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LOCAL WAR FUND DRIVE GOES OVER TOP

\$31,268 Collected After Two Week's Relentless Effort

Westmount Residents and Workers Praised for Their Generosity and Work in Topping \$27,000 Objective—Particular Praised Accorded Women Canvassers by Westmount Co-Chairmen J. A. C. Colvill, D. A. Hanson

Described by Co-chairmen J. A. C. Colvill and D. A. Hanson as a "truly amazing" response, the sum of \$31,268 was the City of Westmount's share in the Dominion-wide drive on behalf of the six Canadian War Services, according to figures released last night.

With several more contributions still to be collected, the total as it stands, is 116 per cent of the original \$27,000 objective, proving once again that Westmount residents are second to none in answering a call to give their country financial aid.

Success of the two-week campaign in Westmount, and throughout the whole province for that matter, is little short of miraculous when one considers the limited time available for organization at the outset.

Co-chairmen Colvill and Hanson had particular praise last night for the women workers in Westmount on whom, they claim, rested most of the responsibility in the door-to-door canvass of approximately 30,000 homes throughout the municipality.

"With most of the men looking after the special names list and not having as much time at their disposal, the onus for achieving our goal rested mainly on the women workers," Chairman Hanson said, "and they came through splendidly."

Special praise was accorded Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Hanneford, Mrs. Mulloy and Frank P. Turville for their work in handling returns and the many other clerical tasks entailed in a campaign of such magnitude.

Approximately 500 workers were engaged in the Westmount portion of the campaign, it was announced.

Announcement of final figures for the province was made Tuesday night at a closing dinner held in the Mount Royal Hotel with E. F. Plimfoft, K.C., and Senator Leon Mercer Gouin, provincial co-chairmen, officiating.

The result was acclaimed by campaign leaders as indicating that the Quebec population as a whole was solidly behind the gallant Canadians serving in the Empire's armed forces.

It also demonstrated they were appreciative of the splendid work being done by the Canadian Legion, the Salvation Army, the Y.M.C.A., (the Westmount branch having had a team of workers under Secretary Ernie Taylor, the Y.W.C.A., Knights of Columbus and the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire in providing for the men of the Navy, Army and Air Force both overseas and at home, those comforts and conveniences that are so appreciated by them while on active service.

C. DOUG TAYLOR IS NAMED HEAD OF AUTO GROUP

C. Douglas Taylor, well-known West-end resident living at 4719 Upper Roslyn avenue, was named president of the Montreal Automobile Trade Association at the 25th annual meeting of that body held in the Mount Royal Hotel.

President of the Chevrolet Motor Sales Company of Montreal, Mr. Taylor always has been an active service worker, being a past president of the Kiwanis Club of Montreal, past president of the Montreal Children's Hospital, president of the Canadian Council for Crippled Children and past president of the Province of Quebec Society for Crippled Children.

In assuming the presidency, Mr. Taylor said the membership had shown a considerable increase during the past year, indicating the outstanding efforts of the retiring board as well as an awakened dealer interest in interest in legislative matters regarding the automobile business.

MRS. WALLGATE AGAIN HEADS PARCELS GROUP

Westmount Resident Re-Elected at First Annual Meeting of Overseas League Held Tuesday

The Officers of the first fiscal year of the Overseas Parcels League were returned by acclamation at the first annual meeting held at the Windsor Hotel, Tuesday evening, April 8. They are as follows: Hon. President: Mrs. L. S. Wallgate, of Westmount; Hon. Secretary: Mrs. R. S. Kennedy; Hon. Treasurer: Mrs. R. S. Griffith; Wool Conventor: Mrs. Fred Hammond.

The President in her opening address reviewed the growth of the League; from twelve original members to over six hundred today. The cause of the men serving on British Minesweepers was adopted as the League's work and Charter taken out under the War Charities Act in January 1940.

The early policy of the League to be entirely voluntary has been maintained; all overhead has been avoided, every cent donated being turned into wool and sweaters. Rapid growth of the work was shown by a comparison between forty-odd garments received in December 1939 and fourteen-hundred received and shipped last month.

Shipments originally sent every two months are now forwarded twice a month. Funds have been raised in various ways, from public entertainment, social events, and appeals through the medium of newspaper publicity. The work supplied comes from the splendid voluntary efforts of nine local units, mostly comprised of business girls, steady contribution from some thirty groups and from individual donations both monetary, and material, received from individuals from end to end of Canada and even the United States.

At monthly meetings held by the Committee made up of original members and a representative of each Unit, policy is decided and future work planned. At work headquarters in the Windsor Hotel, open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Saturdays 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., members take charge attending to incoming work, the receipt of donations, and the giving out of wool.

Our consignments to Britain now forwarded direct to alternate Patrol Depots of the Royal National Mission to Deep Sea Fishermen on the coasts of Britain, are packed by the League workers at Red Cross House.

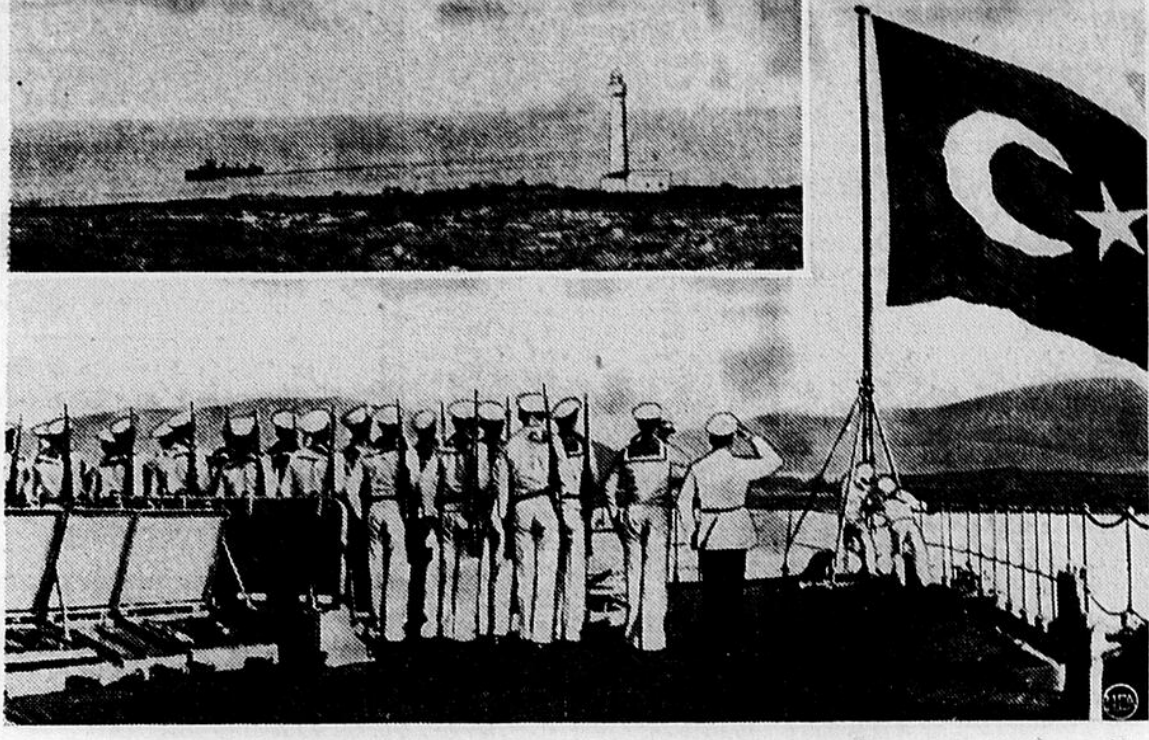
It was pointed out that the service undertaken by the League has been greatly assisted by the public interest shown and support given. Thanks were extended to all those who have contributed, special mention being made of the co-operation and generosity of the Canadian Red Cross, Quebec Division, for the free shipping service and other courtesies extended to the League.

Gratefully acknowledged was the inclusion in the League of the Newfoundland Minesweepers Knitting Service as Unit No. 7, a group caring for the needs of their own seamen in the British Minesweeper Service; and of the splendid assistance given the League by the Overseas Nurses, Montreal Branch.

In closing, the President expressed warm appreciation and personal thanks for the efforts made by all workers, and for the loyalty shown the cause they have adopted and called upon them to continue this duty even though greater sacrifices on their part may be necessary, pointing out that the men the League is serving perform a duty which is all sacrifice.

Donations received for the fiscal year amounted to \$7,205.10, and included \$4,683.59 donated for sweaters, and \$2,521.51 donated for wool. 2,238 lbs of wool was purchased during the fiscal year. 1,932 sweaters were purchased during the same time. 23 shipments were made and 7,246 articles shipped.

DARDANELLES AGAIN MAY HOLD KEY TO EUROPE'S FATE



With German troops speeding toward her Thracian borders, Turkey lost no time in locking, with mines and warships, the vital Dardanelles Strait. Above, sailors are seen saluting the star and crescent banner aboard the Turkish warship Yavuz, formerly the German cruiser Goeben. Inset photo shows a British destroyer steaming past the lighthouse at Cape Helles, entrance to the Dardanelles.

LT. COL. ROSS RETIRES FROM MEDICAL CORPS

Resigns as Officer Commanding 6th Field Ambulance after 20 Years in Canadian Army

After serving more than 20 years with the Canadian Army, Lt. Colonel Albert Ross, M.C., officer commanding the 6th Field Ambulance, R.C.A.M.C. (Reserve), has retired. It was announced yesterday by Lt. Colonel R. H. McGibbon, E.D., district medical officer.

