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SIX ALLIED ARMIES LAUNCH GREAT DRIVE

Disbandment Of Air Training Plan Announced

Gateway To Rhine Smashed By 3,500 Planes, Greatest Fleet To Go Into Single Operation

Germans Reported Withdrawing To Their Defence Lines East of Maas River—Cologne Only 35 Miles Away—Enemy Caught Off Balance.

By WILLIAM FRYE,
Associated Press Staff Writer.

London, Nov. 17. (AP)—Six Allied armies, committed to what may be the last great battle in Western Europe, advanced virtually shoulder to shoulder today against the battered German Army.

The British 2nd Army reached the Maas River bend near the German border with the capture of Buggenum, three miles north of Roermond. British rearguards were only four and a half miles from the German frontier at the nearest point in the Venlo-Roermond sector, Wessem, on the Maas, four and a half miles southwest of Roermond, also fell.

The Germans were reported withdrawing to their defence lines east of the Maas River.

The U. S. 1st and 9th armies, driving from their five-to-ten-mile breach in the Siegfried Line, punched out gains of one to two miles toward the Rhine.

A field dispatch from the 9th Army sector said possibly a dozen German towns were captured yesterday in the first day of its attack near Geilenkirchen, while the 1st Army surged eastward from Aachen in gains that averaged up to two miles in the initial thrust.

The bombs and guns of nearly 6,000 Allied planes plus a thundering artillery barrage, began the assault which massed the force of two entire armies on a front nearly fifteen miles wide.

Fighting on German soil, and aimed at the heart of Germany's industrial Rhineland with Cologne only 35 miles away, the two armies apparently caught the enemy off balance while German divisions were preparing an attack on the 1st Army at Aachen.

While the tank-led troops of the 1st Army pushed their breach of the Siegfried Line deeper, the 9th rolled forward through the towns of Immerod, Floerdingen, Euchen and Bergendorf, all east of Geilenkirchen, and representing advances of about a mile.

In Lorraine, where the U. S. 3rd Army was closing in on Metz, German prisoners disclosed that the enemy was getting set for a last-ditch defence of Metz, with the Gestapo training guns on the garrison.

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GERMANS FITTING UP U-BOATS TO LAUNCH ROCKETS AT AMERICA

London, Nov. 17. (AP)—Reports that the Germans have been fitting up submarines with launching devices capable of directing flying bombs against North American cities have been current in London and Stockholm for the last twenty-four hours.

Walter Farr, London Daily Mail correspondent in Stockholm, "broke" the story, but the same report was current in London many hours before it could be published. Farr said both surface and underwater vessels were being fitted along the Norwegian coast as robot bomb launchers. The London report mentioned only submarines.

Farr said he was informed that both the U-Boats and surface craft were fitted to fire robot bombs from their decks "against such targets as New York, Philadelphia or towns farther inland in America."

TERRAIN SOUTH OF RAVENNA IS BEING FLOODED

Germans in Adriatic Coastal Sector of Italy Blow Up Banks of Fiumi Uniti Canal and Send Flood Waters Over Territory.

Rome, Nov. 17. (AP)—German forces in the Adriatic coastal sector of Italy have blown up the banks of the Fiumi Uniti Canal and caused further floodwaters to sweep over terrain south of Ravenna, today's Allied communiqué said.

British 8th Army troops again improved their forward position to the north and west of fallen Forlì. Further west Polish units of the 8th have taken the village of Conversano, northwest of Castellaneta, and into contact with strong enemy positions on Monte Castelluccio.

British troops yesterday were reported within five miles of Faenza in the region of San Martino di Valtorta, north of the Bologna-Rimini road, while to the south they captured the town of Pettignone.

British and Indian troops of the Allied 5th Army occupied Modigliana, important road junction nine miles south of the Bologna-Rimini highway town of Faenza, in the wake of a surprised German withdrawal after a week-long vigorous defence.

On the town had been thrown back by desperately-fighting Germans. When British and Indian troops moved in yesterday they found the

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German Westwall Troops and Defences in Front of Three Allied Armies Bombed With More Than 13,000 Tons of Bombs as Great Offensive Launched.

By HENRY B. JAMESON,
Associated Press Staff Writer.

London, Nov. 17. (AP)—More than 3,500 planes, the greatest air fleet ever to go into a single action in direct support of an army, blasted the gateway to the Rhine for five hours yesterday in an earth shaking curtain raiser to Gen. Eisenhower's new winter offensive.

German Westwall troops and defences in front of three Allied armies were bombed with more than 13,000 tons of bombs, and field dispatches reported that before nightfall hundreds of stupefied prisoners had been taken.

While the weather was not altogether favorable, the bombing was described as more effective and better concentrated in places than at either Caen or St. Lo where similar "carpet bombing" attacks touched off spectacular land offensives.

Approximately 2,400 heavy bombers, in two separate mass attacks, laid more than 11,000 tons of fragmentary and anti-personnel bombs into an L-shaped area 15 miles long and 10 miles deep northeast of Aachen.

More oil was poured on the fire by hundreds of medium and fighter bombers that buzzed in and out over the battlelines like bees.

Together they hammered a huge arc around the Geilenkirchen sector, plastering at least twelve German towns, miles of highways along which enemy troops were dug in, dozens of gun positions and numerous communication facilities.

Most of the bombers dropped 260-pound fragmentation bombs in order not to crater the ground and impede the advance of troops.

An armada of 1,200 American Flying Fortress and Liberator bombers carpeted areas around the towns of Julich, a heavily fortified town halfway between Cologne and Aachen, Heinsberg, a few miles north of Eschweiler, directly in the path of the advancing armies.

Some of the escorting fighters also strafed enemy transport in the Frankfurt and Glessen regions, destroying 20 locomotives, 92 railway cars and three trucks.

The massive attacks went unchallenged by the Luftwaffe. Of all the American 8th and 9th Air Force planes participating five heavy bombers and twelve fighters were reported missing.

R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. losses had not been announced at noon today, probably due to the fact some planes damaged by flak landed at bases on the continent.

U. S. 15th Air Force bombers from Italy, which gave an assist to the western drive yesterday with an attack on railway yards at Munich, were reported over the lower Danube region again today.

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DOMINION AIR LINE REQUESTS TO BE MODEST

American, Canadian and British Delegates Still in Deadlock Over Form of International Co-operation to Be Agreed Upon.

By C. R. BLACKBURN,
Canadian Press Staff Writer.

Ottawa, Nov. 17. (AP)—Canada's application for international air routes will be "modest," it was learned at the air conference here today, unless the pattern for world control of aviation is "frozen" at the start.

In that event, it was learned officially, Canada's immediate file of application for operating routes will be "more ambitious" but there is no expectancy that any attempt will be made to restrict applications to a time limit.

As a matter of fact it seemed doubtful today if there would be any immediate decision on a pattern for control of international civil aviation.

The nine-man committee, three each from Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States, remained deadlocked over efforts which started last Sunday in private session to iron out wide differences of

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PLOTTING ROOM FOR D-DAY SEEN BY KING GEORGE

His Majesty Visits the Underground Headquarters Where Operations During Invasion of France Were Concluded.

By LOUIS WULFF,
Reuters Staff Writer.

Portsmouth, England, Nov. 17. (AP)—In a room 100 feet underground, the King yesterday saw the "plot" of the Allied invasion of Western Europe as it was at 4:30 a.m. D-Day, June 6th.

The King stood in the plotting room of combined headquarters in the Portsmouth command where the whole of the naval side of the invasion was planned and directed.

With Commander G. Bellars, chief of Staff to the Commander-in-Chief of Portsmouth, Admiral Sir James Little, the King walked down the 153 steps leading to the air-conditioned, steel-lined underground headquarters.

Eight Wrens and a member of the W.A.A.F. sat around the plotting table at their telephones, as on D-Day. On the table was a large-scale map of the English and French coasts and the Channel, criss-crossed with yellow and red lines and other markings, indicating the convoy routes and the passage of ships on D-Day.

Colored cardboard squares with code names and numbers showed the positions of the landing craft and their escorts. In front of each Wren were the names of the stations to which their telephones were connected.

From this room, the King was told, more than 5,000 signals were sent out on D-Day, and more than 450 servicemen, some of them only eighteen years old, were on duty night and day.

The King made a thorough exploration of the whole headquarters.

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Statement By Power Contains No Indication Of Plans For R.C.A.F. In Pacific Theatre

By JACK BRAYLEY,
Canadian Press Staff Writer.

Ottawa, Nov. 17. (AP)—No extension of the big Commonwealth Air Training Plan after its March 31 expiration date, its succession by a "shadow" scheme of small dimensions and partial demobilization of the R.C.A.F., were announced today by Air Minister Power.

His announcement came after a report last week that the last air crew graduate had gone overseas and that men now in the training scheme would complete their courses and join those just graduated in a civilian reserve. The report—borne out by today's announcement—predicted the end of the plan March 31 and the cut in active personnel.

Previously Maj. Power had announced discharge of 4,200 air crew men waiting to start training, amalgamation of training commands, a cut in the Air Council and the closing down of many stations and landing fields.

Today's nine-page announcement contained no hint as to what the air force plans to contribute to Pacific operations, although a statement in regard to requirement estimates says that "provisions had to be made for personnel in the Japanese war." Another section of the statement referred to the northwest staging route and said it "may yet be of vital importance in the next phase of the war."

In connection with Pacific plans, Air Vice-Marshal L. P. Stevenson is home from the East Asia theatre to take part in the planning and conditions and planners are going ahead with preparations for the switch of effort which will follow the end of the war with Germany. It has been estimated that fifteen of the R.C.A.F.'s forty-five overseas squadrons will be put on a standby basis.

As for a permanent post-war R.C.A.F., its composition—depending on Canada's participation in post-war world security—won't be decided "for at least a year."

The need for the drastic curtailment programme is explained by a huge surplus of aircrew built up by a plan that was gauged on higher casualties than were actually suffered and the unpredictable course of the war.

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COMMISSION TO STUDY TAXES ON CO-OPERATIVES

Two Groups Will Report Later to Federal Government on Any Modification of the Tax Burden Thought Necessary.

Ottawa, Nov. 17. (AP)—Two commissions have been appointed to inquire into the tax position of co-operative enterprises and the taxation of annuities and similar kinds of payment.

The commissions, formation of which was announced last night by Finance Minister Fliley, will report later to the Government on any modification of the tax burden thought necessary.

The co-operative enterprises commission will be headed by Mr. Justice Errol McDonald, of Montreal, justice of the Quebec Court of King's Bench, and will investigate the present position of co-operatives and that of their competitors, under the Income War Tax Act and the excess profits tax.

Its members will include Jean Boake Carter, 46-year-old radio commentator first gained recognition for his broadcasts of the Lindbergh kidnapping case.

Hollywood Nov. 17. (AP)—Boake Carter, 46-year-old radio commentator, whose frequently provocative programmes won him thousands of friends and opponents, died suddenly last night.

He appeared to be in good health but complained of feeling ill after his daily programme for Mutual Broadcasting System yesterday. Taken to a doctor's office, he suffered a stroke and died shortly after he was admitted to hospital.

Dr. Elmer Belt said that Mr. Carter came into his office complaining he had been suffering from a kidney ailment and that he had the first such attack eight days ago in Kansas City.

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In 1927 he married Beatrice Olive Richter, assistant society editor of the Philadelphia Bulletin. They had two children but were divorced in 1941 and he married Paula Nicoll, a traffic manager for Mutual Broadcasting System.

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While not mentioned specifically, it is assumed Canadians in the R.A.F. are included in the programme. The aims and objects of the plan, Maj. Power said, were to "provide the personnel to secure and maintain air superiority and air supremacy in every theatre of war. This purpose has been accomplished."

Here, briefly, is the picture: 1. Britain no longer requires aircrew from the plan and, in fact, has cancelled sailings of trained personnel waiting at embarkation depots. It has been reported that the last aircrew personnel went overseas four weeks ago.

2. Australia and New Zealand—partners in the plan—have stopped sending trainees to Canada. Their men in the training scheme will eventually go to Pacific operations.

3. All recent and future aircrew graduates—estimated to number 10,000—who have not received operational training will be given a month's notice, released from active service and transferred to a civilian reserve.

4. The reserve will be liable for recall during hostilities for refresher training and will be entitled to mustering-out benefits on release.

5. The graduating civilian reserve will be accorded non-commissioned or commission rank depending on their merit.

6. Training plan instructors will supply the small flow of aircrew needed to keep operational training units active as the plan's schools close up behind them.

7. Aircrew instructors, who because of age—over 35 for squadron leaders and over 32 for Flight Lieutenants and under—and a medical category that cannot be employed overseas, will be released.

8. Aircrew completing an operational tour have a choice of demobilizing or taking over administrative work to replace non-flying personnel. If they don't succeed as administrators and can't be employed on flying duties, they will be released. However, they are not precluded from joining a post-war R.C.A.F.

9. Non-flying officers may apply for demobilization when repatriates

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WOMAN WILL BE QUESTIONED IN DOUBLE MURDER

Police to Make Effort to Ascertain Whether Murderer Tried to Lure Third Woman to Similar Death as Two First Victims.

Los Angeles, Nov. 17. (AP)—A woman will be questioned by police today in an effort to determine if Otto Steve Wilson, 31-year-old janitor, was attempting to lure her to the same death which he has stated in a signed confession was the previous fate at his hands of two other women—slaying and mutilation.

Wilson was chatting at a bar with the third woman Wednesday when a patrolman handcuffed and arrested him shortly after the bodies of two other women were discovered in separate hotels.

Capt. Thad Brown, head of the police homicide bureau, said Wilson, discharged navy pharmacist's mate, told him he "didn't know what I might have done to her." Her name was not disclosed.

Wilson's confession, said the authorities, disclosed that he choked 26-year-old Virgie Lee Griffin to death Tuesday evening and stayed up all night drinking whisky and mutilating her body with a nine-inch knife. He said he went to see a horror movie starring Boris Karloff the next day then picked up 38-year-old Lillian Johnson in a bar, took her to a hotel room and mutilated her.

Wilson, in his confession, said that after he had strangled and cut Mrs. Griffin "a kind of craze had gotten hold of me. I don't know how to explain it," he added. "I sort of got a thrill every time I thought about the murder. All the people in the show were sitting around me and not one of them knew I had killed a person."

"After I got out of the show that sort of kill lust came over me again. I went to a bar and met Mrs. Lillian Johnson."

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Senate Leader Criticizes King

Montreal, Nov. 17. (AP)—Senator C. B. Bantyne, Progressive Conservative Leader in the Senate, said last night he could not understand why Prime Minister Mackenzie King did not summon the Senate to meet when he called on members of the House of Commons to gather in Ottawa November 22.

Because of the exigencies of war, a rule had been adopted at the end of each session foregoing prorogation in the usual manner, simply adjourning at the call of the Speaker of each House, Senator Bantyne said.

There was no denial that a great crisis existed due to the lack of reinforcements to the Canadian forces overseas and, therefore, both branches of Parliament should have been summoned to deal with the question instead of the Commons alone.

There were many men of experience in the Senate and their views could well clarify a situation which was "far from clear at the moment."

There still are unknown quantities to conjure with. One is the great Allied airborne army, which includes the paratroops. This outfit is likely to be dropped behind the enemy somewhere. Then, too, Allied engineers have the habit of repairing equipment for river crossings well in advance of the event. Both these are worth keeping in mind.

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Americans Drive To Within Rifle Range Of Ormoc Road

General MacArthur's Headquarters, Philippines, Nov. 17. (AP)—Slogging forward through tropical rains today, American troops on Leyte were within small arms range of the Ormoc road behind the Japanese forward line and were threatening momentarily to cut off enemy forward units.

With American long-range artillery hammering the 26-mile corridor which remains to the Japanese, and American air fighters ranging the skies overhead, enemy dead mounted steadily. Rains were slowing the action.

A Japanese sniper bullet wounded Brig.-Gen. Claudius M. Easley, assistant commander of the 96th Division. Gen. Easley, a colorful Texan, was tramping through front line positions when he was struck. He was the first American general officer to be wounded in this campaign.

Gen. MacArthur announced complete occupation of tiny Pagan Island in the Mapi group just north-west of New Guinea, thus eliminating

The War Today

By DeWITT MACKENZIE,
Associated Press War Analyst.
This looks like the big moment for which we've been waiting—Gen. Eisenhower's all-out drive to crack the formidable Rhenish defences and administer the coup de grace.

It shouldn't be long now—if the weather lets the Allies go ahead with the job—before we have a good idea of how much steel is left in the Nazi backbone.

Field Marshal von Rundstedt may have 500,000 men with which to meet the terrific weight being hurled against his 450-mile battle-line that stands between the Allies and victory. If that's a correct estimate it means the Germans are outnumbered by probably five to one—maybe more. The Allies are supreme in the air and their striking power in all other categories is superior.

We should have a false picture, however, if we left it there. The Nazis are banking heavily on the strength of their Rhineland defences to impede the Allied drive. The deeply-fortified area between the Allies and the Rhine presents a great barrier, and the wide, swift river itself is a terrific obstacle.

Let's not underestimate the task facing the gallant boys who at this moment are driving through knee-deep mud, under rain and sleet, straight into the enemy fire. It's likely to be a cruel route through that Rhenish valley which in times of peace is so quiet and lovely. Success won't be cheap.

