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MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION TO MEET ON DEC. 18

RED CROSS GETS MANY FINE GIFTS

Donation of \$100 From Branch Canteen Received by Westmount Branch — Receipt of Goods Also Acknowledged

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Westmount Branch of the Red Cross, many generous donations were acknowledged. These included a gift of \$100 from the branch canteen, the result, in part, of a food sale held at one of the group meetings, and in part the profit from running the canteen since October 1st. Substantial gifts of money for blankets had been received as well as the blankets themselves. A member brought \$12 for blankets saying it was "instead of Christmas cards."

A welcome gift on an icy morning was several bags of sand from Messrs. Hyde and Miller, with the promise of more to come.

The wool department reported that much saving of time had resulted from the gift of an adding machine from Starr Business Machines.

Owing to the increased demand for civilian clothing, it was emphasized that more knitters were urgently needed. These could work either in groups or as individuals getting their wool from the Branch at 382 Olivier Avenue.

Volunteers to sort foil were also asked for, as the branch is co-operating with the Westmount Salvage Department by sorting all the foil collected by the City. Volunteers may telephone WE. 2252 between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m., and give their names to Mrs. Bernard Job.

In order to relieve pressure on Red Cross House and to conserve gasoline, the branch has developed its own driving service under Mrs. Jas. B. Woodruff.

It has been decided that the Christmas holidays would extend from the evening of Dec. 19 to the morning of Jan. 5, 1942.

CHURCH GROUP WILL PRESENT CHORAL DRAMA

"The Crown of Light" to Be Given by St. Andrew's Alpha Omega Society

On Sunday evening, December 21, at 7.30 o'clock, the Alpha Omega Society and the choir of St. Andrew's Church will present the three-act choral Nativity drama, "The Crown of Light."

This play gives promise of being the most ambitious and finest of its kind ever to have been presented in St. Andrew's. It is a brief but vividly beautiful portrayal of the immortal Christmas story, lasting about as long as the regular evening service.

The cast of 21 young people is under the direction of Leonard Griffith, who, in addition to being known for his dramatic successes with the McGill Players Club, has also achieved recognition for producing "The Lost Book", his first play in St. Andrew's, two months ago.

Cpl. R. Blackwell Arrives Overseas



Word has been received by his parents, Sgt. and Mrs. G. Blackwell, of 112 Irvine Avenue, that Corporal Russ Blackwell, of the First Bridge Company, Royal Canadian Army Service Corps, has arrived safely overseas.

The first "mayor" of Marcell Park, Cpl. Blackwell is well known in both N.D.G. and Westmount. A keen athlete, he was particularly interested in hockey and baseball. He first joined the Black Watch shortly after the outbreak of hostilities but later transferred to his present unit. He is 19 years of age.

DICKENS GROUP IS PROJECTING 'TINY TIM' NIGHT

Fellowship to Hold Seasonal Meeting in Victoria Hall on Tuesday

On Tuesday the Dickens Fellowship hold their Christmas meeting, popularly known as "Tiny Tim" Night, in Victoria Hall, Westmount. For the occasion a real Dickensian programme with a Christmas flavour has been arranged by Whitfield Aston, past president.

Mr. Aston himself will be seen in a number of Dickens characters such as Uriah Heep from "David Copperfield," The Old Curiosity Shop, "Serjeant Buzfuz" from "Pickwick Papers," Wilkins Micawber from "David Copperfield," and Bill Sikes from "Oliver Twist."

Christmas music will be rendered by the choir of Wesley United Church, Notre Dame de Grace, under the direction of J. G. W. Rendall, and there will be community singing of the more popular carols and Christmas hymns.

As in former years, members are invited to bring gifts for the less fortunate children of the community. These will be received by Santa Claus, and distributed afterwards during the Christmas season by the Ladies Committee, under the convener-ship of Mrs. A. E. Stevens.

Arthur H. Carter, president, will be in the chair and introduce the programme.

MANY ATTEND CLUB MEETING

One of the largest crowds of the season attended last week's meeting of the Westmount Stamp Club to hear Alex L. Hall lecture on "Recollections of Stamp Collecting Fifty Years Ago". Much interest was evinced by the large gathering of club members, not only in Mr. Hall's words but also in the collection of stamps he brought with him as an exhibit.

This week's meeting, which will be held this evening, at Victoria Hall, will be a routine affair with general trading predominating.

FINAL RITES HELD FOR LATE DR. D. F. GURD

Widely-known General Practitioner Delivered 3,500 Babies During Long Career

Members of the medical profession, friends and relatives, paid final tribute to Dr. David Frazer Gurd, of 4250 Sherbrooke street, at Emanuel Church on Tuesday afternoon. Dr. Gurd died on Sunday night in his 91st year.

Though of failing health for the past six months, Dr. Gurd had remained active. Earlier in the fall he had gone on periodic drives. Last night, after listening to the evening broadcast of the church service death came suddenly shortly after 8 o'clock.

For over 50 years Dr. Gurd was a general practitioner. During the first decade of his career, he was the only physician in Montreal north of St. Antoine and west of Peel. He specialized in obstetrics in a day when there were no specialists. During the span of his practice he brought 3,500 babies into the world. On one occasion five years ago, he looked after a young mother, the great-grandmother of whose baby he had cared for early in his career.

Equally phenomenal was his own energy and interest in sports. Until the summer of 1939 he played an occasional game of tennis.

Dr. Gurd was born in Montreal on Papineau street, on February 8, 1851. He was the son of Marianne Cowan and Joseph Landers Gurd, who had arrived in Montreal from County Monaghan, Ireland, the year of the ship fever, and established himself refining and merchandising oil.

He attended the McGill Model School, on Belmont street, until he was 13 years old, when he became apprenticed to the drug business. At night, while working as a druggist, he took medical lectures at the Medical school on Cote street. Finally he entered the full medical course in 1876, graduating three years later with the degrees of M.D., C.M.

Dr. Gurd then spent four months at St. Thomas Hospital, London, England, where he took the degree of L.R.C.P. While there he knew and went on visits with Lord Lister, founder of antiseptic surgery. Returning from England, he also became an intimate friend of Sir William Osler.

Aside from his interest in tennis which was recognized in his honorary presidency of the Province of Quebec Tennis Association, Dr. Gurd was a life member of the Royal Montreal Curling Club.

Mrs. Gurd died just six months ago, on June 6. Surviving are four children: Dr. Fraser B. Gurd, chairman of the surgical staff of the Montreal General Hospital; Andrew Douglas Gurd, in Eastbourne, England; Mrs. Ralph Collins, with the United Church Mission, in Angola, Portuguese West Africa; David Slessor Gurd, of Montreal; 10 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

LT. J. B. BEVERIDGE IS KILLED ON DUTY

The third son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Brookes Beveridge, of 3241 Cedar Avenue, Lt. Beveridge, serving with a reconnaissance unit, was accidentally killed while on active service in England on December 7. He was educated at Lower Canada College, Westmount High School and Royal Military College, where in his final year he was senior company sergeant-major.

On graduation in 1939 he joined a regiment, and proceeded to England in May, 1940. He was 21 years old and is survived by his parents, a sister, Miss Betty Beveridge; a brother, Donald, and two other brothers on active service in England, Capt. J. W. Beveridge, and P/O Massey Beveridge.

PRIVATE SUCCEEDS CAPTAIN



"Private McGinnis" has been taken "on strength" of the Irish Regiment of Canada succeeding "Captain Kilkenny," deceased. The Toronto Irish demand Irish wolfhounds for mascots and the fine specimen which left with the troops when they went Eastwards for training died and a recruit was sent to join the battalion. "Private McGinnis" travelled in style first by the "Maple Leaf" and then by the "Maritime Express" of the Canadian National Railways from Toronto to Camp Debort, N.S. As pictured he was being transferred at Montreal after the Canadian National Express had provided proper ratons for such a distinguished member of the "other ranks."

LAST RESPECTS ARE PAID LATE MRS. BUCHANAN

Widow of Late Major Buchanan Was Noted Charitable Worker

The funeral service for Mrs. Alexander Buchanan, widow of the late Major Buchanan, was held in the Church of the Ascension of Our Lord on Saturday morning. Interment was in Cote des Neiges Cemetery. A widely-known charitable worker, Mrs. Buchanan died last Thursday in the Royal Victoria Hospital in her 66th year.

Mrs. Buchanan, who was the widow of the late Maj. Alexander Buchanan, was born here, the daughter of the late Senator James O'Brien and the late Mary Quinn. She was noted for charitable work both here and at Murray Bay.

Mrs. Buchanan is survived by her brother, Col. W. P. O'Brien, a sister, Mrs. S. M. Whitney, five nieces, Mrs. A. R. Gillespie, Mrs. D. S. Yuille, Mrs. H. S. Witherow and the Misses Mary and Madeleine Amos, and five nephews, P.O. W. L. S. O'Brien, R.C.A.F., Lt. Stuart O'Brien, R.C.A., both overseas.

The Week At Victoria Hall

Today—Westmount Stamp Club; Stearns Lodge, A.F. and A.M.; Independent Art Exhibition.

Tomorrow—Westmount Women's Club Christmas party; Evans Sisters troop show; Westmount Conclave True Kindred; art exhibition.

Saturday—Women's General Hospital Christmas party; Sir George Williams College dance; art exhibition.

Sunday—Westmount Women's Club Red Cross group; St. Lawrence Stamp Club; Oasis Temple Daughters of the Nile; art exhibition.

Tuesday—Dickens' Fellowship Tiny Tim night; Westmount Conservative Association; Westmount Lodge Sons of England; Westmount Chapter Royal Arch Masons; art show.

Wednesday—Victorian Order of Nurses and Westmount Social Service; weekly luncheon meeting of Westmount Rotary Club; C.P.C. meeting; Masonic Study Club; Electa Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

Next Thursday—Westmount Stamp Club; No. 9 Air Observers School; Jersey Channel Club; Municipal Association.

City To Again Illuminate Trees

The gayly illuminated Christmas trees placed each year by the city in front of the City Hall and in Westmount Park, will shortly make their appearance for the current yuletide period.

Two large trees stand in front of the City Hall and two others are in the park, and with the addition of the hundreds of smaller trees placed by residents in front of their homes give the city a cheery festive appearance.

MAN IS VICTIM OF HIT AND RUN ROAD ACCIDENT

Suffers Head and Body Wounds When Struck at Dorchester and Greene

Edouard Desjardins, of 824 St. Philippe street, who said he was struck by an automobile which failed to stop after the accident, was treated at the Western Division of the Montreal General Hospital for lacerations to the back and head, at 11 p.m. Saturday morning.

The injured man stated that he was crossing from north to south on St. Antoine street at the corner of Greene Avenue, when he was knocked to the ground by a passing automobile which sped on its way. He was able to walk to the hospital where he was treated by Dr. Young. The accident was investigated by Constable L. Lauzon.

When he slipped and fell on stairs leading to the service entrance of an apartment house at 4129 Dorchester street, Mrs. Ritchie, of apt. 2, in the same block, suffered a fractured leg at noon on Friday.

She was taken to the Western Division of the Montreal General Hospital in an ambulance summoned by an occupant of the building, and was admitted for treatment.

FINAL TRIBUTE PAID TO LATE MRS. HARWOOD

Resident Was Member of One of Province's Most Prominent Families

Final tribute was paid to Mrs. Charles Auguste de Lotbiniere Harwood, of 472 Argyle Avenue, at funeral services held at Vaudreuil on Saturday. A daughter of the late Hon. Louis Rodrigue Masson, former Lieutenant Governor of Quebec, and the wife of the chief counsel, Quebec lines, Canadian National Railways, Mrs. Harwood died at her Westmount home on Thursday after a long illness.

On arrival at Vaudreuil where the de Lotbiniere Harwoods rank among the earliest residents, the funeral cortege was met by a local Boy Scout troop and band, with the organization of which Mr. and Mrs. Harwood had had much to do and which benefited from their generosity. The troop's colors were deposited at the altar rail during the service.

At St. Michel de Vaudreuil Church, the Requiem Mass was sung by Rev. Jean M. Phaneuf, parish priest, assisted by Rev. J. A. David, parish priest of the St. Famille parish of Dorion, as deacon. The sub-deacon was Rev. L. Bedard. Interment was made directly beneath the sepulchral pew in St. Louis Chapel where the de Lotbiniere Harwoods have been buried since 1787.

Chief mourners were Mrs. Harwood's husband, her three sons, Roderick, Montreal, Charles of Quebec City and Lieut. Henry Harwood, Canadian Grenadier Guards, C.A.S.F.

WILL NAME NEW OFFICERS AT ANNUAL OPEN SESSION; MAYOR TO ADDRESS GROUP

Members of Federal and Provincial Parliaments, City Council and School Board to be Present—Retiring President Will Present Annual Report—Public Is Invited

The annual general meeting of the Westmount Municipal Association will be held in Victoria Hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 18, commencing at 8.30 o'clock, when the highlights of the session will be the election of officers for the ensuing term and an address by Mayor Walter A. Merrill, K.C., on "Municipal War Time Salvage."

