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"TELL THE PEOPLE OF CANADA EVERYTHING THAT WILL NOT GIVE COMFORT TO THE ENEMY"

Editors Overseas Met General McNaughton On Three Occassions — Trip Was Actually Inspired by His Own Suggestion

By Walter R. Legge, Editor of the Granby Leader-Mail, in collaboration with C. V. Charters, Sec'y of the C.W.N.A.

Fifth of a series of articles on the Canadian Forces in England, written especially for the weekly newspapers by their two representatives on a press tour in England.

Altogether, the Canadian editors met the guiding genius of Canada's overseas forces three times, the first time just before we began our itinerary in England, the second time at an inspection of new equipment, and the third time just before we left for home.

Some people seem to think that the editors were only told part of the story, that something was hidden from us, or if we actually did see everything that we were told not to say anything about it. If these people could have been present at these meetings, they would realize just how far from correct their thoughts are. In General McNaughton's own words, the editors were told to "tell the people of Canada everything that will not give comfort to the enemy".

Actually the trip itself came as a result of a suggestion from the General that it would be an excellent way to bring a true picture to the people of Canada of what is going on overseas.

Naturally the location of General McNaughton's Headquarters is not easy for strangers to find. Our bus proceeded to a "rendezvous", where we were met by dispatch riders on motorcycles who guided us in to the place. The meeting was held in a large conference room, from the windows of which was a vista of peaceful English countryside.

General McNaughton brought and sat down, but soon he was sitting on top of the desk in a most informal manner.

Welcoming the Canadian editors, the general said that with young men away from Canada for months and years, everything should be done to keep up their contacts with their own country. When they are out of touch, they are out of sympathy, and things go wrong, and it is difficult to find the reason. "Go back and interpret us to the people of Canada. We in the army are the expression of the purpose of the people in Canada."

He went on to say that we are up against an extremely serious business. We started with a tremendous lack of preparation, and are not out of the woods yet, but in spite of disasters, we are now on the up-grade. The mission of the press is to tell fully what is going on, and the people will give their backing materially and morally. The General believes in telling everything that can be told without hurting the Allied cause.

Speaking of the Dieppe raid, General McNaughton said that his uppermost feeling was pride in our officers and men. Replying to other questions, the General said that shipping was one of our greatest limiting factors; that the threat of invasion is not over; that the young officer policy would be continued; that the average age of Lieut.-Colonels now is about 33, which is much younger than in the last war.

The last conference with General McNaughton was just as informal, and was more like a friendly fireside chat. It opened in a mess room at headquarters, with the General sitting on the broad sill of a bay window with the editors grouped around him while all partook of afternoon tea.

After talking in a conversational manner about many matters, including shipping problems, the manufacture of weapons, especially those made in Canada, transatlantic air transport, training and equipping of troops, food and army medical services, he suddenly leaned forward and asked, "Would you boys like to come upstairs with me"? He then led the way upstairs to his office.

Here the conversation was resumed for some time. After about an hour and a half had been spent in this way, an officer entered with a note and General McNaughton said he would have to confer with a visiting officer but that if the editors cared to return later he would be glad to talk further with them.

Rising, he shook hands with each one as they left.

General McNaughton is tall, lean, and speaks in a quiet, confident tone that shows that he knows just what he is talking about. One cannot help but be impressed with his quiet, kindly manner, which at the same time shows his tremendous energy and ability. He is just as outstanding in his job as Prime Minister Churchill is in his.

Canadians may well feel confident that their army is in the best hands as long as General McNaughton remains at its head.

General McNaughton is a native of Saskatchewan, born there in 1887. He received his Master's degree in science from McGill University and studied at the Royal Staff College, and the Imperial Defence College in England. He served in the last war, and was wounded twice. He received the Distinguished Service Order, the Order of St. Michael and St. George, and many other honors.

He was for several years head of the National Research Council of Canada, and from 1929 to 1935 was chief of the Canadian Staff. He was given command of the first division of the Canadian Expeditionary Force and since 1940 has been Commander-in-Chief of the Canadian Army Overseas.

Canadians have every reason to feel proud of General McNaughton.

Rolland Paper Co. To Play Hosts to Lachute Lions

INVITATION EXTENDED TO LOCAL CLUB TO VISIT ST. JEROME PLANT

The Lions Club had a busy session at their regular meeting held in Desjardins Hotel on Tuesday. President J. S. Giles was in the chair and a lively discussion on the Club's activities resulted in the appointment of a special committee comprising Lions C. Walker, F. Legault and E. Walker who are to arrange with Lion A. Fassio for a picture show in both the Rex and the Capitol theatres, at the earliest dates possible — particulars of which will be announced in The Watchman.

An invitation was extended by Lion Guy Raymond, to the Club to visit the plant of the J. B. Rolland Company at St. Jerome. The invitation was enthusiastically received and the Club decided upon the date of Wednesday, November 18—cars to leave at 3 o'clock from Desjardins Hotel.

Bath, Eng. (CP) — At least 4,000 cattle were destroyed during a serious outbreak of foot and mouth disease in Northern Somersetshire and West Wiltshire.

Naval Man Is Feted by Friends

Enjoying a wide acquaintance and friendship in the surroundings of Lachute, James Duncan, CMM., of the Royal Canadian Navy Volunteer Reserve, was feted by his friends at a gathering Monday evening in the Carillon Hotel.

"Jimmy" Duncan is popularly known through his long and genial service to the public as a garage man and mechanic, and also as a willing entertainer in many stage performances for local benefits.

On leave from his base at Halifax, Jim was married quietly last week to Miss Isabel Hay, of this town. Good wishes to the young townsman and his bride were expressed by a gathering of about 50 friends, who presented him with a silver cutlery service.

During the evening mention was made of the distinction merited by Jim Duncan and his five brothers, all of whom are in uniform serving in different branches of the forces.

Winchester, Eng. (CP)—Mrs. F. O. Fitt, celebrated her 104th birthday at Shawford, a nearby village. She spends most of her time knitting and her health is "fit, very fit," she said.

Winners in Victory Loan Drawings at Two Theatres

In a Victory Loan drawing held last evening at the Rex Theatre, Lachute, and the Capitol Theatre, Brownsburg, the following patrons were winners of a first instalment ($5 value) on a $50 bond.

At the Rex—Mrs. Stan Smith, Mrs. H. Turner, Mrs. R. Arran, H. Belanger, Mrs. R. R. Hickman Guy Gosselin, K. Hardy, Geo. G. Tuller, Mr. G. Weston, Mrs. G. Weston.

At the Capitol—Leo Paul Quesnel, H. Tomalty, Mrs. H. Tomalty, Pat Pilon, Mrs. J. G. Thompson, Howard J. Dawson, Roger Raymond, Isabelle Maitland, Florence Fournier, Albain Neveu.

One Headlight, Cause of Collision

TRUCK AND AUTOMOBILE IN ACCIDENT ON HIGHWAY 8-A

Shortly before 10 p.m. on Friday, October 30, an Ottawa car owned and driven by Charles Hemsley collided with a truck on Route 8-A, about 300 yards this side of the Interprovincial Bridge. Hemsley was driving north when he met the heavier vehicle. It was reported the truck, which belonged to Xavier Lamoureux, Hawkesbury, and was driven by Omer Cyr, had one faulty headlight, on the left side. The Ottawa motorist claimed this defect gave him a false impression as to the position of the truck on the highway.

Both vehicles were damaged in the crash but the occupants escaped unhurt.

U.S. Marine Reads News of Home Boys With Pleasure

A letter to the publishers, enclosing renewal of subscription, indicates The Watchman is keenly appreciated by a member of the U.S. naval forces, Sgt. Neal Moore, at San Diego, California. The letter states:

"The Watchman is in my mail box here in San Diego just as regularly as if I were still living in Hill Head, and I enjoy it very much. This is particularly true since the war started. I watch each issue for the names of the many old families living in and around Lachute who have sent their boys to Europe and elsewhere, just the same as they did before. A few weeks ago you ran a letter received from Dave Campbell and, believe me, that gave me just as much pleasure as anything you can imagine. Canada is doing a great job well.

"Thank you for keeping The Watchman coming.

Neal Moore,
Sergeant, U.S. Marine Corps."

CLOSING BY-LAW DELAYED, MERCHANTS DISAGREE

"Argenteuil Spitfire" Now in Active Service with Britain's Fighter Command



From Albert E. Mash, Public Relations Officer, Minister of Aircraft Production, London, the above photograph of the Argenteuil Spitfire was received this week by "Wings for Britain". Mr. Mash writes: "I am keeping in close touch with this aircraft, in order that I may forward a report on its operational activities immediately it is available from the Fighter Command" . . . Citizens of the county who contributed to the Spitfire Fund sponsored by this newspaper will be glad to know that an efficient fighter plane bearing the name of "Argenteuil" is now in active service. The above picture shows the business end of this plane, with guns protruding from the wings. A ground mechanic is seen working on the nose of the machine.

Marked Advance in County Canvass But Three Areas Lag in Subscriptions

Argenteuil Still Short of Objective This Noon But H.Q's. Confident Quota Will Be Exceeded

Once more Argenteuil County appears to be headed for another triumph in the current Victory Loan, and it is indicated the people are doing their share to help meet the enormous financial obligation connected with the prosecution of the war.

Actual figures were difficult to obtain at time of going to press as the Victory Loan Headquarters in Lachute are swamped with third-week applications. However, the general picture amounts to this: Excellent results have been obtained from all sections of the County with exception of three districts, namely, Morin Heights, Lachute and Grenville. In the campaign of last winter these three districts were exceptionally strong, which, in a way, may possibly explain the difficulty in repeating the same fine performance.

However, these three territories are doing better each day. If this trend is pushed by aggressive selling on the part of the canvassers, and by co-operation from the committee-men, there is little doubt that the County will once again obtain its objective and rank with or above its sister counties of the province.

Lieut. C. L. Hall Is "I.Q." Officer

Lieut. Clifton L. Hall renewed acquaintances in town last week-end, en route from Ottawa to Halifax. Vacating the role of High School principal here last June, Mr. Hall entered the Army Personnel Department and has since been connected with Military District No. 3, Lansdowne Park. His mission in Halifax is in the same line of duty, namely the study and examination of army men for intelligence and efficiency rating.

Remembrance Day -- November 11th.

Blow softly, bugles, for our honored dead. March bravely, sons and daughters of Canada, for the task they undertook is not yet finished. Serve and sacrifice, men and women of this fair land, for nothing matters now but Victory.

"This is Remembrance Day, a day for commemoration. Let us, therefore, pay tribute to those Canadians who, in times past, faced the enemy, fought valiantly and gained victory. Let us also commemorate those who, in more recent days, sacrificed their lives in battle for our sake and passed out of the sight of men by the path of duty."

First Snowfall in The Ottawa Valley

St. Andrews E.—The first snowfall for this district came on Tuesday night, October 27. Next morning the ground and roofs were white, but the snow had melted by noon.

Remembrance Day Radio Broadcast

The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation and the Canadian Legion will offer a special Remembrance Day program on Wednesday, November 11, at 9.00 p.m. EDT. The Mendelssohn Choir of Toronto and members of the Toronto Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Sir Ernest MacMillan, will be heard in a special musical broadcast and a narrative of remembrance will be spoken by lectors in English and French. The program will be heard over the full National Network of the CBC.

Wear a poppy for remembrance

Measure Intended for Council Vote Is Held for Further Consideration

The by-law introduced by Ald. S. McFaul for the regulation of retail business hours in Lachute came up for discussion at the regular meeting of council last evening. Mayor H. Lamarche presided, and there was a representative attendance of local merchants to witness the proceedings and express their views. The by-law, however, met a setback as a number of butchers and retailers could not concur with the schedule of hours drawn up as a result of previous conferences among the business-men.

H. Pariseau, grocer and butcher, expressed willingness to collaborate in the government's request for curtailed store hours, but he protested strongly that the closing hour of 6 p.m. for certain days of the week should be extended to 7 p.m. in order that stores might give more satisfactory service to the consumer public.

The majority of merchants present, however, seemed agreeable to the by-law as prepared by Geo. Heon, attorney, and urged its presentation for vote before the council; but in view of the contentious views from other quarters, the aldermen decided to postpone action pending further study of the matter.

On motion of Alderman W. Morissette, seconded by Alderman L. St. Jacques, Alderman S. Holt was appointed pro-mayor for the ensuing three months.

Stalled on the major item of their agenda, the council achieved little save a few routine matters brought to their attention by the secretary.

Remembrance Day Service at Auditorium

The annual Remembrance Day assembly will be held in Lachute Auditorium on Wednesday morning next, at 10.45 o'clock sharp, when members of the clergy will be present and the Rev. W. B. Rosborough will deliver a short address.

At the close of this meeting, wreaths will be deposited at the cenotaph and children from the various schools in town will attend.

On Friday evening of this week, and all day Saturday, young ladies of the town will be selling poppies, and the public are urged to purchase one or more of these small emblems in reverent memory of those who "sleep in Flanders Fields".

Bristol, Eng. (CP)—Women may now go into Bristol Cathedral bareheaded. The dean removed the ban and said many women who would enter the cathedral passed by because their heads were uncovered.

Big Crop Creates Storage Problem

SO CANADIANS URGED TO EAT MORE BREAD AND FLOUR PRODUCTS

"The Week in Ottawa"
By Douglas Green

Ottawa, Nov. 4 (CP)—Stocks of butter held in storage warehouses and creameries at Nov. 30, 1942, have been limited to 75 per cent of the amount held at the same date last year by an order of the Prices Board designed to obtain equipable distribution of Canada's present butter supplies.

Though Canadians are consuming more butter at present than they did at the same time in 1941, the Board believes that the co-operation of consumers will make it possible to maintain a supply of butter which will meet normal demands.

Anyone buying more butter than is required for immediate demands is contravening the Board's orders, and evidence of such hoarding will constitute grounds for prosecution.

Until further notice, persons carrying more than 5,000 pounds of butter in stock must report their holdings to the Foods Administrator at the close of each month.

Machinery and Bread

The Prices Board has moved to assist farmers who wish to apply for new machinery. It will station rationing officers at its regional offices to pass upon applications, which will be granted only if it is shown that such equipment is urgently required.

Authorities say farmers who see that their present equipment is in good repair will be making "a real contribution to the war effort," and they ask all agriculturists not to apply for any machinery with which they can do without, as the demand for it exceeds the supply.

To Trade Minister MacKinnon, bread is, at the moment, more than the staff of life. Bread, and the other products in which flour is used, are a means of reducing heavy stocks of grain, and he urged patriotic Canadians to eat more of them.

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Mother and Two Children Culprits In Robbery Case

CONVICTED AT ST. JEROME, CHARGE OF ROBBERY FROM SUMMER CAMP

Standing trial on Wednesday, October 28, before District Magistrate D. Lalande at St. Jerome, a Harrington woman, Mrs. Eva Bracelin, 37, and her two children, John, 15, and Mary, 14, received sentence for a series of robberies committed in summer homes around the district. Mrs. Bracelin was given a two-year prison term while the boy and girl were each sent to a reformatory for three years.

The specific charge involved in this case was that of breaking into a Montrealer's summer camp last spring and of stealing household goods to the value of $75. This however was only a climax to several charges, the trio having appeared in court three times previously; on each occasion the Judge had discharged them with a reprimand. One of the offences attributed to the Bracelin boy was that of robbing a poor box at the Harrington Catholic Mission Church.

Detective A. Caron and Officer H. Jones of the Provincial Police appeared as witnesses against the miscreants.

Urge Support in Sale of Poppies

Appeals to public generosity follow each other in quick succession these days, and for many it is becoming more difficult to respond to the call. But there is one appeal that should meet no reluctance on the part of the public. This is the annual Poppy Day campaign which is shortly to be launched by the local Legion on behalf of disabled and needy veterans of the last war. There are still many thousands of these across Canada whose needs must be met in order to give them the essential care they require.

Poppy Day has always met with a generous response in this section and we believe that our people will measure up to former years in spite of the many claims upon them. Everyone can at least buy a poppy and wear the red emblem that for more than 20 years has been the symbol of the Poppy Day Appeal for the deserving ex-servicemen of 1914-1918. Not much is asked, but everyone can do his bit.

Boy Critically Wounded By Playmate With Rifle

Two boys, 10 and 12 years old respectively, figured in a circumstance now being investigated by Provincial Police. The lads are cousins, sons of neighboring farmers in the Scotch Road settlement north of Grenville. The older of the two is now in Dr. E. P. Kelly's Hospital, Hawkesbury, in a critical condition as result of a bullet wound inflicted by the 10-year-old lad, with whom he had been playing.

The incident occurred near the boys' homes Saturday forenoon, October 31.

The younger boy, it is reported, had taken his father's rifle, an old 57 Snyder army weapon, during his parents' absence from home. He aimed the rifle at his older cousin, and the bullet, piercing the victim at the back of his neck and emerging from his throat, narrowly missed the spinal column and jugular vein.

DR. J. S. THOMSON FILLS NEW POST, TO MANAGE CBC

Dr. James S. Thomson took over the general managership of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation on Monday, Nov. 2 succeeding Gladstone Murray, who has moved to Toronto as director-general of broadcasting for the CBC.

Dr. Thomson, who has been president of the University of Saskatchewan since 1937, gave out the following statement in connection with his new work:

"The national radio system, more than any other public institution, is the voice of Canada. The function of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation is to make that voice sincere, authentic and worthy. In co-operation with the local stations, we must endeavor to let the Canadian tongue find utterance in both our languages, and yet with a local accent.



Dr. J. S. Thomson

"We have to interpret the spirit of our people in all its variety of mood and aspiration. There must be fun and laughter for the leisure hour, as well as serious talk to rally our hearts in the midst of a tremendous ordeal. There must be music that touches the soul with the noblest strains, and lighter melodies for the dancing feet of youth.

In lonely homes out on the prairie and in the great northland, people are hungry for news, and they regard radio as a vital contact with the life of the world. In wartime especially, one of the most important responsibilities assumed by radio is the rapid dissemination of news from reliable sources, and also for its discussion and interpretation.

"All who are concerned with its management and direction carry the gravest of responsibilities. We must cultivate sensitive and understanding minds, and sustain the highest ideals in this latest but most potent instrument of human intercourse."

Lobster Canning Up, In the Maritimes

Ottawa, Oct. 26 (CP) — The lobster catch during the "spring" season in the maritime provinces and the Magdalen Islands decreased by 750,000 pounds but the pack of canned lobster put up was nearly 1,000 cases greater than the output in the corresponding 1941 season totalling 49,666 cases, the department of fisheries reports.

An increased percentage of the 1942 catch went into cans, 61 per cent compared with 57 per cent in the 1941 spring season, the department added.

The total catch for the season was 16,272,300 pounds compared with 17,024,600 pounds in 1941, unrevised statistics compiled by the department show. Adverse weather conditions in some of the areas combined with the reduced manpower situation to reduce the landings.

Charge Miner-Leader With Subversive Act

Lusaka, Northern Rhodesia (CP) —Attempts to cause disruption in the northern Rhodesian copper industry leading to the eventual overthrow of the government's authority was revealed in an official statement explaining the detention of three men for subversive activities.

The statement said activities of F. S. Maybank, General Secretary of the Northern Rhodesian Mineworkers and one of those held, had been directed toward that end and that the mineleader had repeatedly hinted that he had armed commandos organized in the background to enforce any strike called in the minefields.

It added that Maybank was engaged in subversive activities solely in a personal capacity.

Oxford, Eng. (CP) — Farmers are to adopt new tactics in their war against the wood pigeon — the birds are to be intoxicated and made helpless before being killed, stupefied by alcoholic narcotic introduced into bait.

WINTER FEEDING OF MARKET HOGS REQUIRES CARE

Ottawa Experts, Bacon for Britain In Mind, Give Hints for Proper Housing and Balanced Diets

Ottawa, Nov. 3 (CP)—The agriculture department, interested in maintaining the highest possible bacon production to keep supplies rolling across the Atlantic to the United Kingdom, has issued hints for winter feeding of market hogs.

"More care and attention are needed (in winter) than in summer production," the department said. "The pigs are generally housed under less natural conditions and there is not the same variety of feeds as in summer."

Here are some of the department's suggestions, as presented by Edward B. Fraser of the animal husbandry division of the Central Experimental Farm here:

Housing of the winter pigs need not be elaborate but it is essential the pigs have a dry, warm, draught-free bed. In a warm barn the bed may be in a corner of the pen which is boarded off so it can be properly bedded with straw. In a cold barn, a sleeping berth is desirable in order that the pigs have a warm place to sleep. The wise feeder makes sure sufficient pen space is available for the pigs to exercise freely.

Feed Mixtures

Proper feeding seems to be the most important item in successful winter pig production. A suitable well-balanced feed mixture is necessary, and care must be taken in feeding it. Under most conditions the common grains—oats, barley and wheat — will be the basis of the feed mixture. Feed a protein supplement with the grain. Skim-milk and buttermilk are ideal for this purpose and two to three pounds are fed with each pound of grain. Lacking milk, tankage, fish meal or a mixed protein concentrated can be used.

Minerals and vitamins are important in winter pig feeding. A simple mineral mixture comprised mainly of limestone, bone meal and salt can be mixed with the grain mixture.

Because green feed is not available for winter feeding, alfalfa or clover hay or mangels in small amounts will prove useful.

As a prevention for rickets, cod liver or pilchard oil is recommended. These oils will also prove effective as a cure for stiffness and crippling.

Owner's Name Must Be Clearly Marked on Delivery Vehicles

Every private commercial vehicle is required to have attached or painted on both sides of the body, in a clearly visible position, the name of the owner and the registered address of the vehicle. This regulation of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board came into effect on August 1.

"During a recent survey it was discovered that many operators of such commercial vehicles had not complied with this order Board officials state.

In some cases it was learned that commercial truck operators had confused this regulation with that part of the Board order restricting the owners of private trucks and trailers to a 35 mile distance from the registered address of the vehicle without a special permit. "This latter regulation did not come into effect until November 1. However, the regulation requiring the owner's name and registered address to be painted or attached to the truck is now in effect and must be strictly adhered to", it is emphasized.

The "registered address" is confined as the address from which the vehicle normally operates.

These regulations have been made in keeping with the general plan to conserve rubber and motorized equipment.

Unemploym't Insurance Stamps Issued to Suit Pay Periods

As a convenience to employers of insurable workers who operate on a semi-monthly or monthly pay period, the Unemployment Insurance Commission has put into circulation through the Post Office four denominations of semi-monthly stamps—according to W. H. Sanderson, manager of the Employment and Selective Service Office at St. Jerome. These stamps were valued respectively at $1.00, $1.11, $1.24, and $1.37.

This special issue was made following a demand for it as a convenience to certain classes of employment, Mr. W. H. Sanderson states, but information received, however, indicates the public is taking very little advantage of these special stamps. It is emphasized that they are available at the larger Post Offices.

SOYBEANS RECORD CROP FOR CANADA

Will Use a Lot in Vegetable Oils And Some Grades of Feeding

Ottawa, Nov. 3 (CP)—The largest crop of soybeans ever produced is being harvested in Canada this year, the agriculture department reported. A large percentage of the crop will be used for vegetable oil but some will be utilized in cattle rations.

Each year an increasing number of dairy farmers is adopting this practice, including a small acreage of soybeans in their cropping plans said C. W. Owen of the Dominion Experimental Staticn at Harrow.

Soybeans may be grown successfully in most dairying districts. The annual crop fits into most crop rotations and is beneficial to the soil because of its leguminous properties.

"In feed value the soybean will produce more concentrated protein than any other crop," said the agriculture department. "This is seen from the analysis of the mature seeds, which contain about 35 per cent protein and 18 per cent oil. In other words, about two and one-half pounds of seed will contain one pound of protein. A crop containing such high protein content is particularly valuable in balancing the high carbohydrate grains such as corn, oats, wheat and barley."

Outlook Favorable For Aussie Crops

Ottawa, Oct. 26 (CP)—Growth conditions of the 1942-43 Australian wheat crop are continuing "very favorably" Frederick Palmer, Canadian Trade Commissioner in Melbourne said in a report received here by the Department of Trade and Commerce. "The Federal cabinet has approved a plan for payment of the equivalment of 70 cents Canadian per bushel at country sidings on the first 3,000 bushels, with an advance of approximately 35 cents per bushel, less freight and handling charges, against any balance to be pooled and paid for as disposed of," he said.

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Money most important to the triumphant conclusion of the Third Victory Loan is money from two million or more average Canadian citizens. Without a wide-spread purchase of bonds the big over-subscription for which this country is working is not likely to materialize. If two millions of Canadian citizens do not buy to the limit of their resources we shall find it difficult to equal the record set in the Second Victory Loan.

The response by large corporations has been good thus far in this campaign. If the pace is kept up, the expectation from this group of special names will be fulfilled. Employees in industrial plants have shown an excellent response. But while money from these sources constitutes a solid and calculable foundation, still more individual subscriptions are hoped for in the general canvass—not only to top the $750,000,000 objective for Canada but to over-subscribe it in a big way, leaving this minimum far behind, for a maximum objective and a new high.

The man who shrugs his shoulders and says, "They will never miss my little $100 or $200 purchase", is the big worry in the minds of those who have the Third Victory Loan closest to their hearts.

War Memorial Blackout No Reflection of Sentiments

In the curtailing of street-lights around Lachute to conserve electricity for war industries, the high-powered floodlight which illuminated the cenotaph has been cut off . . . There may be some who regard this as symbolic of fading memories — that our reverence for those who sacrificed their lives in a past war has been obscured by more momentous tragedies, and by newer, perhaps more spectacular glories in the field of honor.

But nothing is further from the truth. In this hour, despite its grave concern, any lapse of memory would be a discredit to our time and generation. Vividly—and sadly—Canada remembers her heroes of the First Great War. Remembrance Day, next Wednesday, will amply prove it. Then, the citizens of this community, and of communities all across the Dominion, will gather again in brief ceremonies to honor the men who died so bravely. They will deposit their emblems of faith at the cenotaph—where, in Lachute, a wreath has stood the year round to signify that Argenteuil remembers.

Between the Great War I and the present war there are notable differences, but not in the ideals for which Canada is at arms. Then, as now, we stood shoulder to shoulder with freedom-loving nations to curb the ambition of the same inhuman race which would now cast the world into shackles of slavery. The horrors of that process need no elaboration here . . . Yes, the motives for which we fight are still the same, but the tools and strategies of war are different. On the battlefield today, in the air and on the sea, are devilish devices unthought of in the last war; but in 1914-1918 there was mud, water, vermin and the stench of blood-smirched dugouts. Today there are magnetic mines, high-explosive "block-busters", tommy guns and radio communication. In 1914-18, poisoncus gas, field telephones trench periscopes, dead horses, and always—the mud, the stench. These are horrible things to dwell upon; and between the agony of a pilot in a flaming aircraft, and a Tommy's lingering death in a sodden shell crater, there can be little to choose.

But these are thoughts which stir our sensibilities, as we approach once more the anniversary of an Armistice which proved completely void of purpose. As we remember that day, and the sacrifices incurred for its materialization, we may find much to spur our patriotism to greater achievement. The dawning of an era for which those earlier heroes fought, depends today as much upon our civilian effort as on the valor of our fighting men. Insofar as the battle now concerns US and the support of the home front—let it never be said our heroes died in vain.

If it really is the "bright lights" that lure rural residents to the towns and cities, there should be a marked reduction in that movement under existing lighting restrictions.

—Winchester Press

More Like Our Grandfathers

In the current Victory Loan Finance Minister Ilsley is appealing specially to those whose incomes have risen through war expenditures. Higher war taxes have limited the lending capacity of other classes, but not to the point of exhaustion, and citizens in all walks of life and in all income categories are being urged to subscribe. It is going to mean thrift on a scale to which this generation has not been accustomed, but it is going to be good medicine.

The old saying, "shirt sleeves to shirt sleeves in three generations" is coming true in Canada on a national scale. It means that the thrifty father amasses a fortune, the son spends it, and the grandson goes back to work. The men who built up Canada started doing it in their shirt sleeves, their sons had a grand time, their grandsons are taking off their coats. High taxes and high borrowings, plus rationing and other restrictions, are cultivating in us the good old practice of thrift whether we like it or not, and it is very wholesome.

In the Year Book of the Citizens' Research Institute, just issued, there is a paragraph on "Waste, Thrift and Saving," and it has some homely truths. It says that Canadians as a whole have been a wasteful people, probably because the necessities of life have been abundant, many of the luxuries also, and there has been no economic compulsion to be frugal. "Our forebears were frugal, largely by compulsion it is true, but too often, we, their children, have used or used up our accumulated or national resources with an eye on immediate profits without much regard to conservation." These are some of the things we have done: "We have slaughtered forests, robbed the top few inches of many acres of farm land of fertility, and drained swamps for our immediate advantage but to the ultimate loss, partial or entire, of brooks and small lakes (once filled with fine game fish), to the disaster of wholesale erosion and to the desiccation of formerly productive fields. We allowed our cities and towns to grow up largely without adequate plans, the victims of indifference and the wiles of the land exploiter, with resulting drabness, slums, dead and dying areas, vacant lots and empty stores in developed areas, and general economic loss."

It is a formidable but true indictment. It is true also that after the last war it was fashionable to decry the value of thrift and to look upon a frugal neighbor as having "something furtively mean in his nature." Now things are different. "Now the man or woman who saves and invests in war securities is looked upon as a patriot." Intelligent savers, we are reminded, were always the backbone of the country and are the guarantee of the future. All this points a moral and adorns a tale. The moral is that war necessities have again made virtues of thrift and saving, and that it is going to be good for us. "If", says this little Year Book, "the restraint and self discipline which we must practice to win this war, became habitual, we may begin to use and conserve our resources, material, human and spiritual in a manner which will make of Canada a land better than any 'land of our dreams'."

The Third Victory Loan carries the thrift lesson a lengthy step further; it rubs it in. We are going to give up a lot more than the cuffs on our trousers, but it is going to leave us with a truer sense of values than we have ever had. We are going to be more like our grandfathers.

—Adapted from an editorial in the Montreal Gazette

The Lost Art

For years there have been dark hints that letter writing is one of the lost arts—comments the Winnipeg Tribune. It must be admitted that they caused very little worry or anxiety on the part of the average person. Now it appears that there was truth in the dark hints.

Every soldier invalided home, every person who visits the troops in Britain stresses the same need: More and newsier letters to the men and women in uniform serving away from home. Before sweets, or comforts or cigarettes, these men ask for, even beg for letters from the people back in Canada.

Most of us have good intentions about letter writing but unfortunately good intentions don't fill mail bags. The time to write letters is now—today.

Don't delay, write to a soldier today.

The shorter travel radius of the 3-gal. gas ticket will also tend to make folks live on this side of the income perimeter. —Ottawa Citizen

Laugh 'n Like It!

Novelist: "I'm describing a scene that took place 10 years ago. Tell me what kind of frocks the women wore in those days."

Novelist's Wife (bitterly): "The sort I'm wearing now!"

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An old lady of 75 years of age visited a friend of her youth, now 85 years old.

"Dinna think", she remarked, "that I've forgotten you. I look for your death regularly in the papers every week."

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Sunday School Teacher: "When the prodigal son arrived home, what happened, Tommy?"

Tommy: "His father ran to meet him and hurt himself."

"Why, where did you get that?"

"It said his father ran and fell on his neck."

The Hour Approaches

(London Calling)

A few days ago an official advertisement appeared in a London paper calling urgently for more volunteers for the women's forces. Why, when almost every other girl you meet is in uniform, is there this sudden drive for more?

The advertisement provides the answer: "One thought dominates all else today. When the offensive takes place it must not fail. Every man who can fight will be needed for fighting . . . No British woman will stand aside as The Hour approaches." Not the year, the month, or the day, but the hour, you notice.

Winter is coming, and darkness, cold, privation, unknown perils are ahead. But with every shortening day, every falling leaf, The Hour approaches—the hour when a voice from London will call across the seas: "Today the massed forces of the United Nations launched an attack on . . ."

Time Bombs

By "Vic"

You never get co-operation unless you give it.

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We can't organize a new spirit. —But, we can put a new spirit into our organizations!

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Honest apologies
Beat ideologies

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Sink selfishness and we'll raise morale.

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Which Have You Joined?

1. The forces of the best — out to build a new world?

2. The forces of the worst — out to destroy the world?

3. The easy-going forces out for a world of make-believe which pretends that things can go on as they are?

AIR RAID PRECAUTION FACTS — DO WE UNDERSTAND MEANING OF TOTAL WAR?

(The statements contained in this article are collected from first hand information from Official British sources or as supplied by the British Government, and also by those who have had experience in air raids.)

By P. N. Soden, Deputy Provincial Director, Civilian Protection Committee

Much has been written on the subject of proletarian war. This word or phrase was coined in Europe and unfortunately means one of the most disastrous thoughts that has ever been conceived during our lifetime. For ten years or more Germany and Italy have been preparing for total war. They understand full well its meaning. Those nations in Europe who were slow to understand the meaning of proletarian war have had to pay for it with enslavement and annihilation. Although Great Britain and the Empire learned the lesson late, fortunately not too late, we have taken possibly too much time to attain the full comprehension of total war. We still apparently, do not seriously consider all phases of total war, and the one outstanding phase, as far as the civilian is concerned, is air raid precautions.

We have now reached the stage in this country where we have not the time to try or experiment. We now must be prepared to meet air raids. I am sure that every thinking citizen realizes the possibility of these "blitzes" sometime before the end of this war. I also know that many people put it off and think it may happen, but somebody will find the means to protect them. This is not the case. We must learn to protect ourselves.

As soon as we, three years ago, prepared what we now know as the Civilian Protection Committee, then we prepared ourselves to meet total war, although this may have only been a preliminary stage, if we had failed or if we fail to carry out the necessity to meet these conditions, then we would be laying the foundations for previous trouble. If we do not continue to improve our knowledge and prepare ourselves to meet any possibilities of air raids, then we, as citizens, have failed in our duty and only lay ourselves open to immeasurable suffering. If we, as citizens, fail to assume this duty of setting up air raid defence and leave it only for those men who are interested in making financial gain, then we deserve to suffer. It may seem somewhat difficult to many citizens to conceive to what extent air raid precautions are needed for this Province, or what part may be attacked. In order to fully understand the requirements of air raid defences, one must first know what kind of attacks to expect, and as this is impossible, at least we can, based on past experience of other nations, pretty well assume what type of air attacks we are first to get, and it is only based on knowledge that we have now acquired that we can possibly lay plans for a good working Civilian Protection Committee, should the time come for its use.

Of course, these plans and working arrangements cannot be done by a few. Therefore it needs the wholehearted support of every citizen who is able to give a few hours a week to this work.

WAR -- TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

By H. H. GORDON Canadian Press Staff Writer

THIRD BATTLE OF YPRES CLIMAXED BY BRILLIANT ACHIEVEMENT OF CANADIANS AT PASSCHENDAELE

Five months of some of the bloodiest fighting in the First Great War virtually ended Nov. 6, 1917, when the Canadian Corps under Sir Arthur Currie stormed and captured the ruined village of Passchendaele in the Ypres salient.

Had it not been for the valor of the Canadians in the epic struggle that gave the British army command of the heights overlooking the Flanders plain, the Third Battle of Ypres might have been recorded as a costly setback for Sir Douglas Haig's command. As it was, the offensive which began in June with the springing of many mines on the Messines and Wytschaete ridges, brought the British Army to the point of exhaustion.

Brought into the Ypres sector from the Arras area, the Canadians took up positions before Passchendaele late in October. Conditions were terrible. The battlefield had been churned up by artillery fire until it was one great morass in which guns were mounted only with the utmost difficulty. Troops brought up for the attack found shelter in shell holes and craters that served for trenches and heavy rains soaked them to the skin.

The Canadian 3rd and 4th divisions participated in attacks on Oct. 26 and Oct. 30 in which positions were advanced to the bottom of the slope leading to Passchendaele. Enemy fire riddled the attacking lines with casualties, but the remnant of the force gained its objectives and held them against vicious counter-thrusts.

Under Heavy Fire

Sir Arthur Currie left it to the 1st and 2nd divisions to make the drive to the top of the heights. Lessons learned from the assaults of their comrades gave them a slight advantage.

Early on Nov. 6 they plunged forward behind a curtain of fire from Canadian guns. The slope ahead was dotted with pillboxes from which the German machine-gunners poured a murderous fire. One by one the forts were destroyed and once on the top of the ridge the overseas soldiers stormed and captured Passchendaele and other strong points in hand-to-hand fighting.

The fighting at Passchendaele cost the Canadian Corps 15,000 casualties, but the courageous attasks stabilized the battlefront in Flanders for the ensuing winter and made it possible for Anglo-French reinforcements to go to the Italian front.

Passchendaele marked the end of what might be termed open operations on the Western Front. In future attacks military authorities directed far more attention to the surprise factor, introduced successfully by Sir Julian Byng at Cambrai later in November.



"S'no use, Mike, I ain't got the heart. I can't shoot at their tires!"

The "Landau" Is Back

(Leeds Yorkshire Post)

A correspondent writing from Morecambe, tells me the horse-drawn era is definitely resurgent on the sea front there.

Some of the landaus now clip-clopping around Morecambe were built almost 50 years ago, and are as good as ever. They should certainly look as good as new, if paint work counts for anything. Fifteen coats of paint suffice for a luxury limousine; these old landaus got 33, thickly laid on.

The painting was done in an air-tight room, they say. A grain of dust, or a fly crawling over a wet surface, meant disaster. And strong foremen have been known to weep over a spoilt panel. The linework on the wheel spokes was done by a brush with three hairs. This painstaking craftsmanship certainly deserves to survive.

BLACKOUT FOR TRAINS

Moncton, N.B.—The first permanent blackout in Canada is now in effect covering the district between Mont Joli and Isle Verte on the main line of the C.N. Rlys. in the Province of Quebec and on the Gaspe sub-division between Matapedia and Douglastown. Trains operating through this area at night have all window blinds drawn on the passenger coaches and sleeping and dining cars, also all vestibule lights extinguished. Baggage and express cars are also blacked out and in the case of locomotives all exterior lights with the exception of marker lamps are extinguished and the headlights are dimmed.

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On Active Service — Giving Wings to Words

DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

ARUNDEL

A meeting of the Girls' Guild was held at the home of Miss Viola Moncrieff on Saturday, October 31.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cooke and Miss Margaret Cooke spent the week-end at their home here. Miss Marjorie Schryer was their guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Simon, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brownlee and little daughter, Sheila, spent the week-end at their home.

Miss Hazel MacKenzie visited Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Graham recently.

A Hallowe'en party was given to the Juniors of the United Sunday School and the C.G.I.T. in the church hall on Friday evening; the primary group were entertained on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Laura Davis was a week-end guets of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Davis.

Mr. Wenville Graham spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Muriel Graham was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Graham.

Miss Dorothy Kerr visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kerr, over the week-end.

Mr. Haig Staniforth, C.M.S.C., of Ottawa, is spending a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Staniforth.

Miss Katherine Curll, of Westmount, spent the week-end at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Percy Staniforth.

Mr. Jim Bennett, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bennett.

Mr. Billy Morrison, of Lower Canada College, spent the week-end at his home here.

Rector Again With "Missionary Caravan"

Arundel—The Rev. E. C. Royle, of Arundel, has again been invited to join the "Missionary Caravan" of the Diocese of Montreal. Recently the caravan visited several churches in Montreal, and its program of exhibits, movies and entertainment aroused a great deal of interest, so that many places have expressed a desire to have the caravan visit them. During the week of November 9 to 13 the caravan will visit Farnham, Dunham and Cowansville. While Mr. Royle is away the Reverend B. J. Thorpe, of Lachute, has kindly undertaken to attend to any matters that may arise in Arundel Parish.

KILMAR

Mr. and Mrs. F. Kilbourne are spending a few days in Ottawa this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hart, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Handy.

Mrs. L. Thomas is spending a few days in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sancton were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Sancton.

The weekly Red Cross meeting was held at the home of Mrs. H. Villeneuve.

Mrs. R. Sancton is spending a few days in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Brown and family spent the week-end in Ottawa as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Brown.

L/Cpl. Sanford MacVicar, Royal Rifles of Canada, stationed at New Westminster, B.C., has been spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David MacVicar. Following his marriage on Saturday to Miss Doris Katherine Dowd, of Calumet, L/Cpl. MacVicar and his bride received the congratulations of their friends at a reception, held last evening at Reeves' Hall, Calumet. The couple leave on Saturday for New Westminster, where they will make their home.

MORIN HEIGHTS

Mrs. M. Gales, of Montreal, spent Sunday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. Seale.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Doherty were in Montreal the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Seale and daughter, Doreen, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Murdoch at Mabel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their cottage here.

Miss Molly Roberts, also Mrs. Wm. Roberts, spent Sunday with their parents here.

A number from here attended the supper at Cote St. Gabriel in aid of the United Church on Saturday evening last.

Pretoria (CP)—A strong plea for billingual schools in South Africa was made by Prof. T. C. Haarhoff of the University of the Witwatersrand in an address here.

New Lending Library

Book lovers will be pleased to learn that a new lending library is opening on Main Street, in the rear of Fletcher's Barber Shop, where there will be a large assortment of books to satisfy all tastes. These volumes will be for rent at a small daily fee. The public are cordially invited to pay a visit to this enterprise.

MORIN HEIGHTS

The Hallowe'en party, held in the Intermediate School on Friday evening last, proved a very enjoyable event.

Mr. Philip Moss, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his parents.

Mrs. Ronald Boyd and Miss Leona Boyd were here over the week-end.

Mr. John Bell, of Verdun, visited his sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Bell, during the week-end.

The funeral of the late Mr. Wesley Ward was held from the United Church on Tuesday afternoon, the service being conducted by Rev. Mr. Rowe. Among those attending from Montreal were his widow, Mrs. Aumais, Mrs. Thos. Weirs, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lucas, Miss Phyllis Weeks and Mr. Miles Aumais.

BROWNSBURG

Mrs. Ruby Kennedy spent the week-end in Montreal visiting her mother, Mrs. R. Silverson, who is at present a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

The Junior Mission Circle of Maple Avenue Baptist Church held their November meeting at Miss Norma Tomalty's on Tuesday evening; the topic was given by Mrs. Howard Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Petley, Miss A. Petley, Pilot Officer Bernard Petley, also Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Petley and little son, Wayne, were in Ste. Agathe last week, visiting Miss May Petley.

Under their Cub Master, H. Elliott, a group of the Wolf Cubs attended service in the United Church on Sunday morning.

Misses Phyllis McAdam and Marion McManus spent the week-end in Montreal.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Wm. Prosser is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Armistice Day Service

Arrangements are being made for the usual Armistice Service of Remembrance on Wednesday next, at the Social Club grounds, to commence at 10.45 a.m. The band is to be in attendance and pupils of the school will render a special patriotic selection. The Legion will attend in a body and the placing of wreaths will follow the observance of two minutes' silence. The public are urged to attend.

Church Anniversary

Rev. R. G. Burgoyne, of Montreal, will be the preacher next Sunday morning in connection with the 101st anniversary of the United Church. The anniversary will extend over to Tuesday evening, when the Rev. Dr. G. C. Wadsworth, of Montreal, a former minister, will be guest speaker. A varied program is being arranged for Tuesday evening and special music for Sunday. The public are cordially invited. A social hour will take place at the close of the Tuesday evening gathering.

CUSHING WEST

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pinkerton spent the week-end at their residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Keatley, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. Keatley's mother, Mrs. W. Usher.

Mrs. S. Whelehan arrived home on Saturday, having spent a month with friends in Montreal.

Mrs. Holmes, of Montreal, was a guest of Mrs. C. L. Cooke on Monday.

Miss Audrey Watson spent the early part of the week with friends in Brownsburg.

The Misses Rita and Jeanne Desjardins, of Brawnsburg, spent the week-end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Owens, of Stonefield, motored to St. Laurent and visited relatives last Sunday.

HARRINGTON

Miss Eva Bates, of Montreal, who has been in ill health, is spending sometime with Mrs. L. M. Marshall.

Miss Glena Bennett, of Ottawa, spent the week-end at her home here.

Fourteen from this Assembly attended the opening of the New Pentecostal Church in Cornwall on Sunday last.

George Ward, of Petawawa, visited his parents in Rivington over the week-end.

We are glad to report that Mr. Chapman Meyer, who underwent an operation for appendicitis last week in a Hawkesbury hospital, expects to be home soon.

MABEL

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Heatlie motored to Montreal on Sunday. Miss Evelyn Heatlie reurned with them to her duties at the General Hospital, after spending the week-end at her home.

The Farm Radio Forum was held at the home of Mr. John Heatlie on Monday evening. Next week the meeting will be at Mr. W. G. Heatlie's home.

Mr. Geo. Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clark, also Messrs. Perley and Cecil Clark, were in Montreal on Sunday visiting Miss Catherine Clark, who is still under observation in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wert were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Plummer in Montreal.

Mrs. Robt. Black, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jno. Mahon, at Calumet, returned home last week-end. Mrs. Black is now spending a few days with Mrs. I. Jolley in Lachute.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Among week-end visitors were—Misses Enid Robertson, Pauline, Henriette, Gilberte Giroux, and A-C. Hugh Robertson, Precision Squad, R.C.A.F., Lachine.

Mr. Milton M. Yale is convalescing nicely at the Homoeopathic Hospital, Montreal, after a recent operation.

A committee of the W.M.S. of the United Church met at the home of the supply secretary, Miss Mary Fitcairn on Tuesday afternoon. Two boxes of clothing were packed for dispatch to the distributing-secretary of supply at Montreal.

Victory Loan Returns

The Victory Loan Campaign has reached $34,000 — a very satisfactory figure, considering $20,000 was the primary objective.

Hallowe'en Party

The C.G.I.T. held a Hallowe'en party on Saturday evening at the United Church hall. Most of the girls were in costume. They were cordially welcomed by a ghostly apparition who directed their activities, which included a street parade, a singsong, various games and stunts, and, of course, eats.

(St. Andrews news also on page 6)

CUSHING

Miss Doris Leroy, of Lachute, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie.

A small card party was held in Cushing Community Club on Saturday night.

Mrs. L. Cushing, of Montreal, was the guest of Mrs. W. Y. King on Saturday. Mr. A. Chretien also visited at "Ingleside".

Miss Margaret Canning, of St. Eustache, spent the week-end with her parents.

The Misses Bryerton, of Verdun, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bryerton, of St. Laurent, and Mr. Bert Smith, of Montreal, visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Bryerton.

Mrs. W. Chambers, of St. Philippe, accompanied by Mrs. A. Lighthall, of New Toronto, spent Sunday the guests of Mrs. Gordon Alder at Verdun.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Holmes, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gaston.

Frontier W.I.

Frontier Branch of the W.I. held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Graham on Tuesday. In the absence of the Rev. L. T. Burman, Mrs. L. M. Gaston read his paper on "The Benefits of Living under Democracy". The roll-call was "the name of someone prominent in furthering the war effort". Several quilts were pieced for Red Cross work. The subject of the meeting was International Relationships, or "Canadian and National Events," under the convenorship of Mrs. L. M. Gaston.

OBITUARY

Late Mrs. B. F. Rogers Was Widely Related, Spent Lifetime Here

The death of a lifelong resident here, and a lady widely connected in this county, occurred suddenly in the passing of Mrs. Benjamin F. Rogers last Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Russel Hurdman, Breckenridge, Que.

The late Mrs. Rogers was born at Hill Foot on November 19, 1870, a daughter of the late John Armstrong and Margaret Scott, of Lachute Road, and spent her entire lifetime in and around Lachute. She was married on June 13, 1899, to Benjamin F. Rogers, of Mille Isles, Que., who survives her together with three daughters and one son—Miss Helena Margaret, in Montreal; Catherine Elizabeth (Mrs. Grant Hollingworth), Ormstown; Maria Anna Grace (Mrs. Russel Hurdman), Breckenridge, Que.; and Frederick Earl, at home. There remain also three sisters—Mrs. William Clauson, Pembroke, Ont.; Mrs. George MacMillan, Buckingham, Que.; Mrs. William Fowler, Compton, Que.; and one grandchild.

The funeral service was held Monday afternoon from her late residence in the east ward of Lachute. The Rev. E. Orsborn conducted the service assisted by the Rev. W. B. Rosborough, in the presence of a large gathering. Many beautiful flowers paid silent tribute to a life well spent, and evidenced widefelt sympathy for the bereaved.

Pall-bearers were her six nephews—Linton, Stuart and Wesley Armstrong, Randolph Rogers, Russell Rodgers and Benjamin Hammond. The remains were interred in the Lachute Cemetery.

Gilbt. Todd, Well Known Citizen, Dies Suddenly Of Heart Seizure

The sudden death of Gilbert Todd, a well known Lachute resident, which occurred last Thursday evening, caused a severe shock to the many friends and acquaintances who knew him as a genial citizen, a church man and a "good fellow" in the true and literal sense. Spending the evening with friends at St. Andrews, he was stricken with a heart attack and died a few minutes later. Dr. A. L'Allier was summoned immediately from the village, but Mr. Todd was beyond medical assistance.

An inquest was held early Friday morning, conducted by the coroner, Dr. A. R. Cote, of Brownsburg, who returned a verdict of natural death.

Gilbert ("Gillie") Todd, who died in his 50th year, was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John W. Todd, and was born in St. Jerusalem Parish. He had been employed at Ayers Limited for about 15 years prior to his death. He was a member of Laurentian Lodge No. 14, I.O.O.F., having earned his 25-year Veteran's Jewel; he was also a steward of the Lachute United Church. Mr. Todd was a bachelor.

He is survived by his brother, Guy P. Todd, of this town; two sisters, Mrs. George W. Hardy, Brownsburg, and Mrs. Henry J. Hammond, Hawkesbury; also a number of nieces and nephews.

The funeral service, held Sunday afternoon at Lachute United Church, was largely attended. There were many beautiful flowers. The Rev. W. B. Rosborough officiated, and brother Oddfellows attended in a body, following the remains to Lachute Cemetery, where the minister pronounced the committal and Bro. W. K. McArthur read the last rites of the Order.

Pall-bearers were Russell Rodgers, George Fraser, Arnold Scott, John Fraser, Jr., Charles Walker and Gordon Smith.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

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

BIRTH

SMILLIE — At the Alice Hyde Hospital, Malone, N.Y., on October 9, to Mr. and Mrs. George Smillie (nee Ethel Dolg) a daughter, Eleanor Ann.

MARRIAGES

DUNCAN-HAY — The marriage of Miss Isabel Jean Hay, youngest daughter of the late James Hay and of Mrs. Hay, of Lachute, to Chief Motor Mechanic James Duncan, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Duncan, of Montreal, took place quietly at 6.30 o'clock Wednesday, October 28, at the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church, Lachute — the Rev. E. Orsborn officiating.

MAIDENS — MacRAE — at the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church manse on Wednesday, November 4, Miss Norma MacRae, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Norman McRae, of Harrington East, Que., to Sidney Maidens, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Maidens, of Lachute Mills.

DEATHS

ROGERS — Suddenly at Breckenridge, Que., on October 30, 1942, Ellen Elizabeth Armstrong, beloved wife of Benjamin F. Rogers, Lachute, in her 72nd year. Interment Lachute Cemetery, November 2.

SOMERVILLE — On Saturday, October 24, 1942, at her home, 239 Arlington Avenue, Ottawa, Henrietta Bates, widow of John Somerville, in her 86th year. Interment took place at St. Andrews East, Que., on Tuesday, October 27.

TODD—Suddenly at Lachute, Que., on Thursday, October 29, 1942, Gilbert Todd, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John W. Todd. Interment took place at Lachute Cemetery, Sunday, November 1.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

ROGERS—We wish to express our sincere appreciation to friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy extended to us in the death of our beloved wife and mother.—The Family.

TODD — Mr. Guy P. Todd and sisters, Mrs. G. W. Hardie and Mrs. H. J. Hammond, wish to express sincere thanks for the many floral tributes and expressions of sympathy so feelingly extended to them in the sudden passing of their brother, Gilbert Todd.

TODD — Mr. Guy P. Todd and sisters wish to express their deep appreciation and sincere thanks to Ayers Limited, their staff and employees, for the beautiful floral offerings and kind assistance given them in the sudden death of their brother, Gilbert Todd.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

101st Anniversary of B'burg United Church

Brownsburg — Arrangements are being completed for the 101st anniversary gatherings of the Brownsburg United Church on Sunday next and extending over to Tuesday evening, November 10.

On Sunday morning Rev. R. G. Burgoyne, of Montreal, will be the special preacher. Mr. Burgoyne was present on a former anniversary of the church and was heard with cordial acceptance. The choir will render special music. The minister, Rev. S. J. Pike, will conduct the evening service. On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the Rev. G. C. Wadsworth, of Montreal, a former minister, will be the guest speaker. A varied program is being arranged and the ladies of the church will serve refreshments at the close, during an hour of social retreat in the church hall downstairs. Dr. Wadsworth will be happy to meet friends of former years.

The public are cordially invited to these gatherings. A silver collection will be taken on Tuesday evening.

Lachute United Church Young People's Union

The weekly meeting of the Lachute United Young People's Union was held last evening in the church hall. There was a fair attendance.

Plans were made for the holding of a social evening on Wednesday of next week, and also for a concert which the group are planning for some time next month.

The program was taken by Mae Gordon, who read two articles, both of which were entitled "The World I Want to See After the War". The first one was written by the Rev. Gerald Rogers, B.A., B.D., of Halifax, N.S., and the other one by Prof. James S. Thomson, D.D., who has been president of the University of Saskatchewan since 1937 and is now the general manager of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation. Both these articles expressed the hope that after this present war there would be a world of international co-operation. Our first loyalty must be to the human race and there must be a world of fuller opportunity for individual human beings, and a world in which spiritual values prevail.

A few ends of bowling were enjoyed by the members after the meeting.

Sunday Services

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

10 a.m., Sabbath School
11 a.m., Morning Worship
"The Illumination of the Dark"
7 p.m., Evening worship.
"Missing The Obvious"
11 a.m., East Settlement.
3 p.m. Thomas' Gore.
Welcome to all services !

MARGARET RODGER MEML. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Orsborn

10 a.m., Sabbath School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
"O Zion, that Bringest Good Tidings"
Special W.M.S. Service
7.00 p.m. Armistice Service.
"The Glorious Victory"
The Y.P.S. will take part.
3 p.m., Brownsburg.

