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FURTHER KEY POSITIONS CAPTURED IN ITALY

Germans Withdraw Heavy Guns As Eighth Army Forces Continue To Advance Toward Italian Capital

Ceprano and Arce Reached by British and Canadian Forces Driving Along Cassino-Rome Highway.

By NOLAN NORGAARD,
Associated Press War Correspondent
Naples, May 27.—(P)—Canadian and British troops of the 8th Army moved up the Liri valley today against the towns of Ceprano and Arce, key points on the Cassino-Rome highway, battering against strong German armored opposition. Meanwhile reconnaissance elements of the Allied 5th Army thrust to within 2½ miles of Valmontone, a key point in the main German defence line Southeast of Rome. Valmontone is thirty-six miles Northwest of menaced Ceprano.

In the surge through the Liri Valley Canadians and British 8th Army formations defeated the Germans in a furious tank battle West of the Malfa river, knocking out twelve tanks.

Then the Canadians — who had established bridgeheads across the Malfa river in earlier fighting — pushed on with British forces to within two miles of Arce, near the confluence of the Liri and Sacco rivers, and to within two or three miles of Ceprano, important road junction four miles Southwest of Arce. Both towns are on the Cassino-Rome highway which runs from Ceprano through Frosinone and Valmontone to the Italian capital.

Doug How, Canadian Press war correspondent, said the Canadian division commanded by Maj.-Gen. B. M. Hoffmeister and the Canadian division commanded by Maj.-Gen. Chris Vokes were both about three miles from Ceprano late yesterday. The former division only recently thrown into action—is on the right flank of the Canadian sector and the latter, which fought previously in Sicily and Italy, on the left flank.

Even though their right flank had been turned, the German first parachute division attempted to hold a Malfa river line in the Liri Valley. North of the main railroad bridge yesterday morning, but British troops forced a crossing and 8th Army tanks plunged through.

Castroaleone and Roccasecca, towns nestled in the foothills on Northern edge of the Liri Valley West-Northwest of Cassino, were quickly cleared by Indian and Polish troops of the 8th Army.

Ceprano was also menaced from the South and Southwest by fighting French formations of the 5th Army, who have captured both San Giovanni and Pastena, both heavily-defended strong points. San Giovanni

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Eisenhower Is Well Pleased With Preparedness Of Army In Britain

By JAMES M. LONG,
London, May 27.—(P)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, whose word will hurl the full might of an Allied invasion upon the Nazi-bound Continent, returned to Supreme Headquarters today after a swift inspection tour of British land forces under his overall command, well pleased with the thorough training of this army Britain has assembled to wring vengeance for the Dunkerque of four years ago.

He pronounced the men fit and ready for their part in the job to come—and that probably was his word to King George, whom he visited briefly upon his return from the field.

In Moscow, the official Soviet newspaper, Izvestia, said that "the day is not far distant when the world will see Anglo-Soviet American military might develop in all its power."

For their part, the Germans expect Allied power to reach its climactic maximum by this summer, according to the Nazi news agency DNE.

GERMAN RADIO PREDICTS BIG SOVIET DRIVE

Moscow Dispatches Tell of Formation of New Russian Air Transport Fleets Apparently for Resumption of Campaign.

London, May 27.—(P)—The Russians reported today that bombers of the Red fleet air force attacked German troops in the Barents Sea, North of Norway, sinking two transports and a destroyer and damaging three others.

The Soviet announcement did not specify whether the transports were carrying new German forces to Norway or withdrawing troops already there.

Earlier the Germans, in a communiqué, had reported the attack on their convoy and claimed to have shot down 69 of 80 attacking planes. The Russian bulletin said seven bombers were lost in repeated "mass attacks with bombs, gunfire and torpedoes."

There was virtually no ground action along the extended Eastern land front, the supplement said, the only skirmishes being Southeast of Stanislaw where for weeks the Germans have been making recon-

ets are carried, four under each side of the main wing. They can be fired in pairs or broadside, depending on which seems the best method of attack. The rocket projectile can be used as a primary weapon to sink enemy shipping or as a secondary weapon to keep down anti-aircraft fire from ships and damage the vessels themselves.

The rocket consists of a shell tube filled with cordite. The cordite is ignited by a small platinum fuse wire. The consequent flow of gas issuing from the tail propels the rocket, complete with its head, forward along guide rails under the plane's wing and in the eighth direction. Four fins are fitted to the rocket's trailing end for stabilization in flight.

There is no danger of the aircraft overtaking the rocket after it fires. The rocket goes too fast.

It was explained also that the weapon is exceptionally good for attack against small vessels of shallow draft, which are hard to hit with torpedoes because they don't ride deep enough in the water and a torpedo passes underneath.

The Coastal Command attack on shipping, in conjunction with navy operations, has been so successful that there are no known enemy surface ships at an attempt to run the Allied blockade of Germany.

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New Rocket Gun Has Devastating Effect On Enemy Coast Shipping

By ALAN RANDALL,
Canadian Press Staff Writer.
R.A.F. Coastal Command Headquarters, Somewhere in England, May 27.—(C.P. Cable)—The newly-disclosed rocket gun, which the R.A.F. Coastal Command has been using with marked success in strikes against enemy shipping, is described by one Canadian airman as "a terrific weapon."

This flyer, whose name cannot be disclosed, is an expert at this type of anti-shiping work and gained the D.S.O. last January for his achievements against enemy surface ships.

The rocket projectile is carried by Beaufighters and other types of Coastal Command planes and has been used against submarines and also such land targets as bridges, gun emplacements, wireless stations and military buildings.

It has been in use by the R.A.F. and also by American planes, since last summer but disclosure of the weapon came only yesterday from headquarters of Air Chief Marshal Sir Sholto Douglas, Chief of Coastal Command.

It was announced earlier in Washington that American planes hunting Nazi submarines are now equipped with long-range rocket guns.

It was explained at Coastal Command headquarters that eight rock-

FORMATION OF SUPER CABINET IS CONSIDERED

Tri-Power Organization Would Be Formed to Deal with International Diplomatic Problems of Britain, Russia and U.S.

By ALEX O. SINGLETON,
Associated Press Staff Writer
London, May 27.—(P)—Formation of a tri-power "super cabinet" to deal with the international diplomatic problems of Britain, Russia and the United States may be the next development in plans to create, before victory, an international organization to keep the peace.

Just how far the idea has developed remains uncertain, but its necessity has been urged for some time and it's likely membership would be on a high level—men of such position as Ambassador John G. Winant of the United States, Lord Halifax of Britain and Maxim Litvinoff of Russia.

(Secretary of State Hull said in Washington Friday that preparations made by the United States for organizing a post-war world organization probably were ahead of those made by any other government, but he said it was another matter whether they would result in formation of an organization before the end of the war.)

Supporting the possible creation of such an agency are these factors: 1. Information in high British quarters that the three nations are planning to get together soon to study the structure of a world organization.

2. Criticism in the press, Congress and the House of Commons over failure of the European Advisory Commission to handle efficiently such problems as the Italian political situation, relations with the French National Committee and the Polish-Russian controversy.

3. Current consultations in Washington between President Roosevelt and Ambassadors Winant and W. Averell Harriman, which have been extended beyond original intentions—plus the refusal of President Secretary Stephen Early to confirm or deny that Winant will be given another assignment.

Creation of a tri-power cabinet would be in line with Prime Minister Churchill's recommendation in the Washington Post.

ROYAL SOCIETY WILL GATHER IN MONTREAL

Montreal, May 27.—(P)—More than 120 Fellows from all parts of Canada are expected to attend the annual meeting of the Royal Society of Canada when the society holds its three-day sittings in the new building of the University of Montreal atop Mount Royal, starting Monday.

Keynotes of the meeting — the first held in Montreal in five years — will be the introduction of 15 new fellows of the society, presentation of memorial medals and the presidential address by Mr. Oliver Maurault, Rector of the University of Montreal, Monday, and an address by B. K. Sandwell, Toronto Journalist, at McGill University Tuesday.

Elections of the executive for 1944-45 will be held Wednesday. A dinner will be tendered Royal Society Fellows attending the meeting by the City of Montreal at the Cercle Universitaire, Sunday, May 28.

A total of 140 papers covering subjects in literature, history, archaeology, sociology, political economy, chemical, mathematical, physical, geological and biological sciences will be presented by the fellows of the society during the three-day meeting.

WAR BULLETINS

Dover, England.—Light clouds and a haze hung over the Straits today and a mist in the early hours made visibility poor.

A light Southwesterly wind rippled the sea. The temperature at 9 a.m. was 56 degrees. The barometer rose during the night.

London.—The German D.N.B. Agency asserted today that British commandos landed on the Island of Mljet, off the Yugoslav coast, the night of May 23-24, but now have withdrawn, leaving four dead and several wounded and captured.

Kandy, Ceylon.—The Chinese have captured the North Burma town of Warong, 12 miles Northeast of Kamaing, and seized a supply dump in the Mogaung Valley, inflicting heavy casualties on the enemy, it was officially announced today.

Storm Wakde Island



Crouching low, U. S. infantrymen make a mad dash through the surf from their Higgins boat to the beach of Jap-held Wakde Island, off Dutch New Guinea. The U. S. invading force quickly quelled all enemy resistance, killing twenty Japs for every man they lost.

SEVERE LOSSES INFLECTED ON JAPS IN BURMA

Enemy Still Clings Desperately to All Main Positions in Myitkyina, Suffering Great Casualties.

By CHARLES A. GRUMICH,
Associated Press Staff Writer.
Kandy, Ceylon, May 27.—(P)—Japanese attempts to seize the Imphal Plain in India have cost them 8,500 men since March and are continuing to bleed them heavily. Allied Headquarters announced today, while on the moonsoon-drenched North Burma front at Myitkyina the enemy still was reported clinging desperately to all main positions in the stronghold.

The slaughter was going on in the Imphal area, with heavy casualties inflicted upon the 33rd and 15th Japanese divisions plus reinforcements which originally totalled about 30,000 men, a headquarters spokesman said.

In a recent attack on British forward positions along the Paleitamu road, the enemy suffered severe losses when air-supplied Gurkhas of a roadblock brigade beat off two heavy attacks from the Tiddim direction and then spread their own offensive operations.

Heavy monsoon rains swept the battlefields throughout the valley, hampering all offensive operations, and while on specific details were available, it appeared from dispatches from the front that the enemy held all principal positions in Myitkyina except those lost immediately after the original appearance of Allied troops last week, and probably still control two-thirds or more of the city.

A Headquarters communiqué said Allied forces maintained pressure Northwest of the stronghold, while another Allied column attacked on the North side of the town, killing more than fifty Japanese.

F.D.R. Flayed By Senate Members

Washington, May 27.—(P)—In stinging language, a Senate Judiciary Sub-Committee took to task today every Government agency concerned in the Montgomery Ward case and declared President Roosevelt had "no constitutional or statutory authority" to order seizure of the firm's Chicago properties.

The conclusions of the majority, Senators Patrick McCarran (Dem., Nev.), Chairman, and Chapman Revercomb (Rep., W. Va.), were sharply criticized in turn by the third member of the Sub-Committee, Senator Ernest McFarland (Dem., Ariz.).

TEST SOLDIERS FOR ABILITY TO SEE AT NIGHT

Army Devises Method to Ascertain Extent of Men's Sight in Darkness as Most Operations Carried Out After Sundown.

Ottawa, May 27.—(P)—Night vision testing, recognized by the Canadian Army as a vital part of medical inspection and training, now is being used in all district depots across Canada and tests of all soldiers in the Dominion are expected to be completed shortly, the Defence Department announced last night.

The gigantic task of testing and training more than 200,000 men has been given members of the Canadian Women's Army Corps who have been trained as operators.

Realizing that some of the most important military objectives are reached under cover of darkness, the Canadian Army has devised a system whereby it may ascertain how well an individual soldier's eyes will perform in darkness.

Prior to individual tests a demonstration is given. Soldiers are seated in a dark room and a light comparable to that in the sky on a dark night is cast onto a white screen upon which landscape silhouettes are projected.

During a 45-minute lecture by the tester, soldiers are called upon to identify various pieces of landscape. At the conclusion of the lecture the individual tests begin and men are classified as excellent, good, fair or poor for work requiring night vision.

Each man is placed in a narrow closet, forehead pressed against a small opening. A dim light is switched on and by its illumination he must distinguish towers and targets projected on a screen before him.

Subsequent instructions are given through the course of combat training, during which soldiers learn to manoeuvre in darkness and veil their eyes from sudden blinding flashes of white light.

Night vision testers are selected carefully. Principal requisite is that they be good speakers with teaching ability. Before starting practical work at one of the depots they are given a two-week course in theory, studying anatomy of the eye and the protective effect of red light on night vision as compared to the building effect of daylight.

CONTACT WITH DEFENDERS OF LOYANG IS CUT

Chinese Army Spokesman Believes Ancient City May Have Fallen to Strong Japanese Forces.

By SPENCER MOOSA,
Associated Press Staff Writer.

Chungking, May 27.—(P)—The Chinese Command announced today that contact with the ancient Chinese city of Loyang had been cut and an official Army spokesman said that it probably had fallen to strong Japanese forces which have besieged it for days. Tokyo claimed capture of the city yesterday.

Since the night of May 24 the enemy has been making continuous attacks on Loyang," said a Chinese communiqué. "Since yesterday morning the situation at Loyang has been obscure, as contact with the defenders has been cut."

Maj.-Gen. C. C. Tseng, Army spokesman, said that although the city probably had fallen he could not announce it formally until he had received confirmation. Loyang, six times capital of China, lies in Northwestern Honan on the Lung-hai railway, guarding an historic approach to interior China.

The Japanese drive through Honan Westward toward Shensi Province has been halted at all main points, Gen. Tseng said.

The spokesman denied official Chinese reports of last Tuesday that the Chinese forces in Yunan Province along the border of Burma had cut the Burma road by capturing the town of Chafang.

Gen. Tseng said the Chinese had reached a point 25 miles from the Burma road town of Lungling.

Minister Denies Canada Gave Away Dominion's Oil Resources To U.S.

By D'ARCY O'DONNELL,
Canadian Press Staff Writer.

Ottawa, May 26.—(P)—Resources Minister Crerar said today in the Commons that the Federal Government had "not given away" any of the country's resources in the agreement entered into with the United States for the development of the Canol oil project in Northwestern Canada.