We back here on the home front should remember this. The least we can do is jump in and provide the troops with the wherewithal to fight.

What can we look for in the way of Allied tactics? Eisenhower has been working the shrewd scheme of varying his pressure on the Germans in order to keep them off balance. He could do this successfully because of his great superiority in manpower and equipment. By hitting them here, there and everywhere he sooner or later will find the weak spot he's looking for—and that's where he will deliver the break-through.

The idea that the break may be on the northern front is rather encouraged by the mysterious appearance of the will-o'-the-wisp U. S. 9th Army in line between the British 2nd Army and the U. S. 1st Army. The 9th got into action quickly and the Germans must have had a shock to find it there. They had known, of course, that it was knocking about somewhere, but the manner in which it was spirited across France without disclosing its whereabouts is one of the wonders of the war.

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Hun Line 10 Miles East Of Budapest Breached By Reds

London, Nov. 17. (AP)—Russian troops have pierced the main German defence line 10 miles east of Budapest, capturing the rail station of Gyomro, and in a pivot northeast of the besieged capital today threatened the key railway junctions of Godollo and Hatvan.

Far to the northeast other units of Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky's 2nd Ukrainian Army struck to within five miles of Miskolc, Hungary's fifth city, which now is exposed to Red Army artillery fire.

Battling along the roads leading around Budapest to Austria, the Russians yesterday crossed the Budapest-Miskolc railway at Vamossyok in a 12-mile advance from Jaschery and were moving towards Hatvan. Moscow announced last night. Hatvan is a junction of the Budapest-Miskolc line and terminal of the railway running north into Central Slovakia, 38 miles beyond.

The threat to Godollo, less than 10 miles northeast of Budapest, developed when powerful Soviet tank and infantry forces swept through Dany, less than 11 miles southeast.

Godollo governs road and rail routes to Vienna and Central Slovakia. The capture of Vamossyok, where several trains and ammunition stores were seized, also threatened the entrapment of German and Hungarian forces still clinging to the central section of the Budapest-Miskolc trunk line.

In the frontal assault east of Budapest, the Gyomro rail station was captured in a bitterly-contested three-mile advance. Gyomro village, a mile to the south and described by Berlin as the southeastern anchor of the Axis defence area around Budapest, was under violent attack, Berlin reported.

Meanwhile, a midnight Soviet war bulletin indicated the Red air force had begun to track down the German fleet hiding in the Baltic. Since the R.A.F. sinking of the Tirpitz, the only surface warships left to the Germans are believed trapped there. Torpedo planes of the Red Banner Baltic fleet opened the attack by sinking a 6,000-ton transport in the big German-held port of Danzig, the war bulletin said.

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WESTERN FARMERS ASK CONSCRIPTION

Saskatoon, Nov. 17. (AP)—Demands that the Federal Government impose total conscription and take steps to grant at least six months' leave to the volunteer soldiers of 1939-40 was contained in a resolution passed today at the convention of the United Farmers of Canada, Saskatchewan Branch.

Unless the Government took these steps and replaced the men granted leave with soldiers of the Home Defence Army, the convention believed that the present Government should resign and "allow the people to issue a definite mandate governing the future conduct of the war."

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Trade Brisk On Lansdowne Market With Excellent Produce Offered

Trading on the Lansdowne Market was brisk and prices firm. There was a large shopping crowd owing to the favorable weather.

There was a fine supply of vegetables offered for this time of the year, with Brussels sprouts at twenty-five cents a quart, cauliflowers from ten to twenty-five cents, and turnips, cabbage, beets, etc., at the usual prices.

Potatoes were not in good supply this morning, and the prices remained unchanged. In the sundry items, there were cottage cheese, prepared for table use, and apple cider. The latter was quite plentiful and there was a demand for it.

Eggs remained about the same as last week, but vendors said that they were beginning to make a comeback and they believed that by the holiday season the demand could be satisfied. Prices of eggs remained steady.

VEGETABLE MARKET

Beans, lb.	20c
Beets bunch	5c
Cabbage new	10-15c
Cauliflower	10-20c
Carrots, new bunch	5c
Garlic, lb.	40c
Iceberg, lettuce, head	15c
Leaf lettuce, head	15c
Onions, green, bunch	10c
Squash, each	5, 10 & 15c
Tomatoes, 15-lb. basket	50c
Turnips	5c

LOCAL BEEF

Beef, roasts, per lb.	18 to 20c
Beef, carcass, per lb.	18 to 20c
Steak, round, per lb.	30c
Steak, sirloin, per lb.	35c

PROVISION MARKET

Boiling meat, per lb.	15 to 18c
Bacon, per lb.	38 to 42c
Blood sausages, lb.	25c

Beef, carcass	22c
Calf liver, per lb.	50c
Chickens, lb.	35c
Broilers, lb.	38c
Cottage rolls, lb.	40c
Ham, shoulder, lb.	28 to 32c
Ham, leg, lb.	35c
Ham, sliced, lb.	45c
Mutton front, lb.	25c
Mutton, hind, lb.	20 to 25c
Pork loins, lb.	35c
Pork, carcass, lb.	18 1/2c
Pork, spare ribs, lb.	15c
Pork, sausage, lb.	28c
Pork, shoulder roast, lb.	25c
Lamb, carcass, lb.	23c
Spring lamb, front, lb.	20c
Spring lamb, toins, lb.	40c
Spring lamb, legs	40c
Steak, round, lb.	45c
Steak, sirloin, lb.	42c
Potatoes, peck	30c
Fowl, lb.	30c
Veal, carcass	20c
Tomatoes, lb.	15, 20 and 25c
Radishes	5c

DAIRY MARKET

Butter, best creamery, lb.	40c
Eggs, A-large	55c
Grade A-medium	50c
Pulleys	45c
Pee-wee	35 to 40c
Roquefort Cheese, lb.	75c
Canadian Cheese	35c to 40c
Oka Cheese	45c

FRUIT MARKET

Apples, peck	65, 70 and 75c
Grapes, lb.	20c
Pears, dozen	50c
Pecans, lb.	35 to 40c
Oranges, dozen	35c
Lemons, dozen	35c

Y.W.C.A. Plans

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established by the three interested organizations.

A group of concise and interesting sketches of Y.W.C.A. Services Centres in Italy, North Africa and the Middle East were presented by Miss Milford. According to this report, the Y.W.C.A. has opened Recreation Clubs and Leave Hostels, following the forces from Sicily across to Bari and on to Sorrento and Naples, to meet the urgent need of servicemen and nursing sisters, especially for somewhere comfortable and inexpensive to stay on leave. In Sorrento, the only source of difficulty at the charming Y.W.C.A., Leave Club is Vesuvius, which, although magnificent from the scenic point of view, causes constant trouble. No sooner was the club finished and beautifully in order, than the Vesuvius dust descended and covered the entire place with inches of fine ash, which got into everything.

As summed up in a letter from a Nursing Sister with the 8th Army through Egypt, Libya, North Africa Sicily and now Italy, "The Y.W.C.A. Clubs are to us an absolute refuge, whether to spend our leave, an odd night off, to meet a friend, to make enquiries or just to have a bath and a read for a few hours. Until you know the feeling of having nowhere to call home but a quarter of a mile in this case. They are Mr. and Mrs. Henri Dionne, Mr. and Mrs. Ades Chouinard, Victor Gagnon and Emory Gagnon.

Witness Testifies

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doin, of Emberton; Conrad Larose and Arthur Fontaine, of Sherbrooke; Norbert Keenan, of Melbourne; Hector Brunelle, of Lingwick; Victor Bessette, of Waterville; Joseph Desrochers, Jr., of Dutton; Elzear Riendeau, of Coaticook; Ernest Theriault, of Ascot North, and George Charland, of Greenlay.

Six others are charged with conspiracy along with Miss Provencal in this case. They are Mr. and Mrs. Henri Dionne, Mr. and Mrs. Ades Chouinard, Victor Gagnon and Emory Gagnon.

Terrain South

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German had left the town thoroughly mined and booby-trapped. Six miles north of captured Forli, 8th Army units, moving cautiously toward the Montone river, cleared Coccolia and reached a point within 2,000 yards of San Pancrazio.

On the southern approaches, however, units of the 5th Division were reported fighting in the hangars of an airfield a mile southwest of Metz and pounding at the last fortifications barring the entrance to the city.

WATERLOO

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WOUNDED IN ACTION



Cpl. Edwin (Ted) Powell, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Powell, of West Bolton, who was wounded in action in Belgium on October 27, 1944.

MAJOR WALTERS AWARDED M.C. FOR GALLANTRY

Major Sydney V. Radley-Walters, 24, of the 17th Armored Regiment (Sherbrooke Fusiliers), has been awarded the Military Cross for leadership and gallantry in action.

The son of Rev. St. Peter's Church, Quebec, Major Radley-Walters was attending Bishop's University, Lennoxville, when he joined the Sherbrooke Fusiliers in 1940. He went Overseas in 1942 with the rank of a lieutenant, and was promoted to captain in September, 1943, and to major last July. It is reported that his personal score is now 14 Nazi tanks destroyed, in addition to one self-propelled and two anti-tank guns. He has served with his unit continuously since landing in France on D-Day.

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are available to take their places.

10. Ground crew personnel will be released on a priority basis with top rating going to the man repatriated from overseas service down to the lowest rating for a man who has been under two years of service. This demobilization will be carried out on a monthly quota basis.

11. Coupled with ground crew priority demobilization is a repatriation plan for personnel with at least three years overseas.

12. Married women's division personnel will be released when replacements are found and, except in restricted trades, and W.D. personnel may retire to civilian life on application.

13. Civilian training plan employees will be released as establishments close.

14. Closed establishments will be used for storage in some cases and in other cases will be turned over to the Government War Assets Corporation for disposal.

15. Retained establishments will be kept with skeleton training staffs and with airdrome under care and maintenance ready to operate at full strength on short notice.

16. A number of squadrons will be maintained to patrol Canadian coasts.

Maj. Power's announcement brought up to date statistics of the big plan that caused President Roosevelt to dub Canada "the air-drome of democracy."

When the plan ends March 31 it will have graduated 224,296 trained personnel. Canada's share of this training total is made up of 70,619 aircrew and 93,178 ground crew. The total strength of the R.C.A.F.—made up of aircrew, ground crew, administration and other personnel

E. T. WAR CASUALTIES

Seriously Wounded:

Quebec Regiment — GREENLEAF, Douglas Hebert, Pte., D113120, Mrs. Florence Greenleaf (Mother), Rock Island.

Wounded:

Quebec Regiment — MARSHALL, Frederick Russell, Pte., E29147, Mrs. Florence E. Marshall (Wife), 6 Burley Rd., London E16, England. WILLIAM G. MARSHALL (Father), 109 London St., Sherbrooke.

Regiment de Quebec — CARDINAL, Joseph Albert Georges, Rfn., D107504, Rosario Cardinal (Father), 241 River St., Cowansville.

Wounded Remaining on Duty:

Royal Canadian Artillery — GALPEAU, Joseph Arthur, Gnr., D144859, Mrs. Euphrasie Galpeau (Mother), Dunham.

WOUNDED IN ACTION



Mrs. Raymond Cathcart has received word that her husband, Sgt. Raymond Cathcart, has been reported wounded in action on October 28, having received shell fragment wounds to the left shoulder.

Sgt. Cathcart joined the Sherbrooke Fusilier Regiment in August 1940, proceeding Overseas with the Regiment in November, 1942. His wife, the former Dula Raycraft, R.N., with daughter, Judy Rae, resides in Lennoxville.

Commission To

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Marie Nadeau, lawyer and part-time lecturer in economics at the University of Montreal.

Chief Justice of the Trial Division of the Alberta Supreme Court, as chairman, the annuities commission will inquire into taxation of annuities, annual or periodic payments received under provision of any contract, will or trust and payments arising from pensions, superannuation, insurance, endowment or other savings contract.

—reached a peak of 215,173 at an unspecified date and is at present down to 205,300 compared to its war-outbreak strength of only 3,048. Present overseas strength is estimated at 70,000.

When the training plan was in full production it was operated by a staff of 101,418, made up of 69,753 Canadians and 31,665 from other Empire countries.

PURCHASES IN VICTORY LOAN ARE ANNOUNCED

Final standing in the 7th Victory Loan campaign in group pay roll division of firms employing from 15 to 50 employees was announced today, revealing that 1,138 employees purchased a total of 1,560 bought for \$218,709 worth of securities.

The following is a list of percentages of quota obtained by the various firms:

Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. ... 100%
Alatt's Bakery ... 100%
G. T. Armstrong & Sons ... 100%
Beckwith Box Toe Co. ... 100%
Bishop's College School ... 100%
Genet & Nadeau ... 100%
Bauderrie Nationale ... 100%
Chateau Frontenac ... 100%
Crown Laundry ... 100%
Dawson Auto Parts ... 112%
E. T. Telephone ... 38%
Fontaine & Fils ... 120%
Gagnon & Cie ... 65%
Genet & Nadeau ... 145%
Fraser Bros. ... 155%
Hotel Dieu ... 333%
Hovey Packing ... 155%
Howard Smith Paper Mills ... 64%
Magoo House ... 244%
J. L. Mathieu ... 100%
Metropolitan Stores ... 83%
Morissette ... 110%
J. M. Nault & Lee ... 120%
New Sherbrooke House ... 100%
Newton Construction ... 94%
O. Noel ... 60%
Oliver Engr. ... 35%
Page & Sangster ... 100%
Quebec Rayon ... 62%
Sherbrooke Hospital ... 140%
Sherbrooke Pure Milk ... 145%
Sherbrooke Record ... 101%
C. O. St. Jean ... 100%
Stansfield & Sherbrooke ... 100%
Stewart Construction ... 105%
Thompson & Alix ... 147%
Telephones ... 112%
United Amusements ... 157%
Bishop's University ... 157%
C. C. Warner ... 81%
Webster Motors ... 100%
Wonder Bakeries ... 143%
Woolworth Stores ... 70%
Zeller's Ltd. ... 100%

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Mrs. Griffin's husband, Homer, 27, is to see his wife's body next Monday for official identification. Mrs. Johnson was the wife of Ralph Charles Johnson, a merchant seaman now in the South Pacific. She was born Betty Crosby.

DRUMMOND COUNTY FUR

PLANT ROBBED
St. Germain de Grantham, Que., Nov. 17. —Furs valued at \$20,000 were stolen Wednesday night from the plant of R. O. Blanchard in this Drummond County municipality. The thieves broke in through the main door of the building.

BUGBEE BUSINESS COLLEGE

The Literary Society held its two last meetings on November 3 and November 10, respectively. At the meeting, Guy Barbeau arranged for a geography match, which he carried off successfully.

At last Friday's meeting the programme consisted of a reading by Evelyn Bachelard on "A Father's Letter to His Son," an interesting address on "Pulp" by Lella Watt, and songs and instrumental led by Gaetano Gauthier at the piano.

This week's programme is to consist mainly of an address by Miss McKenzie, lately arrived from Montreal, Miss McKenzie has retired from the teaching profession having been principal of the Montreal High School for Girls for many years. All are looking forward to meeting her.

Gertrude Ketcham spent a week-end under the parental roof at Fitch Bay, Leola Childs spent a previous week-end with her aunt in Newport, Vt., and Guy Barbeau journeyed to Montreal for Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Edna Bading paid a flying visit to the college one day.

COMPTON

A very enjoyable event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Burt on Friday evening, November 3, when the local valiant little band of Junior Red Cross members, under the supervision of their teacher, Mrs. J. Campbell, held a Halloween social. The children appeared in costumes which were seen to good advantage in the grand march, Vivian Luce and John Burt taking the prizes. Games suited to the occasion were played. A pie-eating contest caused much amusement, the winners being Cecile Chabard and Connie Kyfin. Cards were played at two tables. Mrs. F. Hall and William Skuse won the first prizes, and Mrs. R. E. Grenier and Canon Kelley the consolation prizes. A delicious lunch was served. The proceeds amounted to \$15.25.

Mrs. Campbell and the J.R.C. members are grateful to Mr. and Mrs. Burt for their hospitality, and all who contributed to the success of the evening, both socially and financially.

Miss St. Laurent is spending a few days in Quebec.

Callers at the home of Mrs. S. Cairns were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bain, of East Clifton, and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Bain and two children, of Derry, N.H.

BOLTON GLEN

Mr. Elmore Bockus was home from Farmham over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Herman, of Stratford, Pa., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cousins.

Those attending the Blood Donors' Clinic held in Knowlton were Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Cousins, Mr. Frank Cousins, Mr. Leslie Paige, Mr. James Horne and Mr. Ormonde Brown.

Mrs. C. H. Brown has returned from a week's visit at the home of her son, Mr. Glen Brown, in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Herman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cousins were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Foster, in Bromo.

Mr. Leslie Paige and Miss Rita Cousins visited Mrs. Sadie Benoit in Waterloo.

Messrs. C. H. and O. W. Brown were in Sutton Junction on business.

