up in its own harbours, Britain's command of the seas was assured, and the passage of the little Expeditionary Force to France was safely accomplished.

A Spritely Adventure

When the Germans threatened Antwerp and the Belgians sent an S. O. S. to London, Winston Churchill dispatched the Royal Naval Division, and personally took command of it, being constantly in the thick of fighting. Although they put up a gallant fight, the failure of promised reinforcements to arrive forced the defenders to retreat.

Winston Churchill returned to London to find himself the storm centre of criticism for what one newspaper called "this eccentric expedition." The truth was that he had been asked by Lord Kitchener to dash over to Antwerp to stiffen the Belgians' morale. And the expedition itself served to delay the German advance for some days at a time when every day gained was invaluable to the Allies. Not for the last time was Winston Churchill betrayed by the failure of others to give adequate and timely support.

Shadow of Coming Events

A story of the early days of the Great War has its significance in the light of recent events. King George asked Mr. Churchill if it might not be a wise plan to extinguish the lights in the Mall, because of German sky raiders. "Yes", replied Churchill, "but if a bomb falls on Buckingham Palace it would have a very stimulating effect on the people." "Possibly," replied the King; "but it would have a very depressing effect on me!"

A Costly Failure

Few military events in history have aroused the fierce controversy that surrounded the Dardanelles expedition. The war on the Western Front had now degenerated into a matter of hurling masses of men at the enemy in an effort to exterminate him. Winston Churchill derided this policy, and believed that an Allied offensive in the Mediterranean area, through Turkey (then a German ally), and thence smashing at Germany's rear, would be a decisive stroke and would shorte n the war.

The attempt was made, and after heavy losses of men and warships in a fruitless effort to smash through the Turkish defences in the Dardanelles, the campaign bogged down and was abandoned some months later.

Downfall !

Winston Churchill's critics were again in full cry and on his shoulders was placed the entire blame for the fiasco. When a Coalition government replaced the Liberal administration, Churchill was relieved of the Admiralty and given a purely nominal post in the new Cabinet.

"It was a cruel and unjust degradation", wrote Mr. Lloyd George in his War Memoirs. "Nothing had been overlooked or neglected as far as the naval operations were concerned. The fatal delays and mishandlings had all been in the other branch (War Office) of the Service." This, incidently, is the general expert opinion today.

Compelled to stand idly by and watch great opportunities and plans in which he believed, cast away or feebly executed, Winston Churchill resigned from the Government in November 1915, and went out to France as a regimental major, where he took his share of the fighting in the trenches. He was 41.

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***Next week — The Story of the Tanks.

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Inter-City Fireworks

Speaking editorially of Toronto, on this page, we gather further that the Queen City and Ottawa are not on the sweetest terms. It may be just wholesome civic rivalry. It may be that Ottawa covets Mr. Hepburn or Toronto has designs on Mr. King . . . but anyway here's a news story touching on the latest conflict:

Ottawa — Agreeing it was unfavorable for the Capital of Canada, but deciding that the best way to cope with it was to ignore it entirely, members of the civic Industrial and Publicity Committee today looked with contempt upon a series of photographs and an article which appeared in a recent rotogravure section of a Toronto newspaper, purporting to show how badly off this city was in accommodation for visitors.

Alderman Arthur Ash, admitting it was bad publicity, suggested there was a modicum of truth in the article, and that Ottawa was hard pressed to provide accommodation.

"But they only show the extremes in these pictures," said the chairman, Alderman Wilbert Hamilton, "these pictures have all been specially posed."

"I think the best thing to do about it is to ignore it," suggested Mayor Lewis, "Just let them publish pictures of their own city when they are holding their Fall Exhibition."

"We should let them know what we think about Toronto, anyway," said Alderman George Perley.

"We all think the same," said Alderman L. L. Coulter, "but why bother to express it?"



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—Porcupine Advance.

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FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

GRENVILLE NORTH

Mr. Walter Murray was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Heatlie, Ogdensburg, and also at the home of Mr. Russell McKimmie, on Sunday.

Miss Lilly Laroeque and Miss Audrey Brown were visitors at the home of Mrs. Louis Larocque on Sunday.

Miss Gladys Gauley, who has been in hospital at Hawkesbury, has returned home, after receiving treatment for her injury received in an accident at the Perley Bridge two months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Stewart and family, also Mr. E. G. Stewart, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Arthur Millar, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Cecil Bates and little son, Glen, of Timmins, Ont., are at present at the home of Mr. James Stewart and Mrs. Carl Paige, owing to the serious illness of Mrs. James Stewart. Mrs. Douglas Johnstone and daughters, Beverley and Irma, of Montreal, were also recently visiting and helping to care for Mrs. Stewart. Friends are deeply grieved that Mrs. Stewart is not improving in health.

The home of the late Mrs. Sydney Loughren is being redecorated and we understand that Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McGillivray are moving in during this week. We welcome these good friends to our midst. The decorating is being done by Mr. Harry Waut, under the direction of Mrs. Wm. Gauley, who now owns the property.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott McLean, of Harrington, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McIntyre, also visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Dodd.

DALESVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dixon visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Swail, at Arundel, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McRae were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. David Dixon.

John Dixon was home recently for a three days' leave prior to being transferred to Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Campbell visited in Montreal last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Morrow entertained a few friends informally at their home this week. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by the guests.

CUSHING

Miss A. Cleland, Mr. M. Burton and son, Scott, of Montreal, visited the Cleland cottage on Saturday.

Miss Phyllis McAdam, of Brownsburg, was the week-end guest of Miss Ruby O'Brien.

Miss Margaret McKiddie of Vide Sac spent the week-end with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie.

Miss Margaret Canning, of Lakefield, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning.

Miss Elsie Graham left for Montreal on Sunday night to resume her duties in La Salle School.

Miss Marguerite Heatlie, of Montreal, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Heatlie.

The Misses Myrtle and Violet Bryerton, of Verdun, also Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bryerton, of St. Laurent, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bryerton, of Carillon, on Easter Sunday.

Miss Alice Davidson who has been visiting friends in this vicinity for several days, has returned to Kingston.

Miss Mary Byrne, of Montreal, spent Easter with her mother, Mrs. Daniel Byrne.

Miss Margaret Graham returned to her home in Ormstown on Saturday, Master G. Somerville who had been spending the Easter holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Somerville, of Monalea, accompanied her.

Frontier Branch of the Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. John Heatlie of Ogdensburg, on Friday evening, May 2nd. All their dollar for war work to that members are requested to bring meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie, of Cushing, accompanied by their niece, Miss M. McKiddie, and Miss A. Davidson, of Kingston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bradley, of Carillon, on Sunday evening.

Our sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. A. Heatlie and Mrs. R. Gaston in the death of their father, Mr. Boyce, of Lacolle, also to Mrs. F. Fuller in the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Franklyn Hodgson, of Montreal.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Miss Audrey Eaton visited relatives in Montreal for several days last week, and on her return was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Hildreth Driver, of Toronto. Miss Eaton's mother, Mrs. Harry Webb, of Windsor, Ont., is also visiting here.

Miss E. Hendry and Mrs. K. J. MacLean returned on Saturday from a visit of several days in Ottawa.