"We have provided for the development of these oil resources on terms which we think are fair and equitable and which protect the public interest," Mr. Crerar said during continued examination of his department's war appropriation estimates.

He spoke after G. H. Castleden (C.C.F., Yorkton) said the rights to develop the oil project had been "handed over" to the Imperial Oil Company which was owned by the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey.

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Allies Renew Air Warfare On Continent

British Mosquito Bombers Resume Attacks On Railway Centres After Interruption Owing to Bad Weather.

By W. W. HERCHER,
Associated Press Staff Writer.

London, May 27.—(P)—Britain's speedy, wooden Mosquito bombers rained their 4,000-pound bombs on Ludwigshafen and the Rothe Erde railway yards at Aachen last night, and today a fresh fleet of daylight bombers soared toward the Continent.

Two R.A.F. planes failed to return from the night operations, which included mine laying in enemy waters as well as the attack on the two German cities.

Halifaxes of the Canadian Bomber Group took part in the mine-laying operation and returned without loss.

The German radio at noon declared Allied fighter-bomber formations were approaching Southwestern Germany and that fighters were flying towards Western Germany. It reported single planes already flying over Western Germany.

The roar of war planes over the English Channel today indicated the brief lull was over in the Allied aerial offensive from British bases, and that the Germans' widespread invasion defences were for another pounding.

Flying above a light covering of clouds, the strong force of Allied day raiders headed for the Pas de Calais region of France.

The Mosquitos, in the twelfth night excursion this month, struck at Ludwigshafen in Southwestern Germany for the fourth time in May, and at Aachen ripped up one of the two railroad yards severely mauled by R.A.F. and Canadian heavy bombers in night attacks Wednesday. Aachen is near the junction of the Netherlands, Belgium and German borders.

Paris radio announced today that Ostende, on the coast of Belgium, was bombed yesterday. There was no Allied confirmation.

While weather halted heavy aerial offensive operations from Britain yesterday, medium bombers, attack bombers and fighter bombers conducted sweeps over France.

In the operations from Britain, more than 325 American mediums raced fifty miles Southwest of Paris, hitting an airfield near Chartres and bridges in Northern France.

RECOMMEND HANGING OF U.S. LIEUTENANT

Camp Anzo, Calif., May 27.—(P)—A United States court martial convicted Lieutenant Beaufort G. Swan-cut yesterday on a charge of murdering four persons in a shooting affray here last March 5 and recommended that he be hanged.

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The Commons approved interim supply of \$46,351,283 for Government purposes. Provision of the

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DANVILLE LADY I.O.D.E. HEAD IN SASKATCHEWAN

Friends in Danville will be interested to hear of the fine work being carried on in the I.O.D.E. by one of the town's former residents, Mrs. E. A. Lay, now residing in Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Lay, the former Julia Burbank, has been elected Provincial President of the I.O.D.E. in Saskatchewan for the current year, and her work with the association dates back to the last war. She made many visits to military hospitals, interviewing and encouraging the patients, and in those days of her early work she was known by soldiers as one of the "Lay-Low combinations."

Mrs. Lay has set a fine example while working as hostess at the Hostess Club in Estevan, Sask., and it is through the work of ladies of her calibre that the club has become so popular with servicemen.

A junior chapter of the I.O.D.E. has been recently formed in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lay's only son, Flying Officer Peter Lay, who lost his life while serving with the R.C.A.F. on the East coast in the early years of the war. The chapter has been named Peter Lay Chapter, and his mother attended the organization meeting of this branch.

Mrs. Lay is also credited with having organized a group of neighbors into what is now known as the Victory Workers. These workers have been sewing and making baby layettes for the past few years, and the hundreds of completed articles have all been turned into the workrooms of the I. O. D. E. An ardent backer of all worthy organizations, she is always seen as a corner solicitor on any day, rain or shine. In her capacity as President of the I.O.D.E., Mrs. Lay is called upon to attend many various meetings, and her social functions do not end with the I.O.D.E. She is a committee member for a city-wide tuberculosis survey, member of the Poppy Day committee, member of the War Finance Committee, and Vice-President of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Navy League.

This week Mrs. Lay is attending the meeting of the National Chapter of the I. O. D. E., which meets in Hamilton.

DNB CLAIMS GERMANS ORDERED TO RETREAT

London, May 27.—(C.P.-Reuters)—Martin Hellensleben, military correspondent of the German DNB Agency, reported last night that Field Marshal Albert Kesselring had given orders to his troops to give way at the main points of the Allied pressure in Italy.

LEGION BRANCH IS FORMED AT COWANSVILLE

Cowansville, Que., May 27.—(C.P.) Another branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., was inaugurated here last night under the Quebec Command when Hugh Parry of Montreal, Provincial President, presented its official charter to the Cowansville Branch (Quebec No. 99) Canadian Legion.

Charter officers installed by Mr. Parry were F. J. Knight, President; A. G. Scott, 1st Vice-President; F. J. Monteil, 2nd Vice-President; W. D. Smith, Secretary; and E. D. Dunwoody, Treasurer.

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plied that he did not like the Atlantic in winter time.

A White House aide later reminded the departing newsmen that the President might be referring to this spring which does not end officially until June 21. But the President's mention of the seasons in sequence would seem to indicate he was referring to next spring.

However, Mr. Roosevelt laughed off all attempts to draw him into any specific comment on possibilities of his being a candidate in the November elections.

German Radio

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naissance raids. German commentators continued to claim that a big new Soviet offensive was brewing and asserted that they knew where the blow would be struck.

Alfred Oberg, speaking on the Berlin radio, observed that "there is a certain tension along the whole German front in the East, but the German command cannot be taken by surprise. It knows where the Russians will unleash a real offensive and where they are going to stage feints and diversionary operations of a secondary nature."

Another Nazi broadcast said large scale battles were imminent in the Grigoriopol sector on the Lower Dnepr and on the middle Siret between Tarnopol and Brody.

The broadcast Russian communiqué, containing just two sentences, said only that there had been "no material changes on the fronts" during the day and that 18 German planes were shot down Thursday.

Other Moscow dispatches told of the formation of new Russian air transport fleets, apparently being prepared for resumption of the campaign against the Nazis.

Minister Denies

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amount, covered by a bill which was passed, was made from the general money supply for the fiscal year, yet to be approved. It was required for the carrying on of public service.

Mr. Crerar said he understood Mr. Castleden argued that the development of the oil resources in the area should have been undertaken by the Government.

Mr. Castleden said he could appreciate the need of using the Oil Company with the need for oil in the area where it was operating. But even after the war it appeared Imperial Oil rights continued and the Dominion did not receive enough in return.

The Minister said Mr. Castleden appeared to protest any arrangement being made with Imperial Oil. "I said you made a bad bargain," said Mr. Castleden. "Under the circumstances of war you may have had to use the Company, but post-war rights for development have been handed over to Imperial Oil."

Mr. Crerar said all the areas in the Yukon and Northwest Territories were not handed over to Imperial Oil, even for exploration. "Under the circumstances of war you may have had to use the Company, but post-war rights for development have been handed over to Imperial Oil."

The general practice in other countries was to get revenue from royalties in oil developments, said Mr. Crerar. This practice was being followed by the Dominion in the Northwest Territories. The Government had the right to one-third of the oil found. Ground rentals also were charged. There were limits on the acreage any company might be granted permission to explore.

Mr. Castleden should have read the Government statement on the agreement more closely before charging resources were being alienated to Imperial Oil.

The United States had some claim on the supplies after it had developed them for its own defence and the defence of Canada, said Mr. Crerar, speaking of arrangements for supplying oil, up to a certain amount to the United States.

George Black (P.C., Yukon) said Imperial Oil had been forced to cap wells at Fort Norman after oil discoveries there because there was limited demand for it in the remote area.

Mr. Black said he would not have approved of Canada spending nearly as much as \$134,000,000 expended by the United States in the oil exploration work. Imperial Oil faced many risks in exploration work and the Government was to be compensated on the agreement made.

J. H. St. Laurent (Lib., Peace River) said Imperial Oil had not been given any undue advantage under the agreement. Every encouragement should be given everyone seeking to play a part in development of the Mackenzie River Valley. Any profit a company might keep would be small compared to the benefit of Canada.

PINNACLE

LAC, Merrick Gallup, of Newfoundland, and Mrs. Gallup, of Toronto, Ont., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alman Gallup.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Kerr and daughter, Diane, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Kerr.

LAC, Merrick Gallup and Mrs. Gallup were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Gallup.

Mrs. Otis Gallup spent a weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Robinson, and Mr. Robinson, in Asbestos.

LAC, M. Gallup and Mrs. Gallup were tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Goodenough.

Mrs. F. Monahan spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Taylor, and Mr. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Goodenough and LAC, M. Gallup and Mrs. Gallup called on Mr. and Mrs. William Lodge and Mr. Howard Lodge.

Mrs. George Wallace, of Montreal, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gallup.

Mr. Ernest Saffin and two children, of Ogdensburg, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dyson.

Friends of Mrs. Celia Saffin are sorry to hear that she is seriously ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. Mills, in Danville. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alman Gallup were Mrs. George Wallace, LAC, M. Gallup and Mrs. Gallup, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Gallup, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Taylor and Miss Mavis Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sparks and son, David, and Mr. Fred Sparks were guests of Mrs. R. Sparks and Mr. William Sparks.

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Mrs. William Golden and Mrs. I. Willey spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Taylor.

Mrs. Otis Gallup accompanied Mr. and Mrs. H. Robinson to Windsor Mills and visited her brother, Mr. J. Gardner, and Mrs. Gardner.

LAC, M. Gallup called on Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gallup.

Dinner guests at the Monahan home were Pie, Percy Kane, Mrs. Sydney Dixon and son, Allan, and Mrs. Roger Fletcher and son, Larry, of Sherbrooke, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beer and two children, Billy and Nancy, of Danville.

Callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Morrill, of Asbestos, Mr. George Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Paterson and son, Francis, of Danville.

Mrs. Edward Wilkie called on Mrs. Celia Saffin and Mrs. Mark Mills, in Danville.

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Mrs. Duncan Kerr was a tea guest of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Kerr, in Asbestos.

Mr. Donald Kerr, of Danville, called on Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Kerr.

The Christmas Club met at the home of Mrs. Stanley Taylor. A quilt was tacked for the Red Cross. Eleven members were present. Mrs. William Golden, of Danville, Mrs.

Cassino As It Looks Today



An Allied soldier looks at the twisted girders and shattered remnants of buildings, all that remains of the main street of Cassino, Italy. The capture of this town and the famous St. Benedictine Monastery, seen high above the town in the background, spells the end of the Nazi efforts to halt the Allied march on Rome.

Germans Withdraw

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ni is four miles South and slightly East, and Pastena six miles South and slightly West of Cernusco.

Field Marshal Albert Kesselring rushed a hurriedly-assembled battle group of the 334th German Infantry Division into the line against these 5th Army forces. These reinforcements were beaten back.

Boring steadily into enemy defenses farther West, the French troops seized Monte Rotondo and Montecassino, and yesterday reached the outskirts of Amaseino, eight miles West of Pastena.

All along the right flank of the 5th Army, near its junction with the 8th Army, resistance weakened gradually. This presumably resulted from the German command finally acknowledging futility of attempting to hold on any longer in that area.

Germans gave ground reluctantly as the 5th Army widened the breach in their defenses North and Northwest of Cisterna and fought ever deeper into the salient pointed at highway No. 6.

Late last night it seemed American 5th Army forces were driving the Germans steadily out of Velletri, a key point in the defence line 16 miles Southeast of Rome.

The Associated Press Correspondent Daniel de Luce reported fires were raging in Velletri, and it was indicated the enemy had moved his artillery back into the hills, away from the city.

The Germans launched incessant counter-attacks against the left flank of the 5th Army salient, employing elements of the Lobo Regiment of the 92nd Infantry Division, which has just been brought from North of Rome to help stabilize the final line.

Even while he was pulling some of his long-range weapons out of danger, the enemy laid down substantially heavier fire on roads over which the Allies swarmed North from Cisterna.

Scores of new prisoners were taken in this area, including the second regimental commander and the staff of the Nazi 362nd Division.

WATERLOO

J. Lionel Hebert, Eyesight Specialist, of Montreal, will be at W. E. Courtemanche's Store, Main Street, on Thursday, June 1st. Eyes examined, glasses fitted.

M. Andrews, of Asbestos, and Mrs. Edmund Taylor were guests of the club for the afternoon.

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Mr. Donald Kerr, of Danville, called on Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Kerr.

The Christmas Club met at the home of Mrs. Stanley Taylor. A quilt was tacked for the Red Cross. Eleven members were present. Mrs. William Golden, of Danville, Mrs.

MASS WEDDING ANNIVERSARY TO BE CELEBRATED

The 106 couples who participated in a mass marriage ceremony at Montreal in July, 1939, will meet on July 23rd to celebrate a joint fifth wedding anniversary, it was announced today by the Workers Catholic League.

In addition to plans for the celebration, the League released results of a survey taken among the participants after five years of married life, noting that in that time none of the 106 have been separated except by death and that 204 children have been born of the mass marriages.

Four of the group—two men and two women—died in the last five years. Two of the wives gave birth to twins of which one set died. Only three wives have traded housekeeping for outside employment—one through financial necessity and two through preference.

Four of the husbands are members of the armed services, two in the R.C.A.F., one with the Canadian Army in Britain and another is with the Canadians in Italy. Among the other husbands are mechanics, machinists, clerks, truck drivers, salesmen, firemen, bakers, publicity men, policemen and insurance agents. Two are unemployed because of sickness.

About fifty couples live in Montreal, others in Cornwall, Ont., St. Jerome, Repent, Abitibi, Sherbrooke, Granby and other Quebec centres.

Four couples live with their parents.

PIGEON HILL

The regular meeting of the St. James' Ladies' Guild was held in the Memorial Hall with Mrs. Frank Sager as hostess. There was an attendance of thirty-nine members and visitors. The members of St. Paul's Ladies' Guild, of Phillipsburg, being entertained at that meeting.

The meeting was opened with prayer by the President, followed by the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by the Secretary and the Treasurer's report. The principal topic during the business session was the final arrangements for the ice cream social to be held at the close of the meeting. At the close of the meeting, the guests were entertained at cards until five o'clock, when a hot dish supper was served by the hostess, assisted by other members of the Guild. Mrs. F. Clough kindly offered to entertain at the next meeting. Proceeds of the meeting amounted to \$5.15.

