

## GERMAN COUNTER-ATTACKS HALT ALLIED DRIVE

### Local Success Registered By Enemy At Tunis

German and Italian Forces Suffer Heavy Losses in Making Temporary Gains at Tunis-Bizerte—Allies Intensify Efforts to Drive Enemy into Sea or to Ultimate Disaster.

Allied Headquarters, North Africa, May 1.—(P)—Germans and Italians held their positions in a slowly shrinking arc around the Tunis-Bizerte area in North Africa today by dint of violent counter-attacks which stalled off British and United States pressure along a 140-mile front.

Local successes fell to the enemy and to the Allied forces, but the Axis armies paid heavily for their gains.

The Axis command threw tanks and infantry into the struggle at recently gained British, American and French positions, but almost all these thrusts were fended back by Allied fighting men in heavy contacts.

While territorial changes remained small, fighting was at the bloodiest pitch of the Tunisian campaign to date as Allied troops sought to drive the enemy into the sea or to ultimate disaster.

(The threat of an Allied naval blow at the perilous line of Axis retreat to the European continent via Italy and nearby islands loomed as the Berlin radio reported an enormous concentration of Allied naval strength moving through the Gibraltar bottle-neck toward the East. The report was not confirmed by Allied sources.)

The heaviest weight of the Axis ground attack in North Africa—at Djebel Bou Aoukaz, on the heights above the level plain leading down to Tunis—was met by strong blows from the British 1st Army, which generally maintained its positions. An American contingent to the North beat off successive heavy counter-attacks, and field dispatches placed them within three miles of Lake Achkel—about 20 miles Southwest of Bizerte.

North of Sidi N'Sir, a bit to the South of the Achkel sector, American troops threatened the Axis forces with an outflanking movement as they moved forward, compelling an enemy withdrawal on the Djebel Anntra.

In the Jefna sector, about halfway between the Achkel and N'Sir regions, Allied troops made some progress through the rocky, mountainous country. The Berlin radio in a broadcast reported by the Office of War Information last night said the Axis had established a "neutral zone" in Tunisia to protect the Bay of Tunis and that the Allies were expected to respect the area by refraining from air raids there. The zone included the present residence of the Bay near Tunis harbor. The broadcast said the zone "will not be used for quartering of fighting forces of the Axis" or for purposes of transport.

### United States Finally Concludes All Relationships With Martinique

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON, Associated Press Staff Writer. Washington, May 1.—(P)—The United States has broken off relations with Martinique and the United States navy is watching developments in the island territory—only segment of the once-vast French colonial empire which is not under the Axis heel and yet remains aloof from the war.

Navy Secretary Frank Knox, speaking late yesterday several hours after State Secretary Cordell Hull had announced the abrogation of informal agreements with Martinique, declined to indicate what the next American move would be, but observed:

"We have representatives right there in Martinique." Knox explained that the navy has "always had observation" at the island. He told a press conference there is no special patrol of American warships around the island, but explained that Martinique lies amid America's Caribbean defenses where ships and planes constantly operate. Hull, in a blistering note to the French High Commissioner, Admiral Georges Robert, said the United States will not continue to "recognize or negotiate with any French

### QUEBEC CHEESE RESTRICTIONS

Ottawa, May 1.—(P)—On and after May 10 all cheddar cheese manufactured in Ontario and Quebec must be white and unwaxed, not less than 14 1/2 inches in diameter and seventy-five pounds in weight, under an order of the Dairy Products Board announced by the Agriculture Department.

The order is similar to one made effective in 1941 and retained for some months in that year. The purpose is to ensure that cheese produced in line with British requirements for white, unwaxed cheese. Canada plans to supply 150,000,000 pounds of cheese to the United Kingdom in the year ending March 31, 1944.

### Harry Nixon Overwhelming Choice For Ontario Liberal Leadership

Toronto, May 1.—(P)—Ontario Liberals today looked to Harry Nixon as their standard-bearer in the political life of the Province.

The fifty-three-year-old Brant County farmer was selected party leader on the first ballot yesterday as the Liberal Provincial Convention closed its two-day gathering. The balloting gave the former provincial secretary a clear-cut majority over his three opponents—418 of a possible 582 votes.

Coupled with the leadership election were exhortations by party stalwarts for unity of thought and action with Federal Liberalism and an end to internal differences.

Former Premier Mitchell Hepburn, who long ago broke with the Federal administration of Prime Minister Mackenzie King, was not present at the convention. It was Mr. Hepburn's resignation as Premier last October—when Hon. Gordon Conant took over the Government leadership—that ultimately brought about the party convention.

Mr. Nixon's opponents in the voting were Arthur Roebuck, former Ontario Attorney-General and now Member of the Federal House for Toronto Trinity; Hon. T. B. McQuesten, Minister of Highways, and Walter Thomson of Toronto, making his first bid for political office.

The Canadian press unofficial count of the vote showed: Nixon, 418; Roebuck, 85; McQuesten, 49; Thomson, 22.

Charles Cox, M.P.P. for Port

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### DENIES PRICE CEILING HALTS WOOD TRAFFIC

Quebec Prices and Trade Board Director Says Labor Shortage and Hard Winter Causing Famine.

Quebec, May 1.—(P)—Louis Philippe Piamondon, Regional Director of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, protested in a statement issued here yesterday against assertions that the current price ceiling on firewood was responsible for the shortage of fuel in Quebec City.

"For the past two months we have tried to have fuel wood transported to Quebec at any price," he said, adding that a labor shortage plus a rigorous winter and transportation difficulties were the main reasons for a shortage.

He assured the public that all necessary measures would be taken to avoid a similar shortage next fall.

Meanwhile, Mayor Lucien Borne told the City Council that according to a report prepared by Municipal Investigator J. A. Pacy, only 27,000 of the required 80,000 cords of firewood will be available this spring.

The report said that the cost of a cord of wood coming from surrounding municipalities averaged \$6.51 and that the wood dealer in the city cannot sell his merchandise higher than \$8.00 a cord, leaving little margin for expenses and profits.

### JAP PATROL ON GUADALCANAL IS WIPED OUT

United States Authorities Fail to Reveal How Japanese Patrol of Nine Men Remained on Island.

Washington, May 1.—(P)—A Japanese patrol of one officer and eight men attempting to escape from Guadalcanal Island in the South Pacific was intercepted and destroyed by American troops Wednesday, the Navy reported yesterday.

A communique, relating this incident, told also of continuing aerial attacks from Guadalcanal against Japanese bases in the Solomon Islands with destruction wrought on anti-aircraft positions, piers, runways and the like.

The interception of the enemy patrol in the vicinity of Beaufort Bay, twenty-five miles Southwest of Guadalcanal, resulted in the first reported land skirmish in many weeks on the once embattled island.

What the Japanese patrol was doing on Guadalcanal was not disclosed. It might have been a group of recent Moscow assertions that the Japanese left hidden in the mountains after organized enemy resistance ceased February 9, or it might have been a fresh fighting unit put ashore from a submarine or small boat to reconnoitre American installations and defence positions.

The air raids reported in the official bulletin covered activities of Thursday which began with an attack by Flying Fortresses on the Japanese air base at Kahili in the Shortland Island area of the North-western Solomons. Poor visibility prevented observation of results.

Subsequently, Avenger torpedo bombers and Dauntless dive bombers with Lightning and Corsair fighters hit enemy installations at Gatera on the Southwest coast of Kolombangara Island in the central Solomons. An anti-aircraft position and a pier were destroyed.

In the afternoon torpedo and dive bombers with fighter protection started a fire at Pelpeli, two miles Northwest of Gatera, and a similar air striking group with Wildcat fighter protection hit directly at Munda, blasting the enemy's runway, the reversion area and an anti-aircraft position.

All American planes returned safely from these missions. The communique made no report of operations against Kiska Island in the North Pacific.

### Canada And Great Britain Share Responsibility For Modernized North Atlantic Air Sea Convoys

By C. R. BLACKBURN, Canadian Press Staff Writer. Ottawa, May 1.—(P)—A streamlined, mile-by-mile protection of the North Atlantic convoy route to the United Kingdom was announced yesterday, with Canada and Great Britain sharing the responsibility.

A joint statement by Navy Minister Macdonald, and Air Minister Power outlined new convoy plans by which the Canadian and British navies, with air co-operation, propose to protect "every mile of the route from North America to Europe."

With this new attack upon the U-boat problem left entirely in the hands of the two Empire forces the United States, while co-operating with ships and aircraft, will retain "strategic responsibility" for the Western Atlantic, including escort operations for non-British convoys.

This was taken to mean that while the trade convoy route across the North Atlantic would be a joint Canadian-British responsibility, the United States would direct any strategic operations necessitated by enemy naval thrusts in the Western Atlantic and by local American convoys.

Outcome of a recent conference in Washington between British, Canadian and American naval and air authorities, the new anti-submarine plan includes the following features:

1.—Canada and Great Britain have assumed complete charge of trade convoys from Northwest Atlantic ports to the United Kingdom.

2.—The United States retains "strategic responsibility" for the Western Atlantic "including escort operations not related to British convoys and local Canadian traffic."

3.—Read Admiral L. W. Murray, R.C.N., commanding officer, Atlantic Coast, for the navy since September, 1942, has been appointed commander-in-chief, Canadian Northwest Atlantic—abbreviated "C-in-C, C.N.A.A."

4.—Air Vice-Marshal George Johnson, Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief of Eastern Air Command, will direct anti-submarine operations of new, long-range Canadian and American machines patrolling to mid-Atlantic.

5.—British bombers will take over in mid-Atlantic, thus establishing an air "umbrella" over the entire Atlantic route, co-operating with naval escorts.

6.—A single naval control, like

that exercised by Rear Admiral Murray, will be operated by the Royal Navy, with air co-operation, covering the Western approaches to Europe.

Canadian naval units, which have already carried a large share of the Atlantic escort burden, will have little change in their duties but their efforts will be more efficiently applied and there are more of them available now for this work.

United States escort vessels will continue to share in the task, under direction of Rear Admiral Murray, and United States air units stationed in Newfoundland will continue to carry on their anti-submarine tasks under direction of Air Vice-Marshal Johnson.

Dusk attacks by powerful, stalking U-boats have been most dangerous to convoys. The Ministers expressed belief that the new and continuous air patrol will render this form of hunting less successful.

Wing Cmdr. C. L. Annis, who was awarded the O.B.E. in the last New Year's honors list for his anti-submarine operations, has been posted to Eastern Air Command to take charge of the long-range bombing squadrons.

In the fall of 1941 Wing Cmdr. Annis made the first R.C.A.F. attack on an enemy submarine in waters patrolled by Canadian air units.

At the conference in Washington where the plans were recently completed, the Royal Canadian Navy was represented by Rear Admiral V. G. Brodeur, Naval Member of the Canadian Joint Staff at Washington; Capt. H. N. Lay, Capt. H. G. DeWolfe and Capt. W. B. Creery.

The conference was under chairmanship of Admiral Ernest J. King, Commander-in-Chief of the United States Fleet.

British officers attending were Vice-Admiral Sir Henry Moore of the British Admiralty, and Air Vice-Marshal A. Durston of the R.A.F. Coastal Command.

Canadian air officers present at the conference were Air Vice-Marshal N. R. Anderson, Air Member for Air Staff; Group Captain M. Costello, Deputy Air Member for Air Staff (Operations); Air Vice-Marshal G. V. Walsh, Air Member for the Canadian Joint Staff at Washington and his senior staff officer, Group Capt. A. L. James; and Group Capt. A. P. Campbell, Senior Air Staff Officer at Eastern Air Command.

### Russia Again Rejects Dealings With Sikorski Group In London

By WADE WERNER, Associated Press Staff Writer.

Washington, May 1.—(P)—Renewed Russian rejection of the Polish Government in London headed by Gen. Wladyslaw Sikorski was sounded here today—but the door was left wide open for the Poles to form a new, Soviet-supported regime which need not be in Moscow.

The Soviet Embassy's Information Bulletin published full texts of recent Moscow assertions that the Sikorski group in London is unauthorized to speak for the Polish people. But an Embassy spokesman simultaneously warned against speculation that a substitute Russian-recognized regime would soon

be set up in the shadow of the Kremlin.

The texts, however, left no doubt that Moscow would not recognize any regime it regarded as "reactionary" and representing the interests of "magnates and landowners." The case against the Sikorski Government is stated at some length in an article originally published by Izvestia, official organ of the Soviet Government, and given additional emphasis by official republication here.

The article expressed confidence that the Soviet Government will make it possible for Poles in Russia

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### EXEMPTIONS IN RESERVE ARMY TIGHTENED UP

All Members of Reserve Army Lower Than Warrant Officer (Class Two) Now Subject to Call-Up.

Ottawa, May 1.—(P)—Defence headquarters announced last night that all privates and non-commissioned officers serving in the Canadian (Reserve) Army now are subject to call for active service if they hold a rank lower than that of Warrant Officer (second class).

Privates and non-commissioned officers below the rank of WO.2 now may be discharged from the Reserve Army and ordered to report for training if they are found eligible.

The headquarters statement said the provision of selective service mobilization regulations that no order for medical examination shall be sent to non-commissioned officers of the Reserve Army holding a rank above that of corporal, except by consent of headquarters, has been cancelled insofar as it concerns an N.C.O. of a rank lower than WO.2.

The announcement added this order will affect only a small number of N.C.O.'s of the Reserve Army, as most of those eligible for active service and not employed in essential industries have already enlisted.

Beat the Axis to the punch—Buy a Victory Bond at once. BUY A VICTORY BOND!

### Stalin Intimates Allied Attack On Western Continent Imminent

### HEAVY DEMAND UNDERWAY FOR DURUM WHEAT

Canadian Farmers Expect to Have Little Durum Wheat Available as Result of Restrictions Removal.

Ottawa, May 1.—(P)—Prairie farmers with 800,000,000 bushels of wheat, oats and barley held on their farms are expected to scrape their bins clear of one grain—Durum wheat—before the end of the current crop year next July 31, Agriculture authorities said.

Durum wheat was placed in a different category from other types of wheat by the Federal Government on March 29, when Trade Minister MacKinnon announced that restrictions on its marketing had been removed. Durum is used in the making of macaroni and allied products which are in demand for both military and civilian use, especially as a meat substitute.

"The removal of marketing restrictions and the higher price being paid for Durum wheat relative to other spring wheats is expected to bring out the maximum amount of Durum wheat available on farms this season," the Dominion Bureau of Statistics said in a review of the wheat situation.

The price of Durum wheat gained sharply on the Northern spring grades during March and the average price of No. 1 amber Durum was \$1.15 1/4 compared with an average of 97 1/8 cents a bushel for No. 1 Northern, both basis in store at Port William.

### GERMAN NEWS REPORTER IN STOCKHOLM CLAIMED TO HAVE KILLED SELF

New York, May 1.—(P)—The B.B.C. said that Dr. Max Stiffler, Deutsches Nachrichtenbüro correspondent in Stockholm, had shot himself and that he had been "recently ordered to return to Germany."

The broadcast was recorded here by the C.B.S. yesterday.

D.S.M. FOR CABIN BOYS. Liverpool, May 1.—(P)—Two cabin boys, Terrance Carragh and Arthur Sproston, have been awarded the Distinguished Service Medal, for pluck and determination during a voyage to Russia.

### Entire United States Coal Mining Industry Is Virtually Paralyzed

Production in Eighty-Five Per Cent of Bituminous Mines and All Anthracite Pits Suspended as Miners Refuse to Return to Work Without Contract—Await Action by President Roosevelt.

### JAPANESE TAKE OVER DANISH CABLE LINES

New York, May 1.—(P)—A Tokyo dispatch broadcast yesterday by the Berlin radio said that Japan is taking over today the cable lines of the Danish-owned Great Northern Telegraph Company between Vladivostok and Shanghai with a relay station at Nagaiki, in Southwest Japan.

The broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press, said that German-controlled Denmark agreed in 1940—after the occupation by Germany—to cede her rights in the Vladivostok-Nagaiki-Shanghai leg to Japan after three years.

### VOLCANO ENTERS WAR

Madrid, May 1.—(P)—A 6,000-foot volcano in Ardeche Department of Southeast France is in eruption after two hundred years' inactivity. Dense masses of mud shot into the sky, rolled down the mountainside and engulfed cottages.

In a May Day order of the day to his nation and its army, Stalin echoed the "unconditional surrender" keynote struck by Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt at their Casablanca conference.

The Russian leader signed the order both as supreme commander and as marshal, the latter title recently conferred on him for his direction of the Russian winter offensive.

Decriing German propaganda attempts to split the Russian-British-American coalition, he threw off German peace talks with the statement: "But of what kind of peace can one talk with the imperialist bandits from the German Fascist camp who have drowned Europe in blood and studded it with gallows?"

It is now clear that only the utter routing of the Hitlerite armies and the unconditional surrender of Hitlerite Germany can bring peace to Europe.

The German-Italian Fascist camp is experiencing a great crisis and facing catastrophe. This does not mean, of course, that the catastrophe of Hitlerite Germany has

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By SYDNEY GRUSON, Canadian Press Staff Writer. New York, May 1.—(P)—The vast United States coal fields which produced more than 500,000,000 tons to supply the industries of the "Arsenal of Democracy" in 1942, were all but idle and empty today as the country's miners heeded John L. Lewis' call not to "trespass" on mine property.

Production in eighty-five per cent of the bituminous mines and all the anthracite pits was reported halted shortly after the "no trespass" edict of the United Mine Workers' President took effect at midnight, E.D.T. Some 500,000 miners were engaged in the stoppage, biggest in the country since the United States entered the war.

The situation was tense as the hour approached for the climactic decision by President Roosevelt as to how he would use his power as President and Commander-in-Chief "to protect the national interest and to prevent further interference with the successful prosecution of the war." If the miners had not returned to their jobs by 10 a.m. E.D.T. today, Mr. Roosevelt gave no hint in his appeal to the miners Thursday as to what course he would follow. There are at least three open to him—he could turn the operation of the mines over the armed forces; or provide military protection for those wishing to work or declare martial law in the coal areas. But none of these actions could actually force the miners back into the pits.

