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Labour Board Rules Textile Union Must Establish Its Right to Represent Workers

Régional War Labour Board Rejects Appeal Due To Terms of Quebec Labour Relations Act

A ruling of the Regional War Labour Board that "Locals 100 and 102 of the United Textile Workers of America must establish their right to represent employees of the Montreal Cottons, Limited and Dominion Textile Co., Limited," was supported by the National War Labor Board during the last hearing of the case at Ottawa, according to an announcement Thursday night by the Dominion Textile Company.

The company's statement declared that it was informed by the board of its decision to reject the appeal from the regional board's decision "due to terms of the Quebec Labor Relations Act which came into force this year."

Under the terms of this act, the statement read, "the regional board had refused to hear the application of the U.T.W.A. until it was certified that the union was really representative of the employees." At the time of the regional board's refusal to hear the application, it stated that the union should first obtain a certificate of representation from the Quebec Labor Relations Board.

New Quebec labor legislation requires that a union must prove it has 60 per cent. of the employees organized and a company is then compelled to negotiate with such a group of employees collectively or through their union representatives.

Appealing this ruling before the N.W.L.B., the union according to the company announcement "has now been told that the regional board's decision was fully justified."

The company, in explanation of its position in the matter, stated that it has always favored recognition of organized labor and that it was willing and ready to extend such recognition to any union which could

prove it represented the majority of its employees.

"The company owes it to the employees that care be taken to bargain only with a union which truly represents the majority of the employees," the announcement from the company declared. It concluded "The U.T.W.A. organizers, though claiming to have a mandate from our employees, have consistently refused to produce satisfactory evidence that this is the case."

The company's position was explained to the National War Labor Board by its legal counsel Frederick Collins, K.C.

Following publication Friday of a decision by the National War Labor Board, which supported a ruling of the Quebec regional board, that Locals 100 and 102 of the United Textile Workers of America must establish their right to represent the employees of the Montreal Cottons Limited and Dominion Textile Co. Limited, Kent Rowley, Canadian representative of that union, declared that the union, in its proceedings to prove its right, had followed the law but "due to the passage of new legislation in Quebec whilst our case was in the long drawn out process of being studied by the Government at Ottawa, we are thrown out and asked to start anew."

He said "our union and our workers are being made to suffer for the incredible confusion that exists in Ottawa and Quebec over the administration of labor law." In a prepared statement, Mr. Rowley pointed out that his union "is now preparing to make application under the new Quebec Labor Relations Act for certification as bargaining agent for the employees of the said companies."

Mr. Brown, when interviewed recently by a Gleaner reporter.

Mr. Brown is highly enthusiastic about the load performance of this recent addition to his trucking fleet as he feels it will directly benefit the milk producers from Huntingdon and district, by stepping up the volume of milk shipments each day from the Huntingdon milk receiving plant.

The truck tank is made of steel and is all glass lined.

raw milk handled in this plant each day. The evaporated product is that which is shipped daily in the specially constructed milk truck shown above.

With the increased facilities available, a greater service will be rendered the milk shippers of this plant and a speeding up of deliveries will be obtained for the plant at Montreal.

NAVY SENIOR SERVICE
Bury St. Edmunds, Eng.—(CP)—Because sea cadets were assigned fifth place in a parade of local youth organizations, their commanding officer refused to let them participate.

"The Royal Navy is the senior service and is therefore entitled to head any parade," said Capt. A. S. Hardy, who said he was carrying out Admiralty instructions in withdrawing the cadets.

DIES IN PRISON CAMP
CPL. ROSARIO DUMONT, son of Mr. Rosario Dumont, Valleyfield died in Germany recently. Reported missing after Dieppe raid, Cpl. Dumont was made prisoner by the Germans. After being in a concentration camp for twenty-one months, Cpl. Dumont according to official reports, died of tuberculosis.

Celebrate 25th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. St-Amand were pleasantly surprised on Tuesday evening when about thirty friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Miss Mildred Scott in celebration of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

After a few brief remarks on the hospitality Mr. and Mrs. St-Amand had shown to all during their five years residence in Huntingdon, the Rev. W. S. Hatcher presented the couple with a lovely tea-wagon, the gift of all present. Mr. St-Amand, better known as "Ed," thanked the group in a few well chosen words. All joining in singing, "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows."

Following the presentation, refreshments consisting of dainty sandwiches, molded salads, and coffee or tea were served at two tables. The dining-room was appropriately decorated with peonies and other Spring flowers, and with pink and white streamers and bells. Place cards were in the form of prettily decorated candy-filled nut cups. Silver candlesticks with pink and white candles were used on the ends of the tables. The centerpiece of the larger table was the traditional wedding cake, three tiers, beautifully decorated with silver bells, leaves and horse-shoes.

The National Anthem was sung followed by toasts to the King and the bride, which were given by Rev. Hatcher. The toast to the groom took the form of a humorous poem and was proposed by Mr. William Duncan. Mr. St-Amand replied with the familiar printing term that the "lay-out" was grand and had certainly been well planned.

While the tables were being cleared Mr. Nicol Stark played a number of the lively old favorites on his violin. The remainder of the evening was spent in playing games.

aircraft back to England without the services of a navigator, bomb aimer or wireless operator. They had bailed out over France. The three members of the crew who had remained in the plane, made a valiant effort to save the life of the pilot. Previous to landing safely themselves, they dragged him from the front of the aircraft to the rear escape hatch. The pilot was unconscious, but the crew made arrangements for his 'chute to open and gently eased him out of the bomber. The 'chute opened, but the pilot was found

Address on V.D. Problem

Tremendous Cost in Man Power and Time Wastage

Appalling cost and loss in man power through venereal diseases in the Canadian armed forces was called to attention of a Rotary Club gathering when F/Lieut. R. M. Anderson of Ottawa, was special speaker. He called upon the Rotary Club and other organizations to play a prominent part in the present campaign.

F/L. Anderson, a medical officer, declared great strides had been made but that waste of time and man-power was still unbelievably high. He pointed out that in the Great War one in every six Canadian soldiers was infected while in the R.C.A.F. now the ratio was 1 in 76 but even so the number of men out of action through "V. D. wounds" was far too high.

He blasted popular misconceptions that gonorrhea and syphilis were not widely separated diseases and that either could be contracted from casual contact. "If this were the case everyone in the room would be infected for one cannot touch any article in a public place which has not been handled within the past two or three hours by a person infected with V. D.," he declared.

The problem was beyond the scope of medicine for young men and women entering the armed forces were not infected at the time of their admission, he declared. Therefore infection must spring from civilian centres and there was no city, town or hamlet untouched by these dread diseases.

The Armed Forces sought to teach boys and girls by lectures, pictures, motion pictures, posters and pamphlets and particular attention was paid to the moral angle stressing the fact that adherence to Christian rules of behaviour was the surest protection. Prevention was taught and every effort made to reach sources of infection, excellent results being achieved in this direction. Then, too, modern drugs were available and amazing strides had been made in curing the diseases. F/L. Anderson said now that cures had been effected in 10 hours for gonorrhea and apparently in eight days in syphilis cases.

He declared civilians could do a great deal to eradicate the terrible V.D. scourge by proper education of boys and girls in a plain, Christian code of living, and in providing proper recreational outlets for young people.

Seriousness of the V.D. problem was emphasized by the speaker in conclusion when he declared that cost of treatment in the armed forces during the past three years was eight and one half millions of dollars. Waste time through V.D. would have kept a fighter squadron in England in the air for a solid year and in the Navy would have kept thirty corvettes at sea for an eight months period.

Ottawa—(CP)—The need for tarantulas for the girls in the C.W.A.C. Pipe Band was discussed in the Commons with Defence Minister Ralston conceding that all steps should be taken to have the band outfitted in appropriate garb.

The matter was brought up by a Vancouver, P.I.T.-Lt. James Sinclair who paid tribute to the way the girls skirted on the Commons lawns on Saturday and said he would like to see them in Scottish kilts and tartans.

"It would please a lot of Canadians of Scottish origin if this was done," he added.

Heroic Attempt Made to Save Bomber Pilot's Life Fails

Sqd.-Ldr. W. B. Anderson Loses Life When Caught by Flak While on Bombing Mission

Here is a story of a bomber pilot, who lost his life in the line of duty, and who is well known to the people of Howick and district. The pilot was Squadron Leader William Brodie Anderson, of Winnipeg, Man., who has spent many a summer at the home of the Ness family, at Burnside Farm, Howick, Que., and several of his furloughs. He received his training at Victoriaville and Windsor Mills, and received his wings at St. Hubert. In November, 1941. He was an instructor at Upplands from that time until his departure overseas, in April, 1943.

The story is that the bomber was on its way to attack a railway junction at Acheres, near Paris, when the pilot was wounded by flak over Dieppe. The flight engineer, with little experience in handling a plane, took over the controls and flew the

dead by a search party two hours later.

Sqd.-Ldr. W. B. Anderson was able to tell his comrades over the inter-communication system that he was wounded and told them to bail out. The flight engineer, who had only ten minutes' experience in an Oxford plane, managed to move the pilot to one side and grabbed the controls. The pilot after a shot of morphine was able to tell him what course he should fly and the two other men jettisoned the bombs, before reaching the English coast. Through a break in the clouds he saw the lights of an airfield and contacted the control tower, telling the officer in charge what had happened. It took them almost an hour to get the pilot to the back of the aircraft as he weighed nearly 200 lbs. and was only partly conscious. The P.I. Ensign, named the plane the gamest he ever met. While they were dragging him to the rear of the plane he kept patting their parachutes and telling them to bail out and leave him there.

Sqd. Ldr. W. B. Anderson was buried in Brookwood Cemetery, Woking, Surrey, England.

Boy Slightly Injured in Car-Bicycle Collision

An accident occurred on Chateaugay Street, on Saturday evening at about 7:15, between a car and a bicycle. The car driven by Charles Lepage, was going east on Chateaugay Street near Pringle Park and Co. store, when Colin Arnold who was riding a bicycle, came out of the lane nearby and the car knocked him down.

Before the car could be stopped, the bicycle was a wreck and young Arnold received scalp abrasions and cuts around the ear. He was taken to the County Hospital, where Dr. McCrimmon attended to his injuries, after which he was allowed to go to his home. The young lad's injuries are not considered serious and it is expected he will recover very quickly from his experience.

LABOR ENCOURAGED
LONDON—(CP)—The British Government has taken steps to encourage labor organizations in the colonies in order to protect workers' interests. Since the war a large number of labor advisory committees have been formed in the colonies.

Front Page Editorial --

Keep Your Eye on the Milk Bottle

The discussion on the milk question has brought forth arguments on many points to do with it, among them, probably the most important, is the container or milk bottle. The container could be blamed for much of the bacterial content of the milk, if this is not properly cleaned and sterilized when the milk is bottled. During the last winter it was noticed that some bottles after the milk was emptied out, would cloud up and a white streakiness adhere to the glass. It seemed impossible to remove this substance whatever it was, despite the washings the bottle was given. It was found, however, that if the bottle was washed first in cold water, immediately after the milk was emptied out of it, and then with warm water, much of the murkiness would disappear. There are some people who do not wash the bottles at all, just putting them out for the milkman as they have taken the milk from them.

While it is the duty of the dairyman to see that his bottles are made clean and properly sterilized, it is a great help if his customers will take care of the bottles and see that they are used in such a manner as to be fit for use for such an important product as milk. It is unfortunate that a number of consumers seem to think that a milk bottle can be used for anything under the sun, they don't seem to realize that it is a container on loan and has to be used again to bring milk to the consumer. It is just as important for the customer to be careful with the milk bottle as it is for the dairyman to be so.

Just the same, it has been reported that milk tickets have been found in a bottle of milk and the coloring from the tickets has discolored the milk. It has also been reported that coins have been found in the milk. When such things are found, it would seem that the bottles have not been through a cleansing process before the milk was poured in, or the tickets, etc., would not be there in the milk. Such oversight would easily account for bacteria in the milk and shows that greater care is needed in keeping the utensils clean. It is quite evident that an inspector is needed to watch for these infringements of regulations and one should be appointed as quickly as possible.

It is as well for housewives to take a clean cloth and wipe off the milk bottle before pouring the milk into a jug or similar container for household use. The bottle has been handled several times before it reaches the customer and it is possible that bacteria is deposited on the bottle that is washed off when the milk is poured out. All such precautions help in cutting down the danger of contaminating the contents. It is just as well to keep the milk in a cool place or on ice, when it is not being used. Flies should be kept from settling on the milk bottle or where it is kept. If you are not sure of the milk, then boil it before you use it; it will keep better after it is boiled. Particular care should be taken if raw milk is being fed to young infants, as there is a danger in the summer months of what is known as "Summer Complaint". Flies are usually blamed for the spread of this disease, and it can have bad results for those affected.

There may perhaps come a time when some sort of non-returnable container will be devised for milk, in which case it may be possible to overcome to a large extent contamination risks run in using the same container over again. Until that time comes it is necessary that all possible precautions be taken with the present milk bottle. The milk bottle is an improvement over the old method, when the milkman dipped into a can and poured the milk into a household container at the door of the home. There was a greater chance of contamination because of the dust and other hazards that lurked on the streets.

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Huntingdon, Wed., June 21st, 1944

Why Not Start the Campaign For A Memorial Hall?

ONE hears much these days of a reconstruction period for after the war, and planning for that period beforehand. One idea that could well be made a project for the reconstruction period, is that of a Memorial Hall for Huntingdon.

The suggestion for a Memorial Hall was made in these columns of The Gleaner, on February 16th, of this year. Also in the same issue, in the Legion Column, a note was made to the same effect. In the issue of April 26th, a further editorial was published in these columns in which it was stated the Canadian Legion had started off the fund by buying a Victory Bond for \$200, to be set aside for the Memorial Hall. The local branch of the Legion has had this idea in mind for some considerable time.

It will be high impossible for the members of the Legion to put aside enough money to build a Memorial Hall, so they must look to other well meaning citizens of the town and county for assistance. They have started the ball rolling by setting aside the amount mentioned, but apparently nothing further has been done about it. Some people may think that it is too soon to start thinking about such a project, but we can assure them it is not.

In the Town of Leamington, Ont., this same idea has been pushed since we first mentioned it in The Gleaner, and we have been watching the progress they have made. In the issue of "The Leamington Post and News" for June 1st, we notice that the Council of that town has decided to support the idea. A by-law is published in the same issue calling for a vote of the ratepayers to sanction the granting of \$20,000 toward the cost of the erection of a Memorial Hall. In the same issue it is stated that a nearby Mersea Township Council has voted \$10,000 toward the same project. A few weeks previously, the Leamington Post and News quoted in full the editorial from The Gleaner of April 26th, in support of their own question of erecting a Memorial Hall. It was further stated in an earlier issue of the newspaper mentioned, that boys from the Leamington districts overseas, had been contacted and they were in favor of the idea, letters were published to this effect.

In all of the above work the Canadian Legion branch at Leamington played an important part. But the citizens have and are also playing their part. The approximate cost of the Memorial Hall proposed for Leamington is around \$50,000. It is expected that the Canadian Legion will endeavor to raise the other \$20,000 required through public subscription, donations and various events staged for making money. It is not expected that the hall will be built right away, but there is every indication that the project is assured and that a fund amounting to \$30,000 has been established.

We are not suggesting that Huntingdon proposes to have a Memorial Hall costing \$50,000, (although there is no reason why it shouldn't) but we do suggest that a start should be made right now, to get some idea of the cost of a hall to suit the requirements and a suitable site lined up. When this has been done a meeting should be called and plans and all details presented to it. The various municipal councils should be contacted to find out what they would be willing to do in the matter. The Huntingdon Town Council should be willing to grant taxes free on such a building and perhaps supply a suitable site. The structure ought to be one that will be imposing and well built to create the proper dignity that would belong to it. Some of the municipal councils have been buying Victory Bonds and thus creating a reserve fund, perhaps they would like to turn these bonds over to a fund for the purpose of erecting a Memorial Hall, in the same manner as is mentioned above.

In this hall a complete honour roll of all those who have made the supreme sacrifice from the County of Huntingdon, during this war, would be placed, where it would be a constant reminder of all who entered it. No finer recognition could be given to the heroes and their relatives than this.