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor, H. Charlton

10 a.m., Bible School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
7 p.m., Evening Worship
Tuesday 7 p.m., Happy Hour for Boys and Girls.
Tuesday 8 p.m. Senior Young People.
Wednesday 8 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
101st Anniversary.
11.00 a.m. Rev. R. G. Burgoyne. of, Montreal.
7.30 p.m. The Minister.
Tuesday, November 10, at 8 p.m., Rev. Dr. G. C. Wadsworth, of Montreal, (a former Minister).
A varied program, silver collection.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. T. J. H. Rich, Pastor

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship at Brownsburg.
7.30 p.m. The Work of Christ.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES
Rev. C. Hardie

11.00 a.m. Brownsburg
8.00 p.m. Dalesville
Rev. Melchie Henry, will preach at the both services, Evangelistic meetings will continue at Brownsburg each evening at 8 p.m.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector

10.30 a.m. Lakefield.
Shrewsbury, 2 p.m.
Dunany, 4 p.m.

Philippine Islands Are Portrayed by Missionary at Bible Soc'y Meeting

There was a good attendance at the annual meeting of the Bible Society, held Sunday evening in Lachute United Church, which speaks well for the interest shown by the people of this district in this very important part of Christian work.

The Rev. W. B. Rosborough conducted the meeting. Mrs. George McGibbon, the recording secretary, read the minutes of the last annual meeting, which were endorsed by those present. The present slate of officials was re-elected for the following year, with the addition of Mr. W. M. Steeves, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, as treasurer in place of Mr. C. Cunningham, who was moved to another branch.

The chairman introduced the speaker for the evening, Mr. G. M. Franck, assistant secretary for the Montreal District, who took for his subject "The Philippine Islands". Mr. Franck had been engaged there in missionary work for a number of years and spoke from first-hand knowledge. His address was illustrated with a number of fine slides showing groups of natives, specimens of native dwellings, some fine hospitals, colleges and some old Spanish buildings. There were also pictures of exceedingly beautiful natural scenery in mountain districts with tumbling cascades, and along water fronts. Other pictures showed natives at work in native industries.

Before showing the pictures Mr. Franck gave a brief account of the history of the islands and the natives. The following is a condensed outline:

The Philippines are inhabited by the Malayan race, divided into many tribes speaking different languages and with different customs. The predominant religion is Roman Catholic, though in the south many Mohammedans are to be found. The islands came under the rule of Spain about 400 years ago, and remained so until the Spanish-American war when they passed into the control of the United States. The American occupation has meant much for the islands, giving them a splendid system of education, good roads, hospitals, and improved facilities. It also opened the way for the establishment of Protestant Missions, and there are now many Protestant congregations scattered over the islands. The British and Foreign Bible Society, followed by the American Bible Society, also were early to enter this field, and the scriptures have been translated into many of the native tongues and circulated among the people. Later the B.&F.B.S., in agreement with the A.B.S. withdrew from the islands, handing over its property, and leaving its work altogether in the hands of its sister society. In return the American Society evacuated Corea, leaving its work in the hands of the B.&F.B.S.

Nearly all educated Philippinos speak Spanish as well as their own native languages, and since the coming of the Americans, English has become very popular. There are considerable Chinese and Japanese populations also in the islands, and the former are among if not the largest group of taxpayers in the islands.

A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Franck for his very interesting address and beautiful pictures; also to the United Church for use of their fine auditorium; to the choir and organist for their services; to the young lady collectors for their faithful work; and to Mr. Cunningham for his valuable services as treasurer during the past few years.

The collection taken at the close of the meeting amounted to $17.76. Mr. Steeves reported the receipt of $184 from the collectors.

United C.G.I.T. Activities

The regular meeting of the C.G.I.T. was held on Monday, November 2.

The meeting was opened by repeating the C.G.I.T. "Purpose". Gwen Clarke read the scripture and Joan McMartin followed in prayer. The Brownsburg C.G.I.T. tendered an invitation to the Lachute girls, to a party on Friday evening.

Mr. H. Bradford, the guest speaker, gave a talk on "Views of the Future". He expressed the different appointments open to girls with "high school leaving" standard—teaching, nursing, bookkeeping, household science and numerous other vocations await girls who can qualify. Mr. Bradford stated that their education was not completed even after finishing high school, that they still will have a great deal to learn.

(Note: All members able to go to Brownsburg on Friday evening, please meet at Mrs. R. Percival's at 7 o'clock sharp.)

Pretty Wedding Held at Kilmar Community Ch.

Thorburn - Kirby

A very pretty wedding took place in the Kilmar United Community Church on Saturday afternoon, when Mr. Victor Thorburn, son of Mr. John F. Thorburn and the late Mrs. Thorburn, and Miss Enid Margaret Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kirby, of Kilmar were united in matrimony — the Rev. S. J. Pike, of Brownsburg, officiating. Mrs. J. Perry played the wedding music.

The bride was dressed in white satin, with a floor-length veil, and carried a bouquet of white carnations and pink roses. She was given in marriage by her father, and was attended by Miss Audrey Thorburn, sister of the groom, who was dressed in glory blue with shoulder-length veil to match, carrying a bouquet of red roses.

The groom was ably supported by Mr. Leonard Kirby, brother of the bride. Messrs. Geo. Kirby and E. Phillips acted as ushers. A reception was held at the bride's home, after which they left by train for Montreal and other points.

On their return they will reside at Brownsburg, where the groom is employed with the Canadian Industries Limited.

Quiet Wedding at Grenville Home

MacVicar - Dowd

The marriage of Doris Katherine, daughter of Lemuel Dowd, of Calumet, to Lance Corporal Sanford MacVicar, Royal Rifles of Canada, of New Westminster, B.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. David MacVicar, of Kilmar, took place quietly on Saturday, October 31, at 3 o'clock at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Howard Jones, and Mr. Jones, Grenville. The Rev. S. T. Burman, of Cushing, officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length frock of light blue silk chiffon and old fashioned lace, a finger-tip veil of pale blue with a tiara of forget-me-nots, and carried a bouquet of pink chrysanthemums.

She was attended by her friend, Miss Mary Walker, of Thurso, who wore a floor length dress of pink chiffon and a small hat of forget-me-nots, carried a bouquet of mixed flowers.

Mr. Rolly Dowd, brother of the bride, acted as best man.

Mrs. David MacVicar, mother of the groom, wore a grey silk frock trimmed with black velvet, with accessories to match, and a corsage of pink carnations.

Following a luncheon served at the Jones home, the bride and groom left for a wedding trip to the Laurentians. For travelling, the bride wore a blue silk dress, tailored coat and accessories to match.

They will reside in New Westminster, B.C.

Wed in Vancouver

Helps - Black

St. Michael's Anglican Church, Vancouver, was the scene of a recent wedding of interest here, when Rachel Elizabeth Powell Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John David Black, became the bride of Mr. Arthur Ralph Gordon Helps, son of Mr. and Mrs. John William Helps, with Canon G. H. Wilson reading the service.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of white silk marquisette, her finger-tip veil held in place with a coronet of tulle and white roses. She wore a necklace of pearls, the gift of the groom, and carried a shower bouquet of cream roses, white chrysanthemums and red carnations.

Miss Mildred Black attended her sister, wearing a dress of powder blue sheer, modelled on the same lines as that of the bride. Her shower bouquet was fashioned of white chrysanthemums and pink carnations. Mr. Harry Dennison was best man and ushers included Mr. Walker Lind and Corporal Hans Drab. During the signing of the register Mr. George Carroll sang, accompanied by Mr. Donald Baker, violinist, and Mr. Leonard Wilson at the organ.

The reception was held in the Hotel Georgia. Mr. and Mrs. Helps left for their wedding trip to Vancouver Island, the bride wearing turquoise blue wool with Harris tweed coat and navy accessories. They will reside in Vancouver.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Anne Lessard, of Montreal, visited friends in town during the week-end.

Miss Olga Simpson, of Thurso, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McMahon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hartley, of Montreal, were week-end guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. George Armstrong.

Mrs. Agnes E. Hayes, of Pala Alta, California, is spending a few weeks as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Staniforth.

Mr. Lorne Welcher and Mr. Chas. Marwick, of Montreal, are visiting Mr. John Kirkpatrick at Thomas' Gore, on a hunting trip.

Miss Irene Wallace, of the Westmount General Hospital, LAC. Ernest Walker, of Trenton and Miss Lorna Copeland, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pollock.

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Engagement Announced

The engagement is announced of Edna Albertina Kendall, of Montreal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anick Kendall, of Windsor Mills, Que., to John Wesley Hadley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hadley, of Lachute, Que. The marriage will take place the latter part of this month.

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

Mr. H. Cunningham and Mr. A. Kiepprien, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham.

Miss Patricia Bennett spent the week-end visiting her brother, Mr. Ralph Bennett and Mrs. Bennett, in Notre Dame de Grace.

Miss Helen McIntyre, of Montreal, was a week-end visitor at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Giles and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gorman spent last week-end in Tetreaultville, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robertson.

Sgt. Leonard Morrison, of the R.C.A.F., Newfoundland, spent the week-end with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. MacGibbon.

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Approaching Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Falconer, Lachute, Que., announce the approaching marriage of their younger daughter, Lilian Mae, to Mr. George Edgeworth Fenwick, elder son of Mrs. E. Fenwick, of Montreal. The wedding will take place November 21.

Miss Therese Berniquer and Miss Kay Giles spent last week-end in Montreal.

Mrs. J. H. Dumouchel, of Ottawa, is spending a few days this week visiting her sister, Mrs. S. S. Campbell and Mr. Campbell.

Miss Beryl Underhill and Miss Margaret Aitkin, of Montreal, visited at their respective homes here during the week-end.

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Approaching Marriage

The marriage of Theodosia Mary Dawes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. C. Bond, of Toronto and Lachute, Que., to Mr. Robert Buchanan Thornton, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Thornton, of Montreal, has been arranged to take place on Friday afternoon, November 20, at half-past four o'clock, at St. George's Church, the Venerable Archdeacon Gower-Rees officiating. The reception afterwards will be held at the residence of the bridegroom's parents, 1531 McGregor Street.

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New Physician Delayed

Dr. Richard Monahan, successor to the practice of Dr. W. F. McMartin, Lachute, has been delayed at Rochester, Minn., owing to the illness of his wife. The Watchman is advised that Dr. McMartin will continue at his office pending arrival of the new physician, which is expected shortly.

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Petty-Officer Kenneth Falconer, of the R.C.N.V.R., Quebec City, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Falconer, the early part of this week.

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There is something smart about this little fleet, despite the lack of glittering brasswork and fresh paint, immaculate uniforms, gilt insignia or ceremony. From the skipper to the stoker, the men wear any old togs on board. Uniforms and pomp mean little to these men who face death together as their sturdy vessels forge slowly through the seas in search of danger. Little formal recognition is accorded them, but after each safe voyage merchant seamen give silent thanks for the efficient work of the North Sea Minesweeping fleet.

The work of this fleet is continuous, will in fact go on long after the war has ceased. For one year after the last war, minesweeping was carried on in every area where German or British mines had been laid. The seas had to be cleared for the great peacetime fleets which were to follow. Over 24,000 mines were removed during this period. One year after the Armistice to the day, the seas around Britain, Europe, and the British Commonwealth were reported clear. During this period, no merchant ship was lost due to mines. This record was achieved largely through the efficent work of the Minesweepers.

The Overseas Parcels League, British Minespeepers Auxiliary, is endeavoring to assist these brave men by sending sweaters, seaboot stockings, scarves and socks. Their needs are urgent; will you help?

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Please send contributions of work or cheque to the Overseas Parcels League, British Minesweepers Auxiliary, 1412 Drummund Street, Montreal, Que.

Children Sacrifice To Aid Children

A gift of $111 from children in Victoria, B.C., to the Queen's Canadian Fund will be devoted to assisting child war victims in Great Britain.

The donation was sent to Fund headquarters in Montreal by William Moore, superintendent of St. Mary's Sunday School (Church of England) in Oak Bay, Victoria, on behalf of the children of the school.

The children agreed to have their annual picnic cancelled on the understanding that the contributions toward "expenses of the annual picnic" were sought in the usual way and that whatever was received would be sent to the Queen's Fund, together with a small donation from the school's fund. Mr. Moore, in his letter, stated:

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ST. ANDREWS EAST

Miss Mary Hunter is recuperating satisfactorily after an operation, at the Montreal General Hospital.

Miss Betty Dorion returned from Montreal on Sunday after a two weeks' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Crosbie have returned from a fortnight's stay in Toronto.

The Women's Guild of the United Church propose holding an afternoon tea and sale on Saturday afternoon, November 21.

The Women's Association of Christ Church have planned an afternoon tea and Christmas gift sale for Saturday afternoon, December 12.

A.-W. Hazel Robertson, R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan Robertson.

CALUMET

Miss Elsie Graham, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mrs. M. R. Robinson.

Mr. Jack McGibbon, of Brownsburg, and Mr. Frank McGibbon, were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. McGibbon.

Captain and Mrs. H. Mooney and Miss Phyllis Mooney, of Hawkesbury, were Saturday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Foreman.

Mr. Ronald Brigden spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Druce have moved from Hawkesbury to Calumet.

The annual All Saints service was held in Trinity Anglican Church at 9.30 o'clock Sunday morning.

Mr. Albert Gardiner and Mr. Grant Robinson, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Robinson.

The Calumet Soldiers' League held a drawing on a quilt donated by Mrs. S. Filoon and Miss B. Brown, on Hallowe'en evening in Foreman Bros'. Store; the winner was Mr. D. Dupuis, of Grenville.

Miss Jean Graham spent Monday and Tuesday in Ottawa, where she attended the funeral of her grandmother, the late Mrs. Somerville.

Miss Ora Standish, of Montreal, was a guest of Miss Anne Foreman last week-end.

MORIN HEIGHTS
(Intended for last issue)

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett, of Harrington, were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. Seale.

Mr. Jack Kennedy spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mayor and Mrs. W. H. Watchorn, also Mr. George Watchorn, Sr., visited friends in Stanstead for a couple of days.

Miss Eunice Seale, of Calumet, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Seale.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Morgan spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dey brought their infant son home from the Royal Victoria Hospital, where he had been confined there over a month; he is reported progressing favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Swindon, also Mrs. Cowap, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Seale.

Mrs. J. McCullough is spending some time in Montreal.

Mrs. F. Clark, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis.

The Misses Bernice Lacken and Marjorie Seale spent the week-end here prior to leaving for Kitchener, Ont., where they will complete their army training course.

A reception was held at the home of Mrs. S. Campbell in honor of the marriage of her son, Mr. Geo. Campbell and his bride, the former Miss Edna Russell, of Ste. Agathe.

A large number from here attended the song service at Cote St. Gabriel United Church Sunday afternoon, and reported a most enjoyable session.

Wear a poppy for remembrance

AVOCA

Alexander Bates, of H.M.S. Oakville, has gone to Niagara Falls, Welland and other points to visit friends.

Cpl. D. Provencal, of Niagara-on-the-Lake, spent the week-end with his family.

Mrs. E. Gilman, of Boston, and Mrs. J. Starke, of Montreal, visited their mother, Mrs. James Arthurs, over the week-end, Mrs. Gilman proceeds to Washington, and from there to Florida for the winter.

Miss Ethel Arthurs, of Ottawa, accompanied by Miss Quinn, also Miss Evelyn Arthurs, of Grenville, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Arthurs.

Mrs. M. McTague returned home from Halifax on Thursday after spending a month there with her son, Joseph, and his family.

Mrs. Howard Doig, wife of the Rev. Howard Doig, of Sydney, N.S., is on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kelly, before joining her husband who is a chaplain in the army, at Petawawa.

Miss Grace MacLeod is on a month's holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacLeod.

Several ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. MacPhee to pack parcels for men overseas, to which this community has generously contributed. The Rev. Mr. Harrison, of Montebello, was also present.

WEIR

Mr. Sherman Beaven left on Thursday of last week for Moncton, N.B., where he expects to spend some time.

Mr. Raymond Kerr spent last week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Kerr.

Miss M. Wiscarson spent the week-end in Montreal.

Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. A. Beaven were—Messrs. F. Hurdle and J. Monteith, of Rosemount.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Strome left last week to take up residence at Kilmar.

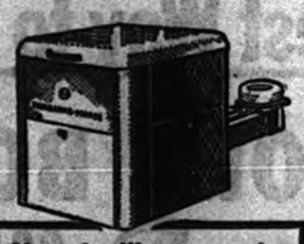
Mr. Ken Hale spent Sunday at his cottage here.

Mr. J. D. Williams left last week for Clova, Que., where he expects to spend the next few months.

Messrs. Lionel Labrosse, John Campbell and Jas. Bates left Sunday evening for Montreal.

CAN LIVE TO 300

London (CP)—Dr. Maurice Ernest, founder of the Centenarian Club whose members are 100 years old or aspire to be, declares human beings "can live to be 300 years old." He himself is 70.



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ANNUAL MEETING OF ARUNDEL RED CROSS

Arundel—The annual meeting of the Red Cross Society, Arundel Branch — which includes groups from The Glen, Harrington, Huberdeau and Weir—was held Thursday evening, October 29, in Arundel United Church hall.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Mrs. A. B. Morrison; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. S. MacArthur; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. Hugh Boyd, Sr.; secretary, Mrs. M. E. Davis; treasurer, Mrs. W. L. Morrison.

Executive—Mrs. R. B. Henry, Mrs. Melvin C. Cooke, Rev. E. C. Royle, Rev. C. C. Cushing, Dr. R. B. Henry.

Chairman of organization, Mrs. R. B. Henry.

Convenor of Work Committee, Mrs. Melvin C. Cooke.

The annual report of work showed a successful year. Finished articles included 50 complete outfits for 16-year-old girls (each consisting of 11 garments), 7 outfits for babies 6-18 months (each consisting of 23 garments), and other sewing and knitting amounting to 1,231 articles.

The secretary's report showed an enrolment of 280 members.

The treasurer's report showed $800.30 sent to headquarters during the year. The Salvage Committee forwarded $45, which was added to Red Cross funds.

The president thanked the various officers for their co-operation during the year. Owing to war restrictions refreshments were not served.

COLORFUL SUITS

London (CP)—New color ranges for men's 1943 clothing include suits of spicy yellow brown, purply tones and pewter grey as wartime dyeing restrictions have limited supplies of dark blues and browns.

CRIPPLED CHARITY QUEEN

Bristol, Eng. (CP) — A crippled little woman of 64, Mrs. Bert Brown, is the uncrowned charity queen of Bristol. She spends 12 hours a day distributing toys and comforts to bombed-out and poor children—1,000 dolls in a year.

KISSING TIME ANYTIME

Eastbourne, Eng. (CP) — Anytime is kissing time at this Sussex town. The council has installed a kissing gate because, in the words of a councillor, "Christmas and mistletoe come only once a year."

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Advertisements on this page contain several hidden names, of readers living in Lachute and district. These names are taken from the subscription list of The Watchman. If YOUR name should appear at the bottom of one of these spaces, clip out the advertisement, bring it to The Watchman Office within seven days and you will receive two

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

Hints for Homebodies

By Jessie Allen Brown

The week-end radio programs have been very interesting from personal reasons. Walter Pidgeon is one prophet who has honor in his own land. You know, he grew up in Saint John, and everyone always speaks so well of him. You hear said, The Pidgeons are a fine family; they were all such nice boys; Walter had a good voice; and so on. Well, Walter Pidgeon has been home and they think even more of him. He remembered everyone he had ever known, found time to visit old friends who could not come to him, and generally pleased everyone. Staid Saint John simply went wild. He must have loved his welcome home, because there is nothing more satisfying than to be made welcome in your own home town. Then the Orson Wells broadcast, which was very fine, had an added interest because I know Sam Dornon and his Alameda Dispatch. The town and names of the people are very familiar as I have been reading the Dispatch for years. My column had been running in the paper for some time. They might have told in the broadcast about Sam Dornan's editorials. They are good enough to win awards in the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association's annual competitions. It was fitting to choose a small-town editor as one of the subjects for the series of broadcasts, as they wield considerable influence in Canada. Then too, saw the King and Queen when they were lost among the veterans. I was on a height looking down on them, and it is a scene I never will forget to the end of my days.

A REAL PRESENT

Did you ever think the day would arrive when a gift of six tea-bags would be a wonderful present? A neighbor just made me a present of six and I felt it was a grand gift. We often have an evening of Bridge or just conversation, or both, together, and it just happened we had been oftenest at our home. Then the lady in question was away for some time and her husband had the odd meal with us. Anyhow they felt they owed us some tea and as the vacation had lessened the amount they used they shared the saving with us. The tea and coffee rationing with us means considerable doing without. But we manage and if that is the worst we have to put up with we certainly can't complain.

9,000,000 WORKING DAYS LOST

If Canadians lose as much time from work because of sickness for the remainder of 1942, as they have so far this year, they will have lost 9,000,000 working days. That is an appalling figure when you think of all the tools of war that might be made in those lost 9,000,000 days. It is impossible to estimate how much of this is due to improper feeding, but there is no doubt it is at least a contributory cause of much ill-health. A survey is being made of lunches eaten by Canadian war-workers, both as to lunches packed at home, and those bought at plant cafeterias, A lunch to be satisfactory must have a protein food, such as meat, eggs, cheese, fish, or peanut butter; it must have a fresh fruit or vegetable; and it should have milk in some form, either milk to drink, or in cocoa or soup. Too many lunches have jam or jelly sandwiches, cake, and tea. There is nothing there but carbohydrates and it is impossible to do good work and keep healthy on such food. If you have anything to do with packing a lunch, either for work or school do see that the food is properly chosen.

SLIP COVERS

Slip-covers are attractive but they do get dirty. To get them done up properly at home is quite a chore and to send them to the dry-cleaners is expensive. Here is an easy way to launder slip-covers. Wash them carefully in plenty of mild suds and rinse twice. Pat out on a heavy bath towel to absorb some of the moisture, then put them back on the chair or chesterfield while still wet. Pull them into shape and you will find that even the frills do not need ironing.

CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE

Cover the meat with cold water and simmer for three hours or until tender. Cut the cabbage into eights, and cook with the meat until tender, being careful not to over cook.

CORNED BEEF LOAF

1½ Pounds cooked corned beef, ¼ teaspoon sage, 1 onion, dash of pepper, 4 crackers rolled, ¼ cup water, 1 egg, slightly beaten.

Put the meat and the onion through the food chopper. Add the remaining ingredients, and mix thoroughly. Pack into a greased loaf pan and bake in a moderate oven of 350 degrees about on hour.

Letter Writing Helps Men on Active Service

By Gloria Stokoe

It is just as important today as at any time during this war to keep up the morale of the men and women on active service. A sure way to help in this is to write letters. We all realize what a lift there is in a letter from loved ones or friends. Then, think of what it must mean to those "over there" to get news from the home front! When you get a letter be sure to answer it promptly, and don't forget to be cheerful rather than sad or remourseful. Remember too, that your letter will be appreciated just that much more if you refer to people and places familiar to the reader rather than strangers. In nine cases out of ten the person to whom you are writing has already got his or her mind packed with unfamiliar lines that have not straightened themselves out and in this case a letter regarding the activities of the old gang is like an oasis in the desert.

—From The Tracer

COMES BLACKOUT WITH STOCKINGS

New Black, Brown and Blue Hose Make Debut This Autumn

Well, here it is, girls. Prepare for a blackout on legs!

Heavy black rayon stockings are the newest things on the hosiery front, shattered and blitzed these many months by the disappearance of silks and nylons, shortages of cottons, temperamental quirks of rayons.

An alert designer told me six months ago that heavy black, dark brown and navy blue stockings would grace the most fashionable legs before long, and here they are.

She felt that naked-looking legs looked wrong with wartime clothes.

The new opaque stockings made their debut before a goggle-eyed fashion press at a recent hoity-toity soiree. They come in black, brown and navy, and, believe it or not, have a slimming effect on the legs. They look exactly like the heavy silk stockings of yore, and help to prove the tradition of the stocking industry that its fashions go in cycles of 20 years.

Wartime Radio Features Specially for Women

"Wartime Shopping"

As a wartime service to Canadian housewives, Ethelwyn Hobbes, CBC Specialist on Wartime Shopping, will continue to be heard over the CBC National network in a weekly commentary in which she will give the very latest shopping advice from government authorities, consumer experts and private business.

You probably know Mrs. Hobbes in this regular consumer series, which has been heard over the CBC network for the last three years. Mrs. Hobbes is a housewife herself, as well as a free-lance journalist, advertising writer and radio broadcaster. She holds a university degree in Economics and Contemporary History, and is one of the acknowledged authorities in Canada in the consumer information field.

Her weekly commentaries for Canadian housewives will be heard as usual each Wednesday afternoon over the CBC National network and will offer latest consumer and conservation tips on food, clothing and household equipment.

"Women on the Job"

In response to war demands, Canadian women are leaving their peacetime vocations to serve in essential industries or with the armed forces. In the series "Women on the Job" radio listeners will hear microphone interviews giving the personal story of factory women, teachers, clerks, nurses, army, navy, and air women, as well as housewives and part-time voluntary workers in community projects. The interviewer will be Elise Bercovitch, Montreal broadcaster, and the programs will be heard on Fridays, December 4 to January 29 inclusive.

"War Womanpower"

In all parts of the world, vast armies of women are manning war plants, carrying on essential industries, enlisting in the fighting forces, working on the land. The story of women's place in this changing war world will be told by Mattie Rotenberg, well known CBC woman broadcaster, in a series "Women Workers Today", in which she will present latest information on women in industry in various countries of Europe.

The series will be as follows:

November 6 — Women's problems in a Changing World.

November 13—Women Workers in Britain.

November 20—Women Workers in Russia.

November 27—Women Workers in Germany.

Mrs. Rotenberg is herself a housewife and mother of five children, as well as a leader in women's club activities, and director of a progressive school. She holds her Ph.D. degree in Physics, and since the war is an assistant demonstrator in the Department of Physics, University of Toronto.

'Rent Extra Room' Is Slogan of War For Householders

"Rent that Extra Room" is an important slogan in this fourth year of the war.

Places where munition works are situated are suffering from excess population and having to meet a serious housing problem. Extensive wartime building must be curtailed because of shortage in materials and labor, so householders are being asked to take fellow Canadians into their homes.

A Watchman Want Ad may fill some demand which cannot be met today through ordinary channels. —Advertise your needs!

MUCH IN COMMON BETWEEN QUEEN AND "FIRST LADY"

Observer Compares Her Majesty with Mrs. Roosevelt and Individual Traits in Connection with the Latter's Trip

Washington, Nov. 2 (CP) — Pioneering Eleanor Roosevelt and conservative Elizabeth Windsor will not lack for common interests during the current precedent-shattering visit of Mrs. Roosevelt to Britain.

Both are possessed of apparently limitless energy; both have a deep and sincere interest in the welfare of the common people. The Queen doubtless will take joy in showing Mrs. Roosevelt the day nurseries and the community kitchens of Britain, the organized war work of British women and the way England has stood up under three years of total war. Mrs. Roosevelt certainly will enjoy seeing them.

Both Queen and First Lady have managed to juggle their private and public lives with consummate skill, slighting neither. Both are devoted wives, excellent mothers. Neither ever has been known to shirk an official duty.

Queen Elizabeth has visited the miners, the factory girls, the working men of Britain just as Mrs. Roosevelt has made friends with every stratum of American life. Both are good travellers.

Various Tastes

The First Lady is more of an individualist than the Queen, but were their positions and traditions reversed, it would not be surprising to think of Elizabeth following many of the same pursuits by which Mrs. Roosevelt has upset precedent in America. Queen and First Lady both shun pretense, both believe in being themselves at all times and to all people. Both are quick to see through meaningless flattery, both are possessed of a ready wit.

Both enjoy the simple life. And the First Lady, no doubt will dine on fish and chips with the Queen as enthusiastically as George and Elizabeth sampled American hot dogs with the Roosevelts in Hyde Park.

Now They're Talking Dog's-Hair Woollies

West Coast Indians Used Them Years Ago; Experts Are Discussing It Now

Ottawa, Oct. 27 (CP)—A golden age for punsters in which "the hair of the dog that bit you" and "doggy" could be used in endless variation is an elusive prospect in some Ottawa offices.

At the moment, it is all good, clean fun with the bare possibility that there may be something in the idea that poodles, collies, old English sheep dogs and some other "woolly" types might eventually be called on to yield their coats for victory.

Informed sources — who most distinctly did not wish to be quoted —admitted they had heard from the United Kingdom that dog's hair was being used to make cloth and that it might soon be available to tailors. The reports of those who had tried the dogcloth were said to be enthusiastic.

An indication of what might be expected, said one authority, was the comment in an article in Men's Merchandising discussing the use of dog hair for cloth-making. This piece concluded: "Now, here is man's best friend willing to come to the rescue again! With all the style restrictions, in what better way could we obtain a 'doggy' suit? You're dog-gone right!"

Seriously, officials agreed that the Canadian wool situation could be compared with that of the United Kingdom, with the vast bulk of wool requirements imported across dangerous seas. Any substitute would be very welcome.

The National Museum of Canada, delving into historical background, could provide the information that if Canadians began to wear dogcloth they would simply be following an ancient Indian custom. A woolly-haired dog was raised by Indians of the Fraser River delta in British Columbia. It was sheared like a sheep, and its hair mixed with the wool of the wild mountain goat for the weaving of blankets.

As late as 1848, the artist Paul Kane depicted an Indian woman spinning wool with a shorn dog in the background.

"Here, Buster! Baby needs a new coat!"

HERE'S A SUBSTITUTE

"Must Save Old Tubes or You Can't Clean Your Teeth," says a headline in the Fergus-Record. The heck you can't! What's the matter with common salt, or bicarbonate of soda? Two of the best teeth-cleaners known, but too cheap for general use.

—Durham Chronicle

OCTOBER MEETINGS OF W.I. BRANCHES

Reports of activities for October have been received from the following Women's Institute branches:

Brownsburg made a quilt for the Red Cross, donated two prizes to school children for knitting, heard letters read from boys overseas, and heard a reading by Mrs. Fletcher on autumn leaves. Mr. F. Collier, the guest speaker, addressed the gathering on "Publicity and its importance in the life of an organization". The special show at the Capitol Theatre, sponsored by this branch for the benefit of the Overseas Fund, proved to be a success. The door prize was won by ticket No. 300 which has not yet been claimed; this may be obtained on application to the manager of the theatre.

Frontier held an Educational meeting, the roll-call being, "Is it your opinion that children should be under strict discipline or allowed their freedom?" Questions on school affairs read by members caused interesting discussions. A paper on Army Nurses, past and present, was given by Mrs. W. Fletcher. A contest on Mother Goose Rhymes was held, the prize winners being Mrs. R. Kennedy and Mrs. A. Heatlie. Mrs. A. Murdoch and Mrs. R. Kennedy were the winners of a stocking contest. The meeting closed with a singsong.

Lachute had as their speaker, Principal H. G. Bradford, who spoke on "Education and Its Relation to Democracy". Presentation of a life membership pin was made to Mrs. J. S. Giles, on the occassion of her golden wedding anniversary. Mrs. A. Bothwell, in making the gift, spoke of the many offices Mrs. Giles had held, also of the great affection and esteem all the members had for her, a love which she herself fully reciprocated.

Lakefield held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Geo. Evans, with eight members and six visitors present. Five new members were enrolled. As a tribute to the late Mrs. A. Tomalty — twice president of this branch — two minutes' silence was observed. The county president welcomed the new teachers. Plans were made for the annual banquet.

Mille Isles held their meeting at the home of Mr. McCallum, Lake Anne. Plans were made to pack boxes for local soldiers now overseas. Nurse L. Harrison gave an interesting demonstration on how to bathe a patient, and the care in making a patient's bed. Mrs. R. Patterson, convenor of Education, read a paper entitled "Germans educate for death, while Canadians educate for life".

Morin Heights' meeting was held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Davis, with Mrs. F. Watchorn as joint hostess. Education was the subject and a reception was given to the three teachers. Mrs. C. W. P. Baugh, county president, who was also present, gave a brief address. Mr. H. G. Baugh, guest speaker, spoke on "The Aim of Education". Mr. Perkin, principal of the school, also spoke and expressed the hope that the community would share in the use of the school library. Members agreed to co-operate in this endeavor and to donate books to this library. Plans were made for the sale of poppies. Pictures shown by the National Film Board will again be sponsored by the Branch. Arrangements were made for the packing of Christmas boxes for soldiers overseas.

Pioneer received a letter of thanks from the Children's War Service Fund, for $8 donated by the Branch; $2 was donated to the Salvation Army. An article on "Terms Used in the Sick Room" was read by Mrs. Cooke. Work was done on a quilt. Cigarettes were sent to boys overseas. Hints to help the housewife were given by the convenor of Home Economics. The members stood in silence in memory of the late Mrs. Geo. Hooker, a very early member of this branch, who passed away last month.

Upper Lachute had as their topic Health and Welfare, a discussion being held on "Foods for School-age Children". This branch also made plans to send comforts to local boys now serving overseas. Red Cross work was distributed.

Wear a poppy for remembrance

'Good Meal' to Begin War Worker's Day

"The relationship between adequate nutrition for the workers and all-out production is very close," declared Prof. E. W. McHenry, School of Hygiene, University of Toronto, recently. "Production can be definitely increased by giving the industrial employee food containing the proper nutritive qualities. A man who comes to work with a scanty breakfast will become fatigued more rapidly than the man who has had a good meal with which to begin the day."

There are workers in wartime industry who are living on diets which, though sufficient to prevent the inroads of disease, are not good enough to guarantee the degree of energy required for all-out effort. Industrial plant cafeterias render a great service by close supervision of meals served to the employees. The assignment of a trained dietician cafeteria superviser is desirable, stated Prof. McHenry. The food served in plant cafeterias should be not only rich in the essential vitamins, but should be attractively served, and cooked in such a way that the nutritive content is not reduced.

Because most industrial workers eat two of their daily meats at home, he stated it is essential to educate employees' wives and mothers to the need for serving nutritive and well-cooked meals. Thus there is a balance established between the plant and the home meals. Only in this way will the war worker of today be able to render the utmost service of which he is capable at a time in history when the energies of every man, woman and child should be directed to the common goal of victory.

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—Parish of St. Jerusalem,
-1c J. W. Gall, Sec'y.

WANT & FOR SALE ADVERTISEMENTS.

EMPLOYMENT, PROPERTY, TENDERS, ETC.

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WANTED — by a war veteran's widow, suitable clothes for growing family of two boys 10 and 12, also small girl of 8 years. Anything to fit, or which can be made over, will be greatly appreciated. Look over your surplus and leave what you can spare at Watchman Office, Lachute.

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FOR SALE — 32 young pigs; one boar pig, one year old. — Apply G. MacVicar, Brownsburg, Que. or Phone Brownsburg 356. -1p

FOR SALE — Two milk cows.— Apply Hunter Farm, St. Andrews East. -1p

WELL DRILLING — Anyone in need of having a well drilled, write to B. W. Campbell, % Lachute Watchman, Box 600, Lachute. N12-2p

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Auction Sale

At the farm of —
ERNEST LAPOINTE

Beech Ridge, Lachute R.R. 4, on Wednesday, November 18, at 1 o'clock:

2 Work horses, 1 colt, 2 milch cows, 3-year-old heifer (to freshen in March), 2 calves, 4 pigs (7 weeks old), 3 sows, 35 hens, wagon with rack, broadcast seeder, mowing machine, rake, grubber, finishing harrow, disc harrow, manure spreader, hand plow with disc, 1 express, buggy, rack sleigh, double sleigh with rack, light sleigh, root cutter, Chevrolet engine, No. 15 De Laval separator, double harness, single harness.

Hay and straw (two mows), oats, turnips, milk cans (8-gal.) one roll net-wire (30 rods), 100 sap cans, 110 feet of rope, incubator (120 eggs capacity), 6 pieces 20 ft. lumber, lot of large potatoes and seed potatoes, cedar posts, and numerous other articles.

Terms: CASH.

Radio People

Littlest lady in the news is Jeanne Deane Whitteker, who celebrated her fourth birthday November 2, same day as beauteous radio actress Peggi Loder of CBC Children's Scrapbook celebrates her sixteenth. Jeanne Deane made her radio debut at the age of two and a half, ad-libbing with her proud pop, announcer Byng Whitteker, on his early morning CBY eye-opener. Jeanne Deane talked diet (I had an egg for breakfast), hobbies (I want to play with my little doggie now) and gave the station cue (This is CBY, Toronto) with perfect aplomb, neat timing, mike voice . . . More about more nice people comes about now with word that Voice of Victor presents sweet Georgia Dey, heartbeat Charles Sullivan and the tunefully topical Mr. Robert Farnon in twenty-five minutes of light and melodious entertainment. Thursdays at 8.05 p.m. EDT . . . The Hamilton Wildcats meet the gentlemen of the R.C.A.F., Saturday, November 7 at 3.00 p.m. The O.R.F.U. will be broadcast with Roy Dilworth giving the unbiased lowdown at the mike . . . N.H.L. hockey broadcasts take the air Saturdays at 9.05 p.m. EDT, from Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto. This year CBC has decided to schedule a short National News Bulletin, 9.00-9.05 p.m. EDT, before the game, which should make both news and hockey fans happy.

WINNERS OF GOLF STAGED BY LADIES' CLUB THIS SEASON

The ladies of Lachute Golf Club closed their season's activities with the final meeting and tea, held at the clubhouse on September 29.

Presentation of the prizes for the year's events followed the tea, and the closing speech from the president, Mrs. W. M. Cottingham, expressed the thanks of the executive for the help extended throughout the year from the entire ladies' branch, and for the general interest in the tournaments, and in the social events which had taken place at the clubhouse from time to time.

Chief events of interest were the return tournament between Dunany and Lachute Ladies' Clubs, held during the months of July and August, and the bridge held in September at the clubhouse in aid of the ladies' club and also to aid war charities. A cheque for $20 was forwarded to the treasurer of the Lachute Red Cross as the result of this well-attended social function.

The list of the year's tournaments and prize winners is as follows:

May 26, Handicap, donated by Mrs. Houlden, won by Mrs. Walker.

June 2, 3 Sealed Holes (Mrs. Tattersfield), Mrs. Walker.

June 9, 4-Ball Foursome, (Mrs. Freeland), Mrs. Cottingham.

June 16, Surprise, (Mrs. Walker), Mrs. Haller.

June 23, Handicap, (Mrs. Lawson), Mrs. Houlden.

June 30, Tombstone, (Mrs. Pelletier), Mrs. Houlden.

July 7-14-21, (President's Prize), Mrs. Bishop. (Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Haller tied on the three rounds and Mrs. Bishop won in the play-off).

July 28, Approaching and Putting, (Mrs. Vessie), Miss Ogilvie.

August 4, Handicap, (Mrs. Leggett), Miss Tremblay.

August 18, Handicap, (Mrs. Leonard Ayers), Miss Ogilvie.

August 25, Handicap, (Mrs. Haller), Miss Ogilvie.

Ringer Prize for the Season (Mrs. Bishop), Miss Ogilvie.

Ayers Cup won by Miss Ogilvie, Mrs. FitzGerald tied with Miss Ogilvie on the 18th hole and an extra hole was played.

The season was closed finally by a Hallowe'en dance held on the night of October 31.

Fathers of Heroes Buy Victory Bonds



Yard Foreman R. Smith, of Ottawa, one of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's volunteer Victory Bond salesmen, selling a substantial bond to Conductor A. C. Trudeau before the latter starts on his morning way-freight run.

Yard Foreman Smith's son, Sgt. Pilot Donald Smith, of the R.C.A.F., was killed in air operations over Germany on August 13th, 1941. A second son, Lieut. Lorne L. Smith, is at present overseas on active service with the Glengarry Highlanders.

Conductor Trudeau also had a son, Cpl. Joseph Keith Trudeau, R.C.A.F., killed on active service. This occurred during the blitz over England in April, 1941. Another son, Basil Trudeau, who was a trainman with the Canadian Pacific Railway, at Ottawa, is at present training with the R.C.A.F. as a pilot. In picture left to right, Yard Foreman R. Smith and Conductor A. C. Trudeau.

Sheriff's Sale

Public Notice is hereby given that the undermentioned lands and tenements have been seized, and will be sold at the respective times and places mentioned below.

Superior Court
Canada
District of Terrebonne.
Province of Quebec,
No. 7751

La Ville de Terrebonne, municipal corporation legally constituated having a place of business in the town of Terrebonne, district of Terrebonne demandant vs. DAME ROSE GAGNON, wife common as to property of ERNEST BIGRAS, farmer, and the said ERNEST BIGRAS personally and as chief of the community, to authorize his wife for the purposes hereof, both of the parish of St. Vincent de Paul, county Laval, in the district of Montreal, defendant.

An emplacement situated in the town of Terrebonne being thirty five feet wide on one hundred and twelve feet long, French measure, the whole more or less, and without any certified measure; the said emplacement which is part of the lot of land, bearing the official number one hundred and two (102) of the town of Terrebonne, to the mortgage register of lands for the county of Terrebonne, bounded in the west front by St. Joseph Street, to the north by Limoge & Cie, to the south by Honoré Paquette and in depth to the east by another part of said lot 102, belonging to Alfred Bourgoin, with a house and other buildings thereon erected.

To be sold at the church door of Terrebonne, county of Terrebonne, Wednesday, the 25th day of November at TWO o'clock in the afternoon (daylight saving time).

A deposit of $200.00 shall be exacted from each and every bidder as per judgment delivered by Honorable Judge Phil Cousineau, October 20th, 1942.

— Albert Fournelle,
Sheriff's Office, Sheriff.
St. Jerome, October 21, 1942.

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NEW LENDING LIBRARY

Opening on Monday, November 9, in the spacious room on the premises of Fletcher's Barber Shop, Main St.

— Membership fee 25 cents —

A large collection of up-to-date and varied literature — volumes on loan to readers at 3 cents per day.

Canadian Composer



John Weinzweig, whose outstanding ability as arranger and composer has been recognized by the CBC, will write the special music for an important new program series, "Our Canada". The broadcasts have been written and prepared by the CBC Features Department to tell the story of Canada's growth, responsibility and achievement as a partner in democracy; a comprehensive report to the people of Canada on the meaning of nationhood within the boundaries of the great Dominion. The whole story of the people, the land and the spirit which gives the heart-beat to Canada will be told against a background of original music written by the Canadian composer, John Weinzweig. "Our Canada" will be heard weekly on Sundays, at 10.15 p.m. EDT.

SCOUTS RESCUE SCOUT

Despite the fact he was wearing heavy boots, and that his drowning chum pulled him under the water, Henry Lambert, a north of England Boy Scout, saved 12 year old Scout Colin Babey from drowning when he fell into ten feet of water in an old gravel pit.

WOLF CUBS SCRUB FLOORS TO RAISE FUNDS

To help raise funds, Sheffield, England, Wolf Cubs have gone in for domestic work, scrubbing floors and polishing. The funds raised are invested in war bonds, with the proceeds going toward the erection of the Baden-Powell House as a memorial to the Founder, at the conclusion of the war.

Bible Stories On the Radio

The best known stories in all the world, the stories of the Holy Bible, are to be told over the networks of the CBC this autumn and winter.

The CBC recently announced a series of dramas from the Bible; and these commenced last Sunday, November 1 at 9.00 a.m. EDT, with the story of Noah who listened to God's guidance and was a saviour in his time. During the five Sundays in November the dramas will deal with some of the great figures of Old Testament teachings: Noah, Abraham, Moses, David and Elijah. During December, the series will begin the story of Christ, and each week will unfold the scenes of the boyhood, adolescence and manhood of Jesus, and finally his suffering and death on the Cross. The stories are being prepared by the Rev. Canon J. E. Ward and Earl Grey and will be enacted by the CBC players from Toronto. The broadcasts have been designed for children of 12 years and older but it is hoped that the Sunday series will prove of interest to adult listeners as well.

WEEK AT OTTAWA

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Canada's prairie farmers have this year harvested the largest crop of wheat and coarse grains in history. The 1942 wheat crop alone is estimated at 615,000,000 bushels, and the coarse grains crop runs into hundreds of millions of bushels.

With elevators bulging, the difficulty now is to find storage space, and Western Canada farmers are restricted to delivering for storage a set quota of bushels per acre.

Pies, cakes and cookies—the delight of youth—represent one way out of the storage problem, and those who increase their production — and intake — of these and similar delicacies will be more than merely satisfying their appetites. They will be helping Canada to find space in which to store her bumper crop.

Quebec and Ottawa

Quebec's premier, Hon. Adelard Godbout, has reached what he terms "a perfect understanding" with Prime Minister Mackenzie King and War Services Minister LaFleche on the question of curtailing liquor consumption.

The Quebec premier also discussed with Ottawa authorities the question of women working on night shifts in war industries and the application of priority regulations as they affect certain Quebec projects.

Establishment by National Selective Service of manpower advisory committees in three industries, and their projected organization in four others, is considered here to constitute the first step in a plan to form groups representing both labor and management in the many enterprises whose operations are subject to change through the demands of war.

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CAPITOL

FRI., SAT., NOVEMBER 6-7
The Andrews Sisters, Grace MacDonald, Dan Dailey, Jr.,
GIVE OUT, SISTERS
Linda Darnell, John Sheppard,
The Loves of Edgar Allan Poe
PARAMOUNT NEWS

SUN., MON., NOVEMBER 8-9
George Montgomery, Ann Rutherford, GLEN MILLAR
ORCHESTRA WIVES
Michael Ames, Julie Bishop, Regis Toomey in
I WAS FRAMED
Cartoon: WACKY BLACKOUT

TUES., WED., THURS., NOVEMBER 10-11-12
GEORGE BRENT, Brenda Marshall, Gene Lockhart,
You Can't Escape Forever
with Eduardo Ciannelli.
Maxie Rosenbloom, Arline Judge, Stanley Brown in
Harvard, Here I Come
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COMING EVENTS

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BEAN AND PIE SUPPER

Will be held in the Cushing Community Club on Friday, November 13, under the auspices of St. Mungo's Women's Association. Doors open at 6.30 p.m. Short program. Admission 35c. N12-2c

GORE FARMERS' CLUB

The annual meeting of Gore Farmers' Club, at A. O. Kerr's Farm, Lakefield, on Tuesday evening, November 10th. Turkey supper.

Thos. McCambly, pres.
5-2c Albt. Tomalty, Sec.

COUNTY ORANGE LODGE SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING

The Argenteuil County Orange Lodge will hold their semi-annual meeting on November 14, at 2 o'clock in the L.O.B.A. Hall, 14 Hope Street, Lachute. All lodges are invited to attend.

—Albert Tomalty, W.C.M.,
N12-2d George Peet, C.F.S.

Auction Sale

At the residence of—
THOMAS McOUAT

Hill Foot, one mile east of Hammond's Mill, on Tuesday, November 10, the following effects:—

2 Mares about 1300 lbs., 7 milch cows, 2 two-year-old heifers, 3 one-year old heifers, 4 spring calves, bull, 3 years old, bull calf, 2 spring pigs.

Mowing machine, horse rake, reaper, plow, gang plow, harrows, broadcast seeder, turnip sower, fanners, root cutter, wagon, bobsleighs, set cart wheels and axle, double harness, a quantity of hay and straw.

Terms — $10. and under cash; over that amount 9 months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes, 4% off for cash.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock sharp.

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FOX NEWS OF THE DAY

SUN., MON., NOVEMBER 8-9
GENE AUTRY, with Smiley Burnette and Fay McKenzie, in
COWBOY SERENADE
Craig Stevens, Irene Manning, Maris Wrixon, Michael Ames in
SPY SHIP
Special 3 Stooges Comedy: THE THREE SMART SAPS

TUES., WED., THURS., NOVEMBER 10-11-12
FRANK MORGAN, Kathryn Grayson, Spring Byington,
The Vanishing Virginian
Richard Travis, Julie Bishop, Charles Drake, Eleanor Parker in
THE BUSES ROAR
And A Selected Short: PLAY-GIRLS



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With The Air Crews -- Before And After Raiding Germany

"Bomber Press" Tells Thrilling Experience

By Walter R. Legge, Editor of the Granby Leader-Mail, in collaboration with C. V. Charters, Sec'y of the C.W.N.A.

Sixth of a series of articles on the Canadian Forces in England, written especially for the weekly newspapers by their two representatives on a press tour in England.

The highlight of our visits to the R.C.A.F. stations was the night that we were permitted to see a bomber squadron start for Germany and return after delivering their goods.

There is a great amount of detailed preparations for such a raid; the planes are carefully serviced and loaded with bombs by the ground crew and the crews are assigned and "briefed". That is to say they are told their desination, and objectives, and given every possible detail that will help them to reach their objective and return safely.

Briefing takes place several hours before the take-off, as the crews have to do quite a bit of making ready, and also have to study the objective, route, etc.

The editors met the crews and conversed with them before they left to go on board their planes. It is hard to describe the feeling in the room. The boys realize the serious business they are doing, and they go about their preparations, making sure that they have everything they need, with no nonsense, yet lightly, and surely.

The zero hour approached and our guide suggested that we go down to the place of take-off to see them start. The station, like the others, was so big that we got into a car to drive over.

Getting out of the car, we started to walk over some ploughed ground, when one of the party exclaimed, "What are those lights up in the sky over there?" referring to four lights in the sky. Hardly had our guide replied that they were flares evidently from a Germain Raider when about four other sets of flares appeared in the sky, followed by the flash and echo of an explosion.

Then searchlights appeared darting over the sky, and clouds of pin points of light as the ack-ack came into action. The raid actually was about twenty or thirty miles away, but the flares made it bright even where we stood, and the sound of the bombs could be heard and the bursting of the ack-ack shells clearly seen.

After some time, the noise and lights died down and everything was again quiet and dark.

The word came to warm up the machines, and the signal was given to begin. Immediately there was a new noise, the roar of planes warming up.

Afer several minutes of this, another signal was given, and the first plane took off, followed by many others. Another one developed trouble and was scrubbed.

The scene was typical of what takes place on scores of stations nearly every night.

After the last machine had taken off, the silence seemed to be unnatural as we made our way back to the mess. There seemed to be a great many lights about the grounds but we were informed that they were made in such a way that they could not be seen from the air.

The station had no sleeping accommodation for us, so we made ourselves as comfortble as possible in the arm chairs to pass the four

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British Tank Crews in Egypt



British tank crews loading up with ammunition for the latest phase of the battle of Egypt — a mass assault in which Empire troops routed Rommel's forces and drove them into retreat with heavy losses of men and machinery.

Lachute Rallies Nobly from Second Week Standing to Attain Its Quota

'UNITE AS CANADIANS, BEST WAY TO HONOR OUR FALLEN HEROES'

PASTOR'S ADDRESS ON REMEMBRANCE DAY AT BROWNSBURG

COMMENDS SENTIMENTS OF DIEPPE PADRE

Brownsburg — Amid snow-flurries, the traditional Remembrance Day observance was held here at the memorial opposite the Social Club, yesterday in the presence of a large gathering. A detachment of veterans headed by the Brownsburg Band proceeded to the monument where the call to worship was pronounced by the Rev. S. J. Pike, Major J. Dennis Pinguey, M.C., R.O.D., was in command of the parade with Sergt.-Major Valentine Kearns-Batchelor. The King's colors were carried by Alex Dupont; the Legion Branch colors, by Ernest Stott, vice-chairman of the R.C.A.F. Veteran's Association of Canada. Addresses were made by Rev. T.J.H. Rich, pastor of the Maple Avenue Baptist Church, and Georges Heon.

"It is fitting," said Mr. Rich, "that of late years we have come to speak of this day as Remembrance Day, for in the exercise of memory we bring into play one of the characteristics of our personality that is eternal. There are some things that we desire to retain in our memory for ever. Of these we place well to the front, the valour, courage, deep devotion to duty, and true Patriotism which motivated into action, those who in 1914-18 crossed the seas, and, in a foreign land, laid down their lives that we might be free to enjoy the rich heritage that is ours. We owe them a debt of eternal gratitude, and today we honor them in the only way that is left to us.

"We now know how foolish we were to have believed that the last Great War was a war to end war, for today 24 years later we find ourselves engaged in another, a greater World War. Was, then, the sacrifice made by those whose memories we honor today in vain?

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Commando Dagger Now On Its Way Overseas

While final figures for the Argenteuil Victory Loan canvass are not complete, it is obvious that the county has not only reached its objective of $1,100,000 but has passed it to the extent of more than $100,000.

This is a truly remarkable achievement, and the credit is evenly divided between industrial companies, employees of industrial plants, and other citizens of the county—each of the three groups having exceeded their respective quotas.

The "Commando Dagger", having served its purpose, is now on its way by plane to England, with the story of Argenteuil's success, and will become part of the equipment of the military unit in which local boys are most numerous.

Forestry Bureau Of Information Established Here

OFFERS FREE SERVICE TO FARMERS AND OWNERS OF WOODLOTS

The Quebec Department of Lands and Forests recently created a new section in the Forestry Service, namely the Forestry Information Bureau. This bureau of information has opened offices in the various districts of the Province, including one for this particular district, located in the Court House at Lachute.

The manager of this office is Lucien Morais, a forestry engineer from Quebec, who expresses pleasure in thus becoming a citizen of Lachute.

The object of the forestry information bureau is to afford farmers and forest owners the approved ideas on tree culture and forest utilization, in order to make farm woodlots and the private forests more profitable. By this means the Provincial Government supplies the free services of a forestry engineer to every farmer and woods owner seeking advice on forest improvement, cutting, cleaning and general culture in the interests of forest conservation and to make better profits through scientific organization.

There are many important reasons why woodlots should be preserved on Quebec farms; they are a benefit not only to the individual farmer, but to the community and the province at large. Some of these factors are of such importance that there will be disastrous results if deforestation is carried too far. The conservation of our forests is very important also for post-war rehabilitation.

Everyone who needs information on reforestation, plantations, diseases of trees, scaling, management of maple woods, etc., or anything concerning trees, may therefore avail himself of this service, without charge.

High Spots in Argenteuil Campaign for Third Victory Loan

Argenteuil County once more exceeds its quota with subscriptions in excess of $1,200,000.

The joint chairmen, Clement Tremblay and Wm. M. Scott, both elated.

Mr. Tremblay: "This is proof conclusive that the people of Argenteuil realize their responsibility as citizens."

Mr. Scott: "The county has done it again!"

Calumet and district, 225 per cent of its objective; St. Andrews East, 225 per cent; Grenville 120 per cent; Brownsburg, 160 per cent; Weir, 115 per cent; Arundel, 105 per cent; Morin Heights, 102 per cent.

Lachute and district's final drive in the campaign from $90,000, at end of second week, to its objective, $225,000, at close of business today.

Loyal support by dozens of part-time residents from many sections of the county. In this connection the St. Andrews list, headed by John Irwin with $10,000, is worthy of special mention.

Success due to combined efforts of labor, farmers, industrial plants and, in no small degree, to Mr. Average Citizen himself.