Mrs. L. Porter has returned from a visit to her mother in Winnipeg.

During the past week or so, the Rev. Dr. Ballantyne received the following visitors — Senator C. C. Ballantyne, of Ottawa, and Mr. James Ballantyne, of Montreal West, his brothers; Misses Sutherland, of Ottawa, and Mr. Charles Fuller, his nephew; Mrs. (Dr.) Kerr, Miss Ethel Kerr and Miss Christine Murphy, of Montreal.

Mrs. Walter Windsor, Mrs. F. McCallum and daughter, Dorothy, who have been staying in Montreal for the winter, visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Cameron and wee son, David, of Napanee, Ont., called on friends here, on their way to visit relatives in Montreal.

Noticed here for the week-end were — Miss Dorothy Howell, Messrs. Howard and Ralph Lalonde, Ronald de la Ronde and Lloyd Lilly.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jeffrey, of Westmount, were at their summer cottage for the week-end.

MORIN HEIGHTS

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Bell and family, also Miss Vera McCullough, visited with their aunt, Mrs. George Rogers, in Lachute on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Betty Lacken returned to Montreal on Sunday after spending the Easter holidays at Cedar Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Greene have gone to St. Adolphe de Howard to resume their duties for the summer months.

Mrs. H. E. Gilbey was in Montreal recently.

School re-opened on Monday after the Easter holidays.

Miss Audrey Watson returned to St. Lin this week after spending a two weeks' vacation with her parents.

GRENVILLE

Mr. Lorne Cooke and son, Mr. Clifford Cooke, have returned to Paugan Falls after spending the winter at their home here.

Harold and Victor Gaudry, of Greenfield Park, visited their grandmother, Mrs. A. V. Gaudry, also Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gaudry, Freddie and Winona, last Thursday.

Miss Vera Gauley visited friends in Toronto for ten days over the Easter season.

Mrs. O. Poirier is in Dr. Smith's Hospital, Hawkesbury, where she underwent a serious operation on Monday. She is reported to be doing well.

Mrs. Eddley Woodbury visited friends in Ottawa last week.

Mrs. J. Stewart has returned from Montreal, where she spent several days.

Bible Class last Sunday in the Grenville Baptist Church was well attended, The Rev. J. R. Simpson proves himself an inspiring teacher.

BROWNSBURG

Mrs. Russell Kennedy and son, Ronald, spent the week-end visiting relatives in Aylmer and Luskville.

Mr. Douglas Prosser was in Montreal last week.

Mr. Winston Smillie spent the week-end in Montreal.

A number of the W. I. members from this town attended the Card Party in the Lachute Auditorium on Tuesday evening which was given in aid of the Spitfire fund; all reported an enjoyable evening.

At the Women's Institute meeting — Thursday, May 1st, in the Social Club, under arrangement of Mrs. Paul Martin, convenor of Agriculture — an illustrated lecture on "Flowers, Trees and Flowering Shrubs" will be given by Mr. A. H. Walker, of Macdonald College. Roll-call, "Name a bird of Eastern Canada." Exchange of slips, bulbs and seeds . . . Visitors are invited. (Silver collection). Meeting commences at 7 p.m.; lecture at 8 p.m.

LAKEFIELD

The Rev. C. W. P. Baugh is attending the annual Synod meetings being held in Montreal this week.

MILLE ISLES

Services will be held in the Presbyterian Church beginning April 27th, (3 p.m.) for the summer months, conducted by the Rev. R. Jenkins.

Honored on Her 91st Birthday

Dalesville — Mrs. Hugh Morrow celebrated her 91st birthday on Thursday, April 17th. The home of her son, Mr. Austin Morrow, was the scene of a pleasant family party where her children gathered to do her honor. There were present — Mr. and Mrs. Austin Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Murdoch, Mr. and Mrs. James Murdoch, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Titley, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wert and Mrs. Annie Stephenson.

Maple Sugar for Sailors

The Navy League of Canada is sending out an appeal through Dr. Blackhurst, of Montreal, for maple sugar in any quantities, in small blocks (even a four-ounce block will be welcome) for the Empire Sailors.

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The blocks of sugar should be wrapped in grease-proof paper, and addressed to the Navy League of Canada, care of the Wm. Ewing Co. Ltd., 414 McGill Street, Montreal, the name and address of the sender should be enclosed. Maple syrup cannot be used and should not be sent.

800 magazines for soldiers' reading rooms were collected in one week by Darthmouth, N. S., Boy Scouts, and 2729 in a month by a Winnipeg Scout Group.



SECOND FAREWELL IS HARD AS FIRST

The baby isn't very old, but this is the second such farewell scene since this soldier father joined the Elgin regiment. The western Ontario unit, which spent the winter at Exhibition camp, moved out last week for Valcartier. Mother and baby were there to see him off a second time.

Recreation Hall to Open Sometime in May

Brownsburg, April 22 —

Opening of the new Recreation Hall will be delayed until approximately the second or third week in May. The building is ready for occupancy with the exception of the furniture, which should finally be ready in not later than three weeks time. The program for the first week is now being arranged, and from Monday through to Sunday there will be special activities every night.

Little Drops of Water May Be Worse Than None

"The Seasons and the Gardener" (Cambridge University Press) is described as a book for children, but it contains precepts which many an adult gardener fails to heed. This passage, for instance: "Though a plant in hot, dry weather may need water, it is better to give it none at all than to give it too little. A little water poured on the surface of the soil near a plant may cause the plant to send roots upwards instead of downwards. When the sun beats down again these delicate roots will shrivel and die, and the plant will suffer . . . If you water your plants always hoe the ground after watering."

OBITUARY

LATE MRS. HENRY HADLEY

At her late residence in the East Ward, the death occurred on Monday last of Mrs. Henry Hadley, in her 83rd year. Formerly Mary Jane Griffith, she was born in East Settlement. Married on April 19, 1882, she spent some time in Montreal, later moving to Lachute, where she spent the remainder of her life.

The funeral service was held on Wednesday from her residence, burial taking place in Mount Royal Cemetery.

Left to mourn, are her husband; one son, John, ten grandchildren; five great grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. Jas. Armstrong, of Lachute Road; three brothers, John Wesley, of San Francisco, Calif., Isaac, of East Settlement, and Albert, of Vancouver.

Dalesville Cemetery Corp.

Brownsburg — A meeting of the directors and lot owners of Dalesville Cemetery was held at the home of Mr. George Kennedy on Tuesday evening. The officers were re-elected for the coming year, with Mr. John Mason as chairman and Mr. M. McGibbon as secretary-treasurer. Plans were made to have all lots marked and new roads made around the cemetery. The meeting was well attended and it is hoped that all interested will find it possible to attend such meetings in the future, when plans will be discussed to improve the general appearance and maintenance of this cemetery.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

Births, Marriages, Deaths, In Memoriam, etc., 50 cents each insertion; 5c a line extra for verse with In Memoriam.

BIRTH

SMITH — On April 15th, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas F. Smith (née Geraldine MacQuaig), Lachute — a daughter.

MARRIAGE

MARSHALL - STEWART — On April 12th, 1941, Hannah Dorothy Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stewart, Lachute, to Guardsman Wm. Earl Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Marshall, Arundel.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

THOMPSON — The family of the late Wm. Thompson wish to thank their friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted during their sad bereavement.