A Memorial Hall would serve a very useful purpose for the people of the County and the Town, and is very much needed, as there is no place large enough to hold meetings and such like here at present. The hall should be able to house a good library and reading room, facilities for indoor recreation of all kinds, such as a gymnasium, badminton court, basketball and so forth; possibly a bowling alley should be included. With such facilities available, and proper supervision, the social life of the people of the town would be well looked after. A better community spirit could thus be built up and the young people would be provided with clean, wholesome entertainment which would improve their physical set-up. The Hall could be a centre for meetings, concerts, dances and other community events and fill a need that is greatly needed in this fast growing town. Not forgetting the fact, a Memorial Hall would provide a memorial that would be a lasting tribute to those who fall in the line of duty, for all time, and a place where services to their memory could be held throughout the years.

Let the facts and figures be gathered now and then presented to a meeting of the cit-

izens to gain the general feeling of such a project. Let those people who are interested in the idea write letters to the Editor of this newspaper and give their opinions on the subject. Above all, let us all think the matter over thoroughly and look at it from all angles and decide on the merits of such an idea. It is only by expressions of opinion that a general view can be gained. Huntingdon will have a memorial, of that there surely can be no doubt, then why not let it take the form of a Memorial Hall? The Editor of The Gleaner will welcome letters from all interested, giving their opinions for publication and trusts that sufficient interest will be aroused to send in letters on the matter, so that immediate steps can be taken to establish a fund for the purpose. It is a project that all persons in the county should be interested in, and willing to see get underway. It should be discussed at the various council meetings with a view to ascertaining what each would be willing to do toward the project. Don't wait, get the ball rolling now so that a Memorial Hall will be a fact immediately after the war.

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Improperly Signed Letters

FROM time to time letters are sent to the Editor of a newspaper, containing news items and other matters and are not signed by the proper name of the sender and do not contain the address of the sender. In the past few weeks several such letters have been received at The Gleaner Office, two recently, one signed by "A Friend" and another by "A Newcomer". If persons wish such letters to obtain recognition, they must be accompanied by the proper name and full postal address of the sender and telephone number if there is one. News items are sent in and the name and address of the sender are omitted. In such cases these items are looked upon with distrust and not published. We therefore ask that all persons sending letters to the editor for publication or otherwise, and all persons sending in news items for publication, please see that their name, and address, and phone number is included. Sometimes it is necessary to check on matters and if this cannot be done, the items are of no value.

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C.C.F. Wins in Saskatchewan

FOR the first time since the C.C.F. Party was organized, it has been elected to form a government. This has been brought about by the election held in the Province of Saskatchewan, on Thursday, June 15th, which resulted in a landslide victory for the C.C.F. Party. Even in Gravelbourg, a centre of Saskatchewan's French-Canadian population, the Liberal member barely scraped through with enough votes to retain his seat. It is possible even now, that he may lose it when the soldier votes are counted. Forty-three of the fifty-one seats in Saskatchewan fell to the C.C.F., so there will be no question of a governmental majority in the Legislature.

It is now being mentioned that this victory will denote the trend which other pending elections will take. This is quite speculative at the moment, as the situation in Saskatchewan is really different to that of the Dominion, or this Province. To one who knows the political outlook in Saskatchewan over the past few years, the defeat of the Liberal Government would occasion no surprise. There has been deep resentment toward the Liberal Government in that Province for many years, originating during the years of drought and from dissatisfaction arising from administration of relief matters, taxation and so forth. This unrest arose principally among the farming population, on account of the accumulation of debts and mortgage payments, and the distribution of relief to those in distress. It was at this time that the C.C.F. Party and the Social Credit Party came into the picture with plans considered to be a cure-all for the distress that was rampant in the province. Probably the only thing which saved the Liberals in the last election, was a fear that was broadcast that relief would be cut off if any other party was elected to power.

With conditions somewhat improved in Saskatchewan, the farmers are more confident and no doubt felt that they could afford to take the risk of electing another party to power, much the same as Alberta did in electing the Social Credit Party.

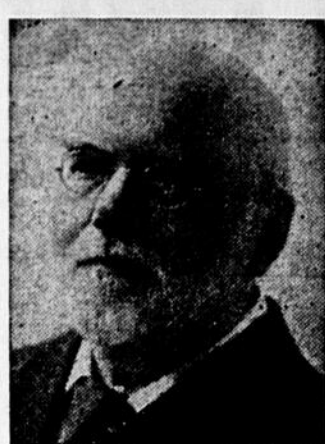
Saskatchewan will be the testing ground of the C.C.F. Party, as Alberta was for the Social Credit. Whether the people of Saskatchewan will benefit by the change or whether they will bemoan their fate, is something that only time can tell. Judging by the way the C.C.F. has been swept into power, the general opinion of the people for a change must be very strong. In the last two elections no government has had such a representation in the Saskatchewan Legislature as the C.C.F. has obtained in this election. This being the case, there will be practically no opposition to proposals and acts which the C.C.F. may wish to implement. With such a clear field they may accomplish their plan of action and win over the people solidly to their views of legislation. Extreme caution will no doubt be exercised.

There is little time apparently between the Saskatchewan election and the one that is imminent in this province, so it is quite likely the results in the former province will have little effect on the voting in this. It may have an effect on a Federal election if such is called in the near future, as it is possible that the plans for Saskatchewan by the C.C.F. will begin to take shape. A snap Federal election might have the effect of forestalling C.C.F. inroads into that field. The manpower question will no doubt loom largely in any Federal election, with the Plebiscite making a big issue outside of the Province of Quebec. The C.C.F. not being wholly in favour of the present war effort, and the fact that if they were elected having an adverse effect on the trend of the war, would be a point against electing this party to the Federal field at this time. Thus it is doubtful if the Saskatchewan election could be termed a barometer for other pending elections.

Chronology

CHATEAUGUAY,
BEAUHARNOIS
and HUNTINGDON
COUNTIES

From Manuscripts of
The Late ROBERT SELLAR



Speech of Squire Manning (Con'd)

I wish you to take more than ordinary notice of it, turn it over, ruminate upon it and view it on every side and be sure not to be mistaken—I mean that absurd and diabolical disposition that would be regardless of the ruin of a whole community in order to execute his insatiable thirst for vengeance on a single individual. I would take the liberty to ask, can that disposition actuated by my part of the diffusion of that blessed divine spirit which teaches good will to all men and to love your neighbour as yourself, that spirit which created the heavens and the earth, and man placed him as a sojourner in this world in the midst of his fellows on this terrestrial ball to answer great and noble purposes, the conclusion is obvious and clear as the oil of light in a meridian splendor is that no person above the common grade of an idiot can possibly be mistaken and it ought to sound like thunder in your ears that it cannot be—now if it was not for offering an insult to your understanding, I might ask you by what kind of spirit can this desperate disposition be directed by such a conclusion on this point to any person who possesses common sense is obvious and that all of you who possess common feelings of humanity that it is that restless, rankling, iniquitous, damned ranting, cavilling spirit of evil that is going about continually like a roaring lion seeking who it may devour. I feel somewhat sensible that the terms here expressed are rash and irritating to the tender organs of a decent man's ears but conscious that no decent man will ever presume to deny the truth and justice of the expressions. Under all these considerations and viewing the subject in all its desperate, glaring shapes and forms here among us, could you bring your imagination to bear so as to believe it possible that there could be any person a member of this great defensive association formed here among us and united together for mutual good that could possess those abhorrent and detestable principles here pointed out and devise means, and expecting them to be destruction of this great righteous and laudable union. Now you are at liberty to consider the matter in any light you please but I will take it upon myself to affirm to you in the Irish sense of the word that there is one of that very description now residing among you. That author of mischief, that body of mockery filled

with corruption, whose common track is marked with contagion and he opens his mouth only to spread forth the most desperate of moral maladies and if under his tongue was contained a volume of baneful moral poison and monstrous as it is, by his artful deception and the cunning tongue of a serpent he causes many of the uncautious and unguarded to partake of it. I have now only to lament that I am unequal to the task and not capable of heightening the picture sufficiently so as to delineate him and hold him forth to you in all his infamous deformities. Unfortunately in that respect I have been thrown under greatest disadvantage at this time to do so for you may rest assured that recently my time has been so closely coupled and my attention so intensely drawn to the subject of your mutual and undivided interests, that I do assure you upon the strictest honour of an honest man and a gentleman that I have not had time afforded me even to draw from Caughnawaga the proper ingredient to paint him out in his true and merited colors. Now again, gentleman on further reflection do you not believe that it is the duty of every man who prizes his character worth anything and puts any kind of value upon it, to avoid and steer clear of such a desperado. At all times, and in all places for fear of his contaminations and whenever you may come within the sound of his voice to throw up your right hand against him and cry out audibly pass to the left hand, you calumniator, you vagabond, you destroyer of civil and social union—away—away you cloud of fire and brimstone coming to consume me—away—away. Gentlemen, I have detained you a long time and perhaps almost wearied your patience with the unpleasant sound of disunion which operates forever to the injury and ruin of society.

I shall now invite your more immediate attention to that subject which ought to engage our minds most seriously at the present momentous crisis. I mean the great object of real and indissoluble union, for if ever there was a time that required strictly the united efforts of men as respects persons properly perhaps this is a period in this place that can bear ample testimony to the truth of it. I believe there can be but few among you who are so forgetful as to lose sight of the commencement of the difficulties which took place between the people of Russettown and the agents of the Seigneur of Beauharnois (on his behalf this was a time that produced more than ordinary excitement in your community amongst the people and taught the members of it the necessity of uniting firmly in the common cause of defence.)

It was at this time that the people considered it advisable to come out to the most onerous parts of the business to the care and direction of a firm and skilful leader however judicious the choice that was made for you to judge, but nevertheless it fell to my lot to be selected for the purpose and I am led to believe that the most of you still remember that at that early stage of the business I pledged myself to the people and embarked in the cause and it would be needless for me to pretend to realize to your minds and feelings the fatigues of body and troubles of mind that I have passed through in executing my duty for the good of the great and interesting cause.

(To be continued)

GARAGE FIRE COSTLY

HUDDERSFIELD, England—(CP)—Half of a huge motor car storage building was destroyed by fire, the other half saved. Hundreds of new cars valued at thousands of pounds and thousands of new, invaluable tires were in the half destroyed; 33 used vehicles were in the half not destroyed.

TRANSPORT DRIVERS TRAINED

MEERUT, India—(CP)—Indian soldiers, where the motor car is still something of a novelty are being passed out as qualified motor drivers at an army motor transport training centre at Meerut.

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Opinions Of Others

THE COST OF LIVING

Much has been said of late about the cost of living and a great point has been made by the government that in the present war the index represents 18 per cent rise compared with 54 per cent in the last war. This of course, issued from official sources, is calculated political propaganda based on statistics, generally compiled, which thousands of citizens claim, from personal experiences, are entirely erroneous. There are factors relative to the rise in the cost of living today that do not enter the picture at all. Two citizens lately have brought to the attention of The Statesman, their views on the question. They represent both labor and the farmer.

On behalf of labor, it was pointed out that, for the single person obliged to board at restaurants, not only has the price of means increased over 40 per cent in several lines but by government action, tea, coffee and milk have been upped 100 per cent and a limit has been imposed on single people which has been lifted for those in households. But the main complaint is that the amount of food per plate has been cut drastically. It should be noted that restaurants operated by non-British proprietors take full advantage of these concessions. British ones do not. So the cut-down on meals constitutes an upsurge in the index.

On behalf of farmers we are advised that when they go to town or city they not only fall under this restaurant super-charge, but that the things they have to buy have not only increased in price but the goods bought today are defective in many lines. For instance here is one informant's experience: A washtub recently bought, proved to be no good; a bushel basket for ensilage was practically useless. A part-wool pair of stockings lasted less than a week. A pair of pyjamas went to pieces with two washings. Brecks for a boy split in two days' wear. And all at prices away in advance of pre-war days. And so it goes. All this enters into the cost of living to the disadvantage of farmers. So, if the statisticians wish to get to the root of things, their present figure of 18 per cent rise does not square with general experience.—Bowmanville Statesman.

KENYA SEEKS SETTLERS

NAIROBI, Kenya Colony—(CP)—The Agricultural Production and Settlement Board of Kenya, which advocates the encouragement of increased white settlement in the colony, has announced the setting up of a "Settlement Schemes Subcommittee."

WEEK AT OTTAWA

By DOUGLAS GREEN

Canadian Press Staff Writer
OTTAWA, June — (CP)—The sweeping victory gained by the C.C.F. party in last week's provincial election in Saskatchewan has given members of other parties in the House of Commons a further incentive to deal speedily with the legislation before them for consideration.

The strength of the support given C.C.F. candidates in Saskatchewan, resulting in the rout of Liberal and Progressive Conservative aspirants, was something of a surprise to Commons here, but a few Saskatchewan members who participated in the campaign had fairly accurate predictions of the result to offer when they returned to Ottawa.

The swing to the C.C.F. manifested by the Saskatchewan electorate was of intense interest to party leaders in the Commons. Progressive Conservatives failed to return a single member.

The industrial problem created by the attitude of workers toward income tax deductions from their paycheques can be overcome only by education, in the opinion of Arthur MacNamara, director of National Selective Service.

In addressing an assembly of Ottawa employers and employees last week, Mr. MacNamara said employ-

ers should explain to employees how Canada's war effort is affected when workers stay away from their jobs because they object to working overtime and so lifting themselves into higher tax brackets. He said also that education is the answer to the problem of absenteeism.

At Record Level

Canada's level of employment now is the highest in her history, and about 2,000,000 persons, either in the armed forces or essential industry, are doing war work for the country. The Dominion's employable population numbers about 4,500,000 persons.

Mr. MacNamara said the war had effected a revolution in the whole system of employment in Canada, and had it not been for this "regimentation" the Dominion would not have been able to put forth the war effort she has made since 1939. To overcome the crucial stage of

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Rhubarb A Winner For Popularity

Country-Folk in the Eastern Townships of Quebec Describe Rhubarb as "Grand Pie Timber"

"Grand pie timber." That is how the country-folk in the Eastern Townships of Quebec Province would describe rhubarb—or any other fruits that make good pies. Rhubarb is a good mixer too and in company with strawberries is especially delicious. To cut the amount of sugar needed for sweetening, the Consumer Section of the Dominion Department of Agriculture suggests pouring boiling water over the cut rhubarb before cooking. Allow to stand for 5 minutes, then drain and cook, adding 3 tablespoons of sugar to each cup of raw rhubarb, just before removing from the stove.

Three of today's desserts feature rhubarb and the other, Jenny cake, like its relative Johnny, is at its best with a sauce of maple syrup.

Butterscotch Rhubarb Pie

4 cups cut rhubarb
1/2 cup white sugar
1/2 cup flour
2 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoons mild flavoured fat
1/3 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
Pastry for crust

Pour boiling water over rhubarb. Let stand for 5 minutes, then drain. Line a deep 9 inch pie plate with pastry. Combine white sugar and the 1/2 cup flour, mix with rhubarb and place in pie shell. Cream together the butter, fat, brown sugar, salt and the 1/2 cup flour. Sprinkle this mixture over top of rhubarb. Bake in a hot oven, 425° F for 10 minutes, then reduce temperature to 375° F and bake 20 minutes longer.

Rhubarb Whip

1/2 cup gelatin
1/2 cup cold water

Jenny Cake

3/4 cup all purpose flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1/4 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 cup farina, uncooked
1 cup milk
3 tablespoons mild flavoured fat, melted

Mix and sift flour, baking powder and salt. Add farina and stir well. Add beaten egg to milk. Add quickly combine dry ingredients. Stir well and immediately pour into a well-greased 8" by 8" pan or muffin tins. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375° F. Allow 25 to 30 minutes for cake and 20 minutes for muffins. Serve with maple syrup. Eight servings.

Rockburn

Mr. and Mrs. McLennan, of Riverfield, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Barr and Mr. and Mrs. A. Douglas, on Sunday.

Mrs. T. Ross, Miss Greta Ross and Miss Isabel Anderson, of Powerscourt, were guests of Miss M. Jamieson, on Wednesday.

Dr. A. S. Reid and Miss Allana Reid, of Montreal, spent the week-end with friends in Rockburn.

Miss Alice Cain is visiting with Mrs. A. Humm in Malton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gennon and Mrs. Minnie Swift of Dauphin, Man., are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Collins and little son Merrill of Burke, N.Y., who are guests on Sunday at the same home.

