

# THE EQUITY

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SHAWVILLE, PONTIAC COUNTY, QUE. THURSDAY, AUGUST 12th, 1943

## Third Ration Book

The third ration book will be issued in Shawville at C. T. Wilson's office on August 25, 26, 27 and 28.

The issue will be conducted in much the same manner as the second distribution and the officer in charge will be Mayor G. G. McDowell.

## Fort Coulonge Fighter Returns After Extended Visit in Canada

Squadron Leader R. C. Fumerton, D.F.C. and Bar, of Fort Coulonge, Que., a son of Mrs. Fumerton and the late George Fumerton, of that village, who has become a famous night fighter pilot, has returned to Britain after a visit in Canada.

Sqdn. Ldr. Fumerton, who has seen service in Britain, Malta and the Middle East, returned to Canada last December, and during the winter was tendered a banquet in his honor by the citizens of Fort Coulonge. His mother has received a cablegram from her son announcing his arrival in Great Britain, which he reached by bomber.

## Shawville Detachment of Lanark and Renfrew Return Home

The Shawville detachment of the Lanark and Renfrew Scottish Regiment returned on Sunday from two weeks at Connaught Camp.

While there they had intensive training in Infantry weapons and manoeuvres. Apart from the routine of drill there were interesting schemes of attack and defence, including a night attack. Displays of anti-aircraft defence and battle tactics were given.

The Reserve Army is now well equipped, and the two weeks training was of a highly practical nature.

## Mrs. R. A. Hodgins Widely Mourned

A very worthy and well-known resident of Shawville Community died on Thursday of last week at her home, King Street, Shawville, in the person of Mrs. R. A. Hodgins, in her 66th year.

Mrs. Hodgins had been in failing health for over a year from a malignant illness, which was borne with christian patience and unusual endurance.

She was very widely known as a kind and considerate neighbour who gave much of her time to community enterprises. She was an active worker in St. Paul's Anglican Church and Guild, a director of Pontiac Agricultural Society, and officer of the Women's Institute, president of St. Paul's Red Cross Unit, and a member of the Shawville Cemetery Committee.

Mrs. Hodgins, whose maiden name was Myrtle Maud Phelps, was born at Bolton Centre, Que., the daughter of L. D. Phelps and the late Mrs. Phelps. In her youth she moved with her parents to Eastman, Que., and at the time of her marriage to Mr. Hodgins in 1877 lived for 15 years at Greer Mount, Que. They later moved to their farm at Radford, from which they retired to Shawville a year ago.

She is survived by her husband and father; five sons, Gerald, of Stockton, Cal.; Kenneth, of Noranda, Que.; John, of South Porcupine, Ont.; Lyall, of Litchfield, Que.; and Duncan, of Newton, N. J.; three daughters, Mrs. William Hanna, of Radford, Que.; Mrs. J. P. Moore, of Barneveld, N. Y.; and Mrs. William McKinley, of Montreal; also three sisters, Mrs. Leon Stowe, of Cowansville, Que.; Mrs. George Gillespie, of Ottawa, and Mrs. W. D. Smith, of Cowansville, and 19 grandchildren.

With the exception of one son, Gerald, of Stockton, Cal., all the members of the family were present for the funeral, which was held on Saturday afternoon from the late home to St. Paul's Church. The cortege was one of the largest ever witnessed in the village, with almost every family in the district being represented and a large number of relatives and friends from distant points.

The service was conducted by the Rector, Rev. K. C. Bolton, who was assisted by the Rev. Canon Powles, of Montreal, and Rev. P. R. Stote, of Charteris. Mr. Bolton delivered a comforting and impressive sermon and the choir, augmented by several members of the United Church choir, led in singing three favourite hymns.

Interment was made in the family plot in St. Paul's Cemetery, the pall-bearers being Messrs. Wm. and Ira Hanna, W. C. Schwartz, Walter Moffatt, Edgar Hodgins and W. G. Cowan.

The floral tributes, very numerous and beautiful, were manifestation of the high esteem in which the deceased was held in the Community.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Misses Alva and Euella Turner spent the week-end at their home in town.

Pte. Lloyd Dagg, of Petawawa, spent a week's furlough at his home in town.

Mrs. Geo. Lake and little son Wilmot, left this week to visit relatives at Valleyfield.

Miss Ruth Horner is spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Horner.

Ac. Harry Campbell, R.C.A.F., Trenton, spent the week-end with his wife and family in town.

Staff Sgt. Edgar Draper, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with relatives in town and vicinity.

Miss Pansy Campbell is visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. Walter Campbell, at Renfrew.

Miss Margaret Horner, left this week to visit her aunt, Mrs. Floyd Walters at Schenectady, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. James Horner, of Duparquet, Que., are spending a vacation with relatives at Quyon.

Miss Minerva Judd, of Toronto, is spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Judd.

Miss Audrey Falford, has returned to her home after attending Summer School at MacDonald College.

Mrs. Eddie Finnigan, of Ottawa, spent the past week-end at the home of her mother, Mrs. Thos. E. McDowell.

Miss Elaine Horner, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Horner, at Charteris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Horner, of South Porcupine, are spending a vacation with their relatives in this district.

Mrs. Everett Morrison and children, of Hamilton, are visiting at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. John Morrison.

Mrs. Maya Armstrong and daughter, Miss Mona, have returned from Brockville, where they spent a week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pentland and children, of Ottawa, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Smart.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Finnigan and family, returned to their home in Ottawa this week after spending a vacation at Sand Bay.

Mrs. John C. Dagg and granddaughter, Margaret Davis, of Quyon, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Heman Dagg, this week.

Mrs. Annie Hamilton returned to her home in McCord, Sask., this week, after spending several months with her relatives in this district.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Richards, of Wrightville, spent a few days at the home of Mrs. Richard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hodgins last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Belsher, of Arnprior, were here during the week-end to attend the funeral of Mrs. R. A. Hodgins, and to visit their relatives.

Miss Phyllis Dahms, nurse-in-training at Montreal General Hospital, is spending a vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dahms.

Misses Shirley Palmer and Evelyn Thompson, of Ottawa, were week-end guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Palmer, at Yarm.

Mrs. R. H. Elliott left this week to reside in Ottawa where she has purchased a home on Fifth Ave. She has sold her Shawville residence to Mrs. Wm. Lunam, Mount Laurier, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hodgins, of 105 Florence Street, Ottawa, former residents of Charteris, have received word that their son, Gar. Burlin Erwin Hodgins has arrived safely overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sturgeon, Zion section, left this week to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mrs. Westburn Hamilton, at McCord, Sask., and other relatives in Western Canada.

Miss Dora Beattie, accompanied by Miss Doris Zauri, of Montreal, has returned home after attending Summer School at MacDonald College. Both young ladies successfully passed their exams.

Among relatives from a distance attending the funeral of Mrs. R. A. Hodgins on Saturday afternoon were, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stowe and Mrs. W. D. Smith, sisters and brother-in-law, Cowansville, Que.; nephew and niece, Dr. Cyril Pinnagan, of Montreal, and his sister, Mrs. Rae Atkins, of East Orange, N. J.

## BIRTHS

YURKIEWITZ—At Cartier, Ont., on Tuesday, August 3rd, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Yurkewitz, (nee Anne Henderson) a son, Terrence Alexander.

RACINE—At Youville Hospital, Noranda, Que., on Wednesday, August 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Pete Racine, a son.

ROY—Mr. and Mrs. Emmerson Roy (nee Beatrice Martin) are happy to announce the birth of a son on Friday, Aug. 6th, 1943, at the Pontiac Community Hospital.

## ENGAGEMENTS

HAMILTON—RICHARDSON  
Mrs. Annie Hamilton of McCord, Sask., announces the engagement of her daughter, Kathleen, to A.B. Vincent Richardson, R.C. N.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Richardson, of Indian Harbor, N.S.

## MARRIED

SINCLAIR—BENNETT

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the United Church parsonage, Campbell's Bay, at three o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, August 4th, when Ileen Jean, eldest daughter of Mrs. Bennett and the late Robert Bennett, became the bride of Albert Deric, son of Mrs. Sinclair and the late John Sinclair, of Yarm. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. P. Shaver.

The bride wore a street-length dress of heaven blue crepe, trimmed with braid, and she wore a hat to match with a shoulder length veil, white accessories and a corsage of orchids and lily of the valley.

She was attended by her cousin, Miss Helen Pirie, of Ottawa, who wore a street-length dress of beige and brown with accessories to match. She wore a corsage of Talisman roses.

The best man was Wallace Belsher, of the R.C.A.M.C., Ottawa.

Following the ceremony the bridal party motored to Renfrew, accompanied by the bride and bridegroom's mother, where a wedding dinner was served.

Later in the evening a shower was held by their many friends in the Murrell's Community Hall, where they received many beautiful gifts and numerous cheques.

The young couple left later by train for Toronto and Niagara, the bride travelling in a blue figured two-piece suit with accessories to match.

## Record Prices Paid for Ayrshires At Howick Auction

At the Burnside Golden Anniversary Sale of Ayrshires held at Howick last Saturday record prices were obtained.

About half the animals were from the Burnside herd of R. R. Ness & Sons, the balance coming from outstanding herds in Quebec and Ontario. There was only one entry from Pontiac 'Bonnieshade Flashy Rena' a seven year old cow bred and consigned by S. W. MacKechnie & Sons, of Wyman. She was sold to W. D. Black, Braehead Farms, Hamilton, Ont., for \$600 the highest price of the sale for animals consigned by outside breeders. This was considerably above the sale average of \$412 itself a record for Ayrshires by auction.

Incidentally, this cow, a daughter of MacKechnie & Sons world record cow for twice-a-day milking 'Bonnieshade Silver Rena' was first prize Ayrshire cow at Shawville Fair last year.

## SHAWVILLE FAIR NOTES

Already some former Pontiac residents, working in the mines in the Northern district, in military or other duties elsewhere, are inquiring dates of Shawville Fair, so as to plan a visit here at Fair time.

It is a natural desire to plan, if possible, to visit their home district at the time of its greatest annual event, when people from all over the Ottawa Valley are drawn together to visit, to benefit by and assist in making the event "Western Quebec's best County Exhibition."

The dates for 1943 are September 16, 17, and 18—only five weeks away—and although everyone is busy, all must do their part to make the Fair a success.

To make it easy to announce Fair dates to friends outside the County, envelopes and circulars with dates of the Fair, will be left in public buildings in Shawville and Post Offices, for free use. Your past co-operation was greatly appreciated, please continue in the good work.

R. W. Hodgins, Secretary

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**STREET SCENE IN SICILY**



Sicilians young and old—some with "balcony seats"—turn out to watch the Yanks march through a captured town on road to victory in Sicily.

**Side By Side With War Effort  
All In Britain Plan For Peace**

**And The Nation's Health Improves**

By Sidney Hornblow

Side by side with Britain's mighty war effort, there is being evolved a blueprint for the coming years of peace. And while Britain as a nation makes plans for the post-victory era, the individual approach is not being overlooked.