FINANCIAL NEWS

The following quotations are supplied by Green Shields & Co., of which J. J. Bell is local manager.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

	Noon	Open
Atchafon R. R.	67	67
Amer. Tel. and Tel.	163 1/2	163 1/2
Anacosta Copper	27	27
Bethlehem Steel	61 1/2	61 1/2
Chrysler	87 1/2	87 1/2
General Electric	38 3/4	39
General Motors	61	60 1/2
Kennecott	34 1/2	34 1/2
Montgomery Ward	52	52
Stand. Oil of N. J.	50	50
Southern Pacific	31 1/2	31 1/2
United Aircraft	31 1/2	31 1/2
U. S. Rubber	47	47
U. S. Steel	56 1/2	56

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Plotting Room

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and talked to many officers and ratings who took part in D-day work. Before he left the headquarters, His Majesty asked how supplies were getting through to Allied forces now. He asked about Antwerp and was told British minesweepers now are clearing the Scheldt approaches to the great port, freed by the 1st Canadian Army.

CARDINAL SPENDING BRIEF BERMUDA HALT

Montreal, Nov. 17. — Cardinal Villeneuve, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Quebec, arrived in Bermuda last night on his flight from Great Britain to Canada, but as weather conditions were not favourable, the Lancaster aircraft in which he is travelling remained overnight at the island.

If conditions improved, it was expected that the Cardinal would reach Montreal today.

BONDS AND BANKS

CANADIAN BONDS

Following are the closing, bid and asked quotations as to Nov. 16th, as furnished by the Investment Dealers' Association of Canada:

DOM. GOVT. BONDS:

Wartime Issue:

3, June 15, 1950-51	104	104 1/2
3 1/2, Feb. 1, 1948-52	104 1/2	105 1/2
3, Oct. 1, 1949-52	102 1/2	103 1/2
3, Mar. 1, 1952-54	102 1/2	103 1/2
3, Nov. 1, 1949-56	101 1/2	102 1/2
3, May 1, 1954-57	100 1/2	101 1/2
3, Jan. 1, 1950-59	99 1/2	100 1/2
3, June 1, 1957-60	99 1/2	100 1/2
3, Feb. 1, 1950-62	99 1/2	100

Wartime Issue:

DEATHS

GIROUX. — The funeral for Joseph Alfred Giroux, husband of Georgianna Thibodeau, who passed away at Mansenville at the age of 62, will take place on Monday, Nov. 20th. The funeral cortege will leave the late residence at 9:15, thence to the Parish Church at Mansenville where service will be held at 9:30. Les Freres Funeraires, Waterloo.

NISH. — At Portland, Me., on Wednesday, November 15th, 1944, William Nish, in his 82nd year, Funeral service at St. Stephen's Church, Coaticook, at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, November 18th. Interment Mt. Forest Cemetery, Coaticook.

SMITH. — Florence Walker, wife of the late Stephen Smith, at St. Anne's Bridge East, Que., on November 16th, 1944. Funeral Saturday, November 18th, at 2 o'clock, at the late residence. Burial at the Ridge.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks to all those who in any way assisted us during the serious illness and subsequent death of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Susan Stevenson Staples. We also wish to thank all those who sent flowers and messages of sympathy.

B. FRASIER STAPLES, Husband.
VIOLET C. THORNTON, Foster Daughter.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear wife, mother and sister, Mrs. Nellie H. Robinson (nee Iva Healy), who passed away one year ago today.

Signed:
MR. N. H. ROBINSON, Husband.
KENT AND IVAN ROBINSON, Sons.
MR. AND MRS. C. C. BRADFORD, Brother-in-Law and Sister.
Foster, Que.

BIRTHS - MARRIAGES - DEATHS

Death and Funeral Notices.
Card of Thanks, In Memoriam without poetry, \$1.00 an insertion. Poetry included in In Memoriam, 20c per line extra. Engagements, 75c. Weddings and Birth Notices, \$1.00. List of flowers included in obituary reports, 5c per word, 25c extra when charge account is opened. Reader notices in country locals 15c per line, five words to a line; Lennoxville and City Briefs, 20c per line, minimum charge of 50c for two lines.

JOHNSTON'S FUNERAL CHAPEL
21 MELBOURNE ST. - PHONE 171

DETAILED WEATHER
CLOUDY AND COOL
Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence: Moderate winds, cloudy and cool with a light drizzle or scattered snow-furries. Saturday: partly cloudy and cool.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

	Open	Noon
Bathurst Paper . . .	15 B	16 A
Brazilian	22 1/2 B	23 A
Building Products . .	17 1/2 B	18 A
Can. Cement Pfd. . .	115 1/2 B	116 A
Can. Steamships . . .	10 1/2 B	10 1/2 A
C. Steamships Pfd. .	38 1/2 B	38 A
Can. Ind. Alco. "A" .	5 1/2 B	6 A
Can. Pacific	11 1/2 B	11 1/2 A
Col. Smelters	51 1/2 B	51 A
Crown Cork & Seal .	37 1/2 B	37 A
Dom. Tar & Chem. . .	11 1/2 B	12 A
Dist. Seagrass	39	39
Dom. Bridge	30 B	30 1/2 A

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Sherbrooke Daily Record

SHERBROOKE, QUEBEC, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1944.

NOVEMBER

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Witness Testifies Wife Sent Him Medicine To Make Him Ill In Order To Get Army Discharge

Testimony that pills, medicines and powders which he took in order to get his discharge from the army "made him exceptionally ill" was given by Adeas Chouinard at the third hearing of Mrs. Theodore Provencer, charged with inciting army desertion, in the Court of King's Bench this morning.

The fifty-five year old fortune teller was acquitted at the first trial by a mixed jury and was found guilty at the second hearing on a similar offence on Tuesday. An all-French-speaking jury is sitting for the present trial.

Chouinard recounted how he received the medicines in a sugar loaf while stationed at Newfoundland with the Canadian Army Forces last

year. Witness said that the medicines made him "so sick" that he was given a furlough and came to Sherbrooke. His wife was residing at Coaticook at the time.

However, despite the fact that he tried to effect his release, Chouinard said that he was subsequently discharged from the army for various other reasons, which had no connection with his taking the medicines.

The witness followed his wife on the stand, who at the outset of the session this morning continued with evidence which she started relating yesterday.

Mrs. Chouinard testified yesterday afternoon that her husband was in the army stationed at Newfoundland in 1913 when Mrs. Provencer told her that she could get him out of the service.

According to evidence of the witness, she paid \$45 or \$50 for a tableau (scroll) and that she had obtained from a drug store, to which Mrs. Provencer had telephoned, some pills, medicine and powders.

"I put these inside a sugar loaf at the suggestion of the accused and sent the parcel to my husband," witness said.

"Mrs. Provencer told me that these medicines would make my husband ill enough to be rejected by army officials," Mrs. Chouinard added.

"Mrs. Provencer also ordered a film and according to her, if it were eaten by my soldier husband, spots would show on X-rays taken by army medical doctors," witness said.

After being examined on voir dire (a trial within a trial) three jurymen who sat in the first hearing of the accused were accepted. They were Hector Brunelle, Leo Charland and Ernest Theriault.

The only English-speaking member of the jury, although he knows the French language. He was sworn in after a lengthy argument.

Members of the jury are Victor Herbert, of St. Edwidge; Alfred Freniere, of Magog; Ernest Beau-

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Y.W.C.A. PLANS ENTERTAINMENT FOR SERVICEMEN

The monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y.W.C.A. was held at the Mackinnon Memorial Building, with the President, Mrs. George H. Carr, in the Chair.

The devotional period, conducted by Mrs. Colin Campbell, was based on the fact that the week of November 12-18 is being celebrated this year by all Y.W.C.A.s throughout the world as a week of Prayer and World Fellowship. The week of Prayer this year is of more than usual significance since the World's Young Women's Christian Association is celebrating its Jubilee celebration around this week—it was in November 1894 that the World's Association held its first committee meeting in London. In 1895 there were Young Women's Christian Associations at least in Britain and France. By 1894 there were organizations in 23 countries. Today the Y.W.C.A. has reached over 70 lands; it has over a million active members, and millions more who share in its spirit and take part in its activities.

J. A. Archambault presented a report on the heating system at the Residence, which had come under discussion at previous meetings. Because of Mr. Archambault's investigation and advice better results are anticipated, and the meeting expressed appreciation for his interest and trouble.

A report presented by Mrs. B. C. Howard, First Vice-President, revealed that the following meetings had been held at the Mackinnon Memorial Building during the month of October: six I.O.D.E. Meetings, the Red Cross Quarterly Meeting, two meetings of the Business and Professional Women's Club, one Hospital Auxiliary Meeting and the Hospital Auxiliary Bridge, the Kayser Girls' Auxiliary, four meetings of the H.D.P. and Dance Club, two meetings of the "Quintettes," two meetings of the Supper Club, two meetings of the Supper Club, four evenings of basketball practice, outside teams, four evenings of bowling, Bishop's teams.

Miss E. Haight, Treasurer, presented the financial report for the month of October, which showed total receipts of \$1,916.09, total disbursements of \$48.30, total accounts payable of \$2,895.26. A motion was adopted that this report be accepted and that the bills be paid.

The Treasurer also announced that a cheque had been received for the Y.W.C.A.'s share of the receipts from the Home Services Campaign, in the total amount of \$2,343.95. The co-operation of the public in this campaign was greatly appreciated.

The report of the Health Education Secretary, Mrs. K. Bryce, was read by Miss E. Odell. Mrs. Bryce reported a very satisfactory enrollment in classes, as follows: Tiny Tots 22, Juniors 42, Intermediate 45, High School 16, Business Girls 53. The attendance during the month was: Tiny Tots 51, Junior Gym 113, Junior Dancing 85, Intermediate Gym 110, Intermediate Dancing 106, High School 47, Business Girls Gym 106, Business Girls Dancing 80. The Physical Director announced that after the regular Business Girls' Class, a Basketball League has been organized, with three teams entered. Unfortunately, the Badminton Club has not been able to function, owing to the lack of badminton birds.

Miss M. Milford, Chairman of the War Services Committee, reported that her Committee had met with representatives of the Aircraft Holding Unit at Windsor Mills, to discuss the matter of entertainment of the men stationed there. As a result of this meeting, a very enjoyable dance was held at the Hostess House early in November. A Christmas Dance is also being planned for these men at the Mackinnon Memorial Building.

Mrs. G. H. Carr, Mrs. W. W. Davey and Mrs. G. Armitage were appointed as representatives of the Association for the Home Services Campaign Executive Council, being

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Three One-Act Plays Are Very Ably Presented At Bishop's University

Once again the Bishop's University Dramatic Society has scored an outstanding theatrical success in the presentation of three one-act plays. The U.B.C. amateur actors last night lived up to the high standard set in previous years by making the opening night presentation of "Overtones," "Dear Departed" and "Marriage Proposal" one that ranks with the finest of past Little Theatre performances.

To the Dramatic Society executive goes a good deal of the credit for last night's stage triumph. Among those who devoted long hours of work to planning and stage-setting are Dr. E. Owen, Honorary President of the Dramatic Society, President P. J. J. Beaudry, Directors Miss Edith Edgar, Mrs. M. Schoch and R. Pearce and Stage Manager Z. Posman.

Promptly at 8.15 p.m. the curtain rose on the first play, "Overtones." The scene was set in a drawing room of a fashionable modern apartment. The characters are two young women and their "hidden selves," the latter of whom are visible to the audience but supposedly invisible to the actresses playing the parts of the real women. The plot here is irrelevant, but what is important is that the all-women cast was able to do a superb job of acting in a play that was somewhat difficult to get across to the audience. Judy Baker and Mary Hall played the part of "Mrs. Harriet Goodrich," Miss Hall acting as "Hatty," Mrs. Goodrich's other self. The character "Mrs. Margaret Caldwell" was taken by Ruth Evans with Gwen Gilbert as the hidden self of Mrs. Caldwell. The play was very well received by an appreciative audience. Miss Baker should come in for special praise for her excellent portrayal of a perfectly disgusting snob. The rest of the cast supported her admirably.

A tribute to the fine directing of Miss Edgar and Mrs. Schoch.

The second play to be seen by the capacity house was the comedy "Dear Departed," by Stanley Houghton. The well-rehearsed cast was under the able direction of Roy Pearce. "Dear Departed" is the humorous story concerning the complications which arise when a family goes into mourning for its grandfather, who actually is not dead but merely asleep after having indulged to excess at the local pub. About halfway through the play the old

grandfather, convincingly enacted by Ken Banfill, comes downstairs just as his prodigy are in the act of dividing up his belongings. The cast handled the good comedy well, getting the most out of the many funny scenes. Betty Johnston played the part of domineering "Mrs. Slater" to perfection, and Ben Midgidge, an experienced actor, did full justice to the role of "Mr. Slater." "Mrs. Jordan," the other daughter in mourning, was realistically played by Shirley Mackay. Mavis Clarke's impersonation of a precocious child on the order of Baby Snooks heightened the humorous effect of the play considerably. Leonard Waldman acted well as "Mr. Jordan."

Following the amusing performance of "Dear Departed," the audience was very receptive to the second straight comedy of the evening, "Marriage Proposal," by Anton Tschaff. The cast of three, who were directed by Paul Beaudry, got the most out of the hilarious Russian comedy. The plot in this offering, as the title suggests, deals with a proposal of marriage tendered by one "Ivan Vassilyitch Lomov" to the fair daughter of his farmer-neighbor "Stephen Stepanovitch Tschubukov."

Betty Riddell, on her looks alone, passed very well as Natalia, the beautiful daughter. Stan Litwin was excellent in the supporting role of the father; his actions were particularly funny. Irwin Glickman, however, in the lead role of the nervous suitor, Ivan Vassilyitch, stole the show and had the audience roaring with laughter.

The varied programme was thoroughly enjoyed by the large assembly of first-nighters. No one had anything but praise for all those who had a hand in the production of the plays, and it is hoped that local players will be favored with a major play by the Bishop's University Little Theatre players in the very near future. There is a deplorable scarcity of good stage productions by amateur theatrical groups such as the Bishop's University Dramatic Society could help to overcome.

A final word of praise to the members of the stage crew is in order. The stage hands did a magnificent job of putting up an altogether new set of furniture, pictures, even walls, for each successive play.

Tonight the final performance of the two-night stand will commence at 8:15 p.m.

W.M.S. Meeting At Lennoxville

The regular meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Church was held in the Scott Hall, Mrs. W. J. Lane was in the chair and Mrs. P. Walton at the piano. The worship service was led by Mrs. C. G. Green and assisted by several members.

The funds from various sources aided in making a most satisfactory financial report. A vote of thanks was tendered the Women's Association who assisted in putting on the supper at the missionary rally held recently.

A nomination committee was named to draw up a new state of officers for the coming year. Mrs. A. Willard, Miss K. Scott and Mrs. W. J. Lane.

A study period was then observed on the new book, "West of the Date Line." The work on the day's chapter was taken by Mrs. Pergau and Miss K. Scott.

It was announced that Rev. A. Reid would be guest speaker at the Christmas meeting and a special programme would be prepared.

PHILATHEA SOCIETY MEETS

A well-attended meeting of the Philathea Society of the United Church was held at the home of Mrs. E. Wellman, Prospect Street. Mrs. Austin Scott, President, conducted the meeting which was opened with prayer. Miss R. Bailey, Secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting, and a letter of thanks was read.

Mrs. L. Parker, Treasurer, gave a most satisfactory report on the recently held rummage sale. The sum of \$35 was voted towards the equipment fund for the purpose of buying chairs for the Church Hall.

Much time was spent in making final plans for the chicken-pie supper and annual Christmas sale of fancy articles, aprons and food. This concluded the business and the hostesses, Miss Wellman and Miss E. Taylor, served lunch.

RETURNS HOME

Friends in this vicinity will be pleased to hear of the return of Flt. Lt. Lorne A. P. Tapp, veteran of air war over enemy territory, who broke ranks to race to his family when several hundred repatriates marched into the Union Station, Ottawa, recently. There to meet him were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Tapp, his father and mother, his sisters, Shirley and Joan, and brother, William. The Tapp family now reside in Ottawa, but were former residents of Lennoxville, and Lorne was well known in sports circles. He is a graduate of Lennoxville High School, enlisting from here.

WIN PROMOTIONS

Lieut.-Col. Joseph Paul LaPlante, E.D., R.C.A.M.C., whose wife lives at Granby, has been promoted to the rank of full colonel, and Sgt. Kenneth William Bryant, C.F.C., of Bury, has won a commission and Lieutenancy, according to a list of promotions issued by the Public Relations Office of M. D. No. 4.

FAIL TO REPORT FOR JURY DUTY, TWO MEN FINED

Arthur Lake, of Newport Township, and Henry Wilson, of Clifton Township, prospective jurors empanelled for the third hearing of Mrs. Theodore Provencer in the Court of King's Bench, were each fined one dollar or eight days in jail yesterday by Mr. Justice J. Dalmay for failing to report to court as requested.

In upbraiding the accused, Judge Dalmay said: "Apparently you can't read, because when you receive an order from His Majesty's court, you are commanded to report at once."

It was pointed out to the two men that this information was on the documents they received. However, Wilson told the court that additional reasons prevented him from being present. "All you had to do was to appear in court long enough and ask for an exemption, and if the reason were good enough, the exemption would have been granted," Judge Dalmay said.

CITY BRIEFLETS

We have a complete line of ladies' men's and children's wear. Louis Casdin, 514 Wellington St. No., upstairs, Tel. 1703. Terms: Per Government regulations.