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Hemmingford

Cst. John C. Ellerton, R.C.M. Police, of Foam Lake, Sask., has returned West after visiting at his home here, also at his sister's, Mrs. Fitzsimmons, at Toronto and other points.

Miss Carmen Redford, of Yorkton, Sask., was also a visitor at Mr. C. Ellerton's home, the past week.

BREAK UP MENU MONOTONY

MAGIC'S MOLASSES BISCUITS

2 cups sifted flour
4 cups Magic Baking Powder
1/2 cup molasses
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup chopped nuts, any kind, or raisins

Mix, sift first four ingredients. Cut in shortening until mixture is crumbly. Sprinkle with molasses and nuts. Roll in 1-inch slices. Mix molasses and water and pour into well-greased cake pan. Sprinkle with remaining nuts. Bake in hot oven, 425° F, about 35 minutes. Turn out immediately. Makes 16.

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Dr. Miles McCutcheon, pastor of the First Baptist Church, in Montreal, is a very special favorite of mine as a preacher on the air. He has said that the fathers of the nation must take their place as a directive moral influence in the home, not leaving this all to the mothers, as they generally do. Yes, Doctor, it's time somebody attended to the duty now that the mothers are too busy with war work, including bridges, to preach those minute sermons which the fathers' practices only too often nullified.

Seldom has the "Voice of the Farm" registered more authentically than in an article by Gordon W. Geddes in the Macdonald College Journal for May. He says, "The Selective Service seemed to be too selective to put anyone at farm work. With several men loafing round the local office, it seemed as if some of them might as well be out on the farm and let the other ones do the work there. With all the people that are controlling prices and labour etc., it's a wonder there is anyone left for the farms and the forces. And still some people want all the controls carried over into peace time. We'll soon have half the employable population doing non-productive work, controlling the working hand."

Mr. Geddes thinks the same thoughts about farmers co-operating as other "voices" have said in my hearing. He says: They were nearly all in favour of the idea, but what a variety of reasons they had why each of them should be the last man to sign. They can't get the capital to hang together on anything unless it offers immediate cash returns.

Addendum to Lantry: From being, as well as from, the child who can be taught only "through his hide," the man who can be charmed only through his senses, the woman who can be touched only through her pocketbook, good Lord, deliver us!

Last Tuesday, I felt a sudden, strong urge to call upon a friend whose visits I had not returned for over a year. Glancing at the clock I said, "It's too late to go, it's nearly four o'clock." In a few hours I learned that my friend had died. A summons to a close relative, who had been taken dangerously ill. The message, which caused her very great anxiety and distress of mind, came about four o'clock. Was it another instance of telepathy?

In the General Epistle of James, 2:10, a statement is made concerning the moral law which we are unable to resist. But we find countless parallel facts in the physical realm. Take those very few and quite small spots which somebody missed when he painted the inside of the tin drum in order to catch rain water. His haste seemed trifling as you labored over the rust spots in your best tablecloth. Or take that tiny hole in the cotton bag in which you stored your fur coat. When you discovered traces of moths in the fur, you realized the futility of the effort at storing all the paint on the tin didn't atone for the small bare spots, nor did all the wrappings of the garment atone for the small tear in the cotton. Another thing, the more you prize the truth, the greater is the injury to you by its loss.

The cellar had the odor of earth, ashes, and vegetable decay. But the scent of the Lilies of the Valley growing just outside the window turned the cellar into a florist's shop, so fragrant became the atmosphere. It was the old, yet annually new, story of Winter's death and Spring's resurrection.

It is true that good and useful things have been perverted, as it were, to work the havoc of warfare, but also true that the very exigencies have led to the discovery of new, better, and more useful things, and so on. There are besides discoveries in the social and spiritual realms, revelations of the powers of the human soul, of its potential courage, kindness, and loyalty. Men have discovered themselves and their fellow men, alien races, have learned to respect and admire one another, as we have in the case of Russia.

Kilbain

Miss Mary Murphy and Miss Madeline Bannan, teachers of St. Anthony's School, Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bannan.

A number from this part attended the funeral Monday of Mr. James Cosgrove, of Malton, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cosgrove, of Fort Covington, N.Y., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smythe; Mrs. Smythe returning with them.

Master Billy Cosgrove spent the week-end with his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cosgrove, St. Anicet.

BURNING GARBAGE

If garbage is burned in the furnace or stove throw in a handful of salt and it will avoid any odors.

THE BEAVER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cook and son Ernest, Malton, N.Y., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Watterson, on Thursday.

Mr. Bennett Presley, Danford Lake, is visiting Mrs. Presley at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stowell.

Mrs. Wesley Thomson returned home on Sunday after two weeks holiday with relatives and friends in Cornwall and Dickenson Landing.

Mrs. A. B. Cameron, who spent the past few months in Montreal, returned home on Saturday evening. At present she is with her husband, Mr. A. B. Cameron at the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown, where he is undergoing treatment. Best wishes for a speedy recovery to health are extended Mr. Cameron.

Athelstan

Father's Day was observed on Sunday when at the morning United Church service, Rev. J. H. Woodside preached a most fitting sermon, stressing the responsibilities of the fathers in the home and community life of the nation's youth.

The following have been recent guests of their sisters, Miss Josephine Larche and Mrs. Fred Roy: Mr. and Mrs. A. Paul (Angeline) of Transcona, Man.; Mrs. H. Sawyer (Donald) and daughter Harriet, of Pittsfield, Mass.

Mr. D. A. Cameron, of Dundee, has been a recent guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. MacCaffrey.

Mrs. Helena Gardner spent a few days the past week with friends in Huntingdon.

Mrs. Abilston, of Verdun, Que., has been a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mack. Mrs. A. Wilson, of Huntingdon, was also a week-end guest at the same home.

Mrs. Wilfred Woodside and son Bobby, of Northfield Station, 1197, and 2nd Lieut. Gula Boyce, of Massachussetts General Hospital, were week-end guests of Rev. J. H. and Mrs. Woodside, at Kensington, and also called on relatives and friends in this locality.

Mrs. Sadler representative to County Convention, held May 5, in Huntingdon, gave a very full report of the meeting.

Mrs. Small reported that prizes for the Public speaking contest, held in the High School, would be distributed Senior Class Day, June 26.

The next meeting will be held July 4, at the home of Mrs. Cecil Bryson, when a shower of articles for the Ditty Bags will be held.

Meeting closed by singing the National Anthem, after which refreshments were served by Miss Welch, Mrs. Sadler and Mrs. Moffat.

HEMMINGFORD BRANCH

The meeting of Hemmingford Women's Institute took place in the Piusby Memorial Hall, on Friday afternoon, with the President, Mrs. D. P. Orr, in the chair. At the conclusion of routine business the singing which was a featured item, was given by the members of the Glee Club, and other friends, listened to a very interesting address by Mr. Monk, Secretary of the Local School Board. Mr. Monk's talk was on India and though it was some years since his residence there, his first-hand information of life, customs and scenery of that much discussed country gave all present an interesting picture. A "Life Membership" certificate and pin were presented to Mrs. H. F. Ruthford by Mrs. C. E. Petch, who spoke of the recipient's many years of faithful and unselfish devotion to the cause of community work through the W.I. Mrs. Petch traced the movement from its early days in Hemmingford. After the presentation, Mrs. Ruthford was asked to accept a bouquet of flowers by the Misses Mary Orr, Beverly Williams and Andrea MacNaughton.

These little girls were very charming and are becoming at an early age, accustomed to public appearances.

The members of the W.I. served light refreshments and a pleasant afternoon closed with the National Anthem.

Health Notes

HYGIENE AND COMFORT IN THE HOME

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After the customary opening a prayer for the Invasion Forces of Europe was read by the President. Minutes of May meeting were read and approved and Treasurer's report adopted as read.

At 3 o'clock the members listened to an address by King George VI on "Invasion Day" over the radio. During the playing of God Save the King at the close of the address a short business session.

Mrs. Carmichael, Convener of Home Economics, gave some notes on control of "Troublesome Garden Insects."

Ormstown Red Cross Society asked the Institute members to act as hostesses to the next Blood Donor Clinic. This was accepted and the president was asked to call a special meeting of the executive to arrange for this work as soon as the date of the clinic was known.

Mrs. Sadler representative to County Convention, held May 5, in Huntingdon, gave a very full report of the meeting.

Mrs. Small reported that prizes for the Public speaking contest, held in the High School, would be distributed Senior Class Day, June 26.

The next meeting will be held July 4, at the home of Mrs. Cecil Bryson, when a shower of articles for the Ditty Bags will be held.

Meeting closed by singing the National Anthem, after which refreshments were served by Miss Welch, Mrs. Sadler and Mrs. Moffat.

HEMMINGFORD BRANCH

The meeting of Hemmingford Women's Institute took place in the Piusby Memorial Hall, on Friday afternoon, with the President, Mrs. D. P. Orr, in the chair. At the conclusion of routine business the singing which was a featured item, was given by the members of the Glee Club, and other friends, listened to a very interesting address by Mr. Monk, Secretary of the Local School Board. Mr. Monk's talk was on India and though it was some years since his residence there, his first-hand information of life, customs and scenery of that much discussed country gave all present an interesting picture. A "Life Membership" certificate and pin were presented to Mrs. H. F. Ruthford by Mrs. C. E. Petch, who spoke of the recipient's many years of faithful and unselfish devotion to the cause of community work through the W.I. Mrs. Petch traced the movement from its early days in Hemmingford. After the presentation, Mrs. Ruthford was asked to accept a bouquet of flowers by the Misses Mary Orr, Beverly Williams and Andrea MacNaughton.

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The groom is the oldest son of Mr. J. S. Murphy and the late Mrs. Murphy, of Huntingdon. The bride is the daughter of Mr. Peter Legault and the late Mrs. Legault, of St. Anicet, Que.

A short wedding trip was spent in Ottawa and Campbell's Bay. Upon their return they were greeted by about 600 friends and neighbors at an Old Fashioned Barn Dance, that was arranged in their honor at the Helm Brothers Farm. A very generous purse was presented to them during the evening as a symbol of the popularity of the bridal couple.

Huntingdon Locals

Shows Eagle at Lachute Fair

Mr. Ken Cunningham of Huntingdon, showed the American Golden Eagle which he caught about a year ago on his farm here, at the Lachute Exhibition, during the past week. It attracted quite a lot of attention.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Pope and family are spending a ten-day holiday in Preston and London, Ont. On Sunday they attended a family re-union when Mr. Pope's four sisters and brother with their respective families were present.

Miss Pauline Morin arrived on Saturday to spend the summer holidays with her parents.

Miss Pauline Morin and the scholars of St. Anicet Convent, together with their teachers, the nuns, visited Rigaud, recently. They were accompanied in the cars by Father Reid, Miss B. Archambault, Romeo Caza, Jos. Chretien, A. Quesnel, J. Cagnier, A. A. Hurteau and A. A. Caza.

Mrs. L. B. Granton, of N.D.G., spent the week-end the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ferns.

Recent guests at the home of Dr. J. M. and Mrs. Barrington, Huntingdon, were: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Glennon and Mrs. M. Swift, of Dauphin, Man.; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Barrington, Brian and Douglas, of Montreal, are spending their holiday with their parents, at the same home.

Mrs. F. Bastien and son Maurice, of Three Rivers, Que., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Cantin, for a short time.

Miss Madeleine Michaud, of Huntingdon, visited her sister, Mrs. E. LeMay, of St. Jerome, Que., recently.

A.B. Andrew L. Barrett, of the Royal Navy, from Boston, visited his brother Frank L., at his home on Bouchette Street, over the week-end.

Mr. Muri Fimning has returned to Toronto, Ont., after having spent the past two weeks visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fimning.

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Mrs. John Antoine and grand-daughter, Mona Antoine, of Chateaugay Street, returned to Huntingdon Monday evening after spending the week-end in Malone visiting Mr. and Mrs. John McCracken.

WEDDINGS

LOGAN-ANDERSON

Baskets of pink and white peonies, and ferns formed the decorations in Georgetown Presbyterian Church, Howick, Que., for the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson, Howick, Que., on Saturday afternoon, June 17, of Phyllis Jane, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson, Howick, to Flight Sergeant Allan Leonard Logan, only son of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Logan, of Montreal. The guest list was marked with white ribbons and pink peonies. The ceremony was performed at three o'clock by the Rev. G. E. Bingham, while Miss Gladys S. Goodall was at the organ, and during the signing of the register Mr. Harold M. Hassam sang, "I'll walk beside you."

Miss Gladys G. Anderson was her sister's maid-of-honour, Miss Ruth J. Anderson, another sister of the bride, and Miss Hilda M. Glazebrook, cousin of the bridegroom, were bridesmaids. Flying Officer Henry T. Obright was best man. The ushers were Mr. Wilburn J. Anderson, brother of the bride, and Mr. R. Gerald Corkran.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore white slipper satin, fitted along torso lines, chintilly lace scalloped yoke, long tight sleeves ending in points over her hands edged by lace to match the yoke. She wore a long tulle veil, with a heart shaped head-dress of lace to match the dress. Better Time roses, with double white stocks.

The maid-of-honour was wearing floor-length powder blue deauville crepe fashioned along torso lines, scalloped sweetheart neckline, matching Dutch cap, shoulder length veil, and carried a Victorian bouquet.

The bridesmaids were gowned alike in shell pink deauville crepe, along the same lines as that of the maid-of-honour, matching Dutch caps, shoulder length veil, and carried Victorian bouquets.

The bride's mother wore a street length dress of minerva crepe in a soft rose shade, navy blue accessories, and a corsage of Johannahl roses.

The bridegroom's mother wore a street length two-piece dress of navy blue crepe, with navy blue and white accessories. Her corsage was of Better Time roses.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where pink and white peonies, and ferns were attractively arranged.

The couple left later on their honeymoon for Huntsville, Toronto and Muskoka Lakes, Ont., and other points. For travelling the bride wore a Dutch blue all-wool crepe suit, white hat, trimmed with blue veiling, white accessories, and a corsage of Fisher roses.

The couple will reside in Ottawa, Ont.

FREGEAN-BOURCIER

On Saturday, June 17, in the Parish Church of St. Philomena, a very pretty marriage was solemnized when Miss Marie Bourcier became the bride of Mr. Albert Fregean of St. Sebastian. The singing was conducted by a group of Valleyfield college students.

The bride wore a two-piece suit of rose and a small hat. She carried a prayer book covered with roses.

After the ceremony a reception took place at the home of the bride's parents, where the rooms were beautifully decorated with peonies.

Mr. and Mrs. Fregean left later for a trip to Lake Megantic, the bride travelling in a black suit with rust accessories.

County Council Holds Busy Session

The Huntingdon County Council meeting was held Wednesday, June 14, all members present except Councilor Fortin, of the Village of Hemmingford.

The Council leased a portion of land from Dorian Guerin at a price of \$5 per year, until such time as he can furnish the Corporation of County of Huntingdon a clear title for the roadway in order to complete the right-of-way for the convenience of Josephat St. Onge to reach his right-of-way on both sides of the La Guerre drainage ditch. When Dorian Guerin can furnish a clear title for a strip of land of 150 ft. length and 35 ft. wide, more or less, on the South side of the La Guerre drainage ditch, also a strip of land of 150 ft. in length and 35 ft. in width, more or less, on the North side of the La Guerre drainage ditch on his property, the Corporation of the County of Huntingdon will pay to Dorian Guerin \$150. The Warden and Secretary to sign the lease as well as the deeds.

Notice of motion was given to the effect that a by-law be prepared and brought in for the regular meeting in September next, laying a rate of assessment on all the taxable property within the limits of the Corporation of the County of Huntingdon to defray the expenses of administration for the current year.

The Secretary-Treasurer was authorized to advertise by tender, the sale of the steel detention cage in the County Bldg. Tenders to be in the Secretary's hands by 12 noon, Friday, June 30, and the secretary to open same and judge the highest bidder.

That \$10,000 per month be asked from W. L. Carr for the office now occupied by him in the County Bldg., the rent payable twice each year.

That a resolution of sympathy be extended to Councilor Fortin in the passing away of his father, at the Village of Naperville.

The complaint of Patrick Dineen in regard to a branch of the Morlarty Discharge was left in the hands of Oliver Bonnevillie, special officer.

