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DEVELOPMENTS ON THE AGRICULTURAL FRONT

Bacon to Play Important War Role

Civil Servants to Benefit by Cost-of-Living Bonus on the Same Basis as Govt. Advice to Private Employers

FINANCE MINISTER ILSLEY TOURING WEST IN INTERESTS OF WAR SAVINGS CAMPAIGN

— THE WEEK IN OTTAWA —

Specially Written for The Watchman
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Ottawa, Sept. 5, (CP) — New evidence of the important part the Canadian bacon hog is destined to play in winning the war comes from the Department of Agriculture in the details now available of the new bacon agreement with the British Ministry of Food and prohibitions on the export of feed grain from Canada.

Canada has undertaken to supply Britain with 600,000,000 pounds of Wiltshire sides in the year starting Oct. 1st. This represents a considerable stepping up from the 425,000,000-pound contract which runs out at the end of September.

It means more hogs must be fattened on Canadian farms and, with small crops this year and increased demands for feed from dairy farmers who are producing cheese for Britain, the government has acted to protect Canada's feed supplies. The export of barley, oats, low grade wheat and mill feeds has been prohibited.

These developments on the agricultural front took place as Prime Minister Mackenzie King toured the camps and stations of Canada's fighting forces in Great Britain and held long conferences with Prime Minister Churchill and other members of the British cabinet.

Complete Control

Centralization of control over price-fixing and the supply of goods and services essential to the prosecution of the war is the latest government move in the economic field.

Less than a month ago the Wartime Prices and Trade Board was transferred from the Labor Department to jurisdiction of Finance Minister Ilsley. Now it has been clothed with supreme authority in the price-control field.

For the first time since its formation shortly after the outbreak of hostilities it has been given explicit authority to pass judgment on prices fixed by all other governmental agencies—not only Federal but provincial as well.

At the same time its functions have been interlocked with those of the Wartime Industries Control Board which now is headed by R. C. Berkinshaw, the director-general of priorities. Mr. Berkinshaw is a member of the Prices and Trade Board and Hector McKinnon, Prices and Trade Board head, joins the Industries Control Board. Thus each board will be kept closely advised of actions contemplated by the other.

Until now each of the various controllers appointed by Munitions Minister Howe has had full authority over his own particular field, subject, of course, to ministerial approval. Under the new set-up Mr. Berkinshaw will have power to veto their decisions. Each controller must go to him for approval of orders he intends to issue.

A joint statement by Finance Minister Ilsley and Munitions Minister Howe said the Industries Control Board has been given complete control of the supply and allocation of commodities and materials essential to the war effort. The statement contained a strong intimation that action may soon be taken to curb instalment buying, a move which has been rumored for some weeks. It said restriction of purchases on the instalment plan "would appear to be in the national interest under wartime conditions."

Finance Minister Ilsley is touring Western Canada this week in the interest of the war savings campaign. Besides making a number of speeches Mr. Ilsley is conferring with local committees pushing the sale of war savings stamps and certificates.

Bonus and Labor

During last week Mr. Ilsley brought good news to many thousands of civil servants when he announced payment of a cost of living bonus to government employees. The bonus, which at the start will have a maximum of $11.91 a month, goes to all manual workers and to all clerical and supervising employees who earn less than $2,100 a year.

In paying the bonus the government follows the advice it has been giving to private employers throughout the country for nearly a year since the passage of Order-in-Council P.C. 7440 which set forth the wartime labor policy.

And at the week-end Labor Minister McLarty said in a Labor Day statement that Canadian labor had done a great job in furthering the war program. He was confident his request for a still further reduction in the time-loss caused by international disputes would be met. He announced a 100 per cent expansion in the conciliation service of the Labor Department in order to assist in the speedy adjustment of difficult labor situations.

"Mistakes will be made in the exigencies of rushing the tools of war over to England, but such matters will be adjusted — and must be adjusted — round a conference board," the Minister said.

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To Warn Vendors Strict Observance Of Pasteurization

COUNCIL HOLDS PETITION OF FIRE CHIEF DEACON IN ABEYANCE

VOTE OF CONFIDENCE IS PASSED ON BEHALF OF MAYOR LAMARCHE

The regular meeting of Town Council was held in the council chamber last evening, with Mayor H. Lamarche presiding. There were present Aldermen F. S. McGibbon, E. Prevost, H. Roy, Jos. Speight, S. Holt, A. Scott, L. St. Jacques, R. Muir and W. Morrisette.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed, a vote of confidence having been passed to Mayor Lamarche as mayor.

Reference was made to complaints of sale of unpasteurized cream, and Mr. L. W. Armstrong, county sanitary inspector, reported there had been a little difficulty with some of the pasteurization plants in regulating them, but he thought by the end of this week that everything would be in order.

Ald. S. Holt moved that notice be given to all vendors of milk and cream, to observe strictly the pasteurization by-law.

P. Lachance, caretaker of the memorial park, applied for an increase of pay, and on motion of Ald. Morrisette, seconded by Ald. Muir, it was decided to raise his salary from $12 to $15 weekly.

Edgar Jackson was appointed as caretaker of the chlorination plant at a salary of $25 monthly, on motion of Ald. Scott, seconded by Ald. Holt.

Fire Chief Geo. Y. Deacon appeared before the meeting, and asked if council had taken any action as to his request for increase of salary. He stated he had served the town for 22 years, but felt that the citizens and council were not appreciative of the work he had done. Ald. McGibbon assured Fire Chief Deacon however, that his services were deeply appreciated. Mr. Deacon replied that the corporation had a strange way of showing it, when council were paying him only 90cts a day. He added that he was kept on duty all day Sunday in case any fire call might be received. Mayor Lamarche informed the Fire Chief that council were studying the situation, and would report later, as new arrangements were pending.

Food Prices Up 60 p.c. in England

London, Sept. 1 (CP) — Wholesale food prices have increased 60 per cent since the start of the war, the Chamber of Commerce estimates. There was an increase of 53 per cent in the general index of prices since war started and prices of industrial materials and manufactures advanced 53 per cent.

Britain's R.A.F. Strikes Hard — An Artist's Impression



The battering of the German war machine by the R.A.F. goes on during day and night, and Germany herself has been struck frequently in daylight. Nazi defences on the French coast have received particular attention. Invasion ports, naval yards, anti-aircraft batteries have received severe damage, and this artist's impression shows an attack by British Spitfires on a Nazi anti-aircraft gun. The Luftwaffe has been forced back by at least 100 miles from their bases on the French coast, and this has greatly weakened their attacks on Britain. As Mr. Winston Churchill said, "We will bomb Germany by day as well as by night in ever-increasing measure . . ." and with the American long-range bombers, deeper and deeper thrusts will be made to Germany's industrial and war factories.

Six Weddings in Two Parishes on Single Morning

RUMORED MARRIAGE TAX MAY HAVE BEARING

WITHOUT BASIS, ACCORDING TO AUTHORITY HERE

A total of six marriages were solemnized last Saturday morning in the two Catholic parishes of this town — three at Ste. Anastasie Church and three at St. Julien Church. The ceremonies commenced at 7. a.m. and many citizens awakened that morning to the sounding of auto horns, which is the usual accompaniment to wedding processions in this countryside.

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While it may have no direct relation to this epidemic of marriages, many young couples in the district have been concerned with a tax regulation supposedly due to come into effect September 1st. Local lawyers had been consulted on a rumored tax or bond of $200, to be imposed by the Federal authority, for which single men of military age may be permitted to marry and come within the married class.

Consulted by The Watchman on this question, Geo. H. Héon, B.A., LL.M., gives his opinion there is absolutely no foundation for this rumor . . . A federal tax would be ultra vires in the formalities of marriage, he states, inasmuch as these provisions, under the British North America Act, fall entirely to the jurisdiction of the provinces. And insofar as Quebec is concerned, the Civil Code, which governs matters of civil procedure including marriage, shows nothing to authorize levy of a tax apart from ecclesiastic marriage license — nor has there been any amendment to permit such tax.

The rumor, current recently in this section, is therefore without legal foundation and may have originated only as a joke.

Canada Well in Her Stride --- Impression From Editors' Tour of Camps, Industries

GOVT. DEPARTMENTS, MILITARY OFFICIALS, INDUSTRIAL HEADS COLLABORATE IN WELL-PLANNED PROGRAM

— By J. S. GILES —

During the last week of August the Dominion Government invited 60 editors of the daily, weekly and magazine sections of the press of Canada to join a tour of inspection of certain war production plants and military camps. It was the privilege of the writer to be included in this number, and we are frank to admit that what we saw has convinced us that, whatever shortcomings there may have been in the past, Canada is now taking her full stride in the production of war materials and the building up of her war services.

Lest our readers gain the impress that this trip was a joy ride, we would disillusion them at once, for it was a week of intensive travel in which we visited numerous camps, plants and shipyards — in Hamilton, Brantford, Toronto, Malton, Oshawa, Camp Borden, Petawawa, Ottawa, Brockville, Montreal, Sorel, Valcartier, Quebec, Debert and Halifax.

The whole tour was a revelation of what Canada is capable of, when put to the test; and it is our earnest hope that when the post-war period comes — as it surely will, with a victorious peace — the Canadian people will be as ready to meet the new conditions which peace will entail in every democracy.

The party gathered at the Royal Connaught Hotel in Hamilton on Saturday, August 23rd, where registrations took place, and following luncheon at 12 o'clock we started on our tour of inspection, accompanied by W. G. Clark, Director of Public Relations for Army and Air; G. H. Lash, Director of Public Information; and Kim Beattie, Public Relations (Army). Brigadier K. Stuart, D.S.O., M.C., Vice-Chief of the General Staff, with other members of the staff, were also present to give information and answer questions of interest.

The itinerary of the trip had been worked out in detail, and all members of the party were acquainted with their program from day to day. The organizers, above mentioned, were warmly complimented on the efficient manner in which their program had been prepared.

The visits commenced with an inspection of the Army Trades School at Hamilton, where they are training Soldier Tradesmen, then on to the Basic Training Centre at Brantford, followed by a visit to the National Steel Car Corporation, then on Sunday attending the Canadian National Exhibition where the party were shown the various types of planes, tanks, guns, automatic weapons, small arms, shells, etc.

We were then given the opportunity to visit the beautiful gardens of Col. R. S. MacLaughlin, president of General Motors Corporation, and were privileged to wander around at ease and enjoy his hospitality on the terrace overlooking the Italian garden.

In the evening a banquet was tendered to us in the Genosha Hotel, Oshawa, where Mr. Victor Sifton, Master General of the Ordnance, Ottawa, presided and at which the guest speaker was Col. MacLaughlin, who spoke of the splendid spirit of co-operation existing between the large industrialists in their efforts to beat the Huns.

Another banquet was tendered the party on their arrival in Ottawa. This was given at the Country Club, where we had the pleasure of hearing from Col. the Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence, Major C. G. Power, Air Minister, and Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions and Supply. Short addresses were also given by Mr. Rupert Davies, president of the Canadian Daily Newspapers, Walter H. Legge, President of the C.W.N.A., and Mr. Floyd Chalmers, representing the Canadian Periodicals.

Speaking very forcibly, Hon. Mr. Ralston told the press that the war is not won because Russia is now engaged with the Germans. "We haven't begun to win this war, so far. All we have done as yet is to avoid losing it. The year 1941 is only our year of preparation, and we are getting ready for the grim struggle which lies ahead." The Minister said approximately 100,000 men in the Canadian Army are now serving in the British Isles area. Nearly 225,000 additional volunteers are in Canadian uniform, for service anywhere in the world for the duration of the war.

The only other function was that extended by the Naval Officers at Admiralty House, and this was the final wind-up of the tour.

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H.M.S. Duke of York



Britain's latest battleship, the Duke of York, launched by the Queen last year, was recently reported as ready to take her place with the fleet.

Inventions to Save Oil and Gasoline

Winnipeg — C. Nelson Pogue of Winnipeg, who invented a carburetor which he claimed would take a standard motor car 200 miles on a gallon of gasoline and which was later reported stolen, announced last week that he and his associates have offered two inventions for saving oil and gasoline to the Canadian army.

He said he offered ordnance officials in Ottawa a carburetor that will increase mileage per gallon almost 100 per cent and an oil reclaimer which he said would effect a material saving in oil consumption.

Country Store Sales Increase 20 per cent In Southern Quebec

Ottawa Sept. 3—Country general store sales averaged 13 per cent higher in July of this year than last, according to returns received from approximately 700 of these general merchandise stores located in the smaller towns and rural areas, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics said yesterday.

All regions reported gains ranging from eight per cent for British Columbia to 20 per cent for the southern part of Quebec. Sales for Ontario increased by 10 per cent; Saskatchewan, 12 per cent; Alberta, 13 per cent; Quebec, 15 per cent; the Maritime Provinces, 16 per cent and Manitoba, 17 per cent.

An optimist is anyone who planted watermelons right along the roadside.

OPTIMISM FOR COMING YEAR AT ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING

Presentation of Awards, Scholarships

RESPONSIBILITY OF PARENTS IN EDUCATION OF CHILD IS STRESSED BY SPEAKERS AT LACH. HIGH SCHOOL "CLOSING" EXERCISES

A large gathering of scholars, parents and High School officials assembled in Lachute Auditorium Tuesday evening, for the school "closing" exercises and distribution of prizes. Mr. Geo. Y. Deacon, chairman of the Board, directed the proceedings and on the platform were Principal C. L. Hall, School Commissioners E. K. Wilson, S. S. Campbell, J. W. Gall and W. T. Jackson; Jas. McGibbon, M.P.; Dr. G. H. Clunie, Secretary; Inspector L. J. King; the Revs. W. B. Rosborough, E. Orsborn and S. J. Pike; Mrs. C. L. Duncan and Mrs. A. Pollock, representing the County W.I.; and a number of the prize donors. Messages of regret were received from the Hon. Geo. E. Dansereau, M.L.A., and Mr. Geo. Héon, who were unable to be present.

The opening prayer was offered by the Rev. Rosborough, after which the Rev. Orsborn addressed the meeting and in his remarks placed a great responsibility upon the parents of the schoolchildren. Stating that he had made enquiries regarding the reputation of Lachute High School before coming here to live, he had been told that the school was the finest in the province outside the City of Montreal. He admitted there was widespread disappointment in this community over the failures of many students last year, and he was certain that the school board and teachers would do their best to solve the problem this year. Claiming that he was not speaking from the teacher's or school board's point of view, but as a parent, he said that a heavy responsibility rests upon the parents of school children, and that if they were doing their duty thoroughly, children would not be allowed to spend their evenings wastefully on the streets when a full time job was theirs, in studying at home.

Mr. Rosborough then appealed for co-operation between the parents, the school board and the children. He viewed the splendid tradition of Lachute High School, and was confident that every effort would be taken to overcome any failure of last year. In closing, Mr. Rosborough expressed a hope for success in the new term.

Greetings from Brownsburg were brought by the Rev. Pike. He appealed to the school boards of Lachute and Brownsburg to make contact and discuss the problem of transportation for pupils from his community that may be taking grade eleven at Lachute. He hoped that in future more pupils from Brownsburg would be able to avail themselves of the opportunity to attend the matriculation class.

Inspector King, in a message to the pupils, voiced the sentiments of gratitude they should have in the privilege of attending school, when so many children are denied the opportunity. He stated a case that he had recently visited, where out of a family of nine children only two had ever had the means to attend school. He claimed that the fellowship of the school was a great influence, where children of different Protestant denominations are welded together in unity. Character building is just as important in school life as the exams, he said — adding that Lachute High was training future teachers of the county, therefore a great responsibility rested upon school board, teachers and pupils alike.

Mr. Jas. McGibbon, M.P. for Argenteuil, was next called upon to address the gathering. Mr. McGibbon said it was an honor to be able to attend this assembly. Although he was an old pupil of the school, he said, for a number of years he had lost track of the happenings; but now, however, he was doubly interested in the progress of the school — referring possibly to the fact that his children are there in attendance. "Though there are disappointments, there is no good in looking back", said Mr. McGibbon, "We must try and make the future year a success." He then centred his remark around the point of discipline, "not the discipline of the school room where the teacher goes around with a cane", continued Mr. McGibbon, "but the discipline where the utmost of endeavor and effort will give the desired reward." That the community should respect the school principal and staff was essential, and the co-operation of all is required for ultimate success. In a few words to the children, he said, "The eyes of the future are focused upon Canada," and that with the great development taking place in Canadian industry, the future will be bright, though a tremendous responsibility rests with the pupils now at school to make the most of those opportunities.

Chairman Geo. Y. Deacon next called upon the school principal, Mr. C. L. Hall. With the object of

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QUEBEC ROADS TO BE KEPT OPEN THROUGH THE WINTER SEASON

Recent rumours to the effect that the Provincial Government was seriously contemplating the abandonment of winter road maintenance as a gasoline conservation measure have been refuted in a statement by Deputy Minister of Roads Arthur Bergeron to the Royal Automobile Club of Canada.

In representations made to the Provincial Government by the Royal Automobile Club, it was pointed out that the enormous amount of munitions traffic carried on the highways was one of several reasons why winter roads should be kept open this year.

Motorists Urged To Exercise Care In School Zones

QUEBEC SAFETY LEAGUE ISSUES APPEAL TO ALL DRIVERS

PARENTS ALSO HAVE RESPONSIBILITY TO IMPRESS DANGERS

With the re-opening of schools this week, Quebec Safety League has issued a warning to motorists passing school safety zones.

Twenty-seven years ago, in 1914, when the first great preventive campaign was launched by Col. Arthur Gaboury, now secretary of the League, all vehicle drivers were requested to help in making a success of this campaign, which was at that time considered a remarkable enterprise, being the first of its kind in Canada. The following words are from a letter dated September of that year: "My friend. The re-opening of the schools takes place this week, our streets are filled with children on their way to or from schools. On us devolves the important duty to protect these little ones. Yes, my friend, let us protect the little children. There are schools, colleges or convents everywhere; become familiar with their location and when approaching or passing these places, redouble your vigilance and take every precaution, so as to protect these little ones from dangers of the streets. Do not trust them, a young child is playful and active and moves rapidly and often unexpectedly, and if you are not on guard, a jump or a step in the wrong direction may result in the loss of a young life. Protect them, my friend, will you?"

Mr. Gaboury maintains that the conditions of today are much worse, due to the fact that schools have nearly doubled with the passing of the years, while the number of automobiles has increased ten times. Naturally, in proportion to these, hazards have also considerably increased, thus explaining the reason why the Safety League is so tenacious in calling upon all citizens to safeguard the lives of the children.

In conclusion, Mr. Gaboury declares that in reading the daily newspapers, it should suffice the population towards realizing how very important is this present day problem. Motorists were not the only people involved. Parents also had a definite share towards protecting the school children.

Bishop's Visit to Parishes Postponed

Morin Hts. — It is learned with regret that Bishop Carlisle of Montreal has had to postpone his September engagements due to a throat ailment. The Bishop had planned on visiting New Glasgow, Mills Isles and Morin Heights on September 9th and 10th, but these dates will now be changed to early in October.



Can you

Answer These?

Every man, woman and child in this community benefits from the pulp and paper industry; it is Canada's greatest industry. Here are some questions about it. See how many you can answer, then try the questions out on your family, friends and neighbours.

1. **The area of Canada is roughly 3½ million square miles. How many square miles are forest?**
2. **Which is the larger—forest lands or lands used for agriculture?**
3. **How much of our standing timber is suitable for the manufacture of pulp and paper?**
4. **What are the chief enemies of our forests?**

1. Roughly one and a quarter million square miles of Canada are forest. 2. Forest lands; the accessible and currently productive forest areas alone are three times the area devoted to agriculture. 3. Over 80%. 4. Fire, fungus and insects; they destroy more than half as much wood as all Canada's forest industries use.

THE PULP AND PAPER INDUSTRY OF CANADA
073 SUN LIFE BUILDING MONTREAL

Gas Saving Exhibit In Electrical Building At Toronto Exhibition

Toronto — Any motorist would like to cut his gasoline bill from 40 to 45 per cent on a 5,000-mile trip. How this can be done was shown in the gas saving exhibit in the Electrical Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.

The display under the auspices of the Oil Controller's Office in the Department of Munitions and Supply, emphasizes that it is patriotic to save gasoline. It stresses also that it is profitable.

It shows how an ordinary car like the lower-priced, medium-sized one in the exhibit, may be put into condition so as to give increased mileage per gallon and drastically cut the cost of gas consumption. Such a car uninspected and unchecked will use 417 gallons of gasoline in a 5,000-mile trip, giving only 12 miles to the gallon whereas the same car, properly examined and adjusted, will use only 227 gallons of gas and give 22 miles to the gallon. At 31 cents a gallon, gas consumed by the unchecked vehicle would cost $129.25 whereas that used by the adjusted motor would be $70.30. In other words, the driver would save $58.95 on the 5,000-mile trip. And he would have saved 190 gallons of gasoline with which to bomb Berlin !

It's a sprightly looking vehicle that forms the centre of the gas saving exhibit, all decorated as it is with red ribbons and plummage. But it has the wheezes and the chokes and a flattish tire. The gaudy decorations are for a purpose — to call the attention of the onlooker to the 17 ways of saving gasoline. An enormous card on the roof of the car lists the 17 points, while a ribbon flows out from each one to the part of the car where, properly adjusted, the wastage could be prevented. One point emphasizes the wastage caused by improper air pressure in the tires. The tire on the right front wheel is seven pounds below normal: bring it up to normal and the motorist will get another two miles to the gallon, G. H. York, who is in charge of the exhibit, and assisted by John Roy, explains to the interrogator.

Bicycle Mishap Near Hawkesbury Proves Fatal to Girl, 18

Hawkesbury — Anita Lafrance, 18, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Lafrance, was fatally injured Sunday in an accident three miles east of St. Eugene, when the bicycle she was riding skidded and slipped underneath the rear wheels of a truck laden with stones and gravel, driven by Leon Paquette, of Dragon, Que.

A jury after viewing the body adjourned the inquest till September 8th. According to Dr. M. Powers, district coroner, the girl's two legs were almost severed.

Boy Plays With Loaded Rifle, Kills His Brother

Raymond Avlin, 12-year-old son of Henri Avlin, farmer of Ste. Lucie, near Ste. Agathe, was accidentally shot and killed by his brother, Marcel, aged 10, at their home on Monday.

According to testimony given at an inquest held by Dr. J. R. Brais, district coroner, the boys' father had been out hunting and on his return home he left his loaded rifle against the wall near the doorway of the house. Unaware that the gun was loaded the younger boy aimed it at his brother and, pulling the trigger, sent a bullet through his body. He died almost instantly.

The coroner's verdict was accidental death.

Tourist Traffic Lags Behind 1939 Figures

Sept. 2 — During the week ending August 23, 38,091 sixty day automobile permits were issued at border points to tourists entering Canada, according to a statement issued today by Walter P. Zeller, Executive Assistant to Hon. J. T. Thorson, Minister of National War Services. These figures are based on reports received from fifteen border points and represent better than 75% of the total border traffic for the week.

While these figures show an increase over those of the corresponding week in 1940 when 29,409 sixty day permits were issued, they are below the corresponding week of 1939 during which the permits totalled 42,540.

Windsor, Ontario, which for the week ending August 16 showed a slight decrease in tourist traffic as compared with 1940, last week reported a substantial increase. Windsor figures for the week ending August 23 were 9,339 as compared with 6,951 during the corresponding week in 1940 and 11,403 during the corresponding week in 1939.

The total number of sixty day permits for the week ending August 16 of this year were 39,330 as compared with 33,372 in 1940 and 59,941 in 1939.

1904 Model Averages 30 Miles to A Gallon

Boston — Massachusetts gasoline conservators cast an approving eye on the 1904 model one-cylinder automobile in which Mr. and Mrs. George C. Green of Lambertsville, N.J., hit town last week. Green says it chug-chugs no more than 25 miles an hour and averages 30 miles to the gallon. It has travelled to California, Mexico and Canada without mishap.

"We were surrounded by natives," related the explorer. "They uttered savage cries, danced madly and beat the earth with their clubs . . . "

"Sounds like golf," said the bored listener.

British Air Chief in Tomahawk



Air Chief Marshal Sir Charles Portal, K.C.B., D.S.O., M.C., Britain's Chief of Air Staff, visits a Royal Air Force station to inspect newly-arrived American-built aircraft which will be put into operational service with the Royal Air Force. . . Sir Charles Portal is seen here in the cockpit of a Curtiss Tomahawk fighter, an excellent American aircraft which has proved its worth with the R.A.F. in the Middle East.

People of Hull Are Heroes to Queen

Their Majesties Make Second Mercy Visit to Much Bombed Port

Hull, England, Aug. 30, (CP) — "You are all heroes," Queen Elizabeth told the people of Hull when she and the King paid their second visit to this much-bombed eastern coast city.

The Royal couple spent a crowded morning visiting the worst damaged parts of the city, talking to heroes of air raids and men and women whose homes were destroyed.

"Do you live here?" the King asked a woman outside the remains of a shattered building in one of the heaviest bombed districts of the city. "Yes, sir," she said. "It what is left of our home. All the windows are out." "So are mine at Buckingham Palace," His Majesty replied.

"I think Hull is one of the worst blitzed towns in the country," the Queen said at the end of the tour.

Veterans of Last War Selected for Service Overseas

Ottawa — Selected from Veterans Guard of Canada units from all parts of the Dominion a General Duty Company is training at Lansdowne Park in Ottawa for service overseas.

This company of men, all of whom served in the last war, consists of a Headquarters and three platoons of picked men whose duties overseas will be providing guards and pickets, Air Raid Precautions and Passive Aid Defence. They will be attached to Canadian Military Headquarters, London.

Straw Pulp for Cattle Fodder

New British Process Trebles Feeding Value

(By Mail)

London — One million tons of straw can be given the feeding value of 500,000 tons of cereals by a new pulping process which is the latest contribution of agricultural science to Britain's food-growing campaign.

At a cost of only £30, a plant can be built by farm labour which, by soaking 400 lb. of straw in caustic soda, will produce 1,400 lb. of straw pulp each day, enough to provide a daily ration for 20 fattening beasts, or twice as many young animals. Already installed on 250 farms in the United Kingdom, the plant consists of two concrete tanks separated by a ramp and occupying 12 ft. by 12 ft. of ground.

Livestock can normally utilise only from one-half to one-third of the nourishment in straw, chaff or cavings, but pulping makes these materials palatable and doubles or trebles their breeding value. Thus each ton of straw yields 3½ tons of straw pulp, and 100 lb. of straw pulp, whether from wheat, barley or oat straw, has the feeding value of 9 lb. starch, 11 lb. maize, 12½ lb. barley or rice meal, 15 lb. oats, 15 lb. dried sugar-beet pulp, 120 lb. mangolds or 130 lb. swedes. Balanced up with a suitable protein food such as ground-nut cake, it is relished by fattening or growing cattle, dairy cows or lambing ewes.

The pulping can easily be fitted into farm routine, one ton of straw requiring only 10 man-hours' labor, 180 lb. of caustic soda and 6,000 gals. of water.

First Canadian Steamship Was Built in Montreal

Ottawa—From the earliest days of navigation in Canada it became apparent that water carriage presented the cheapest and easiest manner of transporting merchandise from place to place. Canoes were first used for this purpose but with the growing trade in furs, timber, and agricultural products these were superseded from time to time by bateaux, sailing vessels, and steamships.

It is interesting to note that the first steamship in Canada, the "Accommodation," was built in Montreal by Honourable John Molson and was launched in 1809. She was a vessel of eighty-five feet in length and originally was provided with berths for twenty passengers. A steam-engine of English manufacture propelled her open double-spoked, perpendicular side-wheels. Her maiden voyage was from Montreal to Quebec on November 3, 1809, which distance was covered in sixty-six hours.

During the war of 1812-14 this ship rendered notable service between Quebec and Montreal.

The Historic Sites and Monuments Board recognizing this as an event of national importance in the industrial progress of the Dominion recommended its commemoration and a suitably inscribed bronze tablet has accordingly been affixed to the front of the building at 1670 Notre Dame Street East, Montreal.

Brass-Pounders Now Handle Bugs

Montreal, Aug. 25 — Telegraphers, like newspapermen, have a language of their own and their characterizations sound strange to the uninitiated. "Brass Pounder" is a nickname for a Morse operator which originated in the earlier days of telegraphy when the "keys" were made of brass. Modern sending instruments, such as those in use by the Canadian National Telegraphs at big sporting gatherings and other events which are swiftly recorded in "running stories", are high speed in action, their easier operation lessening the strain on the operator. In the profession these senders are known as "Bugs"; the trade name of "Vibroflex", suggesting vibrations and flexibility, is actually never used by workers — who, like newspapermen, always speak of a typewriter as a "Mill."

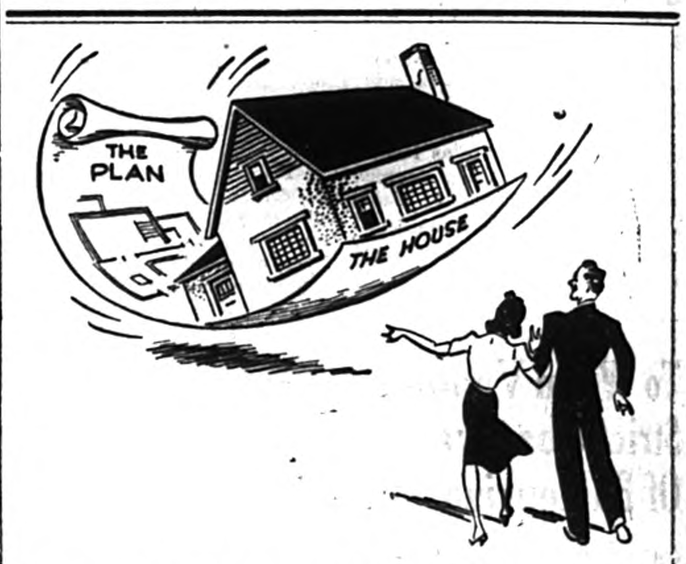
Bush Fires Demonstrate Value of New Materials

Frontier Towns with Modern Homes Protected Against Spreading Flames

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An Unplanned Asset

The Town of Lachute is peculiarly blessed. All the cars, trucks and buses parked on Main Street on a busy night — did you ever stop to wonder where they would be placed if the thoroughfare were only half its present width?

By some chance circumstance now buried with the bones of our pioneers, building was commenced with an unreasonable breadth of space between the two sides of what is now our busiest roadway. We say "unreasonable" because at that time it must have been so; much as we would like to credit early townsmen with far-sightedness, none could possibly have foreseen this era of the gasoline buggy and its attendant need for parking space on Saturday nights. In those days the centre of Main Street was an expanse of grass and sand. It seems only a few years since it was put to its present use.

Most communities are paying dearly, today, for the haphazard growth of their townsites. Expropriations are costly, and the widening and straightening of streets is well nigh impossible. Like Topsy, those towns just "growed", for there was no planning in the early days when foundations were laid secure and roadbeds were threaded between them. . . Like Topsy, too, Lachute just growed; and in the instance of our Main Street — which now provides a welcome space for double parking in its centre lane — we are mighty thankful it grew that way.

Complaints on Local High School Attainments

Disappointment is felt among many parents of this school district over the poor showing of pupils in the upper grades of Lachute High School last year. There is a reflection here of major significance, for Lachute has always prided itself upon a high standing of education and on other social amenities which merit the name of a progressive community.

The Watchman, duly recognizing the many achievements of our Protestant School Board, offers no censure or recommendation. But, inasmuch as this is a problem to be solved between parents and the school board, we give space and consideration this week to a letter giving the typical viewpoint of a Lachute parent. The letter appears on this page. We accept no sponsorship of these views, yet we feel they deserve public expression; contrary opinions will receive equal privilege, for the object is to improve a detrimental situation.

There have been complaints of this kind from the parents of Lachute. At the same time it is a recognized fact that our teachers are poorly paid. Our only suggestion, therefore, is that these two facts may be related, in the regrettable outcome of school examinations last June; and, in the last analysis, it is the results which count.

We submit this problem to all who are interested in the upbringing of our younger citizens.

Looking Ahead

The interest — and misgivings — of all thinking people are absorbed these days with the problem of post-war rehabilitation.

The long range view is somewhat reassuring, inasmuch as industry far and wide must turn its wheels to the rebuilding of a crumbled Europe. In Canada there may, in time, be the added stimulus of juggled populations, immigrants from the war-torn lands creating demands in this country for farm produce, wearing apparel, homes and everyday commodities.

But the immediate post-war period must bring inevitable difficulties. When the "Stop Production" order sounds throughout our war industries and thousands of workers become idle. . . when Canadian troops are demobilized, to flood the labor market . . . then our statesmen will be confronted with a grave problem. It will take time for the readjustment in which wartime industry may be adapted to peacetime production, and during that time there will be a huge surplus of labor; there will be unrest and dissatisfaction.

. . . In view of these prospects there are organizations, both in Britain and in Canada, now studying the avenues of enterprise to provide work for the masses when it is most needed. It is gratifying, for instance, to note such groups as the Canadian Good Roads Association actively functioning, despite the more urgent gravities of war. The building of roads affords unlimited possibilities in this vast country. It is a profitable venture which may be undertaken without delay when the firing has ceased — provided, of course, that plans are ready, and the latest methods and materials accessible to our roads engineers.

The Canadian Good Roads Association meets at Niagara Falls, Ontario, on October 7th next, and the factor of post-war public works will be a prime thought in the deliberations of trade experts and provincial highways officials at this meeting.

We moderns apparently shortened the proverb that says, "Pride goeth before a fall," for here's the way the Bible put it originally: "Pride goeth before destruction and an haughty spirit before a fall." —Neal O'Hara.

Doubling the Victory Effort

Argenteuil was proud of its recent Victory Loan achievement. Like many other patriotic centres we put our drive well over the top. But there were towns and counties which went one step better — if not in actual figures, then in the spirit of the thing.

Here is the case of Temiskaming, an industrial township in Northern Quebec, as told in a letter which we received this week from Mayor A. K. Grimmer :

"We decided when arranging for canvassers for the Victory Loan campaign that we would not appoint anyone to canvass in Temiskaming, unless they agreed to turn over any commission received to some war charity," Mr. Grimmer writes.

"This was reasonable, as no canvasser was dependent on this for a living, all having steady jobs or positions.

"As a result of this arrangement, I have just received a report from the Secretary charged with completing this undertaking and attach a copy of his report . . . In short, this shows :

Total Commissions Received	$ 750.98
Donations Made —	
Temiskaming War Vets' Wives Assn.	202.78
Canadian Red Cross	127.17
Queen's Canadian Fund	303.65
Knights of Columbus Huts	53.80
Czecho-Slovakian Fund	63.58
	$ 750.98

"The canvassers were allowed to designate which charity organization their earnings would be contributed to. This explains the allocations above.

"The Temiskaming War Veterans' Wives Association operates in this community to send parcels regularly to those who have volunteered from here, now totaling a number well over one hundred in all.

"This is a nice record, and one which shows not only a good community spirit but a national spirit which is worthy of commendation."

In a list of the individual commissions we note the highest amount, $93.96, was earned by Mr. A. J. Cork. This substantial gift he handed over to the Queen's Canadian Fund.

Back to School

School has reopened, and the holidays are over for the students. It is to be hoped they realize this fact. Quite often some students prolong their vacation long after school starts, and when the exams roll around the next spring they see the result of their folly.

Our advice to the student is to go back to school when it opens and buckle down to work — keep your mind on your studies, and let parties, movies, sports, etc., take second place during the school term. Students who follow this advice will find that it pays big dividends at examination time. —Winchester Press

Mark Twain on the English

Mark Twain wrote: "The best English characteristic is its plucky and persistent and individual standing up for its rights. No other people approaches England in this admirable, this manliest of all traits. It makes every man in the whole nation a policeman — the administration of law never can go lax where every individual sees to it that it grows not lax in his own case, or in cases which fall under his eyes."

The man who wrote these lines would not fail to be moved by the stand of the English people today.

—Edward Charlwood, in the New York Sun

Woman — the Riddle

She's an angel in truth, a demon in fiction,
A Woman's the greatest of all contradiction.
She's afraid of a cockroach, she'll scream at a mouse,
She'll tackle a husband as big as a house. [worse,
She'll take him for better, she'll take him for
She'll split his head open and then be his nurse.
And when he is well and can get out of bed,
She'll pick up a teapot to throw at his head.
She's faithful, deceitful, keen-sighted and blind.
She's crafty, she's simple, she's cruel, she's kind,
She'll lift a man up, she'll cast a man down.
She'll make him her hero, her ruler, her clown.
You fancy she's this but you find that she's that,
For she'll play like a kitten and fight like a cat;
In the morning she will, in the evening she won't,
And you're always expecting she will, but she won't.

Traffic Accidents

1300 Canadians will die in traffic accidents in Canada within the next 12 months, which is the equivalent of the wiping out of a small municipality every year. We pay a high price for what we so generously call civilization. —Exchange

You can drink your way down a lot easier than you can work your way up. —Exchange

Hungry Italians Revived Winston

Prisoner Jokers Thought Better of it When Meals Were Cancelled

London, Sept. 1 (C.P.)—Seventy thousand Italian prisoners of war encamped near the Suez Canal who decided to "bury" Prime Minister Churchill soon regretted their joke. They made an effigy of the Prime Minister, fixed a coffin out of wood and then held a funeral.

Lunch time arrived and the Italians found there was no lunch. The same thing happened at tea time. A deputation interviewed the commandant and demanded to know why they were being starved.

The commandant said he was sorry but as the man who gave him orders to feed them was "dead and buried" he could do nothing about it. Mr. Churchill was speedily resurrected.

For his gallantry a Scottish soldier was given a decoration. A week or so later a pal asked him:

"And what does the wife think of your medal, Sandy?"

"She doesna ken yet," was the reply. "It's no' my turn to write."

Do You Know — ?

Why Do We Speak of "Red Indians"?

The early visitors to America thought they had landed in India, and consequently, they spoke of the natives as Indians. The 'red' was because of their coloring.

Why is England Sometimes Called "Albion"?

Albion comes from the Latin, albus, meaning white. It is probably in allusion to the white cliffs of Dover and the adjacent cliffs.

WAR — TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

ZEPPELIN RAID ON LONDON FEATURED GERMAN ATTACK; BRITISH AIRPLANES, THEN AS NOW, BLASTED ENEMY

By MICHAEL O'MARA,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Routine reconnaissance flights took place over the land armies locked together on the French battle-fields during the war 25 years ago. Patrols of Bristols and Fokkers — tiny, unwieldy craft when judged by present-day standards — flew at dawn above enemy-held ground, sporadically clashing in the grim "dog-fights" of the First Great War. But there were two outstanding air actions which highlighted the week of routine aerial warfare.

One of these was the largest Zeppelin raid of the war to date, Sept. 3, launched by the Germans against London and its environs. Searchlights played across the ponderous dirigibles as they came nosing in from the coast and hovered over London, dropping their bombs. Squads of British fighters took the air against them. One of the raiders was shot to the ground near Cuffley, Hertfordshire, by a youthful pilot of the Royal Flying Corps, Lieut. W. L. Robinson, and the others were driven off by fighters and anti-aircraft fire. Robinson was awarded the Victoria Cross a few days later, in recognition of his feat.

Destroy U-Boat

The other outstanding air action took place later in the week, when Allied airmen, foreshadowing the present nightly exploits of the Royal Air Force, droned over German-held Brussels and dropped a heavy load of bombs, flew low across the harbor of Zeebrugge and destroyed a German submarine before it had a chance to submerge, and returned to their airdrome at Dunkerque.

Although the air action of the First Great War was on a smaller scale than in the present war, it served to teach both sides much about the new method of warfare. The Germans learned early in the struggle that day-light raids on protected targets were neither as safe nor as effective as blows struck at night, when all the advantage lay with the attacker.

The lesson of the Zeppelin attacks on London taught both sides that dirigibles could not stand up in combat against the more mobile airplanes. Britain never embarked on any large military airship-building program, although such a move had been contemplated in some circles before the ineffectiveness of the Zeppelins was demonstrated. Towards the end of the war German airship attacks on London were replaced by raids carried on by heavier-than-aircraft, constantly being improved in speed and flying range.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor :

Once more Lachute High School has entered a new year, a year which, in all likelihood will end with as many failures, especially in the upper grades, as last year, and the year before, and so on.

What is the matter with Lachute High School? There was a time when it proudly ranked among the best in the province, while now — well, the sad facts are too well known.

Are the children of the present generation not so intelligent as those of the past? Nonsense.

Is it because the classes are too large? If so, then why in heaven's name are they not divided and additional teachers hired? Perhaps there is not sufficient room. Then, the obvious solution is to make more room. Money? We have been told that it would be comparatively easy to finance a $20,000 gymnasium. Would it not be just as easy to finance the addition of a classroom or two? Not that the gymnasium would not be a good thing, even if it only provided a decent place for the pupils to play in during the winter months. The present playroom is a disgrace. There are many who will go further and maintain that it is a menace to the health of the children. But this, no doubt, would be willingly tolerated if only the pupils would PASS.

It might not be amiss at the present time to remind the School Board and the teaching staff that the general idea of most parents in sending their children to school is — to give them an education. If those bodies should feel that this is stressing the obvious, then why are so many pupils not successfully concluding their scholastic years?

It costs a lot of money to send children to school, money which in a very great many cases is earned in small accounts. This assumes much greater importance when children come from outside points. And, what is even more important, how many children do not return to school when they have "failed?" How many young people, year by year, are stepping out into life without sufficient education simply because they and their parents have become discouraged at a year wasted?

These are little short of tragic circumstances.

Therefore, in answer to the question: "What is the matter with Lachute High School?" — the simple fact is that the responsibility rests squarely with the School Board and the teaching staff.

In protest, the School Board may claim they are doing their best. If that is so, then that best is not good enough. Why can they not hire teachers who have the ability to pass a reasonable percentage of the pupils? Is it a question of money? Can they not afford to engage college graduates for all the High School grades? Then it is a safe bet that almost every parent will say, "Get the money. Increase the taxes if necessary." Those tax-payers who have no children in school will likely howl; but what of it, they nearly always howl, anyway. The point is, every parent is crying, "We want our children to pass!"

Parents, take a more active interest in your school. Your children have as much right to a fair chance at an education as any others. —"A PARENT"

London's Churches

In London (England), 63 churches are slightly damaged, 32 badly damaged and 28 completely destroyed; in the country the corresponding numbers were 77, 50 and 33.

BOOK REVIEW

By Howard S. Ross, K.C., LL.D.

THE HANDBOOK OF POLITICAL "ISMS"

— By Louis Wasserman —

Our lives are being upset by conflicting faiths and the struggle to uphold them. What are these philosophies which are at grips in the world of today?

It is important that we be as well-informed as possible if we are to make intelligent decisions. Political science is no longer an academic exercise for Ph.D.'s; it is the battleground for all of us. This handbook is a useful guide to the roads we should explore and choose.

We are given brief but adequate descriptions of the social doctrines, "isms", and ideologies about which there is so much misunderstanding. The author makes clear, objectively and simply, their purposes, the pattern of the society they propose, the reasons for their quarrel with the status quo, and the methods by which they seek to bring about changes in society. All of this is condensed into lucid statements, with simplified charts to highlight the key issues.

Beginning with a comprehensive chapter on democracy, which, he shows, is affirmed by most of the diverse doctrines, there follows a definition of Liberalism. Those who wish to better understand what is happening today will get a new insight from this picture of Liberalism as the historical movement underlying the modern era of social change. Next is a description of the distinguishing elements of Capitalism, the prevailing form of economic activity in most countries today. This is followed by State Capitalism, representing the modern tendency toward increasing state control in the economic and social life of the nations.

After this come the alternatives to Capitalism: first, that of Marxism, whose elements shape several other doctrines; then, the two main offshoots of Marxism, evolutionary Socialism and revolutionary Communism — the latter represented by the system of Soviet Russia. Then follow other programs of social change — Anarchism, Syndicalism, Guild Socialism, Fabianism, Christian Socialism, Consumer's Co-operation, Italian Fascism, and German Nazism.

The author has achieved the difficult feat of remaining objective and non-partisan.

Professor Wasserman has had the necessary training for such a task as the writing of such a book. He did his undergraduate and graduate work in the Department of Political Science at the University of California. He then did forum lecturing on international affairs and then became an area supervisor for the Adult Education Program of the WPA in northern California. He is now teaching social science in California.

This handbook is a splendid primer for those who wish facts not mere propaganda, and this reviewer hopes it will find its way to the shelves of many libraries and be used by discussion groups, public speakers and high school groups.

Curtailing one's use of gasoline is another means whereby many of us can get in a personal crack at the crooked cross.—Perth Courier



"I'm reading the last chapter of your book, so you won't wake me up later to tell me how it ends!"

A Canadian Took Darlan's Measure

This is the latest story from Great Britain about Francois Darlan, Admiral Commander of the French Fleet and Vice-Premier of Vichy:

During the last war, when on leave in Paris, Darlan once became the centre of a laughing, jeering crowd — and ended up in the police court.

It happened like this: While striding through one of the main Paris thoroughfares he collided with a Canadian soldier, who was seeing sights of the Gay City. Without a word Darlan slapped the Canadian on the face and told him to look where he was going.

Without answering, the tough Canadian lifted up the small Darlan, resplendent in his naval uniform, and stood him on his head in the gutter. Then, with a grin all over his face, the soldier made off.

SANITATION

Customer: "I don't want to buy your crackers. They tell me the mice are always running over them."

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DISTRICT NEWS
FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

DALESVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. George Cleland and family spent Sunday visiting friends at Weir.

Miss Edna Husbands, of Montreal, was a week-end guest at the home of Mrs. Milton Townsend.

Mr. Howard Hall has returned to Heron Bay, Ont., after spending three weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hall.

Mrs. T. R. Cregeen, Miss Elizabeth Cregeen, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stewart, of Montreal, spent the week-end at Mrs. Cregeen's Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cleland visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beaton Sunday last.

Mr. Russell Morrow, of Montreal, was home for the week-end.

The Dalesville Community Club spent an enjoyable time at their recent weiner roast, held at the home of Miss Elva Kennedy, Pine Hill.

Mrs. Leonard Hyde and little son are visiting friends in Weir this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Campbell motored Miss Ruth Campbell to Standbridge East, where Miss Campbell resumes her duties as teacher.

Mrs. E. Cleery and sons, Angus and Ross, of Louisa, spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Murdoch entertained friends of the community at a party on Monday last.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Campbell were—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stephens and family, Miss Doris McOuat, Mr. and Mrs. W. Freeland, Mrs. J. D. Campbell, Miss C. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Campbell, also Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Freeland and Mr. and Mrs. Long of Toronto.

CUSHING WEST

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McAdam, of Chapleau, Ont., Mr. Lyle McAdam, of Ottawa, also Mr. and Mrs. D. McAdam and son, Billy, and Miss Lillian and Mr. W. Johnston, of Toronto, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O'Brien, Chatboro.

Mrs. James O'Brien entertained the St. Mungo's Ladies' Aid on Wednesday of last week.

LAKEFIELD

The W.A. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Williamson on Wednesday, with 11 members and one visitor present. All arrangements were completed for the W.A. Deanery meeting, which is to be held next Wednesday. Total receipts of the bazaar were $103.

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BROWNSBURG

Miss Marion Birch spent the week-end with friends in Montreal.

Miss Mary Hutchin left for Thurso this week, where she will resume her duties as school teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McOuat, of Windsor, Ont., are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David McOuat.

Miss Wynetha Smillie is a guest at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Waltho at Villa Nova, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. K. Stewart spent part of this week in Toronto.

Miss C. Austin spent the holiday with relatives in Maxville and Dunvegan, Ont.

Miss Phyllis McAdam has returned home after spending a few days with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Prosser, also Mr. Charles Prosser and sons, Bryant and Dean, visited relatives in Longueuil on Sunday.

Master Keith Graham has returned to his home in Verdun after spending the summer holidays with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. F. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. S. Armstrong spent the week-end in Knowlton, Que.

Mr. Alex McCulloch, of Verdun, spent the week-end at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Steere spent the week-end in Montreal with friends.

Mr. Tom Pasco and son, George, spent the week-end in Toronto.

Miss Lillian McOuat spent a few days in Toronto.

Mr. Donald Todd spent the week-end at Toronto, visiting the Exhibition.

Mrs. Boyd, of Montreal, spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. G. Todd.

The Junior Mission Circle of Maple Avenue Baptist Church held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Percy McAdam last week; plans were made to hold a tea, at the home of Mrs. C. L. Stephens on Sept. 10th.

HARRINGTON

Miss Jean Davidson, of Montreal, was a holiday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dobbie.

Mrs. J. McMahon is spending some time with Mrs. J. Lewis in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Callan, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Callan and daughter, Eileen, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Carroll.

Mr. H. McGregor, of Ottawa, visited with his uncle, Mr. G. Bennett, for the holiday.

Mrs. Victor Bennett, of Montreal, visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. McCulloch over the holiday.

Miss Myrtle Renshaw and Mr. and Mrs. D. Renshaw, of Montreal, were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett.

Mr. C. McLeod and Mr. D. McRae, of Port Arthur, are visiting relatives in these parts.

Miss D. McLeod left for Ottawa on Wednesday of this week.

The Red Cross supper, held in Campbell's Hall last Friday, proved to be a great success, a total of $64.75 being raised.

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KILMAR

Miss Margie Field and Miss Lillian Murer, of Kilmar, returned to the city last Monday, where they are attending the Montreal High School for Girls.

Miss Enid Kirby, of Kilmar, left last week-end to spend a week or so in Montreal as the guest of Miss Audrey Thornburn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kilbourne spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Kilmar, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Field. Mr. Kilbourne, who has been attending the University in Columbus, Ohio, has completed his course, and it is believed he will now reside in Kilmar.

Miss Gladys Boyd, of Kilmar, is staying at the home of Mrs. Campbell, Grenville, where she will attend the Grenville High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Robson, of Montreal, spent the week-end in Kilmar as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Field.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Chase, of Kilmar, returned home last Sunday after spending a delightful week's holiday trip through New Brunswick.

Mr. and Mrs. Dresser, of Montreal, spent a few days in Kilmar, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Richard Sancton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Parent, Mr. Gordon Parent, Mr. Albert Parent and Miss Peggy Parent returned to their home in Montreal last Monday, after spending their two weeks' holidays in Kilmar at Oak Bend Cottage.

The Ladies' Red Cross work meeting was held last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. McIntyre.

Mr. Fred Gauley, of Kilmar, reports that his son, Lester, who had his leg badly burned in an accident, is improving and that he hoped to be able to start school in a week or so.

An apology is offered for an error in last week's paper. Through an misunderstanding it was believed that Miss Laurence Maheu, of Montreal, was to teach in the Catholic School here; but Miss Page, of Calumet, is now the teacher here.

Miss Sadye Young, of Kilmar, who has been a patient for seven weeks in the Montreal General Hospital, where she underwent an operation for a thyroid condition, is reported to be progressing favorably. It is stated that her condition is so improved that she will soon be able to return to her home here.

A marshmallow roast was held last Thursday night at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. E. Parent, of Montreal, who with their family spent a two weeks' vacation here. A bonfire was made on the beach, and tea and coffee, sandwiches and cake were served, marshmallows being afterwards toasted over the fire. Even blankets and pillows were supplied, and a radio and gramophone. Those who attended were — the Misses Peggy Parent, Enid Kirby, Lilian Murer, Hilda Wadey, Margie Field, Gladys Boyd, and Dorothy Field: Messrs. Leonard Kirby, Gordon Parent, George Kirby, Albert Parent, Art. Philipps, Bob Mainguy and Jim Kenny.

GRENVILLE

Miss Kathryn Allard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bates, of Grenville, has left to be the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wakely, at Westmount, Que.

SCOUT CHEMIST WINS TWO FELLOWSHIPS

A Boy Scout of the 18th Winnipeg Troop, George J. Janz, won the 1941 Chemistry Fellowship of Canadian Industries Limited at Toronto University. Previously Janz had been awarded the Gold Medal in Chemistry at the University of Manitoba.

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"dispelling the prophets of gloom", Mr. Hall placed the problems that confronted the school executive last year fairly before those present; never before had he known such a difficult school year, due to sickness of pupils and members of the staff. No less than four teachers had extended leaves of absence due to sickness, and replacements were extremely difficult; this condition produced a problem hard to solve, and had had en effect upon the school. "We must face facts, and strive to overcome the problem", Mr. Hall remarked. Continuing, he said, "No pupil need feel that he has a handicap to overcome because of the past year, but he must work all the harder this year." Mr. Hall then pleaded for support and co-operation from the parents, saying that he had appealed year after year for greater interest, but the response had been small. Speaking on the coming work of grade eleven, the principal said that this work was much harder than grade ten, and he asked the parents to discuss the details with their children, and decide what subjects are best suited to the course they are contemplating.

Sgt. Pilot George Prosser Is Remembered

Mr. Hall then read out a list of old Lachute High School boys now serving with the military forces, and asked for names of other ex-pupils now with the forces, as he was desirous of having a complete list.

The name of Sgt. Pilot Prosser was remembered with honor. Being the first ex-Lachute High boy to be placed upon the causualty list as "missing", Mr. Hall eulogized his memory and extended sympathy to his family at Brownsburg.

Chairman Deacon reviewed the progress of the past nine years, when consolidation took place, and mentioned the extra courses of Domestic Science and Manual Training that had been made available to the students. He voiced his disappointment because the assembly was unable to gather in the new gymnasium, and expressed the hope that next year the building would be up.

Among the scholars receiving highest awards were: Miss Glenna Dawson, who won highest honors for entrance exams, the scholarship being given by the County W.I. The Bellingham Scholarships won by Glenys Bradford, (grade VII), Lorna Macdonald, (grade VIII), Yvonne Bedard, (grade IX), and Beryl Underhill, (grade X). Miss Freda MacVicar won the W. H. Giles Scholarship for grade VIII.

Following is the list of awards :

Grade IA

Commissioners' Prizes — 1. Clifton Berry, 2. Louise Laurin, 3. Lily Brown.

Grade IB

Commissioners' Prizes — 1. Margaret MacKimmie, 2. Joyce Gordon, 3. Lois MacRae.

Women's Institute Attendance Prizes — Lois MacRae.

Grade II

Commissioners' Prizes — 1. Mary Lou Hooper, 2. Keith Wilson, 3. Rafael Aparicio.

W. M. Scott Reading Prizes — Mary Lou Hooper and Joan Laurin, equal.

Women's Inst. Attendance Prizes — Roland Scott, Gladys Clark.

Grade III

Meikle Prizes — 1. Helen Underhill and Isabel Hodge, equal; 2. Claire FitzGerald, 3. Lewina Bradford.

W. M. Scott Reading Prize — Jean Lavis.

W. H. Ayers French Prize — Claire FitzGerald.

Women's Inst. Attendance Prizes — Elizabeth Shepherd, Grant Scott.

Grade IV

Meikle Prizes — 1. Gordon Jamieson, 2. Betty Hume, 3. Jean Simon and Walter Gauley, equal.

W. M. Scott Reading Prize — Betty Brown.

SCOUTS AND GUIDES FED THE EMERGENCY EVACUEES

During a "rush" evacuation from a British coastal town refreshments for the evacuees were needed at a point half way to the reception area. The railway company called upon the Scouts and Guides of the stopping place, and they readily and efficiently made the necessary arrangements and fed the travelers.

The handwriting on the wall is a pretty good indication that the house is rented.

W. H. Ayers French Prize — Gordon Jamieson.

Women's Inst. Attendance Prizes — Margaret Stansfield, Otis Stewart, Eldon Titley.

Grade V

Meikle Prizes — 1. Audrey Heatlie, 2. Peter Perodeau and Kenneth Dawson, equal, 3. Mildred Wilson.

W. H. Ayers French Prize — Joan Percival.

W. M. Scott Reading Prize — Peter Perodeau.

Women's Inst. Attendance Prizes — Marie Jacobsen, Douglas King, Maynard MacKiddie, Kenneth Scott.

Grade VI

Meikle Prizes — 1. Joyce Walker, 2. Elsie Earle, 3. Evelyn MacDonald.

W. M. Scott Reading Prize — Joyce Walker.

W. H. Ayers French Prize — Elsie Earle.

Women's Inst. Attendance Prizes — Jessie Myatt, Sybil Brown, Ruby Ward, Margaret Shepherd, Jean Hammond, Keith Warwick, Muriel Titley, Heather Stewart, Evelyn Sly, Joyce Stein, Eileen Holt, Wesley Brown.

Grade VII

Bellingham Scholarship—Glenys Bradford.

Meikle Prizes — Else Jacobsen, Beatrice Dawson.

John McFaul Arithmetic Prize. $5. — Wyman Strong.

W. M. Scott Reading Prize — Glenys Bradford.

W. H. Ayers French Prize — Glenys Bradford.

Women's Inst. Attendance Prizes — Gloria Gillings, Mildred Thompson, Sterling Hodge, Kenneth MacKiddie, Guy Smith.

Grade VIII

Bellingham Scholarship — Lorna MacDonald.

Meikle Prizes — Elizabeth Albright, Freda MacVicar.

John McFaul Arithmetic Prize, $5. — Lorna Macdonald and Elizabeth Albright, equal.

W. H. Ayers French Prize — Dorothy Adrian.

J. McGibbon, M.P., Science Prize, $5. — Paul LaHaye and Edward Assaly, equal (82%).

Chairman's Prize for highest mark in VI, VII, VIII, $5. — Lorna MacDonald (89.3%).

Women's Inst. Attendance Prizes — Lloyd Kerr, Richard Muir, Dorothy Adrian, Elizabeth Albright, Glenna Brown, Katherine Maxwell, Gwen Pollock.

Henry G. Giles Memorial Scholarship, $25. — Freda MacVicar.

Grade IX

Bellingham Scholarship — Yvonne Bedard.