Y's men's dance at the 53rd Armory, Sat., Nov. 18th, with Noble Smith and his Noblemen.

Dance, William Street Armory, Saturday night, music by Noble Smith and his Noblemen.

Opening Leap Year Dance, Mt. Pleasant Club, Sat., Nov. 18th, 8:30. Gagnon's Band. Sponsored by Mt. Pleasant Ski Club.

Salad Tea, Christmas Sale, children's programme, Plymouth Church Hall, Saturday, Nov. 25.

Dance, Sand Hill, Saturday night. Heated.

Dance in Milby Hall, Sat., Nov. 18. Ward's Orchestra. Lunch, 40c.

Dance in L.O.O.F. Hall, Sawyerville, Sat., eve., Nov. 18. Tom Coley's Orchestra.

Dance at Community Hall, Brompton Road, Sat., Nov. 18th, Les Beaulieu's Orchestra.

NOTICE RE: PIGEON'S

Owing to the sudden death of J. A. Pigeon, the store and shop will be closed until Monday, Nov. 20th. The business will be continued by his sons and it is expected that all repair work will be completed by the reopening day. This unexpected delay is regretted.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Felix Vaillancourt to Jean Thomas Dailaire of the lot 728 North Ward.

Mrs. Damien Martel to J. Alphonse Breton of the lot 7-158 South Ward.

Damase Bouffard to Eugene Ducloux of west part lot 13a range 4 Compton. Price, \$14,000.

Eugene Ducloux to Henri Dion of lots 9d, 9e, pt. 9a, 9k, 10a range 5 Compton. Price, \$8,000.

J. S. Mitchell & Co. Ltd., to Henri Thibault and Alfred Bouchard of lots 230-16 and 19 Centre Ward. Price, \$5,000.

SWEETSBURG

A confirmation service will be held in Christ Church, Sweetburg, on Monday, November 20, at 8 o'clock, with His Lordship, Bishop Morehead of Fredericton officiating.

RECEIVES KING'S COM-MENDATION

Flight Lieutenant D. B. McPherson, whose wife resides at 29 Newton Street, has been awarded the King's Commendation "for valuable service in the air," according to the latest R.C.A.F. release.

The release lists 93 decorations to members of the R.C.A.F. serving overseas and 76 to personnel in Canada.

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Wartime Restrictions Cause Dearth Again In Supply Of Christmas Trees

Anyone who wants a Christmas tree this winter can have one—with a little elbow-grease. It's just a matter of tramping into the woods, chopping one down and hauling it home. Otherwise, your tree will stay right where it is.

Government officials explained regretfully today that existing regulations designed to leave the Christmas trees in the woods will remain in effect again this year for another Yuletide season the Christmas tree will be a wartime casualty.

They said they and their children like Christmas trees as well as any-folks, but well, that's where you run up against the Labor, Transport and Munitions Departments and the Prices Board.

Those departments are using their wartime authority to see that every ounce of effort is put behind the war effort—and that means no Christmas trees.

As long ago as August the various authorities warned that shortages of manpower and critical scarcity of equipment and restrictions on the use of trucks would make the supply of trees this season even smaller

than in the last two years.

Some farmers have developed Christmas tree plantations near cities and have done well out of sales in the Canadian and export markets in past years. This year, however, there will be no cutters available and no transportation even if the trees could be cut.

If a farmer decides to spend a few days in his woodlot cutting trees, puts them on his wagon or sleigh and hauls them to town, there's nothing to stop him. But, with fuel a national problem, officials say they would urge him to produce firewood instead.

Apart from the loss of much festivity centered around the tree, there is a substantial loss in revenue to Canada. In a normal year exports, mainly to the United States, have totalled about 6,000,000 trees, valued at \$500,000. Last year a fraction of this number was exported and this year's exports—if any—will be even smaller.

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

STILL BEGGING THE ISSUE

The declaration of Major General L. R. Lafleche, Minister of National War Services, on the question of reinforcements for the Canadian Army overseas is remarkable for two features — the first is the admission that he did not know of the exact situation facing the Canadians in the Old World and secondly that he would personally assume the responsibility for raising the reinforcements necessary for the French-Canadian units serving with the Canadian forces.

The first declaration is rather an amazing one for a senior Minister of the Crown and one closely connected with the prosecution of the war to make, although it seems in line with the general policies of the Cabinet, the majority of whose members apparently fail to grasp the crisis facing the armed forces of Canada, or if they do grasp it, do not appreciate its implications.

His promise to raise sufficient reinforcements for the French-Canadian units, while a dramatic gesture, fails to meet the true needs of the situation. While the reinforcements in question may be forthcoming—and then again they may not—the basic fact remains that these men who will be enlisted through the activities of the War Services Minister will not be available for service for six or eight months, while the case made by the former Defence Minister and his military advisers is that the need for reinforcements is urgent and immediate.

Statements similar to that of General Lafleche are likely to be forthcoming from time to time from the Cabinet Ministers, each proposing to deal with some particular aspect of the reinforcement situation but they only serve to beloud the issue. Thousands of fully trained men, enough to relieve the crisis for several months to come, are available in the Canadian home defence army. Only an order-in-council is required to make them ready for service. And the Government seems unwilling to make this step.

V-2 ROCKETS

One interesting feature of the reports from the Old Country relative to the V-2 bomb, the latest terrorist weapon, is that the enemy has so far been unable to judge their effectiveness. Although they have been in use over a month, the British security system is such that it is doubtful if the German high command knows where they land. And according to neutral reports, the German scientists are experiencing considerable difficulty with the radio steering. In addition the Germans are inspiring stories that V-2 has been a failure, not only because of its inaccuracy, but also because of its lack of terror effect. This is due to the fact that it obliterated people before they realized their danger and because it penetrated so deeply into the earth that the effect of its surface blast was greatly reduced.

Now their scientists seem to have ironed out these problems, with the exception of the penetration and blast effects, and the people of Great Britain have a new form of blasting to combat. This is a form of attack in which no reliable warning can be given, because the V-2 travels faster than sound. This saying is true of the V-2 just as it is of the 88-millimeter shell: If you hear it, you are safe.

The rocket is, as Mr. Churchill has said, "another attempt by the Germans to attack the morale of the civilian population." And the civilian population of the British Isles at the present time consists essentially of women and children. It is a form of attack that appeals to the mentality of the Nazis and it is another worry that the women of Great Britain

will have to bear. When they send their children to school they do not know whether they will see them again.

Fortunately, the scale and effects of the attack have not been of any significance up to the present. But that does not mean that the Nazis will not be able to develop rocket manufacture to the point where results would compare favorably with the bombardment by flying bombs. The Germans know now that their rockets are landing in Britain and will be spurred to bigger efforts. But they do not know for a certainty the exact areas in which the rockets are landing. And this is one thing that they will not learn from the British authorities.

BRITAIN AND U. S. WAR PLANT FINANCING

The tremendous expansion of United States industry to meet the demands for armament production has been one of the outstanding achievements of the war and has been one of the principal factors in the success of the armed forces of the United Nations. But with all due respect to this great industrial machine, it must be remembered that a great portion of its development can be attributed to the expenditures of the British Government in that country in the two years and three months which preceded the United States entry into the war. Previous to the United States becoming involved in the conflict, Great Britain spent some \$4,000,000,000 on war orders in the United States, every cent of it in cash because under the terms of the Neutrality Act, no belligerent country could obtain credit for war supplies. That \$4,000,000,000 played a vital part in putting the United States on a basis of war production. For instance, that cash financed the first Kaiser shipbuilding yards, put the Packard Motor Company into the manufacturing of Rolls Royce Merlin engines for airplanes and expanded the United States machine tool industry seven times. That was the state of preparedness when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor. Of course, the British Government spent this money with the idea of assuring their own flow of supplies, but the expenditure proved a godsend to both nations.

American manufacturers used part of the money paid to them under these British contracts to improve their existing facilities or to develop new methods of production. But quite apart from this, Britain made direct payments for capital facilities totalling some \$225,000,000. She found, for example, that at that time the aircraft engine industry was the chief bottleneck of American aircraft production. So, together with France, Great Britain spent \$84,000,000 to increase the capacity of the industry. They built new plants in the United States, equipped them with the necessary machine tools and financed schools where thousands of American workers were trained.

The bulk of this property is still in production. Practically all the British equipment used by American manufacturers today for war purposes is rented for the nominal charge of a dollar a year and enables the United States Government to effect a saving on its own war contracts.

The disposal of these plants after the war constitutes one of the problems of peacetime planners, but undoubtedly most of them will be sold and at such prices that American manufacture will receive some very good bargains.

CARTELS AND INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS

The question of cartels appears the most controversial subject now under discussion at the International Business Conference now underway at Rye, N.Y., and many of the business leaders are convinced that no agreement will be reached when the talks wind up.

The Netherlands delegation precipitated the controversy by declaring that cartels are necessary for the expansion of business. This brought a wide-open split, with the Indian representatives offering a violent denunciation of these agreements among private interests of several countries for the purpose of regulating industry and commerce. One delegate went as far as to express the opinion that the various standpoints were too far apart to be reconciled in any statement of policy by the Conference.

Injected into the panel discussion is a United States Senate committee report which recommends the "outlawing of the international cartel system" after the war, copies of this report being given to the members of the panel by the American delegation without comment.

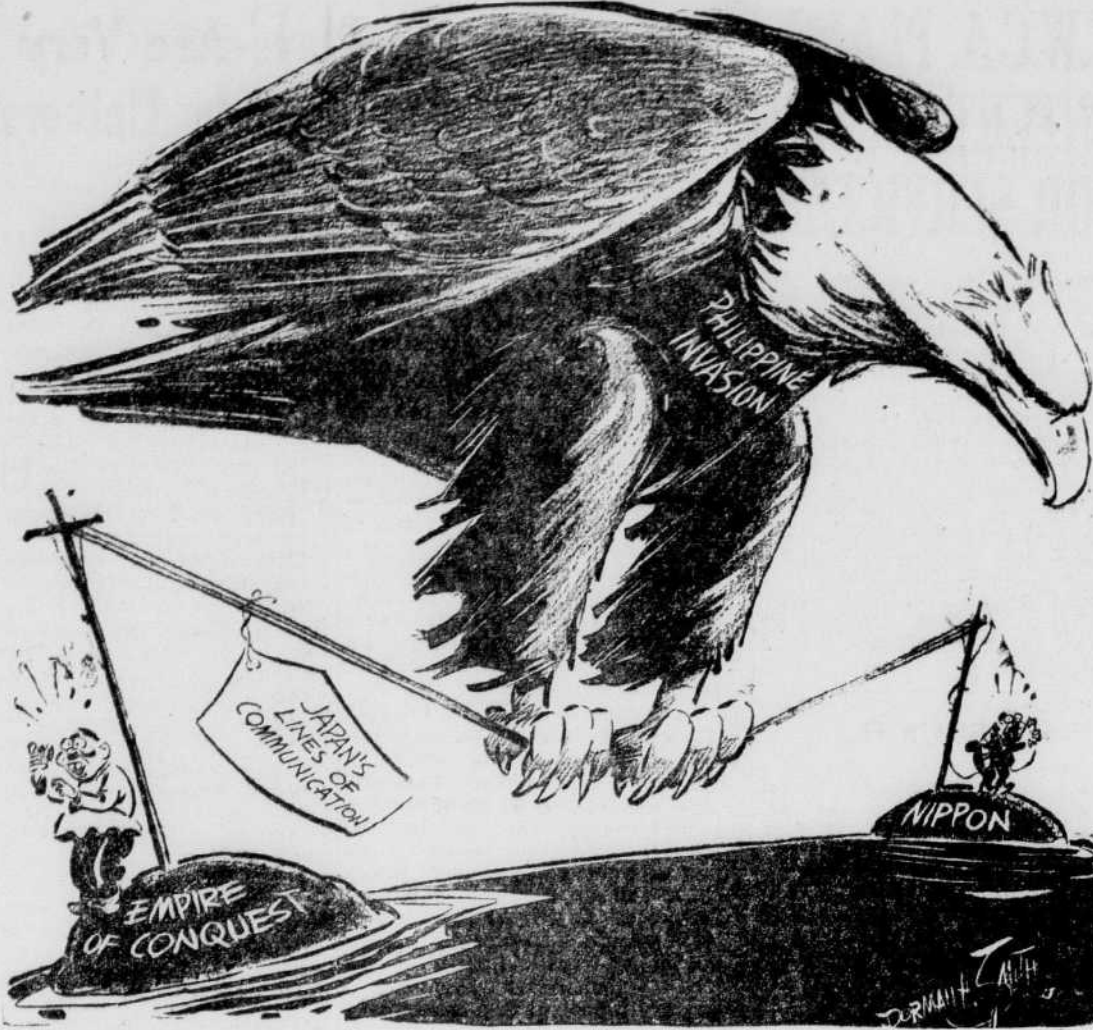
The cartel system has been one of the prize headaches of all post-war planners, with the official attitude in the various countries differing widely on its evils and benefits. And apparently direct discussions between the various parties concerned cannot compromise the opposing viewpoints.

BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled. — Matthew 5:6.

I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread. — Psalms 37:25.

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PRESS COMMENTS

UNFAIR TO DEWEY

St. Thomas Times-Journal
The figures of the United States elections present two widely different pictures. One set showing the popular vote gives President Roosevelt a majority of less than 3,000,000 out of about 45,000,000 votes. Governor Dewey made even a better run than did the late Wendell L. Willkie who was defeated by 4,900,000 votes. But the Electoral College vote, which is the one that really decides the election of President, gives Roosevelt a majority of 413 votes and Dewey a mere 118. That is a grotesque misrepresentation of the opinions of the people. It makes it appear as if the Republican candidate got a tremendous beating, whereas, having regard to the aggregate number of votes, he was defeated by a relatively small margin. The extent of the anti-Roosevelt vote is grossly understood by the Electoral College figures.

The United States electoral system is cumbersome and roundabout, lacking the straight forward method in vogue in Canada and the British Isles where the general vote decides everything. The Electoral College is an anachronism. With a little luck Governor Dewey might have carried some of the States that possess a large Electoral College vote, and if he did not win—and on the popular vote plan, as in Canada, he would not have won—the apportionment of the 531 College votes would have been very close. It is, in fact, quite possible for a candidate to receive more popular votes than his opponent and yet lose the election. This actually happened in 1876 when the Democratic candidate, Samuel J. Tilden, received more popular votes than the Republican candidate, Ruthven B. Hayes, but Hayes had more votes in the Electoral College and was declared elected President.

In this and other elections States have been won and lost by a comparatively few votes, but the total Electoral College vote goes to the man who has the majority no matter how small it is. That is why there is such a big and false disparity between the popular votes that decided this election and the actual wishes of the electors.

PRAISE FOR CANADIANS

Boston Post
It has fallen to the lot of the soldiers of Canada to fight some of the most savage battles of all the war. The action at Dieppe will live in history as a Canadian epic. The struggle for Caen ended in a great victory in which Canadian courage was a decisive factor. Now for many days the Canadians have been locked in deadly combat with the Nazis above Antwerp in an effort to free that port for Allied use, and probably shorten the war in Europe by many weeks. Again the voice is a fearful one and again the Canadians are fighting with supreme heroism.

The German troops who have been vanquished by the valiant men of Canada on the field of battle have, like in the last war, found them deadly foes. The people of New England have a particularly deep feeling for the Canadian army since our borders actually touch, and because many of our finest citizens are of Canadian origin.

NO PROFITS, NO TAXES

Tweed News
Socialists have nothing but contempt—mostly silent—for the person who asks them "where did we get the money to finance the war?" The answer to that, of course, is that we got it out of taxation and Victory Loans. These were secured from the profits and industries and businesses, from large and small incomes, sales taxes, etc., etc. But under a socialist state, such as proposed by the CCF, there aren't going to be any profits or large incomes. Production is to be "for use, not profit," and everybody else, without mercenary or selfish motive, if there are to be no profits to tax, and if, as is proposed by the

SO THEY SAY

America has given an example to the world of how democratic institutions can be worked with the utmost vigor and freedom without injury to the permanent interests of the state.—Winston Churchill.

The large number of votes received by Dewey testifies to the fact that Roosevelt's policy is worrying wide circles of the American people.—Berlin radio.

Today we find some disciples of government preaching a doctrine of continued control over private enterprise, and that means control over individual. We had more than 150 years of the American way of life before we began to hear this kind of talk. It must be stopped.—Henry Ford.

The armies of the future will be very largely carried by air in something like civil transport planes.—Lord Swinton, British Minister of Civil Aviation, at Chicago.

TIMELY COMMENTS

A whirling jitterbug sailed through an open window and fell to the street before. Fortunately for the fellow, he landed on his head and consequently felt no ill effects.—Ottawa Citizen.

In parts of France where the Germans have been cleared out children are being sent back to school. All that talk of "liberation" was not meant for the young.—Peterborough Examiner.

As a matter of fact, I heard darned little singing when I was over among the boys and what I did hear was for the most part old sentimental tunes.—Irving Berlin.

One great advantage of having a large family is that the bread does not get a chance to get stale. Hence the absence of bread puddings.—Guelph Mercury.