A letter from the Dept. of Public Work, Quebec, dated March 17, 1944, was read and filed, acknowledging receipt of a resolution from this Council of March 8 last, asking for an engineer to make an estimate of the cost of constructing a bridge on the Rang du Six Road over the La Guerre drainage ditch in the Parish of St. Barbe, and stating the site of this bridge had been surveyed by their engineer a few years ago and they thought the cost would be close to \$10,000.

Oliver Bonnevillie was appointed to repair the bridge on the Rang du Six Road over the La Guerre drainage ditch in the Parish of St. Barbe, Councilor Pinsonneault dissenting.

The Sec. Treas. was authorized to write the Mayor of the Parish of St. Barbe to ask his council if they would contribute 25% of the cost of building a new bridge over the La Guerre drainage ditch in the Parish of St. Barbe, on the Rang du Six Road, under the Government 50% plan.

A committee was appointed of D. J. O'Connor, M.L.A., the Warden, Councilors Tannhill and Steven with W. L. Carr, special superintendent, and the Sec. Treas. to interview the Minister of Agriculture as well as Mr. Morin and heads of the Drainage Bureau, to clarify the offer of \$5,000 contained in their letter of May 25, regarding the completing of the work on the Beaver Creek.

The Secretary was authorized to write the Quebec Municipal Commission for their approval of a loan of \$7,000 for completing the work on the Beaver Creek and for County Administration Pinsonneault was appointed pro-warden for the next three months.

Bills were passed for payment as follows: J. B. Nerey \$15; Huntingdon Mills Ltd. \$72.69; John Riel and Son Reg'd \$150; Frank Robitoux \$5.50; Shawinigan Water and Power Co. \$25; M. M. Hooker \$600; Laberge Bros \$450; Huntingdon Mills Ltd. \$22.75; Pringle, Stark and Co. \$38.13; Donat Chartrand \$40; Bell Tele-

Boats in Collision On Salmon River

Two motorboats, one piloted by Mr. René Lapierre, Dundee, and the other by Mr. Cecil Kelsey, of Fort Covington, collided late Sunday evening in the Salmon River, about a mile east of Dundee Lines.

Lapierre and his wife were returning about 11 p.m. from a visit with relatives at the Lines and were cruising along about 8 miles an hour, when suddenly the craft piloted by Kelsey loomed out of the darkness on its way up the River towards Fort Covington. Apparently dazed by the glare of the headlights on the Lapierre boat, Kelsey seemed unable to distinguish its exact position, and he crashed the prow of his craft into the stern of the oncoming boat. Lapierre, sensing a collision was imminent, jumped just in time to avoid being struck by the front of the Kelsey boat which raised right up in the air over the gunwales, clearing the motor at the back and dropping back again into the water. Kelsey's craft was undamaged, but the Lapierre boat had a bad hole torn in its side. Had it not been very stoutly built the accident might have been more serious. Lapierre and his wife transferred to Mr. Kelsey's boat and with the damaged craft in tow, they were taken back to Dundee.

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Specially written for The Huntingdon Gleaner

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Canadian Press Staff Writer

QUEBEC, June 21 (CP)—Announcement of the date of the provincial general election is expected very shortly, perhaps today.

In the meantime the various political parties have already started their campaigns and many candidates have been named. It is believed that the Liberal and Union Nationale parties will have candidates in all of Quebec's 91 constituencies.

The Bloc Populaire, with no representative in the present Legislature, is expected to put candidates in most of the rural centres but it may not be represented in all urban constituencies.

The C.C.F. is expected to choose 25 candidates, 10 of them in the Montreal and Quebec city districts and the others in the Abitibi mining area and rural districts of the south shore of the St. Lawrence.

Another leftist party will also enter the lists. It is the Labor Progressive party which already has picked three candidates to run in Montreal St. James, Montreal St. Mary and the newly-formed constituency of Rouyn-Noranda.

As for the independent Nationalists, grouped around Rene Chaloult, Nationalist member of the legislature for Lotbiniere, one bet looks as good as another. Rumors, however, say Mr. Chaloult might leave his rural constituency of Lotbiniere for an urban centre, possibly Quebec City.

One thing is certain: elections in the Province of Quebec will no longer be a two-party affair. It is even probable that electors in urban constituencies will have to choose from five or six candidates while rural centres may get four apiece.

Approaching Marriage

MARSHALL-HADLEY: Mrs. Jessie Hadley, of Hemmingford, announces the approaching marriage of her daughter, Edna May, to Mr. Boyd Ralph Marshall, of Ottawa, Ont., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Marshall, of Pembroke, Ont. The wedding to take place early in July.

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THE HUNTINGDON GLEANER

Married at St. Joseph's Church

Mrs. Churchill Moore, Wellington St.

The Red Triangle Revue presented an excellent variety entertainment in the Drill Hall, Chateaugay Barracks on Thursday evening. This troupe of entertainers has visited Chateaugay Barracks, on several occasions and in every instance have given a good account of themselves. Their entertainments are quite varied, talented artists and nothing is allowed to interfere thereby dragging the show. The boys gave the entertainers generous applause for all numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bingley and sons, John and Ronald, and accompanied by Miss Eva G. White, spent Saturday afternoon in Montreal, where they attended the piano recital that evening, given by pupils of Olga Leiber, of whom Ronald is a pupil.

Bride-Elect Honoured

Mrs. Wilfred Saumier and Mrs. Henry Robert were joint hostesses for a presentation in honour of Miss Jeanette Picard, a bride-elect of this month, at the home of the latter on Friday evening. The room was tastefully decorated in a blue and white colour scheme, with vases of cut flowers. The guest of honor was escorted to a specially decorated chair and a prettily decorated wagon was drawn in by Geselle Monique and Estelle Saumier, who were dressed in blue and white costumes in harmony with the decorations. On the wagon was a beautiful silver tea service which was presented to Miss Picard. The bride-to-be was taken by surprise and quite overcome, but thanked those present for the lovely gift and invited them to visit her in her future home. The remainder of the evening was spent in playing cards. Prizewinners were: First, Mrs. Clarence Saumier; Consolation, Miss Pauline Lalonde. Special prize by drawing went to Mrs. E. L. Laperriere. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by some of the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hampson of Montreal are spending a week's holiday at the home of the former's father, Mr. James Hampson.

The Huntingdon County Hospital has received donations of one gallon of syrup from Mr. Wm. Graham, Glenelg; one gallon of syrup from Mr. and Mrs. A. Robb, Huntingdon; syrup and tomato juice, Mr. Emmanuel Dumouchel; pillows, Mrs. Alex. Brown.

Mrs. John Antoine and grand-daughter, Mona Antoine, of Chateaugay Street, returned to Huntingdon Monday evening after spending the week-end in Malone visiting Mr. and Mrs. John McCracken, daughter and son-in-law of Mr. Antoine. While there, they attended the christening of Mrs. Antoine's great grand-son, Terrence John Anweller. The four generations on the maternal side were present at the christening which took place during the morning services of the St. Joseph's Church, Howick, Que. Reverend Robert R. Crothers, officiating. Staff Sergeant Maurice Anweller, father of the infant, serving in the armed services of the United States at Camp Pickett, Virginia, having been granted a furlough, was present at this ceremony.

Rfm Michael D. Quinn after spending a 14-day furlough at his home here, left on Thursday with his mother, Mrs. Mary Quinn, to visit his brothers Pte. Edward Quinn at Macdonald College and Pte. George Quinn at Aldershot.

Discussion Club at Little Holland

The Discussion Club of Malone, a group of twenty men gathered at Little Holland, last evening, for their June meeting. After spending two hours at the festive board expressions were voiced proclaiming the excellence of the cuisine. This club meets monthly and was started a few years ago when a Rev. H. C. Campbell, "Centenary Methodist Church, Malone, held discussion hours each Sunday evening. Out of this Club a Club that is most cosmopolitan grew. The Club on Tuesday evening had several Clergy of various denominations present, representatives of many races and creeds were present and everyone took an active part in the three hours discussion that followed the talk. The subject of the evening was "Happiness is the Aim of Human Life", by the Rev. Father, of Bombay High School. Due to the fact that the address was endeavoring to provide a solution to accord happiness to everyone it was quite agreed that a hope had not panacea that would work. Happiness for individuals might best be fostered through further improvement and advancement in our public school educational system. One fine thing about the discussion was that none of the members proclaimed the State ought to do this or do that, but accepted the responsibilities as individuals and felt they as the citizens of the U.S. were to solve their problems and not place in the hands of bureaucrats.

Close to 1 a.m. the meeting dispersed with the understanding that the July meeting would have Dr. John Kissane, Malone as the speaker.

Obituary

Willis Cameron Marshall

There passed away at The Huntingdon County Hospital, on June 13, 1944, a small boy aged five years and eleven months, Willis Cameron Marshall, oldest son of the late Archie Marshall and Mrs. Helen Marshall.

Of a naturally sunny disposition, little Willis will be mourned by his mother, his sisters, Marjorie and Wilma, his brothers, Robert and Glen, his half-sister, Genevieve and his half-brother Pte. Archie Marshall, North Bay, Ont. To them the sympathy of the community is extended.

The funeral service was conducted at the home and the United Church in Huntingdon, by Rev. Thomas Knowles and Rev. J. H. Woodside.

Married at St. Joseph's Church



Mr. and Mrs. Regan Godin shown leaving St. Joseph's Church, Huntingdon, Quebec, after their marriage on Saturday, June 17th. Mrs. Godin was formerly Miss Jeanette Leblanc, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leblanc, of Huntingdon, Que., while the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Godin, of Carillon, Que.

Pessimists Combatting Unemployment Insurance

Social Security is a very real question. The Canadian people are quite determined that, in the event of more unemployment, there shall not be all the suffering which occurred in Canada during the last depression.

On the other hand, some of the advocates of Social Security are going pretty far.

When we adopted unemployment insurance, a few pessimists pointed out that it was really a fake, since the money collected for it would be simply turned over to the Government, to be spent as the Government needed. Then, when unemployment occurred, the Government would simply have to take the money to replace this out of the taxes, or current borrowings from the public, since a Government has no other place to invest its trust funds than in its own bonds.

That is, the pessimists pointed out that we were setting up a huge machine to stick little stamps in books, while the same effect would be produced by simply announcing that any unemployed man, who could not obtain work at all, would be relieved out of the public funds, without all this ceremony of so-called insurance.

The idea of the Unemployment Insurance tax has merit, but too many people who are quite likely to need support in times of depression, such as the laborer, are possibly not contributing to the fund. The man or woman who works a day here and there, is more than likely not even holding an insurance book. What percentage of caretakers of public buildings, such as churches, halls, banks, etc., hold insurance books and have stamps affixed for every day so employed? Is it not possible that many of these individuals will some day become listed amongst the unemployed? If every individual contributed to the fund as is expected and in accordance with the prescribed annual income for those assessable, then the pessimists would not have reason for proclaiming the Unemployment Insurance Bureau might well be disbanded. Selective Service Bureau which is closely allied to the Unemployment Insurance Bureau is performing a duty, but it has a very difficult task to perform, and so it will remain. This Selective Service Bureau will undoubtedly have to remain in force for the duration of the war.

It now begins to look as though the pessimists had been right, and

Franklin Rural

Miss Louella Stevenson, of Ottawa, has been spending a week's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson, of Corbin, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevenson. Lightning Does Damage

During a severe electric storm on Friday evening, lightning struck a couple of trees outside the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson, also entering the house destroying the radio, tearing and burning part of the linoleum on the floor, then going out of the front door. Luckily, no further damage was done.

Mrs. Ness, of Verdun, who came to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Willard Vaincourt, died suddenly on Tuesday evening, June 13th. The body was taken to Montreal for burial. Mrs. Ness was 84 yrs. of age and was well known in Franklin, having spent the summers of many years back with her daughter here. Sympathy goes out to Mrs. Vaincourt in her bereavement.

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Obituaries

The Late Allister MacLennan

On Thursday morning, June 15th, Allister, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. MacLennan, Beaver, passed peacefully away to his eternal rest after an illness of twelve years, which was borne with patience and cheerfulness.

In his early youth Allister attended Dundee Intermediate School and was a brilliant pupil and during his long sickness, he spent the greater part of time reading. No person could realize the amount of literature read by this young man. The sympathy of the community is extended his father, mother and sister, who mourn his passing at the early age of twenty.

On Saturday, June 17th, his pastor, Mr. R. G. McMillan, of Athelstan Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. A. Hagar, conducted the funeral service which was held in Zion United Church, Dundee, taking as his text "Grant that we might live as we would wish to die". The deceased favorite hymns: "The Lord is my Shepherd; Good-night and Good-morning and Abide with Me, were sung by Mrs. George Sheard and Mrs. Strit Cameron with Mrs. Chas. Smallman at the organ.

The many floral tributes testified to the esteem in which Allister was held.

Palbearers were: Messrs. Franklin Cameron, Donald Sutherland Jr., George McMaster, Warren Grant, Harold Fraser and Hugh Ferguson. Among those from distance who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. D. McCuagie, Bainsville, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. R. Dick and family, Montreal; Miss Bernice Moody; Mrs. Edna Bruce, Miss Ruth Bruce, Montreal; Mrs. F. Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Moody, Mrs. Stevenson, Miss M. Moody, R.N. Huntingdon, Ronald Bruce, Valleyfield.

Interment was in Zion Church Cemetery, Dundee.

The Late Mrs. T. Allen

The late Mrs. T. Allen passed quietly away early Thursday morning, June 15th, at the home of her son, Mr. Joe Allen, at the age of 90 years and a few months. Her husband, predeceased her seven years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Allen and family came to the Gore, 43 years ago from St. Chrysostome, to make their home here. Mrs. Allen was a good mother, a kind and loving mother and will be greatly missed. She leaves to mourn her loss two daughters: Mrs. A. Boudreau, of St. Chrysostome; Mrs. Tessier, of Ormstown; five sons: Fred of Chateaugay, Albert of the Frontier, Joe, Tim and Homer of the Gore; besides a large number of grand-children, great-grand-children and many other relatives. One daughter and one son predeceased her a number of years ago. Mass was held in St. Patrick's Church, Herndon, Saturday morning, with burial in the Hinchinbrook R.C. Cemetery. Palbearers were six grandsons: Arthur, Ernest, Dorian, Edmond and Leo Allen and Alfred Tessier.

Tatehurst

Mrs. A. Earle Hillman and grand-daughter, Daphne, have returned home, having spent a week visiting in Sherbrooke and Joliette.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Hillman, of Joliette, Que., have moved to Ormstown to make their home with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Baskin. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Gordon and family, of Huntingdon, visited on Sunday at the same home.

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Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbours for their kindness to Alastair during his short life, and for their help and sympathy in our recent sad bereavement.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. F. MacLennan and Jean.

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank all my friends, also Women's Institute for cards, letters, and flowers sent to me during my three months illness.

Greta B. Granton.

Card of Thanks

To all my kind friends who remembered me with get-well cards, beautiful flowers, and fruit, also Kensington Women's Association, and Maple Leaf Grange for boxes of fruit. For all these acts of kindness please accept my sincere thanks.

Mrs. A. W. Watson.

Card of Thanks

In sweet and loving memory of John McWhinnie, who left us in 1935, his two sons Daniel Raymond June 22, 1936, John Douglas May 8, 1943. Too dearly loved to be forgotten. Inserted by wife and mother.

Mrs. John McWhinnie.

In Memoriam

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District News Notes

Franklin Centre Man Injured in Cave-in

Mayor Lewis Blair, of Franklin Centre, met with an unfortunate accident, on Saturday, about 5 P.M., while digging a ditch for a drain. He was digging a ditch from his son Kyle's new house and across the road, when at a depth of about seven feet, the sides caved in and buried him to above his waist. His son, Norval, who was digging opposite him, managed to climb out unharmed.

A doctor and Sharpe's ambulance were called and after considerable work and time, the unfortunate man was extricated from his position and hurried to the Barrie Memorial Hospital. It was found that his right leg was broken above the knee and badly fractured below the knee. Drs. Stalker and Quintin attended Mr. Blair and placed his leg in a cast. That evening he rested fairly comfortably, but he suffered considerable pain on Sunday. Otherwise, his condition seems to be normal at the present time.

His friends wish him a speedy recovery and no further complications.