One small instance of this is to be found in the fact that 130,000 of London's war workers are, even now, devoting their scanty leisure hours to studies at the Evening Institutes.

Among other things they are learning arts and crafts, agriculture and nursing, elementary medicine and languages—to fit themselves for future careers when there is no further need to engage in munition-making and civil defence duties.

**A New Electric Age**

While they follow their studies, various organisations announce their plans for a post-war Britain.

The British Electrical Industry, for example, has many things in mind to improve the home life of the people. They include:

Lamps that will give the home two-and-a-half times the present illumination at no greater consumption of current than now; invisible heating of rooms from the walls; "rationalised" wiring installations, with all meters, main switches and fuses in one wall cabinet containing interchangeable fuses that even a child can handle in safety; radio direct from the mains; and refrigerators within reach of the family with even the lowest income.

**Home-Made Clothes**

Meanwhile, problems of clothing and food continue to engage the attention of Britain's home front. Economy is the order of the day, both to save raw materials and shipping space, and to provide money for the war chest.

In this, the women play a leading part. A new tendency, just revealed, is to cut out the purchase of ready-made clothing, and to buy, instead, material from which clothes can be made at home. The development is particularly noticeable in London. The increase in retail sales of dress materials in May was three per cent. over the sales in May last year, and that followed a trend which has been steadily upward in recent months.

Sales of dress materials by one London store have increased by a third in the past year, and eight out of every ten women customers ask for pattern and dressmaking instruction booklets at the same time.

**Frock From Garden Seat**

Ingenuity knows no bounds when it comes to women's wartime fashions. Consider the clothes displayed at a Home Front Exhibition in Manchester this week: A check coat-frock made from a fifty-year-old fishing suit, a dressing gown designed from travellers' samples, and a house frock that was once the cloth on a garden seat. The clothes had been made by pupils of the city's Evening School of Economy.

**Types of Toys Limited**

Even children's toys come within the scope of war rationalisation. To avoid waste of labour and materials there will be five main types of toys available in Britain next Christmas. They will be: Dolls, soft plush toys including stuffed animals and the like, wooden engines and trucks, model aircraft and indoor games.

The maximum controlled price after October 1 will be 24s.5d. re-

tail. This will mean that more costly toys that have not been sold by that date will be put into storage until after the war.

**More Vegetables Grown**

Total war is changing Britain's eating habits and for the first time the value of vegetables is fully appreciated. People have improved their methods of cooking and, better still, have learned to eat a wide variety of vegetables raw, to obtain the maximum amount of vitamins and mineral salts which are so often lost in careless cooking.

To meet the increased demand, farmers, market gardeners and the people themselves, are growing more vegetables than ever before. The total national production of vegetables has grown from three million to four million tons a year.

**Maternal Mortality Falls**

How does change of diet affect the health and general well-being of Britain's people?

Let the figures speak for themselves. Britain's birth rate in the first quarter of this year was the highest recorded for 15 years. In 1942 both infant and maternal mortality rates were at new low levels. The infant mortality rate of 49 per thousand live births was the lowest on record.

In the fourth year of war, mothers and children are being provided with more health-giving foods than they were in the habit of taking for themselves in peace-time. And on top of all this both mothers and children are drinking considerably more milk than they drank in peace-time.

**Expectant Mother and Baby**

Still another concession for expectant mothers is announced this week. From July 25 the expectant mother will be entitled to two ration books, the second, a modified child's book, will enable her to obtain supplies of food additional to her normal adult rations—this, of course, before baby comes.

Under this new plan the expectant mother will be entitled to a priority supply of seven pints of milk a week plus her normal non-priority supply. She will get twice as many eggs, a ration and a half of meat, oranges as they are available and orange juice and cod liver oil compound.

Between date of landing in North Africa and the middle of May British troops smoked 450,000,000 cigarettes and ate 9,000,000 bars of chocolate. Since April 1st 2,500,000 British airgraphs were dealt with, 25,000 bags of mail were received from Britain.

**Subs Spend Third  
Of Time Submerged**

British submarines on operations lurk beneath the water about four months out of twelve, according to Commander Ben Bryant, one of the Navy's aces.

About three-fifths of the year were spent on patrol, he said, "but generally submarine crews are happy as the day is long. They spend their spare time in childish games, Ludo and cribbage mainly."

"There is plenty of laughter," he told a BBC audience. "Few of us would swap our job for any other. And from a commanding officer's point of view in tracking down and beating up the enemy at his doorstep we enjoy what is to us the finest sport in the world."

**High Vitamin Value  
Of Canadian Flour**

Pensions Minister Mackenzie said last week in the House of Commons. It was the opinion of the highest nutritional experts in Britain that high vitamin Canadian flour made from natural wheat has a finer nutritive value than any flour into which extra vitamin is introduced synthetically.

He said he would not be surprised to see the United Kingdom and United States "reverting" to the Canadian-type flour.

**SNOOZE TO SICILY**



Forty winks before invasion are caught by this Sicily-bound Allied paratrooper who, like his comrades, remained calm and relaxed until signal for action was given.

**VOICE  
OF THE  
PRESS**

**BLACK MARKET CATS**

He was a dealer in the black market. He had been selling rabbits. One day he was discovered trying to sell rabbits with long tails. It turned out the rabbits had been cats.

That is one of the risks you take when you buy black market meat in any country.

—Windsor Star.

**RAKISH BURGLAR**

Householder reported to the police that a tall, thin burglar, whom he had encountered in his garden, struck him a violent blow on the head. The constable solved the mystery and captured the assailant by stepping on the rake too.

—Owen Sound Sun-Times.

**DIFFERENT NOW**

There was a time when a tire was worn out if the tread had disappeared. Now they are not abandoned until the air begins to show through.

—Peterborough Examiner.

**"WOPPING UP" WOPS**

Canadian soldiers in Sicily were supplied with books teaching Italian conversational phrases. Did they explain that "wopping up" means mopping up in English?

—Woodstock Sentinel-Review.

**MENTAL JOURNEY HARD**

It is now possible to travel from Ottawa to Moscow in three days. Physically, of course; the mental journey still takes a little longer than that.

—Peterborough Examiner.

**MAY BE SO**

We'll probably forgive the enemy—not because we are righteous, but because we lack the moral backbone to stay interested, alert and tough.

—Victoria Times.

**FANCY PA IN SHORTS**

Gosh, come to think of it, what a lot of darnin' might be saved, if they painted socks on Pa and little Willie, too.

—Boston Herald.

**The Book Shelf**

**COMBINED OPERATIONS**

The Official Story of the Commandos with a foreword by Vice-Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten, Chief of Combined Operations

This is an astonishing, absolutely absorbing account of the accomplishments of those picked men from the Royal Navy, the British Army, and the Royal Air Force, who work with U.S. Rangers and others of the United Nations in what is known officially as Combined Operations—or, more popularly, the Commandos. So far as possible, without giving aid to the enemy, it is the complete story of the Commandos since the very beginning of their activities, commencing with the experimental attacks on Norwegian Islands, and proceeding with more ambitious attempts on the Continent. In quick succession follow highly dramatic accounts of the assault on southern Italy, the evacuation of Crete, the defeat of the French in Syria, the daring penetration of the enemy's line in Libya—culminating in the suspenseful stalking of Rommel's headquarters—the assault on St. Nazaire, the capture of Madagascar, the Dieppe raid, the invasion of North Africa.

The book is utterly without heroics, and yet is all heroism. The reader marvels at the terrible efficiency, the terrible simplicity, the terrible courage, and the awesome nonchalance of the British Royal Navy and Army and R.A.F. men who participate in these raids.

Combined Operations . . . The Macmillan Company of Canada. . . Price \$2.00.

There are approximately 1,400 members of the Women's Timber Corps in Scotland. They are felling, cross-cutting, working at sawmills and driving tractors and lorries.

**British Version**

"The superiority of British air crews is largely due to the fact that the German crews do not train as a unit."

Scene: Aboard a Junkers over England.

"Now, Hans, you der target spot und I der bomberon will drop and der bangheim make."

"Not so, Karl Schmellenhorst—you de target spot and I der bangheim will make. You made her bangheim on Friday."

"You are a schweinhund."

"Und you are ein meale cat!"

Third voice (hastily): "Neither of you will der bangheim make—see? because der sergeant der bombheim in der plane forgotten to put has."

**Royal Navy Tugs**

The world's largest tugs are now being built for the Royal Navy in shipyards in Britain, several already being in commission. They can tow over long distances anything up to a battleship or giant passenger liner, and in tonnage they are almost equal to a medium-sized destroyer. One recently towed a ship of 7,000 tons for 1,400 miles.

At the outbreak of war, Britain had 25,000 tractors for agricultural work; today there are 125,000 in use.

**WHY, OF COURSE**



Six-shooter at the hip and military bearing readily identifies this figure on the sands of Sicily as American Lieut.-Gen. George S. Patton.

**SPIRIT OF CANADA**



Flt. Sgt. Geo. Calver (left) lost both legs in a raid over Cologne when flak struck his four engine bomber, damaging the landing gear and tail. Calver and his crew were able to bring the bomber back safely. On being fitted for artificial legs George asked that they be four inches longer. They compromised by giving him an additional inch. Exactly six months to the day, following his mishap, Flight Sergeant Calver and Air Marshall Bishop made a public appearance at De Havilland Aircraft and thanked the workers for the excellent job they were doing. Flight Sgt. Calver hopes to get back into action soon.