Matters of general business will also be attended to during the evening. C. V. Heward, the retiring president, will present his report and the financial statement will be read by W. W. Williamson, honorary-auditor. A discussion of matters of interest to residents will also take place.

Besides Mayor Merrill, the meeting will be attended by D. C. Abbott, K. C., M.P., G. Gordon Hyde, K.C., M.L.A., members of the aldermanic body and members of the Westmount Protestant Board of School Commissioners.

It is expected that, as in past years that the mayor and some of the aldermen will briefly outline activities of the City Council, and tell the gathering of plans for the future.

It is also highly likely that the effect of the war on municipal government will also be touched upon.

The meeting is open to the general public and officials of the association have expressed the hope that it will be widely attended.

Formed in 1908, the association membership is composed of taxpayers of the municipality and its purpose is to represent them in matters in which they are affected, as well as to take an active part in matters of general interest to the residents as a whole.

It has never endorsed a candidate for a public office in Westmount who was defeated in an election and is considered one of the most influential public bodies on the Island of Montreal.

While it maintains a strict policy of being non-political in nature it nevertheless plays an important part in civic elections by recommending those to office who it feels best capable to serve on the various municipal boards. Candidates seeking public office with the backing of the association have always been either elected by acclamation, and this in the majority of instances, or have received the majority vote.

Executive meetings are held by the association regularly throughout the year and special sessions are called when the occasion warrants. Matters of general interest to taxpayers and citizens of the whole are dealt with at these sessions.

SCHOOL PLANS ENTERTAINMENT

A Christmas entertainment will be held in the gymnasium of King's School tomorrow evening commencing at 8 o'clock. The program will include a presentation by pupils representing grades three, four, five and six, sound motion pictures, and community singing led by Edgar Smees, of the Y.M.C.A.

King's Home and School Association reminds parents of the annual collection of toys, used clothing and canned food to be donated to the children of Alexandra School on Sanguinet street.

Humour and gaiety abound, as well as mystery and holiday flavour, perhaps in conscious effort to compensate to the children of England. Striking among these books is "Auntie Robbo" whose hilarity cannot be conveyed in description—it must be read. The wave of biography has not diminished nor that of children's stories of far countries, but it is the ray tales, free of propaganda, or even of purpose, that must claim highest place in a 1941 selection.

When she walked into the path of a street car at Sherbrooke street and Prince Albert Avenue shortly before 9 o'clock Monday morning, Miss Dorothy Berry, 19, of 2661 Northcliffe Avenue, was seriously injured.

She was taken to the Homoeopathic Hospital immediately after the accident but was later transferred to the Montreal Neurological Hospital where she was said to be suffering from severe head injuries and shock.

BOOKS EXHIBIT SHOWN AS HELP TO YULE BUYING

List on Display at Westmount Library Runs From Nursery to Middle Teen Ages

A selection of new children's books is on exhibit at the Westmount Public Library, chosen as suggestions for Christmas buying, by the children's librarian, Miss Gwendoline McEwen, and Miss Donalds Putnam of the Montreal Children's Library. Annotated lists of the books, which range in age-interest from the nursery to the middle teens, may be obtained at the several branches of the Montreal Children's Library, as well as at the Westmount Library.

The exhibition which has become an annual thing, is perhaps most striking in its gratifying proportion of humour. The picture books and easy reading books boast the names of such well-known humorists as Wanda Gág, Hardie Gramatky, William DuBois, while among the slightly older books, are Robert Lawson and Phil Stong. There is Canadian too, half a dozen titles, notably among them "Hollings' beautiful "Taddle" to-the-Sea," and Buchanan's "Lake of gold."

The list is shorter this year than last, for outstanding books were fewer, dull and undistinguished ones all too prevalent. Several, however, shine forth with unusual brilliance. The author of "Drums Along the Mohawk" produced a gem in "The Matchlock Gun" and Undermyer's "Stars to Sleep By," occupies a delightful and individual place in poetry anthology. The D'Aulaires' "Leif the Lucky" will be welcomed by those who have loved their "Abraham Lincoln," Arthur Ransome's new book, "Miss Lee" has not yet appeared in Canadian bookstores, but it may yet arrive in time for Christmas.

Among the best of the English books coming this way, there was a noticeable swing to pure enjoyment, says Gwendoline McEwen, Children's Librarian. Humour and gaiety abound, as well as mystery and holiday flavour, perhaps in conscious effort to compensate to the children of England. Striking among these books is "Auntie Robbo" whose hilarity cannot be conveyed in description—it must be read. The wave of biography has not diminished nor that of children's stories of far countries, but it is the ray tales, free of propaganda, or even of purpose, that must claim highest place in a 1941 selection.

GETS COMMISSION

A son of Mr. and Mrs. William Pepper, of Westmount, P.Q. Pepper recently received his commission in the R.C.A.F. and is now serving overseas.

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ONTARIO CHIEF BENEFICIARY

In its presentation to Congress great emphasis is being placed on the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Agreement as being vital to national defence. Since Canada's chief interest in the project is the power which could be developed and Ontario would be the chief beneficiary, it is of interest to note the statement made on the subject by Dr. F. H. Hogg, chairman and chief engineer of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, as quoted by Professor R. B. Willis of the University of Western Ontario in a study of the St. Lawrence Seaway appearing in the current issue of The Quarterly Review of Commerce.

In April, 1940, Dr. Hogg stated: "It is quite evident that this development cannot be classed as a war measure, for even if it were undertaken tomorrow it would be six or seven years before it could be of use. Yet the project is persistently represented as a war measure, which, far from helping, would actually handicap our work. . . . There are substantial power resources on the Ottawa River which can probably be made available more quickly than the St. Lawrence."

A year and a half of war has passed since that statement was made and Hydro has undertaken and nearly completed several new power developments in the interval and has started others. The St. Lawrence project is still only a plan on paper which has yet to secure legislative approval. At least another four years must elapse before the St. Lawrence could be developed to the point of producing power and the Seaway would take several years more. Since central Canada has power resources which can be developed more quickly and more cheaply than the St. Lawrence it would seem obvious that the war emergency demands the development of these resources as needed rather than placing dependence upon the St. Lawrence project, upon the necessity and advisability of which there has been no unanimity of opinion since it was proposed.

OLD-FASHIONED RADICALS

Things change so fast these days that the lot of the radical is hard. He is apt to find himself become out-of-date and old-fashioned.

ed. The ease of profits in wartime is a horrible example. Scores of books and pamphlets published in the nineteen-thirties agreed that wars were conducted largely for corporate profits. But now it turns out that a profit of five per cent. over cost on war orders, with bond interest and half a dozen other major expense items omitted from cost, does not allow for the making of large profits. It even turns out that a good many corporations just about break even on their war orders. If the lowered unit costs on the remaining civilian business produce much of a return, the Excess Profits Tax steps in and blights the rosy dream of opulence. And the word is also going around that among the people who are supposed to wax fat on corporate profits there is one in Canada who calculates total taxes carry away 94 cents out of every dollar that he gets his hand on. This leaves him just enough to buy a bottle of Coca-Cola.

"HATED BY ALL MEN"

A German soldier, taken prisoner near Tobruk by the British last week, remarked: "Germany is now hated by all men. I don't know what is going to happen."

An idea of what might happen was given by Jan Masaryk, over the CBC network the other day. During the course of his address he remarked: "As the war draws to a close, there's going to be a little job to be done in each of the occupied countries. It's not going to be pleasant, but it is necessary. The Anglo-Saxon nations will be well advised to keep their hands off until it is done; then we can all get together round the peace table."

Goebbels himself also gave the Germans a good idea of what might happen if the Nazis lose. Urging them to work harder for victory, he said: "If we lose this war, Germany will become a furnace of Anglo-Saxon fury."

The Anglo-Saxons won't do much in the fury line. We're not very good at that, once the "cease fire" has sounded. But it will be interesting to observe the work of the Poles, Norwegians, Czechs, Albanians, Yugo-Slavs and Russians.

"America's Yuletide Trade Expected to Hit Record of \$6,000,000,000." But there's no lend-lease system for papa.

"Chilly Enough for You?" asks a weather headline. The question is familiar, but we can't remember the answer.

"I, too," Mussolini reminds a group of Italian airmen, "am a flier." It all helps, we suppose, if the balcony ever gives way.

"The world would be surprised to know the identity of Germany's leading industry," teases a Nazi propaganda item. Judging from recent group photos, it could be the manufacture of Sam Browne belts in outsize.

Science Forum

Q.—How is it possible for sea gulls to fly with such a slow wing motion?

A.—First, because they are so light. Their bone structure is very much lighter in comparison to their bulk than is man's, for example, and generally they are built for the job of flying. Secondly, they know how to fly—they utilize to the maximum the lift available from small air currents. Often they really glide instead of fly, sometimes sailing for long periods almost without moving a wing.

Q.—What happens to a person when he is knocked unconscious?

A.—It seems likely that the unconsciousness which follows a knockout punch or blow is due to a short-lasting but complete brain anemia, or lack of blood. Apparently the shock of the blow temporarily paralyzes or partly paralyzes the nerves controlling blood supply to the brain.

Q.—Could a machine be made to replace the heart?

A.—A machine could certainly be made to reproduce the pumping action of the heart. But whether one could construct a workable artificial heart, which would maintain life and enable its possessor to go about his everyday affairs, is a very debatable question.

Q.—What was Thomas A. Edison's first patented invention, and when was it patented?

A.—His first invention was a vote recorder designed to permit a complete, recorded vote to be taken in the House of Representatives. In about one minute, showing how each individual voted. The patent was applied for on October 11, 1868, and was taken out on June 1, 1869. It was United States Patent No. 90,646.

Many Japanese who went to Manchukuo are returning to Japan because they do not like the Manchukuo climate and the Chinese already there can live cheaper than they.

A coalcutter, consisting of a chain having arms with picks, cut 320 yards of coal in every working day, six and one-half hours, during the last year in a mine in Chile.

The Examiner's Hidden Titles Contest

The Westmount Examiner's Hidden Titles Contest is run with the kind co-operation of Mr. Godel, manager of the Westmount Theatre. Each week twelve passes are given to the six lucky winners who comply with the following requirements:

Simply find the two "ads." in the current issue of The Westmount Examiner in which the names of the two feature pictures being shown at the Westmount Theatre during the first half of next week are hidden. Submit all answers to The Contest Editor, The Westmount Examiner, 2191 Hampton Avenue, using the special coupon provided in each issue for the purpose.

Contestants must be over 16 years of age. Residents of Westmount only are eligible. All answers must be in this office not later than Wednesday, and the names of the winners will be published in Thursday's issue.

A convenient coupon will be found elsewhere in the paper. The winners are drawn from among those who submit the correct answers, as, unfortunately, it would be impossible to give passes to every one submitting the right answers.

The winners of last week's contest are as follows and their passes will be received in Monday's mail.

Mrs. R. Checketts, 223 Melville Ave., Apt. 23; Miss W. Roberts, 4516 St. Catherine West, Apt. 3; H. W. MacRae, 25 Burton Ave.; Mrs. E. A. Gifford, 379 Clarke Ave.; Miss E. Bishop, 40 Edgell Road; Mrs. S. Lawrence, 75 York Ave.

THE FORUM

Conducted by HOWARD S. ROSS, K.C., D.C.L.

In Which Subjects of General Interest Are Discussed

The opinions expressed in this Forum are not necessarily those of this newspaper and it does not accept responsibility for them.

Protestant Minister Defends Catholic Priest

When criticism was expressed against Father McMenamin of Denver, Col., for his forceful expressions concerning things political, Rev. J. P. Shepherd remarked: "As a minister of the Presbyterian Church for over 50 years, I challenge any man to deny me the right to vote as my conscience shall dictate or to express my convictions on questions of public import. Why should a minister or a priest, with his wider knowledge of social, moral and political questions, be silent on questions which grow out of social and moral issues while others who may have an axe to grind are heard?"

Dividend payments of Canadian corporations for 8 months of each year: 1939, \$166,843,511; 1940, \$169,025,482; 1941, \$172,250,369.

In a recent address Dr. Evatt, Australian parliamentarian, urged that planning for the post-war period should begin now. He emphasized the importance of the principles set out by Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt. He quoted the references to "improved labor standards, economic advancement, and social security", and the fact that there should be "an assurance that all men in all lands may live out their lives in freedom from fear and want." That means said Dr. Evatt "the task of abolishing poverty, which cannot be achieved without a wider distribution of the world's material wealth and resources." He also claimed that "the war should not be made an excuse for postponing social betterment. Social betterment of a certain kind is likely to improve the war effort and the national morale. We must be receptive to new ideas, unpalatable though they are to a few."

When will the world find and adopt a plan which will be just to all so that the potential abundance will go to all who do their share of the really necessary work of the world, free of all tribute. Under such a system the savings from the waste which is unavoidable under our present system would go a long way toward making the people of the world comfortable and free from the fear of want.