The Gore

The monthly meeting of the Gore Sunshine Mission Band was held in the Gore School, on Friday afternoon, June 16. The meeting was in charge of the president, and opened by all repeating the Mission Band Purpose followed by the National Anthem. The scripture reading, Luke 10:21-24 was read by Opal Taylor. The Temperance reading, "The Evidence of New Life" was read by Wallace Taylor. World Friends story was read by Joan Armstrong. The worship story, "More About Khe-Chen" read by Ann Durbin, the minutes of the last meeting and roll call by Patsy Hayer. The meeting closed with prayer by Marion Mason. No work was given out for the summer months.

Miss May Anderson, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of her cousin, Miss Gladys Anderson. Mrs. Geo. Johnston and little granddaughter, of Ottawa, spent a day this past week with her sisters-in-law, Mrs. Mary Flynn and Miss Bertha McGinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Todd were week-end guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Herdman and daughter, Mrs. J. D. Elder, and little granddaughter Shirley, spent a day recently in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wilson and son Robert, of Montreal, were week-end guests of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Graham and Ethel Ford were Sunday evening guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ritchie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Glenning and Mrs. Minnie Swift, of Dauphin, Manitoba, are visiting friends and relatives in this district and were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Graham and Mrs. Lottie Graham.

R.S.M. Jack White and Mrs. White of Ottawa, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Henderson, and attended the wedding of her brother Maurice, to Miss Dorothy Stevenson, on Saturday afternoon. R.S.M. White returned to Ottawa, on Monday. Mrs. White is remaining a few days with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Herdman and Master Jimmie Ford were Monday afternoon guests of their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Herdman, at Malone.

Miss Isabel Foster was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Foster, and attended the Henderson-Stevenson wedding Saturday afternoon at Covey Hill.

Havelock

Mrs. Smith and baby son, of Montreal are guests of her mother, Mrs. Indell Waddell. Mrs. Hart of Montreal is also a guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. Waddell.

Miss Lillian Waddell, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harkness and children Lois and Grace, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sayers.

Friends and neighbors of Allen Lowden gathered at the Hall, on Friday evening, for a farewell party. Allen, who is in the R.C.A.F., has been stationed at Camp Borden and expects to leave for the coast soon. Mr. Aaron Churchill called the gathering to order and presented Allen with a well-filled purse.

A party was also held on Monday evening in honor of Ken Steele, who has arrived from Italy and also Albert Roberts, both boys are serving in the U.S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Patenaude and family have moved to the Bustard home, recently purchased by Dr. Beaton.

Mrs. J. W. Stewart visited friends in Montreal, this week.

Dundee

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Dick, daughter Jeanie and son Bruce, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Colquhoun.

Pte. Lois Grant, of the C.W.-A.C., who is stationed at Kingston, Ont., spent a 48-hour leave over the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Grant, Dundee Centre.

Mrs. Carl Arthur of Chateaugay, N.Y., who was a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital for nearly three months, returned home on Sunday last and is now convalescing at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. S. Smith, Dundee.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Fraser, Mr. Lester Fraser, and Miss Marguerite Burbank, visited on Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fraser, of Franklin Centre. Mrs. Cora Fraser, who accompanied the party, stopped off and spent the afternoon at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. Mather.

Ormstown

W.A. Meeting
The June meeting of St. Paul's W.A. was held Tuesday afternoon, in McDougall Hall, 34 members and 2 visitors were present. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Carmichael and Miss Maw. Reports were given and several items of business discussed. The program was in charge of Mrs. Rugar. Miss Laura Walsh in keeping with the times sang a solo entitled "World's Prayer for Peace".

"Items of Interest" were read by Mrs. R. Graham after which community singing was led by Miss Walsh. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses of the afternoon and a social hour was enjoyed.

Mrs. Eddie Elliot and little daughter Grace, spent a week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cleland, at Marquette, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Upton and son Rupert, accompanied by Mrs. M. Basham and Miss Thomas, spent Sunday at Grenville, Que., with Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Upton.

Miss Anna Thomas, of Masco, Que., is spending a week with Mrs. Martin Basham.

Saturday guests of Mrs. B. B. McCartney were Mr. and Mrs. Amos, Miss Edna Amos and brother Walter, of Valleyfield, Que.

Miss Albertine Forget is enjoying a week's holiday.

Miss Irene Brunet spent two days last week in Montreal.

Mrs. J. Brocklehurst and little son Donald are spending this week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Dunn, Lachine, Que.

Mrs. Gray has returned to Ormstown, after having spent the past two months at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walker.

Mrs. George Johnson of Minikling, Ontario, and Mrs. B. Crane, of N.D.G., Montreal, were Sunday guests of their aunt, Mrs. Young, Eastmont.

Mrs. Johnson attended the Johnson-Irwin wedding at St. Andrew's East.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Solitt and son Donald of Peterborough, Ontario, who were present at the Johnson-Irwin wedding, returned home to Ormstown, on Tuesday, and visited with Mrs. Young and Mr. Royal Geddes, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter, on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rice, Christina and daughter-in-law, Mrs. William B. Rice, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dickson.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Osmond were Mr. and Mrs. Walker, Barbara Jean and Dickie, of Plattsburg, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grey and Mrs. T. Jenkins, of Montreal.

On Tuesday afternoon the Women's Missionary Society held their June meeting. During the work period the ladies quilted in the church parlour. The devotions and business meeting followed at the home of Mrs. Frank Weale. Mrs. Mary McNeil presiding. The devotional exercises were conducted by Miss Marion Swan, Mr. Cecil Brown, and Mrs. Harold Kerr gave current events from the Glad Tidings. The roll call was responded to by a verse of scripture containing the word prayer. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. Mrs. McNeil thanked the members for their expression of sympathy at the time of her bereavement. A most interesting letter from Miss Dorothy Douglas working in British Guiana was read. Mrs. A. Hooker gave an account of the life of Rebekah. Special music was provided by Jane Quintin and Audrey Weale was much appreciated. Tea was served by Mrs. Weale, Mrs. McNeil and Mrs. Harold Kerr.

Miss Mildred Graham left Monday, for Mexico, where she will take a six weeks' course in Spanish. Rev. C. L. Taylor chose his text from Isaiah 53, verse 6. All we like sheep have gone astray, at the Sunday morning service. Miss Ruth Rember contributed the solo "My Task", which was appreciated. The evening service text was taken from Matthew 25, verse 18, parable of the talents and selling prices, there is always something new we can learn. There was a certain man which had received a responsibility and had been given a talent to take charge of, and instead of trying to increase its value for his Lord he took and hid it in the ground. In this day and age of selling prices much dissatisfaction is caused when people go shopping to find how food is rationed, we should be very grateful when we think of those who are giving their lives for our safety and other lands.

Mr. H. Wilson is a present guest at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Forrester.

Bride Elect Honored
Mrs. M. G. Barrington, Mrs. Clifford Barrington and Miss Ina Barrington were hostesses at a kitchen shower held Saturday evening, at the home of Mrs. M. G. Barrington, Eastmont, in honor of Miss Verna E. Barrington.

On entering the house, where she had been invited for the evening, the bride-elect was greeted by a number of her girl friends and Mrs. M. G. Barrington played the wedding march as she was escorted to a seat of honor around which were laid mysterious parcels.

After having unwrapped her gifts, which she found to be excellent and fitting remembrances from her friends, she thanked and invited them to visit her in her new home.

The living room was decorated with a profusion of roses, peonies and silver bells.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses and some musical selections by the Misses Maureen Staller and Genevieve Cullen were much enjoyed.

The Barrie Memorial Hospital wishes to acknowledge the following donations: 2 jars pickles, 1 bag turnips—Mrs. J. D. Lang; Lettuce—Mrs. W. Orr; Rhubarb—Mrs. Corrick; Rhubarb—Mrs. Rousseau; Asparagus—Anonymous; Case of eggs

—A. Somerville. The Barrie Memorial Hospital wishes to acknowledge the following membership fees: R. T. Brownlee—\$10.00; Robert Cameron—10.00; J. A. Money—10.00; Mrs. D. A. McCormick—10.00; Eddie Elliott—10.00; J. D. Hamilton—10.00; Archibald McCaig—10.00; Dan McFarlane—10.00; Bruce Ness—10.00; A. Math. McKell—10.00.

Miss Iona Bryson, of Moncton, N.B., arrived in Ormstown on Monday evening, and will spend two weeks as guest of her grandmother, Mrs. A. Bryson, and her aunt, Mrs. Olive Bradley and other relatives.

Red Cross Report, Ormstown Branch
Service Unit Wear: 15 sweaters; 9 helmets (ribbed); 2 helmets (Quebec); 5 pr. gloves; 7 scarves; 14 seaboot stockings; 5 seamen's socks.

Civilian Knit Wear: 14 baby jackets; 42 baby booties; 5 girl's sweaters; 10 yrs.; 1 boy's sweater, 4 yr.

Sewing: 11 operating sheets; 17 gauze dressings; 1 pr. pyjamas; 5 bed jackets; 25 skirts, girl's 14 yrs.; 1 coat and beret, girl's 4 yrs.; 90 handkerchiefs.

Donations: 4 quilts (new); 1 pr. stockings and sweater; 3 cartons Bundles for Britain and Greek Relief.

Ormstown Presbyterian Church
The Reverend Hugh A. Pritchard returned from Toronto, last Thursday, having fulfilled his duties as Commissioner to the 70th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Last Sunday morning he was welcomed back by a large congregation who listened attentively to his powerful discourse on St. John, 14:1; during which he pointed out that while Jesus Christ did not promise to even the most saintly of men exemption from sorrow. He had suggested a means by which pain at the home of Miss J. H. Wilson. Also Misses Ann Reid, Millicent Orr and Martha Simpson at their respective homes.

Mrs. Walter Keddy and Miss Mabel Keddy spent last week-end in Quebec City, where Edwin, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keddy is a pupil in the Commissioner's High School, Quebec.

Exams are now in progress at the Hemmingford Intermediate School. Rev. R. C. Belbin Deputy Examiner.

After spending a short holiday at home, Miss Verna Kennedy left on Wednesday morning for Quebec City, where she expects to spend the next two months.

The Bridge Club held its last meeting of the season, on June 18th, at the home of Miss J. H. Wilson. Mrs. Walter Keddy holding the highest score since November. Donations were made to the Red Cross, Queen's Canadian Fund, and Chocolate fund for British children. Sixteen meetings were held at the homes of the eight members and all enjoyed a very pleasant time.

Miss M. Rodgers, of Montreal, was guest at the manse for the week-end and Miss Gladys Pelletier also of Montreal, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Pelletier.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Simpson, Miss Martha Simpson and Mrs. Roy McCance were Sunday guests at the home of the Misses Sarah and Margaret Simpson, of Champlain, N.Y.

Last Sunday morning Mrs. Jas. Brown received a telegram from Worcester, Mass., of the sudden death of her son-in-law, Mr. Ernest Renaud, age 42 years. Her daughter, Mrs. Florence Renaud, only returned home three weeks ago after visiting relatives in this vicinity.

On Sunday morning, June 18th, "Father's Day" observance in the St. Andrew's United Church, Rev. R. C. Belbin officiating, two beautiful bouquets were on the altar, the lovely basket of peonies in memory of the late Mr. W. F. Orr donated by the family and the other a bouquet of beautiful roses in memory of the late Dr. Kennedy sent by the Kennedy family from Montreal.

Covey Hill
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Why shouldn't they smile, they have the proof that this one didn't get away. Mr. Maurice Mather is shown with Mrs. Godin holding a Maskinonge, which Mr. Mather caught on Sunday evening in Lake St. Francis, near Huntingdon, Que. The fish is 3 ft. and 8 inches long and weighed 18 pounds. It was caught with a bass spinner, silk line and steel rod, but not until after a struggle. Mr. Mather was in a row boat with his son and Mrs. Godin, when he hooked the fish about 500 ft. off shore; his son rowed the boat into shore, while the angler played the fish in, which was putting up a big fight to get loose. Finally on arriving at the shore, a camper supplied a gaff-hook and landed the big fish. The season for this type of fish opened on Friday, June 16th.

Hemmingford

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Clifford, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown. Also Misses Ann Reid, Millicent Orr and Martha Simpson at their respective homes.

Mrs. Walter Keddy and Miss Mabel Keddy spent last week-end in Quebec City, where Edwin, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keddy is a pupil in the Commissioner's High School, Quebec.

Exams are now in progress at the Hemmingford Intermediate School. Rev. R. C. Belbin Deputy Examiner.

After spending a short holiday at home, Miss Verna Kennedy left on Wednesday morning for Quebec City, where she expects to spend the next two months.

The Bridge Club held its last meeting of the season, on June 18th, at the home of Miss J. H. Wilson. Mrs. Walter Keddy holding the highest score since November. Donations were made to the Red Cross, Queen's Canadian Fund, and Chocolate fund for British children. Sixteen meetings were held at the homes of the eight members and all enjoyed a very pleasant time.

Miss M. Rodgers, of Montreal, was guest at the manse for the week-end and Miss Gladys Pelletier also of Montreal, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Pelletier.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Simpson, Miss Martha Simpson and Mrs. Roy McCance were Sunday guests at the home of the Misses Sarah and Margaret Simpson, of Champlain, N.Y.

Last Sunday morning Mrs. Jas. Brown received a telegram from Worcester, Mass., of the sudden death of her son-in-law, Mr. Ernest Renaud, age 42 years. Her daughter, Mrs. Florence Renaud, only returned home three weeks ago after visiting relatives in this vicinity.

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Tatehurst

Messrs. Walter Scott, Kenneth Campbell, Norman St. Louis and Willie Hooker, attended Lachute Exhibition, the past week.

About ten members from the Tatehurst group of the Women's Missionary Society were pleasantly entertained by the Riverfield W.M.S. at the home of Mrs. Chester Orr.

Shower For Bride-elect.
On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Glen Ovans was hostess at a miscellaneous shower in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Ovans, whose marriage takes place in the near future. The living room was tastefully decorated with pink and white paper and large white bells. When the guest of honor arrived, she was escorted to a special chair to the strains of "The Wedding March". A large basket of gifts was placed before her and the gifts opened and admired by all. Laura thanked all her friends and invited them to visit her. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Herbert Ovans and Mrs. G. Ovans.

Misses Dorothy Dawson, Annie and Dorothy Rice, of Montreal, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rice.

Misses Mary and Ruby Tate, of Montreal, were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Tate.

Miss Julia Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Rodgers, Mr. Cedric Morrow, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sadler on Sunday, and also called on Miss Moe in the hospital.

While ploughing on Saturday, Mr. D. J. Ovans met with a nasty accident. The ground being very hard, the whiffletree broke and Mr. Ovans was thrown to the ground. His shoulder bone was fractured.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Monique, Island Road, and Mrs. Edwin Baskin and Derrell, recently motored to Joliette, to spend a week-end with Mrs. Baskin's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cayen.

The out-of-town guests included Rev. and Mrs. Hatcher, Mrs. W. E. Rennie and Miss Elinor Blachere of Huntingdon; Mr. S. M. White and Mrs. White of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson, of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKell, of Aubrey; Miss Isabel Foster, of Montreal; Mr. H. D. Cameron, of Dundee, and L.A.C. Edgar Middlemiss, of Lachine.

Elgin
Mrs. G. Reid, of Covey Hill, Que., received word that her son, Clarence Reid, was wounded in the Italian campaign recently.

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A canvass will be made for members in the near future in the surrounding community. Any one interested please communicate with any of the following directors at present: ALLAN CAVERS, Pres.; DOUGLAS DICKSON, Vice-Pres.; ARTHUR DICKSON, Director; THOS. DUNCAN, Director; GEORGE GRAHAM, Director; CLIFFORD SPROULE, Secy.-Treas.

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The Canadian Legion - No. 81

The 17th Annual convention was held in the city of Sherbrooke on April 27th to 30th inclusive.

There were over 100 voting delegates and 10 fraternal present. Perhaps the highlight of the Convention was an address by Colonel Samson which could not help but be entertaining as well as an address by Alex. Walker, our Dominion President, who gave a few examples of the part the Legion played in much of the Legislation passed during the last few years by the Federal Government benefiting the armed forces and veterans of this war. He also stressed the fact that the Legion still believes in total war or on an equal basis for everyone and that the man power policy of the present government falls far short of the Legion's demands. He also showed the part the Legion is playing in promoting helpful and healthful diversion in prison camps in the way of education. In one camp of 5,000 men, 4,600 were taking special courses, to fit them for re-entry into civil life on their return.