**LIFE'S LIKE THAT**

By Fred Neher

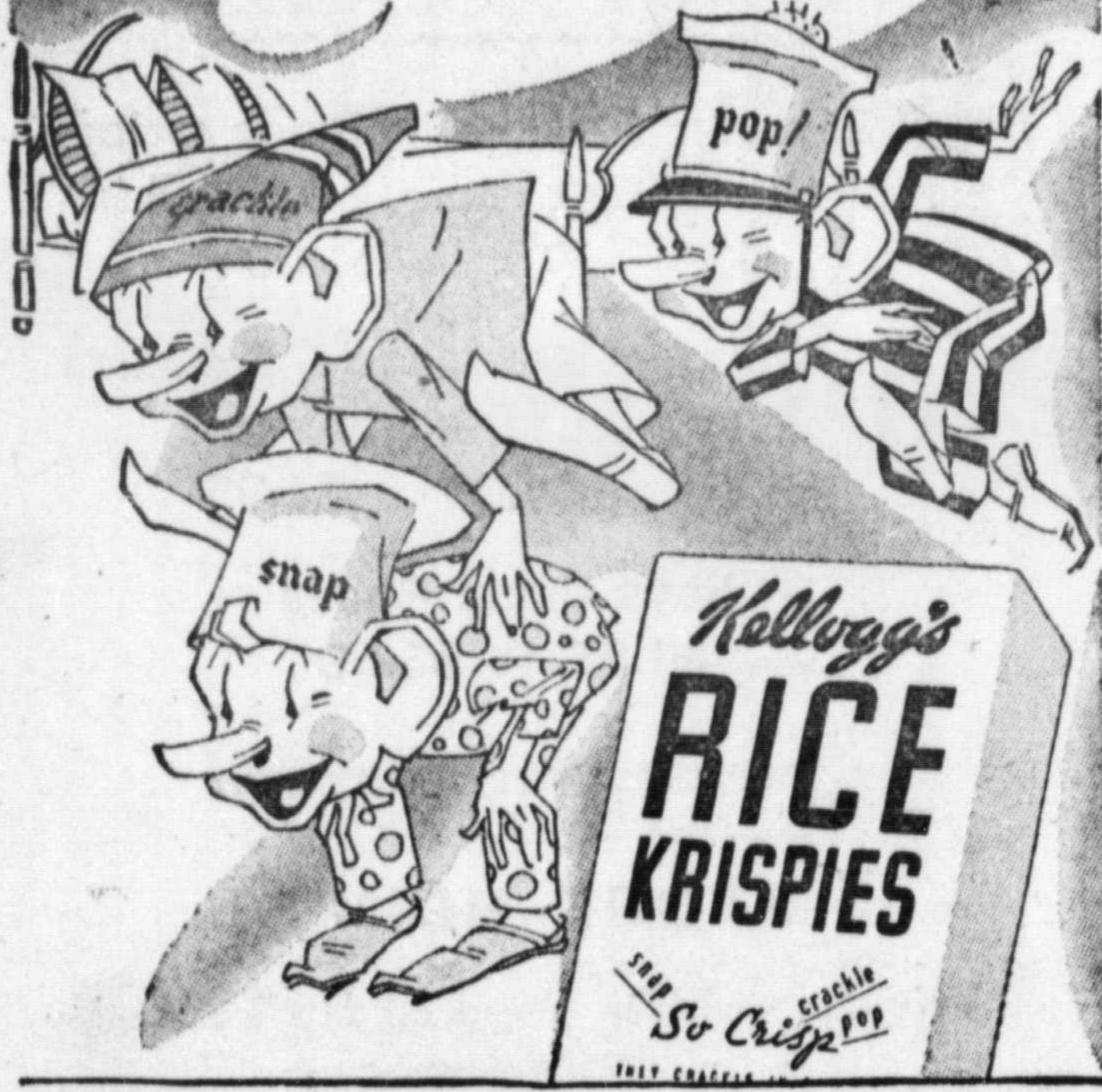


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**KING HIGGINS**  
By  
**CAPTAIN FRANK H. SHAW**

**CHAPTER XVII**

"Here comes one from the Casa Falleiro!" Manuel  
It was old Francisco, hobbling with an odd nimbleness across the square.

He was out of breath when he reached the Consulate.  
"Excellency—" his broad-brimmed hat came off to be fumbled in unsteady fingers—"is it that the little senorita is here?"  
"Here? Why, no—of course not!" replied Dickie sharply; and a quick twinge of dismay troubled him. "Why?"

"There is trouble in the city, Excellency; and the little one is abroad," faltered the old retainer. Indeed, the distant drum of spasmodic rifle-fire became audible as Francisco spoke.

"My sacred hat!" exclaimed Dickie. "All right; I'll nip across!" He went as quickly as possible to the Casa Falleiro.  
"Where's Dolores?" her mother demanded. "That girl is going to give me heart-trouble, Dickie. There's a riot started downtown, and if she gets mixed up in it—lah, the new woman!"

"I'll see if I can find her," he offered, remembering the scene at the cafe of the Many Flowers.  
Sounds of tumult grew as he got out his car. He saw bodies of police hurrying across the Plaza Grande.

"It can't be that I got the wrong date!" thought Dickie. "Unless old Callano's liveliness has jumped the thing ahead a bit."  
Then a mounted officer galloped up, just as he was on the point of entering his car.

"How are things?" the Consul asked.  
"There is trouble at the barracks," the mounted man admitted. "Half the Guard have mutinied. Some of them are already shouting for Lafallete; and I have an order for his arrest. This may mean another revolution."  
Before Dickie could rev up his engine, Sebastian shouted through a window that the airport people were on the 'phone, demanding his presence. The evening plane for Callano had not arrived: it was

overdue, and there was fear of an accident.

"It's all of a piece," Dickie thought. Sabotage, more likely than not; these damaged planes were all part of a plan to enable Lafallete to secure control of Callano and its gold; that gold which is the main sinew of war.

Under the circumstances there was nothing to be done. In any case, there was time to scull around in search of Dolores. He got under way, and, crossing the Plaza, was again troubled by the thought of how absurd his task was. Like looking for a needle in a pottle of hay; whatever a pottle of hay might be.

He drove swiftly towards the sounds of strife. He saw wounded men stumbling along the pavements; he saw a party of vigilantes herding a group of rioters towards the central goal. These recalcitrants raised a cry as the Consul passed them: "Viva Lafallete! Viva the Dictator!" They were hammered by their custodians into silence.

The Many Flowers offered a solution; he determined to go there quickly.

The Many Flowers was deserted. The padrone was there, wobbling like a jolly fish.

Dickie put on his sternest manner as he asked if the man had seen anything of Dolores lately. "You know her, the senorita who danced when Senor Lafallete was here?"

"No, Excellency, she is not here," the man replied, and his eyes were shifty.

"Has she been here?" he snapped. "This evening, I mean! Come, you vagabond, out with it." Hands up, cheeks shaking, the padrone denied the suggestion; but admitted that Dolores had frequently used his establishment as a rendezvous.

"But she has not been here today, Excellency; by the saints, I swear it! No, nor yet Don Ferdinando!"  
Maybe, Dickie thought, she was still making her way towards the cantina; maybe she had become merged in the riot. A mob that had tasted blood—and this mob had—would not be too nice in its dealings with stragglers.

A restlessness he had never known before troubled him. A foolish, an insensate wish to wreak physical damage was in his mind. He would have liked to lay the cafe in wreck; simply because it had served as a meeting-place for the girl he loved and the jumped-up charlatan to whom all this upheaval, he thought erroneously, might be traced. It was not for him to know that it was his own action in giving small Miguel the price of a parcel of crackers, that had been the nucleus out of which this miniature war had grown.

It was whilst he tried to reduce his emotions to orderliness that a group of men streamed into the Many Flowers; and, before they recognized him, asked the padrone if he knew of Lafallete's whereabouts. Receiving his denial, one cried savagely:

"He is not at the secret hut!" Evidently they had hurried thither, been disappointed.

"Then he loses his life's chance," exclaimed another. "The fool!" Before the echoes had ceased Dolores Falleiro ran hastily into the cafe.

Dolores was dishevelled and flushed. Her eyes were staring. Part of her dress was torn; it was not the type of frock Dickie usually saw her in, but a garment more like those worn by the middle-class women of San Josef. A smear of blood was on her face. "Where is Don Ferdinando?"

she cried; suddenly she recognized Dickie. Her mouth fell open as he tried to grin at her; and at that moment the newcomers surrounded her excitedly. One said shrilly, without waiting: "You have betrayed him!"  
"—betray him?" she said, a pant in her voice.

"Where is he, then—at the moment when he is most needed?" she was asked.  
"I do not know. He promised to meet me—but to-night isn't the night." Her bewilderment was evident.

"It is the night," rasped her chief questioner. "It has made itself the night. The senorita knows more than she will admit." He spoke with ironical, exaggerated politeness, but his fact was hard as flint. Dickie did not know him; he seemed a half-stranger here. Probably, he thought, some underling of the Dictator's, hired by the Hackett crowd.

"Then Ferdinando must be found," exclaimed Dolores.  
"Exactly—you shall tell us where." She cried out as he snatched at her wrist and twisted it; her lips stiffened over her wonderful teeth.

"That's enough of that," said Dickie. He stepped crisply forward, making no show of the automatic.

"Keep out of this," snarled the chief questioner. Whereupon Dickie bit him, leading with his left; and it was a good swinging uppercut, starting low. It made perfect contact and the man wilted at the knees like a drooping lily. Dickie dragged Dolores's arm from his weakened grasp, swung her about. "Stand over there!" he commanded sharply.

To Dolores: "Go outside," ordered Dickie. She half-sobbingly whimpered:

"Where is Ferdinando?"  
"Go outside, you little fool!" he snapped.

"Yes, Don Dickie!" she said. She was frightened, no doubting that. All her affectation of ultra-sophistication seeped out of her in the presence of real danger. There had been a look of death in the gunman's eyes.

"Get into the carriage waiting there," he instructed. He kept the men under close observation, as she trailed to the entrance.

(Continued Next Week)

**Nazi Airmen Taken  
From Eastern Front**

An authoritative source said that notebooks, letters, and documents found in Sicily indicate that a large number of German airmen have been drawn from the Russian front to the Mediterranean theater.

This source disclosed that an R.A.F. officer found a quantity of notebooks with Russian letters on their covers and some Russian dictionaries in a building previously used by German fliers as a mess hall.

Letters left there indicate that some German pilots arrived only recently from the Eastern Front, it was said.

**TABLE TALKS**

SADIE B. CHAMBERS

**More About Wartime Canning**

As there have been so many requests for the following timetable from the Department of Agriculture's pamphlet on "Wartime Canning," I am giving it for the column this week.

**TIME TABLE FOR VEGETABLES**

Pressure sterilization is recommended for non-acid vegetables. When vegetables are sterilized in the boiling water bath, it is preferable to use pint containers.

Vegetables	Preparation	Time of Sterilization	Boiling Water Bath	Setam Pressure
ASPARAGUS	Wash, tie in uniform bundles, stand upright in 2 inches of water. Boil 4 minutes. Pack hot, add ½ tsp. salt to each pint sealer, fill with boiling water.	2	40	10
BEANS, string or wax	Wash, string, cut in desired lengths. Cover with water, bring to boiling point, boil 4 minutes. Pack hot, add ½ tsp. salt to each pint sealer. Fill with boiling water.	3	40	15
BEETS	Wash and cut off tops 2 inches above beet. Boil 15 minutes. Cold dip, remove skins, pack, add ½ tsp. salt to a pint sealer. Fill with boiling water.	1½	40	15
CARROTS	Use only very young carrots. Wash and boil 5 minutes. Cold dip—slip off skins, pack, add ½ tsp. salt to pint sealer. Fill with boiling water.	2	40	15
CAULIFLOWER	Wash, break into florets. Drop into salty water. Let stand ½ hour, cover with water, bring to boiling, drain, pack sealers, add ½ tsp. salt to a pint sealer. Fill with boiling water.	1	30	10
CORN, whole kernel	Cut corn from cobs. Cover with boiling water and bring to boiling point, fill sealers, covering corn with boiling liquid, add ½ tsp. salt to a pint sealer.	3	60	15
CHARD, SPINACH or other greens	Wash carefully, steam 5 minutes, pack in sealers, add ½ tsp. salt to a pint sealer, fill with boiling water.	3	60	15
MUSHROOMS	Wash and trim, large ones may be cut in pieces. Blanch 5 minutes. Cold dip very quickly. Pack, allow ½ tsp. salt to a pint sealer, fill with boiling water.	3	60	15
PEAS	Use only young, tender peas. Shell and wash. Cover with water and bring to boil, pack, add ½ tsp. salt to a pint sealer, fill with boiling water. Intermittent sterilization may be used for peas, allowing 1 hour on each of 3 successive days if water bath is used.	3	60	15
SWEET GREEN or RED PEPPER (pimientos)	Wash, remove seeds, boil 3 minutes, cold dip. Remove skins, pack, allow 1 tsp. salt to a pint sealer, cover with boiling water.	¾	30	15
PUMPKIN	Cut in pieces, remove seed and membrane, peel, steam until tender, mash, pack.	3	60	15
TOMATOES	Scald and peel, pack in sealers, cover with tomato juice made from irregular very large or broken tomatoes cut in small pieces, cooked over slow fire for 5 minutes. Strain. Allow ½ tsp. salt to a pint sealer.	¾	15	05

Pint, 35 minutes — Quart, 45 minutes.