No seats at the peace table for neutrals is the dictum of Lord Vansittart, realist British peer. In other words, no jackals with the Lions.—Ottawa Journal.

NAVY COURT

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| 5 Size of shot | 5 City of Chaldea |
| 6 Lair | 6 Excellent |
| 7 Individual | 7 Anger |
| 8 And (Latin) | 8 Negative |
| 9 Rodent (prefix) | 9 Fixed look |
| 10 Rodent | 10 At no time |
| 11 Myself | 11 Three |
| 12 Iron (symbol) | 12 Concerning |
| 13 Farewell! | 13 Domesticated animal |
| 14 Persia | 14 Rap lightly |
| 15 Run away | 15 Winglike part |
| 16 Heroic poem | |
| 17 Rip | |
| 18 Calcium (symbol) | |
| 19 Within | |
| 20 Abound | |
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| 22 Dock | |
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ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

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From The Record Files

THIRTY YEARS AGO

According to London reports, the Princess Patricia Canadian Light Infantry has left the Canadian camp to join a British division being despatched immediately to France.

A despatch reaching Amsterdam says that forty thousand Austrians were killed in an Eastern Front battle which lasted only a few hours.

Reporting that the war to date has already cost \$500,000,000, Prime Minister Asquith has asked the House of Commons to approve another \$1,125,000,000 war estimate.

A programme for several extensions of the sewer mains in the East and West Wards was approved at the regular session of the Sherbrooke City Council last evening.

The officers in charge of the bazaar being held for the benefit of the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital were Mrs. Louis Olivier, Mrs. L. J. Codere, Mrs. F. A. Gadbois and Mrs. F. Bertrand.

Among those taking part in an entertainment presented at Stanstead were William Flowerday, C. R. Ford, George Kempling, L. Leblond, H. Tilton, D. Tilton, Miss Howard, W. Ross, Miss M. Holding, Fred Montle and G. McIntosh.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

The condition of Major General Sir Lee Stack, senior British official attached to the Egyptian Army, is reported to be serious. He was wounded when two bombs were thrown by terrorists in Cairo against a number of officers.

The British Government has denied that its request for a delay in disarmament discussions is aimed at preventing such talks. Rather it is seeking an opportunity of first discussing the whole problem with the Dominions.

Reports from Ottawa indicate that the Canadian Government will shortly name a Minister to Washington.

The following committee was named to take charge of the organization of a Farmers' Club at Stanbridge East: C. M. Blinn, M. Callaghan, C. H. Baker, G. G. Bullard, T. Montagne, J. O. Larocque, Eli Daudelin and A. Laraway.

Among those taking part in a programme in connection with the formal opening exercises at the Sutton High School were F. A. Jenne, Sydney Cromwell, Rev. C. P. England, Rev. S. W. Boyd, A. R. McMaster, K.C., M.P., Jessie Morrison, L. F. Jenne, G. F. Watts, Geneva Harvey.

TEN YEARS AGO

Warning Great Britain that Germany was re-arming at top speed, Winston Churchill is urging that Britain make herself the strongest air power in Europe. He also urged the placing of strong military power with the League of Nations.

During a discussion of Electoral Act reforms, Secretary of State C. H. Cahan proposed that the names of civil servants be removed from the voters' lists.

Lake Megantic merchants were victimized early this morning by bandits who looted the cash registers of seven stores and also stole an automobile.

Prize-winners at a masquerade dance sponsored by the Waterloo Band were Mrs. Christine, Mrs. Hiram Wing, Mr. J. C. Spencer, Mr. Thomas Miller, Mr. Ames Clemens, Miss Lillian Wright, Mr. Raymond Campbell, Mrs. George Mizener, Mr. Claude Whitcher, Mrs. G. H. Webster and Mr. Fred Armstrong.

The Japanese Government is holding firmly to its demands for naval parity with Great Britain and the United States. It has announced that the compromise proposals of Great Britain are finding little favor with Nippon.

FIVE YEARS AGO

The Germans have extended their commerce raiding activities to the Indian Ocean. A British ship was sunk in these waters by what naval officials are convinced was a German armed merchantman.

Allied military observers believe that the failure of the Germans to undertake any large scale activity on the Western Front is due to the dissension between the German military leaders and the Nazi chief on the question of attacking the Maginot Line.

An authorized German source has informed the United States that any mediation offers by President Roosevelt were unwelcome at the present time.

It is understood that the Sherbrooke City Council will shortly study plans for making the emergency landing field at St. Francois Xavier the official municipal airport.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Sherbrooke Branch of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind: Justice C. D. White, Justice Hector Verret, J. W. Gregoire, Mrs. C. B. Howard, Rev. Father Bourassa, Lionel Vachon and B. N. Holtham.

Anti-aircraft guns went into action in Western England today as Cheshire and North Wales experienced the first enemy visitation of the war.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

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

SLAM IS WASTED BY CONSERVATISM

Should South open the bidding on today's hand? It is true that he does not have two and one-half tricks, but the tendency of the bidder today is to open this type of hand.

However, supposing South passes, North will open the bidding with one heart. Now what should South do?

Most of us agree that South should bid two spades at this point; but when I saw the hand played, South bid one spade and his partner bid two diamonds. Certainly now South should bid three spades—but he didn't. He bid two spades, North bid three spades, and South signed off with four spades. And in the play of the hand, they made only five, although six was a spread!

West's ace of clubs held the first trick and he continued with the diamond.

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a club, South winning with the king. Now South should lead the ten of hearts. If West covers with the king, dummy wins, leads a small heart to the jack, and South ruffs a club, catches the king of spades, ruffs a small heart, picks up the trump, and does not even need to finesse the diamond.

IN THE WOMEN'S SPHERE

GLORIFY YOURSELF.... PLEATING A TOWEL WITH YOUR TOES PUTS A LIVELY SPRING IN YOUR WALK



EVELYN ANKERS: Gives her feet a fling at freedom.

BY ALICIA HART

Switching from high to low-heeled shoes and going barefoot wherever privacy and a soft carpet permit are simple tricks of cajoling feet into giving you better support.

Switching high heels with low, when dressy footwear is not required, keeps feet more cheerful when they have to wear stilts. Pattering about barefooted on a carpeted bathroom or bedroom floor gives feet a fling at freedom that the need.

To encourage arches to give you a springier gait, suggests spirited Evelyn Ankers, "Bowery to Broadway" star, plant bare feet parallel on a bath towel and pleat it with your toes.

The name "beet" comes from the fact that when the seed pods of this vegetable begin to swell, they resemble the Greek letter "beta."

A survey has shown that when mail is placed on a man's desk, he is most apt to open violet-colored envelopes first.

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Glorify Yourself...

HOT OIL SHAMPOO IS DANDRUFF CURE

BY ALICIA HART

"What should I do about thinning hair and dandruff?" a reader writes. I would first try to determine that each is a superficial trouble. If I could not prove that, I'd see a doctor.

If wads of hair coming out in a comb is merely a matter of shedding or breakage, the trouble will pass when the normal process of shedding ceases and you stop yanking and pulling.

If what you think is dandruff is merely a flaking of the scalp or a scaling of hair, it will yield to a hot shampoo applied frequently.

When either of these troubles persists, after giving them a fair chance to clear up, march yourself to a medical specialist.

MELBORNE

At a recent meeting of the Cleveland Women's Institute it was decided to hold a food and fancy work sale on November 17 at 3:30 o'clock in the Melbourne Town Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. L. Michaud have received word that their youngest son, Sgt. Albert Michaud, was killed in action in Belgium on October 5. Sgt. Michaud, who was 26 years of age, enlisted in June, 1940, with the Sherbrooke Fusiliers Regiment, spending some time training at Connaught Ranges, Ottawa, in Newfoundland and Debert, N.S.

He went from there to Camp Borden, where he was a tank instructor for a year. He left for overseas in February, 1944, and was an instructor in the Elgin Regiment in England. Arriving in France shortly after "D-day," he went on to Belgium in September. "Bert," as he was known to his many friends, held the golf championship in Richmond. He and his father held the father and son Eastern Townships golf championship. The deepest sympathy is extended to his parents, sister and brother in their great loss.

Social and Personal

Mrs. Charles Lloyd, of Hamilton, Ont., arrived in Sherbrooke last night, and is a guest of her cousin, Mrs. P. A. Hammond, and Mr. Hammond, Portland Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sanders, King Street West, left this morning to spend a few days in Toronto, visiting their daughter, Miss Thelma Sanders, who is a patient in the Toronto Western Hospital.

Mrs. John Powers, who has spent several days in Sherbrooke visiting her mother, Mrs. George H. Parsons, and Mr. Parsons, 79 Portland Avenue, returned on Wednesday to her home in Quebec City.

Mrs. J. B. Frappier, Mrs. R. W. Reid and Mrs. E. E. Gilon were hostesses last evening for the informal bridge party which was held after a brief meeting of the Past Noble Grand's Club in the I.O.O.F. Hall. Mrs. M. Norris, Second Vice-President presided, and after the disposition of routine business, bridge was played at three tables, the prize being won by Mrs. M. Howcroft. At the conclusion of the game the hostesses served dainty refreshments.

Mrs. Ben. C. Howard entertained delightfully at the tea hour yesterday at her home in "Howardside," in honor of Mrs. Charles B. Howard, who received with the hostess in the attractive living room, about which autumn flowers were arranged. Tea was served in the dining room, Mrs. D. J. Salls and Mrs. F. H. Bradley presiding at the beautifully appointed table, which was covered with a lace banquet cloth and artistically done with candles in a cut-crystal bowl and cream tapers in matching crystal holders. Assisting in the tea room were Mrs. Hawley Griffith, Mrs. Wallace Barrie and Mrs. D. C. McRae.

WOMEN'S CLUBS

W.M.S., TRINITY CHURCH

The November meeting of Trinity W.M.S. was held in Wesley Hall and was presided over by Mrs. S. McLean. Mrs. Gordon Richards was accompanied for the afternoon.

The meeting opened with a hymn and the Lord's Prayer in unison. In the absence of the Secretary, the minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. E. E. Gilon and were approved.

The Treasurer, Mrs. E. A. Tomkins, gave a very satisfactory report of the Auxiliary's finances. The chicken patty-salad tea and supper sponsored by them was very successful, as also was the rummage sale at the market. Mrs. McLean thanked all who had helped.

Miss M. Bostwick, Strangers' Secretary, reported on new names and families, and told of several members who were sick and in hospital, and asked that they be remembered with cards and letters.

Mrs. E. E. Gilon, who is in charge of the reading course, expressed pleasure at the interest evinced by members in this project, and spoke of the sale of Christmas cards as being a great success.

Mrs. George C. Hall and Mrs. R. Havard were named by the President a nomination committee to bring in a slate of officers for the ensuing year.

Mrs. E. A. Tomkins reported that she would be away for the greater part of the winter and asked that Miss M. Heath be appointed to her office as Treasurer pro-tem.

Miss Heath was in charge of the worship service, the theme of which was "In the Footsteps of Jesus," Mrs. Sarah Emerson leading in prayer.

Following the reception and dedication of the offering chapters three and four of the study book were reviewed by Mrs. R. Havard.

The meeting was concluded by the repetition of the Mizpah Benediction in unison.

MIND YOUR MANNERS

The situation: When visiting in another city you are entertained at dinner by friends.

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ADDERLEY

Guests of Mr. Prescott Walker included Messrs. Gerald Currie, Steve Little, Kingsley Bullard, Cuyler MacGillivray and two children. Mr. Robert Bullard visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William Porter, and family, in Millfield.

Messrs. Cuyler MacGillivray and Robert Bullard were callers at the home of Mr. A. P. Watson.

Mr. William Ives is in the employ of Mr. David Currie.

Mr. Murdo MacKinnon was a dinner guest of Mr. Prescott Walker.

Misses Theo and Dorothy Crawford were guests of their cousins, Wayne and Audrey MacGillivray. Miss Mabel Crawford is not gaining as rapidly as her many friends would wish.

Mr. Cuyler MacGillivray called on friends in Inverness; a guest at the Bullard home.

Mr. Clement Rolfe, R.C.A.F., P.E.I., is spending a few days' leave at his home on Elgin Avenue, prior to leaving for Oshawa where he will take a several weeks' army automotive course at General Motors.

Mrs. W. H. Raymond and Mrs. F. S. Tarte, who journeyed to Montreal on Tuesday to meet Pte. W. H. Raymond, just returned from Overseas on the Hospital Ship, "Aba," returned home to Sherbrooke the next day accompanied by Pte. Raymond, who will spend a thirty day leave with his wife at their home, 62 Drummond Road.

The Misses Myrtle Northey, Ethel Martin, Pauline Grenier, Mildred Cochran, Catherine Smith and Simone Rioux were hostesses for this week's dance, held under the patronage of the Citizens' War Services Auxiliary Committee, at the Y.M.C.A. Johnny Fay's orchestra furnished the music, and the special spotlight dance was won by Miss Pauline Loberge and L/Cpl. P. E. Lamontagne. Refreshments were served as usual and the members of the Committee cordially repeat their invitation to all men and women in the Services to attend the weekly dance in the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium.

Miss Elizabeth Roy and Miss Shirley Hand acted jointly as hostesses for the November meeting of the Junior Catholic Women's League, which was held in St. Patrick's Church Hall under the presidency of Miss Lucille Crochetiere. After the opening League Prayer, the minutes, as read by the Secretary, and the financial statement, which, together with a request that all bills be paid, was presented by the Treasurer. Final arrangements were completed for the membership tea which is to be held in St. Patrick's Church Hall on Sunday, November 19th. All members are cordially invited, and it was suggested that they ask any young ladies who might be interested in becoming affiliated with the League. It was unanimously agreed that the annual fee be raised to \$1. Four new members were welcomed to the League, namely, the Misses Helene Booth, Vivian Allard, Pauline Stebbins and Mary Corigan. After adjournment, the hostesses served dainty refreshments, and a social hour was enjoyed.

GLENBURN

Mr. Allen Barron and family have moved into the late J. Racey's home.

Several from this vicinity attended the surprise birthday party for Mr. J. Blodgett on the Sand Hill road.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Collins and son attended the surprise party in Bulwer for Mr. and Mrs. A. Carroll. Mr. Carroll has bought a home in Moos River and will leave Bulwer shortly.

Many from here attended the card party in Lennoxville at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Chaddock.

Mr. W. Blodgett has returned to Port Arthur, Ont., after a few weeks here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Blodgett, Sr.



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MARRIAGES

DELISLE—JOHNSON

The marriage of Mavis Ruby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Massie Johnson, 159 Belvidere Street, to Mr. Joseph George Delisle, Bulwer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Delisle, Bulwer, took place in St. Patrick's Vestry, Sherbrooke, at three o'clock on Saturday afternoon, November 4th, the Reverend Father Moisan officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and wore a long, graceful gown of white brocade crepe, a finger-tip veil of white illusion, and she carried a shower bouquet of yellow roses and bouvardia.

Her only ornament was a locket of gold, a gift of the groom.

Mrs. Oscar Wheeler, of Richmond, cousin of the bride, as matron of honor, wore a floor-length frock of white silk jersey, a shoulder-length veil caught with yellow baby mums, matching the pernet bouquet she carried.

Miss Elaine Bishop, bridesmaid, wore a frock similar to the matron of honor's, her veil being held with bouze baby mums, her pernet bouquet being fashioned of the same flowers.

Mr. William Delisle, brother of the groom, acted as best man, and Mr. Malcolm Sanders, cousin ushered. Mrs. Johnson, the bride's mother, wore a sequin-trimmed gown of fuchsia crepe, a navy hat and accessories and a corsage of Johanna Hill roses.

Mrs. Delisle, mother of the groom, was wearing a brown ensemble, with a matching hat and accessories, and a corsage of tea roses.

The largely-attended reception was held at Mrs. Clifford Goodhue's, where bronze and yellow chrysanthemums were used to decorate. The bride's table, on which a three-tiered wedding cake formed the centre-

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piece, was lighted with white candles in silver candelabra, the floral decorations effectively continuing the general color scheme, with yellow and bronze baby mums.

Later the bride and groom left to spend their honeymoon in Montreal, the bride travelling in a suit of yellow vicella flannel with a tailored hat of the same material, black accessories, and a Chesterfield coat of teal blue.

The bride gave the matron of honor a sterling silver bracelet and to the bridesmaid sterling silver earrings inset with gold.

The wedding gifts were numerous and beautiful, and included several cheques.

Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Delisle will reside at Apt. 3, 173 Belvidere Street, Sherbrooke.

The guests from out-of-town were Mrs. Orley Johnson and Halden Johnson, Asbestos, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Knights, North Hatley, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Astbury, Ayer's Cliff, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McVetty, Cookshire, Mrs. J. Davies, Mr. and Mrs. William Delisle, W/O 1, and Mrs. Paul Duroisier, Montreal, Lieut. and Mrs. Douglas Davis, Farnham, Mr. and

Mrs. Joseph Delisle, the Misses Estelle and Pauline Delisle and Mrs. Frank Delisle, Bulwer, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wheeler, Richmond Hill, Ont., and LAW. Dorothy Hunt-Duke, Trenton, Ont.