Among those from here who were donors at the Red Cross Blood Donors' Clinic included Mrs. H. Guthrie, Mrs. Homer Sornberger, Mrs. B. J. Laycock, Mr. Herbert

Harrison, the Misses Elsie and Margaret Jenkins and Miss Doris Tittemore.

LAC, L. E. Derby, No. 4 North West Staging Unit, R.C.A.F., Watson Lake, Yukon, is spending a furlough here with his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Derby were also guests of the former's parents and family, in Sutton and attended a family re-union picnic held at Brome Lake.

Miss Agnes Perrott is ill with German measles.

Mr. L. Tunc, of Montreal, spent a week here at his home with his wife and son, David.

The Misses Madelyn and Shirley Rychar are spending an indefinite time at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rychar.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boomhower were guests at the home of their nephew, Mr. Cedar Boomhower, Mrs. Boomhower and family, and also visited friends in Mystic.

Meers, Thomas, Charles and Joseph Wilson, of Cowansville, spent a week-end as guests at the home of Mr. Eugene Boucher and family.

Other guests at the same home included Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Picard, of Montreal.

Design for "D" Day



In perfect formation, U. S. transport aircraft which will carry Allied invasion troops and supplies into Hitler's Europe, fly past an American base in England, watched by Air Chief Marshal Sir Trafford Leigh-Mallory, right, air commander of Allied invasion forces.

Formation Of

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House of Commons for a "controlling council" of the greatest war victors, apparently to serve as a sort of board of directors over a world organization which would have force to back up its mandates.

CLARENCEVILLE

A social gathering under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid was held in the library room. Cards were played at nine tables and refreshments were served at the close of the party. The proceeds amounted to a little more than \$14.

The Misses Velela and Thelma Derick, of Montreal, were holiday guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bush.

Mrs. A. Stone, of Montreal, was a holiday guest at the home of the Misses Minnie and Myrtle Greene.

Mrs. Charles Hawley is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Bookus, in Hartford, Conn. She expects to be in Hartford for about two weeks.

This community was saddened to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Monk. She had called her husband to dinner and when he entered their house he found that she had passed away. She was lying on the kitchen floor near the stove. The sympathy of their many friends is extended to the bereaved husband and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bullock and family and Mrs. M. Henry Miller motored to St. Johns, while away they called upon Mrs. Martin Brown, of Irberville, whom they found much improved, after her serious operation in Montreal.

Guardman George Bailey, of Montreal, was a holiday visitor at his home in the village.

Mrs. Arvide Derby, an aged and respected citizen of this community, is confined to her bed.

Mrs. Alex Hunter is disposing of all her household furniture by public auction and is leaving her rooms in Empire Hall to reside at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Provocoll.

Mrs. Gertrude Perreault, of St. Johns, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Perreault.

Mr. George Taylor, Manager of the local Canadian Bank of Commerce, is now the Secretary of the Village Council and replaces Mr. Hugh Monaghan, who resigned the position.

"Hope" is the state motto of Rhode Island.

IN MEMORIAM

In ever loving memory of our dear husband and father, George Cathcart, who was called suddenly to rest on May 25th, 1944.

Those who have a father, Should cherish him with care, For you never know his value, Till you see his vacant chair. Always remembered by,

HIS WIFE AND FAMILY.

IN MEMORIAM

ARNOLD.—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, James Arnold, who entered into rest on May 27th, 1944.

In silence he suffered, With patience he bore, Till God took him home, To suffer no more. Sadly missed by his wife, MRS. ARNOLD AND CHILDREN.

BIRTHS

ALLATT.—At the Sherbrooke Hospital on May 25th, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Allatt (nee Grace Ireland), a daughter.

TAYLOR.—At the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Taylor (nee Gladys Williams), of Foster, Que., a daughter, Sandra Ann.

MARRIAGES

LANE-SWEET.—On May 24th, 1944, at Lennoxville, Que., Cora M. Sweet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip S. Sweet, Corner Brook, Newfoundland, to Ronald M. Lane, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lane, of Lennoxville. Rev. Norman McLeod officiating.

DEATHS

BEATTIE.—At his late residence, 25 Park Street, Lennoxville, on May 26, 1944, William Beattie, beloved husband of the late Sarah Andrews, in his 84th year. Funeral will be held from Sherbrooke Undertaking Parlors, on Monday, May 29, at 2 p.m., Rev. N. D. McLeod officiating. Interment will be in Elmwood Cemetery.

NEEL.—Entered into rest on May 25th, 1944, at Ste. Anne de Bellevue Hospital, Pte. David Neel in his 23rd year, son of Mrs. William Neel, 48 Wolfe Street, and the late Mr. Neel. The remains will arrive in Sherbrooke via C.P.R. Saturday noon and will be taken to Blake's Funeral Parlors, 85 Queen Street. A military funeral will be held on Sunday, May 28th, leaving at 3 p.m. for St. Peter's Church for service at 3:30 with Rev. Russell Brown officiating, assisted by Rev. John Ford. Interment in the family lot in Prospect Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all our kind friends and neighbors, who so kindly assisted us during the long illness and death of our dear mother.

ANNIE PERCY, Daughter, Mr. and Mrs. IVAN McCREA, Son-in-Law and Daughter, WILLIE MINNAUGH, Nephew.

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CITY and SUBURBAN

Pte. D. Neil Succumbed To Tropical Disease Contracted While In Italy

Pte. David Neil, well-known Sherbrooke boy who recently returned from active duty overseas, died in the Ste. Anne de Bellevue Military Hospital Thursday night suffering from a tropical disease contracted while on active service in Italy.

LOCAL CHURCH SERVICE SUNG BY ARCHBISHOP

Last Sunday evening Archbishop Carrington presided at the service of Evensong at St. Paul's Church and after the service was present at a social hour marking the good wishes of all upon his recent elevation to the office of Metropolitan of Canada, and also, the completion of a new rectory in this parish.

NEED OF BLOOD PLASMA AGAIN STRESSED HERE

Officials of the Red Cross Blood Donors Clinic here today said that because of the set-up in Allied Military action in Italy and the imminent danger of the invasion of Western Europe, additional donors are needed at the regular clinics.

SEEK ONTARIO MINISTER FOR ST. ANDREW'S

Members of the congregation of St. Andrew's Church met and presented a unanimous appeal for the services of Reverend E. A. Wright, of the Knox Church, Wallaceburg, Ontario, to succeed the late Reverend Alfred Bright, B.A., B.D.

Y.M.C.A. OFFERS LECTURERS FOR ARMY POSTS

The newest thing provided troops at lonely Canadian and Labrador outposts by Canadian Y.M.C.A. War Services is a world-travelled lecturer to explain the background and progress of the war in the Far East.

Armed with maps and plenty of knowledge of his subject, for he spent 25 years in that part of the world, 67-year-old Dr. A. J. Brace, Toronto, has just finished the first six weeks of his assignment.

"You should have seen me," he said. "They dressed me up in hockey stockings and a sealskin coat, and off we went up the mountain in a freight sleigh. When I got out my lantern and showed some of the pictures my son took in China when he was Transportation Advisor to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, the men were so interested they asked me questions for two hours. They wanted to know how the war in the East started and what is happening now. They knew nothing of General Wingate's crash in Burma."

THREE AIRMEN ARE LISTED AS WAR CASUALTIES

One Eastern Township airman has been killed, another is presumed dead and a third is seriously ill, according to the latest casualty lists issued by the Department of National Defence for Air.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Albert Taylor to Norbert Charron of the lot 710-75 East Ward. Price, \$550.

Most Rev. Philip Carrington Is Enthroned As Archbishop

Quebec, May 27.—(C)—Most Rev. Philip Carrington was enthroned as First Lord-Archbishop of Quebec and Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada in the 140-year-old Cathedral of the Holy Trinity here last night amid one of the most colorful ceremonies in the Church of England ritual.

New Six-Inch Surface Being Laid On Exhibition Grounds Race Track

Confidence that existing records will be shattered on the newly-surfaced track, now receiving a six-inch layer of earth, was voiced today by members of the Racing Committee of the Sherbrooke 1944 Victory Exhibition to be held August 28 to September 2nd.

WEST INDIANS LAUD WORK OF SQD. LDR. MCCREA

Tribute to the "encouragement and kindly interest" of Squadron Leader F. W. McCrea and the staff of the Montreal Recruiting Centre of the R.C.A.F. is contained in an article in the April issue of "The Canada-West Indies Magazine."

JURYMEN TERM CHILD'S DEATH AS ACCIDENTAL

A coroner's jury, sitting at an inquest conducted by Leonidas Bachand, Coroner for the District of St. Francis, yesterday afternoon exonerated Felix Brault, 20-year-old East Angus resident, from all blame in connection with an automobile accident which proved fatal to Laurin Gagne, 22-month-old son of Paul Emile Gagne, of Ascot Corner.

DRIVE TO CURB SPEEDING ALONG LOCAL STREETS

The drive to curb speeding on city streets will continue indefinitely. Director Percy Donahue of the Sherbrooke Police Department declared today. He said that many complaints have been received about speeding on the main thoroughfares of the city and police have been instructed to see that it is stamped out.

NEW SCHEDULE FOR AIR MAIL IS ANNOUNCED

Trans-Atlantic air service for civilian mail is now in operation several times a week to the United Kingdom, postal officials here announced today, following receipt of information from the Department in Ottawa.

SAWYERVILLE

P.O. Eric Hurd, now in England, formerly of Sawyerville, finished his operational flights on May 1 and will have nine months instruction. He will have one month at home, before returning to operational flying.

CHURCH NOTICE

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SHERBROOKE BAPTIST CHURCH Cor. Portland Ave. and Queen St. Minister: Rev. H. E. Secord.

NO. HATLEY BAPTIST CHURCH 730 p.m.—Anniversary Service. Guest Preacher: Rev. G. F. Gorman.

ST. PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH Whit Sunday 7 a.m.—Holy Communion.

PLYMOUTH CHURCH (The United Church of Canada) Dufferin Ave. at Montreal St.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (Frontenac St.) Guest Minister: Rev. Ronald T. Moore, B.Sc., S.T.B., M.Bourne.

ANGELICAN ST. PETER'S CHURCH Whit Sunday 8 a.m.—Holy Communion.

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Steady Trading Reported By Vendors On Lansdowne Market

Steady trading was reported on the Lansdowne Market yesterday afternoon, and final reports showed a slight increase in sales over recent weeks. Favorable weather and a greater quantity of goods offered were termed reasons for the increase.

The egg market was still suffering from the recent slump, and the supply of eggs available was reported to have shown a decrease.

Cheese market sales were reported as exceptionally good, while sales of the Vegetable and Fruit Markets were reported steady. The season's first supply of cherries were on sale on fruit stalls, and were selling well at 75 cents per pound.

DAIRY MARKET

Butter, best creamery, lb. . . . 33c Eggs, A-1 specials . . . 45c to 47c Eggs, A-large . . . 38c to 42c

FRUIT MARKET

Apples, eating, peck . . . \$1.00 Apples, cooking, pk. . . . 80c Cranberries, lb. . . . 35c

VEGETABLE MARKET

Beets, bunch . . . 15c to 25c Cucumbers, each . . . 30c

Carrots, bunch . . . 10c Cabbages, new, lb. . . . 7c Celery, bunch . . . 20c to 25c

LOCAL BEEF

Beef, Roasts, per lb. . . . 25c Beef, Carcass, per lb. . . . 16 1/2c Steak, round, per lb. . . . 35c

PROVISION MARKET

Boiling meat, per lb. . . . 15c Bacon, per lb. . . . 15c to 40c Bacon sausages, lb. . . . 20c

BRIEFLETS

Sherbrooke Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary, Monday, 3 p.m. MacKinnon Memorial.

BROMPTON

Mr. Harold Robinson, Miss Muriel Ward and Master Kenneth Ward motored to Montreal and spent a week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lamont and visited Mrs. Harold Robinson, who is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Sherbrooke Hospital Alumnae Association wish to announce that Eight-Hour Duty will come into effect on June 15th next for all registered nurses in this District. (English Section).

Table with 4 columns: Hospital Hours, Eight Only, In the Home, and corresponding rates for 1, 2, and 3 meals.

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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.

THE TASK AHEAD

To an anxiously-waiting world, the massiveness of the military operations which lie ahead of the United Nations seem almost fantastic, unless they are to a degree reduced by the unexpected collapse of Germany and Japan. Now Marshal Smuts of South Africa declares that the invasion of the West Coast of Europe, towards which the world has been looking and for which preparations have long been made, is but one phase of the general invasion plan, which he believes will be triangular in pattern. There would be co-ordinated attacks from Western front, the Eastern front and the Southern front which has recently flayed into action in Italy.

Many people in the United Nations have been wishfully thinking that once the mighty invasion begins on the West it will not be long before the Germans will have been forced to surrender, but Marshal Smuts is not so optimistic and believes that it will require the co-ordinated efforts of the three fronts to bring about the Nazi downfall. His opinion is not to be scorned for he is a man with military training and experience and is in close touch with the salient aspects of the entire situation. If his views are right the Western invasion alone, without the support of the other two fronts, would not be sufficient to wrest Europe from the control of Hitler and his gang. But he is convinced that the combined attack will be enough to end this tyranny.

And he believes that this action must come soon, claiming that the condition of physical and moral strain and suffering in all countries, and especially in enemy-occupied countries, is such that irreparable damage may be done if the invasion is much longer delayed.

After nearly five years of war on a tremendous scale there can be no room for doubt that the United Nations are fighting a very strong enemy, and one who has based his strength on years of guile and subterfuge. During this time Hitler was busy building up for the days when he could attack the liberties of other nations, while at the same time his diplomats were busy swinging Italy and Japan into his orbit. This assault against other nations has been deliberate and evil. There is no question of justification, as the tragic stories of Belgium, Holland, Norway, Pearl Harbor and the Philippines prove.

Inside Europe this powerful and evil force that plunged the world into all the bitterness of war is making its last stand. The Allies have pounded his cities with bombs for many months and the Russians have slain thousands of his troops on the Eastern front. And yet they remain so strong that observers predict that three fronts will be necessary to destroy him.

That is the picture of Europe on the eve of invasion and presents to the people of this country the urgent necessity of bending every effort to bring about a co-ordinated and speedy victory.

