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RUSSIANS CLOSING IN ON BUCOVINA'S CAPITAL

Allied Planes Bomb Ruhr Valley, Smash Targets in Central Italy

Vital Rumanian Rail Town Seized By Reds

Two Operations Place Soviet Armies Along North Bank of Upper Prut for Distance of 80 Miles—Reds Now Two and a Half Miles from Czernowitz.

Moscow, March 28.—(AP)—Russian troops have driven to within two and a half miles of Czernowitz, capital of the pre-war Rumanian Province of Bucovina, field dispatches declared today, while further to the South they have captured the Prut River town of Skulyany, 10 miles Northeast of Iasi (Jassy), strategic Rumanian railway centre.

Capture of Cadagura, just across the Upper Prut from Czernowitz, climaxed a 23-mile drive into Bucovina from the Dniester River by Marshal Gregory K. Zrakov's 1st Ukrainian Army, in which an entire regiment of Hungarian troops was annihilated, a Russian communique announced.

Skulyany was stormed by troops of Ivan S. Konev's 2nd Ukrainian Army, the bulletin said. The two operations placed the Soviet armies along the North bank of the Upper Prut for a distance of 80 miles, and it appeared that a crossing of the river into Rumania proper was imminent.

Zhukov's invasion of Bucovina was preceded by a new crossing of the Dniester, and front dispatches said this thrust apparently had effectively split the German defence line East of the Carpathian Mountains—a defence based on the Bucharest-Czernowitz-Lwow Railway. The drive brought Red Army vanguards to within 28 miles of Rumania's North frontier, thus increasing Russian pressure on that Axis satellite.

In the drive on Czernowitz, Zhukov's forces fanned Westward to capture Koropets, 20 miles East of the big junction of Stanislawow and Gorodetsko, just across the Dniester in Stanislawow Province, the communique said. This advance placed the Russians close to the foothills of the Carpathians and broadened the threat to the left flank of the enemy's Prut River line.

Kamenets-Podolsk, 40 miles Northeast of Czernowitz, was another important Dniester River stronghold that fell to Zhukov's veterans, while the town of Buzovity, 20 miles to the Southeast, was stormed by Konev's hard-hitting troops.

(Capture of these two positions, North and South of the Dniester

STATE TO REST CASE TODAY IN LONERGAN TRIAL

Tersely Worded Confession of Young Aircraftman Admitted as Evidence—Defence Charges Statement Obtained Under Duress.

By JAMES H. PORTERFIELD, Associated Press Staff Writer.
New York, March 28.—(AP)—Its cast bolstered by admission of a tersely-worded confession, the prosecution expected to complete today presentation of evidence against Wayne Lonergan, charged with the slaying of his 23-year-old heiress wife, Patricia, last October 29.

Reading of the statement, admitted only after a stiff defence fight and conceded by the State to be the backbone of its case, was begun yesterday. The concluding pages were to be read in Court today.

The defence had charged that the unsigned confession was obtained under duress and with promises of leniency.

Assistant District Attorney Jacob Grunet said he would wind up his case by calling about six more witnesses, including a former show girl who was Lonergan's companion the night before the slaying.

Lonergan, in New York on leave from his R.C.A.F. training base at Toronto, went to the apartment about 9 a.m. and Mrs. Lonergan, who was naked, admitted him to the bedroom, according to the statement.

The defendant was quoted as saying: "I said she had been behaving like a drunken sailor. She said my behavior wasn't the best either. She called me a couple of names. I called her a couple of names too."

"She started calling me names for going out with other girls... I got mad. I picked up this candlestick, rushed over and hit her. The candlestick broke and she sat up and said, 'Good God! what have you done?' I was mad. I rushed over to the table again and picked up another candlestick. I hit her again. She jumped out of bed.

"I grabbed her around the neck. I choked her with both hands. It seemed about three minutes. I realized she wasn't moving. I was horrified at this mess of blood."

The statement related he tried to wash the blood from his uniform, went to the apartment of a friend, John Frederick Harjes, which he was using that week-end, and there cut up the uniform with a pair of scissors. The same morning he stuffed the blood-stained garments into a duffel bag and threw them in the East River.

On the Japanese side, the Japanese who attempted to counter-attack. Allied heavy bombers blasted enemy supply dumps in the Kamaing area and lighter planes shot up the main street of Kamaing, 42 miles Northwest of Myitkya, in a series of raids which cost the Nazis eight planes.

Berlin said the main target of the assaults, which caused some casualties and considerable damage, was the busy West Coast port of Bristol.



Map above shows how inexorable Russian drive, here before over fairly flat land, is forcing German backs against the wall of Carpathian mountains, where in more easily defensible terrain, they may make desperate stand. Red armies aim at vital passes through the rugged Carpathians. Map also shows areas over which Balkan nations fight among themselves and drastic steps Hitler has taken to forestall satellite countries from deserting the Nazi fold.

SAYS MITCHELL REMARKS HURT COAL MARKET

Alberta Member Claims Minister's Declaration that Coal Would Not Pile Harmful Sales—Calls for Royal Commission.

Ottawa, March 28.—(AP)—Statements by Labor Minister Mitchell that Alberta coal would not stock pile and that it was being marketed as it was produced, hurt the coal market, said last night in the Commons.

Alberta bituminous coal was as good as any and would stock pile, said Mr. Johnson, Alberta domestic coal would keep as well as any other coal if under cover.

(Speaking in the house March 2, Mr. Mitchell said that much coal in Western Canada, "particularly Alberta coal, cannot be piled. It is not like Nova Scotia coal.")

Mr. Johnson said Mr. Mitchell had said the government was "over-prepared" for producing coal last winter.

"That shows a definite lack of policy," he said. "Next year they will be under prepared."

Five Buckingham Girls Testify To Drinking And Dancing With German Prisoners Of War In Thurso Hotel

Trial of Pte. Nelson Skinner, of Granby, on Charges Arising from Incidents Alleged to Have Occurred at Buckingham and Thurso in Connection with Conduct of German Prisoners, to Start Today.

Buckingham, Que., March 28.—(AP)—Five Buckingham girls testified before an open court martial here last night that they had drunk beer and danced with German prisoners of war in a hotel at nearby Thurso, Que., March 15.

The girls were among witnesses heard during Court Martial proceedings against Pte. William Lee of Montreal, a member of the Veterans' Guard of Canada, who earlier pleaded not guilty to six charges arising from incidents alleged to have occurred here and at Thurso in connection with the conduct of German prisoners of war in his charge.

Trial of Pte. Nelson Skinner, of Granby, Que., another member of the V. G. C. who faces similar charges, will open today. Col. Sam Echenberg, formerly of Sherbrooke, is presiding.

Regine Chenier, 16, of Buckingham said she had met the German prisoners here, and had driven to Thurso with them and four other girls the evening of March 15. She said she returned to Buckingham by train, but later drove back to Thurso in a taxi with Mary Rose Lajeunesse.

Miss Chenier said Lee was at that time with a party of eight prisoners in a Thurso hotel, and that he and the others had been drinking beer. The Germans claimed, she continued, that three of them had had double extractions of teeth that day and "could not stand" the trip back to the bus camp where they are employed by a diving machine concern. The party had remained at the hotel overnight.

Fleet Of Heavy U. S. Bombers Sows Destruction On Nine Airdromes In France, Blasts Rail Yards At Tours

London, March 28.—(AP)—British Mosquito bombers stabbed last night at targets in the industrial Ruhr Valley, the Air Ministry announced today, in a follow-up to a heavy R.A.F.-R.C.A.F. assault the previous night on the armaments centre of Essen. No planes were lost in the foray.

Smashing at the aerial backbone of the Atlantic Wall, a fleet of from 750 to 1,000 U.S. heavy bombers sowed destruction on nine German airdromes in France yesterday and blasted the freight yards at Tours in a series of sweeping raids that extended almost to the Spanish frontier. They shot down four enemy fighters.

Accompanying fighters, perhaps as many as 1,000 were credited officially with destroying 38 Nazi

planes, most of them on the ground, to make the Germans' total loss 42 for the day. Six of the American bombers and ten fighters failed to return, said a communique today. The communique said five fighters previously reported missing had been found safe.

The objectives of the bombers included Chartres, 40 miles Southwest of Paris; La Rochelle, St. Jean d'Angely, Pau, Biarritz, Cazaux, Mordeneux and Mont de Marsan, all in the Bay of Biscay area, as well as Tours.

Frenchmen who reached the Spanish frontier after the raid on Biarritz, said the Lanegresse station, where the great Southern trunk line from the Mediterranean joins the Northbound line to Bordeaux and Paris, was destroyed.

More than 70 tons of explosives and incendiaries were poured on targets Friday and Saturday, and 145 structures of all types and sizes were destroyed or damaged, an Allied communique said today. Previous raids have concentrated primarily on Rabaul's five big airdromes.

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Hun Attack Is Repelled At Cassino

Germans Reply to Shelling of Hotel Continental and Des Roses with Nightlong Bombardment of Allied Positions South of Town.

By RICHARD G. MASSOCK, Naples, March 28.—(AP)—Allied artillery broke up a German attack North of Cassino and continued to hammer the two hotel "key point" areas of the German defences within the ruined town. Headquarters announced today.

The Nazi attack was broken up on the road from Terelle, which lies about four miles Northwest of Cassino. The Germans replied to the shelling of the Hotel Continental and Des Roses with a night-long bombardment of Allied positions South of the town.

Meanwhile, it was disclosed that three small German attacks of platoon strength on the left side of the beachhead South of Rome were beaten off Sunday afternoon and the Germans remained on the defensive in that sector. Six different patrol clashes were reported in the beachhead, mainly in the Cisterna and Carroceto areas.

Gunfire diminished in the Lower Garigliano sector of the Main 5th Army front, but patrols clashed at several points. The Germans shelled the Orsogna area of the 8th Army front, but that sector also was generally quiet except for patrol clashes near Tollo, North of Orsogna.

French-speaking Canadian troops of the 8th Army beat off two small-scale attacks against forward outposts in the central sector of the Canadian Corps front yesterday. They inflicted unremembered casualties on the enemy.

Allied artillery, bearing the brunt of the battle on the Cassino front for the second straight day, "considerably battered" the Continental and Des Roses hotels, a military spokesman said. Bursting shells also started a fire in a German dump South of Cassino.

Allied planes, flying about 1,400 sorties, blasted at railway lines yesterday, striking targets in Central Italy, swarming over the battle area, and lashing shipping off the Italian West Coast and the Dalmatian shore. Mosquitoes last night continued the blows against the Nazi supply lines.

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RABAU FEELS MIGHT OF BOMB CONCENTRATION

New Intensified Raids Aimed at Japs' Warehouses and Supply Buildings After Smashing Rabaul's Five Airdromes.

Allied Headquarters, Southwest Pacific, March 28.—(AP)—Rabaul, Japan's once-proud bastion on New Britain which now is isolated by Allied landings around the Bismarck Sea, is being steadily levelled by Allied bombs in a new phase of warfare aimed at the enemy's warehouses, shops, barracks and other buildings.

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21 KILLED IN SAN FRANCISCO HOTEL BLAZE

One Woman Leaped to Death While Three Other Persons, Hanging from Window Ledges, Were Caught in Net by Firemen.

San Francisco, March 28.—(AP)—At least 21 persons were killed and a score injured in a fire which swept rapidly through the New Amsterdam Hotel at Fourth and Polk streets here early today and which Fire Chief Albert J. Sullivan said appeared to be of incendiary origin.

Firemen fought the four-alarm blaze 45 minutes before they were able to bring it sufficiently under control to enter the hotel. Three hours after the first alarm firemen had not completed a search of the structure.

Sullivan said several of those injured might die.

The fire chief said several other small hotels and rooming houses in the San Francisco Bay area had been set ablaze by arsonists here recently.

Fire Marshal Frank Kelly said the landings in a rooming house near the New Amsterdam Hotel had reported discovering a burning box of papers in a closet Monday, but was able to extinguish the flames promptly.

Last week across the bay in Oakland, he said, arsonists followed a similar pattern in a setting a series of fires in 11 small hotels.

Many persons jumped from windows as the flames, which started in the rear of the building, spread rapidly.

One woman, her clothing afire, leaped to her death as the engines arrived.

Firemen spent life nets in time to catch three others who had been hanging from window ledges.

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Strong Japanese Forces Launching Determined Attacks in Ukhru Area

New Delhi, March 28.—(AP)—Japanese forces pushing through the Somra hills inside the Indian border are pressing home determined attacks in the vicinity of Ukhru, 32 miles Northeast of Imphal, Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's headquarters announced today.