Attendance of 136 At French Class In Home Nursing

HIGH INTEREST MAINTAINED IN BOTH SECTIONS OF THE COURSE

The Home Nursing Instruction committee, reporting to Lachute Red Cross, stated the meetings for October were very well attended. Mrs. W. Morley, R.N., who was convenor of one of the groups in the English-speaking course, left Lachute unexpectedly, but Mrs. G. Wyness, R.N., and Miss L. Harrison, R.N., were able to supply in her place. Highlight of the recent lectures was a study of maternity and infant care, by Mrs. N. Chassé, R.N., who has toured Canada on behalf of National Child Welfare work, under government auspices.

Mrs. G. F. Calder, R.N., and Mrs. G. Wyness, R.N., are the committee in charge of this instruction.

French Courses

Regarding the French-speaking classes, Mrs. G. Heon, R.N., in charge of this section, reports an equally gratifying interest among French ladies of the community—the membership and attendance having been maintained during the past month.

Speakers at the different sessions, including that of November 2 mentioned in the report, were—Dr. Jules Lafleur on nutrition of adults and feeding of the sick; Mrs. N. Chassé, R.N., on maternal hygiene; also a lecture on the feeding of infants and children, and a discourse and demonstration of sick-room observations, records and collection of specimens.

On suggestion of Dr. L. Turcotte, county health officer, the subject of Day Nurseries was discussed, many views being expressed both in favor and contrary to this project. A report on the majority opinion will later be prepared for submission to the County Health Unit.

Maximum attendance at the French-speaking classes was 136.

Grenville Horses On Army Duty At Petawawa

FIRST ANIMALS PURCHASED BY MUNITIONS - SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

Arnoldwold Stables at Grenville —which furnished steeds for cavalry forces in the last war, and had assembled an imposing line of animals for the French authorities in this war before capitulation of France to the Nazis—are now supplying horses for military purposes to the Canadian Government. The first group of 10 to go into service were shipped recently to Petawawa by Gilbert E. Arnold, proprietor of the stables and one of the largest dealers in the Dominion.

This may be a mechanized war, but the fear of gas and tire shortages has decided Army authorities to experiment with horse-drawn vehicles for general duty around camps. The shipment from Grenville comprises the first horses purchased in this war by the Munitions and Supply Department for the Army. They are now in service at Petawawa Military Camp.

Remembrance Day Again Fittingly Observed; Ceremonies in Lachute

Veterans of the last war, mindful that the memory of their comrades they left behind should be reverently preserved, turned out in parade on Wednesday morning, when a special memorial service was held in Lachute Auditorium, followed later by the ceremorial of the laying of wreaths at the cenotaph in the adjoining park.

The chair was occupied by Jas. W. McGibbon, M.P., who reminded his listeners this annual gathering was sponsored by the veterans, and on their behalf he thanked the public for the splendid support to the Poppy Day Campaign, the returns from which are used exclusively for disabled veterans and their families. With Mr. McGibbon on the platform were Mayor Hector Lamarche and the Revs. W. B. Rosborough, E. Orsborn, B. J. Thorpe and H. Charlton.

Following the two minutes' silence a brief address was given by the Rev. W. B. Rosborough, who referred to the peace so ardently hoped for. "We must know what is needed for peace", he said. "As we have learned that sacrifices are required to win the war, we must also be made aware of the sacrifices that are required to win peace. But more than that, we must be prepared to bear those sacrifices".

The pupils of both the Catholic and the Protestant schools were in attendance, and were addressed by Georges H. Heon, as the Boy Scouts and veterans surrounded the cenotaph.

Floral tributes were deposited by representatives of Lachute Town Corporation, the County Women's Institute, the Argenteuil Legion, the Knights of Columbus, the Masonic Order, the United, Presbyterian and Anglican Churches, Ayers Limited and Lachute Lions Club.

The Last Post was sounded by Scout Master C. Duncan and Scout John Giles in conclusion of the memorial exercises.

Initiation Ceremony, Knights of Columbus

Lachute Council of the Knights of Columbus held a successful initiation ceremony at the Auditorium on Sunday, with a very large class of candidates. Beginning with a church parade and communion at St. Julien in the morning, degrees were conferred both in the afternoon and in the evening.

The First Degree was conferred by Grand Knight Georges H. Héon and other members of the local Council; the Second Degree was conferred by Wor. Bro. Dr. J. L. Lalande assisted by Grand Knight Georges H. Héon and Wor. Bro. Lionel Rozon, while the Third Degree was conferred in the evening by District Deputy Ed. Germaey. Representatives from most of the Councils of the Montreal and Ottawa Districts attended and the Auditorium was filled to capacity.

On Tuesday of this week the new members were duly received and banqueted by the local Council at their headquarters on Foundry Street.

London (CP)—A book borrowed from a mobile library was taken on a recent R.A.F. bombing raid on Hamburg by a rear-gunner. The gunner slipped it down by the side of his seat near the target but en route home pulled it out again and found a bullet from a German night fighter had pierced it from cover to cover. The bullet, passing from back to front, had carried with it a tiny fragment of one page which was wedged in the front cover. On it was one word — "German."

Plane Crash at St. Benoit, Que. Fatal to Airman

TRAINING CRAFT FROM R.C.A.F. DISTRICT COMMAND

One airman was killed and his companion injured when a training plane from an elementary flying school in the district of No. 3 Training Command, R.C.A.F., crashed on a farm two miles from St. Benoit on Sunday, November 8.

Particulars of the crash were not made public, nor were the names of the victims released by R.C.A.F. headquarters.

BIGGER AND BETTER

Ottawa (CP)—More than 100,000 parts are required to built Canada's big Catalina amphibian bombing and scouting warplane. Its hull is as long as a pullman coach and it can cruise from Halifax to Vancouver and back to Winnipeg without refuelling.

OLD-TIMER RECALLS WHEN JOURNEY FROM LACHUTE TO MONTREAL TOOK 12-14 HOURS

WORKED HERE AS STORE CLERK AND SALESMAN, REMEMBERS WHEN "WATCHMAN" FIRST PRINTED

A letter just received by the publishers will afford interest to many of our older citizens—and to some of our more youthful readers also, inasmuch as the contrasts in these surroundings are vividly shown in the writer's recollections. The letter is from John Clarke, an old-time resident now at Ocean Beach, California. Upon Mr. Clarke's age, we can only politely speculate. To his clear perception and memory we pay tribute. Here is the letter:

Ocean Beach, California,
November 2nd, 1942.

Editor, The Watchman

As an old-timer, I often wonder how the Village of Lachute looks, and how many of my old schoolmates are left.

I came to Lachute before the roadway was built for the Quebec, Montreal and Ottawa Rly. I do not know what year. I remember when The Watchman was first printed, and Dawson Kerr was in charge. Wm. Hays, George Calder and Joe Taylor were the typesetters. Charles Calder was "printer's devil" and John Calder was solicitor. I received a copy of the paper some years ago and noticed the name of Giles connected with it; it was familiar to me as I knew Harlow and Henry Giles, who were in a store. I was working for Henry James and helped to put the tin roof on the mansard two-story house. I also worked for Alfred Ben, as chore boy. Then worked at the Jellymar box factory till it went bankrupt. I worked some time for Dormer & Sons in the foundry, later McOuat & McRae, I get an occasional letter from Mr. A. A. McOuat, who was not born when I worked for his father.

There was not much excitement in the burg those days except the fair and cattle show, nomination and election days (and politics were sure hot.) The west end was Conservative, the east end, from the R.R. crossing was Reform party, and the two parties loved each other as the devil loves holy water. The other paper, the Advertiser was Reform, and edited by a man by the name of Hicks. Jimmie Fish, J. E. Ireland, and several more were the west end politicians, and Dr. Christie, the Barron Brothers and the Meikles in the east end.

I did lots of travelling while living in Lachute—from Montreal to Rouge River, up the Ottawa and back to the Devil's River in Arundel, and east through the French country to St. Jerome—five counties in all, selling dry goods, boots and shoes, and other nick-nacks, and taking what we could in trade from the natives. My father had one team and I had the other. It took 12 to 14 hours then to go with team to Montreal.

Well, dear sir, I could entertain you with some of my experiences, as a railroad man of 45 years, and nine years with the U.S. Government, but I suppose you are busy like we are here, with the war. But you do not have to worry about submarines coming up the North River. I live three blocks from the ocean, but believe me, if the Japs tried to land they would get a warm reception. (Not allowed to say too much).

Yours truly, John Clarke.

P.S.—My sister was well known in Lachute, as a singer in the choir of the Methodist Church, and also had a millinery shop. She was married to W. S. Hills, a tanner. I left Lachute in 1880.

St. Jerome Mayor Enlists In Reserve Regiment

St. Jerome, Que.—

Lieut.-Col. Jean Tellier, officer commanding the 2nd (Res.) Battalion, Joliette Regiment, announced this week that Mayor Alfred Cherrier and Raymond Raymond prothonotary had enlisted in that unit following a meeting held with a number of citizens of St. Jerome.

The meeting was in the form of a reception attended by officials and prominent citizens of the district as well as leading military officers, in an effort to stimulate recruiting for this new unit which replaces the 1st Battalion, now on active service.

Grenville Girl Among First C.W.A.C. to Land in Britain

News was received this week that the first contingent of the C.W.A.C. had reached Britain, and among these was Private Elsie Crookes, daughter of Mr. Howard Crookes, of Grenville, Que. Pte. Crookes has a sister in the C.W.A.C., who is stationed at St. John's Que., and a brother, Willis, in the Glengarry Highlanders.

It is interesting to know, that the distinctive uniform displayed by the C.W.A.C. was modelled by Pte. Elsie Crookes.

RECEPTION TENDERED TO HON. G. DANSEREAU, NEWLY NAMED MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS

FETED AT GATHERING IN LACHUTE AUDITORIUM; FRIENDS CONGRATULATE HIM ON ACHIEVEMENT

Hon. Georges Etienne Dansereau, M.L.A. for Argenteuil and Minister without Portfolio since 1939, was named Minister of Public Works in the cabinet appointments made last week by Premier Adelard Godbout. He succeeds Hon. T. D. Bouchard, of St. Hyacinthe, who has held this office in conjunction with the Ministry of Roads; Mr. Bouchard retains the latter appointment.

Reception Held Here for Hon. G E. Dansereau

On invitation of Mayor Hector Lamarche a number of Lachute citizens gathered at the Auditorium Saturday afternoon to tender an informal reception to Argenteuil's parliamentary representative at Quebec, Hon. Georges E. Dansereau, who was recently honored by Premier Godbout with the portfolio of Minister of Public Works in the provincial cabinet.

As explained by Philippe Valois, who officiated as chairman, this gathering was in no way a political rally, but rather an expression, by Mr. Dansereau's friends, of their gratification that the Premier should have honored this county by electing its representative for the important post he now occupies. Messrs. Jas. McGibbon, M.P.; Georges Heon, ex-M.P., Albini Lamarche, L. L. Legault, K.C., and David Black all added their appreciation in sentiments of high regard. Mr. Legault recalled another ceremony many years ago when the same portfolio of Minister of Public Works was held by the Hon. W. A. Weir, and the electors could again be thankful to Premier Godbout for his wise selection.

Acknowledging briefly the spontaneity of this testimony from his friends, Mr. Dansereau said that the critical times through which we were passing demanded that we should lay aside anything that tends to divide, and lend our efforts in fostering true unity, for the good of our country and the cause for which we are fighting.

At the close Mrs. Dansereau was presented with a beautiful bouquet of white chrysanthemums.

Six Brothers, Former Lachute Boys, In Uniform







Sons of a Great War Veteran, Jas. Duncan and Mrs. Duncan

Six sons of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Duncan, formerly of Thomas' Gore and now of Point St. Charles, are in uniform. Five of them are on active service while the sixth and youngest (Don, 18) is in the reserve army awaiting his call to the R.C.N.V.R.

The six brothers were brought up on the farm at Thomas' Gore where their parents settled in 1919. The father had served in the last war. The family moved away about a year ago but three of the six boys were born here and all were educated either in Lachute or at the village school.

Pictures above, left to right, show—Edwin R. (Eddy), 22, Royal Canadian Artillery, overseas; George, 30, R.C.N.V.R., at Gaspe (previously with the R.C.A.S.C.); Angus, 20, Royal Canadian Artillery (anti-aircraft), overseas; Don, 18, Royal Canadian Engineers (reserves), at home. Left — James (Jimmy), 31, R.C.N.V.R., Halifax; lower — John, 29, Royal Artillery, overseas.

BUCKWHEAT GOOD FOR MORE MONEY

And Christmas Turkey Feeding to Help with Consumption of Product

State College, Pa. (CP)—To the average person buckwheat means breakfast pancakes, but in these days of sugar rationing and labor shortage the crop is being used for honey production and economic poultry feeding, says J. W. White, professor of soil technology at Pennsylvania State College.

When the plants are in flower, an acre of buckwheat may supply enough nectar for bees to make 100 to 150 pounds of honey he says. Buckwheat blooms after clover is gone and before other flowers develop on which the bees may work.

After the grain ripens, it may be used for turkey pasture. "Turkeying down" buckwheat is a new and economical way of harvesting the grain, he points out. According to poultrymen who have tried it, labor is saved and there is a complete utilization of the crop in addition to high replacement of other feeds.

BOSSY YIELDS MORE MILK BY TOUCH SYSTEM

Midwest Expert Promises 10 per cent Increase with Plan of Massage That Brings Co-operation

By Howard Morgen

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 9 (CP) — Aladdin rubbed a magic lamp and produced wonders, but Dr. W. E. Peterson, dairy researcher, of the University of Minnesota, rubs a cow and produces, he says, at least 10 per cent more milk.

The writer was assured that Dr. Petersen's new principles for milking, which can be duplicated by any dairyman, will startle 99 per cent of the dairy industry. And he avers that the nation's milk production can be increased 10 per cent by a simple change in milking methods.

Here is the secret: The cow's udder and teats should be gently massaged for a few seconds before milking is started. If a milking machine is used, it should be put on carefully, so as not to disturb the cow.

If properly stimulated, most cows will "milk out" in three minutes — about half the usual time. The machine in no case should be left on more than four minutes. The cow should not be "stripped" (finished by hand) if not milked in four minutes, as she will develop the habit of being stripped.

Fast Milking

Cows should be trained in milking habits. Older cows with bad habits, such as a slow response to the milking stimulus and prolonged stripping, may be restrained in the early part of the lactation period.

Hundreds of Minnesota herds are being milked by the massage-stimulus method, and in every case, he said, production has increased.

There is hard reasoning behind Petersen's "massage miracle" — and a hormone. The nerve stimulus of the massage causes the pituitary gland to release the hormone (oxytocin) into the cow's blood-stream. In 40 seconds the hormone reaches the udder, and experiments indicate that the hormone is either destroyed or becomes ineffective after five minutes. So milking should be fast.

"And cows must not be stimulated until immediately before milking," the researchist cautioned.

Need Teamwork

All dairymen know that at times cows seem to "hold up" milk. Dr. Petersen finds the real reason is the lack of stimulation for the cow to let milk down. All the milk is in the udder, secreted in tiny, honey-comb-like cells (Alveoli) which holds only a fraction of a drop. It will not drain down of its own weight, but must be forced out by the contraction of muscle around the alveoli.

"And the contraction of these muscles is a positive action, requiring co-operation from the cow," Dr. Petersen points out. The massage, he says, brings out the hormone and the co-operation follows. Nerve-ends in the skin of the udder start the process.

Dr. Petersen has laboratory proofs in addition to the reports of dairymen and his own practical experiments. He has kept udders from slaughtered cows "alive" in a mechanical heart-lung sufficiently long to produce more than a quart of normal milk by using the oxytocin hormone. In other experiments, Dr. Peterson proved the ability of the hormone to get a cow's co-operation. No matter how reluctant the cow has been to respond to the usual milking, when the oxytocin was injected in her blood-stream, she would "let down" the milk.

TIMES AND TRAINS TAKE THINGS EASY WITH OLD IRELAND

A Visiting Canadian in Wartime Ulster Finds Primitive Reaping Side by Side With the Modern Tractor

By ALAN RANDAL
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Ballykelly, Northern Ireland — (CP) — The guard moved slowly down the train and said, "But five minutes wan way or the other means nawthin' in this country."

He seemed about right. There was no telling whether the train would reach a port in Northern Ireland on time or not. Nobody except a passenger here and there, seemed to care much.

Ballykelly isn't much of a place. It's about as big as McClelland's Crossing on the Red River in Manitoba which means a two-by-four station, a cluster of two or three houses and lots of space. But it's good for a 20-minute train stop.

On this run from one port in Northern Ireland to another port in Northern Ireland (they can't be named for security reasons) it is almost as though the engineer conspired to block every level crossing for 10 or 20 minutes. There is a level crossing at Ballykelly which may account for its importance. Every new start means 200 or 300 yards of backing up first.

Fuel is Scarce

However, in an island feeling the pinch of wartime coal shortage and where some trains in the south are burning wood and turf this must be considered solid comfort even if it is on the chill side in the unheated compartment.

You ride for more than two hours along the coast through neatly-hedged green fields and tidy squares of stooked grain with white-washed cottages before you see your Irish donkey. He is a grey, pot-bellied little fellow munching in the field. These fields of County Antrim and County Londonderry seem to have more stock in them than even the fields of the great farm belt of the English Midlands.

The land is well cultivated but as you get farther north it gets more rugged with outcroppings of sheer rock. At Ballykelly on Lough Foyle the sea runs in on the right and the hills rise up on the left back of the farm.

Old and New

An old lady, shawled and obviously a grandmother stands with a little girl on the station platform. She is as picturesque as Irish grandmothers are supposed to be. The shawl is still the national garb of the poor in Ireland, north or south.

In one field a tractor draws a rack full of grain towards a farm yard for stacking. That is the new in this country. Right next door you still have the old — a farmer cutting his grain with a scythe while his women bind it into sheaves by hand.

Medical columnist expounds the idea that no man should "lift a finger for exercise" after 40. Well some don't, for that or any other reason. —Ottawa Citizen

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Writes Parents From Pacific

A letter received by Mr. and Norman MacGregor, St. Andrews East, from their son in the American Navy has been handed to The Watchman for publication.

Norman MacGregor, Jr., graduating from McGill in 1932, spent eight or nine years in the States. He was a furniture designer in New York before enlisting with the Marines in January of this year.

Holding the rank of C.C.M., non-commissioned officer, in the United States Marine, he was aboard a vessel presumably bound for a theatre of warfare in the Pacific when he wrote the following impressions to his parents. The letter had been duly censored on its arrival.

* * *

It is wonderful how quickly and completely one can adapt oneself to new and strange circumstances, make them appear natural and inevitable, as though one were completely at home in them, while underneath ones whole being cries out against them. Thus, well out in the Pacific, all seems as it should be and New York appears so far, so very far in the past. Yet it is so close to me. Is it not, in fact, the reality, and all of this but fantasy? Can I have any reason for going on but that I may return to it and to my friends, re-creating what was my life? Surely most of the threads will be there when this is past and forgotten and it will be possible to gather them up and re-weave the fabric, even though the pattern may be changed.

For three days we have moved through a grey world of clouds and shadows but to-day, on the — — — day out a brilliant tropical sun has broken through, creating a cycloramic monochrome of intense, unbelievable blues. The ocean is calm, animated only by nervous ripples which, in their lights and shadows, give the deep, rich, indescribable blue of the water a jewel-like sparkle. Flying fishes, Neptune's messengers, skim lightly over the surface of the wavelets. The sky shades almost imperceptibly from a clear cerulean at the apex to a transparent tint of turquoise at the horizon; tremendous banks of dormant, billowy white clouds are piled in theatrical formations around its entire perimeter, providing thrilling, almost exaggerated pattern against its brilliant ever changing hues.

All is peace and it is difficult to believe that, at any time, from anywhere about us, destruction might leap. The life preservers and the steel helmets that we wear seem mockeries, as indeed they are, of the peace and tranquillity that has been created as our heritage. In such manner do we approach an arena of war and hate.

Our move came suddenly, and though we all expected it, I think its actual execution was a shock to all of us. Not that any of us were afraid, for I think that all of us had anticipated it with pleasure, as a stimulant after the somewhat deadly period of waiting we had been through; but there is a strange unrealness about reality, when one suddenly comes face to face with it, that casts an eerie, unearthly light on it. The train had left Hueneme late Sunday afternoon for a, to us, unknown destination, and had drawn up early Monday morning before a wharf and dock, with grey ships in the background at our 'Port of Debarkation'. We spent the rest of the day in the warehouse on the dock, confined to a closely restricted area, pacing the limits of our domain, not unlike anxious and nervous animals, waiting for they knew not what. It was an awkward period, for none of us knew what was happening, we were not allowed to smoke and all of us were hungry. The latter, however was remedied in due time. Our own cooks went aboard ship and hurriedly made sandwiches while from somewhere, the Women's Voluntary Services, led by Joan Blondell, appeared with more sandwiches and coffee so that our primary cause for apprehension was removed. The Blondell spent several hours autographing this and that and when she left she sent over many cartons of cigarettes and chocolate bars to be distributed among the fellows. At last, toward late afternoon the order came thru to board ship and the slow and painful process began. Every one had to be checked on the general muster sheet and the contingent of which I was in charge was the last to go on, but all of the fellows were marvellously patient, and the entire movement was accomplished with a minimum of effort and trouble.

The quarters provided were infinitely better than I had expected. Almost half of the Chiefs drew cabins, but my own pack of cards failed me at the crucial moment, cutting me low, and putting me down in the hold with the men. We sleep in bunks, four, one on top of another, two tiers side by side, the end of each double tier touching the end of another double tier, so that a maximum of men are stowed away in a minimum of space. It sounds frightfully crowded, though actually it is not, for in the center of the hold is a large open area, with mess tables that are used for chow and recreation, and which provides room for circulation. Too, most of the men are on deck a great deal of the time, so that one is seldom conscious of the overcrowding. When night time comes everyone folds neatly away.

Actually, I am glad to be in the hold, for it provides me with an experience that I shall probably never have an opportunity to duplicate. Surrounded constantly with different types, from every walk of life, with every degree of natural and acquired culture, from every State of the Union, I am acquiring a new insight into life and a new understanding that I could have gained in no other way. Each man has an experience, a poignant memory, a loved one that he has left behind, that he is anxious to talk about or that is attributed to by some mute evidence, usually a photograph tucked away in an inconspicuous place where he and few others can see it. It is not unlike a great disjointed novel that with a theme, could be woven into the romance of human longing. Coming as I do, from a sheltered and selfish life where I was successful in my own small way in making myself a nucleus around which my existence resolved, I now find that, for the first time, I have lost my identity and become a part of the great common pattern. Leaving port was an unforgettable erperience. The boats pulled away from the docks just before sunset so that our last view of America was colored by the reds and golds of early evening. The harbor was a large enclosed one, and the foothills of the Rockies crowding down close to the water's edge gave a dramatic, unreal quality to the setting. In every direction the white houses of the city and adjoining towns covered the hillsides. I do not know of any view, except the one coming into New York harbor that has ever thrilled me more, and the sensations accompanying it, sensations of pride, hope, determination and all of the

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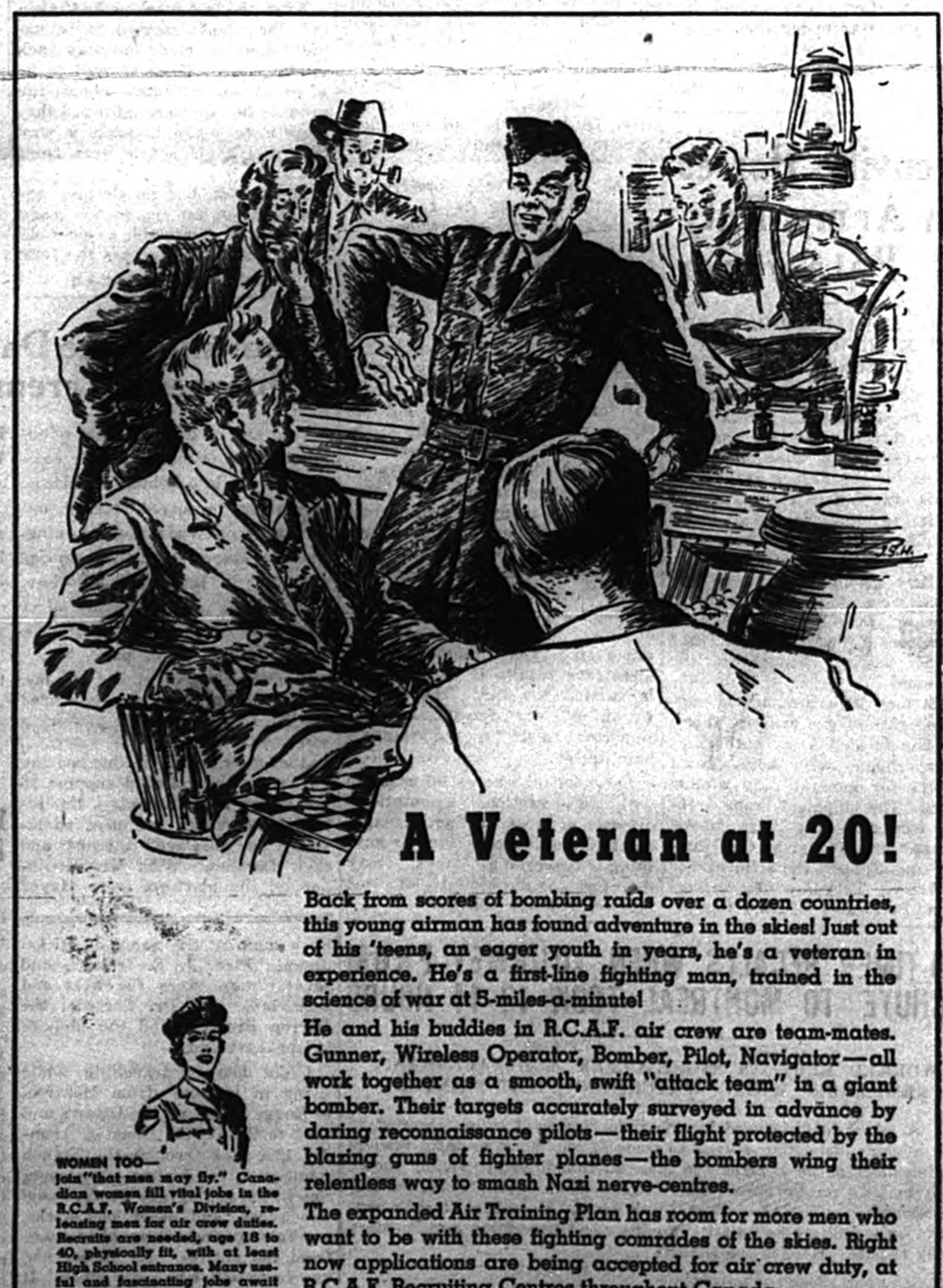
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Christmas Cards in England

Impressive testimony on the value of the greeting card in war-time comes from Great Britain where Christmas cards came in vogue a hundred years ago.

Paper in the British Isles is strictly rationed. Nevertheless the Ministry of Supply has allowed stocks of paper in publishers' hands to be used for the manufacture of cards for 1942, and in addition, has allocated 350 tons of new paper for the making of greeting cards.

Sir Andrew Duncan, head of the Ministry of Supply, in making the announcement stated: "Greeting cards are essential to the war effort. People are living under a great strain, and many of them are unable to collect their thoughts and express their feelings in a letter, but in a tray of greeting cards, with sentiments already printed on them they find words which exactly express what they feel in their hearts."

Praise for the Farmer

Canadian farmers have done well in beef and pork production, according to an advertisement signed by Hon. James G. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture. Illustrated with drawings of wistful-looking hogs and steers, Mr. Gardiner's message is a pat on the back for the farmer for what he has done, coupled with an admonition to do a little better in the future.

In passing it may be remarked that Mr. Gardiner's department seems sincere in thinking that the farmer has gone well, for the advertisement is appearing not only in daily, weekly and farm papers, but also in Canadian financial papers, which in past years have not boasted of a large rural circulation.

Of course no harm will be done if some urban residents read the message to the farmers and learn that the amount of beef remaining for consumption in Canada, after export of about one-fifth of total production, was 482 million pounds in the year ended August 31, 1942, compared with 400 million pounds in the corresponding period of 1938 - 39. From the figures it seems that the recent beef shortage could not possibly have occurred.

Yet the urban reader of the advertisement, knowing that the beef shortage was real in spite of the figures, may find himself forced to the conclusion that the blame for the shortage could not fairly be placed upon either the Canadian farmer or Mr. Gardiner. Perhaps that is what Mr. Gardiner intended to convey. Who knows?

— The Printed Word

Après la guerre

It is refreshing to hear that those among the Axis governments who have committed or caused to be committed acts of war contrary to the rules of war will be punished no matter what their rank.

In the last war it was a cry of "hang the Kaiser" but that was forgotten in the hour of victory. God grant that memories are not so short this time.

At the close of the war there was a maudlin sympathy for the "poor German people". The Allies occupied a few miles of German territory for a few years. German territory never saw a bursting shell. Germany was later allowed to re-arm, while our leaders slept peacefully; and were deaf or childishly patronizing to those who tried to wake them up, and tell them what the Germans were doing.

Headed by Hitler, Goering, Laval, Quisling and the rest the line of prisoners should be a long one. Gestapo, Black Guards and the rest of the Devil's Broods should get a short shrift.

But will they? The democracies will have to be on guard against sloppy sentimentality toward the defeated enemy. That enemy will cringe and crawl like other beaten dogs, but we must look out for those who will appeal for the "poor Germans". They were "led by the Kaiser" it was said in the last war. They were led by "Hitler" it will be said again. They may be led by Hitler, but they have proved willing followers.

The ones to handle this guilt after the war should be the Poles, Czechs, Dutch and French. They would do the job very thoroughly.

—King's County Record

Indian Summer

The trees have yielded all their red and gold,
The hills are sobered now to earthy brown.
The sun, belatedly, his heat pour down
And vainly strives to stop the coming cold.
Fields, freshly ploughed, are basking in the sun
But fleecy clouds forewarn of winter snows—
While blue and quiet, on the river flows,
Unchecked as yet, its placid course to run.

This season of the year is heaven blest,
It is the calm before the wintry storm,
The time when Nature seems to cease from strife
To take possession of her well-earned rest,
To gain in vigour, beauty, and in form,
And gather strength anew for next years, life.

Lachute, Que. —Don McBride

Let's Pull Together

Long ago when the world was new
And cities were small and people few,
It rained until a mighty flood
Covered the earth with water and mud.
Then up got Noah, an aged man,
And said, "Now I'll do all I can.
The thing to do is build an Ark,
We'd best begin before it's dark."

It rained and rained, and the waters rose.

And Noah said, "In stormy weather
My new Ark's safe—let's get together,
Though it may be quite a squeeze inside!
So now we must forget our pride
Of size and shape and age and breed,
Of appetite and daring deed.
If we don't all come and man the Ark
We shall be drowned before it's dark!"

It rained and rained, and the waters rose.

Then he got two of every beast
That walks the earth from West to East—
Camels, leopards, tigers, bears,
Rabbits, parrots, hounds and hares,
Chickens, fishes, birds and bees,
Creatures from mountains, plains and seas,
The Camel grunts, "I'll stay right here
Until I know who's going to steer."

It rained and rained, and the waters rose.

And the Lion standing all alone
Roars, "I must have an Ark my own—
So build me one at once, old man!
I do not fit into your plan!"
The Ostrich meanwhile quietly stood
With head well buried in the mud,
And hoped to keep his feathers dry,
Not seeing that the flood grew high.

It rained and rained, and the waters rose.

The clucking Hen in the corner begs,
"Please wait until I've laid my eggs!"
But Noah raps back, "They'll never hatch,
The flood will drown the whole darned batch!"
And the Pig comes waddling up to know,
"What shall we do when food gets low?
Is there enough for me to eat?
And are they rationing bread and meat?"

It rained and rained, and the waters rose.

Then Noah said, "Co-operate,
My greedy friend, before too late.
We can't be saved unless we vote
To live together in this boat.
There's lots of room in bow and stern,
So Lions, Donkeys, all can learn
The other fellow's way of life.
You see, there isn't time for strife."

It rained and rained, and the waters rose.

Whereat the Beasts with one accord
Decided they should climb aboard
And pull together all one way,
Which worked so well that now today
In every field you see a Cow,
And birds build nests on every bough,
And Hens have lived, thank God, to lay
Their eggs for you and me—Grade A.

Once it was said of money — "You can't take it with you." — Today, notice is given that you can't even keep it till you go.

—Toronto Telegram

WAR -- TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

By H. H. GORDON Canadian Press Staff Writer

Soviet Government Assumed Full Control in Russia When Kerensky's Military Opposition Faded

Attempts of the deposed Russian Premier A. F. Kerensky to oppose Soviet usurpation of power with military force ended 25 years ago. Less than a week after Nicolai Lenin and Leon Trotzky assumed control Cossack troops who alone remained loyal to Kerensky, were decisively defeated near Petrograd Nov. 13, 1917 and their leader fled from Russia.

Then began the Soviet struggle to administer the vast country and prevent economic collapse. The coup d'etat of Nov. 7 brought workers, soldiers and peasants flocking to the Red banner throughout the country, but met strong opposition from industrial leaders and financiers.

The stirring events of the previous six months had seen the disintegration of Russia's army as a fighting force and the futile attempts to maintain some form of constitutional authority following the abdication of Emperor Nicholas II.

But the undercurrent of revolutionary opinion fostered by Soviet propaganda for peace gathered momentum and when Lenin seized power the soviets were the only strong political force in a social structure whose disruption was nearly complete. The new rulers set out immediately to fulfil the promises which had won them popular support.

Passed Drastic Decrees

On Nov. 8 the Soviet government decreed that all land belonged to those who worked it, without rent or other payment. Three days later a universal eight-hour day was instituted and control of factory Soviets over industry was established by successive decrees during the following two months.

Immediately after taking over the post of commissar of foreign affairs Trotzky wirelessed an invitation to all the belligerent powers to conclude an immediate armistice. The Allied governments protested unsuccessfully and early in December a truce was signed within the German lines, the forerunner of the Treaty of Brest-Litovsk signed March 3, 1918.

On the home front, bourgeois classes, at first stunned by the rapid turn of events, turned to saboeage in an effort to wreck the new regime. When Petrograd financial powers refused co-operation, Lenin brought about nationalization of the banks. Soon after industries were nationalized and one decree after another followed as the government turned to centralization.

Nationalization of industries was legalized in December and was at first applied to meet opposition by individual enterprises or groups. Six months later all industrial and commercial undertakings were declared the property of the state.

"To get war materials overseas, the nation must rely on the heave-ho of the merchant marine."

—Admiral Emory S. Land

MOTORING PHILOSOPHY

There will be one satisfaction in having a couple of blowouts. With but three tires left, you won't have to worry about the amount of gas you get. —Calgary Albertan

Writes Parents From Pacific

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indescribable emotions that must inevitably occur when one is setting out on your life's great adventure, further enhanced it. Scenically and emotionally it provided a fitting setting for departure from the world's greatest and most blest country. Perhaps then, more than any other time, I realized how rich had been my heritage, how great would be my longing.

Days at sea are one very similar to another. It is with the greatest difficulty one is able to keep count of time. We rise at 6.30 and have chow at 7.00. Then we have two hours before muster and physical exercises after which our time is free except for occasional drills and of course noon and evening chow. The great problem is filling in time and there are always dozens of people playing games of various sorts. I have learned Bacngammon, or at least the elements of it, and 'Acey Ducey' which is a similar Navy version of the same game. I have also started to play Chess again and if the war lasts long enough, I may at last become a fair Chess player. Strangely enough I have not played cards a great deal which surprises me as they seem sort of a natural form of gaming for me. Unfortunately the boat is not set up for shuffle board or any of the other deck games. Sun bathing is one of the popular ways of putting in time, but the tropical sun is so strong that one does not dare expose oneself to it for long.

The galley is small, very small and I know Elizabeth would never believe its potentialities for feeding hungry mouths. Nevertheless, the food has been surprisingly good, for the chef is a good one, and knows at least a little of the art of flavoring. The sea air, too, has added to our appetites and I am in constant dread that, having taken two inches off of the waist line since I have been in the Navy, I am now about to put it back on. I think I have Narcissus like ambitions of reappearing from this expedition a perfect specimen of brawny manliness. After dark, the ship is in a complete black-out above decks. It gives one a very eerie sensation of being blind when one comes up from below deck on a dark night. When one looks over the side the path of the ship is bathed in irridescence for the water is full of phosphorus. At nine-thirty all lights go out and the day is finished.

It is strange how the human mind works under a given set of conditions. The night before last, I had deck watch, which is maintained in these latitudes until lights out, to see that the black-out is complete and that no one lights matches, cigarettes, etc. It was a beautiful tropical night and one in which, to borrow words from Banquo, there was no husbandry in heaven for all her candles were burning in full glory. The stars in these latitudes actually do twinkle, and with an almost electrical brilliance that makes them very significant, indeed. One falling star hurtled through its course, then burst into a thousand flying sparks like a rocket before dissolving into nothingness. It was an occasion when I should have been really impressed by the grandeur of nature, and in my own strange way I suppose that I was, but my mind has an unhappy faculty of distorting the aesthetic and reducing it to the material plane. Anyway, first thing I knew, I was planning a model room, based upon a composite of the word 'Constellation'. The ceiling, one wall and the carpet were to be midnight blue, with mural on the first two, in white line, showing the stars and the diagrams of the star formations found on old astrologers maps of the heavens. The other three walls were to be white. The furniture was to be in pickled oak with laced leather work done in a pattern I saw used on the railings of the 18th Century Battleship 'Constellation', while I was in Newport. The oak, too, had its inspiration there, in the chow tables, where many years of constant scrubbing had given it a patina not dissimilar to pickled oak. All of which is relevant to nothing, insofar as a letter may be concerned, but how far, how very far from war, from a black-out on a transport.

At sometime yesterday we crossed the Equator, and the great majority of us made the mystical change from 'Pollywog' to 'Shellback'. The ritual was not performed with all of the elaborate detail that probably accompanies it on larger ships in times of peace, but it was planned and executed with sufficient thought and thoroughness to impress it on our memories for a long time to come. All of the 'Pollywogs' were deprived of their breakfast and all of them who were Chiefs or Officers climbed to the yard arm in nothing but their 'scivvies', (Navy for under drawers), steel helmets and life preservers, to watch for the theoretical line that divides the Northern from the Southern hemisphere. Meanwhile, the crew part of the pollywogs watched on in the same uniform of the day, while the shellbacks, of whom there were not too many, arrayed themselves in appropriate costumes of Neptune, his bride, and other less recognizable denizens of his realm beneath the sea. Eventually, the chiefs and the officers were allowed down and the real initiation began.

Everyone went through, one at a time, chiefs and officers in the vanguard. First a thorough hosing to make our scrivvies wet and then a dash past the line of paddlers who warmed our 'fannies' as hard as they could with thin boards cut into the shape of paddles. As time wore on and the original weapons were shattered over helpless behinds, ordinary thin boards became the order of the day. The first mad dash completed, we went down on our knees before Neptune, and a proper prostration it was too, for if our noses strayed from the deck, our, by now somewhat delicate posterior realms were rewarded with an additional paddling. As our turn came, we were withdrawn from our salaaming and brought before the barbers and the doctors for the next and final step of our initiation. The former gave us fanciful and indescriminate haircuts slashing into our treasured locks with mad abandon while the latter springed a good dose of Cascara into our mouths. All of us will have to have 'crew' hair cuts, and I do mean 'crew' hair cuts, when we get off the ship. The officers for good measure got an additional shampoo with machine oil to add to their discomfiture. Actually, I got off quite lightly, for at the lowest cut in my mop I still have over a quarter of an inch of hair; most had swathes cut right down to their scalp, and two of the chiefs, and one of the men have since given up in disgust and shaved their heads completely.

Lucky those who went through first, for as the men became shellbacks, they broke the rules of the game, grabbed themselves paddles, and added their might to that of the older shellbacks, berating those who still were going through, so that, at the end, the line of paddlers had become very formidable, indeed. I am sure that there are those who find repose easier on their stomaches than on their backs, even today. The whole initiation, however, was done in a grand spirit of good, clean fun and, with the exception of a few soreheads, everyone had a splendid time and a thousand hearty laughs.

Today, immediately below where I sit, amateur barbers are busy providing the necessary crew haircuts and the moth eaten products that come out as a result are truly sights to behold. One of the officers has just gone through with the rest. We are going to be a pretty looking sight when we make a landing and, if we should come face to face with any Japs in the immediate future we will probably scare them to death.

Time Bombs

By "Vic"

The greatest danger to free speech is irresponsible speaking.

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The good housewife gives flavor to the family life as well as to the family food.

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The Bill of Rights is not a grant for anybody to do wrong.

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There are only two kinds of selfishness — yours and mine.

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It's easy to burn up about other people's faults. Let's burn up some of our own and start a national bonfire.

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Let's have not only a metal scrap drive but a "mental" scrap drive, and mobilize all of our unused mental powers.



"Remember now. Give Dawson the ball only when the wind is with him!"

No Mourning, Warned Pilot

London (CP) — The "gay and grim" tradition of the R.A.F. is maintained in the will of Flt.-Lt. David Gordon Ross of Warninglid, Sussex, who died last May. He asked that there should be no mourning of any description and added "it is my wish that my executors should so soon as convenient after my death arrange for a luncheon to my friends."

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Department of Labour
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GENERAL ORDER

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics has found that the cost of living index number for October 1, 1942, is 117.8 (adjusted index 116.9) as compared with the cost of living index number for July 2, 1942, of 117.9 (adjusted index 117).

The Wartime Wages Control Order, P. C. 5963, provides in Section 48 (iv):

> "the amount of the bonus shall not be changed unless the cost of living index number has changed one whole point or more since the last general order of the Board requiring an increase or decrease in the amount thereof."

The index number not having changed by one whole point or more since July 2, 1942, pursuant to the provisions of P. C. 5963 as stated, the National War Labour Board orders that the terms of its General Order dated August 4, 1942, shall continue to apply for the period November 15, 1942, to February 15, 1943, subject to the right of employers or employees to apply to a War Labour Board for authorization of payment of such an amount of cost of living bonus as a Board may determine to be "fair and reasonable," under the provisions of the Order.

HUMPHREY MITCHELL
Chairman, National War Labour Board

Ottawa, Canada
November 4, 1942

DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

CALUMET

Miss Aileen Fee, of Montreal, visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Foreman, for the week-end.

Miss Hazel Robinson spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mrs. Leech, Mrs. Johns and Miss D. Johns, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Mahon.

Miss Alice Demers spent the week-end visiting her parents in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Racine, of Grenville, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brigden.

Miss Jean Graham visited her parents in Lachute during the week-end.

Lieut. and Mrs. L. Jorgensen left for Montebello last week, where they are taking up residence again. Lieut. Jorgensen was invalided home and has now been discharged from the army.

Victory Loan Result

With returns not all in to date, it looks as if Calumet will either lead the county in percentage of objective, with 225%, or be tied for first place.

MORIN HEIGHTS

Mrs. Harold Thompson, of Montreal, has been spending the past week with her brother, Mr. John Kennedy and daughter, Dorothy.

Miss Patricia Davis, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Greene, of St. Adolphe, have taken up residence here in the village for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hollingworth and son, Bryan, of Dixie, were week-end guests of Col. and Mrs. J. E. Seale.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Murdoch, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Murdoch and son, David, of Brownsburg, also Mr. D. MacDonald, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Seale.

The W.I. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Robt. Seale on Thursday evening last.

Mr. Leonard Scott, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Geo. Scott, of Lachute, spent Sunday with Mr. John Kennedy and daughter, Dorothy.

HARRINGTON

Miss Isabel Fraser, of Lachute, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. N. McRae and two sons, of Papineauville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. McCulloch.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett and Miss Amanda McLean spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. Swail in Renfrew, Master Brent Swail returning home with them.

Other visitors from Harrington in Renfrew, were Ernest MacTavish, Colin Poulter and Gibson Pearson.

Mr. Stewart Poulter was the winner of a $100. Victory Bond at Kilmar this week.

The United Ladies' Aid met this month at the home of Mrs. Geo. Bennett.

WINTER'S At Hand! Time for a Tune-up



We suggest a general tune-up of your auto to meet the changing weather and travelling condition of winter.

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GRENVILLE NORTH

Miss Beatrice McCart, of St. Philippe, spent the week-end with her parents here.

Mr. James Stewart spent several days last week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Carl Paige.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Loughren, of Stonefield, and Mrs. James Johnson, of Grenville, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McCart last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gauley, Kenneth and Arthur, also Mr. Wm. Cousins, were visitors last Friday at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Perks and Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Taylor, Isle-aux-Chats.

Messrs. Robert and Bernard McCart were in Campbell's Bay last Tuesday renewing old acquaintances.

Pte. Martin Lowe, of St. Jerome, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. Lawrence Derouin and friends called at the McCart home on Sunday last.

Friends are pleased to see Edward Rainey home again from Montreal, where he was a patient in hospital.

People of this locality express gratification in improvements effected by the Highway Dept. on the road at Lowe's Corner. It is a pleasure to have a fine road such as now exists at this spot.

WEIR

This community did its share, and more, in Canada's 3rd Victory Loan campaign. The result for this district is due, in no small measure to the enthusiasm and energy put into the canvass by Mr. R. B. Owen.

KILMAR

Mr. and Mrs. L. Madden spent last week-end in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Villeneuve and son, Ronny, motored to Montreal last Friday.

Mrs. Owen McDonald spent last week-end in Montreal.

The weekly Red Cross meeting was held at the home of Mrs. C. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Villeneuve, of Grenville, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Villeneuve last Sunday.

Exceeded Loan Objective

The Canadian Refractories Ltd., Kilmar, went over the top with its Third Victory Loan campaign. The objective of $22,800 was surpassed, with a grand total of $42,800.

Poppy Day A Success

For the first time Kilmar held a Poppy Day on Saturday, November 7, and the venture proved a great success. Mrs. S. C. Brown and Mrs. R. A. Sancton canvassed the Can. Refractories Ltd. plant and mine, where they were received most courteously and given generous contributions to the amount of $21.33.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Victory Loan Result

The 3rd Victory Loan campaign exceeded all expectations in St. Andrews. The objective of $20,000, which looked large at the start, has not only been reached but has been exceeded; the total subscriptions in this district now amount to over $46,000.

LOST RIVER

Mr. Leonard Laughren, of Arundel, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. William MacMillan and Mr. MacMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Welden, of Weir, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mandly Chrisholm.

Mrs. Ernest Brunelle is spending a few days in Montreal.

Mr. Alex Brown, of Brownsburg, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dewar.

Miss Edythe MacCallum spent the week-end in Arundel with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Val Swail, Jr.

Messrs. George and Paul Brunelle, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Godin and family, of Rouge Valley, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Godin's sister, Mrs. William MacMillan and Mr. MacMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fox and daughter, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dewar.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne MacTavish and little daughter of Harrington spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert MacTavish.

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GRENVILLE

Miss Lillian Steele, who is teaching in Avoca this term, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Charles Steele.

Mr. Victor D. Gaudry spent the week-end in Ottawa at the home of Mr. R. Y. Lyon where his wife has been convalescing since leaving the Civic Hospital. On Sunday night she returned with him to Grenville, after an absence of over a year in Hawkesbury and Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. George White and little son have moved to Renfrew, Ont.

Mr. James Welden, who has been employed in the U.S., visited his uncle, Mr. John Welden, in Grenville.

The Misses Ida, Margaret and Royetta Welden, of Ottawa, were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Welden.

Mr. Eddley Woodbury and little son, Donald, of Ottawa, visited his family here on Sunday.

BROWNSBURG

Misses Wynetha Smillie and Betty Prosser spent the week-end in Ottawa.

Miss D. King, of Toronto, spent a few days with friends here this week.

John Bud Lamberton, formerly of Brownsburg, according to latest reports was with the American Army in England.

Sympathy is extended to relatives and friends of the late Rev. Chas. Hardie, who passed away in Montreal on Tuesday.

The Ladies' Aid of Maple Avenue Baptist Church made final plans for their fall sale, to be held in the church on Saturday, November 14.

Mrs. J. H. McFaul, of Lachute spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. F. Gordon, Mrs. Herbert Graham, Sr., and Mrs. Herbert Graham, Jr., visited friends in Rosemere on Thursday.

The Remembrance Day service held here on November 11 was largely attended. The speakers were Rev. T. J. H. Rich, pastor of the Maple Avenue Baptist Church and Mr. Georges H. Heon, of Lachute.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. John Seary of the safe arrival overseas of their son, Petty-Officer Jack Seary, of the Royal Canadian Navy. Guardsman Stanley Seary, of the Canadian Grenadier Guards, is also serving overseas.

The W.I. meeting was held in the Consolidated School last Thursday evening. Special films were shown by the principal, Mr. D. Staniforth. Several Red Cross quilts were on display and plans were made to quilt more in the near future.

Victory Loan Standing

The 3rd Victory Loan campaign in Brownsburg and district is about to end, and once more objectives have been exceeded to around 170% of the original quotas. C-I-L and affiliated industries, and the citizens of the district also, have both exceeded their quotas by a substantial margin.

MABEL

Mr. and Mrs. E. Matthews and son, Walter, of Kilmar, also Mrs. W. Murray, of Grenville, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Heatlie.

Mr. David MacDonald and daughter, Mary, of Verdun, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Murdoch during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cunning and children, of Vankleek Hill, visited at the home of Mr. George Clark on Sunday.

A number of ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. Raymond Warwick on Saturday and spent the afternoon quilting.

Mrs. Walter Murdoch spent a few days recently in Montreal with her sister, Mrs. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Murdoch, also Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Murdoch and little son, David, visited Mr. and Mrs. Willis Seale in Morin Heights on Sunday.

Miss Catherine Clark has returned home from the Royal Victoria Hospital, where she has been under observation for the past two weeks.

The sincere sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. C. Hardie, of Dalesville, in her recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. James Black and little daughter, Helen, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Black at East Settlement.

The Farm Radio Forum group will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Black on Monday evening next.

YOUNGEST LEADING SEAMAN

London (CP) — Eighteen-year-old Leslie Ryall is believed to be the youngest leading seaman in the Royal Navy.

CUSHING WEST

Miss Norma Cooke spent last week with friends in the city.

Miss Phyllis Dugan, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Miss Audrey Watson.

Miss Catherine Cooke, of Stanstead, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. Eddie Whelehan, of Montreal, spent Sunday with his friends here.

Miss Tessie Robert, of Monalea, spent the early part of the week in the city.

Mr. Lucien Larose, of Montreal, was a guest at the home of Mr. B. Desforges at Grece's Point on Sunday.

Pte. Elzear Dupuis, of Petawawa, spent a week-end leave at his home at Grece's Point recently.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Harbert motored from the city and spent last week-end at the residence of Mrs. Harbert's father, Dr. Cushing.

Mr. C. F. Watson was home from Sorel for the week-end.

ARUNDEL

The Ladies' Aid held their monthly meeting in the church hall on Thursday last. Mrs. Wm. Swail and Mrs. S. MacArthur were the hostesses.

Mr. Dennison Swail, R.C.A.F., of Mont Joli, spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Stella Cooke, of Montreal, spent a week-end recently at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cooke.

Mr. Percy Staniforth, of Windsor Mills, spent the week-end at his home here. On his return he was accompanied by Mrs. Staniforth and family to Sherbrooke, where they have taken up residence.

Mr. Billy Morrison, of Lower Canada College, spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Phyllis Mosher, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mrs. Staniforth.

Miss Marion Champagne spent the week-end in Morin Heights as the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. J. Kerr.

Mr. Arthur Thomson spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Jean Morrison spent a few days in Montreal recently.

Mr. Jos. Boyd has returned home after visiting at the home of his son, Mr. Edgar Boyd, in Verdun.

Victory Loan Achievement

Arundel's flag-display, and hard work by the local committee and official canvassers (Dr. W. L. Morrison and Mr. S. K. MacArthur), have produced in excess of 112% of the Loan objective, totalling more than $18,500 — with final results not all in.

The Week in Ottawa

By Douglas Green, Canadian Press Writer

Ottawa, Nov. 10 (CP)—Canada's diplomatic relations are undergoing extensive changes and more are expected shortly. Following quickly on the appointment of ministers to Russia, China, Chile and a new High Commissioner to Australia, came a break in diplomatic relations with the Vichy Government.

Announcement by Prime Minister Mackenzie King that Canada had terminated her diplomatic relationship with Vichy ended a situation which has subjected the government to frequent criticism.

Canada was the last member of the British Commonwealth to retain a relationship with the Vichy government and the break came 24 hours after Vichy had renounced her relationship with the United States and followed by a few hours the severence by Mexico of her diplomatic link with unoccupied France.

Landing of American troops in French North Africa some 48 hours before brought a sudden climax to the situation. A few days previous external affairs officials had carefully studied reports that Vichy was handing over the Axis a number of merchant ships in Vichy ports.

Canada's contact has been maintained by occasional visits by Pierre Duguy, charge d'affairs at the Canadian Legation at Paris prior to the German invasion, who now is stationed in London. Rene Ristelueber, French minister to Canada, learned of Canada's decision when he was summoned to Mr. King's East Block Office.

When Mr King announced appointment to Canada's diplomatic staff a few days earlier he said further announcements were expected shortly.

Rubber and Timber

The problem of conserving and fairly distributing Canada's supplies of rubber—a commodity vital to the war effort—has found recognition in the establishment of a rubber control branch under Alan H. Williamson, formerly supplies controller for the Munitions Department.

Other Posts

The appointment of L. D. Wilgress, formerly Canada's Deputy minister of trade and commerce, to the post of Canadian minister to Russia is regarded here as a logical one, and an indication of the extent to which the Dominion is following the practice of naming career diplomats as her representatives.

Mr. Wilgress takes to his post his long experience as a trade commissioner in the trade department during which he visited Russia on several occasions.

Gen. Odlum, Canada's first minister to China, spent seven months in Australia as high commissioner, and for almost two years commanded the Second Canadian Division overseas. Warwick Chipman, prominent Montreal lawyer who is appointed minister to Chile, will relieve Hon. W. F. A. Turgeon, Canadian minister to the Argentine, who was also accredited to Chile pending the naming of a permanent minister to that country.

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OBITUARY

BAPTIST MINISTER DIES SUDDENLY OF HEART AILMENT

Funeral from the Dalesville Baptist Church Friday Afternoon, 2.30 o'clock

The sudden death of the Rev. Charles Hardie, of Dalesville, occurred at the Royal Victoria Hospital on Tuesday, November 10. Mr. Hardie was taken to hospital on the previous Friday, with heart trouble, from which he had suffered for the past year.