Meikle Prizes — Mae Gordon, Marjorie Leggett,

E. H. Wilson Arithmetic Prize, $5. — Yvonne Bedard (98%).

W. H. Ayers French Prize — Marjorie Leggett.

S. S. Campell English Literature Prize — Marjorie Leggett (97%).

J. McGibbon, M.P., Science Prize, $5. — Alton Boyd (94%).

Chairman's Prize for highest mark in IX, X, XI, $5. — Yvonne Bedard (96.6%).

Women's Institute Attendance Prizes — Granger Tillotson, Eunice Boyd, Florence Dixon, Jean Hadley, Hughena Hodge, Olive Reilly, Audrey Thompson.

Grade X

Bellingham Scholarship — Beryl Underhill.

Commissioners' Prize, $10. — Beryl Underhill.

Meikle Prizes — Dorothy McCullouch, Joan Stewart.

J. S. Giles Mathematics Prize, $5. — Beryl Underhill (94%).

S. S. Campbell English Literature Prize — Beryl Underhill (91%).

W. H. Ayers French Prize — Harry MacKrith (84%).

J. McGibbon, M.P., Science Prize. $5. — Dorothy McCullouch (87%).

McBurney Latin Prize, $5. — Beryl Underhill (96%).

Prize for effort, progress and school spirit, $5. — Annie MacRae.

Women's Inst. Attendance Prizes — Mildred Sly, Mabel Hadley, Leona Boyd, Clifton Morrison, George Deacon, Keith Armstrong.

Wm. MacKimmie, English Composition, Prize, $5. — Beryl Underhill (87%).

Grade XI

E. H. Wilson Prize, $10. — George McClintock.

Meikle Prizes — Eda Rashcovsky, Drennan McArthur.

G. H. Heon, Prize, $25. — Catherine Cooke.

J. S. Giles Mathematics Prize, $5. — Ffed Assaly (80%).

Frank Earle History Prize, Watch. — George McClintock (82%).

W. H. Ayers French Prize — Eda Rashcovsky (82%).

S. S. Campbell English Literature Prize — Eda Rashcovsky (77%).

Principal's Physics Prize, $5. — Alfred Assaly (85%).

Principal's Geography Prize, $5. — George McClintock (88%).

E. K. Wilson Higher Mathematics Prize, $10. — Fred Assaly (80%).

Prize for effort, progress and school spirit, $5. — Margaret MacKiddie.

McBurney Latin Prize, $5. — George McClintock (80%).

Wm. MacKimmie, English Composition, Prize, $5. — Helen Deacon (78%).

Women's Inst. Attendance Prizes — Audrey McOuat, Margaret MacKiddie, Eleanor Hutchin, Gilbert Scott.



OBITUARY

LATE MRS. JAS. ARNOTT

The death of Mrs. James Arnott took place at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Peet, Lakefield, on Sunday, August 31st. She was formerly Eliza Jane Scott, and was in her 79th year.

Left to mourn her passing are one son, Gordon, of Rensselaer Falls, N.Y., two daughters, Mrs. Gilchrist (Beatrice) of Cranbrook, B.C., and Mrs. George Peet, (Susan) with whom she had resided for the past few years; one sister, Mrs. J. Parker, and one brother, Walter Scott, both of Lachute, and several grandchildren.

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon in Trinity Church, conducted by the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh and Mr. Horace Baugh.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Arnold Parker, Wallace Scott, Edgar Rogers, Percy Rogers, Melvin Scott and Lorne Arnott.

Floral tributes were many and beautiful.

Those from a distance attending the funeral included Mrs. Sydney Swail, Arundel, Mrs. Claude Richards, Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Arnott, Rensselaer Falls, N.Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer, Sweetsburg.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

Births, Marriages, Deaths, In Memoriam, etc., 50 cents each insertion; 5c a line extra for verse with In Memoriam.

DEATHS

WATCHORN — At Louisa, Que., on August 27th, 1941, Frank Watchorn, aged 70 years.

ARNOTT — On Sunday, August 31st, 1941, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Peet, Lakefield, Que., Eliza Jane Scott, widow of the late James Arnott, in her 79th year.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Mr. and Mrs. George Peet wish to thank their many friends for kind sympathy and floral offerings in their recent sad bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

TOWNSEND — In memory of a dear wife and mother, who passed away September 6th 1933. — Ever remembered by her husband, Lorne and Jean.

Gone is the one we loved, so dear,
Silent the tongue we loved to hear,
It's sad but true, we wonder why,
The best are always first to die.

THOMPSON — In memory of our father, Daniel Thompson, who died September 8th, 1940 — Ever remembered by his family.

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Sad and bitter to recall,
When the one we loved was taken
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OATS	QUAKER	Lge. Pkg.	19¢
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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Rev. and Mrs. W. LeCras Honored on Departure

A gathering of parishioners and adherents of St. Simeon's Church assembled in the Margaret Rodger Memorial hall last Thursday evening as a farewell gesture to the Rev. and Mrs. Winter C. LeCras, who have since left to assume the ministerial charge at St. Laurent and Cote des Neiges.

On behalf of the congregation Mr. Stanley Holt, a warden of the church, made the presentation of a purse of money, with an address of appreciation to Rev. and Mrs. LeCras for their friendship and devotion to the interests of the parish. Miss Lily Hampton also presented an inscribed Book of Prayer and Hymnary to Mrs. LeCras as a token from the Ladies' Guild. The recipients expressed their warm gratitude and good wishes for the future progress of the church.

A pleasant social evening was enjoyed. Refreshments were served and the event concluded with the singing of Auld Lang Syne and the national anthem.

Brownsburg — On Friday, Aug. 29th, the Ladies' Guild of St. George's Church, Brownsburg, entertained in honor of the Rev. and Mrs. W. C. LeCras.

Mr. E. L. Johnson, chairman, gave an address in appreciation of the work of Mr. and Mrs. LeCras, saying that the congregation had not always done their part but were resolved to do better in the future.

At the close Mr. LeCras was presented with a purse of money from the members of the congregation to which Mr. LeCras fittingly replied.

A program followed after which refreshments were served and the evening concluded with the singing of the national anthem.

Successful W.A. Sale Held at Lakefield

Lakefield — The ladies of the W.A. of Trinity Church, held their annual sale of work in the Gibb Parish Hall on Saturday, Aug. 23rd.

The Rev. C. W. P. Baugh opened the proceedings with a few appropriate remarks.

Mrs. Thos. McCambly, the president, was as usual the hostess and supervisor, ably supported by her band of faithful helpers. The favorable weather, the willing purchasers, the display of various articles for sale — all united in making the occasion a pleasant and profitable one.

Mesdames Baugh and Peet were in charge of the fancy and useful articles, and disposed of many handsome hooked, braided rugs, etc. Candies, flowers and house plants were in charge of Mrs. Rose Williamson, assisted by Miss Margaret Canning. Mrs. Lorne Dawson and Mrs. Austin Kyle were in charge of the home-cooking and vegetables. Afternoon tea was served by Mrs. George L. Rogers, assisted by Mrs. Melvin Lees. The ice cream was in charge of Mr. Horace Baugh, while Miss Jean Lees with her following of young folk successfully conducted the fish-pond.

The proceeds amounted to over $100.

The following Sunday all who helped to make a success of the event were cordially thanked by the rector, the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh.

New Furnishings in Mille Isles Church

Mille Isles — A beautiful new altar and communion railing have been placed in Christ Church, Mille Isles, this week, and will be used for the first time at a special service on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. The work has been carried out by a Montreal firm, and the appearance of the church has been greatly improved by the artistic design of the new additions. Brass vases, dossal and other furnishings are also being placed in the church.

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The Sunday evening service in Trinity Anglican Church was very well attended, and during the service Miss Marjorie Townsend, of Montreal, sang "The Old Rugged Cross", accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Gilbey. The service was conducted by Mr. H. G. Baugh.

A Suggested Prayer Of Reconsecration

Ottawa, September 2—The National War Services Department made public tonight a sample prayer and grace which have been distributed to churchmen throughout Canada for use in connection with Reconsecration week, September 10 to 17.

Reconsecration Week prayer:

"O Lords of Hosts, in this time of our reconsecration to Thy service and in defence of the light brought into this world by Thy Beloved Son, we turn to Thee in prayer.

"We pray for our fighting men on land, on the sea and in the air that they may be imbued with courage to persevere and strength to vanquish the dark forces which now seek to rule this earth.

"We pray for endurance for all those who, in any way, are engaged in this great conflict and, for our peoples, understanding of the truth.

"We pray for mercy for the stricken, consolation for the bereaved and eternal rest for those who, having blazed the path, have been gathered by Thine arms.

"These things we ask, O Lord, so that in the fulness of time the dread conflict may cease, the right may triumph, and our children be brought up to serve Thee and to do those things which are of good renown, to know and to spread the Christian light — Amen."

Reconsecration Week grace :

"For the courage of our fighting men and the devotion of those who stand behind them: for our continued freedom and for these blessings of our unscarred earth, we give thanks in this week of reconsecration to the Lord of Hosts, who is the only defender of the right. — Amen."

Christian Science Sunday Services

"Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, September 7th.

The Golden Text is from I John 3: 1. "Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God."

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible : "And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness." (Genesis 1:26 to :).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passages from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Man is the family name for all ideas, — the sons and daughters of God . . . The Scriptures inform us likeness of God. Matter is not that likeness. The likeness of Spirit cannot be so unlike Spirit. Man is spiritual and perfect; and because he is spiritual and perfect; he must be so understood in Christian Science." (pp. 515, 475).

Sunday Services

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Rev. E. Orsborn
10 a. m.—Sabbath School
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
"Sufficient Grace."
7.30 p.m.—Brownsburg.

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a. m., Sabbath School.
11 a. m.—Morning Worship.
"Holding Fast".
7 p. m., Evening Service.
"A Man's Life: Wherein Does It Consist?"
2.30 p.m., East Settlement.
Welcome to all services !

REGULAR BAPTIST
Rev. C. Hardie
Brownsburg, 11 a.m.
3 p.m. Dalesville.
(Orange Service).
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MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. J. R. Simpson, B.A., B.Th.
10 a. m., Sunday School.
7.30 p.m., "Glorifying the Commonplace."
Communion Service.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
10 a.m., Sunday School.
Regular services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
Evening service withdrawn.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. Baugh, Rector
Dunany, 11 a.m.
Louisa, 2.30 p.m.
Lakefield, 8.00 p.m. (D.S.T.)
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To Call Conference On Tourist Traffic

Sept. 2 — A Dominion-wide conference on tourist traffic will be held in Ottawa, October 20-22, it was announced by Walter P. Zeller, Executive Assistant to Hon. J. T. Thorson, Minister of National War Services, today, following a meeting of the newly appointed Advisory Committee on Tourist Industry. Representatives from the nine provinces, the Canadian Association of Tourist and Travel Bureaus, the transportation companies, Chambers of Commerce, Boards of Trade, and other important organizations interested in the development of the tourist industry will be invited to attend.

This conference is to be held because of the increased importance to Canada's war effort of the tourist industry, particularly as a vital feature in the Dominion's financial economy. Methods by which tourist traffic may be developed and the fullest possible co-ordination effected between all agencies engaged in the tourist industry, will be carefully discussed.

Before the next meeting of the Advisory Committee on Tourist Industry, it is expected that an additional member, probably a French-speaking Canadian, will be appointed to it. The Minister of National War Services is now giving consideration to a number of recommendations which have been made in this matter.

Back to England



LEFT to RIGHT, Keith Radin, Valerie Collins and Colin Radin, as they appeared in the Pan-American clipper plane in which they are flying back to England after a stay of a year in the United States.

No triumph of democracy will keep a man, whose holidays are still to come, from feeling decidedly superior to another fellow who who has had his.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Audrey McOuat was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Murdoch last week-end.

Mr. Hugh McGalliard, of North Bay, spent last week as the guest of his sister, Mrs. P. Dobbie.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Freeland and Mr. and Mrs. Long are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Freeland.

Miss Dorothy McOuat left on Tuesday for Maniwaki, where she is to teach for the coming school term.

Miss Peggy Delahunt and Miss Ruth Tomalty, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. J. Warwick.

Miss V. Veitch left last week for her home in Syracuse, N.Y., after spending the summer months at Centreville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shaw, of Verdun, spent last week in Centreville as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Tomalty and daughter, Elva, also Miss Lila Tomalty, of Montreal, visited friends here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. King and son, Douglas, have returned home from Burnt Church, N.B., where they spent the summer months.

Misses Agnes McMahon and Grace McMahon left this week to resume their teaching duties at La-Tuque and Thurso, after spending the summer months at their home in town.

Miss Eleanor McOuat left on Monday to attend Gowling's Business College in Ottawa.

Miss Janet Berry left this week for Asbestos, where she will resume her teaching duties.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Tomalty, of Waltham, Mass., spent a few days visiting friends here recently.

Mrs. Gladys Scott and Miss Peggy Barton, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. Arthur Pollock, Hill Head.

Mrs. Gordon Alder and Miss Margaret Graham, of Verdun, spent last week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Graham.

Miss Alice Leishman has returned to Buckingham to resume her teaching duties after spending the summer months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leishman.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. C. LeCras and daughter, Miss Ruth LeCras, left on Tuesday to reside in Montreal, where Rev. LeCras has taken over a new charge.

Mrs. Robert Carpenter and sons, Robert and Gordon, who have been spending the past month visiting relatives here, returned to their home in Buffalo, N.Y. on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus MacKay, of Ottawa, accompanied by Mrs. W. MacKay, Mrs. A. Cadorette and sons, Billie and Orval, of Montreal, were Labor Day guests of Mrs. W. W. Hume.

Miss Myrtle Cummings spent last week-end at her home in Richmond.

Mrs. Percy Matthews and daughter, Jean, left on Monday to spend the winter months in Moosomin, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Héon spent the holiday week-end on a fishing trip to the Barriere lakes north of St. Remi.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McFaul and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hamilton spent Labor Day in Hemmingford and Covey Hill, Que.

Mrs. W. Hunt, who has spent the summer months at her summer cottage at Lake Louisa left last week for her home in New York City.

Miss Maud Dobbie, Messrs. John and Gordon Dobbie returned last Saturday after a trip to Toronto, Welland and Niagara Falls. They were accompanied by Mrs. G. A. Eaton, of North Bay, Ont.

Mr. H. W. Stevenson, B.A., and Mrs. H. W. Stevenson, of Fort William, Ont., were the recent guests of his aunt, Mrs. W. A. Bradley, before taking up his work at Notre Dame de Grace, Montreal.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Gillies, of New Carlisle, Que., were recent guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Dobbie. Miss Anne Gillies, who had been visiting her grandparents for some time, returned home with them.

APPROACHING MARRIAGE

Mrs. Arthur Larocque, of Lachute, announces the approaching marriage of her daughter, Martha, to Mr. Gaetan Guilbert, elder son of Mr. Edgar Guilbert, of Brownsburg — the ceremony to take place quietly on September 22nd at Ste. Anastasie Church, Lachute.

Mr. Mac Walker is at present on a boat trip to the Saguenay River.

Miss Gene Bain has returned to town to resume her former position with Beaton's Pharmacy.

Mr. J. H. Black is attending an executive meeting of the Ayrshire Breeders' Club in Quebec City this week.

Gdsmn. Maurice Elkington has returned to Sussex, N.B., after spending six days' leave with his parents here.

L. A. C. Kenneth Falconer, of the R.C.A.F. at Dartmouth, N.S., is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Falconer.

Petty Officer Kenneth Bradford, R.C.N.V.R., paid a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Bradford, before leaving for further training at Halifax, N.S.

Mrs. Theo. Daoust has received a cablegram that her son, Sgt. Pilot Roger Daoust, R.C.A.F., has arrived safely in Great Britain.

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Just An Incident

A good lady of Montreal who sends at least four sweaters a week to England, where they are distributed by a charitable organization, was touched by the story of a certain British youngster who had been evacuated to the country. Along with her next shipment she sent a dollar bill for the boy.

Not so long ago she got this letter —

Dear Mrs. —

Will you please send this letter of thanks to the lady in Canada who so kindly sent me the dollar bill. I am very lucky to have received it, although I was very unlucky to be bombed.

I am going to use it to buy some national War Savings Stamps toward a 15-shilling certificate. I think everybody should invest in these certificates if we are to win this war, as indeed we shall.

The boy who wrote that letter was nine years old. He was indeed unlucky to be bombed, for a single air raid took the lives of his father, his brother and his sister.

Just another incident. Just another reason why Britain cannot lose.

—Walter O'Hearn in the Montreal Standard

GERMAN AIRMEN AND ST. PETER DISAGREE

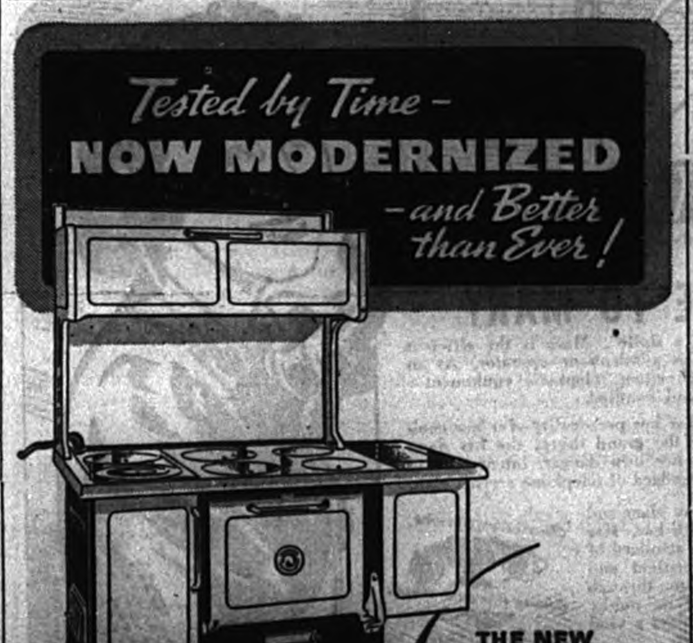
Arthur Riscoe, a London comedian, is making Britishers laugh with this story: A crowd of German airmen arrived at the gates of heaven and clamored to get in. "Who are you?" asked St. Peter. "We're the fifty German airmen who were shot down today by the R.A.F.", was the reply. Said St. Peter, "Wait a minute while I have a look at the German communique." After reading it he came back to announce: "It says here that only two German airmen were shot down today. So two of you can come in, and the rest of you can go to hell."

"What's that building?" asked the stranger.

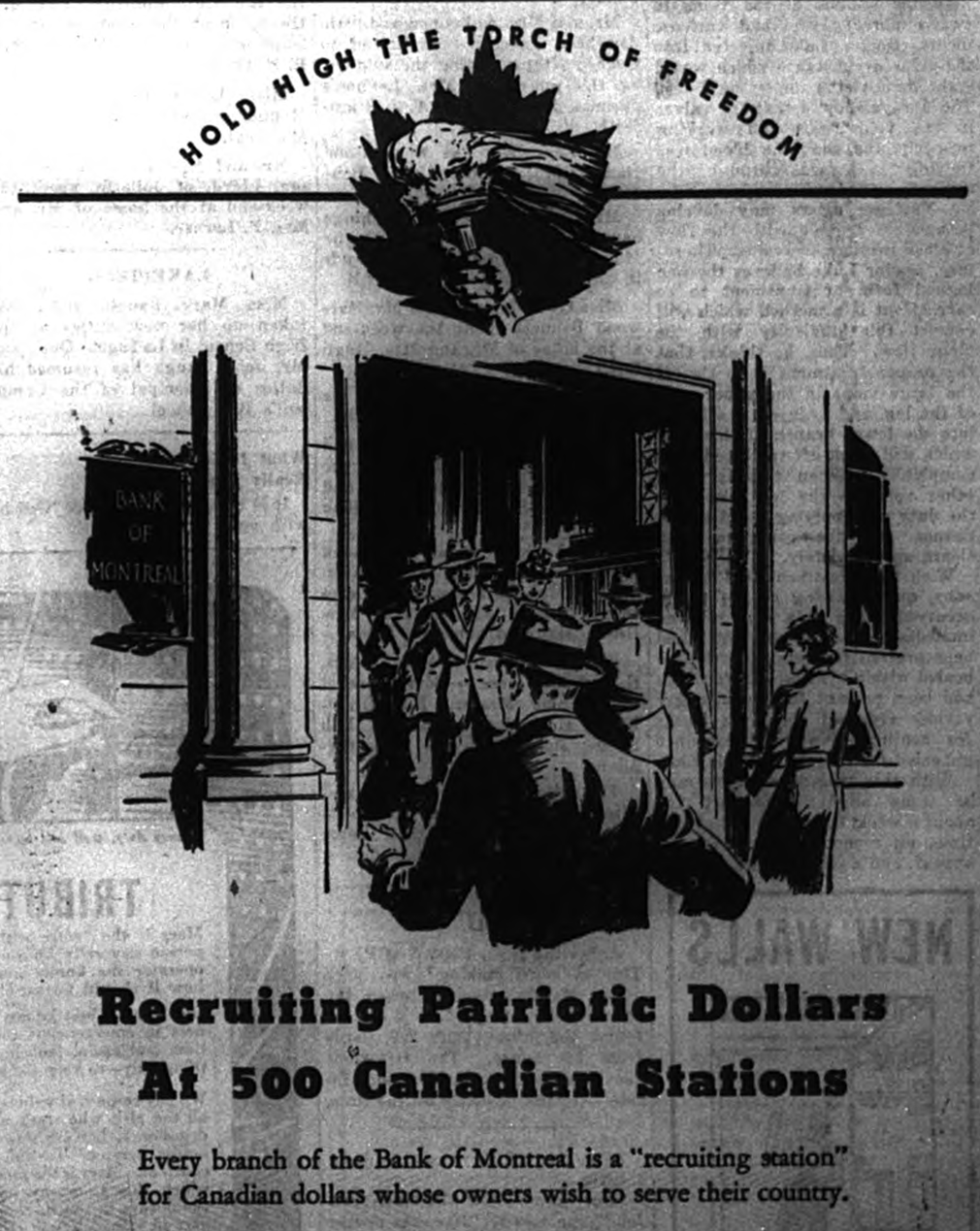
"That's the asylum for the blind," said the native.

"Go on, you can't fool me," said the stranger. "What's all them windows for?"

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HEALTH ARTICLE

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

TOO OFTEN VICTIMS NEGLECT VARICOSE VEINS

When veins become stretched or enlarged, we refer to them as varicose veins. In this condition, the flow of blood through the veins is slowed down. Persons who have varicose veins often wear an elastic stocking to support the stretched or dilated blood vessels. Too often, however, varicose veins are neglected. As a result of this neglect, ulcers or open sores develop. These are difficult to heal and cause the patient much needless loss of time and money.

A Montreal doctor, Josephus C. Luke, studied the causes of varicose veins by injecting a substance in the veins which could be seen by an X-ray light. He was thus able to learn some interesting things about the way varicose veins develop.

Many causes for varicose veins have been suggested, such as the type of work which makes it necessary for the individual to stand up most of the time; tight garters, pregnancy, tumors within the lower part of the abdomen, trouble with the glands of internal secretion, and heredity, have been mentioned as contributing factors.

Doctor Luke believes that heredity is the most important factor in the development of varicose veins. In other words, this condition "just runs in families." The other things, such as pregnancy and the wearing of tight garters, are merely the factors which tend to bring on the condition.

The veins have valves in them. Under normal conditions, these valves keep the blood from flowing backward through the veins. However, when the veins become stretched or dilated, these valves do not work as they should, so that often the blood flows backward. This results in a slowing down of movement of the blood through the veins. When the blood flow in the veins is cut down, the amount of oxygen brought to the tissues and the amount of waste carbon dioxide taken are cut down. Thus, the nutrition of the tissues suffers and it is easy for some slight wound to produce a large sore which does not heal.

In his studies of the veins in twelve persons who had varicose ulcers, Doctor Luke injected into the veins a substance which would make them visible under the X-ray. The X-rays showed that the valves in the veins were not working properly and that the blood was flowing backward through the veins.

Varicose ulcers may develop because of trouble with the flow of blood through the veins. Therefore, Doctor Luke believes the one logical form of treatment to be carried out is a method which will correct this difficulty with the blood flow. Thus, he thinks, that the proper treatment is to tie off the large veins in the upper part of the leg, and to inject a solution into the lower branch of this vein which will block off the blood flow completely. When this is done, other veins in the leg take over the duty of supplying blood to the tissues and the condition then clears up completely.

With this treatment in 128 persons, quick healing of the ulcers occurred. The pain was relieved immediately, and ulcers which had been present for only a short time healed within a week; others which had been present for much longer periods required about six weeks for healing. No ulcer remained unhealed for longer than this time.

With this treatment, there may be some slight discomfort for about a week, but at the end of this time, all symptoms seem to disappear, and a cure follows.

DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

ARUNDEL

The Rev. and Mrs. Selwyn Cooke and Miss Velma Cooke, of Lansdowne, Ont., who have spent the greater part of the summer here, have returned to their home.

The following teachers, who have been spending a vacation at their homes, have left to take up positions in their respective schools — the Misses Annie Cooke, Ella Cooke, Muriel Graham, Dorothy Kerr, Jean Smellie, Janet Smellie, Edna Moncrieff, Gertrude Morrison, Kathleen Morrison, Eunice Morrison, Laura Davis, Ada Evans and Messrs. Gavin Graham and Melvin Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Staniforth and daughter, Elizabeth Ann, have returned to Ottawa after a vacation spent at their summer home on Caribou Lake.

Mrs. R. G. Cooke and Miss Margaret Cooke, who have been spending the summer at their home here, have now returned to Montreal. Miss Margaret Cooke is enrolled at Macdonald College.

Week-end guests of Mrs. Margaret Smellie were — the Misses J. Roe and Doris Weeks, and Messrs. James Smellie and Stanley Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Boyd and son, of Verdun, spent the week-end as guests of Mr. Boyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Simon have returned to their home in Lachine after spending the summer here.

Miss Ethel Morrison spent a few days last week the guest of her sister, Miss Janie Morrison.

Mrs. Norman and Miss Margaret Norman, who have been spending the summer here, have returned to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Gunvaldsen and daughter, Carol, of Guelph, Ont., visited the Rev. and Mrs. C. Cushing at the manse last week.

Little Gail Sykes and Master Ross Sykes, who have been spending the summer at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Cooke, returned to Montreal with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sykes, who recently spent a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lennon and little daughter, Jane, have returned to Quebec after spending the summer as the guests of Mrs. Lennon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Staniforth.

Mr. Ross Dey was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tuchings have returned from a trip to the Maritimes, having visited friends in Chatham and Saint John, N.B.

Miss Gwen Bennett and Mr. Harwood Bennett spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Boyd.

The Rev. Temple Hill visited the Rev. and Mrs. C. Royle recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Baugh and children, of Montreal, spent the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Staniforth at Caribou Lake.

Miss Lashley spent last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton, who were also recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Davis, returned home on Friday.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cooke were — Mrs. Howard Cooke and Messrs. Bill Brent, Frank Hale, Jimmie Labelle, Bob Burge, Bob Black and Jack Gilfillan.

The Misses Ethel Cooke and Winnifred Cooke, who have been spending a month at their home here, have returned to their duties.

WEIR

Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar Oram, of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. P. Cantin.

Mrs. Douglas Williams and son, Ronald, returned to her home on Friday after spending the past week at Hurdman's Bridge, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. Dubeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bullock, with their son, Ralph, and daughter, Birdie, of Montreal, spent the past week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig.

Mrs. Jos. Gelinas, accompanied by Miss Agnes Caird, of Montreal, are spending the present fortnight as guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Williams.

Pte. Roy Thompson, R.C.O.C., Montreal, spent the week-end visiting friends here.

Miss Lois Horner, of Charteris, arrived here on Monday to resume her duties as teacher for the coming term.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clifton and son, Gerald, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Williams.

Mr. Leo Ladouceur, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of his sister, Mrs. Arthur Loudin.

Willard Dubeau, R.C.N.V.R., of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Dubeau.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Glassford and daughter, Beverly, returned to their home in New York on Monday after spending some time at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Larose.

Mrs. L. Rohrlick and daughter, Joy, returned to Montreal on Monday after spending the summer at the residence of her father, Mr. L. Kert.

Miss Dorothy Owen left on Monday to resume her position as teacher at Beaurepaire for the present term.

Jas. Owen, radio technician in the R.C.A.F., Montreal, and Mrs. Owen, spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Owen.

Miss Lorna Bennett left on Monday to spend some time in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Larose and son, Lloyd, of Joliette, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Larose.

LAKEFIELD

Miss Mary Baugh, B.A., has taken up her new duties at the High School in LaTuque, Que., and Mr. John Baugh has resumed his duties as principal of the Campbell's Bay School.

What Does 'Good-Bye' Really Mean?

It is a form of the words 'God be with you.'

GRENVILLE NORTH

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart were — Mr. Henry Trineer and Mrs. Frank Dakin, of Calumet, Mrs. Stanley Dewar, of Stonefield, the Rev. Mr. Hawes, of Grenville, Mr. Walter Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Johnstone and daughters, Beverly and Irma, of Montreal, Mrs. Arthur Millar, Miss Ethel Millar and Mrs. Angus Calavant, of Vankleek Hill, and Miss Lilly Millar and a friend, of Gananoque.

People in the vicinity were pleased to welcome Mr. John Thornton, calling recently in this community. Mr. Thornton used to live in the Eastern Townships, and he operated a tourist business a few years ago. He was then known as "Jolly John", his cabins being farfamed as "Jolly John's Cabins", after the jovial disposition of the proprietor.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the bereaved relatives of the late Mr. Wm. X. Beauchamp, in whose passing the community has lost a most valued citizen.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

The Women's Guild of the United Church met at the manse on Thursday afternoon, Aug. 28th. Mrs. T. A. MacAdam presided. Plans were made for an autumn sale. Mrs. George Perks and Miss Mary Pitcairn were hostesses.

Here for the week-end were noticed — Misses Evelyn Wales, Janet Watson, Gunner Roy DeWitt, of Petawawa, Messrs. John DeWitt, of Ottawa, and Ralph Lalonde.

Mrs. Wm. Clarke, of Montreal, was the guest of her brother, Mr. Lawson Taylor, Isle aux Chats, on Thursday.

Miss Agnes Sutherland, of Montreal, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Mary Pitcairn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Francois Crevier and little daughter, of Montreal, returned home Tuesday after several days' stay with Mr. Crevier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Crevier. Mr. and Mrs. Osé Crevier and three little daughters, of Valleyfield, visited here recently.

Miss J. Grace Wales, Ph.D., has left for Wisconsin, to resume her position on the staff of the University.

Miss Lois Perks has taken up her teaching duties at Hudson, Que., again.

Miss Elizabeth Wales is in Montreal, having been appointed to the staff of the Aberdeen School.

Miss Bessie Rodger is continuing her work at Montreal West High School.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. Mowatt's mother, Mrs. J. B. Stevenson, the Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Mowatt were unable to attend Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hogg's 50th wedding anniversary.

Miss Marjorie Doyle, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. R. Roth. Mrs. R. P. Liddell, of Montreal, was also the guest of Mrs. Roth over the week-end. Miss Pat Liddell is visiting Mrs. Roth for a week.

Mrs. John McLeod and daughter, Phyllis, returned to Vankleek Hill, Ont., on Monday.

Mrs. Sydney V. Kendall and the Misses Joyce and Elizabeth Anne Kendall returned to Montreal on Tuesday.

Mr. G. O. H. Driver, who had been the guest of Mrs. K. R. de la Ronde for ten days, returned to Toronto on Monday. Miss Hildred Driver, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. F. R. Roth, for the past five months, has returned to her home in Forest Hills, Toronto.

Miss Beatrice Simpson has returned to Westmount after a three weeks' vacation at her summer home here. Mrs. R. St. J. Simpson is remaining.

Miss A. L. Wales is visiting in Montreal this week.

Miss Kate Chisholm and Miss Hilda Wilson have returned to Montreal.

Mrs. Thomas Jopling and little son, of Montreal, stayed with Mrs. K. R. de la Ronde during last week. Mr. Thomas Jopling, Mrs. Wm. Doyle and Miss Phyllis Doyle spent Sunday with Mrs. de la Ronde.

Mrs. Richard P. Read, of New York, is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Neve.

Mrs. Seymour Burwash, of Fort Bragg, Cal., and Buffalo, N.Y., with her friend, Miss Mildred Abwender, motored here and were guests of the former's niece, Mrs. James Burwash, at River Rouge for a few days.

Guests at the home of Mrs. James Burwash on Labor Day included Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stackhouse, of Ottawa, Messrs. Leonard and Robert St. Louis, of Florida, the Misses Carolyn and Margaret Dawson and Mrs. Frank Dawson, of Montreal, also Mr. Fred Dawson, of Halifax, N.S.

Mrs. Seymour Burwash, Mrs. James Burwash and Miss Mildred Abwender motored to Ottawa Friday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. McElroy.

Great-grandchild Christened

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Nowers Asbury was christened at St. John's Church, Thetford Mines, Que., on Sunday afternoon, Aug. 25th. The baby was christened by the names "Alison Mary", the Rev. H. W. Seeley officiating. The sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Baylis, of Sherbrooke, Que., and Miss Muriel Say, of Montreal. Miss E. Johnston, of Thetford Mines, stood proxy for the latter. Mrs. Asbury is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Neve.

Attains 96th Birthday

Congratulations from the community to Mrs. Treffié Charlebois, who attained her 96th birthday on August 26th. Though unable to see to advantage, she enjoys good health. She makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Moderie. She has many descendants, counting the fourth generation, a great granddaughter.

Burial at Carillon Cemetery

The ashes of the late Norman M. Stackhouse and the late Dr. J. A. Stackhouse were interred in the family plot in Carillon Cemetery on Thursday, August 28th. The Rev. J. A. Mowatt conducted the committal service.

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Man's chief merit consists in resisting the impulses of his nature. —Samuel Johnson

BEE-SIEGED

Asheville, N.C., Sept 5 (CP) — Thieves were making away with Jonas Melton's beehive when the bees counter-attacked. Melton found the hive about 200 yards from his house. The victorious bees were buzzing busily about inside — empty of honey all the time.

After the tiff Mary calmed down a little.

"But how CAN you love me, Joe?" she asked. "Here the doctor says I must have a course of slimming, and you refuse to let me."

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

HINTS FOR HOMEBODIES

By JESSIE ALLEN BROWN

Specially written for Readers of The Watchman

MARITIME PRICES

One of the things which is beyond me to understand is the high cost of food in the Maritimes. When we moved to Halifax the high prices appalled me. Friends who had moved there from the West felt the same way. We moved back to Ontario for a year or so, then came to Saint John and I found the same high prices here. The usual plea is that freight rates are the cause. It would be natural to expect to pay a little more for things that have extra freight but some prices seem beyond reason. I read a good many papers from all over Canada and I have an opportunity to compare prices weekly. For example, our favorite brand of beans sells here at 2 for 25 cents but at 3 for a quarter in other provinces. I paid 46 cents for a pound can of B.C. salmon. Freight does not cost that much. Soaps and cereals are sold at the same prices. Don't they have to pay freight? When we were using imported spinach, the price down here was exactly four times as high as in Ontario and Quebec. Home-grown (and by that I mean grown in the Maritimes) vegetables and fruits seldom get down to Ontario levels. At the time of writing, late in August, celery, cucumbers, and tomatoes are just twice as much as they are in Upper Canada. Even the commodities which are landed at the Maritime ports are higher in price. I have never been able to buy bananas as cheap here or in Halifax as I did in Ontario. English marmalades are more expensive here, too. In Ontario I got 2 cans of dog food for 19 cents; down here it is 2 for 25. Buying it in quantity I used to get it at a dollar a dozen but the best I have been able to get it for down here is $1.40. Forty cents on a dozen cans of dog food is quite a difference. I could go on endlessly, but what's the good. It would look as if the Maritimes should be a profitable place to own a grocery store as the spread in prices is so great. I sometimes wonder if the lack of chain-store competition has anything to do with the exorbitant prices the Maritimers have to pay for their food.

JELLY MAKING

Many women seem to feel there is something mysterious about making jelly and that it is beyond them. Actually jelly is not difficult to make and it is such a satisfying thing to do. The chief thing to remember is that really ripe fruit does not jell easily, sometimes will not jell at all, so choose fruit which is firm and slightly underripe. Apples, crabapples, grapes, and quince are the Fall fruits which jelly well. Wash the fruit but do not skin nor core as these portions contain considerable of the pectin, which jells the juice. Cut the fruit on to cook and cook until the fruit is soft and the juice flows freely. in pieces, put in a kettle, and add water until it barely shows. Put Drain through a jelly-bag. Measure the juice and boil for twenty minutes. Measure the sugar, using three-quarters of a cup to a cup of juice. Put the sugar in a shallow pan in a warm oven to heat. Add the sugar to the juice and boil until it will jell, usually about five minutes. Pour into sterilised jars seal.

TESTING JELLY

To test jelly to see if it will set, put a spoonful on a cold plate. It will thicken quickly. Or you may take a little on a spoon, let it cool slightly, then let it run off the tip and if it does not drop off but sheets, it is ready to pour. The surest way of all is to use a candy or a fat thermometer. Let the jelly boil to 220 degrees and then your.

APPLE VARIATIONS

If apples are plentiful and you are making quite a bit of jelly you may like to try a few variations. The old-fashioned Rose-Geranium is as good as it ever was in our grand-mother's time. Put a leaf in the bottom of the jelly glass before you pour your jelly. That is all there is to it. I have a Rose-Geranium plant in my kitchen window as big as all get-out. I wish I could give some of its leaves to those who haven't any. Spiced jelly is made by tieing some stick cinnamon and some cloves in a bag and boiling with the juice. Mint jelly is made by boiling some mint leaves with the juice. Green coloring may be added, a little at a time. Paste coloring is best and a box of it does a long time. If the apples you are using are not red you may improve on nature by adding a little red coloring.

SPICED PLUMS

4 quarts large plums, 2 cups vinegar, 3 lbs. of sugar, 1 tablespoon ground cinnamon, 1 tablespoon allspice, 1 tablespoon whole cloves.

Wash the plums and prick with a fork. Mix the other ingredients and boil for five minutes, then pour over the plums. Let stand for three days. Skim out the plums and boil down the syrup until thick. Add the plums and boil for three minutes. Pour into sterilised jars and seal. Serve with meats.

CELERY RELISH

30 ripe tomatoes, pelled, 1 large bunch celery, 3 green peppers, 3 large onions, 2 lbs. white sugar, 3 cups vinegar, 3 tablespoons salt.

Cook until fairly thick, about an hour, stirring often. Bottle in sterilised jars.

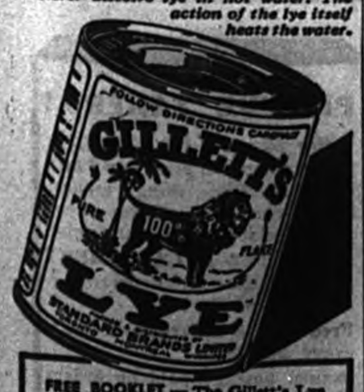
Hugging and dancing nowadays are just as different as two peas in a pod. —Exch.

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Woman in Black



A woman in black is shown when she visited the crypt of Rudolph Valentino in Hollywood cemetery mausoleum on the fifteenth anniversary of the Great Shiek's death. In background is a photo of the actor, framed in zinnias and roses, which she left before the tomb. She said her name was Ditra Flame and that she is "not real woman in black" who for 15 years made an annual visit to the crypt.

SPEED TYPISTS TURN THEIR TALENTS TO AID WAR EFFORT

Toronto — North America's speediest typists are putting their nimble-fingered efficiency to practical purpose as the Canadian and American teams attempt to outwrite each other in the International Typewriting Marathon at the Canadian National Exhibition. During their 14 days and nights of incessant key-tapping, they will type thousands of letters for the War Savings Committee of Canada, through which many citizens will be urged to increase their war savings.

Members of the American team on their arrival in Toronto for the Marathon, stated one after another: "For a long time we have been wanting to do something to help the Canadian war effort. At last the opportunity has come."

From tne Canadian team came remark after remark like this: "It gives me just a bit of a lift-up to be able to put what skill I have at the service of my country."

Whether these artists of speed and accuracy came from San Francisco or Alabama, Halifax or Vancouver, they expressed their determination to turn out as many letters as possible in the interests of Canadian war savings.

All letters which the artists of speed and skill type, will be signed by W. H. Somerville, joint national chairman of the War Savings Committee, in his Ottawa office before mailing. They will read as follows :

"This letter was typed by one of the 24 speediest typists in North America, a contestant in the annual competition of the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto. The entrant, Miss — —, has an everage speed of — words per minute, and generously volunteered her services as patriotic contribution to the War Savings Committee.

"The average rate of War Savings under the Bank Pledge Plan is now voluntarily undergoing a distinct improvement right across the country.

"May we suggest that you consider the Bank Pledge Plan in respect to your personal war savings effort. The enclosed pledge form is forwarded for your convenience. If you are already pledged, won't you please consider increasing the amount?

"This committee has undertaken to advise Miss — — as to the reaction to this series of letters addressed to members of your profession in order to give her some feeling of satisfaction in respect to her effort. May we advise Miss — — that you have pledged your material assistance to the war effort?"

Grapes for Jelly Days

The jelly days are never over until a plentiful supply of grapes has been transformed into jars of luscious jelly — the kind that always goes before winter is over, no matter how many jars we make. Venison jelly (made from grapes) is an ideal gift for a sick friend or donation to a church sale.

Venison Jelly (Using fresh grapes)

4 cups (2 lbs.) juice; 7 cups (3 lbs.) sugar; ½ bottle fruit pectin.

To prepare juice, stem about 3 pounds fully ripe grapes and crush thoroughly. Add ½ cup apple vinegar, 1 teaspoon cloves, and 2 teaspoons cinnamon. Bring to a boil, cover, and simmer 10 minutes. Place fruit in jelly cloth or bag and squeeze out juice.

Measure sugar and juice into large saucepan and mix. Bring to a boil over hottest fire and at once add bottled fruit pectin, stirring constantly. Then bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard ½ minute. Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jelly at once. Makes about 11 glasses. (6 fluid ounces each).



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Federated W.I.'s Form National War Fund

Macdonald College — The Federated Women's Institutes of Canada have decided to establish a national War Emergency Fund, to be raised by the organizations in the various provinces, and from branches and individual members. Into this fund all monies earned or given expressly for war efforts are to be turned, so that more effectual work may be done by the interpretation of the Women's Institutes war effort from a national viewpoint.

A Mobile Canteen Kitchen is under construction for the next effort.

BEAUTY.

—Helen Jameson, Mme. Qui Vive—

Eyebrows and Pretty Winkers

It is with pleasure that we report that the sisters are not demolishing their eyebrows to the limit, a practice that has been going on for a number of years. Eyebrows should accentuate good looks. They don't do that when they're tweezed and teased down to a line of hairs marching single file. The feminine countenance appears vacuous and vapid or in a state of perpetual surprise, when the faint eyebrow is upped to the limit.

Nature's designs aren't failures, as more than one woman discovered when the forehead scimitars were permitted to return to normal. Graceful and lovely is the arched pattern, and that is what should be attained in place of the drunken zigzags assumed by some mistaken ladies, or the harsh, straight effect produced by the crayon. The facial composition, if it is to be attractive, is dependent upon the eyebrow design, which should harmonize with the features. As it is, some don't seem to know why they're there or what they are about.

Every woman should tidy up the forehead premises. Hairs that have strayed from the fold must be yanked out, no matter how many tears you shed while you're at it. Eyebrows that meet and hold hands are horrors; one never sees them any more, thank goodness.

Beauty operators who have made a study of matching eyebrows to pretty faces deplore the havoc that has been going on in the way of home work. Many a pair of attractive lamberquins has been practically wrecked and ruined. After little fuzzers have been annihilated again and again, they become discouraged to go off and die. With the result that the normal design cannot be restored.

Eyebrows should conform to the shape of the eyes. If they don't, a girl may look either scared to death or nit-witted. She of narrow slanting soul windows should have brows only slightly arched, ends extended with a downward slant; that's when the sharpened crayon is the good friend.

Large round eyes can carry a decided arch, and brows must not be too far apart.

On the question of lashes, women are in accord. They all want them long, black and silky, with curly ends. Wonderful what the coquette can do with an outfit like that.

To cultivate a luxuriant growth apply mineral oil freely. Friction it in lightly night and morning. If some of the oil remains on the lids, don't worry. A little shine on the shutters puts a lot of shine in the eyes.

After applying the oil, brush the winkers with the eyebrow brush to give them an up-curl.

A recent discovery is that a thrilling new salad may be made by simply turning the refrigerator upside down, shaking a few times and opening ! —Exch.

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WOMEN IN PANTS — IT'S MAINLY MEN WHO PROTEST IDEA

But Uncle Sam's Farm Experts Take Lead in Promoting Utility of the Move

By HELEN FORRIST HALL

Country folk are out to demonstrate that women can wear trousers and still be feminine.

From the U. S. Department of Agriculture's bureau of home economics emerges a troup of pants--for-women styles. Yes, and skirts too — such as jumpers, bleted or in the princess line, to be worn with shirts.

But when a branch of the government went to town to create styles — not for the woman of leisure or the "white collar" girl who receives so much attention, but for the laboring woman — its textile experts recognized the indispensability of the trouser. Truly comfortable, well-planned clothes are the result. Appropriateness being the valor of smartness, the girls should do all right.

Male Opposition.

Miss Clarise Scott and her coworkers in the bureau have done a good job. Our only concern is that among the menfolk who surround the very women who need these clothes are the ones who are most "agin" women in pants.

Should the bureau choose to use such terms as "pinafore" instead of "coverall apron" in setting up its fashion phrases, acceptance might be more enthusiastic. Actually, the themes fall in line with what fashionable women wear for gardening, bicycling and the milkmaid pose.

Stemming from the textile specialists, these utility togs are intended to be made of sturdy, inexpensive fabrics. Seersucker, denim, chambray and water-repellent cottons are among them.

Cottons Under

The designs have been released to pattern makers as well as to cutters, with standard fabric-width in mind. Thus the woman who sews her own may save on fabric — and on time, what with easy-to-follow instructions. As the originators stress that few undergarments are needed, we judge they have cottons of fair weight in mind.

Among the fashion-plus-utility points are straight-hanging trousers with buttons or zippers to snug them at the ankle at will, and extension sleeves to be buttoned onto the short sleeve incorporated in the garment. Both tricks make for femininity.

Husbands really should rally. Think of not having to say, "Dear, your petticoat shows !"

One of the ladies of "advice to the lovelorn" fame declares that "men don't marry critics." Maybe not, but few of them lack criticism after they have been married. —Exch.



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IS PRESENT NECESSARY?

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

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2. If the girl is married, should the birth announcement be addressed to "Mr. and Mrs."? —B.

1. You do not need to worry at all about the fact that these birth announcement cards may indicate to your friends that they should send gifts. Just regard them in your mind as what they are — announcement cards. They do not at all call for a present. Your friends will be happy that you took this way of telling them the happy news. Some of your relatives and close friends may send you gifts for the new baby. Many of them fill undoubtedly drite you of their happiness. The thing for you to do is to tell them the good news in will undoubtedly write you of their own choice as to what they wish to do.

2. Yes, these formal birth announcements should be addressed to Mr. and Mrs., as in any other formal announcement.

INITIALS

Dear Mrs. Beeckman:

Please tell me which of the three initials are correct to use on linens, bags and so forth, if one's name is Mary Elizabeth Leroy Haines, the "Leroy" being the maiden name? —M.

Customarily, when a girl marries she drops her middle name, and for her informal name uses her first name, her maiden name and her married surname. So Mary Elizabeth Leroy would, if she followed the general custom, drop the Elizabeth, and adopt for her informal name, Mary Leroy Haines. That is, most girls consider their middle name of less importance than their first name and maiden name.

However, this is by no means a definite rule since personal choice takes precedence over all rules. Therefore, Mary Elizabeth Leroy may, if she has a special fondness for all her names, keep them all in her informal married name, although this obviously usually makes a pretty cumbersome array.

Or Mary may have more fondness for her middle name than she has for her maiden name, and so she may keep the Elizabeth and drop the Leroy. This isn't usual and isn't very practical, since often the maiden surname serves for many purposes of identification.

Therefore, unless this Mary of ours wishes to step out of the usual custom, she uses the initials 'MLH' on her linens and on her personal accessories.

RING DURING CEREMONY

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

I want very much to wear my engagement ring during the marriage ceremony. Is this possible? —Mary

Yes, indeed it is. However, for greater convenience during the ring part of the ceremony, I suggest you wear your engagement ring on your right hand.

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Auction Sales

At the residence of —
JAMES LEES

Lakefield, on Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 12 noon (D.S.T.), the following :

Registered Clydesdale brood mare (imported) in foal to Tors Sunlight (imp.); Registered Clydesdale brood mare, 5 years old, in foal to Croft Eminent (imp.); Registered Clydesdale one-year-old stallion by Craigie Winalot, dam Craigburn Nancy; General purpose mare, 5 years, good roader.

4 Milch cows, 2 heifers, 2 pigs, some hens and turkeys.

Double harness, cart harness, riding saddle, wagon, truck wagon, McCormick drill seeder, cultivator, mowing machine, sloop sleigh, rack sleigh, cutter, cart, steel snowplow.

3 Pitchforks, horse rake, disc harrow, smoothing harrow, grindstone, ice tongs, wind charger with tower stand complete.

Three 8-gallon milk cans (nearly new), 2 coolie cans (new), milk disc strainer, cream separator, about 400 sap cans, 2 long ladders, 2 horseforks and two carriages, also horsefork rope, cross-cut saw, Swede saw, ice saw, large oat-bin; a quantity of hay and feed, also household furniture and many other articles.

—Edgar Boyd, Lic. Auctioneer

At the farm of —
WALTER WERT,

Ogdensburg, 6th range of Chatham (6 miles from Perley Bridge), on Saturday, September 6th, commencing at 1 p.m. (D.S.T.).

Work mare 10 yrs. old, work horse, 3½ yrs. old, driving mare, 4 yrs. old, 13 milch cows, 2 two-year old heifers, 2 1-yr.old heifers, 2 buggies, (1 rubber tire), express, truck wagon, cutter, rack sleigh and pole, set bob sleighs and bunks, 2 buggy poles, 1 heavy hand sleigh, disc harrow (new), set smoothing harrows, mowing machine (new Massey Harris oil bath), grain binder, horse rake, drill seeder, walking plow, gang plow, cultivator, cream separators, (de Laval No. 12, also a D.S. 17,) set platform scales, neck yokes, whiffle trees, forks, shovels, milk cans, milk pails, set double harness, set single harness, set cart harness, Beatty gasoline washing machine, electric washing machine, R.C.A. electric radio, (standard and short wave, 1941 model), kitchen cabinet, gramophone and records, Harvest-Home cooking range, sewing machine (Belanger special) leather covered parlor set, linoleums and rugs, 25 tons hay, quantity bound oats, quantity stove wood and many other articles.

Terms: $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount 9 months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes, 4% discount for cash.

—W. J. Boyd, Auctioneer.

Six Men Smoked For Six Months

And Found a New Pipe Wood

London — Six men sat in London for six months smoking pipes made from strange new woods.

They were in search of a successor to the traditional bruyere, popularly known as briar. It grew in Algiers, and, after being conditioned in France, was shipped to England to be made into pipes.

When the fortune of war cut off supplies, some new material had to be found, so the six smokers of London smoked steadily ahead, seeking the wood which seemed to their expert tongues to be worthy to take the place of briar. After trying out woods from many quarters of the globe they have found in England one with all the qualities of briar yet completely different in appearance. It is non-porous. It resists heat. It is tough and tasteless.

A new method of curing the wood, known as the cherry cure, has been worked out in practical manufacturing detail and already this "cherry cure" pipe is being exported to many parts of the world.

Editors' Tour of Military Camps, War Industries

(Continued from page 1)

The itinerary of the first day included the National Steel Car plant and the Army Trades School at Hamilton, the Basic Training Centre at Brantford, and afterwards proceeding to Ancaster.

A description of the Army Trades School will give a brief outline of its purposes . . .

Creating Soldier Tradesmen Function of Hamilton Army Trades School.

The Army Trades School at Hamilton is but one phase in the huge trades-training program being carried out to provide skilled and semi-skilled tradesmen for the Canadian Army, which is completely motorized and which has armored regiments and tank battalions as its striking weapon. All students at the Army Trades School for instance, first attended one of 99 Canadian Technical Schools. They were also first trained in the fundamentals of soldiering at a Basic Training Centre.

The combined military and trade training of a Canadian soldier-tradesman can be divided thus :—

Phase 1 — The normal military training carried out at a Basic Training Centre. Since parachute troops and reconnaissance columns may strike at tradesmen, as well as at other troops, the tradesmen must be prepared for such attack by having extensive knowledge of weapons of defence. It is also imperative that they have a sound basis of the fundamentals of soldiering. They are given this training first. Period — two months.

Phase II — The civil application of the lesser skilled trades, and the more elementary work for the higher skilled trades. It is carried out at 99 technical schools situated across the Dominion. Period — three months.

Phase III—Army Trades School, Hamilton, providing tradesmen reinforcements for overseas units and for units in Canada. Capacity — 2,000; Period 3 to 5 months, according to trade.

Phase IV — The military application of the trade, carried out at Advanced Training Centres, with army tools and army vehicles. Period — until sent overseas or to a unit.

In addition to the above courses, tradesmen are being taught as mechanics in classes being operated by commercial firms. A special school for advanced motor mechanics is also in operation in London, Ont., where training is given on aircraft engines and Diesels, which have been adopted to use in the tank, as well as on the usual internal combustion engine.

The ultimate output from the entire Canadian Tradesmen Training scheme will be about 20,000 per annum, with about 7,000 undergoing training at one time.

Further descriptions will be published in next issue.

Maybe He Didn't Want to Get Away



This 258-pound Marlin swordfish probably took one look at Ann Sothern, movie actress, and decided he didn't want to get away. At any rate he fought only 22 minutes before "coming along quietly" to the side of the boat.

SCOTTISH TROOPS RESCUE CLIMBERS

"Good Rope Work" by Troops Saves Civilian in Difficulties

London, Sept 1 (CP) — On two occasions troops of the Scottish Command have scaled crags near Glencoe to rescue amateur mountain climbers who got into difficulty.

A report by Lt.-Gen. A. F. Thorne says that the rescues first of a man and then of a girl student within 24 hours required "some really good rope work by the troops."

One group of rescuers climbed 95 per cent of Invincible Gully's 2,800 feet in pitch darkness and two soldiers almost lost their lives. Military authorities have asked climbers not to attempt dangerous ascents which might result in the risking of soldiers' lives.

Maybe more women would take up golf if the men could drive with one hand.

September 10-17, Week Of Reconsecration For Canadian People

Wednesday, September 10th, marks the beginning of the third year of Canada's participation in the war. In acknowledgement of that fact the Government has issued a Proclamation setting aside the period September 10th-17th as a week of reconsecration of the Canadian people to our cause and in national honour "for those who on land, sea and in the air are defenders of our country."

The following is the wording of the Proclamation :

"WHEREAS on the tenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, the Dominion of Canada declared a State of War with the German Reich; AND WHEREAS at the beginning of the third year of this war the leaders of democracy have re-affirmed their determination to continue the struggle until the evil of Nazi tyranny has been destroyed; NOW KNOW YE that We, by and with the advice of our Privy Council for Canada, have thought fit to ordain and declare and do by this Our Proclamation ordain and declare that the week commencing Wednesday the 10th of September and ending on Wednesday the Seventeenth of September, inclusively, in the present year, be observed throughout our Dominion of Canada in national honor for those who on land, sea and in the air are the defenders of our country, and in proud memory for those valiant hearts who have gone out from among us in the most precious of all sacrifices for our common freedom; AND KNOW YE FURTHER that We do also hereby ordain and declare this week as one of reconsecration of our lives and principles which under Divine Providence have been our stay and help in the past, to the end that torment may be lifted from men's hearts and peace and safety come for all nations and peoples; OF ALL WHICH Our Loving Subjects and all others whom these presents may concern are hereby required to take notice and to govern themselves accordingly."

Hunting Regulations

Ottawa — Hunting regulations for the 1941 season continuing the bag limit at twelve ducks and five geese a day in all provinces were announced recently by the Department of Mines and Resources. The new regulations make the minimum restriction upon the hunting of migratory birds consistent with the general conditions of these birds throughout the continent, and follow generally the principles adopted in 1936 when regulations were revised to meet the serious depletion of waterfowl caused by drought in the prairie nesting grounds, and by over shooting. This law is based upon a Treaty with the United States, the object of which is to conserve migratory birds and waterfowl, including ducks and geese, which, because of their migratory nature, belong to both countries.

The ban against the use of live decoys continues, and season bag limits for both ducks and geese are set for each of the provinces. In the Maritime Provinces, Ontario and Quebec the closed season on Brant continues.

Late Highlights, Canadian Press War Commentary

RUSSIA'S WINTER CAMPAIGN SEEN AS FACTOR IN JAPANESE TENSION

PIERRE LAVAL REPORTED RECOVERING FROM WOUND BY ASSASSIN'S BULLET

The probability that Germany will be forced to fight a winter campaign against Russia is regarded as a factor influencing the Japanese in the present situation. While recalcitrant army leaders declare it is the government's intention to build a co-prosperity sphere in East Asia despite British-American opposition, there are other evidences that Prime Minister Konoye is seeking to lessen the existing tension.

Japanese newspapers are not so truculent, and in China the Japanese-controlled press early this week referred to the greatly-increased aid being given Britain by the United States. These papers say Germany will be forced to fight in Russia throughout the winter.

Condition Improved

Pierre Laval, former French vice-premier who was wounded Aug 26th by an assassin's bullet, was reported early this week to be able to sit up in bed and take food. His condition showed "progressive improvement."

Indications are that Nazi officialdom continues to view moves by the Vichy government with a good deal of scepticism. Marshal Petain's announcement Sunday of a new government party, the Legion of War Veterans and Volunteers of the National Revolution, was severely censored for use by the Paris press — an indication that the totalitarian-style movement is in for trouble.