A resident of Westmount, Col. Ross was a veteran of the first Great War, having distinguished himself both in France where he won the Military Cross, and in Canada after the Armistice was signed.

Col. Ross went overseas as a captain with the No. 9 Field Ambulance March, 1915, serving with that unit until April 3 1919, when he returned to civilian life.

In the fall of 1921, however, he rejoined the 9th Field Ambulance, then a unit of the Canadian militia, and on April 3, 1933, was promoted to the rank of major and posted to the 6th Field Ambulance.

He received another promotion three years later, being made a lieutenant-colonel and placed in command of the unit, the position he held on retiring.

Flower Display Opens

The Annual Display of Spring Flowers in the Westmount Conservatory will be opened officially by Alderman B. Panet-Raymond at five o'clock this evening.

The flowers will be on display for the next two weeks from ten o'clock in the morning till ten o'clock in the evening during the week days, and from ten in the morning till six in the evening on Sundays.

No admission is charged and all visitors are welcome.

Policeman Nabs Butterfly No. 1

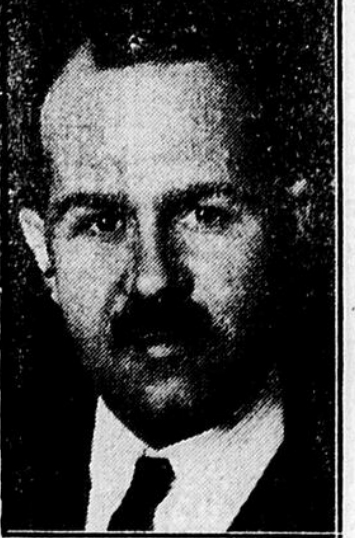
All that is needed now is for somebody to get stung by a bee while shoveling the remaining snow of his front lawn, and the usual spring run of "firsts" will be over for another year. Two weeks ago one Westmount resident reported seeing the first crow, while last week someone else came through with a report about the first robin.

And this week—yes, you guessed it. Somebody caught a butterfly.

Snarer of butterfly No. 1 was Lt. Dick Edmonstone of the Westmount police, who espied the multi-colored moth loitering outside the Stanton street station, took it into custody and turned it over to Sergeant O.J. Arseneault and Stan Brooks at headquarters.

The offender spent most of the day in jail and then was released through the window, on suspended sentence.

TO OPEN DISPLAY



Alderman B. Panet-Raymond, who will officiate tonight at opening ceremonies of the annual two-week Easter Display of flowers in the Westmount Conservatory at Westmount Park. Alderman Panet-Raymond will be assisted by E. J. Anderson, Superintendent of Parks.

The Week At Victoria Hall

Thursday, April 10th—C.P.C. 6.30 P.M.—Skigulls Ski Club—dance, Westmount Stamp Club—Manchester Unity I.O.O.F. Friday April 11th—Westmount Conclave, T.K. Saturday, April 12th—Standard Paper Box Co.—Dance. Tuesday, April 15th—N.D.G. Women's Club, board meeting.—Westmount Chapter, R.A.M.—Connaught Lodge, A.F. & A.M. Wednesday, April 16th—M.R.T. presenting "Full House", Victorian Order of Nurses; Rotary luncheon; Electra Chapter O.E.S.; Westmount Lodge Study Club; W. W. Red Cross. Thursday, April 17th—M.R.T.; Westmount Stamp Club; Jersey Channel Island Society; Westmount Chapter, Red Cross.

CARNIVAL-FAIR PLANS ARE NEAR COMPLETION

J. E. CRANKSHAW IS ELECTED TO HEAD OLD BOYS

Named President of Westmount High Group—Ft.-Lt. Pat Christie Guest Speaker at Banquet

John E. Crankshaw, K.C., was elected president of the Westmount High Old Boys' Association at the sixth annual meeting held in the Windsor Hotel, Mr. Crankshaw succeeds J. Donald Smith.

Other officers elected were William Hayman, A. W. R. Barrett and Campbell Budge, vice-presidents; Denys Howard, treasurer; Leeds Nelson, secretary; R. B. Howard, Arthur Rowlands, Charles and Jack Charters, directors; Walter Chalk, H. B. Parker, H. H. Worsfold and John Anderson, honorary directors; Col. J. A. deLalanne and H. S. Hawthorne, honorary auditors.

In his address, Mr. Crankshaw spoke of the magnificent spirit of the British people and predicted ultimate defeat for the marauding Nazis. "Hitler and his gang in attempting to destroy justice will be destroyed, and Britain, personified by Churchill, and her allies, seeking to preserve justice, will be preserved," he said.

Guest speaker was Flight-Lieutenant Pat Christie, D.F.C. with bar, former Westmount High pupil who lauded the free fighting forces of the countries now under the German heel.

Recently returned home following a lengthy period of service with the Royal Air Force, Christie was given an ovation by the gathering which filled Windsor Hall.

He spoke of Czech and Polish comrades in the R.A.F., relating several interesting stories of their exploits in downing Nazi planes. "They both hate the Germans; they have seen the atrocities perpetrated by Nazis in their homelands, and a dead German is the only good one to them."

Ft.-Lt. Christie also made touching reference to the late Dickie Ball, another Westmount High Old Boy, with whom he had gone overseas four years ago. "He was one of the finest fellows I ever hope to meet," he said. Johnny Bryson also was praised.

In proposing the toast to "The School," Ft. Lt. Christie said, "I consider it a great privilege, having spent four years at Westmount High."

Numbering close to 400 boys between the ages of 14 and 18, the Westmount corps of the Air Cadets of Canada, operated under the Air Cadet League of Canada, will be the No. 1 squadron. It was announced by Cadet Squadron-Leader H. P. Hilsley.

"The cadets soon will be out on their first parade through Westmount, and then you will have a chance to see them," said Mayor Walter A. Merrill, K.C.

GIRL IS INJURED; IS HIT BY TRUCK

Knocked down by a truck last Friday while she played on the street near her home at 218 Redfern avenue, nine-year-old Vivian Kehoe, a pupil at St. Paul's Academy, luckily escaped with cuts and bruises to her legs and hands.

Driver of the truck, Wilfrid Vachereau told Constable Guy Lessard he was driving north on Redfern when the child darted in front of him. He applied his brakes and swerved aside but couldn't avoid striking the youngster a glancing blow.

Ticket Sale Progressing Rapidly for Rotary Event at Forum, April 24-26

Plans for the Westmount Rotary Club Carnival-Fair to be held at the Forum, April 24-26, are nearing completion. It was announced yesterday at the club's weekly luncheon held in Victoria Hall.

Tickets are in the hands of members and the sale is reported progressing rapidly. A sum of \$5,000 already has been realized from the sale of program advertising.

The Carnival-Fair, replacing the club's annual ice carnival, is a four-fold appeal, its proceeds to aid the Montreal Children's Hospital, the Julius Richardson Convalescent Hospital, the St. Patrick's Orphanage and the Rotary Community Chest.

Guest speaker at yesterday's luncheon was Dr. Brinley Thomas of England, who gave an interesting address on "How to Avoid Inflation."

Although not speaking on behalf of War Services Work officially, Dr. Thomas advised his listeners to invest their money in war savings certificates as the only fundamentally sound method of avoiding inflation in times such as these and those to develop when the war is over.

SERVICES HELD FOR THE LATE MRS. WILLIAMS

Widow of A. J. Williams Dies at Her Home, 4277 Western Avenue in 87th Year

Services were held Monday for the late Mrs. Arthur J. Williams, who died Saturday at her home, 4277 Western avenue, following a long illness. Predeceased by her husband, Mrs. Williams was in her 87th year.

Mrs. Williams, the former Eliza Victoria Grier, for many years contralto soloist at Christ Church Cathedral and St. James the Apostle Church, was born at Iroquois Falls, Ont., and received her early education there.

While a young woman, Mrs. Williams studied at the Royal College of Music in London, England, and it was in England that she married Arthur J. Williams, travelling with him to Canada when he was appointed Canadian manager for a large English tea concern.

Retiring about 15 years ago, Mr. Williams took up residence with his wife in California where they lived for a couple of years before returning to Montreal where the husband died about a year later.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. C. W. Withycomb of Montreal; a nephew, Denham Grier, Johannesburg; a niece, Mrs. Arthur P. Millar, Montreal West; and three nieces, daughters of the late Henry Grier, Montreal.

Funeral was held from the William Wray Chapel, 2075 University street, the burial taking place in Mount Royal cemetery.

Emanuel Men's Club Plans Final Meeting

The final meeting for the season of the Temple Emanuel Men's Club scheduled for Wednesday, April 23 at which time the ladies will be guests and the annual election of officers will take place.

The Nominating Committee under the chairmanship of Harry Stern, is now at work on a suggestive slate of officers. In appreciation for Hyman Grover's interest in all Temple matters, the Executive of the Brotherhood under the chairmanship of Mr. George Hollinger, has made a special offering to the Temple.

JAMES MCGILL CHAPTER

The regular monthly meeting of the James McGill Chapter I.O.D.E. will be held on Monday, April 14 at 8 p.m. at the Mount Royal Hotel.

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EASTER

The lily is called the Easter flower. White and slim and fragrant as the incensed candles of the altar, it is the living symbol of the day's peace and purity.

But Easter is even more than a church festival. It is a great human festival known to people of all climes, all races, all creeds, all nations. Easter is infinitely older than Christianity. It is as old as the world itself—as old as sun and moon and star.

Easter as we know it today is only the civilized age's version of the century-old pagan spring festival when humans gave thanks to whatever God they knew for mellow, warming sun, for bird and bloom, for ice-free water, and breezes sweet and warm.