It is not a mistake, when advocating a just social order to take it for granted that the so-called rich must sacrifice in order that such an economic system be adopted? Is it not a fact that more sacrifice will be required and has been required of people everywhere under our present faulty system—for which no one in particular is responsible. We are all at fault because we have failed to solve the problem which surely is solvable, namely, the abolition of artificial scarcity in the midst of plenty.

The co-operative movement in Britain with its 8,000,000 members has allied itself with the National Council of Labor.

National Steel Car Corporation made a net profit of \$1,061,844 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1941, compared to \$463,459 for the year before.

2.9 per cent of the population of British Guiana have the right to vote.

Canada's national income for the first seven months of 1941 was \$3,000,000,000 compared to \$2,700,000,000 for the same period in 1940.

Less time was lost due to strikes in Britain during 1940 than in any other year for the past 43 years.

Every child in New Zealand is entitled to free schooling to the age of 19 years.

The British Government has taken over British railroads for

the duration of the war and for at least one year afterwards at an annual rental of \$43,000,000.

A great man passes — Levinson's Dream Will Not Die. Salmon O. Levinson, famed international lawyer and peace advocate, author of the Pact of Paris for the outlawry of war, beloved and respected for many good works, died in Chicago on Feb. 4 at the age of 75. That he should die in the midst of one of the bitterest wars in history, in spite of the almost universal legal renunciation of war by the nations of earth as a result of his efforts, is a sad commentary upon our human nature. But, as an editorial in Chicago Daily News says: "He died, no doubt, in the faith that the defeat of his efforts was only temporary; that somehow, sometime, right must prevail over wrong. For the dream of peace on earth, good will to men, can never perish."

King Wilhelm III who led the Prussian army to the Gates of Paris in 1815 forbade his soldiers to enter "Lest they defile by their footsteps the streets of the centre of civilization."

Premier Godbout speaking at Premier Robourton speaking at Montreal Reform Club said in part: "Our choice is between Christian Socialism and Bolshevism and the choice must be made now. As there is no doubt as to the choice of Canadians in this respect it is up to them to prepare for the advent and success of the Christian Socialist Order."

The famous lawyer Rufus Choate attended many public dinners as the guest speaker. A friend said to him he feared so many dinners would spoil his constitution and asked what he would do then. "Well," said Choate, "when my constitution is gone I shall live on my by-laws."

New Zealand's new lighthouse was built directly over the survey triangulation station on Tuhakaka Head so it would serve the double purpose of aiding navigation and land surveying.

Testament Of Faith

By Howard S. Ross

"The Balance Sheet of the Future", by the Rt. Hon. Ernest Bevin, Minister of Labor and National Service, Member of the British War Cabinet. (Geo. J. McLeod, Limited, 206-268 King St. West, Toronto. Pages 303.)

Hon. John G. Winant, ambassador to the Court of St. James, wrote: "This is a ringing message in the fight for freedom—a testament of democratic faith by one of the great men of our time! You may agree or disagree with it, but for all that it is a bold and forthright message. It is the vigorous writing of a man of the people. I recommend this book."

Part One consists of statements made since Mr. Bevin was appointed to his position in the Government; Part Two of those made before that appointment, during his career as a labor leader and Secretary of the Transport and General Workers' Union.

This is one of the important books to come from England since War 2 began and is provocative reading for Canadians and Americans concerned with the preservation of the democratic system of government. He tells us not only of the part capital and labor are playing in the theatre of war, but of the leading role they will play in bringing about the new social order which the people of the world are longing for and of which Mr. Bevin wrote: "This time it must be the economic reconstruction of society. Every one is looking for a system which guarantees the ordinary welfare and security of the people, but in creating such a system we must preserve all the best that initiative and enterprise can give us. There must be initiative, but the

I am convinced that the right objective to strive for is political and cultural equality. At the same time with the world so small, from the point of view of communication, and the raw materials of the world entering into every form of civilized life, there must be economic unity and a free flow of exchange.

The task of the statesmen during and at the end of this struggle will be to find a way to promote the defense of civilization and the acceptance of such defense as a social and collective obligation by the citizen who shares in its benefits. There must be the removal of every hindrance to economic unity, thereby securing the use of the great resources of the earth for the prosperity of all humanity.

Economic unity and political and religious freedom are not incompatible."

CALVARY CHURCH NOTES

On Sunday next the preacher in Calvary United Church will be Capt. Rev. T. W. Jones, M.A., D.D.

The subject of the sermon will be messages from the Book of Revelation for life today.

At the morning service the particular theme will be Great Thanksgivings, and a the evening service Great Proclamations.

In these days of unparalleled gravity for us all, we need the inspiration and the challenge of the great spiritual truths set forth in this book — which was written in the darkest hours of the life of the early Christian Church.

The Young Worshippers League and morning Sunday School will meet at 11 a.m.

The afternoon school and Men's Own Brotherhood will meet at 3 p.m.

The Communicant's Class for Church Membership will meet at 4 p.m. in the Minister's vestry.

On Monday at 8.15 p.m. the Young People's Union will hold a Christmas Social. They will welcome as their guests a detachment of American Technicians.

Tuesday the evening branch of the Red Cross will meet at 7.30 p.m.

On Wednesday the Monthly Teachers' meeting will be held in the Ladies' Parlours at 8.15 p.m.

Sunday, December 21st, 11 a.m. Christmas Service, special music by the Senior Choir — sermon theme "Forgive us our Christmasmas."

The evening service will start at 7 o'clock instead of 7.30 and will take the form of a Christmas Pageant of the First Christmas scene. All the characters referred to in the New Testament Story, Prophet, Angels, Innkeeper, Shepherds, Wise Men and the Holy Family, Joseph and Mary and the Babe will be portrayed in living characters to tell the greatest of all stories ever told to mankind. Carols by the Senior and Junior Choirs will enrich the worship of this beautiful service, rendered in a church arranged and lighted to worthily present these scenes with all the beauty that is possible.

A special feature of this service in which the entire community is earnestly requested to share, will be the bringing of White Gifts, tea, coffee, sugar, dried fruits, knitted articles and gifts of money, all of which will be forwarded to the Mayor of the City of Swansea in South Wales. The church is in communication with the Mayor of this much bombed city and it is felt that no better token of the Christmas spirit can be shown this year than that of sending a generous contribution to the people, young and old, in the city across the Atlantic. The entire community is invited to send or bring gifts to the church and to prayerfully and gratefully share in these Christmas services.

Strangers Cordially Invited

Westmount Baptist Church

Sherbrooke St. W. & Roslyn Ave.

J. Alexander Johnston, D.D., Minister

Hibbert Troop, Organist and Choir Master

11 a.m. "THE CURE FOR SCIENTISM"

"An unsatisfactory account that leads to a soul-entraining experience" 3.00 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL Classes for all ages

7.30 p.m. "THE SPIRIT OF THE BEAST IN THE PRESENT WORLD CONFLAGRATION"

"Glimpses of Super-Human Forces Operating Behind the Present Scene" Anthems and Sacred Songs by the Choir

Dr. Johnston will preach

STRANGERS AND VISITORS CORDIALLY INVITED

Westmount Park United Church

Lansdowne & Western Aves.

Minister: Rev. J. Lavell Smith, B.A., B.D.

11 A.M.

3 p.m. Sunday School

7.30 P.M.

Rev. J. Lavell Smith, B.A., B.D., will preach at both services.

Strangers Cordially Welcome

Calvary Church

Dorchester St. at Greene Ave., Westmount

Minister: Capt. Rev. T. W. Jones, M.A., D.D.

11.00 a.m. Great Thanksgivings and 7.30 p.m. Great Proclamations — Messages from the Book of Revelation

3.00 p.m. Sunday School and Men's Own Brotherhood

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Wednesday, 8.15 p.m. Monthly Teachers' Meeting.

The Holy Scriptures will meet on Monday at 7.15 p.m. and the Cuts on Thursday at 7.15.

Next Sunday, Dec. 21st, 7 p.m. A Christmas Pageant and carol service. White Gifts for Air Raid victims of Swansea, South Wales.

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CHRISTMAS TREES. A very nice choice of selected Christmas trees. Western Crating and Moving, 4776 St. James St. West. T-11

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TRUCK DRIVER HELD IN FATAL ROAD ACCIDENT

Four-year-old Westmount Girl Lost Life in Highway Crash

Joel Meloche, 18-year-old truck-driver of Lachine, was held criminally responsible by a coroner's jury yesterday for the death of four persons who were fatally injured when an auto in which they were riding crashed into Meloche's truck which was parked on the new Lakeshore boulevard without lights at Beaurepaire on the night of November 18. The jurors deliberated four minutes.

The victims of the accident were: Mrs. Emma Blakey, 55, of 101 Ragland Road, Kingston, Ont., her granddaughter, Gloria Hanley, 4; of 4555 Sherbrooke Street west; Clifford Peterkin, 30, of 16 Glenn Lake road, Toronto, and T. R. Weller, 25, of 186 Soudan avenue, Toronto.

Chief witness at the inquest was Mrs. Joseph Hanley, mother of Gloria, who stated that she was returning to Montreal from Kingston with her mother and daughter. The two men who were in her auto, she said, were hitch hikers, picked up at Fort Frontenac, who told her they were on their way to Montreal to join the merchant marine. She explained that she was driving between 40 and 45 miles an hour when she struck the truck.

Sub-inspector Maxime Cartier, of the Provincial Traffic Department, testified that he had examined the truck after the accident and found it without lights, connecting electrical wires, or fuses.

Meloche testified that when his truck ran out of gasoline it was still light. He walked to a construction camp a mile away and telephoned his employer, Raymond Trudeau, 289 Sixth avenue, Lachine. Returning to his vehicle about an hour later he found that a friend had brought him gasoline. Pouring this into the tank, he managed to get the truck started, only to have it stall again about 50 feet further along the boulevard.

After a futile attempt to get it started his friend placed a flashlight on the rear of the truck, and they returned together to the construction camp to telephone. When they returned to the truck they discovered that an auto

HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

The parents of all Westmount High School pupils were the guests of the Westmount High School Home and School Association last evening, at a social gathering in the Westmount Intermediate School. Mrs. John Common and C. V. Frayn were in charge of the arrangements, which included the serving of refreshments and the presentation of a musical program. The meeting was held to enable parents and teachers to discuss their mutual problems. H. E. McCrudden, president of the association, was in the chair.

TEMPLE PLANS MANY FESTIVAL OBSERVANCES

All Groups at Emanu-El to Take Part in Services During Week of Chanukah

During the week of Chanukah at Temple Emanu-El, many festival observances will take place as follows: Sunday evening, December 14, First Night of Chanukah, the annual Brotherhood Chanukah Supper Party in Temple Community House at 7 o'clock, to which the ladies are cordially invited. The program will include Blessing of the Lights; Special Entertainment and Bridge.

Child Study and Parent Education Group will hold a Chanukah Party for children of Pre-Sunday School Age, Wednesday, December 17, at 3:30 p.m., in the Lecture Hall of Temple. Parents wishing their Pre-School children to attend should communicate with Mrs. H. J. Stern, or Mrs. G. Wolfe.

Friday evening, December 19, a special Candle-light service in observance of Sabbath of Chanukah, will be held. Temple choir will render selections from Handel's "Judas Maccabaeus." An Oneg Shabbat follows the service in Temple Community House.

On Sunday morning, December 21st, at 11 o'clock, the Annual School Chanukah Entertainment is scheduled.

In observance of Chanukah, Monday evening, December 16, Dr. Stern's class in Biblical Literature, will consider "The Books of the Maccabees." The Public Speaking Class meets at 8:15. The regular Hebrew Class will also meet at 8:15.

Denmark has placed restrictions on the consumption of butter and cream.

had struck it and it was overturned on the road. The driver added he had parked his vehicle before the accident partly on the road. When questioned about the flashlight, he said that a search had been made for it after the crash but he had been unable to find it. The jury then retired and returned four minutes later to return a verdict holding Meloche criminally responsible for the mishap.