Wants Bigger Effort

President Roosevelt in a Labor Day broadcast told the United States the country's war effort was not yet enough. "Unless we step up the total of our production and more greatly safeguard it on its journeys to the battlefields, our enemies will take heart in pushing their attack in fields old and new," he said.

The President declared that the nation was devising new weapons of unprecedented power toward the maintenance of democracy.

In a transatlantic broadcast Labor Minister Ernest Bevin told the United States there was no labor dispute in Britain "worth mentioning", and urged labor unity in North America.

Nazis Driven Back

Counter offensives by Russian armies on the Moscow and Leningrad fronts were started at the week-end and by Sept. 3 German troops in these areas were thrown back several miles. In the south the German thrust at the Black Sea port of Odessa was reported stopped at the gates of the city.

Before Moscow the Red Army's drive had forced German troops to retire 30 miles at one point, while Nazi besiegers of Leningrad were reported pushed back three miles. Fighting is severe and losses heavy.

A large contingent of Canadian troops has arrived in Britain, it was announced Wednesday. The soldiers from all parts of the Dominion will bring the 3rd Canadian division almost to full strength.

(Canadian Press)

A Scotsman, upon entering a saddler's, asked for a single spur. When asked what use just one spur would be, Sandy replied:

"Well, if I can get one side of the horse to go, the other will have to come wi' it."

COMING EVENTS

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

AMATEUR PROGRAM

The Pioneer Women's Institute are holding an Amateur Night in the Town Hall, St. Andrews East, on Friday, September 5th, at 8.15 p.m. Admission 25c. Anyone wishing to compete, write Mrs. George Armstrong, phone 912-r-3, Lachute. —S4-2c.

HARVEST SUPPER

A harvest supper will be held on Friday evening, Sept. 26th, at the United Church, Brownsburg, under auspices of the Junior Ladies' Auxiliary. Supper served from 5.30 to 8 p.m. Admission 50c. —1c.

BAND CONCERT

Brownsburg Boys' Band will give a concert Saturday evening, Sept 6th, at 8 p.m. in Lachute Memorial Park . . . A collection will be taken in aid of the band fund, and it is hoped there will be a good attendance to encourage the young lads. Great progress has been made by this organization, and they are worthy of support in their good work.

CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

The Ladies' Aid of Brownsburg Presbyterian Church are holding a chicken pie supper in the church hall on Thursday, Oct. 2nd. Admission 50c. Supper served from 5 to 8 o'clock. Please keep the date reserved. —1c.

LACHUTE W.I.

The monthly meeting of the Lachute W. I. will be held in the Lachute High School on Tuesday, September 9th, at 3 p.m.

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"The development of soil-stabilized bases for runways has opened a new market for salt," the department said.

GOLF CLUB DANCE

— At the Lachute clubhouse Saturday, Sept. 6th. Good orchestra. Admission 50c person. Members and guests invited. Tickets from members or at the door. —1c.

DANCE

Modern and old-time dancing at McIntyre's Hall, Grenville, on Saturday evening, Sept. 6th. Brownsburg orchestra. —1c.

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COUNTRY WOMEN WIN PRAISE IN WAR EFFORT; PROSPECTS FOR AGRICULTURE VERY BRIGHT

CONSUMERS TO FEEL THE PINCH OF WAR IN RESTRICTED OUTPUT OF HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES; AUTOMOBILES ALREADY CUT

— THE WEEK IN OTTAWA —

Specially Written for The Watchman
By JOHN DAUPHINEE
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Ottawa, Sept 8 (CP) — Canadian industry, mostly concentrated in the big cities, and farm women who live in the Dominion's rural areas have come in for a pat on the back.

Munitions Minister Howe gave the plaudits to industry. He told a press conference that war production has reached such volume after two years of war that a full infantry division now can be equipped in six weeks "and perhaps five", with tanks and guns. Already Canadian made equipment was going to all parts of the Empire and quantities soon would be going to Russia.

The boosts for rural women came at the regional conference of the Associated Countrywomen of the World. Mrs. M. Schuttler, one of the prominent American women who came to Canada to learn more about the war effort and attend the conference, said rural women have every reason to be proud of the work they are doing to help beat Hitler.

Too Modest

"Women who are on farms have been too modest," she said. "Farm women manage their homes, poultry yards, dairies and gardens, and every can of string beans, every jar of preserved fruit, every fresh vegetable plate served on the home table releases just that much more of other necessities to the countries fighting for democracy."

Agriculture Minister Gardiner also praised the way Canada's women are buckling down to the vital task of winning the war, when he addressed the conference. He told how vast quantities of Canadian-produced foods are going overseas and added :—

"Without the co-operation of Canadian women in these war years — and especially rural women, for nearly 60 per cent of our women live on farms or in rural communities — the food program could never have been so successful."

"All Out" Farming

There was good news for farmers when Agriculture Minister Gardiner returned from a visit to the West. He said he could see a definite improvement in prospects for farmers in 1942 — they would be able to go ahead and produce all the hogs, butter, cheese and eggs possible with the assurance of selling them at better prices than have prevailed to the present.

Britain would take nothing less than 600,000,000 pounds of bacon, probably 150,000,00 pounds of cheese and vast quantities of eggs. He said he was confident Canadian producers would be able to meet the mother country's needs in the matter of food supplies.

More Restrictions

As this week began it seemed certain Canadians in the very near future will begin to feel the pinch of war more strongly than ever. Munitions Minister Howe at his press conference added his prediction of restrictions on civilian production in addition to many others of the past few weeks.

Mr. Howe said the curtailment policy would apply to such household conveniences as washing machines, electric refrigerators and other durable consumer goods. Automobile production already has been cut to less than half the 1940 figure.

Every effort would be made to cause as little interruption as possible to normal living but the war effort could not be prejudiced in the interests of home comfort. The government would have to "directly curtail through rationing measures" the supply of materials used for non-essential purposes.

TO DECORATE FOR NATIONAL OBSERVANCE

CITIZENS URGED TO MAKE PATRIOTIC DISPLAY ON PREMISES

RECONSECRATION PLEDGE FOR WEEK SEPT. 10-17

As part of the observation of Reconsecration Week, citizens are asked by the National Committee to fly flags and decorate their homes and business premises from September 10th to 17th. The second anniversary of Canada's entry into the war is now being observed throughout the Dominion to pay national honor to those who, on land, sea, and in the air, are the defenders of our country and in proud memory of those valiant hearts who have fallen for our common freedom.

In connection with this observance a Reconsecration Pledge has been approved by the National Committee in charge of arrangements. The Committee urges that the Pledge should be taken publicly at mass rallies and other meetings and privately by individuals during this Reconsecration Week.

Following is the text of the Pledge:

"At this time of peril for my country, in this fight against the evil powers which threaten to engulf the earth, conscious of my duty toward Canada and toward my fellow man, I solemnly pledge before Almighty God that I shall do all that lies within my power, and deem no sacrifice too great, to bring about the victory of our arms, that right may triumph, that justice may prevail and that a righteous peace may reign throughout the world; to this end I reconsecrate myself, with faith, with courage and with the knowledge that, though the path be hard and the day be ark, our efforts cannot fail."

EXPLAINS CHARGE OF STEALING GASOLINE

The Watchman has been asked to correct an impression given two weeks ago in a news report from Montreal, concerning the arrest of two youths, one a resident of Brownsburg, on a charge of theft. Counsel for the defendants has written this newspaper as follows:

"Some time ago you published an article about young Hector Sargent stealing gasoline . . . This was actually a minor offence.

"The boys were asked by the police if they had their licence. As they were near another car, the police believed that they were stealing gasoline.

"In order to clean up the case promptly, and to save a lot of expense, I had the boys plead guilty.

"I wish you would be so considerate as to give them a break and revise your article."

—(Signed) Paul Desy

The publishers are glad to comply with this request by presenting the above explanation.

Summer Home at Curran's Lake Is Destroyed by Fire

A cottage on Curran's Lake, Dunany, belonging to Gordon Brown, Montreal, was destroyed by fire at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon. The blaze, of unknown origin, was seen by neighboring residents but nothing could be done to save the property.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and family had left Sunday night for Montreal after spending the week-end at the lake. According to lake residents here, the cottage was a large log structure built about 20 years ago.

RECEIVE NEWS YOUNG AIRMAN KILLED OVERSEAS

Cushing W. — Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Watson, of Maniwaki, received a cable recently with the news that their eldest son, John Stanfield Watson, had been killed in an aerodrome accident in England. "Jack" went overseas nearly a year ago as a radio technician, and this summer a younger brother, Jimmy, received his wings and also went overseas. They are nephews of Mrs. N. Usher and of Mr. C. F. Watson, of Cushing, and very well known here. The news of Jack's untimely death, at the age of 23, is heard with deep regret.

"V" And The Man



Prime Minister Winston Churchill, the very personification of the British Commonwealth's "V" for victory campaign, makes the "V" sign in response to cheers as he left Iceland. The visit occurred on the trip that was climaxed by the historic meeting between Churchill and President Franklin D. Roosevelt of the United States.

EXTENSION OF PHONE SYSTEM IN BROWNSB'G

TO MEET NEEDS OF NEW RESIDENTIAL AREAS AND GROWING INDUSTRIES

ALSO RECONSTRUCTING THE DALESVILLE RURAL LINE

The continued increase in industrial activity in Brownsburg, and the resultant residential building development, have made necessary a considerable extension of telephone facilities, according to J. J. Morrin, Bell Telephone manager for this district.

This fall, new cables will be erected from the Brownsburg central office to serve the area west of Marble Avenue, especially the new Filion subdivision, and other rising residential sections.

Besides the work in Brownsburg itself, rural lines purchased by the Bell Telephone Company from the Dalesville Mutual Telephone Association last year will be reconstructed.

BUILDING PLANT IS HIVE OF INDUSTRY; INSPECTION SHOWS PROGRESS ON BIG PREFABRICATION ORDER

Sorel Contract in Hands of Cottingham Supply Co.

Said Biggest Prefabricated Building Ever to Be Erected in Canada

The local firm of Cottingham Supply Company is engaged in the construction of an E-shaped 140' x 84' building to be erected at Sorel, Que., as a staff house for War Work Inspectors from England. Designed by the National Housing Administration in Ottawa, the building is being prefabricated in the local plant.

With the application of "prefabricated" principles for simple, speedy completion of the order, the local plant of Cottingham Supply Company presents a scene of intense industry moving with clocklike precision.

On this contract for what is believed to be one of the largest prefabricated buildings ever erected on the continent, one finds these principles adopted in every detail, the entire building being virtually shop-made.

This project was explained by Mr. Prentice Bradley, who came here from Boston to apply the principles of prefabrication as developed by his, and associated companies in the States.

The Modular Service Association, with which Mr. Bradley is connected in the United States, is collaborating now in a co-operative effort sponsored by the American Standards Association, to co-ordinate the sizes and dimensions of building materials produced in the States. The value of such standardization can be readily foreseen. A form of this principle has, in fact, been applied in the present Cottingham project, where dimensions have been simplified to multiples of four inches, thus saving time in figuring and in machinery adjustments.

In the planning of prefabrication and erection for Sorel, Mr. S. A. Gitterman, supervisor on behalf of the National Housing Administration, has co-operated with Mr. Bradley.

The construction of wall and ceiling panels was started August 28th and completed September 5th. In other words, no less than 630 panels have been built, numbered and stacked in order for shipment in seven working days. The immense volume of work, handled by 40 men on day and night shifts, may not be readily realized until the nature of these units is explained. The wall panels include outside sheathing, frame, insulation and interior finish; the ceilings consist of floor joists, strapping and finish. And with this phase of the work completed, the Cottingham shops are now completing doors and windows in their frames with hardware and ready fitted. Stairways, transoms, entrance porches, cornices and all incidental parts will be completely fabricated in Lachute.

Transportation and assembly of the pieces calls for co-ordinated handling. The units now stand at the Cottingham yards in order of sequence for shipment, which will be made by trucks. The panels are each numbered for position of assembly; on each one there is a dab of paint, the color signifying to which wing or unit of the building they belong. This process is compared by Mr. Bradley to the systematic assembly of an automobile, each part being ready on the line at the appointed stage in its manufacture.

This work is being executed by Cottingham Supply Company with existing facilities of the plant, no additional equipment being required, and it has progressed on schedule to entire satisfaction.

At Sorel the contrete foundations are now being poured, under subcontract. Actual erection of the building should begin next week and be completed in ten days or less.

The prefabrication idea, in which all parts are made under factory control, sets new standards of accuracy and precision. In this Sorel undertaking the method is supplemented with detailed organization and planning, which should ensure completion of the contract with the same speed and efficiency it has shown up to this stage.

Weekly War Commentary

Specially Written for The Watchman
By H. H. GORDON
Canadian Press Staff

Renewed activity of British submarines in the Mediterranean, with the Admiralty announcing the torpedoing of several ships being used to carry either troops or supplies, indicated in this, the 106th week of the war, that the Axis is seeking to bolster its troops in Libya.

As the autumn draws near, the time of good fighting weather along the shores of the Mediterranean approaches once more. Britain in the past six months has vastly improved her position throughout the Middle East by ending Axis influence in Syria, Iraq and Iran, as well as most of Ethiopia, but the forces at the Libyan-Egyptian border are still a threat to Egypt. Furthermore, they immobilize a large force of British troops that has to stand guard over the approaches to the Suez canal from the west.

Persistent rumors say that the Axis, absorbed with the Russian campaign and the Battle of the Atlantic, has been forced to let its Western desert troops deteriorate for the lack of proper supplies, relief, and equipment replacement. Whether Britain believes these rumors is another story. They could be Axis-inspired to create overconfidence among the Allied forces. But they sound as though they have a basis of reality.

Canadians In Air

Across the seas, Canadian airmen are playing an ever-increasing part in the sky arena. Thousands of them now are in action or taking final training in Britain. The effect of the offensive operations now under way is having its natural repercussion in Canada — longer R.C.A.F. casualty lists.

The longest list of the war was issued Friday night, and the likelihood is they will soon be even bigger as more fliers are turned out by the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, almost at its production peak. Already the air force, with 669 officially reported dead and missing since the outbreak of hostilities has almost as many casualties as the army and navy combined.

Italian Sinkings

In two days last week the Admiralty announced that nine Axis

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Eggs Still Are Eggs

London, (CP) — Large quantities of deteriorated imported eggs went on sale at 1½ d. (three cts.) each recently. They had suffered from delay in transport, but most were fit for cooking.

Police Investigate A 'Secret' Radio Station at Calumet

Montreal, Sept. 2 — After a full week of investigations, Provincial Police reported that what had at first been a suspected secret radio station in the bush a few miles from Calumet, Que., was only discarded equipment.

A full squad of Provincial officers surrounded the shack in the bush last week, Deputy-Director Louis Jargaille, Chief of Detectives, stated, and after keeping it under surveillance for some time decided to raid it when there were no signs of life in it.

The police found the discarded accumulation of several years during which the shack had been used as a sugar camp. In an adjoining lean-to used for a woodshed, a piece of radio equipment was found. It proved to be a rusty, worthless, broken loud-speaker of the kind usually associated with public-address systems.

TESTS REVEAL CHLORINATION SATISFACTORY

ENGINEER MAKES CHEMICAL ANALYSIS OF WATER AND INSPECTS EQUIPMENT

NEW PLANT IN OPERATION SINCE AUGUST 29TH

A sanitary engineer from the Montreal offices of Quebec Department of Health, Georges Bourbonnais, made a thorough inspection of Lachute's new water chlorination plant, the latter part of last week, and found the equipment functioning satisfactorily. Chemical tests by the ortho-tolidon method showed the correct proportion of chlorine injected into the water supply, and arrangements have been made for the officer in charge, Edgar Jackson, to take daily samples over an indefinite period for bacteriological and chemical analysis. The visiting engineer expressed his entire satisfaction with the chlorine treatment as now in operation.

The chlorinator was first put to use on August 29th last. Citizens most concerned with the condition of the local water supply were not long in discovering the fact, and expressed their approval. Practically no difference could be noted in the town water either as to taste or color.

To Hold Annual Plowing Match Early in October

A special meeting of the directors of the Argenteuil Plowmen's Association was held in Lachute on Sept. 10th. It was decided to hold the annual Plowing Match during the first week of October.

The Hon. Georges E. Dansereau has secured a special grant of $200 from the Quebec Department of Agriculture, to be offered in prizes, and the Argenteuil Agricultural Society has granted $100 towards this competition.

George Hay is president, Amedée Maisonneuve vice-president, and Alex Bothwell secretary.

TO CONTINUE ON DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

QUEBEC, ONTARIO TO REMAIN UNCHANGED THIS WINTER

ELECTRIC POWER FOR WAR INDUSTRIES

Daylight saving time will be continued during the coming winter months in the provinces of Quebec and Ontario, according to information from H. J. Symington, power controller for Canada, given to a Montreal Gazette representative.

"Unquestionably it will be continued," declared Mr. Symington. "We need the power more than ever before. By keeping the clocks ahead an hour we saved 140,000 h.p. last winter in the two provinces"

During the first winter of the war daylight saving time was discontinued as usual on the last Sunday of September, being resumed again the following spring. Last winter, however, with munitions work being stepped up and the need for power increasing, it was decided to have the two big industrial provinces of Quebec and Ontario remain on daylight saving time throughout the year. The large saving in power was illustrated by J. W. McCammon, controller of the Province of Quebec Public Service Board this way :

"Daylight saving time shifted the lighting load forward an hour. Many factories which close at 5 o'clock were able to get through the entire day without lights during most of the winter; others needed them only a short time, particularly in December, so that when peak domestic demand came it did not detract from the supply for industry."

Mr. McCammon estimated the Province of Quebec saved from 60,000 to 65,000 h.p. last winter, with Ontario from 75,000 to 80,000 h.p. "It is an excellent idea", he said.

On December 21, 1940, shortest day of the year, the sun set at 4.13 p.m., standard time, and shortly after that ordinarily the lights would have to be put on in homes and factories. There would then be a heavy drain on power supplies for the next three quarters of an hour, or a full hour, until the plants started to shut down. With daylight saving time in effect, lights are not needed by some plants until after 5 o'clock, when many of them close and homes do not need the lights on until after that hour, leaving most of the full output available for industry.

When the idea was adopted last year Quebec and Ontario only were included as they are the two big industrial provinces. Apparently the other provinces are left to do what they wish individually.

Council Hires Chimney Sweep As Fire Prevention Measure

CITY FATHERS PLAN A SHACK — FIRST VENTURE IN SLUM CLEARANCE; FINALLY AGREED TO DOUBLE FIRE BRIGADE ALLOWANCE

A step in the interest of fire prevention was taken at a special council meeting last evening, when a chimney cleaner and inspector was appointed to begin the rounds immediately, to sweep chimneys in town properties, to inspect heating systems and report conditions presenting fire hazard.

Under chairmanship of Mayor H. Lamarche, council adopted the resolution moved by Ald. W. Morrisette and seconded by Ald. F. S. McGibbon. The fire committee were asked to confer with Fire Chief Geo. Y. Deacon on methods of procedure. Damase Audet, as appointee for the job, will be paid by the town at the rate of 35c each house, payment to be made on producing a voucher signed by the property holder.

The living conditions of an indigent family of seven came under discussion, the father being a town employee and unable to find quarters suitable to live in. The council, in desperation, authorized a committee to purchase a lot, construct a small dwelling and install the family in it — on appropriate terms.

The secretary presented a letter from the C.P.R. offering land for the completion of Berry Street at a price of $100, plus $250 for cost of removing the company's telegraph poles. It was moved by Ald. R. Muir, seconded by Ald. A. Scott that a letter be sent asking lower price for removal of the poles, inasmuch as the railway company would share the benefits of opening this street through from Barron Ave. to Bethany Street.

A plan and book of reference for subdivision of the Filion development was presented, and a motion was passed authorizing the mayor, pro-mayor and secretary to sign for the town's acceptance of same.

Quotations were read for insurance of the new chlorination plant. It was moved by Ald F. McGibbon, seconded by Ald. H. Roy, that the building and machinery be insured to the extent of $2,500 against fire — the mayor and chairman of the water committee to place such insurance at their discretion.

Mayor Lamarche called attention to hazards presented by the Imperial Oil and British American gasoline tanks at the station yards. The possibilities of sabotage were mentioned, and it was considered in the interests of general safety that these storage tanks be moved outside the centre of population. On motion of Ald. S. Holt, seconded by Ald. W. Morrisette, a resolution was passed that the two companies be notified to make plans for removal of the tanks, and be requested in the meantime to engage a night watchman at the site.

Letters were read requesting the privilege to conduct bus and taxi services between Lachute and Brownsburg, to which the councillors raised no objection.

Fire Chief Deacon's request for increase of allowances and rent of fire hall was finally acceded to. It was agreed the Fire Chief's salary be increased from $300 to $600 a year, the allowance for volunteer firemen from $400 to $800, and the rent from $300 to $600; further, that firemen be paid monthly by the town in accordance with schedule of services kept by the Chief; and that notice of 60 days be given by the town or by Mr. Deacon should either party wish to terminate the agreement. It was also ruled that the town secretary should bill direct to neighboring municipalities for services given by the local brigade. . . The resolution was sponsored by Ald. A. Scott, seconded by Ald. E. Prevost.

The meeting was then adjourned.

PLUM AND APPLE AGAIN

London (CP) — Plum and apple jam — the butt of the army in the First Great War — is again in the limelight, this time for civilians as well as the troops. A large part of the 1941 plum crop has been diverted to housewives to make good use of the sugar rations.

TWO CHARGED WITH STEALING TREES AT GRENVILLE CANAL

St. Jerome, Sept. 9 — Arrested by Det. Pierre Fregeau of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police on a charge of stealing trees belonging to the Federal Government, Donat Denis, 18, and Roger Turcotte, 21, of Hawkesbury, were brought before District Magistrate Donat Lalande here today. Denis pleaded guilty and will receive sentence. Turpin was allowed out on $100 bail following a plea of not guilty. He will face trial in November.

According to information obtained, some 18 trees were systematically removed from federal property between the canal at Grenville and the Ottawa River, and these were floated down the Ottawa to various caches. The thefts were committed during the summer.

BUS TALK COSTLY

Manchester, England (CP) — For talking through the communication window while their bus was moving, a Manchester Corporation bus driver and the conductress were fined 10 shillings ($2.25)

AIRFORCE, INFANTRY, ARTILLERY TRAINING ARE DEMONSTRATED TO NEWSPAPERMEN

Second Lap in Editors' Inspection of Camps And Industries

(Continued from last issue)

Following the full-time program of our tour of military camps and industries with fellow editors—the initial stages of which we narrated in last issue — we were escorted through two industrial plants in Ontario. The first was for manufacture of four different types of shells; the second for manufacture of the famous Bren and Browning machine guns, marine engines and the Boys anti-tank rifle. To give an idea of the complex mechanism of the Bren, it may be stated that the body alone consists of 250 separate parts.

Beyond the fact that these plants are working with the utmost efficiency — in the perfection of their products, economy in production, and administration of their personnel — little can be said of the location and nature of the industries, on account of censorship restrictions.

Munitions and Supply Exhibits At Toronto Exhibition

The editors next proceeded to the Toronto Exhibition grounds, where the Munitions and Supply exhibit was arranged by the Publicity Branch of that Department to show the tremendous scope of Canada's industrial war effort.

This exhibit included a wide variety of implements of modern warfare as well as thousands of items of equipment purchased by D. M. & S. . . There were various types of planes, tanks, guns, automatic weapons, small arms, shells of all calibres, bombs, military conveyances, and hundreds of other requisites of war that civilians seldom have a chance to see.

The exhibit amply demonstrated that industrial Canada has rolled up it sleeves and is now really supplying "the tools of war."

Elementary Flying and Air Observers' School

The party were next conducted to the airport at Malton, Ontario, to inspect the military air training school. Both the Flying and Air Observers school are operated for the R.C.A.F. by civilian companies formed for that purpose under Dominion charter. In both cases the Air Force supplies the aircraft and a small staff of administrative officers.

The student pilot comes to Elementary Flying Training School directly from the Initial Training School, a preparatory course of instruction on the ground. His first solo flight usually takes place after eight or ten hours of dual control instruction. The student receives instruction in night flying, cross-country flying, forced landings, formation flying and aerobatics. He spends many hours in the classrooms learning aero engines, radio, air frames, armaments, navigation and similar subjects.

The Air Observers School provides the student air observer with courses in reconnaissance, in aerial photography, in bombing, and in air navigation. Student air observers carry out navigational exercises in the air. They are flown by experienced civilian transport pilots. In all weather conditions they learn to fly a triangular course, usually of about three hours duration. They set the courses for the pilot, who is always in touch with the home field by wireless. They carry out navigation problems. Familiar with the bombsight from their classroom work, the student air observers carry out actual bombing practice on special bombing ranges laid out not far from the home field. After 14 weeks at this Air Observers School they proceed to a Bombing and Gunnery School for more advanced bombing instruction.

Army Vehicle Demonstration At Oshawa, Ontario

This Demonstration of military vehicles was held on a farm acquired by General Motors of Canada, as part of their Test Grounds.

A camp for the personnel with the vehicles has been established at the farm as these vehicles have been drawn from Camp Borden, Petawawa, Montreal, Toronto and London, Ont.

There were thirty or more military vehicles for inspection.

Field trials were held after the vehicles had been inspected and the performances of several armored fighting vehicles and others were viewed from a central observation point.

On the way back at the end of the Test Grounds where a creek crosses the road, a demonstration of the vltration of a water supply was made with specially designed equipment.

Army Service Corps Training Centre, at Camp Borden

This training centre trains reinforcements for R.C.A.S.C., units, after they have completed their period at a Basic Training Centre, in the same way as the Advanced Infantry Training Centre does for infantry battalions.

All branches of A.S.C. work are covered — mechanical transport, supplies and ammunition supply. Night driving is specially emphasized. In addition, instruction is given in the Bren L.M.G., protection against gas and the rifle. There is also a school of cooking at this centre.

The capacity of the Training Centre is 100 officers and 1400 other ranks.

Advanced Artillery Training Centre at Petawawa, Ont.

Artillery reinforcements from Basic Training Centres proceed to Advanced Artillery Training Centres to complete tneir training, for all branches of artillery except coast and anti-aircraft.

In addition to gunnery subjects, instruction is given in driving and maintenance, protection against gas, small arms including the Bren gun (ground and A.A.) rifle and revolver.

Officers and men are selected from these Training Centres to continue training in Artillery survey, flash spotting and sound ranging.

There are two Advanced Artillery Training Centres in Petawawa, each of a capacity of 100 officers and 1500 other ranks. Two other centres are located in Manitoba.

All phases of engineering are taught; as are also driving and maintenance, defence against gas, and small arms. Included are :—

Field Works — Gun, M.K. & L.M.G. emplacements, weapon pits and more elaborate trenches, dugouts, observation posts, etc.

Demolitions — Making and fixing charges, mined charges, borehole charges, contact mines, booby

Mining — Tunnelling, etc. traps.

Water Supply — Pumps, storage, distribution, pipe laying.

Bridging — Tubular scaffolding, watermanship, pontoon and assault bridging, folding boat, pile driving, steel cribs, box girders, etc.

It is fitting that in this war of mechanical engineers and tremendous fire-power that the historic camp should have a dominant part in the creation of the new, highly mechanized and mobile Canadian Army.

Until last winter Petawawa had been solely a summer camp for the permanent force and militia, but in the autumn of 1940 the camp quarters were "winterized" and special buildings were erected for training purposes. New glass-walled gun sheds were built, enabling the artillery to carry on training in comfort while still having full view of the countryside for ranging practice, etc.

Courses are designed to combine the physical hardening process of the troops with conditions and situations as close as possible to those of actual operations. On the theory that "in battle you're always in trouble," every conceivable difficulty, set-back, suprise obstacle and unorthodox tactic, and every possible break-down or bog-down of equipment is realistically improvised.

The intention of instruction at Petawawa is not to find the easy way but to evolve new devices and methods in order to discover how tough the going can be made.

There are no horse-lines at Petawawa today; no sandmuffled thunder of gallant feet taking batteries into action. There are only nine horses left in the Canadian Army. Modern artillery gun-tractors and their ingenious winches, the power tools, Levins projectors and mechanical transport of the engineers are more grimly warlike and efficient.

Officers' Training Centre At Brockville, Ontario

The last object of our inspection in Ontario was the Officers' Training Centre at Brockville — following which the party proceeded to points in Quebec and the Maritimes.

The two Officers' Training Centres, at Brockville, Ontario, and Gordon Head (Victoria, B.C.) are engaged in the selection, training and supply of junior officers throughout the present war. It was that alertness to the value of the junior commander, as much as any other single factor, which enabled the Canadian Corps of the last war to grow in striking power.

A candidate for a commission must first serve in the ranks. This ruling is actually reviving the system of promotion from the ranks which was so valuable in the last war. When it was first inaugurated as an emergency measure in 1915 it was a radical departure from army custom. But it proved so sound that it was continued when the acute shortage of subalterns was relieved. To be non-commissioned today and commissioned tomorrow was an experience of soldiers in every 1st Division battalion in 1915.

The plan worked, even without special training, for two reasons. One was that the Canadians had a high percentage of men in the ranks with the necessary education background. The second reason the prolonged deadlock made first-for the scheme's success was that hand knowledge of trench warfare one of the most valuable assets a new officer could possess.

The proof of the system became clearly evident during the long series of offensive operations in which the Canadian Corps was prominent between August, 1918, and the Armistice.

The system is still proving itself, and paying dividends, in this war. rior service in the ranks is of immense worth to the future officer. The close contact with the men it provides, and the impressions absorbed while being led, are invaluable additions to natural qualities of leadership.

The formation of the Officers' Training Centres eliminated an unsatisfactory method of commissioning new officers through the district training centres spotted across Canada. It also permits careful selection of instructional staffs and other advantages.

Before becoming eligible for re the Active Army, the prospective commendation for a commission in officer must first serve four months in an Active formation or one year with a Reserve unit. The only exceptions are for candidates with science, medical or dental degrees, chartered accountants, or those possessing special technical training or knowledge.

The Officers' Training Centres will eventually train between 4,000 and 6,000 new officers who are men recommended for promotion to commissioned rank by their officers commanding.

Swelling Tide of British Tank Production



From the assembly lines of factories in various parts of Britain there is rolling a vast number of tanks. Added to this is the production of tanks in other parts of the British Commonwealth and in America, a fast-gathering land armada that will soon be launched against the enemies of freedom and civilization . . . This photo shows a section of a British tank factory at work.

Caboose Was Nursery For Emergency Case

Edmonton, Aug. 22 — Freight train cabooses are strictly utilitarian and within that classification a C.N.R. van was used recently as a nursery. During that time the train crew used the caboose as little as possible, and so fired the stove as to maintain a temperature of 90 degrees necessary to preserve the lives of twin babies being removed from their Mountain Park birthplace to an Edmonton hospital incubator. Mountain Park is on a coal branch terminating at Edson and the first part of the journey was on a mixed train on which, according to the attending physician, the crew were obliging and efficient, particularly in maintaining heat. From Edson the Continental Limited carried the newly born twins to Edmonton and hospital treatment. These facts were made known through a letter of appreciation to company officials at Edmonton.

It has been said that life begins at forty, but with gasoline requiring conservation, that's when overspeeding begins, too.

—Toronto Star

Sockeye Salmon Make Big Runs in War Effort

B. C. Looks For Peak Production, Meet Demands from Britain

By STANLEY MONCRIEFF
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Vancouver, Sept. 6 (CP) — British Columbia's important salmon fishing industry, geared to meet requirements of the Empire at war, is expected to set new production records this season.

A heavy run, especially of the highly-rated sockeye species, has resulted in large catches. Indications are that large overseas orders, which exceeded expectations of the Canadian Department of Fisheries, will be fulfilled.

Up to the last week in August the run set a new record for the past five years. The record mark of 1,700,000 cases set in the year 1936 is expected to be topped if the present volume is maintained.

Stories have been related here of enormous catches. One small fishing boat was reported to have taken approximately 12,000 fish in a single day, earning more than $1,000 for one week's operations.

Lars Aunli, old-time fisherman and one of the hundreds who man the squat gill-net boats that dot the Fraser River, said it was easily the best sockeye run since 1913.

Overseas Orders

The British Ministry of Food Supply has ordered two-thirds of the total pack, whatever that may be, and a minimum of 1,000,000 cases was set. Indications are that this figure will be exceeded by at least 200,000 cases. The remainder will be retained for domestic use.

Commercial fishing for salmon in British Columbia began in a modest way in 1876 and has grown since to be one of the most important industries in the province. Previous to that time, although it was a staple diet among the earlier settlers, no efforts had been made to ship outside.

PROVINCIAL PRESIDENT, CANADIAN LEGION ATTENDS MEETING OF LOCAL VETERANS

Gathering Held in Victoria Hall on Saturday

District representatives of the Canadian Legion listened with interest to an address given by James H. Boyd, Jr., President of the Provincial Command, in Victoria Hall last Saturday evening.

It is expected that there will be a rally of all veterans in this district shortly at which Mr. Boyd will again be present to address the gathering.

Accompanying him were 1st. Vice President W. H. Carpenter. E. Round, and Geo. LeBrun, of Montreal. Following is a brief text of the Provincial President's remarks :

"The Canadian Legion is a National organization, with enrolled membership of 200,000 ex-service men and women in 1204 branches throughout Canada. As a member of the British Empire Service League it is truly an Empire organization, while its 130 Branches in the United States make it also International in its scope and coverage.

"A loyal organization, ready to serve in War or Peace in defense of Canada and the Empire, it opposes all subversive activities. It is non-partisan, without political affiliations or party bias, dedicated to national unity.

"It is essentially a service organization, rendering service to ex-service men and women and their dependents, veterans of all wars, and actively co-operates with Boy Scout Troops, Boys Clubs and other types of social service work. Membership is drawn from all branches of the service, Army, Navy, Air Force, Nursing Services, etc.

"Membership in the Canadian Legion offers association and opportunities to co-operate with comrades of active service days, a chance to extend a helping hand to comrades in distress and their dependents, a part in upholding the good name of ex-service men. Expert advice and assistance are given on all problems of pension, treatment, employment and any matter relating to service or rehabilitation.

"The Canadian Legion expects of its members a natural pride in their service to their Country in time of war expressed in terms of peace-time service and good democratic citizenship. It expects active support in strengthening the hand of the Legion in its never-ceasing endeavor to obtain justice for ex-service men, especially those who have suffered as a result of their war service.

"The Legion has attracted to its ranks men from all branches of the Services and is justly proud of its record of attainment. Patron-in-Chief of the British Empire Service League is His Majesty The King; Grand Patron of the Canadian Legion is His Excellency, The Governor-General. The active officers of the Dominion and Provincial Commands and of the various Branches are elected to office by the membership and are representative men from all walks of life.

"The appeal for membership is directed to veterans, men and women who have seen service including the present world war. It is a call to continued service on behalf of veterans and on behalf of Canada. The Canadian Legion's motto, 'Unity, Comradeship, Peace', is one to which all true Canadians can subscribe."

A province-wide membership campaign has been planned, and all Canadian returned soldiers are invited to support the war work of the Canadian Legion. The drive will open on September 16 and will continue until December 1.

Mr. Boyd said the war work of the Canadian Legion both Overseas and in Canada had now reached such tremendous proportions that the help of every war veteran, old and new, was needed. The other great objective of the Legion is an adequate rehabilitation program. It was the Legion's desire to anticipate rehabilitation problems and be fully prepared to meet them when demobilization began. Already many thousands of these men have been discharged, he added.

CHEERIO IN GERMANY

London (CP) — Twenty British soldiers captured in Greece received a pleasant shock when they arrived at a German prison camp, according to letters home. They were met by a band playing "Lights of London Town" and "They're Jolly Good Fellows."

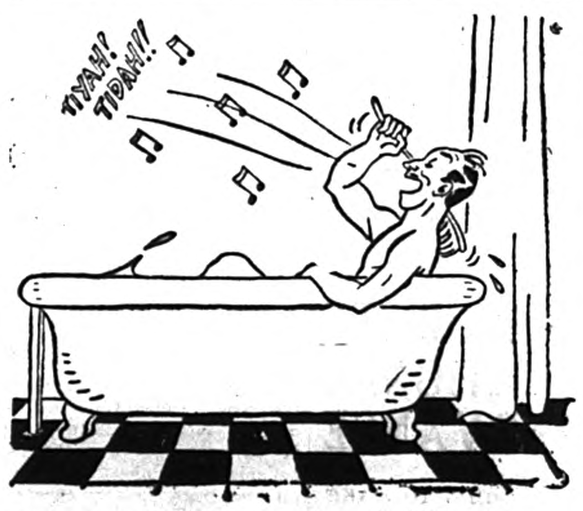
BUS PASSENGERS CAN CO-OPERATE IN GASOLINE SAVING

A plea to passengers to assist in the effort to save gasoline, in accordance with the request of Canada's Oil Controller, has just been issued by the Provincial Transport Company, whose drivers have already been carefully instructed regarding many details that serve to cut consumption of gasoline to a minimum.

Small delays of even a few seconds each, during which a motor is kept running, pile up at the end of a day or a week to an appreciable total, the Company has pointed out, and passengers' co-operation is essential before these can be eliminated entirely.

Six requests have therefore been made officially to the travelling public : — to be at the embarking point ahead of time, so as not to cause even a second's wait for a tardy passenger; to buy tickets in advance at terminal or agencies, rather than from the driver; if purchase must be made from the driver, to have small change ready so that the transaction may be made quickly and easily; not to delay at rest stops, but to be back in the coach before the scheduled departure; to have tickets and baggage checks ready to hand to the driver when leaving the coach so that no unnecessary wait is caused; to co-operate in reducing stops in cities, towns and villages by embarking only at set points.

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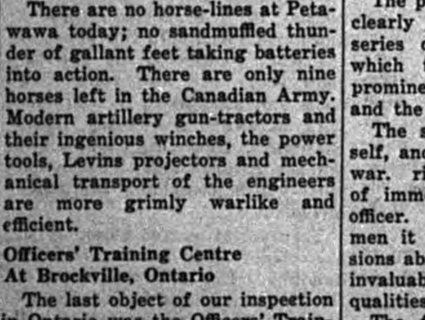
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When the War Ends

Recently a chief executive of one of the largest U. S. steel corporations named ten ways in which the transition from a war to a peace economy might be bridged. His suggestions included :

1. Super highways.
2. Hydro-electric developments.
3. Deferred industrial maintenance and repairs.
4. New homes. (War building tends to be of semipermanent nature and seldom of right type. Slum clearance and suburban development around large cities will be important outlets).
6. Sewage disposal plants.
7. Smoke abatement.
8. Safety measures.
9. Standardization which will be necessary to compete with foreign manufacturers who will be operating on a lower wage scale.
10. Television and welding. In both these areas the big development is still to come.

One of industry's biggest jobs in helping to bridge this gap will be finding ways of lowering cost, of doing things more cheaply, more efficiently. Inevitably, an emergency such as war increases costs. In Canada, for example, industrial material prices have risen nearly 18% from the 1939 average. Further increases are inevitable.

Every dollar that can be spared for industrial research will help to reduce costs. This is one of industry's most potent weapons in peace as in war.

Industrial research is an especially important weapon for Canada. When war ends this country will have to try to find new markets for a rapidly growing industrial output which war demand is now stimulating.

Time Out to Argue

Two opinions in the current issue of The Printed Word — which comes periodically to our desk — cause us to sit up and take issue . . . which may be considered presumptuous on our part, for the choice wit and wisdom of that admirable leaflet are molded, we suspect, by mighty minds.

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"In Toronto", says The Printed Word, "there are hundreds of young people, mostly students, whose only job in the course of a year is for the two weeks at the Canadian National Exhibition. It has been decreed by the local authorities on the subject that these people, and their employers, must contribute to the unemployment insurance fund.

"The fact that many of these young people way never again be engaged in so-called insurable employment does not affect the opinion of the authorities. The ruling will tend to reduce the amount of temporary employment. It would have been more sensible to have made a ruling that a person first entering an insurable employment (so called) would not be liable for insurance payments until he or she had been continuously employed for a minimum of six months."

The National Unemployment Insurance scheme has been roundly criticized in many quarters, but the case here mentioned is one instance in which we believe the plan deserves no censure. One of the prime factors in the success of this scheme is that it should be well established and reasonably funded before the crisis of unemployment sets in; and we may fairly anticipate there will be some such problem in the post-war readjustment.

Viewed as a direct tax upon earnings, similar to the direct tax on income, the levy should be acceptable to workers no matter what their expectations as to future category of employment. It is logical to suppose that students employed for two weeks at the Toronto Exhibition will — in one, two, or three years' time — be employed in the insured class, and we consider it just that they should contribute their percentage if temporarily employed before such time as they shall be eligible for insurance.

Application of the insurance scheme in Great Britain brought many mistakes, misjudgments and reverses. Canada has benefitted by Britain's experience; but labor conditions have changed considerably, and it cannot be expected that the plan will operate in this country without a hitch. However, we feel it is fair to give the administration a chance, and to kick only on the issues which may be obviously unfair.

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In another editorial The Printed Word comments on police signs which have appeared on highways in the Muskoka Lakes region of Ontario. Many of our readers may have noticed these signs in other parts of the sister province, bearing the legend: "Picking Up of Pedestrians in this Area Prohibited". Remarking on these notices, our exchange again spices its observations with a slightly critical flavor.

Personally we are inhospitable to hitch-hikers, other than those in uniform. In passing these particular signs we have observed them to the letter. We have noticed, further, that they are posted generally in areas close to internment camps, and we have drawn the conclusion their purpose is to stall the easy transit of possible fugitives from these camps. The Printed Word may know of other reasons for the signs, but if ours is correct we maintain the precaution is well taken.

You can banish worry with a nice, long walk, a University of Omaha psychology professor explains, because the fatigue entailed by that exercise will lessen the over-activity of the brain's frontal lobes responsible for the worry.

—Neal O'Hara.

Editor A "Community Man"

No longer is the weekly newspaper a mere disseminator of news, but a moulder of public opinion and an institution giving leadership in community affairs. The Picton Gazette commented last week on the award of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association trophy for community service to G. Cecil Day, editor of The Advance, Liverpool, N.S.

The trophy was presented to the C.W.N.A. this year for annual competition, by L. B. Calnan, of the Picton Gazette, in memory of his father, A. E. Calnan, first president (1919-1920) of the association. The highlights of Editor Day's community service, for which he received the award, are listed as follows :

Presented to each school in Queen's County, N. S., a framed picture of Queen Elizabeth.

Published history of Liverpool and history of Caledonia schools.

Secured and paid for five acres of land to give Liverpool its first public playground.

Built first brick and tile building in Liverpool, and printed first copy of tabloid newspaper on new Duplex press, giving Nova Scotia its first tabloid newspaper.

Contributed books as school prizes each year.

Re-organized Board of Trade, acting as secretary.

Gave out tourist literature during the past two years after closing of the Information Bureau.

Gave free service to churches, Red Cross, etc.

Acted as publicity agent for War Services drive, Canadian Legion, S.A., Red Cross, Y.M.C.A., Knights of C., Greek Fund, Spitfire Fund, Queen's Canadian Fund, War Savings drive, Victory Loan; in the latter, Queen's Country more than doubled its objective.

But that is not all . . . Additional service was rendered by Mr. Day as a member of the Kiwanis Club, Knights of Pythias, Queen's Co. Historical Society, Queen's Co. Hospital (director), Liverpool Community Club (vice-president), basketball association (president), softball association (president), donating four cups for these two sports; junior hockey, Children's Aid Society, and the V.O.N.

Where Do All the Shirts Go?

One local gentleman recently was invited to a function where he felt he would need to wear formal dress. Search for his dress shirt proved most unsuccessful, and finally concluding that he could dimly remember taking a bundle of dress shirts and collars to the hand laundry, he hied himself to the local Chinatown in search of the missing link holders.

Questions proved to be quite useless, the rule, strictly enforced was "no tickee—no shirtee". Detailed explanations of the general dimensions, color and architecture of the missing garments resulted in the promise that when the iron wielder got time he would look for his shirt.

Countless centuries has taught the Chinese that time is something without substance that Americans chase all through their lives without ever catching, so the net result of the interview was a promise that when the week's wash was finished a search would be started for the missing shirts.

However, our local friend did find out something which is quite interesting, and that is, that many men take their dress shirts to be laundered and never think to call for them until some unusual event makes them necessary.

There are quite a number of dress shirts which have reposed in the laundry for over a year. Have the owners forgotten where they are, or have they just not needed them?

It is an interesting comparison between Eastern and Western methods. A white business man would organize a delivery system and boast about it, but there is nothing in the contract represented by a few hen scratches on a bit of colored paper which calls for the added service of delivery.

—Granby Leader-Mail.

God Give Us Men !

By J. G. Holland

God give us men. A time like this demands
Strong minds, great hearts, true faith
and ready hands;
Men whom the lust of office does not kill;
Men whom the spoils of office cannot buy;
Men who possess opinions and a will;
Men who have honor and who will not lie;
Men who can stand before a demagogue
And damn his flatteries without winking !
Tall men, sun-crowned, who live above the fog
In public duty and in private thinking. [creeds,
For while the rabble, with their thumb-worn
Their large professions and their little deeds,
Mingle in selfish strife—lo ! Freedom weeps,
Wrong rules the land, and waiting Justice sleeps.

A Wartime Prayer

Saviour, to Whom none ever called in vain,
To Thee we pray;
Grant to our loved ones Thy protective care
By night and day;
When dangers lurk, midst battle's raging din,
O ! be Thou nigh, and give them peace within.
For all at home, who watch in anxious care,
We too would pray :
Be Thou their comfort, their sustaining power,
Through each dark day;
Till right shall triumph, war and hatred cease,
And man with man shall live in righteous peace.

American Red Cross director says the betting odds in England are 7500 to 1 against your being hit by a German bomb. But who collects if you win the bet?

WAR — TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

CANADIANS PREPARED FOR RENEWED OFFENSIVE AT THE SOMME; BEAT OFF GERMAN ATTACKS

By H. H. GORDON, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Three Canadian divisions moved into battle positions in the Somme area on the Western Front 25 years ago in the First Great War. The activity was preparatory to the second stage of the Battle of the Somme which went into high gear Sept. 15, 1916.

While the opening phase of the Somme offensive was under way during July and August, the Canadians, under their new commander, Maj.-Gen. Sir Julian Byng, were resting following successful operations at Sanctuary Wood.

First battles in the drive had relieved the pressure on the French at Verdun and "pinned" huge German armies to the Western Front, but the amount of ground gained had been disappointing. The strength of the German fortifications on the Bapaume Ridge was the chief factor in the failure of the Allies to make wide advances.

Sir Douglas Haig revised his plans and threw new divisions into the struggle to dent the big salient made by the Germans early in the war in their drive toward Paris. Among these were the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Canadian Division which took up positions astride the Albert-Bapaume Road, south of Courcelette.

The 1st Division arrived on the Somme on Sept 1 and by Sept. 10 the other Dominion soldiers had joined them. These concentrations were reported by German airmen and from Sept. 6 until Sept. 15, the Canadian lines were subjected to heavy bombardment.

Pushed From Ridge

The 2nd Battalion (Eastern Ontario) covered itself with glory on Sept. 9 when it was ordered to cut off a small salient about a mile south of Courcelette. The attack was designed to wrest from the Germans their last foothold on Pozieres Ridge from which they were able to observe British movements.

Although the Canadians were met by a devastating concentration of rifle and machine gun fire they were successful in routing the enemy in a grim bayonet encounter. Most of the battalion's officers and non-commissioned officers were casualties and losses among other ranks were equally severe.

In the action Cpl. Leo Clarke of Winnipeg won the Victoria Cross. Protecting comrades who were building a barricade, he fought and killed, single-handed, no less than two German officers and 18 men. He later died of wounds.

The next day Canadian lines were heavily bombarded, but a threatened attack by a large formation of enemy along the front held by the 1st Brigade was disposed of by an artillery barrage.

All these encounters were mere skirmishes compared to the great offensive on Sept. 15 when the Canadian 2nd Division smashed formidable opposition to capture Courcelette after a 12-hour battle. It was in this action that the British introduced tanks into fighting on the Western Front.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Mr. Editor :

Having read with interest the article in last week's Watchman, I wonder if you will be good enough to grant me a little space to also express my viewpoint.

There are always two sides to every question and I'm afraid we expect just a little too much from our teachers. There is a saying "You may lead a horse to the water, but you cannot force him to drink." The same applies to our school. Unless our children go with the idea of learning and not playing they might just as well stay at home.

During the past year there were many hardships to contend with. Male teachers were called for military training, other teachers were sick along with many of the pupils which necessitated getting supplies, a matter of which some pupils, to their own shame, took advantage.

I do agree that our teachers are underpaid. The very best possible within reason should be obtained, for after all, the years spent in school now, and the progress there made, will largely control the future of these pupils. Why not spend more for instruction and be sure of high results.

To the pupils I would say "wake up and realize that you must cooperate with your teacher and help her rather than discourage her. If you want to succeed you must work hard for there is no golden road to knowledge."

To the parents let me advise, "See that your children do their home work and don't always blame the teacher — because your kids are just as bad as mine and I have several. Keep them off the streets and home where they belong and methinks there will be better results in the June exams.

ANOTHER PARENT

Retort Courteous

Rumor tells of a happening in a Canadian military hospital (name deleted by censor) which was visited by a high-ranking member of the Government (name also deleted).

The dignitary in question made a very pleasing inspection of the hospital, stopping at bedsides here and there in the various wards and exchanging a few words with the patients. As the tour went on and his feet grew tired he reduced his remarks to a single sentence, uttered with a charming smile: "Well, my lad, I hope you'll soon be out of here."

This went well with the troops, who all answered "Thank you very much, sir." All, that is to say, except one boy who was a little flustered at hobnobbing with the great of the land. When he heard the stock sentence he blushed and stammered: "The — the same to you, sir."

—The Printed Word

Officer (to man pacing sidewalk at 3 o'clock in the morning): "What are you doing here?"

Gentleman: "I forgot my key, officer, and I'm waiting for my children to come home and let me in."

Governess: "Don't you like that poem, 'Twinkle, twinkle, little star, how I wonder what you are?'"

Little Waldo: "No. Why wonder about the elements of a star when a simple spectrum analysis will solve the question?"

BOOK REVIEW

By Howard S. Ross, K.C., LL.D.

GERMANY TOMORROW

By Dr. Otto Strasser, author of "Hitler and I", etc.

Translated from the German by Eden and Cedar Paul

"Germany Tomorrow" is directly linked with Strasser's "Hitler and I". It describes the Germany which the author foresees will arise after the war, and elaborates a plan for a peaceful, industrious country, a program of which was briefly sketched by Douglas Reed in his well-known "Nemesis". This is a book of fundamental importance to the history of the recent past and of the immediate post-Hitler future. Otto Strasser is the founder of and the soul of the Black Front, that persistent underground organization which survived after Hitler surrendered the Socialist side of his policy. The author is the representative of the New Germany which he and his associates hope will arise out of the ashes of the Third Reich.

The peace which he claims cannot and will not be made with Hitler, will be made with the New Germany. An armistice, as Strasser shows, can only be made after the evacuation of the areas which have been forcibly and treacherously occupied, and after a binding pledge of reparation to these plundered countries.

Continuing, the author then hopes a peace conference will follow at which the Allies, Germany and the Neutrals, if such remain, can settle accounts in the knowledge that each country is bringing to the table the good will to remove grounds for another war. Here may be laid (it is the hope of Dr. Strasser and all persons of good will) the foundation of a European Federation which will be safeguarded against resurgent Prussianism.

Dr. Strasser, a Bavarian, was born in 1897. His brother Gregor, five years older, was killed by Goering's orders (Hitler accepted responsibility) in the Blood Bath of 1934. Five years before this the author broke with Hitler. During 1933 he left Germany to become a refugee in Austria, subsequently in Czechoslovakia, Switzerland, France and he now resides in Westmount, Que. Although there is a price of $500,000 on his head he carries on his work in Canada and the United States. His wife and two children are in Switzerland and he hopes a way will be found so that they will join him here. The author joined the Bavarian army in 1914, rising from the ranks to become a lieutenant and was twice wounded and decorated. He was granted the degree of Doctor of Law in 1921 and for a time was legal adviser of an industrial concern in Berlin. For some years he was editor-in-chief of most of the North German periodicals of the National Socialist Party.

Swedish Espionage

Gothenburg, Sweden (CP) — Four Communists have been arrested here on charges of espionage. Two of them were surprised in the act of sending a coded message through a secret radio transmitter, authorities say.



"Let's make it a rule that the first one who mentions a man pays the check."

NATIVE NORWAY IS VEGETARIAN

Must Needs Be, With Nazis Taking All the Meat for Their Own People

London, Sept. 1 (CP) — The food situation in Norway is steadily deteriorating. The Royal Norwegian Government Information Office reports that the shortage, which has been chronic for many months in the case of meat, eggs, butter and cheese, now extends to milk, vegetables and even fish.

Large quantities of milk are also being sent to the German troops with the result that many Norwegian towns have had to limit consumption of milk to invalids and children under five. The milk yield of Norwegian cows has been reduced by the shortage of hay requisitioned by the Germans to feed their horses.

Meat has practically vanished from the Norwegian dinner table. A few months ago Norwegian housewives could count on being able to provide a meat dish at least once in two months. Now it is unobtainable and when farmers slaughter cattle the carcasses are immediately seized by the German military authorities who are using the meat not only to supply their army of occupation but also to feed armies in Finland.

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FINED SIR FARMER

Halesworth, England (CP) — Sir Ralph Blois of Southwold was fined £25 ($112.50) at this Suffolk town for failing to comply with an order that he cultivate 44 acres of derelict land. He said it was impossible in the time allowed.

HOME GUARDS' PAY

London (CP) — Arrangements have been made for Home Guards to apply for compensation up to 12 shillings ($2.70) a day with a maximum of 70 shillings ($8.75) a week when they are called on duty and lose wages.

NON-WORKERS FINED

Leigh, England (CP) — Thomas Finnerty, 18, was fined £2 ($9.) at this Lancashire town for not working as a mine-laborer, as directed by the Ministry of Labor. He said he was not fit to work underground.

DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

DALESVILLE

Miss Dora Gunn, of Louisa, visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gunn, over the week-end.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dixon were — Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gauley, Mrs. Victor Prophet and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watchorn and daughter, Barbara, of Morin Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Murdoch and infant daughter, Linda, were in Montreal for several days last week.

Seaman Eldon Gunn was home on Sunday.

Mrs. C. Hardie and daughter, Elizabeth, visited a few days in Thurso recently.

Sgt. A. Murdoch, R.C.A.F., Mrs. A. Murdoch and son, David were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Silverson for a few days last week.

Miss Ruth Raye Walker, of Lachute Mills, visited her little cousins, the Misses Marion and Grace Dixon, for the week-end.

Mr. Lawrence Bigelow, of Montreal, was home for Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Brady and family were at their camp on Sunday last.

The Misses Violet and Myrtle Bigelow have returned to Montreal.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Coombes were — Mr. and Mrs. John Perrett and Mr. and Mrs. Reg Buss, of Brownsburg.

KILMAR

A party was held last Thursday evening at the Long Sault Grill in Grenville, for Mr. John Kenny, of Kilmar in honor of his marriage to Miss Rita Brigden of Calumet, which took place last Saturday morning. With a brief but appropriate speech Mr. Fred Gauley, of Kilmar, presented Mr. Kenny, on behalf of all his friends, with a purse of money. An enjoyable evening was spent among those who attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Comba and family, of Kilmar, returned home last week-end after spending a week's holiday travelling to Ottawa and other points in Ontario.

Mr. J. Parry, Works Manager for Canadian Refractories Limited in Kilmar, has returned home after spending some time in Toronto.

Mr. Russell Gauley, of Kilmar, spent last week-end in Montreal.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

On Saturday, Sept. 6, about 75 representatives of the paint and varnish of Montreal, held a field day at the golf course. Especially fine weather added zest to the games. Mr. Robert Elder, a former resident of this community, was among the prize winners.

The Rev. and Mrs. John R. Heyworth and Miss Eileen Heyworth have left for their home in Chicago, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lanctôt, of Montreal, occupied their residence here the past week-end.

(St. Andrews news also on page 6)

MORIN HEIGHTS

Mrs. M. Gales, of Montreal, spent a few days this week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. Seale.

Mrs. H. Gilby has left "Cedar Lodge" to reside in Montreal, Mrs. Edey having taken charge of the Lodge.

Miss Vera McCullough spent a few days in Montreal this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Watchorn and daughter, Barbara, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dixon at Dalesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Taggart, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Watchorn.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Crawford and son, Lorne, were week-end guests of Mayor and Mrs. W. H. Watchorn.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Seale and son, Huntley, also Mr. and Mrs. Willis Seale and daughter, Doreen, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Murdoch at Brownsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCullough visited friends at Brownsburg and in Montreal last Sunday.

Friends are sorry to learn of Miss Rena Morrow and Miss Doris Gillingham being confined to the Montreal General Hospital, both having undergone appendix operations the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillingham, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gillingham, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seale, also Miss Margaret Michie, are on holiday in the Eastern Townships and Quebec City.

Guests of Col. and Mrs. J. E. Seale during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Webb, of Toronto, also Mr. and Mrs. D. Belharrie, of Ottawa.

On Tuesday last the W.I. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Willis Seale, with Mrs. Gillingham as joint hostess.

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(Intended for last issue)

The Rev. and Mrs. D. Anderson, of Pointe St-Charles, returned home after spending a week as guests of Mayor and Mrs. W. H. Watchorn.

Mrs. E. Johnson and daughter, Margaret, also Mrs. S. Chambers, of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Seale.

Miss Nora Gilmour has returned to Montreal after spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dey.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Rogers, also of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lower, were — Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McClary and Miss Berrie Frost, of Cart Hatley, and Mr. and Mrs. Haseltine, of Collinsville, Conn.