PARITY FOR THE CANADIAN DOLLAR

If events in the international monetary field were to be allowed to follow their normal course, the Canadian dollar would enjoy parity with United States currency on the international exchange market, the monthly review of the Alexander Hamilton Institute of New York City declares.

In reviewing the whole Canadian exchange situation, the report recalls that prior to the entrance of the United States into the war, anxiety was expressed in this country that the Dominion might suffer from a shortage of United States dollars and in order to preclude this possibility the Hyde Park agreement was entered into between Canada and the United States. This agreement placed at the disposal of the Canadian Government all the United States dollars necessary to further the war effort.

But during 1943 the influx of American dollars into Canada was so great as to make it possible to terminate the Hyde Park agreement. The principal reasons for the large inflow of American dollars last year were expenditures by the United States Government on the Alaska highway, the development of the Northwest Territories oil deposits and the heavy purchases of Canadian grains. As none of these

had been visualized at the time of the Hyde Park agreement, it was not expected that the supply of United States dollars would be so great.

In predicting the easing of travel restrictions which have just been announced by the Canadian Government, the New York review says:

"Now that Canada has accumulated a substantial supply of American dollars, the question has arisen as to whether this might cause a return of the Canadian dollar to par. It is doubtful, however, whether the Canadian authorities will permit such a development despite the fact that the Canadian dollar seems to be under-valued. So long as the war lasts and trade between the two countries is still subject to government regulation, over-valuation and under-valuation are of little consequence. It is possible, however, that in view of the accumulation of large amounts of American dollars, the Canadian Government may ease restrictions which are now imposed on Canadian tourist travel in the United States."

ITALY AND THE BALKANS

The continued Allied success in Italy is like a torch beside the highly inflammable Balkans which Hitler dared use as a buttress for the Southwestern flank of his European fortress. Bulgaria, master arch of this always doubtful structure, is on the point of flames. From neighboring Turkey comes the report that the Fuehrer has rushed five divisions into Bulgaria from Serbia in an effort to prevent a conflagration which would endanger his whole position in Eastern Europe.

Meanwhile mighty Russia, whose victorious troops stand on the alert at the Northern gateway to the Balkans, is pressing Bulgaria to desert Hitler. Indeed, reportedly the deadline has passed on an ultimatum to quit, the alternative of which was the severance of relations. Thus far there has been no official indication there was an ultimatum, but it is evident that Russia has placed a heavy hand on the shoulder of the Hitlerian water boy, who long has been the bad lad of the Balkans.

Bulgaria is divided against itself. On the one hand is a government which is clinging to Germany in hope of profiting by the unholy alliance. On the other hand is a public whose heart is with the Russians—brother Slavs. The bond of race is strong among the Slavic folk.

So the Bulgarian people are seething with revolt against the government. Travellers arriving in Turkey from Bulgaria say there has been a revolt among Bulgarian troops. However, the Government cannot bear the thought of giving up thousands of square miles of Yugoslav and Greek territory which Bulgaria grabbed after Hitler overran those countries in 1940. The Bulgarians did not even participate in the fighting.

The reluctance of Turkey, although friendly to the Allies, to join them in the war, undoubtedly has encouraged Bulgaria's adherence to Hitler. Indications are that the Turks might even now come in, especially in view of Prime Minister Churchill's pointed statement Wednesday that the course which "has been taken so far by Turkey will not, in my view, procure for the Turks the strong position at the peace table which would attend their joining the Allies."

However, as Mr. Churchill remarked, we shall be able to win the war "throughout Southeast Europe without Turkey being involved." The growing Allied successes in Italy will impress that fact on Bulgaria.

A LOSS TO EASTERN TOWNSHIPS EDUCATION

The destruction of the Knowlton High School by Thursday night's unfortunate blaze means more than the loss of this veteran school building itself, as substantial as the material loss may be in itself. The Knowlton High School and its predecessor, the old Knowlton Academy, was one of the pioneers of Protestant education in the Eastern Townships and through its doors passed some of the present-day leaders in the religious, educational, political and economic life of the Dominion. Graduates of the Knowlton Academy are to be found in almost every branch of endeavor in all parts of Canada and even farther afield.

To these people, the building itself seems steeped in tradition and to them its loss will be felt as a personal tragedy. It will mean that an integral part of their life and upbringing has disappeared.

But while the building dates back almost half a century, through the efforts of a hard-working and broad-visioned School Board, it was never allowed to become obsolete and the teaching plant was as modern and efficient as those found in many which were constructed at a more recent date.

It is to be hoped sincerely that the powers that have the control of the educational funds of this Province find their way clear to provide without delay the financial assistance required to replace this venerable structure so that the work of improving the minds of the people of that progressive community may go on without undue delay.

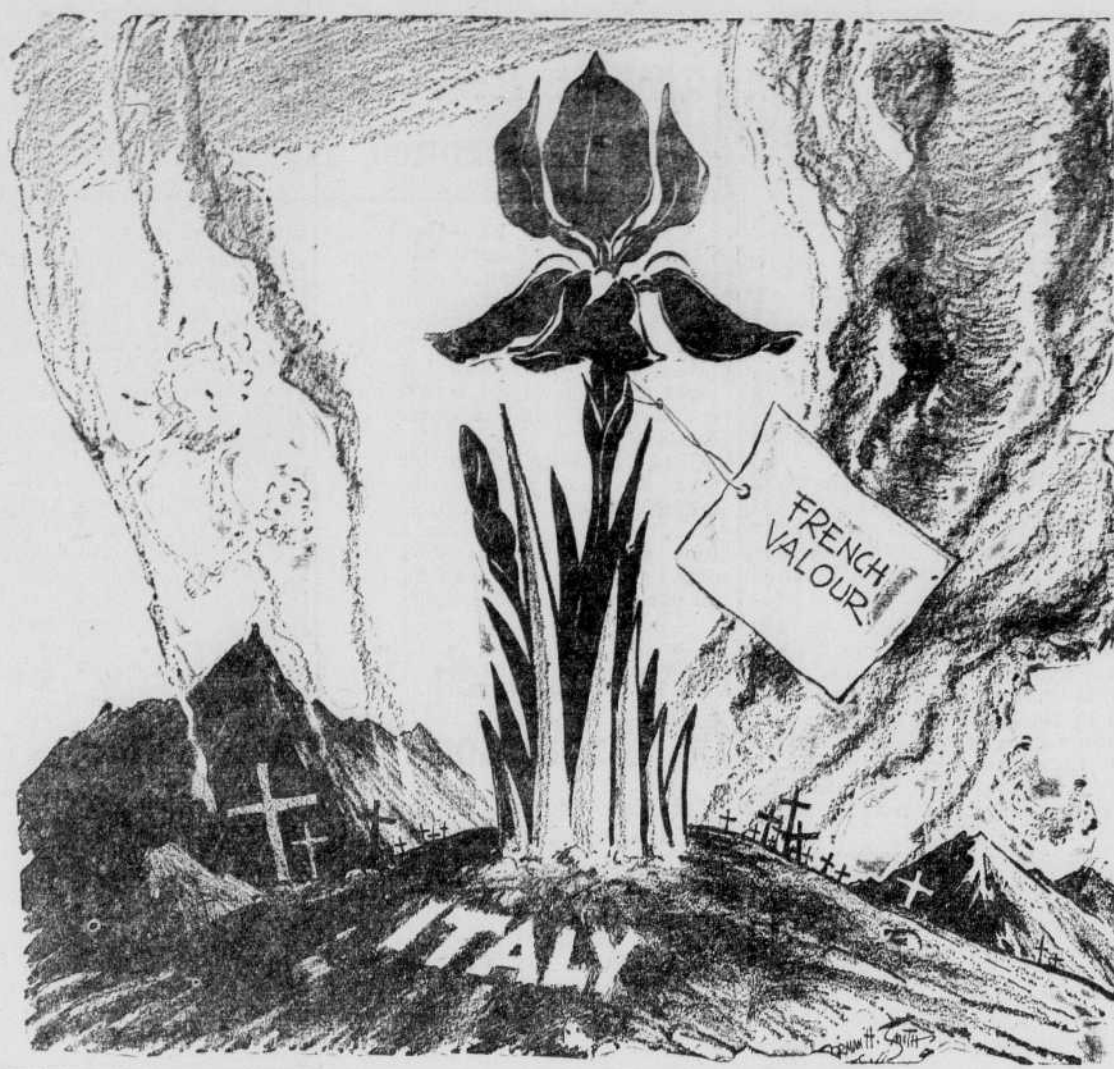
BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Wherefore, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath.—James 1:19.

No question is ever settled
Until it is settled right.

—Wilcox.

GIVE IT A CHANCE AND IT'LL ALWAYS BLOOM



Three Anniversaries

Prof. the Rev. H. C. Burt, M.A., D.C.L., Lennoxville.

2 Corinthians III, 17: "Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty."

Within the brief span of seven days occur three notable anniversaries. Two of these are mainly of social and political importance; the third signifies an event of universal interest to all Christian people.

The first—Victoria Day or Empire Day—commemorates the long and beneficent reign, during which the Empire (or, as many now prefer to style it, the "British Commonwealth of Nations") was strengthened, consolidated, and prepared to assume the conspicuous rôle that it now plays in world-politics—and the secret of that Empire's growth, the spiritual source of its unity and power lies in that great word "Liberty". The remarkable unanimity with which Canada and the other great Dominions joined in the Crusade against tyranny points at once to the complete freedom of action their governments enjoy, and to their high appreciation of the liberties they possess, under the Flag. On the other hand, Empire's fixed determination to hug neutrality and harbor Axis spies, while "technically" a member of the Commonwealth, is merely another demonstration of this same "freedom of action!"

The Spirit that animates the Empire, and, indeed, the whole group of English-speaking nations, derives from an episode that occurred at an obscure little place called "Runnymede", over seven centuries ago! Since then the love of Freedom has become the ruling passion of all Anglo-Saxon peoples.

Now, a Commonwealth based on this principle—especially one whose members are scattered all over the earth—cannot but regard Peace as the prerequisite to prosperity and progress. We are not "land-hungry"; we are not seeking a "Canaan" or a "Lebensraum"; a career of conquest for its own sake is abhorrent to us.

It has been well said that the Crown—the one visible rallying-point around which all the discordant elements of race, religion, and language may form a union—is "the only tangible link, symbolizing for us all the diversity of peoples, the sharing of common ideals, love of Freedom in its highest sense, and the pursuit of Peace."

Similarly, Russia—an object to many of irrational fear and hatred (notably as seen in the Orlenski case)—has not the slightest reason to embark, like Germany, on a mad career of piracy and murder. Her interests lie in a century of peaceful development of her immense natural resources. Stalin is a cool-headed realist, who has well out-grown the blind revolutionary idealism of the brilliant Trotsky. If he takes over part of Poland and other border lands, it is simply for purposes of defence, to rectify the weakness of Russia's Western boundaries. Stalin

Thereupon he proceeds to exhort them: "Stand fast therefore in the Liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage!"

But it is well to remember that the Holy Spirit does not merely

confer upon us the gifts of Liberty from the yoke of the Law, but liberty from the tyranny of obstacles which cloud the spiritual sight of Truth, liberty from spiritual darkness, from a state of soul which cannot apprehend Truth. Nor does the Spirit bestow liberty, as only too many of the Corinthians understood that word, but a much fuller, freer, richer kind of freedom—freedom from error for the reason, freedom from constraint for the affections, freedom for the will from the tyranny of sinful human wills.

Human nature has from of old imagined such a Freedom, but has signed in vain for the reality. It is, in fact, a Creation. "Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is Liberty!"

PRESS COMMENTS

FARMING CAN'T WAIT

Sarnia Canadian-Observer

Two recent items of news attest to the importance of seeding time on the farms. In one, the story is told of a member of parliament who seeded with a flashlight at night, so that he could get the crop in ahead of the coming of rain and also so he could leave for his seat at Ottawa. In the other, nearly fifty farmers held a seeding bee because the owner of a 100-acre farm was ill.

Last Monday evening, George Ernest Wood, Gainsville farmer and M.P., in the expressive words of the Ottawa correspondent, "took a quick gander at the sky, tested the air for moisture content and decided that it was going to rain." He hooked a team to a 12-hoe drill. He drilled grain until dark. Then he got a helper to carry a flashlight along the whole track. The field was finished at 10:20 p.m. Mr. Wood said the farm situation caused him to be a temporary absentee from parliament but that on balance "ten acres of oats in this year's crop programme was of more immediate importance to the country than one day in the House of Commons."

The seeding bee was in the Downey school district near Guelph. The owner of the 100-acre farm could not do his own seeding. He was ill and his daughter had just died. "Twenty-four teams of horses and nearly that many extra men turned out to the Lynch farm, and field after field soon was plowed. The scene resembled a plowing match. Much could be written about the prize place of seeding in the whole scheme of things. They would not tell the story so clearly as these two episodes. So often seeding time must be snatched from the lap of the gods. Without seeding, there is no agriculture, no food, no civilization, no progress.

HAVE A SMILE

The master of the house, exasperated beyond endurance by the cooking, had the cook up before him. After a long tirade upon her shortcomings, he pointed to the table. "Look at that piece of bacon I've served to you, mistress," he said. "Absolutely unpalatable! And this piece I've taken myself isn't much better."

Bride: "When you married me I thought you were daring and courageous."

Groom: "That's nothing. Name any person who didn't."

Colonel (to Irish servant): "This is going to be a terrible war, Pat."

Pat: "Sure, it's going to be a terrible war, sir, but it'll be better than no war at all, at all."

The major was inspecting a cavalry squadron somewhere in Yorkshire. Riding down the ranks he stopped in front of one recruit, and said:

"Now, my lad, have that saddle and harness brighter in the morning." Turning to the sergeant-major, he said: "See to it, sergeant-major."

The next morning the saddle and harness were still dull, so the major

From The Record Files

Thirty Years Ago

Sherbrooke ratepayers gave substantial majorities to by-laws providing concessions for the Rand Drill Company and the Hamilton Shoe Company but rejected a similar by-law for aid to the Canadian Pacific Railway by one vote.

A local citizen was mulcted ten dollars and costs in the Police Court after he had been taken in custody on charges of turning in false alarms.