Comrade Green, as honorary-secretary of the Provincial Command, reported that the total membership in the Quebec Command stands at 7,163 as at March 31st, 1944. From May 15th, 1943 to March 31st, 1944, 1,258 new members were added and for the four year period from May 31st, 1940 to May 16th, 1943, 3,948 members were enrolled. During the year 12 new Branches were formed making a total of 87, made up of 39 city and 48 country Branches. In addition there are 23 Ladies Auxiliaries and 1 Junior Auxiliary in the Provincial Council.

As the 70 odd resolutions came up for discussion, one could not help but be impressed with the number that vitally concern the veteran and his dependents of the present war. There is no doubt whatsoever that the Legion in the Province of Quebec is determined to see that this time the returned

man will receive more consideration than he did after world war one. They are also vitally interested in education in this province and all matters concerning the family of the returned man.

When a copy of the resolutions passed at the Convention is received, they will make interesting reading for those concerned with the future of our organization as well as our country. These copies should be in our hands any day now.

As one of the delegates of this Branch privileged to attend the Convention, I would like to say that while we were kept very busy most of the time, I enjoyed every moment of it and one could not help but be proud to belong to an organization like ours whose officers and members are doing all in their power to assist the members of our armed forces and their dependents.

It was most encouraging to note the splendid feeling of comradeship existing between the French-Canadians and Canadian delegates.

Warning to Beach Owners and Supervisors

The Province of Quebec Safety League reminds the public that swimming is responsible for nearly 300 drownings each year in the Province of Quebec alone, and in an effort to curtail same, has issued safety hints and warnings to beach owners and supervisors.

Each beach, especially public beaches, should be constantly supervised by one or more life guards who know how to render artificial respiration.

Access to dangerous areas should be strictly forbidden by means of safety barriers, warnings, notices, etc.

Beaches should be closed at night. Every beach should be provided with one or more life saving equipment, easy of access, including lifeboats, life belts, ropes, etc.

Each time a longboat or other type of rowing-boat is rented to someone, safety warnings should be given in what and what not to do when on the water.

The beach and wading area should be free of rubbish, such as broken bottles, thin-edged stones, wires, etc., which may cause accidents.

NEW BAMBOO INDUSTRY

NOGALES, Arizona—(CP)—The manufacture of bamboo lawn and garden rakes, to replace Japanese imports, has been started on a large scale in this border town. One hundred carloads of bamboo are being shipped from the adjoining Mexican state of Sonora to fill initial orders.

Obituaries

The Late Mrs. Thomas English

The death of Mrs. Thomas English, formerly Miss Isabella Wood, wife of the late Thomas English, occurred on June 5th, after a long and lingering illness. The deceased, who was in her 85th year, was a native of Hemmingford, Que. She leaves to mourn her loss one son, William, and two daughters, Mrs. W. Caldwell and Mrs. Lena Orr all of Barrington, Que., twenty-seven grand-children and seven great grand-children, of whom four grand-sons were pallbearers: Lloyd English, Fred, Earl and Norman Orr. Out of town attendants were: Mr. Hiram English, brother-in-law, Mrs. Jack Anger, Mrs. George Dumas, nieces of the deceased, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coke, all of Montreal. Mrs. D. Young, a grand daughter of St. Lambert; also Mr. George English and sister Mrs. St. Louis, of Ormstown. Funeral service was held in St. Luke's Anglican Church, Hemmingford, on June 7th, at 2:30. Service was conducted by Rev. Dawson, of Lacolle.

The Late Mrs. E. Arthur

On Tuesday, June 6th, there passed away in the Montreal General Hospital in the person of Mrs. Elizabeth Arthur, one who by her kindly, cheery nature had made more than the ordinary number of friends in her lifetime. For a number of years her health had not been good and at times she suffered greatly. Finally in the vain hope of bettering her condition she went to the Hospital but nothing could be done for her and the end came after a few days. Her niece, Mrs. Albert Murphy remained with her to the last. Born Elizabeth Hoyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoyer, she married John A. Arthur in 1897 and Rockburn was their home continuously. Mr. Arthur died in 1932. The funeral was held Friday afternoon in the Rockburn Church and service was conducted by the Rev. McBride of Riverfield in the absence of her pastor, Rev. H. Pritchard. Mrs. Arthur is survived by one brother, Mr. Wm. Hoyer, two nephews, Kermit in Atholstan and George in service overseas, four nieces, Mrs. Albert Murphy of Rockburn, Mrs. Leblanc in B.C., Mrs. Clarence Boyd of Newington, Ont., and Mrs. Edson Donnelly of Elgin. The funeral was largely attended by friends and relatives. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. Oliver, J. Sloan, W. Barr and Ernest Rennie, and interment was made in Hillside Cemetery.

The Late Francis J. McGinn

As of old God spoke to the young man in the Gospel "Come, follow me," so did He likewise summon His faithful servant, Francis James McGinn, to follow the dictates of his loyal young heart and leave his home, his country and all that he loved to serve his Maker by fighting for and finally laying down his life for his country.

He could, as many have honorably done, have served King and Country by remaining on his farm, but his great loyalty and love of country went far beyond that. He wanted front line action. He enlisted and was rejected in the Air Force in 1940, also in the Army but not accepted until October, 1942.

His training as a gunner in the heavy artillery took place at North Bay and Petawawa. From there he went to England in July 1943; then to Italy, where he died of wounds on May 23rd 1944. It is known that he fought at Ortona. Deceased was 30 years old.

Besides being a good soldier, a loyal citizen, a staunch Christian, Francis possessed a very pleasing manner which won for him many lasting friends.

He leaves to mourn his loss many relatives and friends, chiefly his mother, Mrs. Geo. Johnston, of Ortona, who has given 2 other sons to the service; his aunt and uncle Bertha and Edward McGinn, of St. Anicet, with whom he resided since 1918; two sisters, Vera of the teaching staff of St. Patrick's High School, Arvida, Que., Cassie of Ortona; two brothers, Driver Chas. McGinn in England since 1940; Donald, of Montreal, connected with

The late Mrs. M. L. Palmquist

Mrs. Maud L. Palmquist, wife of John A. Palmquist, 1064 Main St., Newington, Conn., passed away at her home, June 8th, 1944, after a long illness. She was born in Franklin Centre, Quebec, April 27 1888, the daughter of Fred Adams and Mary McDowell Adams, of Franklin Centre. She is also survived by two brothers, Wm. Adams and Herbert Adams, of Canister, N.Y.; one son, Wm. Ladieu, High School Principal of Concord, N.H.; one daughter, Lilian Jackson, of Nitro, Quebec, also five grandchildren.

The funeral was held at the Funeral Home of Taylor & Modeen, Hartford, Conn., on Saturday afternoon, June 10th, 1944. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery, Rev. Cramer & Caboniss officiating.

The Week At Ottawa

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Canada's shortage of manpower it will be necessary for employers and employees to co-operate to the fullest extent.

"We are going to have a tough time in the next six or eight months, but by working together and co-operating I am sure that we'll get by," Mr. MacNamara said.

One of those attending the meeting deplored the fact that many girls changed jobs in essential industries simply for "frivolous" reasons, such as "working with a friend" or "a change of scenery," and asked if some legislation could not be enacted to prevent this situation.

Women are not subject to "job freezing" regulations, since the government has taken the view that such a step was impracticable. Experience in the United States has shown that it is not feasible to "freeze" women workers in their jobs.

Members of the House of Commons were told last week that the duty of preparing for the return of service men and women to civilian life was the responsibility of every member and every political party.

In making this statement Penidons Minister Mackenzie said the government was ready to accept any reasonable and constructive changes in its re-establishment and rehabilitation programs.

Mr. Mackenzie spoke after second reading was given a bill establishing a veterans affairs department to handle all matters concerning service personnel. The reading ended a three-day debate on the bill, and paved the way for clause by clause study of the measure.

Defence Minister Ralston said the interest of the defence department in members of the forces would not end with their discharge. Steps already were being taken to protect their post-discharge interests.

Mr. Mackenzie said his department has had some experience in dealing with men discharged from service in this war. About 136,000 have been discharged to date. Out of the number some 13,215 have received pensions. The liability of the pensions amounted to \$6,795,593 as at the end of April 30 last.

Revenue Minister Gibson outlined the terms of a tax convention between Canada and the United States, designed to avoid double succession and estate taxation.

Finance Minister Isley told the House Friday he was not yet in a position to announce a definite date on which the budget would be brought down.

TO COMMAND SQUADRON

LONDON—(CP)—Rear-Admiral H. T. C. Walker, who lost his left hand at Zebrugga in the First Great War, has been given command of a Royal Navy cruiser squadron.

District Council Meeting

ST. ANICET COUNCIL

St. Anicet Council meeting held June 5th, 1944.

All the members present. Mr. Hildalla Caza, mayor and chairman.

The following bills were approved and ordered paid: J. D. Quenneville, \$2.00; Mrs. Charles Carriere, \$3.00; Ildori Quenneville, \$3.00; Denis Latrelle, \$2.15; Faubert Express, \$3.00; Albert Latrelle, \$26.40; Municipal Forms Reg'd., \$17.56.

At the nomination held on May 10th, the following councillors were elected by acclamation. Messrs. Albert Caza, Ovide Duhamel, Adrien Quenneville, Mr. W. L. Carr was named auditor for the municipality for the year ending December 31st, 1944.

Mr. Albert Quenneville was named appraiser in Mr. Edmond Carriere's place.

Mr. Ernest Mylle was named substitute in Mr. Adolphe Caza's place. The salary of the three appraisers and their secretary will be \$3.00 a day and the driver will receive \$3.00 extra. It was recommended that the appraiser raise the estimate of the properties to around 25%.

Mr. Alfred Primeau asked a new fence be built in the curve alongside the Quenneville road, the Council decided to have it built as soon as possible.

Mr. James Sylvestre asked for a permit to open a dance hall and a restaurant, the permit for the dance hall was refused.

The Council gave the authorization to clean the ditch alongside the following properties: Jos. Beaudry, around 10 acres, Planche road; Donat Valle, around 6 acres, Planche road; William Cartier, around 4 1/2 acres, Dundee road; and around 1/2 acre in St. Anicet village.

Following the meeting of the Mayors of Beauharnois, Huntingdon, Chateaugay, Soulanges and Val-d'Aud held Feb. 12th, a resolution was sent to the Provincial Government regarding the bridge between

Valleyfield and Coteau near Hydro, Quebec.

A delegation of the mayors of the above towns met Hon. Geo. E. Daneser, Minister of Roads and of Public Works, to obtain the bridge between Valleyfield and Coteau as soon as possible and mentioned that an estimate of the cost would be prepared by the engineers of the Dept. and this request would afterwards receive the Government's attention.

The St. Anicet Council would like very much to know the results of the engineer's findings as to the bridge between Valleyfield and Coteau.

The Council granted \$2. to Mr. Gilles Quenneville for burying a bull, found along the beach.

The Council granted \$200.00 to Mr. F. X. Quenneville to repair Leahy road.

The Mayor was not authorized to sign public assistance cards of Mrs. Antoine Caza and Hormidas Carriere.

Notice was given by councillor Ovide Duhamel that a by-law would be prepared and reviewed at the next meeting, June 15th, for the

opening of the Quenneville road to the St. Lawrence river.

The meeting is postponed till June 15th at 8 p.m.

SCHOOL NOTES

HUNTINGDON HIGH SCHOOL

Examinations are on in full swing. List of promotions of students Grades 1-5 appears in another column of this issue, while that of Grades 6-9 inclusive will appear in a subsequent issue.

War Savings Total for the School Term: October to June Inclusive: Total \$1,231.41. Of this amount Grade 6 scored the highest total, closely followed by Grade 5. This makes an average of about \$136.00 per month throughout the term.

Junior classes closed Thursday last. Others will finish this week, or early next.

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With Our Weekly Newspaper Representatives Overseas

THE NEW BLITZ
By R. P. MacLean

I wandered into a very small tobacco shop in London, one morning. The proprietor was abrupt. He did not think he had the brand I was looking for, and did not act as though he cared. Finally I said: "You're pretty pessimistic this morning." He agreed: "I am pessimistic. These raids are getting me down."

I argued with him: "I cannot understand that. Not after the way you British have taken the blitz. Where do you live?"

"I live over the shop," said the proprietor.

"Look," I said, "have you ever figured out what the odds are on your being hit in this little shop. Why it's thousands to one."

"Don't talk to me about odds," answered the pessimist. "I won the Irish Sweepstake."

That little incident seems a good introduction to an attempt to answer one of the questions most frequently asked since my return to Canada—"What about the air raids?"

First let's try to describe one and then talk of the why's and wherefores. Not that I have any hope of even giving a faint idea of what an air raid is like. Words are not quite suitable, especially my limited supply and combinations. Nor is radio, nor a movie camera, nor any reproduction unit known to man. You need sound and you need color and you need words and you need vision and, above all, you need something to create impressions.

Especially the feeling of helplessness. For above all that is the main emotion experienced in an air raid. They are dropping bombs, and there just is not a thing that you can do about it. If a bomb comes your way, you must just stand and take it. The people of London must be all fatalists today. Once during a raid I remember thinking that the old Presbyterian idea of predestination wasn't such a bad one.

We experienced between eight and ten raids. At first we were very annoyed because during our first week in London Jerry only came over on those nights when we were out of the city. We were beginning to wonder if he was deliberately avoiding us. It may have been just a coincidence, but following the day we thumbed our noses at him from the middle of the Dover Strait, he satisfied our curiosity in ample measure.

We were living on the top floor of one of London's swank hotels just across a famous thoroughfare which runs along an equally famous park. My room was a corner one, and so from it we had an almost unobstructed view of the southern half of the city.

Usually the siren went between nine and ten and we congregated in my window until the all clear went about an hour and a half later. I found the panorama of the raid something like the waters of a whirlpool, fascinating, drawing you to it. I seldom left the window.

One night early in the raid a "chandelier" suddenly appeared in the sky just a little to the left of the window and very close. The several lights attached to a parachute lighted the district for blocks around so that it was possible to read a newspaper.

As we watched we noticed that it was drifting towards us and presently it looked as though it would either come right in our window or land on the roof of our hotel.

At just about that time I suddenly realized that the purpose of that chandelier was to light up the target, and it was the mark upon which the planes would drop their bombs. And I did not feel happy. And about that time there was a terrific explosion and a fire—on the far side of the light. And another one not too far from us.

At about that time, too, we—I mean our defences—started to job what looked like big balls of red wool at the chandelier. At first we thought they were trying to hit the lights and it seemed a futile effort, but we soon discovered it was for a different purpose. And then, presently, smoke began to appear near the lights.

As I watched, within a period of fifteen seconds, I saw four large explosions on the perimeter of the southern horizon. Flames and black, angry smoke billowed heavenwards. The fires burned long.

Constantly the ack-ack shells were bursting in the moonlight sky, their thousands of flashes dimming the very stars themselves.

But even these were dimmed when the rocket guns were fired. Their bursts eclipsed the Toronto Exhibition fireworks display a hundred fold.

And through it all the long, white fingers of a hundred searchlights probed the heavens, weaving back and forth searching for the raiders. Occasionally one would pick a plane up and quickly twenty or thirty other beams would focus on the trapped plane and the lights would form a cone. At the tip of the cone the plane looked like a cabbage butterfly dancing around in a sunbeam, or a moth beating against a light. It would twist and swerve and weave to escape from the light and evade the ack-ack shells which quickly commenced bursting around it. Once we saw a plane hit and it burst into flame as it passed from our vision on its earthward dive.

To all this must be added the fires burning on the horizon—and nearer. Great, angry fires, red blotches in the night, billowing pillars of smoke heavenwards.

And one must add the noise. First

the low rumble of the distant thunder of the batteries on the outskirts of the city. Then the sharp cough of the nearer batteries. (Stick your head out of the window and feel the concussion sharp as a slap on the face.)

There is no word to describe the noise of the "Z" or rocket guns. It is something of a swish and whoop, but those words are too many, much. Imagine, if you can a million of the largest skyrocket you can picture. And imagine the noise these would make if they all went off at the same moment. That is as near as I can

you what the rocket guns sound used to it, and it is difficult to think of such a sound as being friendly. The ack-ack bark brings comfort; the rocket guns are terrifying, menacing, evil.