Mr. Walter Rogers, of Bulmer, Que., was the week-end guest of his father, Mr. Wilbur Rogers and Mrs. Rogers.

Mrs. L. Kennedy spent a day in Montreal visiting her sister, Miss I. Russell, who is a patient in the Convalescent Home.

Mrs. Robert Dey, of Lake Echo, who has spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dey, has returned to Montreal for the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brown at St. Donat.

The Misses Margaret and Catherine Murdoch, also Mr. Alvin Connelly, of Brownsburg, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCullough.

Mr. Wm. Killick and son, Ronald, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gillingham, Sr.

To prevent rebellion in France, the Germans no doubt forbid the publication of revolting books.

BROWNSBURG

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

The following members of the St. George's W.A. attended the Deanery meeting in Lakefield on Wednesday — Mrs. P. MacQuaig, Mrs. Harry Painter and Mrs. W. Talbot.

LAC. Edward ThackRay, of the R.C.A.F., stationed at Queen Mary Road, Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter MacQuaig.

The Brownsburg Women's Institute held their September meeting in the Social Club on Thursday, September 4th. Principal C. L. Hall, of Lachute, spoke on Adult Education, the topic being "Invitation to Learning." The address was appreciated by his audience.

CUSHING WEST

Mr. Lawrence Hartley is spending a two weeks' vacation with Mrs. Hartley at the home of Mrs. Hartley, Sr.

Mrs. Usher will be in Montreal the latter part of the week attending a meeting of the W.C.T.U. executives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their residence.

Mr. Eddie Whelehan and little son, Edward, also Miss K. Whelehan, spent the week-end here.

Miss Tessie Robert, of Monalea, was in the city for the week-end.

Mr. Walter Pryor with a party of friends spent the week-end at Mr. C. F. Watson's cottage on Sandy Bay Road.

Mr. H. Young and daughter, Edna, also Miss Violet Raitt and Mr. Hugh Danford, were week-end guests of Mrs. C. A. Mattinson.

Dr. H. B. Cushing and family, were in residence here over the week-end, the former attending an executive meeting of the Historical Association at the Museum on Saturday evening.

Congratulations are in order for two popular couples of this locality who were recently married. These are Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Elliott, the bride formerly Miss Mary Starnes, whose wedding took place on Saturday afternoon at St. Mungo's Church, and Mr. and Mrs. John Owens, of Stonefield, who were married on Saturday, August 30th, at the home of the bride (formerly Miss Muriel Tait at Frelighsburg, Que.) and who have arrived home from a honeymoon trip to Western Ontario.

WE'RE EATING MORE PIPPINS

Ottawa Observers Find Canada Using Apples in Plenty of Ways

Ottawa, Sept. 8 (CP) — The war is having its effect on Canadian apple eating, agriculture department officials say. Curtailed exports and increased purchasing power, both brought on by the war, together with increased advertising and the larger volume of apples available for domestic use are factors in increased consumption.

The agriculture department estimates that per capita consumption of apples for the 1940-41 season was 32.4 pounds compared with 29.9 pounds for the season previous and an average of 25.2 pounds for the pre-war seasons.

Officials said figures showed the changing disposition of apples because of the war and new uses for this Canadian product. In the 1938-39 season, commercial production was 15,667,000 bushels. Of this total, exports were 8,463,000 bushels, while 1,463,000 bushels were required for domestic consumption as fresh apples.

Estimates for 1940-41 placed production at 12,304,000 bushels. Exports totalled only 1,057,000 bushels but apples used for processing were 3,849,000 bushels. Fresh apples placed on the Canadian tables totalled 7,398,000 bushels.

New Uses

Use of apple products such as canned and dried apples and concentrated and canned juice has increased in addition to the enlarged purchases of fresh apples by Canadians, officials said. In Nova Scotia in 1940, 1,090,000 bushels of apples were canned, in Ontario 45,000 bushels and British Columbia 50,000 bushels.

Canned juice required 212,000 bushels in Nova Scotia last year against 96,000 bushels in 1939; 294,000 bushels against 50,000 in Ontario, and 134,000 against 13,000 in British Columbia.

Apple prices attractive to the consumer are expected to continue during 1941-42 in spite of continued government assistance to the growers, officials said. New packaging methods are being considered among other plans to further increase consumption.

SPECIFIC

A colored man, doing a hauling job, was told that he couldn't get his money until he submitted a statement. After much meditation he evolved the following bill:

"Three comes and three goes, at four bits a went, $3."

Montreal's Sister Island



Ste. Dorothée, Ile Jésus

Ile Jésus must have been discovered almost as soon as its sister island, Montreal. Certainly it was well known to the early settlers of Ville Marie, who called it Montmagny Island in honor of the Governor of New France, Champlain's successor. Divided from Montreal Island by the Rivière des Prairies and from the mainland by the Mille Isles River, it measures some twenty miles by seven miles at its widest point.

Though the land is fair and fruitful, settlement came more slowly to Montmagny Island than to its more famous neighbor. As a kind of back door to the little settlement under the shadow of Mount Royal, it lay wide open to Indian raids. Near its shores a number of skirmishes between war parties of painted warriors and the defenders of Ville Marie took place. But the island seldom found mention in history before 1675, when Bishop Laval acquired it in a trade, involving the Isle of Orleans, with the Sieur Berthelot. As the property of the Jesuit Seminary at Quebec, the island acquired its present name. By the end of the century settlers were being attracted to Ile Jésus by its fertile soil.

Today a good motor road encircles the island, whose shores are popular with summer visitors. Highways from Montreal to Hull and the Laurentian highlands traverse the island which lies so close to the metropolis. But such parishes as St. Vincent de Paul, St. Francois de Sales and Ste. Dorothée retain the charm of typical French-Canadian rural settlement.

FILL COAL BIN NOW, IS ADVICE

Co-operation With Dealers Is Needed Through Conditions Of Supply

"Canadian coal dealers and distributors are making every effort to co-operate in the Buy Now Campaign," stated Mr. J. McG. Stewart, Coal Administrator under the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

"Wherever and whenever possible they are filling their coal yards to capacity. But, he added, their efforts will fail unless they secure the active co-operation of the general public. Only a very few of the larger dealers have yards or docks big enough to stock coal sufficient for the total winter requirements. Most dealers can stock only a few hundred tons, and must keep selling their coal, if any great quantity of coal is to be moved before October 1.

"If your dealer, through some temporary shortage of coal, cannot make delivery immediately upon order, order your coal now anyway, and ask him to deliver it at the earliest possible date," said the Coal Administrator. "Help yourself and help your country by filling your coal bin now."

LATE HIGHLIGHTS, WAR COMMENTARY BY CANADIAN PRESS

(Continued from page 1)

ships had been damaged or sunk by the Royal Navy in the Mediterranean. Saturday the sinking of the 11,398-ton Italian liner Esperia and a merchantman of the Ramb class, was reported. The vessels formed part of a southbound enemy convoy between Taranto and Bengasi.

Previously the Admiralty had reported the probable sinking of a troop-carrying liner of 23,000 tons, the torpedoing of a 10,000-ton cruiser, sinking of a destroyer near Tripoli, the sinking of two supply ships in convoy and the damaging of two others.

The highlight of Prime Minister Mackenzie King's visit to the United Kingdom came Sept. 4 when he stirred the country by suggesting that Washington make a pledge to Britain similar to the British government's pledge to back the United States in the event that country became involved in a war with Japan.

Mr. King addressed a luncheon given in his honor at the Mansion House by the Lord Mayor of London. Prime Minister Churchill immediately thanked Mr. King for "his memorable and momentous declaration" and the British press later said the Canadian Prime Minister's speech contained the strongest appeal yet made by a British statesman for direct intervention in the war by the United States.

Germans Held

Russian leaders at the week-end claimed that German drives on Leningrad, Kiev and Odessa had been stalled although fighting along the entire battlefront was raging without let-up. Before Leningrad the Red Army was reported to have driven the Germans out of an entire zone along a vital railway after a three-day battle.

As the war between Germany and Russia neared the end of the 11th week the German High Command said only that operations were "progressing favorably."

That a critical situation prevailed in the region around Leningrad should not be gainsaid, but the amazing resistance put up by the Russian defenders encouraged the belief that the Nazis may make little further progress before the winter sets in.

At the opposite end of the battle front defenders of Odessa were declared to have withstood a heavy assault and the Russian press reported the Nazis stalled and set back outside of Kiev after two major attacks in the past month.

Strong Russian counter-attacks in the central sector appear to have saved Moscow, at least temporarily. Here, according to reports from the Russian capital, the Germans have been forced back several miles and suffered severe losses.

GET PLASTICS OUT OF WHEAT

Western Man Has Suggestion for Use of Surplus Grain in Manufactures

Regina, Sept. 8 (CP) — A new use for Canada's surplus wheat crop is urged by Dr. A. O. Store of Regina, who claims he has discovered a formula to produce plastics from wheat.

Advocating a well-equipped laboratory in Western Canada to promote research work on the possibility of utilizing proteins, alcohols and starches contained in the wheat, Dr. Store claims that leading chemists and plastic investigators he consulted in eastern Canada and the United States were most encouraging in their comments on his new process.

He quoted an authority as stating that a high-type plastic can be made from wheat proteins.

Dr. Store suggests that the production of plastics from wheat can be promoted on a sound economic basis by considering the commercial value of by-products, such as sugars, syrups, explosives, alcohols, films and other related products.

"A & P" Employees Give Army Mobile X-Ray Unit

"A & P" Food Store employees from Stores, Office and Warehouse to further assist Canada's war effort have raised by voluntary subscriptions the funds to purchase a mobile X-ray unit complete with spare X-ray machine.

The Deputy Minister of National Defence expressed the Department's sincere thanks for the generous contribution on the part of the A & P employees, and stated it would be sent as part of the next Canadian General Hospital proceeding overseas.

FAMOUS SCHOOLS TRAIN FARMERS

Rugby Tops Eton and Other Schools in Turning Out Mechanized Laborers

London, Sept. 2 (CP) — Famous public schools of England are stripped of many of their pupils this autumn to aid in the harvest. More than 16,000 boys volunteered and were received in "farmer's aid" camps. They go out on the farms and help with the harvest cutting and stacking. More than 4,000 have been trained in 70 tractor schools and are used to relieve regular drivers so that the harvest may be finished as rapidly as possible. Rivalry has sprung among some of the famous old schools on a new terrain. Rugby has had 130 boys trained to run tractors and machine courses are sought by the boys of such well-known schools as Harrow and Eton.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

Births, Marriages, Deaths, In Memoriam, etc., 50 cents each insertion; 5c a line extra for verse with In Memoriam.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

BEAUCHAMP — The family of the late William X. Beauchamp wish to thank their many relatives, friends and neighbors for sympathy and kindness extended them in their recent bereavement.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

United Church Groups At St. Andrews East

St. Andrews E. — The September meeting of the W.M.S. of the United Church was held on Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 9th, at Miss Mary Pitcairn's home. It was voted that Miss Mary Lamb take the office of treasurer, from which Mrs. John Macaskill has resigned, for the remainder of the year. The proceeds of Miss Anna Esdon's lantern lecture in August amounted to $8.50. Five dollars of this was voted towards Miss Esdon's work, in Central America.

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At a special meeting of the Women's Guild of the United Church held on Wednesday evening, Sept. 3rd, at the home of the treasurer, Mrs. E. Charman, the resignation of the president, Mrs. John Macaskill (formerly Miss Elizabeth Hendry) was regretfully received. Mrs. T. A. MacAdam was elected to the president's chair — a position she filled most efficiently for some years previously.

Christian Science Sunday Services

"Substance" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, September 14th.

The Golden Text is from II Corinthians 4: 18. "The things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal."

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal; but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal." (Matthew 6: 19, 20).

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: "Sensual treasures are laid up 'where moth and rust doth corrupt'. Mortality is their doom. Sin breaks in upon them, and carries off their fleeting joys. The sensualist's affections are as imaginary, whimsical, and unreal as his pleasures. Falsehood, envy, hypocrisy, malice, hate, revenge, and so forth, steal away the treasures of Truth." (Page 241).

Boys' Band Featured On Fireside Program

Brownsburg, Sept. 9 —

Following their appearance in Ottawa the previous day when they played before thousands of people, the Brownsburg Boys' Band, under the capable direction of Reg Titcombe presented an excellent Band Concert in the Recreation Hall at the Sunday Evening Fireside of August 24. A great deal of credit is due to Mr. Titcombe for the way he has built up this organization, and the members themselves are also to be congratulated for the fine manner in which they respond to their conductor. Made up of young bandsmen from eleven to twenty years of age, some of its members are now working in the plant, while others are sons of men in the plant. The band was organized in 1938. Mr. Titcombe has been conductor of the band for the past year.

—From "The Tracer"

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The Boys' Band performance at Lachute Memorial Park on Saturday evening was enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience, and many favorable comments were heard in Lachute concerning the marked progress made by these young artists.

Sunday Services

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor, H. Charlton
Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Prayer meeting, Wed., 8 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEML. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Orsborn
10 a. m.—Sabbath School
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
Ordination of Elders.
Rev. Wm. MacMillan, D.D., will preach the ordination sermon.
7.30 p.m.—Brownsburg.

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a. m., Sabbath School.
11 a. m.—Morning Worship.
Subject: "Consecration."
7 p. m., Evening Service.
Subject: "Christ's Healing Touch".
11 a.m.—East Settlement.
3 p.m., Thomas' Gore.
Welcome to all services !

REGULAR BAPTIST
Rev. C. Hardie
11 a.m., Brownsburg.
8 p.m., Dalesville.
Mr. W. R. McKenzie will speak at both services.

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., "Serving as Opportunity Affords".

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
10 a.m., Sunday School.
Regular services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. Baugh, Rector
Lakefield, 11 a.m.
Shrewsbury, 2.30 p.m.
Harvest Thanksgiving.
Dunany, 7.30 p.m., (D.S.T.).

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Audley Bush visited friends in Montreal last week-end.

Miss Irene Clifford left last week to take a business course in Montreal.

Miss Grace McMahon and Mrs. G. Greig, of Thurso, were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McMahon.

Mrs. Frederick Wright and family, who have spent the summer months at Lake Louisa, have now returned to their home in Outremont.

Mrs. Reginald Tipping, who has spent the past few weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. Leslie Morris, has now returned to her home in Midland, Ont.

Miss Jean Canning, nurse-in-training at the Montreal General Hospital, is spending a three weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Canning.

Aircraftsman Norman Anderson, of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent last week-end at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Y. Deacon.

Miss Ruth MacNaughton left recently for Verdun, where she is taking a business course.

Mr. Frank Earle is spending a few days in Toronto this week on business.

Miss E. Nilsen, of Ste. Agathe des Monts, spent the week-end in Lachute as the guest of Miss Lillian Harrison.

Pte. Bill Hulton, of the R.C.A.-S.C. Montreal, visited friends in town for a few days last week.

Mrs. George Armstrong left on Wednesday for Quebec City, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Harold Young and Mr. Young.

Misses Helen Deacon, Catherine Cooke, Shirley Heatlie, Margaret MacKiddie and Lillian Titley are taking the teachers' course at Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Giles and Miss Kay Giles left on Saturday to attend the annual convention of the Canadian Ticket Agents' Association, being held at the French River Chalet-Bungalow Camp, Ont.

Dr. L. L. Turcotte, who succeeds Dr. J. H. Maynard as Health Officer for Argenteuil County, arrived from Warwick, Que., last week and has taken up residence with his family at the Lafleur Apartments, Grace Street.

Married at Morin Hts.

Archibald - Seale

Morin Heights — Morin Heights United Church, prettily decorated with autumn flowers, was the scene of a wedding on Saturday, August 30th, when Reta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Seale, was united in marriage to Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Archibald, of Montreal. The Rev. D. Anderson, of Point St. Charles, performed the ceremony.

Miss Bernice Lacken was the bride's attendant, and Mr. Ross Geddes, of Montreal, acted as best man.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was gowned in blue net over taffeta, with a matching coronet, and carried Talisman roses.

The bridesmaid was dressed in pink net over taffeta, with a matching coronet, and carried gladioli.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. William Seale. Mr. and Mrs. Archibald will reside in Montreal.

Entertained on Her Approaching Marriage

A pleasant function took place Saturday afternoon at the Knights of Columbus Hall, when Miss Marthe Larocque was feted by her friends at a crystal shower, in honer of her approaching marriage. Twenty-two guests were present. The hostesses were Mrs. P. LaHaye and Miss V. LaRose.

On Sunday Mrs. A. Mayer held an afternoon tea for Miss Larocque at her home on Bethany Street.

Pretty Wedding at St. Ludger's, Calumet

Kenny-Brigden

Kilmar, Que. — A pretty wedding scene took place last Saturday morning at St. Ludger's Church in Calumet, at the marriage of Miss Rita Louise Brigden, daughter of Mr. Albert Brigden and the late Mrs. Brigden, of Calumet, to Mr. John J. Kenny, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Kenny, of Kilmar.

The bride was gowned in a long white chiffon dress, with a waist-length veil, and she carried a bouquet of roses. She had no attendants, but was given away by her father.

A reception was later held at the home of the bride's parents, and the happy couple leaving later for a wedding trip to Three Rivers, Quebec City, and other points in that district. On their return they will reside in Kilmar.

Those who attended were relatives and friends from Montreal, Calumet, Grenville and Kilmar.

A large reception including relatives and friends will be held next Friday evening, September 12th, at Reeve's Hall, in Calumet, for Mr. and Mrs. Kenny.

Will Reside at Clear Lake

Gain - Clifford

In St. John's Church, Shrewsbury, Que., at 4.30 o'clock last Saturday, the marriage was solemnized of Minnie Elizabeth, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Clifford of The Glen , Louisa, Que., and Mr. Leonard Frederick Gain, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Gain of Dunany, Que. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, assisted by Mr. Horace Baugh.

The church was decorated with white and coral gladioli on the altar and standards of the same flowers and phlox in the chancel, the pew markers being of white and pink asters. Mrs. Baugh played the wedding marches and accompanied Mrs. Arthur Trickey who, during the signing of the register, sang "I Love You Truly".

The bride's only attendant was Miss Kathleen Morrison, of Dunany, and Mr. Garth Fish, of Montreal, was best man for the bridegroom. The ushers were Mr. Leslie Clifford, of Montreal, brother of the bride, and Mr. Henderson Townsend, of Brownsburg.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor length gown of white sheer, with long bishop sleeves, embroidered bodice and Peter Pan collar. She wore a small white hat with shoulder-length veil of tulle illusion and carried a bouquet of Johanna Hill roses. Her maid of honor was wearing a floor-length gown of Queen's blue sheer with shirred bodice and long, full sleeves. She wore a matching bandeau and shoulder-length veil of blue tulle, and carried a floral fan.

Mrs. Clifford, mother of the bride, wore a dress of Empire blue wool sheer with navy accessories, silver fox furs and a corsage of Talisman roses. Mrs. Gain, mother of the bridegroom, wore a jacket dress of navy blue crepe with lingerie touches of white, navy accessories and a corsage of deep red roses.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where the bride's table, centred with the cake, was decorated with tall white wax tapers and small bunches of sweet peas. Later Mr. and Mrs. Gain left by motor for their honeymoon which will be spent in the Laurentians. The bride travelled in a tailored ensemble of beige colored lainage with trimming of beige fur, small beige and brown hat, brown accessories and a corsage of flame colored gladioli. On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Gain will live at Clear Lake, Dunany, Que.

Guests attending from a distance included Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong, Mr. Donald Armstrong, Mrs. Lillian Whittaker, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gain, of Montreal; Mrs. Bennet, the Misses Isabel and Ena Smith, Miss Doris Henderson, of New Glasgow, Que., Mr. George Moncrieff, Mrs. Stanley Dewar and Mrs. Harris Dewar, of Grenville, Que.

Cut Down Gestures, Nervous Lady !

By Helen Jameson
(Mme Qui Vive)

You know and I know and the woman next door knows the girl who is always flapping her wings in the air. Can't make the simplest statement without hand waving or eyebrow lifting or doing funny gasps. She does everything except wiggle her ears, and she'd do that if she could. Calm down, little one, calm down !

No matter how pretty she looks, as far as popularity goes she is all wet because she makes people nervous. Her frock may be a knockout, her coiffure the latest whimsy, her complexion divine. But she has too much to say and she says it with so much emphasis and with so many contortions of one kind of another that she wears you down to skin and bone. You hope and pray that something will drag her away.

Which goes to prove that get-up is not the whole stock of beauty goods. Isn't just how you look, it is how you behave. Pretty dry-goods supply the scenic effects but, after all, it is what you are. Every girl and woman should give herself a look over, note if she has developed any little eccentricities or nervous habits. There are a lot of them; few of us are free of them.

We use the mirror often enough to scan appearance. We fail to reflect upon manners and behavior. Isn't it the truth?

The poised woman has charm. We need more of her these days, when the world is troubled. She lends herself easily and comfortably to the companionship of others. She may be thinking with all intentness about the whale of a dentist's bill that will be coming in the first of the month, but she is sitting pretty, hands folded in her lap, and there is upon her face an expression of interest and enjoyment which is a compliment to her friends. She is, apparently, selfless, absorbed in what is going on around her, making herself agreeable, behaving as a well-mannered woman should behave.

Compare her to the jittery girl who is the life of the party, but oftimes too lively. She keeps the center of the stage, leads the conversation, waves her arms, gestures with her hands. She sets sensitive nerves on edge, curls them up, makes them squirm.

Perhaps our over-animated young lady is suffering from a disorganized system instead of a desire to show off. One can't tell. But she must wear herself out as she depletes the forces of her listeners. If she would cut out the hand waving that would save some energy.

Few remarks are so unusual or remarkable that they need to be accompanied by emphatic gestures. And it is noticeable that the woman who has the silliest things to say usually makes the biggest noise saying them. Gabbing is a vice with most of us, men as well as women.

Ambassadors from Savile Row, London

Sell Suits to United States At £30 A Time

(By Mail)

London — Eminent citizens of the United States, including industrialists, statesmen, society folk, and financiers have been showing their sympathy with Britain by ordering more suits than ever from a band of travelling tailors, who have just returned to Savile Row and its neighborhood.

Among these "ambassadors" for men's wear were representatives not only of the tailors but of the haberdashers and the bootmakers as well. For sixty years they have been visiting America every spring and autumn (they are going back again this year) and the orders booked are well up to what they were before the war. One highly-placed executive, who had already bespoken eleven suits for himself, gave a second salesman an order for five costume lengths for his wife rather than send him empty away. Another distinguished man ordered fourteen suits; a woman member of an old New York family, ten costume lengths; and a well-known politician wrote out a cheque for 1,000 dollars, remarking that, if his order did not run to that sum, the balance could go towards a Spitfire.

Expensive as these suits are, and one may cost as much as £30, there is more than that in it for Britain's war chest. As the designs are exclusive, other American men will soon ask for them too and eventually they will go into suits turned out by mass-production with a resulting demand upon the mills of Yorkshire and Scotland.

WELL DONE, FREE DUTCH

London (CP) — The Free Netherlands "War Weapons Fund for Britain" now exceeds £1,500,000 ($6,500,000). The money, coming from more than 40 countries, has provided 32 bombers, 85 fighters, and three night fighters.

Public Notice

Public notice is hereby given that all defective sidewalks must be repaired within 30 days of this notice.

Failure to comply will oblige the Town to proceed with the necessary repairs at the owner's expense.

—Germain Filion, sec.-treas.
S18-2c. Lachute Town Corporation

Churchill Kin Killed



Lady Edward Spencer Churchill ABOVE, great aunt of Prime Minister Winston Churchill, of England, was killed and her daughter, Lady Cowdray, seriously injured Sept. 1 when their auto left the road and crashed into a tree near Cobham, Surrey. Lady Churchill was one of the leading figures in the women's section of the British Legion. She was known as Britain's "unofficial ambassador" in the cause of peace.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

CALUMET

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brigden, of Montreal, and Miss Janet Brigden, of Brownsburg, were in Calumet over the week-end to attend the Kenny-Brigden wedding, which took place on Saturday.

Mr. Jack Wilkins, of Farnham, was the guest of Mr. Laddie Foreman last week at Slavery Lake.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brigden was christened in Trinity Anglican Church on Sunday, September 7th. The godparents were Miss Elsie Brigden and Messrs. Ronald and Stephen Brigden. The child was given the names of Edward John.

Miss Anne Foreman and Mr. Grant Robinson left last week to take up their teaching duties in Montreal.

Mr. Albert Gardiner, of Montreal, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lessard, of Grenville, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brigden.

Master Peter Mott, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. T. G. Foreman.

The Consolidated School reopened on Tuesday, Sept. 2nd, with Mr. Ronald Brigden of Calumet as the new principal. Mr. M. Welden is driving the Calumet school bus this year.

Miss Claire Williamson, of Ottawa, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williamson.

Miss Aileen Fee, of Montreal, spent a few days in Calumet last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Foreman.

Mrs. M. R. Robinson, Mrs. R. C. Whinfield, Miss Lynne Brigden, Mrs. L. Jorgensen, Miss Anne Foreman, Miss Ann Hoare and Miss Janet Brigden were among those from Calumet who were entertained on Saturday afternoon at the tea hour by Mrs. H. Druce at her home in Hawkesbury. Miss Lynne Brigden, assisted by Mrs. James Druce of Hawkesbury, presided at the tea table.

ARUNDEL

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid was held in the church hall on Thursday last. Mrs. T. H. Evans and Mrs. C. J. Staniforth were the hostesses.

The Misses Muriel Graham and Thelma Mitchell, and Mr. Gavin Graham, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Graham.

Week-end guests at "Happy Hollow", the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Marshall, were Miss Beryl Henderson and Mr. Doyle, of Hamilton, Ont., Miss B. Forsyth and Messrs. Garnet Marshall, Thos. Marshall and Keith Marshall.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cooke during the past week were — Miss Betty Wright, Mrs. L. Palmer, Mr. Stan Cooke, who has joined the R.C.A.M.C. and left for Sussex, N.B., and AC-2 Stuart Cooke, R.C.A.F., who spent the week-end with their parents.

School has re-opened for the term with the same staff of teachers as last year—Misses Clement, H. Mackenzie, J. Kenney and Mr. Campbell.

Misses Kathleen and Betty Morrison, of Lachute, also LAC. Earl Morrison, R.C.A.F., and Mrs. Morrison, of Trenton, Ont., spent the week-end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Bennett, of Toronto, visited relatives here over the week-end.

Miss Edna Moncrieff, of Greenfield Park, spent the week-end at her home here.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cooke were Mr. Jas. Ballantyne, Harry Aird, Jas. Pearsons, Dr. Y. Armitage, Mr. Chas. Hale, W. L. MacGregor, Robert Ross, Ed Luke, John Elder, A. Otter and C. Goulden.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cooke and son, Bobby, and Mr. C. Forbell, were week-end guests at Mr. and Mrs. Doug Cooke's.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Mrs. Ewing and her daughter, Mrs. Campbell, of Montreal, are occupying Mrs. John Allan's cottage.

The Women's League of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. Chas. Hyde on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 3rd. Mrs. E. C. Calder was in the chair. It was decided to hold a tea and sale on or about Nov. 15th.

Mrs. Douglas Roberts and two children have left for Victoria, B.C., to join her husband, who is with the Navy.

Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Kerr, with Miss Ethel Kerr, visited here on Sunday. They report that Dr. Ashton Kerr, their son, has cabled his arrival in England.

Mr. Colin Barclay and Miss Mildred Green, of Los Angeles, California, stayed at "The Hill', Carillon, last week.

Miss Minnie Brophy, of Ottawa is staying with the Soeurs de Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Drysdale, of Ottawa, were at their summer home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney V. Kendall and the Misses Kendall, of Montreal, were at their summer cottage over the week-end.

Sympathy is expressed to Mrs. Thos. Webster in the passing of her only grandchild, the infant daughter of Mr. Fred Webster.

Mr. Alex C. McPhee, of Cowansville, visited his nephew, Mr. Stanley W. Rodger, for several days last week.

Mrs. John Macaskill, of Ramsayville, Ont., spent last week with friends here.

Master Alan Cole and his sister, Patricia, have returned to Toronto after spending the summer holidays with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. David Morrison.

Miss Margaret Taylor left Sept. 9th for her new post as teacher at Rivière du Loup, Que.

Mr. Honoré Parent, with his daughter, Miss Mirielle Parent, and sons Jacques, Luc and Michel, spent the week-end at their summer residence. Mme. Parent remained in Montreal preparing for a trip to Chandler, Gaspé, in company with her mother, Mme. Garceau. Mme. Parent expected to leave Montreal on Monday and to be away several weeks.

Miss Irene Irwin was in Toronto from Sept. 4th as guest of Miss Helen Murdoch, and was one of the bridal attendants at Miss Murdoch's wedding to Mr. Welland Woodruff on Sept. 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregor MacGregor, of New York, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. MacGregor last week, left on Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Arthur MacGregor in Montreal. Later they will visit Mr. MacGregor's sister, Mrs. Mary McCullough, Uxbridge, Ont.

Miss Mabel Ellacott, who stayed with her sister and brother-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. Thos. Ball, for the summer vacation, has resumed her teaching at Huntingdon, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slater, Miss Joyce Slater and Master Donald Slater were at their summer cottage for the week-end.

Mrs. Douglas A. Rodger, Lachute Road, visited relatives in Montreal over the week-end.

Mr. Alex Innis, of Toronto, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. C. W. Lamb, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Bishop, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mrs. R. St.J. Simpson.

Here for the week-end were — Misses Gladys Hyde, Beatrice Simpson, Trooper Jack Jeffrey, of Camp Borden, Messrs. Bill DeWitt, Howard Lalonde, Pte. Ivan Lapointe, Gunners Ronald de la Ronde, Bernard Morin, Roy DeWitt, George DeWitt, Raymond Blair, Leslie Gates, L. Carriere and Bombardier Charles DeWitt.

PIES WERE PIES FIFTY YEARS AGO

New York, Sept 8 (CP) — Cooking was done on a grand scale in Middlebury, Vermont, in the 1880's. In his "Stagecoach North" an account of Vermont's first generation, W. Storrs Lee tells that when squash pies were made, there was enough pie to last a month. At an apple bee enough greenings were prepared and strung for drying to last the winter. Twenty eggs went into gingerbread. Six pounds of sugar, two of lard, three of butter, twelve of flour, and a dozen and a half eggs were the basis of loaf cake.

HEALTH ARTICLE

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

COLITIS DUE TO EMOTIONAL STRAIN

"Colitis", or inflammation of the bowel, is a term which is misused just as the term "indigestion" is misused. Colitis may mean much or nothing at all. Many persons who appear to have symptoms of colitis have this condition as a result of some disturbance of the nervous system.

If the colon of a person with colitis is examined, using an instrument which makes it possible to look directly into the colon, it is often found that the lining membrane of the colon is normal. But if an X-ray of the colon is taken in such persons, it is found that there is a tendency for spasm of the colon to occur. That is, the muscles in the wall of the colon contract, thus narrowing the opening through the bowel. Some of the cells in the lining membrane of the colon, the ones which make mucus, may be over-active and, as a result, large amounts of mucus are found in the bowel movements.

However, the presence of this mucus is in no way harmful. Persons with this condition should not worry about the passage of mucus; it does no harm. Colitis of this type seems to occur much more often in women than in men.

According to many physicians, the fact that the bowel is a little sore or sensitive and that it forms excessive amounts of mucus does not mean that the person with this condition is suffering from a disease. At intervals there may be discomfort and annoyance but no serious condition will ever develop as a result.

Many times the person with the disorder thinks that nervousness, fatigue and lack of energy are produced by the bowel disturbance, but this is putting the cart before the horse, for in reality it is the nervousness and worry which tend to bring on the bowel upset. The spasm in the colon and the excessive mucus formation cannot clear up as long as the patient continues to be nervous and irritable.

In other words, in these patients a vicious circle occurs. The more the patient worries and frets, the worse the bowel symptoms become; the more severe the bowel symptoms become, the greater is the tendency to nervousness.

The pain in colitis is usually felt in the lower part of the abdomen. Most of those with this disorder tend to suffer from constipation but from time to time there may be attacks of diarrhea. Emotional strain is probably the outstanding cause for the condition. Many persons suffer attacks when they become excited or lose their temper.

In all instances, when persons have the symptoms of colitis, a complete examination including X-rays of the stomach, bowel and gall-bladder should be carried out to determine just what condition is present. If it is decided that the patient has colitis, rest and freedom from worry and strain should be established. The patient should be given a bland and non-irritating diet; that is, one which is free from foods which are difficult to digest, and free from those which are highly seasoned.

HEMLINES UP AND DOWN, STYLES SHOW

N. Y. Fashion Writer Also Finds Narrow Skirts Which Need Slits for Movement, Another Factor

By HELEN FORRIST HALL

New York, Sept. 8 (CP) — Hemlines are rising, hemlines are falling. They're doing both, and they're getting talked about more than any other one fashion point brought but in the first fall opening of two specialty shops.

Both shops, sponsoring designers who are primed to pull the continent's style attention New Yorkward, stress the short dinner dress or suit. Longer than a day dress, shorter than an evening gown, this suit is a subject which started a great deal of the hemline ups and downs.

The narrow skirt, which requires a slit or break for ease of movement, is another factor. The result, to date, is that hemlines are knee-length, calf length, floor length — but more than likely they fall into irregular lines.

Slim But Supple

The pencil-slim silhouette for day and evening is stressed by one designer. But there's no skimpy look. Day dresses have subtle side or front fullness, jabot aprons or peplums. Barring these, bandings and trimmings give the illusion of movement.

Wool suits, looking very elegant in alliance with velvet or fur, take skirt borders and bands. A leaf motif, appliqued in velvet or turned out in sequins, appears frequently, in horizontal lines.

Harem drapes, siren slits, and overskirts present a picture of jagged, staggered and broken skirt lengths for the evening. Shorter in front, at one side, or in back — usually they're filled in with contrasting fabric or color.

The color is gray. Running from a pinky tone to a deep bluish cast, it appears in costumes of the all-one-color theme, but more often with a relief tone. A gray wool dress with black peplum and tie front is worn with a matching full length cape lined in gold wool. Bright reds and rose tones are next in color importance.

Some Skirts Full

With no less than seven designers to their credit, one collection got off to a full-skirted start with plaid casual dresses and suits and proceeded to trim, short dinner suits.

Played up as knee-length, but appearing to strike below the knee, this suit which is designed to relegate full length gowns to grand occasions only, looked to sumptuous fabrics as its medium.

Skirts, draped or trim, but decisively slit, appeared throughout the formal dinner collection, with knee flares and opulantly full picture gowns putting in their share to lure a woman of any type.

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The following bulletins late for last issue through delayed mails

CALUMET

Mr. George Martin, R.C.A.F., of Dauphin, Man., is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Martin.

Mrs. G. B. Murphy and little son, Jeffrey, have returned to Halifax after spending the summer in Calumet. Mrs. Murphy's mother, Mrs. T. G. Foreman, accompanied them to the Maritimes to spend a few weeks.

Mrs. J. Black, of Montreal, has been spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. W. E. Brigden. Other recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brigden were Mr. and Mrs. E. Lanthier, of Lancaster, N.Y.

Miss Ann Hoare has returned home after spending some time in Montreal.

Miss Elsie Brigden has been visiting friends in Montreal.

Mrs. L. G. Martin was in Montreal for a few days recently.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Mr. and Mrs. Gregor A. MacGregor, of New York, have been spending the week at St. Andrews Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewen Albright, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. G. A. MacGregor, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wason in Lachute.

Dr. Geoffrey York, of Ottawa, is spending a vacation at his cottage here, accompanied by his brother and wife, of Ottawa.

MOONEY'S LOG CABIN

Sunday evening entertainment for the large Labor Day crowd at Mooney's Log Cabin took the form of a radio broadcast advertising the product "Wotta-Bean", with Leo Jonsedine as commercial announcer, James McLaughlin conducting the "Windy Walter" gossip column, and Darcy Jette giving an illustrated lecture as a surgeon performing an appendectomy, Archie Coey was the patient and Lela Bradley the nurse. Special features were given by the "Glib-Glub Quartette", Bernice McCann and Archie Coey. Helen Cummings supplied piano accompaniment for the "broadcast", which was followed by group singing.

A three-piece string orchestra from Lachute kept the crowd active at the Saturday night barndance. Ottawa won the inter-city bowling match from Montreal, by two to one. Darcy Jette defeated James McLaughlin by a single stroke in a golf match on Sunday, scoring a 41.

Plans for winter sports were completed with the laying out of a ski trail, starting east of the main buildings, tracing its way back and along the face of the mountain for several miles, and finally dropping down to ground-level at the old sugar camp. The trail will provide excitement for the experienced skier and thrills and training for the beginner.

CUSHING

Mrs. J. C. Dougall, of Verdun, spent a few days with her parents. Mr. Dougall joined her for the week-end and Labor Day.

Miss M. Canning has returned to Lakefield to resume her duties as school teacher.

Mr. Roger Griffith, Jr., of Montreal, has been vacationing at "Hill Top Cottage."

Miss Elsie Graham has left for Verdun to resume her duties as teacher of Lasalle School.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker, of Montreal, spent the week-end at "Glenelen."

Mrs. J. Gleave is occupying "Lorne Crest" at present. Mr. Gleave and their, Russel, were in Cushing for the week-end.

Mr. S. H. Beecher spent the week-end at "Lilac Lodge", other guests were Miss M. Maw and Mr. John Maw.

Mrs. Archie Graham is spending a few days in Ottawa, attending the regional conference of the Associated County Women of the World.

Community Field Day

A successful community field day was held in Cushing on Saturday, Aug. 30th. Sports occupied the program after a sumptuous dinner, the winners being as follows:

Children 6 and under — 1st. Evelyn Saunders, 2nd. Myrtle Gaston.

Girls 7 to 8 — Margaret Dorion, Isabel Meservy.

Boys 7 to 8 — Donald Fuller.

Girls 9 to 11 — Mona McGain, Audrey Winslade, Eileen Smith.

Boys 9 to 11 — Maynard McKiddie, Jim Dugan, George Dorion.

Girls 12 to 14—Margaret Dorion, Betty McRae.

Boys 12 to 14 — David Munroe, Bobby Maw.

Young Ladies — Donalda McRae, Jean Dugan.

Young men — Harold Loiselle, Allan Graham.

Married Ladies — Mrs. I. Fuller, Mrs. M. Burton.

Married Men — Mr. Burton, Roger Griffith.

Three-ledged race, girls — Phyllis Dugan, Marion McRae; Jean Dugan, Beryl Munroe.

Wheelbarrow race, boys — David Munroe, Lorne Pryor; Bobby Maw, Harold Loiselle.

CUSHING WEST

Mrs. Norman Dowd, of Ottawa, with her son Emerson and daughter Patsy, were recent guests of Mrs. Dowd's sister, Mrs. Usher.

The usual September exodus has left a number of summer cottages deserted. Families who have left for their city homes include those of Messrs. W. and J. Pryor on the Sandy Bay Road, Mr. and Mrs. Dugan who spent the summer at "Green Cottage" also Messrs. Wilfred Douglas, and Ernest Hartley. Most of these, however, will occupy their cottages during the autumn week-ends.

Mr. Leonard Young and his friend Mr. Frank Rowan have also concluded their summer holiday and left for New York. Mr. Young had as week-end and Labor Day guests his sister, Miss Edna Young, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Young of Montreal, Mr. Hugh Danford and Miss Violet Raitt, also Mr. Young's nephew, Mr. Donald Young, of Virginia, U.S.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Weir, of Thorold, Ont., spent a week with their relatives in this locality, and also visited several days with their daughters, the Misses Jean and Eleanor Weir, in Montreal.

Mrs. Usher had as guests for the week-end and Labor Day her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Keatley, of Montreal, her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Watson and son, Billy, also her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Keatley, of Ottawa and their two little sons.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mahoney and son, Billy, of Montreal, were guests of Mrs. Mahoney's brother, Mr. W. H. Robert, at Monalea for the week-end. Billy, who has just reached his eighteenth birthday, is one of the latest recruits to join the R.C.A.F., and leaves for training in Toronto this week.

NEW ZEALAND'S FLAX

Auckland, N.Z. (CP)—At the request of the British government, New Zealand last season re-established the old industry of growing linen flax and for 1941-42 an objective of 25,000 acres has been set, to avert a war shortage of flax in Europe.

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OLIVER WISWELL

Oliver Wiswell by Kenneth Roberts is a historical novel of the American Revolution and it certainly upsets all the accounts given in the school histories. Although he is pro-American he contends that the majority of the American people were loyal to the British at first. They were not satisfied with conditions but felt they could be bettered and still remain a part of Britain. The men who were the instigators of the Revolution were men who would gain by independence, such as John Hancock who owed the British Government one hundred thousand pounds on smuggling charges. According to Roberts, the stupidity of the British officers headed by Lord Howe was responsible for their defeat. They refused to take aid advice from Americans who knew the country and although they won some battles neglected to consolidate their gains. Because of this and because of their refusal to aid and protect the Loyalists, many Americans changed over to the side of the Revolutionists. The end of the book tells of the founding of the Loyalist colony in the Saint John River Valley. To anyone interested in History, it is a book well worth reading and it will certainly change your ideas on a good many things.

JOT IT DOWN

So many of the Fall recipes are used just once a year, and by the time next year comes we have forgotten just what we did. While it is still fresh in your mind jot down on your recipe any additional information. So many recipes say something like this, 'cover with brine'. Jot down how much brine it took and how much salt you added to the water. Put down the quantities you made and how much fruit you used. If you halve the recipe, put down how many bottles it made, and then next year you will know whether to make the whole quantity or not. For instance I made that Sweet Red Pepper Pickle last year but for the life of me I cannot remember how many peppers I used nor how much syrup I made. This year I am jotting down on my recipe cards the quantity of boxes, the amount of sugar they required, and the number of bottles it made for such things as Blueberries which I do up with no special recipe. That will be a guide to buying next year and it will save weighing the fruit as I will have in black and white just how much sugar I used to a box of berries. We think we will remember all these little things. Maybe you do at that. But if you don't, go systematic, and save work and worry.

PICKLED SWEET RED PEPPER

This pickle was in my column last year, but I gave it without comment as I had never made it. I am repeating it as actually it is one of the most useful pickles I have ever made. It tastes good but its chief value is a decorative one. I have used it as a garnish in sandwiches, salads, and jellies. Other times it is more than as garnish as I put it right in the mixtures. You will find more ways of using it than you can shake a stick at. Just try and see. The nicest part of it is that you do not need to use a bottle up as soon as you open it, as you have to do with pimentoes, because it will keep endlessly. With these mild words of praise I will give you the recipe.

Wash sweet red peppers, and wipe dry. Cut a slice from the stem end and remove the seeds. Cut into thin strips with the scissors. Scald well and drop into ice water to crisp them. Drain well. Make a syrup using proportion of 1 cup sugar to 2 cups vinegar. Bring to a boil. Put peppers in sterelised jars and pour syrup over. Seal.

CRISP CUCUMBER SLICES

Slice small to medium cucumbers in a crock. Mix the following ingredients but do not cook.

1 gallon white wine vinegar, 9 cups brown sugar, 1 cup mustard, 1 cup salt, 1 teaspoon tumeric, 1 oz. ground mixed spice.

Pour over the cucumbers and stir every day for ten days. This is one of the easiest of pickles I have ever made and one of the most successful as the slices are so crisp and crunchy.

APPLE GINGER MARMALADE

4 lbs. apples, 4 lbs. sugar, 2 lemons, 1 cup water, ½ cup preserved ginger.

Pare and core the apples and chop the apples and ginger. Mix with the sugar and water and add the juice and rind of the lemons. Simmer until thick and clear and pour into sterilised glasses.

SANDWICH SPREAD

12 large ripe tomatoes, 1 head celery, 4 large onions, 3 sweet red peppers, 1 sweet green pepper, 1 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons salt, 1 cup vinegar, 5 tablespoons mustard, ½ cup flour.

Skin the tomatoes and cut them in pieces. But the celery, onions, and peppers through the chopper. Add these to the tomatoes and boil for forty minutes. Mix the remaining ingredients to a paste, add slowly to the tomato mixture and cook for twenty minutes, stirring frequently. Bottle in sterilised jars.

PICKLED TONGUE

1 to 2 quarts water, 1 teaspoon black pepper, 1 cup salt, ½ cup sugar, ½ teaspoon pepper.

Mix ingredients and bring to a boil. Pour over fresh tongue and let stand three days. Drain, cover with fresh water and boil until tender.

Too bad there isn't a bootleggers' union so we could hope for a strike.

In Montreal



Wife of Sir Frederick Bowhill, who heads the Atlantic Ferry command of the R.A.F., Lady Bowhill, a member of the Women's Air Force auxiliary, is in Montreal to work under her husband's orders as a code operator in the communication section.

BEAUTY

—Helen Jameson, Mme. Qui Vive—

SLAP YOUR FACE, AND GROW ROSES

There are times when a middle-aged woman feels that her girlhood is a thousand years in the past. Duties, responsibilities, anxieties, fate handing her some swift smacks, and she doesn't feel like laughing about them. Of course, it is just a temporary slump, because nobody can go on living with oneself in a state of self-pity. Self pity is weakening; these are the days when a woman must be strong.

To make things a bit gloomier she finds that something has happened to her facial upholstery. Those nights, worrying about the sick kids, or wondering whether the papa's business deal will go through! She suspects that youthful firmness has evaporated, that the complexion is not prospering, but has gone into a state of depression along with her usual good spirits. Well, she can't change the crazy world, but she can start a fight against the ravages of birthdays.

She knows that from softened tissues horrid little wrinkles grow. When the underpadding lacks firmness she is likely to get an accordion-pleated face, which is no joke any day of the year. That must not happen. She would like to find a magic cream that would put her phiz to rights again, but, being a sensible woman, she knows it isn't as easy as that.

She remembers a muscle-straping treatment she had during money-flinging days. Muscle-strapping is a preventive measure against facial gullies. Its purpose is to re-energize fibers and cells that are not rebuilding as they should. Slapping and patting have rejuvenating effects because they shake up the circulatory channels, rouse languid glands to action, help the skin to function normally. There is no danger of making conditions worse if the movements are brisk, do not in any way push up folds in the flesh.

This is the way to go about it. A nice diversion when the family is away, you're tired of reading, and think it high time to do something for beauty welfare.

The best time for this treatment is after a warm bath when the flesh is glowing. Spread a heavy cream over the face, chest, neck and shoulders. Start with a few lively slaps on the chest, taking deep breaths while you do that. Wham away on the collar bones, over the shoulders to the back, over the neck. You're going to make a good job of this. You're enlivening large arteries that will send the blood in brisk currents up into your cheeks.

Throw the head back, place the fingertips under the chin, tap along the jawline, over the cheeks to the temples. Treat the forehead with light hammering movements. If turkey tracks are on the way, slap the flesh more, being very gentle.

While the cream remains on, go over the skin surface with an ice cube wrapped in gauze.

U. S. MAY GO MILK-SHORT

Washington (CP) — A shortage of fluid milk threatens in many United States cities as a result of large government purchases of dairy products for shipment to Britain under the lease-lend program.

HIGH IN BUTTER FAT

Faygate, England (CP) — Park cattle, oldest British breed, are setting new milking records, a herd on a Sussex estate attaining an average milk yield of 8,060 pounds with butterfat content of 4.5 per cent.

CONVERT FRUITS TO POWDER FORM

War May Bring New Methods of Jam Making in Old Country

Ottawa, Sept. 5, (CP) — A new method of domestic and commercial manufacture of jam may develop from experiments at the agricultural and horticultural research station of the University of Bristol, L. H. Ausman, assistant trade commissioner in Bristol, said in a report to the Department of Trade and Commerce here.

Research workers studied methods of reducing fruit to powder and using this powder for various purposes. "Commercial utilization of fruit powders only now is being examined but the advantages offered by the savings of bulk storage space appear to be so great that the ideal method of storage of fruit over a long period would appear to be as powder," Mr. Ausman said. "The powder can be converted into a puree of any desired concentration by addition of water while the pectin content is ample to form a firm jelly when the powder is diluted with water and sweetened with sugar."

Ice Cream Men Save Lives of Diabetics

London — The ice cream industry of Great Britain hase come to the aid of the considerable number of diabetics in the country by making sure that they get the insulin which keeps them alive.

Insulin, which is made from an extract of pancreatic glands, was formerly a big import and it must be frozen within half an hour of the killing. British slaughterhouses were not equipped for freezing and an acute shortage of insulin seemed imminent. The ice cream men came to the rescue and promptly transferred their freezing machinery to the slaughterhouses, of which there are 800 in the country. The glands are frozen here and they are then taken in motor vans, equipped with refrigerating apparatus, to the cold storage plants of the ice cream merchants.

The result is that today Britain possesses not only a large and growing reserve of pancreases, spinal cords and thyroid but of bottled blood, to which the scheme has been extended.

The big manufacturing chemists, employed on Government work, are now drawing their supplies of gland material from these stores of the ice cream merchants.

Stops Thumb Sucking

Seattle — A device something like a horse's bit, in effect, will stop thumb-sucking pronto.

For the seven per cent of babies who don't get over the habit by the age of three, Dr. R. E. Ramaker, of Seattle, recommended before the Washington State Medical Association just what to do about it.

Dr. Ramaker, who calls himself a "large scale Nepiodontia specialist", has devised a metal arch which fastens on the youngster's back teeth and runs across the roof of the mouth. It has small spurs attached.

BATHING SUITS OF FACE CLOTHS

Fall Coats From Steamer Rugs and Other Things to Eke Out Coupons

London, Sept. 1, (CP) — London women — some of them, anyway— are buying steamer rugs for fall coats to make their clothes coupons go further.

The rugs are coupon-free and as many firms are ready to make up customers' own material, a coat from a rug or rugs is an easy, and smart, solution of the fall coat problem. "Many of these rugs satisfy all the requirements of fashion," one expert said, "and plain rugs with a plaid reverse are specially suitable."

The plaid surface is used for collar, revers, pockets and shallow cuffs. Featherweight cashmere rugs are frequently reversible and these can be used for short or long coats.

Bath towels have been used for holiday wraps. Face cloths (six or seven of them) have been made into natty bathing costumes and holiday frocks have been made from embroidered colored linen sheets.

EVENING SNACK

Chicken Club Sandwiches

For each sandwich — 3 slices toast, mayonnaise, ⅛ to ¼ breast of chicken, lettuce, crisped bacon, tomato slices or onion slices, pickle or olives.

For each sandwich remove the crust from there slices of toasted bread, buttered while hot. Spread the under slice with a thin layer of mayonnaise dressing. On this lay two small white lettuce leaves, allowing them to project beyond the edge of the toast. On the lettuce lay thin slices of breast of chicken spread with mayonnaise. Cover with a slice of toast, spread with mayonnaise and cover with slices of crisp bacon. A slice of tomato or onion may be placed over the bacon. Place the third slice of toast on this and garnish with pickles or olives. Serve while the toast and bacon are hot.

Raisin Rocks

1 cup shortening, 1 cup brown sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, flour, 1 teaspoon ginger, 1 teapsoon soda, 2 cups molasses, 1 cup seeded raisins.

Put the shortening, sugar, molasses, ginger and salt into a saucepan together. Stir the mixture until it boils; then boil it five minutes. Pour into a bowl and stir in flour and soda sifted together until it is just stiff enough to drop from a spoon. Add the raisins and drop by spoonfuls on to a greased shallow pan. Bake the rocks in a moderate oven (375-400° F.).

Banana and Nut Salad

3 well ripened bananas, ½ cup chopped nuts, 6 leaves lettuce, ½ cup mayonnaise or boiled dressing.

Peel bananas and cut in two lengthwise. Roll each half in nutmeats. Place on lettuce leaf and garnish with dressing. Equal parts of dressing and whipped cream may be used.

GOOD MANNERS

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THE MENTALLY LAZY SHIRK CONVERSATION

When you are with people at a party of any kind, don't be mentally lazy. Don't shirk your responsibility for your part of the conversation.

Many people, I have noticed, are too lazy or too thoughtless to make an effort to add their quota to the conversation of a party; they seem to think they have fulfilled their social obligation if they listen attentively. "I consider myself a good listener", they say, as if this were all they have to do when they assume the responsibility of being a guest.

We all know the value of being a good listener, and we all acknowledge the delight of having a good listener when two or three or more are gathered together. But the idea of being a good listener can be carried too far, no matter how charming and delightfully attentive the person is. The conversation will die if everyone in a group does nothing but listen !

If you are shy, or if you are hiding behind the excuse of being self-conscious, or if you haven't had as much opportunity of going about socially as you would wish, make yourself say something to begin a conversation, or to carry on the conversation. Never mind that it isn't a particularly interesting thing. The point is not to hesitate about saying interesting things — even make a comment about the weather — and you will find that this remark will lead to another, and probably more interesting one, and then before you know it, you will be chatting gaily and entertainingly. When the conversation ball bounds to you, give it a little push that will keep it rolling on its way !

SECOND MARRIAGE

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

Will you please advise me if it is correct to have a large church wedding, the bride wearing a white wedding dress and bridal veil, if the groom has been married before? The etiquette books, of course, say very definitely that if the bride has been married before, her wedding should be very quiet and simple, no bridal veil and so on. The bride-elect in this case is young and very beautiful and we would like her to have a real wedding.

2. Is it correct to send invitations to the people who were invited to the groom-elect's first wedding?

1. This bride-elect may correctly have the real wedding you want for her, even if the bridegroom-elect is a widower. (If he is divorced, this is, of course, a question of your church denomination). Since the bride is being married for the first time, the details of her wedding are the same, whether she marries a bachelor or a widower. So she may have a large, formal church wedding, wear a white dress, bridal veil, orange blossoms.

2. Yes, by all means send wedding invitations to the friends of the bridegroom. There is no reason why they should be omitted from the list, just because they were guests at his first wedding.

COURTESY TIP

If you are offered a second helping, don't apologize for taking it. Your hostess will be complimented.

What the Women Marry

Men are what women marry. They are divided into three classes: Husbands, Bachelors and Widowers.

A bachelor is a man whose mind is filled with obstinacy and whose soul is filled with suspicion.

Husbands are of three varieties: Prizes, surprises and consolation prizes.

Making a husband out of a man is one of the highest arts known to civilization. It requires science, patience, persistence, faith, hope and charity.

If you flatter a man you frighten him to death; if you don't you bore him to death. If you permit him to make love to you he gets tired of you in the end; if you don't, he gets tired of you in the beginning. If you believe all he tells you, he thinks you are foolish; and if you don't then he thinks you are a cynic.

If you wear gay colors, rouge and startling hats he hesitates to take you out; if you wear a little brown turban and a tailor-made suit he takes you out and stares at you; if you drink and smoke, he says you are driving him to distraction; if you don't approve, he avows you are snobbish. If you are the clinging vine type, he doubts whether you have any brains; and if you are modern, advanced, intelligent, he doubts whether you have any heart. If you are silly, he longs for a bright mate; and if you are intelligent and brilliant he longs for a playmate . . .

Men are like worms in the grass, they wriggle around a bit and then some chicken grabs them off.

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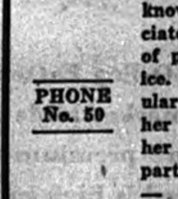
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News of Current SPORTS .. SHOWS & Entertainment

On Exhibition



Among the many entries from the U.S. at the 10th annual international cat show held at the C.N.E. last week were some Abyssinian cats, the first time they have been shown in Canada. This one is owned by Mrs. Stanley Gibson of Chicago.

Poachers, Beware

Lake Louisa Fish and Game Club, Inc., hereby gives warning that a game warden is now on duty, and anyone damaging property of summer residents or fishing illegally will be prosecuted and severely dealt with.

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EMPLOYMENT, PROPERTY, TENDERS, ETC.

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WANTED TO RENT — house in or near Lachute, 6 to 8 rooms. Reply P. O. Box D-600, Lachute. S18-2c.

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FOR SALE — 1935 Oldsmobile coach with heater, radio, Prestone, good tires, new battery. $375 cash. Apply 348A Beaverbrooke Street, Brownsburg. —1p.

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BASEBALL, SOFTBALL AMONG BROWNSB'G PLANT EMPLOYEES

SOFTBALL .

All-Stars vs. Seven-Up

Packing just a little too much punch for the less-experienced locals, Montreal Seven-Up girls' softball team slugged out a 16-4 win over Brownsburg Girls' All-Stars on the Picnic Ground diamond Sunday afternoon, August 24. Although the Burgesses were playing together as a team for the first time, they gave a good account of themselves and played much better ball than the score would indicate.

The action of the Montreal girls in coming up here at their own expense was greatly appreciated by the Brownsburg girls.

BASEBALL

Diamond Stars Idle, Awaiting Next Victims

Brownsburg's battling baseball team is enjoying a well-earned rest after a strenuous schedule whose close saw the locals looking down at the rest of the teams from a lofty perch at the top of the league. By finishing in the first place slot, the Ammunition boys earned a bye into the finals where they will meet Lachute, winner of the Lachute-Montebello semi-final series.

These two teams have played off in the best of two out of three games. On August 31 Lachute won against Montebello by a score of 11-7. Last Sunday when Lachute played in Montebello the score was Lachute 4 Montebello 2.

Sunday Exhibition Games

Brownsburg's All-Star teams gained an even split in a double-header played at the picnic grounds Sunday afternoon. The men overcame a five-run first inning deficit to defeat Point St. Charles Church League Champions 8-5, while the girls dropped a 21-13 decision to Montreal Stars. Myra Flynn pitched good ball for the 'Burg girls but her support was poor although the game was nip-and-tuck until the locals fell apart in the 6th and 7th. In the men's game, Hewett started on the mound for Brownsburg but, handicapped by a sore finger, was wild and gave up four runs on walks. Winchester took over in the first and pitched superb ball, allowing only two hits and retiring sixteen men in a row. Features of the game were Morley's perfect peg to Summers at third to catch a runner to end the first, Simpson's fine running catch in the second, and three magnificent stops by Summers.