The Rev. C. Hardie came from the pastorate of St. Amedée and Gore seven years ago, to take over the Regular Baptist Churches in Dalesville and Brownsburg. His home was originally in Parry Sound, Ont. He was 41 years of age at the time of his death.

Surviving are his wife, the former Miss Helen Thompson, of Thurso, one three-year old daughter, Elizabeth, also four sisters and seven brothers — Mrs. A. J. Alexander, of Birks Falls, Ont., Mrs. Ralph Crawford, of Parry Sound, Ont., Miss Jane Hardie and Mrs. Earl Jones, of Hurdville, Ont., also James, Robert, Walter and Frank Hardie, of Parry Sound, and William, Andrew and George Hardie, of Hurdville.

The funeral service will be held from the Regular Baptist Church, Dalesville, on Friday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock. Burial will be made in the Brownsburg Cemetery.

James C. Cleland Dies in Regina

James Carlton Cleland, 46, of 2436 Victoria Avenue, Regina, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Cleland, died as the result of pneumonia on Monday, November 2, in a Regina hospital.

Mr. Cleland went to Regina over 20 years ago, and had been employed with Regina Industries as a guard.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Leonard Boyd, of Lachute.

The funeral service was held on Wednesday in the J. A. Wright chapel at Regina, the Rev. Harvey B. Campbell officiating. The remains were interred in the Regina Cemetery.

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Funeral of Well-Known Morin Hts. Resident

Late Mrs. Wm. J. Kennedy

Morin Heights — This community was saddened on Tuesday morning, November 3, by the death of Mrs. William John Kennedy, formerly Janet Elizabeth Doherty, of Morin Heights, who passed away at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Harold Thompson, in Verdun. While Mrs. Kennedy had been in ill health for some months, her passing came as a shock to her many friends. Mrs. Kennedy was in her 53rd year.

The funeral service was held on Thursday afternoon from her late residence to Trinity Anglican Church, Morin Heights. Mr. H. G. Baugh, M.L.R., who conducted the service, preached on the text, "Whose names are written in the Book of Life". He referred to the late Mrs. Kennedy's untiring work in the Ladies' Guild of the church, as well as in other activities of the community.

The large attendance at the service and the profusion of beautiful floral tributes were expressions of the sincere sympathy of her friends.

She leaves to mourn her passing a loving husband and daughter, Dorothy; one sister, Mrs. George Scott, of Lachute; three brothers, William, Wesley and Norman Doherty, all of Morin Heights.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

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

BIRTH

MacALLISTER — At Lachute, Que., on November 5, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Ken MacAllister, a son.

DEATH

CLELAND — On Monday, Nov. 2, 1942, James Carlton Cleland, aged 46, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Cleland. Interment took place in Regina Cemetery on November 4.

IN MEMORIAM

LEISHMAN — In loving memory of a kind husband and father, Robert Leishman, who passed peacefully away November 10, 1941 — Sadly missed by his wife and family.

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To a grave not far away,
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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Anglican Services In Morin Heights

Morin Heights—At the regular Sunday evening service at Trinity Anglican Church, lantern slides on England and Scotland replaced the usual address. The pictures included scenes of historic spots in both places, as well as the various architectural designs of old churches.

The "Remembrance Day" observances here included a service at 10.30 a.m. in Trinity Church, Mr. H. G. Baugh officiating; the schoolchildren of the Consolidated School attended in a group.

Plans have been completed for the congregations of the Anglican Mission in St. Sauveur, and of Trinity Church in Morin Heights, to hold a special service on Sunday, November 15, at 3 p.m. The congregation from St. Sauveur will travel to Morin Heights for the occasion, and the two Sunday Schools and congregations will combine in a mass service. H. G. Baugh, who is in charge of both churches, will officiate.

Presentations by United Ch. Choir

Following their regular rehearsal held last Saturday evening, the members of Lachute United Church Choir gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Taylor, where a social time was spent.

Community singing and refreshments were enjoyed, after which the choir director, Mr. C. L. Duncan, made presentations of necklaces to the Misses Beryl Underhill, Margaret Aitkin, Helen Deacon and to Ruth Brennian (in absentia), who have recently left the choir after many years of loyal service. An appropriate gift was also given to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gorman, in honor of their recent wedding.

The host and hostess were extended an expression of thanks by Mr. F. S. McGibbon.

Sunday Services

MARGARET RODGER MEML. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Orsborn

10 a.m., Sabbath School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
"What Mean These Stones?"
A sermon in commemoration of one hundred and ten years of service by our church in this community.
7.00 p.m. Evening Worship
"Gleams at Sunset"
3 p.m., Brownsburg.

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The Rev. B. J. Thorpe, M.A., L.Th.
First Sunday of Month —
Holy Communion 11 a.m.
All Other Sundays —
Morning Prayer 11 a.m.
Third Sunday —
Holy Communion 8 a.m.

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a.m., Sabbath School
11 a.m., Morning Worship
"The Grace of Giving"
7 p.m., Evening worship.
"The Church Our Creditor"
2.30 p.m. Thomas' Gore.
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LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor, H. Charlton
10 a.m., Bible School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
7 p.m., Evening Worship
Tuesday 7 p.m., Happy Hour for Boys and Girls.
Tuesday 8 p.m. Senior Young People.
Wednesday 8 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship.
7.30 p.m. Evening Worship
Sunday, November 22, 11 a.m., unveiling the Honor-Roll.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. T. J. H. Rich, Pastor
10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m., Grenville Baptist.
7.30 p.m. Brownsburg.
"God's Great Searchlight"

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector
Dunany 11 a.m.
Louisa, 2.30 p.m.
Lakefield, 7 p.m.

ALL FOR GOOD CAUSE

London (CP)—Following a request for subscribers to increase efforts the Red Cross committee received this letter from two girl workers: "Every time we swear in our factory we put a coin in a swear box. We have noted your request and are redoubling our efforts."

Lachute United Church Young People's Union

The weekly meeting of the Lachute United Young People's Union was held in the church hall last evening with an attendance of 30 members and friends.

Mae Gordon was in charge of the program. Miss Yvonne Bedard rendered two solos entitled "White Christmas" and "Just A Wearyin' for You", with Doris Mitchell accompanying at the piano.

The guest speaker was Mr. Howard Bradford, principal of the High School, who spoke on "Remembrance Day". He compared past history with our present day affairs. This war, he said, is merely a continuation of the World War. He took his listeners back to the Sparta-Greece conflict of early days, then to the Napoleonic Wars in Europe and compared their causes and also the leaders of ancient times to the leader of the Axis today. All wars are started by leaders whose only ambitions are greed and military rule, and once they get these things they have no power to hold the conquered countries together. The united nations are not in this present war for territorial gain but to make Europe a family of friendly nations. Mr. Bradford expressed the hope that after this present war is over there will be no more class distinction.

The speaker was thanked, on behalf of the Union, by the president, Miss Barbara Cunningham.

Games were enjoyed after the meeting and refreshments served.

Successful Observances For Celebration of 101st Anniversity at B'bg

Brownsburg — The 101st anniversary of the United Church in this community was observed on Sunday last, with fine weather and good congregations, together with the 90th anniversary of the first building, and the 34th anniversary of the present structure.

The special preacher of the occasion was the Rev. R. G. Burgoyne, of Montreal, who based his message on St. Paul's challenge to the Corinthian Church to 'give a certain sound upon the trumpet' (1 Cor. 14:8). Mr. Burgoyne pointed out by the historical data that the Christian Church had given that certain sound in times of national upheaval. No less today, the Church remains intact and prepared for the battle of life amidst national and world strife.

The choir rendered special music, and Mr. Frank Steere sang very acceptably "The Holy City."

The minister, Rev. S. J. Pike, conducted the service and, on behalf of the congregation and Board, thanked Mr. Burgoyne for his stirring message, as well as all others who contributed to the impressive service . . . The minister preached at the evening service, when the Junior Choir led the singing and rendered a special number.

On Tuesday evening the Rev. Dr. G. C. Wadsworth, of Montreal, was the guest speaker and delighted his audience with the three-fold oneness of the universal Christian Church: One in her struggle against Nazism, One in her Missionary Spirit, and One in her victory and triumph. The C.G.I.T. occupied the choir and sang the newly composed Canadian anthem: "O Canada, my Country." Other contributions in music were given by Mrs. Wm. King, "Open the Gates of the Temple"; Mrs. J. A. Taylor, of Lachute, "In the Garden of Tomorrow"; and Mrs. T. Cocksedge and Miss M. Cumbers, in a duet, "The End of a Perfect Day." Greetings were brought by the Rev. W. B. Rosborough, of Lachute United Church, the Rev. T. J. H. Rich, of Maple Avenue Baptist Church, and the Rev. S. T. Burman, of St. Mungo's United Church, Cushing. The Rev. S. J. Pike acted as chairman and gave a brief sketch of the church's history during the past 101 years.

A social hour was spent at the close in the church hall, when the ladies served refreshments and Dr. Wadsworth was able to meet a number of former associates, he having been assistant minister here in 1923-24.

With objective of the Board of Stewards met, the 101st anniversity of this church becomes a complete success.

Unite As Canadians, Best Way to Honor Our Fallen Heroes

(Continued from page 1)

Some would tell us it was. It think not, for their sacrifice has provided the stimulus and incentive that so largely is responsible for the splendid response for men to join the armed services. Thousands of young Canadians, very many of them from the Province of Quebec, fully trained, are over there, following in their fathers' footsteps. Some of these have already fallen, as their fathers did. We mourn their loss, but we honor them today also. 'Remembrance Day'.—Yes, we do remember; we remember with pardonable pride Dunkirk, Dieppe and more recently the battle of Egypt, and as we do, thank God for the splendid leadership and courageous following that has struck a blow at the enemy, that will, we believe, rid Egypt of an unscrupulous foe, and that presently will enable us to get into Germany by the back door of Africa and Italy.

"The world we live in has shrunk, not only on the map, but in the minds of its inhabitants. You may travel East or West, and you will find that there are some ideas that millions of men hold in common, almost as though they were our next door neighbors. This, in turn, means that we share common dangers and must all of us be prepared to face and combat them. This is one of the lessons we are learning out of this war.

"What we want in the world today is to know and understand each other better. In the past we have been suspicious because we have not known each other as we should. I was favorably impressed by what the Padre of Dieppe said in a speech recently, as he spoke to us in Quebec Province. You who heard him will recollect that he urged that we cease speaking of ourselves as either French or English Canadians and call ourselves just Canadians. I agree with that, and commend his remarks to all of you. This is one way in which we can truly honor those who have fallen, for they fought and died side by side in a true brotherly comradeship that will never be surpassed.

"A narrow and irrational Nationalism gave us Hitler and Mussolini and their kind, and you don't need me to tell you what that has meant to the world. We must avoid even the faintest semblance of it, and see in all men our brothers who have equal rights with us. Let us then, on this Remembrance Day —as we remember those who have fallen and those who are standing ready either over there or here in Canada—determine to set our own house in order in this respect and then with the rest of the Allies commit ourselves to the building of a New Order that shall have as its foundation the Lord Jesus Christ, who is our common Saviour and waits to be accepted as our common Lord."

The Last Post was sounded by Mr. E. Witham a member of the Brownsburg Boys' Band.

Presbyterian Y.P.S.

The weekly meeting of the Presbyterian Y.P.S. was held last evening with 15 members attending. Opening with the devotional, a short business meeting was held discussion on the year's programs being the main item.

The program, under the convenorship of Evelyn McCullough, following the Remembrance theme, and included several short poems read by the delegated members.

Following the meeting, members enjoyed a few ends of carpet bowling before adjoining.

Sunday Evening Service

A special feature was the Choir service undertaken by the P.Y.P.S. for the evening service on Sunday, November 8. Thirteen members of the Society joined in assuming the choral duties. President David Morrison opened the service with the Invocation and announced the hymns. Janet Berry read the scripture lesson. During the offering the Y.P.S. Choir rendered "In the Garden". The sermon, delivered by the Rev. E. Orsborn, was an Armistice theme from Isaiah 25: 8, "He will swallow up death in victory".

Christian Science Sunday Services

"Mortals and Immortals" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, November 15.

The Golden Text is from Romans 8: 19. "The earnest expectations of the creature waiteth for the manifestation of the sons of God."

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For we that are in this tabernarle do groan, being burdened: not for that we would be unclothed, but clothed upon, that mortality might be swallowed up of life."

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: "Earth has little light or joy for mortals before Life is spiritually learned. Every agony of Mortal error helps error to destroy error, and so aids the apprehension of immortal Truth. This is the new birth going on hourly, by which men may entertain angels, the true ideas of God, the spiritual sense of being." (Page 548).

United C.G.I.T. Activities

The regular meeting of the Lachute C.G.I.T. was held on November 9. The meeting was opened by repeating together the C.G.I.T. Purpose. Betty Brown read the scripture and Jean Moncrieff followed in prayer.

Minutes were read by Hazel Ogilvie, and approved. Mae Gordon adjourned the meeting and "Taps" was sung in conclusion.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Kathryn Langille spent last week-end visiting in Montreal.

Miss Georgette Cousineau spent last week-end in Montreal.

Mrs. H. Lee and Miss Priscilla Willman, of Calumet, spent Tuesday visiting Mrs. I. Jolley.

Miss Janet McOuat has returned home after spending the past five weeks visiting in Toronto.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Langille that their son, Sgt.-Pilot Stanley Langille, R.C.A.F., has arrived safely overseas.

Sgt.-Pilot Tom Hill, of the R.A.F., London, England, who is stationed at St. Eugene, Ont., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George McGibbon.

Cpl. John Dixon, of the R.C.A.F., and Mrs. Dixon, of Ottawa, were week-end visitors at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Maxwell, of Beech Ridge, have received a cable from their son, Sergeant Navigator Harold Maxwell, of the R.C.A.F., advising them of his safe arrival overseas.

Mrs. Leslie Miller, of Georgetown, British Guiana, is spending a few days visiting Miss P. Bennett at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McGibbon.

Mr. J. Sinnoett, of Ottawa, was a Sunday guest at the home of Mrs. I. Jolley.

Miss Margaret Aitkin, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Duncan.

Mr. Stan Warn, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. Weaver, Bedard Blvd.

Miss N. Mason, of Renfrew, spent the week-end as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Y. Deacon.

Miss Jean Pollock, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr and Mrs. J. A. Pollock.

Mrs. Henri Lalonde, of Montreal, spent a few days in Lachute as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Cousineau.

Miss Freda St. Thomas left this week for Montreal where she has enlisted with the Canadian Women's Army Corps.

Mrs. Walter Farrington, of Montreal, was the guest of Bandmaster T. Taylor, and Mrs. Taylor, for the week-end.

Mr. Sidney Roberts and Miss Florence Morin, of Montreal, were week-end visitors at the former's home.

LAC. Roy Bedard, of the R.C.A.F., has returned to Toronto after spending a two weeks' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bedard.

Mr. Bruce Pollock, who has joined the R.C.A.F., left on Sunday for Galt, Ont., to train as an Air Mechanic.

Pte. George Cote, R.C.O.C., of Barriefield, Ont., and AC-2 Chas. Cote, of the R.C.A.F., at Lachine, spent the week-end visiting their parents.

Trooper Lloyd Kettyle, of the Sherbrooke Fusiliers Tank Corps, and his brother, Seaman Douglas Kettyle, of the Royal Canadian Navy, have arrived safely overseas.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dumais on Sunday included the Rev. Canon H. D. J. Brosseau, the Hon. G. E. Dansereau and Mr. Romeo Monty, from Grenville, who were here in connection with the Knights of Columbus assembly; also Mr. H. M. Lavigne and Mr. Geo. H. Heon, of Lachute, prominent officials in the Order.

Feline Longevity !

Grenville — A cat owned by C. Steele died here recently at the age of 16 years; it is almost unknown for a cat to live to this advanced age.

"I say to you there are no distant points in the world any longer." —Wendell L. Willkie

Three in Family Are Fined for Molesting Military Officers

L'Orignal, Nov. 5 (CP)—Magistrate Raoul Labrosse condemned Henry Gauthier to $1 and costs and his sons Roger and Alderbert $2 and costs each on charges of assaulting military authorities in the execution of their duty. A similar charge against Mrs. Gauthier was dismissed.

Charges against the Gauthier family were laid by Sgt. J. R. Danford of the Canadian Provost Corps, Ottawa, after an assault on members of the Provost Corps who attempted to search their farm for a third son, who police claimed had deserted the Canadian army.

Posed as Law Officer, Man to Repay $10

L'Orignal, Nov. 5 (CP)—Magistrate Raoul Labrosse imposed on Henry Dallaire, of Hawkesbury, a 30-day suspended sentence on a charge of posing as an officer of the law, and ordered him to repay $10 which he collected from Rolland Trottier and Sartold Lefebvre for firing a gun within the town limits.

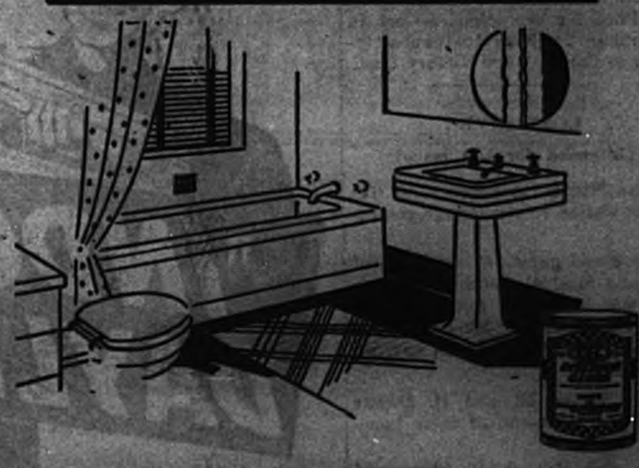
Dallaire collected the money from the two men after showing them a police badge. The charge was laid by Police Chief Honore Giroux.

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Fewer Fishermen, Bigger Catches

Ottawa, Nov. 3 (CP) — Canada had fewer commercial fishermen in 1941 than in the previous year but their catch for that year set a new marketed value record topping the previous record made in 1918. The marketed value of the 1941 production was $62,259.000 exceeding the 1940 total by about $17,100,000, showing an increase of nearly 75 per cent over the average annual figure for the 10-year period of 1931-40 and an increase of around $2,000,000 over the 1918 record, the department of fisheries stated. The value of the catch to the fishermen before preparation for market was $34,380,000 against $23,630,000 in 1940.

BLACKOUTS ON THE GASPE PENINSULA

These articles are specially prepared on the authority of the Provincial Civilian Protection Committee. The statements therein are obtained from first hand information from United Nations' government sources.

By P. N. Soden, Deputy Provincial Director, Civilian Protection Committee

CRITICISM ON CIVILIAN DEFENCE

Whether it is true some people read only that part of the story which causes discomfort to those co-operating in the war effort, and whether statements that appear in the press (as given to the press) are not founded on facts — there appeared a few days ago in several papers a statement to the effect that the people of Gaspe were not co-operating with the Order in Council issued and signed by the different Ministers of the Crown concerning war protection.

If those who had been so loud in their criticism had studied the Order in Council, they would have refrained from making statements which could not be substantiated. These half-truths convey altogether a different picture to the public than that which exists.

The Gaspe Peninsula has been in a condition of organization for many months. The Civilian Protection Committee, wherever possible, has created a committee to look after emergencies. Those towns and villages that have co-operated, have done so under the present order 100 per cent. It has been the towns that have not prepared themselves, and therefore when the order was issued, they did not know what to do. As most people who have travelled the Gaspe Peninsula know full well, means of contact either by telephone, telegraph or road are not available at all points, and it can be readily understood that blackouts would not be perfect at the beginning.

If the full picture had been given here, a statement should have been added to the effect that the Civilian Protection Committee had already three representatives working in this area to co-ordinate the whole blackout, one of whom was sent especially from Quebec City in company with a representative of the Navy and the Air Force, who, as quickly as possible, are making a village-to-village canvass and are arranging to distribute, while there, complete printed material to every home in the area designated, so they would be fully acquainted with information to guide them in a blackout.

This, unfortunately, cannot be done in a few hours, and this again is due partially to a lack of understanding that war is a serious matter.

Those towns that were organized prior to the blackout regulations were able to co-operate fully, and the comments that have been received with regard to these towns have been entirely satisfactory, and in no instance has there been any lack of support from these quarters.

WOMEN STUDY TRADES

Moscow, (CP) — More than 400,000 wives of Russian soldiers at the front are training at trade schools to reinforce munitions and war equipment workers in Soviet factories.

DUTY CAME FIRST

A British Port (CP) — Connie George of the Women's Royal Naval Service reported for work as usual but was sent to the sick bay because she appeared upset. Only then it was learned that her home had been bombed the previous night and that she had been found beside the body of her brother under debris.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

WEIR

Mrs. J. D. Sobey spent the past week in Montreal visiting friends.

Mr. Paul Courte, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davis and Miss Margaret Schippel, motored to Montreal to spend the week-end.

Mrs. D. Harpin, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hyde and family, of Cornwall, were recent guests at the home of Mrs. George Bigrow.

Pte. Gordon Beaven, R.C.O.C., of Huntingdon, spent the past week at his home here.

Mrs. Alex Williams and son, Royce, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Woods.

Mrs. Robert Williams left on Monday to spend a few days in Montreal visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig spent the week-end at their home here.

The baptism took place on Sunday morning in the Church of the Redeemer, of Lyall Stanley, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Craig. The godparents were Messrs Henry Williams and Roy Smith and Mrs. Earl Christianson. The Rev. E. C. Royle officiated at the ceremony.

News of Death Received With Sorrow

Friends in this community were shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. G. H. Gagnon, of New Glasgow, Que. Mrs. Gagnon spent several years in this community during Mr. Gagnon's ministry here, and was loved and respected by all. The sympathy of this community is extended to the family in their bereavement.

AVOCA

Miss Muriel Bates, of Hawkesbury, was the recent guest of her cousin, Miss Joyce Bates.

Mrs. A. E. Ball, of Montreal, Pte. Garnet MacLeod, of Valcartier, and Mr. Dona Curry were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacLeod.

Messrs James Bates and Charlie Bates have returned from the West.

A number from this vicinity attended the funeral of the late Hugh MacVicar in Calumet.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kelly of Rockland, Ont., spent the week-end in Montreal and Avoca.

Miss Gladys McTague, having spent the last three weeks at her home, has now returned to Beauharnois, Que.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church met at the home of Mrs. Neil MacCallum on Thursday last.

Mr. Alex Arthurs has returned home from the West.

Congratulations to Mrs. Alan MacPhee for her splendid work in obtaining 24 individual subscriptions to Canada's 3rd Victory Loan.

LOST RIVER

(Intended for last issue)

Miss Norma McPherson, of Toronto, visited relatives here recently.

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bethune were — Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Bethune, Miss Eleanor Loudin, Miss Christie Bethune and Mr. John Dewar, all of Montreal.

The Misses M. and H. Dewar spent the week-end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Linton, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacDonald, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams.

Mrs. William MacMillan and daughter, Rhoda, spent a few days in Lachute, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. MacMahon. Rhoda underwent a tonsil operation during that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Boyd and Mr. Alex MacMillan, of Arundel, were Sunday guests of Mrs. A. C. MacMillan.

Mr. A. MacCrimmon, of Brownsburg, spent the week-end at his home here.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Rifleman Lester Dorion, son of Albert Dorion, has been transferred from the West Coast to New Brunswick.

Sapper Lloyd Bradley, R.C.E., Petawawa Camp, visited his home at Isle-aux-Chats for the week-end.

Mr. J. P. Lanctôt occupied his home here during the week-end.

Mr. John Irwin was at his summer home this week-end.

Others noticed here for the week-end were — Miss Betty Whitesides and Miss Gladys Hyde, Messrs. Howard and Ralph Lalonde.

Mrs. Macaskill is visiting Mrs. Charman for a few days.

Miss Audrey Bullock, Montreal, spent the week-end with Mrs. John Bradley at Isle-aux-Chats.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton M. Yale have returned from Montreal.

Gunner Eric Bezanson and Danny Muir, C.A.M.C., are stationed on the West Coast.

Gunner George Gates has left for Huntingdon Camp to begin army training.

CUSHING

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Graham and son, James, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Chambers at St. Philippe.

Mr. W. Y. King, with the assistance of Mrs. Burman, took charge of the service at Calumet on Sunday afternoon.

The Women's Missionary Society held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy Dobbie on Tuesday.

Mrs. McGregor, of Toronto (formerly Grace Barron of Lachute), visited Mrs. W. Y. King over the week-end.

Mrs. Donald Chase and son, Jackie, of Port Williams, N.S., who was the guest of her father, Mr. G. W. Elliott, for a few days, left for home on Wednesday morning. Mr. Fenton Elliott, who is in training with the R.C.A.F., in Montreal, visited his father over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gaston were Sunday guests of Mrs. J. Little, of Little Rideau, Ont.

Mrs. Duncan Campbell and daughter, Geraldine, spent the week-end with her brother, Mr. C. J. Hartley, also making several calls on Sunday on old friends and neighbors.

St. Mungo's Ladies' Association are holding a bean and pie supper in the Community Club-room on Friday night of this week, as is further advertised in the "Coming Events" in this issue of The Watchman.

Mrs. Donald Chase, of Port Williams, N.S., was the guest of Mrs. A. Graham on Monday; also Mrs. W. H. Canning.

Mrs. L. M. Gaston spent several days this week in Montreal.

Miss H. Hoar and Mr. W. Godwin, of Montreal, spent Monday at "Glenelen."

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dobbie, Miss Maud Dobbie and Master Hugh Dobbie, also Mr. John McGalliard, of Lachute, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie.

The W.C.T.U. will meet at the manse, home of the Rev. and Mrs. L. T. Burman, on Friday afternoon, November 20.



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Hints for Homebodies

By Jessie Allen Brown

A LITTLE LIGHT

Some of the Ontario papers have been quite indignant at the idea that maybe the Ontario people wasted light. Maybe they did not waste it, but they used more than they needed. When we lived in Ontario we thought we were quite careful with our lights but we learned different when we moved to the Maritimes. Power costs so much more down here you just have to be careful. After living in Halifax we moved to Ottawa for awhile and we reveled in the cheap power. When we came down to New Brunswick it seemed worse than ever. Our light bill ranges from eight dollars in the summer months up to a high of over thirteen one December. We compared it with an old Ottawa bill and for that thirteen dollar and something bill, we would have had $2.90 in Ottawa. In Ontario the bills are sent out every other month. Fortunately they are sent out monthly here. Imagine getting a bill of $27 for power. Expensive power is one of the reasons there is comparitively little manufacturing done in the Maritimes.

A BEAUTY TREATMENT

Has your hair lost its gloss and is lifeless, and maybe coming out more than usual? Perhaps you are blaming you last permanent, or too much summer sun. Your hairdresser has given it massages and oil-shampoos but even that does not seem to do much good. Your skin is not in very good condition either and is breaking out, and is dry and lifeless. All these troubles are often caused by too little vitamin B2 or Riboplavin, as it is now called, in your diet. It needs such a little quantity of these vitamins to make so many changes. You may well ask, how much Riboplavin do we need, and where do we get it? An average adult needs from 650 to 10,000 sherman units a day. Dried brewer's yeast is the richest source, but we can get plenty of it in our daily foods. Milk, cheese, eggs, lean meats, liver, kidneys, and hearts, green leavee, peas, and beans, and whole grains, all these are good sources. A quarter of a pound of liver yields 600 units; ½ cup cubed kidney will give 700 units; 1 cup milk 165; 1" cube cheese 50; ¼ cup dried lima beans 300; ¾ cup green or wax beans 40; beet greens ½ cup cooked 150; 2 eggs 110; cauliflower 1 cup 35; ¾ cup riced potatoes 15. If you start the day with a whole-grain cereal such as oatmeal, and milk, and 2 boiled eggs, you will be away to a good start with 228 units. A cup of milk at each meal would give you a back-log of 495 units. The more we learn about vitamins, the more important we find milk is in our daily diet.

NOT TO BUY

One of the best ways we can help is by doing unquestioningly what our Government asks us to do. They asked to do without cheese so that more could be sent to Britain. We bought less cheese, and the farmers produced more, so now we again can have cheese and so can Britain. At present we are asked to do without pork, so that it can be sent to Britain. Even when we see it for sale, we should not buy it. If the demand lessens there will be less put on sale. If we do without pork in the meantime, that situation will adjust itself and the day will come again when we will be able to buy it with a clear conscience. Isn't it a good thing we can get cheese now to help us in having meatless meals? When the Government asks us to do something it has a good and sufficient reason and we should do our best to comply with its request. Our not to do or die; our just not to buy.

RINKUM TIDDY

1 Teaspoon butter, 1 teaspoon salt, ½ lb. cheese grated, small onion, cut fine, ¼ teaspoon pepper, 2 cups canned tomatoes, 2 teaspoons sugar, 1 egg, beaten.

Melt the butter and cook the onion until tender, but not brown, add tomatoes, salt and pepper, and sugar, and heat. Add cheese and stir until melted. Add egg slowly, and stirring constantly cook for a minute longer. Serve on buttered toast.

CHOCOLATE PUDDING

3 tablespoons cocoa, 1 egg beaten, 3 tablespoons sugar, 2 cups milk, 3 tablespoons water, 2 tablespoons cornstarch, 1 tablespoon butter, ½ tablespoon vanilla.

Mix the cocoa and sugar, add the water and cook until the cocoa is melted and smooth. Add the milk and butter and heat. Mix the corn starch with just enough water to make smooth and add to the beaten egg. Pour a little of the hot mixture into the egg and cornstarch whild stirring, then pour this back into the hot mixture and stir as you pour. Cook over a slow heat, stirring steadily, until thickened, then cook three minutes longer. Add vanilla. Chill and serve with cream. If the pudding is about the right consistency to serve, while it is hot, it is too thick, so add a little more milk. A starchy pudding should be fairly thin when hot, as it thickens as it cools.

Bees in the Pantry

A woman saw a large number of bees in her pantry, but thought little of it. Later she opened a pot of black-currant jam, and found a hole neatly bored through the paper cap. The bees were responsible, and had eaten all the middles out of the black-currants, leaving nothing but the skins.

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

"Iron Horse" Groomed by Women Wipers



THEIR bosses say they do better work than the young apprentices formerly assigned to the job, and the girl engine wipers, and car cleaners answer with: "Why not". So that angle of the man power shortage is being well looked after on the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's lines as evidenced by this picture taken on Vancouver Island.

Women car cleaners, yard checkers, shop laborers, and messengers are employed at several other points on the eastern and western lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway, where many of the men have gone to serve in the active service units.

Pictured here, with locomotive foreman H. Hanbury, safely ensconced in the engine cab, and E. S. Cottle, veteran engineer, are four women engine wipers, Mrs. S. Summerell, Mrs. Agnes Walton, Mrs. Ruth Hamilton and standing, Mrs. A. McNicoll, whose motto is: "If cleanliness will keep the engines running we certainly will keep them clean."

The veteran engine on which the women are working, like all well ma' Canadian machines, is out doin' full part in helping deliver the ' to the fighting fronts.

A VEGETABLE PLATE FOR MEATLESS DAYS

Meatless menus starring hot vegetable plates are due for increased popularity.

There's a difference in the preparation and taste appeal of vegetables, however, and that difference is frequently the result of the use of lemon juice either in the cooking or in providing generous garnishes at the table. These accompaniments bring out a garden fresh flavor and add color contrast at the same time.

When used in vegetable preparation, lemon juice helps to restore the vitamin loss often sustained in open cooking for lemons are a foremost source of vitamin C, are a good source of Vitamin B, contains some vitamin A, and are the only known source of Vitamin P, or citrine. Three other cooking secrets for bringing out the best in these foods are: First, be sure not to overcook the vegetables. Second, cook in as little water as possible. Third, season with care.

An ideal vegetable plate combines creamy cottage cheese on a crisp lettuce leaf, raw carrot fingers, baked potato, buttered green peas, Sunkist spinach and Harvard beets. Attractive lemon quarters to accompany the vegetables offer extra juice to those who desire more lemon flavor. This plate may be taken as a guide in planning other popular vegetable combinations. Recipes for two of the foods follow:

Sunkist Spinach

Clean thoroughly 2 pounds fresh spinach. Place in a kettle without water, adding ¼ cup cooking oil and ½ tablespoon salt. Mix thoroughly, cook 8 to 10 minutes. Stir or lift occasionally. Drain and chop. Add 2 tablespoons lemon juice. Serve garnished with lemon quarters. Other greens may be cooked by the same method.

For canned spinach, add 3 tablespoons cooking oil to one No. 2 can. Season to taste. Heat thoroughly. Add 2 tablespoons lemon juice when ready to serve. Serves 4.

Harvard Beets

Mix well and boil for 5 minutes the following: ½ cup sugar, ½ tablespoon cornstarch, 4 tablespoons lemon juice, ¼ cup water and 2 tablespoons cooking oil. Then add 2½ cups fresh cooked beets or one No. 2 can diced or shoestring style cut beets. Let stand over a low flame until thoroughly heated.

CHOOSY PARENTS ARE GIVEN HOPE

Science May give Aid to the Determination of Sex, Says British Expert

London (CP) — Prediction that parents soon may be able to choose whether their children shall be boys or girls was made at a scientific conference here.

"It is very likely that in the near future chemical substances will be produced which will allow only males or females, as the case may be, to be conceived," said W. L. Sumner, lecturer at University College, Nottingham. "We have already gone a long way towards this in the animal kingdom. The practical effect of this is not only one which would prove interesting to the scientific worker, but it would probably have far-reaching social effects."

BRITAIN LIVELY SHOPPING EARLY FOR CHRISTMAS

Small Muffs and Muff Bags Making Hit in Battle-Scarred London Though Fur Prices Away Up

London (CP) — Britain's women shoppers are already looking forward to Christmas and in London's West End shops Christmas buying already is in progress.

Handbags, which need no coupons along with the purchase price, are among the best selling articles though in many cases prices are high. Average price for a good bag is between $15 and $18 with plenty on hand at double these prices. Reduced supplies of leather has increased the popularity of bags made of other materials—felt, fur and fur cloth and other textiles.

Hat and Bag

Dress pairs consisting of hat and bag to match are a fashion note for women this winter. A little hat and a matching bag of felt sell for as high as $55. Muff bags, mostly made of lamb or other flat furs also are being bought as well as plain, rather small fur muffs.

Fashion experts say that judging from the number of women who made early autumn purchases of muffs a larger number of women will be carrying them this winter than for the past 20 years in London.

Furs generally have increased enormously in price since the war but the demand is considerable, especially for fur coats at anything from $250 upwards.



AS GIRLS ENTRAIN FOR WAR'S FIELDS BOYS LEFT BEHIND

Scenes are Changed on Britain's Railway Platforms Now as Recruits for Women's Services Leave their Homes

By Douglas Amaron, Canadian Press Staff Writer

London (CP)—There are strange scenes on the British railway platform as Troop Train, 1942 model, pulls out for its destination.

Strange, that is, compared with what you envisage a troop train to be—a string of dingy coaches, dingier than ever in the half light of dreary London station, with soldiers hanging from every window, smiling, and mothers and sweethearts looking up at them, trying to smile through their tears.

The mothers and sweethearts are there all right, at this 1942 train, and some of the soldiers, too. But their positions have changed. The mothers and soldiers are on the platform. The girls — sisters, daughters and sweethearts — are aboard the train.

For this troop train is a Women's Auxiliary Air Force train, taking the 20 to 24-year-old girls to a reception centre where their civilian life ends for the duration and they doff their dresses for the blue tunic and skirt of the Air Force. This isn't a special train, but they call it the W.A.A.F. train because it carries so many recruits. Britain's women folk are joining the services in a steady stream.

Respirators Too

You can spot the girls as soon as you reach the station. They all have similarily-sized suitcases — their notice to report tells them to bring a "small bag." They are carrying civilian respirators, and no one but a girl going to join the forces has carried those since Home Secretary Herbert Morrison said it wasn't necessary.

And, in that dreary station, they all look "tatty." It's early morning and most of them have been too excited to sleep much the night before. What's more, they're in old clothes — something they can wrap in brown paper and send home when they get their uniforms. You see reams of paper, too, for they have to take that themselves. But they're a cheerful lot as they find their seats in the crowded train — too cheerful, really, because you know those are "stage" smiles to make it easier for those who've come to see them off, and that inside they're a little scared.

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TENDERS — Cutting of logs on 13 arpents bush lot, Curran Lake district. Tenders will be received until Dec. 15. — Browns' Farm, Dunany, Que.

TENDERS — Bushing-out and gravelling road east end Curran Lake over to Nelson Morrison's line. Tenders will be received up to November 23.—G. Brown, Dunany, Que. -1c

Auction Sale

At the farm of —
ARTHUR LAPOINTE
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2 Work horses, 1 colt, 2 milch cows, 3-year-old heifer (to freshen in March), 2 calves, 4 pigs (7 weeks old), 3 sows, 35 hens, wagon with rack, broadcast seeder, mowing machine, rake, grubber, finishing harrow, disc harrow, manure spreader, hand plow with disc, 1 express, buggy, rack sleigh, double sleigh with rack, light sleigh, root cutter, Chevrolet engine, No. 15 De Laval separator, double harness, single harness.

Hay and straw (two mows), oats, turnips, milk cans (8-gal.) one roll net-wire (30 rods), 100 sap cans, 110 feet of rope, incubator (120 eggs capacity), 6 pieces 20 ft. lumber, lot of large potatoes and seed potatoes, cedar posts, and numerous other articles.

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The "Bomber Press" Visits England

(Continued from page 1)

or five hours until the bombers should return.

Having managed to fall off to sleep in a chair, it seemed only a few minutes before we were being awakened as it was nearly time for the planes to be returning.

Going to the control room, we found the first plane was reporting back. On the wall was a large operations board, listing with full particulars the machines that were out on the raid. As they reported it was marked on the board and their instructions for landing given them by a radio which could only be heard a few miles.

All machines had returned except one, when we finally left for another building where the crews report on their return and are questioned by intelligence officers. A full report is obtained from each man who answers such questions as, did they attain their objective, how were they sure it was the right one, did they encounter much opposition, flak, etc., how long were they going and how long returning, how did they come back, and a score of other questions.

In addition to this, most machines are equipped with automatic cameras, which record the exact bombing.

The editors were again given an opportunity to talk to these crews who had just returned from an important raid.

Just as we were ready to leave this room, word came that the missing bomber had finally arrived home, having experienced some difficulty which had delayed it about two hours. As far as this station was concerned the press could issue a report that "from this operation all our machines returned safely."

It was a memorable night. Few newspapermen have been able to go to a station and see what we had seen, on their first visit, and probably no others had a German raid thrown in for good measure.

Later that day, after a good sleep, we were shown the work of the control room by Flying Officer Jos. Hammett, the senior Canadian control officer, and his talk was a marvel of concise information. Under present control, the number of available accidents has been cut very low, and no possible help to land any friendly plane is ever overlooked.

Diversion to other fields, full information as to the condition of all landing fields, and other aids, even to sending up planes to assist are among the means taken to help machines in trouble.

If an extra large machine, for instance, with some of its instruments out of order, needs a special field for emergency landing, full information can be collected and given out in a few seconds.

England is covered with airports all standing by constantly on the alert to give this help.

Newspaper reports showed that the raid of the previous night had been most successful, and fires were still burning there when our daylight observers returned during the day.

Later we were able to see some of the photos taken by the bombers that night over the objective which was Duisburg.

The information which is obtained regarding the effectiveness of these raids on Germany is truly remarkable. Many of the bombers are equipped with cameras which automatically take photographs of the explosions of their bombs. When these are compared with photographs taken before and after the actual raid the story is pretty complete.

When the German propaganda reports that all bombs fell in a field or on workmen's houses, they cannot fool the R.A.F. for they know exactly where they fell and what damage they did.

These pictures can be enlarged to tremendous size. At some of the stations, the editors saw pictures about five or six feet square, mounted on heavy cardboard, which could be studied in very great detail. In many cases there were pictures of the same location taken before and after the raid, and the comparison was most interesting.

The day after we watched the German raid in the neighborhood at night, the following reference to it appeared in the district papers, "A number of people were rendered homeless, and emergency feeding-centres were opened during the night after an enemy raid attack on a Northeast town. There were a number of casualties".

A Native Born Musician



Isidor Scherman is a native-born Canadian with a rich musical inheritance bequeathed him by his Russian ancestors. He has been in radio as long as he can remember and he has filled a stellar role in the music life of Canada as violinist and conductor in broadcasting and and the concert field. He played on most of the leading sponsored programs in the early days, has been an increasingly important factor in the program affairs of the CBC in the past five years. He is making his fourth annual appearance as music director of "The Children's Scrapbook", (Saturdays, at 12.30 p.m. EDT) and is conducting the currently popular "Serenata" over the CBC Southern Ontario Network, Mondays at 9.00 p.m. EDT. He has gone to school in Toronto public schools and at the Royal Academy of Music in London, has played in small movie houses and under the batons of the world's great conductors, he has met Toscanini (his greatest thrill), cherishes his Gofriller violin (1706), speaks French, German and a little Russian as well as English, adores his adopted daughter, Carole, who is not quite two.

New Lending Library Contains Volumes to Satisfy All Tastes

Interest has been displayed by the public in the lending library now established on the premises of Fletcher's Barber Shop, Main St., Lachute. This new venture has been considered a long-felt want, and book-lovers are invited to inspect the long list of fiction and non-fiction literature; volumes are for loan at a reasonable daily fee.

Earns High Post



E. D. Cotterell, recently appointed General Manager, Eastern Lines, Canadian Pacific Railway, with jurisdiction from Fort William to Halifax. Mr. Cotterell's appointment was announced by D. C. Coleman, President of the Company and his headquarters will be in Toronto, where he will report to H. J. Humphrey, vice president of the Company's Eastern Lines. Mr. Cotterell has had a wide and notable railroad experience in the United States and in Canada and comes to his present position from the General Superintendency of the Alberta District.

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"Personality" Lectures for Women Are Followed With Keen Interest

Brownsburg, Nov. 10—

The lecture series dealing with personality subjects arranged some time ago for the female employees of the plant have now passed the half way mark and have now reached the stage where they hold a wealth of interest for all who attend them. Those who have followed these lectures assiduously agree that the opportunity of hearing these exponents on beauty culture has helped the girls to make the most of their looks and clothes.

In looking back over those speakers who have already given their opinions, it becomes apparent that much valuable information has been gathered from them and in scanning the list of those yet to come here, there is every reason to feel there is a wealth of learning in store.

An authority on clothes, Doreen Day will be at the hall Thursday evening, along with a bus full of girls to model for the inexpensive costumes she will demonstrate. She will discuss the various aspects of women's wear and her wide knowledge of the subject will make her a truly interesting speaker. She will also have some glamorous-looking gowns to show on the models. The following week, Miss Helen Davies, of the Health and Beauty League, will treat the subject. "How to Acquire Grace and Poise."

Then Christopher Ellis will revue books and reading matter, and he is quite an authority on the subject.

Skin and Make-Up

On October 29, Miss Betty Ramsay, presently of Montreal and formerly of New York, gave a very informative talk on the subject "Care of the Skin and Make-Up." As each girl entered the hall she was given a ticket bearing a number. Later in the evening a drawing was made. Ticket No. 66, which was held by Miss Annie Reynolds, was the lucky one and Miss Reynolds kindly acted as a model.

After covering the fundamental facts on skin care and explaining the use of the various creams and lotions, Miss Ramsay gave a practical demonstration on the application of each one. She showed how it is possible to accentuate good points and how to hide or minimize unsightly ones, how to cleanse the skin properly, how to protect the face from the elements of nature such as dust and sun and wind, and many other things which will be of value to the girls when they want to look their best. Miss Ramsay stressed the fact that most of the girls here in Brownsburg had lovely complexions, and she told the girls that with a minimum of care they should be able to maintain their youthful beauty for years to come.

After the lecture Miss Ramsay gave many helpful suggestions to individual girls who were anxious to know just what to do about their own problems. This speaker proved to be one of the most interesting women so far, and gave the most informative and informal lecture we have heard.

— From "The Tracer"

GESTAPO ROBS CZECH SCOUT TROOP

Scout Jerry Tichopad of Toronto has good reason to remember the Gestapo. Jerry, with his parents escaped from Czechoslovakia about three years ago. The Gestapo he says, took over his Scout Headquarters for their own use, and robbed the Scouts of practically all their equipment. Jerry was able to save only two bits of his equipment, his belt which he wore, and his Scout knife which his parents placed among kitchen knives they were taking with them. Jerry is now a Canadian Boy Scout.

Special Performances to Aid Lachute Lions Club Overseas Cigarette Fund

The many letters and postcards received by the Lions Club from Argenteuil boys overseas, bearing grateful acknowledgment of their regular monthly gift of cigarettes, is ample justification for the continuance of the part the Lions are playing in supplying them with much needed "smokes".

In order that the Club may be enabled to carry on the public are invited to the Rex Theatre on Tuesday, November 24, when the picture, "George Washington Slept Here", with the news film of "Hitler's Plan for Conquest" and "All-Out for V", will be shown on the screen. Also the following evening, Wednesday, November 25, at the Capitol Theatre, Brownsburg, "Seven Sweethearts", "Inside Fighting Russia" and "Push's Pooch" will be the main attraction.

As a special feature an attractive prize will be drawn for at the Rex on Tuesday, and the Capitol on Wednesday, the two lucky winners competing in a final draw at the Capitol that night—for the award of a $50 government bond. This is an additional incentive to encourage public attendance, since the regular 35c admission is inclusive—giving all comers an equal chance to win the valuable prize.

The list of our overseas boys now numbers 130 and is still mounting, so that the Lions call on the public for a generous response to this appeal.

Pearl Harbor Quip Inspires Song Hit

In the attack on Pearl Harbor, a clergyman uttered a few words that have been made into one of the popular songs that have come out of the war. Many can be heard singing and humming the words of the chorus:

"Praise the Lord, and pass the ammunition!
"Praise the Lord, and pass the ammunition!
Praise the Lord, and pass the ammunition and we'll all stay free!
Praise the Lord, and swing into position,
Can't afford to be a politician,
Praise the Lord, we are all between perdition and the deep blue sea!"

YES — BANANAS, DRIED

London (CP) — First consignment of bananas to reach Britain for some time have arrived — in cartons. They were dehydrated bananas, included in parcels going to Canadian soldiers.

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BEAN AND PIE SUPPER

Will be held in the Cushing Community Club on Friday, November 13, under the auspices of St. Mungo's Women's Association. Doors open at 6.30 p.m. Short program. Admission 35c. N12-2c

CHURCH BAZAAR

The annual bazaar and sale of home cooking of the Ladies' Aid Society of Lachute United Church will be held in the church hall on Friday afternoon, November 20, from 3 to 6 p.m. Tea will be provided from their rations by the members. N19-2c

DANCE

—In McArthur's Hall on Saturday evening, November 21. Admission 30 cents —E. Berry -1c

COUNTY ORANGE LODGE SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING

The Argenteuil County Orange Lodge will hold their semi-annual meeting on November 14, at 2 o'clock in the L.O.B.A. Hall, 14 Hope Street, Lachute. All lodges are invited to attend.

—Albert Tomalty, W.C.M.,
N12-2c George Peet, C.F.S.

ANNUAL BAZAAR

The Ladies' Aid of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church are holding their annual bazaar on Friday, Nov. 27, from 3 to 6 o'clock, in the church hall. Tea supplied from members' rations. N19-2c

CHURCH SALE

The Ladies' Aid of Maple Ave. Baptist Church are holding their annual fall sale, in the church basement on Saturday, November 14, from 3 to 6 p.m. There will be home-cooking, aprons, fancy and useful articles on sale.

OPEN YEAR ROUND

Toronto (CP)—The runways of a Central Ontario aircraft plant cover an area greater than that of 18 miles of standard surfaced highway. The airport has enough drainpipes to provide for a good-sized town, and in winter, it is kept free of snow even in the worst blizzards.

"Alaska is one of the important crossroads of the world."

—Harold L. Ickes

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ORCHESTRA WIVES
William Wright, Margaret Chapman, Larry Park in
A MAN'S WORLD
FOX NEWS

SUN., MON., NOVEMBER 15-16
ERROL FLYNN, with Ronald Reagan, Nancy Coleman in
DESPERATE JOURNEY
Lynn Bari, John Sutton, Dan Dailey, Jr. in
Moon Over Her Shoulder
Cartoon: THE DUCKTATOR

TUES., WED., THURS., NOVEMBER 17-18-19
BETTE DAVIS, Paul Henried, Claud Rains, Bonita Granville in
NOW VOYAGER
Virginia Bruce, James Ellison, Aubrey Mather, Sheila Ryan in
Careful, Soft Shoulder
Cartoon: THE IMPATIENT PATIENT

CAPITOL

FRI., SAT., NOVEMBER 13-14
Marjorie Main, Zasu Pitts, Olive MacMahon, Susan Peters in
"TISH"
Lee Bowman, Jean Rogers, Mona Maris, Carl Esmond in
PACIFIC RENDEZ-VOUS
PARAMOUNT NEWS

SUN., MON., NOVEMBER 15-16
Red Skelton, Ann Sothern, "RAGS" Ragland in
PANAMA HATTIE
Damion O'Flynn, Helen Parrish,
X Marks the Spot
Full Length Comedy: WEDDED YELLS

TUES., WED., THURS., NOVEMBER 17-18-19
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DAY NURSERY PROJECT FOR WARTIME BROWNSBURG, TOPIC OF STUDY AT PUBLIC MEETING

Representative Group Forms Committee To Investigate Need and Possibilities

Brownsburg — At the Consolidated School here on Tuesday evening a meeting was held to discuss the organizing of a Wartime Day Nursery for care of the children of mothers or foster mothers who are working in war industries.

Chairman of the assembly was Dr. E. Lalande, former health officer of this county who is director of the Wartime Day Nurseries project in this province. Those present were representative of the various organizations in the community, both French and English speaking.

As outlined by the speaker, these Wartime Day Nurseries are a government service provided in war industrial communities. They are administered by the province, and financed jointly by the federal and provincial governments. The minimum number of children attending any one nursery centre is specified as 25. The project is designed for the care of pre-school children, between the ages two and six, although provisions are made for similar nurseries for care of school age children during holiday periods and out of school hours. A small daily fee is charged to the parents of children making use of the nurseries.

As a result of Dr. Lalande's presentation of the scheme and subsequent discussion by the meeting, it was decided to appoint a local committee to investigate the need and possibilities of establishing one of these nurseries in Brownsburg. Those elected to the committee represent several departments of community interest —church, health, industry and social services. Under chairmanship of Mrs. E. Smillie, the group includes a representative of Canadian Industries Limited, a member of the C-I-L Works Council, Dr. L. Turcotte, the Rev. Father D. Lascelles, the Rev. S. J. Pike, the Rev. T. J. Rich, Mr. A. Dixon, Mrs. A. R. Cote, Mrs. A. A. Guilbault, Mrs. R. Wallace, Mr. R. Charron, Mr. H. Pariseau and Mrs. G. Wyness as secretary.

The next meeting of this committee is arranged for Tuesday, November 24.

Town Equipment Rushed to Fire At St. Placide

CHECK SERIOUS SPREAD IN CONFLAGRATION AT GRIST MILL

Responding to an out-of-town call on Saturday afternoon, the services and equipment of Lachute Fire Brigade undoubtedly averted the spreading of a serious fire at St. Placide which destroyed a grist mill belonging to Jos. Lavigne. Fire Chief Geo. Y. Deacon and Fireman H. Cowan rushed their auxiliary fire pump to the scene of the outbreak, when notified by the Mayor of St. Placide of the urgency of the situation. Water was pumped from a neighboring creek to save a dwelling and restaurant adjoining the mill. Fire equipment was brought from Ste. Therese an hour and a half later, and with additional hose from the Lachute truck, a line was laid to the Ottawa River. All danger to surrounding properties was averted and the fire in the mill was extinguished by 10 o'clock that night. The loss was estimated around $8,000.

The drop in temperature and prevailing high wind resulted in two chimney fires here the same day, through forced heating of properties in town. Firemen were quick to answer these calls, one in the morning and another in the afternoon, and no damage resulted in either instance.

"I believe the fourth year of war which we have just begun will be the critical stage which could determine the outcome of hostilities."

—Hon. J. L. Ilsley

Poppy Day Sales Show Big Returns

Results of the poppy campaign were most gratifying this year, the proceeds exceeding all previous records by over $100. Sales were higher in practically every district, which would indicate that people are more war-minded than they have ever been, and are now getting behind every legitimate effort to see this "mix-up" through to a successful finish.

This campaign is carried on annually as Remembrance Day approaches; it is sponsored by the local branch of the Legion, and all profits are used solely for the benefit of any disabled war veterans or their families who may be in want.

The poppies are made by disabled veterans, who have this means of earning an honest livelihood.

To the many supervisors and young ladies, who so willingly gave their time in the collections, the Argenteuil Legion expresses sincere thanks. These helpers will be gratified indeed to know that their efforts have been so successful.

With the exception of one district, not reported, the following are the returns:

Morin Heights	$ 27.49
Grenville	17.20
Arundel	21.00
Lakefield	9.50
St. Andrews	30.00
Calumet	22.00
Kilmar	21.15
Cushing	21.60
Lachute	305.57
Wreaths	55.00
	$530.51

Pair Admit Cattle Theft, St. Philippe

Part of the cattle rustling which has victimized farmers in surrounding districts for some months was cleared up Saturday morning when Maurice Laframboise, 22, of St. Redempteur, and Lionel Marleau, 22, of Rigaud, admitted to police officers that they had been stealing calves from farmers at St. Philippe d'Argenteuil, Rigaud and St. Redempteur. The pair will be sentenced Friday.

Vichy Envoy Now Ottawa's Major Diplomat Query

"THE WEEK IN OTTAWA"
By Douglas Green,
Canadian Press Writer

Ottawa, Nov. 18 (CP) — What course will relations between Canada and France follow in the future?

This is a question which the Canadian government finds itself unable to completely answer as yet, so swift has been the march of events since Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced that the Dominion had terminated diplomatic relations with the Vichy regime in France because it considered that administration merely the puppet of Germany.

For more than two years, Rene Ristelhueber has been the French minister to Canada and now, shorn of his diplomatic status, he is officially considered merely a private French citizen for whom the Canadian government is arranging passage to his homeland.

But neither the government nor Mr. Ristelhueber is hurrying plans for the departure. Both are awaiting further international developments.