The flowers of Easter, then, are not only the lilies of the altar, but all the blooms of wood and meadow that blanket the earth in loveliness when the spring sun comes again and tell the story of life everlasting as surely and sweetly as the surprised chrysalis.

For what hymn, what chant, what creed, can say more loudly and firmly "There is no death!" than the bare brown bough of winter which, cast within the crucible of the sun alchemist, changes into a living, breathing, swaying blossom—life from death?

We live in a day of "so many Gods, so many creeds, so many roads that wind and wind." We are baffled in mind and spirit. We grope for one light and are handed a hundred from which to choose, alone and unaided, our own light. Sometimes we feel that even darkness is more honest, safer.

But on the mountain slopes where the

mountain laurel grows pink today, there is only one creed—

In the woods where anemone and hepatica and wind flower sway on slender stalk today, there is only one creed—

And in the meadows beside the still or moving waters where the violet grows purple and big, there is only one creed—

A creed which says man believes that life is good and sweet to taste, and that as a man sows in his own heart so shall he reap the bounty of this teeming world.

All local churches have arranged special services for Sunday. Easter music will feature both morning and evening periods of worship.

OCCUPIED BUT NOT CONQUERED

One learns by way of Stockholm that whatever the weather, King Christian of Denmark rides daily on horseback through the streets of Copenhagen and that Danes crowd the sidewalks to see him go by. Such was his custom, weather permitting, before the occupation; the difference now is that weather makes no change in the daily ride or prevents his subjects from gathering along the way. The King's ride has become a symbol of Danish freedom.

As for the invaders: "Not a single German of the occupation," writes a correspondent, "has succeeded in being admitted to a private home. The art of not seeing German soldiers, of seeming to look through them, has reached the rank of masterpiece." German soldiers who had been stationed in Poland and Norway told him that the risk of assassination was easier to live with than the universal frozen politeness of the Danes.

Nazism, as the salesman of a "new order" in Europe, has nowhere successfully advertised its commodity to the ordered. In country after country it has aroused a sales resistance which is unresponsive only because it is unarmed; and even so manages to express itself by minor acts of violence or, as in Denmark, by universal expression of polite contempt. In Denmark the Nazi uniform seems to have become a sort of modern Tarnhelm which makes the wearer socially invisible.

CALVARY CHURCH NOTES

Easter will be celebrated in Calvary Church by special music and services. The Rev. Colin R. Rudd, B.A., B.D., the interim minister of the church will be the preacher. The subject of the morning sermon will be "The Bible View of the Resurrection," which will be followed by the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper and the reception of new members. In the Sunday School at 3 p.m. there will be shown an Easter motion picture.

The evening service at 7.30 p.m. will again celebrate the Communion of the Lord's Supper with a message and special Easter music by the choir, which will include, "In Joseph's Lovely Garden," "This Glad Easter Day," "The Lord is Arisen," "The Soul at Heaven's Gate," and "O Death Where is Thy Sting."

The Red Cross will resume activities on Tuesday from 10.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m. and again at 7.30 p.m. for those who are unable to attend during the day.

Thursday, April 11th at 8.15 p.m. there will be a meeting for men in the Macaulay Hall, under the auspices of the Snowdon Western Division of the Young Adult Group. The special speaker will be Commander Pickering, who was in charge of a British Minesweeper in the last war.

On Saturday at 2.30 p.m. a rummage sale will be held in the church hall under the auspices of the Women's Association. Articles for sale may be sent to the church in care of the janitor.

PLAN DAIRY PLANT

Portuguese East Africa is planning a model dairy plant to supply milk to the Lourenço Marques market.

HIGHEST PAID MANAGER

Mrs. Grant Mackenzie, at 38, is the highest paid estate manager in England.

The Examiner's Hidden Titles Contest

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

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

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

A convenient coupon will be found elsewhere in the paper.

The winners are drawn from among those who submit the correct answers, as, unfortunately, it would be impossible to give passes to every one submitting the right answers.

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

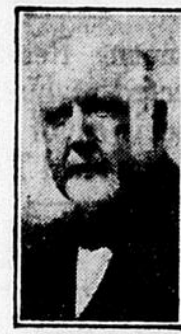
Miss Thomson, 4868 Sherbrooke West; Harold Bryan, 381 Grosvenor Ave.; Madeleine Grenier, 126 Abbott Ave.; M. H. Macdonald, 4709 Westmount Blvd.; Lillian Morison, 1125 Greene Ave.; F. H. Clements, 383 Claremont Ave.

THE FORUM

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

In Which Subjects of General Interest Are Discussed

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



Marshal Petain, it is true, must not be confused with Laval and Laval's retinue. Most Frenchmen credit him with a sincere patriotism, with the wish to do everything possible to improve their lot. Hence the moving scenes which unfolded themselves in Toulouse, Lyon, Marseilles when he was shown to the crowd clapping the tricolors to his breast. But, at the same time, Laval's unpopularity is on the increase. In other terms, the good intentions of the "patriarch" are praised while the policy actually carried out in his behalf does not evoke anything but repulsion. And let us not forget that the Marshal himself is closely connected with the old ideology of counter-revolution. As early as May 1935, he was known to be in general agreement with Laval about the necessity of having the Republic replaced by an authoritarian form of government.

A friend of mine recently visited several "perfects" and sought enlightenment from them about the feeling of the average man. In all cases, the answer was quite unequivocal: ninety per cent of all Frenchmen do not perceive any hope of salvation except in British victory.

"Pertinax" in the Dalhousie University Review.

I had no thought then of husband or lover. I was a traveller, the guest of a week. Yet when they pointed "the white cliffs of Dover." I started I found there were tears on my cheek.

Jonnie and I were married, England then. Had been a week it war, and all the men Wore uniform, as English people can. Unconscious of it. Percy, the best man. As thin as paper and as smart as paint. Bade us good-by with admirable restraint.

Went from the church to catch his train to hell. And died—savin his batman from a shell.

And were they not English, our fathers, never more Never more English than when they dared to be.

Rebels against her—that stern intractable sense. Of that which no man can stomach and still be free.

Writing: "When in the course of human events..." Writing it out so all the world could see.

Whence come the powers of all "just" governments. The tree of Liberty grew and changed and spread. But the seed was English.

I am American I led. I have seen much to hate here—much to forgive. But in a world where England is finished and dead, I do not wish to live.

A safety-valve is a useful device, but it cannot drive an engine. On the other hand, the censorship of ideas is a dangerous weapon to be placed in the hands of government. Our problem is how to maintain opportunity for free discussion and at the same time to prevent its abuse by unscrupulous agitators of the public mind. In the last event, the state must be judge of the limits to which open propagation of opinion can go, but in democratic society there must be a perpetual vigilance lest in its zeal use its powers to suppress views whose only fault is that the men in authority do not like either the views or the people who hold them.

J.S.T. in Dalhousie University Review.

Season of Intersection at each Service. Mr. Johnston will preach.

VISITORS CORDIALLY WELCOMED

These services in Westmount Baptist Church will be saturated with a spirit of Easter. At the morning service the sermon theme is announced as, "A Risen Christ in a Hitler-Tortured World."

At the evening service, Mr. Johnston will speak of "The Real Triumph of Easter"—"The Triumph of Spirit over Brute Force, of Truth over Falsehood, of Sacrifice over Selfishness, of the Lamb over Anti-Christ."

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OUTSTANDING RADIO PERSONALITY WILL ADDRESS LUNCHEON

Dr. Mattie Rotenberg, an outstanding radio personality, will be the guest speaker at the annual spring luncheon of the Women's Auxiliary of Shaar Hashomayim to be held on Wednesday, April 23 at 12.30 p.m., in the Assembly Hall of the Synagogue, Kensington Ave., Westmount. Dr. Rotenberg received her doctorate in Physics at the University of Toronto and is the founder and director of the Hillcrest Progressive School of Toronto. She is the only Jewish member of the National Council for religious education and is also a member of the educational committee of Canadian Jewish Congress and of the educational committee of Canadian Hadassah. Dr. Rotenberg is editor of the Toronto Hadassah Reporter. She is a regular contributor to "Talks for Women," broadcast from coast to coast by the CBC.

Mrs. Edward Solomon, president, will conduct the meeting and read her annual report.

A partial list of subscribers to the luncheon include: Mrs. Edward Solomon, president, Dr. and Mrs. H. Abramowitz, Captain S. Gershon Levi and Mrs. Levi, Mesdames Alton Goldbloom, S. Saxe, T. Glickman, J. Stewart, M. J. Heilig, M. Greenblatt, Emmanuel Solomon, B. Albert, M. Abbey, J. A. Besner, M. A. Brown, J. H. Fine, H. R. Cohen, L. Faber, M. Feinstein, L. K. Freedman, S. H. Feldman, C. D. Goodman, M. Greenberg, W. Heilig, B. L. Hyams, A. W. Jacobs, Samuel W. Jacobs, J. Kushner, J. Kert, L. Levin, E. Lozinski, F. Leopold, S. Leopold, I. F. Livingston, B. LeCourt, I. Mendel, N. Friedman, C. I. Rosenbloom, H. R. Resler, C. S. Rubin, I. Smith, B. H. Rubin, H. Shulman, H. Schiller, M. Wine-rope, M. H. Franklin, H. L. B. B. Cohen, J. Elkin, A. Bronfman, S. M. Ogunick, M. Morris, Allan Bronfman Jr., L. Phillips, H. Robinson, H. Rother, B. Shulman, P. Saks, J. I. Stampelman, H. Tarsish, A. M. Vineberg, H. Wener, J. Kellert, L. Frad, H. Saxe, M. Sloves, H. J. Levinson, Leon Levinson, M. A. Marshall, J. Klein, H. Ballon, A. S. Solomon, D. H. Ballon, V. Michaels, I. Ballon, W. Rosen-garten, J. Fineberg, H. Weinfield, T. Tannenbaum, J. Rooth, A. Hunter and Misses Becky Kellert, Sophia Hirsch, Frances Kellert, Hattie Kellert.