Occasionally there will come a lull in the crescendo of sound and new, small sounds hit your ears. You hear below as they pass about their business, raid or no raid. And a new sound is difficult at first to identify. Little bells? No. Hailstones on a tin roof? That is what you think of, but it cannot be that. Suddenly you realize it is our own flak, fragments of the ack-ack shells our batteries have hurled skyward, falling on the pavement of the famous street below.

Periodically a volume of unexplained shouts drift to you from the batteries across the park.

Suddenly, all activities seem to cease. The guns stop, the searchlights seem to pause, and there comes the roar of a bomber crossing the city. A German bomber. The thought isn't a pleasant one and you cock your ears in an attempt to judge the direction and the distance. You remember that it is AFTER a bomber has passed that the bombs come. A new shriller note is heard and you realize that THAT is one of our night fighters searching for the enemy plane.

By this time, the chandelier has drifted across the park and darkness is once again coming to your area. As you stand watching the fires, you hear the welcome sound of the "ALL CLEAR". You fix the blackout curtains on the window; turn on the light and go into the sitting room, wondering if you were looking as nonchalant as you would like to feel.

Hemmingford

Constable John Ellerton, of Foam Lake, Sask., and friend, Miss Carman Redford, of Yorkton, Sask., are spending a week's holiday, guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ellerton.

Mrs. Richard McKelvey and baby Kenney, of Arvida, are spending a month's holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kenney, at Hallerton. Mrs. Percy Porter, sister of Montreal, spent the week-end at the same home.

On Tuesday afternoon at 1:30, June 6th, D-Day, Prayers of Intercession were held at St. Andrew's United Church, conducted by Rev. R. C. Belbin. The teachers, junior and senior pupils of the Intermediate School, attended in a body.

Rev. R. C. Belbin, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, and Mr. R. J. M. Reid, Representatives at the Presbyterian meeting in Montreal, on Invasion D-Day.

Sgt. Paul Dugal, Mrs. Dugal and baby Janet are now in St. Thomas, Ont., where Sgt. Dugal is stationed for an indefinite time.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Thomas English (nee Bella Woods) of Barrington took place last Wednesday, June 7th, at the Anglican Church, Hemmingford. Rev. Dawson, of Lacolle, officiating, four grandsons acting as pall-bearers. The late Mrs. English, who was in her 85th year, passed away at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. English, where she was tenderly cared for during her short illness of only six weeks. Leaves to mourn her loss one son, William, two daughters, Mrs. Caldwell and Mrs. Orr, twenty-three grand-children and seven great-grandchildren. Her husband pre-deceased her some years ago. Remains were interred in the Hemmingford cemetery.

Miss Helen M. Whyte, of Montreal, has spent the past two weeks holidaying with friends in Plattsburg, N.Y., and Hemmingford.

It is understood that Pte. Albert Robert, who has been on sick leave for some time hospitalized in Utica, N.Y., is now discharged from the American Army.

Howick

A very successful Red Cross Tea was held at the attractive home of the President, Mrs. C. J. Fletcher, Friday, June 9th. A profusion of flowers, of all colors decorated the house. The dining room was in the mauve and yellow. Tea was poured by Mrs. Bingham and Mrs. Woodward. Mrs. W. E. Logan was in charge of the tea room. During the afternoon, Marion Craig and Annie Myers, impersonating Miss Canada, sold War Stamps to the value of \$16. The guessing of the number of cookies in a box, conducted by Mary Fletcher, afforded considerable amusement as well as a financial aid. The winner of the cookie box was Miss Jean Muir. A beautiful iced cake donated by Mrs. D. Elliot, with a number placed under the cake, was another interesting item of the afternoon's pleasure and the lucky winner was Annie Myers. Altogether the proceeds for the afternoon amounted to over \$64.

On Monday, June 12th, the Temperance Hall, Howick, was the scene of the Second Red Cross Blood Donor Clinic. The arrangements were made by the Georgetown, North and South Chateaugay Farm Forums. Dinner was served to the volunteer workers by the Howick Red Cross Branch. The Mobile Clinic was under the supervision of Mrs. Gauthier, of Mon-

Aubrey - Riverfield

Mrs. D. E. Black spent the past week visiting friends in Toronto, Ont.

Miss Muriel Robb, of London, Ont., spent a couple of days the past week, guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. Robb.

Sgt. Mildred Glen, C.W.A.C., of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Orr, Mrs. Ellen Carmichael was a Sunday guest at this home.

Mr. Edgar Orr spent Friday visiting friends in Montreal.

Mrs. D. Dillon and Joan of Ottawa are spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stacey. Miss Thelma Stacey, of Montreal, was a week-end guest at this home.

Mrs. Edna Reddick, of the Royal Victoria Hospital and the Misses Ruth and Hazel, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Reddick.

Mrs. K. Robson, of Montreal, spent several days the past week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Black.

Mr. W. Robert is convalescing at his home, the result of a horse stepping on his foot and crushing it.

Donald Reddick had the misfortune of having a valuable horse killed by lightning during the electrical storm of Friday night.

Mr. Flint Sr., of Montreal, is visiting friends at Riverfield at present. Mrs. (Rev.) D. E. Flint and children were guests at the C. W. Orr home on Sunday.

The W.M.S. of Riverfield Presbyterian church held their monthly meeting, on Tuesday, on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Orr with fifty ladies present, including guests from Tatemhurst. The meeting was in charge of the Y.W.A. and Mrs. James Stewart, of Georgetown, was guest speaker, taking as her subject the parable of the "Leaves and Fishes," showing from this the value of little things in impressing upon people the great truths of life. Special music "In the Garden" was beautifully rendered by the Y.W.A. and at the conclusion of the meeting afternoon tea was served.

The Sunshine Mission Band of Howick United Church met in the church hall, on Sunday, at 11 a.m., under the leadership of Mrs. Arnold McKelvey and Mrs. Everett Orr, with thirty-two members present. The Bible reading was taken by Anita Chisholm and prayer by Marion McKelvey. Interesting stories were told by the leaders, on Mexico and China. Collection amounted to \$14.41.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Orr and family, Sgt. Glen and Mrs. Ellen Carmichael called on Mrs. John Orr and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Steele, on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Russell Gruen of the Navy, presently stationed at Dow's Lake, Ottawa, was week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. A. Gruen.

About thirty persons assembled on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bennie, on Sunday evening for a Sacred Song service and Bible Quiz conducted by the Rev. K. Woodwork of Howick.

Sgt. and Mrs. R. Tanner and baby, and Miss Joyce Terry, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Robertson. Mrs. Tanner and baby remaining for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, of Rockburn, spent two days the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold McKelvey.

Miss Myrtle Forrester, of Ormstown, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hunter and Marilyn, of Montreal West, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. George Graham, of Ormstown, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Easton.

The Hannah Sevier Mission Band met in the Church Hall, on Sunday morning, under the supervision of Miss E. Robinson, with 16 members present. The story from the Study Book on India "The Foreign Lady," was read by Mrs. Aubrin Reddick.

The Misses Erma Reddick and Margaret Gamble were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Reddick.

Father's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Robinson were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Craig.

Trout River

Mr. J. J. Tannahill, Mr. and Mrs. Watson Tannahill spent Tuesday, June 13, in the city.

Guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Dear were Mr. Lewis Dear, of Massena; Mrs. Sandy Sutton and daughter Dorothy of Malone, N.Y.; Mr. Lloyd Allen, of Howick; Miss Marion Tobin and Gertrude, of Huntingdon; Mrs. MacDonald and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. MacDonald and Billie and Ronnie.

Mr. Ed. Jolly and little daughter Barbara, of N.D.G., were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Elder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter, of Huntingdon, were present at Church Service in Elgin Presbyterian Church on Sunday afternoon and were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Elder. Other callers at the same home in the evening were Mr. Andrew McParlane and sisters, Cora and Helen and Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Elder.

Mr. and Mrs. George St. Onge and children, of Val-des-Freres, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Carriere.

MINFIELD TRAGEDY

STOCKHOLM (CP)—Word has been received from Tromsø, Norway that Agnes and Elsaug Antonson, twin sisters, recently were walking with friends when they wandered into a field of landmines. One sister and one of the boys—Svar Nikolai Bjorn, 17—were killed instantly. The other sister died later.

Weekly War Commentary

Written specially for
The Huntingdon Gleaner
By MICHAEL O'MARA
Canadian Press Staff Writer

News of the opening of the long-awaited Allied invasion of Europe from the west and subsequent reports of the battle now raging in Normandy have driven news of the Italian campaign almost off the front page for the past two weeks.

With the fall of Rome to the Allies—less than two days before D-Day—and the news that the Canadian corps which had played an important part in the smashing of the Gustav and Hitler Lines was temporarily out of the firing-line, interest in the peninsular campaign waned.

It seemed to many that with the new battle joined in France, and Rome in Allied hands relatively unscathed, the fighting which was continuing north of the Italian capital was anticlimactic and of secondary moment.

But actually the present phase of the Italian campaign is just as important as the actions preceding the capture of Rome.

The Italian war is not a sideshow, even a large-scale diversionary operation designed to draw Rome German forces south while the main Allied armies hit from the west. It seems, rather, to be an integral part of a concentric plan of attack upon the Reich and the countries within its grip.

The Allied 5th and 8th British Armies as they move northward are units in the band of steel which is closing tighter and tighter about the Nazis.

The complexity of the campaign changed when Rome fell. Evidence points to the suggestion that although Field Marshal Kesselring may have conceded its eventual loss, he believed his forces could hold a line south of it for a considerable period.

Retreat Almost a Rout

When the 5th Army rapidly smashed German positions in the Volturno hills and drove into Rome June 4, the Germans retreated hastily, and the Allied armies, without pause, drove after them so sharply that what had opened as a reasonably orderly withdrawal by the Nazis has, on several occasions within the past fortnight, come close to being a complete rout.

Now the Allies are still cutting their way north, driving the bewildered and battle-weary Nazis ahead of them, gaining territory, and—of much greater importance—gaining prisoners and inflicting growing casualties on the enemy.

The Germans, with the aid of extensive demolitions, are seeking to delay the Allies until they can set up another defensive line pivoting about Pisa, Florence and Rimini. How long this line will hold, once it is assaulted, is problematical.

When it is breached, and the Nazi armies are driven back to the "bow" of the Apennines, there are three major possibilities for further Allied advance, barring the unlikely alternative of continuing the northward march.

General Alexander may call for a seaborne invasion of northern Italy through Ancona. He may cross the Adriatic to Dubrovnik, backdoor to the Balkans, or he may strike in the opposite direction, at Marseilles and the French Riviera.

The week-end announcement from Rome that a French force has landed on Elba, off the southeast coast at a point level with the Allied main-land line, perhaps indicates it is in France that the next blow in this theatre will be launched.

Meanwhile the Allies continued their rapid advance northward in Italy bringing them to a point 85 miles south of the German so-called Pisa-Florence-Rimini defence line. Grosseto, site of one of the Nazis' major military airdromes 100 air miles north of Rome, was captured by American troops. Its accommodations can be used to good advantage in harassing the northward retreat of the enemy. Air sorties from Allied bases in Italy were kept up against the Balkans and oil and industrial centres in Austria and Slovakia.

In Critical Position

The German position in the Cherbourg peninsula became increasingly critical over the week-end as American troops captured the strategic town of Saint Sauveur le Vicomte, 14 miles southeast of the Cherbourg seaport. The last rail escape route was thereby closed to the Nazis bringing the highway running along the west side of the peninsula under Allied bombardment and threatened the town of La Haye du Puits.

After terrific fighting in the Bayeux-Caen area the Canadian front was reported as comparatively quiet at the week-end. Further east, however, British troops at Troarn beat back an extremely heavy counter-attack with heavy loss to the enemy.

The King visited Allied invasion forces on the Normandy beachheads last Friday crossing the Channel in a cruise and landing from an amphibious "duck" just west of Courceilles where the Canadians stormed ashore on D-Day.

He lunched with General Sir Bernard Montgomery and before returning to England conferred the C.B.E. on Major-General R. F. L. Keller, commander of the Canadian 3rd Division in an air investment less than six miles behind the front lines.

In the war's second direct air attack on Japan American B-29 super-flying Fortresses bombed Yawata, centre of one-fifth of the country's steel production. They took off from bases in Western China on the

longest bomber flight ever made. Striking 500 miles south-west of Tokyo the huge Fortresses inflicted heavy damage which the Japanese are still trying to minimize.

The much-propagandized Nazi secret weapon struck at Britain in the past week. Scores of robot explosive planes were released from

emplacements in France which have been targets for Allied bombing for months. The 25-foot automatically propelled planes, believed to be launched from the Pas-de-Calais area in France, flying low and striking indiscriminately, are said to have done no important military damage.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

The Huntingdon Gleaner,

Dear Sirs,

Your reports on the milk supply of Huntingdon are incomplete, misleading to the public, and unfair to the producers named.

Except when supplying raw, or special milk city shippers are not required to ship milk with a uniformly low bacteria test, such as suggested in your report.

As no sediment test is included in your report, the charge that the producers are supplying milk below the standard of Montreal is equally unfounded, as their stables and dairies are better than the average city shipper. Your charge that shippers shut out of Montreal are supplying poor quality milk is incorrect as shippers may be shut out for any infraction of bylaws and in no case to my knowledge for the standard of their milk.

If the people of Huntingdon are willing to pay the extra three or four cents per quart for milk to cover extra labor and equipment costs needed to produce low bacteria milk, the producers can give them all the milk they can pay for, but we cannot supply milk of the standard asked for in your report under present labour conditions at the price now in effect.

Yours truly,
Milk Producer.

Water Faucets

Scour the water faucets with a slice of lemon, after the juice has been extracted. Then wash them and polish with a soft dry cloth.

Canadian Garden Service-1944 Series

By Gordon Lindsay Smith

Building Up Soil

The best builder for poor soil is well-rotted barnyard manure, according to the experts, but often this sort of material is difficult to obtain, especially for the average city Victory Garden. Sometimes, too, it is not very suitable, particularly where the garden is close to the house or where it must also serve as a playground for children.

In these cases a good garden chemical or commercial fertilizer is advised and this should be applied carefully according to directions. Often this material will burn tender flowers or vegetables. Experienced gardeners usually advise dissolving fertilizer in water and applying as a solution or sprinkling it up and down the rows, being careful to place it close to but not actually touching the roots.

Commercial fertilizer is generally regarded as a quick plant food which gives astonishing results. It will bring vegetables along quickly, thus assuring tenderness. It is also helpful in transplanting flowers, vegetables and nursery stock so that they get over the shock of moving.

To keep up fertility of old established gardens or build up light or poor soil, old gardeners usually dig in all weed growth and other humus, such as rotted sods from a special pile at the back of the garden. Straw manure well dug in and kept buried until it rots will gradually turn sand into a rich loam which will absorb and hold water and make ideal garden soil.

For Heavy Soil

Heavy land also benefits from dug in weed and other green growth. The experienced gardener in handling any sort of soil, but especially sandy ground or heavy clay, seldom throws away any weeds or grass clippings.

Move Things Around

Wherever possible gardeners rotate their vegetables from year to year. In other words the same part of the plot will not be used for exactly the same vegetable each season. They have sound reasons for doing this, the most important of which are better insurance against disease and depletion of soil fertility.

If, for instance, potatoes were grown on exactly the same ground year after year, then there will be danger of all sorts of potato diseases

living over the winter and getting worse each season. The particular plant food used by potatoes, too, will soon become exhausted. If moved around even a few feet there is more protection.

For Sale

SEWING MACHINES from \$25.00 to \$50.00, also second hand clothing. Apply to Mrs. G. N. Vachon, 58 Dalhousie, Huntingdon, Que.

FURINA moulée is the best for chicks, poultry, rabbits, dogs, etc. It is sold by Martine Lemieux, 35 Blvd. du Havre, Valleyfield.

DAY-OLD chicks (immediate delivery); 500 day-old mixed New Hampshire; 200 white Leghorns 1-day old; 200 brown Leghorns 1-day old; 300 mixed Barred Rocks 2-weeks old; 300 New Hampshire 2-weeks old; also 500 mixed clear Sussex for sale. Martine Lemieux, 35 Blvd. du Havre, Valleyfield.

ASPHALT SHINGLES and roof rocks; wall lining brick imitation. Apply A. Mainville, Ste. Barbe.