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**Britain Replaces  
Lost Battleships**

The five battleships lost by the Royal Navy during the war have been replaced by mighty 35,000-ton battleships. Though over 80 destroyers have been lost in action, more than double this number have been built to replace them. When the war began, Britain had six aircraft carriers. After three years of war, only H.M.S. Furious survived; but when the American troops landed in North Africa, there were several Royal Navy carriers present.

**Glaciers Provide  
Canadian Ports**

The glaciers have come to Canada's aid in providing tidewater points behind the Alaskan Panhandle—the portion of Alaska which stretches south alongside British Columbia.

When the boundary line between the Panhandle and Canada was settled, the line went around each bay so that at no point did Canadian land touch the sea. However, since then some of the glaciers have moved back and changed the coastline.

At two points, bays now stretch across the International Line, according to information received.

**Wash New Cover  
For Ironing Board**

If you're using a piece of new material to make an ironing-board cover, before you put it on, wash it out thoroughly in rich suds that give the whitest wash. Otherwise the fabric will scorch readily with use. Incidentally, old sheets make extremely good covers for ironing boards.

**Sleeve-Board Can  
Be Made At Home**

The cry has gone up for washable dresses. But the more washable dresses, the more ironing, and somehow the sleeves and shoulders of dresses never seem to look right unless a sleeve-board is used. What do you do if you haven't a sleeve-board and you can't find one in the stores? The solution is easy. Lay a magazine on a turkish towel. Roll the two together so that the towel is on the outside. Insert the end of this roll into the sleeve and iron as if on sleeve-board. It works beautifully and is especially helpful for colored garments which should always be ironed single thickness to minimize streaking.

**Bigger Bertha**

A new German gun of exceptional range has shelled the English southeast coast three times recently from the French coast across the channel.

The gun is reported to have a greater range than any the Germans are known to have concentrated near Calais—the nearest point to England.

**Rolled Oatmeal Cookies**

Sift flour; measure. Sift together with corn starch, baking soda, baking powder and salt (sift 3 times). Cream shortening and gradually blend in brown sugar and corn syrup. Add sifted dry ingredients slowly and work into creamed mixture. Add rolled oats alternately with sour milk. Chill dough for several hours. Roll out and cut with cookie cutter into desired shapes. Place on a greased pan and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F) for 12 to 15 minutes. Serve plain or put together in pairs with favorite filling.  
YIELD: Approximately 3 dozen cookies about 2" in diameter.  
VARIATION: Chill in oblong shape; slice with sharp knife.  
1 cup sifted pastry flour ¼ cup brown sugar (firmly packed)  
3 tablespoons BENSON'S OR CANADA CORN STARCH ½ cup CROWN BRAND CORN SYRUP  
¼ teaspoon baking soda 1 cup rolled oats (uncooked)  
1 teaspoon baking powder 1 cup sour milk  
½ teaspoon salt 2 tablespoons sour milk  
¼ cup shortening  
(If corn syrup is temporarily unavailable, replace the quantity with ½ cup sugar.)

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# THE EQUITY

Shawville August 12th, 1943

## Liberals Lose Four Federal Seats

Following the collapse of the Liberal Government of Ontario in last week's election, four House of Commons seats formerly held by Liberals were lost to that party Monday night when by-elections held in four Federal constituencies returned two C. C. F. candidates, one member of the recently-formed Bloc Populaire and a Labor Progressive.

The by-elections were held in Montreal, Cartier, Stanstead, Que., Selkirk, Man., and Humboldt, Sask., and the C. C. F., which contested all four ridings, was successful in the Western constituencies, with William Bryce an easy victor in Selkirk and Joseph W. Burton leading by a substantial majority in Humboldt.

The C. C. F. was not so successful in the Quebec ridings, where Fieb Rose, Labor-Progressive, won a tightly-contested battle over the Liberal party, the C. C. F. and the Bloc Populaire, in Montreal Cartier.

In Stanstead, the Liberal candidate went down to defeat before Armand Choquette, a partisan of the Bloc Populaire, the newly formed party of Maxime Raymond, member of Parliament for Beauharnois Laprairie.

No candidate in any of the four ridings was put up by the Progressive Conservative party.

## How to Keep Ants Out of the Home

Ants frequently enter dwellings in search of food. They feed on many kinds of foodstuffs but are particularly fond of sweet or fatty substances. Ants may be discouraged from entering houses by keeping shelves, tables and floors in kitchens and pantries as free as possible from crumbs and other food fragments and by storing foodstuffs in ant-proof containers. In addition, openings in floors and walls should be carefully plugged.

The most satisfactory material so far discovered for destroying ants is sodium fluoride, sold by druggists in the form of a white powder. The powder should be scattered or dusted lightly in places frequented by the ants and left undisturbed until the ants have disappeared. As sodium fluoride is somewhat poisonous, care should be taken to prevent children or animal pets from gaining access to it.

As an alternative, baits may be used. They may consist either of meat bones or sponges dipped in sweetened water. When large numbers of ants have collected on the baits they may be destroyed by immersion in very hot water. A bait trap which has been used with success may be made by taking a small tin with a tight lid, punching several holes in the sides and top, and placing a small piece of sponge inside moistened with a syrup prepared by mixing 10 grains of sodium arsenate, 6 ounces of sugar, and one pint of hot water. In using this bait, great care must be taken because of the poisonous nature of sodium arsenate.

## South Onslow Council

Quyon, Que., August 2nd, 1943

A regular meeting of the Municipal Council of South Onslow was held on the above date at the usual place of meeting. Members present: S. W. MacKechnie, Mayor, and Councillors Fraser, Muldoon, Young and Westbrook.

On motion, Crs Muldoon and Young, the minutes of last meeting were adopted as read.

Whereas it has not been proved to the satisfaction of this Council that C. Taber's dog killed H. Hammond's sheep, it was moved by Crs Eraser and Muldoon, that the motion of July 5th, claiming damages from C. Taber, be rescinded.—Carried.

On motion of Crs Young and Westbrook, the following bills were ordered paid:

N. Bronson, road list	\$ 81 50
N. Drummond, w-fly powder	66 30
Building and Jury Fund	12 00
Insane account	110 69
Ketchum & Co., dog tax	8 25
W. Meredith, road list	46 00
W. J. Fleming, board of Council	7 00
J. S. Stanton, road list	93 00
W. Clarke, road list	181 19
H. Foran, balance on timber	23 00

Motion, Crs. Muldoon and Young, that this Council spend \$1000.00 on a 50-50 basis with the Government graveling 5th concession.—Carried.

On motion of Cr. Young the meeting then adjourned.

Jos. A. STEELE  
Sec-Treas

## Bristol Council

Maryland, Que Aug. 5, 1943

A regular session of the Municipal Council of the Township of Bristol, was held on the above date. Present: Mayor J. N. McLellan and Councillors Ballantyne, Craig and Ireland.

The minutes of last regular meeting were read and on motion of Ballantyne and Craig were adopted.

A request from the Secretaries of the Quyon and Shawville Fairs for a grant was received by the Board. Motion by Ballantyne and Craig, that a grant of \$25.00 be given Quyon Fair and \$35.00 to Shawville Fair.—Carried.

A letter was read from J. Millar Wallace. The Secretary-Treasurer was instructed to answer this letter.

A letter was read from M. B. Mac-

farlane.

Messrs. John F. Taylor, J. R. Rudd and J. A. Laderoute, representing Norway Bay Municipal Association visited the Board. The constable problem for Norway Bay was discussed. Motion by Ireland and Ballantyne that this Board apply to the Inspector of Provincial Police at Hull, Que., for the services of a traffic policeman to supervise traffic at the Village of Norway Bay.—Carried.

Motion by Ballantyne and Ireland, that the following bills be approved and paid:—

W. A. McQuaig, labor on streets	\$39 55
J. A. Laderoute, telephone calls	1 78
J. E. Dagg, cedar squares	22 14
" " repairs to grader	2 00
M. Hobbs, hauling gravel	59 80
Road Div. Fo. 40, grant	17 23
Province of Quebec, insane acct	227 37
E. A. Pritchard, spikes, etc.	1 56
N. A. Drummond, w fly powder	29 17
Hiram Beattie, valuating	2 00
Robt. Fitzsimmons, valuating	2 00
Milton Henderson, valuating	2 00
H. I. Smith, clerk, use of car	7 00
Township of Onslow North, share of bridge to mainline	203 90
Labor on the Bristol-South Onslow Townline	65 00
W. J. Hayes, funeral services	45 00

Also that bill from Joseph Rooney be held over.

On motion of Cr. Craig the meeting adjourned.

H. I. SMITH,  
Secretary-Treasurer

## Wintertime Finds Forest Inhabitants Hibernating

Perhaps we have wondered, as we sat by the warm fire on a blustery midwinter night, how the little folk of the fields were faring. Little sign of life was evident as we tramped through the snow-covered woods earlier in the day or watched the black, tinkling brook tumbling around the white-mantled boulders. A few months ago this very place swarmed with life, the countless water creatures crawling over the bottom of the pools, while bright-eyed chipmunks, their cheek pouches crammed with food, scurried in the underbrush. The meadows were lush and green, and every field had its plump woodchuck. Now a white robe mantles the northern world, and only the tracks of rabbits, white-footed mice and red squirrels, or the little flicks of nut-hatches, chickadees and downy woodpeckers, tell us that all life has not fled this hostile world.

Consider for a moment the abundance of wild creatures in the summer; how of an evening we watched the scores of bats flying low over the pond or about the city lights of even the large metropolises; the long-tailed jumping mice which were startled from the grass as the mower clattered through the still June meadow, writes William J. Hamilton Jr. in New England Naturalist. They are gone from the woods and fields, but where? Safe into the earth, ensconced in some snug ball of grass and leaves well below the level of frost.

## Mexico Becomes America's Supplier

Current imports of graphite to the United States are double those of four years ago. From Mexico alone came 22,500 tons in 1941. Graphite mining in the Guaymas district of Sonora, 200 miles south of the Arizona border, has been rapidly developed. Transportation, not production, is the current bottleneck of Mexico's graphite trade with the United States.