—From "The Tracer"

Auction Sales

At the residence of —
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3 Pitchforks, horse rake, disc harrow, smoothing harrow, grindstone, ice tongs, wind charger with tower stand complete.

Three 8-gallon milk cans (nearly new), 2 coolie cans (new), milk disc strainer, cream separator, about 400 sap cans, 2 long ladders, 2 horseforks and two carriages, also horsefork rope, cross-cut saw, Swede saw, ice saw, large oat-bin; a quantity of hay and feed, also household furniture and many other articles.

Terms: $10. and under, cash; over that amount, ten months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes.

—Edgar Boyd, Auctioneer

For the Estate of the
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Double wagon & rack, McCormick hay loader, Frost & Wood mowing machine, horse rake, tumbril cart, express, rubber-tired buggy, walking gang plow, walking plow, disc drill seeder, disc harrow, 3-horse set smoothing harrows, Chatham fanning mill, grubbers, slush scraper, 2 cultivators, set of sloops, manure sled, rack sleigh, corn sheller, circular saw.

Set of double harness with breeching, cart harness, set single harness, collars, cow clippers, wire stretcher, DeLaval cream separator, root cutter, 8 8-gal. milk cans, logging chains, neckyokes & whiffletrees, churn, 2 lawn mowers, crowbars, forks, shovels.

Quantity of hay, straw and oats, also oats on sheaf, and many other items.

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—Edgar Boyd, Auctioneer

COMING EVENTS

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

RUMMAGE SALE

A rummage sale will be held under auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Church on September 26 and 27, at Mrs. Robert Miller's Store, 190 Main Street, Lachute. —1c.

BINGO NIGHT AT GOLF CLUB

A Bingo Night will be held Saturday, Sept. 13th, by Lachute Golf Club at the club house. Attractive prizes. Members and guests invited. —1c.

ANNUAL BAZAAR

The Ladies' Aid of the Lachute United Church intend holding their annual bazaar in the church hall on Friday, Nov. 14th, from 3 to 6 o'clock. Home-cooking, fancy work, etc. Tea will be served. S11-N6-2c.

DANCE

—In Shrewsbury Hall, under auspices of L.O.L. No. 716, on Saturday night, Sept. 13th. Good music. Come and bring your friends. Admission 25c. —1c.

DANCE

Come and dance to the music of Paul Courville and his Coca-Cola Orchestra, at McIntyre's Hall, Grenville, on Saturday night, Sept. 13th. —1c.

TEA AND FOOD SALE

The Young Women's Auxiliary of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church intend holding a tea and food sale in the church hall on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 27th, from 4 to 6 o'clock. —S11-25-2c.

HARVEST SUPPER

A harvest supper will be held in the Cushing Stone Hall on Sept. 20th under auspices of the St. Mungo's Women's Association. Good program. Supper served from 7 to 8.30 p.m. (D.S.T.) Admission 40 cents. —S18-2c.

CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

The Ladies' Aid of Brownsburg Presbyterian Church are holding a chicken pie supper in the church hall on Thursday, Oct. 16th. Admission 50c. Supper served from 5 to 8 o'clock. Please keep the date open. —1c.

WAR FUND DANCE

—In L.O.B.A. Hall, 14 Hope St., Lachute, on Friday, Sept. 26th, under auspices of the ladies of Thomas' Gore. Knitted quilt to be drawn for. Keep the date open. Admission 25c. S11-25-2c.

AMATEUR PROGRAMS AT BROWNSBURG

Brownsburg, Sept. 9 —

Topped by the hilarious performance of Edna Woods as she drew rounds of applause for her rendition of the ditty, "Three Little Fishes", the Amateur program of August 25 clocked up a record for duration. The show, unrehearsed, lasted almost two hours. After her solos, Gertie Pacquette turned song leader, much to the amusement of the crowd, and the vocal efforts of Madam La Franchi were well received. Bill Roy, an entertainer of no mean ability, turned in another excellent performance and the "boogie woogie" piano ramblings of Cameron McKenzie coupled with the trumpeting of M. D. Fontaine and singing of Hazel Fortier, contributed much to the evening's fun. Aline Perrier, Emmanuel Malo and Hilda Birch were also featured on the program.

Despite the small crowd of Labor Day night the number of Amateur participants was still adequate for an entertaining program. The M. C. was relieved of some of his duties when Tom Kennedy took over and presented Louise Snider at the piano and Hazel Fortier at the mike. Emmanuel Malo rendered a number of French songs, as did also Marg Frenette. On occasions the trio of Wallace, Johnson and Soughton broke in with piano, guitar and accordion arrangements of popular melodies and old-time tunes.

—From "The Tracer"

STILL MORE CULTIVATION

London, (CP) — The Ministry of Agriculture plans to plow over 2,000,000 acres of 1941 grass to provide bigger crops and better pasture land in 1942.

Amateur Program At St. Andrews E. Sponsored by W.I.

St. Andrews E. — The Town Hall was crowded on Friday evening, Sept. 5th, with an enthusiastic audience to encourage the efforts of eager amateurs in a program sponsored by Pioneer Branch of the W.I. During the intermission ice cream was sold.

The judges were Mrs. K. J. MacLean, Mr. John Fraser, Sr., and Mrs. Spicer. The chairman was Mr. J. O. Bridge.

First prize was awarded to Miss Lamarche, of Lachute, for her graceful and skilled tap dancing. Second prize went to Miss Percival, of Lachute, for a fine piano solo. Little Lisbeth Robertson and Master Lloyd Bryson won third prize jointly for their enchanting vocal duet. There were many competitors and several other awards were made.

Red Cross Benefit Tennis Exhibition At Seigniory Club

Seigniory Club, Que. — One of the brightest gatherings of tennis stars to grace the Seigniory Club courts will play here Saturday afternoon, September 13, in a Red Cross benefit exhibition. Fred Perry and Mary Hardwick of England, Dorothy Round Little, former Wimbledon champion and now tennis coach at the Seigniory Club, Don McDiarmid, Canada's national champion, Laird Watt and Phil Pearson, ranked fifth in Canadian tennis, will appear in the matches starting at 3 p.m. daylight saving time.

During the same week-end, September 13-14, the Seigniory Golf Club is holding the tenth annual men's 36-hole (Medal Play) invitation golf tournament which was won last year by Tom Riddell, III, of Mississauga Golf Club, Toronto. Eighteen holes will be played Saturday and the final round on Sunday.

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Joan BLONDELL, Roland Young, Billie Burke in
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WARTIME CONDITIONS NOW AFFECTING NUMEROUS PHASES OF EVERYDAY LIFE

EARLY LABOR SHORTAGE PREDICTED; INDUSTRIES TO EMPLOY MORE WOMEN

— THE WEEK IN OTTAWA —

Specially Written for The Watchman
By JOHN DAUPHINEE,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Ottawa, Sept. 15 (CP) — Whatever else happens, one thing can be predicted definitely for this year of war — government control over the way Canadians live is going to grow tighter.

Already, with the war year only a week old, there have been plenty of indications of what can be expected. The government will move to protect the people as far as possible from rising costs; but at the same time it will have to keep out of civilian channels an ever growing amount of materials needed for the war effort. That will mean a marked narrowing of the range of goods available for civilian consumption.

The policing of costs in wartime is under the Wartime Prices and Trade Board of the finance department where most economic controls now are centralized. In the first few days of the new war year started Sept. 10, the board took its first major step since becoming the supreme price-fixing body in the Dominion. It announced that all dealers in clothing and foods will be licensed before 1942 begins, to give the board a direct check on wholesale and retail merchants.

Latest cost-of-living index issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics — for Aug. 1 — was 113.7, an increase of 12.8 per cent since the outbreak of hostilities, and more than one per cent higher than at the start of the previous month.

Food Reduction

On the other side of the picture, Canadians are going to have to do without many of the things to which they were accustumed. Last week A. H. Williamson, Controller of Supplies, ordered a progressive reduction in the amount of rubber available for civilian uses. By Feb. 1, 1942, it will amount to 30 per cent.

Use of copper for civilian purposes also was put under strict control, and war needs are going to be met first. There are strong indications that — as in the case of automobiles — production of things like washing machines, electric refrigerators and so on is going to be reduced. Restriction of instalment buying is considered probable.

In addition, industry must be protected. It has officially been suggested that non-essential production for civilian use will have to be curtailed to make more workers available for production of munitions and equipment for the armed forces. Even the amount of certain foodstuffs available to Canadians may be cut down to help meet the vast demands of the United Kingdom.

Promise For Farmers

This factor of the war effort, however, holds a promise of better returns for Canadian farmers. Agriculture Minister Gardiner, another minister who spoke to the nation during reconsecration week, held out this prospect.

"The only staple product which is still giving us worry is wheat," he said. But at the same time he expressed belief a demand for that product of Canadian farms will come in time — and with the demand, better prices.

A problem facing the Agriculture Department is the feed grain situation. A conference held here last week suggested a reduction in freight rates so grain could be shipped east. Mr. Gardiner promised an early statement on what the government intends to do.

The greater requirements of manpower by the three armed services are a major factor in the labor situation. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics said a labor shortage is in sight, perhaps by next month. It predicted more women would have to be employed in industry.

More than one government spokesman last week stressed the need for more sailors, soldiers and airmen. Munitions Minister Howe, for instance, said the need of industry, must not take preference over the needs of the armed forces. He urged employers "not to place obstacles in the way of enlistments."

Another aspect of the labor situation — several industrial disputes — gave the government considerable concern.

500 DONATIONS OF $1 WILL COMPLETE 'SPITFIRE' CAMPAIGN

Success in View for Argenteuil's Voluntary War Endeavor

Gift Plane to Carry County Name in Fight for Freedom

From the initial impetus of $300 offered by a Lachute citizen, Mr. A. McGibbon, as his personal contribution — the Argenteuil Spitfire Fund has come a long way. The $24,000 objective appeared at that time an immense undertaking; and in the latter stages of the drive, when enthusiasm flagged and contributions diminished, the end appeared even more problematical.

Today, however, success awaits this great venture in Argenteuil County. A factor in speeding the outcome is a slight reduction of the desired total, which, in conformance with official advice, sets the purchase price of a Spitfire plane at $22,300. Reduced production costs have followed on the more speedy and efficient organization of industry, and the current figure represents $1,700 less than that originally announced.

With one or two larger donations still awaited, The Watchman rallies its friends to the last lap of the race and asks for modest gifts of $1. from its readers, whether or not they have already donated. With this very reasonable request we are confident the fund can be closed without further appeal.

Disappointment attended the campaign in certain quarters — notably in Brownsburg, a centre of the county most directly affected by the stimulus of war industries. We pass no judgment on this response. In fairness we state the plea of those citizens we approached — that "Brownsburg was too busy", and we thank the few who have sincerely helped.

Elsewhere in this issue we publish the current list of subscriptions, which includes those first to respond in the $1-a-person appeal. The total to date is $21,860 and the collaboration of only 500 more subscribers will effectively close the campaign.

Your Personal Reconsecration

Is the end of Reconsecration Week going to mark the beginning of a reconsecrated year for you?

How deeply has the meaning of this past week penetrated into Canadian lives? Under their skins, or into the centre of their hearts? The answer lies with you — for you are Canada.

Have you stopped to think of all the practical results that could come of the pledge our Government has asked us to make? Its words must be translated into simple, direct action. You are the translators. You are the guardians of untold resources yet to be tapped.

Then just what does reconsecration imply?

It might well start with re-thinking what we are fighting for. The real aims, the final aims. Not simply to get a chance to go back to the old way, but to win the right to build a new way. Re-think not only what you want to have destroyed but what you want to see created in the new world. It is part of your reconsecration. Know all that you are fighting for. Have faith in it.

Re-survey all the means needed to bring victory. Canada needs men, brains, arms, money. But are they enough? She has other needs — will-power, courage, faith, persistence, everything that goes into strengthening morale. Are they a large item in your all-out effort? Do they put zest into your days and become a person-to-person responsibility towards any of the family or the neighbors who need more of these qualities? There are also many regulations and restrictions which will have to be faced. Do you accept them cheerfully and loyally and help others to do the same? Canada's morale depends on Canada's millions. Are you the finest type?

Review your own front line. Whether in the home, at work or in your organization, give your imagination full rein to find "all that lies within your power" to do. Canada asks it. Only you can answer it.

Find the points where you can strengthen Canadian unity. Your attitudes, your contacts, your conversation are either the breeding ground of minor warfare within our gates or they bind her races, creeds and classes for one mighty effort.

Review your front line for waste, indulgence, misuse. Take pencil and paper. Write down a few facts. How do you spend your money? How do you use your possessions and time? When you see them in black and white you will be well on the road to knowing whether your resources are best serving the country.

The truest patriots are not the ones who wait for government suggestions, to co-operate. They are the ones who so care for Canada, and so know her needs, that they are already supplying them before the call comes. Are you in their ranks?

Tourist Finds Sahara In Ontario



This sign was on a Toronto gasoline station recently, and it's not the only one in town by dozens if not hundreds, as dealers' weekly supplies run dry. They've had to do their own rationing, and many had not been able to "budget" precisely. One United States tourist went to seven stations, found them all dry, then turned up here and found the same "petrol Sahara". Weekly supply to service stations has been cut off by 20 per cent.

Weekly War Commentary

Specially Written for The Watchman
By H. M. PETERS,
Canadian Press Staff

The urgency in Russia's position lies in the fact that she has lost a large number of industrial cities and towns with a consequent reduction in her munitions output.

It is to meet this situation that Mr. Churchill and President Roosevelt in this 107th week of war are dispatching to Moscow economic missions headed by two outstanding men, Lord Beaverbrook, the British Minister of Supply, and W. Averill Harriman, the United States lease-lend expediter.

Unquestionably, Russia has prepared for this attack by Hitler for many years. As part of that preparation she has built and equipped a number of factories far in the interior. How many there are, what their output is, to what extent they can replace the lost factories, these rank among the most closely-guarded secrets of the war.

But no matter how efficient they are, the loss Russia has suffered is large. Mr. Churchill has told parliament Britain would have to forego a portion of its supplies from the United States so that it can be diverted to Russia. He also has announced that hundreds of British fighter planes are being rushed to the eastern battlefront. Some of these are now being flown by British aviators.

Ruins for Hitler

It has been estimated that more than half Russia's aluminum output, for example, was clustered around the great Dnieper Dam — the pride of the first five-year plan — which Stalin unhesitatingly ordered destroyed late in August when it could no longer be defended. This development — dam, factories, unsalvageable stores — were all utterly smashed, in accordance with the scorched-earth policy that leaves Hitler nothing in the land that he may grab.

It is not probably that any detailed figures will be issued for months if not years on what help Russia is given. But enough information has been released to indicate the scale. At least three tankers with high-test gasoline have arrived in Vladivostok from the United States. Ship after ship has tied up at Basra and other Middle East ports with goods which can be sent to the Russians through Iran.

Back to Smolensk

For the first time since hostilities broke out in September 1939,

(Continued on page 4)

Long Week-End For Conf'ce of School Teachers

SCHOOLS WILL BE CLOSED FROM WED. AFTERNOON TO TUES. MORNING

More than 2,000 teachers are expected to attend the annual meeting of the Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers, to be held October 9, 10 and 11 in the Montreal High School according to C. J. Fraser, of Montreal, president of the association. Some 75,000 Protestant pupils will have a long week-end holiday as the schools throughout the province will be closed from Wednesday afternoon until Tuesday, immediately after Thanksgiving.

Problems of physical fitness and education for the new world order as Danned by Premier Churchill and President Roosevelt will have an important place in the discussions, as well as the problems incidental to the teaching of subject material and administrative matters, including, the perennial subject of teachers' salaries.

Presentation of medals to teachers who have given lengthy and distinguished service in the province will be one of the features of the convention. The teachers to be honored this year are : Gold medal, Prof. H. D. Brunt, of Macdonald College; silver medal, W. H. Brady, inspector of schools of Montreal; bronze medals, Mrs. Agnes E. Grant, Earl Grey School, Montreal, Miss Elizabeth Tibus, of Knowlton, Que.; Miss Grace Shufelt, of East Farnham, Que., and Mrs. E. Vibert, music teacher in Montreal schools.

Gilbert and Sullivan's operetta, The Mikado, will be presented by the High Schools Opera of Montreal under the direction of Irvin Cooper.

The convention will get under way Thursday morning with a business session. P. J. Philip, of Ottawa, veteran European correspondent, will speak on "The History that is Being Made."

Sectional meetings will be held Thursday afternoon and all day Friday, and a closing business session will be held on Saturday morning when new officers will be installed.

Prov. Highway Repairs In Laurentian District And Ottawa Valley

Provincial highway repairs now under way, according to a Montreal report, include gravel stabilization on Route No. 8 from Pointe-au-Chene to Papineauville, grading of bridge approaches at Plaisance and a cement concrete bridge at the eastern entrance to Hull; also on Highway 11, gravel resurfacing at Ste. Agathe, and between Val Barrette and Mont Laurier.

25 Houses Ready For Occupancy Early in October

WARTIME HOUSING SHEME ON BROWNB'G DEVELOPMENT MOVES RAPIDLY

ALIKE IN DESIGN, BUT NO MONOTONY IN FINISHED APPEARANCE

Twenty-five homes are being erected to house munitions workers, on what is known as the Filion development at Brownsburg. The dwellings are built according to plans prepared by Wartime Housing Limited, Toronto; this company operates as a branch of the Department of Munitions and Supply at Ottawa, and is set up for the purpose of building wartime houses for war workers.

Cottingham Supply Company here is erecting these 25 houses on the prefabricated basis, which consists of the making of the exterior walls, roofs, floors, and partitions in 4-foot panels. These are made in the shop, transported to the job and erected; the interior and exterior finish, as well as insulation being applied conventionally.

The houses are erected on cedar posts. The floors, however, are insulated with four inches of Rock Wool and the water and sewer pipes leading to the building are well insulated. The houses should provide accommodation as comfortable as houses with basements underneath, as they are being warmly built and thought has been given to the comfort of the prospective occupants.

Although the houses are all the same in design, variations will be made by staggering the location of the houses, putting different colored roofs, different colored paint and different exterior treatments, so that the buildings will not by any means present a monotonous appearance.

Fifteen of these houses are already erected and by the end of this week, September 20th, all 25 will be totally erected and most of them under permanent roofs. It is hoped that as soon as the sewers and water can be laid in, the houses will be promptly occupied. As far as the dwellings are concerned, it is expected they will be ready for occupancy by October 1st, or at the latest, October 15th.

It is the intention, after the war, to take these houses down and move them to other sites. For this purpose, the houses are put together with lagging screws and bolts so as to facilitate demounting of the structures.

The houses will be complete with bathrooms, planned kitchens and will have four bedrooms and a living-room.

These buildings were completely fabricated in the shops of the Cottingham Supply Company and transported to Brownsburg for erection.

Sorel Staff House Erection Is Now Well Under Way

EIGHT LOADED VEHICLES LEAVE LOCAL YARDS EACH MORNING

Erection of the staff-house at Sorel, a pefabrication project which was described in last issue of The Watchman, is now well under way. Eight fuliy loaded trucks leave the yards of the Cottingham Supply Company at 3.00 a.m. each day and arrive in Sorel at 7.00 a.m., where they are unloaded and return immediately to Lachute to be re-loaded for the following day.

At the time of going to press, practically all the building will have been transported to Sorel, there remaining only one day's hauling.

Erection started on the job on September 17th, and it is expected, if weather permits, to have the building completely roofed-in by the 27th of this month.

This is the first project of its kind to be undertaken in Canada, and it is causing great interest.

Party Impressed, Quality of Camp 'Housekeeping'

WOMEN VISIT MILITARY TRAINING CENTRE AT ST. JEROME, QUE.

FIND KITCHENS, GARDENS AND LIVING QUARTERS "JUST LIKE HOME"

A band of women "invaded" the military training centre at St. Jerome last week and came away with the idea that a soldier's life is a good life. Any who might have had misgivings about how the boys were treated and fed had their doubts quickly dispelled. As one put it, "They couldn't be better taken care of in their own homes."

The "housekeeping" of the camp particularly impressed the party. "To think all this work is done by men," they marvelled, "and men are so helpless about the house."

Kitchens as clean as pins bristled with labor saving devices. Dish-washing machines, potato peelers, continuous hot water and all the other household amenities made the visitors feel that when men do tackle housework they tackle it with vim, vigor and intelligence.

Men Are "Kitchen Proud"

They found the men in charge of these kitchens and refrigerators were mighty proud of them! They appeared only too anxious to show just how washing machines and potato peelers worked.

In the sergeants' mess supper was being prepared. It was to be a French fricasee but at this stage of the game it was huge separate dishes of potatoes, finely cut onions and rich beef swimming in its own gravy. Anyone who had doubts as to how well the boys were fed had only to get one whiff and one brief glimpse of that fricasee-to-be to promptly change her mind.

All the sleeping quarters looked as clean as the kitchens. No dust had been allowed to settle under the beds, many of them double-deckers.

The touch that is usually termed feminine was not lacking even on the grounds, where flower beds, made by volunteers among the men themselves, presented a mass of bloom. At every turn the men demonstrated their ability to be comfortable without the ministrations of women. Even the window hangings were chosen with an eye to beauty as well as to utility.

CONSTRUCTIVE TOPICS HEARD AT THE REGIONAL COUNTRY WOMEN'S CONF'CE; REFRESHING INTERLUDES TO SESSIONS

IMPRESSIONS FROM RECENT GATHERING IN OTTAWA

By J. GRAHAM, W.I. County Convenor of Agriculture

At the Regional Conference of the Associated Country Women of the World, held in the Chateau Laurier September 3-10, the Federated Women's Institutes of Canada were official hostesses. Mrs. M. R. Watt, president of the A.C.W.W., was in the chair. The theme of the entire conference was "Women's Part in the Defence of the Western Hemisphere", some of the topics being "Food Problems and Agriculture"; "Women's Part in Food Production"; "Recent Developments in Food Conservation"; "The Woman Farmer"; "Farm Women's Part in Feeding the World"; "Natural Resources"; "Depletion of Natural Resources"; "Saving The Trees"; "The Place of Home Crafts in Rural Life"; "Nutrition and National Security"; "Feeding The Army" — by Canadian and American speakers; "Educational Campaigns in Canada"; "Garden Clubs"; "The Garden Brigade"; "Racial Problems"; "Community Co-ordination", and other topics including "Women at the Peace Table" and "Our Hopes for the Future".

Mrs. G. F. Kuhring, an Argenteuil lady, was secretary for the conference and was not only a busy woman but a much appreciated woman, who seemingly had made a careful study of the speakers and their subjects and was constantly in demand by persons who wished to consult her.

Mrs. J. S. Giles, our editor's wife, paid a short call at the Chateau en route to French River with her husband and daughter, and was present at the reception for ladies of the Conference which was given by Mr. Peirpont Moffat, Minister to Canada from the U.S.A., and his wife, at their private home in Rockliffe Park. The guests were given delightful refreshments from a table beautifully decorated with American Beauty roses.

A drive around Ottawa had preceded the visit to the home of the Moffats when the 15 cars filled with women of both nations were escorted by a traffic officer in blue uniform. For once in their lives the "Women" had right of way.

Other recreations which divided the sessions were teas at country clubs, visits to the Parliament building, the Archives, the National Art Gallery, the Experimental Farm and the farm home of Mrs. John Pritchard of Manotick, which is about ten miles out of Ottawa; a drive for which members of the National Council of Women, of Ottawa, again provided cars, and a tea in South Hull Community Hall out along the beautiful Aylmer Road, given by the members of Aylmer Women's Institutes, where one met with many old friends of former W.I. Conventions.

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CONCILIATION BOARD NAMED FOR AYERS

Mr. Justice Boyer, Westmount, Heads Probe of Dispute

Ottawa — Labor Minister McLarty has announced establishment of a board of conciliation to deal with a dispute between Ayers Ltd., Lachute, and its employees who are members of the United Textile workers of Canada.

Mr. Justice L. Boyer of Westmount was appointed chairman and the other two members are J. A. Mann, nominated by the company, and Raoul Trepanier, nominee of the employees, both of Montreal.

TRIP ON CANADIAN DESTROYER CLIMAXES DEMONSTRATION TOUR; EDITORS GIVEN STRIKING IMPRESSION OF WAR EFFORT

LAST LAP OF ITINERARY WITH NEWSPAPERMEN INSPECTING TRAINING CAMPS AND INDUSTRIES

(Concluded from previous issues)

Leaving Brockville, Ont., the editors' tour (described up to this stage in two previous issues of The Watchman) followed industrial aspects of Canada's war effort around Montreal and on the St. Lawrence River.

Tank and Anti-Tank Ordnance

Interesting procedures were shown in the manufacture of tank and anti-tank guns in a peacetime plant which had been converted for the complete production of ordnance in a record time. These works were manufacturing chilled iron rolls fourteen months ago; today they are producing tank and anti-tank guns at a rate that was not anticipated before the end of the year. When the undertaking got underway there were no jigs nor fixture designs available and the staff had to design and manufacture them. In all, 460 major fixtures were required for the production of these guns and some 800 other details had to be designed, including special tools and cutters.

Bolinbroke Bombers

In one of the most important aircraft factories in the Dominion, it was shown where airframes, turrets and many other accessories of the Bolingbroke bombers are made. Tooling and jigging in preparation for this work started as early as 1937. The contract now on hand calls for the production of ten times more planes than were originally scheduled. Twenty-five per cent of these have been delivered. Total area of plant is presently four times greater than before the war. Two hundred men were then at work, but now the number is well over 3,000.

Corvettes for Navy

Next on the busy scene of industry were shipyards employing 1,800 men on corvette, mine-sweeper and supply ship construction. Present facilities are being greatly expanded to allow for the construction of 10,000-ton cargo boats. On a contract calling for corvettes, some have already been launched, while several mine-sweepers have also been delivered.

25-Pounder Field Guns

The manufacture of field artillery guns was shown in an immense plant which is the only one in the western hemisphere which produces guns and carriages complete from scrap to finished weapon. It includes laboratory, powerhouses, steel foundry, forges and presses, heat treatment and rough finish sections, machine shop, tool room, erecting and assembly divisions, etc.

The shops cover more than 14 acres, and are constantly expanding.

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DEMONSTRATION TOUR; EDITORS GIVEN STRIKING IMPRESSION OF WAR EFFORT

(Continued from page 1)

The manufacture of the field gun and carriage includes all varieties of engineering production of the highest type, from accurate platework to highly skilful machining and fitting. With many of the parts, complete interchangeability is an absolute necessity. This field gun is designed to replace the old 18-pounder and it is one of the chief weapons of all field artillery units.

Small Arms and Ammunition

The production of small arms ammunition and cartridge cases for artillery shells in a vast arsenal equipped to do its own melting, casting, rolling and annealing was a sight to interest the party and amaze them still further with the vast expansion of industrial undertakings in this country. Cartridges made at this plant are used for both the Lee-Enfield rifle and the Bren machine gun. The complete round of .303 ammunition requires 23 distinct operations for the case and 21 for the bullet, besides the filling of case and cap and final assembly.

The number of workers employed is 1,500 and is being increased daily. Present yearly production is twenty-four times that of pre-war years, twice what it was a year ago, and it is constantly being augmented.

There are two other smaller divisions of this Arsenal in the same neighborhood.

Valcartier and Debert

Turning again to the complex phases of military training, the party were conducted on a tour of Valcartier Camp near Quebec City. This is the counterpart of the Advanced (Infantry) Training Centre seen at Borden, but is for French speaking personnel only.

Its capacity is 100 officers and 1,000 other ranks, and it is the only entirely French speaking Advanced Infantry Training Centre. There is another which instructs in both French and English, at Farnham.

French-speaking recruits of arms other than infantry go to the same advanced T.C. as do English-speaking recruits, but a proportion of the instructors are able to instruct in French.

The story of Debert Camp, next on the editors' itinerary, is a remarkable illustration of military engineering under the combined pressure of widespread expansion and limited time. When the General Staff decided that a concentration of troops was necessary for any probable action on the Atlantic Coast, efforts were made immediately to determine the best locality; the decision was that Truro, N. S., or its neighborhood was ideal. One week from that date of authorization troops were moving in. Today there are 30 miles of roadways, 422 permanent and 82 temporary buildings, plus fire stations, banks and telegraph offices.

Detail and magnitude can hardly be exaggerated since everything started from scratch. Not only sleeping accommodation for 12,000 had to be provided, but practically everything else that might be found in a town of that population. Provision had to be made for the men's feeding arrangements; for their recreation; for their housing and transportation; for ample water supply and a sewage system, and even for hospitalization. Drill halls had to be provided, and depots for the issuance of rations. Large storage warehouses had to be built from which could be issued the necessary summer and winter clothes, beds, mattresses, rifles, ammunition and equipment of all kinds; service garages had to be erected, places for storage of gasoline had to be constructed. Thirty miles of road had to be laid down and surfaced. The Barrack buildings were constructed and the handling of incoming material was in itself a gigantic task; it is recalled that there were no roads into this area in August and immense obstables had to be overcome.

This camp stands as a monument to the energy, enterprise and efficiency of the Engineer Services Branch of the Canadian Army.

Navy Yards at Halifax

If the activities of the Royal Canadian Navy were to be summed up in terms of a city, Halifax would be the expression of most of them. This ordinarily peaceful harbour where trade to and from the ports of all the nations has been wont to flow in quiet if strong measure has become the main channel through which men, material and food stuffs move from this side of the Atlantic to beleaguered Britain. At Halifax assemble for passage overseas the convoys of merchant ships carrying the flags of the Allied countries. Warships of the R.C.N., in co-operation with the Royal Navy, have safely escorted thousands of cargo ships to their destinations in Britain.

Into Halifax roll troop trains from the West, from Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime areas. They come carrying pilots, observers, gunners, navigation officers, ground crews and all the fighting men of the R.C.A.F. They carry infantry men, machine gunners, artillerymen, tank crews, signallers and every description of soldier.

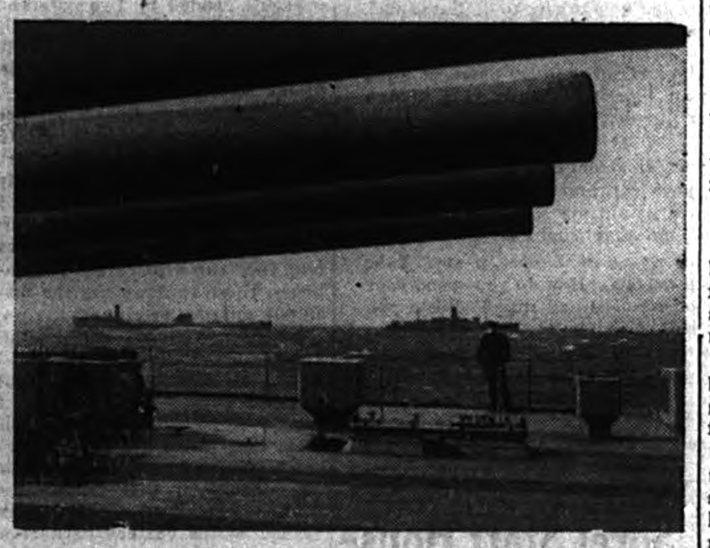
Editors Aboard Destroyer

At Halifax, the editors experienced the thrill of a trip in the harbour, on one of the destroyers which are doing such heroic work in protecting convoys and keeping the Atlantic sealines open. Four mine-sweepers were plowing the sea in their search for possible mines. Depth bombs were dropped to give the editors a more real impression of sea strategies, and a smoke screen was laid which completely enveloped a second destroyer and obscured from view another detachment of the party on that vessel.

There is great activity in this old and honorable city of Halifax. As the group were led through the buildings where seamen are being trained in gunnery and marksmanship, and learning the intricacies of the machines that keep our foes at bay, one could not but feel a sense of pride in the gallant boys who are applying themselves so earnestly to the task in hand.

A great stimulus in the building trade is in evidence, many large buildings being in course of construction. A remarkable spirit of co-operation is shown also in the voluntary effort of the feminine population to provide comfort and cheer in the many hostelries for seamen both on service and in training.

Protecting the Sea Lanes



Symbol of Britain's might at sea, these big guns are mounted on the watch-dogs of the Atlantic — sleek naval vessels that convoy liners and freighters on the lifeline of supply. Despite recurring losses which strike their note of tragedy, the U-Boat menace has been checked immeasurably by naval escort through these perilous waters.

Mass Mechanization Handles 15,000 Acre Wheat Harvest in U.S.

Montana Wheat Farmer Completes 23rd. Harvest — 300,000 Bushels

Hardin, Mont., Sept. 15 (CP) — Thomas D. Campbell has made wheat farming into a huge industrial project that brings big town mass production methods out into the endless grain fields of rural Montana.

Campbell, a graduate mechanical engineer, believes that what agriculture needs in general to prepare it for the future is a big dose of industrialized efficiency. He has applied the theory effectively to his own vast holdings. This season he completed the 23rd harvest, with his farm equipment operating on an around-the-clock basis.

Campbell this year seeded and harvested approximately 300,000 bushels of wheat on 15,000 acres. This, he says, is the largest single wheat project in the western hemisphere.

Lightning Harvest

Besides his Montana wheat holdings he is associated with John J. Rasko in operating a New Mexico project of several hundred thousand acres.

Campbell's farms are completely mechanized for a "lightning harvest."

Fifteen tractor-drawn combines cut 20-feet swaths through fields of golden brown wheat. Other tractors draw a string of wagons to strategic points where the combines, which thresh as they reap, unload. Trucks of 10 and 12-ton capacity haul the wheat to storage granaries.

"We operate just like any other industrial plant," says Campbell, who is lean, bronzed, and has snow white hair as the only visible sign that he is approaching the 60-year mark.

Field Bosses

"We have about the same number of field bosses per crew as a factory would have foremen. When anything goes wrong we have the men spotted to take care of it.

"A truck moves about the field keeping the tractors supplied with gasoline, oil and water. We keep fire-fighting equipment on the job.

"Under ideal conditions, with the tractors moving at their normal speed of two and a half miles an hour, we can harvest an acre a minute."

Campbell was the son of a farmer and his early ambition was to reduce the drudgery of farm work. He studied mechanical engineering at the University of North Dakota and later at Cornell University.

A Shatter-Proof Glass For Domestic Building, Outcome of Air-Raids

(By Mail)

London — "Blitz" blast need no longer send glass splinters flying in all directions during air-raids over Britain this winter.

The British Government's Experimental Building Research Station at Watford has successfully tested three new alternatives to unprotected glass windows. The first is used in place of window glass. It consists of netting embedded in thick cellulose acetate film which lets in light and keeps out rain. There is a heavier variety to take the place of north lights, roof lights or other glass on which there is a heavy strain. It equals quarter-inch plate glass in strength.

A third device is a lighter form of cellulose netting fixed to window panes by adhesive. A square of plate glass covered with this netting was put under a spring-loaded hammer which was brought down upon it, travelling one-eighth of an inch beyond the point of impact.

The shattered glass remained neatly in position under the netting.

Rotarian Tag Day Held at Hawkesbury

Hawkesbury, Sept. 11 — The Hawkesbury Rotarians staged a tag day on behalf of the Navy League of Canada, when the sum of $116. was collected. Many local girls gave their services in aid of this special tag day, among whom were members of the Canadian Girls in Training and the girls' branch of the Women's Auxiliary of the Holy Trinity Anglican Church, of Hawkesbury.

Hawkesbury Airman Is Reported Missing

Hawkesbury — Mr. and Mrs. Omer Rheaume, of this town, have received word from the R.C.A.F. authorities that their son, Arthur D. Rheaume, has been missing since the activities over enemy territory on Aug. 28th.

The young man, who celebrated his 20th birthday July 7th somewhere in England, received his air training as an observer at Toronto, Montreal, Fingal and Ottawa, where he received his wings and was promoted to the rank of sergeant. He sailed for England in February and has been on active service since May.

His father, Omer Rheaume, is a veteran of the last war, having served with the 68th Field Battery also at the age of 20.

Train Bells Ring For Churches

There's a man in the city who buys old wrecks to make pipes and nails and things. It's a big business. He's made a fortune from it. But there is a part of a train engine, which his workers have never been able to transform in their usual manner.

It is the train engine bell, which clangs away when the train puffs into the station. There are so many requests for engine bells that the salvage workers nearly go crazy answering them. Too many requests to be filled. Camps want them for dinner gongs, and churches want them to ring worshippers to prayer, and collectors want them for reasons of their own. Now, according to the wreckers, there is many a tiny church in Quebec which tolls out funerals, weddings and Sunday services with blessed bells that once clanged madly above the roaring station traffic.

—"Our Montreal' (Standard).

Monster Barbecue For Queen's Fund

The Waterton Park, Alta., war relief organization is setting the pace for Southern Alberta with a total of nearly $1,000 subscribed to the Queen's Canadian Fund in little over a month.

The biggest event of an enthusiastic Queen's Fund campaign in Waterton was a monster barbecue held recently in genuine traditional style. The first event of its kind in the neighborhood, the occasion drew a large crowd, and keen interest was shown in the processes of the barbecue. Two beeves had been treated in barbecue style, covered with the proper ingredients, then encased in sheet metal and lowered into the pits. After several hours of roasting over hot coals the first beef was lifted from the earthen oven, taken to the carvers' tent, and served to the diners. Everything on the evening's menu was provided by local Queen's Fund supporters.

POST-WAR MIGRATION

London (CP) — With Britain's birth-rate falling it will no longer be in her interest to part with her best energetic young people, said Colonial Secretary Lord Moyne, discussing emigration after the war.

Insulation Urged to Reduce Coal Needs

Fuel Savings Important Item as Mines Unable to Supply Demand

Builders of new Canadian homes and owners of existing ones are being urged to pay special attention to insulation in order to reduce the demand for heating fuel. In addition to playing a patriotic part owners and builders reducing fuel costs are benefitting themselves.

In Canada this year large numbers of residences are being insulated in order to reduce the winter's fuel requirements. While there are many forms of insulation owners of existing frame houses find that the quickest, most economical and most efficient method of reducing their fuel costs is to apply asphalt laminated insulated sidings to exterior walls, a job that can be done by any local carpenter. These sidings are efficient insulators, moisture-proof, attractive in appearance and require no painting or other maintenance.

The heating problem which threatens to become serious is attracting as much attention in the United States as in Canada, and recently the U. S. Bureau of Mines urged Americans, as a defence measure, to insulate their homes and lessen the burden put on mines to produce coal. Recent tests in Canada indicate that fuel savings of 25 per cent and higher are secured through siding applications.



Do You Know the Answers?

Here are some questions about an industry whose welfare affects you and your community. See how many of these questions you can answer, then try the questions out on your family, friends and neighbours.

1. Are any products of the pulp and paper industry being directly used for war purposes?
2. Canada makes large shipments abroad of pulp and paper products. It also exports wheat and gold. Which of these brings the most money to Canada?
3. What particular industry owes most of its growth to the pulp and paper industry?
4. What other industries derive large benefits from the pulp and paper industry?

1. Yes: pulp for explosives; wrappings and containers for munitions and food; board for army buildings. 2. Pulp and paper products; newsprint paper alone is Canada's largest single source of U.S. dollars. 3. The electric power industry. 4. Nearly every other industry in Canada because of the large purchases of the Pulp and Paper Industry for its diversified requirements—particularly our railways and steamship lines because of the amount of freight shipped; our mines and heavy machine industries; our farms.

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Wartime Pleasure Spending

While "we are in the presence of a crime without a name", it would be a major tragedy to lose both the war and the peace. That is the ominous probability of a headlong plunge into a period of wartime pleasure spending. A greater degree of saving is an urgent need of the moment.

The cry from all the lips that speak to us across the "no man's land" of the Atlantic Ocean is for more and more materials. Our ability to produce the materials of war in satisfactory quantity is limited by our physical capacity and time. Our only hope lies in diverting peace-time operations to wartime requirements.

Diversion of productive facilities is effected in either or both of two ways, voluntary or otherwise. Financial measures, such as by taxation and borrowing, are useful and play an important part, but the part they play is dependent upon the measure of public support they receive.

In the Victory Loan drive, Canadians added to their laurels, and the measure of their effort in this direction will make pleasant reading when the final figures are issued from Ottawa this month. That, however, is water over the dam, and War Savings are now in need of support. This is the movement in which the greatest number of Canadians can put their shoulders to the wheel.

War Savings is a twice-blessed effort, in that dollars invested in War Savings Certificates do double service: they do not compete with the war effort and they stand ready to take up the slack for the peace-time readjustment. Dollars diverted from non-essential spending at this time leave room for the expansion of production needed for the men overseas.

They Have A Comeback !

There's a lot of satisfaction these days for the men over 45 or who are nearing that age. Most of them will recall just a few years ago that industry had no place for that group. Many a man was refused a job when he removed his hat and grey hairs or a bald head were revealed. There just didn't seem any place for this group in the industrial picture if they were cut loose from the occupation where they had spent the earlier years of their life.

Today we find men not only of forty-five but of sixty-five and sometimes over, having their skill and ability called upon to meet the need for help. It's pleasant indeed for those who hung on and found that life had a place for them. And it's pleasant, too, to see the happiness in service among some of these older men who feel again they have a vital place in making things go. Yes, there is a lot of satisfaction in the ability to carry on even if the pace is slower than before forty-five.

—Acton Free Press

Less "Middle-Aged Spread"

Looking on the bright side of the restricted use of gasoline, one can count a definite saving to the pocketbook when walking instead of riding, and now comes a Boston surgeon, Dr. Elliott Cutler, who has announced that enforced walking due to shortage of gas would not only make us all less subject to a condition he described as "middle-aged spread," but would make our hearts stronger, appetites bigger, waistlines smaller, brains livelier, digestive systems lustier, and lives longer.

—Granby Leader-Mail

Forty Per Cent of Canadian Youths Physically "Under Par"

The condition of Canada's health is summarized in a pertinent article written for the Health League of Canada by Frank Chamberlain, publicist. "Canadians are a sick people", he writes, "and we are not alarmed about it. We go about our daily business as if there were nothing wrong."

Yet, he charges, half a million Canadian children have been found to be improperly nourished. A quarter of a milion of our Canadians suffer from impaired hearing. Seventy-seven thousand children have weak or damaged hearts. Thirty-five thousand are mentally retarded. Thirty thousand are suffering from tuberculosis. Thirty-eight hundred are partially blind. Over 1,000 are wholly blind and 1,400 are totally deaf.

Referring to a recent statement by Col. J. L. Ralston, Canada's minister of national defence, indicating that out of 50,000 young Canadians who had offered their services in Canada's armed forces, only 30,000 were found to be physically fit, the writer goes on to say "This is a tragedy, a sensational tragedy. I thought the newspapers of this country would blazen their eight-column headlines with this shocking fact."

Canada loses 311 children every year from diphtheria, despite the fact that toxoid will prevent diphtheria, the writer continues. Two hundred and seventy-one people die in Canada each year from typhoid fever, and between the years 1916-1937 there were 47 typhoid fever epidemics, despite the fact that known methods of pasteurization of milk and safeguarding of water supplies will eliminate this disease.

The article points out that in a single year in Canada 16,675 infants under one year died, or 76 per 1,000 live births. New Zealand loses 30 infants for every 1,000 live births. "Is there any reason why Canada should not be able to do as well as New Zealand?" Chamberlain asks.

"List the 26 leading countries of the world, and you'll find that there are only four with worse records of maternal death rates than Canada", he goes on. "What are we doing about it? Why are the newspapers, the magazines, the radio, so silent?

"We mourn the loss of men killed in battle. Sixty thousand of them were killed in action or died of wounds in the four years of 1914-1918. We erect memorials, we write poems, we make speeches about their loss. And rightly so. But in another four years 70,000 children in Canada died under the age of one year. If we add to their ranks the stillborn and the mothers, we have a death toll in the fight for life of nearly 103,000 in the four-year period."

The backbone of preventive medicine is public health, the article concludes. "We must begin with the mothers — pre-natal care. Then the infants. Then the children. School health examinations must be stiffened. Rural health units must be strengthened. More health clinics must be opened. Full-time medical officers of health must be appointed. An all-out health educational program must be launched. Federal grants in aid of provinces must be renewed."

Canada can be healthy. Today it is unhealthy. "What are we going to do about it?" asks Frank Chamberlain.

The Russians are doing their best to keep the name of Leningrad from being changed to Hitlergrab.

—Exchange

WAR — TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

TANKS MADE FIRST APPEARANCE ON WESTERN FRONT; TWO AIDED CANADIANS IN CAPTURE OF COURCELETTE

By H. H. GORDON, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Success of the 2nd. Canadian Division at Courcelette and the introduction of the tank into modern warfare were noteworthy features marking the opening of the third phase of the Battle of the Somme in the First Great War.

Thrown into the battle line on the Western Front for the first time since their great defence in the Ypres Salient earlier in the year, the Canadians showed great courage and initiative on Sept. 15, 1916, the opening day of the renewed attack to force the Germans back from their strong positions on the Somme.

The Dominion soldiers, on the left wing of the attack, not only captured their objective south of Courcelette, but exploited their success so well that the village itself, not part of the original objective, was carried and consolidated before nightfall.

Thirty-two tanks took up positions behind the British lines on that September morning 25 years ago, but of these only two participated in the attack launched by the Canadians. Dubbed "Creme de Menthe" and "Cordon Rouge", the ponderous machines caused consternation among the Germans who broke and ran.

Nine Kept Going

Of the 32 tanks employed in the offensive operations, only nine managed to push ahead with the infantry and they caused considerable loss to the enemy. Nine others, unable to keep pace with the attackers, did good work dispersing enemy troops holding out at isolated spots, the remaining 14 either broke down or became "ditched" in wide craters or trenches.

Controversy raged over the employment of tanks at the time. Development of the great engines of destruction had been a closely guarded secret. Those responsible for tank production held that the secret should not be disclosed until a surprise attack could be carried out on a sufficiently extensive scale to insure a decisive success.

Raised Morale

Decision to use the tanks was taken because of the need of reviving the momentum of the Somme offensive which had died away after two months of fighting. The urgency of raising the morale of tired troops was also a factor. Originators of the weapon took the ground that the small number actually employed could hardly have given a result to compensate for the premature disclosure of the secret.

But the Somme proved that the tank was master of the machine-gun and barbed wire entanglements, allowing infantry to meet the defence on more than equal terms. Later it was used with ever greater success. The tank had its greatest vindication when the German High Command, reporting near the close of hostilities in 1918, contended it to be one of the deciding factors in British successes.

Man of the Week

We nominate as Man of the Week the seedy individual encountered in the York Street subway down near the Toronto waterfront. He had the usual panhandling appearance, and his approach was not out of the ordinary: "Mister, have you got an extra smoke on you?"

But he set a new high for his fellow workers when he turned ingratiatingly to the lady with us and said: "Scuse me, lady, but you know us bums, we're always bumming !" —The Printed Word

FINISH WAR BETTER FED

No Reason Why Briton Shouldn't Says Scottish Authority in Wales

Bangor, Wales, Sept. 3 (CP) — One third of Britain's population do not enjoy a diet fully adequate for health, said Sir John Orr, Scottish authority on nutrition, speaking at a school here.

He said post-war policy should be based not in the interests of the producer or trade, but on the nutritional needs of the people. Faulty diet, he added, was due partly to ignorance and carelessness but largely to poverty.

Sir John said that though some foods would continue to be scarce there was no reason why we should not finish the war better-fed people than we were at the beginning.

BOOK REVIEW

By Howard S. Ross, K.C., LL.D.

HANDBOOK OF CANADIAN MILITARY LAW

Handbook of Canadian Military Law, by Burrell M. Singer, Barrister-at-law, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, and Lieut.-Colonel R. J. S. Langford, of Toronto, Chief Instructor, Osgoode Hall Contingent, Canadian Officers' Training Corps and late Commanding Officer, the Royal Canadian Regiment, and late Commandant R.S.I. and M.G., Eastern Canada:

This useful volume is the result of a civilian lawyer, and a professional soldier with many years' practical experience, putting their heads together with the object of making easier the study of military law.

The book provides, in one volume, a handy and adequate statement of Canadian military law in such a practical form that it will be of great value to all — officers, civilians and soliders.

For the convenience and assistance of those charged with the maintenance and enforcement of discipline and the conduct of courts-martial, such paragraphs and sections of statutes and regulations as would normally most frequently be referred to, are quoted verbatim so that it will not be necessary to consult the original sources.

The authors state that their book is not intended to replace any of the official texts, to which the reader is recommended for a more exhaustive treatment of the subject.

Chapter I gives the distinctions between military law, civil law and martial law, and a brief history of military law.

Chapter II discusses The Military Code.

Chapter III discusses The Militia and The Law.

Chapter IV discusses Aid to the Civil Power.

Chapter V discusses Courts and Tribunals.

Chapter VI discusses Evidence.

Chapter VII discusses Conduct and Discipline.

Chapter VIII discusses Offences.

Chapter IX discusses the more important Orders-in-Council relevant to this subject.



"Tom told me somebody wrote my name and telephone number on the wall in here. I've got to change it, as my number's been changed!"

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Lachine, Que.

Editor, The Watchman
Dear Sir :—

I have read various articles printed in The Watchman last week concerning the failure of pupils to pass in the so-called upper years" of Lachute High School.

"The upper years" was rather a sweeping statement. At which grade did the writers suppose the "upper years" to begin?

Grade IX is usually considered an "upper year", and Grade IX had a very successful term last year. These are the facts. Out of an enrolment of forty — which you must agree is a very large Grade IX — only four pupils did not pass — a very small percentage.

Since you are faithfully presenting "both sides of the case", I hope that you will not fail to print this in The Watchman; as previous statements in your paper have rather slandered the name of any "upper year" teacher who had a successful teaching year during 1940-41.

Sincerely, Janet Farmer, B.A.

A New York minister expresses it tersely when he says "No man can serve God and a Dictator."

BRITISH KEEP SMILING; WOMEN WITHOUT STOCKINGS; MEN WEAR LEATHER PATCHES

— By Margaret Butcher —

Here is another of those wonderfully bright and cheery letters from Margaret Butcher, English novelist, who gives us an intimate glimpse into the way in which the ordinary, every day folks of the Old Land are standing up to the War. There is nothing better coming out of England than these letters of Miss Butcher's which are written specially for The Lachute Watchman and the Midland Free Press Herald.

Reading, England — Here is the rain — at last; and on Sunday we were all tremendously excited about it, after weeks of hot, dry weather. We all talked about rain — and hardly a word about the war. It just goes to show what happens when one becomes allotment-minded. Till now I have always thought of rain as just something that has to happen sometimes, but is principally conspicuous for leaking through ceilings and shoes: a tiresome manifestation altogether. But not now. Since this started the edibles have actually beaten the weeds to it — a thing I should hardly have thought possible a fortnight ago !

Only one thing is disappointing about it: there is no present need to use our Musical Tank, which is a pity. The Tank added much to the gaiety of nations—and we can do with a bit of that nowadays.

The first time I saw it I gave way to hysteria, and the symptoms recurred whenever it reappeared. I heard — on that opening occasion —a loud rattling noise which was exceedingly puzzling; and one feels a trifle jumpy, in these times, about loud rattling noises. I looked out of the window and there, trundling conspicuously down the road, was the Gardening Partner, propelling the Tank before him. Its component parts are interesting, consisting, as they do, of (a) a ten-gallon petrol-tin salvaged from the local dump, (b) a pair of moribund perambulator-wheels, (c) several yards of assorted rope, string and wire, (d) a pair of handles which—owing to the timber-shortage—resembles nothing so much as a couple of Harry Lauder walking-sticks, (e) a pendant watering-can and attached garden-fork and (f) a varied selection of nuts, bolts, screws and unspecified gadgets. And behind it all the Gardening Partner wearing a lamentable hat, the world's worst shirt, coat and pants, and a furtively tickled grin.

It Did Its Job

Nevertheless, the Tank did its job. With every dusk it came along to the waterless allotment and justified its remarkable existence; and who can ask more? This shortage of materials has certainly pepped up our ingenuity. When all this is over the Musical Tank should take its place among our honoured relics. Even before it started it had the makings of a museum piece.

There are other things happening too. The other morning as I pattered along to the bus I observed two of a swanky locality's most uppity residents, in their shirt-sleeves, busy cutting the hedge at the side of the road — and making a very fair job of it. Indeed, I am inclined to suspect them of private hedge-trimming in less communal days. Unlikely folk, in fact, are to be met doing all manner of unlikely things. Most of us, for instance, now go about without stockings; and our underpinnings are no longer the pallid, unclad-looking affairs they once were.

Leather Patches

Nobody minds wearing clothes that are a bit shabby. Men who used to be dandies are to be seen in coats with leather binding round the cuffs, and even leather patches at the elbow. And it's a very curious thing, but in my office — where one might have expected to find young persons almost exclusively interested in clothes — I have not heard one single moan about the new clothes-coupon system. We shall manage. Folk still look neat, and it's a careful, satisfying sort of neatness. Hats can still be bought without coupons, but many women and girls have given up wearing hats — in this part of the world, at least. Instead, lots of them have broken out in a new place and one is a trifle startled to see part-colored haid: a bright golden streak in the front. I suppose it is the feminine wish for a bit of variety, though it isn't always as successful as the wearer (doubtless) imagines it to be. But what matter as long as it feels dressy? There are few things more cheering than that dressy feeling, after all and — bless their little hearts!—they deserve a spot of fun.

People in this uncertain lull, are popping back to bombed areas for week-ends. You can't stop them, as Churchill says. They go off to London or Portsmouth or Plymouth as joyously as if they were bound for the most peaceful spot on earth. They may have to sleep in a shelter; there may be no gas for the time being, but what do they care? They're going home; and home is home even with no window-glass and a hole in the roof. Even with the prospect of more bother when they get there. One might fancy that nothing would persuade them to put nose in the place again, after some of their experiences, but — as somebody predicted months ago — they now look on the blitz as "one of those things."

Not A Sweet Song

After all, an evacuee's life isn't one long, sweet song. It's no joke, often enough, to live in somebody else's house; especially when the householder hasn't had her imagination livened up by a personal dose of blitzing. We're still human.

I heard of one landlady last week, who must me moving now in a state of pained and cautious wonder since her evacuee observed to her: "Well, I'm going back to London in a fortnight, and the night before I go . . . you just look out for yourself!" I shall await developments with considerable interest. Maybe these Londoners can give as well as "take it."

One woman said to me: "It's quite different, you know, where the folks have had a really bad time. Their kindness is simply amazing." Speaking for myself, I have found kindness everywhere, so I've no personal complaint. And it's not very difficult to realize how trying it must be, at moments, to have a stranger in the kitchen. The kitchen is the Supreme Test — as every woman knows. If you can stand somebody else washing dishes at your sink and cooking at your stove — usually when you want to do a bit of washing and cooking yourself — you can stand practically anything.

Fire Watching Troubles

We have our trials, and another friend has just been confiding to me her particular fire-watching trouble. She was bombed out of her home, but we don't hear a lot about that. The worry of the moment is the elderly gentleman with whom she frequently shares fire-watching duty. He has travelled extensively, that elderly gentleman, and in real life I fancy he must occupy the position of Club Bore, for she complains that he stands in the doorway for interminable periods — neither coming nor going, and how maddening that can be ! — and relates his various adventures at great length and with a wealth of detail. Planes may be buzzing overhead, but he is still in Poona or Ladysmith or somewhere equally irrelevant. I met her the other morning looking haggard and trotting round the block for a breath of air after her night on duty.

"Had a bad time last night?" I asked.

"Awful!" she answered.

"But there wasn't a local raid," I objected. "What happened?"

"Old G. hung round me for hours," she moaned, "talking about camels. Of all things — camels. It's more than I can bear!"

She is not what you would call a fussy woman, either. That time when she emerged from the London shelter to find her home in ruins she took it as philosophically as one may. "But I looked terrible," she said. "It was pouring with rain and my hair was like nothing on earth. We were going off by train to some friends — we had to find a home somewhere — and I said to the family, 'Bombs or no bombs, you'll have to wait till I'm ready.' And I went to the nearest hairdresser's and had nine pennyworth of curls. After that I felt better."

But alas ! The camels got her down, poor soul.

On our office wall hangs a little notice which may be of interest, if you haven't already seen it. I have no idea who perpetrated it, but it has its points. It has helped to brighten many a fire-watcher's life, I only wish the Censor (a

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DISTRICT NEWS
FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

CUSHING WEST

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McDonald, of Huntingdon, were guests of Mrs. S. Whelehan on Sunday.

Miss Doris Leroy arrived recently from Port Arthur, where she had spent the summer vacation with relatives, and was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Usher, last week-end. Miss Leroy has resumed her position as a teacher in St. Andrews school.

No. 2 School opened last week, with Miss Boyd, of Lachute, in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kelly and little son, of Montreal, also their guest, Mrs. Norma Kirby, of Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hartley at their summer cottage.

Mrs. T. Weir has been absent for some weeks staying with her daughters, the Misses Dorothy and Helen Weir, in the city during Capt. Weir's absence in Sorel with the "S.S. Argenteuil", which has been overhauled at the docks of that city. Capt. and Mrs. Weir arrived home last week-end with a party of guests from the city — which included Messrs. R. Stalker and C. Dyas, also their nieces, Misses Jean and Eleanor Weir and Mrs. H. Dyas.

Mr. C. F. Watson is in Sorel at present, engaged on erection of the large prefabricated building for which Cottingham Company of Lachute are the contractors.

Miss Marian Derrick, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Derrick, Carillon, has left for New York to commence study this week in the classes of the Ursuline Academy in that city.

City visitors in this vicinity over the week-end were — Mr. and Mrs. Pryor, Mr. H. Young, and daughter, Edna, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hartley; also Mr. Eddie and Miss Katie Whelehan and Mrs. J. O'Brien, who visited at the home of their uncle, Mr. E. Whelehan.

MABEL

Capt. and Mrs. Arthur Leonard and daughter, Anne, visited friends in this community on Sunday.