HADLEY — Mr. Henry Hadley and family extend sincere thanks to their friends and neighbors for expressions of sympathy received in their recent bereavement.

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				Giant Pkg.	44c
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MILD CHEESE				lb.	19c
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PEAS	IONA 4 SIEVE	2		20 oz. tins	17c
MATCHES	MAPLE LEAF	3		box pkgs.	23c
WHITE BEANS	BULK	7	lbs.		25c
MACARONI	All Kinds	2	lbs.		9c
BROOMS	Red Handle			Ea.	29c
SOAP	P & G or BARSALOU	5	bars		19c
MAYONNAISE	Ann Page			8 oz. Jar	15c
MOLASSES	Barbados			Qt. Ctn.	21c
MUSTARD	JOLLY GOOD			25 oz. Jar	15c
PEPPER	WHITE		lb.		23c
PICKLES	Sweet, Sour, Relish, Gherkins			26 oz. Jar	25c
PRUNES	40-50's lb.	13c	70-80's 2	lbs.	17c
BEANS	AYLMER Baby Lima	2		15 oz. tins	19c
PEACHES	Aylmer	2		15 oz. tins	25c
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and transportation hostels for aviators, cafeterias for bombed out areas, etc. etc.

But one of the most interesting things is the fact that even while carrying on major warfare with an enemy whose strength is not to be despised, China is at the same time putting on a tremendous program of reconstruction along many lines, and it is this part of the program of the New Life Movement that would seem to be of the most lasting value.

Take the question of Public Health work. This includes the inpection of homes, schools and public buildings for sanitary conditions. In this department, there is also vaccination for small pox, and inoculation againt typhoid fever and cholera. There are special hygieng campaigns from school children and hygiene posters of all sorts to educate the people.

Then there is mass education, classes for poorer people, and night classes for those who are working all day. The New Life publicity van — or as Madame Chiang calls it, "A travelling Chautauqua on wheels" — is equipped with radio, movie apparatus, visual education, pictorial slides, etc. This van is said to have covered five provinces in seven months. Building of motor roads, and highways, developing the resources that have lain dormant for generations, the wonderful work of organizing cooperatives all over the country, is in itself a theme that would occupy a whole address.

Then there is the "Thrift Campaign", trying to do away with waste and unnecessary expenditure. In this connection it frowns down on the use of cigarettes, opium, liquor, and the practice of gambling.

Perhaps two of the biggest accomplishments of the Generalissimo during the recent years have been the stabilizing of the currency, and the suppression of the opium curse. The latter task has not been an easy one, but has meant a lot to our work as Christian missionaries, as we are trying to lead young people into a better way of life. The Generalissimo struck at the root of the matter by prohibiting the growth of the poppy. This has been done most effectively; during the past year no poppies have been grown in the province of Szechuan, a province the size of England, with a population of 53 million.

At the same time, every effort has been made to cure the victims of the drug habit, by compelling them to take the course of medicine used for that purpose. Since March, 1940, anyone caught taking the drug is treated like an ordinary criminal and imprisoned.

Do you wonder that we feel that "China will rise again"? Do you wonder that we think that the missionary did a good job who put the Christian principles and inspiration into the Soong family, of whom Madame Chiang is a member? Do you wonder that we consider the missionary enterprise worthwhile? For many years China has been known as the "Sleeping Giant". Now — she is very thoroughly awake. All the doors are open now to the Christian missionary — opium refuges, prisons, wounded soldier hospitals, government hospitals and schools—there is no limit to the invitations to the missionary to come and talk to different groups. To us it seems as if there never was such an opportunity.

It is hard to imagine a greater challenge to the youth of Canada, than to have a share in the rehabilitation, the reconstruction, the laying of the foundations of a country like that, socially, educationally, economically, religiously — to be rebuilt from the ground up. It seems to be an unequalled opportunity for service that is worthwhile. We of the Women's Missionary Society must not be "Weary in well doing." The world needs Christ as never before, and our task is one that only increases in value and importance as the years pass.

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The guest speaker was introduced by the W. M. S. president, Mrs. R. Bradford, and a vote of thanks was accorded by Mrs. J. A. McGibbon.

A large number of ladies attended, and many of the Mission Band members. During the afternoon a duet was sung by Mrs. C. Duncan and Mrs. R. A. Giles.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

PRESBYTERIAN Y. P. S.

The Young People's Society of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church held their meeting on Wed. night with a fair attendance. The principal business was concerning the sale of tickets for the Spitfire Benefit show to be held on April 30th. The Rev. Mr. Orsborn provided the topic for the evening by reading selections from the book "Tragedy of France", which proved highly interesting.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SUNDAY SERVICES

"Probation After Death" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist throughout the world on Sunday April 27th.

The Golden Text is from I Corinthians 6:14. "God hath both raised up the Lord, and will also raise us up by his own power."

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses." (I Timothy 6:12).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Universal salvation rests on progression and probation, and is unattainable without them. Heaven is not a locality, but a divine state of Mind in which all the manifestations of Mind are harmonious and immortal, because sin is not there and man is found having no righteousness of his own, but in possession of "the mind of the Lord," as the Scripture says." (Page 291).

Sunday Services

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a. m., Sabbath School.
11 a. m., Morning Worship.
Rev J. D. McCrae, B.A.B.D., of St. Lambert, Quebec.
7 p. m., Evening Service.
"Success"
2.30 p. m. East Settlement
3 p.m. Thomas' Gore.
A cordial welcome to all!

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor, H. Charlton
11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Services
Tuesday, Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEML. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Orsborn
10 a. m.—Sabbath School
11 a. m., Morning Worship.
A Farmer's Fortune.
3 p. m.—Brownsburg
7 p. m.—Evening Worship.
The Heart's Direction.

REGULAR BAPTIST
Rev. C. Hardie
Brownsburg 11 a. m. and 7.30 p.m.
2.30 p.m., Dalesville.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. J. R. Simpson, B.A., B.Th.
10 a. m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
7.30 p.m., "Called to Remember".

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
10 a. m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. Baugh, Rector
Dunany 11 a.m., Holy Communion.
Louisa, 2.30 p.m.
Lakefield 7.30 p.m.

CHANGE OF PREMISES

Notary J. E. Beaudoin wishes to announce that he has removed his office to the Muir house, Bethany St. (next to service station and opposite post-office).

Depositor of the late Notary Lavigne's papers.

Blood-Tingling Urge in Blood-Curdling Picture

STRIKES NOTE OF URGENCY IN LOCAL SPITFIRE DRIVE

"It is as though a murderer strikes viciously at his victim — smash, smash, smash — endeavering to break his bones, to lacerate the arteries through which his life's blood flows, to knock the breath out of his body. But the victim won't oblige.

"His bones do nothing more than crack, his blood continues to circulate, he goes on breathing. And instead of succumbing, he gradually gathers his own strength, and strikes back at the man who assaults him, using his fists until in the end, he has the murderer by the throat and at his mercy."

These were the words of the Hon. Malcolm MacDonald, British High Commissioner to Canada, addressing delegates of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities at a civic banquet tendered by the City of Ottawa this week.