What May Happen

The sweeping success won by British and United States forces in North Africa may have a bearing upon Franco-Canadian relations, for it has been suggested that a new French administration might be established in North Africa or, perhaps in London, and if Canada recognized such an administration for diplomatic purposes, the French legation here might become the home of a French minister accredited from that government.

Since Mr. Ristelhueber has represented the Vichy regime in Canada, it is considered hardly likely that he would be selected as the new envoy, even if he were willing to act in that capacity. Meantime, he and his staff are still in Ottawa, and probably will be here for some time yet.

More Porkers

Turning to the agricultural side of the picture, a great many more pigs than were mentioned in the old nursery rhyme will have to go to market in Canada from now on if the Dominion is to meet a contract with the United Kingdom calling for the delivery of 675,000,000 pounds of bacon in 1942-43.

Canada has all but completed the 1941-42 contract for 600,000,000 pounds of bacon, and officials of the agriculture department say it will not be easy in view of the shortage of farm and packing house labor, to meet the larger 1942-43 quota.

But there is plenty of feed available for hogs, and farmers are asked to convert as much of it into meat as they can and to give swine the best-balanced diet that efficient feeding can provide.

To meet requirements of the new contract, 1,000,000 hogs more than those marketed in 1942 are needed, which means that henceforth more pigs from each litter will have to tread the one-way road to the slaughter houses.

Hog raisers, however, have a bright future ahead of them. With prices higher and feed plentiful, the hogs themselves are the only parties to the new bacon contract which have any forebodings.

Seeds For 1943

The Agricultural Supplies Board is going to consider plans agreed upon by representatives of the leading seed-handling firms in an effort to ensure that Canada's domestic and export needs of forage crop seeds are adequately supplied.

The seedsmen met Nelson Young, seeds administrator for the Prices Board, but did so in private. Their meeting was not open to the press.

Editors See Canadian Infantry, Tanks, Guns in Realistic Exercise

Another in a series of articles written by W. R. Legge and C. V. Charters, who represented the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association in a recent tour overseas.

(Article No. 7)

— By C. V. CHARTERS —

Midst a setting of rare photographic value, but under a sullen overcast sky with a gale blowing, your correspondent, under a veritable hail of fire, bullets, shells, mortar bombs and smoke bombs, witnessed a great demonstration of a Canadian Infantry Brigade, with supporting arms, going into the attack to clear a passage for the remainder of the Division to go through.

The infantry regiments of this Brigade are three well known to residents of Ontario. This was the Brigade that in June, 1940 went to France, but due to conditions that prevailed there at that time, were ordered to withdraw without taking part in any engagements with the enemy. These were your boys or your neighbors. They came from London, Stratford, Orangeville, Oakville, Belleville, Picton, Napanee, Oshawa, Toronto, Weston, and various other Ontario towns so familiar to us all. For the past 3 years, these lads have been training and training hard for what lies before them. And despite the boredom of waiting, waiting, waiting, and the natural longing to be with their loved ones once again, these men have steeled themselves for what is to come and are prepared to meet the enemy on any ground.

Many Arms Take Part

The infantry were supported in their task by the entire Divisional Artillery, a Tank Battalion, a section of Engineers, two Companies of Machine Gunners, an Anti-Tank Regiment, and in theory, a squadron of the R.C.A.F.

Three strongly held positions of great tactical value gave the enemy the advantage in this magnificent show of endurance and skill by the Canadian Troops. Despite very heavy going, due to the recent rains and the condition of the ground, and the fact that several large hills had to be surmounted, the infantry (the P.B.I. as they were called in the last war) successfully gained their objectives and moved forward at the appointed times. One has to take a small part (even as a spectator moving over the ground) in these manoeuvres, to appreciate just what amount of stamina and spirit is required to overcome natural and man-made hazards.

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Airwoman on Magazine Cover

St. Andrews E.—The capable-looking girl in the Airwoman's uniform on the cover of the current issue of the Maclean's Magazine is Assistant Section Officer Elizabeth Kendall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Kendall, and sister of Mrs. G. Brian Simpson.

Churchill - Stalin Moscow Meeting; Picture That Will Make History



Mr. Churchill and Stalin looking far from despondent, during their Kremlin talks — a picture that will make history. (U.S.S.R. official photograph distributed by the Ministry of Information).

London (CP)—Group Capt. Walter Meyers Churchill, D.S.O., D.F.C., of Leamington, Eng., who two years ago led a squadron which destroyed 62 enemy aircraft over France for the loss of only four is reported missing.

County's 3rd Vic. Loan Total, $1,345,000 Surpasses 2nd Victory Loan by $37,000

The objective of $1,100,000 in Argenteuil's 3rd Victory Loan campaign was exceeded by $245,300 — a most remarkable achievement.

This objective was broken into two parts — one for $500,000 called "special names", which really means, in the case of this county, industrial firms independent of their employees. The amount subscribed in this classification was $520,000. The other part, a $600,000 objective, included all citizens' subscriptions, and was exceeded by $225,300.

The following table shows how this remarkable sum was obtained, by districts . . . Many outstanding organizing and selling jobs were done throughout the county, too many to list individually. But there is one which deserves special mention, namely Calumet and district in general with $95,750 (objective $35,000). And a small part of this district in particular made an outstanding contribution: Kilmar, under the able guidance of Mr. J. C. Scott, of Canadian Refractories Limited, timed in 261 orders totalling in excess of $43,000.

Canvassing District	Objective	Volume	Number of Sales	% of Obj.
Lachute and District	$255,000	$255,500	798	101%
Calumet and Dist	35,000	95,750	455	270%
St. Andrews and Dist.	20,000	45,050	129	225%
Brownsburg and Dist.	170,000	276,950	3114	163%
Arundel and Dist.	18,000	21,100	116	117%
Weir and Dist.	10,000	11,300	37	113%
Grenville and Dist.	45,000	50,400	122	112%
Morin Hts. and Dist.	35,000	35,750	82	102%
Huberdeau and Dist.	12,000	7,350	26	62%
Unallotted subscriptions		26,150		
	$600,000	$825,300	4879	

In First C.W.A.C. Contingent O'seas

Among the first contingent of the Canadian Women's Army Corps to arrive in England recently was a Lachute girl, Pte. Laurette Beaulne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Beaulne, who conduct a grocery store in the West ward. Miss Beaulne, who some years ago trained for nursing in the Sacre Coeur Hospital, Ottawa, enlisted with the C.W.A.C. last June.

Thieves Robbed Parked Auto

When Joseph Malacket, of Brownsburg, left his car on Alexander Street, south of St. Catherine Street, in Montreal one night last week, it contained parcels of dresses, mitts and other articles. When he returned later he found that thieves had robbed him of five parcels of dresses valued at $125; $9 worth of mitts; a leather purse containing $15 in cash; a leather-lined coat; a parcel of winter clothing intended for his children, who attend college in Montreal; also his registration card and his gasoline ration book.

Johannesburg (CP)—The South African mining year book just out indicates that despite increasing taxation, higher costs and shortage of supplies, the position of the Rand gold mines is sound while the Union's base metal industry, including coal mining, was never on a stronger footing than it is today.

They Check the Men Who Check the Lights

(Granby Leader-Mail)

Attention is called to the need of public co-operation in bringing to the attention of the authorities cases where street lights are off that have not been cut off for the duration. All the latter are indicated by red marks on the posts but where lights are off and there are no red marks on the posts, the lamps have burned out and should be replaced. Owing to wartime restrictions, the power company is not making the same periodical inspection of the street lighting, and unless lamps burnt out are brought to their attention, the lights are likely to stay off indefinitely.

There never was a better time than right now for folks to lose their standing by just sitting around.

THIEVES MAKE BIG HAUL IN LOCAL PREMISES, FOILED IN GET-AWAY BY ROAD MISHAP

Provincial Detectives Investigate Daring Robbery Here at Main Street Establishment

In the early hours of Wednesday morning a spectacular robbery occurred at MacRae Motor Sales on Main Street, Lachute, which incidentally is next door to the town hall and police office which the constable had left at 3 a.m. Entering by a side window next to the latter building the culprits set to work for a worthwhile clean-up, removing three tires from customers' cars and loading the cash register and other seizable goods into one of the most serviceable-looking autos in the garage, a late model Buick — the property of Philippe Roy, Lachute. Besides the cash register valued at $480, the haul included 14 new batteries, two radios, garage tools to the value of $600, acetylene welding equipment, electric drills and a sanding machine, also two suitcases from the car of Dr. R. Monahan, a recent arrival from the States, who valued this baggage at $500. Total estimated value of the goods was $2,500.

Indications suggested the thieves had first tried to make off in Dr. Monahan's car, but its bumper became caught on another machine in the garage. In order to make their get-away in the Buick belonging to P. Roy, two cars then had to be rolled out to the street. This the robbers accomplished without hindrance and sped away toward Montreal.

It was shortly before 6 a.m. that Leonard Armstrong, leaving the Campbell home opposite to go to his work, noticed the cars in the road in front of the garage, and suspecting something unusual, telephoned to advise the proprietor, Don MacRae. Arriving in short order, Mr. MacRae summed up the situation and drove hot pace in the direction of Montreal, hoping to overtake the thieves. A short distance from town, however, he gave up the chase; but returning to Lachute, he learned at the lunch car that a car answering the description of the missing auto had been seen in the ditch a short distance out on the highway. Returning again, it was not long before he discovered the auto abandoned, complete with its valuable load, near the farm property of Ben Hammond. There was no sign of the occupants, who, having run the car off the road in their speed to escape, doubtless left the scene of their mishap with equal haste.

The car, slightly damaged, was later towed back to Lachute and provincial detectives, investigating the case, made close inspection and photographed fingerprints on the stolen goods. No developments have been reported to date.

From the amount of goods taken and packed into the car, there was room left for the driver only, and despite the work entailed, this fact would indicate the robbery may have been a one-man job.

Lions Club Visits Paper Industry At St. Jerome

Royally Entertained by Members of the J. B. Rolland Company in Neighboring Town

Accepting an invitation to visit the J. B. Rolland plant at St. Jerome on Wednesday afternoon, 22 members of Lachute Lions Club were given the opportunity of inspecting this industry which proved highly interesting; the party were shown through the extensive mill, which enjoys the distinction of being the most up-to-date mill in Canada.

To many of the party it was their first visit to a fine paper mill, and the process of manufacture was watched with keen interest. Bales of rags were "chewed up" and passed into the varied vats for cleansing until arriving at the huge paper machines as the finished product.

A brief visit was made to the home of Jean-Paul, eldest son of Mr. Rolland, after which the party proceeded to Lapointe's Hotel, where a splendid meal was enjoyed.

Lion President Jack Giles called the roll, and carried on brief business for the Club. Lion Gaetan Valois extended thanks to the genial host for his kindly hospitality, supplemented by remarks from Lions Bill Cottingham, Vice-Presidents Fernand Legault and Gilbert Ayers.

In response, Mr. Rolland gave a very interesting talk on the early days of paper making and consequent struggle in attaining the present state of efficiency. He also paid tribute to the association of Ayers Limited who supplied felts for the manufacture of the paper, also to T. McOuat & Son for the stuff-pumps which had served them so well in bygone years. It took Lion Phil Roy to cap the whole when he stated that it took shuttles to make the felts and the Lachute Shuttle Company were the only shuttle makers in the Dominion.

An exchange notes "petting parties are disappearing" and adds "thank goodness."

Montreal-B'burg Bus Trips Not Affected by Order

EFFECT OF NEW RULING ON MONTREAL-TORONTO TRIPS NOT YET CLEAR

Five of the motorcoach routes operated in this province by the Provincial Transport Company have been exempted from the new Transit Control order, scheduled to become effective last Monday, November 16, restricting the sale of tickets and continuous travel by bus to 50 miles one way.

Following conferences between Mr. Jules Archambault, Associate Transit Controller; Hon. Lucien Dugas, President of the Public Service Board; and Mr. H. J. Curtis, Vice-President of Provincial Transport Company, it has been decided that the new Transit Control order will not apply on the following routes, all of which exceed 50 miles in length:

Montreal-Brownsburg
Montreal-Clarenceville
Montreal-Rawdon
Montreal-Sorel
Montreal-Cowansville

The only route operated by this Company that will be affected by the order in the province will be the Montreal-Sherbrooke service, on which no tickets will be sold and no passengers may travel on a continuous journey for more than 50 miles.

In connection with routes operated by the Colonial Coach Lines, between Montreal and Ontario cities, Mr. Curtis states that, as these come largely under the jurisdiction of the Ontario Regional Control office, their status is not yet quite clear. Some Ontario lines have already been exempted in whole or in part, and it is expected that definite information concerning the routes between Montreal-Ottawa, and Montreal-Toronto, will be available in the course of a few days.

Neither Montreal-New York nor Montreal-Boston runs are affected by the new order.

Regent Wheat For Northland

Experts Say It's Best Variety

Ottawa, Nov. 13 (CP)—Regent wheat, one of the new rust-resistant varieties developed in recent years by the Dominion Experimental Farms, was described officially today by the Agriculture Department as "undoubtedly . . . the best variety for northern Ontario."

When first tested at the Dominion Experimental Station at Kapuskasing, Ont., Regent immediately attracted attention as it was among the earliest of the new strains. It was only three or four days later than Reward or Garnet, the non-rust resistant varieties then in common use.

Regent wheat is a stiff-strawed variety with white chaff and red grain. It matures at Kapuskasing in about 105 days and produces a "reasonably attractive sample of grain of good quality," the department said.

"Rust resistance is very important in the district," it added. "During the past few years rust has caused serious losses in some seasons, and has occurred nearly every year."

During the past five years, Regent has outyielded Garnet and Reward by 30 per cent in trials at the Kapuskasing Station.

A British Convoy Runs the Gauntlet— And Wins Through to Malta



Through three days and nights of almost non-stop attack by all the U-boats, E-boats, dive bombers and torpedo planes the Axis powers could muster, the British Navy escorted a convoy of merchant ships with supplies for the island fortress of Malta. The cordon of Fleet Air Arm fighter pilots smashed up attack after attack by huge formations of enemy aircraft while the small proportion that broke met with withering fire from hundreds of A.A. guns. And through it all the merchant ships ploughed steadily on with their precious cargoes . . . Picture shows ships of the recent Malta convoy, including cruisers and aircraft carriers, at sea on their perilous venture.

COAST FARMERS TAKE TRAINING TO REPEL JAPS

With Fishermen and Lumbermen They Form Unique Defence Force For Guerilla Tactics

By Herbert Jones, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Vancouver, Nov.24 (CP) — On the Pacific coast they call them the eyes and ears of the Army.

They are British Columbia's farmers and fishermen, her loggers and sportsmen, welded now into a force of 15,000 from the province's northern to southern borders under the banner of the Pacific Coast Militia Rangers. Given modern automatic weapons and trained in the art of guerilla warfare, they are a bush force unique in Canada today.

Many are veterans of the First Great War, too old now to get into this one. But in the Rangers they are given the opportunity to use the topographical knowledge acquired in years of fishing British Columbia's waters, ranging her mountains and valleys, tapping her resources.

They are trained on the theory that invasion of Canada's Pacific coast is possible. In such an event they would work with the armed forces as scouts and guides, harass the enemy with guerilla tactics, trap and pick off his forces bit by bit and block his advance at every turn with blown up roads and railways.

Veteran Commander

The Rangers have grown a lot and learned much since their organization last April under Lt-Col. T. A. H. Taylor, who went overseas as a machine-gun lieutenant with the 29th battalion in the First Great War. Wounded he returned as a major and is an experienced timber cruiser.

Weapons have been issued the Rangers. Camouflaged uniforms are being issued and a Ranger school has been set up at a camp of the Royal Canadian Engineers in the nearby Fraser Valley where picked Rangers take a two-weeks' course.

There are men in the Rangers like Joe Thacker, Tom Scott, who have spent most of their 72 years in the Hope district of the Fraser Valley and know the country like a book. There are men like J. Edward Sears, Reeve of West Vancouver Municipality, and youngsters like Gordon Urnback and Wesley Tribe, 17-year-olds of Hope rangers until they get their Army calls.

Know Their Jobs

These are the men who can show the army the best spots to ambush a foe anywhere in British Columbia, where to lure him into a dead-end valley or where to make a stand behind natural defensive positions — important information that otherwise would be unavailable to the regular troops.

These are the men that high ranking military officers in Canada have said will have a major part to play should the Japanese or any other foe ever attempt a landing on Canada's western shores.

PARTY FOLLOWERS TAKE LOOK AHEAD TO PEACEFUL DAY

Delegates to Conservative Conf. Take Platform Planks on Canadian Improvement

By James McCook, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Ottawa, Nov. 18 (CP)—Spokesmen for young Conservatives of Canada say youth delegates will attend the National Conservative convention at Winnipeg, Dec. 9-11 to support policies that will make Canada a better country—urban and rural—for those now overseas to live in and raise families in the future.

Enlistments from the membership of the National Young Conservatives of Canada made a problem in organization representation said Christie A. MacDonald, national erecutive secretary, but he added that the representation of young people at the convention will be stronger in proportion than ever before.

Mr. McDonald summarized this way the message young Conservatives at home wanted sent to those on active service:

"While you carry the fight for politidal freedom to the enemies of democracy—and we have full faith in you to win—we at home shall carry on the fight for political freedom on the home front.

"We shall make this a better country for you to return to, a better country for your families to be raised in. We shall struggle for that new deal which will ensure you and your children social security, freedom from fear, freedom from want, freedom of speech, freedom of religion."

Objects in View

Under its constitution, the Young Conservatives' organization is designed to foster and promote among Canadian men and women the purposes and objects of the National Conservative party and "to assist in the building up and strengthening throughout Canada of associations and clubs of young Canadians, and to co-ordinate and unite their efforts, and, through this organization and our party to give young Canada an opportunity to take part actively in the further development of our Dominion."

On each convention committee a representative number of young delegates has been placed, officials said.

The delegates are of two classes, the first being regular delegates elected by the constituency associations and comprising one-third of the total delegation in this class.

The second group of young Conservative delegates comprises delegates-at-large chosen by the provincial Conservative associations from the ranks of young Conservatives on the advice of provincial young Conservative associations. There are provisions to ensure women in both classes.

Young Conservatives were active at a Conservative laymen's meeting at Port Hope, Ont., in September, and the report of this conference is being used as the basis for studies by Conservative groups throughout the Dominion.

Post-War Plans

"The post-war period will be fraught with tremendous peril and tremendous possibility," said Mr. McDonald. "We must give it thought and plan its course now. "It is therefore the hope of the National Young Conservatives' executive that study clubs shall become the permanent agency through which co-ordinated thought may reach those who form the policy-making body of our governments."

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80-BUSHEL WHEAT TO BRITISH ACRE

Not Every Acre, of Course, but Returning Canadian Tells All About It

Winnipeg, Nov. 10 (CP)—R. S. Hosking, of Winnipeg, general secretary of the national council of the Young Men's Christian Association, returned from a two month's visit overseas with a story of wheat fields in England that yield 80 bushels to the acre.

"Of course," he said, "every acre does not have such a high yield." The largest wheat fields in England are owned by the King, some of the deer on the royal estate having been killed and the land converted, for farm purposes, Mr. Hosking said. He said crops in general were exceptionally fine this year. The potato crop was the best in years and there were almost enough sugar beets now grown to take care of civilian needs.

Mr. Hoskin found that the younger people had adapted themselves to the tempo of wartime life even better than the older. At the outbreak of the war disruption of normal family life had caused an increase of 50 per cent in juvenile delinquency, but this has been largely counteracted by the Youth Service established by the British Board of Education. Mr. Hosking said that in 1940 and 1941 from 400 to 500 youth leaders were exempted from military service to continue

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The gobbler that graces the table at Christmas will probably run a little heavier this year. Poultry experts have been urging turkey growers to put a better finished bird on the market.

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IRISH BORDERS GREAT COUNTRY FOR SMUGGLING

Canadian Has Night Out With An Old Hand, and It Proves A Lively Trip

By Alan Randal, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Somewhere in Northern Ireland (CP)—It is dark and quiet here on the Ulster-Eire border at night—a good night for a job of smuggling—and the war has brought a certain emergency respectability to smugglers hereabouts.

Big Jimmy, who would sooner smuggle than sleep of a night, says the bog is comparatively dry, that tonight it will be what he calls a "low shoe" job. "But you'll forget the path afterwards, eh?" he asked.

Jimmy (for this story he must remain plain Jimmy) need have no worry about that. Only a man like himself, a native of these hills and fens, could find his way through them at night to Eire.

So we left the warm hearth of Jimmy's kitchen. We were three including Jimmy and Teddy. Teddy is Jimmy's mongrel dog. Jimmy says he is "very clever," that Teddy is really an advance party and can smell a border policeman 300 yards away.

Big Family

Occasionally Jimmy shines a dim light on the pathway. On the edge of a meadow he points to a wee house and says, "It's not big but I built it for them and there's 22 of a family sleeping there tonight."

And then you are through the meadow and really into the bog. Off in the darkness are the dim shapes of the Armagh hills. Jimmy says, "not too far to the left now, it's 10 feet deep there." Underfoot, the way Jimmy leads, it's only a bit greasy.

Two planks cross a small stream. Jimmy puts them there so he can wheel a hand cart across when the smuggling load is too heavy to carry. There are two streams to cross.

At the second Jimmy shines his light on a bit of bush. "There," he says, "that's where I told you we wrestled with a policeman and there (shining his light off into the bog) is the way I got out."

Dogs in it Too

You're at the border now, crossing a sturdier bridge of Jimmy's. Far off to the right dogs are barking and Jimmy suggests somebody is working a load over the border there.

So far Teddy hasn't made a sound. In a matter of minutes from the bridge you are in a farm yard in Eire and Jimmy disappears. In a few minutes he's back, a box of butter on his shoulder. "There are 56 pounds in it lad — over the border with ye now," says Jimmy.

It's not much of a trip home, except that 56 pounds of butter get pretty heavy when you're travelling a rough road you don't know even if you have a good guide. Actually this is not an official trip for Jimmy, rather just a demonstration of how butter comes from neutral Eire to warring Ulster where the weekly ration is three quarters of a pound. But you get the idea from the eerieness of the tramp through the bog that all Jimmy's trips are not quite so smooth.

MORE NEW BEDS IN OLD LONDON FOR CANADIANS

League Opens Club Where Service Men on Leave Can Stay at Modest Rates

By Denise Daltroff, Canadian Press Staff Writer

London (CP)—The King George and Queen Elizabeth Victoria League has provided overseas servicemen on leave in London with a home where they can have bed, bath and breakfast for a modest half-dollar, as well as other amenities such as billiards and reading ing and writing rooms.

The club was opened recently by Clement Attlee, Dominions Secretary. He commended the league, which, he said by its work was doing a great deal to help people from all over the world get to know each other. And he added in getting to know each other they would get rid of the superficial differences that sometimes "mar our unity of outlook."

This new club, in Vauxhall Bridge Road, is the third the league has opened since the start of the war. Following a precedent of the last war a club was opened in 1939 to accommodate men from the Dominions and colonies throughout the Empire. It held 400 beds but during the heavy raids in the early months of 1941 it was wrecked and many men and members of the club's staff lost their lives. Another club was opened but it was too small for present requirements.

Since War Began

Some 166,000 beds have been provided in the League's London clubs since the beginning of the war and because of the number of Canadian soldiers and airmen in England the majority of the beds have been occupied by Canadians.

Hospitality is the main feature in all the clubs and arrangements are made for the men to stay in any part of the country they wish, theatre and cinema tickets are issued and sight seeing tours organized.

London is the centre of the Victoria League but there are branches throughout the Empire the exception being in Canada where the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire carry out similar work. The two associations are affiliated and maintain close contact.

BACK TO WINDMILLS

London (CP) — Many ancient windmills and watermills which long ago became landmarks of industrial progress have been overhauled and refitted to help save fuel and transport in Britain.

London (CP) — Unless owners can prove repair is in the public interest, bombed shops may no longer be repaired. Labor and material shortage has caused the decision.

WAR -- TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

By H. H. GORDON Canadian Press Staff Writer

BRITISH SURPRISE ATTACK AT CAMBRAI, NOV. 20, 1917, RESULTED IN CAPTURE OF 10,500 GERMAN PRISONERS

Large-scale use of tanks and the surprise factor contributed greatly to the success achieved by the British 3rd Army under Gen. Sir Julian Byng in the famous attack before Cambrai 25 years ago in the First Great War.

The battle, coming soon after the Canadian victory at Passchendaele and the end of the year's operations in the Ypres salient, was the last big action on the Western Front during 1917. It stands as a British victory although some of the initial gains were nullified through a lack of reserves.

One incident in the battle is of particular interest to Canadians. In it "B" squadron of the Fort Garry Horse made a gallant charge through enemy lines which has since become known as the "wild ride of the Fort Garrys".

Planned with the greatest secrecy the 3rd Army's attack began Nov. 20 when tanks rumbled towards enemy lines on a six-mile front from east of Gonnelieu to the Canal du Nord opposite Hermies. For the first time in the war there was no artillery prelude to the attack and no action which might indicate that an assault was impending.

The drive was made against one of the strongest sections of the Hindenburg Line, but the tanks broke through successfully and the surprise was complete. During subsequent fighting 10,500 Germans were taken prisoner together with 140 guns.

Rapid Counter-Stroke

The advance extended some five miles, the British finally taking the heights about Bourlon. Measures were then taken to meet the German counter-stroke, but the enemy attacked in such strength that the British were forced to yield many important positions on the strategically-important heights. The battle terminated Dec. 7 with the British occupying positions about 2½ miles in front of the line held when the attack started Nov. 20.

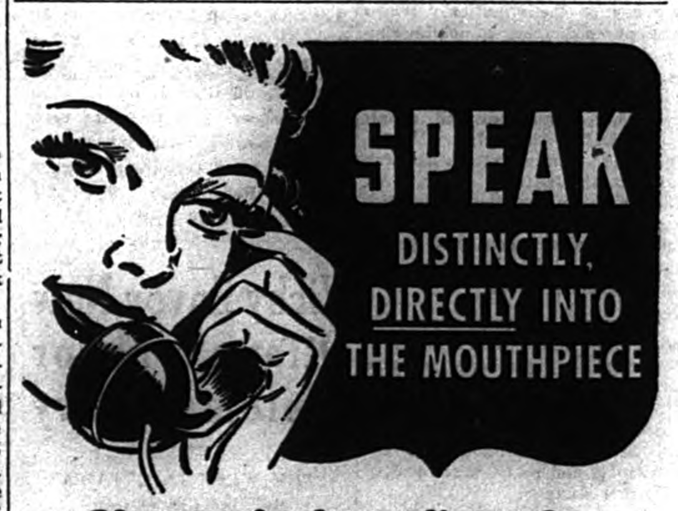
The main objects had been achieved. The initiative was retained and the enemy's plans deranged. German divisions intended for the Italian front were held on the Western Front and the enemy was prevented from attacking French lines to the south.

During the height of the battle the Fort Garry squadron, 133 strong, managed to cross the Canal du Nord intending to capture a German corps headquarters near Cambrai. But their charge became an isolated adventure when the remainder of the Canadian Cavalry Brigade was kept out of the battle. Destruction of bridges across the canal made full use of the brigade impossible.

The Fort Garrys cut down a German battery and it was not until they reached a point a few miles southwest of Cambrai that they realized they were alone. At this stage the squadron had been reduced to three officers and 43 men. Miles behind the German lines and completely cut off the troopers finally stampeded their horses and commanded by Lieut. Henry Strachan started back on foot in the early morning of Nov. 21.

Later that day the survivors, with 18 German prisoners, reported at regimental headquarters. Lieut. (now Major) Strachan received the Victoria Cross for his part in the achievement.

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Street Lighting — And Power for War Industries

In the added demand for electric power in our war industries — which imposes the duty of economy on households and municipalities, in this area as much as any other — there occurs an anomaly in the fact that Quebec is exporting power to Toronto while gas for heating and cooking purposes is going begging in that city.

It is calculated the quantity of electricity used for cooking and water heating in Toronto alone is greater than that consumed by all the street lights in the rest of Ontario. Also, since the bulk of street lighting is in cities and towns where such lighting is less than three per cent of the total power load, the 20 per cent reduction in lighting (by government order) represents a saving of less than one per cent.

This situation is revealed in "Wartime Power Facts", published at Kitchener, Ont. A Toronto gas utility, it is stated, has sufficient surplus to put on an advertising campaign to sell gas for house-heating. While it is unlikely the necessary devices could be procured at this time to replace electric cooking and heating installations, it seems something further might be done from administrative sources to promote the use of gas where it is abundant.

As the Kitchener bulletin remarks: "The situation may be described as one in which probably more electrical power than is saved in all the homes at the Province of Quebec to help the war effort, is being exported from Quebec to Toronto, where it is used to compete with gas while the Toronto gas utility has a surplus of gas."

While we have no concern in promoting gas sales in Toronto, the point of interest here is that street lighting in Quebec cities and towns is reduced to a point of hazard and discomfort — to save less than one per cent of the power consumption in these centres.

Cost of Advertising the Third Victory Loan

The cost of Government advertising to support the Third Victory Loan was only about one-tenth of a cent for every dollar subscribed, H. Rimmer said in his speech to The International Wartime Advertising Conference, sponsored by the Association of Canadian Advertising. This covered all forms of publicity and advertising.

After reviewing the successful achievement reflected in the figures showing the amount of cash subscribed, and the number of subscribers, Mr. Rimmer said—"This Victory Loan, and the one in February, have proven to us that we are big boys now, with adult responsibilities to face, and with a great national future to defend. In February we freely subscribed almost a billion dollars. In October we did it again. And six months from now we shall do it still again."

"As a Canadian I am proud of the record", Mr. Rimmer said, "And as an advertising man I am proud that the overwhelming response to this and previous loan campaigns can be credited, at least in part, to the power of advertising to stimulate a free people. It has been said that advertising is in itself one of the great symbols of the freedom of choice enjoyed by the democracies, the freedom to buy or not to buy whatever is publicly offered. And that includes Victory Bonds.

"Advertising in Canada had its supreme test during the past five weeks. In that brief period advertising helped to produce sales of roughly a billion dollars, which is possibly three or four times the volume done by any individual business in this country in a year. — In a year!

"It was very brief, this Victory Bond blitz. So brief that an unthoughtful person might easily have been led to criticize the tremendous weight of advertising poured into the campaign, not only by the government but by thousands of manufacturers and merchants who donated their own space and their own creative ingenuity in support of the government's efforts. If this same weight of advertising had been distributed over twelve months, no one would have remarked upon it. At the end of a year we might have got a billion dollars. But we can't wait a year. In six months we shall need another billion.

"The five weeks' blitz did more than raise the money. It also raised the morale of the nation, without a shadow of a doubt. That, so to speak, was a by-product of the advertising, but a very important and valuable contribution to the total war effort."

"What Has Been Chemistry's Greatest Contribution to Mankind?" asks a magazine caption. Offhand we'd say it's a toss-up between war and platinum blondes. —Montreal Herald

Away with Small Thinking

Canada is at the crossroads! We, the people, have to decide whether we are fighting to make Canada a great nation — or whether the war is just to get back to the old days when we were quite happy to let things drift as long as our own backyards weren't disturbed.

Our ancestors fought and worked to lay the foundations of a great nation stretching from sea to sea. It's our turn to carry on the battle, so we had better pause to consider what goes into the building of a great nation.

The spirit and strength of a nation is simply a reflection of the spirit and strength of her individual citizens. It is no use expecting the government alone to do the job of making the nation great. We must be willing to become great ourselves and devote our lives to the country, not only in war but in peace. Personal courage and sacrifice must be part of our everyday life and for most of us this means:

(a) Deciding to change our ways by giving up all the things that come between us and the country's good.

(b) Uniting with all other patriotic citizens in a national program. Unity doesn't just happen — it means putting things right with the fellow we don't get along with.

(c) Fighting with all that's in us against our own softness, laziness, extravagance and "buckpassing". The battle line runs right across the country. When we lick the enemy inside ourselves we can get the next fellow to join us in the fight.

When we, the people, embark on this program, we can demand the same qualities in our public men and support those men who put up the country first. National policies will be framed which are in keeping with the role of a great nation. Free enterprise can find its greatest expression when devoted to the national service, rather than to individual profit and power. Labor and management can join in a program of working to build a new world. We will find the answer to national and personal debts, taxes, graft and the wheat surplus.

We will have a new pattern of democracy, a pattern worked by everyone . . . So, away with small thinking! Lift our eyes to the stars—and fight.

Kicked Into Greatness

The vast improvement in news dissemination during recent times has been an inconvenience to a certain kind of practical politician. A speaker used to have some privacy as he harangued his audience. He enjoyed a reasonable hope that what he said in one place might not get around to another place. This permitted considerable scope in dealing with matters of local interest.

Canada has no national daily newspaper, and a politician with something on his mind exclusively for home consumption is not likely to tell about it over a coast-to-coast hook-up; but the local newspaper will cover his speech, and then the wires will carry the gist of it, and newspapers all over the country will inform their readers what was said. This makes life hard for a man who seeks to be elected in one constituency and be part of a government supported by many other constituencies. The newspapers interfere with a parochial politician's freedom of speech by giving him too wide an audience. They force him into paying some attention to the problems of people outside his own riding.

Thinking along that line may in time turn him into somewhat of a statesman, which would mean that the newspapers had rendered one more service to their country, as any country can be great if it has a few statesmen.

— The Printed Word

The Mail Order Catalogue

I am the mail order catalogue.

I do not care whether you have a church in your community or not.

I am not interested whether the school-house in which my patrons educate their children is painted or not.

Your neighbor's fire, which left him homeless and without clothes, does not touch my charity.

I never contribute to your community funds or prize draws or other events or celebrations, nor do I pay for any of the "treats" passed out at Christmas.

My clerks never clean a windshield, fill a radiator or supply free air.

My only concern in you is the money I can get out of you to cart back to the city.

—Dunnville Chronicle

C.P.C. HELD VITAL WAR ORGANIZATION, AS PROVED BY HEROIC BRITISH A.R.P.

These articles are especially prepared on the authority of the Provincial Civilian Protection Committee. The statements therein are obtained from first hand information from United Nations' Government Sources.

**Written especially by P. N. SODEN,
Deputy Provincial Officer, Civilian Protection Committee**

From time to time there have appeared in the press, letters pertaining to the activities of the Civilian Protection Committee. Some are favorable and others critical. I do not propose at this time to answer any of these letters as they do not require answers, but rather to explain to you some facts pertaining to this organization.

First of all, our Federal Government must have had good reason to establish, over two years ago, the office of Air Raid Precautions. The reasons then must be good now. This is a fact — that all we have read and learned from the results of air raids proves conclusively the necessity for these war services, and for this reason there is more cause than ever that the citizens of this country should be trained in Air Raid Precautions.

In this province Air Raid Precautions is known as the Civilian Protection Committee. We, as citizens of this province, know full well that one of the war services that has shown the world the great work that was undertaken by civilians is that carried out by the members of the British Air Raid Precautions, who have worked at the risk of their lives under the most terrifying conditions during the numerous "Blitz" that have taken place over Great Britain.

We, therefore, as members of the Civilian Protection Committee, a brother organization, should be justly proud to be members of this service, and we citizens should also realize that the necessity of being a member of the Civilian Protection Committee gives us an opportunity to train and prepare for any emergency that we may be called upon to meet under these strenuous existing world conditions.

Some months ago I had the privilege of discussing with several members of the British Air Raid Precautions their experiences before and during the "blitz" period. At that time their conversations were intensely interesting in that they told of their experiences first in the preparations of their warden service and the conditions under actual air raids.

An interesting side light to these remarks was the treatment which they received from the public prior to the air raids. Comments were made by those who are always prone to criticize and jeer and who then looked upon the British Air Raid Precautions as something for the men on the street to poke fun at. Now, this was all before the "blitz", and we in this province have experienced and are now experiencing this same angle. No doubt the very ones who make caustic comments possibly do not belong to any war service organization, and never will, if they can help it.

However, my friends from Great Britain told me, and we all know, that the world respects the wardens of the British Air Raid Precautions, and they should, when you realize the lives that have been saved and the property protected, by the British Air Raid Precautions Wardens—how they worked in the great cities of Britain—London, Liverpool, Manchester, Birmingham, Coventry, Hull, Bristol, and many others.

Here is a fair question. Do you think for one moment that if the British Government had not instituted Air Raid Precautions prior to the war and if the citizens of this civilian army had not undertaken conscientiously the courses of training, that they would have been able to meet these great air raids when they happened? No, it would have been utterly impossible. It is, therefore, quite definitely established that without such an organization there would have been panic and even greater loss of life than actually occurred if it had not been for these men and women who have suffered the criticism, and who carried on, regardless. These people deserve recognition.

The Bomber Press Visits England

(Continued from page 1)

Co-ordinated Effort

The efficiency and co-ordination of all arms was remarkably good. Inter-communication with the various units was of a high calibre. Companies of the Infantry being in constant communication with their battalion headquarters and the battalion headquarters in turn being in communication with the Brigade Headquarters who controlled the whole effort. From brigade headquarters via various means, the supporting arms were directed by the Brigadier.

Directly on the stroke of the zero hour, the Artillery opened up a terrific barrage on the initial objective, to allow a troop of tanks to shepherd the mine clearance party of Engineers, in two sections of carriers to carry out their task of clearing the mine fields for the follow-up of tanks and infantry.

Churchills in Action

It was a grand sight to witness from our vantage point. The huge rumbling Churchills sprayed everything in front of them to give cover to the engineer party. The job completed, the engineers placed tapes to make a safety lane for the following tanks and infantry. Then they returned to a rear position under the protective care of the tanks. By now the next wave of tanks (which in the distance looked like ants crawling about) were proceeding at tank speed on to their objectives, to clear out machine gun nests and any infantry obstacle that might be in the way. They manoeuvered about, racing thither and yon, until they reached the crest of the first objective. Right on their heels were the first wave of infantry, with bayonets fixed, running towards the enemy and taking cover as the necessity arose, then rising and advancing several hundred more yards.

Infantry Plays Its Part

During this advance of the infantry, the mortars came into play, setting down the smoke screens to give the infantry and tanks protective cover from the left flank and to the front, while the R.C.A.F. were doing likewise on the right flank. While the forward battalion of infantry were consolidating their first objective, the two battalions following through pivoted right and left to reach their respective objectives and so widen the gap created by the forward unit. During this time, the various arms of the infantry were brought into use, Bren carriers and mortar platoons doing a very effective job with the odd pill-box or machine gun nest that had been overlooked by the tanks, the mortars effectively using H.E. and smoke and the carriers doing a nice job of work with their bren guns.

The entire co-ordination was particularly good, but the enthusiasm and knowledge of their task, shown by the infantry, was a revelation to this writer, and to all those privileged to witness this attack of Canada's Senior Infantry Brigade.

GERMAN WAR PLANT SEVERELY DAMAGED

London (CP) — Air Ministry News Service reported that while photographs taken after the 1,000-bomber raid on Cologne showed that the Humboldt Deutz Engineering Works had been damaged, it is now known that damage to the plant was "far more" extensive than at first thought.

A depot at Bremen has received no spare parts for diesel engines from the Humboldt Deutz factory since Cologne was attacked May 30. An enemy depot in Cologne was also hit, and more than 1,000 spare lorry engines were either destroyed or damaged.

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"For goodness sakes! Don't you have any six-motored cargo ships YET?"

Age Must Be Served

An executive in a business that is large but, according to our modern rulers, non-essential, reports that the difficulties of getting and retaining employees are so great that he is glad to take on almost any available person. So rapid are the staff changes that the faces of about two thirds of his personnel are unfamiliar to him, but he has noticed particularly one rather elderly man capably performing his duties in the stock room.

After the new employee had been on the job a week or two, it became necessary to ascertain his age for purposes of the company's group insurance plan. Our executive, though accustomed by now to expect a surprise a day, was mildly shocked to discover that his new stock-room boy was eighty-five years old. —The Printed Word

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A shopkeeper had for some time displayed in his window a card inscribed "Fishing Tickle."

A customer drew the proprietor's attention to the spelling. "Hasn't anyone told you of it before?" he asked.

"Hundreds," replied the dealer. "But whenever they drop in to tell me they always spend something."

Witty Boarder: "Ah, your steak is like the weather this evening madam. Rather raw."

Witty Landlady: "Indeed? By the way your board bill is like the weather, too. Unsettled."

"I admit he's not what you might call a thoroughbred, " said the proud owner, "but he's a splendid house dog. No tramp or burglar could get near the house without him letting us know about it."

"What does he do?" asked the visitor. "Bark the house down?"

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Debunking the Male Movie Fan

Who started that lie about the girls being movie-mad and the men indifferent? We've been told that the man in the family is pressured into taking in a picture by his wife with age-old arguments about standing over a hot stove all day. Many a wifie has sneaked off to a show in the afternoon and the lateness of the dinner couldn't be explained in a way to pacify the breadwinner.

Well, like so many things we've always believed, t'aint so.

The Gallup poll shows that in cities over 100,000 in population 51 per cent of patrons are men. In cities under that population 52 per cent are men.

When men and women go together the latter choose the picture.

Sixty-five per cent of attendance is persons under 30 years of age and 54 per cent of that figure are males. Of patronage made up of 30-year-olds 51 per cent are females. At 19 people attend in equal numbers.

From Friday to Sunday male attendance is 54 per cent, the rest of the time it's evenly divided.

The boys like action and biographies, the girls like romance. Men go for Andy Hardy and women for Abbott and Costello pictures.

Pictures with masculine appeal do more business than those aimed at the distaff side. Women, it seems, go to men's pictures to a greater extent than vice-versa.

One hundred and fourteen films were used as a gauge.

Draft or no, the boys are still in the lead.

A taxicab passenger arriving at his destination, paid the fare but did not tip the driver.

"You forgot something," said the driver.

"What?" asked the passenger in honest bewilderment, slapping his pockets and peering back into the cab.

"Your bagpipes," retorted the driver.

Refer to Smith!

Two men worked side by side in a War Production board office. They never spoke, but each watched the other. One man quit work daily at 4 o'clock. The other toiled till 6 or later. Some months passed. Then the harder working of the two approached the other. "I beg your pardon", he said. "Do you mind telling me how you clean up your work every day at 4 o'clock?" "Not at all", said the other man. "When I come to a tough piece of detail, I mark it, 'Refer to Commander Smith'. I figure that, in an outfit as large as this, there is sure to be a Commander Smith, and I must be right: none of those papers come back to me".

The harder worker started to remove his coat. "Brother", he said, "prepare for action, I'm Commander Smith".

"I fired my valet for removing a spot from my trousers".

"Why? Wasn't that his job?"

"This was a five-spot."

DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

BROWNSBURG

Mrs. D. McOuat, of Windsor, Ont., is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. David McOuat.

Mrs. J. Reid visited friends in Montreal last week.

The Young Women's Auxiliary of the United Church are holding a sale of home-cooking, etc., on Saturday, November 21.

Mr .T. Kerr and son, Donald, of Vankleek Hill, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. David McOuat.

Thos. Kennedy, of the R.C.A.F., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Petley this week.

Mrs. R. Kennedy was in Montreal this week.

Mr. W. R. Bullock, of Montreal, prominent in war service councils, will be the special speaker Sunday morning in the United Church, when an Honor Roll will be unveiled of the boys who have enlisted in the armed forces. The local branch of the Canadian Legion will also attend, accompanied by the Brownsburg Band. The public are cordially invited.

Take part of your change in War Savings Stamps

Births, Marriages and Deaths

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

MARRIAGE

LISTER-KIRKPATRICK — The marriage of Thelma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirkpatrick, of Mille Isles, Que., to Lance Corporal Henry (Harry) T. E. Lister, of the 2nd Battalion Black Watch, (R.H.C.) of Canada, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lister, of Lachute, Que., took place on Saturday, November 14, at four o'clock at the manse of Lachute United Church — the Rev. W. B. Rosborough officiating.

DEATHS

BOYD — At Lachute, on Wednesday, November 18, Mrs. Thomas Boyd (née Eliza Copeland), aged 92 years.

CARRUTHERS — On Wednesday, November 11, 1942, at his home in Shrewsbury, James Carruthers, husband of the late Sarah Jane Woods, aged 74 years 8 months. Interment took place in Shrewsbury Cemetery, November 13.

DIED ON ACTIVE SERVICE

BOYD — In England on November 12, 1942, Pte. Oswald Raymond Boyd, Black Watch, aged 39 years, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boyd, Lachute, Que.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

CARRUTHERS — The family of the late James Carruthers wish to express sincere thanks to their friends for kindness and sympathy extended in the loss of a loving father.

MORROW—We wish to express our sincere appreciation to friends and relatives, for the kindness and sympathy extended to us in the death of our father, the late Robt. Morrow.—The Family.

GRENVILLE

Mrs. Weymouth P. Gaudry, of Greenfield Park, visited Mrs. A. V. Gaudry and Mrs. Victor D. Gaudry here recently.

Mrs. Will Gauley returned home from Shawinigan Falls on Sunday, where she was visiting her cousin, Miss Ethel McNeill, and other relatives.

Mr. Russel Gauley, R.C.A.F., is enjoying a two weeks' visit at his home here.

Misses Evelyn and Helen McCullough, of Lachute, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. McCullough, Grenville Bay.

The educational views being exhibited each month in Grenville Consolidated School, are found very instructive and helpful. A large attendance is urged, to benefit by these presentations.

Irving Conway, of Stonefield, who met with a serious accident recently near Hawkesbury, is now reported to be recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cootes, of Greenfield Park, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hoare on the occasion of their golden wedding. This community extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Hoare.

Mr. S. Kavanaugh has returned from Vancouver and is once again in the employ of Mr. Gilbert Arnold. Old friends are glad to see him recovered in health; he was on war service work when serious illness necessitated his entering hospital in Vancouver.

Rolland Brazeau is in Ottawa undergoing examination for war service.

Wilfred Poirier is in training with the R.C.A.F. at Lachine; his two brothers, Arthur and Rene, are also in military training, at Ste. Anne's and Montreal respectfully.

KILMAR

Mr. D. A. MacRae, of Montreal, also Mr. and Mrs. R. MacRae, were recent visitors with their sister, Mrs. Ed Boyd.

IN MEMORIAM

MacKINNON — In loving memory of our dear husband and father, who passed away November 20, 1941.

We often sit and think of you,
The things you used to say and do,
We wonder why you had to die
Without a chance to say good-bye;
We who loved you only know
How much we lost a year ago.

TOMALTY — In loving remembrance of a loving husband and father, David Tomalty, who entered into rest November 21, 1939. Ever remembered by his wife and family.

"Silently the angels took him
Into that mansion above,
Where he shall rest from earth's toiling
Safe in the arms of God's love."

SHERRITT — In loving memory of our sister, Louise, who passed away November 21, 1939. — Always remembered by her sisters and brothers.

Her dear bright eyes and cheerful face
Are so pleasant to recall;
She had a loving word for each,
And died beloved by all.

MORIN HEIGHTS

Miss Gertrude Kelley, of Verdun, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. L. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kennedy, of Montreal, spent the week-end here.

Mrs. J. Robinson and children, Malcolm and Maida, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seale, of Cookshire, visited this week with Col. and Mrs. J. E. Seale.

Mr. Baird Davis, of the R.C.A.F., also Miss Patricia Davis, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis.

Mr. J. D. Davis spent the week in Quebec, on business.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dey was christened in the United Church during morning service last Sunday, by the Rev. S. Rowe. The child was given the name of Ronald Joseph. During the afternoon a large number of friends were entertained to afternoon tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Dey, in honor of the occasion.

LOST RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bethune and Miss Christie Bethune were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bethune.

Mrs. Simon Cameron, of Maxwell, Ont., is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Rod Chisholm and Mr. Chisholm.

Miss Viola Moncrieff, of Arundel, spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Mandly Chisholm.

Miss Hazel Dewar, of Montreal, is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Dewar.

Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Chisholm and son, Ronald, visited friends in Maxwell, Ont., on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacDonald, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Rozon, of Apple Hill, Ont., spent a few days last week with their son, Mr. Albert Rozon and Mrs. Rozon.

CUSHING

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. McGain, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning.

Mrs. W. Y. King visited friends in Toronto, her cousins, the Misses Ross, of Kingston, also her brother, Francis Cushing and wife, of Thorold, Ont., during the past week.

Mrs. A. Starnes was an overnight guest of her daughter, Mrs. Vincent Elliott, on Friday.

Miss Margaret Canning, of St. Eustache, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning.

Mrs. Albert Lighthall, of New Toronto, who has been spending the past few months at the home of her brother, Mr. W. Chambers of Sh. Philippe, returned home on Monday.

Miss Jean Tomalty, of Mount Maple, spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Roy Dobbie.

Miss Wendy and Master David Wright, also their nurse, Mrs. Smith, of Montreal, spent last week at "Ingleside".

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Prophet, Miss Joyce and Master Ronald Prophet, also Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gauley, of Calumet, were guests at the W. H. Canning home on Sunday.

We are pleased to note that Mr. Irving Conway, of Stonefield, although not quite his old self, is able to be home from the hospital.

Mrs. L. M. Gaston spent the latter part of last week in Montreal.

CALUMET

Lieut. Lessard, of Petawawa, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brigden.

Miss Aileen Fee and Miss M. Marlowe, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Foreman.

Mr. Percy McLeod, of Montreal, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Trineer over the week-end.

Mr. Ronald Brigden spent the week-end in Montreal.

Miss Anne Foreman spent the week-end in Montreal as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Mott.

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

The ladies of the United Church held a home-cooking sale at Foreman Bros'. store on Saturday night. The venture proved a success, and everything had disappeared very early in the evening.

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OBITUARY

SOLDIER SUCCUMBS TO ILLNESS WHILE ON ACTIVE SERVICE

Private O. Ray Boyd, Son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boyd, Was in Black Watch Rgt.

News of the sudden passing of Private Ray Boyd, of the 1st Battalion Black Watch (R.H.R.) of Canada, came as a shock to his relatives and many friends in this community.

Enlisting in November, 1939, he trained at Montreal, Toronto, Valcartier and Newfoundland before going overseas in September, 1940.

An old pupil of Lachute Academy, he was well known here and was a former employee in the office of the J. C. Wilson Company. He was 39 years of age.

From news received it is learned that pneumonia was the cause of his death; contracted following an operation, as up to this time he had been in apparent good health.

Left to mourn are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boyd; four sisters, Olive, Mrs. Roy, of Napanee, Ont.; Reta, Elsie and Gwen, of Lachute; also three brothers, Clayton, Heber and Alton.

Interment was made in England.

Brownsburg Residents Suffer Bereavement

The Late William McLeod

The funeral of the late William McLeod, son of the late Donald McLeod and Isabel Dewar, took place on Tuesday last from Harrington United Church, to Shaw Cemetery, the Rev. S. J. Pike conducting the service. Burial was made in the McLeod family plot.

Mr. McLeod was in his 77th year. His home was in Strathroy, Ont., to which place he moved about twenty years ago. His death occurred at Strathroy on Saturday last, November 14.

Mrs. D. Vanderbrook, of Strathroy, Ont., and Mrs. J. McCrea, of Detroit, nieces of the deceased, accompanied the remains here for burial.

Mr. McLeod was the uncle of Messrs. William and Robert Stewart and of Miss Annie Stewart, of Brownsburg.

Lady Resident Dies At Age of 92 Years

Late Mrs. Thomas Boyd

After an illness of several years, Mrs. Thomas Boyd passed away at her residence here on Wednesday afternoon, having recently reached the age of 92. Born in 1850 at Hill Foot, she was the last of a family of eight—Mr. Wm. Copeland, her only surviving brother having died recently. She was married three times—firstly to Thos. Patton, secondly to Wm. Muir of California, and thirdly to Thos. Boyd, who predeceased her seven years ago.

The funeral is being held Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church, the Rev. E. Orsborn conducting the service. Interment will take place in Lachute Cemetery.

CLERGY AT FUNERAL OF LATE COLLEAGUE, REV. CHAS. HARDIE

Last Tribute of Esteem to Well Loved Pastor of Baptist Churches

One of the most truly representative gatherings ever to assemble in this community was that which met in Dalesville Baptist Church on Friday afternoon, November 13, to pay last tribute of respect to the memory of the late Rev. Charles Hardie, for seven years the beloved pastor of the Dalesville and Brownsburg Regular Baptist Congregations, whose death in a Montreal hospital was recorded in our last issue. Every section of a wide district, every walk of life, and every denominational affiliation were represented in the crowded church auditorium.

No fewer than nine of the deceased's fellow Baptist ministers participated in the obsequies at his late residence and at the church, one of these, Pastor Harold Charlton, of Lachute, having charge of the service at the church, whilst another, Rev. T. D. M. Carson, of Verdun, Que., officiated at the organ. The others taking part were Rev. W. L. Hisey, of Hespeler, Ont., Rev. Roy Hisey, Fenelon Falls, Ont., Rev. J. Fullard, Lindsay, Ont., Rev. Frank Wellington, Ottawa, Ont. Rev. M. B. Gillion, Buckingham, Que., Rev. Melchie Henry, Hagersville, Ont., and Rev. John R. Armstrong, Montreal, the last named preaching the funeral sermon. Other ministers present were Rev. D. P. E. Vandervalk, of Dalesville, Rev. T. J. Rich and Rev. S. J. Pike, both of Brownsburg, and Rev. W. B. Rosborough, of Lachute. Still others were unavoidably absent.

A vocal duet was effectively rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Kettyle, of Brownsburg.

The floral offerings were numerous and profuse, and bespoke the high and wide measure of esteem in which Mr. Hardie was held during his faithful and gracious ministry.

Among those attending from a distance were Mrs. Ralph Crawford, of Parry Sound, Ont., Miss Jane Hardie, of Hurdsville, Ont., Mrs. A. J. Alexander, of Burks Falls, Ont., (sisters), Mrs. Frank Hardie, of Parry Sound, Ont., (sister-in-law), Mr. James Hardie, of Parry Sound, Ont., and Mr. Andrew Hardie, of Hurdsville, Ont., (brothers); also Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Thomson, of Thurso, Que., Mr. Loyal Thomson, of Ottawa, and Miss Janet Edwards, of Rockland, Ont., (parents, brother and aunt, respectively, of Mrs. Hardie). There were also present many friends from Buckingham, Thurso, The Gore, Harrington and other points.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Albert Dixon, Godfrey Dixon, Austin Morrow and Lawrence Tomalty, and Messrs. Roy Jackson, John Kettyle, Wm. Moseley and William Tomalty, these being the boards of Deacons of the Dalesville and Brownsburg churches respectively.

Interment was at Lachute.

MABEL

Little Miss Edith Smith, of Lachute, spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Heatlie. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Smith and son, Clarence, were Sunday guests at the Heatlie home.