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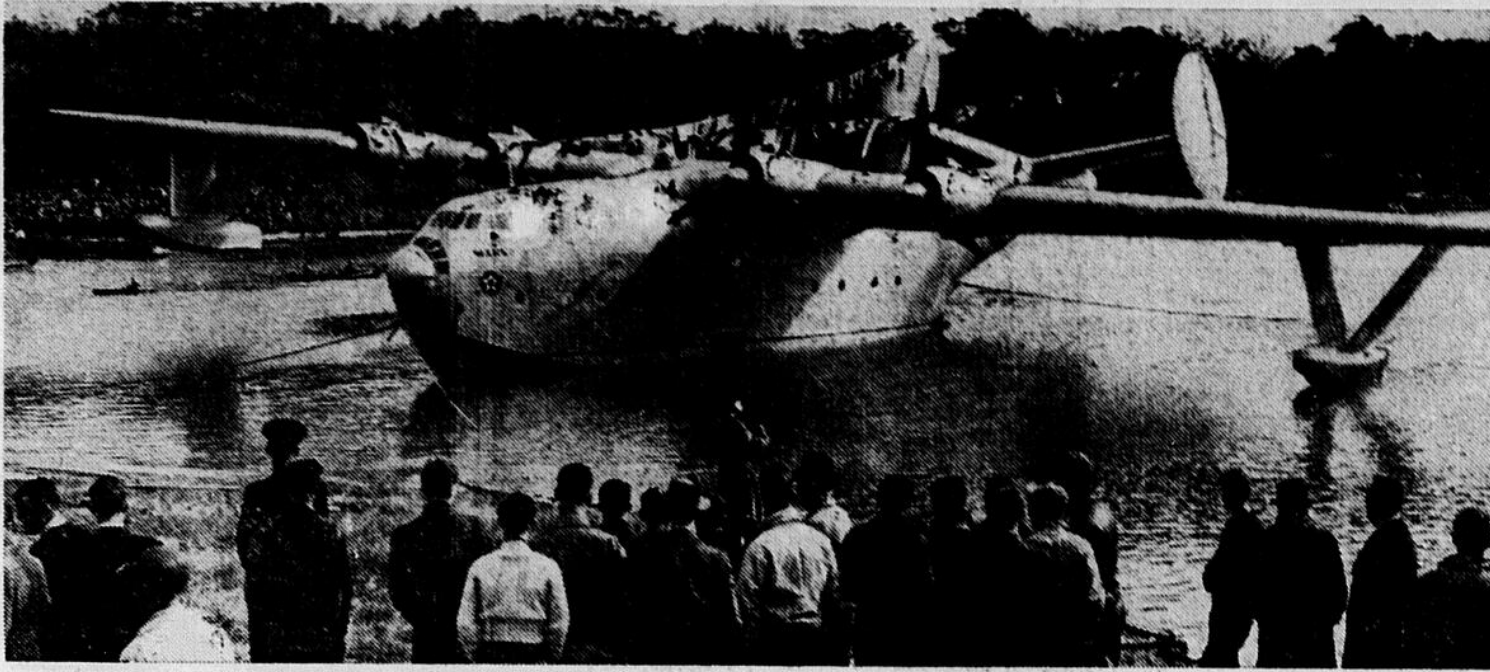
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A single code word transmitted over the radio network of Pan-American Airways thirty minutes after confirmation of the Japanese attack on Hawaii resulted in an immediate change over from regular schedules to a wartime plan of operation.

Clippers flying their Pacific routes immediately changed courses on receipt of the code word and the long-prepared emergency plan was in effect.

The clippers are now following a special plan of operation and their schedules are kept secret. Clippers were arriving on schedule

at New York, Miami, Seattle and San Francisco in proof of the effectiveness of the plan.

Although all base-sites of the northern trans-Pacific service, Honolulu, Midway, Wake, Guam, Manila, Hong Kong and Singapore have been under attack the only casualty which Pan-American Airways has suffered in its fleet occurred at Hong Kong, according to reports. There Japanese bombers caught the Clipper at her berth in an attack upon Kai-Tak airport and Kowloon. The Clipper, a Sikorsky S-42, was destroyed.

BY-LINES

By S. B. McClean

Japan and the United States are at war in the Pacific. This extension of the war, affecting as it does, practically all continents and the seven seas, reminded me very forcibly of the warning against such a world war contained in Mr. H. G. Wells' novel, "The War in the Air," which was first published in 1908. I would recommend readers to go through this Wellsian fantasy and to note how fearfully near the truth the fiction of 35 years ago has come. A critic, dealing with "The War in the Air" in 1915, declared:

"The issues in this novel are so vital, the denouement so increasingly probable, that, despite all the exaggerations necessary in a fiction of this kind, the warning contained in this account of a world-war is one that must remain in the minds of any thoughtful reader."

This judgment has been heavily underlined and emphasized by and disaster contained in this present conflict and makes the warning of world-wide chaos novel of paramount importance. I hear that the undernourished "definition" turned up in a local scholar's exercise-book the other morning:

"Anomaly is a sort of fancy fried egg."

A city business man has this "Definition of Success" hanging up in a prominent position in his office:

"SUCCESS is the Art of combining the activity of the rolling-stone with the moss-gathering propensities of the still pebble."

A psychologist declared recently that there is quite an Alphabet of Human Regrets. The Re-morse Code, so to speak.

Since I went to work in the office of a factory making high-grade footwear for ladies, I have speculated a lot on a question that has troubled me on and off for some years now—Why do women wear such high heels?

The reason cannot be merely a desire for elevation, for we have got beyond the stage when height itself is considered an advantage—any modern woman will tell you that the cephalic index is much more important than the lineal length.

The fair sex may wish to be on their toes in the race of life, but a really pretty girl requires no such advantage, for she need fear no one of importance passing her.

The real solution to this question seems to reside in the pretty strong idea held by women that a female foot as originally created in the hand of God was the principal speaker.

Individuals who carry off all the prizes—academic or athletic—at a school closing or prize-giving do not only collect the awards but also obligate themselves to a lifetime that will be far more exacting and active than that of their less successful classmates, the dean declares.

"You will not be able to lounge through life," he said, addressing himself particularly to the prize-winners, "you will find that the gifts which have enabled you to gather these awards are stern taskmasters."

A keen mind and conviction of right were the main attributes that one can take away from an educational institution, he said, and are the worthwhile prizes in life.

The program, which was under the chairmanship of Allan M. Mitchell, chairman of the board, opened with vocal selections by the boys' choir, followed by a report of the school activities by E. S. Penton, the new headmaster.

Mr. Penton also paid high tribute to the work of V. C. Wabrough, his predecessor as headmaster.

R BRODIE APPOINTED

Robert Brodie has been appointed editor-in-chief of the St. Andrew's Church News Bulletin which will be mailed every month to all the members of the congregation on active service.

REGIMENTAL BAND TO PLAY

The band of the Royal Montreal Regiment, under Capt. T. E. Jackson, director of music, with the permission of Major H. G. Brewer, M.C., Officer Commanding, have volunteered their services to play during the Christmas Party to be given by the R.M.R. Ladies' Committee to children of the men overseas on Saturday, December 20, at 4:00 p.m. in the Westmount Armoury, St. Catherine Street.

AIR STUDENTS BREAK RECORD AT NO. 1 SCHOOL

Gunners and Electrical Mechanics Achieve Highest Pass Percentages

Credited with achieving the highest percentage of any similar class, a large group of wireless air gunners and wireless electrical mechanics graduated from No. 1 Wireless School, Queen Mary road, Saturday. Men from Ontario took the bulk of the medals awarded the best three in each division.

Group Capt. P. J. A. Hume-Wright, senior armament officer at No. 3 Training Command, made the presentations in the absence of Air Commodore de Niverville, air officer commanding.

Group Capt. Hume-Wright urged the men to remember that whatever duties they were called upon to perform in the future, they were members of one big team and that the part they would play would be just as important as that of any other member of the team.

"You are members of the R.C. A.F., one of the finest organizations in the world, and wherever you go in the service you will be mixing with the finest type of men," he said.

Building Permits \$158,123 to Nov. 30

Plans are being prepared for the erection of a detached home at a site near Meridian and Circle roads, in the Monkland district adjacent to Snowdon Junction, to cost approximately \$9,500. The plans call for the Colonial tradition in outline and interior with basement garage and a number of innovations in interior design.

Alterations and repairs represented the only construction work carried out in Westmount last month and were valued at \$7,335, to bring the permit total this year to November 30 to \$158,123, compared with \$406,046 for 1940 period. Eight permits were issued in the municipality last month, a decline of over 20 per cent as against values for November, 1940, and 84.5 per cent compared with the aggregate for last October.

STANLEY MEN'S CLUB MEET

Stanley Men's Club will hold its regular monthly supper meeting in the church hall on December 18, at 6:30 p.m., when a motion picture, "The Fight for Freedom," will be shown, and a soloist will entertain the members.

PERFECT FOR COLOR

Five of Hollywood's outstanding color photographers have nominated Jean Parker, star of Paramount's "I Live on Danger" for Producers William Pine and William Thomas, as the perfect red-haired model for color pictures.

SALVATIONISTS' XMAS WORK FULLY PLANNED

Army Relief Board Preparing Special Yuletide Cheer for Underprivileged

The Montreal Relief Board of the Salvation Army, at its last meeting, formulated plans for the special Christmas cheer work undertaken by the Army at this season of the year.

Christmas hamper will be given to hundreds of needy families. In addition to which investigation will be carried out and a number of families recommended to the Service Clubs and others at their request, for Christmas hampers. Experienced officers visit the homes of the needy and all families given Christmas baskets or recommended for hampers, are certified as being in need and really deserving of assistance.

A poor men's dinner will be supplied to between six and seven hundred men in the St. Alexander St. Hostel on Friday, December 19th. This task will be in the hands of Brigadier and Mrs. Ellsworth, superintendents of the hostel.

Major Margaret Wheeler, matron of the St. Antoine St. Working Women's Home, has arranged for a dinner to be served to the poor women associated with the Cheer Circle and Labour Bureau on Tuesday, December 16th, while the inmates of the institution will partake of Christmas dinner on Christmas Day.

The League of Mercy, a body of Salvation Army volunteer workers, under the direction of Mrs. Wm. Tackaberry, who devote themselves to Social Service throughout the year in the various homes and institutions in Montreal, have planned and arranged for Christmas programs and treats in twelve of the city institutions, including the military hospital, St. Anne de Bellevue.

Pastor To Preach On 'Cure For Skepticism'

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Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, is arresting persons who cut down trees on their own property without obtaining permission from the city.

Art Association Holding Exhibition Of Paintings

The Independent Art Association Inc. are holding their annual non-jury exhibition this year in Victoria Hall, which will remain open to the public, afternoons and evenings, until next Tuesday.

Thirty-two artists are represented by ninety-four works. Several effective flower studies are shown by Hattie Lightstone, Bertha McGivern Smith, Kathleen C. Liebich, Paul Billing, and Mary Mullally, who also shows an attractive street scene. Bertha Smith shows besides her flower studies, a large marine scene. Miriam Holland's paintings of old barns and farm houses show the practiced hand. Charles Dennis has paintings of "The Battery, New York," and a "Road at Port Kent."

Switzerland is represented by Paul Billing, "Bridges" is shown by J. R. Spindlove. Sea and cliffs by Margaret Thompson, John Humphries' well known style in water-colours is shown in three pictures of "Trees," "Falls," at Rawdon" and a St. Lawrence village.

Oscar DeLall has two bright sunlight paintings of snow scenes in the Laurentians. The two dog portraits in pastels are by E. Goldenberg. Beryl Butler has one of boats by a wharf and a coun-

try roadway. Freda Pemberton Smith has a large painting of the interior of the Westmount Greenhouse. Two still life studies are by Beatrice M. Long. Thos. de la Ferrelle shows pastels, one of France, the other of a Gaspé shrine. The portraits, in oils and pastels, are by Ernestine Knopf, Neta Low, Olivia Greco-Paarse, Betty Galbraith-Cornell, Ann L. Allan. Water-colour sketches are by Stanley B. Wilson.

The one piece of sculpture is a portrait of E. E. Boothroyd, Esq., M.A., by Orson Wheeler, A.R.C.A. Other exhibitors are: Evelyn Cunningham, Francoise Pagnuelo, Severo Masse, Joannette Gauthier, Stuart McCormick, George Adams, May Dever, R. B. Henshaw, J. M. Morton, Grace J. Lamb.

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"Westmount's Home Newspaper"

Social and Personals

Miss Mary Myers spent the week-end as the guest of Mrs. Allan Greene, in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. R. Fairbairn have taken up their residence in Ottawa.

Mrs. D. B. Papineau has returned to Quebec after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon M. Conner.

Mrs. Frank C. Stackpole, who was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dowling, left on Monday night for New York.

Miss Fay Gauthier of Drummondville visited during the week-end with her brother, Mr. Don Gauthier of Clifton avenue.

Mrs. Arthur Carter, of Knowlton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Atkinson over the week-end.

Mrs. J. Langley returned last week-end from Miami Beach, Florida, where she spent some time.

time visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Harrison.

Mrs. H. David Spielman will receive for the first time since her marriage on Saturday afternoon from four until six o'clock at 632 Murray Hill. Before her marriage, Mrs. Spielman was Miss Catherine Skinner.

Miss Harriette Burge entertained on Saturday evening in honor of her brother, Mr. Edgar Burge, of Trinidad, B.W.I., and his fiancée, Miss Barbara Black, whose marriage will take place shortly.

The president and directors of the Business and Professional Women's Club entertained last evening at dinner at the club house, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Teakle. Mr. Teakle gave a talk to the members on "Old Montreal."

Mrs. S. M. Ogulnik and Mrs. J. Ekin will be at home on Saturday afternoon from half-past three to six o'clock, at 122 Arlington avenue, in honor of Mrs. P. Victor Ogulnik, of London, England.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Myers were in Shawville, Que., recently visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Horner, who were celebrating the 52nd anniversary of their wedding. Mr. and Mrs.