The work stoppage in the anthracite fields was in defiance of the War Labor Board's order to continue work until contract issues between the U. M. W. and the mine operators were resolved. The hard coal dispute had been certified to the W. L. B. last night. Immediately afterwards, William H. Davis, Board chairman, ordered anthracite production maintained.

Reports showed 167,000 of the country's 409,000 soft coal workers either on strike, or reported as not intending to work. Some 7,800 of the 74,000 hard coal miners have voted to strike while thousands more are expected to stay away from the mines today.

A full picture of the situation could not be ascertained early today as many mines do not operate Saturdays, but a breakdown by states of soft coal miners already out or reported by mine officials as not intending to go to work showed the following:

Alabama, 18,000; West Virginia, 11,600; Kentucky, 18,100; Ohio, 20,000; Pennsylvania, 51,200; Indiana, 8,500; Virginia, 4,600; Tennessee, 10,000, and Illinois, 25,000.

Today's work stoppage which, if

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### Fresh Soviet Offensive Appears Underway Along Caucasus Front

London, May 1.—(P)—Russian troops, once more on the move in the Northwestern Caucasus, were reported by Moscow last night to have captured "several key enemy positions" in a plane-supported drive which the Germans said was another big Red Army offensive in which 150,000 men were attacking.

"Soviet aircraft supported the operation of land units and inflicted heavy losses on the enemy," said the midnight communique recorded by the Soviet Monitor. "Our assault (Stormovik) planes destroyed several dozen tanks and over a battalion of German infantry."

Three days ago the Germans reported that a large-scale Russian drive was underway in an effort to eject Axis troops from their last major foothold in the area around the Black Sea port of Novorossiisk and the Kuban River Valley in the Taman Peninsula to the North.

The Moscow radio announced early yesterday that Soviet airmen fighting over the Caucasus had shot down 116 German planes in two days, and the latest bulletin also told of the sinking by the Red Navy of a German transport in the Black Sea.

The naval action apparently occurred off the German-held port of Novorossiisk which the Russians need for future operations aimed at the Crimea opposite the Caucasus. Russian troops by German admission last were reported entrenched in the hills overlooking Novorossiisk. The Russians also had fought their way along the Taman Peninsula to the North to a point 25 miles from German-held Temryuk on the Sea of Azov.

The midnight communique reported action also on the North Coast of the Sea of Azov West of Rostov where the Russians were stopped close to Taganrog in their winter offensive.

In this area 30 miles West of Rostov Soviet artillerymen were said to have dispersed and partly wiped out a company of German infantry, demolished six blockhouses and dugouts and silenced six artillery and mortar batteries. Soviet scouts also captured five dugouts, killed 50 Germans and took prisoners and booty in that area which is

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"BACK THE ATTACK"—BUY VICTORY BONDS

## VICTORY LOAN APPEAL MADE AT THETFORD

Girl Guides, Boy Scouts, College Cadets and Other Organizations Participate in Fourth Victory Loan Parade.

Thetford Mines, May 1.—A brilliant demonstration marked the opening of the Fourth Victory Loan campaign at Thetford Mines in the Central Parish Square, Mayor Gideon Fillion, in a moving address reminded the citizens that Thetford had exceeded its objective for each of the preceding loans and that Magantic County had constantly been to the forefront as well.

"One must make an effort to back up our relatives and friends who are under arms and our effort at the moment is to lend our money to our country so that it can supply the arms and munitions they need to fight with," the Mayor said. "Altogether let us work for victory and we will gain it." The Rev. Father Joseph Gignas, Pastor of the Parish of St. Maurice, de Thetford Mines, in an impressive ceremony, blessed the Victory Loan flag. The flag was run up by Mayor Fillion, accompanied by the college cadets on their trumpets. The town's two bands then played "O Canada," followed by "God Save the King." A large crowd was present, a detachment of the R.C.E. (reserve) under the command of Sgt. Anelli, as well as the Girl Guides, under the command of Lieut. Helen Bateman, the Boy Scouts, under Sydney Bateman, the college cadets, under Assistant-Captain Philippe Labarre and a detachment of veterans under the command of Col. J. H. Ross, who formed a guard of honor around the base of the flagpole. Leonard Demers, Joint Vice-President of the National War Finance Committee for Magantic County, made a short speech to close the rally. Mr. Demers said that the country asked for every one's co-operation in the war effort.

## FREE SAMPLES OF TREATMENT FOR Stomach Trouble

(Due to Gastric Hyper-Acidity)

C. P. Allen, Campbell's Bay, Que., writes: "I suffered for the past 22 years with indigestion. Pain, after each meal and I found relief when a friend told me about your treatment. From the first day I used Canadian Van Tablets I believe they have done me good. I can't praise them too much. No more indigestion, gastritis, heartburn, bloating, acid irritation, pains after eating or allied stomach trouble induced by gastric hyper-acidity, you too, if you desire quick relief, Get FREE Samples of this treatment. A free booklet is included. Call at Bunting's Drug Store and Star Pharmacy, 65 Wellington St. North, Sherbrooke, or the Canadian Van Company, Dept. 726-D, Windsor, Ont."



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## IS USED AS A FOR PULPES

Rough roads as well as short gasoline rations are in prospect for Sherbrooke motorists for the balance of this year, it was learned today. They may wear out their tires faster, but City Engineer Armand Crepeau said today that there is little he can do to smooth their path. Bituminous and asphalt materials for road repairs "are getting scarcer all the time," Mr. Crepeau said. Last autumn he was asked to estimate his needs for 1943 and file his application, but was only allotted 2,000 gallons of asphalt.

He has abandoned hope of getting any more and his department is resigned to operating on a hand-to-mouth basis. "We now expect that the authorities will parcel out a little at a time to us, as urgent jobs develop," he said.

Mr. Crepeau said that Court Street, on which a base was laid last year, will be given an asphalt finish when the order is received. This is the only thoroughfare in the city that will be finished this year. The remainder of the asphalt will be used for patching streets.

"I have won a release of enough black-top to surface one street. After that I don't know what the supply controllers will have in store for me," Mr. Crepeau said.

## CITY BRIEFLETS

Lennoxville United Ch. Anniversary Supper, Mon., May 3, 6-8.50c.

## Harry Nixon

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Arthur, was nominated but withdrew before the balloting.

Premier Conant, who was to have been nominated following an active campaign, became ill yesterday and was taken to hospital suffering from what was described as "nervous and physical exhaustion." Early today his condition was reported satisfactory.

## WATERLOO

J. Lionel Hebert, eye-sight specialist of Montreal, will be at W. E. Couture's store, Main Street, on Thursday, May 6th. Eyes examined, glasses fitted.

## LAST DAY

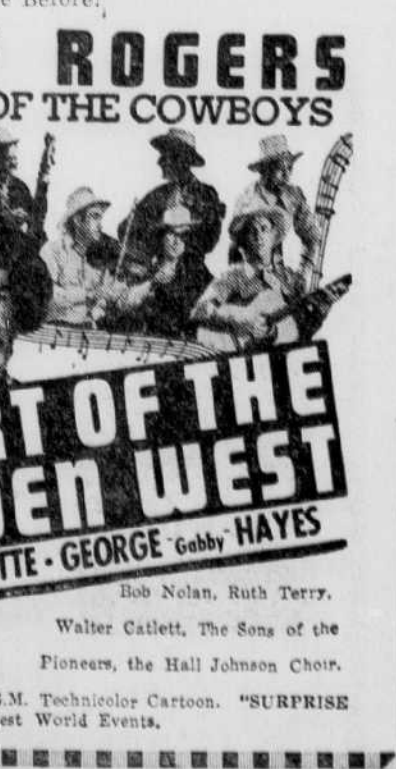
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## RICHMOND OVER HALF-WAY MARK IN LOAN DRIVE

Richmond, May 1.—Headed by a company subscription of \$375,000 from the Canadian Johns-Manville Company Ltd., and \$8,800 from the personnel of the Windsor Mills Flying Training School, the County of Richmond today exceeded the half-way mark on its \$1,228,000 objective.

Announcing the Canadian Johns-Manville subscription, Ted Walsh, unit organizer for the county, said that this represented an increase of \$5,000 over the company's last loan subscription, while the boys of the R.A.C.F., following the lead of service units behind the loan, had raised the \$8,800 already on its \$12,000 objective, which it was sure to attain.

Originating a "Win a Bond" plan of selling bonds in the mills, both Canadian Johns-Manville at Asbestos and Brompton Pulp and Paper Co. Ltd., at Bromptonville, are collaborating in the sale of bonds amongst their employees by offering prizes of \$50 bonds to the lucky ticket holders, each purchaser of a \$50 bond receiving one ticket, and a free bond draw. The C.J.M. Company have bought five \$50 bonds to be given away in this manner, while the Brompton Pulp and Paper Company have put up two \$50 bonds as teasers to their employees to buy.

Brompton Pulp and Paper Company will hold a whirlwind drive in its mill at Bromptonville on Monday when they will test the one-day bond-selling plan for the pulp and paper industry, being the first mill of its kind in Canada to hold such a drive. If successful, other pulp and paper mills will take up the plan. The objective at Bromptonville is \$17,950.

The French version of the dramatic film of Rommel's 80-day rout in North Africa, "Desert Victory," at Asbestos, when unit organizers T. Walsh and Gaston Thibodeau explained the methods of approach to the Asbestos canvassers.

In Richmond yesterday all available C.N.R. employees were called to attend a pep rally to interest them in buying the 4th Victory Loan. Held in the Richmond Station waiting room, the meeting was presided over by J. L. Burns, Superintendent of the C. N. R. Portland Division, and was addressed by George Bevis, of the National War Finance Committee, of Ottawa, and George Cowie, Assistant General Treasurer of the C.N.R. of Montreal, who have been speaking to all C.N.R. employees across Canada, and H. M. Gain, Superintendent of the St. Lawrence Division of the C.N.R., and T. Walsh, of the Richmond County Committee Headquarters.

An objective of ten per cent of the gross pay for each worker in the next six months was set for all C.N.R. employees in their country-wide loan drive.

Sunday afternoon at Asbestos, a mass meeting of the National Syndicate will be addressed by National President Charpentier, of Montreal, on the necessity of all-out participation in the "Buy a Bond and Back the Attack" campaign. In the evening, President Charpentier will address a special rally of girl workers at the Iroquois Hotel.

Monday the C.J.M. Co. will hold an all-day "Bible Drive" to sell bonds to its 1,700 employees throughout its Asbestos plant.

## Stalin Intimates

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already come.

"Another two or three powerful blows from the West and East are needed such as that dealt to the Hitlerite army in the past five or six months, for the catastrophe of Hitlerite Germany to become an accomplished fact. For this reason the people of the Soviet Union and their Red Army as well as our Allies and their armies still face a stern and hard struggle for complete victory over the Hitlerite fiends.

"This struggle will demand of them great sacrifices, enormous staying power and iron stanchness."

His message was addressed not only to the army, guerrillas and workers but to "people engaged in the intellectual professions" and "brothers and sisters temporarily under the yoke of German oppressors."

"... The German Fascists boast no more that they have effected or intend to effect a lightning offensive by the order—our Allies and by British troops in North Africa away from a flanking blow or from encirclement by Soviet forces in the area of Demjansk," he scoffed.

Stalin thus derided the attempt to split the United Nations: "Traitorous to the marrow themselves the German imperialists have the nerve to apply their own yardstick to the Allies expecting that one or another of them will swallow the bait."

## RICHMOND

H. J. McConnell, Optometrist of Sherbrooke, will be in his office at the Grand Central Hotel, Richmond, next Wednesday afternoon and evening, May 5th, for examination of eyes and fitting of glasses.

## Rupture Troubles Ended

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## Will It Bust The Country?

by STEPHEN LEACOCK

Got a rather bad jolt about the Loan yesterday evening. I was afraid I should have to wire to Mr. Hsley to have it called off. The reason was that I learned, on what seemed the best authority, that if we didn't call it off it would bust the country.

Yes, — that's what the old fellow said in my hearing, in the barber's chair right here in Mariposa, "bust the country." I was sitting there in the barber shop waiting my turn, — or, well, I won't say "waiting my turn" but "waiting till I had, in fairness, to accept my turn." You see, here in Mariposa it's not like in the City. The barber shop, — I always go to Jeff's, — is a comfortable place to sit in with as good conversation and as much information as you get in any first class club. So each one likes to sit as long as he can till Jeff nominates him to a chair. When he says, "You're next," you have to take your place. You've read about the guillotine.

Anyway, the other evening there was an old fellow there getting his hair cut, — or no I won't say "cut," — call it "distributed." He was pretty near bald, with a little straggling white hair and it's wonderful what a barber can do to spread it out and stand it, and make the most of it.

So he was talking. "I'll bust the country," he said. "You can't take a total of four or five billion dollars out of this country without busting it." The old fellow developed his argument and the "boys" sat and listened and the two barbers, at the two other chairs, quit shaving and leaned over their customers' faces and whispered "get this."

"Five billion dollars among ten million people is five hundred dollars each. And have they got it? Has the average man got five hundred dollars? How old do you think the average man in this country is? — and, mind you, for this you must count every man, woman and child, — he's fifteen years old! Has a boy of fifteen got five hundred dollars? No, well, that means it'll break the country."

The barber let him out of the chair. I watched him closely, because you can't really tell what a man is like till he gets out from under the towels and dusters. But the old fellow looked all right, — neat, well-dressed in a light grey suit, quite a dapper old fellow and pink as a Peterborough ham.

He went out. Then the talk broke and I heard the verdict and I knew it was all right. "You don't know him?" They said, "Yes, you must. That's old Oliver Croke, the retired lawyer, — Pshaw! he's had the country bust about twenty times already. He had it bust over the women's vote and the Trent Valley Canal, and the Income Tax and the Algoma Central Railway! Why, of course, old Oliver would say the Loan will break us. What else would you expect?"

One of the Mariposa bank managers who was being shaved in one of the chairs, rolled over sideways, in a chair-saps and said.

"I'll tell you, boys, though I wouldn't want it to go outside of this barber shop. The old fellow's all right. He came into the bank today and took up ten thousand dollars of the Loan!"

So it's all right, Mr. Hsley. Stephen Leacock.

## Royal Air Force Renews Attacks On German Manufacturing Region

London, May 1.—The R.A.F. smashed again at Essen and other objectives in the Ruhr valley last night in what the Air Ministry termed a "heavy attack" which cost thirteen bombers in the fourth raid on the German industrial centre during April.

Continental weather conditions probably caused the raiders to scatter over several targets instead of losing of saturation raid, observers said. The other objectives were not immediately identified.

The most recent visit to the much-bombed Ruhr area was Monday night when the R.A.F. bombed Duisburg, twelve miles West of Essen, in the second raid on that river port in a month.

Essen itself has been bombed fifty-five times since the beginning of the war and 900 tons of block-busters were dropped on it in the last previous raid April 3.

Photographs taken during the following days showed that the vital Krupp works there was idle for ten days because of the damage.

The R.A.F. had a lull in its bombings of Germany after hitting the naval base at Wilhelmshaven and heavily mining Baltic waters Wednesday night.

Spitfires damaged an enemy mine-layer off the coast of Brittany yesterday and Mustangs of the Army Co-operation Command, including Canadians, attacked Axis transport in Northern France.

The "temporary situation created by the United States coal strike" and its aim was "to assure equitable distribution of existing bituminous coal supplies."

Because Ontario and Quebec are the only Provinces importing substantial amounts of American bituminous coal, the order has little effect on the larger consumers outside Ontario and Quebec, the Munitions Department said.

Ontario and Quebec consumers who use 25 tons or less of bituminous coal annually may continue to obtain deliveries without restriction. Elsewhere, no restrictions are imposed on purchases except for the negligible quantity of imported bituminous coal on rail in these provinces.

Ontario and Quebec consumers of more than 25 tons a year having less than ten days' supply may obtain deliveries under permit. In emergency cases, consumers may obtain supplies without permit to maintain heating services or plant operations.

Consumers in these Provinces having more than 100 tons of coal may sell it without a permit from the controller.

The Controller's order went into effect simultaneously with measures instituted in the United States and intended to prevent excessive purchases by any individual or industry. The Controller is empowered to divert and allocate existing stocks in line with the needs of the public and industry. This may require backhauls from sidings where coal is en route or about to be delivered.

"In each instance, the consumer must pay the increased cost arising from longer hauls of this nature," said the Department.

"But the consumer can then apply to the Commodity Prices Stabilization Corporation for a refund of any additional freight charges."

No car loaded with United States bituminous coal may be delivered or unloaded by a rail carrier except under the Controller's instructions.

Any railway may move or detain any car received from the United States loaded with bituminous coal in order to meet the requirements of emergency distribution.

Coal dealers may sell Ontario and Quebec stocks without restriction to other dealers for resale, or to consumers in a plant or building which has an annual consumption of 25 tons annually when services cannot be maintained without coal, but deliveries in such cases must not be in excess of minimum requirements for the next ten days. When such deliveries are made the Controller must be informed in writing, with information of the plant's location, and the class of coal delivered.

No deliveries may be made to any building or plant where delivery has been prohibited.

Large coal consumers who have less than ten days' supply on hand may make application for allocation of coal. Those who normally receive their coal by rail will apply to the local railway agent. All others must apply to the Coal Controller.

## United States

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cargo vessels." Those ships were not immobilized, but now lack fuel. He said they would prove useful to the United States if they came under American control. As to whether the warships would be useful, Knox said that they had "been there a long time and would take quite a bit of overhauling." They were immobilized and demilitarized, he said, by the removal of certain essential parts of their machinery. Those parts were taken to the French African port of Casablanca and are now in American control.

Knox said that in addition to the three main combatant vessels in the areas there is also an auxiliary or merchant type cruiser, the Barbeur, of 8,250 tons, whose guns were demilitarized but whose engines were untouched.