Miss Dorothy FitzGerald, of Shrewsbury, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murdoch during the week-end.

Mrs. Robert Black has returned home after spending the past week with Mrs. I. Jolley at Lachute.

Miss Shirley Heatlie, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Heatlie.

Mr. Donald Clark was in Montreal on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Heatlie were—Messrs. Denton and Manson Abell, Mr. Harry Sims and Mr. Norman High, all of Montreal.

Miss Thelma Clark, also Mr. P. Todd, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. George Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCullough, of N.D.G., visited for a couple of days this week with Mr. and Mrs. George D. Murdoch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Heatlie were in Montreal on Thursday of last week.

WOMEN NOW A FOURTH OF T.C.A. PERSONNEL

Winnipeg—Between 25 and 30 per cent of Trans-Canada Air Lines employees are women. These include not only stewardesses and stenographers but passenger agents and shop and hangar workers, taking the places of men on active war service.

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MORIN HEIGHTS

Mr. Lester Perkins spent a week-end in Montreal recently.

The Guild of Trinity Church met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Rolland on Thursday afternoon, November 12.

Mr. John Bell, of Verdun, was a week-end guest at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. R. Bell.

W. R. Bell, of the R.C.A.F., is spending a holiday with his family.

Mrs. R. Robinson and children, of Lakeside, spent the week-end visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dillon and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Doré and daughter, Doreen, of Montreal, were guests of Mrs. Wm. Rolland on Sunday.

SPECIAL SPOT ON TRAIN FOR 900 lb. PASSENGER

Montreal—"Passengers" weighing 900 pounds are uncommon on Canadian National Railways trains but one day recently the "Maritime Express" left here Eastbound with a live elk comfortably placed in the baggage car, a special crate being provided. Previously Mr. Elk had arrived from Edmonton on the "Continental Limited" and his destination was the Zoological Gardens just outside Quebec. A plentiful supply of hay and oats accompanied the weighty traveller which with ample water constituted an elk's menu for a train journey of 2,320 miles.

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Robert Morrow Dies At Upper Lachute

Was Native of Mille Isles

The death of Robert Morrow occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gordon Doig, Upper Lachute, on November 11, after a very short illness, and came as a severe shock to his many friends and relatives since he had been in good health until a short time previous to his passing.

He was the youngest son of the late John Morrow and his wife, Elizabeth Spence. Born in Mille Isles on May 16, 1863, he spent most of his life in that community. In 1893 he married Nancy Day, who predeceased him 25 years ago. From this marriage there remain to mourn his passing six sons and three daughters — Leslie, Austin, David and Annie, of Montreal, Victor, Herbert and Jean (Mrs. David Dawson), of Milles Isles, Edgar and May (Mrs. Gordon Doig), of Lachute; also one sister, Mrs. Edward Dawson, of Mille Isles, and eight grandchildren.

The funeral service was held Saturday afternoon, November 14, in Mille Isles Presbyterian Church and was conducted by Mr. Horace G. Baugh. Pall-bearers were Arthur Dawson, Leonard Morrow, Walter Maxwell, John Noble, Gordon and Sharman Doig. The remains were interred in the Mille Isles Cemetery.

Former Resident of Dalesville Dies in Selkirk, Manitoba

Late Richard A. Ryan

Selkirk, Man. — Richard A. Ryan, 65, of 152 Morris Ave., Selkirk, Manitoba, died suddenly of a heart attack on November 10, while at work in his blacksmith shop.

Born at Mille Isles, Que., he came West 28 years ago. He spent a few years in El Paso, Texas. Then residing in Selkirk, he became a member of the Selkirk Lodge L.O.L. and the Canadian Order of Forresters.

Besides his wife he is survived by an adopted son and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Strong, Shawinigan Falls, and Mrs. J. W. Reid, Montreal, and also three brothers, James and Thomas, of Winnipeg, and Ernest, of Los Angeles, Cal.

The funeral was held Saturday, November 14, from Knox Presbyterian Church, burial following in St. Clement's Churchyard, Mapleton. The Rev. James S. Clark conducted the service, assisted by the Rev. Montgomery, in the presence of a large gathering. There were many beautiful flowers.

Late James Carruthers, Native of Mille Isles, Was 74 Years of Age

Shrewsbury — The death of James Carruthers occurred at his home here on Wednesday, November 11. Mr. Carruthers was born in Mille Isles 74 years ago. He was married to Sarah Jane Woods, who predeceased him some years ago.

He leaves to mourn his passing one son, Willard, at home, and two daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Elliott and Mrs. James McPhee, both of Montreal, also seven grandchildren.

The funeral service was held on Friday, November 13, in St. John's Anglican Church, and was conducted by the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh. Interment was made in Shrewsbury Cemetery.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

VETERANS TO PARTICIPATE, UNVEILING OF HONOR ROLL AT BROWNSBURG UNITED CH.

Special Speaker and Patriotic Atmosphere to Accompany Ceremony Next Sunday

Brownsburg—The unveiling and dedication of an Honor Roll of the boys in the armed forces and a Nursing Sister will take place next Sunday morning, November 22, at the regular United Church service.

The Brownsburg Branch (Que. No. 71) of the Canadian Legion will in a body and occupy the front pews of the middle row, accompanied by the Brownsburg Boys' Band, who will participate in the musical parts of the service. The Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs will also attend and occupy the right and left front pews respectively.

The guest speaker will be Mr. W. R. Bullock, of Montreal. Mr. Bullock, formerly member of the legislature for Westmount constituency, is President of the Remembrance Branch, No. 75, Canadian Legion, and also councillor of Montreal Service Clubs Council and the Montreal War Service Co-ordinating Council, as well as Finance Director of the Scottish War Relief Association. He is also Director and Chairman of the War Service Committee, Montreal Lions Club, and comes to us as a brilliant speaker with a fund of information on war service work. The unveiling will be under the direction of the Veterans, through their president, Mr. Wm. Morton, and the dedication will be made by the minister, the Rev. S. J. Pike, who will conduct the service.

Next Sunday, being observed as Navy Sunday, under the Navy League of Canada, the evening service will include "Songs of the Sea" as well as an address on Nelson, the hero of Trafalgar. The public are cordially invited to these services.

Sunday Services

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor, H. Charlton

10 a.m., Bible School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
7 p.m., Evening Worship
Tuesday 7 p.m., Happy Hour for Boys and Girls.
Tuesday 8 p.m. Senior Young People.
Wednesday 8 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

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

10 a.m., Sabbath School
11 a.m., Morning Worship
"Fulness of Blessing"
7 p.m., Evening worship.
"The Wind of the Spirit"
11 a.m., East Settlement.
3 p.m. Thomas' Gore.

The third anniversary of the opening of the Church will be observed on Sunday, Nov. 29. The Preacher at the morning service will be Rev. G. G. D. Kilpatrick, D.D., Principal of the United Theological College, in Montreal, and a preacher of renown.

Welcome to all services !

MARGARET ROGER MEML. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Orsborn

10 a.m., Sabbath School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
7.00 p.m. Evening Worship
3 p.m., Brownsburg.
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First Sunday of Month —
Holy Communion 11 a.m.
All Other Sundays —
Morning Prayer 11 a.m.
Third Sunday —
Holy Communion 8 a.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.

Navy Sunday

11 a.m., Unveiling and dedication of Honor Roll.
Speaker, Mr. W. R. Bullock.
War Veterans will attend, accompanied by Brownsburg Boys' Band.
7.30 p.m. "Address appropriate to Navy Week".
Songs of the Sea.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. T. J. H. Rich, Pastor

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Brownsburg
7.30 p.m. Brownsburg.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES

10.00 a.m. Sunday School, Brownsburg.
11.00 a.m. Brownsburg
8.00 p.m. Dalesville
Guest speaker.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector

10.30 a.m. Lakefield.
Shrewsbury, 2 p.m.
Dunany, 4 p.m.

Lachute United Church Young People's Union

The Lachute United Young People's Union held their weekly meeting last evening in the church hall. In the absence of the president, Harold Deacon was in the chair.

After the usual devotional exercises a quiz contest was directed by Rhoda Wilson. Following the meeting bowling was enjoyed by the members.

Christian Science Sunday Services

"Soul and Body" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, November 22.

The Golden Text is from I Corinthians 3:16. "Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwelleth in you?"

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "This I say then, Walk in the Spirit, and ye shall not fulfil the lust of the flesh." (Galatians 5:16).

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: "We must destroy the false belief that life and intelligence are in matter, and plant ourselves upon what is pure and perfect. Paul said, "Walk in the Spirit, and ye shall not fulfil the lust of the flesh". Sooner or later we shall learn that the fetters of man's finite capacity are forged by the illusion that he lives in body instead of in Soul, in matter instead of in Spirit" (Page 222).

Lachute C.G.I.T. Group

The regular meeting of the C.G.I.T. was held on Monday. The meeting opened with a repetition of the C.G.I.T. "Purpose". The roll was called, the minutes presented and brief devotions were held.

Pins were presented to Geraldine Noble, Isabel MacVicar, Lois Bennett, and Glenys Bradford for their assistance toward the bazaar, to be held on November 20. It was decided to hold the candle-lighting service on December 13. Work for the bazaar occupied the girls during the remainder of the meeting.

Kathryn Langille adjourned the session and "Taps" was sung in conclusion.

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"The Rumor Clinic"

— Prepared by The Canadian Column —

AXIS TO INTENSIFY PROPAGANDA

Canadians have frequently been warned of the dangers of rumor mongering by persons of authority who are in a position to know of the harm which can be done to our War effort by spreading Hitler's lies. Just recently, Robert P. Patterson, United States Under Secretary of War, speaking in Canada, warned of rumor mongers. He forecast that Hitler is certain to redouble his propaganda efforts to divide the Allied Nations and stated that "careless criticism does not advance our cause, but it does serve Hitler", adding that "Even though false stories are eventually shown to be untrue, they may have the effect of shaking confidence".

Don't overlook the fact that it is part of Hitler's scheme to start rumors which unsuspecting people pick up and pass along. Good Canadians must be constantly on guard against giving aid to the Axis by repeating unfounded rumors.

On more than one occasion, attention has been drawn to that phase of Hitler's campaign of lies which seeks to set class against class. Here is a typical rumor which is designed to do just that.

Rumor: "The greater part of income taxes are now paid by the working classes".

Fact: A. H. Rowland, Inspector of income Tax, Montreal: "The statement that the greater part of income taxes are now paid by the working classes is entirely untrue. It is true that they are now making a proportionate contribution in this respect, but one has only to look at the scale of taxation on individuals, beginning at 7% and rising to 98% in the case of individuals with incomes of over $100,000, to realize that in the present taxation scale an effort has been successfully made to distribute the immense burden of war taxation equitably upon all classes of the community whatever their means and whatever their obligations. In the lower incomes in cases where no present approved savings are being made, a substantial proportion of the taxes paid now will be refunded to the payers, with interest, after the war. On the other hand, the thrifty working man is protected in his thrift by the provisions for allowance of life insurance premiums paid and payments of mortgage principal on his home against the taxes which he would now otherwise have to provide. Further, if he is unfortunate enough to have severe illness in the family, then, he may deduct from his income for taxation purposes, such medical expenses as are in excess of 5% of his income.

"Actually, the bulk of taxes now come, as they have for many years past, from corporate organizations. It is the payments by corporations of excess profits tax and income tax which are largely responsible for the enormous amounts of collections now being reported monthly by the income tax division. This does not under-rate the importance of the contribution of individual taxpayers, who in the aggregate pay very large sums in support of the war effort. Dr. Clark, Deputy Minister of Finance, in a recent address to the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, covered this point very aptly when he said:

"I venture confidently to express the view that we now have probably the fairest income tax in the world—one which is steeply graduated, of course, but with a curve of graduation that is difficult for any fair-minded person to criticize, and one which deals with more special situations and attempts to eliminate more anomalies and inequities than any other system with which I am familiar."

We frequently hear stories of people who seem to derive some peculiar sort of pleasure from passing along silly tales of shortage of this or that article of equipment for the armed forces.

No authority has ever attempted to minimize the tremendous difficulties which had to be overcome in the early days of the War diverting production from peacetime goods to war supplies.

The fact is that while unavoidable delays have been encountered, the co-operation of Government purchasing agencies and manufacturers has really resulted in an amazing record of speed and efficiency of which Canada has every right to be proud.

Here is an example of foolish distortion of the truth which any thinking person will avoid.

Rumor: "There is a great shortage of military shoes—that's why thousands of young chaps of twenty-five, six and seven have not yet been called up, nothing to put on their feet. One whole regiment has no size eight for its soldiers, the unfortunates have to wear their civilian shoes. The soldiers of half a regiment in England drill in the morning, in the afternoon lend their shoes to the other half for afternoon exercises".

Fact: The Army Public Relations, Ottawa: "Owing to increasing overseas demands; the cattle (hides) situation; and partly to enemy action, there exists some shortage in military shoes. But to attach thereto the reasons quoted is to allow a fertile imagination to function at its worst. No Canadian soldier is without shoes, and good shoes. No demand for shoes has remained unfulfilled. There are many hundreds of thousands of military shoes on order. The situation is well in hand."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. R. G. Evans left on Monday to spend the winter months in Winnipeg.

Mr. Earl Stone, of Montreal, visited friends in Lachute and vicinity this week.

Miss Hazel LeCras, of Montreal, spent a few days this week as guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Telfer.

Mrs. H. E. Carson is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. John Dixon and Cpl. Dixon, in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Steeves.

The Misses Gladys and Norma Cooke, of Montreal, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Neill.

Mr. Bories Arran left this week to train in the Royal Canadian Air Force, and is stationed at the Lachine Manning Pool.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sutton of Ottawa spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sutton.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Monahan and their daughter, Isabella, arrived Sunday from Rochester, Minn., to take up residence at 196 Main Street, where Dr. Monahan is taking over the medical practice vacated by Dr. W. F. McMartin.

Miss Mary Lister and Mrs. Geo. Holstead, of Montreal, and Gdsm. Welden Hill, of Ottawa, spent the week-end in town attending the wedding of Miss Thelma Kirkpatrick to L/Cpl. Harry Lister, of the 2nd Battalion Black Watch, now stationed in Sussex, N.B.

Betty Speirs to Visit Lachute on Saturday

In response to requests from many Lachute ladies, Betty Speirs, Montreal's celebrated teacher of dancing, will visit here on Saturday afternoon. A class has already been organized for children, which will feature ballet, toe and tap dancing. Parents who are interested are asked to meet Miss Speirs at McArthur's Hall at three o'clock Saturday afternoon. Later on in the season, if conditions warrant, Miss Speirs and Peter Miller will organize a class in ballroom dancing, in which all the newest steps from the New York Salons will be taught.

Report of Work by Brownsb'g Red Cross

Brownsburg — During the six months ending October 23, the Brownsburg Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society have completed and forwarded to headquarters the following:

Service Knitting		254
Women's Auxiliary		19
Hospital Supplies		236
Kits	(51)	986
Extra from Kits		30
Housewives		25
Quilts		5
Donations of clothing		12
Total number of articles		1567

The Red Cross film, "There Too Go I", will be shown at the Recreation Hall, Brownsburg, in French on Thursday evening, November 19, and in English on Friday evening, November 20, admission is free.

Mrs. O. J. Wood, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mrs. H. W. Giles.

Seaman Percy Dixon, of the Royal Canadian Navy, Halifax, N.S., is visiting friends in town.

Pte. Ralph Copeland, of Farnham, spent the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. Rachel Copeland.

Pte. Gracu Smith, of the C.W.A.C., Montreal, visited her father, Mr. E. S. Smith, last week-end.

Lieut. Douglas Todd, of the R.C.O.C., Barriefield, is spending a furlough with his family in town.

Miss Edith Morrison, of Beauchene, Que., is visiting with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John A. MacGibbon.

Miss Willow Lavery, Mr. Harold McCracken, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brooks, and daughter, Joan, of Montreal, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McArthur.

Dr. A. Rodrigue and Miss Juliette Rodrigue were in Montreal on Saturday to attend the christening of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henri Rodrigue, at the Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal. The child was given the name Michelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fraser, of Belleville, Ont., attended the Lister-Kirkpatrick wedding reception last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McArthur, of Ottawa, and Miss Ethel McArthur, of Almonte, spent a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McArthur.

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Entertained for Bride

Those who entertained for Miss Thelma Kirkpatrick in honor of her marriage, were Miss Florence Lister, at a cup and saucer shower, Mrs. Albert Gauley, at a linen shower, and Mrs. Earl Kirkpatrick, of St. Jerome, at a miscellaneous shower.

Mr. Wm. Copeland returned to his home in Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., on Tuesday after spending the past month with relatives in Lachute and vicinity.


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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

WEIR

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hale, of Verdun, accompanied by friends, spent the week-end at their cottage here.

Members of the W.A. were sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. E. J. Loiselle, Montreal Diocesan President.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Staniforth and sons, Murray and Victor, of Rouge Valley, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams.

Pte. Lionel Labrosse and James Bates, R.C.O.C., of Longueuil, spent the week-end at their respective homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Cowan and daughter, Mildred, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Larose.

Pte. Delmar Rumbolt, R.C.O.C., accompanied by Mrs. Rumbolt and sons, George and John, of Huntingdon, are at present the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Labrosse.

Friends in this community extend their deepest sympathy to Mrs. J. D. Sobey and Mr. Edward M. Schippel, in the death of Mrs. A. E. Schippel.

Mr. Oliver Purcell, of Brownsburg, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mrs. Sherman Beaven and sons, Ernest, Wilfred and Bruce, left on Saturday to take up residence at Bathurst, N.B.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rumbolt, of Lachute, visited friends here for the week-end.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Morrison included the Misses Eleanor Morrison and Lois Horner, of Ottawa, and Mr. Bradley Morrison, of Montreal, attending the Morrison-Fulton wedding and reception.

Send scrap rubber for salvage to your nearest garage.

ARUNDEL

Grant Staniforth, R.C.N.V.R., spent the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. A. J. Staniforth.

The Misses Ethel Cooke, of Montreal, and Winnifred Cooke, of Ottawa, visited Mrs. M. Cooke for the week-end.

Mrs. Mary Moore is visiting her sister, Mrs. Margaret Smellie, for some time.

Mrs. Douglas Cooke was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cooke.

Mrs. Percy Gordon spent a few days in Lachute. Mr. Harold Gordon, who is attending Lachute High School, returned home to spend the week-end.

Mr. Billy Morrison, of Lower Canada College, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. Val Swail, who is attending school in Hudson, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Val Swail, over the week-end.

Messrs. E. Morrison, Harry Bennett and Bentley Dubeau, also Royce Morrison, who accompanied the harvesters to the west, have now returned home.

Mrs. MacRae was a week-end guest of the Rev. and Mrs. C. Cushing at the manse.

Miss Edna Moncrieff, of Greenfield Park, was a guest of her father, Mr. Jack Moncrieff, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cooke have returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. S. Bennett and Mr. Bennett, in Sudbury.

Miss Lila Dobie was a week-end guest of her aunt, Mrs. Jack Alexander. Mr. Alexander also spent the week-end at his home.

Mr. Reg Moss spent the week-end at his home here.

It was with deep regret that we learned of the death of Mrs. A. Gagnon, of New Glasgow, Que. Mrs. Gagnon, wife of the late Rev. C. Gagnon, lived in this parish for a great number of years and won many friends during her stay here. Sympathy is expressed to her family in their great loss.

AVOCA

Alexander Bates, of H.M.S. Oakville, has returned to take up his duties in the Navy.

Mr. Earl MacLeod, upon his return from the West, visited friends in Moosejaw and Regina.

Mrs. Evan Bates entertained the Ladies' Aid at her home last week.

Mr. Leslie Kerr, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bates before entering the R.C.A.F.

Mr. William Arthurs, of Brownsburg, spent Sunday with his family here.

Subscriptions to the 3rd Victory Loan for this division amounted to $3,300.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Sgmn. Lloyd Lilly, wireless operator, R.C.C.S., visited his home for the week-end. Lloyd is taking a twelve weeks' course at the C.S.T.C., Vimy Barracks, Kingston.

Aircraftsman Harry Hooker, R.C.A.F., spent the week-end with his parents, Col. and Mrs. L. M. Hooker.

Others noticed here for the week-end were Misses Evelyn, Jeannette and Freda Wales.

Congratulations to L/Bombadier Lorne Gates for winning his stripe.

Miss Helen Rayson, of St. Andrews, visited with friends in Grenville over the week-end.

L/Sgt. Charles DeWitt and Gunner Roy DeWitt have been appointed to No. 1 Canadian Radio Location Unit, "somewhere" in Britain.

Gunner George Gates, who has recently joined the R.C.A., spent the week-end with his parents.

Miss Lois Perks, of Hudson, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Perks. . . . Mr. Donald Matthews was also visiting at the Perks home for the week-end.

Mrs. Lipscombe has left for Montreal, where she will take up residence.

The Ladies' Aid of the St. Andrews East United Church are holding their annual bazaar on Saturday, November 21, from 3 to 6 o'clock. Afternoon tea will be served and home-cooking will be on sale.

Miss Mary Hunter, after a stay of two months and five days in the Montreal General Hospital undergoing a serious operation, left there recently to convalesce for six weeks with her sister, Mrs. James Home, at 285 Irvine Ave., St. Lambert.

On Friday evening, November 13, the congregation of the United Church gathered about the nicely appointed tea tables in the church hall to pay tribute to their minister and his wife, who are shortly going to Hudson, Que. The Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Wm. MacMillan, the Rev. and Mrs. Thos. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Ewan Albright and Miss Betty Albright brought farewells from the other churches of the village. Mr. W. J. Rodger, as chairman, presented the Rev. J. A. Mowatt with a cheque as a goodwill token from the congregation. Piano solos by Miss Betty Albright and songs by little Jean MacAdam were much enjoyed.

MILLE ISLES

Mr. Geo. Connelly and Mr. John Williams, of Montreal, spent Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Captain and daughter, Beryl, spent Tuesday of last week in Montreal.

Among those who entertained in honor of Miss Thelma Kirkpatrick was Mrs. Earle Kirkpatrick, at a miscellaneous shower.

Friends of Mr. Wm. Jas. Pollock are pleased to know he is improving in health after undergoing treatment in Montreal.

TOOK HER MANGLE IN CITY SALVAGE

Southampton, Eng. (CP)—With soap rationed, fuel and water scarce, the British housewife is having her share of trouble getting the washing done. But the burden is accepted stoically and one Southampton woman even took her mangle out into the back yard to save electricity in the kitchen. She wasn't so stoic, however, when, after leaving for a minute, she returned to find the mangle gone. It had been taken by the city salvage squad.

SKETCHING OLD HOUSES P ROVIDES PAY AND PLAY FOR OVERSEAS CORRESPONDENT

Specially Written for the Midland Free Press and The Lachute Watchman

By MARGARET BUTCHER

Reading, Eng.—Technically, I suppose, I am an out-of-work; yet never was a body busier. I am still hanging about, waiting to clear up those family affairs—which I could not do if I were working in an office. Meanwhile I have been doing something which certainly fills the gap. For hours at a time—so absorbing is it—I can even forget the war, though that seems impossible till one experiences it.

It all began on Saturday afternoon, when I set off, a pack the size of a cottage on my back, and cycled into the country to make a sketch of a charming little sixteenth-century house. I thought it would do me good to try my hand at that sort of thing again, for I was feeling stale, news-bothered and altogether horrid.

We all know what it is to feel like that at times. It is something to be fought—not encouraged; so I tackled it the best way I could think. And no sooner had I started than out rushed the owner of the house. I thought, for one nasty moment that she was going to shoo me off, but far from it.

"Oh!" she exclaimed, with delight in her nice face, "I've been longing for somebody to do my little house. Will you let me buy it when you've finished?

Really Useful Work

And that is how it all began. Now I am spending almost all my time in bustling around, paint-box and all; and curiously enough, folk seem to regard it as really useful work. I was a bit afraid at first, in a quiet way, that they would imagine I was somebody slacking about and never doing a hand's turn in these times, but nobody has even hinted as much, praise be.

In fact, I have just finished one for a delightful couple: a retired medical missionary and his wife. When I left them—full of happiness to have a sketch of their beautiful home—he said to me, in a lovely way: "Well, good-bye; and God bless your brush, and may it prosper and give pleasure to many. Believe me, you're doing good and useful work in this. There is so much ugliness in the world now, and somebody must try to preserve beauty. You go right on with it."

It is years since I sketched seriously; in fact I thought I had dropped all that for ever; but it is coming back, and I'm recapturing the forgotten knack—and finding new ones too. It was my dear friend up in the North who told me to do it, and I'm grateful to her for the encouragement she gave me, and the luck her kind words have brought; for it is not easy going to be marking time between jobs naturally. One still has to go on eating and what not.

Cannot Place Me

What interesting people I am meeting! They can't quite make out at first, of course, and—aren't we a funny nation?—they don't quite know where to "place" me. I can see them hovering around wondering if I should be more comfortable having a snack in the kitchen, or taking pot-luck with the family in the dining room. Up to now it has always proved to be the dining room, so I suppose I have managed to make the grade. But you will gather from this that I wear my worst rags on these occasions; and why not? Blobs of paint and showers of rain do not add to one's clothing, and I'm taking no chances. Another thing about this is that I seem to be filling a gap in the Christmas present crisis; for what can one buy now? Coupons and 'points' have put paid to candies and clothing; and there is another angle too, I find: people want pictures of 'home' to "show the boys when they come back." For one never knows in these days of blitzes, does one?

Handsome Canadians

Everywhere I go there are Canadians now: jolly, handsome fellows, always ready with a cheery word and a greeting. They look healthy and happy, and one told me yesterday that he is so contented here that "it will be hard work" to get him out of England when the war is over.

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

Hints for Homebodies

By Jessie Allen Brown

RADIO PROGRAMS

There are a number of women who dislike having the announcements from the Wartime Prices and Trade Board tied up with a daily serial. They want to listen to them but they don't want to have to listen to the serial. They feel it unsuitable to have this important information given at such a time. It is difficult to please everyone and undoubtedly the Board has recognized the great interest so many women have in so-called soap drama, and they have felt they would be surer of an audience if they tied their announcements up with a drama. It might be a way out of the impasse if they made all announcements at the beginning of the program and then those who did not want to listen to the serial could tune out without missing anything important. What a chore it must be to try to please everyone with programs. The other day a woman remarked that she hated to miss R. B. Farrel. Now in our house the minute he starts, there is a race for the radio to see who can turn it off first. For one thing we can't stand his voice. I was alone in the house one day and I thought I would listen to him and see if I could see why people like him. I still can't see it. He talked a lot and said nothing. Yet he is said to get about the most fan-mail. When I saw what he had earned last year at the CBC with his writing and broadcasting I have a healthy respect for his earning capacity. I doubt if there is any one program which pleases everyone, human nature being what is it.

POSTPONE BUYING

Most of us know of someone who is scurrying around buying things she thinks may be scarce. I can't see the sense of it, especially with wearing apparel. If the truth be told, the choice of wearing apparel is largely governed by fashion. If things are not obtainable, they will not be fashionable; so when we wear these things we will be out of style. Far better to buy things only when and if you need them. We may think we are going to need certain things but when the time comes may find we did not require them at all. Let us all buy as little as we can.

SOUP OF THE EVENING

Have you ever tried serving soup and crackers for evening refreshments? You will be surprised how it is welcomed. There are a good many people who find that eating at night disturbs their sleep. But they are able to take something as light and easy to digest as soup without distress. Cream soups make a good choice. Have fou ever tried mixing two varieties? Mushroom, pea, or celery soup are good mixers and seem to fit in with any other soup. Chicken soup blends well with any one of the three. It is a good trick to heat them in a double boiler and then they can stand until the exact moment for serving arrives without watching. If you are playing bridge, you may be sure the last rubber game will go on and on. Soup is a specially good choice this year as it obviates the necessity of serving either tea or coffee.

BAKING POTATOES

Potatoes are one of our best foods and when we bake them we get the worth of our money. I keep a basket beside the bag of potatoes and when I come to a nice potatoes they are all ready picked out. In many city stores you can buy special baking potatoes—and pay a special price for them, too. Fortunately most people like baked potatoes, so serve them often, as they are good for you.

BRAISED SHORT RIBS OF BEEF

Brown short ribs of beef, cut into pieces for serving, in a frying pan. Put in a covered dish. Rinse out the frying pan with a little water and add this to the short ribs, using enough water to cover the bottom of the pan. Add salt and pepper. Cover tightly and cook in a moderate oven of 300 degrees until tender, about 3½ hours.

CHOCOLATE CRUNCHIES

1 Large chocolate bar, cornflakes, 3 tablespoons butter.

Melt the chocolate bar (the kind that was fifteen cents before the tax went on), and the butter in the top of the double boiler. Remove from the fire but keep the chocolate mixture over the hot water, then stir in cornflakes, all it will take, and it will take considerable. Drop from a teaspoon on a buttered cookie sheet and let stand until set.

MAPLE PARFAIT

½ Cup hot maple syrup, 2 eggs, separated, 1 cup cream, dash of salt.

Pour the hot syrup over the beaten egg yolks, add the salt, and cook until thick, stirring steadily. Chill. Whip the cream until it just comes to a peak, then fold in the chilled mixture. Freeze.

"The Hidden Enemy"

Good health is a national asset; in wartime it is a vital weapon. No country can play its full part on short rations, and the old adage that a soldier marches on his stomach is equally true of the farmer, the industrial worker and the wartime home-maker. Well-balanced diets are as important as guns and planes, and good health has been known to step up production, heighten the tempo on more than one industrial front, stiffen morale at home. Because there are thousands of people all over Canada with less time for marketing and menus, and because improper selection of foods may lead to reduced efficiency, the CBC is focussing attention on this important problem of nutrition in a special new broadcast feature, "The Hidden Enemy".

The series will offer a complete list of the simple nutrition rules necessary to buoyant health and a fully efficient population. "The Hidden Enemy" will be presented in thirteen episodes written by Tommy Tweed and produced by Sydney S. Brown. Dr. Elizabeth Chant Robertson, noted Canadian authority on nutrition, will be advisor for the series, which commenced Wednesday, November 18, at 10.15 p.m., and will be continued weekly at the same hour.

A.T.S. FOR SIGNALS

London (CP) — To release men for service abroad, "Mixed" signal units and sections, consisting of Royal Signals personnel and A.T.S. girls have been formed in Britain.

London (CP)—"If only women ran the world there would be no more wars in the future," Mrs. Beatrice Wright, Conservative M.P., said at the annual meeting of the National Council of Women.

Mattie Rotenberg



A broadcaster whose voice known to women all over Canada makes her portrait bow herewith. Mrs. Rotenberg, who is so energetically active in women's affairs, is a typical Canadian wife and mother who practises the common sense she preaches. Capable home manager and mother of five lively youngsters, she has found time to be a leader in club life and director of a progressive school. She holds her Ph.D. degree in Physics and since the war has been attached to the Department of Physics, University of Toronto. She will be heard over the National network Friday, November 27 at 4.18 p.m. EDT, in the closing broadcast of the series, "War Womanpower."

Good Night

Good-night beloved, you cannot hear me over there—
I send you all my love, a kiss, a prayer—
Although I sometimes weep, you will not see my tears;
God guard you while you sleep, and through the years.

Good-night beloved, you cannot see me over there,
And yet, I see you still, your presence lingers everywhere;
Remembering all the things you loved to do, your happy smile.
God will take care of you to-night, rest for awhile.

Good-night to all the boys, way over there—
Those brave boys, on the sea, on land, those heroes of the air—
Into the hell of war, each loved one worthy of a crown,
God will watch over you, we with His help, will never let you down.

—A. Petersen, Overbrook, Ont.

NEUTRAL SWEDEN'S BOOMING BIRTHRATE

Stockholm (CP) — Births throughout Sweden during the second quarter of 1942 numbered 30,551, the highest figure since 1922, it was reported today. The increase over the 1941 figure for the same period was 3,003. There were also 4, 697 more births than during the same period in 1940.

Sketching Old Houses . . . (Continued from page 6)

Another—now looking the picture of health — is recovering from an extraordinary accident. He broke his neck — believe it or not — and the surgeons have put him right, after months of work on him. He tells me that he knows of nine similar cases, all on the road to recovery. When he came round, after the accident, his entire body was paralysed, but now nobody would guess that anything had happened to him, so splendid does he look.

Then there was the very large young man who (naturally) is known as 'Tiny'. He is an ex-policeman, having entered the Force when he left Oxford, where he was studying. The Battle of Britain put him out of action, both his feet being injured during rescue work in a blitz. During that episode he was busy rescuing a girl who had been hanging upside down from a rafter for seven hours and the young woman, when she was brought out by Tiny, was full of apologies for being caught in such an undignified position. It worried her more than anything else. But poor Tiny's best friend was killed beside him—and how he hates the Paperhanger's Boys for it!

By the way, his name—a very unusual one—is Muttlebury, and he thinks his only living relatives are in Canada. He would be tremendously interested to get word from any Muttleburys, so if a letter should come my way . . . well, I'll see that it's forwarded to the right quarter.

Worse Than Torpedo

And I must not forget the charming, bright-eyed young woman who had just been torpedoed on her way back from Australia. "The maddening part of it is," she said, "I've lost my fur coat." Her healthy body and mind have shaken off the effects of that adventure, but she is going to feel the want of that fur coat for many months, with another winter almost on top of us, you may be sure.

My sketching adventures have also brought me in touch with a little woman who is doing wonderful war work: looking after evacuated children from East End of London. She has a half-dozen at a time in her cottage, and a nice handful they are, to be sure. But she manages; and she said to me: "Can you tell the overseas people how grateful I am to the Red Cross? Those Canadian supplies, for instance. It's grand stuff they are sending. I've known a delicate child to change completely in a fortnight on the dried milk, for example. It's been the making of lots of them." Well, there's the message, anyway; and I seem to have a lot of messages this time, don't I? But it all shows the right spirit. "Get through to our friends over there," is what people are saying to me, in one way and another, all the time.

That is the real feeling, and I, for one, deeply mistrust anything else. Who knows how those occasional whiffs of criticism are sent out? Anybody with any horse-sense would suspect the source of them. Occasional grumblings there always will be, since we're all human, but, speaking for myself, I have never met a first-hand, authentic case for real complaint. There are naughty boys and girls, all the world over, just as there are always little jealousies, no matter where one goes; but if we were living in a perfect world there wouldn't be a war on at all, would there?

So I, in my small way, go on waving a hand or calling out "Good luck!" when I see any of the Canadian boys on the road; and I certainly mean it. And if I happen to have a Canadian newspaper in my pack it always finds a welcome home in the pocket of somebody's tunic.

N.C. OF W. PROTESTS

London (CP) — The National Council of Women annual conference recorded "profound horror and sustained indignant protest" against the "heinous crimes" of the German army and their associates against women and children in occupied countries.

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She was no Ugly Duckling in Her Youth; Her Descendants Needn't Worry About Restricted Beauty Aids

By Betty Clarke

Maybe the horse and buggy days are coming back. Maybe restrictions will take some of your beauty products. Who cares? Even so, you won't be an ugly duckling. Grandma was a beauty and she never heard about priorities! In her romantic days she whipped up most of her beauty preparations right in the kitchen.

The facial mask which kept grandma's skin lovely and smooth sounds like the morning porridge. She boiled a handful of oatmeal in water and when cool enough spread it on her face. Other times she beat up the white of an egg and lathered her face with it. No, she didn't have blackheads. Once in a while she put a thin layer of cream on her face and held her head over a basin of boiling water to let the steam remove impurities.

Pinch of Borax

The good old rain barrel was a help to grandmother's flawless complexion, too. She wouldn't think of washing her tender skin with hard water. If no rain water were available, she used a pinch of borax to soften the hard water. Grandmother's bath was "fixed" with a cupfull of cornstarch. Some of the stage stars of the day put crushed strawberries in their bath water.

When she got suntanned (which wasn't often) she bleached the tan and freckles with buttermilk. Sliced cucumbers soaked in skim milk, or a dash of lemon juice in fresh milk, were also her standbys for bleaching.

If the bloom in grandma's cheeks wasn't natural, it was next to it. She simply scrubbed her cheeks to a blush with hot water and a washcloth. She didn't need rouge.

Oatmeal Hands

Grandmother's hands were kept lily-white this way: Every time she washed her hands, she dried them thoroughly by plunging her hands into a bowl of dry oatmeal. If they happened to be the least bit rough, she scrubbed them well with cow's cream.

Eggs in Her Hair

She was proud of her crowning glory, too. While she didn't shampoo as often as the modern girl does, her hair was kept clean by daily brushing. Her shampoo was a couple of eggs, whipped to a froth and then rubbed into the roots of her hair.

Meeting Hardships

A Chicago woman, it seems, was taking lunch one day late this summer at the home of a friend in a fashionable Eastern resort, a woman who still is running a large establishment with many servants and gardeners. The hostess expressed her pride in the manner in what she described as her class in meeting changes in its way of living.

"We are meeting hardships with fortitude and grace", she said.

"But, my dear," said one of the guests, "your life doesn't seem changed. You seem to be living with the same ease and elegance.

"No. I, too, have had to adjust my life, and it is much changed", said the woman. "But I get along quite well." There was a trace of nobleness in her tones.

"I", she explained, "have no kitchen maid now, and the second footman has been drafted."

—Chicago Sun



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Bernard Shaw Claims Wife Didn't Say it

London (CP)—"A very old lie—too stale to be swallowed." This is George Bernard Shaw's rejoinder to a speaker recently reported as saying that "Mrs. Bernard Shaw is declared once to have said with reference to her famous husband, 'At home I always put beef juice into his salad and he never knows it."

Shaw adds, "I had difficulty in preventing two ladies who cooked for me from suing the papers in which it (the story) appeared and it still infuriates my consort."

Women Urged to Ask For Representation At Peace Table

Among the recommendations made by the Dominion Board of Women's Institutes to the Provincial Boards is that rural women shall ask for representation at the Peace Table, at the close of the war. It is felt that as women are taking an active part in the war services they will be entitled to a voice in making the conditions under which the country will be controlled in future as regards war.



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CANADIAN VIEWS WARTIME SOCCER IN OLD BRITAIN

Writer Gives His Impressions of Typical Crowd at Game

By Douglas Amaron,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

London (CP)—An International Football game, even in wartime, has all the thrills and frills of a Canadian rugby final.

Bands, tremendous crowds whose roars bely the British tradition of reserve, ribbons and colored hats, are all part of the game. In fact, the only things missing to a Canadian spectator are cheer leaders and fur coats. But fighter planes flew low over the field—their shadows streaked the turf. Wartime's biggest crowd appeared to cram every inch in Wembley's mighty Stadium for the first International of the season, between England and Scotland, and the solid mass of 75,000 people left one wondering where the other 50,000 persons were accommodated in the pre-war capacity days of 125,000.

Within the stadium the excitement began early. The Scots in multi-colored balmorals and wearing thistles and tartan ribbons on their coats, and the English, with roses and red and white ribbons, didn't wait for the teams to appear to begin shouting.

Music and Singing

The band of the Scots Guards entertained them with a half hour of music. Then a song leader took over for a half hour's community singing. The players lined up before a beflowered box to be introduced to Cabinet ministers and other guests of honor and then, after a five-minute warmup, kicked off to start the game.

As a contest, the International lacked the fire of a Canadian rugby game, but the skill of the 22 players, all but three of them service men soon brought cheers even from first-time spectators. It was what the English called a "hard, defensive match."

Goals Ruled Out

England scored two goals, to the delight of their supporters who shouted and whistled in glee until the referee called them both back. Being English, they didn't boo the decision, but there was no mistaking the decision in their shouts — something like a Bronx cheer dressed in an old school tie. Half time (and tea and buns) came after 45 minutes and the pipe and drum bands of a Canadian army division were vociferously welcomed. For 15 minutes 60 pipers and drummers marched up and down.

There was more excitement in the second half and the shouting this time reached its crescendo as goalers dived across the nets to block point-blank shots, and speedy outsides weaved in and out among their opponents with the ball seemingly stuck to the toes of their boots. But there were still no goals and the unsatisfactory decision of a scoreless draw sent the spectators home just a little disgruntled.

"Can't Escape Forever" Is Newspaper Story

For rough-going excitement in a movie, says George Brent, there's nothing quite like a newspaperman role.

Brent should know. He's played lots of them, and now does another in "You Can't Escape Forever", which appears tomorrow and Saturday at the Rex Theatre. He has also played practically all other kinds of roles involving blood, battle, mayhem and murder. He says the newspaperman parts top them all for action.

That explains Brent, is because the movie fourth estate representative invariably is a combination of Pulitzer Prize reporter and Sherlock Holmes detective. He not only scoops the town, but he scoops the police by beating them to the solution of blood curdling crimes.

With this Brent has no fault to find. Covering Rotary Club meetings and Chamber of Commerce banquets may be an important phase of newspaper work, but it isn't the most exciting. In doing right by their patrons, the movies are perfectly justified in picturing the thrill side of the newsman's job, he holds.

And, if the film reporters solve a few more crimes than the regulars on the police beats there should be no serious objections. After all, Brent says he has some newspapermen friends who have solved crimes for the police.

In "You Can't Escape Forever" Brent runs up against a new, war-created type of gangster. In line of his duties, regular and extra-curricular, he has to battle with fist and foot in a rough and tumble mob fight, skirt precariously around third-story window ledges and perform all manner of daring stunts.

By way of compensation, he gets to kiss Brenda Marshall. He does not get to boot the managing editor. He is the managing editor.

Others in the cast are Gene Lockheart, Roscoe Karns and Edward Ciannelli.

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Is there anything else quite so mysterious or baffling as a doctor's penmanship? asks the Estevan Mercury. Those amazing hieroglyphics, scratched upon a prescription pad with awe-inspiring nonchalance defy the layman's sense of rhyme or reason. They might be anything from Tutankamen's autograph to the wandering footprints of a chicken which had recently stepped in an ink bottle.

One patient, we are told, obtained his bottle of medicine with the doctor's prescription and then, borrowing the mystic document from the druggist, used it for years as a railway pass; twice passed it as an invitation to a formal dance; once presented it as a recommendation from his employer; loaned it to a friend of his wife as a recipe for Welsh rarebit which, incidentally, made a great hit; and finally as a master stroke of ingenuity, had his daughter play it on the piano for him one evening after dinner. He is now preserving it carefully for the day when he makes his appearance at the Pearly Gates.

—Carleton Place Canadian

When the squirrel hoards he keeps food from rotting. When the human hoards, he keeps food from his neighbor.

Conductor



Kathleen Parlow, Alexander Chuhaldin, Samuel Hersenhoren and Geoffrey Waddington are some of the leading Canadian musicians who have influenced the career of handsome young Ivan Romanoff. A native of Toronto, (he was born the first year of the First World War) Ivan received his first musical training at the hands of the Ukrainian Cultural Society of Toronto, went later to the Toronto Conservatory, skipped school many times to attend concerts, swims and goes to the movies for recreation. Recently he moved from the first violin section to the conductor's stand, is currently giving CBC listeners a romantic half-hour on Fridays at 9.30 p.m. EDT over CBY and the Southern Ontario network with a balalaika orchestra, vocal quartet and soloist Elena Pezhukova.



Lachute Scout Troop Visited by Commissioner and Field Secretary

— By John Assad —

Last Wednesday, November 11, the Lachute Troop of Boy Scouts entertained a distinguished visitor in the Scouts' hall. The visitor, Mr. Allan, Provincial Commissioner for Quebec, was accompanied by Mr. Hicks, Field Secretary for the province.

Mr. G. Y. Deacon, Mr. H. M. Gall and Mr. J. E. Walker, members of Group Committee of this Troop, were at the hall to meet Mr. Allan.

The Commissioner presented "Assistant Scoutmaster" warrants to Edmund McFaul and the Rev. B. J. Thorpe. He also presented a certificate for life saving to John Assad.

Mr. Hicks, who visits the Troops two or three times a year, is popular with the boys, who expressed the wish to have him and Mr. Allan visit them again.

The Lachute Troop has a fine record of war work. Among the leading boys are John Giles, Donald Hooper, Jack and Sonny Ogilvie, and Frank Bedard.

On October 30, a Scout party was held, which proved both entertaining and successful. The Scouts are grateful to Mr. and Mrs. George Leggett for their help in the entertainment.

Friends in the North

Good friend of men and women who carry law, science and human compassion to the far north, CBC's Northern Messenger, stands beside them once again. For the ninth consecutive year this sky messenger will bridge the wastelands, gather to the hearthside circle sons and daughters who dwell on the rim of the Arctic, dream of the folks back home. Long-time friend of Northern Messenger's friends is producer Sydney S. Brown who officiates again this season. Programs which began November 13 are recorded, sent on their way from the Winnipeg studios Fridays at half after midnight will run throughout the winter months to March 26, 1943. English messages are to be recorded at Toronto studios, French messages at Montreal, so please send all communications to CBC Northern Messenger, Toronto, for English language messages, Montreal for French language messages.

Betty Speirs



Montreal's celebrated teacher of dancing, who will conduct classes in ballet, toe and tap dancing for the children of Lachute. A conditioning class for ladies will also be featured. Miss Speirs will be pleased to meet those interested at McArthur's Hall at three o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

Battery Needs Care If Car Laid Away For Winter Months

Here is a word of advice to those who, due to the present gasoline and rubber shortage, have to leave their sleek zephyrs or "Leapin' Lenas" in the garage. When a car stands idle its wet storage battery rapidly "self discharges" due to internal chemical action. This is especially true when the battery is kept in a warm spot. When the battery becomes partially or completely discharged the positive plates buckle due to sulphation. It is therefore a wise car owner who sees to it that his car battery, if idle, is fully charged at least every 30 days, and also that it is kept in a cool dry place.

BEHIND BARBED WIRE

"The only thing that will stop Scouting in England is that which stopped it in Germany—the concentration camp, and even then I believe it would go on behind barbed wire." — An Imperial Headquarters Commissioner.

Make the most of your Tea.. warm the tea-pot first "SALADA"

W.I's Asked to Stress Substitute Refreshments

The Consumer Branch of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board has asked the Q.W.I. to stress the use of substitute refreshments for tea and coffee, cakes and cookies. As something hot seems necessary after the long drives which W.I. members must take to and from their meetings in certain localities, the use of hot milk dishes, as chowders, cream soups, bouillons and purees has been suggested as both healthful and within the reach of most rural women.

TRAIN ENGINEERS FROM SCHOOLDAYS

London (CP)—A plan to train men as engineer officers for the British armed services has been made open to youths between the ages of 16 and 19. The government will pay education fees and a living allowance to successful applicants. The course is open to men already in the services and also to those not yet called up.

COMING EVENTS

CHURCH BAZAAR

The annual bazaar and sale of home cooking of the Ladies' Aid Society of Lachute United Church will be held in the church hall on Friday afternoon, November 20, from 3 to 6 p.m. Tea will be provided from their rations by the members. N19-2c

DANCE

A dance will be held in the L.O.B.A. Hall, 14 Hope Street, Lachute, under auspices of Laurentian Lodge No. 943, on Saturday, November 28. Admission 25c. Please keep the date open. M26-2c

ANNUAL BAZAAR

The Ladies' Aid of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church are holding their annual bazaar on Friday, Nov. 27, from 3 to 6 o'clock, in the church hall. Tea supplied from members' rations. N19-2c

FIREMEN'S BALL

The annual dance, sponsored by our local Fire Brigade, will be held in the Auditorium, on New Year's Eve, Thursday, December 31. There will be good music and the usual good time may be looked forward to. Further particulars later.

SHOWGIRLS AT WORK

London (CP) — In Britain, the word "showgirl" doesn't necessarily mean just that. Two members of the cast of "Wild Rose" playing at a West End theatre report for work after doing war work. One inspects nuts and bolts in a munitions plant and the other is a nurse tending patients in a hospital.

REX Cut House Hints

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GEORGE BRENT,
Brenda Marshall, Gene Lockhart,
You Can't Escape Forever
Lupe Velez, Leo Carillo,
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FOX NEWS

SUN., MON., NOVEMBER 22-23
Veronica Lake, Robert Preston,
THIS GUN FOR HIRE
Gloria Jean, Donald O'Connor,
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And: DOG TROUBLE

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WED., THURS.,
NOVEMBER 25-26
Fay BAINTER, Edward ARNOLD
The War Against Mrs. Hadley
Cesar ROMERO, Carole LANDIS,
A Gentleman at Heart
And: GOING TO PRESS

CAPITOL

FRI., SAT., NOVEMBER 20-21
FAY BAINTER,
EDWARD ARNOLD,
JEAN ROGERS,
The War Against Mrs. Hadley
John Hubbard, Martha O'Driscoll,
YOUTH ON PARADE
PARAMOUNT NEWS

SUN., MON., TUES.,
NOVEMBER 22-23-24
Errol FLYNN, Alexis SMITH in
GENTLEMAN JIM
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Store Closing By-law Passes Third Reading in Council

Effective December 16, Regulates Hours of Business Establishments

Barber Shops Close All Day Tuesday

Debated Issue Settled at Special Meeting

After a turbulent manhandling in its presentation, the new closing by-law, No. 162, of Lachute Town, passed three readings before Council at a special meeting on Friday, November 20. Notice for proposal of the by-law was given by Alderman S. McFaul, but at the meeting scheduled for its debate, November 4, the bill was shelved for further study. Subsequent discussions among the merchants brought no constructive changes, however, and the original text of the law as prepared by Georges Héon, attorney, stands unmodified. The by-law replaces existing ordinances Nos. 106 and 136 which have governed store-closing hours to this date, and becomes effective December 16.

Among the merchants present to witness the proceedings an objection was raised that the bill could not be passed at this special meeting, inasmuch as at the previous council session it had been postponed "until next regular meeting". This technicality was dispensed with by reference to the minutes, which showed the matter had been tabled "till next meeting"—no reference to "regular" meeting having been stipulated. The major opposition arose among certain butchers of the town, who considered the hours designated to butchers were inadequate to their business. Chief objectors were H. Pariseau and G. Raymond, and O. Plamondon, president of the textile workers' group, who voiced views of the mill workers. A petition had been drawn up by a number of butchers opposing the schedule. Other petitions, both for and against, had in fact figured in the career of this measure, which has been one of the most contentious rulings debated in Council since the chlorination issue, which was turned down by referendum, to be subsequently overruled by order of the Provincial Health Department.

With Mayor Hector Lamarche presiding, the meeting was brought to order at several junctures, when the discussion became heated even to the point of defiance and personal vituperations. The city fathers were termed "dictators" by one ardent opponent of the measure. The vote was taken, with the following result:

For—A. Guenette, S. McFaul, S. Holt, O. Laurin, A. Bothwell.

Against—Ald. L. St. Jacques, W. Morissette, A. Rochon.

The meeting was adjourned and re-opened, and a recording of votes for the second reading added one more in favor, Ald. J. Speight.

The same procedure was followed for the third reading, and By-law 162 was duly adopted on the town statutes.

Text of By-law

The preamble of the by-law outlines reasons for its adoption as follows:

Whereas the Ministry of Munitions and Supply, through the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, has recently asked the Municipalities of Canada to co-operate with

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Crushed Between Trains at Fresniere

Crushed between two freight cars when two C.N.R. trains backed into each other at Fresnier, near St. Eustache, Rolland Diotte, 23, of Fresniere, was taken to Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, on Tuesday afternoon, suffering from fractures of both legs and severe nervous shock.

The mishap occurred at 2 p.m. and rescue workers chopped through the wreckage for about three hours before they succeeded in freeing Diotte. Five other railway employees who were with Diotte in the caboose of one of the freight trains, jumped to safety as the collision occurred.

Porter With A Duster

An experience which I think may interest your readers (writes a correspondent) came my way while travelling by rail recently. While my train was waiting at a well-known station I noticed one of the wartime women employees waiting apparently for another job to do. Not immediately finding or being given one, she turned round to the seats along the platform, whipped out a duster, and began vigorously to dust all those which were not occupied! The train carried me on my journey with the happy thought that every home may now be a factory, but also the women are going to see to it that every factory — and railway station — shall be a home!

—Manchester Guardian

Edmonton (CP)—Total circulation of the street car branch of Edmonton's public library has been more than 74,000 during its first year of operation. This mobile library unit, first of its kind in Canada, serves in the outlying districts of Calder and North Edmonton. A total of 2,293 loan cards have been issued to adults and children since October 19, 1941.

Miners May Be Reclaimed From Military Service

RELEASE EXPERIENCED MEN FOR LABOR SHORTAGE MINING INDUSTRY

"THE WEEK IN OTTAWA"
By Douglas Green, Canadian Press Writer

Ottawa, Nov. 25 (CP)—Observers here have foreseen a possibility that National Selective Service may seek to have experienced miners now in the forces discharged in an effort to overcome the serious shortage of manpower from which Canada's coal and base metal mines are suffering.

The problem of supplying miners is considered the most pressing one facing Arthur MacNamara, 58-year old associate deputy Minister of Labor, who last week took over the direction of selective service after the sudden resignation of Elliott M. Little. Mr. Little claimed his administration of the post was hampered by the attitude and policies of Labor Minister Mitchell.

Miners In Engineers

When war broke out, many seasoned hard rock miners from Northern Ontario and Quebec joined units of the Royal Canadian Engineers. Some of them went to Gibraltar as members of tunnelling companies. Since then, men have been diverted from gold to base metal properties, and Washington has undertaken to finance the exploitation and re-opening of meritorious Canadian base metal mines as part of a program designed to meet the needs of war industries.

But these steps have proved insufficient to overcome the decline in the number of miners available. Mr. MacNamara has entered upon his new post with the hope he may be able to make selective service work. His handling of the first major problem facing him may prove the criterion upon which his administration will be judged.

Butter Question

Canadians — to paraphrase the old saying — can eat their butter and have it too, if they eat a little less of it than they have been doing. Foods Administrator J. G. Taggart says Canada's handling of butter supplies presents a contrast with the way in which the United States has treated the problem.

In the United States, 40 per cent of the total butter in storage has been frozen for government purchase to meet that nation's requirements for the armed forces and to enable it to fulfil its commitments under lend-lease legislation.

Canada, on the other hand, has ordered butter out of storage for civilian use. The Dominion, with only one-tenth the population of the United States, has more than half as much butter in storage as have her American neighbors.

Furthermore, Canadians will not be rationed by coupons, at least during the next six months. In the period from November until April consumption usually exceeds production. But if all consumers use slightly less butter than heretofore, says Mr. Taggart, there is no reason why shortages should arise in future.

For 1943 Wheat

With many of the outlets for Canada's wheat crop blocked by the war, Trade Minister MacKinnon and Agriculture Minister Gardiner are already working on 1943 wheat plans in hope of devising a method of overcoming the situation presented by bulging elevators and a glut of wheat in storage.