To the South of Imphal, meanwhile Allied troops were reported continuing operations to clear the Tiddim-Imphal road, along which the Japanese have been moving steadily Northward since crossing the border from Burma several days ago.

An Allied communique said Japanese pressure has increased in the Ukhru area and heavy fighting is proceeding.

On the Northern sector in Burma Chinese troops attacked and captured Hkawnglaw and have crossed the upper Magaune Valley road immediately South of the town.

This area is North of Myitkya, Japanese railroad menaced by Allied thrusts from several directions and by glider-borne British troops who were landed behind the Japanese lines.

HEAVY ASSAULT ON BRITISH TARGETS

London, March 28.—(AP)—The German Air Force, in one of the heaviest aerial attacks it has launched on British targets exclusive of London in the last two years, scattered bombs over South Wales and parts of Western, Southern and Southeastern England last night in a series of raids which cost the Nazis eight planes.

Berlin said the main target of the assaults, which caused some casualties and considerable damage, was the busy West Coast port of Bristol.

WAR BULLETINS

New York.—The Polish Telegraph Agency said today in a dispatch from London that the Germans have organized a "White Russian Central Council" of Quislings in an effort to incorporate White Russia into German war effort.

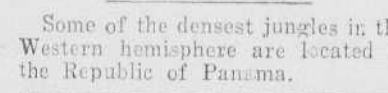
The agency also declared that the Nazis had for the first time conscripted a White Russian unit into the German Army.

Washington.—The Chinese Embassy said yesterday Gen. Shang Chen, head of China's National Military Council and one of President Chiang Kai-Shek's most trusted aides, is expected to leave Chungking shortly to head the Chinese Military Mission in Washington.

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OPERATIONAL WINGS AWARDED FO. M. F. LEBEAU

FO. Marshall Frederick Lebeau was formally presented with the coveted R.C.A.F. gold "operational wings" by Sqn. Ldr. E. K. G. Burden, chief flying instructor of No. 4 E.F.T.S., Windsor Mills.



After receiving his observer's wings, Lebeau proceeded to No. 1 A.N.S. Rivers, Man., for an astral navigation course and went Overseas for less than a year, he was commissioned with the rank of Pilot Officer in January, 1942, and was promoted to Flying Officer in October of the same year.

A keen member of aircrew who was anxious to do his share, FO. Lebeau took part in raids on Berlin, Wilhelmshaven, the Ruhr, Bremen, Frankfurt, Turin and many other well-known enemy industrial centers.

Some of the densest jungles in the Western hemisphere are located in the Republic of Panama.

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REMIER THEATRE. THE TRIUMPH OF THE YEAR! MADAME CURIE. Includes image of the stage set and cast members.

CONCERT HELD BY SYMPHONY MUCH ENJOYED

Sherbrooke citizens have every reason to feel justly proud of the excellent concert, presented last evening by the Sherbrooke Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Sylvio Lacharite, in St. John the Baptist Hall, which was filled to its utmost capacity.

Much has already been said in praise of this local musical organization, but the general consensus of opinion is that last night's concert surpassed all previous records, not only in the carefully selected programme, but in the marked improvement and finished manner in which each and every number was interpreted.

The various instruments were well balanced, the musicians being placed to the best advantage possible on the rather limited stage space, and proof of much patient practice and preparation was evident in the gradations of shading and the well high perfect response of the orchestra as a whole, to the inspiring leadership of its director.

En passant, Mr. Lacharite gracefully included Prof. Horace Boux, Concert Master, in the numerous recalls of the enthusiastic audience, at the close of each and every number.

STARTING TOMORROW FOR FOUR DAYS. M-G'S MAMMOUTH MUSICAL SMASH! A Glorious Romance of the Show World! Judy and a Screenful of Top Talent! Tune-Terrific! Dance-Dazzling! Heart-Gripping!

City of Silent Men. Frank Albertson - Lang - Wiley. Includes image of the main cast members.

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Strong formations of light bombers and dive-bombers attacked railway yards, warehouses and factories at Sette Bagni, on the Northeastern outskirts of Rome. Mediums escorted by Spitfires bombed a railroad bridge at Poggibonni, hitting a 40-car train.

Medium formations also bombed railway bridges at Marsciano, 70 miles North of Rome, Perugia, 15 miles farther North, and Grosseto, 90 miles Northwest of the capital, hit at a railroad bridge 35 miles Southwest of Ancona, and scored a direct hit on a power house near San Valentino, Southwest of Pescara.

Fighter-bombers bombed highway and rail bridges at Monte Pescali, and a railway bridge at Montalto di Castro, 50 miles Northwest of Rome, and strafed planes on the ground at Rimini and Forli.

About 65 enemy planes were reported active over the battle area. Two were destroyed for a loss of three Allied planes.

Other 1st Ukrainian Army troops were hammering at the German defenders of encircled Tarnopol on the trunk line 70 miles East of Lwow and 83 miles Northwest of Czernowitz.

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The Court Martial was convened following reports that German war prisoners were permitted to stroll around the town unguarded, enter hotels, drink beer, and pick up women girls.

Cpl. Lee was charged with neglecting to obey standing orders in that on March 15 at Thurso, as the non-commissioned officer in charge of an escort of German prisoners of war, he permitted the prisoners to fraternize with civilians when such fraternizing was not necessary to the performance of his work.

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River, apparently has strengthened Soviet chances of trapping large German forces in a 1,400-square-mile pocket Southeast of Proskurov in the Kamenski-Podolski area.

The Soviet war bulletin said Red Army troops were inflicting terrific casualties on German formations in the Kamenski-Podolski fighting. The capture of one town alone, Yarmontitsky, resulted in 5,000 Nazis being killed and 100 enemy tanks being destroyed, the bulletin declared.

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JOSEPH GEVRY WINS ELECTION AT WATERLOO

Defeats Opponent, Dr. Victor Gariepy, by Forty-Six Votes to Win Seat on Municipal Council.

Waterloo, March 28.—Elections took place at Waterloo yesterday when two candidates, both from the South Ward, Dr. Victor Gariepy and Joseph Gevry, opposed each other for a seat on the Municipal Council, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Pro-Mayor Roger Audette, who has been transferred as C.N.R. station master from Waterloo to Three Rivers.

Over three hundred voters went to the polls and Mr. Gevry was elected with a majority of forty-six votes. In the evening many of his supporters gathered at his home to offer their congratulations.

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(No consideration had been given to cancellation of postponements, to the extension of callible ages or to the lowering of medical categories.)

With a slim attendance just at the adjournment hour last night C.C.F. members forced a vote by appealing a speaker's ruling and lost 59 to 25. The speaker ruled T. C. Douglas (C.C.F. Weyburn) out of order when he proposed an amendment to the motion to go into committee of supply, condemning the Government's agricultural marketing policy.

While munitions department estimates were under review Mr. Howe threw new light on previously announced plans for the aviation industry.

The principal facts disclosed were: 1. Work has started at the Government-owned plant operated by Canadian Vickers in Montreal on construction of the Douglas DC4 transport plane.

2. Part of the work of developing jet propulsion aircraft engines has been transferred to Canada and cold-weather tests of jet propulsion planes are being made here while a Canadian team is working in British jet propulsion plants.

3. The work of designing a trans-Atlantic type of plane for Canadian production, using both Canadian and British plans, is well advanced.

4. In addition to the "Norseman" now in production, and the Douglas DC 4, Canada will probably need a small and medium type transport and designs for these are being studied.

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MONTREAL LIVE STOCK MARKET

Montreal, March 28.—There were 85 cattle, 9 lambs, 761 hogs and 1503 calves for sale on the two Montreal livestock markets today.

Calves were slow and prices steady to 25 cents or more lower. Other kinds of livestock were steady.

Cattle offered were mostly cows and bulls. Butcher cows ranged from 6.25-9. Canners and cutters 5-6.25. Good bulls 9-5.50 and common 7 up.

Veals were slow and easy selling mostly between 11-12. There were no tops.

Hogs 17.15 for B-1 dressed and sows 13 dressed.

MONTREAL CURB MARKET

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Can. Pacific ... 10 1/2
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Dom. Bridge ... 27 1/2
Dom. Textile ... 73
Gen. Steel Wares ... 12 1/2
Hollinger Con. ... 11 1/2
Howard Smith ... 15 1/2
Imperial Tobacco ... 1 1/2
Imperial Oil ... 13 1/2
Inter. Pete. ... 20 1/2
Inter. Nickel ... 29
Lake of the Woods ... 25
Massey Harris ... 8 1/2
McCull-Fontenac ... 7 1/2
Mont. Power ... 20 1/2
Nat. Breweries ... 35
Nat. Steel Car ... 14 1/2
Price Bros. ... 23 1/2
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General Motors ... 57 1/2
Kennebec ... 31 1/2
Montgomery Ward ... 45 1/2
N. Y. Central ... 19 1/2
Republic Steel ... 17 1/2
Stand. Oil of N. J. ... 53 1/2
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Inter. Nickel ... 29
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Massey Harris ... 8 1/2
McCull-Fontenac ... 7 1/2
Mont. Power ... 20 1/2
Nat. Breweries ... 35
Nat. Steel Car ... 14 1/2
Price Bros. ... 23 1/2
Quebec Power ... 12 1/2
St. Lawrence Corp. ... 3 1/2
Shawinigan ... 15 1/2
Winnipeg Elec. "A" ... 6 1/2

COUNTRY AND DAIRY PRODUCTS PRICES

Montreal, March 28.—There was again little or no change in the main items. Egg receipts were in fairly heavy volume with the market holding steady.

Commodity Exchange Futures: March, 34¢. Dominion Marketing Service quotations. Canadian Commodity Exchange close, basis 50-cash minimum. Small lots to retailers in cartons; 2¢ per dozen less when bought loose.

Butter (c. per lb.): Open Market No. 1 pasteurized storage, 35 1/2-40¢. Small lots to retail trade, solids, 35-36 1/2¢; prints, 35-37¢.

Commodity Exchange: Spot closing quotes: Que. 92 score graded, 35 1/4¢. Futures, close, March, 35 1/4¢. CHEESE (c. per lb.): Que. and Western white and colored, wholesale, 20 1/2-21¢.

P.E.I. Mountains (per 75-lb. bag) ... 1.95
N.B. Mountains ... 1.90-1.95
Quebec No. 1 ... 1.75-1.85
Quebec Red No. 1 ... 1.75-1.85
Quebec No. 2 ... 1.70-1.80
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Butter (c. per lb.): Open Market No. 1 pasteurized storage, 35 1/2-40¢. Small lots to retail trade, solids, 35-36 1/2¢; prints, 35-37¢.

GRANADA. BEGINNING TOMORROW FOR FOUR DAYS! Deanna DURBIN. 'Moonlight in Vermont' with Gloria Jean - Fay Helm Plus - Latest World News. Includes large images of the stars and promotional text.

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A CHOICE Residence in the NORTH WARD FOR SALE 129 Quebec Street. On high ground, away from the street and noise of traffic, this 2 1/2 storey brick dwelling on lot 105 x 132; has 8 rooms on first two floors and 4 in finished attic. Hot water coal furnace, two complete bathrooms, two 2-piece lavatories, two car garage, sunporch, etc. Further details, apply. SHERBROOKE TRUST COMPANY. Includes image of the house.

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CITY and SUBURBAN

SHERBROOKE, QUEBEC, TUESDAY, MARCH 28, 1944.

CITY COUNCIL APPOINTS NEW COMMITTEES

Ald. Bryant Retained Waterworks Committee, Sought By Ald. Deziel, Who Was Given Gas And Electric

Alderman O. Deziel was out to obtain the chairmanship of the Waterworks Department when the City Council convened as Committee of the Whole last night to appoint new committees—but he ended up as president of the Gas and Electricity Department, thanks to Ald. Guy Bryant, who relinquished the latter portfolio only a few minutes after he had accepted it, to end a heated controversy.

Promotion of Ald. Bryant from the Waterworks Department, which he has capably headed, to the more important post of chairman of Gas and Electricity, took place shortly after the aldermen opened their meeting, held behind closed doors. The Council believed it only fitting to offer Mr. Bryant the Gas and Electricity portfolio and Mr. Bryant said that he was honored and pleased to accept it.