Secretary Hull's note, besides withdrawing recognition from Robert, terminated "any informal understanding with respect to the French Antilles based upon past discussions or conditions."

## Fresh Soviet

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closely linked with the Caucasian battle.

Only scattered fighting was reported elsewhere along the big front.

German accounts of the Caucasian fight said all Soviet attacks had been repulsed, but again mentioned the numerical superiority of the Russians.

## Russia Again

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to "fight for our homeland, arms in hand, shoulder to shoulder with the Soviet citizens of all nationalities."

An editorial republished from Pravda, official mouthpiece of the Communist party, used such epithets as "hoodlums" and "political gamblers" to describe the men who, it alleged, have used the Government in London to press territorial claims against the Soviet Union.

These and other attacks on the Sikorski regime, however, including the strongly-worded note with which the Moscow Government broke off relations April 25, drew a sharp distinction between the Government and the Polish people.

## United Church

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after spending his Easter holidays at his parental home and with relatives and friends in town.

The members of the Men's Own held their last meeting for the season in the Gertrude Scott Hall with a good attendance. A short business session was held and reports showed a very successful year under the presidency of Mr. R. Lindsay, Rev. N. MacLeod gave a short address, and on behalf of the members presented Mr. H. Webster, janitor, with a gift of money in appreciation of his services. Bowling was enjoyed.

The winners of the first prize donated by Mr. P. Walton and Mr. R. Cook, were skip K. Litterer, 3 A. Rowat, 2 R. Cook, 1 S. Graham. Second prizes, donated by Mr. Wharman, were won by skip P. Walton, 3 H. Worster, 2 L. Parker, 1 S. Hamilton.

A pleasant social hour was spent at the home of Mrs. L. V. Parent, Clough Avenue, when the members of the Ladies' Committee of the Lennoxville Library met to bid farewell to Miss Doreen Stewart. Miss Stewart who has held the position of librarian for the past nine years in a most efficient manner, has accepted a position in Montreal. The table was charmingly arranged with snapdragon in pastel shades and matching tapers. Tea was poured by Mrs. Ethel Deak, and those assisting were Mrs. F. R. Pattison, Mrs. A. T. Speid and Mrs. C. E. Parker. At the close of the tea hour the members presented the guest-of-honor with a travelling bag as a token of appreciation and with their best wishes for her future success.

## Nursing Auxiliary

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had been made during the month of April to soldiers who were patients in the two local hospitals.

Miss Campbell reported for the Relief Committee that they had been instrumental in having an extension of leave granted to a soldier in the American Army who had come to visit his dying mother. She also reported that two soldiers' families who had been made homeless through fire were settled in other homes and given furniture, dishes, etc., which had been generously donated. In this connection it was moved that a letter of thanks be sent to the Director of Police for the valuable assistance given by the police in collecting and delivering these donations.

The date for the next quarterly meeting of the local branch was set for June 15 next, after which the meeting adjourned.

## U.S. NAVAL AIRCRAFT SINKS JAP SUBMARINE

Washington, May 1.—(F)—A United States patrol bomber sank a Japanese submarine off the Aleutian Islands with a blast of two depth charges, the navy reported yesterday.

The bomber's pilot, Leland L. Davis, 26, of Hattisburg, Miss., was awarded the Navy Cross. Davis was listed as missing from another patrol flight made later on the same, unspecified, day.

## ROMMEL'S DUNKERQUE

Allied Headquarters, North Africa, May 1.—Five separate German infantrymen out of several captured by an Eighth Army patrol asked a British officer if it "was like this at Dunkerque?"

## CHURCH NOTICE

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**FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST  
SCIENTIST**  
Montreal and Island Sts.  
Sunday School, 9.45 a.m.  
Subject: "Everlasting Punishment."  
Testimonial meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.  
Reading room open daily from 3 to 5 except Saturday, Sunday and Holidays; Fridays 7.30 to 9 p.m., at His Majesty's Building.

"Everlasting Punishment" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist on Sunday, May 2nd.

The Golden Text is from Galatians 6:7. "Whoever sows a man soweth, that shall he also reap."

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Though hand join in hand, the wicked shall not be unpunished; but the seed of the righteous shall be delivered." (Proverbs 11:21).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "A magistrate sometimes emits the penalty, but this may be no moral benefit to the criminal, and at best, it only saves the criminal from one form of punishment. The moral law, which has the right to acquit or condemn, always demands restitution before mortals can 'go up higher.' Broken law brings penalty in order to compel this progress." (Page 11).

## TRINITY UNITED CHURCH

Rev. Fred Williams, Minister.  
Prof. R. Hayward, Choir Director.  
Mrs. R. J. Bell, L.M.S., Organist.  
Public Worship at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Mr. Williams preaching at both services. The Church School at the usual hours. "We have no Strangers — we make them Friends."

## ANGELICAN

**ST. PETER'S CHURCH**  
8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
11.00 a.m.—Choral Communion — Preacher: The Rev. Leon Adams.  
7.00 p.m.—Evangelism.  
10.00 a.m.—Bible Classes.  
11.00 a.m.—Primary School.  
2.30 p.m.—Main School & Senior Girls' Bible Class.

## Monday

8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
10.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
8.00 p.m.—War Intercession.

## Friday

7.30 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
Daily  
Matsins and Evensong: 8.15 - 5.30 (Sat. 8.00 p.m.).

## PLYMOUTH CHURCH

(The United Church of Canada)  
Dufferin Ave. at Montreal St.  
Rev. Francis A. Chisholm Dossie, B.A., Minister.  
Rev. G. Ellery Read, D.D., Pastor.

8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
11.00 a.m.—Suffer little children to come unto Me.  
Sun. 2.30 p.m.—Company Meeting.  
Sun. 7 p.m.—Memorial Service (the late Mrs. H. Ainsworth).  
Thurs. 8 p.m.—Salvation Meeting. You Are Cordially Invited.

## THE SALVATION ARMY

83 Wellington St. S.  
Officers: Major and Mrs. S. W. Williams.  
Sun. May 2nd—Cradle Roll Sunday  
Sat. 8 p.m.—Praise Meeting.  
Sun. 11 a.m.—Suffer little children to come unto Me.

## GRACE CHAPEL

Montreal Street  
Sunday:  
11 a.m.—The Lord's Supper.  
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School. Come and bring your Bible.  
5 p.m.—The "Glad Tidings" Hour: Station CHLT.

## LENNOXVILLE UNITED CHURCH

Anniversary Services  
Minister: Rev. Norman D. McLeod, B.A., B.D.  
Organist and Choir Directress: Mrs. Lee Watson.

Guest Preacher for the Anniversary: Rev. F. W. Kerr, B.A., D.D., St. Andrew's United Church, Westmont, Que.  
10 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship. Soloist: Miss Harriett McCammon.  
7 p.m.—Evening Worship: Soloist: Mrs. Wright Gibson.

Visitors welcome! But please come early to facilitate seating arrangements.

## ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

(Frontenac Street)  
Rev. J. R. Graham, M.A., B.D., Minister — On Chaplain Service.  
W. L. Clow, B.A., Guest Minister.  
10 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11 a.m.—Holy Communion — Rev. Alan S. Reid, D.D.  
7 p.m.—Evening Worship: W. L. Clow.

## SHERBROOKE BAPTIST CHURCH

Cor. of Portland Ave. and Queen St.  
Minister: Rev. S. Robert Weaver, B.A., B.D.  
Organist: Miss Eva Bean.  
May 2nd  
9.45 a.m. — Bible School for all ages.  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship: "Joy Come in the Morning."  
7 p.m.—Evening Worship: "Freedom for the Imprisoned Soul."

Wednesday: 8 p.m. — Fellowship of prayer and Bible Study. "The Message of Exodus."  
Friday: 4 p.m. — Children's meeting. "Joseph and His Brethren."  
"Keep your Sundays for the great things of the soul."

Make your dollars flood right in. So more battles we can win — BUY A VICTORY BOND TODAY!

## BIRTHS

**BOUSADA** — On April 30th, 1943, at the Magor Hospital, to Cpl. Sam Bousada, R.C.A.F., and Mrs. Bousada (nee Helen Lewis), a daughter.

**JAMES** — At the Catherine Booth Hospital, Montreal, on Monday, April 26th, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred James (nee Helen Ryan), a son, (Malcolm John).

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## Sherbrooke County Exceeds Half-Way Mark In Fifth Day Of Victory Loan Campaign

Exceeding the halfway mark, Sherbrooke County, still leading the eleven other counties in the Fourth Victory Loan campaign in the Eastern Townships, today had attained a percentage of 54.8, accounting for \$1,808,150 of its \$3,280,000 goal. Divisional headquarters in the New Sherbrooke House reported that Division 6 has raised 32.47 per cent of its \$9,051,500 quota, while Division 5 has chalked up a percentage of 26.41 to its credit, with a \$4,257,000 objective. Total subscriptions amount to \$2,938,800 for the former division and \$1,125,200 for the latter one.

Combined totals for the two zones amount to \$4,064,000 against an aggregate quota of \$13,808,500. This represents a total of 4,899 subscriptions for the two divisions, with 3,827 being credited to zone 6 and the other 1,072 sales to zone 5.

With its second-place status un-

| DIVISION FIVE |              |            |           |
|---------------|--------------|------------|-----------|
| Units         | No. of Subs. | Amount     | % of Obj. |
| Arthabaska    | 473          | \$ 363,550 | 41.31     |
| Compton       | 213          | 42,700     | 5.6       |
| Frontenac     | 104          | 14,850     | 5.4       |
| Megantic      | 290          | 629,200    | 33.88     |
| Nicolet       | 245          | 65,050     | 20.65     |
| Wolf          | 47           | 9,850      | 6.00      |
| Total         | 1,372        | 1,125,200  | 26.41     |

| DIVISION SIX |              |             |           |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|
| Units        | No. of Subs. | Amount      | % of Obj. |
| Brome        | 251          | \$ 98,850   | 16.12     |
| Missisquoi   | 364          | 165,700     | 13.36     |
| Richmond     | 242          | 490,850     | 36.9      |
| Shefford     | 496          | 196,850     | 16.6      |
| Sherbrooke   | 1,833        | 1,808,150   | 54.8      |
| Stanstead    | 341          | 178,400     | 12.74     |
| Total        | 3,527        | \$2,938,800 | 32.47     |

### MYRA THEATRE

RICHMOND

Sun.-Mon.—May 2-3

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Laurel &amp; Hardy

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| 5:10      | 8:00 Lv. Sherbrooke (Bus Terminal) ... Ar. | 2:55 9:00  |
| 5:20      | 8:10 " Lennoxville (Clark's) ... "         | 2:45 8:50  |
| 5:45      | 8:35 " North Hatley (Station) ... "        | 2:20 8:25  |
| 6:20      | 9:15 " Ayer's Cliff (Station) ... "        | 1:50 7:55  |
| 6:30      | 9:45 " Stanstead (Post Office) ... "       | 1:23 7:30  |
| 6:55      | 9:55 " Rock Island (Bus Terminal) ... "    | 1:15 7:25  |
| 7:05      | 10:10 " Beebe (Main St. & R.I. Road) ... " | 1:00 7:10  |
| 10:40     | Ar. Newport (Station) ... Lv.              | 12:35 4:15 |

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### RECEIVES HIS WINGS



Pilot Officer Arthur B. S. McElroy, who recently received his wings and commission at number seven Second-ary Flying Training School, Macleod, Alberta, P.O. McElroy passed his final tests with honors. He had flying experience in the Pacific prior to his enlistment.

### CITY BRIEFLETS

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Save good articles for V. O. N. Thrift Shop. Phone 113.

St. Faith's Guild salad tea and sale. St. Peter's Ch. Hall, Mon., May 3rd.

Holy Name Society members, take notice. Monthly Communion at eight o'clock Mass, Sunday, May 2, followed by breakfast, Chateau Frontenac.

Dance tonight Burroughs' Falls Pavilion. Border Night Hawks.

Meet the two scientists in the comedy "Sweet Clean off her Feet" at St. Paul's Church Hall, May 4-5th at 8 p.m.

Dance tonight, Cid's Place, Cherry River.

Doris Goodspeed, of Boston, entertainer, assisted by Phyllis Armstrong, pianist, Plymouth Church Hall, Tues., May 18, at 8:30. Tickets 50c, at H. C. Wilson's.

## LOAN WORKERS WILL PREVIEW COMMANDO FILM

Told with the white-hot fury of men fighting for their homeland and the women they love, Columbia's "Commandos Strike at Dawn" today appears at the Granada Theatre and will be previewed by Sherbrooke County and Divisional Victory Loan officials, salesmen and the personnel of the two headquarters at the initial showing. The Victory Loan officials and workers have been invited as guests of Manager B. H. Lavell.

In addition to the local N.W.F.C. members, thirty-seven salesmen covering the district during the three-week loan campaign, are expected to be inspired by the motion picture, which proves why Canadians should "Back the Attack."

Salesmen attending the showing of the most thrilling drama of the war has yet produced will be C. M. Davis, Miss J. Leslie Fales, S. H. Gallinger, H. B. Johnson, Don E. Johnson, E. Gordon LeBaron, M. V. Long, Edward B. Loomis, D. C. McRae, Walter Sutherland, J. M. Waisel, Antoine Beliveau, J. E. Codere, L. H. Collette, J. A. Letellier, Armand Filion, Edmond Hebert, J. E. Loignon, J. A. Couture, Orestis Mailhot, C. A. Meloche, A. Perreault, Jean Edmond, H. L. Blais, F. E. Marchal, H. Robitaille, Euclide Hamel, Alex McFarland and Francois Rousseau, all of Sherbrooke; C. H. George, L. F. Jenne, A. T. Speid and J. P. L. Stewart, of Lennoxville; E. J. McKelvey, Cherry River; C. A. Vincent, Ascot Corner; J. A. Couture, Rock Forest, and H. L. Blais, St. Elie d'Orford.

Office personnel will include Mrs. B. N. Holtham, Miss H. Deslauriers, Miss L. Blondeau, of district headquarters, and Bruce McD. Millar, Secretary of the local N.W.F.C.; James Davis, Mrs. Muriel Munkittrick and Mrs. Jeanne-Marie Lafontaine, of Divisional Headquarters in the New Sherbrooke House.

Essentially, "Commandos Strike at Dawn" is a simple story but its every character and every scene is a never-to-be-forgotten emotional experience. Paul Muni appears as the Norwegian, a meteorologist, a simple philosopher who watches the horror of Nazi occupation turn his happy village into a confusion of terror and hatred. Realizing that the time has come to kill or be killed, he mobilizes the people of his community to wage incessant and unrelenting warfare.

been moved. In the event of the weather being fine, the furniture can be left on the lawn temporarily, but should storms break the hazards are multiplied, Mr. Deslauriers said. The Electric and Gas Department in the City Hall reports only ten per cent of the meter changes made prior to the housing shortage. It is believed that the movers, therefore, are roomers and boarders rather than actual householders. Several of the transfer companies report being able to handle only one-half of the moving now being done.

## Canadians To Turn "Popeye" By Eating Spinach On Meatless Days

Meatless days for Canadians will start next Tuesday.

Popeye's vitamin source—the spinach patch — will pack many a "twister" punch on Tuesday's meatless plates, say the chaps in the white hats who plan the meals in local restaurants.

"There is no doubt the customers will feel better for it, too," said the chef of one of the larger hotels. "Spinach may not look so appetizing, but when you top it off with a poached egg and a little creamed sauce, it's taste is mighty pleasing. And what's more, your system really needs the iron it contains."

"We buy several bushels of spinach every week, even now," said another chef cook. "It's all in the way it is prepared."

"People eat too much meat now anyway," said a restaurateur. "The greens, peas, carrots and onions will provide solid weight (ladies please)

note) which is often not the case when meat is eaten continually without sufficient starch foods." Authorities claim Miss Canada can relax, for the weight will not be of the "flabby" variety.

The ban, affecting all public eating places, is part of Canada's meat rationing programme, and will apply each week from midnight Monday to midnight Tuesday. Restaurants, hotels and institutions come under the order.

Milk and milk products are exempt and fish and fowl may be served. The only form in which meat may be served will be in soups or meat extracts.

All those registered as quota users must observe meatless Tuesdays. Boarding houses which are not registered as quota users but, like householders, buy rationed food on ration book coupons are not obliged to have meatless menus on Tuesday.

## All-Star Show Is Presented In Support Of Victory Loan

Some five hundred people last night attended the All-Star Show which was brought here by the Canadian Legion War Services Committee in support of the Fourth Victory Loan.

This all-star cast with Sargent Normandin as comedian and Master of Ceremonies was well received by the enthusiastic audience who applauded time and time again for their favorite stars. This group of men and women have been doing a wonderful job in their tours of camps in Quebec and Ontario and their 100-odd performances have taken them over 8,000 miles of country.

Several guest stars are travelling with the Legion cast to make their performances in this district. One of the best known French romantic singers of the airways, Robert L'Herbier, who sings with "Les Joyeux Troubadours" over the Canadian networks, engrossed his listeners with several pleasing selections. Miss Alys Robi, well-known CKAC radio star who has been singing with Allen MacIver's radio show on Sunday evenings, delighted the audience with several popular selections in both French and English.

Among other items of interest on the variety programme were the dancing acts by ten-year-old Nancy Telford, who has been dancing since she was two years old.

Tonight, the armed forces, Montreal, held the audience spell bound by their tricks of magic. Others who took part in the programme were Peter Miller, Eleanor Chartrand, Dawn Aiken, the Mountain Warblers and the Legionettes.

During the course of the evening J. A. Bales, joint-chairman of the Public Relations Committee, said a few words of welcome to the large number of patrons present.

## Nursing Auxiliary To Assist In Wards Of Sherbrooke Hospitals

The Nursing Auxiliary, under the leadership of Mrs. E. T. Harbert, has completed its course and after the examinations have been taken the members will be ready to help in the wards of the local hospitals, it was reported yesterday afternoon at the monthly meeting of the local executive of the Sherbrooke branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society held at the Red Cross rooms.