It is considered probable the government may develop the wheat acreage reduction program which was in effect for the last two years.

Under this program, farmers were encouraged to grow grass or course grains on preference to wheat, and those who made such transfers in accordance with the government's program were paid special bonuses. This year the prairies harvested a crop of 607,688,000 bushels, bringing the total wheat in sight to about 1,000,000,000 bushels.

The Canadian government already has more than $400,000,000 invested in wheat, storage charges amount to $50,000,000 annually.

War and Peace: Tanks Pass Through An Old English Village



The peaceful aspect of an old English village is disturbed by the now-common noise of tanks which rumble through on their way to battle training. The tanks seen here are "Covenanter" Mark V's.

Returned Pilot Was on Bomber With N. Bradley

CREW BAILED OUT WHEN BOMBER SHOT DOWN; BRADLEY CAPTURED

A St. Lambert airman who was shot down over Cologne is home on leave with a thrilling story of his escape from enemy-occupied territory. He is P/O Bruneau Angers — and much of his story he declines to tell. A point of interest in these parts is that Angers was on the aircraft of which Sgt. WAG. Norman Bradley was a fellow crew-man. Sgt. Bradley, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bradley, Carillon, bailed out on the same fateful raid when the bomber was shot down. He was listed missing in June last, but later was reported a prisoner of war in Germany.

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The shadowy figures of undercover agents working to assist fliers forced to bail out over enemy-occupied territory, lurked in the background of P/O Angers' story, but all details were refused by the young flier, for security reasons. "If I were to tell you all I know about my successful race for freedom it might militate against the escape of other airmen forced down", he said.

In 1,000-Plane Raid

Angers had already taken part in a raid on the Renault works in the Paris suburbs, a task carried out easily against an absence of defences, when he took part in the thousand-plane raids that scourged Essen, Cologne and Bremen. "Essen was something of a hoodoo", the clear-eyed young flier declared. "We had one of our engines shot away and had to crash land on reaching an Airdrome in England. But when we went in over Cologne, it was even worse. That time we did not return in the orthodox manner. Our pilot, Emily LeBlanc, an Acadian, and affectionately known in the squadron as "The Little Bomber" was killed, and the rest of us were forced to bail out.

"I was the first to jump. We were then at 4,000 feet and at 3,000 I released the parachute, while searchlights were trained on us and flak was bursting all around. I landed in a tree and had to make a 24-foot jump, pulling my parachute after me. I was pretty badly shaken up, suffering concussion of my spinal column, and shock to my ribs and ankles which were 'turned'. The rest of the story, I am afraid, I cannot tell you".

To further questioning, however, the young airman, who was only commissioned from the ranks last month, admitted that a woman was one of those who helped him to effect his escape.

Two Yards From Nazis

"On one occasion", he admitted, "a German search party was only two yards away from us, and we did not know it until they fired at something. That saved us for we concealed ourselves pretty thoroughly until the Germans had passed on."

Angers said that at one time during his two-month journey to freedom, he went without food and drink for two days. The first person he met in his scramble for liberty was unable to speak either French or English, he said, but he agreed that his knowledge of the French language aided him considerably.

Stockholm (CP) — Revision of Swedish army regulations, through which "undependable defence personnel" is rendered harmless, has been announced by Gen. Olof Thornell, chief of Sweden's armed forces.

Stockholm (CP) — Official figures for fall crops showed at least an average return, and in some instances, a better crop than was reported in the fall of 1941.

Stranded Rowboat Mute Evidence Of Triple Drowning, Lake Louisa

Three Montrealers Missing; Residents and Campers Drag Lake in Search of Bodies

Discovery of a rowboat stranded in the southwest bay of Lake Louisa last week-end pointed to the tragic probability of a triple drowning—since three persons who had arrived from Montreal Friday night had not been seen or heard of since that time. The victims (the tragedy may now be considered a certainly) are Frederick C. Raeth, 3563 Durocher Street, his wife and brother-in-law, Joseph Fortier.

The party arrived at Lake Louisa after dark Friday evening, after stopping at Lachute to purchase a bag of coal and some hardwood fuel. Travelling by way of St. Michel they fastened their outboard motor to a boat at the Gagne landing and set out for the cottage, built less than a year ago around a point which is estimated at half a mile from the landing and near the old Gagne farmhouse.

Their boat was discovered Monday, by A. Richer. It had drifted to shore, with the motor still attached and containing articles of clothing and baggage. Search for the boat, which was found near the Larocque cottage, was prompted by Alex Denault, of Lachute. Mr. Denault, a carpenter who also has property at the Lake, had been visited the previous day by F. Raeth, who requested him to do some work on his camp on Saturday. Going to the cottage, as promised, Denault found it locked and unoccupied. Some time elapsed, however, before he became alarmed at the owner's continued absence. He then made enquiries among the campers, none of whom had encountered the trio from Montreal. Their car was found locked at the landing. Later discovery of the drifting boat revealed that it was not Raith's craft but another which he had probably taken fearing his own boat would leak.

Provincial Police were notified of the circumstance. Detectives R. Jargaille and L. St. Laurent were sent to the scene with Traffic Officers L. Leblanc and E. Caron. Dragging operations have been carried on by lake residents and St. Michel farm-dwellers.

Speculations on Cause Of Tragedy

News of the tragedy caused a considerable shock to people in Lachute familiar with the Lake and most of its residents. There have been various speculations as to what occurred. Some believe the heavily loaded boat was swamped by the choppy waters. Others suggest the party must have struck a rock which capsized the boat. Another version is that the vibration of the motor loosened a board in the rowboat. In any event the victims, thrown into ice-cold water, would stand little chance. It is stated none of them could swim. All would likely be wearing heavy clothing; Mrs. Raeth is known to have been dressed in a fur coat over her ski-suit.

At time of going to press, no trace of the bodies has been found.

Well Known in Montreal

Although not widely acquainted in Lachute, the Raeths were well known in the city. "Fred" C. Raeth, 55, was president of the Canadian School of Electricity. Thousands of Montrealers have attended his school, since its establishment in 1924. He was a native of New Orleans and a graduate of the Milwaukee School of Engineering.

Mrs. Raeth was the former Fedora Fortier.

Moose at Home In Farmer's Field

It is reported by a Lakefield resident, Wilbert Sherritt, that a large cow moose has made its habitat on his farm for some time. The animal roams apparently unconcerned by the proximity and interest of human beings, in a field close to the farm buildings. It has attracted the attention of hunters in the district, unaware the beast is virtually a tame moose, and more than one random shot has been fired in its direction.

Mr. Sherritt claims that around Lakefield the deer hunting season, which closed yesterday, has been exceptionally good. On Monday, two Montrealers, Claude Richards and Ernest Johnson, hunting nearby, shot a buck deer weighing well over 200 pounds.

Butter Factory at St. Andrews East Is Gutted by Fire

LACHUTE FIRE-FIGHTERS AVERT SPREAD OF BLAZE TO NEXT PROPERTY

The cheese and butter factory operated by J. Roy in the Village of St. Andrews was swept by fire on Monday night. The blaze, of unknown origin, started in the boiler room. It was noticed by a passerby shortly after midnight, and the alarm was raised. At 12.30 a.m. Fire Chief Geo. Y. Deacon of Lachute was notified by Arthur Fournier, mayor of St. Andrews. The town's auxiliary apparatus with a crew of five men was rushed to the scene. On their arrival the frame building was a mass of flame, but the efforts of the fire-fighters, with two lines of hose laid from the North River at the rear of the factory, were effective in saving the next-door property, a garage situated only two feet from the burning building.

The entire interior of the factory was gutted. Some of the machinery, however, is believed to be salvageable.

According to the proprietor there had been no fire in the boiler since noon on Monday. Roy had gone to the factory himself at 9 o'clock that evening to get butter, and he stated everything was then in order.

CANADIAN ENGINEERS SHOW ALACRITY IN BRIDGE BUILDING — A REMARKABLE FEAT

Another in a series of articles written by W. R. Legge and C. V. Charters, who represented the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association in a recent tour overseas.

(Article No. 8)

— By C. V. Charters —

If I had a job of bridge building to be done any time, anywhere, efficiently and with record speed, I would call on a group of the Royal Canadian Engineers.

It was my good fortune to see these fellows in action and doing a real construction job overseas. They work like demons. A finer body of keen, physically fit Canadians would be hard to find anywhere.

Engineers' Role

Besides preparing for their operational role when the Canadians go into action, the Royal Canadian Engineers have done extensive experimental construction and development work since their arrival overseas.

Aerodromes, camps, roads and buildings have been constructed and will remain for the use of the Imperial Army long after the war has been won and the Canadians returned home. Special development work on mineral resources in the United Kingdom has been undertaken by the Engineers and in special cases the Tunnelling Company — recruited from the hard-rock miners of Northern Ontario and Manitoba — have pierced granite mountains to bring additional waterpower to munitions plants.

The R.C.E. have also been working on new, secret, methods of warfare. Some of their projects include: new bridging equipment for river-crossing; camps constructed in record time; development of Cornish tin mines; construction of strategic roads and by-passes; aerodrome construction; special water-diversion tunnelling; Base Ordnance Workshop constructed, largest project ever undertaken by Army Engineers; training in bomb disposal work; tunnelling and construction work in Gibraltar.

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Child Killed in Fall at Montebello

Lise Robert, 12-year-old daughter of Norman A. Robert, general merchant at Montebello, died in an Ottawa hospital on Monday of injuries suffered when she fell from the verandah on the third floor of a convent at Montebello.

The child was with several classmates at the time on the way to morning classes in the convent. The girls with her could give no reason for the fall. Coroner Dr. W. J. Costello, of Buckingham, investigated and decided that death was accidental.

Varied Interests Seen in Month's W. Inst. Meetings

PROPORTION OF WORK AND TOPICS HINGES ON WAR EFFORT

The following branches of the Women's Institutes in this county have reported their activities for the month of November . . .

Brownsburg sent 22 parcels to men in the armed forces and one to a nursing sister, arranged to fill ditty bags for the Navy and completed five quilts for the Red Cross. As part of an educational program, 3 films entitled "Churchill's Island", "The Story of Coffee" and Adjusting Your Life's Work" were shown by Principal D. Staniforth to members and friends. A wreath was placed on the war memorial on Armistice Day.

Frontier made and finished two quilts for refugees overseas, as a Red Cross quota. Two papers were read by Mrs. L. M. Gaston, one on "The Benefit of Living under Democracy", the other on "The International Peace Garden".

Jerusalem - Bethany. — Papers entitled "The National Angle" and "Remembrance Day" were read by the convenor of National and International Relations. Arrangements were made to hold a card party and to send parcels to boys in the armed forces. Two quilts were pieced for the Red Cross at this meeting.

Lakefield catered for a turkey dinner at the home of Mr. A. O. Kerr, at which there were about 120 members of the Farmers' Club and friends. The drawing for a basket of apples realized the sum of $11.10.

Lachute made a donation of seeds to be sent to prisoners of war. Miss Tait, a returned overseas nurse of the No. 1 Montreal General Unit, was the guest speaker. Miss Tait gave an account of the work being done by the Canadian nurses in civilian hospitals, and mentioned that her work at one time was chiefly concerned with the bombing victims of Coventry and elsewhere in the Midlands. The Study Group heard an address by Mr. J. MacGibbon, M.P., on "The Government and its Relation to the War", and an impression of his recent trip to the West.

Mille Isles held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Russell Patterson. It was decided to give the usual Christmas donations to the war-stricken children of other countries, instead of to local children. One box was sent to Nursing Sister Philips, and 10 boxes to boys overseas. Mrs. Wesley Dawson read an instructive paper entitled "The Benefits Received from Our Democratic Way of Life". A pin given to Miss Louise Dawson 28 years ago, similar to the Institute pin, was shown. This organization was called "The Home Makers' Club", organized by Miss Fredrika Campbell, cousin of the authoress, M. L. Montgomery.

Morin Heights held their meeting at the home of Mrs. R. J. Seale. Boxes have been packed for boys overseas. Arrangements were made to provide cocoa for the local schoolchildren. A wreath was placed on the war memorial on Remembrance Day. Mrs. Chas. Campbell, convenor of Child Welfare, gave interesting papers entitled "Helping Our Children to Learn", "The Care of the Murdered Vegetable," "Children Can Be Taught Life," and "The Scales of Fairness".

Pioneer—The convenor of this branch was Mrs. Arnold Parker, National and International Relations. The Hymn "O God Our Help in Ages Past" was sung, and the poem, "For the Fallen", was read. An illustrated lecture was given by the Rev. R. J. Thorpe on the Peace River District, and mention made of the benefits received from our democratic way of life; $5, the proceeds of a rug donated by Mrs. Stuart Smith, Beech Ridge, will be used for comforts for the armed forces. A donation of $5 was made to the Children's Memorial Hospital.

Upper Lachute-East End distributed knitting to workers for the Red Cross. Mrs. George MacGibbon was the guest speaker, the topic being National and International Relations.

Hunter Injured By Rifle Bullet

David Luke, 24, of St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac, was taken to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, on Saturday suffering from bullet wounds received in a hunting accident.

According to information given to the hospital authorities, Luke was hunting "in the Lachute area" Saturday afternoon when his 22 calibre rifle went off accidentally, the bullet piercing his left hand and lodging in his left thigh.

MOST BARNYARDS ARE GOLD MINES OF BASIC GOODS

That Hair in Bossy's Ear Is Wartime Need; Pigs' Bristles Make Brushes to Paint Ships

By James McCook,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Ottawa, Nov. 24 (CP) — Even the hair in a cow's ear is of economic importance today as Canada, working under war economy and seeking substitutes for former imports, searches home supplies for essential requirements, officials say.

In peacetime almost no one cared — or even knew — whether cows had hair in their ears or not. But there came a day when camel's hair from Arabia no longer could be obtained conveniently, and a substitute had to be found for artists' and painters' brushes. In the cow's ear was found just what was needed.

For another kind of brush, the stiff, long-lasting hair brush that North America demanded in quantity, the tough Chinese hogs were looked to for the necessary supplies. Then, suddenly no more bristles were available from this source and the Canadian hog was called upon to fill another need.

Now they take the bristles from the Canadian hog's back for bristles, and the soft hair from his stomach to fill mattresses needed by the United Kingdom. Actually, said officials, the Canadian cow and hog en route to the slaughter represent a veritable storehouse of strategic materials.

Everything Used

After the beef and the pork have been taken away by the butcher or the agency shipping food to Britain, many agencies wait for the remnants. Edible fats are used for shortening and inedible ones for soap-making and similar purposes. Glycerine, essential in the making of munitions, is a by-product of soap-making.

The bones become poultry feed, gelatin or fertilizer. The intestines become sausage casings or strings for musical instruments.

Blood is used for making blood puddings, likely to become more popular as the war goes on, and already highly-acceptable food in many countries. Livers are used to treat anemia and pepsin and rennin from the lining of stomachs help human digestion.

Claws, hooves and horns lost some of their value when plastics became popular. Now plastics are needed for war purposes, and their use is again becoming widespread.

CANADA ORGANIZED IN PLANE SPOTTING

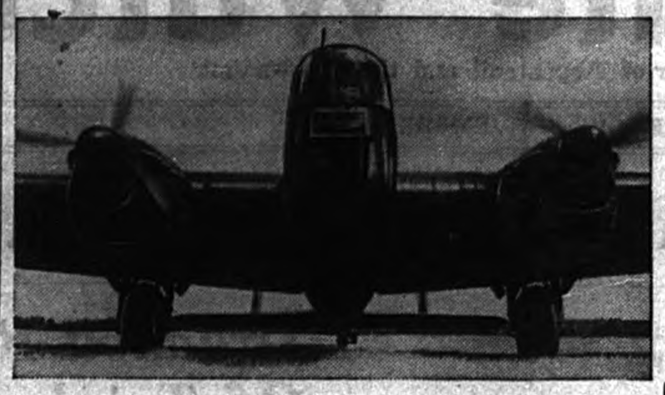
Recent Tests Show System Works Well in Various Kinds of Weather

Ottawa, Nov. 24 (CP)—Efficiency of Canada's aircraft detection corps recently was illustrated during an Ottawa - North Bay flight when, between Pembroke and Mettawa, a distance of less than 100 miles, the plane was reported by 10 observers.

The day the trip was made the weather was hazy and the plane flew at 2,000 feet. The pilot avoided inhabitated areas and did nothing to attract special attention. Only four towns were passed during the trip.

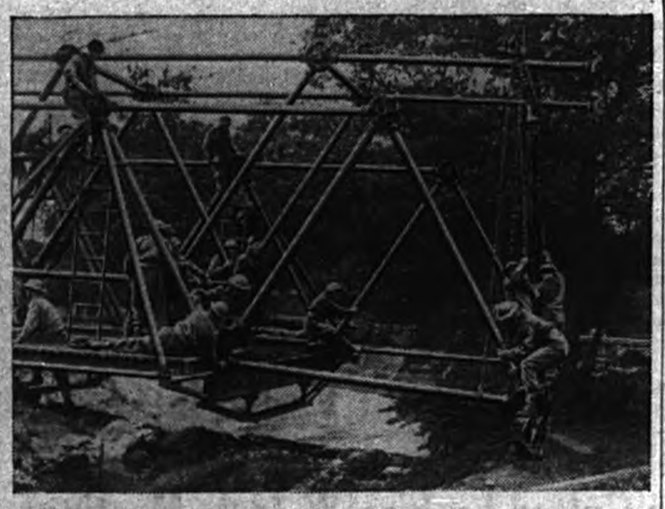
The 10 reports were sent to North Bay and by the time the plane, a Royal Canadian Air Force machine, arrived there, Flying Officer H. Melglund Bouchard of the Corps information centre was able to give the fliers details of their flight. Eleven thousand observers have been recruited throughout the Dominion by the R.C.A.F. They report on every craft they see — friend and foe — from Cape Race on the Atlantic to the Queen Charlotte Islands in the Pacific, and all the way north to the Yukon.

Headed for Germany



Revving up the Merlin engines of an R.A.F. Whitley long-range heavy bomber before she takes off on a raid over Germany. Whitleys are dealing blow after blow at important targets in the industrial heart of Germany.

High-Speed Bridge Construction



This elaborate network of steel girders represents the construction of an Inglis Bridge by the Gantry method, by Royal Engineers at a British School of Military Engineering.

GETS A HOLIDAY FOR OLD SCHOOL

Canadian Naval Officer After Two Years at Sea Gains Life-long Wish

Winnipeg, Nov. 23 (CP)—Lt.-Cmdr. Jeff Brock of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, here on leave after more than two years at sea, realized his ambition when he visited his old school and induced the headmaster to grant the students a half-holiday.

Born at Vancouver, Cmdr. Brock came to Winnipeg as a boy and lived here until 1936. He joined the naval reserve at Winnipeg and when he moved to Vancouver, he continued his activities in the navy. At the outbreak of war he was commander of the Vancouver area. He achieved a long-time ambition when he re-visited St. John's College where he was school captain in 1931-32.

Glasgow (CP) — A Polish professional man just escaped from Nazi imprisonment told of cells reserved for "special examinations" and anybody taken there generly was "carried straight to a hospital and then to a grave".

SWIFT LIFEBOAT GUARDING COAST TO SAVE AIRMEN

Well-Equipped Rescue Craft; Crew Has First Aid and Other Special Training

By Stuart Underhill,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

A West Coast Canadian Air Station (CP) — Speed can save lives and there's plenty of it packed in the powerful engines of R.C.A.F. Montagnais, a 70-foot high-speed rescue boat that can rocket out of this station at nearly 50 miles an hour to bring help to airmen whose planes have been forced down within a radius of 700 miles.

Commanded by FO. Roy Barry of Vancouver, the Montagnais is equipped with a compact operating room and life-saving gear. All her crew have had a smattering of first aid training and one of them, Cpl. W. L. Schofield, of Vancouver, is a full-fledged nursing orderly.

Built Like M.T.B.

The low-lying Montagnais is built along the lines of the motor torpedo boats used by the United States navy and a ride in her across Pacific swells is more exciting than most flights in the aircraft to whose assistance she goes. When the craft smacks down into the trough of a wave there's a spine-shaking jolt and the tops of all doorways are padded to prevent cracked skulls.

F/O. Barry is a veteran coasta! seaman. At the outbreak of the First Great War, when he was 14 years of age, he was stationed on the west coast aboard a Canadian government patrol ship. His son Roy, 18, has spent two years at sea in this war.

Christmas Cards for War Savings Stamps

Ottawa, Nov. 24 — Thousands of Canadians will find it easier to give War Savings Stamps and Certificates as Christmas gifts next month, as the result of plans now completed by the National War Finance Committee.

Through the co-operation of the Canadian Greeting Card Industry, a whole series of 1942 War Savings Stamp Christmas cards has been produced in striking designs. All cards are printed in five colors, and the inside pages are finished in color, with a place for affixing War Savings Stamps, which may be purchased at the stores carrying the cards. In addition, the National War Finance Committee has produced Christmas greeting cards in two attractive styles for Savings Stamps, and two other types for War Savings Certificates. These, with envelopes to fit, are to be obtained free of charge at Post Offices and banks throughout Canada. War Savings Stamps and Certificates, to be placed inside the cards, may be purchased over the counter at the same time, and mailed immediately.

This undertaking is being carried out by the National Committee in the belief that the exchange of Christmas greeting cards is more necessary to public morale in wartime than in time of peace.

BUTTON POLISHER

London (CP) — William Johnstone, cobbler, remembers the bother he used to have shining buttons in the last war. So now, while he operates his cobbling business, he also shines service men's buttons — a complete set for two shillings.

CANADIAN ENGINEERS SHOW ALACRITY IN BRIDGE BUILDING — A REMARKABLE FEAT

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Bridge Building Competition

The afternoon that the press party were privileged to visit them, a competition in bridge building was put on between a Field Company from British Columbia, commanded by Major T. H. Jermyn, Vancouver, representing Western Canada, and a Field Company of Quebec commanded by Major A. S. Rutherford, Montreal, representing Eastern Canada.

The equipment demonstrated in the bridging operations was the F.B.E. (Folding Boat Equipment) S.B.G. (Small box girder) pontoon equipment and another new type of bridge still on the secret list.

Each company fielded three teams. The equipment and sites were selected by draw, and the race was on.

The Job To Be Done

The F.B.E. bridge to be constructed was 120 ft. Stores had to be laid out with the boats on shore. The bridge was judged completed when one vehicle had crossed it. The time was taken at this point. The judges now inspected the bridge. Then the group which had shown such skill and alacrity in creating this sizeable structure immediately proceeded to tear it down. The dismantling was done in the same orderly and efficient manner as the erection. When this work was completed and the stores all neatly and properly laid out, the officer in charge reported to the judges. The total obtainable for this particular item on the program was 115 points.

A Marvellous Feat

In the other event, two gaps of 64' and 48' were successively bridged with S.B.G. Here also the two teams worked with clock-like precision and accuracy.

It was a great show — a marvellous feat of engineering brains and physical strength. The Eastern group from Montreal triumphed by the narrow margin of ten points, so the judges declared, although to us laymen it looked like a draw, so evenly did the two crews finish.

Lt.-Col. D. H. Storms, M.C., of Toronto, was in charge of the bridge building competition. Formerly with the Storms Construction Company, he seems right at home at this type of work. His son is Lt. Peter, also with the Engineers overseas, and his daughter, Mrs. Scandreth, is in England as a M.T.C. driver.

During this very interesting afternoon with the Engineers, we were treated to other demonstrations of technical skill and physical endurance. It was made abundantly clear to us that here is a group applying brain and brawn to the task in hand, determined not to be outdone by anything the enemy may devise, but on the contrary, to outdistance him whenever and wherever possible. The spirit and sparkle of these men was grand to behold. They fully realize the importance of their task.

Meet Ex-Minister

It was during this afternoon with the Engineers that our Ontario press men were privileged to meet and renew acquaintance with Lt. Colin Campbell, R.C.E., former Ontario Minister of Public Works. He had just come back from service in Gibraltar. While there, he was engaged in tunnelling and providing a hospital in the underground rock.

SWEDISH CONTROL

Stockholm (CP)—A four-point, anti-inflation program for Sweden to limit incomes, sharpen price control and alleviate the labor shortage has been outlined by Premier Per Albin Hansson.

WHEN 30,000 DIED

London (CP) — The Quetta (India) earthquake of May 31, 1935, when 30,000 people died, is recalled by the death of Lt.-Gen. Sir Henry Karslake, 63, who as general commanding the district organized rescue work.

TO SKI TO VICTORY

Moscow (CP)—Ski army training has begun in the Urals. Among the coaches is the Soviet Ski champion, Zoya Bolotova, who last year trained 500 skiers for the Red Army.

EXTEND HONORS TERRITORY

London (CP) — Eligibility for award of the George Cross and George Medal has been extended to include civilian members of fighting forces in territories under joint jurisdiction of Great Britain and another power.



"We'll hold your place"

IN EVERY city, town and village throughout Canada today there are gaps where once were young men. They heard a call and put on navy blue, khaki, horizon blue, and they have gone, answering a call : : :

They are missed—missed not only in their homes but also in the business places which once they filled.

They have gone from every institution in Canada; but from none more than from the chartered banks. There is hardly a branch office-from coast to coast which is not today the poorer—and the prouder—for those who thus laid down their pens.

But every branch manager, as he shook parting hands, had this consolation: he could say, "We'll hold your place. It will be waiting for you when you come back. That is a pledge."

So it is the part of those who remain to serve their country in such a way that the promise may be kept: "We'll hold your place."



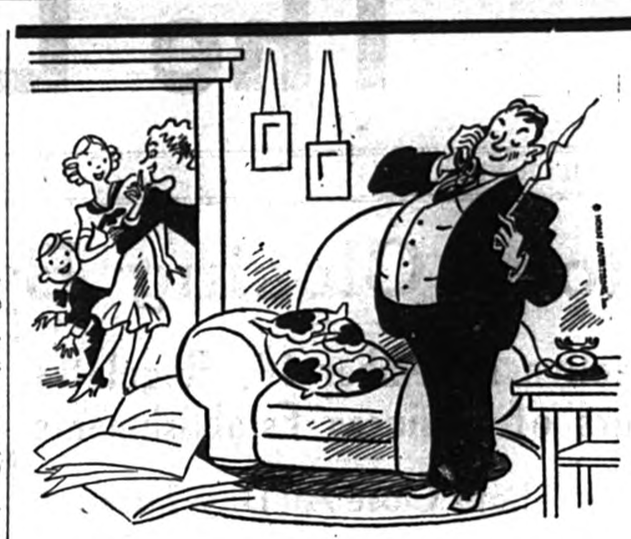
There were 14,433 single and married men from 18 to 45 years of age employed by the Chartered Banks at the outbreak of war. 5,033 — or 35% of them had joined the armed forces by October 31st, 1942; 1,243 others who joined bank staffs since war began have also enlisted.

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Criticize Constructively

In the criticism of public leaders, especially in the emergencies of war, there is a happy medium of discretion. Major General Victor Odlum, newly appointed minister to China, assailed the City of Toronto in a banquet address this week for its persistent criticism of public men. "Nowhere else are tongue and pen so sharp as in this city", said the veteran soldier. His outburst drew a swift retort from the Toronto editors. Odlum had "gone too far", they said.

In the resignation of Elliott Little as Director of National Service, the press of Canada has largely taken up the cudgels of his complaint, namely that the Ministry of Labor has muddled along without directives or policy in regard to manpower, and that progressive action has been hamstrung by lack of co-operation and lack of authority where it is needed.

Criticism is a powerful instrument and a spur to progress. When government enterprises seem inefficient, the voice of the people must make itself heard. The suppression of such privilege is tantamount to the throttling of democracy. In the totalitarian system, the people have no voice . . . Criticism changed the British military command in Libya — with favorable results . . . Criticism has removed many a man from public office when his record fell short of achievement . . . We can, and should, accord our trust and loyalty to those set in authority, yet it is our human right to realize that public men may err, and that errors may be fatal in this critical hour.

General Odlum, however, leaves a thought to be considered and digested: "Why can't we trust our leaders? Can we not differ in opinion without being bitter? Cannot another man hold views which are not ours, without being called everything that is vile?" No wonder Toronto rebels! But it has become a prevalent failing to condemn the man instead of criticizing his views. Let us first concede that, with few exceptions Canada's statesmen have the national welfare as their primary interest, and from there on, let us subdue all personal bitterness.

War Scarcities Reveal New Resources

The appearance of a familiar bloom this Christmas — the poinsettia, that looks out from many cheery windows — may remind you how the war has widened our knowledge of resources. For the poinsettia is actually a commercial source of rubber production. Whether the process will be developed to any practical and appreciable scale, can only be surmised.

An Australian company has already obtained rubber from poinsettias and has acquired large quantities for pressing and extraction. There are millions of poinsettias growing in New South Wales and other parts of Australia, it is said.

A small bottle of sap received from a New South Wales farmer produced 10 per cent pure rubber after the moisture content had been removed. It is thought that, if the method proved commercially valuable poinsettias could be grown like sugar cane.

Tests also are being made on skeleton weed, also known as gum succory, which has been regarded as a noxious weed but which has a sticky milky sap with a definite rubber content. It has been used for rubber in Russia.

A Sad Reflection

One of the sad reflections raised in connection with the Victory Loan is the ease with which billions of dollars can be secured from the public for war purposes — the same public that a few years ago let men beg from door to door and ride on box cars during a depression that these unfortunates were in no way responsible for.

—Almonte Gazette

Big Day for the Scots

The big day for the Scots is here again, with the approach of St. Andrew's Day next Monday, the last of November.

St. Andrew, the patron saint of Scotland, is revered by Canadians, old and young, as every large city across the Dominion prepares each year to do him honor. But St. Andrew has other facets of his "patronage" besides the one celebrated at our Scot-Canadian balls and dinners. Most of us know he was the first disciple whom Christ chose. But not so many know that St. Andrew is the apostle revered by the Russians as the one who brought the gospel to their people; and the highest order of all of the Russians is the Order of St. Andrew, instituted by Peter the Great in 1698. This can lend an additional significance to the moments in banquet when the St. Andrew's celebrants take their "wassail", and when the skean-dhu is drawn to cut down the burning haggis.

Many Cars in Ontario

During a recent visit to Toronto, the editor of the Granby Leader-Mail was very much surprised at the number of automobiles on the streets of Toronto, especially on Saturday and Sunday. Mentioning the matter to a friend who lives in the western part of Montreal, the friend remarked that there seemed to be as many Ontario licences as ever coming into Montreal.

"People of Ontario", writes the editor, "are very quick to suggest that the Province of Quebec is not doing its share in war efforts, yet it certainly looked as if the motorists of Ontario are not trying to conserve gasoline to the same extent as the people of Quebec province."

Answering Manpower Problems

A production boost of 33% in one day and 100% in three weeks is the sort of victory on the home front that has made possible the victory in Egypt. For the battle of Egypt had to be won in the factories, workshops, offices and even homes of the united nations long before it could be won on the desert sand of the Sahara.

Mary is a front line production soldier, who's determined to be on the winning side of this battle at home. She spot-welds wings in an aircraft factory, a job she took on recently to help out the manpower situation. Mary wasn't used to the work and the first enthusiasm soon wore off. She and her bench mates didn't get along and she soon became part of the new problem that putting girls on the assembly lines had created.

A few weeks ago Mary was invited to spend a week-end at a training base for civilian and industrial morale. She came home on Monday morning with a new idea of what she could do to win the war. The idea was good enough to "up" production in her department 33% the very first day that she put it into effect. Three weeks later the foreman reported that co-operation had increased 100%.

Mary's was a simple formula. There wasn't anything very new about it. It worked if you applied it. This is what she wrote out and what the foreman had printed and passed all around the plant.

1. We girls have come to realize how serious the production situation is. It is time for us to act.
2. Instead of fighting each other, we can all fight together.
3. We can avoid wasting time and making mistakes by co-operating with each other. We can admit our own mistakes instead of blaming the other fellow.
4. We, the little people, have made this a great country. She looks to us to preserve her high ideals — clean living, unselfishness and honesty. To save her and these ideals we must begin to preserve them in ourselves. Morale begins right where we are.

Simple isn't it? And it works!

WAR -- TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

By H. H. GORDON Canadian Press Staff Writer

ITALIAN TROOPS, REINFORCED BY BRITISH AND FRENCH DIVISIONS HALTED ENEMY ADVANCE AT PIAVE RIVER

Fighting with a courage born of the knowledge that their homeland was threatened with imminent disaster, Italian troops brought the great Austro-German advance through the frontier province of Venezia to a halt 25 years ago in the First Great War.

Bolstered by 150,000 British and French troops, rushed to the south following the October disaster at Caporetto, the Italians reformed their lines from the Adriatic Sea along the Piave River to the Asiago Plateau. From these positions they hurled back enemy attacks which had lost a good deal of power after a month of heavy fighting.

The retreat to the Piave and the subsequent stand has been referred to as one of the great military achievements of the First Great War. The Caporetto defeat brought about the replacement of Count Luigi Cadorna as commander of the Italian armies. But he was the victim of circumstances and his defensive strategy by his successor at the Piave, marked him as a great military figure.

Shaken by Losses

The Italian army had been reduced by more than 500,000 men, apart from the loss of vast quantities of guns, munitions and supplies. This was the situation when an Allied conference was held at Rapallo on Nov. 4, at which Britain was represented by Prime Minister Lloyd George, Gen. Jan C. Smuts of South Africa and high military authorities. The Supreme Allied Council was created as a result of the Rapallo discussions.

Cadorna was appointed Italian military representative on the Council and Gen. Armando Diaz appointed to replace him at the head of the Italian Army. Diaz understood the Italian soldier, whereas Cadorna's chief fault lay in his inability to obtain the loyal co-operation of his subordinates.

On Nov. 24 it was announced that Gen. H. C. O. Plumer, noted for his successful work at the opening of the Third Battle of Ypres, had been given command of the five British divisions sent to Italy.

Held In Reserve

These troops, and the French force of six divisions, were in reserve when the desperate enemy drive between the Piave and Brenta rivers during the latter part of November was stopped. Attacks continued until the end of the year and the Italians lost more ground in the mountains and more guns and prisoners. But the crisis was past.

Early in December three British divisions took over the Montello sector on the Middle Piave with a similar number of French troops occupying the Monte Tomba-Montfenara Ridge west of the Piave.

The Italian recovery on the Piave was a remarkable achievement and on the result of the fighting depended the ability of Italy to continue playing a principal part in the world struggle. Had Austria been able to move troops from the Italian frontier and assist Germany the course of the campaign on the Western Front in 1918 might have been changed.

Air Raid Protection In Radio Talks

The Provincial Civilian Protection Committee have inaugurated a series of addresses on "What to Do in an Air Raid". There will be a series of 20 broadcasts, one every week on Thursdays on CKAC at 5.45 p.m. in French, and on CFCF at 8.30 p.m. in English.

The lectures in French will be handled by the Provincial Director, Mr. Marcel Gaboury, and the lectures in English will be handled by the Deputy Provincial Director, P. N. Soden.

All people interested in the protection of their homes under air raid conditions should tune in on these programs.

Civilian Defence Article

DUTY OF LOCAL AUTHORITIES TO PREPARE; WE DON'T WANT A ROTTERDAM DISASTER HERE

These articles are especially prepared on the authority of the Provincial Civilian Protection Committee. The statements therein are obtained from first hand information from United Nations' Government Sources.

Written especially by P. N. SODEN,
Deputy Provincial Officer, Civilian Protection Committee

Disaster!—This is a harsh word, but nevertheless it is a fact that we must face. This is what struck Holland when the Nazi hordes invaded Rotterdam in May, 1940. Possibly at that period the greatest disaster that ever struck Holland was caused by air bombardment which devastated the centre of Rotterdam and caused the loss of life of over 45,000 people.

How did this happen? How is it that the German Luftwaffe were able to carry out a blitzkrieg without interruption and cause such terrible suffering? Maybe the answer can be found in the statement made on the occasion of the visit on a later date to Rotterdam by the Reich Commissioner Dr. Seyss-Inquart in a speech which he made, in which he states, "The destruction of Rotterdam was your fault". The Commissioner added that this was not meant as a reproach to the Dutch Commanders, because as a result of the absence of leadership the decisive powers of those Commanders were impaired.

This was vigorously denied by the General Commander-in-Chief of Land and Sea Forces of the Netherlands Government at a date, and a full length statement was issued by this authority. nevertheless, it did happen and the condition that existed during this period was naturally complete chaos.

Another statement made by a German correspondent says, "Dr. Alfred Frankenfeld, who asserted he had visited the city in November, 1940, as well as recently, admitted that the five days' campaign of May, 1940, struck the Dutch port very heavily, comes to the conclusion that the Municipal Council of Rotterdam was actually responsible for the dimensions of the destruction. Reasoning backwards, he contends that the fire of Rotterdam, set by Nazi bombs, would not have lasted anything like a fortnight, or destroyed so large a portion of the City if the city's fire-fighting equipment had not been in so sorry a state. For instance, he says, there were only hand-operated appliances available and — to make things worse — a heavy storm favored the spreading of the flames. Moreover, the water supply failed".

One would judge that the loss of life of the civilians must have been due to the fact that the civic organization had not developed Air Raid Precaution plans to put into operation in case of emergency. If they had, then they did not function. In a statement made by the Commander-in-Chief of the Netherlands Forces, in contradiction of the Reich Commissioner's remarks, he states as follows: "I have thought it fit to free the Dutch defence forces in this manner from the blemish fastened to them; that they should have been the cause of Rotterdam's tragic fate".

It is clearly indicated by these two statements that the Civilian forces themselves were not ready; that apparently no organization plan had been set down by which the people could be guided. They had not, beforehand, been told what to do and where to go.

Has this not been the unfortunate situation existing in many countries? And this will no doubt be the case in Canada in a number of cities if a greater amount of interest is not shown by the Civic Authorities, and also by the citizens.

The lack of interest is appalling. So many responsible people take it for granted that we are not likely to have air raids. It was only a few weeks ago that the Government in Ottawa issued instructions for a blackout for a portion of the coast on the lower part of the St. Lawrence. In all probability air raids will certainly come to us without any warning.

As the war steadily creeps closer to our shores, is it not reasonable to believe that war restrictions of a protective nature will be brought into force suddenly in the great cities of Canada, and particularly more so those that are surrounded by numerous war industries? This is only reasonable thinking. Therefore, every town and city of any size in this Province should give consideration to this basis of preparedness and should seriously set up Civilian Protection Committee organizations to carry out the necessary preparations so they will not be caught unprepared.

Whether Civic authorities realize it or not, it is their duty and their responsibility to see that Civilian Protection Committee organizations are set up, and they should assist them and support them in every way.

We don't want a Rotterdam here.

"Willie," asked the teacher of the new pupil, "do you know your alphabet?"

"Yes, Miss", answered Willie.

"Well, then," continued the teacher, "what letter comes after A?"

"All of 'em", was the triumphant reply.

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History Teacher: "What happened after Napoleon mustered his army?"

Bright Lad: "He peppered the enemy and took the city by assault."

Teacher: "Sit down, my lad. I've had enough sauce from you."

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Young Husband: "My dear Molly, I must say that the pudding does not taste very nice."

Young Wife: "It must be your imagination, dear. It says in the cookery book that it tastes excellent."



"He'll probably be sore at us. He hasn't got a very good sense of humor!"

Men's Fashion Note

Even an ill-wind rising in the offices of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board may prove beneficent to somebody. Consider for example, the case of the middle-aged gentleman who discovered the secret of rejuvenation in one of the Clothing Administrator's edicts.

He was meek, grey-haired, mild-spoken and fiftyish. He entered the tailor's store bearing on his arm a pair of pants — economy pants, cuffless and unpleated.

"I want them shortened," he said.

The tailor produced his tape and took measurements, jotting them down on a piece of paper. The pants, he agreed, were about two inches too long.

"Turn 'em up," said the customer. "Put cuffs on them. It'll save wasting material."

The tailor was shocked. Not for the world would he break regulations. It wasn't patriotic and besides he might be found out . . .

So the middle-aged man left, carrying his pants — but he was back again in a couple of minutes.

"I'm a student," he explained blandly, "and I want these trousers shortened. Turn 'em up at the bottom and give me cuffs."

"Why, certainly sir," said the tailor who knew his regulations and knew that students were allowed cuffs. "Glad to do it. Just step this way."

"A student, eh?" he said interestedly when he had taken the measurements all over again. "Studying something special, I s'pose."

"Yes," said the meek, mild-spoken one, "I'm studying something special all right. I'm studying the regulations of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board—and you'd be surprised what a help it is sometimes."

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DISTRICT NEWS

FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

GRENVILLE NORTH

Mr. Joseph Robert, of St. Philippe, is spending some time at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Bernard McCart.

Pte. Joe Nixon is spending two weeks' leave at his home here and among relatives.

Mrs. Walter Gauley, Kenneth and Arthur, were visitors last Thursday at the home of Mrs. James Johnson.

The Misses Rainey and Cousins, of Brownsburg, were at their respective homes here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McCart left for Montreal on Monday owing to the sudden death of the former's sister, Miss McCart. Deepest sympathy is extended to the family from friends in this locality.

A tea was held at the residence of Mrs. James Brechin recently. Guests included—Mrs. Wm. McCullough and little Betty, Mrs. S. Campbell, Mrs. Russell Owens, Mrs. Wm. Gill, Mrs. T. McMichael, Mrs. H. McIntyre, Mrs. Steele, and Mrs. A. Worsford and daughters, Doreen and Heather, of Montreal, in whose honor the tea was given.

AVOCA

Mr. S. E. Smith and son, Edward, have returned from a trip to Saskatchewan, Mrs. Smith remained to take a trip to British Columbia.

Mrs. Marcus Garland is in the Montreal General Hospital seriously ill.

Miss Lilian Steele spent the week-end in Grenville with her mother.

Mr. John Gratton has gone to Lachine to spend the winter with his daughter.

Mrs. Archie MacLean entertained the Ladies' Aid on Thursday last.

Miss Joyce Bates, accompanied by Miss Muriel Bates, of Hawkesbury, were recent guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Lawrence McTavish, in Harrington.

Mr. Irwin Arthurs and Mr. Earl Wilson have returned home from Saskatchewan.

The Rev. S. J. Pike, of Brownsburg, held service in the United Church on Sunday last.

The Rev. Bernard Harrison conducted holy communion service last Sunday morning. The next service will be on December 9, at 7.30, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Karr.

Dr. L. Turcotte and Miss Lilian Harrison, R.N., of the County Health Unit, made a professional visit to No. 3 School here last Wednesday.

DEATH

MacARTHUR—At Edmonton on November 3, 1942, Ernest Stewart MacArthur, aged 60 years.

KILMAR

Mr. and Mrs. H. Robertson and son, Donny, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Sancton were week-end guests of Mrs. J. B. Chalmers at Brownsburg.

Mrs. Grant Baker spent a few days in Ottawa last week.

Pte. D. K. MacLeod and Pte K. C. MacLeod returned to Sussex, N. B., this week, after a two weeks' furlough which they spent with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield MacLeod.

The weekly Red Cross meeting was held at the home of Mrs. G. McIntyre.

A surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. MacLeod last Wednesday evening in honor of Pte. D. K. MacLeod and Pte. K. C. MacLeod. A pleasant evening was spent.

LAKEFIELD

The christening of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hodge, of Lakefield, took place at Holy Trinity Church last Sunday morning, the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh officiating. The child was given the name Henry Lawrence.

The Rev. A. E. Mount has returned home after an extended visit to friends and relatives in Montreal, Valleyfield, and the Eastern Townships.

Among city visitors who enjoyed the week-end hunting, guests of Mr. Wilbert Sherrett, were Messrs. Jas. Haley, Lorne Welcher, Lee Bilodeau and Chas. Warwick.

Mr. Chas. Westgate, of Boston, Mass., who has been visiting friends in the vicinity of Lakefield, returned home last Wednesday.

Mr. Albert Tomalty left on Monday morning for a visit to his family in Hamilton, Ont., and Detroit, Mich.

Mr. Thomas McCambly is visiting his daughter, Isabel, in London, Ont.

Mrs. James Thompson entertained at a party on the occasion of her son, Russell's, twentieth birthday, on Saturday evening. Friends and neighbors spent a pleasant evening.

The young people of Lakefield are busily preparing for the annual Christmas tree, being held on December 22.

GRENVILLE

In the Grenville news of last week appeared an item stating that Mr. Cavanagh was again in the employ of Arnoldwold Farm. While this is true, it is appropriate to draw attention to the fact that Mr. Cavanaugh has been serving in the forces as a Company Sergeant-Major, and just recently was "honorably discharged", after undergoing an operation in Chaughnessy Military Hospital, Vancouver.

BROWNSBURG

Winston Smillie, of the R.C.A.F., spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Eleanor Hanson, of Montreal, was home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Graham and Master Keith Graham, of Verdun, spent Wednesday with relatives here.

Mrs. Willis Parker and daughter, Elizabeth, of Arnprior, are spending a few weeks with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. T. J. H. Rich.

Mrs. Art J. Quinn and little daughter, Joan, are home from a trip to Quebec City.

Mr. W. R. Bulloch, of Montreal, was the special speaker at the unveiling and dedication of the Honor Roll to those enlisted in the armed forces in the United Church, on Sunday morning. Mr. Bulloch was accompanied by Dr. F. W. FitzGerald, of Lachute, his son-in-law. The Brownsburg Legion, Scout Troop and Cubs also attended, headed in the procession by the Brownsburg Boys' Band.

Captain R. T. Rich, of Barriefield and Miss Lois Baker, of Kingston, were week-end guests of the former's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. T. J. H. Rich. Captain Rich recently was promoted from the rank of Lieutenant to Captain. He is an instructor at the R.C.O.C. training centre in Barriefield, having been a member of the permanent force since 1922.

Maple Avenue Baptist Church intends holding its annual Christmas Tree entertainment on Tuesday, December 22.

The W. I. meeting will be held in the Social Club next Thursday, December 3, at 7.30 p.m. Visitors are welcome. Members are reminded to bring their donation of cookies to be sent to the Military Hospital at Ste. Anne de Bellevue.

Honor Roll Unveiled at Consolidated School

An Honor Roll was unveiled in Brownsburg School on Friday, November 20, in honor of N.S. A. C. Fletcher and 89 servicemen, in the presence of the pupils and teachers, the Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Pike, the Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Rich, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dixon, Mr. Dennis Staniforth, Principal, and Mrs. Staniforth. Mrs. Wm. Fletcher unveiled the roll.

Funeral Service

The funeral of Gilbert Winston Franklin, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lezneck, was held yesterday afternoon. A brief service was held at the home, followed by interment in the Brownsburg section of Lachute Cemetery, the Rev. S. J. Pike conducting the rites. Much sympathy is expressed to Mrs. Lezneck and family, and especially to the father overseas who had not seen his young son. A cable has been sent acquainting him of the sad incident. The baby was sick only a couple of days.

"London Hears Rumor of Injury to Rommel." We trust it's nothing trivial. —Exchange

LOST RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cleland and little son, of Dalesville, spent Friday at the home of Mrs. Cleland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Beaton.

Miss Marjorie Dewar spent the week-end in Montreal as guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. T. White.

Miss Flora MacLeod is spending this week visiting friends in Harrington.

Miss Edythe MacCallum spent the week-end visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Maidens, of Lachute, spent a few days last week with Mrs. D. MacRae.

Mrs. Mandly Chisholm spent Monday in Montreal.

Mrs. Neil MacMillan, of Montreal, spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Delbert MacTavish and Mr. MacTavish. On her return she was accompanied by her grandsons, Masters Kenneth and Duncan MacTavish.

Mrs. Rod MacMillan and Mrs. Wm. MacMillan were Friday visitors at the home of Mrs. A. MacMillan, Arundel.

CALUMET

Miss Aileen Fee, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Foreman. Miss Fee has joined the Navy and leaves on Thursday to take up training in Galt.

Private Jack Wilkins, R.C.A., of Farnham, was a recent guest of his grandfather, Mr. F. Lanigan.

Mrs. R. C. Whinfield and little daughter, Rosemary, are spending this week in Montreal where they are the guests of Mrs. Whinfield's sister, Mrs. S. Arnold.

Mr. T. Harries, of Pembroke, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. G. Higginson, where Mrs. Harries is at present a guest.

Miss Irene Druce, of Hawkesbury, was a week-end visitor with Mr. and Mrs. H. Druce.

The W.A. held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. T. G. Foreman on Wednesday. The meeting was opened by the Rev. A. Hawes; after the business had been completed tea was served.

A home-cooking sale was held in Foreman Bros'. store in aid of Trinity Anglican Church on Saturday night. Miss Anne Foreman was in charge of the sale, which proved very successful.

OBITUARY

Former Lachute Men Among Pall-bearers for Comrade in Edmonton

Ernest S. MacArthur Died Following Operation

Edmonton — Ernest Stewart MacArthur, of 9826 - 86th Avenue, who for 35 years of his 37 years residence in Edmonton was a line inspector and foreman for the city electric light department, died Tuesday, November 3, following an emergency operation. Mr. MacArthur was 60 years of age.

He is survived by Mrs. MacArthur; one daughter, Mrs. C. G. Aldridge, of Edmonton; one son, Donald Stewart, of Trinidad, B.W.I., now at home; his mother, Mrs. Archibald MacArthur, of Lachute; two sisters, Mrs. Harold O'Reilly, of Toronto, and Mrs. George Hunter, of Montreal; and two brothers, George, of Huxley, and Bert, of Ottawa.

The funeral service was held on Friday afternoon from Knox United Church, the Rev. Elgin G. Turnbull officiating.

Interment was made in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The pall-bearers were — Hector McRae, D. C. Raitt (both formerly of Lachute), A. Kent, Wm. Barnhouse, Wm. Allan and T. W. Houston. There were many beautiful floral tributes testifying to the high esteem in which Mr. MacArthur was held in the city.

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To the old-timers of his birthplace, Lachute, "Ernie" MacArthur will be remembered as a prominent player in local hockey—which in those days, as at present, was one of the exciting sports of the winter seasons.

Resident Dies at St. André Avelin

Late John B. Tessier

The death occurred suddenly on Monday, November 16, of John Baptiste Tessier, of St. André Avelin, at the age of 64 years.

Left to mourn his passing are his wife, formerly Emilia Hotte, two daughters and six sons. Of these, Lorenzo is a Corporal in the 22nd Regiment, and is married to the former Marguerite Jolin.

Burial took place on Thursday, November 19, at St. André Avelin.

Wars are never won by people who "do nothing in particular and do it very well."

Many Attend Funeral Of Old Employee of Wilson Paper Co'y

Late Alexandre Grondin

This town lost one of its esteemed citizens in the person of Alexandre Grondin, who passed away on November 19 at the age of 69 years 7 months, after a very short illness.

Mr. Grondin had been a faithful employee of J. C. Wilson Paper Company for over 30 years, serving as a machine tender, and was well known in the Mills community.

The funeral was held Saturday, November 21, at St. Julien Church, Lachute Mills, many friends and relatives being in attendance. The rites were conducted by L'Abbe J. N. Lavoie assisted by Cure Rev. E. Cloutier, L'Abbe C. Corbeil and Cure Rev. A. Bazinet, of St. Philippe.

The pall-bearers were Jack Falconer, Charles Barker, Remi Ledoux, Maxime Labonte, Nelson Gibeault and Leo Lamarche, all fellow employees at the J. C. Wilson Company.

Miss J. Rodrigue presided at the organ, Mr. J. P. Roy directed the choir and Mr. Leo Campeau, of Montreal, was soloist. Others in the choir were Romeo Legault, director at Ste. Anastasie, H. Lamarche, L. Rozon, Rev. Frere Pilon and R. Paquette.

Left to mourn his passing are his wife, formerly Alice Duchene, three sons and three daughters,—Ernest, Armand, Albany, Cecile, Marguerite, Germaine (Mrs. Armand Turgeon) of St. Philippe, also several grandchildren.

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By-law Passes Third Reading

(Continued from page 1)

the Ministry in further reducing the business hours of commercial establishments;

Whereas in view of the exceptional situation created by the state of war of the Dominion of Canada, the Town of Lachute is anxious to co-operate with the Federal authorities;

Whereas numerous petitions have been presented by merchants, grocers, butchers, barbers and hair-dressers of the Town of Lachute, that a new by-law be enacted concerning closing hours.

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Clauses of the measure include the following, slightly abbreviated from the original:

The words "stores" and "shops" in the present by-law designate any establishment where goods are exhibited or offered for sale, or for sale at auction.

The words "closed" and "closing" in the present by-law mean not open for the sale of goods and do not apply to sales already begun at the hour fixed for closing.

Under reserve of the following exceptions, the hours for opening and closing of stores and shops are as follows:

	a.m.	p.m.
Monday	9.00	6.00
Tuesday	9.00	6.00
Wednesday	9.00	12.00 noon
Thursday	9.00	6.00
Friday	9.00	10.00
Saturday	9.00	10.00

However, for butcher shops situated within Lachute, the hours are as follows.

	a.m.	p.m.
Monday	9.00	5.30
Tuesday	8.30	5.30
Wednesday	8.30	12.00 noon
Thursday	8.30	5.30
Friday	8.30	9.00
Saturday	8.30	10.00

For barbers, hair-dressers and hair-dressing parlors situated within the Town of Lachute, the hours are as follows:

	a.m.	p.m.
Monday	9.00	6.00
Tuesday	C-L-O-S-E-D	
Wednesday	9.00	9.00
Thursday	9.00	6.00
Friday	9.00	10.00
Saturday	9.00	10.00

(A modification is here made at the request of ladies' hairdressers, who may remain open until 9.00 p.m. on Mondays but shall close at 6.00 p.m. on Saturdays).

If during the week there is a legal holiday, these establishments may remain open during the Tuesdays of that week till 6.00 p.m.

All above categories may remain open till 10.00 p.m. on the following days:

(a) The day preceding the following holidays:

New Year's, Epiphany, Good Friday, Ascension Day, 24th of May, King's Birthday, Confederation Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, November 1st, November 11th, December 8th, Christmas Day and any appointed by Proclamation of the Governor General or the Lieutenant Governor for a General Fast or Thanksgiving:

(b) The last 15 days of the month of December of each year, excepting Sunday;

(c) The days of the week preceding Easter.

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The by-law shall not apply:

(a) To retail sales of tobacco or objects generally required for the use of tobacco, such as pipes, cigarette-holders, matches or other smoking accessories; newspapers, gazettes, periodicals, illustrated news, flowers, fruits, pastries, confectioneries, ice cream or soft drinks;

(b) To drug-stores as concerns the sale of drugs, patent medicines, medicine, remedies, pharmaceutical products, surgical instruments or apparatus, and their accessories; hygienic, sanitary or toilet articles or apparatus and their accessories generally sold in drug-stores; soft-drinks, sodas, candies, and generally all items mentioned in paragraph "A" of the present article;

(c) To restaurants habitually or regularly serving meals.