Among those taking part in a Scotch Concert presented at St. Andrew's Church in Sherbrooke were Claude Gilbert, Howard Frye, Mrs. Malcolm MacKay, Miss Aubrey Sampson, George Dick, Jr., Miss Hazel Glasgow, H. G. James, Glen Sampson and James Stewart.

Prizes were awarded at the closing exercises of the East Bolton School to Hibbard Ingalls, Edith Bryant, Audrey Powell, Helen Bryant and Vivian Burnham.

The dwelling house and farm buildings on the property of Henry Lefebvre near Scotstown, considered one of the most modern farms in the district, were destroyed by fire.

Demands for the removal of school fees in the lower grades were made at a public meeting of Sherbrooke Protestant ratepayers discussing the proposed new high school.

Twenty Years Ago

In his final address before the passing of the budget, Finance Minister Robb declared the Government would lose approximately \$25,000,000 in revenue annually due to the general reduction in the sales tax.

Reports from Berlin state that Chancellor Marx has accepted the invitation of President Ebert to form a new cabinet in an effort to end the German political crisis.

The Japanese Government has decided to send an official protest to the United States against the provisions of the immigration measure excluding Japs from the country.

A number of inventors claiming to possess the secrets of a death ray are pestering the British Air Ministry who is cautious about accepting their inventions.

The Granby Board of Trade, after an extended discussion, has decided to defer any action towards adopting daylight saving time in that municipality.

The following officers have been elected to the Megantic Fish and Game Club: A. W. Erickson, New York; H. M. Faxon, Quincy, Mass.; Wayne Dumont, Patterson, N.J., and A. A. Berry, Stratton, Me.

Ten Years Ago

Although the leading delegates to the Geneva disarmament conference are valiantly holding a series of conferences, general gossip around the League of Nations halls are none too optimistic of any agreement being reached.

Sherbrooke's municipal affairs have become further complicated by the unexpected resignation of Alderman Omer Blais who is stepping down due to criticism of certain of his actions.

Many villages in Northern Quebec and Ontario are being evacuated of their inhabitants as forest fires, fed by tinder-dry woods, are spreading rapidly.

Those taking part in a Victoria Day programme by Scotstown were Elmer MacIver, John Scarth, Roy Parsons, Dr. G. Watt Smith, Miss MacMonagle and Miss Stevenson.

The Montreal police have struck another of their periodical blows against gambling houses with the arrest of 450 persons in a series of overnight raids.

Hostesses for the opening tea and bridge at the Sherbrooke Country Club were Mrs. F. A. Briggs, Mrs. S. R. Newton, Mrs. P. M. Robins, Mrs. A. C. Stevens, Mrs. B. N. Holtham, Mrs. E. N. Fidler, Mrs. W. G. Cross, Mrs. J. T. Hawkins, Mrs. A. Kerbridge and Mrs. Frank Norcross.

Five Years Ago

All formality will be lacking during the week-end for the visit of King George and Queen Elizabeth to Banff during the course of their trans-continental journey.

A special session of the Sherbrooke City Council has been called for Monday evening to study the proposed by-law calling for the borrowing of \$270,000 for a public works programme.

Great Britain is prepared to start mass production of the Bristol Beaufort, a new super-bomber with a speed of 300 miles an hour and a range of 3,240 miles.

The Government report opposing unification of Canadian railways was rejected by the Senate and a Conservative minority report favoring consolidation was approved 25 to 21.

At the annual meeting of the Missisquoi County Women's Institute held at Stanbridge East, the following officers were elected: Mrs. H. L. Stowe, Cowansville; Mrs. N. H. Robinson, St. Armand; Mrs. Karl Westcott, Stanbridge East; Mrs. A. E. Small, Dunham; Mrs. W. D. Smith, Cowansville, and Mrs. O. C. Selby, Dunham.

The Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Auxiliary, which operated during the past year under the presidency of Mrs. Z. W. Griffith, reported a very active year, the annual report showing that \$580.33 had been raised.

said: "I thought I told you to clean them for today."

The recruit answered: "No, sir, you told the sergeant-major to see to it."

"So, that's the baby," said Uncle John. "Yes," said the proud father, inclined to let it go at that."

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

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

MISFIT BIDDING HITS

SESSION OF TOURNEY

Board 25 of the fifth session of the Masters' individual was the greatest misfit of the tournament. At one table North played the hand at three hearts doubled and went down one. I think that three hearts can always be made, however.

At another table four hearts doubled was the contract. One pair managed to get to five before being doubled, and one pair actually reached six hearts, which East very cheerfully doubled.

The trouble in the bidding shown came with South's jump bid of three diamonds and North's jump to four hearts. East was smart in not doubling four hearts. He felt that with the strong bidding, South might have a good out in diamonds or spades, and he was amazed when South elected to bid six hearts.

♠ 6
♥ A 5 3 2
♦ 6 5
♣ A Q J 10 2

♠ K 9 4 3
♥ None
♦ 10 7
♣ 8 7 6 5 4

Dealer—N.
♠ Q 10 7 5
♥ K J 10
♦ A Q J 8 2
♣ None

Duplicate—E-W vul.
North East South West
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♠ Pass
2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠ Pass
4 ♠ Pass 6 ♠ Pass
Pass Double
Opening—♠ A.

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IN THE WOMEN'S SPHERE

At Rousseau-Levesque Wedding



The group picture above was taken following the marriage of Miss Marie-Paul Levesque, daughter of Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Emile Levesque, of Sherbrooke, to L.A.C. Jean-Maurice Rousseau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roch Rousseau, of Shawinigan Falls, which was solemnized at St. Michael's Cathedral. From left to right in the front row are Mr. and Mrs. Rousseau; the bride and groom; Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Levesque.

BETHANY

Mr. and Mrs. Bismark Truxex, of Waterloo, were tea guests at the home of Mrs. W. Lancaster and family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Norris and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Norris were Sapper M. Surette, Mrs. C. Surette and Miss Shirley Surette, of Granby.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Norris and Mr.



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George Osborne were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Copping at Boscobel. They also attended afternoon service at the Church of St. John the Divine, which was conducted by Rev. Lidstone, of Granby.

Miss Barbara Taylor spent a week-end at her home in South Roxton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Despatie and son, Jean Louis, of Montreal, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Despatie.

Mr. and Mrs. Girard Brin and sons and Mrs. Amie Brin, of Lachine, spent a few days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Copping, Mr. Conrad Lafrenier and Miss Mary Moffatt, of Shawinigan Falls, called on Mrs. W. Lancaster.

Mrs. Amie Brin has returned from a hospital in Montreal. Her many friends hope that her health will be improved.

Mr. James Favreau, of Granby, spent a few days with Mr. Arthur Favreau and Mrs. Marois.

Mrs. Francoise Marois has returned home from St. Charles' Hospital in St. Hyacinthe.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Moffatt attended divine service at All Saints' Church, Davidson's Hill, where Rev. Mr. Brunton, of Abbotsford, took charge of the service.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Osborne and Mrs. Haslett were Mr. and Mrs. Bismark Truxex, of Waterloo, and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Norris.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Lavallee were Mr. Edward Montgomery, of St. Hyacinthe, Miss Claire Lavallee, of West Ely, and Miss Rheta David, of Boscobel.

Mrs. Jacqueline Duval is spending some time in Waterloo.

MIND YOUR MANNERS

The Situation: You are at a party with your husband, who is enjoying himself with a crowd when you decide it is time to go home.

Wrong Way: Go up to him and say, "It's time we were going home, George."

Right Way: Wait until you can get him alone to suggest going home. (It makes a man look henpecked to be dragged away from a party by his wife when he is having a good time.)

FARNAM'S CORNER

Guests at the home of Mrs. T. W. Westover were Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson and son, Clayton, and Mrs. P. Fee, of Dunham; and Mrs. Perline Robinson and Mrs. Herbert Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jones were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Coates, in Abbotsford.

Billy Brown, of Petawawa, Ont., Miss Bessie Brown, of Sutton; and Miss Phyllis Short, of North Sutton; were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther King.

Mrs. Harry Harvey was in Sherbrooke to attend the Rebekah bazaar and Assembly and while there was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkins. Mrs. Herbert Perkins also attended the Rebekah Assembly.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkins of Sherbrooke, former residents of this place, that their son, Francis, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant, in England.

MARRIAGES

HOLT—KEWACHUK

East Angus, May 27.—The marriage of Jean, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Kewachuk, of River Hebert, N.S., and Howard Elmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Holt, of East Angus, took place on Saturday, May 13, at seven o'clock in the Church of St. John the Divine, at Verdun, Rev. E. S. Reed officiating.

The bride, given in marriage by Mr. M. E. Hawley, wore a floor-length gown of broad white satin, having a fitted bodice with Sweetheart neckline, and her finger-ring veil was attached to a heart-shaped crown. She carried a wedding bouquet of Sweetheart roses and sweetpeas.

Miss Kathleen Kewachuk, sister of the bride, who was the bridesmaid, wore a navy blue frock with matching accessories and a corsage of red roses and sweetpeas.

Mr. Norman Hawley, brother-in-law of the groom, acted as best man. After the wedding, a reception was held at the home of Mr. Norman Hawley, where the rooms were decorated with pink and white streamers. The beautifully decorated table was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake.

The couple, after a short honeymoon, will reside in Verdun, Que.

STANBURY

Mrs. H. L. Black is convalescing at the home of her daughter in Stanbridge East and expects to be home soon.

Social and Personal

Miss Jean Edwards is in Montreal, visiting Mrs. F. H. Barwick.

Mrs. M. Milne, of Toronto, is visiting her uncle, Mr. David Wilson, at his home on Victoria Street.

Dr. and Mrs. Alex. Hyndman, of Montreal, were guests for Empire Day of Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Bradley.

Mr. J. W. Booth returned home on Thursday night after journeying to Montreal to attend a Directors' meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Giovette, have returned from Montreal, whither they journeyed to attend Convocation at McGill University, during which their granddaughter, Miss Betty Giovette, received her B. A. degree.

Mrs. Leonard H. Weyland, Montreal, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. S. Hallingam, 7th Avenue, for the past ten days, and Mr. Weyland, who was a guest for the week-end at the same home have both returned to the metropolis.

Mrs. Frederick Wilson and her son, William, of Transcona, Manitoba, have arrived in Sherbrooke to spend a short time visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Irvine Faith, and Mr. Faith, at their home on the Montreal Road.

Mrs. J. Plamondon, Mrs. James Twyman, Mrs. Reginald Smith, Mrs. Fred Pearson, Mrs. James Johnston, and Mrs. William Ward, will be hostesses for the salad tea to be held under the auspices of St. Peter's Guild in the Parish Hall next Wednesday afternoon, May 31st.

Friends of Master Robert Paige, 206 Prospect Street, will regret to hear that he is a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital, where he has undergone an operation for appendicitis. Latest reports state that the patient is doing as well as can be expected, so soon after his operation.

Mrs. W. E. Loomis, Regent of the Sherbrooke Municipal Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, left yesterday afternoon for Hamilton, Ont., to attend the annual meeting of the National Chapter, convening at the Royal Connaught, where Mrs. Loomis will be a guest during the sessions which open tomorrow evening and continue until next week-end.

Mrs. Harold Rawlings and Miss Ruby Whiting acted jointly as hostesses for the closing meeting of the Ladies' Guild in Plymouth Church Hall, over which Mrs. W. Rook, President, presided. After disposing of unfinished business, adjournment was made until the autumn. A pleasant social hour ensued and later the hostesses served dainty refreshments, with Miss Vina Brownlow assisting.

Mrs. Howard Kennedy and Mrs. Douglas Kerr were hostesses for the final session of the Church Union Group held by the courtesy of the President, Mrs. Ben C. Howard, at "Howards." After disposing of routine business, plans were completed for a garden party to be held at Howards on July 6th. During the interim Red Cross work was done by the members who, later, unanimously decided to continue their Red Cross activities throughout the summer season. Refreshments were served informally by the hostesses at the close of the evening's work.

The Citizens War Service Committee Dance at the Y.M.C.A. on Wednesday evening was an especially gala and largely-attended event. The band of H.M.C.S. Signal School, St. Hyacinthe, under the direction of Band Master E. Amley, furnished inspiring music, and lent additional interest to the spotlight dance, which was won by Piper Marion Gee and Bandmaster Ken Phillips, M.D.A. Among the guests were members of the C.W.A.C. Brass Band and the C.W.A.C. Pipe Band, both of which took part in the afternoon's parade. Refreshments including vico, doughnuts and ice cream, were served a la buffet throughout the evening, and were much appreciated by both the regular dancing crowd and the specially invited guests for the evening. Later it was agreed that this week's dance was one of the "best," yet sponsored by the Citizens' War Services Committee.

Mrs. G. L. Bockus entertained the members of the 7th Troop Boy Scouts Mothers' Auxiliary at her home on Laurier Avenue, where Mrs. G. Berwick, Vice-President, conducted the business period. Plans were made for a card party on May 27th and letters were read from H. Hillard and Earl Maddis, thanking the Auxiliary for cigarettes received. Another letter of thanks came from a member to whom flowers had been sent, while she was in hospital. Eight new members were welcomed and Mrs. B. Rutherford was elected Treasurer, replacing Mrs. Mable Miller who has left Sherbrooke. The new members include Mrs. F. Tarte, Mrs. Stanley Wilson, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Bean, Mrs. E. Bryant, Mrs. L. Audet, Mrs. Larrabee and Mrs. Smith. During the pleasant social hour which followed, cards were played, the prize being won by Mrs. B. Rutherford. Wartime refreshments were served by the hostess with Mrs. Hayes assisting. It was announced that Mrs. G. Berwick had kindly offered to act as hostess for the next meeting on June 5th, and prior to dispersing it was agreed to send cigarettes to nineteen boys (former Scouts), now serving Overseas.

Mr. William McManamy and Mr. F. W. Webster have returned from a brief business trip to Montreal.

Mr. K. A. Wilson, K.C., who has been visiting his father, Mr. David Wilson, for a few days, has returned to Montreal.