Mrs. Briggs reported for the Supplies Committee that all knitting keeps fairly average, donations and civilian supplies have increased. There have been as many as 23 quilts sent in a single shipment. In the past three months 85 surgical box linings have been made and sent and in three shipments 20,450 surgical dressings have been forwarded.

## CHIEF DONAHUE IS INVITED TO POLICE PARLEY

Director of Police and Fire Percy Donahue said today that he has been invited to attend the 11th annual convention of the Province of Quebec Police and Fire Chiefs' Association, which will be held in Quebec City from July 26th to 29th. Director Donahue attended his first parley as chief of the local department last year when the convention was held in Montreal.

He said that the four-day agenda of general and sectional meetings will cover talks on crime prevention, law enforcement, fire prevention and other phases of police and firemen's work. These meetings will be featured by a series of addresses and discussions on the role of protective officers in any national emergency which might arise in the event of enemy action.

According to the invitation, the convention will be presided over by Director Marcel Gaboury, K.C. of the Provincial Police, assisted by Chief W. W. Gough, of Westmont, and Fire Chief R. Beaulieu, Quebec, Vice-Presidents, and R. N. O. Harrington, Honorary Secretary-Treasurer.

Director Donahue stated he will attend the confab and will accompany police and fire chiefs from Eastern Townships centres.

and also welcomed the guests, among whom were John Bourque, M.L.A., Maurice Gingras, M.P., Hon. Jacob Nicol, Judge Dalma Landry, Charles de la Mignault, C. Paul Grenier and Captain J. Masson.

Col. Grenier was later called upon to say a few words in support of the present loan and he mentioned three reasons in particular why Canadians should buy bonds: 1.—Money is needed to fight a war; 2.—The men in the forces need weapons, and 3.—These men are now waiting to make sure they have a good supply of these weapons before they invade. In closing, he said that today there is only one slogan and that is "Back the attack."

"If it is impossible for all of us to fight we can be of use by lending our money," he said. Col. Grenier recently returned from overseas where he was the Officer Commanding Les Fusiliers Mont-Royal, and he is now Officer Commanding the 34th Infantry Brigade (Reserve) in Canada.

The other special speaker for the evening was Captain J. Masson, a member of the now famous French regiment from Montreal that saw action at Dieppe, Captain Masson was in the thick of the fight and was captured three times by the Germans, but managed to get away on each occasion. He arrived home yesterday. In the present war, he came to Sherbrooke for last night's show. Captain Masson was presented the Military Cross for his action at Dieppe by His Majesty the King only a month ago. In his short address he said that every soldier, sailor, airman and civilian had a responsibility in the present war, and for those who could not go and fight there was no better way of showing their patriotism and their desire for freedom than by investing every cent possible in war bonds.

## TO PROSECUTE VIOLATION OF CEILING PRICE

Montreal, May 1.—The Prices Board announced yesterday that twenty-four farmers and retail merchants will be prosecuted within the next few weeks on charges of selling maple syrup in Montreal district above the ceiling price.

Officials said the majority of them were farmers who were selling and attempting to sell maple syrup at prices above the ceiling of \$2.75 a gallon for producers, in some cases as high as \$3.20 a gallon.

The four retailers to be prosecuted will be charged with demanding prices above the retail ceiling of \$3.50 a gallon.

## CITY OFFICIALS SOME FOR S

Many Sherbrooke residents are using rice and other substitutes because potatoes are not available and scores of retail stores throughout the city are without a supply, it was reported today.

Freight cars are not available to bring in the crop from Prince Edward Island or other outside producing centres and the local reserve is about exhausted. Home producers are saving their potatoes until the seed requirements are known and the present situation is not expected to ease until after seeding. Officials are asking for a ten per cent increase in potato production throughout Quebec this year.

Shipments received by wholesalers are being rationed out to stores, far below requirements. Unable to buy in the retail stores, many users had sought the vegetables on the market and potatoes were still available there yesterday, but in limited quantities.

As seeding time approaches, the local crop is being withheld as the growers do not know what their full needs will be and they are playing safe by keeping enough at home, farmers on Lansdowne Market explained.

Disappointed shoppers who have tried from time to time to get potatoes from the usual source have given up the hope of obtaining anything like an adequate amount and are using substitutes, especially rice, and gladly taking any potatoes which they may be able to purchase occasionally.

If you invest a modest sum.  
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## MEAT PACKING HOUSES GO ON RATION BASIS

Starting today Sherbrooke and Eastern Townships packing houses will be placed on a ration basis in the slaughtering of cattle.

They will be allowed to kill only the same amount as they did in the corresponding month last year, according to a bulletin received by meat concerns from the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Each packing plant will be issued a license number and it will be stamped on each piece of meat produced. This is a step taken to eliminate the possibility of the sale of the black market meat when meat rationing for the public is inaugurated later this month.

Local and district packers estimate that this will cut meat production of several hundred cattle a week less than they have been slaughtering.

In the official order the packers were told that veal, pork, lamb and mutton would be rationed, but that such as spare ribs and ox tails would not be on a ration basis. Non-rationing also applies, as previously reported, to kidneys, liver, heart and brains.

As yet no decision has been made on canned meats.

The packers were also told that the point system would be used to a certain degree, but that details had not been worked out.

Cold storage lockers are now placed under Price Board control to prevent hoarding or black market operations.

The announcement reiterated previous Ottawa statements that two pounds per week were considered sufficient for any person in any industry, and an extra allowance will be made for workers in heavy industries.

## FIFTY-DOLLAR VICTORY BOND IS DRAWN FOR

Miss Gabrielle Drouin, 95 Gillespie Street, was the winner of a fifty-dollar Victory Bond given away by the New Premier Theatre last night. Corporal Margaret Suave, of the C.W.A.C. drew the winning number, which was 14,410. Miss Drouin's number was the first one announced.

While the drawing was in progress, it was announced that \$200 worth of bonds will be given away during the next fortnight at the rate of two fifty-dollar bonds a week by the New Premier Theatre. Manager R. L. Vallee said that the drawings will be held on Tuesday and Friday evenings during the two weeks.

For the second drawing of the present week, Romeo Duford acted as master of ceremonies. Henri Turgeon, Joint Divisional Payroll Representative of the National War Finance Committee, held the box containing the ticket stubs for the drawing.

Following the presentation of the bond, Mr. Turgeon explained to the audience that a Victory Bond is proof that one has loaned dollars to the country to help win the war.

"This bond is your country's promise to return your money to you — and, in addition, to pay you interest on your money every half year until it is repaid," he said. "This promise is backed by all the wealth and resources of Canada, and by the country's record for paying every obligation in full."

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## Decrease In Industrial And Home Building Is Indicated

Drastic curtailment of both industrial and home construction in Sherbrooke was indicated in the report for the month of April, released today by J. O. Chartier, City Building Inspector. War demands on building materials is given as a cause for the decline.

Figures obtained at the City Hall showed that only \$34,386 worth of

construction has been authorized, compared with \$51,390 in April, 1942.

However, comparative figures reflect that construction and repairing in Sherbrooke are ahead for the first four months of the year by \$1,301. Aggregate valuation for January, February, March and April amounts to \$113,186 against \$111,885 for the same four months in 1942.

Building Inspector Chartier issued twenty-seven permits during April, seven of which were for new construction. New construction is valued at \$25,500, while \$8,886 in alteration projects was undertaken.

Biggest new construction project was undertaken by J. C. Morin, 294 McManamy Street, who is erecting five apartments, valued at \$9,800. Other new building permits were taken out by Vincent Bernard, 18 St. Pierre Street, three apartments, \$6,000; bungalows, valued at \$3,000 each, are being built by L. P. Demers, 704 St. Louis Street, Emermora, and Robidas, 20 Leonidas Street, and Fernando Collette, 262 Alexander Blvd. A \$450 bathroom is being built by Chee-Shee, a Chinese, who resides at 190 King Street West, and Ed. Frappier, 3 Perry Street, is erecting a building foundation costing \$250.

Alteration permits were issued to the Marquis House for repairs costing \$2,630, and Hector Boisvert, 9 Murray Street, for \$1,300 in home repairs.

| Comparative figures: |           |           |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|
|                      | 1943      | 1942      |
| January              | \$26,850  | \$18,000  |
| February             | \$23,150  | \$21,000  |
| March                | \$28,800  | \$21,195  |
| April                | \$34,386  | \$51,390  |
|                      | \$113,186 | \$111,885 |

Increase: \$1,301.

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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 CLIMAX NEARS IN THE CAUCASUS

All signs point that we may be getting close to the denouement of the Caucasian drama, Hitler's protracted and bloody effort to crack this gateway to the Russian oil on which he hoped to float to glory. For days the Nazis and the Red Army have been sparring for position in the Kuban sector where the Boche hold a bridgehead on the Caucasian shore opposite the Crimea, as well as the important naval port of Novorossiisk. Hitler apparently has been hoping that this might be an open sesame to the Caucasus if he could get an offensive underway. The Russians have been bent not only on spiking this drive but on kicking the Nazis out of the bridgehead altogether.

The all highest's scheme has been to use the Crimea as a spring-board from which he could fling an army across the narrow Kerch Strait to his bridgehead. Then by co-ordinating this with an assault on the Reds in the Rostov sector a little to the North he might force the Russian line back and get somewhere. Even if he did not push his way down the Caucasus, he still might ensure his hold on his bridgehead and Novorossiisk, thereby continuing to deprive the Muscovites of freedom of the important Northern part of the Black Sea.

The plan is daring, but has merits making it possible for Hitler to say with the stage conjurer: "It's a good trick if I do it—and it's a good trick if I don't."

So the opposing forces have been stabbing and feinting at each other, and observers have noted that the advantage might lie with the side which could begin an offensive first. Now Berlin announces that the Russians launched their expected "large scale attack" against the bridgehead early Thursday morning.

This may mean that the Reds have beaten the Nazis to the punch. In any event, there are the makings of a fierce battle, for the zone involved is of vast strategic value in connection with control of the Black Sea.

The spring mud is fast drying out on the Kuban delta, with the arrival of sunshine and warmer weather. The ground in the Crimea also has become firm enough to provide the German air force with bases from which to strike at the Russians on the mainland. Hundreds of bombers and fighter planes have been moved to the Crimea for use in the Caucasus.

The Hitlerites have reinforced their armies in the Kuban, and it is interesting to note that they are using a considerable number of Rumanian troops. Apparently Hitler is forced to conserve his own first line men, for he is taking a chance in using the Rumanians who have been thoroughly fed up with the part assigned to them over a long period. However, it is the German idea to use other nationalities where possible for cannon fodder, as witness the manner in which the Italians have been sacrificed in Tunisia.

## THE PRESIDENT AND THE STRIKERS

President Roosevelt's power to intervene in the coal strike, which is due for a showdown today, ranges from moral suasion, which is embodied in his telegram to the miners, to martial law, an extreme which Washington officials consider unlikely to be used.

Declaration of martial law could suspend all civil government in the bituminous area and make possible imposition of curfews, restricted areas and bans on such normal activities as amusements. It

could not, however—as nothing can—actually force the miners back to the mines.

A result similar to martial law might be obtained by sending soldiers into the area to prevent the operation of picket lines.

Mr. Roosevelt could take over the mines although that step generally is regarded as one intended to cope with recalcitrant management. He could order soldiers to work the mines, but such a step would encounter numerous difficulties, such as bringing together the men in the armed forces trained in coal mining.

One possible move would be invocation of a "work or fight" policy. Such an order would call for immediate re-classification of the workers under the Selective Service Act, and perhaps forbid them jobs in war industries.

## GERMAN FOOD RESERVES

Germany has exhausted her cereal reserves and her people, for the time being, are living from hand to mouth, but they have before them the prospects of the best crops since 1939, according to information received by economic circles in Stockholm. Trying to balance the low state of reserves and offset wartime exhaustion of the soil by increased acreage, the country planted approximately 18,000,000 acres to wheat and rye. Winter weather was normal and, if spring is favorable, the attempt will succeed.

But, while this brightens the outlook for the winter cereal crops, there are many other factors in Germany's general food situation not calculated to cheer up the population.

These include, first, a lack of fertilizer. Twenty per cent less nitrogenous fertilizer was allocated to German farmers this year than last because of a needed increase in explosives production. In addition, supplies of natural phosphate fertilizers—essential in Europe and especially for growing beets and potatoes—are low since the United Nations cut off imports from North Africa.

Secondly, the shortage of farm machinery and the difficulty of obtaining parts to patch them up. Old cannon, tanks, planes, locomotives and rolling stock now have priorities over farm machinery.

Third, the scarcity of horses. The army snatched up many horses for the Eastern front, forcing farmers to turn to cows and oxen. Germany's farms never were highly motorized. Farmers lucky enough to own tractors receive only a limited supply of fuel.

Four, the army is absorbing more and more skilled farm hands and managers.

Five, R.A.F. raids have seriously disrupted German food distribution systems in some sectors, especially in the Ruhr. Ration cards dropped by the British fliers not only upset a carefully worked out rationing system but added new burdens to the work of skeleton ration staffs. They had to revalidate cards to insure proper sharing.

Six, the black market. The Nazis now boast that, at last, in a land where every egg is catalogued and every hen regimented, they have eliminated the last loopholes. But the markets still flourish, judging by newspaper notices of convictions.

Cream separators and butter churns now are sealed, or their most important parts are removed and held by authorities. The farmer is thus forced to deliver all milk to creameries, receiving in return a ration of butter for his own use.

In general grain may be regarded as confiscated by the state and must be delivered in its entirety. Threshing machines have built-in scales to control the last kernel.

When a farmer wants to slaughter a cow or pig, it must be taken to a checking centre for weighing and special marking so that he cannot evade regulations by substituting a heavier animal later.

Until the new harvest, Germans must get along on bread made of a mixture containing rye, barley and potato flour. This is because 6,000,000 acres of wheat were frozen out last year. A good potato crop helped, but for the rest the Nazis sacrificed, for morale purposes, reserves which at the start of the war were estimated at 5,000,000 tons of bread cereals.

Although the Germans still have plenty to eat, fat continues to be a weak point in the war diet and is presenting farm leaders with an increasingly serious problem. Fat rations have been reduced fifty to sixty per cent of normal, much more than any other staples.

## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

And let us not be weary in well doing; for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not.—Galatians 6:9.

How blest is he who crowns in shades like these,  
A youth of labor with an age of ease.

—Goldsmith.

## Thirty Years Ago

FROM THE RECORD FILES

The Provincial Government today formally approved the Order-in-Council providing for the removal of tolls on the Mackenzie Bridge linking Richmond and Melbourne. In the meantime, committees have been formed to arrange a great celebration May 24 to mark the ending of the toll system.

A marked improvement is reported in the condition of the Duchess of Connaught, wife of the Governor-General, who recently underwent a critical operation in Great Britain.

Ambassadors of the major European powers are seeking to placate Montenegro, who threatens to upset the recently concluded peace pact and thus precipitate another European war threat. It is believed Russia is backing Montenegro in its efforts to promote discord.

Arrangements have been made for the recently-incorporated Scotstown Manufacturing Company to start operations immediately.

The house and farm buildings on the property of Cyrus Husk at Ulverton were destroyed by flames.

The officers elected at the annual meeting of the Mansville W.C.T.U. were Mrs. George Marsh, Mrs. D. Warner, Mrs. N. F. McKay, Mrs. L. R. Harvey, Miss Frances Nutting and Mrs. G. G. Griggs.

## In Praise Of The Spirit Of Unity

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

Psalms CXXXIII, 1: "Behold how good and joyful a thing it is, brethren, to dwell together in unity."

On several occasions, in the course of this war, our kings and the governments of his dominions, have summoned their people to prayer for victory over the powers of darkness; and only yesterday there came a request, signed by leaders of various Christian communities, that next Sunday sermons should contain at least some reference to the great Victory Loan on which Canada is now embarked. Such calls from our leaders are highly significant. They strengthen the conviction that Christianity is, in very deed and truth, at death-grips with Paganism in its worst and most dangerous form; and that we of the Democracies are engaged in a Crusade of far greater import to the world than that which Peter the Hermit preached!

The horrible news that came to us last Thursday of the Chinese "Lidice"—the utter extinction of the coast villages in China where American bombers landed after the attack on Tokyo—shows the sincere admiration of Japan's militarists for the technique of their Teutonic exemplars. To contribute, in however small a way, to the means of hastening the end of such atrocities is clearly the bounden duty of every loyal citizen. No outpouring of treasure into the war-chest of our Government can be too great, in view of the great before us—"liberty to the captives, the opening of the prison to them that are bound; to proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord, and the day of salvation of our God!" Freedom from worse than any Egyptian or Assyrian bondage, freedom of speech and religion, freedom from want and fear, this is the goal of all our labors, the all-sufficient justification for all our sacrifices of blood and treasure.

In our text we have the opening verse of a brief but beautiful song in praise of Unity. This psalm bears all the marks of Davidic authorship—for few leaders of men have had a wider experience of the evils of "disunity" than the Shepherd King, whose favorite son rebelled and fought against him. No wonder he extols its opposite—unity!

The way in which the Canadian people as a whole responds to its Government's call for "the sinews of war" will go far to show to friends and enemies alike, that the heart of Canada is sound and her "will to victory" unshakable.

The summons to whole-hearted and united effort is of very special importance at this time. There have been indications of "a rift within the lute." Our representatives, federal and provincial alike, have not even yet shown themselves superior to the claims of political expediency; our trade unions have too often transgressed the law, and cost the country millions of man-hours' loss for the sake of some slight tactical advantage, such as the "recognition" of this union, or that. In the United States there looms up a monstrous disturbance, involving some four hundred and fifty thousand workers, in that absolutely essential commodity for the Allied war effort, coal!

And yet, both in Canada and United States the law is clear and unmistakable: it is illegal to resort to the strike-weapon until after all attempts at Conciliation have failed. It should also be provided—as in socialist New Zealand—that, in the event of failure of Conciliation, arbitrators should be appointed to listen to the arguments of both parties in the dispute, and then arrive at an equitable settlement, against which there is no appeal.