A 2-YEAR-OLD registered Ayrshire bull, coming from Agriculture School, Ste. Martine, Omer Leger, St. Louis River Road, St. Stanislas, Co. Beauharnois.

1927 MODEL T Ford 1/2-ton truck in good condition. No decent offer refused. Edward Galipeau, Blacksmith.

1 NEW mowing machine, McCormick-Deering, 6 ft. cut. Dalton J. Ross, Athelstan, Tel. 515.

A PUREBRED Jersey bull 6 years old. Telephone 2338. Oscar Dupuis, St. Anicet.

SILLO 15x24, saddle horse, pile of black wood, two purebred Holstein bulls. Gordon McClatchie, Phone 565, Athelstan.

75 ACRES of standing hay at the farm of Joseph Daigneault, 3 1/2 miles northeast of Ste. Martine, 1 1/2 miles from Bellevue Station.

PUREBRED Holstein bull 1 year old. Phone 2342, Chas. Todd, Huntingdon.

QUANTITY of Hemlock scantling and lumber. Also 75 cords of stove wood soft and hard maple. Will deliver large quantities. R. Wallace Craig, Tel. Howick 613-13, Riverfield, Que.

8 TUBE Rogers radio. Herman Galipeau, Huntingdon.

MOWING machine. Frost and Wood, five ft. cut, in perfect condition. Mr. Raymond Dubois, Telephone 2040, Huntingdon.

STANDING HAY on farm of Mrs. A. D. Cameron, 3 miles west of Cazaville, also International corn harvester. Dial 2458.

3 RANGE cook stoves, guaranteed good bakers. George Finnegan, Huntingdon. Dial 2204.

ONE TRAILER for sale. W. J. McCarty, Tel. 2352, Huntingdon.

COMFORTABLE CHAIRS, one sofa, 3 piece chesterfield set. All good furniture. Was made to order. Belgium Upholstering Co. Inc., 1467 McGill College Avenue, Montreal. Phone Marquette 8490.

FIVE MALE fox hound puppies. Alfred Goyette, Plank Road, Huntingdon.

1 MASSEY-HARRIS mower 6 ft. cut, one rubber-tired buggy 2 seats, 200 ft. of 1/2 in. rope, 1 purebred Holstein bull 2 years old. Glen Muir, Howick.

A QUANTITY of buckwheat, also a quantity of oats mixed with a small amount of barley and buckwheat. Phone 938.

1 FRESH Holstein cow. Arch Hayter, Huntingdon. Phone 715.

1 ELTO EVINUDE out-board motor, 4 1/2 horsepower. Newly overhauled. Apply Osias Hart, Dundee, Que.

Farm For Sale

FARM comprising 185 acres, 60 under cultivation, 50 acres in wood, about 1000 maples. Good stone dwelling house with large porch and beautiful lawn with flowers and shrubs, bathroom and electricity, also a smaller house for help. Rural delivery, 1/4 miles from school, milk delivered every morning by truck to Montreal. Good barns and new silo, orchard. Will sell with stock and machinery or without. Apply to Arthur A. Peacock, St. Bernard de Lacolle, R.R. 1, Quebec.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT

A FARM of 150 acres, situated 2 miles from Huntingdon. Good barns, near the river. Good condition. Sale on account of sickness.

Adrien Brisebois,
Huntingdon, Que.

For Sale or Rent

100 ACRES FARM with or without the stock. Good barns. Good condition. Apply to Wilfrid Sauvé, Beck Ridge, Huntingdon.

For Sale

TWO glass showcases 4 1/2 feet long. Tedstone's Bakery, Huntingdon.

BOOK—127 Plans for additional income. Details Free. Weeks Agency, 3622 Workman St., Montreal, Quebec.

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1937 WILLYS car, 5 good tires. Albert Laporte, 83 Wellington Street, Huntingdon.

ELEVEN five-week old pigs. Antoine Latrelle, Huntingdon. Phone 587, Route 2.

ONE five foot Deering binder in A1 condition. New canvases. Phone 2345, Huntingdon.

ONE YOUNG Ayrshire bull, 18 months old. T. L. Irving, La Guerre, Telephone 879.

1 GOOD second-hand bicycle. Eldon Myatt, Dial 704.

TWO 6 ft. mowers, one Deering, one Massey-Harris, both in good condition. Lincoln J. West, Howick, Que.

2 GRADE Ayrshire milk cows blood tested, 1 piano box buggy, in good condition. Apply Pernie Beattie, Hemmingford.

A QUANTITY of seed Buckwheat free from all weeds. J. D. Bryson and Sons, Allan's Corners, Que.

CHEVROLET SEDAN 1931, 3 horses and one binder. Apply W. Dupuis, Glenelg, 1 1/2 miles from Athelstan Station.

3 HEIFER calves about five weeks old, 1 yearling heifer, 100 broilers about 2 1/2 to 3 lbs. Emile Lauzon, Cazaville. Telephone 798.

OLDSMOBILE 8, coupe convertible, good tires, will consider exchange. Apply Pont-Masson Restaurant, Nitro.

50 BUSHELS of seed buckwheat. Glen Orans, Ormstown, Tel. 611 r 15.

Wanted

FOR THE month of July a boarding home on farm for two 12-year-old city boys where they may pay and work for board. Box No. 479, Huntingdon.

A MAN to work on farm, no milking. Apply to Alex Evans. Telephone 984.

WANTED—Bass wood, poplar and birch logs for export to England. Bernard O'Connor, Phone 641, Huntingdon.

HOUSE, from 4 to 7 rooms, in Huntingdon or vicinity. Apply P. O. Box 518 or Phone 461, Huntingdon.

JERSEY COWS in exchange for Holsteins. Gordon McClatchie, Phone 565, Athelstan.

To Rent

4 LARGE furnished bedrooms. Apply Arthur Blanchette, Ormstown.

ROOM to rent. Apply 40 Wellington St., Huntingdon.

TWO comfortable furnished rooms. Mrs. Norbert Lanctot, Huntingdon.

Lost

ONE RATION BOOK, motor cycle, number 1759. Telephone 778, Carman Perkins.

Strayed

STRAYED from the pasture of Harry Currie a 2 year old Holstein heifer. Finder please notify Thomas Stowell, St. Agnes de Dundee.

For Sale Upholstering

3 PIECE chesterfield set re-upholstered with material supplied from \$85. Slip Covers from \$60. Draperies made to order. Write to Belgium Upholstering Company, 1467 McGill College Avenue, Montreal, or Phone Ernest LeFebvre, Huntingdon for free estimates. Phone 471.

NOTICE

A few Renfrew kitchen ranges for June delivery.

Renfrew Machinery Company
Lyall J. Graham,
Local Representative
TELEPHONE 2289, HERDMAN

Sales by F. J. Donnelly

Hay Sale

SALE of standing hay, on the farm of late A. W. Small, Elgin, on Friday, June 23, at 2 o'clock P.M. Fred Donnelly, auctioneer. Terms: Cash. John Small.

AUCTION SALE

To be sold by public auction at the residence of Hugh Casey about 2 miles northeast of O'Neill's corner and about 4 miles west of Ste. Barbe-Delmont road, on Monday, June 26, the following property:

44 head of Ayrshire cattle, 42 of which are purebred registered consisting of 19 milk cows—14 fresh, 6 due to freshen in July and August, 3 2-year old heifers, 11 yearling heifers, 1 3-year old registered bull, 1 4-year old purebred Clyde mare due to foal shortly, 1 3-year old filly, 7-year old horse, 2-year old colt, 3 brood sows, 1 to farrow shortly, 18 young pigs, 30 hens, broadcast seeder, 17 tooth 2 wheel grubber, 13 tooth grubber, spring tooth harrows, smoothing harrows, 2 double wagons, double sleighs, manure sleigh, cutter, prong sleigh, 1 model A McCormick-Deering rubber tired tractor in perfect condition, new gang plow, walking plow, disc plow (P. & W.), cultivator, grain binder nearly new, McCormick-Deering new hay loader, hay dump rake, side delivery rake, McCormick-Deering circular saw, feed grinder, cream separator 900 lbs. capacity, I.H.C. 2 1/2 horse power engine, pump jack, 2 power belts 20 feet, horse fork and rope new, wheelbarrow, vise and work bench, jack screw, corn planter, gas drum, 2 buggy poles, 200 lbs. scales, 2 hay racks, manure spreader, tractor discs, Studebaker sedan in good condition, fanners, grindstone, forks, chains, shovels, 9 8-gallon milk cans, milk pails, double and single harness, etc. All to be sold without reserve as the farm is sold. Terms of sale: Cash. Sale to commence at 11:30 A.M. sharp.

"Herd tested for T.B. and free listed for Bang's Disease."

F. J. DONNELLY, Auctioneer.

SALE by E. A. Benoit
AUCTION SALE
At the residence of Marcel Hebert, St. Urbain, three miles west of St. Urbain Village on Bean River road on Tuesday, June 27, 1944.

The following property: 8 nice grade Ayrshire and Holstein cows, yearling heifer, yearling bull, five year old mare 1200 lbs., six year old mare 1400 lbs., binder, seeder, mowing machine, rake, roller, mowing rack, sleigh, buggy, cutter, milk wagon, double furrow plow, single plow, disk, spring and levelling harrows, cultivator, scales, DeLaval separator, cans, double and single harness, lot of oats, robes, blankets, dining room set, bedroom set, bureau, tables, chairs, pictures, cook stove, furnace, baby carriage, and a lot of other articles useful about a farm. All to be sold without reserve as the farm is sold and Mr. Hebert is moving away.

Conditions: Cash. Sale at 12 o'clock sharp.

E. A. BENOIT, Auctioneer.

Sale by T. J. Graham
AUCTION SALE
On Thursday, June 29, at the residence of Miles Towns, half mile west of Franklin Centre on 52 Highway. The following property:

Set double harness, single harness, buggy, cutter, box sleighs, fanning mill, horse rake, mowing machine, 2 double wagons, hay rack, express wagon, seeder, land roller, disc harrow, smoothing harrow, plows, 19 acres of standing hay, potato shovel and cultivator. Numerous small articles not mentioned. All to be sold without reserve. Terms of sale: Cash. Sale at 1 P.M.

T. J. GRAHAM, Auctioneer.

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Teacher Wanted
For School No. 2, in the township of Elgin, term 10 months. School to open Sept. 1. Salary \$75. per month. Applicants must state qualifications, number of years experience, and give examining board from whom they receive diplomas. Applications received by the undersigned.

E. C. EWING, Sec.-Treas.
Glenelg, Que.
March 22.

NOTICE

Re Estate of the late William James Stewart, in his lifetime of the Township of Elgin, farmer.

All persons having claims against the above estate or owing thereto, are respectfully requested to file same within 15 days either to

Mrs. William James Stewart, Glenelg, Executrix, or to Lucien Bailargeon, Notary, Huntingdon.

SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED

We repair all kinds of Sewing Machines and carry parts for same.

A. Savard

Phone 655 — 55 Dalhousie St.
Huntingdon

International Harvester Machinery Parts

In order to avoid disappointment and possible delays it would be appreciated if the public wishing genuine International Harvester machinery parts would order early.

J. H. Leahy, Agent
Phone 1 r 2
Hemmingford, Que.

59th Annual Farmers' BASKET PICNIC Dominion Day, July 1st

Greig's Grove, Cairnside

MUSIC BY GLENGARRY HIGHLANDERS

Games of all kinds for young and old. Running and jumping. Softball for boys and girls. Teams wishing to enter must have their entries in by June 28th at 8:30 p.m. so as to make the draw at our meeting in the Fertile Creek Community Hall. Tea will be provided, bring sugar.

SPECIAL SPEAKERS WILL ADDRESS THE GATHERING

Hon. John Bracken

Leader of the Progressive-Conservative Party will attend the picnic.

Come Early and Enjoy the Day Under the Maples.

T. MASON GREIG, President DAVID T. NESS, Secretary, Howick

BEAUTY PARLOR NOTICE

My Beauty Parlor will be closed from Saturday, July 1st to Monday, July 10th, inclusive.

Salon Noëlla

Mrs. Achille Laberge,
Phone 474
HUNTINGDON, QUE.

NOTICE

The directors of the Mutual Fire Assurance Co. of St. Joseph Godmanchester, announce to their members that Mr. J. A. D'Aoust, R. R. No. 3, Huntingdon, has been appointed Secretary to replace Mr. J. O. Michaud who has completed his engagement with the Company and is now retiring.

DAVID SAUVE, Chairman.

START IN YOUR OWN PART TIME BUSINESS

If you have been laid off in a war plant, if your farmwork or other occupation does not take all of your time, if you are honest and dependable, military exempt, willing to work for financial independence, we'll establish you in your own part time business, supplying household and farm necessities. Suitable travel outfit required. Credit furnished. Write The J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. Q-H-1, Montreal, Que.

Baby Chicks

Our last hatch coming off on June 21. Any person wanting chicks please get in touch with us immediately.

Co-op. Hatchery Ormstown

Telephone 98-2 Ormstown, P.Q.

Retail Delivery Notice

During the months of July and August our retail store (28 Nicholson St.) will close Saturdays at 12:00 noon, and all deliveries in the City of Valleyfield on Saturday afternoons will be discontinued.

McDonald & Robb Limited

Valleyfield, Que.

DANCE

Sylvestre's Point

Thursday, June 22nd

BURTON HEWARD'S 6-PIECE BAND

Dancing 9.00 to 2.00

ADMISSION: 50 CENTS

And Every Following Thursday

The First Ten Couples Free of Charge

No Cover Charge

SEALED TENDERS

Will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Friday, June 30th, 1944, for the sale of the steel detention cage. In the County Building, Town of Huntingdon.

(Address) James E. Barrett, County Secretary, Huntingdon, Que.

NOTICE

Re Estate of the late Elizabeth Hoyer, widow of the late John Arthur, in her life time Hinchinbrook.

All persons having claims against the above estate or owing thereto are respectfully requested to file same within 15 days, either to

Wm. J. Hoyer, Executor, or Hector Crete, Notary, Ormstown.

NOTICE

We are willing to give to experienced farmer having an empty barn with good pastures a good dairy herd and eventually hogs in care at reasonable terms. Apply office Huntingdon Gleaner, R.R.B.S.

Fall Cows Wanted

Pure Breds and Grades Due to freshen from June to November Also two-year-old heifers.

D. J. ROSS
Phone 515-Athelstan

Barn Dance

EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT

At

Paul's Barn

Music by

Golden Bar Rangers

Admission 50c. per Couple

Extra Lady 25c.

Refreshments on Sale

Valleyfield Arena

Barn Dance

Every

Saturday Night

DANCE

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28

The Aubrey Curlers will hold their Annual Open Air Dance on ANDREW BENNIE'S LAWN Riverfield, Que.

Should weather be unfavorable, it will be held the following night, June 29

Admission: Gents \$1.00, Ladies Free Fisher Orchestra — Lunch Free

O'CONNOR THEATRE

HUNTINGDON QUE.

Friday-Saturday

June 23-24

Tuesday-Wednesday

June 27-28

"Girl Crazy"

Musical

MICKEY ROONEY JUDY GARLAND

TOMMY DORSEY and his orchestra.

It's tuneful, it's romantic, it's funny.

News - Cartoon

Saturday Night: Last Chapter of "OVERLAND MAIL"

Sunday-Monday

June 25-26

"In Our Time"

IDA LUPINO PAUL HENREID

NANCY COLEMAN MARY BOLAND

A shy English girl and a Polish Count stir the hearts of the Polish people and they'll stir yours too.

News - Cartoon

"Meet the People"

Musical Comedy

LUCILLE BALL DICK POWELL

The ways are greased with chuckles, laughs and melodies.

March of Time

"SWEDEN'S MIDDLE ROAD"

Cartoon

Thursday

June 29

"Tu es toujours dans mon cœur"

French Version of

"ALWAYS IN MY HEART"

KAY FRANCIS WALTER HOUSTON

Episode No. 1 New Serial

"THE PHANTOM"

Cartoon

Sunday, Tuesday and Saturday, show starts at 8.00 p.m.
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, continuous show from 6.00 to 11.00 p.m.
Matinee — Saturday and Sunday at 2.00 p.m.

HUNTINGDON UNITED CHURCH

REV. THOS. KNOWLES, Pastor

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Morning Service 10.30 o'clock

Subject:

"Christ's Great Gift to Mankind"

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