Lamb over Anti-Christ." A season of intersection will be a vital part of each service. Visitors cordially invited.

The Baptist congregations of Montreal will hold a united Good Friday service in the First Baptist Church on Friday, April 11, at 11 a.m. Our fellow-citizens will be cordially welcomed at this service.

Church of the Advent
Corner Wood and Western

Good Friday
7.30 a.m. Mattins and Litany.
9.30 a.m. Ante - Communion.
12.00 noon Three Hours' Vigil; conductor, Rev. Father Seron, S.S.J.E.
4.00 p.m. Children's Lantern Service.
8.15 p.m. Evensong.

Easter Day
6.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
7.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
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9.00 a.m. Holy Communion.
11.00 a.m. Solemn Eucharist; preacher, Rev. Father Seron, S.S.J.E.
2.00 p.m. Children's Service
7.00 p.m. Festal Evensong; preacher, Rev. Father Seron, S.S.J.E.

Calvary Church
Dorchester St., at Greene Ave., Westmount
Minister: Rev. T. W. Jones, M.A., D.D.
Interim Minister: Rev. Colin R. Rudd, B.A., B.D.

Easter Services
11.00 a.m. The Bible View of the Resurrection.
12.30 p.m. Communion Service and reception of New Members.
3.00 p.m. An Easter Motion Picture in the Sunday School.
7.30 p.m. Communion Service and Service with Easter music by the Choir.
Tuesday from 10.30 to 4.30 p.m. The Red Cross Unit will resume activities, also at 7.30 p.m. Wednesday, 8.15 p.m. Prayer meeting. Thursday, 8.15 p.m. Meeting for men in the Macaulay Hall under auspices of Snowdon-Western Division of Young Adult Group. Speaker, Commander Pickering, who was in charge of a British Minesweeper in the last war.
Saturday, 2.00 p.m. Rummage Sale in Church Hall under auspices of W.A.

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Horticultural Club to Visit Greenhouses

West End Growers to Meet Tuesday Evening at Westmount Conservatory — E. J. Anderson to Conduct Members on Tour of Inspection — Hold "Information Please" Period

The West End Horticultural Society will meet Tuesday evening, next, at eight o'clock, at the Westmount Conservatory, when E. J. Anderson, Superintendent of the Parks Department of the City of Westmount, will take the members on a tour through the greenhouses where a collection of some of the choicest specimens of floral beauty to be seen in Montreal will be on exhibition.

At the conclusion of the tour, Mr. Anderson will conduct an informal "Information Please" on horticultural problems of all kinds. Members who desire information on any phase of gardening will receive a more detailed reply if they send in the question a few days before the meeting. Questions may be sent direct to Mr. Anderson or to the Secretary, and will be answered at the meeting.

As this will be the final meeting of the season it is hoped that there will be a large attendance. The Annual Show Programme has been received and will be distributed at the meeting. This year the entry form for Garden Contests has been included in the Programme, and will be found on Page (4). Information concerning Garden Judging and the points which can be obtained, will be found on the same page.

It is hoped that parents will give every encouragement to their children to enter the various contests which have been very carefully prepared for them, an interest in flowers and the beauties of nature may pay large moral dividends in the years to come.

As many of the creators of the Society are engaged in some phase of war work and have little spare time for collecting membership dues, it would help considerably if those who are unable to attend the meeting send their membership card and certificate will be forwarded by return mail.

USE HUMAN LABOR

To avoid buying foreign road machinery during war time Iran is using human or animal labor on its roads wherever possible.

KARNAK LADIES WILL HOLD LUNCHEON IN MOUNT ROYAL HOTEL

The Karnak Ladies Social Club will hold its annual luncheon meeting and election of officers at the Mount Royal Hotel on Tuesday, April 15, at one o'clock. Mrs. F. B. Nixon is the convenor. Mrs. Florence Mackie, soprano, will be guest soloist at the luncheon, accompanied by Mrs. Colin Forrest.

Members who will attend include Mrs. J. H. Spence, Mrs. C. U. Tirrell, Mrs. F. B. Nixon, Mrs. W. G. Critchley, Mrs. C. A. Fickett, Mrs. Alex Peden, Mrs. O. C. Rehfuess, Mrs. F. A. Driver, Mrs. A. L. Pomeroy, Mrs. C. S. Forrest, Mrs. W. J. Stephenson, Mrs. T. S. Currie, Mrs. C. R. Tousau, Mrs. W. de W. Stott, Mrs. L. B. Temple, Mrs. W. S. Adams, Mrs. R. E. Allan, Mrs. Peter Anderson, Mrs. A. L. Allan, Mrs. W. J. Bryant, Mrs. R. H. Bradford, Mrs. A. O. Beck, Mrs. L. W. Bragger, Mrs. Charles Cope, Mrs. G. E. D. Cornell, Mrs. W. M. Couper, Mrs. Dixon Coyle, Mrs. E. A. Crammond, Mrs. F. E. Cunningham, Mrs. H. C. Call, Mrs. R. J. Coffey, Mrs. F. A. Chamandy, Mrs. M. E. Douglas, Mrs. W. G. Dalpe, Mrs. G. C. Davis, Mrs. G. W. Davis, Mrs. J. A. Donnelly, Mrs. W. J. Nixon, Mrs. E. W. Francis, Mrs. E. A. Fryer, Mrs. Cyril Gillespie.

Mrs. G. A. Godfrey, Mrs. H. F. Glass, Miss Anne Greig, Mrs. T. S. Griffiths, Mrs. Frank Gittens, Mrs. W. H. Halsall, Mrs. W. S. Harrison, Mrs. W. C. H. Horton, Mrs. W. P. Holden, Mrs. L. W. Hanson, Mrs. W. G. P. Hullett, Mrs. J. J. Hay, Mrs. C. S. Jackson, Mrs. H. W. Jordan, Mrs. F. R. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. J. J. Lomax, Mrs. F. G. Lumsden, Mrs. F. D. Lindsay, Mrs. Alex Leslie, Mrs. T. M. Leacock, Mrs. R. Mann, Mrs. K. W. Mathison, Mrs. D. F. Morgan, Mrs. H. C. Massiah, Mrs. W. J. McNally, Mrs. William McDonald, Mrs. J. B. Martin, Mrs. A. J. McGill, Mrs. William Matthews, Mrs. J. McL. Marshall, Mrs. Alex Nickle, Mrs. W. H. Norrington, Miss M. Orr, Mrs. G. C. Porteous, Mrs. G. S. L. Retallick, Mrs. L. L. Robinson, Mrs. W. B. Staiton, Mrs. E. E. Shaw, Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. J. Trudeau, Mrs. H. A. Thomas, Mrs. P. R. Thomas, Mrs. E. R. Viberg, Mrs. M. J. Vipond, Mrs. H. G. Vennor, Mrs. P. R. Wood, Mrs. W. E. Wesley, Mrs. P. W. Wood, Mrs. V. G. Younghusband.

Hilda Galt . . .

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dred Schwartz, Sandra Fox, Roslyn Raginsky, and Rhoda Diamond, while there was a pretty "Pas de Deux" by Frances Lax and Geraldine Reinblatt.

The Polka was beautifully performed by Norma Marks, Thelma Silver, Betty Campbell and Madeleine Ressler as Ladies; Faria Bulmer, Helen Friedman, Elissa May Richstone and Noema Betty Grover as Gentlemen. Taira Hoffman was the Ballerina assisted by Julia Anne Holden, Suzanne Cohen, Natalie Raginsky, Roslyn Wolfe, Betty Fairbanks, Shirley Leibman, Eunice Sugars, Shirley Norton and Doris Sugars.

"The Birthday Party" introduced some of the younger soloists of the school varied types of dancing. Natalie Raginsky played the part of Hostess and presented a lovely toe dance. Betty Fairbanks in "Tapping Along" and Suzanne Cohen in "Tapping Along", danced exceedingly well, while lovely little Joan Srean, Baylie Shulman, Shirley Norton and Shirley Weiss contributed clever numbers. Barbara and Dorothy Kastner got many laughs with their musical comedy routine. Roslyn Wolfe in a Classical Tap and little Elca Webber performing a difficult tap-on-toe dance completed this scene.

"Call to Arms" with Red Cross Nurses, tin-hatted soldiers and a bright group of sailors had some very snappy routines. The Air Force was well represented by Roslyn Wolfe and Joyce Decker. Helen Rae Miller and Margaret Ruth Shacter were soloists.

Some truly remarkable acrobatic work as seen in "The Sun Worshippers", with an Indian Setting. Dorothy Reed did wonderful acrobatic control routine as the "High Priestess" and an excellent adagio number by Moira Cumming and Gil Mackenzie was assisted by a chorus of Peons.

"Club Rendezvous" — brought on some older pupils of the school as Petrons — Patricia Steele, Emily Secher-Smith, Gloria Way, Taira Hoffman and Bud Steele. Gerald Connelly and Don Taylor. The very smart wait ess, "Miss Murray" was Shirley Elkin who presented an exceptionally clever tap routine on her tray. The Floor show consisted of Frances Lax and Geraldine Reinblatt in Tap, Shirley Leibman in an unusual Toe number "La Senorita", Norman Browne executed a remarkable acrobatic routine, Marilyn Cumming in a very difficult Tap routine on her Toes and an exhibition waltz by Gloria Way and Don Taylor.