If we persist in these and other acts of disunity, it is not even yet too late for us to lose this War!

Someone has said that this psalm in praise of Unity "has the fragrance of a lovely rose." Nowhere in any literature has the nature of true unity—that unity which binds men together, not by artificial restraints, but as brethren of one heart—been more faithfully described; nowhere has it been so gracefully illustrated, as in this short ode. True concord is, we are here taught, a holy thing, metaphorically represented as a sacred oil, a rich perfume, a morning dew, which lights not only on the lofty mountain-peaks, but on the little hills, including all, and refreshing all with its beneficent influence.

By "unity" we do not mean "uniformity." There is no beauty worth speaking of in a unity which is the result of artificial or arbitrary arrangements. Uniformity may be monotonous, wearisome; but unity is refreshing and beautiful. Consider the magnificent rendition of some musical masterpiece by a great orchestra under the guidance of a world-renowned leader. Have we not here an instance of what may be described as a "unity of spirit"? There is in that vast assemblage of trained musicians a wonderful variety of instruments, and of performers upon them; and a diversity of voices, and yet withal there is a sublime and splendid Unity. A discordant note would mar the harmony!

So, in the world of religion, there may be, as St. Paul says, "diversity of gifts, but the same spirit." There may be unity in diversity, in other words, unity without uniformity. Even Jesus Christ Himself once had occasion to remark: "They that are not against us are for our part." The words of Abram to his nephew Lot are applicable between man and man, and between nation and nation, the world over: "Let there be no strife, I pray thee, between me and thee; for we are brethren."

I think that the following words of Tennyson may well be applied to this spirit of friendliness, this influence of the spirit of unity: "Right to the heart and brain, though underwied, Winning its way with extreme gentleness, Through all the outworks of suspicious pride."

## PRESS COMMENTS

### AGAIN RECALLS MYSTERY OF THE CYCLOPS

Ottawa Journal

One of the many unsolved mysteries of the sea was recalled the other day on the 25th anniversary of an announcement by the United States Navy that the naval collier Cyclops had disappeared with all hands.

On March 4th, 1918, the Cyclops, 542-foot collier, one of the largest fuel vessels then afloat and only eight years old, touched in the West Indies en route from Brazil to the United States. She sailed again—and nothing, literally nothing, was heard of the ship from that point, or of her crew of 293 men.

The Cyclops sailed out into calm seas under an experienced commander. She had a powerful radio outfit, but no call for help ever was heard. The ship just vanished from the sight of men and not the most diligent search could bring to light a piece of wreckage. Nobody knew where the ship had disappeared. Many held the theory that the Germans had sunk the collier, or perhaps captured her, but after the war the Germans denied that they had any knowledge of the craft.

Like the more famous case of the sailing ship Marie Celeste, which vanished many years ago, rumor and imaginative writers gave to the Cyclops many a solution out of pure fantasy. Apparently it is the theory of marine engineers that the ship turned turtle without warning, capsize so swiftly that there was no time even for a radio alarm. A naval officer who commanded a sister ship advanced this explanation, from his knowledge of the Cyclops' construction and probable vagaries, and there is no better one. Probably we shall never know whether that is the fact.

### LOAN IS TEST OF CANADIAN'S WILL TO WIN

St. Thomas Times

How the Canadian people put over the new Victory Loan is a supreme test of citizenship.

It will show the degree of our determination to win. It will show how well Canadians understand total war.

That we can get all the \$1,100,000,000 asked nobody questions. The real test of the loan's success will be: Can we get enough of the right kind of money? And that is the money that comes from individuals—the men and women of the offices, homes, farms, stores and factories.

Almost without exception, Canadians are going to find buying their share of bonds painful. For most are still adjusting to the new scale of income tax deductions. It will mean far more than buying bonds with money we don't want to spend

HE MAY WELL WORRY!



Courtesy of the Winnipeg Tribune.

## TIMELY COMMENTS

Those U.S. bombers in the South Pacific seem to have something on the Rabaul—Toronto Star.

In the spring, Field Marshal Timoshenko's fancy slightly turns back a new Nazi offensive.—Buffalo Courier-Express.

Ned Sparks, St. Thomas jokester, was paid \$68,091 for broadcasts for Ontario's tourist trade. The joke was on us.—London Free Press.

Might as well crow over your Victory Garden. The neighbor's rooster will.—Stratford Beacon-Herald.

Things are so bad in Italy, they are using spaghetti for barbed wire.—Woodstock Sentinel-Review.

Another difference between death and taxes is that death doesn't take a final crack at you after you're gone.—Robert Quillen.

A man cherishes the memory of his boyhood sweetheart because she remains 18 instead of changing as his wife does.—Detroit Free Press.

It was plain already, from the scramble of good Grits for the jobs, that Ottawa's under-secretaries will not be under-paid.—Toronto Telegram.

It is calculated that Hitler has cost the world four hundred billion dollars. Never before was so much paid for so little.—Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph.

## SO THEY SAY

Rationing is providing our people with an educational programme in dietary requirements, food and other living values, and budgeting of both standard money and rationing-coupon money that will prove an asset to this nation's economy long after history has recorded the complete failure of the Axis.—Henry H. Holmann, National Association of Credit Men executive manager.

The German people fear unconditional surrender. They will hold out at least a year before their final collapse.—William Allen White, Kansas editor.

Right now, it will mean buying bonds with money we think we must spend now on what we think are immediate necessities. It will mean chopping as viciously into our money resources as when we pay the hospital bill for a blessed event or for a serious illness.

Raising money for the war is only one function of Victory Loans. They are now even more important as a defence against inflation which would hobble our war effort now and cripple us after the war is won. And the money the individual—the ordinary Canadian—puts into Victory Bonds is the kind of money which most effectively staves off inflation.

The degree to which the individual Canadian's bond buying imposes hard self-sacrifice today will be the real test of this loan's success.

People who wish to preserve the Canadian way of life now and after the war can, from the home front, contribute to that end in no greater way than by buying bonds. In explaining these facts and in encouraging their workers to buy bonds, employers are serving the best interests of their employees and doing their elementary duty as citizens. For workers and managers have a mutual interest in victory. Workers, especially, have a vital interest in preventing inflation.

## McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

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

### OPPONENT'S DOUBLE CAN HELP DECLARER

The new treasurer of the American Contract Bridge League is Ralph W. Gresham of East Orange, N.J., who is also treasurer of the New Jersey Bridge League. A few weeks ago he insisted that I go over to New Jersey and play in their team-of-four contest. The tournament was won by Warren Samson, Jr., of New York, Ernest S. Roemer and Lester Gluckman of Brooklyn, and Corp. Arthur Ochs, Jr., of Camp Dix, N.J. While our team was among those who also ran, nevertheless I enjoyed playing the hand shown today.

You could hardly criticize West for doubling my four spade contract. When the dummy went down, I knew that West must have the missing honors in spades for his double. My only hope was that he had opened from a four-card club suit, and that he held the king of hearts.

I won the opening lead with the king of clubs, cashed the ace and ruffed a small club with the three of spades in dummy. Next I cashed the ace of diamonds and ruffed a diamond in my own hand. When West dropped the king, I felt that I had a perfect count on the hand.

I ruffed the fourth club with the five of spades in dummy. East, unable to over-ruff, discarded a diamond. Now I led the eight of spades, and played the jack from my hand, a hand.

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| ♠ AK102                  | ♥ KJ3       | ♦ K9    | ♣ Q963 |
| W                        | N           | E       | S      |
| Declarer                 | 3           | 3       | 3      |
| McKenney                 | ♠ J9764     | ♥ Q10   | ♦ 7    |
| ♠ AK72                   | ♥ J84       | ♦ 7     | ♣ 7    |
| Duplicate—N. and S. vul. |             |         |        |
| South                    | West        | North   | East   |
| 1 ♠ Pass                 | 1 N.T. Pass |         |        |
| 2 ♠ Pass                 | 2 N.T. Pass |         |        |
| 3 ♠ Pass                 | 4 ♠ Pass    |         |        |
| Pass                     | Double      | Pass    | Pass   |
| Opening—♠ 3.             |             |         | 1      |

West winning with the king. All West could do was to lead a small heart, which rode to my queen, and I lost only three trump tricks on the hand.

If I had failed to play the jack of spades, West could have put up a nice defence by winning the eight with the ten, cashing the ace and king, and getting out of his hand with the deuce of spades. Very often an opponent's double gives us the only chance there is to make a hand.

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13 Bustle

14 Exist

15 Infallible

16 Constellation

17 South Dakota

(abbr.)

18 Wine pitcher

20 Nihilism

22 Symbol for  
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23 Coffin stands

25 Ignited

26 Component

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33 Hawaiian

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45 Bone

47 Particle

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49 Stalk

50 Paid notice

52 Narrow inlet

54 Pattern

56 Cloth measure

57 Rubber tree

58 It is part of  
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by the U. S.  
Naval Air  
Force

### god

11 Mouths  
(anat.)

12 Small horse

18 Fat

19 Expunging

21 Lieutenant

(abbr.)

24 Falling in

white flakes

26 Out of place

27 Clamor

28 Cell for a  
bull (Sp.)

29 Investigators

35 Weeping

36 Genus of  
herbs

38 Limb

40 Desert fruit

42 Short jacket

44 Symbol for  
samarium

45 Boundary

(comb. form.)

46 Moon-god

# IN THE WOMEN'S SPHERE

## WEST BOLTON COUPLE GIVEN FAREWELL GIFT

Farm Forum Organization Loses Members of Long Standing Upon Departure of Mr. and Mrs. Wing.

West Bolton, May 1.—Members of the Creek Farm Forum gave Mr. and Mrs. Royce Wing a farewell surprise by going to their home prior to their leaving for Verdun, where Mr. Wing has accepted a position. Mr. and Mrs. Wing have been valuable members of the Farm Forum ever since it was formed here.

Owing to ill health Mr. Wing has had to give up farm work, in which he has been engaged for a few years, and Mr. Otis Streeter has taken over Mail Route No. 3, from Foster, of which Mr. Wing has been in charge for a long time.

Following a pleasant time spent in games and sociability, a delicious lunch was served by the ladies. Mr. G. C. Whitcher, on behalf of the group, presented Mr. and Mrs. Wing with a hostess tray, for which Mr. and Mrs. Wing thanked their friends.

### COMMUNITY Y.P.U. MEETING

In connection with the regular meeting of the community Y.P.U., which met in the basement of the Creek United Church, an excellent lunch was served following contests and games.

Miss Phyllis Allen, on behalf of the society, presented Miss Stella

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1 egg  
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1/4 teaspoon pepper  
2 tablespoons minced onion  
1 tablespoon chopped parsley  
1 cup milk  
1/2 cup catsup  
1 cup All-Bran  
1 pound ground beef  
Beat egg, add salt, pepper, onion, parsley, milk, catsup and All-Bran. Let soak until most of moisture is taken up. Add beef and mix thoroughly. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) about 20 minutes or broil about 15 minutes. Remove meat patties from pan. Add some milk and seasonings to drippings. Thicken slightly to make gravy.  
Yield: 5 servings, 2 patties each.

Wing with a dainty compact and Master Royce Wing with an autograph album as souvenirs from their associates of the A.P.U., as they are leaving to take up residence with their parents, who are moving to Verdun.

### General Notes

The pupils of the Brill and Creek schools only had Good Friday and Easter Monday as holidays as there have been so many days lost owing to severe storms and illness that a longer holiday was not thought advisable.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Booth, of Montreal, who have spent a few months with Mr. and Mrs. Durrill, are returning to their home in Montreal.

Mrs. Eula White is the latest victim of la grippe. Mr. Sydney Taylor is now making a house to house canvass selling Victory Bonds.

Mrs. Fred Marsh was a guest at the home of her brother, Mr. W. Cowan, and family, in Rock Island, for a few days.

Miss Margaret Marsh spent the Easter holidays with her sister, Mrs. A. Watt, and Mr. Watt, in Sherbrooke.

Corporal Gladys Wade, of Montreal, spent the Easter week-end with her friend, Mrs. H. C. Salisbury, and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Salisbury, of Granby, were guests at the same home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitehead and family, of South Stukely, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitehead and family.

Mr. Baxter Williams, of Sherbrooke, and Pte. Percy Clark, of Farnham, were callers at "Hillside Farm."

Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hastings were Miss Edith Hastings, of Bromie Centre, Mr. Arthur Hastings, of Montreal, and Miss Helen Hastings, of Waterville.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Taylor called on Mrs. L. P. Durrill, who remains in poor health.

Animals are generally immune to poison ivy, and some species even eat it freely.

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### EAST DUNHAM

Mr. and Mrs. John Delorme and two children, of Valleyfield, spent the Easter holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Delorme.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sherrer were Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sherrer, near Abercorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Spencer, of West Sutton, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Brock.

The Misses Kathleen and Molly Fee, of Valleyfield, spent the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Fee.

Mrs. James Dymond and Mr. George Dymond called on Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Royce in North Pinnacle. Mr. Royce is confined to his bed through illness. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Gordon spent a week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sherrer, near Abercorn.

The Misses Margaret and Marion Beattie, of Sweetburg, spent a day with their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Perkins.

Mrs. Lynn Yates and Mrs. Howard Johnson were in Cowansville and visited Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs. Gerald Wilson, Mr. Wilson and family.

Mrs. Lynn Spicer, of St. Andrews, spent the Easter holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Colton spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Dymond and family.

### ABERCORN

The April meeting of the Women's Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Grace Righton. Six members and two visitors were present. Mrs. R. Spencer, the President, occupied the chair for the business part of the meeting. In the absence of the Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Hall, no reports were given of the previous meeting. Five dollars was voted for the Bishop Carlisle Memorial Fund. Material for two quilts were ordered purchased by the Dorcas Secretary. Work was done on quilt tops. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Gerald Godeau.

Mrs. Byron Spencer has returned home, after spending several months in Montreal and New York State.

Mrs. J. Foley was a caller at the home of Mrs. Alice Allen, in Alva. Cpl. Joyce Westover, of the C.W.A.C., Montreal, was a week-end visitor of Mrs. Raymond Ingalls and family. Mrs. Walter Westover and Miss Carolyn Westover were also visitors at the same home.

Mr. Richard Spencer and Mr. Homer Sweet were business visitors in Sutton on Tuesday.

Mrs. John Tisdale has purchased the former Mrs. Mark Shepard home

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## Social and Personal

Mr. Paul Grenier, of Montreal, is a guest at the New Sherbrooke.

Mrs. Beall Hamilton arrived from Pointe Claire this morning to attend the funeral of her great aunt, Mrs. Hugh M. Tomlinson.

Mr. Ross McAllister has returned to Nitro, Que., after spending the past month with his parents at their home in Lennoxville.

Mrs. Douglas Taylor, of Quebec, is spending a few days at the New Sherbrooke to be near her son, who is a patient in the Infirmary at Bishop's College School, Lennoxville.

Captain Fernand Delisle has returned to Kingston, Ont., after spending Easter week with his wife and little daughter, Martha, at their home on Queen Street.

### MIND YOUR MANNERS

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers given below:

1. If a friend takes you to a movie is it good manners to be extremely critical?

2. If you are invited to dinner and then asked what movie you would like to see is it all right to name one or should you say, "Anything you would like is all right with me?"

3. If a friend has had her house redecorated and asks your opinion about it, is it all right to tell her what you think is wrong?

4. If someone criticizes the decoration scheme of your house, should you become offended?

5. Is it permissible to comment on an unusual piece of furniture or work of art in the home of a person you don't know very well?

What would you do if—  
You see a book in your hostess' living room that you would like to borrow—  
(a) Comment on it, saying that you intend to read it—and see if she offers to lend it to you?  
(b) Ask if you may borrow it?

### Answers

1. No.  
2. It is all right to name one if there is something you want to see.

3. Since she is not likely to have the job done over immediately, it is kinder to point out the features that you find particularly pleasing.

4. Of course not. Though you might explain the effect you were trying to achieve.

5. Yes. If it is a striking piece, she is probably accustomed to comment on it.

Better "What Would You Do?" solution—(a) is best unless you know your hostess very well.

from Mr. Richard Spencer. The English school re-opened on Tuesday, after the Easter holidays.

Mr. S. Pemberton underwent a serious operation at St. Anne's Military Hospital, and is as well as can be expected. Best wishes are extended to him for a complete recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Fyles, of Bethel, Vt., have returned home, having been called here by the death of their aunt, Miss Cora Jenne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crepeau, of Granby, are spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Walter McGrath, and Mr. McGrath.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, of Montreal, spent the Easter week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Willey.

Little Miss Ruth Ann McGrath, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGrath, was taken to the St. Albans Hospital by Dr. Low, with an acute attack of appendicitis. At time of writing she is progressing as well as can be expected. Her many little friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Fred Thom went to Montreal on Monday evening on business.

### MASSAWIPPI

Mrs. Harold Kydd and daughter, Gail, of Richmond, were guests for a week of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Armstrong. Mr. Kydd coming for a week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Colt and Dale and Darlene, of Newport, Vt., Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Colt and Richard, of Ayer's Cliff, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colt.

Guests of Mr. W. W. St. Dizier and Mrs. B. Gilson were Mrs. Ernest Deacon, of North Hatley, Mrs. Ronald Deacon, of Bradford, Ont., and Miss Joan Burk, of Waterville. Calling at the same home was Miss Gertrude McDonald, of Hatley.

Mr. William Mitchell and his uncle, Mr. H. L. Mitchell, of Montreal, spent a week-end with Mrs. Mitchell and family. Master Bradley Mitchell was home for the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Webster and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peters, of Montreal, spent a week-end at Mr. Webster's summer home.

Miss Ellen Speyer spent a few days in Montreal.