If in a store or shop various goods are offered for sale some of which are prohibited and others allowed after above mentioned hours, in the present by-law, this store or shop may remain open for the sale of goods allowed by the present by-law.

Nothing in the present by-law shall apply to prohibit the sale of goods necessarily required in the cases of death, serious sickness, accident or fire.

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The penalties for contravening this by-law are as follows:

(a) Any person found guilty before two Justices of the Peace of contravening the present by-law shall be liable, for a first offence, to a fine of $20.00 and costs, or in default of immediate payment, to an imprisonment not exceeding 15 days.

(b) For any subsequent offence the penalty shall be $40.00 and costs, or in default of immediate payment, to an imprisonment not exceeding two months.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Retired Rector Preaches In Two Local Churches Of Anglican Parish

For the second time since his retirement about 10 years ago—after being rector of St. Simeon's Church, Lachute, and St. George's Church, Brownsburg, for nearly 20 years—the Rev. J. A. Lackey spoke to both congregations on Sunday last.

Mr. Lackey arrived in Lachute on Saturday morning, and from then until Tuesday morning made nearly 30 short calls on friends and former parishioners; as was his custom during the time he was rector. Mr. Lackey walked to make these visits.

On Sunday he occupied the pulpit at St. Simeon's Church and, without the aid of glasses, read one of the lessons. After greeting the members of the congregation and referring to the many who had "passed on to a better land," the subject of the address was Repentance, personal, national and International.

In the evening he took part in the service at St. George's Church, Brownsburg, reading both lessons and speaking briefly to the congregation. In the course of this short address reference was made to the brief history of the Church of England in Brownsburg, the church having been built only in 1927, during Mr. Lackey's time as rector; he also mentioned the fact that when he first became rector of this parish in 1913, his outstation was Louisa, and on the way to this outstation every second Sunday, in a buggy, he went through what was then known as "Brown's Corners".

During this visit Mr. Lackey was the guest of Mrs. George Rogers.

Sunday Services

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

ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY

10 a.m., Sabbath School
11 a.m., Morning Worship
Preacher:
Principal G. G. D. Kilpatrick, D.D.
Subject:
"Significant Omissions From The Bible".
7 p.m., Evening worship.
Preacher:
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.D.
Subject:
"Saint Andrew"

Special Music will be rendered by the Choir at both services.

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LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor, H. Charlton

10 a.m., Bible School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
7 p.m., Evening Worship
Tuesday 7 p.m., Happy Hour for Boys and Girls.
Tuesday 8 p.m. Senior Young People.
Wednesday 8 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

MARGARET RODGER MEML. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. E. Orsborn

10 a.m., Sabbath School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
"His Victory and His Peace."
7.00 p.m. Evening Worship
"Something for Nothing".
3 p.m., Brownsburg.

ST. SIMEON'S CHURCH
Anglican
The Rev. B. J. Thorpe, M.A., L.Th.

First Sunday of Month —
Holy Communion 11 a.m.
All Other Sundays —
Morning Prayer 11 a.m.
Third Sunday —
Holy Communion 8 a.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship.
7.30 p.m., Song and Story

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. T. J. H. Rich, Pastor

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m., Service at Grenville
7.30 p.m. Brownsburg.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES

10.00 a.m. Sunday School, Brownsburg.
11.00 a.m. Brownsburg
8.00 p.m. Dalesville
Rev. T. D. M. Carson, of Verdun.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector

Dunany 11 a.m.
Louisa, 2.30 p.m.
Lakefield, 7 p.m.

Unveiling, Dedication Of Honor Roll at B'burg United Church

Brownsburg—A service long to be remembered was held Sunday morning in the United Church when extra seating accommodation had to be provided and still some were obliged to stand throughout the proceedings. It was the occasion of the unveiling and dedication of the Honor Roll containing the names of those who have enlisted in His Majesty's armed forces.

Brownsburg Branch, No. 71, of the Canadian Legion was in attendance and occupied the front pews of the centre row; the Boy Scouts, under Scoutmaster Rooney, and the Cubs, under Cubmaster Elliott, occupied the front pews of the side rows. The Brownsburg Boys' Band were seated in the rostrum. The decoration of flags showed artistic taste; flags also draped a large picture of the King and Queen, kindly loaned by Mrs. Wm. Morton, and a flag covered the Roll of Honor. The standards carried by the Legion held a prominent place in the auditorium.

The Band, under Bandmaster Taylor, accompanied the hymns and rendered "The Little Grey Church", during the offertory, while Mrs. C. J. Wheeler, organist, led the more subdued and solemn parts of the service.

The unveiling was under the direction of the Legion, through its president, Mr. Wm. Morton, and Mrs. F. S. Kettyle, whose participation made the occasion rather unique in that 25 of those enlisted had been members of her Sunday School class. It seemed very fitting, therefore, for Mrs. Kettyle, who had such a large part in the spiritual development of these young men, to be so selected for this important role. It also speaks volumes for the part played by the church and Sunday School in the community life.

Following the special selection by the Band the minister, Rev. S. J. Pike, who conducted the service, called on Mr. Morton and Mrs. Kettyle to come forward for the unveiling. Mr. Morton made the following statement:

"We believe that the normal course of man is one of peace. Yet wars have been the course of man from early time. A Christian nation goes to war only when that offers the last resort to justice. It is in that spirit that our nation engages in the conflict of this day . . . To this end we have set up in this church a roll of honor which we wish to unveil and dedicate to these, and others, who go into the service. We, on the home front, honor them for their service and sacrifice and pray that their lives may be spared . . . In honor, then, to those whose names are inscribed on this roll, and in tribute to the Dominion of Canada and as an act to bring glory to Almighty God, we all join in the unveiling and dedication".

Mr. Morton then called on Mrs. Kettyle to loose the flag which covered the Roll. That being done, the minister made a few observations on the names, including Arvon Williams, who was the first to enlist from Brownsburg and, justly, heads the list with the exception of Nursing Sister Alma Fletcher, the first nursing sister in service from Argenteuil. Also those who had fallen in battle, Ward Kennedy and William Green. Further, that the Roll, being a temporary one, would be subject to change, both as to rank and additions to those inscribed, and asked that all possible information be offered in view of the more permanent roll or tablet to be erected. The prayer of dedication was then offered, followed by a suitable hymn and the National Anthem.

The guest speaker was Mr. Bulloch, of Montreal, president of Remembrance Branch, No. 75, Canadian Legion, who delivered a stirring message on war conditions and the part our people are taking. Also the contribution the Government is making for the rehabilitation of our boys following the war, as well as a tribute to our fighting forces around the world.

Mr. Pike, on behalf of the Board and congregation, thanked the speaker and all who had contributed to the success of the service. Much credit is due the committee on arrangements, which consisted of Messrs. G. I. McFaul, W. F. Hazel and C. J. Wheeler, the latter having inscribed the names on the Honor Roll. The singing of "O God Our Help in Ages Past" and the benediction brought a memorable service to a close. The congregation remained standing while the Band, Legion, Scouts and Cubs retired, to reform in procession from the church.

Following are the Honor Roll inscriptions:

Fletcher, Alma C. (Nurse)

Ardell, John	Kennedy, Ward *
Armitage, James	King, Colin
Beckingham, Alex.	Lambertson, John
Beckingham, Hal.	Low, Charles
Beckingham, Norman	Low, William J.
Beresford, John	Maitland, Gerald
Boyd, Douglas	McCulloch, David
Boyd, George D.	Moncrieff, S. W.
Chambers, Earle	Roberts, Alvin
Chambers, Morris	Roberts, Robert E.
Doran, Desmond	Seary, John J.
Golden, George	Seary, Robert
Graham, Donald	Seary, Sidney
Graham, John	Seary, Stanley E.
Green, Arthur	Steele, Gerald
Green, William *	Stewart, George
Hardie, Andrew	Taylor, Gordon
Hardie, Kilgour	Taylor, Robert
Hardie, Colin	Titley, Lexy
Hazel, Herbert	Wheatley, Harold
Hutchin, George	White, Joseph
Izzard, Thomas B.	Williams, Arvon
Jackson, Douglas	Wilson, Gilbert
Jackson, Stanley	Wilson, Harvey
Keatlie, Ross	

* Killed in Action.

Activity in Groups at Brownsburg United

Brownsburg—The bazaar under auspices of the Junior Ladies' Auxiliary was a decided success. The event was held Saturday afternoon in the church hall. A table of aprons in varied colors and styles was the chief attraction, while the novelty stall offered many curios. The supply of home-cooking was soon exhausted. A hand-worked quilt caused no little speculation. Tea was served from 3 to 6 o'clock.

The W.M.S. monthly meeting was held last evening at the home of Mrs. James Thompson. An interesting feature was a contribution to the program by the secretary of each department. Another item of importance was the sending of a well-filled box to the supply depot at Montreal.

The Young People's Union meeting took the form of a social hour following their meeting Tuesday evening. As a let up from more strenuous activities, a perusal was made of certain dramatic plays, with a view to early staging. Refreshments were served at the close.

The C.G.I.T. are arranging a candle-light carol service, to take place on Sunday evening, December 13.

Lachute United Church Young People's Union

The Lachute United Young People's Union held their weekly meeting in the church hall last evening.

The president read an article on "Hobbies". This dealt with the happiness and satisfaction one may obtain from having a useful and instructive hobby, for diversion after the day's work is done. "It helps to make friends, as it brings you out of your shell and gives you something to discuss besides yourself."

After the meeting some highly competitive bowling was enjoyed by the members.

Christian Science Sunday Services

"Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced", is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist on Sunday, November 29.

The Golden Text is from Corinthians 16: 13. "Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong."

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The Lord hath broken the staff of the wicked, and the sceptre of the rulers . . . For the Lord of hosts hath purposed, and who shall disannul it? and his hand is stretched out, and who shall turn it back?" (Isaiah 14: 5, 27).

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: "Christian Science goes to the bottom of mental action, and reveals the theodicy which indicates the rightness of all divine action, as the emanation of divine Mind, and the consequent wrongness of the opposite so-called action,—evil, occultism, necromancy, mesmerism, animal magnetism, hypnotism." (Page 104).

Third Anniversary, Opening of New Church

The third anniversary of the opening of Lachute United Church will be observed on Sunday, November 29. The preacher at the morning service will be the Rev. G. G. D. Kilpatrick, D.D., Principal of the United Theological College, Montreal. The subject of his sermon will be: "Significant Omissions from the Bible". In the evening the minister, Rev. W. B. Rosborough, will speak on "Saint Andrew". Special music will be rendered by the choir at both services. An anniversary congregational social will be held on Tuesday evening December 1, when a short program will be rendered, and light refreshments served.

Lachute C.G.I.T. Group

The regular meeting of the C.G.I.T. was held on November 23. The greater part of the afternoon was spent in practice for the Candle-Lighting Ceremony. A card of thanks was received from Mrs. G. W. Clark thanking the girls for flowers and wishing them every success in their work. It was moved by Hazel Ogilvie, seconded by Freda MacVicar, that money be sent to the Missionery Society as usual. The C.G.I.T. are glad of the opportunity to help two sick children, which they are now doing.

All girls are requested to be present at next meeting.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Pte. Harold M. Nicoll, of Sussex, N.B., is spending his furlough with friends around Lachute and Huntingdon.

Pte. Eric Stephens, of the Black Watch, Sussex, N.B., is on furlough and is visiting relatives and friends in town.

Miss Grace McMahon was in Thurso for the week-end and while there attended the Davis-Dent wedding, on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Georgette Cousineau, of Lachute, and Miss Suzanne Cousineau, of Hudson, spent a few days last week in Quebec City, Ste. Anne de Beaupre and Lac Sergent.

Mr. Albert Tomalty, of Lakefield, and Mr. Arthur Tomalty, of Mount Maple, left on Monday to visit the former's son, Mr. Robert Tomalty and Mrs. Tomalty, in Hamilton, Ont.

LAC. L. Bradshaw and L A C. D. H. MacKimmie, of the R.C.A.F., Uplands, Miss L. Horner, of Ottawa, and Mr. Ralph Waring, of Cornwall, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. S. MacKimmie.

Mrs. G. Vallance, of Detroit, Miss Anne and Mr. Franklin Nicoll, of Newark, N.J., were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morrison. Miss Ruth Morrison, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents.

Miss May Matthew, of Grenville, was the week-end guest of Miss Ruth McMahon.

Mr. Clarence Roberts, of Montreal, spent the week-end in Lachute as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gauley.

The Rev. J. A. Lackey, of Westboro, was guest preacher at St. Simeon's Anglican Church, Lachute, on Sunday morning, and while here visited many old friends and parishioners.

Lachute Girl Weds Montrealer in Pretty House Ceremony

Fenwick - Falconer

The marriage of Lilian Mae, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Falconer, of Lachute, to Mr. George Edgeworth Fenwick, elder son of Mrs. E. Fenwick, of Montreal, took place on Saturday afternoon at half-past four o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 367 Main street, Lachute, the Rev. W. B. Rosborough, of Lachute United Church, officiating. Miss Ruth Todd played the wedding music. Large baskets of bronze and yellow chrysanthemums were used as decorations.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white brocaded satin fashioned with a basque bodice and heart-shaped neckline with long tight-fitting sleeves ending in points over the hands and having a very full skirt. Her finger-tip length veil of tulle illusion was arranged in halo effect, and she carried a bouquet of Joanna Hill roses.

Miss Violet Falconer as maid-of-honor, and her sister's only attendant, wore a frock of French blue brocaded faille taffeta with a very full skirt, the basque bodice cut with a heart-shaped neckline and elbow length sleeves. She wore a French blue coq feather headdress with matching shoulder length veil, and carried a bouquet of Talisman and Sweetheart roses.

Mr. Frank Fenwick acted as best man for his brother.

Mrs. Falconer, the bride's mother, wore a gown of Churchill blue crepe having a French lace bodice and her corsage bouquet was of Joanna Hill roses.

Mrs. Fenwick, mother of the bridegroom, was in a gown of brown crepe appliqued with patent leather and she wore green accessories and a corsage bouquet of bronze roses.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Fenwick left for the Eastern Townships and Quebec, the bride travelling in a frock of coral wool crepe under a brown muskrat coat and wearing a brown hat and accessories and a corsage bouquet of yellow roses.

The out-of-town guests included Mrs. E. Fenwick, mother of the bridegroom, Mr. Frank Fenwick, Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Walbank and Misses Isabel and Beverley Walbank, Miss Myrtle Marsh, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Marsh and Mr. Walter Marsh, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Beaugie, Mrs. H. Pibus, Miss Katherine Miller and Miss Margaret Graham all of Montreal.

Mr. Thomas McCambly, of Lakefield, is visiting his daughter, Miss Isabel McCambly, at London, Ont.

Edmund McFaul left last week to train in the R.C.A.F., and is stationed at Toronto Manning Pool.

Messrs. George and Bert Hale, of Montreal, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Y. Deacon.

Mr. Howard Gauley has returned home from Montreal after spending the past two weeks in the General Hospital.

AC-2 Clayton Riddell, of the R.C.A.F., Lachine, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Riddell.

Messrs. W. S. MacKimmie and J. A. MacKimmie are in Toronto, attending the funeral of their cousin, the late Bruce Taylor.

Miss Marjorie Theoret and Miss Barbara Milton, of Montreal, were week-end visitors at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Theoret, Bedard Blvd.

Dr. and Mrs. Leopold Cousineau, and Mr. and Mrs. Avila Cousineau, of Dorion-Vaudreuil, spent last Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Cousineau.

Pte. Lucille Lafortune, of the C.W.A.C., Kitchener, spent a short leave with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lafortune, this week. She has now been transferred to Ste. Anne de Bellevue.

Pretty Wedding at St. George's, Montreal

Thornton - Bond

The marriage of Theodosia Mary Dawes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. C. Bond, of Toronto and Lachute, to Mr. Robert Buchanan Thornton, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Thornton, took place Friday afternoon at half-past four o'clock, in St. George's Church, Montreal, Venerable Archdeacon Gower-Rees officiating, Mr. J. J. Weatherseed, organist of the church, played the wedding music. The church lighted with tall tapers, was decorated with large white pompoms, single yellow chrysanthemums and ferns. Clusters of the same flowers marked the pews reserved for guests.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a Marie Paule model of chalk white crepe having a high cowl neckline, long tight fitting sleeves and a draped skirt finishing in a train. Her veil of tulle illusion falling from a Mary Tudor cap of pleated tulle, caught with orange blossoms, was worn with a face veil and she carried a cascade bouquet of single white chrysanthemums.

Miss Olive Thornton, sister of the bridegroom, as maid of honor and the bride's only attendant, was in a frock of Zircon blue crepe, cut on the same lines as that worn by the bride, with the skirt finishing in a slight train. She wore a tiny hat of matching tulle, and carried an arm bouquet of pale yellow single chrysanthemums.

Mr. John T. Lafleur acted as best man for his cousin, and the ushers were: Mr. Andrew Dawes, cousin of the bride, Mr. Harold G. Thornton, Mr. K. Grier Thornton, and Mr. Henri G. Lafleur, all cousins of the bridegroom.

As the bridal couple left the church, a specially composed peal consisting of five hundred changes was rung on the ten bells by Mr. A. H. Burgess, campanologist of the church followed by Mendelssohn's Wedding March.

Mrs. Bond, the bride's mother, wore a gown of black Bianchini crepe with gold embroidery on the bodice and sleeves, a large hat of black felt, with a gold rose under the brim and a shoulder bouquet of orchids.

Mrs. Thornton, mother of the bridegroom, was in a gown of brocaded Navy blue French crepe and wore a hat of the same color trimmed with ostrich feathers, sable furs, and a shoulder bouquet of orchids.

The reception was held at the residence of the bridegroom's parents, where white and pale yellow single chrysanthemums were used to decorate, the bride's table being arranged with bouvardia.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Thornton left on their wedding trip, the bride travelling in a frock of grey French crepe, trimmed with rhinestones, under a grey lamb coat and wearing a hat of black felt and grey lamb and black accessories.

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THE WATCHMAN

Soldier Takes Bride at Anglican Church, Weir

Morrison - Fulton

Weir, Que. — The Anglican Church of the Redeemer, Weir, was tastefully decorated with plants and foliage last Saturday evening when Miss Mary Fulton, of Lachute and Montreal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Fulton, became the bride of L/Bdr. Murray Morrison, R.C.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Morrison, of Weir, in the presence of many friends. The Rev. Cecil Royle, S.Th., rector of the Parish of Arundel and Weir, officiated. Mrs. Gordon Phillips, of Pointe Claire, played the wedding march.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Andrew Fulton, of Montreal, wore a floor-length gown of deep blue crepe, with fitted bodice and full skirt, and her shoulder-length matching veil was gathered on a band of flowers, and she carried a bouquet of Talisman roses. Her attendants, Mrs. Bellingham of Lachute, the matron of honor, and Miss Olive Bradford, of Lachute, the bridesmaid, were gowned in paler shades of blue with bouquets of delicate blush pink roses. Mr. Bellingham, of Lachute was best man.

Following the marriage a reception was held in Round Lake Inn, where the many gifts were displayed.

After a short honeymoon L/Bdr. Morrison will return to his unit in Petawawa.

Guests from a distance were — Mrs. I. Fulton, mother of the bride, Montreal; Mr. Andrew Fulton, brother of the bride, and Mrs. Fulton, Montreal; Miss N. Kerr, Montreal; Miss Kay Morrison, Montreal; Mr. B. Bathwell, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cowan and Miss Mildred Cowan, Montreal; Mr. Desmond Entwhistle, Montreal; Rev. G. W. and Mrs. Phillips, Pte. Claire, Que.; Mr. Bradley Morrison, brother of the groom, Pte. Claire, Que.; Mr. and Mrs. Bellingham, Lachute; Miss Olive Bradford, Lachute; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. MacKimmie, Lachute; Miss Eleanor Morrison, sister of the groom, Ottawa; Miss Lois Horner, Ottawa; LAC. Douglas MacKimmie, R. C. A. F., Uplands, Ont.; Cpl. Earl Morrison, R.C.A.F., Trenton, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKenzie and Mr. Paul Courville, Lachute, Que.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

ST. ANDREWS EAST

AW-2 Joyce Rayson, of No. 6 Manning Depot, Toronto, spent Sunday with her parents in St. Andrews East.

Others here for the week-end were Enid Robertson and Dr. W. A. Pitcairn, both of Montreal.

Miss Ida Hopper spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Charman.

Miss Norma Dewar, of Grenville, spent the week-end visiting with Helen Rayson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barron, of Montreal, spent Sunday at their summer residence here.

Laurie Gagnon spent the week-end at the home of his grandfather, Mr. W. J. Rodger.

The bazaar and tea held by the Ladies' Aid of the United Church on Saturday afternoon proved very successful.

The Rev. Dr. Mowatt preached his farewell sermon to the people of the United Church of St. Andrews on Sunday, November 21. The service was attended by a large congregation. His parting message was one which will long be remembered by his parishioners. The next service in this church will be held by Mr. Ralph LeDrew of the United Theological College.

W.M.S. Monthly Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the W.M.S. was held in the Sunday School hall on Wednesday afternoon. Devotional exercises were conducted by the vice-president, Mrs. Jos. Bradley.

The business of the hour was then dealt with. One hundred and forty dozen cookies were sent to the soldiers of Ste. Anne's Hospital as an Armistice Day remembrance. It was agreed to send boxes of good cheer to the Old People's Home and the secretary was instructed to write and ask for names; this phase of work is designated "In memory of Mrs. Ballantyne".

An address followed by the Rev. Dr. MacMillan, who spoke on India as she stands today, as regards her government and the hold Britain has on her.

Mrs. J. P. Bradley thanked the speaker . . . Refreshments were served by Mrs. N. F. McGregor.

ONE STATION — $13.50

Weston-Super-Mare, Eng. (CP) —Cecil Banwell, 15, has achieved an ambition many lads have dreamed about—to become owner of a real railway station. He bought a vacant station for the equivalent of $13.50 and is removing it to a field.

FOR PRISONERS AID

London (CP) — A nation-wide prisoners-of-war week including a flag day in almost every district, will be held in Britain early in December to raise funds for the Red Cross and St. John prisoners-of-war department.

CUSHING WEST

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hartley were here on Sunday and closed their riverside cottage for the winter.

Miss Christina Hooker, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Miss Norma Cooke.

Miss Nicholson, of Montreal, was a guest of Miss Helen Weir for the week-end.

Mr. Eddie Whelehan and little son, Edward, also Miss K. Whelehan, of Montreal, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. C. F. Watson, home from Sorel for the week-end, also Mrs. Watson and daughters were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dawson at Stonefield on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton, of Montreal, spent Sunday at their residence.

Mrs. C. Grece spent the early part of the week in the city.

Mrs. C. A. Mattinson has closed her residence here and left on Sunday to spend the winter in the city.

Daughter of Former Pastor Suffers Bereavement

News has been received here of the death, at his home in Black River Bridge, N.B., of Mr. Malcolm McNaughton, a respected resident of that community. He is survived by his wife, who was formerly Miss Grace Fraser, daughter of the late Rev. Jas Fraser, for many years pastor of St. Mungo's Church, Cushing. Mrs. McNaughton, who was previously married to the late Jas. McRae, also of Black River Bridge, is tendered the sympathy of her many friends in this community.

WEIR

Mr. J. D. Sobey returned to his home on Saturday after spending a few days in Montreal.

Pte. Stanley Craig, R.C.O.C., of Longueuil, spent the week-end at his home here. Mrs. Craig accompanied him to Montreal to spend a few days.

L/Bdr. Murray and Mrs. Morrison left on Sunday to resume their duties after spending the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Morrison.

Mrs. E. J. Craig returned home on Saturday after spending the past fortnight visiting friends in New Liskeard, Kirkland Lake, Swastika and Cobalt.

Former Resident Dies in Ontario

Friends were sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Elisha Beaven, formerly Matilda Renaud, who passed away at the Kirkland Lake Hospital on November 12 after having been confined to her bed three weeks suffering from a stroke. Mrs. Beaven spent her entire life in this community prior to moving to Northern Ontario eight years ago. The sympathy of this district is extended to Mr. Beaven and the family, in their sad bereavement.

GRENVILLE

Misses Phyllis and Isabel Welden, of Grenville, spent the week-end in Ottawa with their three sisters.

Leslie Welden, of the Black Watch, stationed at Sussex, N.B., is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Welden, and family in Grenville.

Harold Gaudry, R.C.A.F., flew over Lachute and Arundel by plane recently.

Russell Gauley, R.C.A.F., stationed at Halifax, is on two weeks' leave, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gauley.

Miss Joy McCullough, of Renfrew, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. Gauley for the past week-end.

Mr. Lorne Cooke, of Paugan Falls, was home here for the week-end.

Baptist service next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murray. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McPhail are staying at Mrs. J. Sarazin's but expect shortly to move into a new house being built on Mr. G. Arnold's farm.

HARRINGTON

Mrs. M. MacCulloch and daughters, Dorothy and Joy, of Renfrew, also Russell Gauley, R.C.A.F., of Grenville, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. McCulloch over the week-end.

Mrs. S. Kelly and sons, of Hawkesbury, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. L. M. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett and daughter, Lois, also Miss Francis Bennett, visited in Morin Heights on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Diamond, of Montreal, motored to Harrington last week. Mrs. Dougal McLean accompanied them back on Friday.

Mrs. R. Swail and sons, Brent and Glenn, of Renfrew, are spending this week with her mother, Mrs. L. M. Marshall.

Miss Flora McLeod, of Lost River, visited in Harrington this week.

CUSHING WEST
(Intended for last issue)

Mrs. T. W. Weir arrived home on Sunday from Montreal, where she has spent the past month with her daughters. Miss Helen Weir accompanied her mother and is spending the week at her home here.

Mrs. Usher left recently for Ottawa where she is at present the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Keatley, and intends later to go on to Belleville to spend Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Wishart.

Miss Doris Leroy was a week-end guest of Miss Norma Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hartley, accompanied by Mr. Wilfred Hartley and Miss K. Whelehan, motored here for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hampton, accompanied by Miss Whelehan and Mr. S. Robert, motored to the city on Wednesday.

TITLED WOMEN OF BRITAIN DO COOKING AND WASHING—MAKE NO BONES ABOUT IT

Specially Written for the Midland Free Press and The Lachute Watchman

By MARGARET BUTCHER

Reading, Eng. — I often sit down and enjoy the Canadian papers sent over to me. Today, as I had my lunch of salad and cheese, I dipped into one, and I was cery interested in an article which observed that "men with titles are mostly human." I guess you men read that with curiosity; so here is something for the women. Why not our angle as well? What about women with titles?

Your know, a title is very much in the background—with the folk who are used to having one. They don't splash it about: on the contrary, they often call themselves just plain "Mrs." or "Miss." As one woman I know said to me, not long ago: "I generally use 'Mrs.' when I'm staying in hotels or rooms. It's cheaper!"

So you see, they ARE human. Most of them haven't money to burn these days, and the sensible ones don't make any bones about it. Compared with me, of course, they are quite wealthy; but then, I've never had much money—and now have less than ever! But it's made no difference in the real things, I find.

I've just been visiting a dear woman—an old friend—and what did she care when I turned up with a rather shabby suitcase and a pack on my back? Not a bit. She bears what is called a 'courtesy title.' As the daughter of an earl she is known as Lady . . . her first name before her surname. Children of an earl are always addressed in that way. One would not address Lady Emily Brown (let us say) as 'Lady Brown,' but as 'Lady Emily.'

Such is this dear, kind soul with whom I have been staying, and can anybody beat her at a real woman's job? Not on your life! She and her husband and little girl, having lost their very nice home through enemy action, are now living in two rooms, with the use of the kitchen. The rooms are large ones, happily, but I'm sure it takes a lot of courage and grit to get through, in the circumstances. My friend does the cooking and housework, with the help of a charwoman twice a week; and never, never did I enjoy nicer or better-cooked meals. The little girl, a lovely thing of nine, with long, beautifully brushed hair and frank, clear eyes, is being trained to help. After all, Lady Emily (as I will call her, though it isn't her name) was taught by her own mother, the Countess, and there was never any nonsense about it.

In their lovely old home of girlhood they had to take turns in the kitchen, just as they had to learn to sew. Lady Emily's husband, though an elderly man now, is doing important war work in a northern city, and her ladyship and the little girl get up every morning, prepare his breakfast and see that he catches his bus into town. There is no nonsense about that either!

Made Our Own Beds

In the old days, when I visited them, there were half a dozen servants. This time we all made our own beds and so on. But we were very happy, for it was grand to meet again, even in these changed conditions. I sat about and did some more sketching, and they were pleased with the gift of what I had done, for they know that I cannot buy anybody expensive presents, no matter how I should like to do. She said to me: "You see, my dear, youve given us something one can't just go out and buy. Something real."

And there my efforts stand, on the mantlepiece, waiting for the day when somebody, somewhere, can frame them. (You can't get jobs like that done all at once nowadays. Oh dear no!) She cut me a delicious lunch to eat in the train, and I have come away with pleasant friendly memories.

Incidentally, she does the washing — even her husband's shirts, she tells me. Laundries, too, are 'out', in many places, and such things have to be done at home. In the bank, for safe keeping, she has wonderful jewels. I know, for I used to see her wearing them; and she once lent me a fur wrap which cost six thousand dollars, I remember. In all innocence I wore it for a week in the hotel where we were staying—to the gnawing envy of the other women, no doubt—but, never having worn anything much better than rabbit or mole, I carried it off with the blandness of complete ignorance, and I dare say everybody thought I was a somewhat eccentric female millionaire.

As I handed it back to her I blew on it and remarked "A nice little bit of fur". (Can you beat it?) Then Lady Emily—who never talks about the price of things, I've noticed, smiled and admitted, very quietly, what it had cost, and why it ought to be 'nice'. I thought quakingly of my bits of food, my cigarette-ends, my generally rather casual treatment, and turned cold. And that is the woman who can wash a shirt, cook a joint, make a pudding, paint a door or cover a chair with anybody.

Really Old Family

She belongs to one of those really old English families whose name having a 'de' before it, indicates French origin and the Norman Conquest. They have been titled people for so long that it all sits easily on them. They don't mind what they do—so long as they do it well. And with it all there is the dignity of competence and assurance; they can know whom they wish and go where they like; if they are fond of you, you don't have to pretend to be 'somebody'. In fact, any such pretence, in rich or poor, is the surest way of antagonizing them and driving them into their shells.

We first met at a party, she and I, and took to each other at once. She is twice my size, which makes the sight of us arm-in-arm, going round the garden, rathen amusing, I hear. Then she gave a party of her own and invited me, and ever since that time, now many years ago, we've contrived to be a comfort and help to each other. I remember once telling her that if ever we had a Revolution in this country, with a mob tearing along the street shouting for blue blood —which I don't think very likely— I should hurl my quite ordinary body in front of her and shout: "Stop! This woman can cook! And how!

Puts On No Dog

She dresses well but plainly—and she does not varnish her nails. Neither does she tint her hair. Her thirty guinea (186 dollar) frocks were always simple and well-chosen; she loves a laugh, and her heart is as big as a house, bless her. If ever she had to be really poor she would bear it, I am sure, without open grumbling. Of course she said a few strong words to me about all these chores—but who wouldn't? "If ever I ring a bell again," she said the other day, "and somebody answers it, I think I shall drop dead!"

One of her other friends, who is the daughter of a marquis and, consequently, an 'Honourable', has really lost all her money; but she is keeping house for her brother and working hard on her little allotment. Its all very different from the days when she used to turn up at those parties looking like a million, straight from her country house or her place in London; but she is making the best of things, like so many of those hard-hit and plucky folk. And those of us who have Lady Emily for a real pal know that she is always standing by, ready to do what she can if ever we truly need help in any way. So you see they are human —and the ones I know (with one or two exceptions) more than 'mostly'. They have been blitzed and battered, but they go on, their one idea being that of 'coming out on top'.

In that much-bombed city, near which Lady Emily lives, we prowled round the market, buying food; we went to a 'movie'; we sat together in the passage one night when the Hun was zooming about overhead. And if I have to be bombed may it be in the company of somebody as calm and self-controlled as that very, very human woman.

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

Hints for Homebodies

By Jessie Allen Brown

HUSH, HUSH!

When I was in Ontario this year, people would say you must see interesting things in the Maritimes. Meaning of course things concerning the war. Naturally any coastol area sees and hears many more things than if inland. "An Eastern Canadian Port" has come to be taken for granted as Halifax. That is not so. We move around in the Maritimes quite a bit and know that news emanates from other ports, too. Even the trains are interesting. The variety of equipment shipped on flat cars for transportation abroad is amazing. I write of very little that I see as I am always afraid of telling something I shouldn't. Probably I lean over backwards because there are times I have refrained from writing about something that I afterwards see in print from some other source. Letters in coastal areas are frequently censored, but so far as I know, nothing I have written, either privately or for publication, has come under the ban. On the whole, people down here are careful of what they tell. But there always are persons who like to tell what they know. Some of them like to feel important because of inside information. There are times when I have felt like telling them that they had no right to make such statements. Information about convoys is the most reprehensible.

SEEING IS BELIEVING

The Kiwanis Club in Toronto, in its work for underprivileged children, undertook to have dentistry done for a group of boys, who needed it badly. The dentists said they would do work but it wasn't much use as the condition was caused by poor diet, which needed correcting. Home Economics Teachers were asked to teach the boys and their mothers what they should eat. One teacher took two white rats to school and had the boys feed one of them whole-wheat bread, and milk; whereas the other one was fed white bread and cakes. In a short time the rat fed the white bread got very dull and lifeless, and looked in poor shape. The rat fed the whole-wheat bread and milk was lively and healthy. The boys were very much interested and became quite fond of the rats, so much so that they insisted that the sick rat be fed milk and brown bread, too. It took just a short time for the sick rat to perk up. Seeing is believing and teachers could easily do this experiment. It would be an object lesson of lasting value.

FIVE PERCENTERS

The term five per cent, or ten per pent vegetable, is often used. The five per cent vegetables include lettuce, cucumbers, spinach, asparagus, rhubarb, endive, marrow, sauerkraut, beet greens, chard, celery, mushrooms, tomatoes, brussel sprouts, watercress, cauliflower, egg plant, cabbage, string beans, broccoli.

Ten per cent vegetables include pumpkin, squash, beets, carrots, onions, green peas. We should have at least two servings of these vegetables a day. I wonder how many of my readers have them. Diabetic patients have two servings of these vegetables twice a day. They can tolerate them as they have such a low carbohydrate content. They have the added attraction of filling them up and making them feel comfortably full. It has been noticed that diabetic children have unusually good teeth. This is probably due to the quantity of vegetables they eat which gives them the needed vitamins and minerals. Probably the small amount of sugar they have has something to do with it too.

COCOA

When cool weather has come there is more cocoa used for breakfasts and for school lunches. There is a right and wrong way to make such a simple thing as cocoa. The cocoa contains starch and should always be boiled to cook the starch and thus improve the flavor of the cocoa. Mix the cocoa and sugar and add a very little water, then cool until the mixture boils for about three minutes. Add the required amount of milk and heat. A pinch of salt improves the flavor of any chocolate.

SARDINE AND CABBAGE SALAD

Make a finely chopped cabbage salad, and press each serving in a cup, then turn out on the centre of a plate. Arrange drained Canadian sardines, and sliced onions, separated into rings, around the cabbage mound. Garnish with a sprig of parsley or a bit of pickled beet. We have found a Canadian smoked sardine, that has very much the flavor of the imported sardines we used to get, but it is a bit larger in size. It costs almost as we used to pay for the imported, and it is worth trying.

LIVER SOUFFLE

1 Cup ground cooked liver, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 eggs separated, 2 tablespoons flour, dash of pepper, 1 cup milk, ¼ teaspoon salt.

Melt the butter, stir in the flour, then add milk slowly and cook until thick, stirring steadily, add seasonings. Stir the ground liver and the beaten egg-yolks in to the war sauce. Fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into buttered baking dish and bake in a moderate oven of 350 degrees for an hour. Serve at once.

WOMEN OUT FRONT IF GERMANS COME

Will Not Seek Hiding Places If or When Enemy Storms Britain

Liverpool, Eng. (CP) — Women of Britain will not seek hiding places if, in counter moves for Allied victories in Africa, the Germans attempt to invade Britain. They ask only that they receive Home Guard training for defence, Dr. Edith Summerskill, Labor M.P., told a meeting of Women's Home Defence Units here.

Noting that women are conscripted into the services, work in munition factories and are compelled to firewatch, the 41-year-old Labor M.P. asked "why, in the name of common sense, then are they not given the right to defend themselves?"

"Does any honest man think these women will hide if the Germans come? Of course not. Then use this splendid material by training and preparing them to be of maximum use in the event of an invasion.

"We do not ask for equipment. We ask only for the honor of helping the Home Guard by releasing men for combatant duties. But we demand the right to learn self-defence . . . Men must discard their 19th-century prejudices and let their seasoned judgment, not their emotions, decide this question of women's fitness for the Home Guard."

Women Work on Britain's Railways



Among the many roles so competently filled by women in wartime Britain, are numerous jobs vacated by railwaymen now in military service and war production. Here an English girl is seen tending the signal lights on a British railway.

A wife, rules an Atlantic City magistrate, is entitled to the change she finds in her husband's pockets, although in these days of slacks it is more likely to be the husband that goes through his wife's trousers. —Exchange

HELP FOR BRAVE ALLY FROM CANADA IS AIM OF NEW AID-TO-RUSSIA FUND

Opportunity is Given to Emulate Mrs. Churchill's Effort in Britain

In response to a widespread demand from all parts of Canada, a Canadian Aid to Russia Fund has been organized, under the chairmanship of Mr. J. Stanley McLean, head of Canada Packers, Ltd., with headquarters in Toronto.

The Fund will provide an opportunity to Canadians to express the admiration, gratitude and sympathy they feel in their hearts for the heroic Russian people, who, as Mrs. Churchill recently stated, "have set an unparalleled example to all of us."

Russia's needs are so great that everybody's help is needed. The fighters behind the lines, the refugees in the far eastern areas and in the reoccupied territories need warm clothing, boats, bedding, foodstuffs, medical supplies. They need large quantities of these things.

Many Lands Sending Aid

From Great Britain, United States, the Argentine, Palestine, Australia, New Zealand and South American countries, citizens are sending help continuously to Russia. This is done through both Red Cross societies and voluntary committees. The latter are able to do what the Red Cross may not be able to do. In Canada the Red Cross society last year collected, through a public appeal, the sum of $860,000, and now the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund will promote on a continuous basis, aid-to-Russia activities throughout the Dominion.

The movement in Britain has no parallel in any of the Allied countries. Everyone is participating, from school children who take part in the "penny-a-week" drive, to the aged in institutions who knit and do what they can to add to the total aid sent to Russia.

Raise $10,000,000 in Britain

Mrs. Churchill's Aid-to-Russia fund commenced in October of 1941. It has to date collected approximately $10,000,000, and practically every penny has been spent. Eighteen consignments of medical supplies and equipment totalling 2,571 tons, have been sent to Russia by Mrs. Churchill's fund. Recently the Churchill fund sent to Russia 400,000 woollen garments for refugees restored to the regained territory. This order was filled with the help of the British Women's Voluntary Services.

Mrs. Churchill has explained that in order to procure some of the articles, special methods of production had to be introduced and priorities obtained from the British government.

Convoys Get Through

Ships bearing relief supplies to Russia do get to their destination. The British admiralty, the United States navy department and the Russian government have all reported recently that none of the convoys plying their way to Murmansk had been lost this summer.

Gives Canadians Chance

The Canadian Aid to Russia Fund, Inc., has been organized to provide, on a continuing basis, an opportunity to Canadians to send to the Russian people the body-warming clothing, the healing medicines, the heart-warming sympathy and friendship that they need in their hour of crisis and suffering.

There are many things needed in Russia which can be supplied by Canada. By using ingenuity and goodwill, Canadians will be able to make and collect a variety of necessities for the gallant people in the Soviet Union.

The head office of the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund is room 205, 80 King St. W., Toronto. Contributions and inquiries may be sent there.

Stockholm (CP) — Illustrating shortage of fats in Holland — a Rotterdam restaurant purchased for cooking purposes — a quantity of fat which turned out to be 70 per cent castor oil.

MANY WEDDINGS IN BIRMINGHAM THESE WAR DAYS

Centre of Industrial Britain Favors Saturday Mornings for Cupid's Harvest, and It's a Routine

By Alan Randall, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Birmingham, Eng. (CP) — It's extraordinary the way the young folks are getting married in Birmingham. Hereabouts they say Midlanders never did stand much on ceremony and in these days of booming factory production and service in the forces people seem too busy to worry about smart weddings.

Saturday morning in the favored time. In the Registry Office business is so brisk then that several wedding couples go over their lines together before getting the knot tied.

Downstairs in the Marriage Reception Room restless couples sit with their witnesses waiting for the usher at the top of the stairs to call them. Some of them hold hands. Almost all of them look self-conscious.

But it's old stuff to the usher. He hollers something like this: "Brown and Jones next, then Smith and Barclay. No rush now." Then the happy couples traipse up the stairs and in no time at all they are out again—married.

"Takes about a quarter of an hour for each wedding on Saturday," sand the clerk. "There is no trouble. A couple gives one day's notice and one of them must reside here for 15 days."

Go Quietly

The cost is about $11 and usually there are the same sightseers every Saturday—the old women roadsweepers who greet the bride and groom with a broom and their pile of dirt. Old timers hold up lamp-posts and buildings over the road to watch the happy couples come out into the street. Some of them quietly hustle away in waiting cabs. The occasional groom waves his marriage certificate.

On ordinary week days when business is slack, couples walk up one staircase, are married and return down the same stairs. But not on Saturday. The crowd is so big then, as a rule, that brides and bridegrooms have to be sorted out and sent over a "one-way" route to the marriage rooms, coming down a different staircase from that which they went up.

They call it "going over the top" here in Birmingham where people are married on a schedule as cramped as that of a dentist.

SAFE "HELLFIRE CORNER"

London (CP) — Mrs. E. Ford went through all the bombing and shelling of Britain's "Hellfire Corner" during the past two years then went for a holiday on the coast and was killed by a bomb from a hit-and-run daylight raider.

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LET'S BE MERRY AND — ENJOY IT

Some Hints for Wartime Christmas — Just Take it Easy

How to enjoy a real Merry Christmas this year even though the war's still on.

Take it easy—and keep healthy.

Christmas brings excitement and extra work. There's much to be done before Santa comes hustling down the chimney—presents to be bought, cards to be mailed, shopping for the Christmas feast, house-cleaning and decorating.

Then there are guests from the fighting forces to be thought of.

The only way to do all these chores in time to enable you to enjoy Christmas is to do them early. Most shops have put their Christmas merchandise on sale. It's easy to buy before December; stores are less crowded, there's a better selection.

With shopping and mailing done early, you'll be able to decorate your home leisurely. Stand on a firm chair or ladder and make sure your support isn't on a slippery, waxey floor.

Watch the Eats

A balanced diet and plenty of rest will help ward off colds and prevent that weary feeling that creeps up on many around Christmas Eve.

If you intend to light a tree, you'd better proceed with caution —electricity is treacherous — and remember, use of electricity these times is subject to national or local restrictions. You won't be shocked at what you find if you let an electrician repair the lighting system that always seems to blow with Christmas lights.

Be wary of liquid merry-making. There has been only one method devised to drink repeated toasts to Christmas and New Year and still feel tip-top the next day, omit the alcohol and take your highballs straight.

CITY Y.W.C.A.'S ROOMS REGISTRY

Officials Have Busy Time These Days of War-Worker Migrations

Toronto, Nov. 24 (CP)— The Y.M.C.A. "Rooms Registry" is not merely a war-time "mushroom" growth. Twenty-five years ago this service was offered to travellers and to women and girls, strangers coming to the big cities. Gradually it grew and was extended to 39 large centres throughout Canada. Consequently when war broke out the "Y" was well versed in housing problems.

"Not only do girls secure a room through us, but they get a good room!" said Miss Louise Gates, general secretary of the National Y.W.C.A. "One of our most stringent rules is that all rooms must be clean, in pleasing environments and reasonably priced."

The most difficult person for whom to secure accommodation is the mother with a small child. Landladies just don't want children.

W.I.'s Interested in Public Health Measures

As it is becoming evident that tuberculosis in on the increase in the Province of Quebec since the war began, and that sufficent accommodation for patients suffering from the disease is lacking, Women's Institutes of the province have resolved to request the Quebec Minister of Health to consider the situation with a view to improving conditions.



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TENDERS — The Municipality of Township of Gore calls for tenders for one thousand feet 4 x 6 x 14 feet long, also two thousand feet of 4 x 6, six feet long and up, cedar. Timber to be at Lakefield May 1, 1943. Tenders to be in for the council meeting, December 7, 1942. Further particulars may be had from the Sec.-Treasurer.

—George Peet, Sec.-Treas.
November 23, 1942.

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Mabel, 3 miles west of Staynerville Station, commencing at 1 p.m. on Saturday, November 28:

7 Registered Ayrshire cows, 7 grade cows, 3 registered heifers (2 years old), 1 registered Percheron mare (5 years old), 2 general purpose horses, 1 agricultural horse, cream separator (like new), Moody thresher, 5 h.p. gas engine, set of grubbers, manure spreader, buggy, 300-egg incubator, 6 milk cans, sofa, small table, quantity of hay, 16 cords of wood, and many other articles.

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Send scrap rubber for salvage to your nearest garage.

MARGARET CURRIE WILL VISIT GIRLS IN BROWNSBURG WAR INDUSTRY, DECEMBER 3

Helpful Programs in Novel "Eleven Steps to Beauty" Series

— By Gloria Stokoe —

Brownsburg, Nov. 24—

Since her appearance here as one of the personality speakers numerous requests have been made for a return visit from Madame Marguerite, the hair stylist. Acting on these arrangements, Herb Rumball has arranged that she be here Thursday night, when she will again deal with coiffures and explain how a woman can capitalize on the manner in which she arranges her hair. Recognized as one of the most capable exponents of hairdos in the country, she is acquainted with all styles of coiffure and can recommend what type will apply in a given set of circumstances, depending on the color of the hair, contour of the face and other factors.

The following week, December 3, the speaker will be Mrs. E. J. Archibald, who writes under the name of Margaret Currie, one of the best known newspaper women in Canada. Having devoted her life to a study of problems that affect young girls and women, she can be relied upon to give advice on some of the problems confronting girls engaged in a war industry such as in Brownsburg.

A demonstration of Swedish rhythmic exercises with a musical accompaniment was given last week by Miss Honor Davey, director of the League for Health and Beauty, who came here accompanied by ten girls.

The seventh Step to Beauty was taken by a large number of girls. The speaker was Mrs. Doreen Day, stylist, who brought along three models to display some smart but inexpensive clothes to fit any occasion. Those girls who are buying ski togs this season will remember the slacks and Grenfell jacket shown that night, and of course the clever plaid jerkin that can be worn with so many things. For war workers, slacks are tops. and Mrs. Day displayed a dark brown with coat to match, and an extra pair in beige for a change. A polo coat thrown over them will help keep you warm these cool evenings. —From "The Tracer"

PHYSICAL CULTURE LESSONS STARTED FOR B'BURG GIRLS

Brownsburg, Nov. 24—

Since last fall girls have talked and talked, and continued to hope for a worthwhile gym class. And at last they have it. It is not one of those monotonous muscle-bulging, back-breaking, lung-bursting kind intended to develop Amazons. But an entertaining, enlivening series of diversified exercises, dance movements, and inspiring games, which are patterned to put one on the correct path to the perfect 1943 figure.

Designed to slim oneself or build you up, the Swedish gymnastics to the accompaniment of music make exercise really worthwhile. The dance routine is included to impart grace and rhythm.

Mrs. Reg Wallace, a graduate physical training instructor (McGill), has undertaken to develop these classes.

The dress is simple and inexpensive, consisting of comfortable slacks or shorts, and the necessary low heels or running shoes.

Started in an informal way by Marg Fortin, Personnel, Lilian Snyder, Safety, Millie Wheaton, Personnel, and sparked by Libby Lugsdin, these informal meetings are friendly, peppy and have lots of fun. Emmie Magnusson, from St. John's, is the accompanist. The classes are held every Wednesday evening from 8.30 to 9.30 p.m.

—From "The Tracer"

COMING EVENTS

DANCE

A dance will be held in the L.O.B.A. Hall, 14 Hope Street, Lachute, under auspices of Laurentian Lodge No. 943, on Saturday, November 28. Drawing for hooked rug. Admission 25c. M26-2c

FIREMEN'S BALL

The annual dance, sponsored by our local Fire Brigade, will be held in the Auditorium, on New Year's Eve, Thursday, December 31. There will be good music and the usual good time may be looked forward to. Further particulars later.

DANCE

A dance will be held in Louisa Hall on Saturday, December 5, under auspices of L.O.L. No. 717—for the benefit of John Butters. Admission 25c each. D3-2p

ANNUAL BAZAAR

The Ladies' Guild of St. Simeon's Anglican Church, Lachute, will hold their annual bazaar on Friday, December 4, in the hall of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church. Fancy work, home-cooking. Afternoon tea will be served from 3 to 6 o'clock. D3-2c

LACHUTE W.I.

The monthly meeting of Lachute W. I. will be held in the High School on Tuesday afternoon, December 1, at 3 p.m. Christmas program.

—Mrs. Geo. MacGibbon, Pres.

DANCE

A dance will be held in McArthur's Hall, Lachute, on Friday night, November 27. — Gaetan Forget. -1c

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CURLING TROPHIES FOR CONTEST AGAIN AT SEIGNIORY CLUB

Seigniory Club, Que.—Although the actual dates of the winter program have yet to be announced, all the skiing and curling fixtures which enlivened past winters here at the Seigniory Club will be repeated during the coming season.

The two major skiing meets which have been held in former years will be repeated with the girls' 10th Inter-city ski meet slated for a week-end during the latter half of January or early February and the boys' Interscholastic ski meet in March.

The curling fixtures, always popular on the winter calendar here, will be repeated with play for the Rankin, McLaren, Sewell and McCrea trophies as well as numerous friendly matches scheduled for the season.

One Little Sister



Tuesdays at 6.30 p.m. on the CBC radio network, it's Three Little Sisters and a bit of pleasant song and chatter with Bonnie Sewrey in the vocal spotlight, Gladys McKay dominating the keyboard and Pauline Rennie saying nice things at the microphone. Vocalist Sewrey looks her customary glamourous self above. There's a fourth little sister behind the scenes, producer Kay Stevenson.

Buy War Savings Stamps!

PANTHER FOR LUCK

London (CP)—New British submarines are being given numbers, not names, but the sub crews prefer the old method. One crew has unofficially named its craft Panther.

POLITICAL WAFARE

London (CP) — Paul Cairn Vellacott, First Great War D.S.O., 51, former headmaster of Harrow, has gone to Cairo as Director of Political Warfare in the Middle East.

NORSE PASTORS EXILED

Washington (CP) — Word has been received from Norway that 25 pastors who refused to obey orders that they move from their home districts have now been forcibly exiled by Nazi police.

MORE WORK FOR WOMAN M.P.

London (CP) — Eleanor Rathbone, Independent M.P., has become a member of the Advisory Committee on the welfare of Colonial People in the United Kingdom.

Bluenose by Adoption



Native son of Montreal, John Crosbie has been in the Maritimes for the past seven years. He is now 21 but that doesn't mean he lacks experience. For instance, he has worked in four cities in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick as a radio man; he has organized his own advertising agency, been a salesman and reporter. He left college two years ago to take a commission in the Canadian army; he was honorably discharged because of ill health, now handles the morning newscast for CBC listeners in the Maritime region. He is the mayor of "Upper Upsalquitch" in "Hi Neighbor", announces Richard Fry's popular organ programs. He likes sea food and symphonic music; doesn't like misquoted Shakespeare or burnt marshmallows.

INSPIRED BY SONNETS

London (CP) — "Battlefields of Britain," a painting by C. R. W. Nevinson, A.R.A., inspired by the poems of John G. Magee, R.C.A.F. pilot, killed over Britain, has been presented to the British nation. Nevinson, whose portrait of Air Marshal W. A. Bishop hangs in the National Gallery at Ottawa, is now paralyzed.

London (CP) — Bishop H. J. Buxton, of Gibraltar, after a visit to the beleaguered British island of Malta, declared it was the courage and team-work of the island's defenders that had saved this strategic base from the enemy.

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'Typical Meeting of Lachute Scout Troop

— By John Assad —

The Boy Scouts' meeting opens by Flag Break and Scouts' Silence. We then go to our patrol corners and check attendance and fees. Then follows a game, after which there is an instruction period. During this time we are taught many things indispensible to Boy Scouts, such as the principles of citizenship. In any of His Majesty's services preference is always given to Scouts. Many people will ask, why? Because here they are taught self reliance, leadership and comradeship.

Last week, November 18, four boys passed their Tenderfoot test, which must take place before a Scout is invested into the troop. Their names are Walter Gauley, Don Wilson, Douglas King and William Mackenzie.

The Queensland Scouter tells the story of an Australian Boy Scout who with his goat cart collected 110 lbs. of aluminum in a salvage drive. One lady who had no aluminum gave the Scout at Pomeranian pup.

REX HOUSE OF HITS

FRI., SAT., NOVEMBER 27-28
Charles LAUGHTON, Jon HALL, Peggy Drake, Victor Francen in
The Tuttles of Tahiti
LIONEL BARRYMORE, LEW AYRES, ANN AYARS,
Dr. Kildare's Victory
FOX NEWS OF THE DAY

SUN., MON., NOVEMBER 29-30
CONSTANCE BENNETT, Brod Crawford, Anne Gwynne,
SIN TOWN
Frank Craven, Mary Howard,
THRU DIFFERENT EYES
GLOVE-SLINGERS

TUES., WED., THURS., DECEMBER 1-2-3
Bud ABBOTT, Lou COSTELLO, Kathryn Grayson, John Carroll in
RIO RITA
Lynne Roberts, George Holmes,
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Careful, Soft Shoulder
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SUN., MON., NOVEMBER 29-30
BRIAN DONLEVY, Robert Preston, McDonald Carey,
WAKE ISLAND
Lloyd Nolan, Carole Landis, Sara Allgood, William Frawley in
It Happened in Flatbush

DECEMBER 1-2-3 TUES., WED., THURS.,
Ann Miller, Johnnie Johnston, Jerry Colonna in
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