The accompanists were Miss Alice Dickinson, Mr. Harold Morris, Mrs. G. Moffat and Miss Hilda Galt.

PRESIDENT J. W. ABRAHAM PRESENTS CHEQUE



Just before the battle of "True or False" began on Monday evening Dr. Johnston W. Abraham, president of the Montreal Westward Rotary Club presented a cheque to R. E. Woodward, president of the Lachine General Hospital. In the background is seen Dr. Harry Hagen, on the left Miss Kathleen Beeby, captain of the Lady Bankers' team while on the right is James H. Lymburner, captain of the winning Air Pilots' team.

FRONTIERSMEN PRESENT CHEQUE TO GOVERNMENT

\$23,503 Given to Government for Purchase of Plane — Representatives Attend Ceremony in Ottawa

The culmination of a campaign which opened in October by the Corps of Imperial Frontiersmen, took place last Thursday afternoon in the Prime Minister's office, when Mr. King accepted a cheque for \$23,503.51 with which to purchase a fighter plane.

The presentation was made by Colonel M. L. Fitzgerald, Senior Commandant of the Corps. The Commandant explained that the money had been raised through-out Canada as a gift from the Frontiersmen and their friends.

The Prime Minister granted a request that the crest of the Corps, carried since 1904, be placed on the plane to be purchased.

Mr. King expressed the gratitude of the Government for making such an exceptionally generous gift, which he declared was an inspiration to all Canada. Men and women today were feeling the burden of the increased taxation, which in all probability would become even heavier, so there was cause for increased appreciation of such a large voluntary gesture.

Associated with Colonel Fitzgerald in the provincial arrangements for the campaign throughout Canada were Captain H. C. Harper, Captain M. McGuire and Major D. Campbell, all of Montreal.

Present with the Prime Minister were Colonel the Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence; Major the Hon. C. G. Power, Minister for Air, and Rt. Hon. Ernest Lapointe. Frontiersmen present from Montreal were: Major D. Campbell, Lieut. Colonel Archdeacon A. P. Gower-Rees, Lieut. S. Smith, Captain M. McGuire and Captain H. C. Harper.

SALVAGE DRIVE STARTS MONDAY

On Monday Canada goes salvage conscious when the Department of National War Services, under the direction of Hon. James G. Gardiner, launches its National Salvage Campaign. William Knightley, on loan from the Department of Transport, is the supervisor of the drive.

Interviewed in Ottawa regarding the campaign, Mr. Gardiner said: "It might seem that spending public energy on salvage, as a war measure, is not a very wise use of such energy. This is not so. Literally millions of dollars worth of raw materials are lying around loose across Canada. Literally millions of dollars of other raw materials are thrown away annually by Canadians. To salvage both these types of raw materials is a very direct contribution to winning the war. We can save scrap to scrap Hitler!"

The National Salvage Campaign has four main objectives: (1) to save raw materials; (2) to raise money for war purposes; (3) to give everybody on the home front a chance to help win the war; and (4) to inspire a spirit of national thrift that may endure even after the war is over.

Discussing the first objective, Supervisor William Knightley

Interesting Case Before Local Board of Revision

The Complaint of the Dominion Textile Co., against what they claim to be excessive valuations placed on their five different plants in the city by various assessors in the different wards, has been in review before the Board of Revision during the past week.

Most of the time has been taken up with the question of whether or not any system or method of making uniform and equitable valuations, is in use by the assessment department.

Mr. John Hackett, K.C., attorney for the Textile Company, after a great deal of discussion and argument, succeeding in having what are termed "Record Cards" produced, showing valuations placed on the various buildings, by a staff of architects and engineers whom it was stated had cost the city several hundreds of thousands of dollars during the last three or four years. Employed by what is known as the technical department these professional men have measured and valued all the buildings involved in the present case and in arriving at the present replacement cost, which is the basis for their valuations, they have been made adopted the well known method based on cost of labour, materials, etc., which is the system used by contractors, architects, engineers, etc.

City attorney Seguin objected said: "Of course, there is no serious shortage of raw materials in Canada at the moment, but there is a considerable importation of raw materials for war industries. For instance, we import over 10 millions of dollars of scrap iron and steel annually, four millions of dollars of rags, a million of waste paper. If we can salvage such waste to supply this domestic market, we can conserve that much foreign exchange."

Campaign officials consider the second objective of the drive important. Money can actually be raised for war purposes through the sale of so-called junk by voluntary workers. Five dollars worth of old aluminum kitchenware rescued from a back shed, and invested in War Savings Certificates, will buy one 40-millimetre anti-aircraft shell, which would bring down a German plane. Eight tons of scrap iron, lying around the fields and sheds of most Canadian farms, will sell for enough to buy a 500-pound bomb for Berlin — or Berchtesgaden.

The plan of campaign to secure this waste material for war industries and to convert it into ready cash on the way to those industries, is simplicity itself. Voluntary effort is the key note.

Local salvage committees have been, and are being, set up all across the Dominion. Members of Parliament, using the electoral divisions as the salvage areas, co-operated in contacting rural and urban municipal officers and calling conferences of wartime groups, service clubs, and other citizens interested in organizing nationally for salvage purposes.

Campaign officials are anxious to have full coast-to-coast organization complete by the opening date of the campaign, April 14. Citizens are urged to take immediate steps to set up salvage bodies in their community, if such has not yet been done. Pamphlets with organization ideas are now available, from the Ottawa headquarters.

Canada is out to "save to win" and Canadians are going to turn waste paper into shell wadding, aluminum pots and pans into airplane propellers, scrap iron into shrapnel, bones into high explosives — to help smash Hitler!

ROADS FOR CARS
Cuba has nearly 1,500 miles of dirt roads suitable only for cars.

MINISTER FOR NETHERLANDS GIVES ADDRESS

His Excellency, F. E. H. Groenman Speaks on Netherland Novel at Holland-Canada Society

"Eline Vere" is the author's vision of a soul in pain," said His Excellency, F. E. H. Groenman, Minister for the Netherlands, speaking at a great Netherland novel at a meeting of the Holland-Canada Society held last Saturday evening in Victoria Hall. This novel is the greatest work of Louis Couperus, said the speaker.

Louis Couperus was a sensitive writer, with an amazing consciousness of suffering, revealing in his works how he himself suffered through seeing the pain of others. "Eline Vere," Mr. Groenman continued, is a book written simply and vividly, with a wealth of description. The story, told in the nineties, concerns an average young girl, normal in every respect, save that there is a very slight lack of balance in her mind. Eline, however, gradually

sinks deeper and deeper into despondency, until it is too late for her to save herself from madness and death.

This psychological novel does not belong to any particular school of writing, said Mr. Groenman. The author has broken with the fictitious romances, and although many people in Holland find him ridiculous, they read him just the same, because deep in themselves they too have the sensitivity characterizing the works of Couperus.

The heroine of this novel adulterates her inner feelings, tolerates parts not only for the outer world but for herself as well, in a moment of tragic honesty, she admits, "I am smashed and broken inside — I always doubt, and seek, and never know." This book, said the speaker, is the author's reaction to a cruel world which crushes a soul not grown callous.

Can it be, concluded Mr. Groenman, that so many of those whom we see acting strangely, "dare not reveal their real feelings to themselves?"

Professor A. S. Noad, Associate Professor of English at McGill University, introduced His Excellency. A Fortier presided and thanked the speaker.

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THE WESTMOUNT EXAMINER

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1941

Social and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Blythe Maxwell spent last week-end in Ottawa.

Mrs. J. J. Mason has returned home following a week's stay in Quebec.

Miss Jean Lambton spent last week-end at the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa.

Mrs. Charles Ralph is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. Edwards, 127 Irvine avenue.

Mrs. L. Cushing and Mrs. R. A. Graham spent a few days at the Beignory Club recently.

Miss Mary McNamara spent two weeks recently as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Clark, at Asbestos.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Montgomery entertained at a dance on Saturday night at Victoria Hall, in honor of their daughter Miss

Grace Montgomery, who celebrated her twenty-first birthday.

Mrs. John B. Pangman entertained at a not-out dance last week in honor of her daughter, Jocelyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Douthie will leave today to spend the Easter week-end at the Alpine Inn, Ste. Marguerite.

Miss Pauline Donohue has returned from Ottawa, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. Greenough.

Mrs. John Wallace and Miss Marilyn Wallace are spending the Easter holidays in Buffalo, N.Y., and Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. York are spending the holidays in Ottawa with Mrs. York's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. York.

Madame Daniel Steen and Miss Madeleine Steen, who are in Havana, Cuba, will be away for some time longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter M. McIntyre have returned from their wedding trip and are residing at 414 Wood avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Roy Hodges left last night for New York City, and will sail tomorrow for Nassau, the Bahamas.

Mrs. J. E. Atkinson has returned to Quebec after visiting

Card Party Will Be Held In Hotel To Aid Aviation Cadet Corps

A card party will be held under the auspices of Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Mathieu for the benefit of the French Canadian Aviation Cadets of Jean de Brebeuf College at 8 o'clock in the evening of Wednesday, April 23, at the Ritz Carlton Hotel.

This college is the only one in Montreal having such a cadet corps, and the corps itself is the only French Canadian one in Canada. Consequently, the corps relies greatly on its English speaking patriots to help in its endeavors.