Miss Doris Pitman spent a week-end with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Raymond. Guests at the same home at Easter were Mrs. Pitman, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Pitman, Owen and Douglas Pitman, of Sherbrooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Matheson and Master George, of Lennoxville, spent a week-end as guests of Mr. Gilbert Sarasin and family and also visited Mrs. Matheson's father, Mr. E. Ham.

Mr. George Layton, of Montreal, is a guest at the New Sherbrooke.

Miss Amy Millington, Longueuil, is spending a few days in Sherbrooke, a guest of Mrs. C. F. Hersey at The Bellevue, Melbourne Street.

Mr. George Chisholm, R.C.A.F., Rockville, Ont., is visiting his mother, Mrs. A. W. Fowlett, and Mr. Fowlett, at the New Sherbrooke.

Dr. F. T. Tooke arrived from Montreal this morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hugh Morecroft Tomlinson, which is taking place this afternoon.

Major and Mrs. Conrad Gregoire, of Long Branch, Ont., spent Easter in Sherbrooke visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Gregoire, 69 Queen Street.

Mrs. E. A. Beaudre, Montreal, is a guest at the New Sherbrooke to be near her grandson, a student at Bishop's College School, who is a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Mr. Keith MacAllister and Mr. Tom Aspin, Ottawa, and Miss Ha Pettigill, Westmount, were guests for the Easter week-end of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. MacAllister at their home in Lennoxville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Symes, of Sherbrooke, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, LAW. Dorothy May Symes, R.C.A.F., Brandon, Manitoba, to Pilot Officer Denny Hunt-Duke, R.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hunt-Duke, Portsmouth, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daw, of Waterloo, Que., announce the engagement of their second daughter, Shirley, May, to Mr. Neil Fowler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fowler, of Kingsbury, Que., marriage to take place in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynville E. Jackson announce the engagement of their daughter, Grace Irene, to the Rev. James Guy Marston, son of Mr. Herbert R. Marston and the late Mrs. Marston, of Woodbridge, Ont. The marriage will take place early in June.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bradbury, nee Olive Lusk, of Montreal, who was called to Cookshire by the sudden death of her brother, Mr. Victor Lusk, and who was a guest there of Mrs. Arthur Bradbury, were in Sherbrooke yesterday en route to her home and was a guest while he was in Mr. and Mrs. Carroll S. Ives, Ontario Street.

Friends in Sherbrooke, Mrs. Moorhead's natal city, and of His Lordship Bishop Moorhead, of Fredericton, N.B., formerly an assistant priest in St. Peter's Church, will be interested in hearing that they have just taken up residence at Bishop's Court, 791 Brunswick Street, Fredericton, which has recently been purchased for a "See House" by the diocese of Fredericton.

## Home Service

Crude Manners Win Only Critical Little Smiles



### How Not To Pay A Girl's Way

What boorish manners! Dicker-ing for his share of the movie tickets right before the girls: "Forty-four, no 38 cents, that's for my ticket and hers. That's all I see."

And he's the man who wanted so much to meet a "really fine girl!" No "fine girl" will like a boy who doesn't even know that double-date accounts are settled when girls aren't present.

After all, how can a new girl judge you except by your manners? If you discuss prices before her, forget to open doors for her or neglect to help her out of a car, she's naturally ashamed of you.

Men of the world—the kind girls prefer for dates—never make such errors. They rise when a woman enters the room. In introducing another man, they mention her name first.

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Send 15c in coins for your copy of "Etiquette For Young Moderns" to Daily Record, Home Service, Sherbrooke, Quebec. Be sure to write plainly your name, address, and the name of booklet.

## PARTY GIVEN NEWLYWEDS BY MINTON FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Humphrey, of Montreal, Were Guests of Honor at Home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edkin.

Minton, May 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Humphrey, of Montreal, who were recently married, were guests-of-honor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edkin, on Saturday evening, April 24.

A large number of friends and relatives gathered to extend congratulations and to express in a tangible form their good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey.

A large number of gifts were brought in by Miss Marion Kerr and Miss Olive Austin, after which Mr. Kenneth Dean made the presentation, on behalf of those present.

The gifts were then unwrapped and admired and the guests-of-honor expressed their appreciation. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

### SUGARING-OFF PARTY

Following their hospitable custom, the MacRae family invited friends and neighbors to partake of sugar-on-snow at their camp on Monday afternoon, April 26.

Needless to say there was a hearty response to the invitation, and all enjoyed to the full the fine treat which was provided. The generosity of the MacRaes was greatly appreciated.

Rev. and Mrs. Norman McLeod, Mr. Norman McLeod, Jr., Mrs. Drennan and Mr. James McLeod, of Lennoxville, were also present.

### General Notes

It was with deep regret that the residents of this neighborhood learned of the death of Mr. Henry Saunders, of Sherbrooke. To his daughters, Mrs. Ray Conner and Mrs. Percy Knights, sincere sympathy is extended.

Mr. H. L. Johnson, Miss Florence Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Johnson and Mr. Fred Conner attended the funeral of Mr. Henry Saunders.

Mrs. Robert Ashe, of Lennoxville, spent the Easter week-end with her sister, Mrs. Charles Daintrey, and family.

Mrs. Albert Kezar and Miss Elsie Kezar were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Humphrey, of Montreal, were at the home of Mr. H. L. Johnson over a week-end.

Mr. J. Hubert Swift, of Montreal, was a visitor at the Daintrey home.

Several of the boys and girls attended a party which Mrs. Albert Kezar gave in honor of her daughter, Miss Elsie, during the holidays.

Service was held here on Easter Sunday, with Rev. Norman McLeod in charge.

Mrs. Leroy Bean, of Suffield, spent a day with her sister, Mrs. John Jenkin, and Mr. Jenkin.

Miss Margaret Dean, of Sherbrooke, was a guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dean.

### MAPLE GROVE

Rev. J. Comfort and Mrs. Comfort visited in Sherbrooke for a few days and were guests of Mrs. Comfort's father, Mr. Smith, and her sister, Miss Smith.

Mrs. Charles Cruickshank spent her Easter holidays at her home in Lennoxville.

Mrs. George McReynolds and Mr. Robert Dinning visited their aunt, Mrs. R. Nugent.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bennett, Messrs. John Bennett and Nat Amadon spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nugent.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bennett and daughter, Viola, and Mr. Nat Amadon spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bennett.

Rev. J. Comfort and Mrs. Comfort spent an afternoon as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Dinning. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett were also guests one evening at the same home.

Mrs. Otis Benett has returned home from Quebec City, after accompanying her sister, Mrs. F. N. Gill, to the Jeffrey Hale Hospital for an operation.

Mr. F. B. Gill spent a day with his sister, Mrs. R. Nugent, and nephew, Mr. Walter Nugent.

Mrs. George McReynolds and Mr. William Dinning spent an afternoon with Mrs. Jessie Annesley and Mr. O. R. Bennett.

Miss Gwen Nugent, of Stanstead,

## GLORIFY YOURSELF . . .

Nation's Mothers Must Learn to Fight Dust-Carried Germs

BY ALICIA HART

America expects 3,000,000 "bleeding events" in 1943. But with the ever-increasing bumper crops of babies, there is an equally disturbing increase in the number of doctors to tend them.

And so mothers must learn to rely more and more on their own knowledge of what to do to keep their youngsters hale and hearty.

During National Baby Week—May 1 to May 8—there will be a special programme of lectures, forums, exhibits, displays and pamphlets to tell mothers of the newest developments in child health, psychology, food, nutrition and cleanliness.

Cleanliness, health experts insist, is the first requisite for a healthy baby. Infants, especially, are susceptible to dust-carried germs, and their daily bath—either at the beginning or end of the day—is the most important part of their care.

Young babies, like little Sally Ann, should be bathed in tepid water with a soft washcloth and a pure white mild soap which makes velvet curls and lathers easily. When it is thoroughly dried, the baby should be carefully powdered or oiled, and dressed in a fresh shirt. And not to defeat all your careful precautions against dust-carried germs, make sure that the crib blankets and bed linen are ever-fresh.

Miss Marjorie Nugent and Messrs. Dufferin Annesley and Lawrence Bennett, of Bedford High School, are spending their holidays at their homes here.

Mrs. Albert Nugent went to Stan-



SALLY ANN; healthy, happy

stead to spend Easter with her sister, Mrs. R. Wallace.

Dolly Madison's former home, in Guilford, N.C., now rents for \$30 a month.

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## TWO R.A.F. MEN TO BATTLE FOR HEAVIES CROWN

Freddie Mills and Jack London in Lists for Fight in Britain to Settle Title to Championship.

By ALLAN NICKLESON  
Canadian Press Staff Writer  
London, May 1.—(P) — A couple of Royal Air Force sergeants will attempt to bash the daylight out of one another one of these nights—and the winner can dust off the British heavyweight boxing crown and place it on his head.

That's because Giant Jack London threw one of the hardest smashes of his long career and punched himself right into a championship bout with Freddie Mills, the Bournemouth strong man who put the clincher on the former heavyweight king's thoughts of retirement. Both are R.A.F. men.

London, who for nigh on ten years has been trying to climb into a ring with the championship at stake, proved himself the gent for the job by knocking out Young Al Robinson, of Leeds, in the eighth round of a scheduled 10-round eliminating affair at Leicester.

Mills, who took the British and Empire light-heavyweight titles by sending the defending champion, P.O. Len Harvey, hurtling over the ropes last June, watched the battle between Britain's two biggest ringmen, from a ringside seat. Mills was named the outstanding contender for the heavy title when Harvey, a few months after his defeat by Mills, announced his retirement as heavy-weight, a title he also held.

A veteran clouter from West Hartlepool, London never showed himself faster and more aggressive than against Robinson. He was so impressive that critics, who hitherto gave him scant chance of winning a title, conceded that on his newfound form Mills would have a tremendous task to beat him.

Considered one of the best heavy-weight battles in this country in years, the London-Robinson slugfest ended sensationally. Robinson had been pecking away with a left when London stepped in with a right that started from his hip. The punch caught his blonde adversary under the jaw, lifted him off his feet and dropped him flat on his back. He was counted out after making an effort to rise, and was carried to his corner.

Two rounds earlier Robinson had brought the crowd yelling to its feet when after receiving a heavy body-battering, he knocked London to the canvas with a left swing. London jumped up immediately, blood spurted from his eye and he obviously was shaken. But he came back strongly and belted Robinson with body swings.

London fought at 215½ pounds, about 10 pounds under his usual ring weight and gained speed by the shedding of flesh. Robinson, no puny lad either, tipped the scales at 214. In contrast, Mills, also an R.A.F. sergeant and a former booth boxer who came under the expert guidance of Ted Broadribb, Britain's maker of champions, fights at 180.

London's 35-pound pull in the weights will be a big advantage when he and Mills meet but Freddie is ready. He's tired of ring inactivity since he won the lightweight title; his motto is "The bigger they come, the harder they fall," and he holds previous victories over both London and Robinson.

### UPPER MELBOURNE

Mrs. George Grainger and daughter, Sylvia, spent a week with relatives in Lisgar.

Miss Gladys Murphy, of Montreal,

spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Lucy Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilks and family, of Montreal, spent Easter at their summer home.

Mrs. Robert Jones, of Chute Panet, returned home after spending

ing a month with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Converse. Little Miss Carol bestos, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrois.

Mr. and Mrs. R. April, of Assue, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrois.

Mr. Gordon McKeage, of St. Cyr, and Miss Klea Wentworth, of Gallup Hill, were guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Fred Lemoine and family, at "Bellevue."

Mr. and Mrs. John Stalker were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gallup, of Gallup Hill.

Pte. Raymond Murphy, of Ontario, was a week-end guest of his

mother, Mrs. Lucy Murphy, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bieson were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Goupil.

Mr. Plante, of Kingsey, was a

daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. Plante.

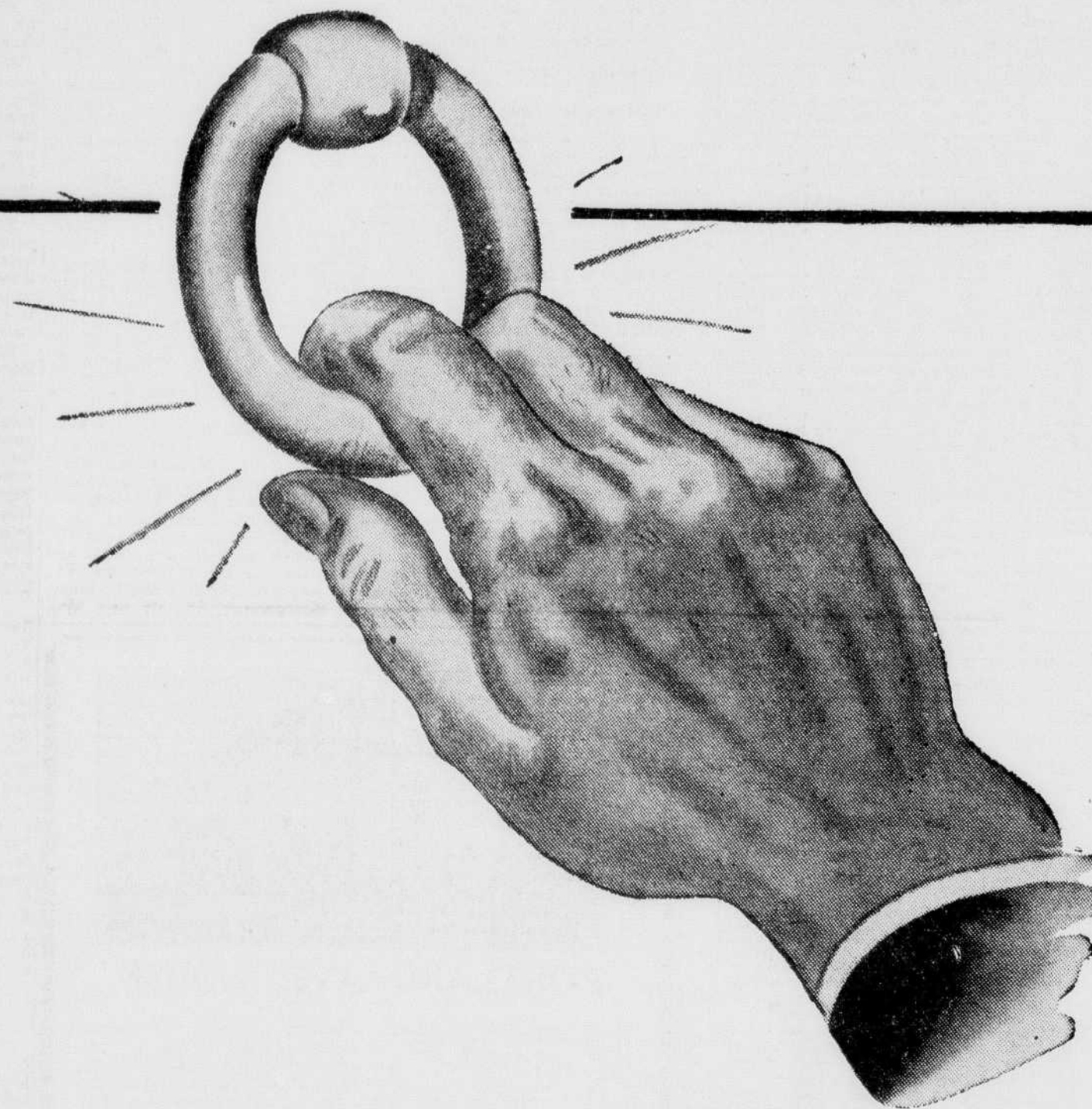
Mr. and Mrs. V. Lyon and daughter, Brenda, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Markwell.

Miss Flora Markwell has returned home, after spending a few weeks

### BALDWIN'S MILLS

Napoleon died on St. Helena, May 5, 1821.

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**Tuesday, May 4th,**  
At 12:30 P.M. FOR  
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10 milch cows, 1 three year old mare, four year old horse, young animals, farm wagon, rake, mowing machine, work sled, two separators, sulky plow, hand plow, harrow, harness, buggy, numerous small tools and many other farm articles. No reserve. Terms: Cash.  
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**ONE PEN R.R. BANTAMS FOR SALE:** one two year old cock and five yearling hens; bantam eggs for hatching after May 15th, from Golden Splendids, Black Rose Combs, Black Cochins and Wyandottes, \$1.25 per dozen. Young stock in the fall. L. A. Gignas, Sutton, Que.

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**FIVE WEEKS OLD PIGS, \$5 APIECE.** Major Lyon's Farm, Montreal Road.

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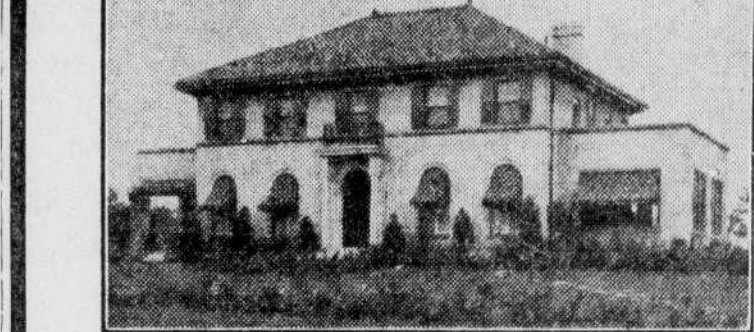
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### BRINGING UP FATHER.



Simone Simon and Kent Smith in "Cat People," which begins tomorrow at the New Premier Theatre.

### AT THE LOCAL THEATRES

#### At The New Premier

Lycanthropy, or the belief that human beings can turn into animals, forms the strange theme of "Cat People," with Simone Simon, Kent Smith and Jan Randolph, which starts tomorrow at the New Premier.

Based on an ancient Serbian legend that a certain race of women have the power of changing into huge cats and killing their lovers, the film's plot revolves about a young Serbian girl in New York City who shuns romance because of her conviction that she is one of these mysterious persons.

When she falls in love with a young naval architect and yields to his entreaties to marry him, her latent fears come to the surface and she insists on being a wife in name only. Nothing can change her, neither her husband's arguments nor the psychological efforts of a doctor whom he calls in.