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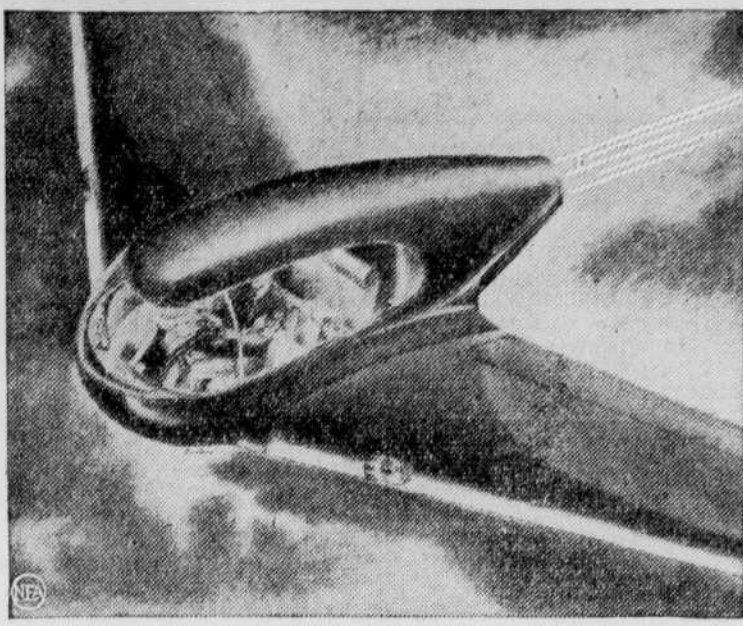
CLOVER LEAF SEA FOODS

Flivver Flying May Spark Boom In Allied Industries

By DAVID A. STEIN
St. Louis, Nov. 17.—If anyone tells you that you can take-off and land a plane all by yourself, without any previous flying experience, believe him. I know, because I've just done it, without ever having been at the controls of a plane before.

When I climbed into the little two-seater, the instructor simply said, "Take over." He pointed out a red-knobbed throttle. To gain speed, he said, I should pull the throttle forward, then simply reverse the process to slow down. That's all the instruction I was given before I taxied the craft out to the runway.

The plane had an ordinary steering wheel. When I had gained a speed of about 50 miles an hour, I was told simply to pull the wheel toward me. I rose skyward. To turn right or left, I turned the wheel just as I would in an automobile. To land, I simply slowed down, pushed the wheel forward, and the tricycle landing gear took care of the rest. I had flown this Ecoupe without the instructor having so much as touched the controls.



This is not the private plane of the immediate post-war era, manufacturers of the Aeronca, for whom industrial designer Emmett Grainer made this drawing, point out. Tomorrow's light plane will follow conventional lines.

After such a flight, you won't be a full-fledged pilot, of course. Before you can solo, CAA rules require at least eight hours of dual instruction. But once you have experienced the thrill of lifting a flying flivver into the air and bringing her down safely, you'll have a new and exciting impression of the possibilities of post-war private flying.

You will be able to fly to places that now seem remote. Vacation resorts, country clubs, remote lakes and beauty spots now outside your time range will be within easy flying distance. Just as the automobile influenced the growth of suburban communities, the development of highways, and the expansion of such allied industries as steel and oil, the popular airplane is sure to have far-reaching effects.

Air highways will have to be built, complete with landing strips, air service stations, hangar facilities, and "aerodromes" where you can find a place to sleep and a bite to eat. Air department stores will offer parts and supplies for your flivver

plane. You'll want an inexpensive hangar in your back yard. Millions of man hours of employment will be provided by the growth of private flying.

Not Perfected Yet

The post-war flivver plane itself hasn't yet been perfected to the point where John Q. Citizen will be satisfied that it has everything that he wants in an airplane. Best proof that manufacturers themselves aren't 100 per cent sure of their market is the number of quizzes and questionnaires they are distributing in order to find out.

Moreover, flying conditions are not all they should be, yet. There must be more airfields, better navigation aids, improved servicing facilities, low-cost hangars. Air enthusiasts point out that private flying is now at the same stage of development as the automobile in the immediate post-World War I days. They foresee development of air highways and flying facilities following the

same pattern that marked the growth of the automotive industry. Manufacturers of private planes have concentrated their efforts on safety, and emphasize spinproof factors, ease of control, and stability. They point out that town markings, airports, and navigation aids should make it possible for anyone at the controls of a plane to fly safely after passing a simple course in rules of the air and map reading.

Surveys have indicated a vast future market for private planes. Price is a major factor. The public wants a practical, safe, inexpensive plane. Two major reasons given by people who indicate no desire to own a plane are indifference and fear.

Helicopters Popular

Helicopters have captured the public imagination, with an overwhelming percentage indicating a preference for them. Ease of landing and parking, ease of operation, safety, utility, and economy are given as reasons for this preference. Surveys show that 65 per cent of prospective buyers want planes for recreation, and only 35 per cent want planes for business, including commuting.

A vast majority expect to pay at least \$1,500 for a "coupe", and \$2,000 for a four-passenger "sedan". Incidentally, aircraftsers see an important market for "limousine" type cabin planes, with room for at least six passengers and a pilot "chauffeur". The four-place family sedan type of plane has been given preference by most prospective buyers.

One of the most disputed factors in post-war aviation forecasts is the disposition of war-trained airmen toward private flying. Some see in the 425,000 men who have had flight experience a tremendous market. Others believe they will have had their fill of flying. Still another group believes that men who have flown Liberators and Flying Fortresses will have no desire for little "putt-putts."

EAST HEREFORD

Miss Lorene Bolton is home from the Sherbrooke Hospital much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hurley were overnight guests of Mrs. Weston and Mr. E. Gray.

Mrs. Russell Gray spent a day with her sister, Mrs. Herman Hann.

Mr. R. A. Owen attended the funeral of his uncle, Mr. Herbert Owen, in Stratford, N.H.

Mr. John Mills was called to Montreal by the serious illness of his mother.

Mr. William Owen spent a week-end in Coaticook.

Those from here who went to Coaticook to attend the Blood Donor Clinic were Mr. Merton Marsh, Mrs. Weston, Miss Jennie Owen, Mrs. Russell Gray, Mrs. Lela Gray, Mrs. Munn Owen and Mrs. R. A. Owen.

Mr. Bertram Bolton spent the week-end with friends in Hatley.

Mr. George Owen was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Bolton, in Coaticook, N.H.

years. But in 1941, when marriages rates as a war year, America had 12 sets of quads, which was twice as many as in the biggest previous year of the decade.

PROTEST SECURITY PLAN

London, Nov. 17.—Representatives of the 100,000 members of the National Spinners' Pensions Association passed a resolution expressing indignation that the Government's social security did not provide for a retiring pension for single women although it gave consideration to the needs of widows and married women.

Distribution Of Prizes Held At Annual School Opening At Angus

East Angus, Nov. 17.—The East Angus High School held its annual School Opening in the Parish Hall on Friday, November 3rd. Gerald Coates, a Grade X pupil, capably filled the duties of chairman. The programme was as follows: "O Canada"; School Chorus, "I Love You, Canada"; remarks by the Principal, Mr. Carr; musical sketch, "Swinging on a Star," by Grades IV and V; remarks by Rev. C. J. Gustafson; recitations by the pupils of the Annex School; piano selection by Laurel Westman; Victory Verses, by Grade III; remarks by Miss E. McLehlan, Chairman of the School Board; French Play by Grade VII, followed by French songs; piano selection by Donald Smith; musical drill by girls of Grades VIII and IX; remarks by Rev. W. W. Smith; a play, "The Artist's Dream," by Grades V and VII; an English play, "Catherine Parr," by Grade XI; distribution of prizes and "God Save the King."

The list of those who donated prizes and those who received them follows:

THE ANNEX SCHOOL
Grade I: 1 rank, School Board, Elmer Andrews; 2 rank, School Board, George Casar and Janet Stevenson; Attendance, School Board, Elmer Andrews, Elmer Andrews; Arithmetic, Mrs. Casar, George Casar; Greatest Improvement, Mrs. A. Stevenson, Henry Haddad.

Grade II: 1 rank, School Board, Leonard Bell; 2 rank, School Board, Leonard Bell; Spelling, Mrs. Douglas Bell, Leonard Bell; Arithmetic, Mrs. Irving Andrews, Leonard Bell; Writing, Mrs. H. Davis, Robert Davis.

Grade III: 1 rank, School Board, Douglas Bell; 2 rank, School Board, Douglas Bell; Spelling, Mrs. Douglas Bell, Leonard Bell; Arithmetic, Mrs. Irving Andrews, Leonard Bell; Writing, Mrs. H. Davis, Robert Davis.

HIGH SCHOOL
General Proficiency, School Board, Jack Taylor and Edward North; Attendance, School Board, Jean Clout; First Rank in Grade, Mrs. Taylor, Jack Taylor; Health, Women's Institute, Jack Taylor; Reading, Mrs. H. Clout, Jack Taylor; Arithmetic, Mrs. V. Main, Edward North; Grayden, Main; Writing, Mrs. C. Simons, Jack Taylor; Progress in Writing, Mrs. P. Scowen, Philip Scowen; Most Progress during term, Mrs. P. Scowen, Edward North.

Grade II: General Proficiency, School Board, Dorothy Anderson and Brian Mackey; Attendance, School Board, Brian Mackey; Health, Women's Institute, Carl Bjerkelund; Progress in Tables, Mrs. Barratt, Raymond Rouse; Writing, Mrs. H. Johnston, Carl Bjerkelund; Spelling, Mrs. Anderson, Donald Barratt; Most Progress during term, Mrs. Bjerkelund, Raymond Rouse; Tables, Mrs. Cillis, Brian Mackey.

Grade III: General Proficiency, School Board, Jean Gustafson and Mary Lou Dearden; Attendance, School Board, Sylvia Webb and Carolyn Westgate; Health, Women's Institute, Dolores Bernadine, Mrs. McCabe, Jean Gustafson; Tables, Mrs. J. Therrian, Dawn Bennett; Geography, Mrs. Bernard, Carolyn Westgate; Reading, Mrs. L. Webb, Mary Lou Dearden; Spelling, Mrs. L. Webb, Mary Lou Dearden; Progress in English Literature, Mrs. H. Mitchell, Linda Therrian; Arithmetic, Mrs. Westgate, Dawn Bennett; Progress in Arithmetic, Mrs. G. Bennett, Carolyn Westgate; Most Progress during term, Mrs. G. Bennett, Dolores Bernadine.

Grade IV: Best Attendance, School Board, Sylvia Webb; First in Grade, School Board, 1 Olla Mitchell, 2 Vivian Therrian; Highest in Health, Women's Institute, Scott Learmonth; Arithmetic, Alita Kinnear, 1 Vivian Therrian, 2 Velma Stevenson; Improvement in Arithmetic, Mrs. C. Tincarr, Joan Heath; Highest in English Literature, Mrs. R. Hall, Joan Heath; Highest in Language, Mrs. C. Main, Joan Heath and Olla Mitchell; Improvement in Language, Mrs. W. Robertson, Douglas Hall; Highest in Spelling, Mr. J. Therrian, Olla Mitchell; Improvement in Spelling, Mrs. R. Rowe, Gordon Robertson; Highest in Geography, Mrs. E. Lee, Olla Mitchell; Improvement in Geography, Mrs. A. Stevenson, Ronald Main; Highest in Scripture, Mrs. P. Heath, Douglas Hall; Highest in Music, Mrs. J. Mitchell, Joan Heath.

Grade V: Best Attendance, School Board, Pauline Rowe; First in Grade, School Board, 1 Pauline Rowe, 2 Arnold Hughes; Highest in Health, Women's Institute, Pauline Rowe; Improvement in Arithmetic, Mrs. W. J. Aulis, Jewell Aulis; Improvement in English Literature, Mrs. R. J. Knapp, Muriel Stickle; Highest in Language, Alita Kinnear, Pauline Rowe; Second in Language, Alita Kinnear, Arnold Hughes; Improvement in Language, Mrs. Percy Stickle, Elizabeth Davis; Improvement in Spelling, Mrs. Thomas Currie, Jr., Jean Currie; Highest in French, Mrs. W. J. Aulis, Jewell Aulis; Improvement in French, Mrs. Thomas Currie, Jr., Arthur James; Highest in Scripture, Mrs. Byard Hughes, Harold Knapp; Improvement in Writing, Mrs. Hazen Davis, Harold Knapp; Improvement in History, Mrs. Byard Hughes, Arnold Hughes.

Grade VI: Rank in Grade VI, School Commissioners, 1 Christina Smith, 2 Jean Westgate; Perfect Attendance, James Fearnley and Lawrence Hall; Scripture, W. W. Smith, Christina Smith; Art, Mrs. R. J. Westgate, Lee Scowen; Health, Women's Institute, Mrs. Hughes, 1 John Goodfellow, 2 Jean Westgate; Writing, Mrs. Goodfellow, Dorcas Mitchell; Spelling, Mrs. R. E. Buttemer, Christina Smith; Arithmetic, Mrs. R. Scowen, 1 Lee Scowen, 2 Christina Smith; French, Mrs. J. Therrian, Ruby Beattie, 1 Jean Westgate, 2 Christina Smith; English,

Mrs. Fearnley, Christina Smith; Improvement in French, Mrs. Bar-trait, Dorcas Mitchell; in Spelling, Mrs. C. Hall, Victor Therrian; in Arithmetic, Mrs. Mitchell, Esther Barratt; in English, Ruby Beattie, Victor Therrian.

Grade VII: Rank in Grade VII, School Commissioners, 1 Phyllis Rowe, 2 Shirley Robb; Health, Women's Institute, Phyllis Rowe; English, Mrs. Ferguson, Phyllis Rowe; Arithmetic, Katherine Robb, Reed Scowen; Spelling, Percy Stickle, Reed Scowen; Scripture, W. W. Smith, Betty Parsons; French, Ruby Beattie, Shirley Ann Robb; Writing, Mrs. P. H. Scowen, 1 Arthur Bailey, 1 Shirley Ann Robb; History, Mrs. E. Jamieson, Reed Scowen; Perfect Attendance, School Commissioners, Margaret Hutchinson; Improvement in English, Mrs. R. Hutchinson, Margaret Hutchinson; in Arithmetic, Ruby Beattie, Betty Parsons; in Spelling, Mrs. R. C. Beattie, Lambert Jamieson; in History, Mrs. R. Hutchinson, Larry Jamieson; in French, Dorothy Shat-wick, Betty Parsons.

Grade VIII: General Proficiency, School Commissioners, 1 Keith Hall, 2 Joan Rowland; Perfect Attendance, School Commissioners, Joan Rowland and Bill Rowland; English Literature, Mrs. Ray Willard, Keith Hall; Written French, Mrs. Alfred Rowland, Jr., Joan Rowland; Oral French, Ruth Taylor, Joan Rowland; Algebra, Mrs. Allan Hall, Keith Hall; General Science, Mrs. Douglas Bell, Madeline Tincarr; Improvement in History, Mrs. Duncan Kinnear, Sheila Bell.

Grade IX: General Proficiency, School Commissioners, 1 David Goodfellow, 2 May Ratcliffe; Perfect Attendance, School Commissioners, May Ratcliffe and Ted Rowland; English Literature, Mrs. D. M. Ferguson, David Goodfellow; History, Mrs. D. M. Ferguson, David Goodfellow; Algebra, J. K. Goodfellow, May Ratcliffe; Spelling, M. Lipsey, David Goodfellow; Geometry, Ruth Taylor, May Ratcliffe; Most Improved Average, Mrs. Stewart Coates, David Goodfellow; Composition, Mrs. A. Ratcliffe, Carl Beckmann; History, Mrs. Douglas Bell, Ted Rowland.

Grade X: General Proficiency, School Board, 1 Herby Lloyd, 2 Doris Clout; Perfect Attendance, School Board, James Rowley and Tom Bjerkelund; English Literature, Mrs. G. Clout, Doris Clout; Most Improvement in English Literature, Mrs. G. Rowley, Herby Lloyd; Oral French, Mrs. Lloyd, Herby Lloyd; Geometry, R. Barton Carr, James Rowley; Most Improvement in Chemistry, Mrs. F. Rankin, Tom Bjerkelund; Latin, Rev. W. W. Smith, Donald Smith; Most Improved Average, Mrs. C. J. Bjerkelund, Herby Lloyd.

Grade XI: General Proficiency, School Board, 1 Teddy Bjerkelund, 2 Kenneth Absalom; Perfect Attendance, School Board, Teddy Bjerkelund; English Literature, Mrs. F. Rankin, Teddy Bjerkelund; Most Improvement in English Literature, Mrs. Fearnley, Jack McLellan; Written French, Mrs. W. Robertson, Roy Betts; Geography, Mrs. R. E. Buttemer, Teddy Bjerkelund; Algebra, R. Barton Carr, Kenneth Absalom; Geometry, Mrs. R. W. Betts, Margaret Dearden; Most Improvement in Chemistry, Mrs. F. Dearden, Roy Betts; Most Improved Average, Mrs. C. J. Bjerkelund, Thelma Rankin; Writing, Mrs. A. Absalom, Thelma Rankin.

STANSTEAD

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. White have moved from Stanstead to an apartment in the Audinwood block in Rock.