Sizable graphite deposits are available in Alabama, Texas, New York, Montana, California, and Nevada, in addition to Pennsylvania. Several of these deposits have been worked and can be made to produce again. Three new mills have been authorized for construction in central Alabama, largest source of American production in the early years of this century.

## Revolution in 1910

Celts, Romans and Moors, one after another, had their day in what is now Portugal, leaving mementos in castles, customs and costumes. Hunt for Moors was an old custom back in 1095 when Henry of Burgundy moved in to take a bit of land given him by a royal relative. He declared an open season on the infidel invaders, beat them in many battles, hung captured shields on his family tree as coats of arms. By the sword his son, Alfonso Henriques, freed the country from Spain, became its first king, Alfonso I. The monarchy persisted until 1910 when revolution ousted the royal family. A republic was established in 1911.

## The Watchman

The "Watchman of the Sunrise Trail," of Mattituck on Long Island, has ceased to watch, according to a notice from the post office department. Its loss from the list of New York rural weeklies is probably another war casualty, as a result of rising costs of supplies, lack of labor, and loss of advertising. The "Watchman" was started when Lord Byron was fighting for Greece; when Daniel Webster was thrilling the country with his oratory; and James Fenimore Cooper was starting his "Leatherstocking" tales. Well past the century mark, its first issue was in 1824; its suspension leaves another New York town without a newspaper.

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## Randolph Field Postman Kept Busy by Soldiers

Every time another man takes his place in Uncle Sam's armed forces the postmen of the nation heave a sigh and feel an additional twinge in their overloaded arches.

For the average soldier writes and receives three times as many letters as he did in civilian life. Authority for that statement is Postmaster Fred A. Benedict of Randolph Field, Texas. In the past year, he says, the per capita volume of mail at the West Point of the Air has doubled.

Free mail, of course, has encouraged Joe Soldier's correspondence production, and in many instances has promoted the use of air mail to the one-and-only. He uses the money saved on ordinary mail to streamline his correspondence with the girl he left behind.

Air mail is quite the style with the men at Randolph, according to Postmaster Benedict. A year ago 150 letters in the air mail bundle was a good average; now a full pouch is dispatched. As a matter of fact, post office business has picked up to such an extent at the West Point of the Air that the office now operates on a 24-hour basis. In addition to sending mail out twice daily by bus, the office uses three army trucks to make mail connections with four daily trains.

"Mail call still ranks first among any soldier's events-of-the-day," Postmaster Benedict says.

## It's Repeated Once Again: Shakespeare Is Not Bacon!

An emphatic no is given by Dr. Hans Reichenbach to the theory that Sir Francis Bacon was the real author of the Shakespearean plays.

Following a lecture on the Los Angeles campus of the University of California, where he is professor of philosophy, Dr. Reichenbach advanced psychological reasons why Bacon could not have filled the long-disputed role.

"Bacon was far from being fancy free. He was a very busy man, and of a wholly different mentality from the creator of the dramatic masterpieces. The same man could not have written those plays and so much dry stuff. On the other hand, a poet could not have had the analytic power of Bacon's mind. What poet has had the sober reflection expressed in Bacon, the great intellectual penetration shown in his philosophy and in his deep understanding of scientific method?"

"When a poet becomes too learned his poetry degenerates. Shakespeare's did not degenerate."

Dr. Reichenbach, as a contributor to the "Living Philosophies" lectures, took Bacon for his subject.

## U. S. Pencil Production

Ceylon's graphite, because of its crystalline form, has a premium value. Used in making crucibles and as a lubricant, it is a top quality graphite of the pencil industry. It is mixed with clay to make pencil "leads" of different degrees of hardness. More than a billion wood pencils are made annually in the United States. They consume about one-tenth our graphite imports. Discovery of a bed of pure graphite in England nearly four centuries ago marked the passing of real lead as a writing material. Graphite, named from the Greek word meaning "to write," has no chemical relationship to lead. It is a separate and distinct element. Its venerable aliases, "black lead" and "plumbago," show that it was early regarded as a form of lead. In many languages, including English, Arabic, Finnish, Dutch, German, Greek, Ethiopian, Japanese and the Scandinavian, the graphite pencil is misnamed "lead" pencil.

## Deciding Choice of Chittagong

Chittagong's India, place in the strategic sun is chiefly defined by its position at the port end of a rail line reaching 700 miles northward up the Brahmaputra river valley to Sadiya, Indian oil town near the Chinese boundary. Loss of the old Burma road starting at Rangoon put the Chinese to the tough job of contriving a new Indian-ocean link with Chungking, nerve center of China's war effort. Good port facilities, a long leg of the route already available in the rail line, and the protection of a mountainous coastal belt stretching the 650 miles to Rangoon, decided the choice of Chittagong as the terminus of the projected 2,300 mile life line over the Himalayas to the heart of China.

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## 3 Synthetic Products Have Much in Common

Synthetic rubber, plastics and wood may seem to have little in common, yet the first two have contributed to the last at a time when treated wood is being called upon increasingly. Synthetic rubber's contribution was entirely accidental. During the first World War two Austrian chemists, trying to find a satisfactory substitute for natural rubber, inadvertently included several wood blocks in a batch being cooked at high pressures and temperatures. Though there is no record of the success of the cook, the wood blocks came out not crushed to shreds but compressed to a hard, dense mass. Further experimentation demonstrated that, given sufficiently high temperatures, dry wood could be compressed, with no sign of rupture, to a dense board two to three times as heavy as the original material and as many times as strong. The new product, lignostone, promptly found a number of uses for which hardness, density and strength were needed.

With the spectacular advent of the plastics, the prediction was freely made that wood might soon disappear from a great many of its traditional uses and that the synthetic material would take over completely, says Technology Review. Some of the synthetic resins, however, were soon discovered to be superior adhesives, with the result that wood, far from being supplanted, could be used for many purposes formerly denied it.

## White-Towered Church Dominates Kinsman, O.

It was spring wanderlust that took one off to Kinsman, Ohio, a few miles from the Pennsylvania border, a place every Ohioan ought to know. Dominating the town is its impressive white-towered church, set on a hill, a beautiful old graveyard clustering about it, surrounded by some of the most gorgeous trees in the state. Standing up there on the steps of the old church, its pillared classic facade behind, see "All the sullen grays and pet and duns Of winter wake to color in the plain!"

Copied from the Old North church in New Haven, Conn., it is Presbyterian-Congregationalist, the result of the old time plan of union, writes Grace Goulder in the Cleveland Plain Dealer. It was built in the early 1830s by one Willis Smith, a gifted architect and master builder, who came from Lisbon, Conn., bringing embellishment to Kinsman and honor to himself.

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Like the equivalent belief that the nails grow after death, this is a superstition of "seeming," with no factual basis. Because the hair (like the nails) does not disintegrate after death with anything like the rapidity of the other bodily tissues, it seems, by contrast with the sunken features and wasted body structure in general, actually to have grown. Moreover, the tightening of the skull covering, due to evaporation of its fluid content after death, makes the hair "stand up," further contributing to its lifelike appearance.

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## Tenders For Caretakers

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to August 16th, 1943, for caretakers for the Rural Schools of Clarendon.

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## Goose Island Ceded by Britain to Venezuela

Patos, or Goose island, ceded to Venezuela by Great Britain, is one of the smallest of several islands lying between the two mountainous peninsulas that nearly join north-western Trinidad to the Spanish Main. In the 12-mile strait between the tips of these peninsulas, Patos lies farthest south into the Gulf of Paria, and farthest west. It is less than three miles from the Venezuelan shore.

The island is only a mile long from west to east. Its land area is less than 200 acres. At its highest point—330 feet—the Union Jack had been raised each day. Two Trinidadians assigned to this duty were the only human residents of the island. Their "neighbors" included five-foot iguanas, some smaller, green lizards, and a herd of wild goats.

Rock formations of Venezuela's Paria peninsula, Patos and nearby islands, and northern Trinidad indicate that Trinidad was once linked with the South American mainland.

Six miles northeast of Patos rises Chacachacare, nearest of the Trinidad coast islands and site of a leper colony. Separated by narrow channels, are Huevos (Egg) island, Monos (Monkey) island, and Gasparee—all resort islands for Trinidadians with attractive bathing and fishing facilities. Discovering Trinidad in 1498, Columbus named this strait between the Caribbean sea and the Gulf of Paria "The Dragon's Mouths" because of its many channels.

## Service Announcements

Sunday, August 15th.

SHAWVILLE UNITED CHURCH  
REV. A. F. FOKES B. A., B.D. PASTOR

11.00 a. m.—Service at Shawville  
2.00 p. m.—Service at Zion  
3.30 p. m.—Service at Stark's Corners.

Subject:—  
"For those who stay at home"  
7.30 p. m.—Service at Shawville.  
Special song service, and a talk on a new use for ration books.

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Holy Communion—11.00 a. m.  
Evening Prayer—7.30 p. m.

HOLY TRINITY

Sunday School—2.30 p. m.  
Evening Prayer—3.15 p. m.  
St. Lukes  
Evening Prayer—2.00 p. m.

NORTH CLARENDON PARISH  
REV. P. R. STOTE in charge

Greermount—  
Holy Communion—10.30 a. m.

Thorne Centre

Evening Prayer—3.00 p. m.

Charteris—  
Evening Prayer—8.00 p. m.

North Onslow—  
Tuesday, August 17th. Evening Prayer at 7.30 p. m.

CLARENDON CIRCUIT

REV. N. T. HOLMES, B.A., B.D. PASTOR

Service at Rivford—11.00 a. m.  
Service at Bristol—3.00 p. m.  
Service at Yarm—8.00 p. m.

Mr. Ivor Currie-Mills will preach.

BRISTOL UNITED CHURCH

Lay Minister:—Mr. Leslie Dean

St. Andrews  
10.00 a. m.—Sunday School  
11.00 a. m.—Service

Knox  
3.00 p. m.—Service

Austin  
8.00 p. m.—Service

Sermon Subject:—  
"Ear Marks of a Christian"

## Teachers Wanted

Qualified Protestant Teacher for Dunraven School, Municipality of Calumet, dissentient. Duties to commence Sept. 1st. Salary \$75.00 per month. Apply to

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Campbell's Bay, Que.

## University Trains Women In Military Map Making

To aid in meeting the need of the armed forces for hundreds of thousands of maps, vital to victory, the engineering school of Columbia university is training women in military map making, a field hitherto confined exclusively to men, it is announced by A. Dexter Hinckley, assistant to the dean of the faculty of engineering. Prof. Henry S. Sharp, head of the department of geology in Barnard college, will direct the studies which will begin on February 2.

"Since many men of the federal map making agencies have been lost or soon will be lost to selective service, hundreds of women replacements are needed," Professor Sharp explains.

"Modern global warfare is impossible without maps. Nothing in warfare can be planned until the general staff has a graphic representation of the terrain before it. Planes, bombs and men may be in readiness for action, but without special types of maps to guide pilots on their way bombing missions cannot be effectively planned or executed.