The gruesome but stirring thought brought home to us the urgent need to hasten the Spitfire plane which Argenteuil has promised for Britain.

There are some places in this county that have not yet been canvassed, and the committee earnestly makes the plea that, if any of our citizens have been missed in the canvass, they may not accept it as a slight, but recognize their duty to help by sending in whatever they can spare, towards the $24,000 objective, the amount required. Every cent subscribed will be devoted to the purchase of the Spitfire plane.

Subscriptions received this week are listed on page six.

TOWN NOTICE RE BICYCLE LICENSES

Notice is given that, according to a by-law passed by Lachute Town Council, license fees are payable for the use of bicycles within the town limits. Plates ($1.25) must be procured by May 1st, 1941, at the town office.

—G. Filion, Town Clerk.

In the Grip of Moscow And Berlin

Article based on Material from the Polish Ministry of Information

Steadily, ruthlessly, the oppressors of Berlin and Moscow are grinding the life out of Poland. Its industrial provinces, nearest to Germany, have been incorporated in the Reich. East of the Bug, the Russian Ogpu holds sway forcing thousands of Poles from their homes to the wastes of Central Siberia. Between the eastern and western provinces lies a sort of no man's land, ironically know as the Gouvernement General, where theoretically the Poles still have some rights left but in reality the Gestapo rules.

In the area incorporated in the German Reich (Poznania, Pomorze, Silesia, Lodz, Kalisz, Plock and Kujawy provinces) according to advices received by the Polish Government in London, there is not a city or small town where there have not been mass executions of Poles, mainly drawn from the intellectual classes. Recent detailed estimates confirm that in the town of Bydgoszez alone, 10,000 Poles have been murdered, many of them without fair trial. In the city of Pomorze the number of people murdered exceeds a further ten thousand and in Poznania province the number is some 15,000. The total number of people murdered by the Gestapo throughout the German occupied area is given as over 70,000.

At Warsaw in the Gouvernement General executions were formerly carried out in various parts of the city, for instance in the Sejm gardens in the daytime and in full view of the people. Today the chief place of execution for Warsaw and the environs is the locality of Palmira, outside the city. In this place, there are nearly a score of collective graves of people so murdered, in which probably some two thousand people, mainly from intellectual circles, are buried. There are always several trenches, dug by Jewish enforced labor, waiting for the next batch of prisoners. Among those shot at Palmira was the leader of the Polish Socialists.

Through a Polish couple who succeeded in escaping from Soviet Russia by the Eastern route, authentic details confirming all that has been written about the nature of the the Soviet deportations from Eastern Poland, have recently come to hand. The couple fled before the German invasion in South-Western Poland, and at the end of 1939 reached Stanislawow in the area controlled by Soviet Russia, where they remained until the Spring.

Here the Soviet authorities unexpectedly ordered the registration of all who were not permanent inhabitants. The man was arrested, and deported to Dniepropetrovsk, while his wife was carried off to the interior of Russia. At Orenburg, on the Samara-Tashkent line, she happened to find a group of Poles who were also being deported, and travelled with them. The Poles were transported on open trucks, the last truck occupied by the G. P. U. guards armed with automatic rifles. There was a special wagon for the train commandant, and a separate covered truck for mothers with infants at the breast.

On the journey a great number of the deportees died. The destination, which was not known in advance, was Bekpak-Dala, situated in the famous "Hungry Steppe." From Perovsk all the deportees, including women and children, were driven on foot to Asche-Kul, and on arrival they were told to "establish settlements" along the river Chal. Owing to the exertions of Polish doctors with the party, who carried hypodermic syringes and serums with them, an incipient out break of typhoid among the deportees was checked . . . The shortage of food and water during the summer heat caused such illness and mortality, especially among the children.

Fortunately, the man obtained permission to leave the country himself and his wife, and found means of meeting the cost of travel. But the journey from Novosibirsk was a continual torture. At station after station they found Polish children pleading for bread. The nightmare ended only when they reached Kharbin.

TOWN NOTICE RE GARBAGE COLLECTION

Collection of garbage will be made in town strictly according to the following schedule:

Tuesday: Main Street from Barron's Bridge to Protestant Cemetery, Meikle Street and Foundry Street.

Wednesday: All other sections east of the North River.

Thursday: All streets west of the North River.

Garbage to be deposited by the sidewalk not later than 7.30 a.m.

—G. Filion, Town Clerk

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Audrey McOuat spent last week visiting in Kilmar.

Mr. Ron Page, of Ottawa, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Titman on Tuesday.

The Rev. W. C. LeCras is attending the annual Synod meetings being held in Montreal this week.

Sgt. John Dixon, of the R.C.A.F., Montreal, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr and Mrs. H. E. Carson.

Mrs. Robert Miller has returned to her home in Lachute after spending the winter months in Montreal.

Miss Lois McFaul, nurse-in-training at the Homoeopathic Hospital, Montreal, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart McFaul, over the week-end.

Miss Una Shecter, of Montreal, is now teaching in Lachute High School, replacing Mr. Crawford Anderson, who is a patient in hospital in Montreal.

Proceeds from the Lachute W. I. bridge party, held Tuesday evening in the Auditorium, amount to over $100; this sum will be applied to the Institute funds for war services.

Mrs. John Hope spent last week-end visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. Fisher and Dr. Fisher, in Ottawa.

Mr. Lionel Upton, teacher at Lachute High School, has left to take up military training at Huntingdon.

Mr. Douglas Todd, of Montreal, spent the week-end and early part of this week visiting friends in town.

Miss Effie Pollock, of Montreal, spent a few days last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pollock.

Mrs. H. S. King, who has been spending the past few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Albert MacDonald, has returned to her home in Sanmaur, Que.

Messrs. F. S. McGibbon and J. S. Giles were in Ottawa this week attending the annual convention of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities, being held at the Chateau Laurier.

The Senior C.G.I.T. of Lachute United Church wish to announce that their Spitfire Raffle, for an Ayers' overthrow, will be held during the performance at Rex Theatre on Saturday, May 3rd.

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CUSHING WEST

Mr. Ainslie Dowd, of Ottawa, spent the latter part of the week with his friends here.

Mrs. Leon Tessier, who spent the winter in Montreal and Ottawa, has arrived at her Grece's Point residence, having as her guest Mrs. Murray, of Montreal.

Dr. Cushing and his brother, Mr. Jas. Cushing, spent Saturday here.

Miss Dorothy Weir returned to the city Sunday evening after spending the Easter vacation at her home here.

Mr. Lucien Larose, of Montreal, was the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Ranger, on Sunday.

Mr. H. Young and Miss Edna Young were guests of Mrs. Mattinson for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Hartley, also Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hartley, occupied their cottage over the week-end.

Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton spent last week at her residence here, returning to the city on Sunday with Mr. Pinkerton, who motored up for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whelehan, of Ville Lasalle, and little daughter, also Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown, were motor guests of Mr. and Miss Whelehan on Sunday.

The Ottawa River ice went out unusually early this year and even at Grece's Point the river is now clear. Navigation is soon expected to open.

ARUNDEL

Miss Margaret Norman has spent the past few days as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cooke.