HILDA GALT PUPIL



Miss Moira Cumming, pupil of the Hilda Galt School of Dancing and specialty dancer in the Hilda Galt Dance for Defence Unit doing the original "Acrobatic Cocktail Number" which has been seen in all the one hundred and twenty-seven shows presented since the outbreak of this war. The "Dance for Defence" Unit will next appear tomorrow at St. John's, Quebec, for the Air Force, on Sunday in a repeat performance, by special request, for 3 I.T.S. Air Force at Victoriaville, Que., and on Wednesday at the St. Anne's Military Hospital. The "Dance for Defence" Unit has proved one of the most outstandingly popular units with the Armed Forces and receives a tremendous ovation at each performance.

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ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Feeney have announced the engagement of their daughter, Rita Marie, to Mr. John Paul Barry, son of Judge and Mrs. John A. Barry, Lancaster, N.B. The wedding will take place in Montreal at the latter part of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Paquette announce the engagement of their daughter, Audrey Margaret, to Lance Corporal Blair O. Wright, Victoria Rifles of Canada, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. (Monty) Wright, the wedding to take place early in January, at Vancouver, B.C.

WEDDINGS

Thomas-May

The marriage of Beate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. May, to Mr. Stanley Gordon Thomas, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Thomas, took place on Friday afternoon in St. Philip's Church, Rev. Canon Ireland officiating. Given away by her father, the bride wore a gown of ivory damask satin, the skirt ending in a short train. Her veil of tulle illusion was worn with a headdress of small feather birds, and she wore a small pendant belonging to her grandmother. Her cascade bouquet was of Joanna Hill roses.

Miss Jeanne Guess, as maid of honor, wore a gown of russet red tulle, remodelled on the same lines as the bride's dress, and carried a small muff with spray corsage of bronze and yellow mums. Her headdress of grey tulle illusion was worn with feather birds matching her dress.

Miss Anne Thomas, sister of the groom, as bridesmaid, was gowned in turquoise blue tulle, with a headdress of grey tulle illusion arranged with turquoise feather birds, and carried a small muff with a spray of bronze and yellow mums.

Mr. James Loucks was best man for his cousin, and the ushers were Mr. William Hannah, cousin of the groom, and Mr. Percy ("Punch") Bott.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, and later the bridal couple left for a wedding trip to the Eastern Townships, the bride travelling in a cocoa crepe dress under a teal blue coat with kolinsky panels down the front, a striped wool draped turban in russet, beige and turquoise shades, with matching handbag, cocoa brown shoes and gloves. She wore a corsage of bronze mums.

McKay-Logan

The marriage of Barbara, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Logan, to Leading Aircraftman Allan McKay, R.C.A.F., took place quietly on Saturday afternoon in the Church of the Advent, the Reverend Sydenham Lindsay officiating.

The bride, given in marriage

Has Hospital Post



Miss Beryl Webster, of Westmount, who has enlisted in the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps. Miss Webster, who attended McGill University, is a graduate physiotherapist of the University of Toronto, and has been given a post on the staff of a military hospital in Eastern Canada. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Webster.

by her father, wore a frock of dusky rose crepe with a brown hat and accessories, and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations.

Corporal John Tuddenham, R.C.S. (R.C.A.), was best man. A small reception for the immediate families was held at the home of the bride's parents, 24 Winchester avenue, and later the bridal couple left on a motor trip, the bride wearing a frock of pale blue wool under a brown broadtail coat, with a brown hat and matching accessories.

WESTMOUNT WOMEN WILL ENTERTAIN CHILDREN AT PARTY

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, the Westmount Women's Club will again have as their guests the pupils of the School for Crippled Children, Cedar avenue, as well as the children of members and their friends, at the club's annual Christmas party in Victoria hall.

Dan McGowan, F.Z.S., will deliver an address entitled, "Unto the Hills." The balance of the program will be contributed by Betty Speirs and Pete Miller, of the Betty Speirs School of Dancing.

All members are asked to support this program to the fullest possible extent, by bringing their friends, in order to help the club give generous response to its welfare demands. Conveners are Mrs. J. A. Gillespie and Mrs. J. W. Wright.

Admission will be by donations for the Christmas hampers. Members are reminded to bring their programs.

Britain's blind warmly welcomed 300,000 phonograph needles donated by blind owners of talking books in the United States.

JEWISH AUXILIARY TO ENTERTAIN AT CHANUKAH DINNER

The Chanukah dinner, to be held by the Women's Auxiliary of Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue, will take place on Tuesday evening at seven o'clock in the community hall. The candles will be kindled and Festival melodies sung by Cantor Nathan Mendelson. A social hour will follow.

Mrs. H. R. Cohen and Mrs. J. Kushner are conveners for the dinner, and Mrs. M. Greenblatt and Mrs. F. Livingstone are ticket conveners. The assisting committees are composed of board members who will also act as hostesses.

The following is a partial list of those who will be present.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Abramowitz, Mr. and Mrs. J. Levinson, Mr. and Mrs. T. Glickman, Mr. and Mrs. S. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Heilig, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Solomon, Capt. and Mrs. S. Gershon Levi, Mr. and Mrs. M. Abbey, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Besner, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bronfman, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brown, Mrs. Lyon Cohen, Mrs. M. Greenblatt, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Freedman, Mr. and Mrs. L. Mendel, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Goodman, Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Feldman, Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Hyams, Mrs. J. Kushner, Mr. and Mrs. N. Adelman.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Leibovitz, Cantor and Mrs. M. Mendelson, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kushner, Dr. and Mrs. C. Heibman, Mr. Marcel Bernstein, Mr. M. B. Segal, Mr. and Mrs. H. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Rubin, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rother, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lazare, Mr. and Mrs. L. Levin, Mrs. E. Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. I. Rosenbloom, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. F. Wisenthal, Mr. and Mrs. F. Leopold, Mr. and Mrs. S. Leopold, Dr. and Mrs. E. Lozinski, Mr. and Mrs. B. Lefcort, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kirsch, Mrs. A. M. Vineberg, Mr. and Mrs. H. Shiller.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ship, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross, Mrs. Jacob Elkin, Mr. and Mrs. V. Elkin, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Stampelman, Dr. and Mrs. M. Kolber, Mr. and Mrs. R. Cabott, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kert, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Greenwood, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Heilig, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. A. Levin, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rosenbloom, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rubin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Victor, Mr. and Mrs. M. Wineroope.

Frances Willard Group

The December meeting of Frances Willard W.C.T.U. will be held in Dominion Douglas Church hall, on Wednesday at 3 p.m., when the guest speaker will be Dr. Laurence C. Tombs, who will take as his topic, "Social Problems." Solos will be rendered by Mrs. W. H. Lewis, and Mrs. W. Dobson and her Circle members will act as hostesses.

H.M. QUEEN MARY ADMIRES WORK OF MONTREAL CHILD

Little Barbara Mae Garrett, who is 10 years old, recently received some exciting news from England. Barbara, who lives in Montreal, belongs to a knitting group composed of children from 9 to 12 years of age, who meet at her home and knit for children in England.

One of the nicest articles made and sent to England via the Westmount Women's Club was Barbara's green woollen matinee jacket. Her Majesty Queen Mary recently visited the W.V.S. regional clothing store in Bristol, England, and voiced her admiration for Barbara's work.

One of the letters sent to Barbara from England reads as follows:

October 9, Clifton, Bristol.

Dear Barbara,

I thought you would like to know that this afternoon Her Majesty Queen Mary visited one of our large depots for various clothes for bombed out people, and was greatly pleased with all she saw. We had a quantity of lovely things from Canada, and I am writing to tell you that Queen Mary greatly admired your green knitted matinee jacket, with "Barbara Garrett, age 10", on it. We workers (Women's Auxiliary Aid) also think it's splendid for a little girl of 10 to have knitted.

We send you many thanks and best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

Dorothy Warren,

(Mrs. Robert Hall Warren).

Karnak Social Club To Give Bridge Party

Karnak Ladies' Social Club will hold its annual Christmas bridge, for members only, on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, in the Masonic Temple, Sherbrooke street west.

Members are asked to bring gifts for the Christmas cheer baskets, and also to bring their own playing cards and score pads. There will be door prizes as well as table prizes. Mrs. E. W. Francis, vice-president, is in charge of the bridge, and Mrs. W. J. Stephenson and her committee will serve refreshments.

Last Work Meeting

The last work meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Melville Presbyterian Church for 1941 will be held at 2.30 p.m. on Tuesday, in the church hall, Melville avenue. It is requested that all members attend this meeting.

TOGETHER AGAIN

Jackie Cooper and Jackie Searl are together again in Paramount's "Glamour Boy." Ten years ago they appeared in three pictures and in one sequence of their current picture the audience will see them in a scene from one of their earlier successes.

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The WOMAN'S Page



EVERYTHING CONSIDERED

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From an early age, we have been fed on what we thought were clichés and bromides concerning our country, our rights as citizens, and how much we love our Empire. We grew up with "Rule Britannia," and "O Canada" ringing in our ears; with the printed pages of our school books and story books telling us over and over again about freedom, rugged pioneers, imperial courage, liberty—with a dash of what we found rather wearisome heroics.

Then, too, we were accustomed to the United States' historical pride in hard won freedom and honor. We had hazy visions in our minds of caravans, Indians, Pilgrims—as seen in the movies.

It is rather amazing when clichés suddenly become burning truths, and when story books

come to life in a thousand brave acts. Who, in the placid, well-fed nineties, ever meant half of what we do now, when we sing that Britons never will be slaves? It's a bromide no longer, that line. It's the expressed determination of a great nation to be free and unafraid.

And Canada—it's our country, part of the mighty empire. When it is threatened, we forget to be biased. We forget that we have sung "O Canada" mechanically at meetings and inchoans and concerts. We think of the "true north" with love and with the resolve that our land shall be strong and free, and there is no turning back from this resolve. We remember lovely days in the sun and wind; we think of flashing white snow on great mountains, where the pines stand in strength; and it is no weak, inadequate phrase we use when we call this our heritage.

Now that the United States enters war, we have swift realization of deep regard for our neighbor nation. We haven't forgotten the generous and happy comradeship of our American friends, nor the love we have held

VOLUNTEER BUREAU WILL ORGANIZE WOMEN'S WAR EFFORT

Montreal's Central Volunteer Bureau will launch immediately a war work program under the chairmanship of Mrs. Jack Pembroke. In order to insure a greater volume of regular and emergency volunteer aid for Canada's war effort, the emphasis is being placed on women's war work.

The Bureau will obtain information from all existing war service organizations as to how many helpers are needed, and will also obtain information from federal, provincial and municipal government with regard to types of patriotic work needed but not as yet being covered.

The bureau will give courses not obtainable elsewhere, will organize a placement service in order that people may do the work for which they are most fitted, and at the same time will carry on with its regular work in providing voluntary workers for health and welfare organizations already established in the city.

This centralization of war effort will endeavour to help those who are already engaged in organizing voluntary effort, for example, those who have been forming themselves into committees for neighboring salvage, in apartment houses or by blocks.

Great Need Has Arisen

Miss Mary Jennison, executive secretary, remarked in a recent statement that: "Social agencies and hospitals still have their problems but they are not in the same measure the problems of acute and dire physical need. A greater need has arisen, a cloud on the horizon which threatens to dim every aspect of our way of life, our social services included. It is the need to win this war. It is in relation to this new need that the expanding function of the General Volunteer Bureau comes into play."

The war service committee under Mrs. Pembroke will be made up of representative women in the city's English, French and Jewish communities.

The Central Volunteer Bureau, which was established in December, 1937, serves in a liaison capacity between volunteers and social agencies. It is sponsored by the Montreal Council of Social Agencies and by the Junior League of Montreal. From the beginning it has been non-sectarian and non-racial.

Types of Work Listed.

Miss Jennison listed the types of work opportunity into which volunteers could now be absorbed. These include: Co-ordination and systematization of all types of salvage work; making V-Bundles for Britain; organization of hospitality for the troops; mending for soldiers in barracks and armories; canteen work and recreation in collaboration with the Y.M.C.A.; Travellers' Aid work and room investigation for the Women's Army; in collaboration with the Y.M.C.A.; assistance in many departments of Red Cross, for example campaign, packing parcels for prisoners of war.

The new war program was developed as a result of deliberation during the summer months by a group of women connected with a number of prominent women's organizations but acting as individuals.

Members of the informal group of women who initiated the plan are: Mrs. E. R. Adair, Mrs. K. S. Barnes, Mrs. Seymour Bell, Miss Duguid, Mr. Andrew Fleming, the Hon. Mrs. B. M. Hallward, Mrs. J. A. Hodgson, Mrs. J. C. Manson, Mrs. W. F. W. Pratt, Miss Meredith Hodgson, Mrs. H. Y. Russell, Mrs. A. T. Stikeman, Mrs. J. F. R. Wilkes, Mrs. E. B. Savage and Mrs. Herbert Elder. Officers of the bureau are: President, Mrs. Webster Newcomb; vice-president, Mrs. Jack Pembroke; treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Frost.