"Special maps are needed for bombing missions. On the first part of a long flight, navigation charts which cover large areas and show only major features best suit the need of the airmen. As the pilot draws near his objective, he needs approach charts instead which show the critical area on a larger scale. Finally, he needs detailed target charts of the immediate area in which his specific objective is located.

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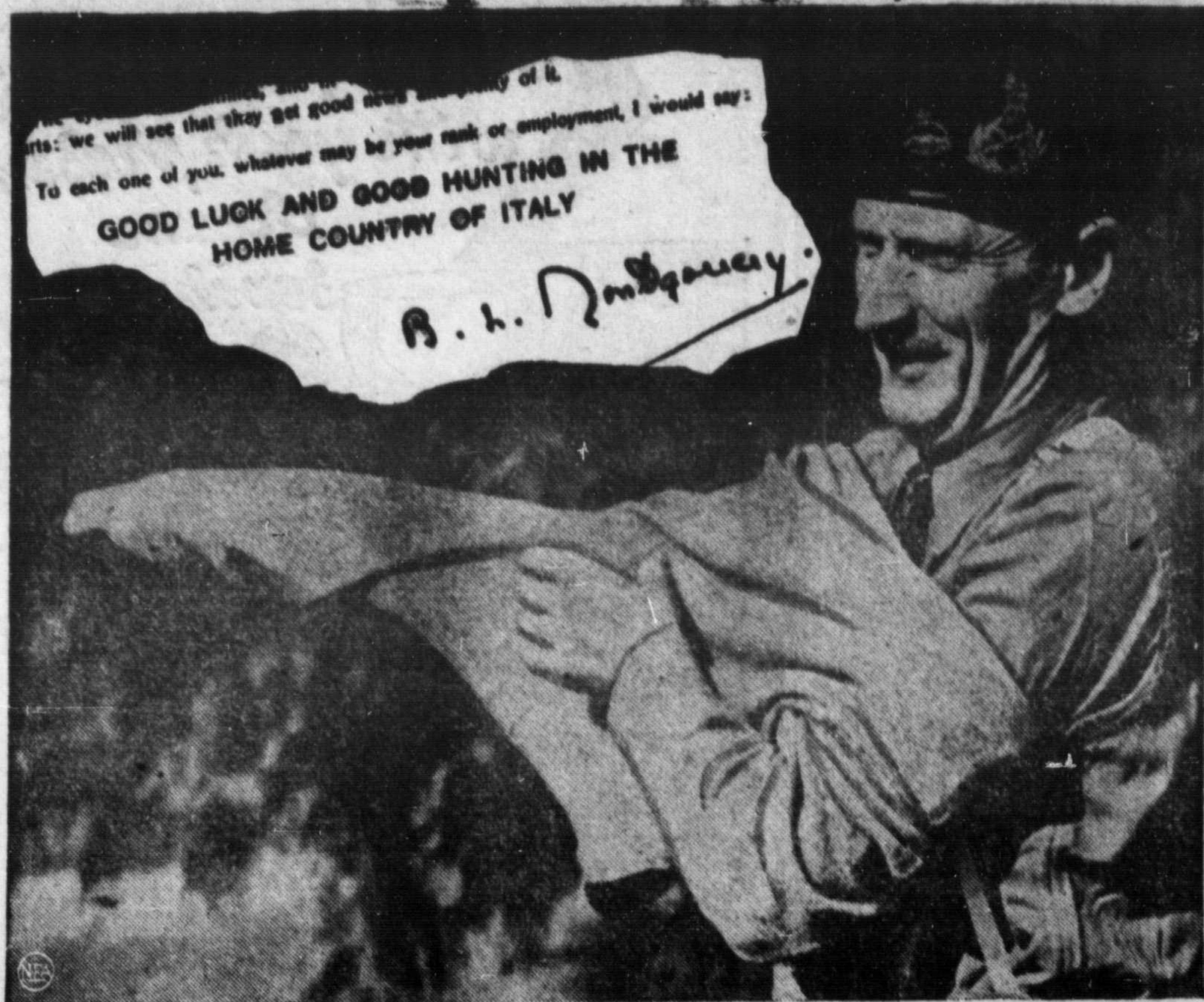
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## Message From Montgomery



Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery, now leading his British Eighth Army against the Axis in Sicily, inspired his troops with the pre-invasion message whose concluding words are shown here. He is pictured donning a sweater just before renewing battle with Axis forces.

## How Can I???

By Anne Ashley.

Q.—How can I clean matting?  
A.—Wipe off the matting with a cloth wrung from salt and water, and it will prevent it from turning yellow.

Q.—How can I protect the lower part of the walls in the basement?  
A.—When painting the basement floor, let the paint extend about ten inches above the floor. This will be a protection to the lighter colored walls when the floor is mopped.

Q.—How can I easily cut fresh bread?  
A.—Pass the blade of the bread knife through a flame to heat it, and there will be no difficulty in cutting fresh bread.

Q.—How can I destroy earthworms in the soil of a potted plant?  
A.—Put a teaspoonful of camphor in a quart of water and sprinkle the soil with this while it is dry.

Q.—How can I prevent curtains from blowing out of the window and becoming soiled?  
A.—By using lead dress-weights. These weights can be covered with material the same color as the curtains, then slipped into the bottom hems of the curtains. Using about five weights in each hem will make the curtain hang evenly.

Vegetable production in Britain has been raised from the pre-war figure of 2,500,000 tons to 4,000,000 tons.

## VATICAN WILL BE SPARED BOMBS



Allied bombers are attacking by daylight in their precision bombing of Rome to avoid hitting the Vatican City. Here is the Basilica of St. Peter's and, immediately in front of it, the Piazza St. Pietro. Most military targets in Rome are at least three miles from these Vatican buildings.

## FUNNY BUSINESS



"I don't care if it is appendicitis, out come your tonsils—the sergeant says you talk too much!"

## Modern Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

By Roberta Lee.

- 1.—Is it really essential that there be a wedding rehearsal?
- 2.—Should all the men stand at the table until all the women are seated?
- 3.—Is it proper for a man to wear a wrist watch with full evening dress?
- 4.—Is it necessary that a man who is travelling alone, use the prefix "Mr." when registering at a hotel?
- 5.—When leaving the dinner table to dance, what should one do with his napkin?
- 6.—Is it necessary that a man rise when he is being introduced to another man?

Answers.

1.—While not actually essential it is far better to have a rehearsal than to have any embarrassing blunder occur during the ceremony. 2.—Yes. 3.—No; he should carry a pocket watch. 4.—No; he should register as John B. Green, New York. 5.—Leave the napkin unfolded by the side of the plate. 6.—Yes.

## Britain Will Draft Youths For Mines

British boys from 16 to 18 years of age must be drafted for work in English coal mines to boost the lagging production of coal for the nation's fuel-hungry war industries, Ernest Bevin, minister of labor, told the Blackpool Mine Workers Federations last week.

Pleading with the federation not to "raise a political storm" over the issue, Bevin said it was urgent that 30,000 to 60,000 youths

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

AUGUST 15  
God Provides For His People—  
Exodus 16, 17

Printed Text—Give us this day our daily bread. Matthew 6:11.  
Memory Verse—Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father. James 1: 17.

**THE LESSON IN ITS SETTING**  
Time.—1445 B.C.  
Place.—The Wilderness of Sin, on the eastern side of the Red Sea, on the way to Mount Sinai. Some of the places mentioned in our lesson have not yet been definitely identified.

**God's Promise To Israel**  
"And Jehovah spake unto Moses, saying, I have heard the murmurings of the children of Israel: speak unto them, saying, At even ye shall eat flesh, and in the morning ye shall be filled with bread; and ye shall know that I am Jehovah your God." Once again the Lord speaks to Moses, telling him that through this experience of enjoying God's bounty the Israelites should know that God was the Lord their God. The instruction of His people is a primary object with God. He has gifted them with reason, and He expects to be served with the understanding and the will. It is manifest that every event in His dealings with them is a step in the process of their spiritual training.

"And it came to pass at even, that the quails came up, and covered the camp; and in the morning the dew lay round about the camp." An extraordinary flight of quails was over the camp. It is a not uncommon occurrence that, when wearied, these birds droop and settle down for rest, so as to be easily clubbed with sticks, and even caught by the hand. The miraculous provision chiefly lay in the extraordinary number, the seasonable arrival, and the peculiar circumstances under which these quails came.

**Manna For The Hungry**  
"And when the dew that lay was gone up, behold, upon the face of the wilderness a small round thing, small as the hoarfrost on the ground. And when the children of Israel saw it, they said one to another, 'What is it?' for they knew not what it was. And Moses said unto them, 'It is the bread which Jehovah hath given you to eat.'" There is a natural substance with which this manna is compared. It is a deposit from the air which falls in trees, stones, grass, etc.; and is generally thick and sticky like honey, but under certain circumstances is congealed into small granular masses. It is collected by the Arabs and eaten with their unleavened cakes as condiment. It so far resembles the manna that it comes with the dew; it is never found in large quantities and it does not fall for more than two months in the year. But the manna of scripture is generally regarded as a miraculous substance and not a natural product.

**Greedy and Unbelief**  
"This is the thing which Jehovah hath commanded. Gather ye of it every man according to his eating; an omer a head, according to the number of your persons, shall ye take it, every man for them that are in his tent. And the children of Israel did so, and gathered some more, some less. And when they measured it with an omer, he that gathered much had nothing over, and he that gathered little had no lack; they gathered every man according to his eating."  
No store is to be accumulated. It was in vain that any one disobeyed this command. That which was reserved till the second day became rotten. This in itself was miraculous, as the natural manna kept for a considerable time. If a man trusted God for tomorrow, he

A Farm Wife Chats To Women

by Gwendoline P. Clarke

How many cherries do you suppose there are in an ordinary six-quart basket? Of course you have never tried to count them, have you—and nor have I—but still, take a guess, and then I will tell you why I ask.

You see, we had a basket of cherries left down town at the home of a friend and when I called for them I found they were already pitted. Now wasn't that a grand surprise? This friend lives alone—and it may have been curiosity; I don't know—but as she pitted the cherries she counted them, and... here comes the answer... there were eleven hundred and fifty cherries in that one basket. Can you believe it? So now, if you have an eleven quart basket of cherries in front of you to pit will it make the work any easier, do you think, to realize that probably approximately two thousand cherries will slip and slide through your juicy fingers before the job is done? And here is another thought. If there are two thousand cherries in an eleven quart basket how many cherries would there be on an average tree? It's a silly question, of course, but still it does make you realize how, as always, it's the little things that count. One cherry, and then another cherry, and so on, and so forth, and soon a basket is filled to the top.

And so it is with our day's work. Perhaps no job in itself is very big but yet one after another the tasks are done until by the end of the day we realize we have put in a good many hours of solid work—on just jobs that make up our ordinary home life—getting meals, washing dishes, bathing the baby, kissing the bumps to make them well; ironing, sweeping, dusting, shopping, hoeing, feeding chickens and gathering eggs, and, I hope, somewhere in among these multiple chores there has also been time for Red Cross knitting and sewing.