Then the fireworks started when

the question of appointing a new chairman to the Waterworks Department arose. Ald. Deziel said that he believed he was entitled to this post, particularly so since he had devoted much time to study of ways and means of remedying the water situation. Other members of the Council did not see eye to eye with Mr. Deziel, who has been chairman of the Health Committee for the past two years, and a heated discussion ensued.

Finally Ald. Bryant said that he would relinquish his newly-acquired post if Mr. Deziel would be satisfied to accept the Gas and Electricity Department. This did not seem to suit Ald. Deziel at first, but after more discussion he finally agreed to abandon hopes for the Waterworks Department job and take over administration of the Gas

MAN BELIEVED DROWNED
A man whose identity has not yet been learned is believed to have drowned at Lennoxville early this afternoon when a freight and a pile driver collided on the bridge spanning the Massawippi River.

When the crash occurred, the man is reported to have jumped into the river and is believed to have drowned.

ONE KILLED AND TWO INJURED IN AUTO COLLISION

Patrick Lachapelle, 60, of North Stanbridge, was instantly killed last evening when the car in which he was riding collided with a truck on the main highway just outside of Swetsburg at approximately five o'clock. Two other passengers, both residents of Cowansville, were injured in the accident, but officials of the Brome-Missisquoi-Perkins Hospital report that they were permitted to return to their homes after receiving first aid treatment administered by two of the hospital doctors, Dr. R. Hunr and Dr. P. Roy.

The body of the victim was immediately removed to the undertaking parlors in Cowansville, where arrangements were made for the holding of an inquest by Dr. R. Noisieux, Coroner for the District of Beaufort. The inquest was scheduled to take place this afternoon.

and Electric Committee.

Changes in other Committees followed: Ald. J. D. Tremblay assumed chairmanship of the Police and Fire Committee, which he held in 1922. He succeeds J. A. Robert, who resigned from the Council. Ald. Alphonse Trudeau, head of the Market Committee in the previous Council, was named to head the Health Committee, replacing Ald. Deziel. The new Municipal Assistance Committee Chairman is Hector Lantot, who succeeded Ald. Paul Hamel, now Chairman of the Parks Committee. Alderman Sylvio Rousseau was appointed President of the City Hall Committee in place of Alderman Guy Bishop, who has become Market Committee Chairman.

Committee Chairmen returned were Ald. Eugene Gervais, Finance, and Ald. V. A. Fiset, Roads, with Ald. Bryant remaining as Chairman of the Waterworks Committee on his own accord.

Committee Chairmen and members follow:

Finance: Eugene Gervais, President; Aldermen Bryant, Fiset, Trudeau and Rousseau.

Electricity and Gas: O. Deziel, President; Aldermen Bryant, Fiset, Trudeau and Lantot.

Roads: V. A. Fiset, President; Aldermen Deziel, Trudeau, Bishop and Lantot.

Police and Fire: J. D. Tremblay, President; Aldermen Gervais, Bryant, Fiset and Rousseau.

Waterworks: Guy Bryant, President; Aldermen Gervais, Deziel, Hamel and Trudeau.

Health and Hygiene: Alphonse Trudeau, President; Aldermen Deziel, Hamel, Bishop and Lantot.

Municipal Assistance: Hector Lantot, President; Aldermen Hamel, Bishop, Rousseau and Tremblay.

Market: C. Guy Bishop, President; Aldermen Deziel, Hamel, Lantot and Tremblay.

Parks: Paul Hamel, President; Aldermen Gervais, Bishop, Rousseau and Tremblay.

City Hall: Sylvio Rousseau, President; Aldermen Gervais, Bryant, Fiset and Tremblay.

Honor Roll Is Compiled By Lennoxville High School

In an endeavor to fittingly honor the many students of Lennoxville High School who have joined the various services in the present war, an active committee, under the chairmanship of Principal J. Edward Perry, has compiled an impressive list of present and former students who have done a uniform for King and Country.

When complete, the illuminated Honor Roll will occupy a prominent place in the school corridors, and to assist in its early completion, the Principal asks that any person knowing of any name that has been omitted to send notice of same to him at the High School. It is hoped that no one will be omitted.

Following is the Honor Roll to date:

- H. Aikman; D. F. Allen; Harry Allen; Stewart Allen; George Armstrong; Ross Abernethy; G. J. Arnold; Alex. Ames; Dennis C. Atto; Wilson Atto.
- Donald Bozer; Norma Beattie; D. A. Bellam; Keith Baldwin; Howard Bessant; Norman Bessant; Addison Browne; J. A. Bradley; Elmer Bradley; William Butler; L. A. M. Booth; Pearl Booth; Robert Baker; Douglas Baker; Fred Burns; Walter G. Billson; Lorne Bowen; Earl Banfill; Edward Boothroyd; Fred Cann; Donald L. Cathcart; Duncan Campbell; Alfred Campbell; W. R. Christison; A. Cornish; Allen Clements; Harold G. Cook; Dwight Coates; Cliff Cameron; Barbara Cunningham; Margaret Cowan; Max Drennan; R. J. Dewing; G. D. Daughters; Russell J. Everett; Philip Evans; Keith W. Elliott.
- Wendell Fairbrother; W. H. Fisher; J. Earl Findlay; Victor Findlay; Lois Findlay; Reginald Farmer; H. W. Fletcher; Roger Fletcher; Harold Fletcher; Harry Fowles; Dudley Frizzell.

R. W. Getty; Douglas Glass; Edwin George; Lloyd George; John Gilbey; Gerald Gingras; Leonard Gingras.

Karl Hunting; Douglas Hadlock; M. K. Harmer; L. E. Hodg; Harold Rodge; A. W. Hunting; Donald Henry; H. F. Hunting; Gordon Herling; Thelma Harton.

William A. Jones; Russell Johnston; Britton L. Johnston; Fred Kelly; D. A. Langley; Roy Langley; Edwin Langley; J. B. Locke; Gilbert Locke; Kenneth Labaree; Ronald Lane; Lloyd Lane; John Lauder.

Melvin Mayhew; C. G. Merrill; Earl Merrill; Harry Morrison; Ashmore Mosher; Garth Mosher; J. T. C. Morrison; G. N. McMurray; John McKindsey; Ashley B. McMullen; Thos. MacChung; Robt. McCoy; Sterling MacAlister.

Weston Nutbrown; Delbert Nutbrown; Alton Pierce; Gordon Peeg; Ernest Peeg; Eric Plunkett; George Povey; Lloyd Price; George Price; Kenneth Price; E. Prim, Jr.; Robt. Pearson; Darrell Paige; Grant Parent; Jean Pearson.

Stanford Rowe; Sidney Rayercraft; Nelson Rayercraft; W. C. Ray; L. A. Ray; Ralph Rogerson; Percy Richardson.

George Sarrasin; Douglas Sample; G. W. Sanger; K. A. Sorenson; Lynn Shuffel; Wallace Shuffel; P. (Bud) Staples; Walter Stewart; Kenneth Smart.

Lorne A. Tapp; Donald Tapp; Gordon Titecum; E. A. Todd; Harry Teal, Jr.; Henry Trenholm; Gordon P. White; E. V. Walters; Frank Walters; Fred Wark; Frank Winkworth; G. G. Wheeler; A. C. Walker; Stanley Walker; Norman Walker; Cecil Walker; Charles Worthen.

(*—Asterisks mark the names of those who have paid the supreme sacrifice.

DRAGGING WORK IS HALTED BY STRONG WINDS

Grappling operations in the Magog river near Collinsville where Lionel Blais, eighteen years old, is believed to have drowned while fishing through the ice, were abandoned this morning because of strong winds.

Captain Edouard Moreau of the Municipal Police Department, in charge of the investigation, said that dragging work will be resumed as soon as the weather turns favorable.

"We expect to continue dragging the icy waters this afternoon should the weather get milder," Captain Moreau stated. Four police officers are using two boats and grappling hooks to drag different parts of the river daily.

Police said that they would re-double their efforts to locate the body, as a result of finding Blais' cap two hundred feet away from where he was reported to have fallen into the water. Discovery of the cap was the first clue picked up by police in the six-day investigation, and Captain Moreau stated "We are almost certain that Blais is a victim of drowning."

Mrs. Victorian Blais, mother of the missing man, became hysterical yesterday when identifying the cap.

The river has been dragged by police since last Wednesday. Blais' parents reported the young man missing last Tuesday night when he did not return home after a fishing trip near his residence. A second report was made to police by H. Beaudoin, of Sherbrooke, who informed authorities that he saw a young man fall into the river while walking on the railroad tracks leading to Sherbrooke.

It was explained by police authorities that tree stumps at the depth of twenty feet in the river has been retarding dragging work considerably.

Affiliation Of High School Cadets With Local Regiment Is Announced

The affiliation of the Sherbrooke High School Cadet Corps with the Sherbrooke Regiment has just been made known. The official citation published in a recent Routine Army Order states simply that the Army Council has approved "the affiliation of No. 209 Sherbrooke High School Cadet Corps, Sherbrooke, with the 2nd (Reserve) Battalion, The Sherbrooke Regiment, effective 10th February, 1944."

The High School cadet corps was originally formed soon after the First Great War, the first Officer Commanding being Lloyd Bowen, now Major Lloyd Bowen of the Governor-General Foot guards and attached to National Defence Headquarters at Ottawa. It is also of interest that Lieut.-Col. B. D. Lyon, the present Officer Commanding The Sherbrooke Regiment, was one of the first cadet officers of the newly formed Corps.

Instructors were furnished by the Cadet Services of the then Active Militia of Canada, and the corps flourished until 1932 when cadet corps were disbanded throughout Canada as the result of economy moves and a wave of pacifist feeling throughout the country.

In 1940 it was decided to reorganize the Corps, the School Commissioners decided to put it on a compulsory basis and providing school time for training purposes. Since then, many graduates and former cadets leaving school to join the armed forces. Training has been carried on under the supervision of permanent staff personnel attached to The Sherbrooke Regiment. At present the training staff includes Capt. R. E. White, R.S.M. Robert, and

Smith and C.S.M. McCormick. Cadet-Major Royal Stewart is the officer commanding the Sherbrooke High School Cadet Corps, with Cadet-Corps, Malcolm Sanders as second-in-command. They and the platoon officers, Cadet-Lieutenants Gerald Curphy, Charles Budning and Ted Bouch, have all completed the 40-weeks' cadet officers' qualification course which was run off before Christmas. The Corp is about 100 strong and this year includes a strong ski platoon which has undergone manoeuvres with The Sherbrooke Regiment and the St. Charles Seminary cadets.

BRIEFLETS

For Sale—Record note in East Ward, 30 papers. Apply Record Office or Tel. 94.

BEWARE OF THAT COUGH!
There's danger ahead if it develops into a tight, chesty bronchial case. Get relief in a jiffy—cure it with Prescrip, 1232, Star Pharmacy.

Correction—Brieflet reading: Regular monthly meeting local association Can. Nat. Institute for Blind should have read local association Boy Scouts, meeting to be held Tues. night, 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Hall.

STOVE PIPE BLAZES PUT OUT
Two stove pipe blazes were put out by the Municipal Fire Department yesterday. These occurred at the homes of Mitchell Sullivan, 1250 Marquette Street, and M. A. Gilbert, 235 Perry Street. No damage reported.

NOTICE TO WAR WORKERS!

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Functions Of W.P.T.B. Are Outlined In Lions Talk By Douglas B. Racey

Douglas B. Racey, head of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board here in the city, was guest-speaker at the regular weekly meeting of the Lions Club held in the New Sherbrooke Hotel last evening. Mr. Racey explained to the members why the Board was formed and stated its purposes.

Mr. Racey told of how in 1939 at the very outbreak of war, merchants immediately raised the price of sugar to such a height that a freezing order was necessary and was immediately enforced. As the war continued, and labor and materials grew scarcer, the prices began to rise, and it was then decided that a ceiling should be placed on everything, and in order to control these ceilings, the Wartime Prices and Trade Board was formed in 1941.

The speaker then related that many people look on the Board with dislike. "But," he said, "the Board is doing all in its power to see that the proper quotas of materials are available and are directed to the proper places of use, and the cooperation of everyone is necessary in order to enable the Board to complete this task."

The speaker explained the proper procedure to be taken in cases where merchants do not receive quotas of materials that are allowed. The first step is to inquire the reason for the delay, and if no satisfactory reply is received the Board should be advised.

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NOTE INCREASE IN NUMBER OF BLOOD DONORS

A sharp increase in the number of donors at the Monday morning clinic was noted yesterday when fifty-three persons were on hand at the local clinic on Dufferin Avenue.