Finally deciding to annul the hopeless marriage and take another wife, the architect finds he has unleashed a savagery he cannot control, and strange happenings come in swift succession until the dramatic climax is reached.

The other picture stars Roy Rogers, "King of Cowboys," playing in "Heart of the Golden West."

The plot is a gay and strictly modern one, presenting Roy as a young rancher who, with his pals, the Sons of the Pioneers, and his sidekicks, Gabby Hayes and Smiley Burnette, endeavors to protect his fellow ranchers from unjust shipping charges levied against them for transporting their cattle to the stock yards.

George Spears, of Enosburg Falls, Vt., Mrs. William Doyle and Miss Alfred Maynard, of Sutton, Messrs. Patrick and John Sheridan and Mr. and Mrs. John Westover, of Stanbridge East, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Manson and Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Doherty, of Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGrath, of Abercorn, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCullough, of East Dunham, Mr. William Lavery, of West Sutton, Miss Nina Lee, of Sutton, Mrs. Cora Berry, of Richford, Vt., Sgt. E. Lapalme, of Debert, N.S., Mr. J. R. Ouellette, of Montreal, Mr. Frank Murphy, of East Farnham, Miss Evelyn Farrell, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bisillon, of West Brome, and many others.

and surrounding districts, as well as in Sherbrooke and Montreal.

Miss MacLeod was born on August 15, 1904, at Stornoway, the daughter of the late Alex P. MacLeod, who passed away in June, 1931, and his wife Bella MacLeod. The family moved to Scottstown in 1928.

The funeral service, largely attended by sympathizing friends, was held in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, and was conducted by Rev. J. W. Smith, Pastor of the Church. The impressive address on "Immortality," was based on the text, "I go to prepare a place for you, and if I go, I will come again and receive you unto myself. The speaker stressed the beauty and glory of heaven, referring to it as a place of rest, a rest from weariness and exhaustion, a place of perfect knowledge, a place of glad reunion.

Tribute was paid to the beautiful Christian character of the deceased, who bore her long illness with patience and fortitude and was greatly beloved by a large circle of friends.

The male choir, augmented by members from the choirs of St. Al-the State Street Hospital, in Portland, and St. Andrew's Churches, rendered the following hymns, "Rock of Ages Is My Shepherd," "Rock of

#### At The Granada

Paul Muni is starred in what probably is his greatest performance, that of a Norwegian patriot in "Commandos Strike at Dawn," which starts at the Granada Theatre today.

Headed a cast which includes Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Anna Lee, Lillian Gish and Robert Coote, and directed by John Farrow, the man who made "Wake Island," Muni's role is a worthy successor to his performances as Zola and Pastour. To prepare for it, as he prepared for those other memorable characterizations, he left no stone unturned in his efforts to insure accuracy of detail. He held innumerable conferences with his director, with the writers, with technical advisers. He read every book and article he could find on Norway and on the Commandos. He rehearsed his speeches, testing every word and every nuance of expression. When the call of "Camera" first was heard, Muni's hardest job was passed. All he had to do from then on, was to act.

Born in Vienna, of theatrical parents, he was brought to this country at an early age. He was educated in New York and in Cleveland, Ohio, but obtained most of his training from his parents, with whom he travelled about the country.

The other picture is "Andy's Hardy's Double Life," in which Mickey Rooney gets into legal troubles, finds himself "engaged" to two girls and finally gets started for college after a series of hilarious predicaments.



Scene from "The Commandos Strike at Dawn," starting today at the Granada Theatre.

### Agnes' and "There Is No Night There."

Mrs. Arnold MacKenzie presided at the organ. Esteem and affection for the deceased was evidenced by the beautiful floral tributes covering the casket.

The funeral director was Alex M. MacDonald, and the bearers were Messrs. Norman MacLeod, Norman Morrison, John Nicholson, Daniel MacRae, Murdo Morrison and Charles MacRae.

She was laid to rest in the family lot beside her father, in River-view Cemetery.

She is survived by her mother and a brother, Stewart, as well as many relatives and friends, who mourn her loss.

Among those from out-of-town who attended the funeral were Mrs. Alex Beaton, of North Hill, Mr. David Hillis, Mr. and Mrs. George MacAskill, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacRae, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. MacIver, Mr. and Mrs. Murdo Matheson, Mrs. George Martin and Mr. Malcolm Martin, of Gould, Mr. and Mrs. Murdo Macleod, of Galtoun, Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacLeod, Mrs. Peter K. MacDonald, Mrs. Alex Nicholson, Mr. John K. MacKenzie and Miss Jean MacKenzie, of Milan, Mrs. George MacRae and Mrs. Malcolm Morrison, of Sherbrooke.

### THOMAS SHEA, THETFORD MINES.

Thetford Mines, May 1.—One of the aged residents of this place, Mr. Thomas Shea, passed away in St. Joseph's Hospital on Wednesday, April 21, at the age of eighty-eight years and five months, after several weeks' illness, and after being blind for twenty years.

Mr. Shea was born in St. Agathe. His first wife was Catherine Powell, and after her death fifty-two years ago, he was united in marriage to Bridget McGuire, widow of Patrick O'Donnell, who predeceased him about a year ago.

He leaves to mourn his passing three daughters, Mrs. Thomas Sheridan, of Thetford Mines, with whom he resided for thirty-six years; Mrs. Joseph Doherty, of Boston, Mass., and Mrs. George Henderson, of Sawyerville; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The funeral was held in St. Alphonse Church on Easter Monday morning, when Rev. Father Pierre Poulin celebrated High Mass. The bearers were Messrs. Edouard Filchen, Augener Doyon, William Hutchison, George Donaghy, Odile Cyr and Alfred Vallieres, with Joseph Vallieres as funeral director. Interment was made in the local cemetery.

Among those from out-of-town who attended the funeral were Mrs. Bernard Keenan, of La Tuque, and Miss Flossie Sheridan, of Sherbrooke.

Bombing from airplanes was condemned as early as 1899 by an international peace conference held at Hague.

By Zane Grey.



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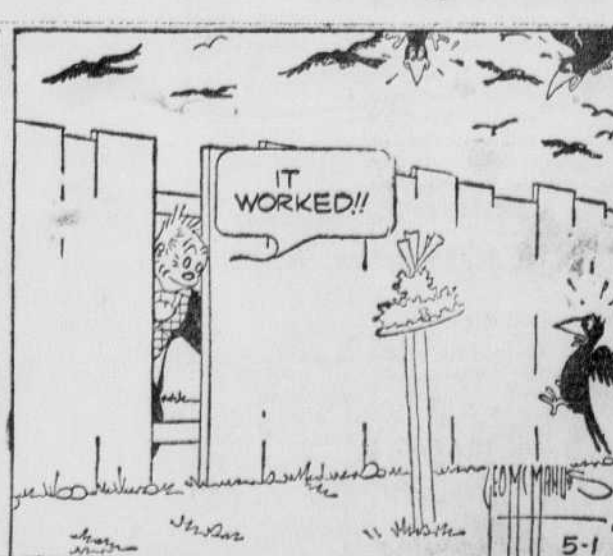
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# CANADIAN PRIVATE TRAILS CHAMPIONSHIP

## Greco Meets Young In Drive Toward Lightweight Honors

Montreal, May 1.—Pte. Johnny Greco, of the Royal Canadian Army Service Corps, will face another obstacle on the road to the world's lightweight title on Saturday, May 8, when he meets Terry Young in the feature bout of the army's Victory Loan boxing show.

It will be Johnny's first appearance in Montreal as a headliner. A year ago the little N.D.G. puncher left town with juries ringing in his ears. He had been knocked out by Art Foster, of Buffalo, in a preliminary bout. He couldn't even land a spot with the crowd which ran the show at St. James Market.

New Johnny is recognized internationally as a strong challenger.

The experts who congregate along Jacobs Beach, New York's boxing centre, concede that one of the reasons for Johnny's sudden surge to fist prominence is the fact that he is a body buster.

Most modern boxers are head-hunters. They aim practically all their blows at the head. Seldom do they strike for their opponents' bodies.

Pte. Greco varies his potent punches, frequently crashing his fists into the midsection until he forces

his foe to drop his guard.

These tactics have proven successful for the 19-year-old private. His peak performance was against Cleo Shans in Madison Square Garden. The kid won both ten-round battles, earning the shot at Young. Shans predicts that Greco will defeat Young in the May 8 bout but he warns that the American youngster, who expects to join the United States Marines soon, is an experienced ringman.

Young is a hard hitter in his own right. If Johnny emerges victorious he will have proven that he is ready for a title bout.

Johnny started to train in New York on April 19. His military training keeps him in such fine shape that he figures a little more than two weeks' preparation is sufficient for his ring battles.

The army's Victory Loan boxing show is sponsored by Military District No. 4 under the patronage of Brigadier-General E. de B. Panet, C.M.G., D.S.O., E.D., district officer commanding.

La-Col. Arthur G. White, assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general, is arranging a strong supporting card.

## News Items From Knowlton

A meeting of the Ladies' Guild of St. Paul's Church was held at the home of Mrs. A. Senft. The usual work was proceeded with and several articles were turned in from absent members.

Mrs. W. M. Bancroft, the President, opened the meeting with prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Kenneth Battley, and approved.

Correspondence was dealt with and arrangements were made for Easter remembrances to friends. Members of the Guild were happy to know that Mrs. Eli Hall had returned to her home improved in health. The Convener of the Work Committee, Mrs. Senft, was requested to write a note of appreciation for articles sent in. The next meeting was arranged for May 5 at the home of Mrs. Senft.

Cofax Rebekah Lodge No. 29 met in regular session in the I.O. O.F. Hall with a good attendance. In the absence of the Noble Grand, Sister Maud Hall, who was ill, Sister Agnes McClay, P.N.E., presided. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and correspondence was read and disposed of. It was decided to hold a degree practice at the first meeting in May. Lodge closed in ritual form, after which refreshments were served.

The first municipality in Bromo County to send in a subscription to the Fourth Victory Loan was St. Etienne de Bolton. The salesman, A. Crotier, bought bonds for himself, his wife and son. The first person to purchase a bond in Foster was George Porritt, who has two sons serving in the R.C.A.F., one overseas.

Mrs. Porritt says that he wants his sons who are doing the fighting to feel that he is doing all he can at home to back them up and he also realizes that he is making the soundest investment possible at the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. Osmond Thornton and son, John, of Montreal, were guests at the home of Mr. Thornton's brother, Mr. Charles P. Thornton, and Mr. Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Fuller and family, of Bolton Pass, moved into Howard Dudley's tenement on Davignon Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McCarthy were holiday guests of relatives in Montreal.

Cpl. John Syberg, of the R.C.A.F., at St. John's, spent a week-end with his family here.

Mrs. Carl Stone and the Misses Emma and Pauline Stone spent an afternoon in Waterloo.

The Rebekah Knitting and Sewing Club was entertained by Mrs. H. A. Pettis one evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turner and sons, Durrell and Gordon, of Montreal, were in town over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Filmore Sadler, of Montreal, were in town during the holidays.

Mrs. Charles Barnes was a guest on Sunday of her sister, Mrs. George Rogerson, Mr. Rogerson and family.

Mrs. Alice Derby, of Montreal, was a week-end guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milan Derby.

Friends of Mrs. F. H. Mizener are pleased to learn that she is able to be about, after her illness.

Mrs. Donald Hume and son, Douglas, of Foster, spent an afternoon as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ian W. Crandall.

Mrs. Dolly Williams, of Montreal, spent a week-end at the home of Mrs. Alice Boyce.

AC. Ralph C. Mandigo, of the R.C.A.F., at Ottawa, spent a week-end with his mother, Mrs. H. L. Mandigo.

Mr. L. Tuxen, of Montreal, spent Easter with his family here.

Miss April Dawn Stone entertained several young friends on Monday, April 26, on the occasion of her tenth birthday. Games were enjoyed throughout the afternoon, after which delicious refreshments, which included a birthday cake, were served.

## AUSSIE PILOT WAS WINNER OF COVETED AWARD

Last Trip of Gallant Airman, Trained in Canada, Ended in English Channel After Visiting Italy.

By FOSTER BARCLAY  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

London, May 1.—Bravery and devotion to duty, described officially as "unsurpassed in the annals of the Royal Air Force," won the Victoria Cross for Sgt. Ronald Middleton, 26-year-old Australian, who came to Britain to help avenge ruthless German raids on civilians.

But he won't be around to have that little bit of bronze and colored ribbon pinned to his breast by the King at Buckingham Palace. The airman gave his life so others might live to fight again. He died at the controls of a battered shell-punctured Stirling bomber after a daring raid on Turin last November.

For nearly 4½ hours the Australian "Jockeroo" was shot and smeared with blood, fought to reach safely behind Britain's coast. He could not speak, because when he spoke he bled. A shell exploded in his cabin and an eye was blown away. He could hardly see, but he summoned all the strength he could muster and flew his plane from Turin, through the Alps and through the flak over France.

He had enough fuel left for only five minutes flying when the bomber finally crossed the English coast and as there was no place to land he ordered his crew to bale out. Five did. Two stayed with him when he ditched the bomber in the Channel rather than crash it on people ashore.

The bodies of his front gunner and flight engineer were fished from the water the next day. Middleton is still officially listed as missing but those who were with him say he couldn't have survived.

It was in the early autumn of 1940 when Middleton left a large grazing property, managed by his father, to join the Royal Australian Air Force. He told his father: "I'm going to give back to the Huns some of what they've been giving other people." In the Air Force he became an earnest plodding type of pupil. Everything he did was thorough, unspectacular. Friends called him "Plodder."

He was always reading about atrocities perpetrated by the Germans on unprotected cities. Sometimes he would sit for hours, running his fingers through his brown hair, his face thoughtful, sombre, a queer glint in his eyes and muttering from time to time "We've got to give it back to them."

Middleton's first chance came as a second pilot in a Stirling soon after he arrived last year from Canada where he trained under what is now the Combined Training Organization Plan. He went to raid targets near Aachen, Germany.

The bomber was attached by a ME 110 night fighter. Its starboard wing was riddled with holes. One engine was put out of action. The undercarriage collapsed when the aircraft landed.

Middleton participated later in the big attacks on Rostock, Lubeck, Duisburg, the Ruhr and Hamburg. Then came Osnabruck, Frankfurt, Wilhelmshaven, Munich, Genoa and Turin. He was briefed again for Turin on November 28th. It was his 29th raid and after one more flight he would have been eligible for an instructional job.

Miss April Dawn received many nice gifts.

Mrs. Ida Bullard, of Bolton Glen, called on friends in town.

Edgar Ransom, of McGill University, Montreal, was a guest at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Ransom, over Easter.

Mrs. W. Willets and daughter, Miss Mildred Willets, returned from spending a few days in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harris and family, of Montreal, were in town over the Easter holidays.

Raymond Mizener, of Granby, was a dinner guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. A. W. Mizener.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Guillette, of Sherbrooke, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Beals.

Miss Dorothy Vail, of Bromo, was a guest for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Worden.

Mrs. Forest Wright and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Wright, in Fulford.

Sgt.-Observer Manly Mitchell, of the R.C.A.F., in Rockcliffe, Ont., spent Easter at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Parkes spent a week-end in Melbourne Ridge, as the guests of Mrs. Parkes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Petties, of Sherbrooke, were week-end guests of Mrs. A. W. Mizener and Mr. Karl A. Mizener.

Mr. Sidney Sturtevant, of Montreal, visited his father, Mr. Edward Sturtevant.

Pte. Maurice Clarke and Mrs. Clarke, of Farnham, were holiday guests of Mrs. Clarke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Ian W. Crandall and Mrs. C. E. Crandall were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hume.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Worden spent an evening in Waterloo.

Mr. Jack Ball spent several days in Montreal, where he enlisted in the R.C.A.F.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Partridge, of Montreal, spent the Easter holiday in town.

## Canadian Sport Snapshots

By CHARLES EDWARDS, Canadian Press Staff Writer.

Toronto, May 1.—It's all for the war effort so none will complain but it will be a blow to Hamilton, Ont., sport if the proposal to cut the Cricket Grounds there into victory gardens is carried out. None would suspect it from the name, but the Cricket Grounds' claim to fame was chiefly as the home of Hamilton's great football teams.

Possibility the storied playing field may become a potato patch has started Claude Kewley of the Sarnia Observer into sympathy for the Hamilton Spectator sport scribes. Walter McMullen and Tommy Moore, "If the present trend continues in Hamilton," writes Kewley, "McMullen may well be forced to change the name of his daily column, The Sports Trail. Almost any day, it may appear under the heading of 'The Man With the Hoe'."

Hockey clean-up: Now that Winnipeg Rangers have proved Oshawa Generals actually can be beaten, Ontario junior hockey clubs are showing more enthusiasm in their organizing for next winter.

Rivals in the Allan Cup final, Neil Colville of Ottawa Commandos and Bill Carse of Victoria Army are reported due to train together at Gordon Head, B.C., for their arm commissions.

Round about: Sgt. Gerard Cote, French-Canadian winner of the Boston Marathon,

started running because he wanted to be a boxer. He used to do about five to ten miles of roadwork a day and finally got to like running better than boxing. . . W.D. (Sojer) Nichol, 56 star of New Westminster Royals soccer teams fifteen years ago, died suddenly last week at the coast. He played with Glasgow Celtic in Scotland before the First Great War.

## DAVIDSON HILL

Sgt. and Mrs. Douglas Parkhill and Mrs. Edward Davis, of Lyndville, were Easter week-end guests of Mr. A. C. Parkhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Butler, of Sherbrooke, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Butler and George Butler.

Master Dickie Stoddard, of Waterloo, is spending his Easter holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gustin and son, Donald, were Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dolloff, near Georgeville.

Miss Alma Gustin is spending her holidays in Sherbrooke visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Sunbury.

Friends of Mr. C. W. Morse are sorry to hear that he suffered a severe heart attack and is confined to his room. All wish him a speedy recovery.