Mrs. Edward Curtis entertained a very large meeting of the Women's Association of Centenary Church at her home. Miss McIntosh presided and conducted the devotional period and business session. Items of business were discussed and disposed of. Mrs. Curtis served delicious refreshments as the tea hour.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Mrs. Knowlton Curtis, whose son, P. Wendel Curtis, R.C.A.F., is reported missing in air operations over Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Farrow, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farrow, have returned to their home in Wadsworth, Me.

Miss Hibbs, of Ottawa, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. John Bogan, student at Stanstead College, was a guest of his parents in Knowlton.

Miss M. Chamberlain is visiting friends in Coaticook.

Mrs. William Jones and daughter, Miss Muriel Jones, of Sherbrooke, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansel Gibson, of Montreal, spent a week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Baldwin were guests of their son, Sidney Baldwin, and Mrs. Baldwin, in Ayer's Cliff.

Miss Mildred Brown, principal of the Kingsley Consolidated School, spent a week-end with Dr. and Mrs. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Rexford, of Ayer's Cliff, were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Harold Case, and Mr. Cass.

Brains specialists are said to be using Hitler. Too late, too late! —St. Catharines Record.

NAPOLÉON AND UNCLE ELBY



MELBOURNE RIDGE

Mr. Garnet Hackwell, of Springfield, Mass., spent several days with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Beers.

THETFORD MINES

Mrs. Stanley Briggs entertained at afternoon tea in honor of Mrs. Andrew Johnson and daughter, Ann, before their departure for Tucson, Ariz. Mrs. U. A. Vaudry poured tea and coffee, and Miss Emma Johnson and Mrs. M. McCammon assisted the hostess in serving.

Miss Pearl Johnson entertained a number of friends at a dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson held a dinner in honor of Mr. George Robinson, Secretary-Treasurer of the Johnson Company, and Mrs. Robinson.

Misses Joyce and Patsy Johnson are spending a week at home to be with their mother and sister, Ann, before the latter leaves for the South.

Miss Helen McCammon entertained at a tea party of little friends of Miss Ann Johnson.

Miss Pearl Johnson and Mrs. William Johnson are spending a few days shopping in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Bennett, of St. Johnsbury, Vt., and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bennett, of Hartford, Conn., were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simons and Mrs. Ethel Simons, en route to Maple Grove, for the burial of their mother, Mrs. James Burke.

A number of friends from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Burke, of St. Johnsbury, Vt., held in Maple Grove.

Mrs. Ernest Porter and Mrs. Howard McHarg, of Thetford Mines, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nugent, in Cranberry.

Mrs. Andrew Johnson and daughter, Ann, have left to spend the winter in Tucson, Ariz. Mr. Johnson accompanied them to Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. A. D. Kinnear spent a week visiting her sister in Sherbrooke. Mr. Archie Kinnear spent a week-end at the same home.

Misses Betty Johnson, Lyla Pharo and Monica Fontaine, of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Deep sympathy is extended to the Ward family in the death of their mother, Mrs. Annie M. Cairns Ward. Miss Hilda Stevenson, of Montreal, has returned home to be with her mother and brother, for an indefinite time.

Sgt. Grant Vaudry, R.C.A.F., is spending an indefinite time at his parental home, here.

The community is glad to wel-

Cutting Remarks



Capt. Nieves Fernandez, only known Filipino female guerilla leader and formerly a school teacher, was only kiddin' when this picture was made, but she really used the above method to silently kill Jap soldiers during the Nips' long domination of Leyte Island. Getting first-hand information on the woman's knifing tactics is Pvt. Andrew Lupiba, former Los Angeles bellhop. (Photo by Stanley Troutman, NEA-Acme Picturepool photographer).

come Mrs. Florence Stevenson home from the hospital and wishes her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Ernest Porter and Mrs. W. J. Robinson have gone to Sherbrooke for a short visit with friends and relatives.

Nurse Porter left this morning for Ottawa to carry on her duties, after having a tonsillectomy and short rest.

Dr. Peter Ward of St. Paul, Minn.; Mr. William Ward, of Norristown, Pa.; and Mr. Grant Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Roffe, of this city.

Mrs. J. R. Cairns, and Miss Lois and Evelyn Ward, all of Montreal; were the guests of their brother, Mr. A. T. Ward, and Mrs. Ward, during the illness and death of their mother, Mrs. R. G. Ward.

Many from this vicinity attended the burial of Mrs. Annie M. Cairns Ward, held on Sunday at Christ Church, Lower Ireland.

Sgt. Gerald Barnes, R.C.A.F., of Toronto, Ont., has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Roffe, of this city.

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By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE

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Washington, Nov. 17. — (AP) — More twins, triplets and quads are being born in the United States since the war began than before.

The Bureau of the Census figures are: Multiple births in 1933—24,220, and in 1942 a rise to 29,421.

At first glance it looks as if Mars is adding romance and mystery to war marriages. Investigation supports the romance, wipes out all the mystery, and gives Mars a bad score when it comes to producing multiples.

The reason there were more mul-

tiples births in 1942 than in 1933 was because many more babies were born, because the U.S. birth rate went up. More girls got married; a rush to the altar, which it will be recalled, started with the adoption of Selective Service before we entered combat.

Along with the rising birth rate there naturally were more twins and other multiples.

That is no special credit to Mars. What's to his discredit in this multiple baby business is that the percentage of multiples actually declined. In 1935, of all babies born in the United States, 11 and a fraction per cent per thousand were twins, triplets or quads. That percentage stayed at 11 until 1940.

Beginning with the latter year, the percentage dropped to 10.8, went down one decimal point the next year and again a similar decimal point in 1942, the last year of completed census figures on babies.

The medical reason for the percentage decline in proportion of multiples is not clear. But an explanation which comes from statistics of birth rates is entirely clear. This is the explanation. First born are not as likely to come in pairs or multiples as are children born later to the same mother. The American increase in babies during this war is largely among new mothers, girls having their first babies.

In round numbers, the babies born in the United States in the last ten available years were 2,000,000 in 1933, a step-up to 2,100,000 in each of the following four years, then to 2,200,000 for two years, to 2,300,000 in 1940; 2,400,000 in 1941; 2,700,000 in 1942.

Triplets were 220 in 1933 and 277 in 1942.

Quads were five in each of those

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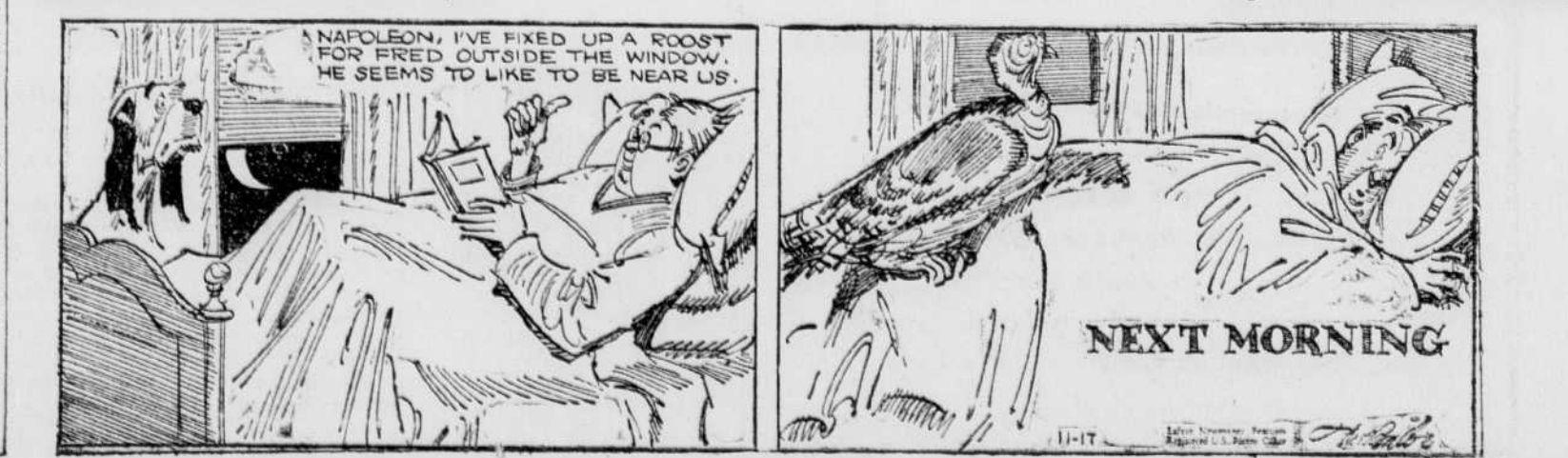
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By Mickey



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SAND HILL

Some sixty-five relatives and friends of Gladwin Blodgett visited his home and carried out a very well planned surprise party on the occasion of his birthday. Bridge and five hundred were played at fourteen tables. Other games were enjoyed by some of the younger set. During the course of the evening, a lovely leather wallet bearing the initials of the guest-of-honor and containing a dollar for each decade of his life, was presented to Mr. Blodgett, who also received a number of individual gifts. In making the presentation, on behalf of all present, Rev. John Ford expressed the good wishes of all. Responding to the words of congratulation and the gifts marking this happy event, Mr. Blodgett said that the party was a real pleasure and a surprise. After the presentation, refreshments were served and a lovely birthday cake was enjoyed. All left the party feeling that it had been a very happy and pleasant event.

Miss Lois Ford, of Sherbrooke, is spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Blodgett and family.

Mr. Findlay Morrison, of Gould, called on his sister, Mrs. Earl Sweet-

ey, and Mr. Sweeney, Mrs. Alice Brazel, Doris and Harold, of Cookshire, were guests at the same home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Blodgett and family attended the twenty-first birthday party for Miss Evelyn Rowe at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anson Rowe.

WEST SUTTON

Mr. Charles O'Brien, of Farnham, was the guest of Mr. A. J. O'Brien and Mr. J. McCullough.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robinson spent a few days in Montreal with their daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Jordan attended the hot dish supper given by the Ladies' Aid of Sutton Junction in their hall. O'Brien called on Mrs. Jennie Knuckey and Mrs. Nina Lee, in Sutton.

Mrs. Charles Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Robinson called on Mrs. Nina Lee, in Sutton.

Pte. George Wright, of St. Johns, spent a few days with Mrs. Wright and daughter, Kay, at the home of Mr. D. L. Mudgett.

A few from here attended the dance at the home of Mr. Fred Wil-

son. Pte. and Mrs. Gerald Page spent two days in St. Armand with his sister Mrs. A. J. Garland, and family.

A few from here attended the meat-pie supper in the basement of the United Church, in Farnham's Corner, on Saturday evening, and on Sunday attended the 50th anniversary service held in the church there.

Mrs. Edith Macey spent a few days in Sutton with her son, Mr. Floyd Macey, and Mrs. Macey.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Meunier attended the funeral of Mrs. Meunier's step-grandmother, Mrs. Charlotte Racine, whose funeral service was held in the Roman Catholic Church in Sutton, with burial at Dunham.

The many friends here of Mr. William J. Lavery are sorry to hear that he has not been enjoying very good health and is spending some time in Sutton at the home of Mr. Harvey Brown.

Miss Jackie Blanchfield, of Montreal, and Mr. Ernest Julius, of Cowansville, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Julius.

BALDWIN'S MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lyon and daughter, Velda, and Mr. William Washburn, of Littleton, N.H., where they spent the week-end with Mr. Washburn's daughter, Mrs. Alfred Corliss.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil May entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ward May and two daughters, Mona and Edith, of Coaticook.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lyon were in Coaticook.

Mrs. H. F. Baldwin entertained the school children on Halloween. A delicious supper was served by the hostess, Mrs. H. Baldwin and Miss Eunice Baldwin. The evening was spent in playing games.

The many friends of Mrs. Harrison are sorry to hear that she is ill. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil May and daughter, Esther, were in Rock Island, calling on Mrs. Sydney Hall.

Mr. Loren Markwell, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Markwell and Mrs. Anson Hamilton were in Coaticook on business.

LONELY AIR POST HACKED FROM BUSH ON PACIFIC COAST

By KATHLEEN REX,
Canadian Press Staff Writer
A West Coast R.C.A.F. Patrol Base, Nov. 17.—(C)—An airplane ride over hundreds of miles of British Columbia's wildest territory, a brief trip by R.C.A.F. crashboat and you have arrived at this west coast base.

There's no need to be told beforehand that this is an R.C.A.F. station—that the seaplanes which roar out across the harbor each morning are not merely on a training flight. You can sense the constant guard that's kept at this far-off post. You can see it in the wireless room where R.C.A.F. Women's Division operators maintain a 24-hour vigil. You are aware of it when you pick up a telephone at 3:30 a.m. to know that the WD Central is at her post waiting for your call.

"We've changed our Sundays to Thursdays so that if other Western Air Command stations are relaxing a bit Sundays we're still on the spot," Wing Commander J. W. McNea of Vancouver, commanding officer of the station said.

"Because they must keep on key to their job when working, I'm particularly interested in what the personnel do when off duty," the C.O. continued. "That's why I encourage all sports and outdoor activity possible up here. It's important that these men and women should lead a well-balanced life if they're to do good work."

"At first I wasn't sure how women would fit into a bush station such as this but any qualms I have had, have not been realized," Wing Cmdr. McNea said. "They're doing a good job and they're the finest group of girls you could hope to find anywhere."

A common recreation room is underway at present which eventually will be open to men and women of all ranks. It will boast a dance floor, a juke-box, a soda bar and various games. Although it isn't customary for men and women of different ranks to mingle, nevertheless in an outpost such as this such rules would be overlooked, Wing Cmdr. McNea said.

When a WD at this remote bush station tells you she's going to "dig her teddy bear for potato

wear," she's not talking baby talk and she isn't going to cut a rug, the girl's just letting you know that she's going to wear her coveralls to dig some honest-to-gosh potatoes.

Any day you'll see a group of WDs and airmen in their off-duty hours harvesting potatoes from the Station Victory Garden. A Canadian Army unit nearby purchases the spuds and the money goes into a fund to build a chapel on the station which is the most distant outpost to which Western Air Command has yet sent its servicemen. There are 60 girls here.

Girls like Leila Ashton, Winnipeg; Janet Hamilton, Moose Jaw, Sask.; Laurie Campbell, Edmonton, are at the settlement which airmen hacked out of the forest less than two years ago. They've come as cooks, waitresses, stenographers, telephone operators, wireless ground operators, to release a man for more active duty elsewhere.

Frances Campbell, a former Nelson, B. C. schoolteacher, is one of the 17 "Wogs" (wireless ground operators) on the station. Others include Mary Scott, Betty Booth, Betty Clayman and Ruth Nagel, all of Toronto. The four girls, formerly members of the Volunteer Canadian Women's Service Force, chummed together in Toronto and joined the Royal Canadian Air Force together. "It was just luck that after we took the wireless course in Montreal we were all posted here," Ruth Nagel said.

GALLUP HILL

The regular meeting of the St. John's Ladies' Guild was held in the Parish Hall with Mrs. H. C. Denton, Vice-President, presiding. Miss M. J. Weed, Secretary, Mrs. E. J. Gallup, Treasurer; Mrs. H. Badger, Mrs. E. Munroe, Mrs. Lefebvre, Mrs. C. Johnston and Phyllis, Mrs. A. Coddington, and Rev. H. C. Denton and David were present. A quilt for the Red Cross was completed. Plans are being made for a social evening to be held on Friday November 17.

Mr. Gordon Johnston was in Montreal to visit Mrs. Gordon Johnston, Galen, Teddy and infant daughter.

A number from here attended the Farm Forum Rally in the Assembly Hall of St. Francis College High School, in Richmond.

In connection with the observance of Education Week the parents and guardians of pupils visited the various classrooms of the St. Francis College High School, in Richmond.

Mrs. B. J. Stinson had the misfortune to fall, and friends are pleased that she was not seriously injured.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnston, in Asbestos.

Mr. J. M. Galbraith was a guest of relatives in Montreal for a week.

INVERNESS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross were guests of Mrs. J. McNea.

Mrs. L. Hebert was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie and Mr. and Mrs. W. Lunnie. Mrs. Hebert is leaving shortly to visit Miss Doris Hebert and Miss G. Hebert for the winter months.

Mrs. John Leadbeater and Mrs. D. D. MacMillan were at the home of Mrs. J. McNea, during her absence in Plessisville.

Mrs. J. McNea has left for Sherbrooke, where she will visit relatives and friends.

The opening of the Inverness Rifle Club took place with 32 members shooting. Cronarty Cruickshank and Ralph Paterson tied for first place with scores of 98. The shed and kitchen adjacent to the Royal Bank are being used as a shooting gallery and clubhouse respectively, and a lot of sport during the winter is anticipated. Practices will be held every Friday night

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED.



By Zane Grey,

EAST DUNHAM

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Colton were Mr. John Hall and two sisters, Florence and Ethel Hall, of Meigs' Corner, Mrs. Douglas Wighton and son, Wayne, and Mr. Freeman Lagrandeur, of Abercorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cheliffoux and Mrs. Clarence Cheliffoux spent a day in Richmond, Vt.

Mrs. George Dymond is a patient in the R.M.F. Hospital, in Swetsburg, where she underwent an appendectomy.

Mr. William Brock has moved his family here from South Bolton, and will reside with his brother, Mr. James Brock.

Mrs. Douglas Wighton and son, Wayne, and Mr. Freeman Lagrandeur, of Abercorn, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cheliffoux.