While this is a sizeable increase, the officials of the clinic stress that they are able to handle a much greater number and appeal to the public to come to the Monday clinic in even greater numbers.

The mobile blood clinic today went to Coaticook. This is the fourth session to be held at this town. One hundred and four persons have been summoned to donate their blood. The clinic is in charge of Mrs. A. Hunting.

A red scarf, a cane and an umbrella were left at the local clinic and have yet to be claimed by their owners.

LENNOXVILLE

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hyndman, Clough Avenue, were AC 2 Ralph Broadhurst, R.C.A.F., St. Thomas, Ont., and Mrs. Broadhurst, of Waterville.

DR. JAMES TO ADDRESS ROTARY CLUB

Dr. F. Cyril James, Principal and Vice-Chancellor of McGill University, will address the Sherbrooke Rotary Club at its weekly meeting in the New Sherbrooke House this evening. He will speak on "Reconstruction—Yesterday and Tomorrow."

Invitations have been extended to all McGill graduates in this district to attend the meeting.

RATION BOOKS TO BE ISSUED ON WEDNESDAY

Ration book No. 4 may be called for at ration book distribution centres in the city starting tomorrow.

Public distribution of the books will take place here for three days, up until Friday. If ration books are not called for during the specified period, they will not be obtainable until April 17th, it was pointed out.

Citizens are reminded that they must not destroy their current ration book (No. 3) because there are unused coupons in it which will be required in the coming months for rationed commodities.

Applicants must bring their ration books to the distribution centres with the application card not detached. Children under sixteen may not apply for ration books for themselves or for other members of the family.

The books will be issued in Sherbrooke from ten a.m. to five-thirty p.m. daily during the three days.

Distribution centres in the city and district are Sherbrooke City Hall, St. Jean Baptist Academy, East Ward, and Larocque Academy, West Ward; Ascot Corner, J. I. Labrie residence; Rock Forest, A. Blanchette residence; St. Elie d'Orford, Post Office, and Lennoxville, Town Hall.

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2 tpsns. sugar
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3/4 cup milk (about)
1 cup molasses
1 cup water

Mix, sift first four ingredients. Cut in shortening until mixed. Slowly add molasses to lightly beat. Roll in jelly like with 1/4 cup nuts. Roll as for jelly like with water and pour into well-greased layer cake pan. Sprinkle with remaining nuts. Place biscuits on top, cut side down. Bake in hot oven (375°) about 25 minutes. Turn out immediately. Makes 10.



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*O God, Who art the author of peace
and lover of concord, defend us Thy
humble servants in all assaults of our enemies.*

BRITISH INDUSTRIAL PROGRESS

One of the main problems recognized by the more level headed of post-war planners is the results which the tremendous industrial progress of the various countries will have on the general world situation. Countries which never have had an industrial system have developed into exporters of manufactured goods, while in the older countries industrial progress and efficiency have been speeded up to an almost unbelievable degree. An interesting sidelight on this condition is given in figures issued by the British Ministry of Production. Of course, with war materials calling for virtually the entire productive capacity of industry, these figures relate directly to the production of armaments, but they will have an important bearing on the post-war industrial picture.

It took Britain nearly three years to achieve peak war output. In June, 1942, aircraft production had increased by 244 per cent over pre-war figures, and since that time further great increases have been obtained by labor-saving devices and general efficiency. Since the summer of 1942 the time taken to build a Lancaster bomber has been reduced by sixty-six per cent. British engineers have re-designed the gun platform of the Bofors anti-aircraft gun so that it took 230 manhours instead of 1,000, and in a great many instances substantial savings were made not only in time but in materials and the occupation of floor space. These things are going to tell when non-military goods can be made again and industrialists are confident that these facilities can be quickly adapted.

Evidence of this was given recently when about thirty factories which had been concentrating upon a certain piece of war equipment were asked to switch over to make something else, with an objective of six hundred units one month hence. The factories not only did that but went 115 sets over. In addition, remarkable reductions have been made in regard to costs. Examples include reducing the cost of one Bren gun part from \$1,175 to \$50, and another gun part from \$5,500 to \$1,250.

When the war is over, Britain will have more machinery, more skilled workers and more factories than she ever dreamed of having; and in whatever competition there is for world trade, she will give any other country a run for its money.

GERMANY'S DWINDLING AIR POWER

One of the most remarkable and significant events of the past few days has been the complete absence of any German warplanes during the widespread assaults on Western Europe by British and American planes. Thunderbolts even attacked Nazi aerodromes within sight of Paris without bringing a single Hitlerite fighter off the ground. Now that is an amazing failure of Hitler's great Luftwaffe which one dominated Europe, and it undoubtedly has the Allied air chiefs in London with their heads together.

The answer to this strange development is of the utmost importance to us; and one which should not be jumped at. We should be unwise to rush to the conclusion that Hitler is no longer capable of flinging a defensive air force into the air and we shall hear plenty of the Luftwaffe before the war is over. The true solution of the mystery probably is this:

First: The Luftwaffe has been vastly reduced in strength by losses in battle and through Allied bombing. There has been such wholesale destruction of Nazi warplane factories that Hitler no longer can replace the destroyed airplanes.

Second: The terrific Russian onslaught on the Eastern front is calling for every warplane the Fuehrer can spare. This does not mean that he has stripped Western Europe of air power. It probably does mean that he is conserving what planes he has there for use against the coming Allied invasion. He has been depending more and more recently on anti-aircraft guns to ward off Allied attacks. Also he may be reorganizing some air units.

It requires no imagination to understand the Nazi need for defensive air power as they flee before the onrushing Russian armies. The arrival of the

Russians at the Prut River—frontier of Rumania—after the epic drive of more than eight hundred miles from Stalingrad, and their continuing thrust into Poland, not only set the triumphal guns of Moscow booming but brought from Prime Minister Churchill the assertion that the Russian feat "constitutes the greatest cause of Hitler's undoing." He added elegantly but expressively that "the guts of the German armies have been largely torn out."

As for the waning strength of Hitler's air force, a month ago a high ranking American air force spokesman in London said since January 1st Germany's twin-engine fighter production had been cut eighty per cent and the single engine production reduced sixty per cent by bombing. Since then there has been further heavy destruction of German warplane factories. Also the toll of casualties among Nazi planes has been great. In this connection the British and American air forces have been growing apace. Mr. Churchill, in his Sunday broadcast, called attention to the fact that United States air power in Britain now exceeds that of the R.A.F. He predicted that the two fleets would produce results "which will certainly be of enormous advantage to the cause of the Allies." He presumably had the forthcoming invasion in mind, but if so he refrained from giving us any tips, excepting to warn that "the hour of greatest effort is approaching."

A NOTED EDUCATIONIST

In the death of Dr. W. O. Rothney, the cause of Protestant education in the Province of Quebec, and especially in the Eastern Townships, loses a leader who played an important part in the transformation of the educational system from the basic "Three R's" to that of the present-day high efficiency.

A native of Leeds Township, Megantic County, he has had a widely-varied career in both the ministry and the field of education, but the greater portion of his life was spent in promoting the educational system, both primary, secondary and advanced, in his native Eastern Townships. His reputation was widespread, but the schools of this district held his chief attention. These institutions he served in a wide range of positions—as principal, as school inspector and later as Director of the Department of Education at Bishop's University, where he was charged with the training of many of the teachers who are carrying on the work of Protestant education in all parts of Quebec today.

His death will be a loss to the cause but the methods and practices which he introduced will be long carried on owing to the efficient groundwork which he laid.

PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE

One of the outstanding features of the annual report for 1943 of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, just released, is the apparent conviction of the officers and directors of that great concern that this country faces a period of expansion in the post-war era. This is shown by the emphasis which the report places on the reserves for additions, replacements and betterments which the company is creating to meet after-the-war conditions.

The expansion plans cover almost every phase of the company's varied activities—on land and sea and in the air, although the latter is somewhat uncertain owing to the attitude of the Government on the matter of private airways operations.

In the near future, the company plans to replace a number of its fast "Beaver" class freighters which have been lost in the service of the United Nations, while the replacement of those luxury liners which have succumbed to enemy operations in the line of duty is one of the prime items on the post-war agenda.

Large expenditures are planned on new motive power and rolling stock, both freight and passenger, indicating that the company is hopeful that much of the traffic gained owing to wartime conditions may be retained.

The report itself is a tribute to the management of the road, which was able to carry a greatly increased load with little or no expansion of capital expenditures.

EDITOR'S NOTE-BOOK

We doubt very much if today will be one of the good old days we'll be yearning for in a few years.

Two per cent beer is the best folks can get in Germany. There's not much percentage in even being there right now.

One sure sign of spring is when a clerk looks up as if he wonders who let a customer in.

Women crying in the movies seems foolish. The same tears at home might get a new spring hat.

As the Allies step up the tempo of the war, more and more German generals step down.

BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Deliver my soul, O Lord, from lying lips, and from a deceitful tongue. — Psalm 120:2.

It is the act of a bad man to deceive by falsehood. — Cicero.

"WHUPP, TWO, THREE, FOUR"



Letters To The Editor

The Record will publish letters from its readers which are considered in the public interest providing they bear the signature and address of the writer. Opinions expressed in this column are the personal views of the writers and not necessarily those of the Record.

COURAGE, BROTHER

To the Editor of the Record,
Dear Sir: I read with interest and joy the letter "Friendly Criticism" by Mr. Webster in the March 23rd issue of your paper!

It places before the public the need of a more strict censorship on the many pictures, whether in the papers or on the screen, as well as in literature, whether in book or magazine form. Many people blame the increase of crime "especially among the youth of our land," whether in Canada or the United States, on the war. I do not think the whole responsibility lies there. The strenuous life people have been trying to keep up with during this century has caused parents to forget their duty to their families, and, of course, when they cease to care, what real interest can one expect the governments of a country to take, for the rules are made up by individuals.

Many homes today have cast aside the teachings and examples of their ancestors. The Bible has been placed in the background—its teachings not lived up to and much that is conducive to lawlessness has taken its place. So earnestly as the Christian Church and other religious organizations urge labor to bring about a better world, it is a difficult task, but let the ones who care not give up too easily or lose hope.

It is a pity to make this remark, but it may take a few more horrible crimes like the ones that have occurred in the cities of the Western Hemisphere these last few years, to arouse those who have the authority to see to it that those principles, which tend to blast and often ruin the youth of our lands, are done away with forever. Then there will be no pest holes for crime to breed in, and we will have cause to be proud of our present and coming generations.

Thanking you, I remain,
Yours sincerely,
GEORGE EDWARD FORD,
Montreal.

SO THEY SAY

Not so long ago the more optimistic fighting men used to quote Adml. William F. Halsey's prediction that we would win the war in 1943, but now the answer is maybe a couple of years—if we're lucky. — George Jones, United Press correspondent back from the Southwest Pacific.

We have profound faith in the revival of France. We believe that the sufferings of the last three and a half years will have the effect of purifying fire, from which she will emerge with renewed vigor. — Lord Halifax.

Those we leave behind would be doing us the greatest disservice if we thought they were mourning our passing. Sorrow would only deter you from your duty and then we really would have died in vain. — Pilot, Lieut. James W. Prior in letter to parents just before he was reported shot down.

Congress has been so lax during recent years in its delegation of authority that we now have thirty-two agencies of government which are not audited by the General Accounting Office.—Sen. George D. Aiken of Vermont.

We must stop wasting human and material sources and find ways to maintain reasonably full production and employment.—Murray D. Lincoln, general manager Ohio Farm Bureau.

PRESS COMMENTS

THIS MAY BE IT!

St. Catharines Standard
When the public gets keen on the scent, it is generally right. The reaction to the beer episode, as between Queen's Park and Ottawa, this week is distinctly one of expectancy of a general election this year. "Roll out the barrel" might indeed become a campaign song.

There is questioning, too, of the righteous indignation of Prime Minister King over the alleged failure of Ontario to "co-operate." Some one has unkindly dug up a month old dispatch from the riding which Mr. King represents in the West, which tells a story in itself:
Prince Albert, Sask., Feb. 13.—
A resolution recommending the removal of the present restrictions governing the sale of spirituous liquors, particularly as they apply to the sales of wines and beer, has been forwarded to Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King, it was announced today following a meeting of Mr. King's supporters in the federal constituency of Prince Albert. The resolution said the present situation is harmful to the cause of temperance and generally objections to the public.