Mr. Geo. Clark is spending this week in Vankleek Hill visiting his daughter, Mrs. Wallace Cunning.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Madden, of Kilmar, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Murdoch during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie, of Cushing, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Heatlie on Sunday.

Seaman Ken Murdoch spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Murdoch.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. MacKenzie and sons, Willie and Kenneth, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heatlie.

LAC. William Murdoch left on Saturday for St. Johns, Que., after spending a ten days' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Murdoch.

Mrs. Herbert MacDonald and children, Kenneth, Ruth and Beverley, spent Thursday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Murdoch.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. MacCulloch, of Morin Heights, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Murdoch over the week-end.

Mr. Geo. Clark and Miss Catherine Clark, also Mr. Donald Clark, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bazil Clark, Staynerville, on Sunday. Other guests there were — Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cunning and children, Vera and Ruth, of Vankleek Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clark and children, John and Jean.

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GRENVILLE NORTH

Mrs. McJannette, of Montreal, spent last week visiting friends in Grenville Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gauley and children, also Mr. Wm. Cousins, were visitors last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Taylor, Isle-aux-Chats, and on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Perks, St. Andrews East.

Miss Rose Larocque spent Sunday at Osgoode, Ont., motoring there in company with friends.

Mr. John Elliott, of Newark, N.J., who has spent the past three months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnson, has now returned to his home.

Mr. Patrick Sugars was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Millen.

Mrs. Thos. H. Gauley spent a few days recently at the home of her son, Mr. Ed Gauley, Chatboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Bennett and little daughter, Violet May, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Bennett, Calumet.

Mr. Wm. Cousins visited Sunday at the home of his brother, Mr. Thos. Cousins.

CALUMET

Miss Elsie Graham, of Verdun, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Robinson.

Miss Anne Foreman, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mrs. W. E. Brigden and Miss Elsie Brigden motored to Montreal last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. Lessard, of Grenville. They are remaining in Montreal this week to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Lynne Brigden and Mr. Cuthbert Foreman motored to Montreal on Wednesday.

Mrs. Guy Young and Mrs. John Mahon held a joint tea last week in aid of the United Church. The tea was largely attended and proved a successful event.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kenny returned from their honeymoon and have taken up residence in Kilmar.

Miss Ann Hoare is spending a few days in Montreal.

Misses Priscilla and Adeline Willman, of Springfield, Mass., are spending their vacation at their home here.

Miss Jeanette Cheban, of Pointe-aux-Trembles, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brigden.

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

Mrs. H. Brannan has returned from hospital in Montreal, and is convalescing at her home here. Her many friends join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

MORIN HEIGHTS
(Intended for last issue)

The Women's Guild of Trinity Church held their September meeting at the home of their president, Mrs. H. E. Gilbey. It was decided to hold a supper at Laurentian Rest Inn on Saturday, Sept. 27th.

Miss Audrey Watson has returned from Beaconsfield after spending the past couple of months there.

Mrs. H. E. Gilbey has left to take up residence in Cartierville. Miss Joan Gilbey spent the week-end at Cedar Lodge.

Quite a number of the ladies of Trinity Church Guild attended the annual Deanery meeting at Lakefield.

CUTTING DAIRY HERDS

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KILMAR

Mr. Kipling Madge, who is on the staff of Canadian Refractories Limited in Kilmar, left this community last week-end to reside in Montreal for a time.

Mr. George Kirby, of Kilmar, has returned once more to Grenville High School, and is staying at the home of Mrs. L. Campbell in Grenville.

A large number of friends and relatives from Calumet, Grenville and Kilmar attended the reception held last Friday evening at Reeve's Hall, Calumet, for Mr. and Mrs. John Kenny. Mr. and Mrs. Kenny have just returned from their wedding tour, and will now reside in Kilmar.

The Ladies' Red Cross work meeting was held last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Garfield McLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sharpe and daughter, Margaret, of Montreal, are spending a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kenny, Kilmar.

Miss Enid Kirby returned home last Saturday, after spending several weeks visiting friends in Montreal.

Mike Polly, of Kilmar, held a dance and raffle last Saturday night in Reeve's Hall, Calumet. Many people attended, and when Mr. Polly's Buick car was drawn for, the lucky winner proved to be Mrs. Zotique Thomas, of this village.

MORIN HEIGHTS

Mrs. J. E. Seale has returned home after spending the past week with her sisters at Huntingdon.

Mr. Baird Davis, also Miss Patricia Davis, of Montreal, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dey, also Mr. J. E. Seale and Miss Dorothy Brown, went to Lakeview last Sunday, for Masonic meeting.

Mrs. E. Johnson and daughter, Margaret, also Mrs. S. Chambers, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hamilton.

Mrs. Blair, of Montreal, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Watchorn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Watchorn at St. Jovite.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCullough were week-end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Murdoch, at Mount Maple.

Among those attending the Deanery meeting at Lakefield on Wednesday last were Mrs. John Kennedy, Mrs. Wm. Watchorn, Miss B. Murray, Mrs. H. Gillingham and Mrs. Willis Seale.

Mrs. P. Temple was in Montreal recently.

Miss Alice Seale is visiting friends in Montreal this week.

Mrs. Gerald Boyd and sons have returned to Montreal after having spent the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Syvret.

HARRINGTON

Miss I. Kenney, of Arundel, visited in Rivington over the week-end.

A Red Cross meeting was held on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. J. D. Shaw; many articles of sewing were finished up.

The Farmers' Club held their meeting on Tuesday to discuss when and where their annual plowing match would be held.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Swail and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett motored to Val d'Or on Saturday by way of Mont Laurier. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. Hadley on Sunday and returned via Hull on Monday.

Mrs. Thorald Bennett, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, returned home this week, and is progressing favorably.

Much improvement has been made on the telephone line. A new pole line has been built and now the wiring into the different homes is being done.

BROWNSBURG

Mrs. F. Jordan and Miss C. MacPherson spent the week-end visiting friends in Rosemere.

The Senior Mission Circle of Maple Avenue Baptist Church held their September meeting at the home of Mrs. James McKenzie, Lachute Road; the meeting was well attended. The topic, Peniel Hall Farm in Bolivia, was given by Mrs. N. E. Smillie.

Mr. George Woods, of Shawbridge, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Petley.

Mrs. M. Moncrief has received a cablegram from her son, Ward, telling of his safe arrival in England.

Mrs. Percy McAdam, Miss Enid McAdam and Master Mason McAdam were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Graham in Verdun.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mason, Mr. Wm. Petley, Mr. C. E. Prosser and Mrs. N. E. Smillie attended Sunday morning worship at Breadalbane Baptist Church, the occasion being the 125th anniversary of this church. Dr. J. B. McLaurin was the guest speaker.

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DALESVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Campbell spent a day in Montreal this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Cleland and family visited in Weir last Sunday. Mrs. Leonard Hyde and son returned home with them.

The Rev. C. Hardie conducted services in the Buckingham Baptist Church last Sunday, while Mr. McKenzie was in charge of the Dalesville services.

Miss Grace MacMicking, of Hawkesbury, was a Sunday guest at the home of Miss Enid Campbell.

Mrs. W. J. Tomalty is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Noel, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their summer camp.

Misses Rosena and Emily Barker were at their summer home recently.

Mrs. H. Cleland and Miss Dorothy Cleland spent Sunday in Louisa visiting at the home of Mrs. E. Cleary.

The Misses C. Murdoch, Elizabeth Cregeen, and Marjorie Brown are in camp this week.

Corporal Lawrence Morrow, of Dundurn, Sask., now training in the tank division of the Canadian Army stationed at Camp Borden, was on leave for a few days visiting his father, Mr. W. J. Morrow. Corporal Morrow has been in Saskatchewan for over twelve years. A small reception was held for him at his father's home last Saturday when he was welcomed home by a number of relatives and friends.

St. Jerome Woman Kills Child, Commits Suicide

MOTHER, 40, GIVES ARSENIC TO INFANT, THEN POISONS HERSELF

St. Jerome, Sept. 16. — A joint verdict of murder and suicide was returned by a jury under Dr. J. R. Brais, district coroner, here today at an inquest on the deaths of Mrs. Guillaume Raymond, 40, and her four-month-old son, Jean Louis, who died of arsenic poisoning.

Testimony at the inquest revealed that the woman, formerly Miss Olivine Dupont, fed the child a teaspoonful of the poison in a half-glass of water and, shortly after, swallowed a large dose of the deadly drug herself. The baby was found dead Monday night and Mrs. Raymond died in Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal, Tuesday morning. No motive for the murder-suicide could be found.

The women's husband, and father of the child, is a munitions worker.

TENDERS WANTED

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT

Re: J. Romeo Noel, Telegraphist, Huberdeau, P.Q. — Debtor.

Tenders will be received until September 24th, 1941, at 5 o'clock p.m., for the sale "en bloc" or separately, of the following assets, to wit :—

Lot 1—Farm equipment and rolling stock, including horses and other animals, farm implements, carriages, harnesses, hen houses equipment, hay, grain & crops, the whole as per inventory, $3,462.72

Lot 2—Hens and pullets, about 1,500 ..... 1,500.00

Lot 3—Ford 2-ton truck 1937 with dumping equipment 500.
Chrysler auto 1934 225.
725.00

Lot 4—Bush lot bearing No. One of first range of the township of Salaberry 1,100.00

Lot 5—Farm property being lot Nos. 25 and 26 of the 3rd. range, Arundel township 7,500.00

A legal deposit of 25%, as guarantee of execution, is required, the balance payable cash upon acceptance.

The right is expressly reserved to refuse any or all the tenders or to accept any one.

To inspect the assets and for further informations, apply to the Trustee.

The Trustee :
J. PAUL VERMETTE.
Montreal, September 13th 1941.
Office of :—
J. Paul Vermette, Licensed Trustee
57 St. James St. W., Montreal.



WAR COMMENTARY
(Continued from page 1)

German troops have heard the order to retreat. The long, narrow spearhead driven into Russian defences before Moscow was made the target for a vicious counter-offensive by Marshal Timoshenko's army in the centre of the long front.

Russian army leaders hoped that the Germans would be forced to withdraw troops from the drive on Leningrad to stem the Red Army's advance. Their strategy may turn out to be correct as reports on Sept. 13 indicated the Nazis appeared to be hesitating as to the advisability of storming the former Russian capital or subjecting it to a siege.

Farther south the situation was not so encouraging. As the 12th week of the campaign closed, Russians admitted that Ghernigov, 80 miles north of Kiev had been evacuated. This meant the Nazi move to encircle the Ukraine capital was continuing.

But time favors the Russians. Fall rains have already started and these will be followed in November by severe winter weather which should prove advantageous to the defenders. There appears to be no likelihood of Moscow falling in the immediate future and marshy lands should impede German movements around Kiev. The defence of Leningrad will probably be Russia's hardest task.

Roosevelt Hits Out

President Roosevelt's "sink on sight" order to United States fighting services has been greeted with a chorus of approval in democratic countries. It had been predicted that the president would not mince words in his radio message on Sept. 11 and the forecast proved correct.

The president declared the Navy and Army had been instructed to destroy on sight any German or Italian submarines or surface raiders appearing in United States defence waters. He said it was the Nazi design to abolish the freedom of the seas and normal practices of diplomacy were of no use in dealing with international outlaws "who sink our ships and kill our citizens."

Activities of German submarines last week in the Atlantic and word of the sinking of an American-owned freighter off the east coast of Greenland on the same day that the president spoke, indicated no disposition on the part of the Nazis to withdraw their undersea craft from the vicinity of Iceland and Greenland. It is thought the administration may now propose the arming of United States merchantmen. This would require congressional revision of the Neutrality Act.

Tension in Norway

Of all the countries under German domination Norway is proving most troublesome for the Nazi overlords. Last week the Germans resorted to mass arrests in an attempt to stifle the spirit of revolt that has led to strikes and widespread sabotage.

News of the Canadian raid on Spitzbergen undoubtedly did much to encourage the Norwegians who are taking a determined stand against Quisling rule. A nation-wide uprising may develop, but to be most effective it should be timed to take place when Britain and Russia can supply assistance sufficient to make it a marked setback for Germany.

The Shah Abdicates

Iranian authorities are learning that Britain means business in the Middle East. Report this week told of the abdication of the Shah as pressure was exerted to force the Iranian government to expel or deliver to the Allies all Axis sympathizers.

British and Russian troops were reported marching on Teheran, Iranian capital, from which the Shah fled. It was stated by an authoritative source that occupation of Teheran had been pending for several days.

Raids Repulsed

Growing activity on the Egyptian-Libyan frontier is taken as an indication that heavy fighting will develop in that theatre of war when cooler weather comes next month. Allied forces in North Africa are said to exceed 500,000 men and despite splendid work by the Royal Navy and Royal Air Force, in and over the Mediterranean, it is believed Axis forces in Cirenaica have been strongly reinforced during the summer.

The Axis armored columns made reconnaissance raids over the Egyptian border Sept. 15 but were routed with heavy losses in men and machines when they met British mechanized patrols.

On Eastern Front

German and Russian communiques this week told of terrific fighting at one point or another on the eastern front and as each claims big victories the task of presenting a true general picture has been made difficult. The Nazis evidently are making strenuous efforts to take Leningrad. They claim to have annihilated or crushed a total of 18 Russian divisions south of Lake Ilmen but make no mention of their own losses, which must have been tremendous. On the other hand the Soviet army newspaper declared the Germans were routed in a gigantic night battle of tanks for "an important point on the approaches to Leningrad."

Peat Bog Afire Near Town of Alfred, Ont.

Alfred, Ont., Sept. 15 — Authorities of the Stinson-Reeb Supply Co., Ltd., here, tonight sought to outfit volunteer fire-fighters with hand-pumps in an effort to halt a smouldering blaze which broke out in the company's peat-bogs. The outbreak was not considered to be serious, and the company's buildings were in no danger since they are a considerable distance from the bogs.

OBITUARY

LATE JAS. W. McMICHAEL PROMINENT ORANGEMAN

The death of James White McMichael, at the age of 79 years, occurred at Avoca, Que., on Wednesday, Sept. 10th. The funeral service on Saturday, conducted by the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh of Lakefield, assisted by the Rev. D. B. Harrison of Montebello, was attended by a large assembly of relatives and friends, and there were many floral offerings in tribute to his memory.

Mr. McMichael, a prominent member of the Orange Order, was well known in the community of Avoca, and had been a warden for many years in St. Mary's Anglican Church. Immediate relatives are the Morrow brothers and Mr. Thomas McMichael of Grenville, and Mr. Thomas Young of Avoca.

EDWARD DEXTER LALANNE WAS MEMBER OF PRINTING FIRM IN MONTREAL

The funeral of Edward Dexter Lalanne, whose death occurred quite suddenly on Friday evening following a heart attack, was held Monday afternoon from his late residence, Grace Street.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. W. B. Rosborough, interment taking place in Lachute Cemetery. A large number of sympathizing friends were in attendance. The floral tributes bore silent testimony to the esteem in which he was held.

Mr. Lalanne was 80 years of age. A former resident of Montreal, where he had been a member of the commercial printing firm of Lowry & Lalanne for 35 years, he moved here to Lachute six years ago.

Left to mourn his passing are his devoted wife, four daughters and one son—Mrs. W. T. Brace of Montreal West, Mrs. A. D. Mactavish of N.D.G., Miss Alma Lalanne of Montreal, Mrs. Tillotson of Lachute, and Stuart Lalanne of St. Lambert, Que.

AGED RESIDENT DIES AT LACHUTE MILLS

At the advanced age of 88 years, Mr. John Perkins passed away on Sunday, Sept. 7th, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Bellingham, Chatham Street, Lachute. The late Mr. Perkins was a native of Netherton, Worcestershire, England.

The funeral service was held at St. Simeon's Church on Sept. 9th, conducted by the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh of Lakefield. Interment was made in Lachute Cemetery.

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APPLE JUICE		3	20 oz. tins	23¢
PLUMS	LOMBARD	2	15 oz. tins	15¢
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NIBLETS	Del Maiz		14 oz. Tin	11¢

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BREAD	ANN PAGE WHITE	2	24 oz. wrap. loaves	15¢
ANGEL CAKE	PLAIN		16 oz. Cake	29¢
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COOKIES	OLD FASHIONED		lb.	15¢

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McINTOSH APPLES	QUEBEC No. 1	5	lbs.	27¢
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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Farewell Presentation to Student Pastor at Weir

Weir — On Friday evening, Sept. 12th, a farewell party was given in the church hall in honor of Mr. Percy Clark, a student from Bishop's College, Lennoxville, who has been in charge of Weir and The Glen churches during the summer season. Around 60 guests were present and the evening was spent in playing games and dancing, and a few selections were sung by Mr. Wm. Owen to accompaniment of the guitar.

Refreshments were served by the ladies of the Weir W.A., after which the Rev. Mr. Royle gave an appropriate speech prior to presenting Mr. Clark with a purse of money from the many friends he has made during his short stay here. Mr. Clark then thanked the gathering for their splendid co-operation and expressed the desire that he may be able to visit them all again sometime in the near future.

Deanery W.A. Meeting Held at Lakefield, Que.

Lakefield — A meeting of St. Andrews Deanery of the W.A. was held here last Wednesday. Holy Communion was celebrated in Trinity Church at 11 a.m., the preacher being the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, assisted by the Rev. T. Ball of St. Andrews and the Rev. C. Royle of Arundel.

After the service all representatives, numbering approximately 200, were served dinner in the Gibb Parish Hall.

The afternoon session was addressed by Mrs. E. J. Loiselle, Diocesan president, of Montreal, Mrs. Wodehouse, Dominion president, of Ottawa, and also by Mrs. Playle, of Ottawa. This meeting was under the direction of Mrs. T. McCambly, local president.

At the conclusion refreshments were served.

The clergy of the Deanery also held a meeting at the rectory, under chairmanship of the Rev. G. May of Ste. Agathe.

Christian Science Sunday Services

"Matter" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, September 21st.

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear." (Hebrews 11: 3).

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: "Spirit, God, has created all in and of Himself. Spirit never created matter. There is nothing in Spirit out of which matter could be made, for, as the bible declares, without the Logos, the Eon or Word of God, "was not anything made that was made."" (Page 335).

Sunday Services

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor, H. Charlton
Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Prayer meeting, Wed., 8 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEML. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Orsborn
Friday, Sept. 19, 8 p.m., Preparatory Service.
Sunday, Sept. 21st.,
10 a. m.—Sabbath School
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
Holy Communion
Subject, "The Guests of God".

Not as an athlete wrestling
for a crown,
Not taking heaven by violence
of will,
But with thy Father as a child
sit down,
And know the bliss that follows
His "Be still !"

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a. m., Sabbath School.
11 a. m.—Morning Worship. "The Blessings of Silence".
7 p. m., Evening Service. "St. Paul's Secret of Strength."
2.30 p. m. East Settlement
Welcome to all services !

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. J. R. Simpson, B.A., B.Th.
10 a. m., Sunday School.
7.30 p.m., Evening Service; Mr. Lloyd Whan will speak.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
10 a.m., Sunday School.
Regular services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

REGULAR BAPTIST
Rev. C. Hardie
11 a.m., Brownsburg.
8 p.m., Dalesville.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. Baugh, Rector
11 a.m., Dunany—Harvest Thanksgiving.
2.30 p.m., Louisa — Harvest Thanksgiving.
8.00 p.m., Lakefield.
All Daylight Saving Time.

$1-A-PERSON APPEAL GIVES BOOST ON LAST LAP FOR SPITFIRE

"THESE PLANES ARE NEEDED NOW — NOT A YEAR FROM NOW", WRITES ONE CONTRIBUTOR

LACHUTE MILLS READER FIRST TO RESPOND WITH $1 GIFT

The following subscriptions to the Spitfire Fund are acknowledged this week :

C-I-L and D. I. L. (final collections)	120.25
Village of Brownsburg	25.00
Proceeds from bazaar by the Rutherford children and their friends	25.80
Mrs. Emily Cole	1.00
Mrs. Mary Doig	2.00
Mr. & Mrs. Russell Carpenter	10.00
John A. MacKimmie	5.00
A Friend	5.00

In addition, The Watchman has receive a welcome response to its final $1-a-person appeal, and in answer to a challenge as to which of our readers would be the first to contribute under this head, the honor is accorded to Mr. Bories Arran, whose remittance came with the following note :

Lachute Mills, Que.

HERE'S MINE ! — I wish you lots of luck in obtaining the remainder of the objective soon. —B. Arran

Another letter comes from Aircraftsman Douglas MacKimmie, now in training at Pennfield Ridge, N.B. This message states :

Pennfield, Ridge, N.B.

In reading last week's issue of The Watchman, I see you are asking for one dollar donations towards the "Spitfire".

I am enclosing this, and here's hoping the people of Argenteuil will realize that these planes are needed now, and not a year from now. —Douglas MacKimmie.

Here is this week's list of $1. donations :

Bories Arran	$1.00
Colin McOuat	1.00
Mrs. Wm. Morrison	1.00
T. D. Titman	1.00
Mrs. E. H. McCoy	1.00
Mrs. T. McRobie	1.00
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Mrs. C. Maidens	1.00
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Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robertson	1.00
Douglas MacKimmie	1.00
Mr. W. MacGillivray	1.00
Mrs. Nellie Hopkin	1.00

Pay Your Nickel — And Ring the Bell

A ship's bell in a Saint John, N.B., men's club records daily contributions to the Queen's Canadian Fund by members and visitors.

The bell is part of the club's campaign to help Britain's air raid victims, and it is placed directly over a collection-box bearing a picture of the Queen. Not long ago it belonged to a ship which put into Saint John port for a while; now it does duty by reminding members that every nickel helps the air raid victims.

A sign invites all members and visitors to drop a nickel in the slot and to ring the bell as they pass on. Its clear note has been heard a good deal lately since the club's campaign got under way. The result is a sum of $30 — in nickels — in only a few weeks.

Envoy to Canada



Holding up his fingers in a V shape for British "Victory" is Baron Robert Silvercruys, Belgian minister to Canada, who arrived in New York recently from Europe aboard the Dixie clipper.

THERE'S MONEY IN CANADA'S WOODLOTS

Wartime Use of Materials from Forests Adds Value Through Research

Ottawa, Sept. 15 (CP) — Wood, the Department of Mines and Resources reports, is playing an increasingly important part in the Canadian war program and research to increase still further the use of wood is being pressed forward.

Facilities of the forest products laboratories of the Mines Department have been used in planning construction of wooden airdromes and military camps; in the fire-retardant treatment of wood and plywood for military and naval requirements and in the preservative treatment of the timbers.

"Research has made possible amendments to United Kingdom specifications for wood used in war equipment built in Canada so as to permit using Canadian species as far as practicable instead of imported timber," said the department.

Plywood Problems

Problems relating to the design and testing of shipping containers of wood, fibreboard, corrugated board, and plywood for the consignment of munitions, foodstuffs and equipment, and the use of Canadian species of wood and plywood in the construction of aircraft, pontoons, lift-rafts, and boats have been dealt with. Investigations have been made of types of glue required for different purposes, such as waterproof resin glues used in plywood for house siding, concrete forms, collapsible boats, ships' sheathing, airplane covering, and other exposed uses.

The seasoning of timber for specific purposes calling for accurate control of moisture, as in the case of wooden airscrews, and the use of resin-bonded, compressed plywood to replace metal for certain structural parts of war equipment have also received attention.

Wood is also used in the manufacture of pulp for cartridge wrappers and of gun cotton, smokeless powders, photograph film, collodion and celluloid plastics. Wood flour is used in the manufacture of dynamite for construction and demolition work. Producer-gas from wood or charcoal may be used as a fuel for internal combustion engines to curtail importation of gasoline and diesel oil.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Tilly Palliser, of Toronto, was in town for a few days visiting friends.

Miss J. Gumbley, of Montreal, spent last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts.

Miss J. Valpy, of the Bank of Montreal staff, left on Tuesday to visit relatives in Gaspé.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Aitken, Bedard Blvd., are vacationing this week at Simcoe, Ont.

Mr. James Robertson, of Upper Lachute, left last week to visit friends in Hoosier and Saskatoon.

Mrs. Squires and Miss Prime spent a few days in Cornwall and the surrounding district last week.

Lieut. Stuart Jones and Mrs. Jones and daughter, Heather, of Huntingdon, visited relatives in Lachute and Brownsburg, over the week-end.

Mrs. D. M. Kiesling and Mrs. B. Tappan, of Jamestown, R.I., visited Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Campbell for the week-end and early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McFaul have been spending the week at Waterville, Que. They were accompanied on the trip by Mr. R. McArthur.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Biggs, and little daughters, Shirley and Eleanor, of Pembroke, Ont., were the guests of her mother, Mrs. J. A. Thompson, last week-end.

Mrs. R. White, Mrs. R. Jones and Miss Jessie Kearns, who have been spending a vacation at their summer cottage on the North River, returned to Montreal on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenkins, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Alex Smith and son, Guy, spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Curran at Covey Hill, Que.

Mrs. Jos. Stewart, of Mount Maple, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. Jones this week.

Miss Freda Parker, of Morin Heights, spent last week-end visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Morrin spent a few days with their daughter, Mrs. George Groundwater, in Verdun.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Cheley, of Toronto, visited friends in town last week while on their vacation.

Miss Marjorie Seekins left on Wednesday to resume her studies at Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y.

Miss Louise Deacon left last week to take the homemaker's course at Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue.

Miss Hanna Smith and Miss Elizabeth Patterson, of Montreal, visited the former's father, Mr. S. E. Smith, over the week-end.

Lieut. Hugh Gall and Mrs. Gall and little daughter, of Huntingdon, were week-end visitors at the former's home in town.

Mrs. Earl Marshall returned on Wednesday from Sussex, N.B., were she has been spending some time. She was accompanied by her husband, Guardsman Earl Marshall, who is on leave.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lavis, of Lachute, announce the engagement of their daughter, Grace, to Mr. Lloyd Jackson Cruise, son of the late Mr. John Cruise and of Mrs. Cruise, Lachute Mills — the marriage to take place on October 11th at St. Simeon's Anglican Church, Lachute.

Approaching Marriage

The marriage of Miss Violet May Copeland, daughter of Mr. Nathaniel Copeland, of Dunany, Que., and the late Mrs. Copeland, to Mr. Victor Woods, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Woods, has been arranged to take place quietly at Dunany on September 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. King, of Sanmore, Que., Mr. and Mrs. A. Varley, Mrs. J. MacDonald and Miss A. Piva, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert MacDonald.

Girls Aid Red Cross

Two little girls of this town, June McArthur and Claire Fitz-Gerald, conducted a stall last Saturday morning in front of the R. McArthur & Son premises, raising proceeds of $3. for the Junior Red Cross from the sale of flowers, home-made jam and candy.

Married at St. Mungo's United Church, Cushing

Elliott - Starnes

Cushing, Que. — At St. Mungo's Church, Cushing, at four o'clock Saturday afternoon, Sept. 6th, Mary, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Starnes, of Cushing, was married to Mr. Horace Vincent Elliott, son of the Rev. G. W. Elliott, also of Cushing. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. A. Dempsey.

The church was decorated with gladioli, zinnias and other fall flowers, the pews being marked with bows of white ribbon.

Mrs. L. McGain played the wedding marches and soft strains of the organ were heard during the marriage ceremony.

The bride's attendants were Miss Enid Robertson, of Montreal, and Miss Freda Bryerton, cousin of the bride, of Cushing.

Mr. Fenton Elliott, of Ottawa, brother of the groom, acted as best man. The ushers were Mr. Walter Starnes, brother of the bride, and Mr. George Fuller, both of Cushing.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor-length gown of white sheer with long fitted sleeves and sweetheart neck, also a long veil with orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of red roses. Her gold locket was the gift of the groom.

The bridesmaid wore a floor-length gown of Picardy rose crepe made on princess lines, with long sleeves. Her shoulder-length veil was of pink tulle, and white flowers formed a head-bandeau. She carried a bouquet of mixed flowers.

The junior bridesmaid wore a floor-length gown of Queen's blue crepe made on princess lines, with long sleeves. Her shoulder-length veil was of blue tulle, and white flowers formed her head-bandeau. She carried a nosegay of mixed flowers.

Mrs. Starnes, mother of the bride, wore a blue flowered sheer with navy accessories, and a corsage of roses.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Later Mr. and Mrs. Elliott left by motor for a honeymoon trip to Niagara Falls and other points. The bride travelled in a Queen's blue crepe ensemble with navy accessories. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Elliott will reside in Cushing.

Out-of-town guests included — Mr. and Mrs. A. Innes, Mr. and Mrs. McGain, Mr. F. Huckle, Miss Burchell and Miss F. Smith, of Montreal; Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Weir, Senneville; Mrs. F. Wilkins, Miss D. Leroy, St. Andrews East; Mr. and Mrs. H. Martin, Lachute; Miss Kathleen MacVicar, Mr. Emerson Noble, Dunany; Gunner Ronald de la Ronde, Petawawa; and Mr. and Mrs. F. Elliott, Ottawa.

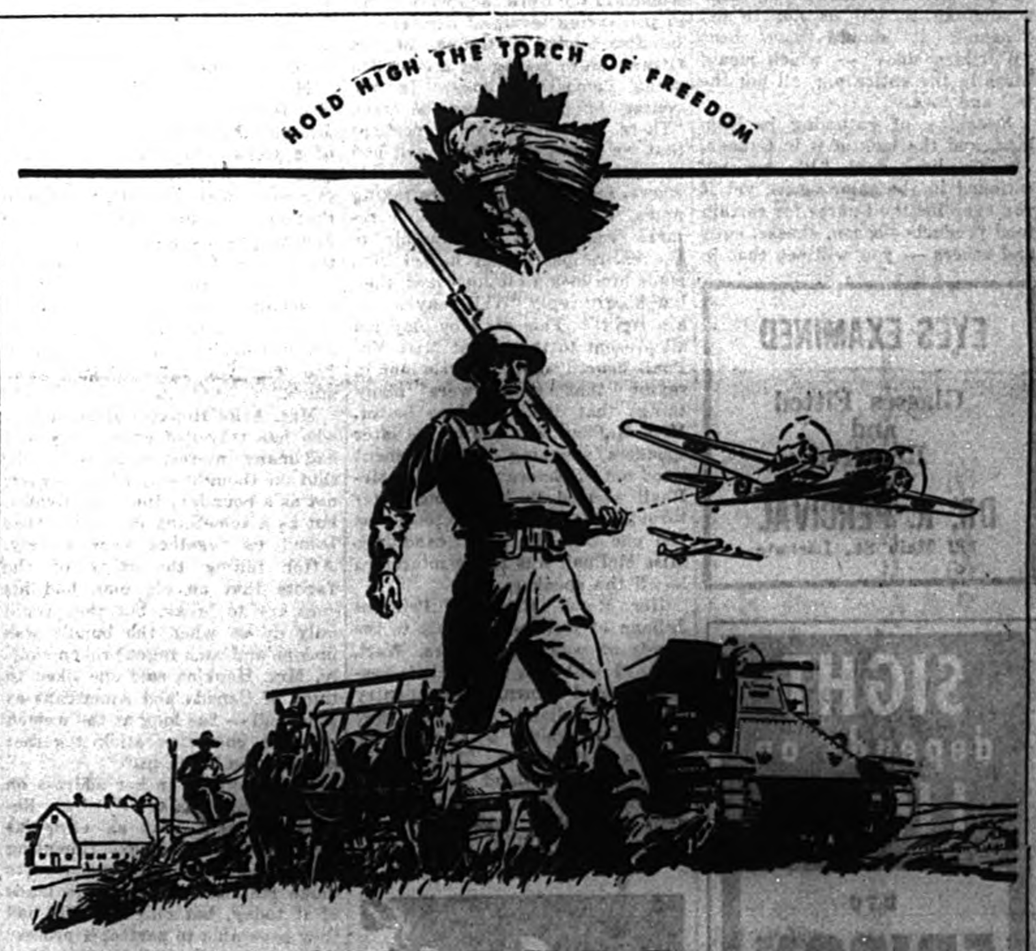
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AGRICULTURE MARCHES WITH OUR ARMED FORCES
Behind the lines where men and women are risking life to defend home and country, men and women are toiling to supply the materials of war—ships, planes, tanks, guns. These manufacturers—management and workers alike—are thus fighting shoulder to shoulder with our armed forces.
But what about the farmers? They are doing a work of equal importance. They too are marching to battle, by toiling early and late to persuade nature to increase the food supply on which the issues of the fight so greatly depend. The farmer marches side by side with the soldier and his armourer.
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CONSTRUCTIVE TOPICS HEARD AT THE REGIONAL COUNTRY WOMEN'S CONF'CE

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At the commencement of the sessions a roll-call of all the women's clubs and organizations affiliated with the A.C.W.W., was replied to by brief reports of activities by the presidents or representatives, which were of great interest to the audience. In fact all the addresses were more than interesting, if that were possible. The American women who formed the majority of the speakers certainly were familiar with their subjects, which meant that there was not a dull moment during the entire conference... Some gentlemen, too, were speakers and gave much useful and interesting information especially Col. Webb, chief inspector of the catering to our army for the defence of Canada. If everything goes as Col. Webb plans, our boys will be not only well but nutritiously fed. He said, "Some one said to me, 'you molly-coddle those boys too much'; but I feel that it is not molly-coddling them, to see they get clean, nutritious food cooked in such a way that it will build them up and give them the strength so many of them need for what is before them . . . We do not want our boys to go over there and be casualties first thing from malnutrition. We want to make them something that Canada can be proud of." Particular attention was paid to the discards in the swill barrel, he said. "When I see swill barrels well filled after each meal I am not long in firing the cook, as if food is properly cooked there will not be many left-overs for the swill barrel."

The Hon. J. G. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture, praised the women of Canada for the part they were playing in helping conserve food — a program which could not have been carried out without their co-operation. He spoke in particular of the Wiltshire sides and cheese which are being sent to England. Later one of the women speakers told us that it had been a mistake to tell us not to eat "bacon"; it should have been "Wiltshire sides" — which meant literally the entire pig, all but the tail and toes.

Speaking of rationing in England, and the lack of it in Canada, Mr. Gardiner said, "We are not rationed in the same sense, yet if you examine the figures for certain food products—bacon, cheese, eggs and others — you will see that in the case of bacon we have promised to send 600,000,000 pounds of pork products to Britain in the third year of the war. We will do it, even if it means that there is not a pound left in Canada for home consumption. While Britain had asked for a huge increase in pork products and cheese, there was also a demand for more than thirty times as many eggs as before the war.

Mayor Stanley Lewis of Ottawa extended a warm welcome to the delegates and paid tribute to rural women in the work they were doing in preserving ideals of democracy; he also spoke of things they in Ottawa were trying to accomplish along democratic lines. In the course of his address he said, "There are many things perhaps that we might do better," and had his attention drawn to a side table where, seated among others taking notes, was Miss McPhail. A remark which was not audible to the entire party had halted him, made him look a bit surprised, then laughingly reply "Well, maybe you are right." This little by-play led all present to think that Miss McPhail heartily agreed with him in saying that there were many things that could be done better. Miss McPhail was one of the later speakers, speaking on "Permanent Good out of Emergency." Miss McPhail seemed to be taking notes through the entire conference; as the one time Farmers' candidate, Miss McPhail was really interested in all the speakers.

Her Royal Highness Princess Juliana of Holland, in reply to the words of welcome by Mrs. Watt, said, "I will take your kind message when I return, to my country women in Holland. I am sure they feel the sympathy of the country women of the world. Though they carry on in Holland as in every occupied country, against tremendous odds, their cattle are being slaughtered, their crops used to feed the soldiers of the enemy, leaving the people of Holland less and less."

Mrs. Elsie Mies of Chicago, president of more than 500,000 associated farm women scattered throughout 41 states, believed that the mutual understanding of the country people would be a vital force that would lead to peace. Country people realize that many conditions are out of their control, and that there is more to getting what you want than striking for it. They understand better than others perhaps how vitally intermingled are the interests of agriculture, labor and industry.

Mrs. Charles Shuttler, head of the Dept. of Information of the Missouri Farm Bureau, and editor of a weekly farm paper, brought greetings from her state and its women. Mrs. Shuttler claimed that some one had said that, if men had to pay as much attention to the grunts of their hogs as women had to listen to the grunts of their dissatisfied husbands, they would never raise hogs. Said Mrs. Shuttler, "There is much in attitude. The way you face things means much."

Mrs. Arlie Hopkins of Michigan, who has travelled extensively and had many interesting tales to tell, said she thought only of the border, not as a boundary line that divides, but as a something intangible that bound us together very closely. After telling the story of the fagots that an old man had his sons try to break, but they could only do so when the bundle was undone and each fagot broken singly, Mrs. Hopkins said she liked to think of Canada and Americans as sons, and — "as long as the women of both countries stick together nothing can break us."

Mrs. Hopkins, in her address on "The Depletion of Natural Resources", said that as early as 1664 scientists were experimenting with wood pulp in an endeavor to make materials such as are made of it today, but only in 1903 had they been able to perfect a process that would accomplish what they wished. "Now", said Mrs. Hopkins, "you can have a dress made from wood from your back forty woodlot, and the buttons for it from the milk of your best cow, but in pressing the dress you are apt to find the sleeve that was once there missing, because you have not followed directions which are always given with such materials." Mrs. Hopkins had samples on display of the new door screening that is to take the place of wire, also of curtain materials, brushes, etc., all made from nylon or plastic material. She also stated that the Dupont Company of America, alone, used 275 millions of pounds of farm products in making up such materials. Nylon wool is used in the making of heavy tires for trucks and plastic rubber instead of the rubber our parents knew. "Educate the men to use synthetic things which will save materials for war work. Also educate women to read labels on goods of all sorts when they go out shopping," she urged. Mrs. Hopkins also told as that we now could have fabricated houses made from cotton which we can take apart and move at will. "When you got tired of living near one neighbor you could just take your house down and move over beside another one."

(To be Continued)

In Canadian Women's Army Corps



Gladys L. Hurst of Brantford is one of the first six women in Military District No. 2 to be recruited for the new Canadian Women's Army Corps. Trained as a Red Cross transport driver and clerk, she will be attached to Chorley Park convalescent hospital in Toronto.

This Week's Quiz

1. What was Australia's first name?
2. The official title of the Emperor of Japan is: Tenno, Mogul, Mikado or Kkan?
3. Which British monarch ordered moustaches to be worn in the Army?
4. Which famous admiral is still mourned in the British Navy — and how?
5. Which of these discovered electricity — Newton, Franklin, Edison or Marconi?
6. In which country was modern cremation first legalised?

(For answers to these queries, see foot of column).

FALSE CHIEF-OF-STAFF

Halifax, England, (CP) — Robert Lee-Dillon, 57, former naval officer who pretended to be Chief-of-Staff to Gen. Charles de Gaulle, leader of the Free French Movement, was sent to jail for nine months on charges of false pretences.

NEW WHITE HOUSE PET?

Cairo (CP) — An Okapi, of the giraffe family, is being sent by the Belgian Congo (Free Belgian) as a present to President Roosevelt of the United States.

WARTIME DIVORCING

London (CP) — Decrees nisi were made absolute in 212 petitions in the British Divorce Court one day recently.

Answers to Quiz

1. Australia was originally known as New Holland.
2. Tenno. (Mikado only means the occupant of a palace).
3. Queen Victoria.
4. Nelson, for whom British sailors wear black scarves.
5. Franklin.
6. Italy, in 1869.

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

WEIR

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rumbolt, of Lachute, paid a short visit to friends here last week.

LAC. Rollins Sims, R.C.A.F., left for his home in Sydney, Cape Breton, on Saturday after spending the past fortnight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett. Mrs. Sims is remaining at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, for the next two weeks.

Those who attended the St. Andrews Deanery meeting in Lakefield on Wednesday were Mrs. C. Mountain, Mrs. O. Purcell, Mrs. S. Beaven, Mrs. D. Williams and Mrs. E. J. Craig.

Pte. Roy Thompson, R.C.O.C., left on Thursday for Debert, N.S., after spending a seven days' leave with friends here.

Mrs. Earl Christianson left on Thursday to join her husband, Pte. Earl Christianson, R.C.O.C., at Sussex, N.B.

Mrs. E. Tremblay, of Montreal, spent a recent visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Victor Courte and Mr. Courte.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell G. Bowie, Jr., of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig.

Gnr. Bordon Bennett, R.C.A., of Petawawa, spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett.

Miss Bessie Owen, of Windsor, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cleland and family, of Pine Hill, were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Geo. Bigrow.

Mrs. E. J. Craig is spending the present week in Montreal visiting friends.

ARUNDEL

Messrs. Edward Graham and Jack Gilfillan have returned home from a motor trip to Senneterre, Que. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Graham and baby son accompanied them home and will spend a holiday here visiting Mr. Graham's mother, Mrs. W. D. Graham.

Mrs. S. Bennett and son, Sgt. Air Gnr. Arthur Bennett, who has recently graduated from Paulson, Man., also Mrs. Grandmaison and Mrs. Griffith, of Windsor, Ont., visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kerr recently.

A large number of Grace Church W.A. members attended the Deanery meeting at Lakefield.

The Women's Missionary Society met in the church hall recently.

Mrs. R. G. Cooke and Miss Margaret Cooke spent the week-end at their home here.

Misses Thelma Mitchell and Muriel Graham, and Mr. Gavin Graham, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Simon of Lachine spent the week-end at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooke are spending a holiday in Toronto.

Miss Dorothy Kerr spent the week-end at her home.

Mrs. McGill, of Winnipeg, Man., was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bulley at the "Log Cabin."

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Keatley, of Montreal, were week-end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Evans.

Mr. Homer Cooke, of Ottawa, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cooke, Mrs. Cooke and son, Bobby, who have spent the summer here, returned to Ottawa.

Mr. Jack Gilfillan is a guest this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cooke.

Misses Ethel and Winifred Cooke spent the week-end at their home here.

Mrs. Doug Cooke is spending this week in Montreal visiting friends.

A wife is a woman who has taken over after a mother has done her level best with the material at hand.

CUSHING

Miss Margaret Canning, of Lakefield, spent the week-end at home with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gleave, of Montreal, occupied their summer cottage, "Lorne Crest", over the week-end.

Miss Helen Hoar and Mr. W. Godwin, of Montreal, spent Monday at "Glenelen."

Miss Phyllis Dugan, of Montreal, was the guest of Mrs. R. Griffith at "Hill Top Cottage". Mr. R. Griffith, Sr., was also a week-end visitor.

Mrs. Holmes, of Montreal, who has occupied Miss Davidson's house for the past month, returned to Montreal on Sunday; Mr. Holmes and Miss Florence Holmes were here for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gaston visited friends in Ontario on Sunday.

Mrs. T. W. Weir, who has been spending the past two weeks with her daughters in Montreal, is spending this week at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Elliott arrived home from their honeymoon trip on Sunday afternoon, having visited friends in Toronto, Ottawa and Beamsville, Ont.

An interesting meeting of Frontier Branch of the Women's Institute was held on Wednesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Alvin Heatlie, when Mr. Georges H. Héon addressed the meeting on "Municipal Law". Amongst visitors at the meeting were Mrs. Héon and Mrs. John Owen, formerly Miss Muriel Tait.

Mr. John Maw, of Montreal, occupied Lilac Lodge for the week-end.

Mr. L. McGain, Miss Nora McGain and Mr. Ashley McGain, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. McGain at "Fairview".

Miss Elsie Boyd, who has charge of Cushing School, is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Elliott.

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(Intended for last issue)

Mrs. P. Ross and son, Kenneth, of Montreal, also Miss Fowlie are occupying "Lorne Crest" this week.

Mr. W. Godwin and Miss Helen Hoar, of Montreal, spent the week-end at "Glenelen." The Misses Nora and Mona McGain motored to Montreal with them on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Graham and son, James, of Lachute, and Miss J. B. Patton, also of Lachute, Mr. and Mrs. John Somerville of Monalea, and Mrs. D. Byrne of St. Philippe Road, were guests of Miss Christina Graham on Sunday.

Mrs. Archie Graham spent the greater part of last week in Ottawa attending the Regional Conference of the Associated Countrywomen of the World, and had the honor of being presented to Her Royal Highness Princess Juliana of Holland, also to Miss Sheila MacDonald, daughter of the late Ramsay MacDonald of London, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Elliott, of Ottawa, were guests of Mr. G. W. Elliott on Saturday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Dempsey were in Montreal on Tuesday of this week.

Miss Elsie Graham, of Verdun, spent the greater part of last week at home owing to some belated repairs being done in her school classroom.

BLIND — DIGS FOR BRITAIN

Worthing, England (CP) — George Adams, 34, blind, deaf and dumb basketmaker, never saw a garden or a vegetable, but he is now working a 90-foot allotment here, turning out some excellent potatoes, beans, cabbage and lettuce.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fuller, of Ottawa, have leased Mrs. John Macaskill's house for a year.

Mrs. Erskine Mowatt and two little sons are staying with the Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Mowatt.

Mrs. L. H. Bezanson is visiting friends here till October 1st., when she will take up residence in Montreal with her son, Eric.

Mrs. Adrien Dorion, of Montreal, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Robertson, for the past week.

Mrs. A. W. Drum, of Montreal, is the guest of Miss Beatrice Robertson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Layton York, who spent their vacation with Mr. York's brother, Mr. Geoffrey York, have now returned to Montreal.

Lieut. and Mrs. Fred Rejall, Jr., Three Rivers, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rejall, Sr., over the week-end.

While Mr. J. O. Bridge is on vacation Mr. C. Cunningham, of Lachute, is acting manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Edridge and three children, of Detroit Mich., stayed several days with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burry recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Jackson and daughter, of Montreal, spent the week-end and Labor Day at the Burry home.

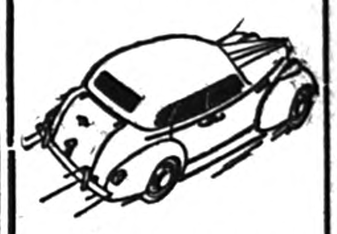
Mr. O'Reilly Hewett, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. Kenneth Baker.

Mrs. E. Charman is spending this week with her sister, Miss Ida Hopper, in Montreal.

Mrs. J. C. Wright, of Montreal, is the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Yale.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jeffrey and Mrs. Young have returned to their home in Westmount.

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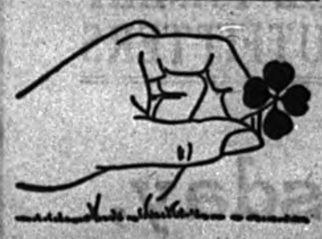


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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

HINTS FOR HOMEBODIES

By JESSIE ALLEN BROWN

Specially written for Readers of The Watchman

LEARN TO IGNORE

Lin Yutang in his Chinese novel, "Moment in Peking" has this to say of one of his characters, Mrs. Tseng: "For in her unobstructive way Mrs. Tseng had calm and dignity. Brought up in a high-class home, Mrs. Tseng had the grand style of Chinese womanhood, decency, orderliness, generosity towards servants, competence in family matters, knowing when to stand one's ground, and above all, when to yield, what to overlook or ignore. Overlooking things was as important as supervising in running a household or a husband." There is a great deal of sense in that. As mothers and wives we are so apt to expect too much of our family and because of this we do not learn to overlook enough. So many times things right themselves if we just ignore them. In paying attention to them we stress their importance.

LET US SAVE FATS

We are asked to save fats and it is by saving every little bit that we might ordinarily waste. Never throw away any kind of gravy. Let it stand until it is cold and there will be a layer of solid fat on top. Plan your work so that your soup stock is made early enough to let stand until cold before adding vegetables. When it is cold the fat will congeal on the surface and that fat may be skimmed off and saved. A clean can is a good container for the fat. It can be put in hot water and the fat melted and then it will form a solid cake when hardening. Not using any bacon, I have missed the bacon dripping these last few weeks, and have tried out all the pieces of fat or suet available. The dripping from suet melted over water or in the oven has not the same good flavor as that from a roast. I put some extra suet around a beef loaf and that gave the dripping a good flavor. If the truth were told I made the beef loaf for that express purpose. Sometimes I add a pinch or two of thyme or sage to dripping as it is being tried out and that gives it a savory flavor.

SAVE YOUR SEEDS

Do you save seeds from your garden, being a thrifty person, or do you buy them each year? If you have had some specially good flowers, the seeds are worth saving. My neighbor saved Nasturtium seeds last Fall and then when planting time came thought she had better buy her seed. There were some vacant spots and so she scattered her own seed in these. The plants from the seeds she bought do not amount to much but the ones from her own plants are as nice plants and flowers as you would want to see. Seeds from your own garden make a very acceptable Christmas remembrance for the garden-loving friend. Dry them and store in tin boxes in a dry place.

ROWANBERRY JELLY

Pick over, wash and stem the berries. Barely cover with water and boil until soft, then strain through a jelly bag. Measure the juice and take an equal amount of sugar. Boil the juice for twenty minutes, heat the sugar in a slow oven, then boil together until it will jell, about five minutes, or to 220 degrees on the thermometer.

CANNED BEANS

9 cups bean, ½ cup salt, ¾ cup sugar, 5 cups water.

Add sugar, salt, and water to beans and boil until tender, being careful not to over-cook. Bottle in sterilised jars. Soak in fresh water for an hour or two before using. Beans are not easily canned in the home kitchen but the large quantity of salt used acts as a preservative. I found this a convenient recipe as I could use a few beans at a time when they were at their tenderest.

CITRON PRESERVE

Cut citron in ½ inch slices, peel, remove seeds and cut in cubes. Cover with weak brine, in the proportion of 1 teaspoon salt to 1 quart of water. Let stand over night. Drain thoroughly, and cook until tender over a very slow fire. To 6 cups of citron add 2 cups of sugar and the juice and rind of 1 lemon. Bring to a boil slowly and cook until clear. Pour into sterilised jars and seal.

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(Special to The Watchman)

Toronto, Sept 7 — A performance without parallel in typewriter history was concluded at Toronto Exhibition when the Canadian National Typing Team nosed its way into an incredible 923-word victory over the United States in a two-week non-stop international marathon.

Loser in 1939 and winner last year, the Canadians' defence of the two coveted Marathon trophies developed into a keyboard combat which thrilled more than 250,000 spectators and broke all previous typing-endurance records.

So evenly matched that they pounded into the final hour with the outcome still in doubt, the two 12-member teams from all over the continent reached the midnight closing whistle in a dramatic finish.

Behind by 7,000 words at the end of the first week, the Yankees were pledged to turn on top steam the second week, and they consistently whittled down the Canadians' advantage until it appeared they would have overtaken them had the Marathon continued another half-day.

The five volumes of Franklin D. Roosevelt's "Public Papers and Addresses", totalling 1,030,031 words, was the Marathon copy and both teams were nearing its second complete transcription on a total of 8,641 sheets of paper as the Marathon closed. The Canadians' final score-board showed 1,717,445 words typed, with 83.350 errors, or a net score of 1,634,095, while the Americans had tallied 1,715,926 minus 82,754 penalties, for a score of 1,633,172.

Captain and star of the winning team and best 1941 Marathon performer was petite Joan White, of Vancouver, who turned 158.720 words in 27 hours at the Canadian machine, with only 4,091 errors, for a net individual score of 154,-629. This was slightly better than the American star, Lillian M. Henney, of Arlington, N.J., who was credited with 154,337 words, 4,992 errors and a net of 149,345. Most accurate on either team was lovely Anne McKenzie, of Whitehorse, Yukon Territories, who flew a total of nearly 7,000 miles from and to the frozen north to complete the Canadian team, she made only 2,616 errors in 129,208 typed words.

Due to the Rooseveltian polysyllables, the words in the Marathon text were extraordinarily long. Scored by standard typewriting rules based on 5-stroke words, the two teams would have been credited with an average of 64 more words per page. This would have brought their total production up to 4,118,219 words and given the winners a per-minute average of 105.96 words and the Americans 105.88.

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By Lois Moore

The question of saving has now become a national affair, and the question of salvage most important. There is almost nothing which the housewife uses, or discards which cannot be turned into cash for the great emergency that faces us. Canadians must learn to save in the way the people of England are saving, and must do it willingly and with a glad heart. Even in a land so rich as ours, nothing must now be wasted. Your local mayor, your local branch of the Salvation Army, your church organizations, Home and School organizations, the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides are all calling for the materials that are usually thrown out or are stored in an attic "in case they come in handy." So let us look to our garbage cans, our cellars and our garrets and give everything we can spare to help the one cause that is nearest our hearts. The housewives can make this effort for the home front now, and the Budgeteers, who are expert savers can lead the effort.

Metals are in demand. If we can make use of the waste metals which are lying around, we can conserve our supply of raw material. Aluminum is particularly valuable, so if you have any old aluminum pots or pans, root 'em out. Scrap metals of all kinds, except tin cans, can all go into the "pot". From nuts and bolts to ancient iron stoves, they can all be used. Copper screens make good scrap too. More valuable metals, such as old gold or silver are naturally real treasure since their sale may bring quite a bit of money in for war work.

Bottles of all kinds can be used. Medicine bottles can be put right back to their original work; jam jars, wine bottles, etc. can be sold. Don't rob yourselves of your preserving jars, though, since you will want to preserve everything you can this summer. None of Canada's crop can be wasted this year, and we should make a special effort with our canning before sugar gets scarce.

Old clothes (which must be clean, of course) can be handled in so many ways. Many organizations are making them over in clever ways for use for the bombed victims in Britain. Others are sorting out the special soft linens for bandages. The garments which cannot be saved in any way are baled and sold for rags, when they can bring in quite a sum. So don't think that any garment or even any rag bag is too small or too worn to use. Everything in the way of material can be made use of.

Even old furniture can be turned into cash by enterprising people. With a few repairs, furniture can be sold for something anyway, and does more good in the home of a person who has little to buy with than in your cellar or attic. Even the small sum you might get for an old chair will help. Mattresses can be sold for their stuffing or their springs.

The most unexpected things are demanded. Metal coat hangers are being collected by Scout and Guide groups and resold. Fruit baskets should be carefully saved and donated. Your old bones will make excellent fertilizer to grow a crop which this year must be more than average.

Papers and magazines are another thing which we must hang on to and donate to the Cause. Conserving our pulp supply will enable us to export it and bring needed money into the country. Burn them or use them up sparingly.

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Compton County W.I. Hold Women's Exchange

(Special to The Watchman)

Macdonald College—A new departure in Women's Institutes work was attempted and successfully carried out in Compton County on August 27-28 at Cookshire, under the leadership of the county president, Mrs. H. A. Scarth. With her on the platform were Mr. A. W. Pratt, who welcomed the visitors to Cookshire; W. J. Duffy, M.L.A.; J. A. Planchette, M.P., and Mrs. Planchette; Miss Roberta Scott, Womens Institutes Demonstrator, Macdonald College; all of whom addressed the gathering in terms of pleasure and congratulation. Mrs. Scarth briefly explained the purpose of the new venture, which, she said was intended as an experiment designed to promote and develop the creative spirit in handicrafts throughout the County.

Included in the exhibits were many beautiful and useful articles of handicrafs made by members of the W.I. in knitting, sewing, rugs of several kinds, handwoven blankets, spreads, curtains, hammocks, reedwork, shellwork, canning of fruits and vegetables, jams jellies and flowers. These were sold for the benefit of the County funds. The immense amount of work indicated in the exhibits cannot be tabulated, but they give an idea of the initiative of the Women's Institutes in Compton County in trying out new plans of carrying on their work.

Who gossips to you, will gossip of you.

Meet Miss Smith



Alexis Smith is a young movie actress and, like other young movie actresses, she wears a play suit, for publicity shots anyway. This is her current favorite — a two-piece affair of leopard skin, and what she's splashing in is a stream in Hollywood.

BRITISH KEEP SMILING . . .

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kindly creature, admittedly, but with limitations) would allow me to illustrate it for you; but he won't, so you must supply your own mental picture. Here it is :

Equipment For Fire-Watchers

1. Belt to go round waist with ten hooks to support six full sandbags and four buckets of water.
2. One axe stuck in belt.
3. One stirrup-pump to be carried over left shoulder.
6. One long-handled shovel to be tucked under right arm.
7. Two wet blankets to be carried on head.
8. One tin hat with turned-up brim to carry spare water.
9. Spare sand to be carried in all pockets.
10. One box of matches to light any incendiary that fails to ignite.

All I can tell you about this masterpiece is that it came originally from London — and I think that speaks for itself.

What brave, cheery people they are ! Yet I have thought, just lately, that perhaps we may be over-accenting the bravery. It's there; no need to worry about that. However, all this takes something more than courage, so why not face it? There was a time when bravery won wars, but it isn't so any more. Bravery oils the machinery —**but you've got to have the machinery.** Bravery alone isn't much use against a machine-gun; you've got to have a gun as good as the other fellow's, and better if you can get it. In other words, this is a business of hard work and hard cash. Scientific inevestigation, shipping, armaments: it's all a question of dollars. So what does it matter if we're taxed up to the eyebrows, if we're shabby, a little bored by the sameness of our rations, if we can't rush about in cars and go here and there for our holidays.

Good For One Purpose

Money isn't much use now except for the one purpose. We can't even make a guess at what it will be worth when all this is over. The one thing we do know is how useful it can be at the moment. I think every sane, logical, decent citizen sees it that way. It's as near a 'cert' as anything can be; the folk who are trying to profiteer, the few who are sitting on their cash — well, they're just taking a crazy chance, in my opinion. I'm no financial genius; I have not much money in the world, but I've put what I have into War Savings because it seems the best prospect of still having a bit to go on with when the war is over; and what's the good of it, anyhow, until that happens? So roll on the day.

How are things going with you folk over there? I expect that, like us, you are getting up to all sorts of dodges to get money out of all sorts of pockets; but once it strikes one that it all takes Cash as well as Courage . . . well, the pockets open up all right. You'll see. There are thousands of us who wouldn't know one end of a machine-gun from the other; there are crowds of us who couldn't even lift a heavy sandbag; hundreds more who suspect (either rightly or wrongly) that we'd have our work cut out to stand up to a real blitz. But there aren't many of us who haven't got a spare dollar we can hand over. More power to your elbows !