Mr. Clarence Cheliffoux, Mr. James Brock and Mr. and Mrs. William Brock were in Knowlton on business.

Mrs. M. McCullough and Miss Kathleen McCullough are spending a time in Farnham with her son, Mr. James McCullough, and family.

SOUTH DURHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jacques and daughters, of Cap de la Madeleine, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woolfrey.

Warrant Officer Ross Patrick, of the Merchant Marine, who was at home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patrick, and sisters, Miss Patrick, Mrs. Percy Fraser and Mrs. Lorne Armstrong, also called on his many cousins and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Millar have returned home from Cookshire, where they spent several days



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with their son, Lieut. B. A. Millar, Mrs. Millar and little daughter, Margaret Ann, and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Groom, in Lennoxville, and Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Ross in Sherbrooke.

Mrs. J. B. Frankland and sister, of Kingston, Ont., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Montgomery.

The School Inspector, Mr. N. G. Young, paid his official visit to the school and met the School Board and the Principal, R. W. St. Pierre.

Pte. Lloyd G. Peat and Mrs. Peat, of Hamilton, Ont., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Montgomery.

Mrs. Gordon Bogie has returned

home from the Western Hospital, Montreal, where she was under observation.

The Ladies' Aid of St. James' Church was entertained at the home of Mrs. W. H. Montgomery, when a delicious tea was served by Mrs. Montgomery and Mrs. Grover Montgomery.

Messrs. Alan Mountain, Ellis L. Montgomery, George Picken and Ruben Moore have returned from the harvest fields at Irma, Alta.

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years, 2 calves, 2 working horses, 2 colts, 2½
years, 1 riding horse, chickens, 1 dog, rake,
mower, express wagon, cart with tires, dou-
ble wagon, summer wagon, small sleigh,
working sleigh, manure spreader, plough, 2
disc harrow, separator, 8 cans and pails,
strainer, 2 wheeled cart, stone drag, dou-
ble harness, small harness, cultivator, potato
shovel, clipper, hay fork, 200 bushels of
oats and more articles too numerous to men-
tion. Everything to be sold without reserve.
Dinner at 12 noon. Terms Cash.

AZARIAS GRENIER, Auctioneer.

Compton, Que.

AUCTION SALE

for Alphonse Carrier,

HILLHURST, 2½ MILES FROM COMPTON

Tuesday, November 21st,

AT 12:30 SHARP

7 cows, 2 heifers, 1½ years old, 2 calves, 2
horses, 1½ years old, weight 1,300 and 1,400,
No. 4 pigs, 1 sow, chickens, manure car-
rier with truck, double wagon, mowing
machine, cultivator, horse hoe, plow, new
coupler, separator, driving sleigh, single
harness, double harness, good dog for cows,
20 tons of hay, grain, straw, 1 kitchen
stove, 1 Beauty enamel stove for coal and
wood, 1 gasoline stove, 1 new gasoline wash-
ing machine, 1 extension table, 2 panel
tables, 1 gramophone with records, 1 Aladdin
lamp, 1 electric battery radio, 3 complete
beds with springs and a lot more articles
too numerous to mention. The farm will be
for sale, 43 acres, good barn, a new well-
finished house with running water every-
where. Terms: Cash.

AZARIAS GRENIER, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

for Rodolphe Boivin,

5 MILES FROM COATCOCK ON STE.

EDWIDGE ROAD, ROUTE 1.

Wednesday, Nov. 22nd,

AT 12:30 SHARP

15 cows, 2 heifers, 2½ years old and 3½
years old, 5 calves, 1 classified registered
bull, 2 cows, 1 sow, 5 pigs from 100 to 125
lbs., 1 collie dog, mowing machine, hay load-
er, rake, express wagon, manure spreader,
phosphate and oats seeder. These machines
have been in use for only two years. Master
Harris wagon on tires, plough, cultivator,
land roller, disc harrow with truck and
separator. All these machines have been
used to 5 years. Milk cans, pails, farm
kettle, scale capacity of 2,000 lbs., big
sleigh, hay rack and cord wood rack, rub-
ber lined express, driving harness, 50 tons
of hay and straw, a lot of block chains and
all the small tools too numerous to mention.
All to be sold without reserve. Reason:
Illness. Terms: Cash.

AZARIAS GRENIER, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

for Mr. Marvin B. Hodge,

AT HER HOME IN BIRCHTON

on Wednesday, Nov. 22nd,

AT 12:30 SHARP

2 beds complete springs and mattresses, 2
drawers, 2 commodes, hall stand with 24x30
mirror, 2 feather beds, 2 Congoleum rugs,
\$412 and 7x9, Axminster rug, 12x13, wool
rug, 9x12, and other rugs, oak dining room
extension table with five straight and one
arm chair, large oak sideboard, wall clock,
good kitchen stove, large mirror, 16x28,
small mirror, 4 rocking chairs and few odd
chairs, oak swivel desk chair, book or maga-
zine stand, 1 Webster dictionary, 1 two sec-
tion and three high book case, like
new, series 25 volume by Mark Twain, per-
fect order, sleigh robe, veranda chair,
wool stair carpet, storage chest, alight, 42
inches long by 22x24, hand power Vacuum
cleaner hardly used, blankets, quilts, cush-
ions, runner, bedroom set, iron bed and
extra spring, 4 mattresses, several small
tables, 4 dining room chairs and 4 kitchen
chairs, cupboard, picture, refrigerator (ice
box), kitchen couch, chamber set, egg
crates, potato crates, assorted dishes, milk
pails, kettles, baking tins, portieres or dis-
appies and more. Terms: Cash.

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DUGRE ANNOUNCES LINE-UP FOR NAVY GAME

Confident That Indians Will Give St. Hyacinthe Good Game; Will Play Return Engagement

Coach Ivan Dugre announced today that he had finally chosen the team he will send out against the St. Hyacinthe Navy team on Sunday when the Indians and the sailors clash in the first hockey game to be seen here this season.

Dugre's squad shapes up into what looks like a pretty powerful unit, backed by Roger Dion, veteran goal-keeper, in the nets.

Up front, the Indians have Gaston "Pop" Leroux, Bob Bergeron and Ivan Boileau. Dugre said today that he also expected to have Jean Paul "Moose" Ranger in uniform for the game Sunday. Ranger was supposed to arrive in town last night to take up his old job with the Sherbrooke Fire Department and is expected to be on hand for the exhibition tilt.

The Sherbrooke Indians first line will see Ovide Gaudet, returning to

the hockey wars, at centre, flanked by Emile Letarte and Noel Boileau on the wings. Letarte was with the Rang last season while Boileau starred for the Army squad last year.

The second line will be composed of Raymond "Newy" Lalonde, at right wing, Roland Gauthier, at centre, with Normand Dussault, the speed demon, patrolling the left flank.

Coach Dugre will present a "Kid Line" as his third stringers. The line, Philip Bergeron, Gilles Dube and Oscar Lavoie, all with the junior champion Canadiens last year, worked as a unit in 1943-44 and were regarded as a powerful attacking force.

Harry Allen, rangy centreman, will not see action this week as he will be in Montreal for the week-end. However, he will be back for the hockey wars next week.

CANADIAN NAVY GRID CROWN AT STAKES SATURDAY

Montreal, Nov. 17.—(C)—The combines of H.M.C.S. Donacoma and H.M.C.S. St. Hyacinthe, champions of the Quebec Rugby Football Union, will field a strong team Saturday against H.M.C.S. York of Toronto in the Canadian Navy football championship final.

Players from many parts of Eastern Canada are in the lineup and Coach Glen Brown has whipped together a smart club.

Whether the Montreal sailors will have sufficient weight to turn back the Toronto tars remains to be seen, but they already have captured the Eastern Canada Navy championship as a result of their victory over Halifax Navy.

The Combines have suffered one defeat at the hands of an Ontario team this year—they lost 3-1 to University of Western Ontario—but they were very satisfied that their Toronto opponents in Saturday's contest lost 21-14 to the same team.

Brown, who once starred with the Montreal Big Four club and Ohio State, along with Steve Levant, former Queen's University and Toronto Argos star, and Pat Santucci who was with the champion Wildcats last year, are the mainstays of the line which has a number of newcomers, including John Crinich as snap, Mickey McCall at middle, and Don Webb and George Bainbridge as insiders. Jack Wedley, another Argos star, holds down one of the end berths.

Al Hurley, who helped Western win the Intercollegiate title in 1939, is at quarter, and Dutch Davey, star of last year's Halifax Navy team, handles the kicking and punting. Buck McLeod and Roy Kirbyson complete the first string. Included among the alternatives are Curly Hiltz of Toronto Collegiate, and a number of Montrealers: Ian Barclay, Howie Baker, Dave Katovich, Sam Abbott and Charlie Ellis. Don Loney came to Montreal recently from Halifax where he was snapping and flying with the Navy team there until last week.

Menichelli Unveiled In The Ring Where Fabulous Firpo Started; They Laughed At Wild Bull, Too

New York, Nov. 17.—James J. Johnston unveiled Fernando Menichelli in a match with one Lorient Bouchard of Montreal at Laurel Gardens, Newark. You could not get much of a line on The Mighty Menichelli, as Boy Bandit Johnston has nicknamed him, in a joust with Bouchard, the French-Canadian being sorely handicapped by a china chin and whatnot.

Menichelli is an Argentine heavy-weight, however, and his making his American bow in the same ring which introduced Luis Angel Firpo to this country in 1922 makes him a story.

"A story was hanging around Newark in a celluloid collar and raincoat," recalls Promoter Babe Culnan. "A Newark Athletic Club friend of mine kept after me to put him on. I saw him in an exhibition at the Old Shubert Theatre on Grand Street, and he couldn't get out of the way of the resin box.

"But my friend kept pestering me. Finally I got rid of him I gave Firpo \$125 to box Sailor Tom Maxted, who was going fairly well at the time.

"The first thing I knew a little fellow named Joe Geegoe was putting lights in the Gardens for moving pictures. That was all right because it was good publicity, but I still didn't think Firpo could fight when they installed a special cable at the ring-side to give the fans of Buenos Aires a blow by blow account at \$1 a word.

"To protect myself I promised Firpo \$250 for his next start in the event that he got over Maxted. He knocked out Maxted rather spectacularly in seven, so I decided to up his end for a match with Joe McCann to \$300.

"I chased him out of the office when he demanded \$1,000, but went looking for him at that price the following day.

Firpo got off the floor to belt out McCann, a terrific puncher, in



Fernando... Boy Bandit Johnston calls him The Mighty Menichelli.

lected \$94,000 for knocking out Jess Willard at Boyle's Thirty Acres. He got \$175,000 off the thriller with Jack Dempsey, \$40,000 for losing to O'Har' Will. He made something like \$500,000 in two and a half years, and went home with it all.

"The picture Little Joe Geegoe made of the Maxted fight—the one we laughed about—earned \$48,000. Maxted, who was a share, but didn't get a quarter. Nobody got a quarter from Firpo."

Promoter Culnan knows nothing about this Fernando Menichelli. The Mighty Menichelli is hardly a springer, but Luis Angel Firpo was 31 when he made his pile, and after what the Wild Bull did on such short notice, Babe Culnan will never again sell a big bloke short, especially if he comes from the Argentine.

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CATARACTS AND BRAVES BATTLE TO 4-4 DEADLOCK

Valleyfield, Que., Nov. 17.—(C)—Shawinigan Falls Cataracts came from behind last night to force a 4-4 overtime draw with Valleyfield Braves in an Interprovincial Hockey League game here. The result tied Shawinigan and Valleyfield for second place in the loop, one point behind Cornwall Cookies. Connolly and Vinet accounted for four Valleyfield goals, all of which came in the first period, Lupien, Tremblay, Despeigne and Lajoie scored for the Cataracts.

Lineups:

Shawinigan Falls-goal, Thiffault; defence, Arcand, Brodeur; centre, Tremblay; wings, Courteau, Lajoie; subs, Bisson, Lupien, Trudel, Laframboise, MacIntyre, Bellemare, Despeigne.

Valleyfield-goal, Chate, defence, Poissant, Brennan; centre, Fleet; wings, Connolly, Gibbons; subs, Vinet, Joannette, Boyer, Cadieux, Triggs, McIntosh, Archambault.

Officials-Lalonde and Bennett.

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Landis Said Ready To Retire From Office In Near Future

Chicago, Nov. 17.—(P)—Rumors that Baseball Commissioner Kene- saw M. Landis was ready to retire were today as a group of major league officials met to consider the big league agreement which, among other things, provides for procedure to be taken in event of a vacancy in the office.

For the past several months there have been several reports in baseball circles that Judge Landis, who assumed baseball's highest office when the present major league pact was signed January 12, 1921, was not to be a candidate for reelection when the agreement expires January 12, 1946. The rumors have increased since his recent illness, which has confined him to hospital for the last six weeks.

William Harridge, the American League President, in announcing to-

day's meeting, said only the officials will "give consideration to the Major League agreement which perpetuates the office of Baseball Commissioner." He added that the recommendations of the joint committees will be submitted for consideration at the annual Major League meeting here next month.

The Major League pact, as now in force, provides for the procedure to be followed in event of the resignation or death of Judge Landis during his term, or the expiration of his term. Election would be by majority vote of club owners and in event of a deadlock three months after a vacancy, either league could request the "President of the United States to designate a Commissioner."

Mr. Harridge and Joint Frick, National League President, were to attend today's session.

ONTARIO, QUEBEC REDS EKE OUT WILL MEET FOR DOMINION TITLE 4 TO 3 TRIUMPH OVER CAPITALS

Toronto, Nov. 17.—(C)—R. W. Hewitson, Secretary of the Canadian Rugby Football Union, said yesterday that the Canadian football championship will be decided in a sudden-death game Saturday, November 25, between the champions of the Ontario Rugby Football Union and the Quebec Rugby Football Union, only two unions to file entries for the Grey Cup playoffs.

The Navy team from H.M.C.S. Donacoma in Montreal and the Quebec team will be one of the teams in the final. The Ontario team will be decided Saturday when the 1943 Dominion champion Hamilton Wildcats and Toronto Balm Beach complete their home-and-home points-to-count series for the O.R.F.U. title. Hamilton holds a nine-point lead, having won the first game last Saturday 13-4.

Quebec's Greco and Ruffin little more than a year ago were outstanding contenders for the lightweight championship of the world, but both were drawn into Army service.

The parallel continued upon their recent discharges, because both had gained a lot of weight on Army beans and beef, and now neither seems likely to fight again at the 135 limit.

Greco has had six fights in the past few months, and won them all, four by knockouts. Ruffin has won his three bouts since his discharge.

New York fight fans have installed the Canadian a 5-7 favorite to take tonight's main event.

The go shapes up like a boxer-vs-puncher battle, with Ruffin the clever one and Greco the gentleman with the wallop.

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Manager Yank Boyd slipped into the battle at Providence last night to help the Reds nurse a 4-3 lead through the third period of an American Hockey League game with Indianapolis Capitals but the two points collected did not alter the standings in the Eastern Division of the league other than to list the Reds within three games of the deadlocked Buffalo Bisons and Hershey Bears.

Courtesy of Reds and Thomson of Cape traded goals in the first period and Pete Leswick lifted Indianapolis into the lead early in the second period. Bellemare tied the count and goals by Rolfe Forget and Jack Lavoie sent the Reds ahead. Hewson added a third for the Capitals before the period ended.

The game remained idle tonight but in week-end encounters Pittsburgh Hornets visit Cleveland Barons and Indianapolis meets Hershey Saturday, while on Sunday, Indianapolis will play at Buffalo and Hershey at Providence.

ST. HYACINTHE BOWS TO CANADIENS 12-6

St. Hyacinthe, Que., Nov. 17.—(C)—Montreal Canadiens of the National Hockey League last night defeated a Navy team from H.M.C.S. St. Hyacinthe 12-6 in an exhibition hockey game played here. The Navy team was bolstered by Murph Chamberlain, Rolfe Rossingno, Dutch Hiller and Tod Campeau from the Habitués squad.

The game scored three times for the Canucks with Maurice Richard, Elmer Lach and Buddy O'Connor adding two each while Fernand Majewski, Wilf Fields and Nils Tremblay posted singles.

Chamberlain scored three for the sailors with Candy adding two and Duncan one.

BOBBY CARSE, PRISONER-OF-WAR

Calgary, Nov. 17.—(C)—Bobby Carse, 25-year-old Edmonton-born hockey player, now is a prisoner-of-war in Germany, according to information received here. He had previously been reported missing.

Carse played part of the 1939 season with Rhode Island Reds of Providence and later performed with Kansas City and Chicago Black Hawks. He played left wing with the Currie Army club a year ago, and also held down left field for the Army club in the Porthills Baseball League.

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VALVES SWEEP BOWLING MATCH AT FAIRBANKS

The Valves were the only squad in the Fairbanks Bowling League to register a three-string victory in the latest games of the scheduled play by the eight teams at the plant.

The Valves recorded their win at the expense of the Stoves. In other games, the Standpipes beat out the Blowers, two strings to one, while the Stokers won two from the Oil Burners, but dropping one. The Scales finished up the evening's activities by edging out the Trucks 2-1. Dropping the first string, the Scales made a strong comeback to take the next two strings.

High man in the Valves-Stoves match was A. Brodeur, of the Valves, with 13