## ST. CYR

Easter week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Findlay were Sgt. Russell Cook, R.C. A.F., and Mrs. Cook, of Longueuil, and Mr. Sylvester Rodgers, of Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barlow spent Easter Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Rodgers, and Mr. Rodgers, in Danville.

Mrs. Russell Nutbrown, of Rock Island, was also a guest at the same home.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McKeage were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Carson, Mr. Roy Carson and daughter, Dorothy, of Nicolet Falls, Mr. Walter McKeage and Miss Irene McKeage, of Asbestos, Miss Barbara McKeage, of Sherbrooke, and Miss Betty LeMoine, of Melbourne.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Levin and children, of Burlington, Vt., and Mr. E. B. Willey, of Newport, Vt., called at the McKeage home.

Mrs. Hector Tremblay and daughter, Margaret, Misses Margaret and Yvonne Descoteaux spent a week-end in Montreal.

Miss Lena McKenna, of Richmond, spent the Easter week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. McKenna.

Miss Irene McKenna was a guest of her uncle, Mr. Jack McKenna, and Mrs. McKenna, in Asbestos, over a week-end.

Miss Jean McKenna, teacher at the Byrd School, spent the Easter holidays at her home.

Miss Muriel Bernard, of Dan-

## Thirty Rounds Of Amateur Boxing To Be Staged At Training Centre

Amateur boxing at its best, and thirty rounds of it, that is the sight to which sportsmen of Sherbrooke are invited by the Sports Committee of C.A.B.T.C. 43. The event will take place at the drill hall of the Lord Sherbrooke camp on Tuesday next, May 4. First gong will ring out at 8 o'clock sharp and from then on, everything will take place in the customary precision and punctuality of Army life.

## COMPTON

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Campbell were Mrs. Bannister and daughter, Miss Bertha Bannister, of Knowlton, and Mr. William Parkinson, of Sherbrooke. Mrs. H. O. Burt and little son, John, were in Richmond to attend the forty-ninth wedding celebration of Mrs. Burt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lariviere.

Joseph Savary, R.C.A.F. Instructor in the Training School in Quebec City, was a week-end guest at the Savary home.

Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Pomeroy were Mr. Lee Pomeroy and Mrs. Paice, of Montreal, and Miss Cora Davis, of Lennoxville.

Mr. Fred Davis and little son, Andrew, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Findlay.

Mrs. R. M. Wharram and Miss G. Hutley, of Stanstead College, called on friends here.

Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Spalding were Mr. and Mrs. M. Renaud, Mr. and Mrs. Denis Spalding and little daughter, Lorraine, of Sherbrooke.

Miss Snow is spending the holidays at her home in Coaticook.

Contestants will come from the ranks of No. 43 barracks and from the garrison of the Army and Navy camp of St. Hyacinthe. Both camps have already held inter-company contests to find out the pick of the crop. The ten best men from each camp have then undergone extensive training so that only real he-men will dance and punch within the ropes of the newly-built ring of "Forty-Three."

Among the fighters to strut their stuff next Tuesday are a few champion amateur boxers and even participants in the Golden Gloves eliminations. One of them, Private Nicholson, is a negro hailing from Ontario, who won a decision over Rene (Kid) Lederer only three weeks ago.

This spectacle is staged by the Sports Committee of C.A.B.T.C. 43 under the presidency of Captain E. Makouin in order to put the finishing touch to the physical training of the boys—and to show civilians what kind of stuff goes into the making of a fighting Canadian.

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## Changes In and Vegetables

price cuts, brisket, flank and steak, and hamburger, there will be little or no increase, and on the medium price cuts, the increase will be less than on more expensive cuts. These include porterhouse, sirloin, wing and prime rib steaks or roasts, also short ribs and blade roasts.

It was explained that the percentage of cuts of the highest quality in the carcass is comparatively small.

Maple products were more plentiful than at any time during the present season. Many farmers and producers continued breaking the price ceiling. The prices of maple sugar and wax was advanced from ten to twenty-five cents, according to the quantity.

Detailed prices:

**DAIRY MARKET**

Butter, best dairy, lb. . . . 38c  
Butter, best creamery, lb. . . . 38c  
Eggs, A-1 specials . . . 43c to 45c  
Grade A-large . . . 40c  
Grade A-medium . . . 38c to 39c  
Pulic's eggs . . . 35c  
Kraft cheese . . . 35c  
New cheese, Quebec . . . 30c  
Old cheese . . . 40c, 45c & 50c  
Oka, lb. . . . 45c

**THE FRUIT MARKET**

Apples (Macintosh), peck . . \$1.00  
Grapefruit (California) . . 3 for 25c  
Lemons, dozen . . . 35c to 40c  
Oranges, per dozen . . . 45, 50, 60  
Strawberries, basket . . . 40c

**THE VEGETABLE MARKET**

Beets, bunch . . . 45c  
Cucumbers, each . . . 30c  
Carrots, pound . . . 12c  
Cabbage, new, lb. . . . 10c  
Cauliflower, local, each . . 40c  
Celery, local, bunch . . . 20c  
California Iceberg . . . 30c  
Local lettuce, bunch . . . 40c  
Mushrooms, lb. . . . 35c  
Potatoes (Md.), peck . . . 50c  
Onions, lb. . . . 10c  
Tomatoes, (Calif.), lb. . . 25c  
Radishes, bunch . . . 10c  
Spinach, lb. . . . 25c  
Rhubarb, bunch . . . 25c

**WESTERN BEEF**

Beef, carcass . . . 22c  
Beef, roasts, per lb. . . . 25c  
Beef, carcass, lb. . . . 16 1/2c  
Steak, round, per lb. . . . 35c  
Steak sirloin, per lb. . . . 30c to 35c

**THE PROVISION MARKET**

Fowl, lb. . . . 38c  
Boiling meat, per lb. . . . 35c to 40c  
Bacon, per lb. . . . 35c to 40c  
Blood sausages, lb. . . . 50c  
Calf liver, lb. . . . 42c  
Chickens, lb. . . . 40c  
Cottage rolls, lb. . . . 40c  
Ham, per lb. . . . 35c  
Ham, picnic, lb. . . . 27c  
Mutton, front, per lb. . . . 10c  
Pork loins, lb. . . . 35c  
Mutton, hind, lb. . . . 15c to 18c  
Pork, carcass, lb. . . . 17 1/2c  
Pork, spare ribs, lb. . . . 15c  
Pork sausage, lb. . . . 29c  
Pork, shoulder roast, lb. . . 27c  
Lamb, carcass, lb. . . . 22 1/2c  
Spring lamb, front, lb. . . 25c  
Spring lamb, loins, lb. . . 40c  
Spring lamb, legs . . . 40c  
Steak, sirloin, lb. . . . 50c  
Steak, round, lb. . . . 45c  
Turkeys, lb. . . . 40c to 42c  
Veal, hinds . . . 20c to 25c  
Veal, carcass . . . 18c

**FLOUR AND GRAIN MARKET**

Following are the prices of flour and feed grain delivered F.O.B.:

No. 1 Northern . . . \$1.17  
No. 2 Northern wheat . . \$1.14  
Extra 3 W.C. oats . . . . 65  
No. 2 Feed barley . . . . 81  
Cash prices per bushel basis track, Montreal ex-store.

Spring wheat flour: First patents, 5.15-5.35 per barrel in carlots, basis track, 5.70-5.95 in broken lots, delivered in. Second patents, 4.50-4.70 in carlots, basis track. All less 10c for cash.

Winter wheat flour: Choice grades in carlots \$5.00-\$5.15 per barrel, broken lots \$5.20-\$5.35, less 10c for cash. White corn flour per barrel in cotton bags delivered to the trade less 10c for cash, carlots \$7.60, broken lots \$7.60.

Milled: Bran, 29.25; Shorts, 30.25; middlings, 33.25; all per ton carlot or mixed carlot quantities, delivered in Montreal freight points, less 25c for cash.

Roll-dress: Bag of 80 lbs., delivered to the trade \$3.25 to \$3.40, which includes sales tax.

Baled hay: Per ton (C.B. Montreal, Grade No. 2, 21\$; oats straw, 29.00.

## SWEETSBURG

Results of the second term examinations at Hillcrest School are as follows, with percentages:

Grade I: Alta Peron, 90; Earle Dennis, 89.7; James Miltimore, 79; Keith Mitchell, 71.3; Gwenneth Beattie, Bruce Loucks and George Poll, unranked.

Grade II, Jr.: Kathryn Mitchell, 61.  
Grade II, Sr.: Norman Rundle, 78.5; Dale Heusser, 69.8.

Grade III, Jr.: Phyllis Rutter, 53.8.  
Grade III, Sr.: Jox Heusser, 77.3; Edna King, 58.2; examinations not completed.

Grade IV: Francis Dennis, 48.1.  
Grade V: Karl Heusser, 70.9; Joan Rutter, 68.6; Pearl Barber, 65; James Thomas 61.6.

Grade VI: Lawrence Barber, 70.6; Byron Lee, 70; Lorraine Buzzell, 68.3; Claude King, 70.1; examinations not completed.

Grade VII: Betty Barber, 77.7; Margaret Potvin, 82.6, examinations not completed.

**General Notes**

The Easter Day service at Christ Church was very largely attended, there being over one hundred and twenty-five people present, including thirty-nine communicants.

Conducted by Rev. John O. Peacock, Priest-in-Charge, the Easter message was very impressive, though brief, and "The Holy City," by Stephen Adams, was rendered during the offertory by the organist.

Miss Lora Robinson, and the prelude to the service was "Brother James' Air" (Mahana). The interior of the church was very beautiful with Easter flowers, a potted Easter lily, spring flowers and roses on the altar, pulpit and organ.

The Easter lily was given in memory of Mrs. C. H. Whitehouse by her husband and family. The carnations were in loving memory of Mr. John McCabe and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. Irving McCabe. The stocks were in memory of Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. J. D. Bulman, and were presented by Mrs. Hugh Ashness-Wellis. The daffodils and tulips were presented by Mrs. A. R. B. Lockhart, of St. Anne de Bellevue, in memory of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Goff. The American Beauty and Taisman roses which were presented by Mrs. M. A. Robinson and daughter, who had received them as an Easter gift, were given to Miss Hannah Smith and T. D. Barber, who had been ill. Some of the other flowers were given to sick people and some placed in the cemetery of Christ Church, in memory of Mrs. H. Goff.

Mrs. Walter Weston, Miss Lucie Lebrasse and Mr. Carl Cotton, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Cotton.

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## HUNTINGVILLE

Mrs. C. H. Hunting was the hostess at the regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid, which was held at her home and which was conducted by the President, Mrs. E. J. Harrison. The usual programme was followed, including a reading by Mrs. F. Libbey, on "The Progress of Science," which impressed her hearers with a realization of the fact that owing to the ever-broadening scope of scientific discovery, we are indeed living in a day and age of miracles. After the closing hymn, with Mrs. C. H. Hunting at the piano, the opening strains of "Here Comes the Bride" were heard and the special guest of the afternoon, Mrs. George Beers, entered and was escorted to her appointed seat. Mrs. F. E. Libbey, on behalf of the Ladies' Aid members and friends, then presented Mrs. Beers with a lovely quilted satin comforter, for which she expressed her thanks for the gift and the kind thought prompting it. A delicious tea was served by the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Merle Hunting, and others, thus concluding with a social hour, a very pleasant afternoon.

Mrs. F. E. Libbey and Miss Marion Libbey entertained at an evening of progressive five hundred, at their home. The highest scores were won by Miss Jean Hunting and E. St. Onge, second prizes being awarded to Miss Libbey and Mr. J. Trussler. Lunch was served by several members of the Ladies' Aid, and a helpful sum added to their treasury.

Mr. Gordon Harrison has sufficiently recovered from an operation in the Sherbrooke Hospital as to be up and around as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hodge, of Brompton, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hunting.

Mrs. G. H. Armstrong, of Deseronto, Ont., is spending a fortnight with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hunting.

Friends of Mr. William Price regret to hear that he is in poor health and is confined to the house the greater part of the time.

Mrs. George Beers, of the Ascot teaching staff, is spending the Easter vacation with her husband, G. N. Beers, R.C.N.V.R., in Halifax, N.S.

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Mrs. Gerald French and daughter, Beverly, spent a week in South Durham as guest of her mother.

Miss Evelyn Hodge spent a day in Sherbrooke and was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harrison.

Mrs. Z. Ward, of Cookshire, spent a few days in town as a guest of friends.

Rev. and Mrs. W. Grey, of Cookshire, called on those who were ill in this district.

Miss Evelyn Hodge was a tea guest of Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Winslow, in Sawyerville.

Mr. C. W. Chute and Miss Florence Chute spent Easter as guests of Mrs. E. Chute, in Bulwer.

The many friends of Mr. J. H. Adams are pleased to know that he has returned home from the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Mr. Gleason Hume was an overnight guest at the home of Mr. E. Hodge.

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Mr. Martin Allison, of Quebec, spent a few days as guest of Mr. B. Harrison. Callers at the home of Mr. B. Harrison were Mrs. Helen Harrison and Mr. Edwin Harrison, of Sawyerville, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Harrison and children, of Lennoxville, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harrison, of Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. T. Pehle-mann and daughter, Ruth, of Bury, Mr. Gordon Harrison, of Sherbrooke, and Miss L. Bailey, of Cookshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kingsley and Miss Betty were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Bain, in Clifton.

Mr. Malcolm Kingsley, of Island Brook, spent a week-end at his home here.

Mr. Gerald French spent a week-end in South Durham.

Mrs. G. French and daughter returned home with Mr. French.

Mrs. E. Armstrong is spending her Easter holidays in Bury with her mother.

The village school closed on April 22 for the Easter holidays. The examination results are as follows, in order of merit: Grade VII, Ruth Davies 69.2; Grade V, Janet Tait 78.3; Grade IV, Walter McComb 79; Everett McComb 77.6; Donald Keny 64.8; Grade III, Fern McComb 80.1; Charles Tait 79.4; Ida Locke 76.2; Grade II, Priscilla Tait 81.8; Sylvia Ewing 77.5; Grade I, Eugene McComb 86.7; Fay Locke 88.1.

## EAST FARNHAM

Mr. C. H. Knott celebrated his eighty-sixth birthday on April 17. Many friends called to congratulate him. Mr. and Mrs. Tibbitts served a delicious dinner for the occasion, which was much enjoyed.

An Easter service was held in the United Church on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Boyd preached at the close of the service, the little

son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shufelt was baptized and received the names Robert Walter Guy.

Rev. Mr. Macklin officiated at the Easter service in St. Augustine's Church on Sunday evening, with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Thompson spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson, in Farnham Centre.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Tait and Master Rodney returned to Longueuil on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Teel, of Montreal, were week-end and holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. McCulloch, of Kingston, Ont., was also an Easter guest of Mrs. McDonald and family at the home of Mr. W. J. McCulloch.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Tait and Master Rodney, of Longueuil, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Taber.

Miss Elizabeth MacNaughton, of Brooklyn, N.Y., is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cook.

Pte. Frederick Sanborn, of Quebec City, was an Easter guest of his wife and also of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Teel.

Cpl. Maurice Webb, Veterans' Guard, of Farnham, and his son, LAC. Robert Webb, of St. Johns, were Easter guests of Mrs. Maurice Webb and family.

Mrs. Maclellan, of Montreal, is a guest of Mrs. George Durack.

Pte. Gilbert A. Brown, of Huntingdon, was at home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tibbitts, of Brome, and Miss Ruby Griggs, of Farnham, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Knott.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Thompson went to Farnham on Saturday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Welch.

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## MILAN

Her many friends here are pleased to learn that Mrs. Archie Munroe, nee Katherine MacLeod, of Maxville, Ont., is much improved in health, after a long illness. Mrs. Munroe is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Malcolm MacLeod, of Maxville, Ont., and the late Rev. Mr. MacLeod, who passed away in 1921, while Pastor here. All wish her a speedy and ultimate recovery.

Miss Inez Nicholson, of Coaticook, spent the Easter week-end with her mother, Mrs. K. K. Nicholson.

Russell MacIver, R.C.A.F., of Lachine, called on friends in town on Saturday.

Murdo A. Murray, of Scotstown, visited relatives and friends here. Pte. Ian MacDonald, of Lau-Meganic, on Saturday.

Friends here were interested to hear the name of Captain Allan D. Piper, of Cornwall, Ont., as being the first officer of the Canadian Army to subscribe to the Fourth Victory Loan. Capt. Piper is a nephew of Mrs. George MacDonald, and has spent vacations at her home here on different occasions.

Capt. Piper lost both hands due to a bomb explosion while on active duty Overseas, which news was received here with deep regret. He began as a sixteen-year-old trooper in the cavalry, and has held every rank from corporal to captain. He has a wife and three daughters.

reton, spent Easter week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis MacDonald.

Mrs. Donald Drysdale, of Alabama, and Mrs. K. D. Murray, of Sherbrooke, spent the week-end with their sister and daughter, Mrs. John E. MacDonald, of MacDonald.

Mrs. Drysdale is en route to Chicago, Ill., where she and Mr. Drysdale will make their future home.

Mr. Donald Goodfellow, of Sher-

brooke, spent Easter week-end with friends here.

Mrs. George N. MacDonald and Miss Mary MacLeod were in Lake siding in Cornwall, Ont.

Mrs. James E. Matheson has gone to Barre, Vt., where she will visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coleman.

Mr. John MacKenzie visited his father in Meganic on Saturday. Mr. MacKenzie, Sr., has not been very well for a few weeks. His friends here hope he will soon improve.

Among those spending the Easter holidays at their respective homes were Misses Muriel MacDonald, of Bury, Dolena Nicholson, of Drummondville, and Miss Dorothy Ross, of Sherbrooke.

The beautiful scarf on the communion table, the covering on the organ and the carpet in harmonizing color on the steps up to the pulpit in Bethany Church on Easter Sunday were placed there in loving memory of Mr. Eben MacLeod, who passed away in April, 1941, by Mrs. Jessie MacLeod and family.

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