Mrs. Janet Taylor, Newton Street, left on Thursday for Dixville, where she is the guest of her brother, Mr. H. J. Call, and Mrs. Call.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Edwards, who have spent a few days at the Mount Royal in Montreal, are returning home to Sherbrooke tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hodgen, Jr., of Lennoxville and Boston, have returned from their winter vacation in Florida, where they spent the past months, and are now residing in Somerville, Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Wheeler announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen Freda, to Flt.-Sgt. Herbert Wright Coates, R.C.A.F., Newfoundland, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Coates, of Canterbury, Que. The marriage is to take place in Sherbrooke on June 24th at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

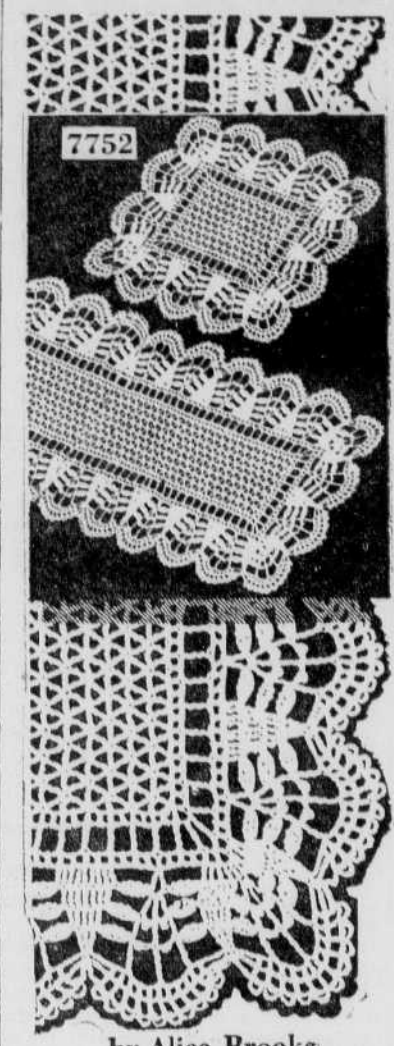
Mrs. C. F. Simms entertained at a delightful pre-nuptial tea on Wednesday afternoon at her home, 212 Viny Street, in honor of Mrs. Viny Street, in honor of Mrs. Howard Simms. Tulips and lilac blooms were used to decorate the already attractive rooms in the hostess' home. Tea was poured by Mrs. J. R. Simms, the beautifully-appointed table being artistically done with pink bleeding heart and forget-me-nots, in a low silver bowl, and lighted white tapers in silver holders. Assisting in the tea room were Miss Margaret Hebert, Miss Isabel Hibbard and Miss Beverley Parker.

The Spring Tea held at the home of Mrs. C. Coates, Wolfe Street, under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of Trinity United Church, was very successful. The following members were in charge of the pleasant event, Mrs. C. Coates, Mrs. J. MacLean and Mrs. S. C. Emerson. The tea table was very lovely with its centre of Spring flowers, and Mrs. G. Berwick, the hostess' mother, did the honors. This event followed the usual meeting of the Auxiliary at which Mrs. Cathcart presided and Mrs. F. Cutler conducted the devotional period.

Members of the Tenebre Club most successfully concluded social activities for the season yesterday afternoon, when they entertained at tea in compliment to their mothers. The honored guests were received by Miss Macnab of the Sherbrooke High School teaching staff, Miss Lois Wood, President of the Club, Miss Mary Wiswall and Miss Marjorie Stevenson. Tea and delicious refreshments were served in the Household Science Room, where Mrs. S. B. Wood and Mrs. Fred Williams did the honors at the pretty tea table on which fragrant lilies and tall white candles in silver holders, were attractively arranged. A happy interlude occurred just before the tea hour, when each "mother" was presented with a lovely corsage of sweet peas. Assisting in the tea room were the Misses Margaret Dean, Wilma Jackson, Dorothy Earnshaw, Joyce Waldman, Gertrude Feath, Sheila Mathias and Evelyn Eastman. Afterwards the guests were delightfully entertained with two Class Room performances.

Through the gracious courtesy of Mrs. F. Wallbridge, her beautiful home, Rock Spring Farm, was opened on Thursday afternoon and evening for the benefit of the King George Fifth Chapter I.O.D.E., under the patronage of which two largely attended and delightful bridge parties were successfully convened by the untiring efforts of Mrs. S. McLean. The many guests as they traversed the long driveway to the house, were thrilled with the beauty of the exterior decorations, large Union Jacks and bunting forming a colorful and arresting picture, amidst the background of stately trees, flower beds and shrubbery. Mrs. F. H. Bradley, the Chapter's popular Regent, received with Mrs. Wallbridge while Mrs. George C. Hall, Treasurer, kindly acted as cashier. Bridge was played at upwards of thirty tables in all, the prize at each being a War Savings Stamp. At each party refreshments were served under the efficient convenship of Mrs. Walter Kinkead, members of the Chapter assisting on both occasions. In the dining room where refreshments were served, the beautifully appointed table reflected in its brilliant decorative color scheme of red, white and blue, the caption of the Order, every action and effort of which mutely expresses the devout patriotism of each and every member. Red and white carnations and blue and white daisies were effectively used in the afternoon being done by the Chapter's Regent, while in the evening Mrs. W. E. Loomis, Municipal Regent, graciously provided. The generous gift of an exquisite table cloth by a Chapter member, a cake donated by Terry's Confectionery, and a home-made cake given by Mrs. W. Hopkins, a member of the King George Fifth Chapter, were sold during the afternoon and evening parties. The table cloth was in charge of Mrs. E. Kennedy, Miss May Mitchell and Mrs. Norrey Price and was won by Mrs. Burk, of Montreal. Mrs. John Brown assisted. Miss May Mitchell and Mrs. E. Kennedy being in charge in the evening. Mrs. Matthew Graham, who officiated at the drawing, announced Mrs. Harold Goodhue as the fortunate winner of the beautifully decorated

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cake from "Terry's" and Mrs. S. McLean was the holder of the lucky number for the luscious cake given by Mrs. Hopkins. To Mrs. Wallbridge the Chapter once again extends its grateful thanks for generous and continued hospitality, while their indebtedness to Mrs. Hubbard whose invaluable assistance is deeply appreciated by each and every member, cannot be measured in mere words. A special vote of thanks was recorded to the above mentioned members, also to Mrs. S. McLean, through whose untiring effort so many tables were secured, the Chapter's officers and members generally attributing to these members the outstanding success of their Empire Week celebration.

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Brome Township, \$55,000, \$39,500; Brome Village, \$26,000, \$23,200; East Bolton Municipality, \$9,000, \$9,000; East Farnham Village, \$7,000, \$7,000; East Farnham Township, \$25,000, \$26,250; Eastman Village, \$10,000, \$9,300; Foster Village, \$13,000, \$20,250; Knowlton Village, \$83,000, \$114,700; Potton Township, \$83,000, \$75,700; Sutton Village, \$83,000, \$84,900; Sutton Township, \$48,000, \$30,250; St. Etienne Municipality, \$3,000, \$6,250; West Bolton, \$25,000, \$23,850. St. Etienne Municipality was the first to reach its objective and held top place in the county, having raised \$5,200 on May 3; 100 on May 8; Austin Municipality, with \$15,000, and Knowlton Village with \$83,700 on May 9; Abercorn Village, \$11,400 on May 12; East Farnham Township, \$26,050 on May 15; Sutton Village, \$84,300 on May 16; Adamsville, East Bolton Municipality and East Farnham Village reached their objective. The final report came out on May 19. Subscriptions outside the county were \$70,350.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Poulin, of Waterville, motored to Brome.

Mr. A. C. McKee, of Montreal, has purchased Mr. Frank Martin's place on East Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Russell and son, William, of "Hillside," were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Blake, at "Idlewild."

Mrs. Audrey Vernal and Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Beerworth, of Brome Center, called on friends in Brome.

Mr. A. C. Carter, of Knowlton, was in town.

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Visitors at the Delaire home included Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Lapierre and daughters, the Misses Eva, Yvonne and Rose Lapierre, of Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Lapierre, son, John, and daughter, Bernadette, of Adamsville.

DUNHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whitcomb, of Richmond, Vt., were guests of Mrs. S. J. Small.

The members of the Ladies' Aid held a rummage sale in the Town Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Pettes, of West Brome, and Mr. William Pettes, of Montreal, were guests of their sister, Mrs. F. C. Pettes.

Mrs. H. F. Coffrey Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly, Mrs. Harry Harvey and Mrs. Edward Bracey were in Sherbrooke to attend the annual Assembly meeting of the Rebekahs.

Mrs. Edith Bracey is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Gunter, Mr. Gunter and family in Richmond for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrienne Juneau spent a few days in Shawinigan Falls as the guests of the former's mother and other relatives.

In the report of the Missisquoi-Shefford W.C.T.U. convention, the name of the guest speaker for the afternoon session was unfortunately omitted. Mrs. Rees, of Asholstan, was the speaker and gave a very interesting illustrated talk. The President, Mrs. Blake, thanked Mrs. Rees in behalf of the Union.

Miss Charlesley of Montreal, was a week-end guest of her cousins, Miss C. J. Watson and Mr. J. F. Watson.

The members of All Saints' Guild held a rummage sale in the Town Hall one morning. Afternoon tea was served in the church hall and a home cooking and candy sale in the afternoon.

GOULD

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cowling, of Montreal, were guests of Mrs. Cowling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Morrison, who motored to Montreal with them and remained for a few days with them.

Miss Louise MacKay is at home on a vacation.

Cpl. William O. McKay, R.C.A.F., and Mrs. McKay, of Yorkton, Sask., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Smith. Cpl. McKay has returned to Yorkton, after two weeks' leave spent at his home and with relatives leaving Mrs. McKay for a few months' stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Turnbull, in Brompton.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil MacArthur, their son, John, and Mr. D. MacDonald were in Milan, where they visited Mr. Donald MacArthur, who has been sick for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. MacDonald, their daughter, Marilyn, and son, Gary, were in Sherbrooke as the guests of Mrs. E. J. Westman and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bishop.

The May meeting of the Women's Missionary Society was entertained at Donald's Heights by Miss Margaret MacMillan. Part of the afternoon

Beautiful Blaze



Never again will this Jap fuel boat provide oil for the Nipponese war machine. Allied planes started this conflagration when they caught the vessel in a bay at Timor, in the South Pacific.

was spent in the making of a quilt. Among those who are ill are Miss Dolly Buchanan, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Buchanan; Archie Milloy, who was taken to the Sherbrooke Hospital, and Robert Macdonald, who is confined to his bed, at home.

Mrs. B. Haselton and daughter, Mary, of Beebe, were guests for a week of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wood.

Miss Eleanor Duffy, student at Stanstead College, was at home for a week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Duffy.

Miss Lois Hamilton, of Chambly, was at home for a few days.

Donald MacAskill has gone to Saint John, N.B., accompanied by Mrs. John D. MacIver and her daughter, Sheila.

Miss Louise MacKay is at home on a vacation.

Alex MacLeod has returned from Marlton and is a guest at the MacKay home, North Hill.

Bernard Atkins, of Scottstown is recuperating at the home of Mr. and Mrs. MacRitchie, after a month in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal.

Mrs. Lucy Smith has returned to her home, in Bury.

Mrs. William MacDonald, of Littleton, N.H., spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Flora MacDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil MacArthur were called to Milan on account of the serious illness of Mr. Donald MacArthur. On "Mother's Day" a large bouquet of beautiful roses was placed in Chalmers Church by Mrs. K. N. MacIver.

BULWER

Miss Melba Wheeler entertained the May sewing meeting of the Women's Association at her home.

The first part of the afternoon was taken up with the Women's Missionary programme in charge of Mrs. Basil Prescott. Following this was a business meeting of the Women's Association, at which plans were made to serve supper at the congregational meeting at the Church Hall on May 30. Refreshments were served by Miss Wheeler, assisted by Miss Phyllis Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Williams, of Lennoxville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cummings and two daughters, of Sawyerville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Laberee.

Mrs. John Damon spent several days in Coaticook with relatives.

Miss May Godley, of the Kingsley neighborhood, is spending an indefinite time with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Richardson.

Mrs. R. Ward, of Montreal, and Miss Florence Wheeler, of Sherbrooke, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McLary, at Hatley, and attended the anniversary service at the United Church.

Mr. Rufus Shorten is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Laberee.

Mrs. Hattie Smith was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Williams, in Lennoxville.

Mrs. M. Brett and son, of Valcartier, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Wood.

Master Terry Lowery, of Low Forest, was a guest of his aunt, Mrs. Kenneth Johnston, and Mr. Johnston.

SOUTH DURHAM

A well attended business meeting and social evening in connection with St. James' Church, was held in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Rev. H. C. Denton opened the meeting with prayer and the following committees were appointed: Work Committee: Messrs. Robert E. Woolfrey, Winston H. Duffy and John Bowring; Finance Committee: Messrs. Elmer J. Duffy, Forrest E. Johnston and Mrs. R. C. Griffith. It was decided to re-roof the north side of the church with metal roofing. A donation of \$100 was received at Easter to be used for this purpose. After some discussion it was decided to paint the

MANSONVILLE

Miss Juliette Gendreau and Mr. German Dorais, of Acton Vale, were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adelaire Gendreau.

Miss Betty Eldridge, of St. Johns, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Eldridge.

Mr. Marvin Hamelin, of South Troy, Vt., spent a week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Phyllis Hamelin.

Miss Genevieve Eldridge, of St. Johns, spent a Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon B. Eldridge.

Miss Hazel Meyer spent a week-end in Montreal, where she attended a meeting of the executive of the P. A.P.T.

Mrs. Ernest Hamelin spent a week with her sister in South Bolton.

Mr. Joseph Drouin was a visitor in town.

Mr. Gabriel McDuff, of St. Johns, spent a week-end at his home here.

Raymond Brouillette of the R.C. Navy, spent a week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brouillette.

Miss Ella Brouillette, of Magog, also spent a week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Young, nee Doris Thayer, of Quebec City, are spending a week with Mrs. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Thayer.

Tpr. Sheldon Davis, of Newmarket, Ont., spent a week-end with his mother, Mrs. Melbourne Fuller.

WEST SUTTON

Mrs. Mary Page opened her home on Saturday evening, May 20,

when some seventy-five relatives and friends gathered to help Mr. Raymond Page celebrate his fortieth birthday, which was on May 21.

The evening was spent in dancing and a sing-song. A buffet lunch was served. The beautiful three-tiered birthday cake, decorated in green with green candles, was served by Mrs. Gerald Page. On behalf of those present, Mr. John Dempsey presented Mr. Page with a purse of money. Mr. Page thanked his friends for their gift. He also received several other gifts.

Mrs. Douglas Mudgett and daughter are spending some time at their home in Magog.