Mrs. Mathieu will be assisted by Mrs. J. L. L'Heureux, Mrs. Eucher Leduc, Mrs. G. Clermont and Mrs. B. C. Bourbonniere. Those wishing for information regarding this card party are asked to telephone ATlantic 8381.

The party will be organized by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the French Canadian Aviation Cadet Corps.

her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Condon.

Mrs. W. H. Campbell entertained at a not-out tea on Saturday in honor of her daughter, Miss Nancy Campbell.

Miss Betty Strothers, who was the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bagg, has returned to Ottawa.

Mrs. H. Mount, Cote St. Luc Road, returned home on Monday after spending several days at the Laurentide Inn, Grand Mere.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Common were guests at the Ambassador Hotel in New York last week, on their way to the South.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. S. McCormick left last evening for Arvida to spend the Easter holidays with their daughter, Mrs. D. Sutherland.

LAC James Clark, of Fort William, who spent a week's leave at Asbestos with his parents, has left for McLeod, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McGillis entertained at a cocktail party on Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Heather McFarlane and her fiancé, Hugh Boudry.

Mrs. John W. Iredale, who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Forster, left on Monday to join her husband, flying Officer J. W. Iredale, at Rivers, Man.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Strickland will leave for Ottawa tomorrow to spend the Easter week-end with Mrs. Strickland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hughson.

Mrs. J. S. Dohan has changed the date of her not-out dance for her daughter, Miss Marlee Dohan, and her son, John Dohan, from Monday evening April 14, to Saturday evening, April 12.

Mrs. F. A. McLean and her sons, Master Francis and Master Donald McLean, have returned from Sherbrooke, where they were the guests of Mrs. McLean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Skinner.

Mrs. B. W. Roberts, who went to Vancouver to attend the marriage of her niece, Miss Betty Smith, to W. J. Piper, of Montreal, will return home to-morrow morning.

The Canadian Belgia Musical Club will hold a concert in Victoria Hall on Saturday night, April 26, at a quarter past eight o'clock for the benefit of little Belgian refugees in England. The Duchess of Vendome, at present in England, has extended her patronage to this concert.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bennett entertained on Saturday evening in honor of Pte. Peter Bennett, of the Victoria Rifles of Montreal, who is home on leave. Those present were: Mrs. B. Butler, Mrs. A. Bukey, Mrs. G. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. W. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. R. Fairbrother, Mr. and Mrs. L. Cochrane, Mr. and Mrs. M. Johnston, Miss R. Lynch, D. Edmiston, T. O'Hara, J. Bennett and W. Butler.

ENGAGEMENTS

Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Joyce announce the engagement of their only daughter, Audrey, to Lieutenant Edmund F. Neale, Royal Canadian Dragoons (A.C.) A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Neale, of Westmount.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Vass announce the engagement of their

NEWLY INSTALLED QUEEN



Mrs. W. S. Andrews, who was installed as Queen of Oasis Temple No. 46, Daughters of the Nile, at a colorful ceremony last Friday evening in the Windsor Hotel.

youngest daughter, Muriel Myda, to William C. Lally, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John J. Lally, of Cornwall, Ont. The marriage will take place quietly on May 3.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Clarke announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Ethel, to Norman Fraser Jefferson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jefferson. The wedding has been arranged to take place on Saturday, May 24.

The engagement is announced of Loretta Audrey, daughter of the late James H. Williams and of Mrs. Williams, to Thomas Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Taylor. The marriage will take place on Saturday, May 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Crafts Reche announce the engagement of their only daughter, Janet, to Trooper Keith K. Kertland, 17th Duke of York's Royal Canadian Hussars, A.C.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Gordon Kertland, of Westmount. The marriage will take place shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Armstrong announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Marian, to Lieutenant William Stewart Bury, the Canadian Grenadier Guards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bury, of Point Claire, Que. The marriage will take place early in May.

WEDDINGS

Vanier-Blais

The marriage of Fernande, daughter of the late Wilfrid Blais, and of Mrs. Blais, to Maurice E. Vanier, son of the late J. Vanier, and of Mrs. C. Vanier, will take place at the St. Vincent-Ferrier church on Easter Monday morning at seven o'clock. The bride will be given away by her uncle, Dr. Armand Laroche of the Rutland State Sanatorium. Lt. Guyon Vanier, Adjutant of the Regiment de Maisonneuve and brother of the groom, will act as best man.

Alexander-Mitchell

The marriage of Bernice Beryl, youngest daughter of the late A. C. Mitchell and Mrs. Mitchell, to Alfred George Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred G. Alexander, took place quietly on Saturday evening in Melville Presbyterian Church, the Rev. William Orr Mulligan officiating. Calla lilies, white snapdragon and ferns decorated the church. The bride, given away by her brother-in-law, James M. Cameron, wore an ensemble of canyon rose crepe, a matching flower hat with brown tulle illusion and brown accessories. She carried a cascade bouquet of Talisman roses and white sweet peas. James R. Ferguson acted as best man, and the ushers were James D. Alexander and R. Grant Alexander, brothers of the groom. After the ceremony, the bridal

couple left for the Laurentians, and on their return will reside at 5505 Avonmore road.

Smith-Burrows

The marriage of Helen Reeve, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Burrows, of the Town of Mount Royal, to Lieutenant Angus Victor Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith, of Westmount, took place on Saturday afternoon in St. Peter's Church, Town of Mount Royal, the Rev. E. A. Findlay officiating. The church was decorated with pink and white snapdragons and palms. Morris Austin, organist, played the wedding music.

Miss Dorothy Burrows was her sister's only attendant, and David Fraser acted as best man. The ushers were J. Donald Smith, the groom's brother, Dudley Burrows, the bride's brother, and Alex Ross.

Given away by her father, the bride wore a gown of heavenly blue silk jersey with a matching shoulder length veil. She carried a bouquet of pink sweetpeas, carnations and forget-me-nots.

The maid of honor wore a blush rose silk jersey gown, with a short matching veil. She carried a bouquet of spring flowers.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 163 Portland avenue, Town of Mount Royal. Later, Lieutenant and Mrs. Smith left for a wedding trip to the Seignory Club, Montebello, Que. On their return, they will reside at Pembroke, Ont.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Barr, of Toronto, Ont., and Mrs. Robert McIlroy, of Long Island, N.Y.

West - Dodds

The marriage of Clara Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dodds, to Arthur James West, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur James West, took place on Saturday evening in Calvary United Church, the Rev. Colin R. Rudd officiating. The church was decorated with tall baskets of vari-colored snapdragons and ferns. Henry Gunning played wedding music, and Charles Williams sang "Because" during the singing of the register.

Miss Winnifred West, sister of the groom, was the bridesmaid, and John Dodds, the bride's brother, acted as best man. The ushers were Sydney West, brother of the groom, and Robert Brodie, cousin of the groom.

Given away by her father, the bride wore a gown of white Elizabeth crepe over taffeta and a veil of tulle illusion arranged in a halo effect. Her bouquet was of Easter lilies.

The bridesmaid wore a dress of sky blue silk net over taffeta, a dusty pink hat and long blue gloves. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and lilies.

A reception was held in Victoria Hall. Later, the bridal couple left for a motor trip through Ontario, the bride travelling in a

Children's Nursery Fund Is Active Organization

The Children's Nursery Fund of The Women's Auxiliary of The Jewish General Hospital, was organized in the fall of 1938, with a view to creating an interest in the Nursery of the hospital, whose needs at all times have been and still are urgent.

At first, membership was confined solely to the children born at the Jewish General Hospital, but as the needs became more urgent, the membership was thrown open to all children, as indicated by the slogan "No Child Is Too Young Or Too Old" to become a member of the Children's Nursery Fund.

The department has grown considerably since the beginning, as the appeal met with gratifying results. To-day, there is a membership of 915 members, ranging in age from a few days, to those in their late teens.

From the nominal membership fee of \$1 per year, the following contributions to the Children's Nursery Fund have been made: In the first year, the donation of a Bassinet at the cost of \$500.00; in the second year, the donation of an Ultra Violet Ray Machine and contribution towards the renovation and installation of the air conditioning system in the Nursery; in the third year, responsibility was assumed to supply materials for layettes and medication for the non-paying patients, as well as the purchase of a resuscitator.

These contributions were made possible by the yearly renewals of members of the C.N.F. During the above period, financial contributions and donations from groups of children vacationing at camps at Trout Lake, Wenerville and St. Donat have been received.

One of the fund's outstanding contributions is an "Honor Book" donated by Mrs. A. M. Wener, in which the names of all members are inscribed, in a decorative manner, by Mr. H. Diamond, and which is on display at the Hospital.

In appreciation of the support of this fund all members receive birthday greetings on their respective birthdays, and annual meetings have been held, on which occasions, reports have been read and an outline of the work being done by this department, presented to the members. Entertaining programmes are also planned for these occasions. This report is made possible by the voluntary aid and assistance given to this department by board members and members at large, through the collections of dues which goes on all year round.

Those who have co-operated with the C.N.F. in the clerical,

telephoning and collecting branches of the work, are as follows:—chairman, Mrs. Rubin and Mrs. J. Schulman Committee Mesdames: Victor Cape, M. Levy, D. Colle, J. Monaker, W. Cohen, J. Novek, Wm. Cohene, S. Richer, D. Dobrin, S. A. Rubin, L. I. Frohlich, C. Rothman, J. Goldenberg, H. C. Sabloff, S. M. Held, S. Swasky, J. Isenman, N. Titem, L. Jason, L. Tucker, B. Kahn, A. U. Usher, B. Kruger, and S. Wittes.