Even in the busiest day there should still be time for war work. I say "war work" for want of a better description. Personally I do

would be content to stop collecting when he had filled his omer, tempting as the easily gathered abundance would be. Greedy and unbelief would masquerade then as now, under the guise of prudent foresight. Only he who absolutely trusted God to provide for him would eat up his portion, and lie down at night with a quiet heart, knowing that He who had fed him would feed.

**Water From The Rock**  
"And the people thirsted there for water; and the people murmured against Moses, and said, 'Wherefore hast thou brought us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our cattle with thirst?' Instead of asking Moses to pray to God for relief, they began to murmur and complain again, as they had previously done, naturally provoking Moses. This time Moses is driven to ask the Lord what he is to do.

"And Moses cried unto Jehovah, saying, What shall I do unto this people? they are almost ready to stone me. And Jehovah said unto Moses, Pass on before the people, and take with thee of the elders of Israel; and thy rod, wherewith thou smotest the river, take in thy hand, and go. Behold, I will stand before thee there upon the rock in Horeb; and thou shalt smite the rock, and there shall come water out of it, that the people may drink. And Moses did so in the sight of the elders of Israel."

The abundant provision of water for a thirsty people, and the bringing of it near to them, speaks of God's supply of water of life in Christ. It is the bringing of salvation near to sinful men and women in Christ through His atoning death for them. As from the smitten rock the water flowed abundantly and satisfied the cravings of the people, even so from Christ, smitten at the cross, the water of life, as salvation flows abundantly to satisfy the cravings and thirst of hearts. 'Whosoever drinketh of this water shall never thirst.'

not think that war work should be considered as something apart from our ordinary work—as something that we will do when we get around to it. I think we should regard it as part of our day's work; as something that must be done ere the sun goes down—or maybe after the sun goes down.

There is still so much need for all the sewing and knitting we can do. If one of those poor little bombed out children should come to your door—frightened, ragged, hungry and homeless—how gladly you would take her in; how quickly you would get good nourishing food; how frantically you would search the house over for suitable clothes; and how gently you would try to reassure the terror-stricken child that with you she would be safe—that you would take care of her.

Am I not right? I am sure I am. I know every woman who reads this column would open her heart to any little homeless child—if she were to see her. Ah, but there's the rub. We cannot often see the ones for whom we work—or for whom we should work. But we have imagination and we can use it. And if we do, war will quite naturally become part of our daily round.

Well, I have just come from the field where I have been helping Partner to assemble the binder ready for cutting. It was so long since I had helped with this job that I had forgotten all the little things there were to do—to unwind the wheel; to balance the binder while Partner did this thing and that; to put a bolt in here and a hook on there, and so many other little jobs before the binder is ready for action. Finally we were all ready to go and when Partner started cutting I followed the binder to retrieve the first row of sheaves, which are always thrown into the standing grain and must be moved before the second round is cut. Some of them were light, but most of them were heavy, and quite as much as I wanted to lift, so, when we came to the end of the round I was glad when Partner said: "Well, I guess that is all I need you for this time." Tapping a typewriter is a lot easier than struggling with a pitchfork.

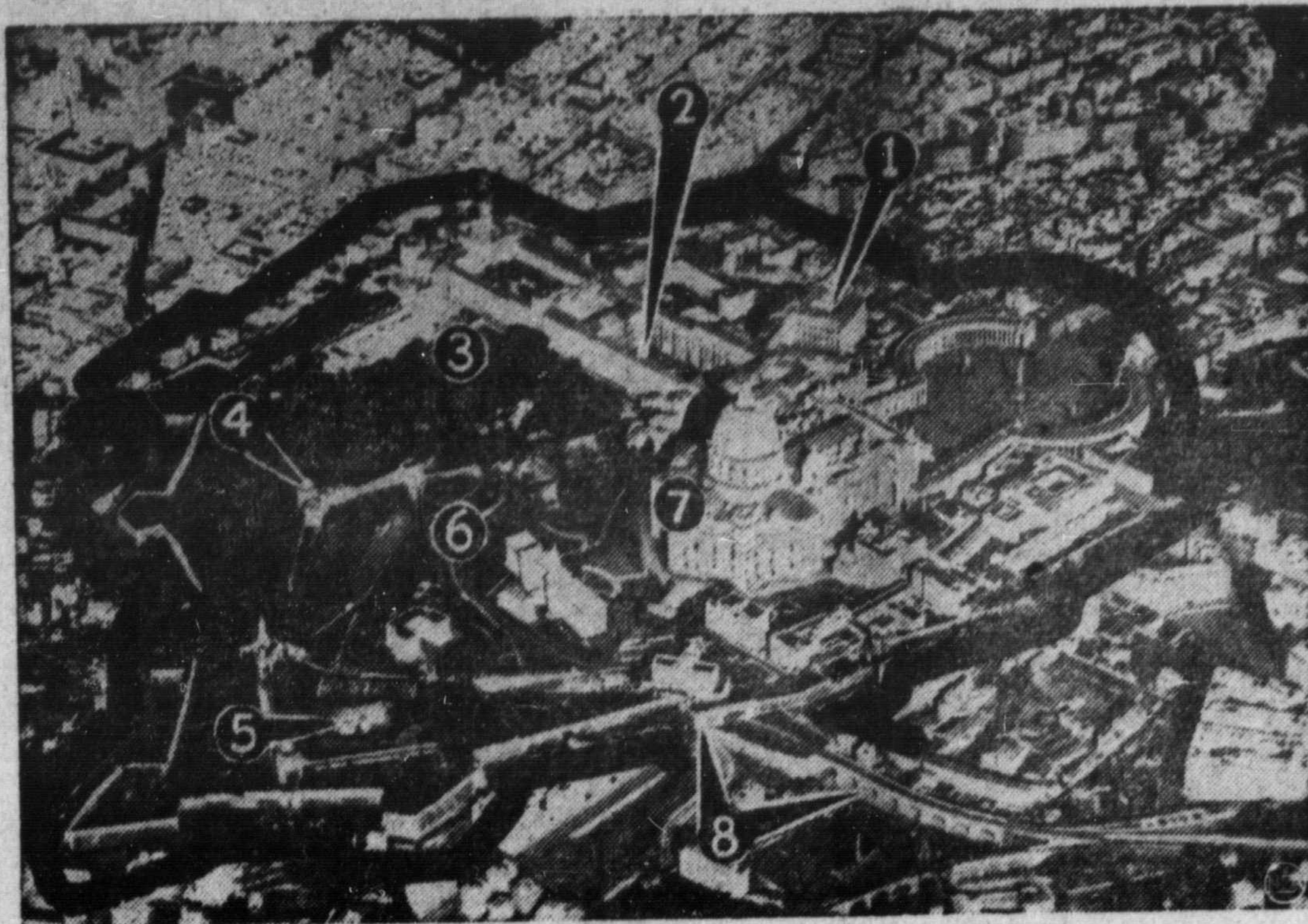
And how is the election coming along in your district? Interest seems to be pretty dead around here. I am not the least bit excited about it myself but, when August 4 comes, I'll be out to vote. If we don't do our part then we have no come-back if the government doesn't do what suits us. Don't forget freedom to think and vote the way we please is one of the things our men are fighting for. So, countrywomen everywhere, let us hie to the polls on August 4. And of course we shall all cast our vote for the right party!

CANADIAN CHIEF



Maj-Gen. G. G. Simonds, 40, is commander of the Canadian Army's First Division now spear-heading advances on the central front in Sicily.

VATICAN CITY — SPARED BY ALLIED BOMBS



The air view above shows the city of Rome, with the ancient, walled Vatican City outlined and some of its famous buildings and historic monuments indicated by numbers. They are (1) The Pope's Palace, which includes the famed Sistine and Pauline chapels, with their priceless treasures of paintings and sculpture. (2) The Vatican museum of paintings. (3) Vatican Gardens, where popes walked during period when they were confined to the Vatican State. (4) The Observatory, one of the most important in the astronomical world. (5) Vatican radio station. (6) Governor's Palace. (7) St. Peter's, with its circular plaza adjoining it. (8) Railroad, with Vatican station just inside the wall separating the Vatican City from Rome proper.

RADIO REPORTER By REX FROST

For a number of years the Axis governments dominated the radio waves of the Mediterranean. Long before the British Broadcasting Corporation was aroused to counter-action, German and Italian short wave was pounding out Axis propaganda in the native tongues of the tribes of Northern Africa and the Middle East. And this era of practically unchallenged Nazi and Fascist propaganda came into being long before the war started. The United Nations only began to win the war of radio propaganda in the Mediterranean when, following the landing of United Nations troops in French Northwest Africa, they took control of Radio Algiers. From that time on, as the saying goes, they have really gone to town with a barrage of United Nations propaganda directed to the peoples of the Mediterranean area in numerous languages, African and European. Moreover Radio Algiers has supplied the "Underground" press of Europe with truthful war information and encouragement to hang on until their hour of liberation arrives, supplementing thereby the short wave broadcasts directed to the occupied countries from London and Washington.

The United Nations radio propaganda to Italy was supplemented by the dropping of pamphlets by aircraft telling the people when to listen, and on what wavelength and also emphasizing the appeals of Prime Minister Winston Churchill and the president of the United States to Italian citizens to oust Il Duce. It was not until our fighting forces landed on Italian soil that they realized the power of the propaganda which had preceded the military, naval and air assault. In many parts of Sicily the populace was out to welcome the United Nations soldiers. Significant also was the request of a general of the Italian Army, who together with an officer of the Italian Navy asked their captors to arrange to broadcast their names over the B.B.C. so that their families would know they were prisoners, and thereby safe.

A rather amusing incident comes from Nazi occupied Holland where an order was recently issued by the German authorities confiscating all radio receiving sets. When it was learned that members of the Dutch Nazi party might, upon application, be allowed to keep their radios, there was quite a rush of Hollanders to join the Dutch Nazis... temporary Radio-Nazis, as they are described by the Government of Holland in exile.

The announcement has just been made that Judith Evelyn,

None are prouder of the successes of Judith Evelyn than her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Smallwood, of Perth, Ontario.

Kinsmen Clubs across Canada in recent years have made a mighty fine contribution to social welfare projects which influence the lives of Canadian and British youngsters. Kinsmen in many parts of Canada, their wives the Kinsettes, and the numerous friends of good fellowship which these clubs represent will welcome the special broadcast of the Kinsmen National Convention, which will go out over the National Network of the CBC Saturday, August 7, at 8 p.m.

SONG BIRD

**HORIZONTAL**

1,5 Pictured singer.  
10 Argue.  
14 Flower.  
15 Sweet substance.  
16 Melody.  
17 Toothlike.  
19 Music note.  
20 Relate.  
21 Monster.  
22 Redact.  
24 Rug.  
27 Sets upright.  
31 Beverage.  
32 Wed.  
36 Part of mouth.  
37 Sun.  
38 Tree.  
39 Winglike part.  
40 Article.  
41 Wired instrument.  
45 Snare.  
46 Spring holiday.  
48 Id est (abbr.).  
49 Short article.  
51 Avenue (abbr.).  
52 Conceited.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

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**VERTICAL**

1 Young goat.  
2 Exist.  
3 Metal.  
4 Bar by estoppel (law).  
5 Man's garments.  
6 Style.  
7 Within.  
8 Far (comb. form).  
9 Cluster of stars in the constellation Taurus.  
10 Metallic product.  
11 Mineral rock.  
12 Petroleum.  
13 Talis (abbr.).