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GOOD MANNERS

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CONDUCT TOWARD WAITERS

Dear Mrs. Beeskman,

1. Upon leaving the restaurant the other evening, the waitress said goodnight to us. A (the man) didn't reply, but B (the girl) did. A said that it was unnecessary to to answer and B said that the waitress, being as human as anyone else, deserved a reply. Who was correct.

2. A says that a waiter is employed to serve you and should not be thanked for any other service extended. B, having dropped her napkin, and having had the waiter replace it with a clean one, thanked him for this service and claimed it was the correct thing to do. A says that when a waiter offers you bread, or refills your cup of coffee, it isn't necessary to thank him. B says that it might not be absolutely necessary, but it is a gracious gesture. Who is correct? M.

1. B is right in her attitude about a gracious acknowledgment of the goodnight of the waitress. People whose spirits are kindly turned to the hearts and spirits of others, would automatically acknowledge a greeting of this kind.

2. B again is a kind and mannerly person, charmingly spending the "Thank You" that is made to be spent gallantly and prodigally. Why hoard these pleasant words, or why reserve them for special occasions and for special persons? This is one thing we don't have to budget !

INCONVENIENT DINNER GUESTS

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

Does the well-bred person drop in on his friends just before mealtime with his whole family, expecting to stay for that meal? If so, please tell me how to overcome the upset feeling it gives me if everything is not just so. I very often prepare for and invite this same family, and enjoy having them on such occasions. Reader.

I think that you should drop a hint that will make them realize the inconvenience to you of this thoughtlessness and irresponsibility. If you say what you say with graciousness and friendliness, you will be politely meeting a situation that they, not you, have created.

If I were you, the next time this untimely visit occurs, I'd say as graciously as possible, "How nice of you to drop in. I wish I could ask you to stay . . . but we've planned to have a quick dinner and then we're going to the movies. . . I'll call you up soon, and we'll make a definite dinner engagement." If they have any instinct of mannerliness, they will accept this understandingly, and tactfully take their leave.

If the lamb tried to keep up with Mary nowadays, it would have to walk in its sleep.

WOMEN GET "WINGS" IN AIRCRAFT SHOP

It's Promotion to Wear Blue Trousers and Work on Swings in Mid-Air

London, Sept. 8 (CP) — Thirty per cent of the workers are women in a certain aircraft factory where they are building the British terror of the Germany night raiders, the Bristol "Beaufighter." And the ambition of every woman worker is to wear blue trousers.

This doesn't mean they are losing their femininity or gentle touch. Quite the contrary. It means that, says a writer, they have been promoted to work on airplanes swung in mid-air. They no longer stay on the ground. They "get their wings" so to speak, and clamber about the fuselage and so on up aloft.

"Those who 'go aloft' wear blue trousers," said an official, pointing to a blonde working in a cockpit slung several feet from the ground. "Then they don't have any underwear worries. Those who work on the ground have green overalls."

The blonde and her colleagues are certainly the only women ever to sit in the cockpit of a Beaufighter. Once these machines get in the air, no civilians except test pilots are permitted even to step inside them, the Daily Mirror points out.

Many of the women fit the delicate instruments on the dashboard. "I won't say they are better than men," said the official, "but they certainly have nimbler fingers and, more important than anything, more patience. So they often get the electric wiring jobs."

At 91, U.S. Woman Has Knitted for Many Wars

Idaho Great Granny at 91 Has "Socked" Victims of all Conflicts

Cottonwood, Idaho, Sept. 8 (CP) — Mrs. N. E. Rooke learned to knit when she was six so she might do her bit in the Civil War. Now she claims something of a record in having knitted for refugees and soldiers of every war since that first one in her life. At 91, she is turning out a pair of socks a day for the Red Cross and aiming at her record of the First Great War when she produced a hundred pairs.

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Public Notice

Public notice is hereby given that all defective sidewalks must be repaired within 30 days of this notice.

Failure to comply will oblige the Town to proceed with the necessary repairs at the owner's expense.

S18. Lachute Town Corporation.
—Germain Filion, sec.-treas.
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WANT & FOR SALE ADVERTISEMENTS.

EMPLOYMENT, PROPERTY, TENDERS, ETC.

Want or For Sale advertisements 10 cents per line each insertion. Minimum 50 cents. If billed, 60 cents. If replies are directed to Watchman Office, 25 cents extra.

WANTED TO RENT — house in or near Lachute, 6 to 8 rooms. Reply P. O. Box D-600, Lachute. S18-2c.

HELP WANTED — ACT FAST ! Live-wire sales person needed to handle established route. Big weekly earnings assured right party. If you are looking for a real opportunity to increase present and future earnings, write promptly to City Sales, 2177 Masson St., Montreal. O2-3c.

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CAR FOR SALE—Lincoln Zephyr coupe, 1937, with heater, radio, license. Reasonable price. Call at Thomas Williams', Brownsburg, or phone Brownsburg 569. —1p.

FOR SALE — Ford roadster, 1930, Model "A", good running order, $150. Can be seen between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., 297 Main Street, Lachute. —1c.

FOR SALE — 800-lb. cream separator (almost new). Apply J. A. Tessier, Furniture Store, 198 Main Street, Lachute. —1c.

FURNISHED ROOM — East end; middle aged woman or couple, kitchen privileges. Apply P. O. Box 132, Lachute. —1c.

FOR SALE — one Beach range, excellent condition; further particulars, apply Mrs. Baldwin, 348 Main Street, Lachute. —1c.

Auction Sale

At the residence of
DAVID W. McLEAN,
Bell Falls, Calumet R.R. 1, on Tuesday, Oct. 7, commencing 1 p.m. (D.S.T.) —

7 Cows, milking, none older than 7 yrs.; 3 heifers 1½ years; bull 2½ years; bull 1½ years; pure bred brood Mare; Belgian, 6 years; pure bred stud Belgian; 2½ years; Grade mare and foal; one team black mares, full sisters, well matched, one 4½, other 2½ yrs.; 20 pigs, wt. about 100 lbs. each, 2 brood sows.

Wagon (Chatham) and hayrack; set low steel wheels to fit wagon; Frost & Wood binder, good condition; Frost & Wood mowing machine, (good as new); good horse rake; plow; set disc harrows, (good as new); good drill seeder (Deering); cultivator, (like new); tumbril cart, (like new); set logging sleighs, 3-inch. runner, spring steel, (like new); 4-beam sleigh, (like new); single sleigh, (like new); fanning mill.

2 Cream cans, (like new); No. 16 De Laval cream separator, (like new); set double harness and collars; pair bridles, set single harness, (like new); 1 set cart harness and other parts of harness; whiffletrees and eveners, different kinds.

4 White iron beds and springs, (good condition); chest of drawers; studio set, 3-pieces; milk pails and other articles.

Terms: $10. and under, cash; over that amount 12 months' credit with satisfactory joint note.

S18-O2-2 —David W. McLean.

SALVAGE PURCHASES A MOBILE CANTEEN

Boy Scouts continue to play an important part in the National Salvage Campaign throughout the Dominion. At Montreal some 3,000 boys in one day collected 250 tons, and with the proceeds purchased a mobile tea canteen for the use of the Salvation Army in serving moving military units in the area. Scouts and Wolf Cubs of Nakina, Ont., gathered a full railroad carload of scrap metal, and from the returns sent $70 to a Toronto newspaper fund for war sufferers.

AUCTION SALES

Horses and Cattle

In the Sale Pavilion at
ARNOLDWOLD FARMS,
GRENVILLE, QUE.,
on Monday, Sept. 29th, commencing 10 a.m., rain or shine.

The following livestock will be sold to the highest bidder, regardless of price :—

2 Carloads (38 head) heavy bush horses.

2 Carloads (40 head) brood mares, some with foal at foot, yearlings and two year olds.

1 Carload (20 head) good saddle horses.

2 Carloads (42 head) good drivers.

25 Head dairy cows, heifers, including some due to freshen December and January.

Terms: Cash. Parties desiring credit up to 90 days must make arrangements before sale. —2c.

At —
OAKLEA AYRSHIRE FARM
6 miles east of Lachute, Que., on No. 8 highway, on Friday, Sept. 26th, at 1 p.m. (D.S.T.).

Herd accredited and blood tested. 1 herd sire born Nov. 25th 1938 — 219866, Woodlea M. S. Coastguard. (DAM—Woodlea M. S. Wee Dot —181405, R. of P. No. 10289, 3-yr.-old. Record in 365 days 12,-354 lbs. milk, 505 lbs. fat, 4.09 average test. Sold to Borden Co. and was considered one of the best producing Ayrshires in their exhibition at the World's Fair, New York.

SIRE—Bridgeview Aspiration — 144868, R. O. P. No. 1073, Class A.A.).

9 Reg. milch cows, 4 grade milch cows, 1 pure-bred heifer, 1½ yrs.-old, 2 Reg. heifers, 1 yr. old, 1 Reg. heifer calf, 5 months old, 1 Grade heifer calf, 5 months old, also 1 mare, 9 yrs. old, weighing about 1400 lbs.

Terms: $10. and under, cash; over that amount ten months' credit on approved joint notes.

—Edgar Boyd, Auctioneer.
—Leslie J. Gordon, Prop.,
R.R. 1, St. Hermas, Que.

At the farm of —
PATRICK GILMOUR
R.R. No. 1, Brownsburg, on Saturday, September 27th, at 1 o'clock (D.S.T.) —

One horse 9 years old, 1 mare 10 years old, weighing about 1400 lbs., 3 milch cows, 2 spring pigs, Reg. Yorkshire hog 7 months old.

Wagon, horse rake, mower, disc harrows, cultivator, cutter, seeder, 2 walking plows, fanning mill, drills, hand drills, hammers, 2 coolers, 125 sap cans, double and single harness, pair buffaloes, sap puncheon, quantity of unthrashed oats, hay, corn-stocks, potatoes, lumber, anvil and vice, saws, chest of drawers, box stove, table and chairs, quantity of hard and soft wood, chains, forks and hoes, and other articles unmentioned.

Terms: $10. and under, cash; over that amount 9 months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes; 3 per cent off for cash.

—W. J. Boyd, Auctioneer

At the residence of
AGNAS POMMINVILLE
near Chatboro, on Route 8, Tuesday, September 23rd, at 12 noon, (D.S.T.) —

One horse, 3 milch cows, 2 spring calves, a lot of hens and chickens, 1-yr.-old sow, 6 spring pigs, 1 goat, 2 mows of hay, 2 wagons, buggy, express, buck-board, mowing machine, horse rake, broadcast seeder, land roller, disc harrows, set bobsleighs, set double harness, set single harness, hay rack, gravel box for wagon, gravel box for sleigh, hay fork, rack sleigh, plow, cultivator, wire fencing, cream separator (Viking, 750 lbs. p. h.), set scales, drag saw, circular saw and bench complete, DeLaval gasoline engine 6 h.p., fanning mill, poultry fence, dog and harness, Belanger range, 5 gal. cream can, chains, neckyokes and whiffletrees, crowbars, shovels, forks, hand drill, hammer, etc.

Chairs, beds, sideboards, all household effects, and many other articles.

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Everything must be sold without reserve as proprietor is leaving.

—Agnas Pomminville, Prop.

RADIO DRAMAS ON HEROES OF MEDICINE

Toronto, Sept. 16 — In addition to its educational work through the press, magazines, billboards and leaflets, the Health League of Canada will this autumn launch a series of 13 radio dramas, designed to stir Canadians into action toward a more aggressive public health program.

The radio plays, which have been produced on transcriptions under the direction of the Canadian radio playright, Ray Purdy, all deal with dramatic episodes in the lives of heroes of medicine. They tell of the battle against disease, and how persistent studies and tests finally achieved success in the fight against sickness.

The plays include: "The Life of Louis Pasteur", "Conquest of Diphtheria", "Conquest of Pain", "The Work of Lord Lister", "The Magic Bullet", "Sir Frederick Banting and Insulin", and others.

More than 38 radio stations in Canada will carry these educational plays.

Support Needed for the Lachute Hockey Team

Public Meeting Will Likely Be Held Next Week

Directors of the Lachute hockey team are contemplating a season of semi-senior hockey, but this will not be possible unless there is considerably more support from the businessmen of Lachute than was extended last year.

Though the meeting of the Montreal and District League was held this week in Montreal, Lachute was not informed of this assembly. Just why this was so, nobody seems to know, but if the town can promise a good team with adequate financial support, there is no reason why Lachute should not be represented in the Montreal League.

Officials of the local hockey organization expect to hold a public meeting next week, and it is hoped public spirited citizens will contemplate doing their share for the support of the team.

COMING EVENTS

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

HARVEST SUPPER

A harvest supper will be held in the Cushing Stone Hall on Sept. 20th under auspices of the St. Mungo's Women's Association. Good program. Supper served from 7 to 8.30 p.m. (D.S.T.) Admission 40 cents. —S18-2c.

DANCE

— On Saturday night, September 20th, at the Lachute Golf Club House. Good orchestra. Members and guests invited. Admission 25c. each. —1c.

ANNUAL BAZAAR

The Ladies' Guild of St. Simeon's Anglican Church will hold their annual bazaar on Saturday, December 6th. Full particulars later. —1p.

FANCY WORK AND HOME-COOKING SALE

A sale of fancy work and home-cooking will be held under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brownsburg United Church on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 29th, in the church hall. Please reserve this date. —1c.

DANCE

A dance will be held on Saturday night, September 20th, in Shrewsbury Hall. String band. Admission 35c. — Howard Gauley. —1p.

DANCE

Come and dance to the music of Wilfred Druce and his 4-piece band, at McIntyre's Hall, Grenville, on Saturday, Sept. 20th. Modern and old-time dancing. —1c.

PLOWING MATCH

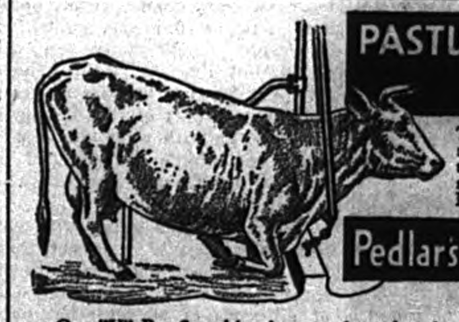
The seventh annual Plowing Match organized under the Argenteuil Plowmen's Association will be held on Oct. 8th, on the farm of George Morrison, east of Lachute Town.

The same classes as in previous years will be provided, with an addition class for boys with tractors.

Several special prizes have already been received for this competition, including a plow from the Frost & Wood Co., silverplated ware from the T. Eaton Co. and the Robert Simpson Co., The DeLaval and Massey Harris Co. are also donating specials.

George Hay, president
Amedee Maisonneuve, vice-pres
Alex Bothwell, sec.-treas.

At Learning's fountain it is sweet to drink,
But 'tis a nobler privilege to think. —John Godfrey Saxe.



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Inspect the gun barrels frequently, especially after a fall. Break the gun and look through the barrels from the breech to see if they are plugged by dirt or snow. Never pull a gun through a fence. Carry it over with you, keeping the muzzle pointed away from you and others.

Never shoot at objects you can't see clearly, and keep the positions of your companions in mind all the time. Don't keep a loaded gun against a tree or bush, or lay it on the ground.

—From "The Tracer"

Invitation Tournament at Golf Club Next Sunday

Lachute Golf Club is holding its first annual invitation tournament on Sunday next, Sept. 21st.

Play will consist of 18 holes medal play and will commence at 10 a.m. Players may register up to 2.30 p.m.

The entry fee of $1.50 may be sent to the club beforehand or may be paid when registering on the day of the tournament.

Prizes to the value of $60.00 will be awarded for — 1st. low net, 2nd. low net, 1st. low gross, 2nd. low gross.

In addition to the above an extra prize will be drawn for by the players who have not won any of the other prizes.

Golf Trophy Won By Gilbert Ayers

St. Andrews E. — About 35 competitors entered the contest on August 14th at the golf course for the Schneider Trophy. The annual prize of a silver cup was won by Gilbert Ayers, of Lachute.

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Patsy KELLY, Donald MacBride.
Johnny Downs, Vera Vague,
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SUN., MON., SEPT. 21, 22.
Sun., continuous show from 2.30
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BUCK PRIVATES
John Hubbard, Wendy Barrie in
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TUES., WED., THURS., SEPT. 23, 24, 25.
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Great Mr. Nobody
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I WANTED WINGS
Rosemary LANE, George Reeves,
Always A Bride
THE GREEN HORNET

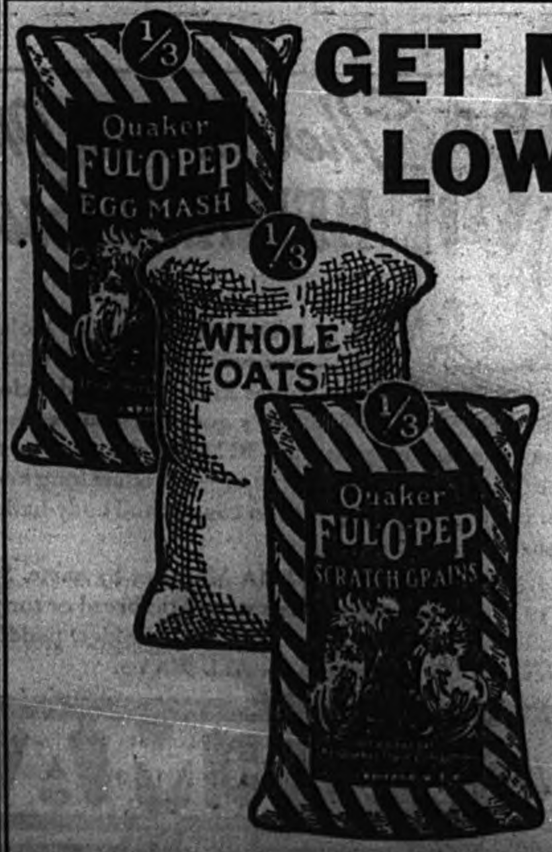
TUES., WED., THURS., SEPT., 23, 24, 25.
Special Matinee Wednesday, 1.30 p.m.
Jack OAKIE, John PAYNE, Alice FAYE, Cesar Romero in
The Great Amercan Broadcast
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Mildred Coles, Edward Norris, Richard Ainsley, Russel Hicks in
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AMAZING CONSTRUCTION FEATS VIEWED BY WATCHMAN REPRESENTATIVE AT SOREL, QUE.

Huge Concrete Foundation Is Poured in Eleven Hours. Staff-house Erected with Plumbing, etc., Complete, in One Week

Motion Pictures Show Prefabrication System Applied in Construction

The slogan "Everything, to Build Anything" adopted by W. M. Cottingham when he launched into the builders' supply business some years ago, was no idle boast, for the growth of the business is evidence of his adaptability to tackle any problem, be it large or small.

As previously reported in this newspaper, Cottingham Supply Co. has been engaged on the erection of one of the largest prefabricated jobs on the American continent — certainly in Canada — at Sorel, Que., the construction being in accordance with plans approved by the National Housing Administration for the Department of Munitions and Supply. The building will be occupied as a staff residence by British inspectors attached to the various war industries now operating at full blast in Sorel.

Occupying a sloping site on the bank of the Richelieu River, the building stands on a foundation of reinforced concrete 12 inches thick, with the main entrance at street level, while the 16-ft. rear foundation wall stands on the riverside.

Thanks to the efficient collaboration of J. Lachapelle and his men sub-contracting for the foundation work, 385 cubic yards of concrete was poured in 11 hours by 40 workers. This achievement proved a real eye-opener to many skeptics looking on.

The prefabricating was all executed in the Cottingham Supply Company's shops at Lachute, and as the work at Sorel proceeded the deliveries were made with perfect co-ordination so that the erection was under roof in one week's time, with all exterior and interior walls in place, the plumbing, heating and electric wiring all installed, hardwood floors laid and stairs, doors and windows in place. It is difficult to realize this achievement without having seen it, but a Watchman representative, in talking with many residents of the area while on a brief visit, found the "I'm from Missouri" attitude had been agreeably replaced by one of generous commendation.



W. M. COTTINGHAM,
one of Lachute's most progressive young citizens. Head of the firm of Cottingham Supply Company, he has taken the initiative in virtual pioneering of the "Precision Built" idea in Canada.

At a meeting held in Sorel incidental to this project last Wednesday evening, Mr. F. Vaux Wilson, Jr., Vice-President of the Homasote Company, Trenton, N.J., gave an enlightening talk on Prefabrication, showing pictures of a shop which was set up for the construction of one thousand houses at Mallejo, California.

Cottingham Supply Company has employed on the Sorel contract the same system as applied by the Homasote Company in the United States. This concern holds patents on the Precision-Built System and their patents controlled by Modular Service Assn., Boston. Precision-Built Homes Limited, of Lachute, which is owned and operated by the Cottingham Supply Company, has the franchise for the use of the company's patents in Canada.

Mr. Wilson showed colored films of a development at Vallejo, Cal., of one thousand houses which had to be built in one hundred calendar days, and stated that these houses would be completed in sixty-five working days. The pictures showed the complete shop preparation from the time the raw material came into the yard until the panels were turned out and loaded on the trucks. In addition, he showed the field operation, and at the end of eleven days after the first workman was hired, one hundred and thirty-seven houses were seen erected.

Accoustical Rating of Homasote Product

After these pictures were shown Mr. Wilson answered questions, in a manner which showed that he had had practical experience to back up his statements. Mr. Wilson, when asked what the accoustical value of Homasote (the material which his Company manufactures and which is used in the United Staes in precision-built construction) was, he said that the accoustical value was seven times better than that of plaster. Mr. Wilson also stated that the Homasote product was a waterproof product which came in large sheets, 8'0" x 14'0", and that it was used in the construction of the house in which Admiral Byrd lived, in Little America: this again showed the insulation value of the construction.

At the present time the Homasote Company is supplying technicians to building contractors across the United States who are building houses for Defence purposes on the Precision-built system, and up to date have erected and completely finished upwards of seven thousand houses.

Patents Loaned to National Housing Administration, Ottawa

With the help of the Homasote organization who employ ten technicians working on the improvement of low-cost construction, the National Housing Administration at Ottawa has been allowed to use the patents which they control, for the duration of the emergency providing those who erect buildings under this system are acceptable to the National Housing Administration, the Homasote Company and Precision-Built Homes Limited who hold the Canadian franchise.

In addition to this, the Homasote Company has given the ser-

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"Prefabricating" in the Shops



Bench manufacture of building units makes for greater speed, accuracy and uniformity. Here in the Cottingham shops side-walls are being manufactured complete from outside sheathing to interior finish.

"Prefabricated" Units Ready for Shipment



Building units, prefabricated at the local plant, piled at Cottingham Supply Company yards in readiness for shipment to Sorel, Que.

Commissions on Victory Loan Go To Red Cross

CHEQUE FOR $703.14 SENT TO HEADQUARTERS OF THE SOCIETY

REPRESENTS A GENEROUS GIFT FROM CANVASSERS

This week's "Tracer", bi-weekly publication for Brownsburg munitions workers, reveals the fact that the canvassers in the Victory Loan drive for Brownsburg have donated their personal commissions to the Red Cross. The cheque for $703.14 recently forwarded to this organization represents a sizable donation from the canvassers, who worked arduously in the campaign.

Brownsburg, it is recalled, was allotted a quota of 80 thousand dollars in the Loan, and the objective was not only reached but was oversubscribed by 30 thousand dollars.

Goods Stolen at High School Are Soon Recovered

THREE ARRESTED AT THE OUTSKIRTS OF MONTREAL TRACED BY LICENSE

AUTO IS IDENTIFIED BY PLATES STOLEN FROM LOCAL GARAGE

Three young men, all under 20 years of age, were arrested by Provincial Police at the Cartierville Bridge Monday afternoon, in connection with a robbery here in Lachute and for being in possession of a stolen automobile. Two of the men were reported to be deserters from the army.

The men, driving a car stolen from London, Ont., are alleged culprits in theft of a motion picture projector and a typewriter from the premises of Lachute High School during Sunday night. The men made entry into the school building through a window, and removed the equipment to the car. As a precaution against detection they also stole two Quebec license plates from an automobile in the North River Motors yard nearby. These they placed on their car; but it was by these plates, however, the three men were arrested at the outskirts of Montreal. The plates did not agree with the category of the car. It was learned the men were all under 20 years of age and that one had served a previous prison term. They are Montrealers.

Police Constable A. Gervais of Lachute, Principal C. L. Hall of the High School, and Geo. Y. Deacon, chairman of the school board, went to Montreal headquarters of the Provincial Police on being notified the stolen goods had been recovered. They identified the equipment as school property. The typewriter, it was learned, had been traded at Ste. Rose in exchange for a new tire.

Night Robbery at Main St. Restaurant

NIGHT INTRUDERS TAKE QUANTITY OF CIGARETTES AND MONEY

BROKE GLASS ON FRONT DOOR OF PREMISES

Rex Cafe on Main Street, the property of Jos. Raymond, was broken into in the early hours of Saturday morning. Four cartons of cigarettes were removed from the counter and about $10 in silver from the two cash registers.

The thieves broke in by smashing the plate glass of the front door, and in making their exit through the aperture one man caught his head on the glass and left traces of blood and brown hair. These and fingerprints on the the door were preserved by the local constable for investigation by the Provincial Police.

A hint was given by a passer-by, that two soldiers had been seen outside the store around 2 o'clock on Saturday morning. Later that day an opened carton of cigarettes was found beneath gasoline tanks in the station yard, and it was indicated the men had gone to the yard to board a freight train. The find of cigarettes was traced through a youngster, who had found them and had been offering small packages of Sweet Caps for sale at five cents apiece.

Weekly War Commentary

Specially Written for The Watchman
By H. M. PETERS,
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The lease-lend program of the United States has been revealed to be still a trickle insofar as delivered supplies are concerned. London disclosed hints that much of the success of the summer in the Battle of the Atlantic had been due more to the fact the enemy's strength has been used elsewhere than to victories of the allied patrols and convoys craft, important though they have been.

Leader's Appeal

From London came a statement quoting an undisclosed but obviously important source saying that the Soviet Union needed a Niagara of supplies to match the Nazi war equipment which Hitler is getting not only from his own factories—damaged though many of them are by the gallant R.A.F. in its night after night of attack — but also from the enslaved labor in requisitioned factories in occupied Europe from Poland and Czechoslovakia westwards to Lille in France and Oslo in Norway.

For three months appeal after appeal from leaders — Mr. Churchill and Mr. Roosevelt at their head — have urged the English-speaking people not to make the mistake of believing that Hitler will necessarily be stopped by the Russians. They have emphasized that the German army, which ripped through the French army with what appears in retrospect ridiculous ease, was a striking force of terrible power.

Only an all-out effort by all the Allies working in conjunction can destroy the menace, they have declared. To that end, aid for Russia is under way, speeding by ship and plane. R.A.F. detachments are there. An Anglo-American Mission with full powers, headed by important figures, is on the scene.

Leningrad Holds Out

German operations in the south overshadowed the fighting in other sectors of the long Eastern Front. There was nothing to indicate any real progress by the German-Finnish armies north of Leningrad. Defenders of the former Russian capital still hold the Nazis at bay and according to Soviet reports they had improved their positions at some points. In the centre Marshal Timoshenko's men were reported consolidating the ground regained in the counter-offensive on Smolensk.

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Local Truckers in Court, Operating Without A Permit

Lachute Mills Man Pays Impost of Ten Dollars

Montreal — A series of complaints against truckers who carry freight on the highways of the province without permits from the Public Service Board, came before Judge Gustave Marin in court last week. The charges were all laid by Paul H. Levesque, lawyer for the Quebec Truckers' Association.

Aurele Leduc, of Lachute Mills, who pleaded guilty, was charged $10. and costs.

Elzear Cournoyer, of St. Joseph de Sorel, pleaded not guilty on the same charge, and his case will be heard September 25. It was the same for Real Morissette, of St. Philippe, Argenteuil County, and Joseph Letoursky, of Montreal, and there were two charges against Ouimet and Freres, also of Montreal, to be dealt with today, September 25.

Taximan Pays $5 Fine For Overcrowding Seat

Hawkesbury — In police court presided over by Magistrate Labrosse of Vankleek Hill, Oscar Guertin, a Hawkesbury taxi driver, was fined $5. and costs on a charge of overcrowding the driver's seat.

Local Group W. I. Meetings In September

MANY DONATIONS ARE GIVEN TO VARIOUS WAR FUNDS

COUNTY BRANCHES GIVE REPORTS ON GATHERINGS THIS MONTH

The following W.I. Branches have reported meetings for the month of September :

Brownsburg heard an interesting address on Adult Education by Mr. C. L. Hall. A small card party was held; $10 was donated to the Queen's Canadian Fund, and 10c per member towards a mobile kitchen. Cookery books and literature on canning were distributed.

Frontier featured Legislation with Mr. G. Héon, Advocate, of Lachute, as guest speaker. The subject was Municipal Law. Each member contributed 10c towards the mobile kitchen which the W.I. is planning for Britain. Subscriptions were also taken for the Macdonald College Journal.

Jerusalem-Bethany had a paper read on "Decline of Education in Poland", also on "The Country School House". A contest was held, prize winners being Mrs. K. Sly and Miss H. Hume. A quilt was donated to the Red Cross. At an evening of amusement and games, $48 was realized, the proceeds to be used as a special fund for war needs.

Lachute had 27 members and six guests at its regular meeting. This Branch accepted custodianship for the Queen's Canadian Fund; 10c per member was voted towards the mobile kitchen fund. Mrs. G. Deacon and Mrs. A. Bothwell each gave very interesting accounts of the Convention held at Macdonald College. The urge to use more milk, whole wheat germ and black molasses was stressed. A vote of thanks was sent to Mrs. Holland for the large donation of knitting for the men overseas. Hints on canning and pickling were given by Mrs. E. Honsberger. Afternoon tea was served to the teachers.

Mille Isles held their meeting at the home of Mrs. K. S. Barnes, 13 members and seven visitors being present. This Branch supported the resolution of Dominion and Provincial Governments, Organized Medicine and other agencies, carrying on a nation wide program of health education. The 10c per member for the mobile kitchen was well supported. This Branch has given $6 to the Queen's Canadian Fund.

Fioneer answered the roll-call by naming a Canadian college. A successful amateur program was held in St. Andrews East on Sept. 5th. A letter bearing 60 signatures was received from a British Institute in acknowledgment of tea sent to them last April. Plans were made for a reception of teachers and an educational meeting. This Branch also contributed the 10c per member towards the mobile kitchen.

Upper Lachute-East End: Mr. G. Calder gave an interesting address on Legislation. The roll-call was answered by naming a former Governor-General of Canada. A quilt was donated to the Red Cross Society.

The greater the obstacle the more glory we have in overcoming it; the difficulties with which we are met are the maids of honor which set off virtue.

PROBABLE MEASURES TO CURB PRICE INCREASES FOLLOWING CUTS IN CIVILIAN PRODUCTION

Order-in-Council Makes War Industry Strikes Illegal Without Majority Vote

Reported Russian Trade Delegation to Visit Ottawa and State Requirements

— THE WEEK IN OTTAWA —
Specially Written for The Watchman
By JOHN DAUPHINEE,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Ottawa, Sept. 22 (CP) — On the word of the cabinet minister responsible for most of the Dominion's wartime economic controls, Canadians can look for sweeping measures aimed at checking the recent upward surge in the cost of living.

The minister is Hon. J. L. Ilsley, head of the finance department. He is the logical authority on price control since he has been given jurisdiction over the Wartime Prices and Trade Board—the government's principal price-policing agency.

What the future price-control measures will be has not been disclosed. But one thing seems certain: they will be closely tied up with government moves to curtail consumption by reducing the amount of production for non-war purposes.

Reduce Consumption

Mr. Ilsley made two speeches of major importance last week. One was a reconsecration week address in which he emphasized that the wartime slogan for Canadians should be "save more and spend less."

The other was made to an audience of leading Canadian businessmen at the closing session of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce convention at Seigniory Club, Que. In it he warned that it will be necessary to reduce civilian consumption — "in many lines to reduce it substantially or perhaps eliminate it altogether."

Obviously, reducing the amount of any commodity available for domestic consumption has a tendency to cause a price increase when the demand becomes greater than the supply. It seems logical to expect that price fixing measures will be adopted to protect consumers from such price boosts, especially in view of Mr. Ilsley's assurance that the government is "determined to check the upward movement in prices that has been taking place."

"To do so," he said, "we have prepared to extend and intensify our direct control over prices."

Official Confidence

Both Mr. Ilsley and Prime Minister Mackenzie King, who gave the last speech by a government spokesman in reconsecration week, expressed confidence in ultimate allied victory, but both attached warnings against undue optimism.

"The road ahead is long and hard," Mr. Ilsley said.

"We know that the free peoples will triumph in the end," said Mr. King, "but how long it may take to determine the issue God alone knows."

The Prime Minister emphasized that Hitler can only be overthrown quickly if all the free nations of the world unite in a common active effort.

On the labor front the McKinnon Industries Ltd. strike at St. Catharines, Ont., and the slowdown policy of miners in some Nova Scotia coal pits remained the major industrial disputes, but principal interest centred on a new government measure aimed at avoiding future strikes similar to the St. Catharines one.

Under the order-in-council, strikes in war industry are illegal unless a majority of the workers affected vote in favor of strike action at balloting held under auspices of the Labor department.

The reaction of labor was varied. Tom Moore, president of the Canadian Trades and Labor Congress, said the justice of the order will depend on the manner in which it is administered. A. R. Mosher, president of the Canadian Congress of Labor, said it would increase discontent and distrust in the minds of the workers and hinder the war effort. W. T. Burford, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Federation of Labor, described it as a "half-way measure and a weak one."

This week, Labor Minister McLarty is on a vacation. When he left last Thursday his destination was not given but at the week-end rumors persisted that he was going to Bermuda.

Meantime there were reports a Russian Trade delegation would come to Ottawa to outline to Canadian officials Russia's principal requirements in the way of munitions and supplies. Already some Canadian weapons are going to Russia, according to Munitions Minister Howe.

District Masonic Gathering Is Held at Lachute

DIS. DEPUTY GRAND MASTER PRESIDES OVER ANNUAL SESSION OF ORDER

GRAND LODGE DELEGATION IN ATTENDANCE

A large gathering of Masons assembled in Lachute on Saturday evening to attend a meeting of the Ottawa District, comprising ten Lodges, of which Malcolm K. MacCallum, of Buckingham, is the Deputy Grand Master.

During the afternoon the 2nd. degree was very ably exemplified by Bro. J. M. Shouldice, Wor. Master of Eddy Lodge, Hull, after which there was a brief discussion period.

The Grand Master, Most Wor. Bro. Homer A. Mitchell, of Montreal, was in attendance accompanied by the following Grand Lodge Officers: Wm. Carswell, D.G.Master; W. W. Williamson, Grand Secretary; W. H. McCready, Grand Registrar; H. A. Beeho, Grand Steward; T. S. Mitchell, D.D.G.M., No. 2 District; Rev. C. Geo. Smith, Ass. Grand Chaplain; Wm. Eaves, P.G.D.of C.; E. W. Windram, G.D. of C.; S. L. Willman, P.G.-S.W.; J. N. A. Rice, P.G.J.W.; and W. Louttit, P.D.D.G.M.

A banquet was held in the evening at which Bro. MacCallum presided and remarks were given by Grand Master Mitchell, the evening address being made by Rev. Bro. Smith. Other Grand Lodge Officers also spoke words of inspiration, and appreciation was expressed by the presiding officer. Wor. Bro. John A. McKimmie favored with one of Drummond's Habitant recitations, which was well received.

The evening closed with the singing of the national anthem.

Barn Destroyed At River Rouge

St. Andrews East — Mr. George Rodger, of "Rodgerdale", River Rouge, had the misfortune to lose a quantity of baled hay when a barn on his property took fire. The building was an old one. Lachute firemen responded to a call and prevented spread of the fire to a cottage nearby.

New Ruler



The Crown Prince of Iran is the country's ruler upon the abdication of his father. The Shah gave up his throne as British and Russian troops advanced to occupy Teheran, the capital.

New Houses Being Constructed at Kilmar

Kilmar, Que. — The community of Kilmar is growing. Four new houses are now under construction at the school site, and it is believed that approximately 20 more will be built very shortly. In charge of the manufacturing of concrete blocks for these houses is Mr. Ed Lewis, of Montreal.

FOR PRISONERS' AID

Manchester (CP) — A letter or postcard from a British war prisoner was the ticket of admission to a meeting held to discuss shipments of food, clothes and games to prisoners.

CONSTRUCTIVE TOPICS HEARD AT THE REGIONAL COUNTRY WOMEN'S CONF'CE

IMPRESSIONS FROM RECENT GATHERING IN OTTAWA

By J. GRAHAM, W.I. County Convenor of Agriculture

(Continued from last issue)

Mrs. March Mount, the tree lady of the U.S.A. Forestry, quoted: "The Press are the masters of Intelligence and Intelligence is the master of the world." One thing we all needed more of, she said, was a sense of humor. The common-sense of humor was keeping the people of England up. She herself was full of a sense of humor and appealed to her audience greatly. She claimed that once she had wanted to be a dairy maid but was told that she was too small, but thought that she could at least have been a "Condensed milk maid". In speaking of our leader Mrs. Watt, she said she thought we ought to be grateful to the Watts, for was it not from the watts that we got our electric light. Mrs. March Mount said we ought to think of timber as a crop and cut the right tree at the right moment instead of cutting indiscriminately, like the man who was seeking a gift for his wife and when the clerk said he had book ends, cried out, "The very thing, my wife always reads the ends first."

The children of the world are all one nation and our prayer ought to be that we might take our part in the world's work. All of our trouble came from lack of conservation in the Garden of Eden, a deep sleep fell upon Adam and from his rib they made a woman but nowhere in the Bible did it say Adam ever did wake up. Some people thought it was really his backbone that a woman was made from. She felt that to be true; in watching the elk herds in the Rockies she had noted that it was always an old cow that was leading them. Mrs. March Mount's final words were "The avid test of our democracy is whether we will of our own free will take care of our forests."

Mr. O. A. Beriau, Director of Handicrafts, Quebec, spoke of the time when every home was a workshop. He advised a return to handicrafts as a means of saving our money and having a better living. He claimed that the looms of today were light and weaving was but a pleasant occupation. Quoting Mr. Beriau: "He or she who does creative work has in their soul a window through which they can look upon some of life's grandest scenes." Mr. Beriau explained the plan to place young couples on six-acre farms and teach them to make a living from them and have a little money over. This scheme, he said, was working in Beauce County. Later, in speaking of that address to a friend, the question was asked, "But what are their sons and daughters going to do for a living?"

Dr. Helen Mitchell, Director of Nutrition in the U.S.A., asked this question: "How many people do you know who are really vibrantly, buoyantly well?" Illness was due usually to wrong diet. A wrong diet took toll of our strength and spirits; Dr. Mayo said that most of the patients that came to the famous clinic were there because of malnutrition, no matter what the illness was. "We abuse vegetables in cooking", she said. "Also we cater too much to the likes of our families instead of teaching them to like things that are nourishing." She thought every one should, in the words of the old negro, "have a garden and a cow, some vegetables and a sow, 24 chickens and a rooster — and they'd live better than they uster."

Miss Barber, who has been loaned by the Kellogg Company to the United States as a food consultant for the Secretary of War, explained how they provided their army with food, also when they were on the march saw that the capacious pockets in their uniforms were filled with a new sort of chocolate bar which combined chocolate with wheat flour and other ingredients that made them food as well as sweets.

Miss Lilian Shaben of Cornell University, in her speech on "Recent Research", said there is a great discrepancy between what people know, and what people do, to keep themselves and their families well nourished. Miss Shaben claimed that people of 50 should not weigh more than they did at 30, also that we should eat 50 per cent of fruit, vegetables and eggs, also use milk." "Eat 70 per cent of this," said Miss Shaben, "and go back to normal weight." There is nothing so difficult to overcome as comfortable appetities, but it can be done. Of all habits we get into the "eating habit" is the most tenacious. Cook cabbage lightly, she advised. "Cabbage that is cooked until it is pink is not fit to eat, and cabbage cooked until it is brown should be buried. A healthy stomach is always slightly acid, and one can run oneself into anemia by continually using soda to cure acid stomach."

"Woman's chief work", said Miss Shaben, "is to attend to the continuity of life and its protection and nourishment."

Dr. Ruby Green Smith, head of New York Extension Service, spoke of the British Government as the mother of all democratic governments and classed Hitler's new order as "a ghastly disorder." Mrs. Green said, "Usefulness is a trait of character that is a saleable strip." She told the tale of the Frenchman who on being told by an impudent fellow that "there was nothing but wind in a Frenchman's politeness," replied, "There is nothing but wind in an automobile tire, but does it not smooth the way by which we ride?"

Dr. Green told how the dipper of stars that we see in the sky came to be there according to an old legend. An old lady was carrying water quite a distance to her home; the only vessel she had to carry it in being an old rusty dipper. On the way she met a thirsty, crying child and stopped to let it drink from her dipper. When the child had been satisfied there was a large silver spot on the dipper. When the old lady reached her home there was a weary, ragged old beggar there, who begged her for a drink. As she handed him the dipper he drank all of its contents, and as he drank the dipper kept changing until finally it was all silver. When he had finished

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Cargoes of Locomotives Prove Confidence in Ocean Transportation

Twenty Four Now Being Built in Britain for Further Shipment to Turkey

(By Mail)

London — British locomotive engineers are now building 24 railway engines for Turkey. They are part of an order for 68 locomotives for that country.

The engines weigh 106½ tons each and their speed is 70 kilometres an hour. Thirty-four locomotives, nearly £250,000 in value, were sent overseas from Britain in the three months ending June 30th, seven more than during the preceding quarter. During the quarter Britain also shipped 18 locomotive boilers abroad, a total of 56, valued at about £110,000, for the first half of the year.

Reconnaissance Corps, New Unit of Britain's Army



Bren gun carriers of Britain's new Reconnaissance Corps raise clouds of dust as they speed over rugged test tracks in Northern Ireland exercises. This new Corps is referred to as "the cavalry of the mechanized forces."

BRITAIN MAY HAVE EGGS ON LEASE-LEND

United States as Well as Canada Going Strong on Effort to Feed Old Country this Winter

By IRVING PERLMETER
Associated Press Staff Writer

Washington, Sept. 15 (CP) — With the help of lend-lease food from the United States, Britons may get one egg a person weekly this winter.

That is, what the United States can send under the lend-lease bill will add enough to the 30,000,000 dozen eggs Canada is sending, and the hard-working hens of Britain are doing, to make the average just that.

This was given by British sources as an example of how vital the U.S. lend-lease program is going to be to the nutrition of the besieged island. Canada, too, is doing a wonderful job in food for Britain.

It is explained that U.S. lend-lease food will be only a small percentage of the total tonnage of British food, but will all be of such vital relation as to be almost indispensable.

Milk, both in the evaporated and dried forms, is No. 1 on the lend-lease list. Cheese and all other dairy products are next followed by bacon and other meat products, then concentrated vitamin products, vegetables and fruits (both canned or dried). Then there are eggs.

Bread Galore

"The bread situation in England is lovely", one Briton said. "Right now, the typical British diet is bread, bread and more bread. What we are short of is animal proteins, and without them we should sap the vitality of the people."

In Britain lend-lease food is generally sold over the counter of the ordinary grocery store, at prices fixed under criminal penalties by the government and at levels designed to make them available to the poorest people. Cost of transportation and so on prevent any profit to the government. British sources said the Food Ministry's deficit was figured at $400,000,000 a year.

Sometimes prices in Britain are lower than in the United States. All kinds of U.S. cheese are sold at the same price of about 21 2/3 cts. a pound. Bacon comes at about 30½ cents a pound, lard 15 cents, and eggs when available at from 30 to 55 cents a dozen, depending on grade.

About 600 communal kitchens built by the British government are selling full size meals including meat dishes for about 15 cts.

DUCK-HUNTER IS SHOT AT RIGAUD

Shotgun Charge Shatters Man's Right Wrist and Arm

Sam Buschi, 53, of Montreal, was taken to the Montreal General Hospital in a serious condition from a badly shattered arm and loss of blood, after a mishap which occurred Sunday on the Ottawa River.

The accident happened on the Lake of Two Mountains, near Rigaud, late Sunday afternoon. The victim told Provincial Police he was duck-hunting with two companions in a rowboat when his own shotgun went off and hit him in the right wrist and arm.

Buschi's two friends got him to shore, where doctors succeeded in stopping the flow of blood.

Unpasteurized Milk Brings Fine of $25

Hawkesbury — In police court here with Magistrate Raoul Labrosse of Vankleek Hill presiding, Albert Legault of this town, charged by Dr. L. P. Beaudoin, medical officer of health, with the sale of unpasteurized milk, was fined $25 and $18.35 costs.

Prevalent Fashion For "Tin Hats"

Gives One to Every Third Inhabitant of Britain

(By Mail)

London — One inhabitant of Britain in every three has got a tin hat now that 2,700,000 of a new type have been added to the 14,000,000 already supplied to the fighting forces, the Home Guard, the civil Defence Services, fire-watchers and industrial workers.

The latest style, which is for fire-watchers and industrial workers, is shaped like a pudding basin. It has been designed by the Ministry of Supply with an adjustable band inside the rim to fit trimly over a woman's hair without a chin-strap. The band is adjusted by a shoe-lace threaded through holes drilled in the rim.

Tin hats have reached the enormous total of 16,700,000 because by a simple engineering process they can be stamped out from sheet metal in one single press operation, which produces the hat from the die. The subsequent drilling and finishing is an easy job, quickly done.

AUCTION SALES

Horses and Cattle

In the Sale Pavilion at
ARNOLDWOLD FARMS,
GRENVILLE, QUE.,

on Monday, Sept. 29th, commencing 10 a.m., rain or shine.

The following livestock will be sold to the highest bidder, regardless of price :—

2 Carloads (38 head) heavy bush horses.

2 Carloads (40 head) brood mares, some with foal at foot, yearlings and two year olds.

1 Carload (20 head) good saddle horses.

2 Carloads (42 head) good drivers.

25 Head dairy cows, heifers, including some due to freshen December and January.

Terms: Cash. Parties desiring credit up to 90 days must make arrangements before sale. —2c.

At —
OAKLEA AYRSHIRE FARM
6 miles east of Lachute, Que., on No. 8 highway, on Friday, Sept. 26th, at 1 p.m. (D.S.T.).

Herd accredited and blood tested. 1 herd sire born Nov. 25th 1938 — 219866, Woodlea M. S. Coastguard. (DAM—Woodlea M. S. Wee Dot —181405, R. of P. No. 10289, 3-yr.-old. Record in 365 days 12,-354 lbs. milk, 505 lbs. fat, 4.09 average test. Sold to Borden Co. and was considered one of the best producing Ayrshires in their exhibition at the World's Fair, New York.

SIRE—Bridgeview Aspiration — 144868, R. O. P. No. 1073, Class A.A.).

9 Reg. milch cows, 4 grade milch cows, 1 pure-bred heifer, 1½ yrs.-old, 2 Reg. heifers, 1 yr. old, 1 Reg. heifer calf, 5 months old, 1 Grade heifer calf, 8 months old, also 1 mare, 9 yrs. old, weighing about 1400 lbs.

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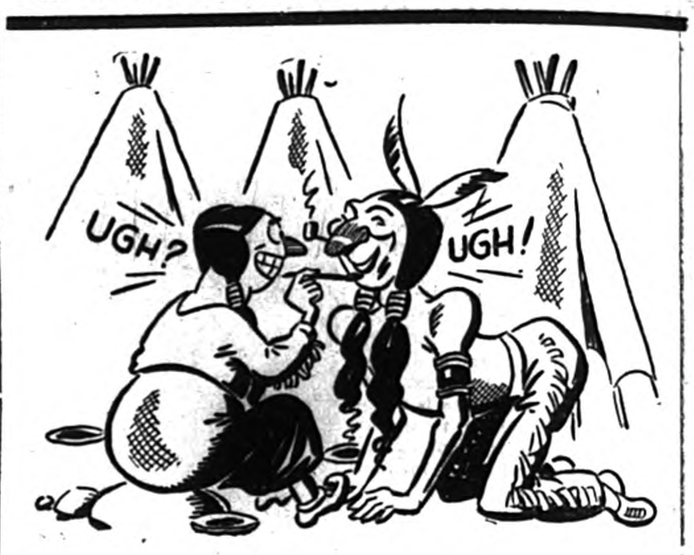
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Talking About Ourselves

Newspaper editors aren't particularly addicted to talking about themselves — especially editors of papers in small communities.

Aside from an occasional reminder when our readers lag too far in their subscription bills, we try to keep in the background.

But the week of Oct. 1 to 8 has been designated as National Newspaper Week, when the greatest metropolitan dailies and the smallest weeklies alike will call attention to their services and activities.

To many, our community paper may seem insignificant. It has no rotogravure, no far-flung wire services, no private airplanes to carry its reporters to the scene of big stories — none of the expensive and attention-compelling facilities of the big city daily.

Because of its small size and scope, however, it can devote all its energies to the home community. If its news sometimes seems trivial in a world torn by wars and catastrophies, that's the reason. It tries to be a home paper.

Apart from calling attention to the individual publication, the idea of a week set aside for newspapers is a sound one. Its value is heightened because this year, when National Newspaper Week is first nationally observed, has seen the revealing white light of the unshackled press extinguished in so much of Europe.

A free press means newspaper workers can write what they think without fear of being jailed by an ever-watchful Gestapo, but it means much more than that — it guarantees to a free people the right to know the truth.

Prepaid Hospital Care for Rural Communities in Ontario

Prepaid hospital care is soon to be made available to the rural communities of Ontario. Prompt and efficient hospitalization, whenever called for and without the worry of subsequent bills, will greatly shorten many attacks of illness, and for that reason alone the plan should be widely adopted. The scheme is warmly endorsed by the Health League of Canada.

Mr. N. H. Saunders, Secretary of the Plan for Hospital Care, stated that his board of administration was considering two alternative schemes for extending its benefits to rural areas.

One was, to regard farmers as a special economic group, to which the Plan would be opened by means of co-operation with various farmers' organizations, such as creameries, credit unions, co-operatives, etc. The second would include each farm family as part of the population of the nearest town or village and permit farmers to apply for the service — a non-profit one — through a local bank, newspaper office or similar sponsor.

In either case, he said, the farmer would be subject to the same fees — 50c a month for himself alone or a dollar a month for himself, his wife and all members of his immediate family below the age of 16 years — and would be entitled to the same benefits as is the urban subscriber. These benefits were: immediate and complete hospitalization in case of need and without regard to the length of time during which fees had been paid, for a period up to three weeks in any one year, as well as use of operating room, pathological and bio-chemistry services, drugs, medications, dressings, etc. The hospital bills would be paid directly by the Plan.

As evidence of the popularity which the Plan has achieved in Ontario cities, Mr. Saunders mentioned that as a result of the presentation to the staff of the John Inglis Company nearly 6,000 participants had recently enrolled as a group. This was but one example of large industrial group enrolments, he stated.

It was emphasized that the Plan was a purely co-operative, community effort, that it was free from the profit-making motive, that its board of administration worked without payment, and that its overhead was strictly limited. Monetary success of the plan would be returned to subscribers in the form of extended and increased benefits.

A dreamer is a man who can sit around reading travel folders after his vacation.

It's better to buy Canada's bonds than to wear Hitler's.

A Black Chapter

Ruthless execution of Norwegian labor leaders by the invading power seems as black a chapter as the Nazis have written. We suppose it is logical that wars should become more and more horrible before they are finally outlawed forever, and distant fields of battle of other centuries do look green in comparison with the twentieth century's. Once fighting ceased with the sunset and men slept in peace. Even in the last war the battle was chiefly between men in uniform. No doubt there were offences against civilians, but many of the alleged "atrocities" were admitted, after the war, never to have taken place. The submarine did strike cruelly at civilians, however, and there was the countering food blockade which spread disease and famine in Germany.

This time we have "total" war. The German armies in their invasion of France harried the civilian population to clutter up military roads and interfere with Allied army movements. Bombers strike their principal blows, not at armies, but at cities. The conquering Nazis apparently execute civilians by the hundreds to subdue the conquered peoples. We believe these stories, because the Nazis used the same method of government on their fellow citizens before the war. A civilian no longer needs to be a spy to be shot. No Edith Cavell incident is possible in this war. Innocent persons are executed for what others over whom they have no control have done.

Treatment of the Norwegians is so awful that Germany's ally, Finland, permits one of its own newspapers to write sympathetically of what is going on in that country. Now that Finland has recovered what she lost to Russia, when Russia was the aggressor, she must surely soon dissociate herself from Nazi Germany.

—Newmarket Era

Petty "Walk-Outs"

A little strike here and a little strike there is hindering Canada's War Effort far more than most of us realize. These petty "walk-outs" on the part of the employees of small manufacturing concerns are holding up production in some of Canada's major war industries, owing to lack of necessary materials. In many cases it looks as though workers are taking advantage of a labor shortage at the present time to strike for higher wages — the fact that they may be holding up supplies for our fighting forces does not matter as long as their personal welfare is being maintained. Strike agitators are not very patriotic or loyal, to say the least.

—Winchester Press

"Blackouts" aren't so new. Over 400 years ago, when the German city of Frankfurt was threatened with attack, the civic authorities ordered all upper windows to be darkened to hide the city from the enemy.

The League of Nations' financial budget for 1941 was reduced 77 per cent from 1939. — That's one budget down !

The two marvels of highway construction in England are the ancient Roman roads and the recent Canadian road. —Toronto Daily Star

Small Contentment

Trumpets of the sounding wind
Are crying through the land,
And heavy clouds are marching slow
Before their far command;
But valley slopes are patched with corn,
Corner fields are gold and gay,
And small blue smokes from chimney-pots
Start up to wreathe the day.

The month has left this spinning hour
Between the hills and me,
With clouds that march and winds that cry
The challenges that be;
But my heart is glad in the lee of a hill
For color and the Autumn sun,
For pungent wood-smoke wreathing slow
And a little day begun.

—Eva Buik

Ste.-Agathe-des-Monts, Que.

War Project or Peace Project ? The Layman Wants to Know

Are immediate needs for power development a factor in the St. Lawrence project? — Impression from a leaflet specially reviewed for Lachute Watchman.

The St. Lawrence Waterway

The St. Lawrence Waterway is a project of such magnitude that it is doubtful if the average layman knows very much about it.

Mr. H. Michell, M.A., Professor of Political Economy at McMaster University, Hamilton, discusses this project in masterly fashion in a brief pamphlet recently reprinted from The Hamilton Spectator.

In explaining the general objects of this great undertaking he says that "it contemplates . . . the provision of a 27-foot waterway from the Atlantic to the head of the Great Lakes . . . In addition to this it would provide a source of hydro-electric energy sufficient to generate 2,200,000 horse-power, which would be shared by the two countries, Canada therefore benefitting . . . to the extent of 1,100,000 horse-power."

Canada's share of the cost is estimated at $144,418,000; but "it is well within the rights of the layman to remind the people . . . that such great undertakings invariably cost more than at first supposed." It will be the greatest single engineering job ever tackled, greater than the Panama Canal, which was estimated to cost $160,000,000 but actually did cost $375,000,000.

The argument has been advanced that this work should begin immediately as a "war project".

It is somewhat difficult to understand where this has any justification. The experts estimate that the whole installation could be concluded in four years. "In other words, power could be expected some time in 1945." Surely the war will be won or lost by that time.

There is no doubt that, from a long range point of view, Canada would reap great benefits from this project. But at a time when every available means and every available dollar is being required to win this battle for our lives, can we afford to spend another $144,000,000, or perhaps $244,000,000, and the services of thousands of men, to procure power in 1945? There are many who are of the opinion that this is more legitimately a "peace project" and not a "war project."

On the other hand, if Eastern Canada is short of hydro-electric power at the present time, a matter which is very much doubted by many high-ranking officials, a brief survey shows that over 5,000,000 horse power could be quickly provided from other sources — about five times that of the St. Lawrence Seaway plan, and without having to wait four years to get it. At Beauharnois, for instance, it is possible to develop quickly an additional 1,000,000 horse power. On the Saguenay 700,000 h.p. is available; on the St. Maurice, 1,000,000 h.p.; on the Quinze River, 150,000 h.p.; on the Ottawa, 400,000 h.p. can be delivered quickly at Carillon, 600,000 h.p. on the upper Ottawa, and so on.

Therefore, "there seems to be no escaping from the conclusion that Canada . . . cannot afford to participate in this great and costly project. Ardently as she wishes to meet the desires of the United States in her gratitude for the magnificent assistance that is being given at this time of peril, Canada is too preoccupied with her present war effort, and her available resources are too strained to allow her to be diverted to an issue so costly which must take years to be brought to a successful conclusion.

It might be in the public interest to have a highly qualifed commission of experts make a careful survey of the many other sources of hydro-electric power throughout Eastern Canada. There is good reason to believe that many millions more horse-power could be developed at a cost within our means and which could be sold to the public at a price much more attractive than that now in effect.



"We thought you were great, Miss Leslie, especially the fellow who played your husband!"

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Montreal Association for the Blind

Editor, Watchman.

Dear Sir :—

If your readers know of any English-speaking child who is absenting himself or herself from school on account of impaired vision, will you please send the name and address to our Institution. It is very important that all blind and partially blind children should be educated, and the School of the Montreal Association for the Blind is well equipped for this purpose. The children are taught to read and write by means of the Braille System, and in addition, to the subjects taught in the ordinary Public School, instruction is given in Music and Typewriting and the pupils are trained in some useful occupation which will enable them to become self-supporting citizens.

We have a Sight-Saving Class too, where children read and write in large type. Frequently by placing children with weak eyes in a sight-saving class such as is operated by our school, present vision is preserved for many more years than would be the case if the pupils stayed in regular classes with consequent eyestrain.