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NEWS OF THE THEATRE WORLD

Theatrical
Attractions"Hudson Bay" At
The Westmount

Movie-goers at last have an opportunity to see Paul Muni in the kind of role they've always wanted him to play, in "Hudson's Bay," 20th Century-Fox adventure film which opened last night at the Westmount United Theatre playing until Saturday night. Portraying Pierre Radisson, the colorful, reckless "First Canadian," Muni turns in a superb performance which is sure to put him in the running for another Academy Award.

Muni's latest role is distinctly different from the austere types of roles he made famous in recent years, taking him away from the sombre backgrounds with which he has been associated into an atmosphere of romantic adventure.

Beautifully filmed, enacted and directed, "Hudson's Bay" depicts a turbulent story of roaring action in the north's frozen wilderness. Although it is essentially the dramatic story of the founding of a great commercial empire in Canada, the film is also a powerful and eloquent story of courage.

Woven into the story is a gripping romance between John Sutton and lovely Gene Tierney. It is one of the motivating elements of the picture. Virginia Field and Nigel Bruce are also seen in the brilliant featured cast.

"Hudson's Bay" opens in England with the banishment of Lord Crewe, ably portrayed by John Sutton, for his drunken pranks.

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TODAY AND FRIDAY: JOHN GARFIELD in "East of the River," with Brenda Marshall and Marjorie Rambeau. Frank Morgan in "HULLABALOO," with Virginia Grey and Billie Burke.

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King Charles II, played by Vincent Price, who scored in "Brigham Young" — Frontiersman, exiles the nobleman to primitive, savage Canada.

There he meets Paul Muni and Laird Cregar. A tremendous figure of a man, Cregar portrays Radisson's fur-trapper companion, "Lord Gooseberry." The trio journeys to Hudson Bay and returns the following year with a fortune in pelts. They go to England and organize a fur trading company. They return to America bringing with them Morton Lowry, brother of Gene Tierney, Sutton's fiancé. Lowry incites massacre when he gives whiskey to the Indians. In order to prevent a war Muni has him shot in a dramatic episode. On their next trip to England the company is presented a charter at a regal ceremony.

With Muni at his best, "Hudson's Bay" is thrilling, moving and contains all the elements which go to make well-rounded motion picture entertainment. Irving Pichel directed and Kenneth Macgowan was the associate producer. Lamar Trotti wrote the original screen play.

SETS FLYING RECORD

Madeline Carroll set a high mark for air-minded Hollywood folk to shoot at during 1940, flying more than 30,000 miles, including that round-trip transatlantic journey just before she started work in "Virginia" at Paramount.

BUSINESSMAN

Russell Hayden, featured with William Boyd in "Doomed Caravan," one of Paramount's Hopalong Cassidy series, is a graduate in commerce of the University of Southern California. He was a bookkeeper for Harry Sherman, but the producer decided to convert him into an actor.

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"Hullabaloo" At
York Theatre

Frank Morgan says he is about to realize a lifelong ambition. Today he is well on his way to becoming a crooner.

"It may not be good, but it's loud," declares the popular actor, appearing currently in the new comedy, "Hullabaloo," at the York United Theatre, playing until Friday night.

"All my life I have had a secret ambition to sing," says Morgan, "but no one ever took me seriously. During my brief career as a radio actor, I crossed them up and sang on several occasions. It wasn't good, but at least it made the audience laugh. Today, however, I feel much better about the whole thing because they have finally permitted me to sing for a film. Now, with a bit of practice, I might run Nelson Eddy some stiff competition."

He Dances, Too
As a matter of fact, Morgan does more tricks than singing in this new production. He dances as well, and, in addition, impersonates a collection of prominent screen personalities, among them such famous names as Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy and Lew Ayres.

"Singing was the easiest," he grinned. "Dancing was bad, but I learned a lot. For example, I always thought the term 'shuffle off to Buffalo' referred to a card game. I also never knew before how tricky it was to coordinate hands and feet. Believe me, my hat is off to Eleanor Powell."

"Hullabaloo" finds Morgan in an entirely new type of role. He is seen as an ex-vaudeville actor who takes up a career as a radio artist and lasts through exactly one performance.

With him in the cast are Virginia Grey, Dan Dailey, Jr., Billie Burke, Nydia Westman, Ann Morris, Donald Meek, Reginald Owen, Charles Holland, Leni Lynn, Virginia O'Brien and a host of screen and radio personalities. The new film was directed by Edwin L. Marin.

ALUMNUS

Bert Wheeler, who is featured in Paramount's "Las Vegas Nights," is an alumnus of Gus Edwards' School Days troupe, which headlined vaudeville for years.

SONG WRITER

Mickey Rooney has had several songs published. He will soon be seen with Spencer Tracy in "Men of Boys Town."

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"THE HOWARDS OF VIRGINIA"
Sir Cedric Hardwicke &
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THE BIG LAFFKRIEG OPENING AT THE SNOWDON SUNDAY



Britain's Ace Comedian George Formby and players in a scene from "Let George Do It," which opens at the Snowdon United Theatre on Sunday.

COMEDY STARS



"This Thing Called Love," stars lovely Rosalind Russell and irrepressible Melvyn Douglas which opens at the York United Theatre on Saturday playing until Tuesday night. The Gay comedy also features Binnie Barnes, Lee J. Cobb, Allyn Joslyn, Gloria Dickson and Gloria Holden.

OPENING AT WESTMOUNT SUNDAY



Robert Taylor flies a rental plane, and takes a friend (Ruth Hussey) for a ride in this scene from the thrilling story of the fleet air-arm, "Flight Command," which will be at the Westmount United Theatre on Sunday playing until Tuesday night.

"HOWARDS OF VIRGINIA"



Cary Grant and Martha Scott are co-featured in the screen adaptation of Elizabeth Page's novel, which has been retitled, "The Howards of Virginia," which will be the chief attraction at the Monkland United Theatre starting on Sunday playing until Tuesday night.

Play Presentation
Postponed Week

Owing to the outbreak of measles among the pupils of St. Leo's Academy, the presentation of "Spring Fever '41" has been postponed one week. The new date is April 28, in the St. Leo's School Hall.

A.S.M. Bill Bryce is again in charge of staging. With his crew of scouts and officers working nights, completely original scenery will be ready for the opening. Cub Master John O'Reilly, a professional electrician, is in charge of all lighting arrangements, and he promises some

novel effects for "Spring Fever '41."

One of the feature acts will be a ballet... comprising senior scouts, it is reported to be one of the funniest acts in the show. A burlesque of the Ballet Russe, some of the world's more famous dances will be "taken for a ride." This scene is under the direction of Troop Leader Leo Cleerli, who has complete charge of all dancing in the show.

A glee club from the Wolf Cub Pack will be presented in what will probably be the only serious turn on the program. There will, of course, be other musical acts, but they will be interwoven with humor. A.C.M. Leonard Walsh is taking care of the musical arrangements.

British Comedy
At The Snowdon

If Nazi parachutists had landed in a certain British studio recently, they would have thought that the German Navy had preceded them. Nearly all the studio personnel working on "Sailors Three," which is now playing at the Snowdon United Theatre until Saturday night, were walking about in German naval uniforms.

The reason was that Tommy Trinder, the star, had been hard at work with the hose pipe giving a dose of icy water to supposed Nazi sailors. The unexpected strong pressure of the water caused the hose to get out of Tommy's control for just long enough to drench the whole unit. German naval uniforms which had been used for previous scenes were rushed out and the staff were forced to wear them while their own clothes were being dried.

This outstanding comedy attraction which is now in its second week at the Snowdon theatre, has an equally thrilling partner on this bill in "Charter Pilot," with Lloyd Nolan and Arleen Whelan and George Montgomery at the head of a strong supporting cast.

Sabotage in the skies is the motif of "Charter Pilot," which is climaxed by a nerve-racking life-and-death battle aboard a plane plunging down, out of control, towards rearing Andes mountain peaks.

J. LORNE PICKERING
TO SPEAK AT CALVARY

"Minesweeping" will be the subject of J. Lorne Pickering when he speaks at the Calvary United Church next Thursday night in aid of Unit No. 8 of the Overseas Parcel League.

Mr. Pickering a commander of a British Mine Sweeper in the last war, rose from the ranks. He will give a few of his experiences while in the service. Especially interesting at this time when so much is read about the powerful British Navy the talk of Minesweeping is drawing considerable attention.

Much of Mr. Pickering's experience as commander of the "trawler" was in the Gibraltar and African area. The entire proceeds raised by the Overseas Parcel League will be for the supplying of comforts for the men of the British Mine Sweepers and Trawlers.

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Only Two Entrants From Last Season Are Expected Back

Pennant Winning Royals and Norm Harris' Swans Signify Intentions of Joining Westmount Loop Again, While Team from Staynor District is Strong Possibility—Early Start is Predicted

The Westmount Municipal Senior Softball League will hold an organization meeting Monday evening, April 21, at the Recreation Supervisor's office in the Greenhouse.

All clubs intending to enter teams in the league this season are requested to be represented at the get-together.

Two of last year's entrants, the pennant winning Royals and Norm Harris' Swans, will again operate teams in the loop, it was announced.

Harvie Fee's Grads are also expected to field a team, while efforts have been made to have a strong team representing the Staynor section enter the league. Many new faces will be seen in the league this year with younger players predominating, as a good percentage of last year's players have enlisted in Active Service.

Randall, Ferrier and Lindsay the backbone of the Grannies team are all in the Air Force. In addition to the players on Active Service, most of the other players from last season are in the Reserve so that nights will have to be used that won't conflict with their drilling.