Social Service Night Of Maritime Club To Feature Sketches

Phoebe Erskine MacKellar and Basil Donn, assisted by others, will be heard in scenes from Shakespeare, sketches from Dickens and recitations from the works of Pauline Johnson, at the December meeting of the Maritime Women's Club of Montreal, Inc., which will be held on Tuesday evening at 8:30 in the Prince of Wales Salon, Windsor Hotel. Mr. Donn is head of the Trinity Players. The Pauline Johnson sketches will be given in Indian costume, and Bunty Cronin and her Gibson Girls will also be featured on the program.

who have given donations towards the sale, which will continue throughout Saturday.

Housewives Hear Address On Government Measure

We consumers should not be expected to give up butter for guns, while others do not even give up caviar for guns, remarked Miss Marie Mottashed, addressing the Canadian Housewives' League recently, taking as her subject the Government's new price fixing and wage stabilizing measures.

The speaker emphasized that this measure will succeed more

easily if the co-operation of the population is willingly and intelligently given, adding that it will require many people to administer it, and that it will be subject to human fallibility.

Miss Mottashed told her audience that a country at war must learn to do without luxuries, but stressed the fact that it is often difficult for people to decide which articles are luxuries and

which are not, mentioning as an example the opposite views taken by men and women on the subject of the washing machine.

There are still many avenues open, Miss Mottashed said, whereby we can effect national economy, and further increase production. For instance, the speaker remarked, instead of five or six milk and bread wagons going down each street every day, there could be fewer wagons and consequently more men freed for other jobs.

Miss Mottashed criticized the unfairness of the decrease of the cost of living bonus allotted to those on low incomes, who are

the very people who stand in need of greater bonuses to help them buy nourishing food for children and workers.

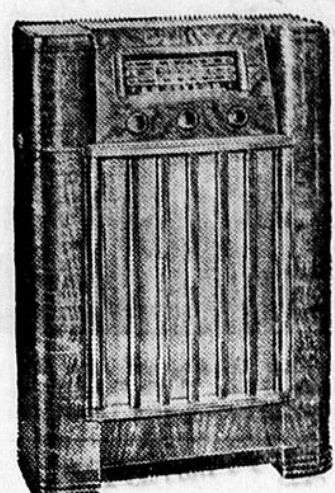
In past wars, it has been the custom for the governments to allow a few people to acquire great riches of the war, and then to borrow from these people, the speaker told the league. It would be better if no one made money out of the war, and that all the workers could clothe and feed themselves adequately, she added.

"Let there be no more emine wraps made, but warm coats for hard working men and women,

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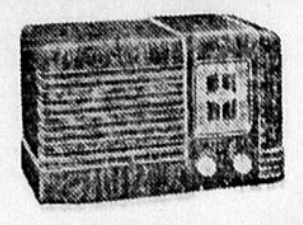
Fondant-filled dates are old favorites, but this time add some minced roasted peanuts to fondant before filling pitted dates. Roll in powdered or granulated sugar. Of mix fondant and some peanut butter, stuff dates, and roll in maple sugar. Try adding chewed crystallized ginger to fondant for stuffing dried pitted prunes.

coats that they can afford to buy," concluded Miss Mottashed. Mrs. R. B. Hamilton, vice-president, was in the chair.



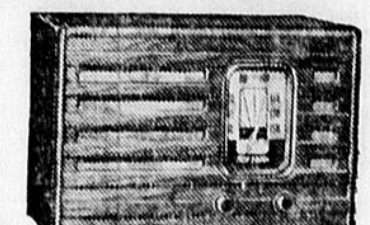
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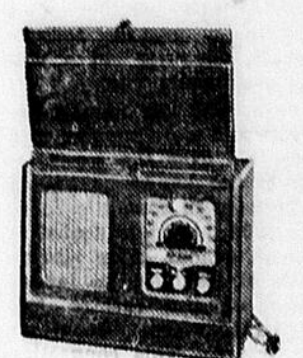
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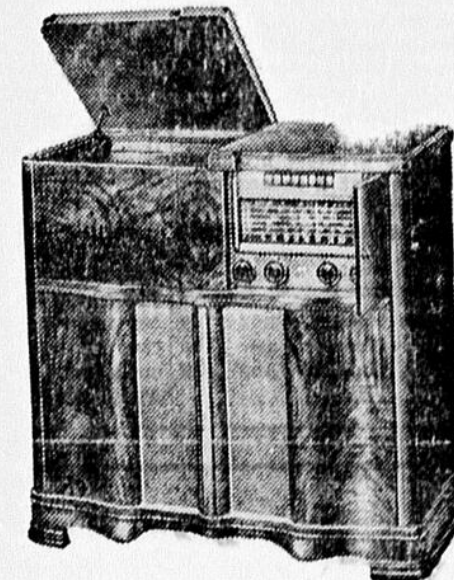
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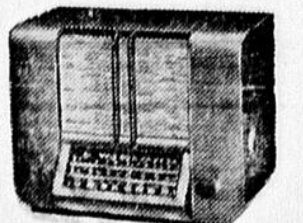
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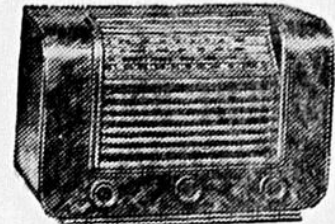
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NEWS OF THE THEATRE WORLD

Theatrical
Attractions'When Ladies Meet' Stars
Four Screen Favorites

When the all-star picture was first timidly suggested in Hollywood, producers were apprehensive. For one thing, few plays existed with multiple roles of equal caliber.

Such a play is "When Ladies Meet," which brings the latest all-star cast to the screen in Joan Crawford, Robert Taylor, Greer Garson and Herbert Marshall. The picture is now playing at the Monkland United Theatre until Saturday night.

"When Ladies Meet" is a gay romance of tangled loves and equally tangled lovers. Miss

Crawford departs from her drama of "A Woman's Face" to play a sentimental novelist who is loved by Taylor and by her suave publisher, enacted by Marshall.

Miss Crawford displays a fine flair for comedy. Taylor enacts his role with convincing skill, and Miss Garson is the personification of charm. Marshall enacts his suave role with intelligent repression and overlooks no opportunity for comedy. Spring Byington, who created the role on the New York stage, plays Bridget, flighty owner of the charming country home in which much of the action takes place.

Harrison Gained
Fame as Romantic

Rex Harrison, who is often called the Gary Cooper of English film stars, plays the role of Adolphus Cusins opposite Wendy Hiller in Gabriel Pascal's production of "Major Barbara," the George Bernard Shaw comedy which is now playing at the York United Theatre until Friday night. In this part, Harrison appears as a penniless but audacious professor of Greek who courts and eventually marries Barbara Undershaft, daughter of a millionaire armaments king.

Harrison, who has steadily become more and more popular with filmgoers all over the world, is tall, dark and handsome and is generally seen in romantic roles. Born in 1908, he was educated at Uppingham School. Upon leaving the halls of learning, he turned to matters of the theatre and joined the Liverpool Repertory for two years. This connection gave him an opportunity to play all kinds of roles in all kinds of places, including tank towns and gaslit opera houses. He made his London debut in 1930 in a play called "The Ninth Man."

Broadway saw him first in "Bitter Aloes," in which he played opposite lovely Evelyn Laye. When he returned to his native England, he got his first bid to go into films. He made his celluloid debut opposite Miriam Hopkins in "Men Are Not Gods." Alexander Korda then signed him to appear with Merle Oberon

RITA HAYWORTH
IN BRIGHT MUSICAL

His loveliest dancing partner, and most talented, ravishing Rita Hayworth is co-starred with Fred Astaire in Columbia's bewitching new musical extravaganza, "You'll Never Get Rich." The star-studded tune-film, which opened yesterday at the Westmount United Theatre playing until Saturday night, is a laugh-booming, girl-sparking comedy of army camp life, with Cole Porter's delightful new songs providing enchanting backgrounds for the spectacular dance sequences.

Miss Hayworth, world-renowned as a dancer before she rose to the Hollywood heights as filmdom's most glamorous actress, proves herself to be the screen's most entrancing dancer, as well. Dancing and romancing, the Astaire-Hayworth combination is a pleasure to watch.

"You'll Never Get Rich" presents Astaire as a Broadway dance director who joins the army in desperate effort to escape Miss Hayworth's over-ardent attentions, only to discover that a guardhouse not only keeps a guy in, but keeps his girl out! Robert Benchley provides side-splitting humor as the Broadway producer who fancies himself a Casanova, and whose escapades continually keep Astaire in trouble; John Hubbard, as the army officer who is Astaire's major romantic rival; Osa Massen, Frieda Inescort, Guinn 'Big Boy' Williams, Donald MacBride and a host of other comedy and character actors provide additional support to the stars.

The world's greatest broadbill swordfish, 13 feet 9 inches long and weighing 860 pounds, was captured by W. E. Tucker off To-copilla, Chile.

In "Over the Moon." Among his more recent successes are "The Citadel," "St. Martin's Lane" and "Gestapo."

BEST SELLER 'WILD GEESE CALLING' AT SNOWDON



The dramatic romance between a two-fisted lumberjack and his dance hall queen sweetheart highlights the colorful action of Steward Edward White's "Wild Geese Calling," which is now playing at the Snowdon United Theatre. Warren William appears above with the co-stars, Joan Bennett and Henry Fonda.

Clarinet Player
Guest of Quartet

In their second concert of this season, held last Thursday evening in the Windsor Hotel, the McGill String Quartet again attracted a capacity audience. The soloist on this occasion was Robert McBride, young American composer and clarinetist, who fulfilled all expectations of his artistic capabilities. In his own composition, the Wise Apple Five, one was quite surprised at his subtle treatment of the quintet. To be frank, it was unusual, but not like most modern compositions, the effect was very sonorous to the ear. It opened as a clarinet solo with the strings of the quartet plucking a delightful accompaniment. One noted Negro rhythms and the audience enjoyed this work immensely. Mr. McBride being recalled many times.

The collaboration of clarinet and strings is a very soothing musical combination and in the delightful Quintet in A major by Mozart, Mr. McBride's good technique was shown to advantage. This work is typically Mozartian and the music of the period was romantically interpreted by the McGill Quartet and the guest artist. The Larghetto was especially good and the phrasing was exquisite. The tone of the clarinet was rich and outstanding but the strings deserve full credit for their fine work.

The concert began with a vigorous performance of the Schumann Quartet in F major and was followed by the Prelude and Fugue by Glazunov. This number made a pleasant interlude between the classical Schumann opus and the modernistic "Wise Apple Five" by the guest artist.

THRILLING DRAMA



Hans Yara, Joseph Cotten, Merle Oberon, and Alan Marshall in a scene from the brilliantly screened film "Lydia," which opens at the York United Theatre on Saturday playing until Tuesday night.

GALA MUSICAL COMEDY!



A scene from the film "Navy Blues" starring Jack Haley, Ann Sheridan, Jack Oakie and Martha Raye opening at the Monkland United Theatre on Sunday playing until Tuesday night.

"SUN VALLEY SERENADE"



John Payne, Milton Berle, and Sonja Henie are romancing to the irresistible rhythms of Glenn Miller and his orchestra in the film "Sun Valley Serenade" which opens at the Westmount United Theatre on Sunday playing until Tuesday night.

The next concert of the McGill players, Alexander Brott, Edward Sherrard, Stephen Kondaks and Jean Belland will be January 8th. The seldom-heard Schubert Octet will be the feature.

Wisconsin Teachers:
More Apples Coming?

"Teacher" is presumably receiving more apples from Johnny this year. Family kitchens will very likely be producing more than the usual number of apple dumplings, tarts, and apple pies. Wisconsin's apple crop is 167,000 bushels greater than in 1940, the State Department of Agriculture reports; and the entire crop is 10 per cent bigger than a year ago.

Snow apples, Jonathan's, Wine-saps, greenings, Northern Spies — or what are your favorite kinds? There'll be 125,500,000 bushels of them, all told, produced in commercial areas of the United States this season, authorities state.

In the Midwest, the crop is estimated at 19 per cent above average.

Russia has a plan for a fish pond, a garden and an orchard on every farm.

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—DECEMBER BIOGRAPHY—

It is not always possible to find a great living artist for this monthly celebrity series but December 19th is the birthday of that grand old man of the keyboard, Moriz Rosenthal. Today at the age of seventy-nine, he is still in prime condition, having just given an all-Chopin program in Town Hall, New York, last month. The audience rose to its feet numerous times and cheered him and many encores were added to the printed program.

The standing of this pianist has never wavered during his long life of artistic achievement. The Matinee Musical Club (since disbanded) brought this virtuoso to Montreal some years ago and we will never forget his dazzling

performance of the Second Hungarian Rhapsody by Liszt with whom Rosenthal studied for ten years. That he is one of the most phenomenal pupils of that wizard of the keyboard has been said many times and his great powers as a virtuoso have won him acclaim throughout the world.