A meeting of Grace Church W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. R. B. Henry on Thursday, April 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Baugh and family, and Mr. Haig Staniforth, spent Sunday at their home here. Master Curll Staniforth, who spent the past week as their guest in Montreal, returned to his home.

Miss Doris Weeks was a recent guest of Mrs. Margaret Smellie.

Master Keith Mashall spent the holidays here visiting friends.

Miss Doris Blomquist spent the Easter holidays with her mother in Lachute.

Miss Mitchell, of Montreal, spent the past few days as guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Graham.

Mr. George Thomson spent a few days at his home here.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. B. Dubeau and his family, Mrs. Douglas Williams, the Misses Rhoda and Greta Dubeau, and son Clarence, in the death of a wife and mother. Mrs. Dubeau passed away on Tuesday, April 15th, after a lengthy illness. Burial, conducted by the Rev. Royle, took place from Grace Church on Thursday, April 17th. Mrs. David Dubeau and the Misses Lucille and Iona Dubeau, of Ottawa, attended the funeral.

CAMBRIA

Mr. Clifford Black, third son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Black, of Mille Isles, and Miss A. Kirpatrick, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kirpatrick, of Britonville, were united in marriage the second week of April. The wedding took place in the city. Mr. Willis Black, a brother, attended. The couple returned to their home on Good Friday evening. The community extends very best wishes.

Mr. Albert Faulconbridge, of Montreal, motored out to Hope Cottage last week for a short time.

Mr. Napoleon Proulx and Miss Fedora Proulx, who spent the winter months in the city, have returned to their home here for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Shearer's daughter and family, of Montreal, spent the Easter holidays here.

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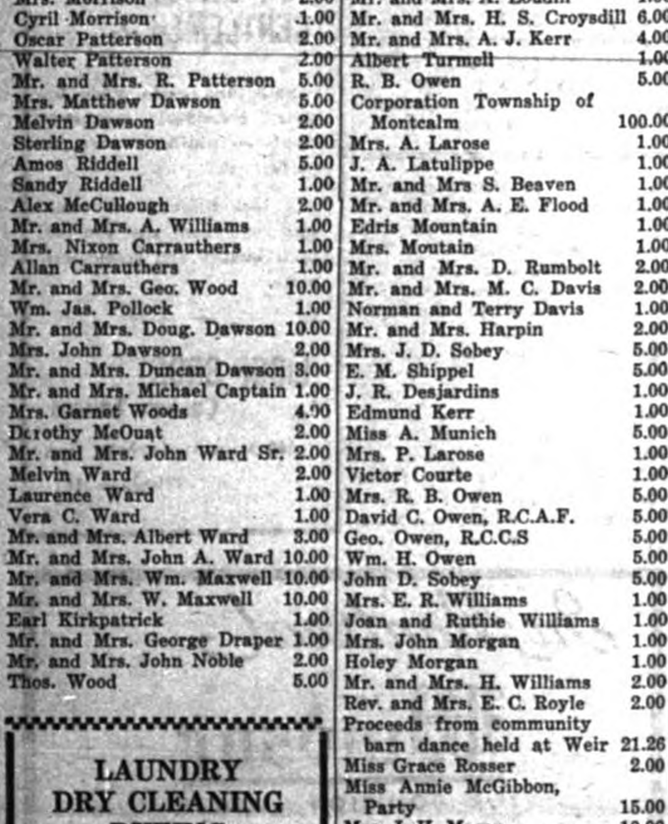
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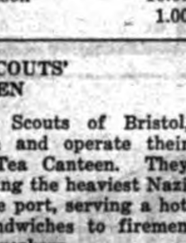
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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

HINTS FOR HOMEBODIES

By JESSIE ALLEN BROWN

Specially written for Readers of The Watchman

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS

Freedom of the Press is one of the essentials of a free country. The present government seems to be very sensitive to adverse criticism. The press of both parties has not approved of all the government has done and has said so. Responsible Editors are careful to print nothing libellous but they should have the right to express their views and to object whenever they think it necessary for the common good. No one questions that the Ministers are doing what they think best, but they are overworked men, and trained thinkers on the outside may see more clearly than those who are swamped with detail. Members of the British Cabinet, judging from the English papers, are subjected to a greater amount of criticism than our Ministers ever get. They get it not only from the press but from the people, as a letter to "The Times" is an English institution, and we have nothing which compares with it. When there has been an outcry by press and people, something is usually done about it. A great man can profit by criticism. All the best brains in the country are not in the government and it is the people's right to make their opinions known through the press.

EYES LEVEL

A sergeant, who was drilling one of the women's volunteer classes, told them if they wanted to walk long distances without feeling tired they must keep their eyes level and never look down at the ground. When you think of it that is the way soldiers march. Always as if they were looking into the far distance. Curiosity impelled me to try it, and one certainly walks more freely and with a corresponding lift in spirits.

KITCHEN CURTAINS

Sometimes one gets curtains that are always a satisfaction. We have just that kind on our kitchen windows. I did not make them myself so maybe I will be excused if I brag a little, and perhaps it may give you a suggestion. Our windows are short, wide ones, over the sink. They are high so do not need curtaining for privacy, but I wanted a wisp of a curtain for color, I did not want the windows covered as there are some lovely apple trees just outside and in the distance is a glimpse of the river with the hills and Mount Bald as a background. The decorator was doing some other curtains and I told him my problem. He said he would make me something I liked and he did. I wanted a touch of red as the walls are green, and the counters black with chronium trim. He made them of red net with a white check. He cut the material diagonally from corner to corner, and finished the cut side with white ball fringe. This gives a curtain with width at the top and that tapers off to a point at the bottom. We hung them on a swinging arm rod and they fall softly and attractively into place. I have my touch of color at the sides and the view is not cut off.

EGGS

Eggs are one of our most important foods and should be used freely in our daily diet. Nutritionists reckon we should use an egg a day for each child and four a week for each adult. Many families use more than this. How does your family compare? The chief thing to watch in cooking eggs is to have a low temperature. Too great a heat makes them tough and more difficult to digest. One man said, 'nothing is like it used to be, even eggs won't boil in three minutes, now.' If you keep the eggs in the refrigerator, where they should be kept, that is very true. A thoroughly chilled egg takes about a minute longer to cook. If you lack rings for poaching eggs, try using lids of pound baking powder cans. Butter the lid lightly, and put the eggs in before putting it in the water.

SHIRRED EGGS

Shirred eggs are just baked eggs, and there are regular dishes for shirring eggs. However you can use a ramekin or even a saucer. Rub the dishes lightly with butter, break in one or two eggs. Place 1/3 teaspoonful of butter on each egg, season with salt and pepper, and bake in a moderate oven of 350 degrees until the eggs are set, about ten minutes.

EGGS IN SUGAR

If you have never tried eggs scrambled in a saucer you have missed something. They have a different flavor than eggs cooked in any other way. Butter a saucer generously, break in one or two eggs and beat until mixed. Add salt, pepper, a bit of butter and a teaspoon of cream or milk for each egg. Cook over a slow heat, stirring gently to remove the thickened egg from the bottom. Do not cook too much as it cooks a little after removing from the fire. These are easily done with a wood or coal stove but I have yet to break a saucer cooking them this way on an electric stove.