Any clubs wishing information should get in touch with the recreation supervisor, Jimmie Mc-

Cormick, at the Greenhouse, F.I. 1929.

Other softball leagues in addition to the Senior Municipal will be organized, including a league for players weighing eighty pounds or less.

This loop will be run along the lines of the Prince Albert Hockey League last winter, and it is probable that most of those teams will be represented in this new group.

The consistent fine weather and the extra hour of daylight promises an early start in all the Summer activities.

PLAN DOG SHOW FOR MAY 17TH AT THE FORUM

Proceeds of Event Will Go To Overseas Parcels League — Outstanding Entry Expected

The second annual championship dog show, proceeds going to the Overseas Parcels League, will be held at the Forum May 17, it was announced.

A good response to advance notices has been shown by eastern Canadian and United States dog owners and a record entry is anticipated.

Voluntary services of the following three outstanding judges have been secured:

Wm. McDermott, M.B.E., of Toronto, who will judge best in show, sporting dogs except cockers; non-sporting breeds; working breeds and Toys.

Mrs. Kenneth Marlett of Oakville, Ont., who will judge all Terrier breeds and Terrier group.

Miss Elsie Mayhew of Markham, Ont., who will judge the cocker spaniels.

The Parcels League, with headquarters in Westmount, has received further acknowledgements of shipments arriving in England, all shipments until the end of February having reached their destination safely.

In March the League shipped 745 articles on the 15th and 656 articles on the 27th, the latter to Swansea in Wales. Just the other day, Mrs. L. S. Wallgate, honorary president of the league, received a letter from the Mayor of Swansea, acknowledging receipt of a previous consignment, which, he stated, was put to immediate use.

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CRICKET CLUB WILL PROMOTE YOUNG TALENT

Juniors Again Will Be Given Special Attention By Westmount Organization — Practices Start Soon

Development of junior talent again will be given special attention by the Westmount Cricket Club it was decided at the semi-annual meeting held Saturday, at which time plans were laid for an active season.

The policy of promoting the game among juniors last year showed signs of paying dividends as far as the Westmount club was concerned, its team being the most youthful aggregation in the Montreal and District Amateur Cricket League. And its performance throughout the schedule was highly promising.

With several promising juniors having joined the club in excess of the quota required for league play, special matches will be arranged for them. Practices will get underway on Westmount Park as soon as weather and ground conditions permit.

With only four teams operating in the M. and D. League's senior division this season, Westmount being one of them, a double schedule will be played with each team meeting each of the others four times, exclusive of cup ties.

A reception was held following Saturday's meeting, refreshments being served and presentations being made to Mrs. Harvie, Mrs. Kearney and Mrs. Pike.

Canadians Fly Bombers To Beleguared Britain

Over the stormy lanes of the North Atlantic there is being enacted one of the great dramas of this extraordinary war. From Canadian airports, some of them maritime, some buried in the bush like the huge landplane base at Hattie's Camp, Nfld., American bombers are crossing in a steady and successful ferry service across an ocean which only a decade ago was the most hazardous arena of adventurous long-distance flight. Hundreds of bombers have reached beleaguered Britain in safety. According to the most reliable sources of information, not one has yet been lost. The performance is an outstanding tribute to the development of planes, engines, instruments and pilots.

With improving flying weather and increased production of big bombers coming from American plants, this ferry service may be expected steadily to increase. It will supply Britain with one of the weapons she most urgently needs.

The first cement works to be built in Iraq has been shipped out there complete from a famous British steel works.

In includes a large plant for crushing the limestone, large mills for grinding the limestone and clay to the necessary degree of fineness, a rotary kiln, 300 feet long, for burning the raw materials, another large mill for making finished cement, and an ingenious machine which automatically packs the product in paper sacks.

The works, which will turn out 250 tons of cement a day, will be able to increase the output, should the demand warrant it, to 600 tons a day.

Britain Supplies Iraq's First Unit

The F.B.I. is the co-ordinating agency handling all national defense violations and while suspected agents and other violators are under constant scrutiny, Mr. Hoover, in an appeal to all State, municipal and county enforcement organizations, said that the situation urgently required their full co-operation.

It is to assist the Federal Gov-

ONE-MAN GANG



Hoover's G-Men Spread Net for Spies, Saboteurs

New Network Will Reach Into Every State to Cope With Activities of Foreign Agents in U.S. — F.B.I. Handling Co-ordination Job

A new network of enforcement agencies, reaching into every State, city and county, is being worked out by the Federal Bureau of Investigation in order to cope with sabotage and the anti-defense activities of foreign agents.

Thousands of national defense cases on which the preliminary work has already been done by the F.B.I. are now being turned over to State and municipal officers, J. Edgar Hoover, announced recently.

Daily conferences are being held with local agencies to develop a closer co-ordination with the Federal enforcement department and as a result more effective preventive work is being done.

Fully 800 of these defense law enforcement conferences have already been held with the view of strengthening both local police work and fitting it into a national defense against sabotage and spying.

The need for the co-operation on the part of States and cities is imperative, Mr. Hoover declared, "if the many responsibilities entrusted to the law enforcement profession in this period of emergency are to be efficiently discharged."

Britain Producing 3,000 Kinds Pencils

British pencil makers have set up a new record by their foresight in laying away great quantities of Virginian red cedar wood during the last months of peace. These stocks, with new deliveries from Kenya, are enabling Great Britain to ship more pencils overseas than she did before the war: the increase for the last quarter of 1940 was 60 per cent up on the like period of 1939.

The result is that 70,000,000 pencils a year, in 3,000 styles, are now going out to world markets from the British Isles. The finest of them and the largest quantities are bought by South Africa for the use of the multitude of draughtsmen.

READY TO BAT IN 137 MORE RUNS



His holdout siege ended by contract for \$18,000, Johnny Mize, left, at St. Petersburg training base assures Manager Billy Southworth that he is ready to better last season's performance as big gun of St. Louis Cardinals. The large first baseman led National League in runs-batted-in in 1940 with 137, topped majors in home runs with 43.

JUST LOOKING AROUND

By STAN HELLEUR

A theory that has gone more or less unchallenged until the last couple of years, was blasted for fair last week when Bill Dickey of the New York Yankees, one of the best backstoppers baseball ever has known, said he wished he had been born a southpaw so that he might have become a better catcher.

It is doubtful if anything could have made the Yank powerhouse a better retriever but Dickey's stand will be welcomed by the many left-handers who long have nursed ambitions to go behind the plate.

It's odd that such a belief has existed so long, for anyone who has played any ball will tell you the only apparent disadvantage to be experienced by a southpaw catcher is that he might be hampered more than a right-hander in throwing to second base, due to the fact that the majority of hitters bat right and get in the southpaw's road.

However, it's unreasonable to believe the majority of right-hand hitters is great enough to make that much difference, so don't be surprised one of these summers, to see an all-southpaw battery in action. Which, as the more biased right-handers will say, will be the day.

In substantiating his claim, Dickey argued that a left hander has a decided advantage over a starboard man in the business of shagging a bunt and chucking it to first base, particularly on those dinky shots laid down the third-base line where the right-hander must pivot before throwing, or run around the pill to eliminate the pivot, all of which wastes valuable time.

Maybe Dickey's statement will do something towards eliminating the snide remarks directed at southpaws in general and give them more prestige among their fellow-men. Being a left-hander from a way back, we always have resented being referred to as a "crazy southpaw."

A LOTTA CURVES

We will admit, however, when it comes to throwing a baseball, a left-hander, for some peculiar reason, invariably has more trouble obtaining control than a fellow who serves 'em up from the other side.

It's a funny thing, but if you get a southpaw and a right-hander to alternate a few tosses, at least eight times out of ten the right-hander's throws will go on a line, while the leftie's will bend noticeably; not break exactly, but describe a sort of "banana" curve.

We heard of one left-hander in particular who was bothered considerably by a bend in his throw. He played right field for some softball club around town and was considered a capable shagger of flies with a good arm.

The trouble was, however, when he tried to make a play at home plate from out in the long grass, the ball used to end up in the neighborhood of third base and sometimes, it is reported, the pill would even land plunk in the leftfielder's dukes.

The manager, who was the father of two left-handers and was used to solving such problems, finally eliminated the trouble by ordering the southpaw to aim his throws at the people sitting in the stands back of first base, and the ball would curve right into the catcher's glove.

A lot of people were seen running for cover the first few times our southpaw friend tried this out but the fans got used to it after a while.

THE RED-HEAD'S GONE

It is with mixed feelings that Montreal baseball fans regard the departure of Red Lucas for Grand Rapids where he will guide that ball club's destinies in the Michigan State League.

Lucas, a lot like Harry Smythe who wowed them here a few years ago, was one of the most popular men ever associated with Montreal Royals, the pitcher-coach being a particularly good teller of yarns and a fountain for droll observations.

We remember one particularly humorous remark Red got off one day last season in the press room down at the Stadium. The Royals had just taken

Gerrans In Den. "Buy British"

Possibly nothing is more revealing as to the actual conditions in Germany than the conduct of the German soldiers in the Nazi army of occupation in Denmark, especially in the period just after their seizure of that country.

The German soldiers had, from a Danish point of view, a fair amount of spending money. But the noteworthy thing is the manner in which they used it. Here is how one Dane who left the country shortly after the occupation wrote of it:

"It is interesting to note that the very first thing the Germans cleaned up in every shop and store throughout the country were British-made fabrics and clothes. No, they would have none of that 'Made in Germany' stuff—but they were willing to pay high for every scrap of cloth imported from Britain!"



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