Moriz Rosenthal was born in 1862 in Lemberg and was fortunate in studying with only great teachers. His father was a professor in the Academy of that city and his first music instructor was Galath, then the master Karl Mikuli, a disciple of Chopin, under whose tuition he made his public debut at the age of ten. When twelve years old he studied in Vienna with Raphael Joseffy (who later became the leading teacher of America) and began touring in concert when only

fourteen. Then Rosenthal won an appointment as pianist to the King of Roumania and subsequently studied with the great Franz Liszt for ten years. After many successful European tours he came to America in 1888 and his playing took audiences by storm. His command of the keyboard being colossal, Rosenthal's triumphs were unsurpassed. In 1912, he was honoured to be "Imperial Virtuoso" to the Austrian Emperor. He has composed several works for the piano, the best known being, "Variations on an Original Theme" and has also written "Technical Studies For the Highest Degree of Development." Moriz Rosenthal as we remember him is a short stumpy man with a very impressive head, his features are noble and he holds himself well.

Concert Of Evans Sisters
Will Be Staged Tomorrow

The Evans Sisters' Troop Show is asking the public to support their war effort by attending the first public performance of their "Show for the Troops" at Victoria Hall, to-morrow night, at 8.15 p.m. The proceeds from this performance will help to buy equipment with which to continue entertaining the men in the services.

Under the approval of the Department of National War Services at Ottawa, the Evans Sisters, who have been assisting the War Auxiliary Services in putting on entertainment programmes in the various military camps, will present their show for the first time to the public in order to raise funds to help defray expenses of the troop.

The Evans Sisters' Troop Show is now on tour, and during the last eight months have appeared at the various military camps on an average of once a week. This self-supporting organization is a group of voluntary artists who give time, talent, and money to bring entertainment to the boys who are fighting this war for us, and the Evans Sisters, and the members of the cast, have paid all expenses of equipment—public address system, lighting effect, and stage drops, etc. Now much of this equipment requires renewal, and the proceeds of this show will be used for this purpose.

The success of this show is already widely recognized, and the public is promised a grand show — laughs — dancing — singing — comedy, and large production

numbers such as "Farmyard Frolics," "The Gypsy Troubadours," "A Dream of Hawaii," "When Francis Dances with Me," "The Honk Song," and "The Grand Finale." The cast includes a number of well known Montreal performers: Marjorie and her acrobatic team, the Evans Sisters, vocalists on such radio programmes as "Musical Varieties," "For You Alone" and many others; Eleanor Hamel, who has sung on C.B.C. Rendezvous broadcasts with Agostini's orchestra; Maurice Lemieux, who sang with Gracie Fields last year; Walter Jackson, "The Flexible Funster" a show in himself; Bill Dunlop, Master of Ceremonies and Helena Thornbury, Marian Wheeler, Violet White, Therese Lemieux, Kay Wickham, Fred Hoffman, George Barry, Geraldine MacKinnon, Gabriel Robson, Monique and Andre Bernard, Brenda Bray, Mrs. G. A. Evans, Mrs. Lemieux, Eleanor Jackson, Shirley Jackson, Lottie Martin, Elizabeth Springer, Cay Mills, Nelson Newbergher, Fred Cooper.

The show will start at 8.15, and is a fast moving, smart, musical revue with sparkle—originality—and talent. A solid two hours of fine entertainment is promised. Come and see for yourself what the men in uniform are getting in the way of entertainment, and—at the same time—do your bit toward helping them to get more entertainment. Tickets are 50 cents, and there are a few reserved at 75 cents — Friday, December 12th—Victoria Hall.

SCOUTS PUSHING
SALVAGE DRIVEFunds From Collection Al-
lotted to Many Purposes

Boy Scouts across Canada continue to play a major part in the National Salvage Campaign, the resulting funds being turned over to the Red Cross and other special war purposes, including the Boy Scouts' own "Baden-Powell Chins-Up Fund" for border Scout war sufferers in Britain. Three truckloads of salvage collected by Watford, Ont., Scouts produced something over \$200 for the Red Cross. Twelve Edmonton Scout Troops, under their Scoutmasters, covered their respective residential districts in that city's aluminum drive. Victoria's aluminum campaign included house-to-house calls by 700 Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs.

Macleod, Alta., Scouts are working on their second carload of scrap metal, much of it old machinery, including tractors, brought in to the Scout Hall salvage dump. Receipts from the first carload produced \$60 for the Red Cross and \$25 for "Chins Up." The Scouts of

Hawkesbury, Ont., collected two and a half tons of wastepaper, over two tons of iron and steel, smaller quantities of other metals and nearly 100 tires. Sydney, N.S., Scouts were credited by the local press with saving the local aluminum drive by house-to-house calls. In numerous places Scouts have been acting as receivers of aluminum at Saturday morning moving picture "aluminum matinees," and at public schools.

Macleod, Alta., Boy Scouts made a house-to-house collection of books for N. 7 Service Flying School.

Secrecy Unviolated
In Libyan Assault

The zero hour for the new British Imperial drive into Axis-held Libya was reached with the same air-tight secrecy that prevailed when the then British African commander, Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell, sent his troops across the desert in December, 1940.

At that time Gen. Wavell foiled the spies swarming over Cairo by playing a pleasant game of golf on the eve of the attack.

Exactly how the secrecy of the new attack was reserved by his successor, Gen. Sir Claude Auchinleck, is still a secret.

Because of a shortage, old glass is being ground and made into new shapes in Java.

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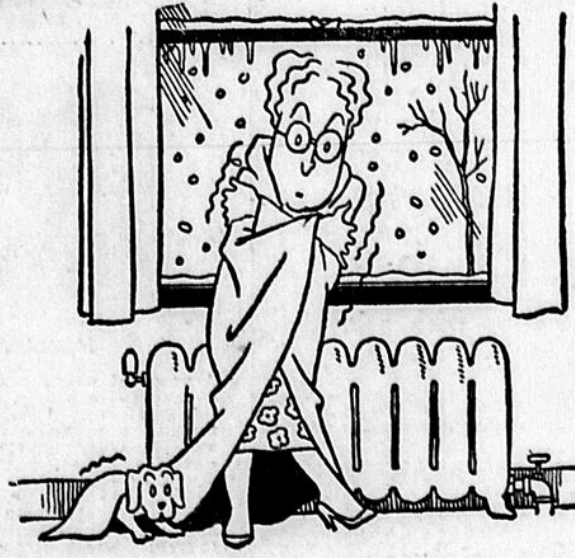
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Hockey Loop Is Ready To Start Activities

THIRD JUVENILE TEAM LED BY B. BULGER, D. BEATTIE ENTERS MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

With the definite entry of a third juvenile team, the Westmount Municipal Hockey League seems ready to start activities. The new juvenile club is headed by Bob Bulger and Dick Beattie and claim to have a strong aggregation lined up. There is also the possibility that League McDonald will enter a midget team in the league, with the midget and juvenile team playing under the same name.

A fourth juvenile entrant would be welcomed with open arms, but at any rate a well-balanced three team league is assured.

John McDonald has announced that the Sailors will play in the Pee Wee League. The Sailors had previously expressed their intentions of playing in the Bantam "B" series. McDonald figures his team is still a little light for the older series.

The first player to send his playing card in to Convenor Jimmie McCormick, is Mickey Darling of the Beavers. Although the Beavers are a midget entry, Darling is still young enough to play bantam. Johnnie Pearson is managing the Beavers this year and he will have most of last year's team back.

Nothing further can be done with regards to the formation of an intermediate until a military unit comes into the Westmount barracks. At the present time two teams have signified their intentions of playing in this group, the Airmen and a team from Westmount Park.

Microphones are being installed in buses in Blackburn, England, so conductors may call out streets during blackouts.

One-fourth of the English House of Commons has been changed by by-elections since the last General Election in 1935.

The Brazilian Government has requested the states of Brazil not to impose new taxes or increase existing ones without its consent.

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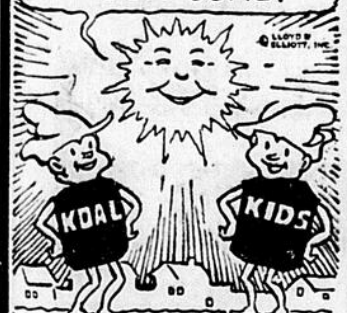
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Boy Scouts' Game Is Aid to Defence

There have been many stories of the usefulness of Boy Scout training for men in the military services, including actual training of Britain's Home Guard units in stalking and camouflage by older Boy Scouts. A new and unexpected application of Scout training has been the use of certain Scouting games for teaching physical poise, control and concentration. A picture in a recent Old Country weekly shows a group of Home Guards watching a Scout leader demonstrate a game known by Canadian Scouts as "Sleeping Pirate" and by Wolf Cubs as "Creep Mouse." In the game one boy, seated blindfolded, endeavours by listening to discover the approach of another who is attempting, without being heard, to get near enough to snatch an article lying on the ground in front of the blindfolded listener. Says the caption under the picture, "In war the object might be a sentry's rifle in the darkness."

GYM CLASSES AT LOCAL "Y" ARE POPULAR

The Prep class of the Westmount "Y" Branch is at present one of the most active groups at the "Y" gym classes every Saturday morning. It is proving very popular with the boys. Afterwards they have special swimming classes where the boys improve their swimming and diving. This group also has a swimming period on Wednesday afternoon from 4.00 to 4.30. For those who have not learned to swim, a special period has been set aside on Thursdays, from 5.30 to 6.00.

Attendance at the Business Men's Gym classes has been very good. The physical condition of the most regular members is steadily improving. A combination of handball, volleyball, calisthenics and swimming can be very beneficial if taken regularly and in the right amount. The record attendance this year at one session has been 14 members. It is hoped that this number will rise to 20 before the end of the year.

The badminton club is having a very active season. Attendance figures for November show that the club has an enrollment of 65 members with a monthly participation at the different sessions of 353.

FAIR EXCHANGE

One of the Princeton neighbors of Albert Einstein has an eight-year old daughter who visited the famed mathematician every afternoon. After many weeks of these daily visits, the girl's mother finally went to see Dr. Einstein and apologized to him for her daughter's constant interruptions.

"Oh, not at all," Einstein assured her. "I enjoy her visits and we get along well."

"But what can you and a little eight-year-old girl have in common?"

"A great deal," Einstein explained. "I love the jelly beans she brings me—and she loves the way I do her arithmetic lessons."

—New York Post.

Johnny Mowers
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Phil Berube

SWITCHES WITH THE SERGEANT



Little Johnny Adams, rabid Detroit Tiger rooster, wanted to be a ball player until he spied Sergeant Hank Greenberg riding in a jeep from the famous slugger's anti-aircraft outfit at Camp Custer, Mich. Now Johnny wants to be a soldier, and his hero allows the youngster to try on his helmet.

Y's What

Are Most People Well?

Many people are not really well all the time. It has been estimated that perhaps 10 per cent are well, in the sense that their bodies are free from defects that alter function, and that they can carry on their affairs regularly, effectively and comfortably, without let up or hindrance because of aches, pains and ailments. The vast majority, perhaps 80 per cent are from time to time, or even all the time, slightly or seriously, out of order in respect to health (e.g. subject to repeated colds, indigestion, headaches, etc.; or lacking in the feelings and the appearance of genuine health).

The remainder, 10 per cent may be classed as frankly ill, either out of the running or badly in need of the curative ministrations of medical science.

It is largely for those 80 per cent who may be said to have subnormal health that a program of health and physical education is of value. Of course they sometimes need medical treatment also; but in most cases what they most need is to re-organize their living habits. The 10 per cent at the top, however, even though they are in good health at the present, need to have an intelligent understanding of the conditions that will keep them so.

Story of Camps On Campus Starts

A campaign to set down on canvas the story of the nation's training camps has begun at Los Angeles.

The enterprise is twofold: to provide materials and additional instruction to former artists and cartoonists now in the armed services, and to prepare exhibits for the camps.

Ralph Holmes, chairman of the artists' committee which worked out the plan, said Southern California artists had provided \$50,000 of oils for traveling displays. The Army assumes responsibility as to fire, theft, and other risks.

"There are 500 or 600 former artists, cartoonists and art students in California camps alone," said Mr. Holmes. "We hope to set down for posterity the story of the camps. Incidentally, the work should improve the morale of artists in the camps."

Living Costs Up 8.1 P.C. Since March

The cost of living for wage earners and low salaried persons in large cities of the United States increased 1.2 per cent from mid-September to mid-October, the Labor Department reports. This makes the total rise of 8.1 per cent since March.

The index of the cost of goods purchased by this group was shown to be 109.4 on Oct. 15 compared with an average of 100 for 1935-39.

Pinball Game Test On In N.Y.

A drive to outlaw pinball games in the State is on in New York today, with its first results the conviction in Special Sessions Court of a man and woman defendant in a test case. Trial of 17 other defendants has been deferred until March 16, while the test case is being taken to the Appellate Division.

Conviction of the first defendants, secretary and manager of a vending machine corporation, came on Nov. 18 after argument by Assistant District Attorney Albert W. Short, who contended that pinball games are gambling devices and should be placed in the same category as the banned slot machine. Mr. Short had 14 pinball machines set up in court to prove his point.

"If this conviction is upheld by the Appellate Division," he said, "it means the end of large-scale pinball machine operations in this State."