Thus failure to co-operate may well be laid at the door of the Prime Minister's own supporters in Saskatchewan. Two years ago, the Prime Minister put on "the armour of God," when he announced federal restrictions on the drink traffic. A contemporary has been bold enough to suggest that political expediency has caused the armour to be taken off.
"Roll out the barrel."

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

SQUABBLE

Peterborough Examiner
As the Ontario Government has declared itself on the matter of religious education in the public schools, it is interesting to learn that a similar move in British Columbia has provoked a squabble. The minister of education for that province has introduced a bill providing that all B.C. schools should be open to Bible reading, followed by a repetition of the Lord's Prayer. Commenting on this the Vancouver News-Herald says: "A pagan has as much right to his religious convictions as any of the innumerable varieties of Christian, and he has a perfect right to protest vehemently against his money being used to disseminate a religion to which he is opposed."

A pagan, or an agnostic, or an atheist in Ontario might take such a stand, but we think it unlikely. For one thing, pagans and atheists and agnostics are usually people of more than average intelligence, and a great many of them have arrived at their dissenting opinions after a close study of the Bible. What is more, many atheists and agnostics have the greatest admiration for the Bible, cherishing and studying

its wisdom more assiduously than many professing Christians; ignorance of the Bible is far more common among lackadaisical churchmen than among militant atheists. No intelligent atheist would try to keep the Bible from his child any more than he would forbid it to read the Analects of Confucius, or the Bhagavadgita.
The Examiner has already expressed itself as wholly in favor of sound Bible study in the schools of Ontario. Whether they are from homes or orthodox Christians, Jews or agnostics, children will be exposed to much ancient wisdom through Bible study and at least will gain an acquaintance with a volume which is a fundamental part of their literary heritage.

Do You Know?

- Q—Name three of Finland's war-vital supplies to Germany. . . .
- A—Nickel, copper, wood products.
- Q—Who rules the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.
- A—King Ibn-Saud.
- Q—What does CAA stand for?
- A—Civil Aeronautics Administration.
- Q—Who is Prime Minister of Australia?
- A—John Curtin.
- Q—What is the difference between jet and rocket planes?
- A—Jet planes are powered by compressed air, rocket planes by gas.
- Q—Name three occupied nations whose naval vessels took part in the Allied landing at Anzio, Italy.
- A—Greek, French, Dutch.

HERE AND THERE

A fight over land and frying fat led to the British government taking over India in 1857. Native troops employed by the East India company rebelled because cartridge papers which had to be torn with the teeth were greased with the fat of pigs and cows, pigs being abhorred by Mohammedans and cows being sacred to Hindus. As a result, Great Britain took over the government.

Regulations of the United States Marine Corps in 1925 directed sergeants to wear chevrons above the elbow and corporals below the elbow.

Bolivia has been the chief source of tin available to the United Nations since the Japanese overran Malaya and the Netherlands East Indies.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By Wm. E. McKenney, America's Card Authority.

CARELESS REASONING LEADS TO DISASTER

Several years ago B. Jay Becker made the remark that carelessness is a definite weakness in some players. Whenever I see a hand like today's, I recall that remark. Yes, if you carelessly play the wrong card, or do not take time to analyze a hand, you are not a real bridge expert.
When the dummy went down after the opening lead, declarer said to himself, "If East wins this trick with the king of diamonds, I will be able to discard one of my losing spades on the ace of diamonds and the other on the king of hearts—and my contract will be made." So he played a low diamond from dummy, East won with the king and returned a diamond—and down went the contract.
How easy it would have been to go up with dummy's ace of diamonds, pick up the two trumps, cash the ace of hearts, and then lead the other queen of diamonds. Now this would be the only trick East could win, because it would establish dummy's ace of diamonds for one spade diamond and the king of hearts for the ace of hearts.

♠ 9 5 3	♥ K 10 4	♦ A 10 6	♣ J 6 3 2
♠ K J 8	♥ Q J 9 8	♦ 8 5 2	♣ 9 8
♠ N	♥ E	♦ W	♣ Dealer
♠ A 7 2	♥ A	♦ Q 5	♣ A K Q 10 7 5 4
Duplicate—E-W vul.			
South	West	North	East
1 ♠	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
2 ♥	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
5 ♠	Pass	6 ♠	Pass
Opening—♦ J.			
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From The Record Files

Thirty Years Ago

The following officers were elected at the organization meeting of the Eastern Townships Immigration Society: Hon. P. S. G. MacKenzie, E. W. Farwell, J. N. Davignon, V. E. Morrill, R. C. Wilkins, A. B. Gendreau, William Morris, P. C. Duboyce and J. E. Poutre.

The intervention of King George V is expected in an effort to have senior British army officers, including Field Marshal French and General Ewart withdraw their resignations, made in protest to the Government views on the Irish situation.

Reports from Italy state that the British Mediterranean fleet has been transferred to home waters as a result of an urgent message from headquarters.

Among those taking part in the entertainment at a sugar social presented by the Sutton Young People's Society were Mrs. Houston, Miss Ada Hurlbut, Miss Elfreda Jackman, Miss Jessie Breesse, Miss Kathleen Newcity, Arthur Draper and J. H. Smith.

The British Government has announced that five million dollars will be spent on the development of the air branch of the British Army during the coming year.

A large number of Eastern Townships residents have been arrested in the latest campaign to halt illegal hunting and fishing in this district.

Twenty Years Ago

The Coaticook Town Council has decided to delay making any decision on the offer of the Southern Canada Power Company to purchase the municipal power plant for \$90,000. Some citizens favor a project for increasing the capacity of the plant.

The House of Commons has ordered the Committee on Banking and Currency to hold an extensive probe into the conditions surrounding the failure of the Home Bank.

The resignation of Attorney-General Daugherty clears the United States Cabinet of the last member connected with the famous Teapot Dome oil scandal.

The Australian Government, through Prime Minister Bruce, has presented a demand on Great Britain that the Dominions be consulted on the proposals to abandon the Singapore naval base.

Subway workers and electrical service employees in the London area are expected to strike shortly unless an agreement is reached in the strike of the tramwaymen and bus drivers.

Among those taking part in a concert presented by the Sherbrooke and Lennoxville Glee Singers were R. Havard, Miss Vonda Hodge, Miss Ruth Edwards, Mrs. E. Salter, Ernest Armitage, Miss Laura Willard, Miss Doris Green, Rhys Lloyd and J. Corcoran.

Ten Years Ago

Dr. F. H. Bradley was elected Mayor of Sherbrooke by a majority of 3,384 votes over Dr. Ludger Forest who was seeking re-election. Registering a majority in every poll, Bradley polled 4,683 votes to 1,299 for Forest.

Samuel Insull, much pursued Chicago utilities operator, is reported as prepared to seek refuge in Yemen, which has offered him a haven provided he furnishes the funds required to finance a war with neighboring Saudi Arabia.

The Canadian National Railways annual report shows a cash loss for 1933 of \$58,955,388, a reduction in the deficit of \$1,103,118 from the previous year.

Opposition members of Parliament are showing considerable opposition to the unemployment relief bill sponsored by the Bennett Government, claiming that it gives too many plenary powers to the Cabinet Ministers.

The following trustees were elected at the annual meeting of Mount Forest Cemetery Company at Coaticook: Dr. W. L. Shurtliff, K.C., L. M. Thomas, E. N. Robinson and William Wallace.

Drastic taxation on chain stores and mail order houses has been proposed at a convention of a group of retail merchants from various parts of Quebec Province.

Five Years Ago

The Republican forces which have been holding Madrid hung up the white flag today, thus completely ending the disastrous Civil War which has virtually ruined Spain during the three years it has raged.

Prime Minister Chamberlain has announced that Britain is prepared to take direct action to halt further aggression by Hitler if assured of any reasonable support by the other democratic powers of Europe.

The French Government will reject any conference on the colonial situation if such talks are called by Italy—she demands that Italy first state her maximum demands.

The Federal Government has announced an extensive programme of supplementary legislation to be introduced at the present session of Parliament which may seriously delay the prorogation of the House of Commons.

Canadian and Australian interests propose the construction of two new liners under the British Government subsidy plan to improve the Pacific service.

Among those taking part in a programme by the Schubert Music Club were Mrs. J. Bachand Dupuis, Miss Eileen MacWilliams, Mrs. L. Leveque, Mrs. G. S. Sampson, A. R. Rogers and James P. Keough.

IN THE WOMEN'S SPHERE

MARCH MEETING OF I.O.D.E. AT RICHMOND

Lord Aylmer Chapter Plans Busy Year of Knitting—Many Articles Already Shipped Overseas.

Richmond, March 28.—At the regular monthly meeting of the I.O.D.E., Lord Aylmer Chapter, I.O.D.E., the Regent, Mrs. G. A. Chamberlin, presided.

The minutes were read by the Secretary, Mrs. C. R. Boast, and Mrs. J. S. MacNaughton read the Treasurer's report. The War-time Hospitality Convener, Mrs. Grant Campbell, stated the 291 boys had been billeted since the last meeting and the members had assisted at the suppers served each Saturday night to visiting servicemen.

The Echoes Convener, Mrs. K. G. Nourse, reported that fifty-three members had subscribed to the I.O.D.E. magazine, "Echoes."

The Regent made an appeal for more knitters, and if the local quota is to be reached this year, it means that each member will be required to knit one article per month. The War Services Convener, Mrs. George W. Ewing, stated that the following articles were shipped to headquar-

ters for the army: Nine pairs of socks, two pairs gloves, one sweater, one pair wristlets; for the navy: Two pairs seaboot stockings, two pairs gloves, two scarves, three pairs socks; for the air force: Two pairs socks, one scarf; for bombed area victims: Two small quilts, three pairs mittens, two pairs socks, two sweaters, three pairs panties; for Polish Relief Youth: Twelve pairs shorts, thirteen dresses and bloomers, seventeen undershirts.

A War Savings Stamp campaign was carried on at the A. and P. store during the month of February, under the convener'ship of Mrs. Wilton Pope, who reported that 1,872 stamps were sold.

The new "War Memorial Fund" was discussed and it was decided to give the delegate authority to vote in favor of this fund when it is brought up at the Provincial annual meeting, which is to be held at the Mount Royal Hotel in April. Mrs. Grant Campbell and Mrs. C. R. Boast were appointed to represent the Chapter at this meeting.

Mrs. A. E. Fee, joint-convener with Mrs. A. A. Macartney, of the Ways and Means Committee, announced that an Easter tea would be held in the United Memorial Hall.

Three new members were officially welcomed at this time, Mrs. George Roy, Mrs. T. Gleason and Miss Eileen Gleason.

Mrs. Donald Macrae, Provincial Girl Guide Convener, who had been invited to attend this meeting, was introduced to the members by the Regent, Mrs. G. A. Chamberlin. Mrs. Macrae brought home to the

MRS. F. SLATER IS HONORED AT GUILD MEETING

Through the courtesy of Mrs. D. Mandigo, members of St. Paul's Guild assembled last evening at her home on McNamany Avenue, to honor their highly-esteemed President, Mrs. Frank Slater, who is leaving Sherbrooke shortly.

On behalf of the Guild, Mrs. T. Wyatt, Vice-President, presented Mrs. Slater, with a handsome, large pig-skin handbag, and voted in a graceful manner the sincere regret of every member at losing so valued an officer, closing her remarks by extending the affectionate wishes of all for happiness and success in her new home.

The Rector, the Reverend John Ford, reiterated what Mrs. Wyatt had said and expressed his personal thanks and appreciation of the outstanding work done by Mrs. Slater, in all undertakings for the welfare of St. Paul's Church, the more especially for her efficient and devoted efforts as President of St. Paul's Guild.

Among the many guests was the Venerable Archdeacon A. Jones, Lennoxville, who also spoke kindly words of commendation and wished Mrs. Slater God-Speed.

Later refreshments were served, Mrs. A. Hargraves, mother of the guest of honor, presiding at the silver tea service arranged on the lace-covered table which was centered with spring flowers and lighted with yellow candles in silver candlesticks. Assisting Mrs. Mandigo were Mrs. A. Peck, Mrs. M. Johnson and Miss Muriel Mandigo.

Social and Personal

Mrs. B. O. McLaughlin, of Montreal, was a guest for the week-end of Mrs. W. Pettes, King Street West.

Mrs. Guy Marston, of Sandy Beach, Gaspe, is spending a month in Sherbrooke, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jackson, London Street.

P/S Leslie G. Connor, R.C.N.V.R., has returned to Quebec to resume his course, after spending the week-end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Connor.