Mr. Joseph Marco and son, Arnold, spent a week-end in Cambridge, Vt., as a guest of Mrs. Maud Ploof and Mr. Howard Gilbert.

Mrs. Earl Perkins, of East Dunham, was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Edwin Spencer.

Mr. Dwight Marco, of North Sutton, was calling on Mrs. Charles Perkins.

Mrs. Blanchfield, of Montreal, spent a week-end with Mrs. M. Julius.

Mrs. Edwin Spencer and Mrs. Earl Perkins were tea guests of Mrs. Orpha Goyette.

Misses Donaise and Therese Alard, of Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Leroux and daughters, of Granby, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Meunier.

Mrs. Iona Lacroix and family, of Sutton, were guests of Mrs. Lacroix's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Royce.

Mr. Norman Gilbar, of Sutton, has been assisting his cousin, Mr. Arnold Marco, with his spring work.

Mrs. Desnoyes and son, of Brome,

spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. M. Desnoyes.

Mr. Joseph Marco motored to Sherbrooke for a day.

Mr. Ernest Julius and Misses Mary and Jackie Blanchfield, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. M. Julius.

Miss Doris Judd is spending a few days with Mrs. Fordyce Ingalls, at Dunboro.

Miss Mary Blanchfield, of Montreal, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. Marco and family.

Mr. Allan O'Brien has returned home, after spending several weeks in the Sweetburg Hospital. Friends are sorry to hear that he is not gaining as fast as his many friends would wish.

Messrs. Frank Robinson and Leon Jordan motored to Montreal, where Mr. Jordan purchased a span of horses.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dempsey, Jr., and daughter, Janice, and Mr. and Mrs. James Yeats, of St. Lambert, Miss Jean Dempsey, of Verdun, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Garland, of St. Armand, Mr. Eric Russell and Miss Ida Harvey, of Cowansville, Pte. William Brown, of Petawawa, and Miss Phyllis Short, of West Brome, besides several from Sutton and Farnham's Corner, were in town to attend the birthday party for Mr. Raymond Page.

STANBRIDGE EAST

Stanbridge East is justly proud of another of her sons in Paige Anderson Knight, only son of Mayor and Mrs. E. C. Knight, who has received his commission of Flying Officer in the R.C.A.F. Flying Officer Knight, who before the war was a school teacher, enlisted in the R.C.A.F. at Ottawa, in October, 1940 and proceeded immediately to the Manning Depot. He received training for two years at Yorkton, Sask., and later at Sydney, N.S. He took a course in meteorology at Domine D'Estrel, from whence he received his commission as Pilot Officer. He also spent a short time in the Rivers, Man. In the autumn of 1943, F/O. Knight was posted to the flying school at Victoriaville as instructor. It is from this station that he has now been awarded the commission of F/O.

Master Earle Tough, of Montreal, spent a week-end with his aunt, Mrs. C. E. Deschamps, and Mr. Deschamps.

TRENHOLMVILLE

Messrs. Roy and Wallace Patch, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mastino, Mr. and Mrs.

Grant Davis, of Danville, were also guests at the same home and called on Mr. and Mrs. George Brock and family.

Mrs. Raymond Lampron, of Spooner Pond, and Mrs. E. P. Brock visited AC-2 Everett Lariviere, of Toronto, who was spending a short furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Lariviere, in Kingsley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. MacLeod and two daughters, of Spooner Pond, were guests of Mrs. MacLeod's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Macdonald and Malcolm and Conrad, of Richmond, called on Mr. and Mrs. Melville Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carson and Dorothy and Donald, of Danville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Carson and Mr. Garth Carson.

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Brome Township, \$55,000, \$39,500; Brome Village, \$26,000, \$23,200; East Bolton Municipality, \$9,000, \$9,000; East Farnham Village, \$7,000, \$7,000; East Farnham Township, \$25,000, \$26,250; Eastman Village, \$10,000, \$9,300; Foster Village, \$13,000, \$20,250; Knowlton Village, \$83,000, \$114,700; Potton Township, \$83,000, \$75,700; Sutton Village, \$83,000, \$84,900; Sutton Township, \$48,000, \$30,250; St. Etienne Municipality, \$3,000, \$6,250; West Bolton, \$25,000, \$23,850. St. Etienne Municipality was the first to reach its objective and held top place in the county, having raised \$5,200 on May 3; 100 on May 8; Austin Municipality, with \$15,000, and Knowlton Village with \$83,700 on May 9; Abercorn Village, \$11,400 on May 12; East Farnham Township, \$26,050 on May 15; Sutton Village, \$84,300 on May 16; Adamsville, East Bolton Municipality and East Farnham Village reached their objective. The final report came out on May 19. Subscriptions outside the county were \$70,350.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Poulin, of Waterville, motored to Brome.

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FOR YOUR WANT ADS. PHONE 68

O'Conner, Peggy Ryan In "Chip Off The Old Block"



Scene from "Chip Off The Old Block" at the Granada Theatre.

"Chip Off The Old Block," Universal's latest Donald O'Connor-Peggy Ryan feature, which opens tomorrow at the Granada theatre, is by all odds the best of the lively musicals which have teamed these engaging young personalities. The film is a superior example of movie fare suited for all the family, and was received enthusiastically.

The sensational young O'Connor's star will continue to soar on the strength of performances such as he delivers in "Chip Off The Old Block." He is again the irresponsible American youth with a great capacity for fun and laughter, yet withal possessing of a maturity beyond his years.

For the most part, however, Donald is the clowning, quipping, spirited boy that won him such rapid popularity with film-goers.

Universal continues to demonstrate shrewd judgement in pairing O'Connor with Peggy Ryan, whose rare talents for fast comedy are rivalled only by her nimbleness as an eccentric dancer. Miss Ryan is good entertainment by herself; with O'Connor as a complement she is sure-fire.

Sharing top honors with this pair in "Chip Off The Old Block" is a fetching, 17-year-old newcomer to films, Ann Blyth, signed by Universal after two years' appearance in the stage success, "Watch On The Rhine." Miss Blyth, who provides romantic interest for O'Connor in the film story, makes a notable debut, suffering not at all from the accomplished company in which she finds herself.

Meriting special mention is the initial screen effort of yet another, Joel Kupperman, radio's already-

famous "Quiz Kid." The seven-year-old mathematical marvel is a bundle of uninhibited boy, and was wisely allowed to play himself before the cameras.

Featured supporting players are unusually well cast, including such able cinema troupers as Helen Vinson, Helen Broderick, Arthur Treacher, Patric Knowles, J. Edward Bromberg, Ernest Truex, Minna Gombell, Samuel S. Hinds and Irving Bacon.

OBITUARIES

HERBERT JOHN SMITH, THEFTOF MINES

Thetford Mines, May 27.—There entered into rest at St. Joseph's Hospital, Thetford Mines, on May 23, Herbert John Smith, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Smith, in his twenty-eighth year.

The deceased was born in Clapham, Quebec, where he resided until 1926, then moving to Thetford Mines. He was a graduate of the Thetford Mines High School, and was employed in the purchasing department of the Johnson's Company for some time. While in their employ he was stricken with a serious ailment and was confined to the St. Agathe Hospital for five years. On his return from the hospital he was re-employed with the company, and suffered a heart attack on May 13, from which he never recovered.

Mr. Smith leaves to mourn his loss his mother, Mrs. Edwin Smith; four brothers, Thomas, Donald and

"Texas" Opens As Main Attraction At New Premier Theatre Tomorrow



Breathtaking action, spectacular stampees and awesome gun fights, a superb cast and a stirring written story all combine to provide sensational entertainment at the Premier Theatre, where Columbia's "Texas" opens tomorrow. The film was directed by George Marshall and costars William Holden, Claire Trevor and Glenn Ford, with a splendid supporting cast which includes George Bancroft, Edgar Buchanan, Don Beddoe and Willard Robertson.

A story of the old West, when Texas cattlemen were struggling to bring their herds through bandit-ridden country at Abilene, Kansas, railroad and shipping point to the markets of the East and the North, "Texas" packs more swift action, more tense adventure and more edge-of-the-seat excitement than any three such pictures in recent years. And that goes even for direct-to-George Marshall's redoubtable "When the Daltons Rode" and "Desire Rides Again!"

Holden is seen as a member of the

renegade band which attempts to prevent the ranchers from going through; Ford is the leader of an immense cattle drive, which provides a major highlight in a film filled with major highlights. Friends, and former Civil War buddies, the two are rivals for the affection of Miss Trevor, who appears as a fighting vixen. Honors are about equally divided in the matter of "Texas." Director, cast, story, background, camera work — all are good!

Broadway, Miami, Washington, London, or Paris, if the elements for excitement and adventure were there, there too was the Lone Wolf. An now with war raging on many fronts, it is not surprising to find him in Alexandria, stalking enemy agents through the leering shadows of the Pharaohs' tombs. For the ancient city is the Mecca of spies, and the world mart for the purchase and sale of military information, according to "Passport to Suez," which brings its stimulating story of behind-the-scenes espionage to the Premier Theatre tomorrow.

William, all of Thetford Mines, and service Overseas with the Royal Canadian Engineers; three sisters-in-law, three nephews and four nieces.

Funeral services were held in the St. John's Church, conducted by Rev. M. H. W. Seeley, hymns sung during the service were "Lead Kindly Light," "Let Saints on Earth" and "Abide With Me." Interment was in the Christ Church Cemetery.

TELES ROY, ROCK ISLAND

Rock Island, May 27.—After a long illness, borne with remarkable patience and resignation, Teles Roy passed away at his home, Railroad Street, Rock Island, Saturday forenoon, May 6.

He farmed as long as his health permitted, an occupation which he enjoyed greatly, being, we might say, extremely fond of domestic animals.

The surviving members of his family are his wife, the former Katie Clark of Compton; a daughter, Mrs. J. R. Bouchard, of Concord, Vt.; a son, Edward, of Gilman, Vt.; two grandsons, Maurice and Bernard Bouchard; also a great-granddaughter, Patricia Ann Bouchard; two brothers and two sisters, and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held at the Church of Our Lady of Mercy on Monday, and burial was in Mount St. Mary's Cemetery, beside his daughter, Evalina, who passed on in 1920.

PTE. ARLINGTON NEEDHAM

Georgeville, May 27.—The funeral service of Pte. Arlington Needham Dustin, third son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dustin, was held in St. George's Church, at Georgeville, on May 17th.

Pte. Dustin had been training at the Motordrome Barracks in Montreal, and contracted a severe cold, with complications. He spent three weeks in a military hospital in Longueuil, then was sent to the Ste. Anne de Bellevue Hospital, where specialists decided that he should be removed to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, but to no avail, and death came on May 14th.

Arlington Needham Dustin was born on December 16th, 1915, at

Way's Mills, and was in his twenty-ninth year.

The funeral services were taken at the house by the Magog Legion Branch, and prayers by Rev. Mr. McLaren. Eight fellow workers and chums from the Motordrome Barracks were in attendance. Afterwards the cortege wended its way to St. George's Church, where the service was held. Messrs. J. Cochrane, D. Ramage, William Merchant, P. Dixon, R. Jones and James Parker acted as bearers.

The deceased leaves to mourn his loss his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dustin; two sisters, Mrs. R. E. Stinchman and Miss Eunice Dustin; four brothers, Rfmn. J. C. Dustin, Merton, Allison and Hubert; a brother-in-law, Pte. R. E. Stinchman, Overseas, and a little niece, Rosaline Stinchman; besides aunts, uncles and cousins, and many friends.

The burial was made in the Hatley Cemetery, beside his two brothers, Basil and Wilbert. William McKenna had charge of the funeral arrangements. Many lovely flowers were placed on the casket, among them a beautiful wreath from the Canadian Engineers, and Pioneer Company, of which he was a member in Montreal.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral were Rfmn. J. C. Dustin, of Niagara, Ont.; Miss Eunice Dustin, of Sherbrooke; Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Smith, Frank and Harold Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Smith, Mr. and Mrs. David Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davidson, Goldwyn and Liora Davidson and Mrs. Gray, of Libbytown; Mrs. Agnes Smith and Miss Gladys Smith, of Burroughs Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus B. Dustin, of Ayer's Cliff.

ISLAND BROOK

Miss Lilla Kerr has returned home after caring for Senator R. H. Pope, of Cookshire, for a year until the time of his death.

FIVE GAME BILL FOR WEEK-END BASEBALL

Local Baseball Outfit Hits Road For Week-End Series

The Provincial Baseball League swings into its second week-end tomorrow with all five teams in the circuit taking a crack at increasing their averages.

The home team, Notre Dame of Sherbrooke, hits the road. The locals have acquired the wanderlust and think it wise to display their wares in various other cities of the province—to be exact, Three Rivers and Drummondville.

With their heads up in the air as a result of their 4-1 victory over Three Rivers at the Park Avenue Stadium last Sunday, the Sherbrooke boys take a jaunt to Three Rivers for a return engagement with the Trifolians. A good brand of ball was presented at the local stadium on Sunday last and Three Rivers fans may look forward with expectancy to tomorrow afternoon's game in their own home town.

After wearing themselves out tomorrow afternoon, the Sherbrooke boys continue their tour of the country by visiting Drummondville for a night game. Drummondville has so far tied one game and lost another. Drawing 1-1 with Acton Vale last Sunday, the Drummondville squad returned to its home town the same day to absorb an 8-7 trimming at the hands of Victoriaville. So the cards seemed to be stacked against Drummondville, which incidentally is the seat of government of the Provincial League. After scoring the first run at Acton Vale, the headquarters lads were cheated out of a win by Acton Vale tying the game up as late as the seventh inning—a heart-breaking affair to say the least. However, the Drummondville team is determined to at last get started with a win over Sherbrooke. The Sherbrooke boys don't like this idea and are going to do their best to make sure that this little scheme of Drummondville's doesn't come off.

At present, the local lads are tied for first place in the league with Victoriaville. However, take it for what it's worth—the season is still very young; as a matter of fact, in its infancy.

But the Sherbrooke games are not all tomorrow. There is also a double-header at Victoriaville. Acton Vale, Drummondville's kill-joy, takes a crack at Victoriaville, another Drummondville nemesis. This will probably be the most closely contested game of the day, for if anyone is to judge baseball by statistics, these two teams are very evenly matched. Both squads had a hard time with Drummondville, with Victoriaville coming out a little bit better than Acton Vale. However, this may have been a little luck for Victoriaville and be no indication of the comparative strength of the two rosters.