JOE RICHMAN CAPTAIN OF CAGE SQUAD

Joe Richman, well-known locally, has been elected captain of the Oilers team in the Montreal Basketball League, Big Five group, the speedy forward getting a unanimous vote for the position.

Richman has been one of the leading players in the local senior cage loop for some years while playing most of his basketball with Y.M.C.A. Last season he was the spearhead of the Westmount Y.M.C.A. outfit which was the finalist for the city title. Two seasons ago, Joe was named winner of the league's most valuable player award honor, the John E. L. Duquet Trophy.

With Richman named captain the Oilers have three footballers in executive positions. Joe played Big Four football this past season as did Johnny Ferraro, the Oilers' playing-coach, Lenny Hutton, who is the business manager of the cage squad is a former Big Four grid star. Two other Big Four players this season are on the team, Ted Edwards and Bob McAdam.

The Oilers will be idle this Saturday when the Big Five cage resume their schedule at the Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Gymnasium. In the opening game Saturday Mount Royal meets the Orphans with Pats facing Westmount Y.M.C.A. in the nightcap.

Westmount Y. have lined up a new player for its opening game, with John McDougall, former University of Ottawa guard, joining the west-enders. Coach Hugh Noble will select his team at tomorrow's workout.

SECOND MEETING IS HELD BY STAYNOR PARK LEAGUE; 3 TEAMS IN PEE WEE LOOP

The second hockey meeting of the season at Staynor Park was held on Monday evening under the supervision of Jimmie McCormick, recreation supervisor, and assisted by Jack Featherstone.

The Pee Wee League at Staynor Park will be comprised of three teams, the Royals, Bulldogs and Pats. The Royals will be managed by Richard Lord, the Bulldogs by Fred DeJean and the Pats by Dick Black. Each team will play two games a week throughout the season. At the present moment it looks like the games will be played on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

League secretary Jack Featherstone now has the players' registration cards in his possession and will distribute them to the team captains. Each team is allowed to sign up twelve men.

A midget team from Staynor Park, the Canadians, will be represented in the Westmount Municipal League (Q.A.H.A.). The team captain is Lennie Chambers.

In addition to these four teams, the Hawks, a juvenile club will also hail from the Staynor district. Mr. Kitchen runs the juvenile team which operated in the juvenile league last year.

Prison Labor Shares In Wage Bonuses

Defense property he reached the Federal prisons, which, like the world outside, are producing for the Nation's armed forces.

The Justice Department announced that Attorney General Biddle would present bonus checks for outstanding work to inmates of the Atlanta Penitentiary next Tuesday on his first visit to a federal prison since becoming a Cabinet member.

The checks will be based on 5 per cent of their earnings during the past year. Prison wages run from \$6 to as high as \$30 a month, with the average about \$15. The Department did not disclose the amount of the bonuses to be paid, however.

NO TOOTS FOR 'TOOCHIE'

CHICAGO—Poochie, a fox terrier owned by Mrs. Gene Nachtwey, can't have fun any more tooting the horn of the family automobile because Mrs. Nachtwey found a wooden salad bowl can be used for something besides salad. Poochie attracted the attention of more than 100 persons—including several exasperated policemen—when he sat in the locked car the other day and tooted the horn for 55 minutes by placing his paw on it. Mrs. Nachtwey fitted up a bowl, which when inverted and placed over the horn button with hooks, makes it impossible for Poochie to do anything but sulk in silence.

New Zealand shipped 5,000 pairs of blankets, 10,000 pairs of socks and 2,000 pullovers to to Greek soldiers.

BACK AGAIN

After the completion of "Stick to Your Guns," a Hopalong Cassidy production for Paramount in which Jacqueline Holt played the feminine lead, Miss Holt asked the studio's permission to retain her own name—Jennifer. Permission was granted.

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OUR SHORT STORY

Kidnapped

By DERRY PLEMING

In her hurry to get home, Elizabeth Hart walked past several of her oldest friends without even seeing them.

Margaret Hart looked up anxiously from her knitting as her sister slammed the door.

"Has anything happened?" she asked.

Elizabeth pursed her lips worriedly. Before she answered, she cleaned her glasses till they were spotless.

"They're beginning to talk about Sheralee already." She glanced at the stairs significantly. "Is she in, Margaret?"

Her sister nodded. "Yes, she came in just before you did, and went upstairs. What are they saying in the village, Elizabeth?" Elizabeth pulled a chair close to her sister. She leaned forward and whispered.

"Mrs. Watt said she saw Sheralee go into Denton Forrest's garden last night just after eleven o'clock."

"Denton Forrest's garden?" repeated Margaret, her hand darting to her mouth. Denton Forrest was the most eligible, and, so it was reputed, the most dangerous man in the county.

"Helen will never forgive me," said Elizabeth, worriedly. "If anything happens to Sheralee while she's here, if only she weren't so young, so lovely, and so venturesome."

"Everyone in the village knows she's worth money," added Margaret.

"She shouldn't go out at night."

"But we can't lock her in," Margaret pointed out.

"No," agreed Elizabeth. "We can't lock her in. She'd keep us awake all night if we did. There's only one thing to do, Margaret. We'll have to take turns staying up for a few nights."

Elizabeth went out to the kitchen, and began setting Sheralee's dinner in a tray. "We shouldn't spoil her like this," she said with a little laugh, "but we've had nothing to make us so silly for years."

Margaret smiled. Elizabeth loved doing things for Sheralee, just as though she were her own. When Elizabeth came downstairs again, her eyes were soft. "She is beautiful, isn't she, Margaret? I think her eyes are the loveliest I've ever seen. Just like honey, with the sun shining through them."

Margaret, taking the first watch that night, woke up in her armchair with a start of terror. Someone was hammering at the front door.

"Who's there?" she called out, fumbling with the lock.

"It's me, Miss Hart — Mrs. Watt. Open the door quick? It's about Sheralee..."

Mrs. Watt came in breathlessly. Margaret looked at her anxiously. "What is it, Mrs. Watt? What's happened?"

Mrs. Watt took a deep breath. "I was sitting by my window waiting for Ann to come home and thinking how she would soon be married..."

Margaret, exasperated, gripped her arm. "Never mind about Ann. Have you seen Sheralee?" "Yes, I saw her come down the street and go straight into Mr. Forrest's garden. Then a few minutes later, I saw Mr. Forrest himself come out, and he was carrying Sheralee in his arms and she was fightin' him like mad..."

Elizabeth came hurrying downstairs.

"Where did they go?" she cried excitedly.

"They got into his car and went off towards the station. I knew how worried you'd be if anything happened to her, so I thought I'd come over and tell you. There's a train at midnight," she added, watching the two sisters run wildly upstairs for their coats.

"Perhaps he's going to kidnap her, and hold her for ransom!" exclaimed Margaret, struggling into her coat.

"If he dares..." threatened Elizabeth, brandishing her

umbrella menacingly. "Hurry, Margaret! We'll catch him at the station!"

Holding their skirts, they ran down the quiet street towards the station. Margaret was soon panting, and dropped behind. Tears came to her eyes, helpless, indignant tears. Elizabeth in front of her, was running like a boy, gripping her umbrella like a club. Please Heaven, prayed Margaret, let us get there in time to save Sheralee! Her heart turned as she thought of Sheralee fighting in Forrest's arms. It would break Helen's heart if anything happened to her. A train whistle wailed in the distance. The midnight train! Thank Heaven, they were almost there!

When Elizabeth saw Forrest's car outside the station, her eyes blazed, and she gripped the umbrella firmly. The headlight from the approaching train blazed on Forrest's face. He was holding Sheralee tightly, as though afraid she would escape. Elizabeth cried out and ran towards him, her umbrella raised high. He turned round sharply. Before she could strike, he thrust a very frightened Sheralee into her arms.

"Here! Take your damn cat before someone steals her. She's too valuable to be walking and yawning in my garden every night. She came into the house and I was afraid she'd get lost, so I brought her with me to the station." He snorted disgustedly. "Fine thing to meet my fiancée with a cat in my arms that I daren't let go!" His scowl turned to an amused grin, as Elizabeth, with Sheralee wriggling in her arms, staggered weakly to a bench.

Canada At War

MINESWEEPERS

By C. Earl Rice

One of the vital contributions to our war effort is that of the shipbuilding industry. In this article I shall deal with just one type of ship being produced in Canada—the Minesweeper.

Minesweepers are trim speedy boats, extremely manoeuvrable, and capable of doing convoy duty as well as that of minesweeping. Their displacement is close to 1,000 tons. Depth charges are carried, and guns are mounted on their fore-decks. When travelling at moderate speed a minesweeper can be turned around in its own length, and at full speed ahead can be turned in the opposite direction in twice its length.

When the Canadian Government decided to build Minesweepers one contract was let to a construction company in an eastern Canadian port.

Lying adjacent to the property where this construction company had its offices, machine-shop, stores, etc., was an old shipyard where freighters were built during the last war. For many years the property had been used by a steel company for storage purposes. Today in this shipyard one can see five ships under construction at the same time. A year ago there wasn't a man employed in ship construction in this yard, but now there are 1,200 working 24 hours a day.

The superintendent in charge of construction is a man of wide industry. He supervised construction in the ship-building of freighters for the Government during the last war, and prior to that served on the River Clyde in Scotland, and in India. He is, in fact, the only member of the organization who has had any experience in the direction and supervision of ship-building.

Long Planning Before the construction can be started a full size plan of the ship must be made from the blueprints and laid out on the floor of the "loft". Moulds are made

WEST END MEN HEAD ALLAN'S BEVERAGES, LTD.



W. H. THOMPSON

Two N.D.G. residents figure largely in recent changes in the directorate of Allan's Beverages Ltd. with head offices on Western Avenue.

W. M. Carment, of Grey Avenue becomes president and W. H. Thompson, of Wilson Avenue, merchandising manager, is named to the Board of Directors.

Also appointed to the board is Alex Glencross of Pointe Claire, secretary-treasurer of the company and one of the oldest members of the staff in point of service. Mr. Glencross joined the original company in 1912.

Mr. Carment who was managing director of Allan's Beverages before becoming president, joined the company as managing director in 1932. He has lived in N.D.G. for 16 years. He was manager of the Dominion Rubber Company before moving to Allan's.

Mr. Thompson also joined the service of the company in 1932 and is a former member of the Dominion Rubber Company mechanical department.

Allan's Beverages Limited was founded in 1880 by the late Robert Allan, a prominent citizen of Montreal. Since that time the firm has made steady progress in the manufacture of non-alcoholic drinks. In 1936 a modern bottling



W. M. CARMENT

works was constructed, with 30,000 square feet of manufacturing space. The total property owned approximates 71,000 feet, leaving ample room for expansion.

In front of the building is a beautifully laid out pleasure ground and when present plans



ALEX GLENCROSS

are completed the whole property will present a most attractive appearance.

Allan's beverages are sold in the leading clubs, hotels grocers and drug and tobacco stores. The number of retail outlets has increased during recent years.

BOYS BRIGADE TO HOLD MEET ON SATURDAY

Event Postponed Last Week—Enroll Two New Members in Westmount Company

Due to a last minute change in arrangements, the swimming meet scheduled to be held last week by the First Westmount Company of the Boys Brigade, was postponed and will be held this Saturday at 4.00 p.m.

In the try-outs, the following boys topped the list, although the whole company was not by any means represented: Pte. Robert Krutz took 4 first; Pte. Bud Dugan, 3 seconds and 1 third and Pte. Don Duncan, 1 second and three thirds. All three boys are members of the first squad. The

winner of the medal will be awarded at the father and son banquet, Jan. 2.

Privates Jordan Durocher and Graeme Heslton were officially enrolled and awarded their lanyards last Friday.

The Company recently welcomed a group of boys from the newly formed Company at Tynedale house, who will be trained for the next few weeks in the First Company, that they may be able to assist their Company in getting off to a good start. They were under the leadership of W. J. Dyer, who will be their captain. Captain Richardson is arranging for some of the First Company's leadership to lend a hand until they get firmly established.

Physical training will be commenced this week as a part of the company's curriculum, thus enabling the boys to qualify for that badge. Wayfaring will also commence this week, under the leadership of Lieut. Alex Upham, while Lieut. James Patterson will take the Physical training work.

Membership badges were awarded to the following boys, having completed the necessary requirements: Ptes. Robert Krutz, Gordon Patterson, Edwin

BECOME BOY SCOUTS

An appeal for discarded Boy Scout uniforms for newly organized troops of Australian Aboriginal, or native boys, is made in a recent issue of The Victorian Scout. Mention is made of two such units sponsored by the Australian Society for the Uplift of Natives. It is believed the Scout training will provide a ladder for raising the character and abilities of the Aboriginals, long regarded as the world's most primitive human type. The experience with the Scout training so far is regarded as encouraging.

Hughes, Robert Eastwood, George McFarlane, Geoffrey Camp and Donald Duncan.

The life boys are progressing most rapidly under the leadership of Staff-Sgt. Robert Morrow, and are now preparing for their mid-winter party. The numbers are ever increasing and several new team leaders will be appointed during the Christmas holidays.

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