Women Take Place in Airline Industry

Winnipeg — Women have been drafted into the airline industry. Trans-Canada Air Lines shops were sacred to the male until recently. Now a dozen young women brighten the plant. Six are engaged in elementary work in the flight instrument laboratory, and the rest are in the upholstery shop. The women workers replace male employees on military service.

Quebec Women to Celebrate Vote Victory

Montreal, April 22 — A conference to celebrate the first anniversary of the enfranchisement of women in the Province of Quebec is being held by the League of Women's Rights in the Windsor Hotel on Friday and Saturday, April 25-26. Hon. Adelard Godbout will be guest speaker at the celebration dinner.

Mrs. Pierre Casgrain, the president, will officiate as chairman of the resolutions committee, Mme. Maurice Cormier, as chairman of the reception committee, and Mrs. Mostyn Lewis as chairman of the program committee.

Women's place in democracy and responsibility for the future will be the main topic under discussion at the conference. Round table discussion groups and talks by guest speakers will feature the program.

HEALTH ARTICLE

By Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, Pres., Chicago Board of Health

CARE DURING PREGNANCY WILL GUARD AGAINST COMPLICATIONS

It seems reasonable for the pregnant woman to prepare herself to take proper care of the infant being formed within her, and at the same time to take care of herself so that the infant will not use essential elements at the expense of the mother's health.

Dr. Howard F. Kane, of the George Washington University School of Medicine, Washington, D. C., has devised a plan of care for the pregnant women which, he believes, if properly carried out, will bring the mother-to-be to the end of her pregnancy in the best possible condition, will help guard against complications, and aid in assuring a healthy baby.

Of course, the first step in the care of the mother is to determine her exact physical condition and to get rid of any defects or weaknesses. This means that, as early as possible in pregnancy, a complete examination should be carried out. If no abnormal conditions are found, there are certain things about which the mother-to-be needs to be advised.

Dr. Kane believes that, during the first three months of pregnancy, exercise should be moderate. During the time when the regular periods are expected, exercise should be avoided. He believes that during these first three months, dancing, swimming and automobile riding should also be avoided. After the third month, dancing, in moderation, is permitted. Swimming, he thinks, is a good form of exercise in that so much of the body surface is exposed to air and sunshine. Long motor trips without sufficient rest, or automobile riding over rough roads also are not permitted. Strenuous sports, like horseback riding, bicycling, tennis and bowling, also should be avoided, although nine holes of golf on a flat course may be played,

The wearing of properly designed corset or supporting garment, according to Dr. Kane, is advisable. This garment, of course, should not press upon the abdomen but rather should aid in supporting it. Women should realize that by wearing such a garment stretching of the abdominal muscles to too great an extent is not permitted, and thus, following the delivery of the baby, the mother is more likely to regain her normal figure.

Dr. Kane is also of the opinion that smoking in moderation is not harmful, but he would limit it to not more than six cigarettes a day. The same thing may be said in regard to the use af alcoholic beverages. They should be employed in great moderation, if at all.

A careful watch must be made of the mother-to-be with regard to her gain in weight. An excessive gain in weight may indicate the beginning of toxemia or poisoning, a serious condition during pregnancy.

Insofar as diet is concerned, he usually would restrict the diet only in the use of fats and starches and sugars. At least eight glassfuls of fluids should be taken daily. One quart of milk a day should be taken in the last months of pregnancy. It may be necessary, in some cases, to give a calcium preparation, such as calcium gluconate or dicalcium phosphate.

Tiredness, cramps in the leg muscles, low blood pressure, as well as generalized itching of the skin may indicate a lack of calcium or lime. Regular tests of the blood should also be carried out, and if the amount of coloring is reduced, some iron preparation should be given by mouth.



THEY'RE COUSINS

British film star, Anna Neagle, finally got together with her 10-year-old second cousin, Margaret Ferguson, war guest from Scotland, during Miss Neagle's weekend visit to Toronto. The actress was looking forward to seeing her but, although Margaret went to the station and got her famous cousin's autograph with other children, she didn't interrupt things to identify herself. When at last they met, Anna was amazed to find Margaret's Scotch accent missing. "You've become a real little Canadian." she said. "That's all right", said Margaret, "I like it here."

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CONSIDER BUDGETS OF GUESTS WHEN PLANNING MARRIAGE SHOWER

Showers given in honor of the bride-to-be may be only "sprinkles" — attractive and useful and inexpensive trifles — or they may be deluges of important and fairly expensive gifts for the new home. Before you decide on the kind of shower to give, give a thought to the budgets of the guests who are to be invited, to the kinds of showers that may already have been given for the bride-elect, and also, and especially, to the home-plans of the couple.

There are several newcomers to the list of showers, notably the Gadget Shower. You can find cleverly-designed devices of all kinds and descriptions and in all price ranges, which will not only delight the bride-elect but also intrigue Her Man.

High in popularity is the buffet accessories shower, accessories in silver, modern pewter, brass alum-silver, modern pewter, brass, alum-copper. This kind of shower offers the advantage of a wide price range, much to be desired in planning such a consequential shower.

Fortunate the bride who has an electric accessories shower given for her. If the number of guests is to be large, it might be wise to assign several groups, each to join financial forces to give one important item.

This is the moment when the bride-to-be is becoming recipe-minded, and she will, therefore, welcome a recipe-shower. You can find excellently-designed recipe-boxes, and recipes printed or typed on cards for the boxes. Then, for some of the extra cards, each guest gathers together and types several of her favorite recipes.

Another inexpensive shower is a Pantry Shower with jars and tins and bottles of "favorite brands." Still another low-budget shower is the Paper Shower, with gifts of shelf-edgings and shelf-papers, paper doilies, lamp shades, decorative wrapping-papers, a "paper trousseau" consisting of letter-papers of various sizes and cards. A Bridge Shower (all necessary items for bridge-table equipment) is also inexpensive. Sometimes, when the girl has been given many kinds of showers, it is amusing to plan a five-and-ten cent shower.

Kitchen showers are often the most welcome. Glassware, china and bathroom accessories showers need especially careful planning nowadays, when there is a question of ensemble, pattern and color to be considered. Linen showers never, of course, lose their popularity, and never have linens been so enchanting and of such varying types and prices. A silver shower is not a usual kind. Sometimes the family of the bride gives the chest of silver and the guests each give a serving piece or a piece of hollowware, in the same pattern as the flat silver.

There doesn't live a bride-elect, I think, who is not enchanted to have a lingerie shower, a stocking shower, a dressing-table accessories or a "beauty accessories" shower.

And when all other inspirations fail, there's always the good old standby — the Miscellaneous Shower !

A good idea, very attractive and personal, is to have each guest enclose with her shower present (instead of her card), a tea-towel with the facsimile of her signature embroidered on it.

GET-TOGETHER

Dear Mrs. Beeckman:

Will you please tell me if the parents of the bride-to-be should invite her fiance's parents to their home after the engagement has been announced? If you tell me they should, will you also tell me if they should be invited to an informal dinner or just for casual refreshments? —Anxious

If the parents of the bride-elect are in the habit of entertaining, it would be natural for them to invite the parents of the fiance and the fiance to their home. The occasion might be an informal dinner, or often is Sunday lunch; it might be for Sunday tea or for Sunday buffet supper.