Extensive grounds are attached to the school building with suitable apparatus for recreation. Only those parents who are in a position to do so are expected to contribute towards their child's maintenance.

Your co-operation in the work of locating the English-speaking blind and partially blind children will be very greatly appreciated.

—J. T. Heggie, Principal

Russian Guerillas' Pledge of Death

Operating behind the German lines from the Baltic to the Black Sea, Russian guerilla bands have struck blow on blow at Nazi communications — destroying bridges, attacking isolated units, leaving to German columns nothing but the devastation of a scorched earth.

In furtherance of their campaign, members of the guerilla bands, according to Russian papers, have taken this pledge of death before surrender;

"I, a citizen of the great Soviet Union, a faithful son of (name of Republic), swear that I will not lay down my weapons until the last Fascist in our land is destroyed. I swear to obey the orders of my commanders and to keep strict military discipline. I swear to take unmerciful revenge for the destruction of our towns and villages, for the death of our children, for the tortures, violence and humiliation inflicted upon my people. Blood must be repaid by blood and death by death. I swear to assist the Red Army in every possible way, to destroy without sparing my efforts or even my life. I swear that I would rather die than surrender to the enemy and that I will not let my people be enslaved by the bloodthirsty Fascists. Should I, through weakness, cowardice or evil designs break this solemn oath and betray the interests of my people, may I die a shameful death at the hands of my comrades."

Britain's Iron Ration

Thousands of Tons Stored Against Invasion

(By Mail)

London — Britain's civilian population has been provided with an Iron Ration for the first time in history. Thousands of tons of it have been stored in depots from one end of the country to the other.

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"Good. Count me in. I'll bring the soap."

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"My father has influenza all the time."

"Doesn't he know that whiskey is good for influenza?"

"Yes, that's why he has it all the time."

First Golfer: "Shall we play another round next Monday?"

Second Golfer: "Well, I was to be married on Monday, but I can put it off until Tuesday."

WAR — TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

CANADIANS ON THE SOMME TOOK PART IN BITTER FIGHTING FOLLOWING CAPTURE OF COURCELETTE

By H. H. GORDON, Canadian Press Staff Writer

The brilliant success of the 2nd Canadian Division at Courcelette, Sept. 15, 1916, was a prelude to a month of heavy fighting on the Somme in which the entire Canadian Corps participated. Losses were heavy, but the Canadians, with Australians on their left, gained considerable ground that was consolidated and held throughout the ensuing winter.

In the Courcelette region the Germans defended a maze of strongly fortified trenches from which they poured a withering fire on attacking troops. Such names as Regina Trench, Kenora Trench and Zollern Trench have bitter memories for veterans of the First Great War.

Capture of these fortifications was the objective of several attacks by British and Canadian troops in the last week of September. Sir Douglas Haig had eyes on positions that would allow the British to overlook the Ancre Valley and make the defences of the enemy north of the Ancre River most precarious.

Canadians In Van

The task of subduing the Germans in this area was allotted to the British 5th Army which included the Canadian Corps. Thiepval, on the left, was taken by the Imperial 11th Division, Sept. 26, and the Canadians, on the right, carried their objectives and brought their line within striking distance of Regina Trench. The successes were promptly exploited and subsequent advances left the Germans with only a scanty foothold south of the Ancre.

Regina Trench was stubbornly defended and some of the worst fighting of 1916 occurred in this sector. Attack after attack was launched by the Canadians and the number of times certain portions of the trench changed hands before the Germans were driven out permanently has never been told. It was finally captured by the 4th Canadian Division under General David Watson in mid-October.

During the many days of attacks and counter-attacks from Sept. 15 to Oct. 15 there were hundreds of instances of individual daring. Fighting was heavy all along the Canadian front and frequently it was so local in character that operations rested on initiative of the ranks and file. In this respect the Canadians were second to none.

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DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

MORIN HEIGHTS

Miss Leona Boyd was home from Lachute over the week-end.

Miss Isobel Bethel, of Montreal, accompanied by Miss Elaine Gilbey, of Cartierville, spend the week-end at their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. George Trites, of St. Laurent, and their nephew, Mr. Kenneth Hamilton, of Cowansville, visited with Mrs. Wm. R. Bell during the week-end.

A shower in honor of Miss Elma Goldthorpe, whose marriage to Mr. Ronald Hulley takes place on Sept. 27th, was held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Davis on Thursday last. She was presented with a set of dishes along with a goodly supply of home-made jams and pickles.

ARUNDEL

Miss Laura Davis, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Davis.

Miss Janet Smellie, of St. Lambert, and Lieut. Burdon of H.M.S. Camrose, Halifax, N.S., were recent week-end guests of Mrs. Margaret Smellie.

Mr. Melvin Graham, of Quebec, and Mr. Gavin Graham, the Misses Muriel Graham and Thelma Mitchell, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Graham.

Mrs. J. Kerr, of Morin Heights, spent the past week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Champagne.

The W. A. of Grace Church met at the home of Mrs. George Marshall on Thursday last.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Ellsworth, of Ithaca, N.Y., also Mrs. Jessie Ellsworth, of Bangor, N.Y., were guests of Mrs. Margaret Smellie last week.

Mr. E. Bulley, of Montreal, spent the week-end at his cottage here.

Among those from here who attended the Gilfillan-Buckley wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooke and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooke.

Miss Janie Morrison is spending this week in Montreal, the guest of her sister, Miss E. Morrison.

KILMAR

Mr. and Mrs. Al Comba and Mr. L. Dells, of Kilmar, motored to Montreal Saturday afternoon to attend a baseball game.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kenny, of Kilmar, left last week for Montreal, where they will spend a few days' holiday visiting friends and relatives.

Aircraftsman Lyle Kirby, of St. Thomas, Ont., spent last week-end in Kilmar visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kirby.

Mr. Jack Scott, paymaster for the Canadian Refractories Ltd., left last week-end for a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. Parry, of Montreal, has been spending some time here visiting at the home of his son, Mr. Jack Parry, plant manager of Canadian Refractories.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Mrs. V. F. Lilly returned on Monday from a week-end visit with her sisters, Mrs. L. L. Pascoe, Westmount, and Mrs. W. T. Turner, Montreal West. Signalman Lloyd Lilly, of Barriefield, Ont., joined his mother, on several days' leave. Stephen Lilly spent Saturday with his brother.

Miss Janet Wallace returned on Monday from a visit to her home in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Simpson, of Toronto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simpson last week.

Most of the summer visitors returned for the week-end.

Mr. Chas. Pease spent Monday in Montreal.

Mrs. Douglas A. Rodger and Mrs. Ross MacAdam were hostesses to the Women's Guild of the United Church Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 17th, at Mrs. Rodger's home, Lachute Road.

Engagement Announced

Flt. Lt. Robert H. Cowan announces the engagement of his sister, Ruth Lopise Howell, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cowan, of Chatham, Ont., to Mr. William H. Gates, of Chatham, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gates, of St. Andrews East, Que. The marriage will take place early in October.

MILLE ISLES

Mr. and Mrs. Victor T. Ward spent the week-end at "Lily Crest".

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ward were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jackson at Brownsburg.

Pte. Leonard Buxton, stationed at Farnham, spent the week-end at his home accompanied by his friend, Pte. H. R. Watson.

The annual thanksgiving service was held in Christ Church on Sunday evening, September 21st. Mr. Horace Baugh conducted the service. The church had been beautifully decorated by the ladies of the congregation, and a new lamp given by the Women's Guild was used for the first time, to great advantage.

The following are a few of the many visitors who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wood at "The White House" during the past season — Mr. and Mrs. Clow, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott, Miss Edwards, Miss Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Cartier, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Gaskin and daughters, Mrs. Mendelson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Gordon and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. McCardel and family, Mrs. J. Burnette, Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Trig, Mrs. Brereton, Miss Brereton, Miss Hoar, Mr. McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. Ford and daughter, Mrs. Benholme and daughter, Mr. Barney Mullins, Mr. Bernard Redmond, Mr. Eric Painter, Mr. Simons, Miss Hurst, Mr. H. W. Comber, Miss McKenna, Mrs. Eddington, Dr. Eddington, Mr. and Mrs. Warsnip and daughter, all of Montreal; Miss Lucille Nicholas, New York; Miss Hyde, St. Andrews; Mrs. Walstein, Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dawson, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. F. Gurr and family of Grand'Mere; Mr. and Mrs. R. Talbot and daughters, St. Lambert.

CUSHING

The Misses Cleland entertained the Ladies' Aid of St. Mungo's Church on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Cora Rourke, of Montreal, is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. George Bradford, at the home of her brother, Mr. John Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Heatlie on Wednesday. Miss M. McKiddie, of Macdonald College, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dobbie.

Miss Christina Graham spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Graham.

Miss Gladys Birchill, of Sydney, Cape Breton, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. L. McGain and daughter, Nora, of Montreal, spent the week-end at Fairview, having as their guests Miss Rita Payette, Miss Alison Huntley and Mr. and Mrs. Don Kelloway, of Montreal. Mr. and Mrs. Kelloway left on Sunday for their summer home at Lake McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Burton and son, Scott, of Montreal, spent the week-end with the Misses Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. W. H. Godwin at "Glenelen". Mrs. Percy Ross of Montreal was a week-end guest.

Mrs. J. Gleave and son, Russel, of Montreal, were week-enders at Lorne Crest.

Mrs. John Craig and children, Muriel and Allan, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. McGain on Saturday evening.

Mrs. G. Dugan and family, of Montreal, occupied "Green Cottage" over the week-end, having as their guest Mrs. Munro, of Toronto.

Miss L. Clark, Mr. C. Clark, of Mabel, also Mrs. John Norris of Manitoba and son, Jack, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning on Sunday. Mrs. Norris was on her way home from Jamaica after spending some time with her husband, who is stationed there.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union met at the home of Mrs. J. Murdoch, Mabel, and appointed Mrs. C. W. P. Baugh as delegate for the conference at North Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Fuller and son, Donald, spent Sunday visiting at Coteau.

Mrs. Effie Greenleese, of Toronto, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fuller.

DALESVILLE

Mr. Vernon Hammond, of Lachine, spent the week-end at his camp here.

Mr. Joss Mather, of Montreal, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dixon and family spent the week-end in Calumet, guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. Prophet.

Mr. Alex Vary was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Campbell this past week.

Mr. Lawrence Bigelow, of Montreal, was home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Turney, of Brownsburg, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Cleland.

Mrs. D. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dixon and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman McRae, Lachute.

The Dalesville Baptist Women's Mission Circle were the guests of Mrs. A. Murdoch, of Mabel, on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Campbell were Sunday guests of the McGeorge family.

The Rev. Simmons and Miss Simmons, R.N., also Mr. J. A. Campbell and Miss Ethel Campbell, of Thurso, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Campbell one day last week.

The Rev. and Mrs. M. Gillion, of Bobcaygeon, Ont., were recent guests of the Rev. and Mrs. C. Hardie.

CARILLON

A cable was received from Sgt. Norman Bradley, W.A.G., R.C.A.F., advising his parents of his arrival overseas.

Mrs. Herbert McComb, of St. St. Chrysostome, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. Bradley, Carillon.

CALUMET

The many friends of Mr. George Higginson are glad to hear that he is improving in health after his serious operation. Mr. Higginson is now in hospital in Montreal. We hope that he will soon be well enough to return home.

Mrs. A. Segal, of Montreal, is spending a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brigden.

Mrs. J. Macdougall and Miss Dorothy Macdougall, of Ottawa, were Saturday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Foreman.

Messrs. H. G. Brannan, R. C. Whinfield, M. R. Robinson and George Foreman attended the Masonic banquet in Lachute on Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. Brigden and Miss Elsie Brigden returned home this week from Montreal, where they had been spending the last few weeks.

Mrs. S. Harris is in the Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal. Her many friends in this community wish her a speedy recovery to good health and hope that she will soon be home again.

Mrs. J. Black returned from Ottawa to spend the rest of her vacation in Calumet, before returning to her home in Montreal. While in Calumet she is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brigden.

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patriotic - minded citizens, to contribute $1 each to close out the Argenteuil Spitfire Campaign. Send donations immediately to Lachute Watchman Office.

CUSHING WEST

Miss Catherine Cooke, who is a student at Macdonald College this year, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mrs. Geo. O'Brien, of Thurso, who is spending a few weeks visiting friends and relatives in this locality, is a guest of Mrs. C. L. Cooke this week.

Mr. C. F. Watson motored from Sorel and spent the week-end at home.

Mr. Hartley Cutten, of Montreal, is a guest of his grandmother, Mrs. S. O. Hartley, this week previous to entering for his second year at McGill. Mr. Kenneth Hartley, who enters for his first year, is also spending the week with his friends here.

Guests of Mrs. C. A. Mattinson for last week-end were — Mr. and Miss Young, Miss Isabel Abraham, Mr. Stanley Sharpe and Miss Margaret Young, who motored up on Sunday.

Dr. Cushing and family — which included his brother, Mr. Jas. Cushing and Miss Florence Cushing — spent the week-end at his residence.

Mr. W. H. Robert, of Monalea, and Mr. Amedée Maisonneuve, of St. Philippe, motored to Maniwaki and visited friends, the beginning of this week.

A number of friends from Cushing, Stonefield and Chatboro assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Owens at Stonefield on Thursday evening last and "showered" this very popular young couple with gifts — some useful, some ornamental and all very nice.

Mrs. Usher entertained as guests over the week-end her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. Dowd, of Ottawa, with their daughter, Miss Patsy Dowd, also their son, Lieut. Elbert Dowd of the Engineers, who is on leave from Petawawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Keatley, of Montreal, were also week-end guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Usher.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton spent the week-end at their residence.

BROWNSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Elliott, of Brownsburg, have been recent guests at Gray Rocks Inn, St. Jovite, Que.

The October meeting of the Brownsburg Women's Institute will be held on Thursday, Oct. 2nd., at 7.30 p.m., in the Social Club room. Convenor—Mrs. David McCulloch; Home Economics. Roll-Call—Ways and means of using up left overs.

Miss "Pinky" Mitchell, of New York City, is spending a two weeks' vacation with Miss Hilary Jones in Brownsburg.

LAKEFIELD

Mrs. C. W. P. Baugh, of Lakefield and son Howard, of Montreal, have just returned from an extended trip through the province visiting relatives and friends.

OBITUARY

Many Mourn Death Of Mrs. Salter Clark

Many friends and relatives attended the funeral service for Mrs. Salter Clark in Lachute United Church last Sunday. A short service was held at her late residence prior to the church ceremonies.

Mrs. Clark passed away at her home in Hill Head on Thursday evening, in her 64th year. She was, before her marriage to Mr. Clark in 1896, Grace Jennie Marshall, of Dalesville. She was very well known to the people of Dalesville and Mabel, where she lived before taking up residence at Hill Head 35 years ago.

The Rev. W. B. Rosborough conducted the funeral service. In his message, he spoke of the high regard in which Mrs. Clark was held by all those who knew her, and he spoke words of sympathy and comfort for the bereaved.

The pall-bearers were Mrs. Clark's four nephews, Messrs. Irvin Clark, James Clark, Kenneth Clark and Bazil Clark; her uncle, Mr. John Mason of Brownsburg, and Mr. Arthur Campbell of Dalesville.

Mrs. Clark is survived by her husband, Mr. Wm. Salter Clark, her son, Mr. George S. Clark, of Montreal, and her daughter, Mrs. R. Percival, of Lachute; her sisters, Mrs. David Clark and Mrs. Thomas Cousins; and her brothers, Messrs. George, James and Peter Marshall.

The many beautiful floral tributes, sent from those far and near, were expressive of the high regard in which the late Mrs. Clark was held, and of the widespread sympathy which is felt for those left to mourn their loss.

SPITFIRE DONATIONS GIVEN THIS WEEK

Owen Todd	$1.00
Miss Ruth Todd	1.00
Clayton Rogers	1.00
Mrs. Thos. Hume	1.00
Mrs. Robt. Black	1.00
Miss Elsie Earle	1.00
Wm. Black	1.00
Gilbert Demerse	1.00
John Falconer	1.00
Neil McCallum	1.00
Angus Taylor	1.00
Geo. M. Rodgers	2.00
Misses Jocelyn & Barbara Wilson	5.00
Harold McFaul	1.00
Miss Juliette Rodrigue	1.00
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Percy Bennett	1.00
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Mrs. Wm. Arthurs	1.00
Mrs. Isabel Cleland	1.00
Mrs. Robert McCrea	1.00
Mrs. A. E. Larmonth	1.00
John R. Graham	1.00
Miss Jean Graham	1.00
W. H. Gordon	1.00
Mrs. M. M. Hobson	1.00
Miss Frances Barker	1.00
Mrs. W. F. Boa	1.00
Murray Lyster	1.00
Amy Kyle	1.00
Gilbert Scott	1.00
Three friends from Cushing West	3.00

CALL TO METHODISTS

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Mrs. Geo. Dansereau Dies At Grenville After A Lengthy Illness

The death of Mrs. Hermine (Larose) Dansereau, at her home in Grenville last Monday, followed a lengthy illness. Seventy-one years of age, Mrs. Dansereau was the widow of the late Mr. Georges Dansereau, one-time mayor of Grenville and M.L.A. for Argenteuil, and mother of Hon. Georges E. Dansereau, present mayor of Grenville, M.L.A. for this county and Minister Without Portfolio in the Godbout Cabinet.

A daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Felix Larose, Mrs. Dansereau was born and educated in Vercheres. Her husband died in 1934.

Surviving are three sons, Hon. George E., Gaetan and Stanislas, of Grenville; four daughters, Mrs. P. Joly and Mrs. G. B. Paul, of Montreal; Mrs. Henri Proulx, of l'Original, Ont., and Miss Cecile Dansereau, of Grenville; two brothers, Rev. F. X. Larose, parish priest of St. Ours, and Calixte Larose, of Vercheres; and one sister, Mrs. Omer Dansereau, of Montreal.

Funeral service was held at the Parish Church of Notre Dame de la Victoire, Grenville, this morning (Thursday) and was very largely attended.

Fisherman Drowns Near St. Eustache Bridge

Suffering a heart attack while fishing near DeBellefeuille Bridge, St. Eustache, Omer Brais, a 24-year-old Montrealer, fell out of a rowboat and was drowned in the Mille Isles River on Monday.

His body was recovered a short while later about 125 feet from shore.

Chingford, Essex (CP) — Mrs. Margaret Watterson, 43, died after being stung by bees in the garden of her Chingford home.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

DEATHS

NOYES — At Butte, Montana, on September 17th, George Washington Noyes, aged 84 years, son of the late Thomas C. Noyes, of Cushing, Que.

PORRITT — On Wednesday, Sept. 24th, Nellie Rogers, beloved wife of Oswald A. Porritt. Funeral Thursday in Lachute.

CLARK — At Lachute, Que., on September 18th, born Grace Jennie Marshall, beloved wife of Salter W. Clark, aged 63 years.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

CLARK—Mr. Salter W. Clark and family wish to acknowledge with thanks the many floral tributes and letters of sympathy received in their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

BROWN —In memory of dear Sister, who passed away Sept. 29, 1939 — Ever remembered by Myrtle and Walter Watchorn, Louisa, Que.

"In our hearts your memory [lingers
Sweetly, tender, fond and true,
There is not a day that passes,
Sister, that we do not think of [you."

BROWN — In loving memory of a dear daughter and sister, Doris, who passed away Sept. 29th, 1939. —Sadly missed by her father, mother, sisters and brothers.

"We little knew when we woke that [morning,
The sorrow the day would bring,
For the call was sudden, the shock [severe;
To part with one we loved so dear
And wonder why you had to die
Without a chance to say Good-bye."

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CATCHUP	Libby's		12 oz. Btl.	15¢
PEA SOUP	Habitant	2	28 oz. tins	19¢
SPAGHETTI	Clark's	3	1's tins	25¢
OATS	ROBINHOOD		48oz. Pkg.	17¢
JEWEL	SHORTENING		lb.	19¢
LYON'S TEA	Blue Label		½ lb. Pkg.	47¢
IVORY SNOW			Pkg.	22¢
FRY'S COCOA			½ lb. Tin	19¢
TOM. JUICE	A & P	3	25 oz. tins	25¢
PRUNES	A & P Large		2 lb. Pkg.	23¢
NIBLETS	Del Maiz		14 oz. Tin	11¢

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ANGEL CAKE			15 oz. Cake	29¢
DOUGHNUTS			Doz.	12¢

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

FLAME TOKAY GRAPES		3	lbs.	23¢
CAULIFLOWER	LARGE WHITE HEADS	2	for	25¢
POTATOES	SELECTED No. 1 GREEN MOUNTAIN	10	lb. bag	20¢
TURNIPS	SELECTED WASHED	4	lbs.	9¢
ICEBERG LETTUCE	LARGE FIRM HEADS			8¢
BAXTER APPLES	No. 1 RED	4	lbs.	17¢

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Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Tuesday, 7 p.m., Happy Hour for boys and girls.
Tuesday, 8 p.m., Annual Business Meeting.

MARGARET RODGER MEML. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Orsborn

10 a. m.—Sabbath School
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
"The Pattern in the Mount".
Argenteuil Lodge No. 67, A.F. & A.M., will attend the service.
3 p.m., Brownsburg.
7 p.m., Evening Worship.
"His Bright Designs."

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

10.30 a.m., Sabbath School.
11 a. m.—Morning Worship.
Theme—"Training The Child".
At this service a **Promotion-Day Program** will be carried out by the pupils of the Sabbath School.
7 p. m., Evening Service.
"Launching Out into the Deep".
11 a.m.—East Settlement.
3 p.m., Thomas' Gore.
Welcome to all services !

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

10 a. m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., "The Church".
7.30 p.m., Evening Service;

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister

10 a.m., Sunday School.
Regular services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

REGULAR BAPTIST
Rev. C. Hardie

11 a.m., Brownsburg.
8 p.m., Dalesville.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. Baugh, Rector

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

Your are invited to special
RE-DEDICATION SERVICES
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HARRINGTON PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
(recently renovated) to be held Sunday, Sept. 28, at 11 a.m., 3 p.m., and 7.30 p.m. (D.S.T.) when REV. J. W. MORRISON & HIS DAUGHTER will commence a two-week Gospel Campaign. Rev. J. T. Owens afternoon speaker. Special music — instrumental and vocal.
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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Harvest Supper Held By Ladies of St. Mungo's Congregation, Cushing

Cushing — St. Mungo's Church will fall in line with the churches of the Dominion in holding Communion at the morning service, Oct. 5th.

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The ladies of this church held their annual Harvest Supper on Saturday evening Sept. 20th with a very good attendance and a specially good program put on by entertainers from Montreal whose aid was enlisted in this effort by Mr. L. McGain. Some local talent also contributed to the program—Miss M. Whelehan with a humorous recitation, Misses Myrtle and Myrna Gaston with songs, also Mr. I. Fuller with Habitant selections. Miss Alison Huntley favored with choice bits of opera also familiar songs in our own language. Mr. Don Kelloway sang patriotic songs, also impersonated very humorously the man who tried to mix up a cake by radio instructions, while Mrs. Kelloway behind the curtain was the "voice from the radio." Mrs. King, Brownsburg, favored with beautiful solos accompanied by Miss Rita Payette of Montreal, who also accompanied the other singers.

The Ladies of St. Mungo's are grateful to those who furnished this program, and to Mr. and Mrs. McGain for entertaining the performers while in Cushing.

Former Missionary to Japan Will Conduct Parish Services

Morin Hts. — Mr. Horace G. Baugh, who is in charge of the combined parishes of Morin Heights and New Glasgow, is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal. His services on Sunday, September 28th., will be conducted by Rev. P. S. C. Powles, M.A., former missionary to Japan. The services will be as follows :

St. Sauveur, 8 a.m., Communion.
Morin Heights, 10 a.m., Communion and Thanksgiving.
New Glasgow, 12 noon, Communion.
Mills Isles, 3.30 p.m., Communion.
(All Daylight Saving Time).

Christian Science Sunday Services

"Reality" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, September 28th.

The Golden Text is from Isaiah 65:17. "Behold, I create new heavens and a new earth: and the former shall not be remembered, nor come into mind."

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for all that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine; thine is the kingdom, O Lord, and thou art exalted as head above all." (I Chronicles 29:11).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passages from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The Scriptures imply that God is All-in-all. From this it follows that nothing possesses reality nor existence except the divine Mind and His ideas . . . He fills all space, and it is impossible to conceive of such omnipresence and individuality as infinite Spirit or Mind. Hence all is Spirit and spiritual." (Page 331).

Bandmaster Feted At Brownsburg

Members of the Brownsburg Boys' Band assembled at the school last evening for a farewell gathering to Mr. Reg Titcombe, who for the past year has been their leader.

Having severed connections with the C-I-L, where he was employed as a machinist, Reg has taken a position with the Vickers Company in Montreal.

Before coming to Brownsburg he played in the Citadel Band of the Salvation Army and was also bandmaster at Westmount.

Words of regret at his departure, with good wishes for his future, were ably expressed by Mr. Gordon Anderson on behalf of the boys, while Messrs. R. Seary, D. Staniforth and S. Stilwell also expressed appreciation of his splendid services.

Avoca Red Cross Unit

Avoca — Members of the Avoca Red Cross, a component unit of the Seigniory Club branch, completed the following articles during the month of August :

3 Coats, 3 berets, 4 prs. half mitts, 1 helmet, 13 caps, 2 sweaters, 1 pr. rifle mitts, 5 prs. mitts, 3 panties, 2 sets pyjamas, 1 culotte, 1 scarf.

Presbyterian W.M.S. At St. Andrews East

St. Andrews E. — The September meeting of the Presbyterian W.M.S. was held in the Sunday School hall on the regular date. A good attendance were present and favorable reports were given by the secretaries.

Dr. MacMillan was guest speaker for the meeting and gave a much appreciated address.

The next gathering will be the sectional meeting for this district, when the local group expect to entertain Auxiliaries from Montreal, Lachute, Mille Isles and Grenville. A thank-offering meeting will also be held in September.

A solo was sung by Miss Margaret Hamilton and refreshments were served by Mrs. J. P. Bradley and Mrs. Jos. Bradley.

Presbyterian Y.P.S.

Raising the curtain on another season's activities, the Presbyterian Young People's Society held its first meeting last evening, with a good attendance.

Following the devotional period, minutes of the closing spring meeting and the Secretary-Treasurer's report were read and adopted. The election of officers for the coming year resulted as follows: Hon. President, Rev. E. Orsborn; President, David Morrison; vice-president, Bessie Black; sec.-treasurer, Grace Wilson — these being installed immediately. The first motion under the New (Deal) Administration was a vote of thanks to the retiring officers, for their energetic fulfillment of their duties. Discussion for recruiting new members and developing an interesting series of programs for the fall months ensued, the meeting closing with the singing of the national anthem.

As is customary, the first meeting in each month is a social night; next week, the first in October, will be held as such. The Society wishes through this column to invite all young folks of the congregation to attend the weekly meetings, which are held every Wednesday evening in the Sunday school hall, commencing at 8.30, and hopes that a large number of additional members will be welcomed before settling into the fall program.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. E. Patterson, of Vancouver, B.C., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Hay.

Mrs. Robert Tomalty, of Brownsburg, is the guest of Mrs. James Warwick this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nicoll, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their summer cottage here.

Misses Stella and Lois Hodgson, of Hudson Heights, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Clark and Mrs. James Clark spent a few days this week with friends in Montreal.

Mrs. A. W. Bush and her mother, Mrs. Woodhams, and Mrs. Kenneth Bush are returning to Montreal for the winter.

L/Cpl. Leonard E. Westgate, of Petawawa Military Camp, is visiting relatives in Lachute and Lakefield this week.

Miss Mary Helmer, of Rosemount, is spending this week with her brother, Mr. George Helmer and Mrs. Helmer.

Mrs. Chas. Campbell, of Morin Heights, has returned home after spending the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Scott.

Mrs. D. W. Massie, Miss Evelyn Hamilton, R.N., and Mrs. E. J. Boyd, of Montreal, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hamilton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Doan, of Welland, Ont., spent a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lavis.

Miss Audley Bush, who has been convalescing at her home, had as guests Jess Mortwedt, of the R.C.A.F., Clarence Valade and Gordon Brinston, all of Montreal.

Miss Florence Jenkins, of Lachute, was the week-end guest of Miss Jean Ross at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon A. Ross, in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, of Lachute, Miss Lola Nicholls, of Asbestos, and Miss Mildred Nicoll, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O'Brien of Chatboro.

NATIVE OF LACHUTE KILLED OVERSEAS

A letter received this week from the Rev. J. R. Creswell, Morgantown, West Virginia, conveys the sad news of a cable he received from London, England, saying: "Deeply regret to inform you that your son, Lieut. Comdr. A. C. Creswell has been killed by enemy action."

The Rev. and Mrs. Creswell formerly occupied the pastorate of Lachute Baptist Church, and their son, Clifford, was born here. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents who are now making their home with their son, Reg, in the United States.

Mr. Bruce McDonald and Miss Mary Scott, of Montreal, visited friends in town on Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Searight, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Miss Margaret Graham.

Mrs. Chas. Hartson, of Washington, D.C., is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. R. E. Carkner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Honsberger are on a vacation trip and are visiting relatives in Simcoe and Welland, Ont.

Mr. Gilbert Scott left this week to take a general engineering training on steel structure work in Lachine.

Mrs. W. W. Perry, of Vancouver, B.C., is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Robt. Hamilton and Mr. Hamilton.

Charlie Theoret, of the R.C.A.F., stationed at Moncton, N.B., spent the week-end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Theoret.

Miss Elsie Scott and Mrs. Chas. Campbell were joint hostesses at a kitchen shower on Sept. 20th in honor of Miss Violet Copeland, whose marriage takes place shortly. There were thirty-five ladies present.

Guardsmen Harold, Frank and John Maidens, of the Canadian Grenadier Guards, left on Wednesday for Sussex, N.B., after spending a seven days' leave with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Maidens. Guardsman Archie Thompson, who visited at the formers' home, accompanied them.

Married at Parish Church Of Ste. Anastasie

Guilbert - Larocque

The marriage of Miss Marthe Larocque, daughter of the late Arthur Larocque and of Mrs. Larocque, Lachute, to Gaetan, son of Mr. Edgar Guilbert and the late Mrs. Guilbert, Brownsburg, was solemnized in Ste. Anastasie Church on Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father V. Bouchard, parish priest of Brownsburg.

During the ceremony a musical recital was rendered by Mrs. Guilbert and Miss Rose Paquette, Miss Juliette Rodrigue playing the organ.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Joseph Belanger. She wore a crepe dress of autumn rose, a large feathered French hat of brown felt, and brown accessories. Her corsage consisted of tea roses and bouvardia.

Mr. Edgar Guilbert attended his son, the bridegroom.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home. Later Mr. and Mrs. Guilbert left for an automobile trip. The bride travelled in a gray wool crepe dress, a midnight blue coat with silver fox furs and a navy hat and accessories.

Entertained

Miss Margaret Graham entertained at her home on Saturday afternoon, at a kitchen shower in honor of Miss Grace Lavis, whose marriage takes place next month.

Approaching Marriage

The marriage of Miss Edith Janet Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Watson, of Lachute, Que., to Mr. John H. DeWitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. DeWitt, St. Andrews East, has been arranged to take place at the Presbyterian Church St. Andrews East, at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Oct. 18th.

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C. W. G. GIBSON, Minister of National Revenue

C. F. ELLIOTT, Commissioner of Income Tax

REGIONAL COUNTRY-WOMEN'S CONF'CE

(Continued from page 2)

drinking he tossed it up into the sky, where it has remained ever since. The burden of life that is heaviest to carry, Dr. Smith said, is to have nothing to do. Referring again to Hitler, she added, "Hitler and Co. came too late for the dark ages to which they belong."

Miss Sheila MacDonald, daughter of the late Ramsay MacDonald, in her talk on Englishwomen in organized services, said, "It is not easy to be a president, because you have to think about many things. It is much easier to preside over a bridge club, because you only have to buy prizes."

Miss MacDonald told how refugee work was carried on by the Women's Institutes of England assisted by gifts from the Women's Institutes of Canada, stating that the people of England certainly knew how to appreciate our work along that line, also our assistance in all the other ways that Canada was giving. Miss MacDonald is a fluent speaker and in spite of her youthful appearance knows how to to reply to a heckler — if a woman who forgets what the subject under consideration is about when the opportunity arises to ask questions, can be called such . . . To the disgust of the audience, a woman with an accent, who claimed to be an Englishwoman who had not been home for some years, arose and instead of asking a question on the subject of Miss MacDonald's speech, said "I would like to know if the women of England are being taught how to cook. I am an Englishwoman and love England, but I must say that Englishwomen are most atrocious cooks." . . . Miss MacDonald rose at once to reply, saying "Well, I had hoped that we had a little national solidarity left." The ladies in the audience applauded her vigorously, and again when Miss MacDonald said, "I certainly do not agree with you," and after a few more words, added "If Miss — will visit England soon, I expect she will be able to get a few decent meals."

Several other ladies of English birth rose to defend their country women, among them our Mrs. Ashworth, who stated that as an Englishwoman she felt privileged to say that the English as a whole were good cooks. "It is true," she said, "that in some hotels, and in particular the cheap ones, the cooking is not of the best. But in middle class homes where mothers are striving to bring up healthy families and keep them neat and clean, seeing to it that they have white shoes so that they may visit the tennis courts and not be laughed at by those of better means, I can say that their cooking cannot be beat." . . .

And thus the conference went on, continuing three days after the writer had returned home feeling that she could not stay through the entire week.

The conference lasted until Sept. 10th in Ottawa, then those of the party who could stay longer were being entertained at a luncheon at the Mount Royal Hotel the next day by the Jewish Women's finally they were invited to tea as Handicrafts Guild, proceeding the next day to Quebec City and being entertained by the Councillors to lunch at Lac Beauport after being shown the sights of the city; and finally were the invited to tea as guests of Princess Alice at The Citadel.

There is no doubt that many a woman went home from this conference with enough happy memories to last her a lifetime, and also new friendships that will perhaps be a kindly influence for the future.

VICAR, 93, AND WORKS

Pishill, England (CP) — Rev. G. M. J. Hall, 93, now 70 years in the ministry, does all his own work in his parish here. He has blessed in his time parishioners marching off to half a dozen of Britain's wars.

WONDERED

"I get wonderful recipes over the radio," gushed the bride who was entertaining her family for the first time. "I got one for Egyptian stew and one for a never-fail stain remover this morning."

"Which is this?" asked little Willie, tasting the stew with which he had just been served.

Jones' little boy sprung this one last night: "Pop, why won't the British put the lion on a postage stamp?" "I dunno, son; why?" "Cause it can't be licked!"

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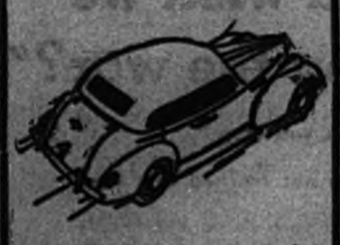
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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

HINTS FOR HOMEBODIES

By JESSIE ALLEN BROWN

Specially written for Readers of The Watchman

A FRESH START

To many the beginning of the year is with the coming of Spring. Others feel that the beginning of the calendar year turns over their new leaf, but to me September is the beginning of my new year. I am always full of hope, and ambitions, and plans, and a greater amount of energy to get things under way. Perhaps it is because I have spent every possible moment out-of-doors and the fresh air, sun, and exercise have stored up energy. It may even be the exhilarating effect of all the vitamins I have had in the fresh fruits and vegetables. It may be because I love making jams, and jellies, and pickles, and because I accomplish these I am led on to try to accomplish other things. No other time of year do I work as hard, mentally and physically as I do in September. This year I have great plans to fill my cellar shelves. Partly because we all feel we must save in every possible way, and partly because last year I did my preserving while using crutches and I missed doing some of our favorites.

WORDS AND MUSIC

Fashions change in music just as in other things. Way back when I was a kid the music was everything and the words did not matter. A singer could, and frequently did, sing a song and you coudn't tell a word they said — oh, well ! maybe one or two. Tenors and sopranos were in their heyday. Tremolos were quite the thing and you really weren't genteel without a quavering tremolo. Now things have changed and the words and the rhythm are all that matters with music coming in a third best. Maybe the pendulum will swing some time until we get all three. It used to be that a serious musician or as it was put, one who played classical music, did not play any popular music. Either it was beyond their capabilities (but they never would acknowledge that) or they could play it but didn't as they felt it was infra dig. Nowadays a musician is one who can and does play all kinds of music. Some of our best musicians relax and play all kinds of popular music and the best of the dance-band leaders play with the symphony orchestras. Wasn't it thrilling to hear Sir Ernest McMillan give our Bob Parnon's Symphony? We hope to hear it again as one performance is not enough. Did you happen to hear one of the conductors, I have forgotten which one, introduce a new American composition, and then immediately repeat it to give his listeners a chance to know it better? It was a sensible idea. It was a heart-break to hear Lawrence Tibbett sing from Toronto. He was ill for several months last year from over-work and apparently he did not rest long enough. There are performances which stand out in one's memory and his singing of Evening Star from Tanhausser is one which is memorable to me although it is not of my special favorites. There was not a movement in the audience and after it was over there was a breathless silence before the applause. It is to be hoped he soon recovers fully as he is too young a man to leave the concert stage.

NOT ALWAYS CUTE

Some of the things children do when they are little seem so cute we are amused by them and applaud generally. Later on as the child grows older they are anything but cute, but by that time they have become a habit and are hard to cope with. Sometimes it is impertinence, sometimes it may be swearing or other objectionable words they have picked up. Ignoring them completely may do the trick as children quickly change in the things they do and say. If this does not work sending him off by himself, telling him you do not like to hear that kind of talk, may stop it, as after all there isn't much fun talking if there is no one to hear. When you find yourself amused at the things the small child does, just ask yourself if it will always be funny. It can still amuse you but the child does not need to know. If you register disapproval the phase may wear itself out before it becomes a habit.

BOO

Speaking of amusing things children do reminds me of one that happened yesterday. There was a meeting held in a home and at the moment we were very serious and quite intent. Suddenly the hostess' four-year-old poked her impish little face around the door and in a loud voice yelled "boo" then vanished as quickly as she came.

GREEN CATSUP

12 Medium sized crisp cucumbers, 2 onions.

Put these through the grinder add 1 tablespoon salt and let stand over night. Drain and add :

½ cup fresh ground horse-radish (not bottled), 1 dessert spoon pepper, 1 dessert spoon mustard, ½ cup sugar, 1 quart vinegar.

Do not cook.

This recipe comes from Maine and they use it with their Saturday night baked beans. The friend who gave it to me likes it specially for sandwiches, tuna and salmon which mix well with cucumber.

WHAT — QUADRUPLETS?

Cape Town (CP) — To Able Seaman Just Nuisance and his wife, two sons, and two daughters — read a birth notice in the local papers. Just Nuisance is a canine mascot in a British warship off the coast of Africa.

DOG KILLED BABY

Chester, England (CP) — Death from misadventure was the verdict of a coroner's jury in the case of five-weeks-old baby killed by a jealous wire-haired fox terrier which savagely attacked and killed it in its pram.

FALL HEADGEAR GOES HIGH-HAT

However, Styles Cover Multitude of — Well, Long Necks for Instance

Montreal, Sept. 22 (CP) — Hats may have forward movement or backward movement, but all hats are high-hat now. It's not a question of proportioning, but of formal air. Now, what brought that up? Skirts, we'll bet. It's wonderful the rumpus they can kick up, just by going down a little.

As for hats, they are in the ladies' favor. A long necked girl may cover up with graceful drapes — attached to a hat of any size, shape or color. Little shorties may be just as dignified showing their glowing hair.

A wealth of synthetic materials and plastic gadgets are being used. And the hatline will follow the skirtline to determine its angle — a back-dripping hat with a back-swishing skirt, a forward tilt for front-fulled hems.

BEAUTY

—Helen Jameson, Mme. Qui Vive—

DAILY BATH IS A COMPLEXION TONIC

Tubby Ann loves her bath. It is no duty to be faced reluctantly. She doesn't even mind washing out the tub afterwards, she's that nutty about the daily ducking. She knows what it does for her. It gives her that nice fresh look that the leaves have after a spring shower. It makes her feel peppy. It helps her to start the day right. Self-respect will not permit her to skip it. She's a water baby and proud of it.

Girls and boys who are afflicted with acne, who find the reflection in the mirror depressing, will be rid of their blotches more quickly if they will scour themselves well every day with warm soap suds and a heavy brush. By causing the skin all over body to function normally, by rousing circulation, they will have a better chance to be rid of the blemishes than if they were neglectful of this important detail of hygiene.

The skin surface is beset with foreign substances — dead scales, deposits of chemicals sent forth by perspiration, greasy exudations from sweat glands and dirt. Jumping into the tub and out again won't oust these unwelcome lodgers, nor will the quick shower. There must be soap suds, considerable energy and a firm brush to clear away the debris. Children are careless bathers. Too busy. Too anxious to be on their way.

It is nice, after a rousing scouring, to turn on the warm shower— only warm water will thoroughly remove lather — and then to have a quick cold shower, to bring about a reaction of the blood streams. Follow with a rub down with a coarse towel. Use soft, fine ones on your sacred complexion but on the body use those that take hold like the pangs of a guilty conscience. The friction is beneficial, brings a glow.

Muscles and tissues, as well as the surface of the skin, are enlivened by a thorough bath. For combating fatigue and to overcome nervousness a session in the tub is recommended. Lie in the warm water, close your eyes, close the doors of your mind, make yourself limp. Have a fifteen-minute rest afterwards. This habit works like a charm if you have been beating it around on your tired hoofs all day and are expecting to sail forth to a merry evening.

Daily bathing is a health measure. Myriads of bacteria collect upon a skin surface that is not kept scrupulously clean. They burrow into the pores, produce boils, carbuncles, abscesses, pimples, blackheads. But that's not all. As a bath brings rest, it also brings renewed energy.

Bath salts and tablets make the ablution more festive. They soften the water, impart a refreshing fragrance. The bath powder should be of the same scent, so the two perfumes will not conflict. No girls or woman need be told of the necessity of using a deterrent in the armpits. There is no excuse for the otherwise baneful results which is a handicap to social and business life.

Telegraph Style



This pert miss is Helen Robertson, telegraph messenger of Canadian National Telegraphs in Toronto. She started work because boys were becoming scarce. Two other girls, Mildred Hazard and Molly Medwid, are already delivering telegrams in the downtown district. How the telegraph companies lost so many boys was by their delivering telegrams to munition plants and finding help was needed badly there.

HER MAJESTY'S CEASELESS WORK

Although it is generally known in Canada that Her Majesty has given her patronage to the Queen's Canadian Fund for Air Raid Victims, it is not generally realized how tirelessly the Queen works herself in the interests of the civilian victims of air warfare. Here is a tribute in the London Times, which gives testimony to the devotion with which the Queen does her "job". The Times writes:

"The men, women and children whom the Queen sees smiling in their adversity smile on a friend whom they know to be one with them not in heart only but also in experience and in toil. The Queen's first married home in London and, as everyone knows, her present home, Buckingham Palace, have both been knocked about from the air; and that is a bond between her and all who have suffered in like manner. But that of itself would not go very far.

"When the Queen speaks of and for the working women of Britain, she has every right to speak as herself one of them. Very little of her ceaseless activity gets into the newspapers. It is impossible to put into print the qualities of head and heart which give a vitalizing power to her public life. The Queen's 'job', like the King's, demands unrelaxing energy and sincerity if it is not to be tainted with the poison of routine, an infection which would quickly show its evil effects in times so tense as these. It would be well for the future of the world if our enemies could quickly realize, as our friends in America and all the free world over will realize, the genuine and indivisible unity which binds together the highest and the humblest in our land — a unity of suffering and toil, of unquenchable hope, or unbreakable purpose."

AUTUMN ECONOMY REQUIRES A SUIT

And One You Can Wear Through Winter, Says Observer After Preview of Winter Toggery

New York, Sept. 22 (CP) — After previews of the new fashions, we conclude that the woman who has to watch pennies would do well to buy a suit and wear it through the winter.

Suits have a new note of elegance. That note starts with the fabric, which should be the best available, chosen to hold its shape over a long period.

With the suggestions that those who want to make one suit do choose a monotone, flattering in line and color, and spend a little time or money to have it fitted, we'll proceed to tricks revealed in the openings.

One designer looked to the Arabs for her "tent pole" silhouette, especially good for tall women. Straight and slimming, it is softened by folds and drapes. Fabrics show the influence of reed mat weaving, and the wool dress with the jacket or coat of the same weave in heavier weight is stressed. Colors borrowed from the Near East emphasize blues. But the "treasure chest gold", a warm toast color, took the most votes at the opening.

Other Ideas

Another perfects the trim, short-jacket suit with unusual blouse. Her new "plastic seaming" consists of curved, pointed or diagonal seams aimed to mold the bust, waist and hips. The jacket of a persimmon red tweed suit in her collection acquires its nipped-in waistline.

Still another thinks of a letter S for the silhouette. It seems straight and narrow, but actually bosoms are curved, waistlines concave. To make your suit warmer for winter, the tippet — like your grandmother's fur one, but made inexpensively of cotton velveteen— is picturesque.

CHAMBERMAIDS TO ARMY, SUGGESTED ROLE FOR WOMEN

American Author Thinks Knitting Just a Passive Activity

Washington, Sept. 22 (CP) — Fannie Hurst, the author, thinks women should be the army's cooks, truck-drivers and chambermaids.

Miss Hurst, an ardent feminist, has no patience with a feminine defence role confined to such passive activities as knitting socks.

"The world is faced with a new kind of war and we need a new technique," she says. "Women will have to take a more active part in the activities of war and defence. Women could serve on trains and planes; they could be army cooks, truck drivers and chambermaids. This would introduce a good disciplinary element into camp life and have a salutary effect on it as well."

OLD "FINGER WEIGHT"

London (CP) — On an inspector's evidence that a green-grocer depressed the scales with his finger when weighing tomatoes and thus gained three pence a pound, the dealer was fined £12 ($54.).

GOOD MANNERS

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YOUR CHILD'S MANNERS BACK AT SCHOOL

Your children are back at school. Are you proud of the manners they have taken back with them? Or have you permitted the children to let down during the long summer months so that now, back in school again, their manners are manifestations of your lack of discipline, of good example?

I know too many mothers who allow their children's manners to become tarnished during the play months, and then expect the teacher to do the job of polishing them up. During the summer many children are allowed to storm in and out of the house with never a bow or a "How do you do" to a guest. Naturally, then, they have lost the habit of politely greeting teacher before they take their seats in the class-room.

If "Please" and "Thank you" have been allowed to pass out of the manners-picture during the summer, then you cannot expect an immediate re-birth in the early days of school. And what about that abrupt "Yes" and "No", without the polite addition of the name after it? Has this habit grown like a weed in summer's garden? If you have not let down on insisting on your child's not using the clipped "Yes" and "No", but have led him into the polite habit of saying, "Yes, Mother" or "No, Father", "Yes, Aunt Mary" and "No, Mrs. Smith", he will, with habitual politeness, say to his teacher, "Yes, Miss Brown", and "Please, Miss Brown", "Thank you, Miss Brown."

Remember this — Miss Brown will know, inevitably, what kind of parents your child has, from what kind of home he comes.

The first teachers in the school of good manners are the mother and father of a child.

BRIDE'S PROBLEMS

Dear Mrs. Beeckman,

1. Should one write a thank-you note to every guest who brought gifts to a shower? Or does the thank-you said at the shower suffice?

2. Is it necessary or correct to give a gift to the friend who gave the shower for the bride-to-be?

3. For my wedding in church I am having a matron of honor and a maid of honor. I would like to know which one walks directly in front of the bride.

4. Is the bride expected to pay for the dresses of the matron of honor and the maid of honor?

M. P. S.

1. Yes, the guest of honor who is polite and appreciative writes a note of thanks to each guest at the shower, and these notes of thanks should be written promptly. The verbal thanks expressed to the guests at the shower do not suffice.

2. It is not necessary for the guest of honor to give a gift to the hostess who gave the shower. But the day after the shower she should write a note of thanks for the hostess' thoughtfulness and kind hospitality. Very often the bride-elect encloses this note in a box of flowers.

3. The one who is most closely related to the bride walks directly in front of her. For example, if the matron of honor is the bride's sister, and the maid of honor her cousin or a close friend, the matron of honor would have the real place of honor, directly in front of the bride.

4. No, each bridal attendant is expected to pay for her own costume, although it is the bride who plans every detail of the costume. Sometimes, however, the bride gives to each attendant her hat or whatever headdress is to be worn. The bride or her family customarily provides the flowers for the attendants.

COURTESY TIP

When fruit or any other food or delicacies are sent to you while you are ill, do not offer any to any visitor to your sickroom. Food that has been exposed in a room in which someone is sick should not be shared.

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WAR FUND DANCE

—In L.O.B.A. Hall, 14 Hope St., Lachute, on Friday, Sept. 26th, under auspices of the ladies of Thomas' Gore. Knitted quilt to be drawn for. Keep the date open. Admission 25c. S11-25-2c.

TEA AND FOOD SALE

The Young Women's Auxiliary of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church intend holding a tea and food sale in the church hall on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 27th, from 4 to 6 o'clock. —S11-25-2c.

DANCE

Come and dance to the music of Wifred Druce and his four-piece band at McIntyre's Hall, Grenville, on Saturday, September 27th. Modern and old-time dancing. Admission 50c. —1c.

RAFFLE & DANCE

A raffle and dance in the Shrewsbury Hall, on Saturday, September 27th, (a Quebec heater). —1p. —Willard Carruthers

DANCE, DRAWING

A dance and drawing (on a Victory quilt), at Ward Bros' hall, Mille Isles, Saturday, September 27th. Refreshments served. Admission 25c. —1p.

DANCE

A dance in McArthur's Hall, Saturday Oct. 4th. Old-time and modern dancing. A good time assured. Come and enjoy yourself. Admission 25c. —E. Berry. —1c.

ORANGE SERVICE

Lost River Lodge, L.O.L. 722, will hold divine service in Lost River Presbyterian Church on Sunday Sept. 28th, at 2.30 (Standard Time), the Rev. Bro. Herbison, W.M., officiating. Visiting brethren cordially invited. —1c.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of Argenteuil Historical Society will be held in the Town Hall, St. Andrews E., Saturday Oct. 4th at 2.30 p.m. (D.S.T.). After the business, adjournment to Carillon Museum, display of recent additions and demonstration of old-time handicrafts. Afternoon tea at moderate price. Members and friends invited.

PLOWING MATCH

—At George Morrison's Farm, near Lachute, on Oct. 8th.

George Hay, president
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CALF SHOW

The Arundel Boys' and Girls' Calf Club Exhibition will be held in Arundel on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 4th.

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—Don't forget the Rummage Sale at 190 Main Street on Friday and Saturday of this week.

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Motion Pictures Show Prefabrication System

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vices of its technicians, who have re-designed their system to be adaptable to Canadian materials.

All Canadian Materials

The present Staff House being built at Sorel on the Precision-Built system, is being erected with Canadian materials throughout. The building was fabricated in the shops of Cottingham Supply Company in seven working days and erected in six working days. In the basement of the building there will be a lecture-room, dining-room, recreation-room; boiler-room, kitchen and all other conveniences necessary for a modern building of this kind.

For Low-Cost Housing

Mr. Wilson mentioned that with the research now being done on housing, he hoped that it would be possible to build a low-cost house that would be within the reach of the low-wage earner. The wage earner who owned his own home and was allowed to develop his own garden became very much less susceptible to the "isms" prevalent in this modern age. The result of to be a capitalist and a much more being a home-owner held himself safe individual for our democratic order.

First Building of Its Type in Canada

Mr. Prentice Bradley, chief architect of the Modular Service Association of Boston, was loaned to the Cottingham Supply Company to design and assist in supervision of the erection of this modern building at Sorel, which is the first of its type to be erected in Canada and one of the first on the North American continent. Prefabrication will open up a new field in the construction industry and Cottingham Supply Company is a leader in this field in Canada.

Demounted, Hauled and Re-erected in Six Hours

This picture was also shown in the Department of Munitions and Supply at Ottawa, to a large and important audience. They were amazed at the precision and speed with which these houses were erected. The picture showed where plumbing was totally prefabricated and during the erection of the building, when the panels of the bathroom were erected, the plumber was allowed just fifteen minutes to get his roughing in and connected up. The electric wiring was also partially done in the shop ahead of time, saving time on the field. Mr. Wilson, in his discussion, mentioned that their experience in the United States had been that on a two bedroom, dining-room, living-room, kitchen and bathroom house, 24' x 28', they were able to demount one of these buildings at 7.30 in the morning, load it on trucks, including the concrete piers, truck it forty-five miles, bring it back and erect it, the family moved in at 3.30 in the afternoon, and the total loss of material and labor was less than $12.00.

KNIFES BIG SHARK

Mousa, Shetland Islands (CP) —George Mouat, an old age pensioner, killed a 12-foot shark with a knife when he found it stranded in shallow water.

FRONT LINE BRIDES

Dover, England (CP) — The ancient parish church of Dover is a favorite place for war weddings though it is nearer the enemy than any other church in Britain. Services are also carried on regularly.

WAR COMMENTARY

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Lord Beaverbrook and the British supply mission left for Moscow last week. Announcement was made that all tanks made in Britain during the week of Sept. 21-27 would be sent to Russia as soon as possible. W. Averill Harriman, head of the United States mission to Moscow, announced in London Saturday that an agreement on immediate material aid to Russia had been reached by the British and United States missions. He made it clear that no settlement had been reached on general policy.

Paris "Terror"

Acts of sabotage and violence in occupied France are on the increase in defiance of Nazi regulations. Most of the "non-collaboration" is reported from Paris, and the Seine Department, which includes the French capital, was placed under a three-day curfew starting Sept. 19.

The Germans executed 23 persons since the outbreak during the summer of what is known in Vichy as the Paris "terror". Thirteen were described as "hostages," while the others were condemned by German military courts.

Sunk off Iceland

The Pink Star, another American-owned ship flying the flag of Panama, was sunk off Iceland according to an announcement made in Washington Monday night. The vessel, sent to the bottom Sept. 19, was the first lost since President Roosevelt proclaimed his "defensive waters" policy Sept. 11.

Authorities are wondering whether the sinking constitutes an open challenge to the United States policy. Comment, however, is restrained because word of the sinking contained no hint as to the manner in which the Pink Star met her end. And nothing was said as to the fate of her crew of 34 men, including eight Canadians.

Various reports emanating from the Balkans, Turkey and the Far East resulted in any amount of speculation early this week. It is said a state of emergency exists in Bulgaria where Nazi emissaries are making great efforts to involve the country in the war with Russia. There seems little doubt that King Boris' government is watching the trend of events with the hope of staving off warlike commitments with Germany as long as Russia holds the Hitlerite invaders.

Turkey declares passage through the Dardanelles will be denied Italian warships sold to Bulgaria and in London foreign secretary Anthony Eden conferred with the Turkish ambassador on Tuesday regarding reports of German pressure for military and trade concessions from Turkey.

German successes in the Ukraine apparently have revived Japan's aggressive mood. Word comes from the Far East that military preparations are still being pushed in Manchoukuo and any weakening in Russia might result in the Japanese launching an attack on Siberia.

Germans Take Kiev

A Russian communique issued early Monday told of the surrender of Kiev, but since that time reports of the fighting on the whole of the Eastern Front have been more favorable to the Red Army's defending forces. Counter-attacks made in the region of Glukhov, 140 miles southeast of Gomel, have been successful and if continued may prove of real assistance to the Russians moving eastward from Kiev.

In the central sector, Russian forces counter-attacking to save Moscow are holding the Germans near Smolensk after regaining many square miles of territory. Defenders of Leningrad will not hear of defeat and they have driven the besieging troops back at one or two points outside the city.

(The Canadian Press)

GENTLE — AT FIRST

London (CP) — London police are making "leaflet raids" on motorists whose lights show too much light during the blackout, handing out forms telling the driver his lights are wrong and asking him to put them in order.

SOLDIER ORCHESTRA POPULAR OVERSEAS

INITIATE ENGLISH GIRLS INTO OLD CANADIAN SQUARE DANCING

By DOUGLAS AMARON
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

Somewhere in England, Sept 16 (CP) — A "hotcha" band and a pair of iron-lunged French-Canadian "caller-uppers" have shaken a sleepy English town from its lethargy and given the younger members of its female set a chance to learn Canadian swing and square dancing.

Like the caller-uppers, the jitterbug band are members of an eastern Canada unit which every Friday night stages a dance, with 20 minutes set aside for an old-fashioned Canadian square dance.

Officers and other ranks forget seniority for the night and a pretty girl without an escort is fair game for one and all. There are two highspots of the evening, one when the caller-uppers round up the soldiers and their girls for the square dance, and the other when Jitterbug Pte. Jerry Hogue, of Ottawa, gets "hep."

Pte. Emile (Sonny) Lalonde, a stocky youngster from Ottawa, who learned to call dances at house parties in his home city, usually starts the square dance halfway through the evening.

"Two more couples and away we go," he shouts through a megaphone, then shuts his eyes and begins the sing-song routine that sends the dancers into squares and circles, spinning and weaving around to the tune of a French-Canadian reel.

After about 10 minutes of non-stop calling, Lalonde gets into the dance himself and Pte. Maurice Beauchamp, of Ottawa, takes over. In a more resonant voice, Beauchamp booms out the orders for another 10 minutes.

"They would go on all night, if they could", said Lieut. Allan Johnston, Liberal Member of Parliament for London, Ont.

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Over 100 spectators attended the affair, and were well entertained as Art. Macpherson, pro at Marlborough, Jerry Legault, of the home club, and president Gilbert Ayers staged an exhibition.

Additional prize winners were: R. Charron, Jimmy Riddle, Sr., E. Stephens, G. Tattersfield, F. Pesant, P. Valois, O. Carriere, L. Ayers, C. S. Parnell.

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