These two Provincial towns seem to be able to field aggregations consisting of as good players as the larger cities, such as Sherbrooke and Three Rivers, can produce. Although neither of these teams have met the local, or the Trifolians, the league is considered by those in the know to be very evenly balanced and much stronger than the other.

After the week-end's hectic flurry is over, the league settles down to a normal existence for five whole days until Saturday night when the first week-end game is to be played. In this engagement, Sherbrooke plays its first game with the seemingly powerful Victoriaville squad at Victoriaville. However, it's no use predicting what effect the Provincial League had gone over in the towns on opening days last Sunday. There are rumors that if the same success is contained throughout the towns, the circuit executive may pack more games into the schedule and give fans more than games only once a week. However, this is only a rumor.

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Representing Sherbrooke in the Y's Men's second annual annual meet today are students from St. Patrick's Academy and the Sherbrooke High School.

From St. Pat's, only five boys are entered in the events. Brother Joseph, sports director at the Academy, stated last night. Four of the boys are to compete in the Midget class. They are Ronnie O'Keefe, who is to enter all events in the Midget class except the high jump, Gaston Genron, entered in the high jump and the relay; Lawrence McDonough, in the relay; and Horace Lecours, competing in the broad jump, the relay and the 50-yard dash.

St. Pat's has only one man entered in the junior class. He is Marcel Leveque. He will compete for broad jump honors.

The Irish Academy has had its ranks of athletes easily depleted by enlistments and graduations. Gerry Irwin, a former standout in field events, is now in the Royal Canadian Air Force, while Denhardt Vincent, one of St. Pat's best trackmen, is unable to enter the competition this year.

The Sherbrooke High School, on the other hand, again has a large number of entrants in the track meet. The High School has seventeen boys participating in the track and field classic.

In the Senior class, five students are competing. They are Mac Sanders, Charlie Budning, Harold Pye, Allan Drake and Ross Hunting. Mac Sanders, one of the High School's leading track stars, is debuting at the shot put this year, besides competing in the 220-yd., the 440-yd., the 880-yd., the 880-yd. relay and the

mile relay. Harold Pye is trying for shot put honors only, while Charlie Budning is entered in the broad jump, the pole vault, the 100-yard dash and the 880-yd. relay. Allan Drake is trying his hand at the 880-yd. relay while Ross Hunting is participating in the 100-yd. dash, the 220-yd., the mile relay, the 880-yd. relay and the broad jump.

Earl "Skip" Fidler, Bill Bascom, Ted Boduch and Stewart Roberts are representing S.H.S. in the Intermediate class. "Skip" Fidler is in the 100-yd. dash, the 220-yd., the 880-yd. relay and the mile relay, while Bill Bascom is in the 440-yd., the 880-yd., the 880-yd. relay and the mile relay. Ted Boduch competes in the discus, the shot put, the broad jump and the 880-yd. relay, with Stewart Roberts entered in the 220-yd. and the 880-yd. relay.

In the Junior class, the High School is represented by C. Ross, A. Kinkaid, Fraser Smith and G. Paul-ette. J. Connor, D. Stewart and E. Lavallee.

The Senior age is 17-18, Intermediates 15-16, Juniors 13-14 and the Middlets, under 12.

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TORONTO LEAFS TAKE 5-3 WIN OVER RED WINGS

By The Canadian Press
A ninth-inning rally by Rochester Red Wings fell short last night and the Maple Leafs scored a 5-3 win at Toronto over the International Baseball league leaders.

The victory was the second over Red Wings in two nights for Toronto and their fifth on home grounds this week, having won three games earlier over Buffalo Bisons.

At Baltimore, Sam Lowry won a tight mound duel from Ken Miller as the Orioles scored a 4-2 victory over Jersey City to win the odd game of their current series.

The outfielders put in a busy evening, aggregating 19 putouts. At Montreal the Royals got even with the Buffalo Bisons by giving them a 10-3 pasting to tie the current series at one game apiece. The Royals combed Red Eaton and his successor, Mike Roscoe for a total of 13 hits, including four doubles, a triple and Red Durrett's fifth homer of the season.

Rochester . . . 000 000 003—3 9 1
Toronto . . . 000 010 31x—5 8 0
Gardner, Sakas (8) and Malone; Knerr and Williams.

Jersey City . . . 000 100 010—2 5 3
Baltimore . . . 000 011 11x—4 6 2
Miller and Comiskey, Demma (8); Lowry and Devlin.

Buffalo . . . 000 000 000—3 9 3
Montreal . . . 000 035 11x—10 13 2
Eaton, Roscoe (5) and Miller; Warren, Zachary (4) and Andrews.

St. Louis . . . 000 000 000—3 5 3
Newark . . . 000 000 50x—12 0 0
Kostany, Coffman (8) and Plantz, Yovanovich (8).

YESTERDAY'S GAMES
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Montreal 10, Buffalo 3.
Toronto 5, Rochester 3.
Newark 3, Syracuse 3.
Baltimore 4, Jersey City 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Pittsburgh 7, Boston 5.
Chicago 9, Philadelphia 1.
St. Louis 5, Brooklyn 3.
Cincinnati 4, New York 3.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Washington 5, Cleveland 3.
Philadelphia 3, Detroit 0.
New York 4, Chicago 0.
Boston 4, St. Louis 2.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Buffalo at Montreal.
Rochester at Toronto, double-header.

Syracuse at Newark.
Jersey City at Baltimore.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Chicago at Boston.
St. Louis at New York.
Washington at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Detroit.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

WHERE THEY PLAY TOMORROW
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Toronto at Montreal.
Rochester at Buffalo.
Syracuse at Jersey City.

National League
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Boston.

St. Louis at New York.
Washington at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Detroit.
New York at Chicago.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
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INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
STANDING
Won Lost P.C.
Toronto . . . 15 10 .563
Syracuse . . . 15 12 .556
Buffalo . . . 15 12 .556
Rochester . . . 17 14 .548
Montreal . . . 15 15 .500
Jersey City . . . 13 14 .481
Baltimore . . . 11 14 .440
Newark . . . 9 15 .369

NATIONAL LEAGUE
STANDING
Won Lost P.C.
St. Louis . . . 22 9 .710
Pittsburgh . . . 17 11 .607
Cincinnati . . . 15 12 .556
Philadelphia . . . 13 15 .464
Boston . . . 15 20 .429
New York . . . 13 18 .419
Brooklyn . . . 13 18 .419
Chicago . . . 10 18 .357

AMERICAN LEAGUE
STANDING
Won Lost P.C.
New York . . . 18 10 .643
St. Louis . . . 19 16 .543
Washington . . . 18 14 .563
Philadelphia . . . 17 15 .531
Boston . . . 15 17 .469
Detroit . . . 15 19 .441
Chicago . . . 13 19 .419
Cleveland . . . 14 20 .412

INGERSOLL RAND FORMS 4-TEAM SOFTBALL LOOP

A plant softball league has been organized at the Canadian Ingersoll Rand in which four teams are to compete. The teams are the Foundry, No. 2 shop, No. 3 Shop, and the General Office.

The election of officers for the league was held with the following slate being named to office: Honorary President, G. M. Young, Jack Hillman; 1st Vice-President, Paul Lavoie; 2nd Vice-President, Miss Muriel Mandigro; Secretary-Treasurer, Stan Lothrop; Asst. Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Maye Pelets.

The captains of the various teams are as follows: Foundry—R. Gaunter; No. 2 Shop—R. Bailey; No. 3 Shop—A. Hartley; and the General Office—Harry Connor.

As soon as the schedule for the summer is drawn up, it will be published in this paper.

The formation of a girls' softball league is also planned and is expected to take definite shape in the near future.

Verban And Hopp Keep Cards Strong Down Through Middle; Cooper Is Set For Big Season

By BILLY SOUTHWORTH
Manager of Cardinals

Emil Verban has turned in as smooth a job of fielding around second base for the Cardinals as I have seen in many a day. Verban has really added strength to that key position, giving us the strongest infield in baseball at the moment.

Johnny Hopp got away to an early start. The versatile Nebraskan has his well and covers centre field like a canvas.

Verban and Hopp would be tremendous assets under any conditions. They have kept the St. Louis club strong down through the middle, which is where baseball ability counts most. With Martin Marion, The Octopus, at shortstop and teaming with a skilled hand like Verban, the Red Birds have nothing to worry about in the territory where the ball is handled the greatest number of times.

Max Lanier has taken full advantage of his remarkable stuff from the outset, and big Mort Cooper hopped to the winning side with good weather. The man from Missouri should be the same brilliant pitcher he has been the past two campaigns.

I have been very favorably impressed with the keen competition and high standard of play exhibited by all the National League clubs. The weather was not so favorable for the best of conditioning, but, generally speaking, I am happy to report this could not be detected by the performances of the clubs.

Chicago . . . 002 000 120—9 13 0
Philadelphia . . . 000 001 000—1 9 2
Derrin and Holm Gerhauser, Covington (8), Donahue (8) and Finley.

St. Louis . . . 101 000 120—5 8 1
Brooklyn . . . 000 004 000—3 7 3
Lanier, Jurisich (7) and W. Cooper; Gregg, Webber (8) and Brahan.

Pittsburgh . . . 010 000 30—7 7 0
Boston . . . 000 02 110—5 12 0
Rose, Rescigno (7), Sewell (8) and Lopez; Andrews, Hutchinson (7), Klipp (9) and Klutz.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Philadelphia Athletics continued yesterday to cool off the once red-hot Tigers at Detroit, winning 3-2 behind the pitching of Bobo Newsom and Jittery Joe Berry for their third straight American League victory. It was Detroit's 12th home defeat in 13 games and sixth in succession.

Newsom blanked his former mates for eight innings but was removed after passing the first two batters in the ninth. The Tigers then broke through for two runs after 17 scoreless innings before Berry stamped out the rally. Newsom lost to Detroit on two unearned runs last week.

At Cleveland, Washington Senators staged two uprisings, one a 13th-inning stand, to defeat Indians 5-3, chalking up their third consecutive triumph over the last-place Clevelanders.

Philadelphia . . . 201 000 000—3 9 1
Detroit . . . 000 000 002—2 8 1
Newsom, Berry (9) and Hayes; Trout and Swift.

Washington . . . 000 003 000 000—2—5 13 1
Cleveland . . . 000 200 100 000—3 10 2
Wynn and Ferrell, Guerra (19); Kennedy, Heving (8) Reynolds (9) and Rosar.

BASEBALL'S BIG SIX
G. A. B. R. H. P. C.
Walker, Dodgers . . . 31 122 19 52 .426
Tucker, White Sox . . . 21 85 15 34 .395
Musial, Cardinals . . . 34 110 22 41 .373
Bordagaray, Dodgers . . . 29 120 27 42 .350
Medwick, Giants . . . 26 103 18 36 .350
Hostetter, Tigers . . . 28 80 9 28 .350
Etten, Yankees . . . 27 92 14 32 .348

Runs batted in: National League: Schultz, Dodgers, 33; American League: Taber, Red Sox, 23.
Home runs: National League: Schultz, Dodgers, 6; American League: Hayes, Athletics, Seery, Indians, 6.

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Max Lanier, seeking his seventh victory of the National League season, held Brooklyn scoreless until the sixth. Then with two on and two out, Gilbert English smashed a home run to account for all Brooklyn's runs.

At Philadelphia, Chicago Cubs removed the jinx formerly held over them by Lefty Al Gerhauser in routing the Phillies 9-1 for their sixth successive victory.

The Phillies escaped a shutout when Jimmy Wasdell and Charlie Letchias doubled in the sixth inning.

At Boston, two pinch hitters came through for Frankie Frisch and their successful efforts enabled the Pittsburgh Pirates to defeat the Braves 7-5 in the rubber contest of a three-game series.

In the eighth, Hutchinson walked both Tom O'Brien, who replaced Russel and Elliott and Frank Coleman, batting for Gustine, drove a home run for what proved the winning run.

National
Chicago . . . 002 000 120—9 13 0
Philadelphia . . . 000 001 000—1 9 2
Derrin and Holm Gerhauser, Covington (8), Donahue (8) and Finley.

St. Louis . . . 101 000 120—5 8 1
Brooklyn . . . 000 004 000—3 7 3
Lanier, Jurisich (7) and W. Cooper; Gregg, Webber (8) and Brahan.

Pittsburgh . . . 010 000 30—7 7 0
Boston . . . 000 02 110—5 12 0
Rose, Rescigno (7), Sewell (8) and Lopez; Andrews, Hutchinson (7), Klipp (9) and Klutz.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Philadelphia Athletics continued yesterday to cool off the once red-hot Tigers at Detroit, winning 3-2 behind the pitching of Bobo Newsom and Jittery Joe Berry for their third straight American League victory. It was Detroit's 12th home defeat in 13 games and sixth in succession.

Newsom blanked his former mates for eight innings but was removed after passing the first two batters in the ninth. The Tigers then broke through for two runs after 17 scoreless innings before Berry stamped out the rally. Newsom lost to Detroit on two unearned runs last week.

At Cleveland, Washington Senators staged two uprisings, one a 13th-inning stand, to defeat Indians 5-3, chalking up their third consecutive triumph over the last-place Clevelanders.

Philadelphia . . . 201 000 000—3 9 1
Detroit . . . 000 000 002—2 8 1
Newsom, Berry (9) and Hayes; Trout and Swift.

Washington . . . 000 003 000 000—2—5 13 1
Cleveland . . . 000 200 100 000—3 10 2
Wynn and Ferrell, Guerra (19); Kennedy, Heving (8) Reynolds (9) and Rosar.

BASEBALL'S BIG SIX
G. A. B. R. H. P. C.
Walker, Dodgers . . . 31 122 19 52 .426
Tucker, White Sox . . . 21 85 15 34 .395
Musial, Cardinals . . . 34 110 22 41 .373
Bordagaray, Dodgers . . . 29 120 27 42 .350
Medwick, Giants . . . 26 103 18 36 .350
Hostetter, Tigers . . . 28 80 9 28 .350
Etten, Yankees . . . 27 92 14 32 .348

Runs batted in: National League: Schultz, Dodgers, 33; American League: Taber, Red Sox, 23.
Home runs: National League: Schultz, Dodgers, 6; American League: Hayes, Athletics, Seery, Indians, 6.

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