BEAUTY

Helen Jameson (Mme. Qui Vive)

CARE OF WHITE HAIR

Many women are prematurely grey these days. Old Man Depression may be responsible. Girls who married ten years ago, started to raise families, whose husbands lost their jobs, and whose finances ran low have had a tough time. That strain, worry and anxiety do cause the hair to turn grey is not to be doubted.

Beauty shop bosses say that more hair dyeing is going on than ever before, yet women of forty with frosted locks are legion. Look at the men, too. Many of them grey or getting bald. Something ought to be done about it. The medical profession ought to find a few odd moments for investigating the ups and downs of the human thatch.

Every woman admires snow white hair but she has to be a good soldier to accept it without complaint. The trouble is that there is present the fear that it will date one, make one appear older than the record in the family Bible shows. If the face stays young, if the complexion is unlined, it usually makes a woman look distinguished, doesn't in the least make her seem older. You can hand along that line of talk until you are black in the face but the afflicted one won't believe you.

If she starts flirting with the dye pot, she is in for a long-time, expensive indulgence. It's a toss-up.

The sensible woman will make her cotton top a beauty asset. It will be a shining, silvered nimbus. She will keep it beautifully clean, which means that when she is doing dusty work about the house she will keep her halo covered.

Only the blandest soap should be used for shampooing and it should be melted. If you are white-headed and do your own shampoos, let us suggest that you have a strong current of water and a bath spray. Dipping a sudsy dome into the wash bowl will not remove the soap.

Rinse with the spray to remove surface dust. Friction in plenty of soap, thumbing around the edges of the hair, front, sides and back. Rinse, using water fairly hot; only hot water will flood the soap away. Another soaping, another rinsing. Sometimes three soapings are necessary.

There's a madness now for blue rinser. Well, you like 'em or you don't like 'em. They're all right if the hair is streaked with yellow, but these discolorations can be removed at beauty shops.

It is important that white hair be beautifully arranged. The slightest disorder, and a woman looks blowsy. Hence the long bob should be avoided, as it is impossible to keep the ends in perfect coils. Wide shadow waves and soft puffs form a becoming and dignified hair-do.

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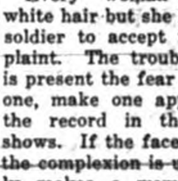
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AUCTION SALES

(See also page six)

At the residence of

LAWRENCE CRUISE,

93 Chatham Street, Lachute, on Saturday, May 10th, at 2.30 p.m.

2 iron beds, 2 springs, 2 mattresses, 1 wooden bed, chest of drawers, kitchen table and 6 chairs, 2 sideboards, odd chairs, small oil heater, refrigerator, sink, dishes, pots and pans, and many other articles.

Terms, cash.

At the residence of —

GORDON A. BROWN,

four miles north of Lowe's Corner, on

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in 5th Range of the Township of Grenville, commencing 9.30 a.m. D.S.T. on Saturday, May 10th. (Lunch will be served at noon.)

Matched team of geldings 7 yrs. old (2,900 lbs.), pure-bred Percheron mare 4 yrs. old)1,500 lbs.), 10 milk cows, 2 beef cows, 5 2yr.-heifers, 2 yrs.-old bull, 1 yr- old heifer, 1-yr.-old bull (all grade Ayrshires), 2 spring heifer calves, brood sow (due middle of May), sow with 6 young ones 5 weeks old, 5-months-old sow, porker about 250 lbs., Plymouth Rock hens, turkey and gobbler.

Frost & Wood horse rake (10 feet) almost new, Frost & Wood oil-bath mower (5 ft. cut) almost new, Lister corn blower, Frost & Wood oil-bath grain binder (5 ft. cut) almost new, manure spreader (Frost & Wood) almost new, Deering broadcast seeder, low waggon (2½-in. tire), cultivator, heavy waggon (3-in. tire), express hayrack with car wheels (30 x 3½) like new, 5-X walking plow, McCormick Deering plow No 308 (new), Vessot oat crusher, Frost & Wood disc harrow, almost new, set smoothing harrows.

Circular saw (long table, 4 ft. cut), Ford engine, rip-saw bench complete, set heavy sleighs (3-in. shoeing), set sleighs (2½-in. shoeing) almost new, 2 wood racks, wood express sleigh 3 seats, single driving sleigh, 2 driving poles, rack sleigh, double steel wing snowplow, fanning mill, Viking cream separator 800 lbs. cap. (like new), 2 sets double harness, set single harness, breast collar, saddle and bridle, horse collars, set of heavy tugs, pair of open bridles, pair of blinder bridles, halters, horse clippers, horse blankets, pr. storm covers.

10 Sheets galvanized iron, cooler, 2 box stoves, 2 12-gal, gas drums, oil drum, 2 steel vises, pipe vises, pipe cutter, set of pipe dies, blacksmith forge, anvil and tools, horse shoeing outfit, set of heavy rope blocks, half ton rope blocks (self locking), 2 horse forks ropes and pulleys, whiffle-trees, neck-yokes, eveners, clevis, swivels, 6 large square-mouth shovels, 4 round-mouth shovels, crow bars and some drill steel, 6 lbs and 14 lbs. sledge hammers, ice tongs, half box glass 12 x 24, axes, cross-cut saws, carpenter tools, standard set of taps and dies, 3 cant-hooks with stocks, 6 hay forks, 3 grape forks, set of augers (about 100 bits of different sizes), 4 corn sickles.

2 Watering cans, 50 ft. rubber hose, 30 ft. 2-in. hose with foot valve, set of corner binds, heavy logging chains and hill chains, 12 cow chains, 2 coal chicken brooders, 2 incubators, 2 belts (5 in. wide), boat (oars and paddles) 2 large fine boards for boats, new chicken crate, 2 sap pans, 2 brush scythes, 3 snaths and scythes, 100 ft. basswood lumber (dressed, ½-inch), 2 rolling colters, 2 coolie cans, 3 5-gal. cream cans, 1 30-gal factory can, 8 milk pails, 300 ft. 2-in. water pipe, some 1-in. water pipe, steel mining car, about 300 ft. double steel rail, set steel wheels for lorry, set of scales (600 lbs.).

Wheelbarrow, slush scraper, half barrel tar, ice box, grindstone, buck-saw, quantity dressed lumber (½-in., 1 in. and 2 x 3), 400 ft. 2 x 4's, quantity dimension hardwood, 1200 ft. 1-in. hemlock, 600 ft. 1-in. basswood, quantity stovewood, 2 coal-oil cans (2½ and 5 gal.), 3 lanterns, 8 lamps, 2 sofa beds, 2 kitchen tables with drop leaf, 10 kitchen chairs, dining room table and chairs, 2 small tables, small parlor set, arm chair, 2 rocking chairs, round table, sewing machine, beds, springs and mattresses, dressers, bedding, comforters, 7 prs. double grey wool blankets, dishes pots, kitchen utensils, Studebaker car (1928), and many articles unmentioned.

Everything to be sold without reserve, as proprietor has sold his farm.

Terms: $10 and under, cash; over that amount, 9 months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes.

—Gordon A. Brown, prop.