Mrs. Roland Racicot, who has been staying at her parents' home at Baldwin's Mills, during the past winter, is at present a guest of her husband's mother, Mrs. G. H. Wootton, Brooks Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kilgallen, of Dunham, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Shirley, to L/Bdr. Eric Smith, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith, of Cowansville, the wedding to take place at Dunham United Church on April 8th at 3 p.m.

Mr. Roy Keating left yesterday morning for his home in Regina, Sask., after spending two weeks visiting his mother, Mrs. T. R. Mackenzie, and Colonel Mackenzie, and his two daughters, the Misses Betty and Joan Keating who are living with Colonel and Mrs. Mackenzie at 158 London Street.

Mrs. Harry L. Pettes, President of St. Faith's Guild, presided over the weekly session held in St. Peter's Church Hall yesterday afternoon. While the members were busily occupied in sewing on articles for their sale and tea in May, more definite plans for the coming event were put under way. Adjournment was made until Monday, April 17th, as no meetings are held during Holy Week, or on Easter Monday. Later tea was served informally.

TESTED RECIPES

PICKLE GRAPEFRUIT WHILE CROP IS RIPE

BY GAYNOR MADDOX

Make grapefruit pickle while the sun shines on an abundant crop. That is one way to prevent food waste.

Sweet Pickled Grapefruit
Use firm grapefruit halves from which the fruit pulp has been removed. Grate off yellow outer peel of grapefruit leaving the white inner portion to use. Cut in quarters or 1/2-inch strips. Cover with a large quantity of water; bring slowly to a boil. Boil 10 minutes; drain; repeat covering with fresh water, boiling and draining 2 or 3 times, or until water is only slightly bitter. Boil until tender. Drain; weigh.

For each 1 pound of grapefruit peel, measure and mix: 1/2 cup sugar and 2 cups water. Bring sugar and water to a boil, stirring. Add grapefruit peel. Boil until rind is transparent and syrup is thick. For each pound grapefruit rind used, add 1 cup vinegar and 1 teaspoon whole cloves or 1 1/2-inch stick cinnamon (tied in cheese cloth). Cover; let stand 24 hours. Reheat; remove spices. Pour into hot sterilized jars; seal immediately.

BREAKFAST: Tomato and lemon juice, ready-to-eat cereal, milk and sugar, scrambled eggs on toast, enriched toast, Florida Jam, coffee, milk.

LUNCH: Green peppers stuffed with cottage cheese and chopped peanuts, toasted enriched rolls, butter, baked apples, oatmeal cookies, tea, milk.

DINNER: Braised pork chops, sweet pickled grapefruit, mashed potatoes, beet greens, enriched bread, butter, green salad, fruit cup, coffee, milk.

Florida Jam
(Makes about 12 ounce glasses)
Four oranges, 2 grapefruit, water, sugar.

Wash oranges and grapefruit; cut in eighths lengthwise. Remove any seeds. Run fruit through food chopper, using fine blade. Save all juice. Mix fruit and juice, measure. Cover with 3 times as much water; let stand overnight in china or crockery bowl. Bring to boil; boil 1/2 hour. Measure again; add an equal quantity of sugar. Let stand, covered, 24 hours in china or crockery bowl. Boil slowly, until thickened. Pour into hot sterilized jars; paraffin at once.

MIND YOUR MANNERS

The Situation: You move from a large city to a small town and don't know when tipping is necessary.

Wrong Way: Tip everywhere you would if you were in a city.

Right Way: Ask someone who knows about tipping. (In small towns the man who owns the business waits on you himself, and would be insulted by a tip—so it is best to be cautious about the persons you tip.)

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Friends of Mrs. Gordon McCourt, Frontenac Street, will regret to hear that she is a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital, where she underwent an operation on Saturday.

Warrant - Officer Charles A. Kench is leaving this afternoon for Dauphin, Man., leaving his wife and little daughter, Susan Barbara for a longer visit with Mrs. Kench's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Peabody, Portland Avenue.

Hosts of friends in Sherbrooke, his former home, will regret to hear that Mr. E. R. Richardson is a patient in the Western Division of the Montreal General Hospital, following an operation. Latest reports state that he is progressing favorably.

Petty Officer Douglas Samson, R.C.N., left on Sunday night for Cornwall, N.S., after spending ten days' leave with his mother, Mrs. E. Samson, Wellington Street South. During his stay P. O. Samson visited his father, Sgt. E. Samson, Longueuil, and his brother, Mr. Gordon Samson, B. Sc., at Shawville, Que.

Mrs. George H. Carr, President of the Y.W.C.A. Board, graciously received the numerous guests, who assembled last evening at the MacKinnon Memorial for the final play-off in the Marathon Bridge, convened by Mrs. L. Campbell, Mrs. Wilfred Davey and Mrs. Newman Hunter, for the benefit of the Mrs. Winston Churchill Fund. En passant it is interesting to note that Canada pledged \$100,000 to this Fund and that on February 1st \$98,000 had been subscribed, thus assuring the pledged amount and promising that the Fund will be over subscribed. Bridge was played at upwards of fourteen tables, which were arranged in the club room upstairs. At the close of the game it was announced that Mrs. Alex Ross and Mrs. A. Stevens were the winners of the dollar's worth of War Savings Stamps, the runners-up being Mrs. R. Havard and Mrs. Pick St. Miss Elizabeth Haight, Treasurer acted as cashier, and refreshments were served at the close of the evening, under the convener'ship of Mrs. C. A. Turner, assisted by Mrs. Wilfred Davey.

MARRIAGES

HUDSON—McKILLOP
Inverness, March 28.—The marriage took place on Monday afternoon at five o'clock in Ascension Church, Inverness, of Mrs. Donald McKillop, younger daughter of the late Mr. William Parsons, of Wolfestown, and Mrs. Parsons, to Lieut. George Hudson, D.G.M., M.M. (Dar), Moss Star; (G.S.M., of Whitechurch, Ont., with Rev. John Prout officiating. Mrs. Harry Hogge played the wedding music.

The bride was given in marriage by Mr. James Watson.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home. The newly-married couple left later on a wedding trip to Portland, Maine, and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson will make their future home in this town.

WOMEN'S CLUBS

PRINCESS REBEKAH LODGE
No. 4, I.O.O.F.

The annual Past Noble Grand's Night of Princess Rebekah Lodge was held, with Sister Lily Smith, Noble Grand, presiding.

Visitors present were Sister G. Dawson, Assembly Vice-President; Sister L. Bear, Assembly Warden; Sister S. Duncan, Past President; Sister M. Lane, Past President; Sister E. Peck, District Deputy President of District No. 6.

Thirty-one Past Noble Grand's answered the roll call, and Sister P. Grant was admitted to membership.

Veteran jewels were presented to Sister V. Nichols and Sister C. Nelson, by Sister Duncan, P.P., and Sister Peck, D.D.P.

A short programme was given

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consisting of a recitation by Sister J. Mead, readings by Sister V. Nichols and Sister Frappied, songs by Sister A. Baldwin and Sister L. Smith.

Supper was served in the Banquet Hall at 6.30.

The committee in charge was Sister V. Hazle, Sister C. Nelson, Sister R. Bachelier and Sister V. Kendall, assisted by other members of the lodge.

BELOVIDERE W. I. CLOSED YEAR OF FINE ACHIEVEMENT
The annual meeting of the Belvidere Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Price with Mrs. C. Pitman acting as hostess.

Miss F. I. Drummond, President, presided and opened the meeting with the Mary Stewart Collect.

The Treasurer's report showed a creditable balance on hand and a successful year financially.

Several interesting letters were read from Overseas expressing appreciation for Christmas boxes received.

Fifteen dollars was subscribed to the Red Cross Fund, and \$5 to the Fund for the Blind, and cigarettes are to be sent to several boys Overseas for Easter.

The Convener's annual reports were evidence of a successful year, and the same officers were unanimously elected to serve another term, namely: President, Miss F. I. Drummond; First Vice-President, Mrs. W. Ellis; Second Vice-President, Mrs. H. R. Rose and Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Doris M. Gilles.

The year's activities were reviewed in detail by the Secretary, Miss

DELICIOUS "SALADA" TEA & COFFEE
As a little must now go a long way, satisfaction depends upon quality of flavour.

Doris Gilles, who reported that representative of the Branch had attended all quarterly county meetings, and that its members had acted jointly as hostesses with Cherry River for the County meeting in August.

During the past year, said Miss Gilles, the Red Cross canning and community canning had been an outstanding feature; while donations were made to School Fair Prizes, The Sherbrooke Hospital, the Navy League and the British Children War Services Fund.

Addresses were heard on the Blind Organization in the Province of Quebec; W. I. Work in Other Lands; A Perennial Garden; Winston Churchill; Franklin Roosevelt and National and International Relations. Two outstanding achievements were creditable war work, and presentation to a member who was leaving the community.

The Sunshine Committee has done much good work, stated the Secretary, fruit, flowers and "Sunshine" bags having been sent to members and friends. Christmas cheer extended, and by lending a helping hand on many occasions.

That the annual Vegetable Contest in September had been most successful was also pointed out by Miss Gilles, who concluded by saying, "May the splendid work accomplished during 1943-44, be as incentive to each and every one of us to continue 'carrying on.'"

After adjournment, delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

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members their responsibility to the local 72nd Girl Guide Company when she stated in a very charming and interesting manner the various ways in which the members could co-operate with the captain of the company. Mrs. H. Moret thanked the speaker and invited the members to attend the Girl Guide demonstration which was being held that same evening in the Town Hall.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served by Miss Florence Davis, Mrs. A. A. Macartney and Mrs. George Laroche.

General Notes.
Mrs. Bruce Bailey, who has been spending the winter months in Philadelphia, Pa., was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. L. Hall, and has left for Knowlton, where she will spend some time visiting relatives.

Mr. P. Perron purchased the home occupied by Mr. Wilton Pope, Aberdeen Avenue, and will take up residence there shortly with his family.

AC-1 Ellsworth Wheeler, of Vancouver, B.C., is spending his fortnight at his home on Cleveonot Avenue.

AB Bert Poulin is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Poulin.

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EXHIBITION OF GYMNASTICS AT LAKE MEGANTIC

High School Students Present Gymnastic Exhibition to Large Group in School's New Gymnasium.

Lake Megantic, March 28. — In place of the regular Home and School Club meeting for February, a gymnastic exhibition was held in the new gymnasium in the High School. This room has been equipped through the efforts of the Club, with the hearty co-operation and generosity of all members, the School Board and many others.

Under the direction of Miss Kathleen Harper, Principal of the school, a splendid programme of games and gymnastic exercises was presented to an audience of about sixty interested friends.

Three sets of deck tennis were played, followed by two sets of table tennis. Deck tennis: Senior mixed doubles, Mavis Wood and Pierre Beaulieu played against Muriel Mayhew and Dennis Morrison. The winners were Muriel Mayhew and Dennis Morrison. In the Junior mixed doubles, Elizabeth Kavanagh and Muriel Macdonald won from Evelyn Stearns and Bobby Kennedy.

The gymnastic programme consisted of somersaults, bar somersaults, gate vaults, balance walking, bar travelling, exercises on the ribs, horse vaults, rope vaults, rope somersaults and climbing. Though there had been only about a week of real practice, the various items were splendidly done, and much credit is due Miss Harper for the successful exhibition.

At the conclusion of the programme, Rev. J. G. Fuleher expressed his appreciation of the programme and extended to all an invitation to join the Home and School Club. After lunch was served, there were exhibitions of work in the three classrooms, the senior grades performing interesting experiments in chemistry.

The regular March monthly meeting of the Home and School Club was held in the High School gymnasium.

At this meeting it was decided to form two study groups on the Report of the Education Survey Committee, the convener of the curriculum study group being Mrs. J. E. Wood, and of the health group, Mrs. J. Smallshaw.

Miss Harper read a brief synopsis of the report, introducing the new "civics" curriculum. Mrs. Smith conducted a spelling match in grades III, IV and V, the winner being John Veary.

The Seniors of grades VIII, IX and XI conducted a debate, the subject being that "Games should be compulsory in Schools." Both affirmative and negative arguments were well presented, the speakers for the affirmative being Murray Macdonald, Wilbur Latty and Patsy Kavanagh, and the negative view was presented by Yvonne Smallshaw, Vilma Komery and Clarence Mayhew. George Uhrin introduced the subject.

TEA AND SALE. The United Church Hall, which is so well adapted for social functions, looked especially attractive when a tea and sale of aprons and fancy work was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Association.

The brilliant green and white decorations used throughout and the green shamrocks on the tea tables heralding St. Patrick's Day, were very effective.

Mrs. G. Gagnon, President, and

of her cousin, Mrs. Francis Patch. Mr. Victor Buzzell has been confined to his home due to illness.

A very successful St. Patrick's supper was held in St. Luke's Hall, Irish stew and baked beans were featured on the menu. The hall was attractively decorated with St. Patrick's motifs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Medlyn spent a week-end in Farnham as the guests of Mrs. Medlyn's brother, Mr. H. Patch, and Mrs. Patch. They were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Clark.

Mrs. Lettie Carruthers was in Montreal for several weeks visiting her son and family.

Mrs. John Connors is in a Montreal Hospital under observation. Mrs. Henry Connor is caring for Masters Billy and Jackie and Miss Audrey Conner while their mother is away.

Mrs. Robert Hamilton has been confined to her bed for several days due to illness.

Miss B. Greene spent a week-end in Montreal.

Mrs. R. H. Stone and Miss Irene Stone, accompanied by Mrs. J. M. Bryant, of Austin, spent several days in Newport, Vt., visiting friends.

South Newport held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Harold Sutton. Six members were present.

The meeting was opened by repeating the special prayer for the men in the services and repeating the Creed. Roll call was answered by the payment of dues and giving suggestions for next year's program.

Some asked for more papers, while other would like to see some community work done. The Treasurer showed the books were duly audited with all bills paid and a small balance on hand.

Correspondence was read, including three more letters from boys Overseas thanking the society for Christmas boxes.

All are pleased that Mrs. R. A.

Conveners gave written reports of their year's work. The Secretary distributed forms to be filled out by Conveners and sent to the County Conveners, South Newport W.L., in co-operation with the Sawyerville W.L., were instrumental in bringing about the serving of hot lunches to school children through the months of November to February.

This project was financed by the School Board, with donations from both Institutes and the teachers giving full co-operation in this. Eight boxes were packed for soldiers Overseas. Cards had been sent to the sick and shut-ins. The retiring President, Mrs. V. Montgomery, thanked members for their loyalty and co-operation during the past year, and also especially thanked the Secretary for her co-operation, and Mrs. Robinson for using her car so freely.

The election of officers then took place. This was done by ballot, and resulted as follows: Mrs. F. B. Robinson, President; Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. Masters tying for Secretary-Treasurer. Mrs. Masters' name was then drawn. Mrs. Robinson appointed the Conveners as follows: Agriculture and Canadian Industries, Mrs. W. J. Parker; Nutrition and Home Economics, Mrs. A. F. Loveland; Social Welfare and Health, Mrs. Hugh Cairns; Education, Mrs. V. Montgomery; National and International Relations, Mrs. O. S. Hamilton; Publicity, Mrs. Mona Masters. Mrs. Harold Sutton was appointed Vice-President. It was decided to adopt the programme which had been sent. Mrs. Harold Sutton was appointed delegate to the County Convention. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

St. Matthew's Guild met at the home of Mrs. V. Montgomery. Eight members and three visitors were present. A quilt was tacked and knitting was done. It was decided to hold a Guild and card party at the Paragon, weather and roads permitting.

Mr. and Mrs. James Beaton, of Brownville, Maine, received word from the War Department that their son, First Lieut. Robert Beaton, who has been reported missing for some time, is now reported killed in action.

Lieut. Beaton was born in Sherbrooke and is the grandson of Mrs. Nellie Beaton, of Megantic.

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Etta Manning on March 24.

Mr. James Marsh, of Bolton, has employment with the Three Villages Association, and is boarding at the home of Mrs. Etta Manning.

Mrs. Houghton Hastings, of Beebe, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Hastings.

Miss Madeline Lorimer was in Beebe on business for a day.

Mrs. F. J. Clark and Mrs. A. Farrow were guests in Rock Island.

Mr. Jack Cox, Mrs. Beatrice Davies and daughter, Ethel, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Carpenter.

Miss Nancy Brevoort is not gaining as well as her many friends would wish.

Mrs. Charles Thayer's friends are pleased to hear she is on the gain and able to be up around the house.

Mr. Charles Thayer was in Rock Island for a day on business.

Mr. Joseph Lord, of Beebe, called on his sister, Mrs. F. J. Clark.

Mr. Charles Clark, of Rock Island, was a guest of his parents.

Pte. Delbert Aulis, of Farnham, spent a week-end at the guest of his mother, Mrs. Samuel Aulis.

Mrs. R. Hatch was in Sherbrooke for a day on business.

Mr. Wilder Hatch and sister, Miss Gladys Hatch, were guests in Fitch Bay.

Miss Florence Rever spent a week-end with Miss Joyce Hatch.

Mrs. M. Lorimer and daughter, Miss Madeline Lorimer, were guests in Sherbrooke.

Master Wayne Rever spent a week-end with Mr. Benoit Cote.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Soutiere were visitors in Rock Island.

The amount realized in the Red Cross Campaign was \$104.

Mrs. Etta Manning was in Rock Island on business for a day.

Mrs. Arthur Eyles and daughter, Miss Marjorie Eyles, were guests in Rock Island.

Miss Beryl Wing and Miss Doris Hatch spent a week-end as guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wing, in Beebe.

Friends will be pleased to learn that Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Carpenter are able to be around the house, after being confined to their rooms for two weeks.

Mrs. P. J. Adams, who was not expecting him.

The Mission Society of the Adventist Church met with Mrs. George Phaneuf one evening. Mrs. Maude Buzzell conducted the devotions. She read Psalm XCIV. A quilt was tied for the Salvation Army. This is the third quilt. There were six members and one visitor present. Refreshments were served by the hostess at the conclusion of the meeting.

Mrs. Ada Bice celebrated her eighty-seventh birthday on Sunday, March 19. Several neighbors dropped in during the afternoon, when afternoon tea was served. Mrs. Bice received many lovely gifts and cards, for which she thanked her many friends. Her daughter, Mrs. W. Stevens, of Colebrook, N.H., was present for the celebration.

Dr. E. J. Adams has been confined to his bed due to illness.

Cyril Bellingham, of the R.C.A.F., Windsor Mills, spent a week-end as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bellingham.

Mrs. Wendall Bresee, of Lennoxville, spent a week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Standish.

Pte. Walter McClements left for Longueuil, after spending several days' leave with his mother, Mrs. E. J. Adams, and Dr. Adams, after returning from service Overseas.

Miss M. Flanders, R.N., of Montreal, Miss M. Collins, R.N., and Miss Ella Vay, R.N., also of Montreal, were guests at the home of Miss Mary Hopps. Miss Minnie Parker, of Georgeville, is convalescing at the same home. Mrs. J. Morrison, of Montreal, was also a recent guest of Miss Mary Hopps.

The many friends of Mrs. William Buzzell, nee Rita Hopps, will be pleased to know that she is improving after her operation in the Sherbrooke Hospital. Miss Sadie Hopps is caring for little Miss Janice Buzzell while her mother is in the hospital.

The many friends of Mrs. J. E. Connors regret to learn of the serious illness of her sister, in Montreal.

The Women's Association was entertained by Mrs. W. E. Hopps one afternoon.

Miss Flora Bryant, B.A., of Eastman, spent a week-end as the guest

Parker is able to be home again, after spending two weeks in the Sherbrooke Hospital due to a broken arm.

The many friends here of Mr. John Arnott, of Sawyerville, regret to hear of his serious illness.

Miss M. McFarlane, R.N., of Montreal, is caring for her sister, Mrs. William Strong, who is ill and confined to her bed. All join in wishing Mrs. Strong a speedy improvement in health.

Miss Janet Darbe has returned from the Sweetsburg Hospital much improved in health.

Mr. H. Church spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. P. Howe.

Hugh Salisbury has returned home from the General Hospital in Montreal feeling much better.

Leslie Darrah spent a week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. Wells.

A. E. Leet has sold his meat and grocery business to Maurice Meunier. Mr. Leet has been in the meat business for forty-six years. Starting as a young man, he had a stall in the basement of the old Town Hall, where meat was sold two or three days a week. A short time later a partnership was formed with George H. Johnston, and they opened up a market under the name of Leet and Johnston. This partnership continued several years. It was then sold to N. H. Smith, who carried on for a time. A. E. Leet then formed a partnership with Mr. Smith, and the partnership as Smith and Leet was carried on over a period of years. This partnership was dissolved and Mr. Smith opened up a meat and grocery business with his two sons, Henry and Francis, which is now Smith Bros. Mr. Leet continued on in business and has now sold out.

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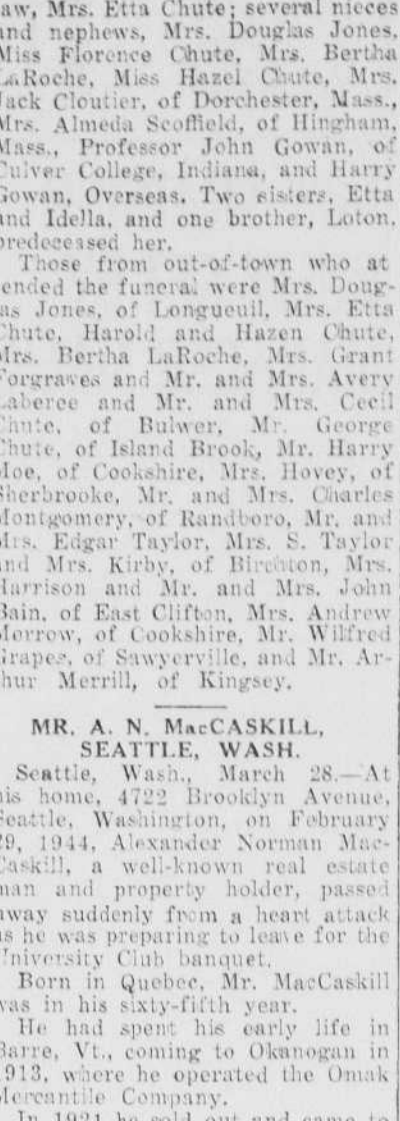
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LEAFS, WINGS IN CRUCIAL GAMES TONIGHT

Day Is Confident Of Winning; Breaks To Decide Game—Irvin

Toronto, March 28.—(P)—Toronto Maple Leafs prepared today to take a next-to-last ditch stand tonight in the fourth game of their Stanley Cup semi-final play-off series with Montreal Canadiens.

While defeat would not put Leafs out of the running—Canadiens hold a 2-1 edge in the best-of-seven series—it would leave them with the next-to-impossible task of taking three straight games from the Montrealers, two of them on Montreal ice.

Coach Clarence (Hap) Day looked forward to tonight's game with confidence. "I think we'll win it," he said, adding that he would use the same lineup as that which was defeated 2-1 by Canadiens Saturday night.

Coach Dick Irvin of Canadiens, who also said he planned no lineup changes, said "It's going to be a tough game. It's do or die for Toronto and the breaks will decide it. Leafs have been playing well in this series, better than he thought they would play."

Two players who were treated

NEW TRAINING RULES SET BY MANAGER MACK

By TED MEIER, Associated Press Staff Writer, New York, March 28.—(AP)—Shades of Rube Waddell, eccentric southpaw pitcher for Philadelphia Athletics back in the 1900's. At Frederick, Md., yesterday the A's came up with a set of spring training rules, one of which set a nickel and dime limit on poker games.

If this rule spreads to other major league clubs it will be tough on the more experienced hands who have learned to bluff their way in "sky" the limit game.

Other rules, as set forth by manager Connie Mack, call for a midnight curfew, no serious drinking; prompt appearance at meals (do they need a rule for that?); those who get caught will be fined according to the player's salary.

"The boys themselves wanted the rules," explained Mr. Mack. "They seem to feel we'll have a pretty good chance this year and they wanted an understanding that would protect the chances of the club as a whole."

News from other camps included:

French Lick, Ind.—Chicago Cubs ready to play Cincinnati Reds in exhibition today. Hank Wyss, Bill Fleming and Johnny Miklos are listed to pitch for the Cubs. Red hurlers uncertain.

Bloomington, Ind.—Pitcher Ray Staff agreed to report to Reds next Monday. He had asked to be traded.

Cairo, Ill.—Catcher Ken O'Dea reported to champion Cardinals. Catcher Gerald Burnmeister now only unaccounted-for absentee.

Evansville, Ind.—Veteran Roger Cramer expected to return to center field for Detroit, shifting Chuck Hostetler to right.