Lachute Boxers in Golden Gloves

LIONEL GIRARD FIGHTS IN FINAL TONIGHT

Two members of the Laurentian Boxing Club made their debut in Golden Gloves tournaments this week; they were Lionel Girard and Cleo Hooper, who entered into the Montreal and District elimination battle. Both boys won their first match on Monday night, thereby gaining a place in the semi-finals.

Last evening the semi-finals were held in the Y.M.C.A. Gymnasium, Montreal. Cleo Hooper was the only local member to go in action; Girard won his fight by default, and will battle for the Montreal championship tonight (Thursday).

Hooper's rival last night was H. Girard, of University Club. In the first round Girard opened aggressively and had Hooper on the defensive throughout. In the opening minute of the second frame, Girard was also carrying the fight, but at the half-way mark Hooper caught his adversary squarely on the chin with his stunning straight left, and slowed up Girard's pace. In the last and final round, Hooper came into his own, and gave a good account of himself; he floored his opponent again and, according to reports, if the fight had gone on another minute, Hooper would have won by a knockout. But Girard had piled up enough points in the two rounds to win the decision from Hooper. As the local boy left the ring, he was given a good hand by the crowd.

If Lionel Girard can win his fight tonight, he will be eligible to enter in the Quebec Golden Gloves finals at Quebec City. Leo Girard, promoter of the Laurentian Boxing Club, was in Montreal with his entrants, and much credit for their splendid showing is due to him.

Planning Tennis Season at B'bg

Brownsburg, April 22 —

Tennis in Brownsburg this year may present some difficulties. The one court at the Social Club is now being rolled into shape for early play and should be ready within a very short time. If the number of tennis players have increased in proportion to the increase in the Brownsburg population, the court will be taxed to capacity. There are one or two other alternatives which will be discussed at a meeting of all those interested in playing tennis this summer, which has been called for Thursday April 24th, at 7.15 p.m. at the Social Club.

-From "The Tracer"

Anglers' Banquet Stirs Enthusiasm

TO ORGANIZE CLUB IN BROWNSBURG

Brownsburg, April 22 —

The night of Thursday, April 17th, was murky and gloomy outside, but there was no evidence of gloom inside the staff dining-room at the camps, where about seventy-five ardent Brownsburg anglers gathered at eight o'clock to grace the festive board, exchange "whoppers", see fishing movies, and listen to an interesting guest speaker. The purpose of the banquet was to determine the possibility of forming a local anglers' association or club, with a view to promoting interest in helping the Government to conserve fish and game in this section, as well as to promote fellowship among fishermen from Brownsburg and vicinity, of which there must be some three or four hundred at least.

The banquet got under way with the singing of O Canada (in swing-time, incidentally). The next half-hour was a busy one for all, as a delicious turkey dinner was served which challenged the forces of demolition, but not seriously, as it turned out.

After a sing-song, led by Mr. H. Rumball, Mr. John Duncan assumed his role as chairman, and called upon Mr. O. A. Petersen to introduce one of the guests from Montreal, Mr. V. G. (Vic) Baker, from the C-I-L Publicity Bureau. Before joining the Company, Vic was managing editor of the Canadian outdoor magazine, "Hunting and Fishing in Canada", besides being an ardent fisherman himself, and he was successful in securing a notable guest speaker in the person of Mr. R. S. (Dick) White, whom he introduced.

Dick is the president of the Anglers' Association of Quebec, and Hunting and Fishing editor of the Montreal Gazette. He obtained the interest and attention of all with his informal and congenial manner. He claimed that he was not making a speech, but just having a chat as "one of the fellows" in an endeavour to help form an anglers' club and show what the provincial government was doing to conserve game and fisheries, in order to ensure continued good hunting and fishing. He urged that Brownsburg anglers band together and, in order to have an authoritative outlet for complaints, suggestions, etc., that such a group affiliate itself with the Anglers' Association of Quebec. Dick good-naturedly answered the many questions asked by the fellows and offered his services at all times to give any information on fishing in the Province of Quebec.

In the course of the evening, Mrs. B. McCrory entertained the gathering with tap-dancing, and her excellent interpretation of Irish and Scotch dances. Miss Jean Flynn provided the accompaniment on the piano. Later, movies were shown, and many were the appreciative remarks from the audience during the showing of the films "Gatineau Bass" and "Hook, Line and Sinker."

The evening was voted a huge success, and it is hoped that the many local anglers will band together to form a club in the near future.

—Maurice Thomas, in "The Tracer"

"Maisie" Comes to Screen With Latest Adventure

"Maisie Was A Lady", current episode in the Maisie series, is a picture full of sparkle and good fun.

In this story — featured this week on the Capitol screen — Ann Sothern (Maisie) gets herself a job as a maid in a houseful of rich people. They are the type of movie rich that you're supposed to feel sorry for, because they've got nothing but their millions to console 'em. Well, Maisie tells them what's the matter with them. She manages to get Lew Ayres off his daily binge and weans him down to a mild drunk every other Saturday; she convinces Maureen O'Sullivan, Lew's sister, that the guy she is about to marry is a cad who's only after money. . . After everyone is told off, put on the road to pure and simple living standards, Maisie trudges on to, we suspect, another movie.

All the supporting roles are played in character. Nothing is wrong with Maureen, Lew, C. Aubrey Smith, or any of the others—except that you know all about them the minute they first emerge on the screen. Directed by Edward L. Martin.

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SPITFIRE SHOW

The Young People's Society of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church are holding a Spitfire benefit show at the Rex Theatre on Wednesday, April 30th. Shows at 7.15 and 9.30. Admission 35c. Come and support a worthy cause. A 24-2 c.

ANNUAL SPRING RUMMAGE SALE

The ladies of Lachute United Church are holding their annual spring rummage sale on April 25 and 26 at Mr. Geo. Y. Deacon's Store, 92 Main St. This sale was formerly held at the store of the late Mrs. W. J. Todd.

DANCE

A dance will be held in the L.O.B.A. Hall, 14 Hope Street, Lachute, under auspices of Laurentian Lodge on Saturday, May 3rd. Please keep the date open.

M1-2p.

W. I. AMATEUR PROGRAM

An Amateur Program will be held in Lachute Auditorium in aid of the Spitfire Fund under auspices of Pioneer Women's Institute, on May 8th. Anyone wishing to compete, write Mrs. J. MacKenzie, R. R. 2, Lachute, or phone 912-r-21. M1-2c.

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SUN., MON., TUES., APRIL 27-28-29
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Many local volunteer organizations have already completed plans for a Salvage Campaign in their districts. More will follow. Quickly, we hope, all Canada will be organized to "clean out and clean up on Hitler"!

Every day of every week until this war is won, every scrap of material which can be profitably salvaged in the area in which you live must be saved, collected and turned into war production material and money.

A careful study and survey is being made throughout Canada by this Department as to the type and class of salvage which will realize the greatest return in your community. If this information is not now in the hands of your local Salvage Committee or your Municipal Council, have them communicate with the Supervisor, National Salvage Campaign, New Supreme Court Building, Ottawa.

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When the Campaign starts in your community, we ask that you give it your unqualified support.

Issued by authority of Honourable James G. Gardiner, Minister

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