Cape Girardeau, Mo.—Pitcher Al Hollingsworth and outfielder Frank Demaree reported on Browns sick list.

Muncie, Ind.—Pirates' mound staff now down to eight with loss of southpaw Wally Hebert.

Atlantic City, N.J.—Infielder Oscar Grimes joined Yankees' sick list with bandaged right forefinger. So did outfielder Tuck Stainback with taped left ankle and catcher Bob Collings with a lame knee.

Lafayette, Ind.—Cleveland's "Big Five" pitching staff will include Al Smith, Mel Harder, Vernon Kennedy, Allie Reynolds and Ed Klemm, asserted manager Lou Boudreau.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By SYD THOMAS, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Toronto, March 28.—(P)—If N.H.L. scouts get wind of that old-timers' game played in Windsor they probably will be right around with their contract forms to sign up some of the old hopefuls. Among those turning out for the war charity game were such venerables as John Ross Roach, stonewall goalkeeper of a past generation, Lorne Duguid, Hap Emms, Mickey McGuire and others. They didn't exactly play like youngsters, but they surprised the fans by their sprightliness. Roach was handed an elaborately-wrapped bottle of liniment just before the game, and went out to block pucks with some of his old-time abandon.

"Quipped John after the battle," "I was just warming up tonight. I now am ready to step back into the big time."

If the manpower problem gets any worse the old-timers may get prevailed upon to turn out. They have the experience anyway . . .

ACES TO CLASH WITH TRURO IN MATCH TONIGHT

Halifax, March 28.—(P)—Confident of taking Truro Bearcats in their Eastern Allan Cup semi-final, Quebec Aces arrived here last night for the best-in-five series that opens tonight.

Halifax's well-known housing shortage greeted the visiting puck-chasers on their arrival as they were told their home for the duration of the current series they broke that jinx and came up with a 2-1 triumph. Red Wings evened the count in the second game, also at Detroit, but the Hawks again took the lead in the third game, the first to be played here.

The Quebec champions were allowed one room at a hotel adjoining the station, equipped with bathroom and relaxation facilities. But they will sleep in the railway car.

Playing coach Billy brought with him a full squad of 12 regulars and a sub-goalie. He pronounced them all in top-notch condition.

Reay said the players were tired after their trip from Quebec City but he added a night's rest should put them right again, and he looked forward to no trouble in turning back Bearcats, who became the Maritime standard-bearers when service regulations forced H.M.C.S. Cornwallis, the championship team, from continuing in cup play.

Detroit Seeks First Win On Chicago Surface This Season

Chicago, March 28.—(P)—Whether this string will continue as though the break that gave the Chicago Black Hawks victory in the first game of the best-of-seven Stanley Cup semi-final with Detroit will alternate between Detroit and Chicago. Again, it may be Detroit's good stead for the rest of the round. Chicago now leading the series 2-1 night and the series may be dead-locked.

Optimism rules in both camps and another 18,000 crowd is expected to pack the Stadium for the encounter. There have been no predictions from either side other than that the game will be the most determined 60 minutes of the season.

Probable starting lineups:—
Chicago
Dion goal Karakas
Hollett defence Seibert
Simon defence Cooper
Grosso centre Smith
Carveth wing Mosenko
Brown wing Bentley

Peanuts Win Two Out Of Three To Capture Nut League Championship From Pace-Setting Chestnut Squad

The final games of the Y.M.C.A. Business Men's Volleyball Nut League played last evening on the "Y" gym floor provided the best championship ship volleyball seen since the Nut League started six years ago.

After three games that could have been won by either team, the Peanuts captured the championship from the Chestnuts captained by George Deslongchamps, two games to three.

In the first game the Chestnuts who had led the league all year, started off in real championship form and, before the Peanuts could get going, had a lead of four points. Play evened up a little and with good shots by both teams, the score stood at 9-6 for the Chestnuts. Peanuts made a strong bid during the rest of the game but nice placement spiking by Clowery and good saves by Northey and Marois kept Chestnuts in the lead and they won 21-16.

In the second game Harry Daniels replaced Paul Belanger. All players had settled down and were making few errors. The Peanuts started off the scoring but could only take a lead of 3-1. The Schiller-Darcho-O. Smith combination was clicking well but all members of the Chestnuts were playing strong defensive volleyball.

It was the last game that provided the spectacular rally from start to finish and it was anybody's game all the way through, with the ball going back and forth across the net 20 to 30 times before a point could be registered by either side. Don McMahon was making some good saves, and Jerry Burt was spiking well while Mannie Smith was playing steady. Despite this, Peanuts could not se-

MEMORIAL CUP SURVIVORS

By The Canadian Press
Six teams still were in the running today for the Canadian junior hockey championship and the Memorial Cup. Three teams represent Eastern Provinces and three the West.

The survivors:
East—
Quebec—Montreal Royals.
Ottawa District—University of Ottawa.
Ontario—Oshawa Generals.
West—
Thunder Bay District—Port Arthur Flyers.
Saskatchewan—Regina Commandos.
British Columbia—Trail Smoke Eaters.

ALLAN CUP SURVIVORS

By The Canadian Press
Seven teams today still were in the running for the Canadian senior hockey championship and the Allan Cup. Four of the survivors are in Eastern Canada and three in Western Canada.

The survivors:
East—
Maritimes—Truro Bearcats.
Quebec—Quebec Aces.
Ottawa District—Hull Volants.
Ontario—Sudbury Open Pit.
West—
Thunder Bay District—Port Arthur Shipbuilders.
Saskatchewan—Flin Flon Bombers.
British Columbia—New Westminster Lodestars.

ALL-STAR SELECTIONS

Following is the 13th of a Canadian Press series of National Hockey League all-star selections by hockey writers in N.H.L. cities. A consensus will be prepared later:

By BILL GRIMES
Boston American

First Team Alternate Team
Durman (M) . . . goal . . . Karakas (C)
Sabire (C) . . . r. def. Crawford (B)
Pratt (T) . . . l. def. Hollett (D)
Cowley (B) . . . centre . . . Watson (M)
Carveth (D) . . . r. w. . . Carveth (D)
Liscombe (D) . . . l. w. . . Bentley (C)
Day (T) coach Thompson (C)

REDS STARTING TO WORRY OVER HURLING STAFF

By CHARLES CHAMBERLAIN, Associated Press Staff Writer, Bloomington, Ind., March 28.—(AP)—The most unfamiliar note in baseball this season is the blue one being sounded by Bill McKeehan, manager of Cincinnati Reds, as he ponders what may happen to his pitching staff.

Year in and year out, the Reds probably have the best, balanced mound crops in the National League so it's an unusual ring, indeed, when the Deacon speaks with growing concern about his throwers.

What started the crack in the club's pitching stronghold was the departure of Johnny Vander Meer of no-hit fame and Clyde Shoun who accounted for 29 wins between them last year.

Bucky Walters and Elmer Riddle, the old standbys, won 38 more games and still are around but are classified 1-A in the draft. Riddle has not yet arrived at spring training headquarters. He passed a physical examination with ease. But he is expected to report in camp to stay until he is ordered to service.

The Van Der Meer-Riddle-Shoun-Walters combination represents a winning record of 65 games out of the Reds total of 87 victories last year which enabled them to snare second place in the National League pennant campaign.

The status of two other veterans also is doubtful. Joe Beggs is awaiting a Navy commission and Ray Starr, who won 11 and lost 10, is reluctant to join the club.

This leaves the Reds with only three certain mound prospects, and all are rookies. Harold Carter, a left hander, and Bob Ferguson are 4-F's and Tomas de la Cruz is a citizen of Cuba.

De la Cruz and Carter won 21 and 14 games, respectively, for Syracuse Chiefs of the International League last year and Ferguson had a comparatively poor 6-4 record with Birmingham of the Southern Association.

FORMER DODGER IS SNAPPED UP BY ATHLETICS

By JACK HAND, Associated Press Staff Writer, Frederick, Md., March 28.—(AP)—Two years ago young George Kell was handed his outright release by the Brooklyn Dodgers' farm at Durham, N.C., but now he is the Philadelphia Athletics' regular third baseman via a .396 batting average at Lancaster, in 1943.

Kell led the "world" in hitting last year, tops for organized base ball, but he admits he was "awfully disgusted and ready to go home" when he got the pink slip in 1942.

Durham had 66 players in camp and there were 10 or 12 third basemen eating the club's steaks when Kell was handed his release. If it hadn't been for a kindly Brooklyn scout and a happy geographical situation he might be helping his daddy on the farm at Swifton, Ark. (population 600).

The scout knew that his friend, Tom Oliver, manager of the Lancaster team, was going to need a third-sacker as his regular was Army bound. It so happened that Lancaster was training in Oxford, N.C., only a few miles from Durham. Kell got a bid.

Even so, Kell was all for going home but catcher Al Maci, a New York City youngster, was in the same boat and talked him into riding over to see Oliver. As it turned out George played every place on the ball club, except pitch and catch. And Maci failed to stick because of a knee injury that required an operation. He is in the Navy now.

Kell's career goes way back to childhood. His father was a semi-pro pitcher in Arkansas when he wasn't busy in the barber shop and made up his mind that he was going to have a boy who would be a professional. George is the oldest so he got the call. He has a younger brother who is an Army pilot and another who is only 14 but crazy about baseball. George would be in the Army, too, except for a catch in his knee that has bothered him as long as he has been able to walk.

After playing American Legion ball for Newport, Ark., only 18 miles from home, Kell signed with that city's pro entry in the Northwestern Arkansas League in 1940. It was a Brooklyn farm the next year and he was upped to Durham for '42. After the Durham incident he played regularly at Lancaster in '42 and '43, compiling that .396 mark last summer when he hit 30 doubles, 26 triples and five homers. A soft-spoken youngster, only 21 but married for three years, he makes no predictions about what he's going to do in the big league. He's thankful that Connie Mack had enough confidence in him to tell him the job was his until proved differently.

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BOXING

By The Associated Press
Baltimore, Md.—Harry Jeffra, 26½, Baltimore, outpointed Lou Salica, 119½, New York, (10).

Philadelphia— Ike Williams, 124½, Trenton, N.J., stopped Joey Peralta, 133½, Tamaqua, Pa., (9).

Holyoke, Mass.—Mike Delias, 133½, Los Angeles, outpointed Leo Francis, 133, Panama, (10); Gene Fink, 134, Akron, O., knocked out Dick Fitzgerald, 131, Hartford, Conn., (1).

Newark, N.J.—Joe Matone, 150, New York, outpointed Joe Curcio, 149½, Newark, (6); Tony Riccio, 148½, Bayonne, outpointed Charlie Sabatella, 145½, Scranton, Pa., (8).

New Haven, Conn.—Julie Kogon, 133½, New Haven, knocked out Billy Spart, 134½, Nanticoke, Pa., (5); Matt Scelzi, 152, New York, stopped Tom Collins, 154, Waterbury, (4).

Lynn, Mass.—Tony Brandino, 148, Hamilton, Ont., outpointed John Dougwill, 151, Lynn, (10).

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THE people of Montreal are rallying to the defense of free enterprise, by condemning the threatened expropriation of Montreal Light, Heat & Power.

First—by an overwhelming vote of public opinion taken recently in an independent poll.

Second—by the action of important public bodies, including the Montreal Board of Trade, the Quebec Division of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association and la Chambre de Commerce du district de Montréal.

Surely such outspoken condemnation cannot be disregarded by Mr. Godbout.

State ownership is not nor ever can be accepted in a province that has been built upon individualistic effort and accomplishment.

To impose such restrictions is not only financially unsound but disregards the very principles of democracy itself.

In the case of Montreal Light, Heat & Power, the service has not only improved but electricity rates have been consistently lowered.

What justification, then, can any Government have in ignoring the wishes of the people?

B. OF T. WARNS GRAB WOULD RAISE RATES
Letter Opposing M.L.H. & P. Cons., Expropriation Forwarded to Quebec

SUGGESTION GIVEN
Recommend Authority Be Given Public Service Board to Regulate Rates and Services

Expropriation Plan Opposed
C.M.A. Protests Scheme To Take Over M.L.H. & P.

C. de C. Opposes Expropriation
Plan to Take Over M.L.H. & P. Protested

AT a special meeting of the Council of the Chambré de Commerce de Montréal, a resolution has just been adopted expressing disapproval of the nationalization of the public utility industries.

Text of Letter
Letter, signed by Hugh [Name], vice-chairman has [Name]

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