18 Molding.  
23 Anger.  
24 Social division system of India.  
25 Hawaiian greeting.  
26 Relish.  
28 Tribe.  
29 Baked clay.  
30 Quarrel.  
33 Cooking vessel.  
34 Grain.  
35 Ukulele (abbr.).  
41 Obtain.  
42 Conciliatory.  
43 Streams.  
44 Requirement.  
47 Color.  
50 Hair on animal's neck.  
51 Toward the lee.  
52 Brewing vessel.  
53 Since.  
54 Electrified particle.  
59 Transpose (abbr.).

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POP—The Height of Something or Other

By J. MILLAR WATT

### Bob Cowley Missing

Sergeant R. H. (Bob) Cowley son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. E. Cowley, 229 Powell avenue, Ottawa is "missing" overseas, with the R.C.A.F., according to a message received by his parents.

### Edward Brabazon Dies at Westlake, Alberta

Many friends in the Ottawa Valley regretted to learn of the death of Edward A. Brabazon, a former resident of Portage du Fort, who died at Westlock, Alta., on July 27th.

Born in Portage du Fort 55 years ago, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Gerald H. Brabazon, he moved out west and operated a farm in the Pembina Valley, Westlake, for some years.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, the former Jessie Murphy of Vancouver, are a son, Gerald, at home, and a brother, Claude H. Brabazon, of Ottawa and Portage du Fort.

### Mrs. John Murphy of Blaine Lake, Sask., Buried at Charteris

On Thursday afternoon the funeral was held of Mrs. John Murphy from the home of her son, Thomas Murphy, of North Clarendon, to Wesley United Church, Charteris, Que., with Rev. A. F. Fokes officiating, assisted by Rev. E. Hughes, of Charteris-Standard Church. During the service Mrs. A. H. Horner and Miss Evangeline Towell sang a duet, "Tell Mother I'll Be There."

Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Everett Laughren, A. H. Horner, Fred A. Horner, Moses Murphy, Russell Elliott and Wilfred Howes.

Mrs. Murphy died at Blaine Lake, Sask., on Saturday, July 31, at the age of 91 years. She had been living there with her son, William H. Murphy, for the past 25 years. She was born on August 10, 1851, in Clarendon Township, her maiden name being Mary Jane Hobbs, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Hobbs, who some time prior to that date had come as pioneers from Ireland to this district. She was married in 1878 to Mr. Murphy, and they lived on his farm near Charteris, where he predeceased her in 1890.

Surviving her are two sons, William H. Murphy, of Blaine Lake, Sask., and Thomas Murphy, of Charteris; one daughter, Mrs. John H. Horner, and an adopted daughter, Mrs. Calvin Church, both of Blaine Lake, Sask. After a brief service at Blaine Lake, conducted by Rev. Ledrew, the remains were brought to Shawville on Wednesday, and were accompanied by the deceased's son, Wm. H. Murphy, and daughter, Mrs. John H. Horner, of Blaine Lake.

### Mark Sheep With Washable Brands

In times of peace, the amount of wool damaged by the use of unsuitable materials in branding sheep may not have been in sufficient quantity to affect the entire wool clip, but in war time when every shred of wool is required, the loss has a bearing on Canada's war effort. From the standpoint of the manufacturer of woolen cloth, the use of insoluble substances, such as paint, tar, linseed oil, and old crankcase oil, by sheep breeders in branding range ewes, or in numbering sheep for sales, or for purposes of identification is very objectionable. In fact, branding or marking sheep with any substance that cannot be washed out is particularly injurious, because the brand or mark is usually stamped on the most valuable part of the fleece.

It is difficult and costly to remove portions of the fleece marked by unwashable material, either when grading or sorting, and if overlooked, the insoluble material will not dissolve in the scouring bath and goes forward into the manufacture of the fabric. The finished material carries the stain of the branding fluid and cannot be cleaned by branding fluid used in any cleaning solvents in general. Washable brands have been that do not stain the fleece commercially. Prepared and are sold in large quantities. Only such branding fluid should be used, in order to increase the supply of native wool which is inadequate to meet the demand for the men in the field.

### Great Duck Increase Reported

A recent bulletin issued by "Ducks Unlimited," an organization using American sportsmen's dollars for the restoration of waterfowl on the great Canadian nesting grounds, reports that "a great increase in the duck population is now certain." It further states that "this year's crop certainly tops that of the past two years" and that this has been "the first summer in a decade that nature has given the ducks a break."

### Indiana Bans Hen Pheasant Shooting

Indiana has announced that the season on hen pheasants—open in 1941—will be abandoned in 1942, as the result of a survey which included reports on birds taken during the 1941 season, survival after the hunting season and after winter months. The survey revealed an abnormal ratio between hen and cock birds that prevented maximum natural production.

### The Oyster Drinks and Works 24 Hours a Day

The oyster drinks all day, swallowing up to 4½ gallons of water an hour through a slight gap between the two valves of its shell. From this liquid diet it strains the nourishing minerals washed away from the soil into the sea. Calcium is spread in a pearly layer over the inside of the shell, enlarging its diameter about an inch a year.

Foreseeing that nature's bounty would end, the founding fathers of Connecticut began protecting their oyster fisheries in 1784. Despite protective measures, the oyster has become scarcer. At the beginning of this century the annual yield of oysters from the continent's coastal waters was half again as large as the present "take."

The gradual depletion of the nation's "wild" oyster beds is typified by the Chesapeake fisheries, which 60 years ago yielded from 25 to 30 million bushels annually. Now the yearly crop may be less than one-seventh of the old totals. Efforts about the 1880s to protect the natural oyster beds in Chesapeake waters started "oyster wars" between government boats and an oyster-pirate fleet armed with cannon. Now the seafood patrol enforces conservation laws protecting oysters under a prescribed size. Since the wild oyster has become scarce, the bivalve now served on the half-shell in most parts of the country is as domesticated as the strawberry or the tomato, a product of planting, transplanting, cultivating, and harvesting.

### U. S. Now Attacking From Center of Aleutian Isles

Occupation of the Andreanof islands by navy-supported U. S. army troops puts the Americans "in the middle" of the Aleutian war theater. The central island of the Andreanofs is just about halfway between the Alaska mainland and, until recently, Japanese-held Attu, westernmost of the Aleutians. Tanaga, nearest of the main Andreanof islands to Kiska, is only about 175 air miles (little over half an hour's average bombing time) from that much-attacked Japanese base.

The Andreanof group offers a possible selection of half a dozen sites for Uncle Sam's reportedly large occupational forces. Atka is the largest. Situated near the eastern end of the chain, it is, however, more than 300 air miles from Kiska.

Atka has an area of roughly 600 square miles. It is curiously shaped, with a headlike formation in the northeast tapering to a slim tail's point in the southwest. Like the rest of the Aleutians, Atka is generally mountainous, with rocky, precipitous shores, although there are a number of harbors, beaches and inland open spaces suitable for air fields. Its active volcano, Korovin, in the northeast, is nearly 5,000 feet high.

### Oil on Bahrein Island

Bahrein island, in the Persian gulf, greatly overshadowing the other islets of the small archipelago, runs 26 miles north to south and is 10 miles wide. The petroleum wells and refinery are near the center, where there are hills up to 400 feet. Along the north coast is a small fertile area where herds graze and figs, dates, wheat and barley are grown. On the northeast coast the Sheikh's palace overlooks Manama, the island's port town of 35,000 people. Northward is the harbor, lying between protecting reefs. In recent years a causeway has been built from Manama to Muharraq town on Muharraq island, because the latter was chosen as the site for a commercial airline port. In the protected water east of Manama and south of Muharraq is a British naval anchorage.

### Army's New Plastic

If it is any solace to the soldier, the notes of reveille which awaken him in the morning soon will have a better tone, the war department announced today.

Designed primarily to save brass, an essential metal, a new plastic trumpet has been adopted and will be issued. Not only will the new instrument save approximately 20 ounces of brass for each trumpet, but the tone is better, it is reported.

Made of cellulose acetate, the trumpet is olive drab, blending well with uniforms and other army equipment without benefit of paint.

The trumpet needs no "warming up" as is required in brass instruments, and musicians who use the plastic trumpet say "choke up."

### Sails

The corvette named "Oars" belonged to the navy for a period of 18th century.

The name descends from the bits, a slow, cumbersome cargo of ancient Rome named for the single mast to indicate cargo duty. Others contend the name goes no further back than a 15th century boat of the 17th century known as a corve. Corvettes of about 1700 are described as powered by long oars in addition to sails on the bowsprit and one or two masts.

### IN MEMORIAM

**CORRIGAN**—In loving memory of a dear father, Felton F. Corrigan, who passed away August 13, 1925, and his wife, Margaret, who passed away August 15, 1942.

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But many a silent tear is shed,  
While others are asleep.  
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THE FAMILY

**BRADLEY**—In loving memory of a dear husband, J. M. Bradley, who entered into rest August 11, 1931.

Its only a grave but still needs care  
For the one I love is sleeping there  
Some may forget him now he is gone;  
But I still remember no matter how long.  
Lovingly, wife ORPAH

### Months With 'R' Did Not Matter to the Colonists

Early comers to America's oyster feasts did not restrict themselves, as present-day Americans do, to the eight months with "r" in their names. Oysters are safely edible during May, June, July, and August. The "R"-month rule is a superstition that gained followers as settlement expanded inland from the coasts. People feared that oysters would spoil on uniced, hot-weather journeys over long distances from the sea to the table.

The practice of granting a summer holiday to the oyster is to protect the oyster rather than the eater, for summer is the spawning season. Moreover, the bivalve worn by demands of parenthood is thinner than in its carefree months of cool weather, and consequently is less palatable.

The biography of an oyster stew begins with a microscopic speck of infant shellfish, one of 16 million offspring of the same bivalve mother, swimming anywhere along the coastal margins in tidal waters. At the age of two weeks, when pinhead size makes it heavy enough to sink to the bottom, the oyster loses forever the power to move, and settles down for life on any smooth, clean object within reach. A month old and still smaller than half a peanut, it is already at work on its stony protective shell.

### Home Specialist Tells How To Protect Carpets, Rugs

Carpets and rugs contain materials which were imported from countries now cut off from this nation by war. So Alice McKinney, home furnishings specialist, Ohio State university, advises Ohio homemakers to make present floor coverings last longer and still remain attractive.

The principal enemies of carpets and rugs are the abrasive action of dust and dirt, damage caused by heavy furniture; and use of wrong methods of cleaning. Daily cleaning with a sweeper, soft brush, or vacuum cleaner removes dirt before it has a chance to become imbedded and grind away the carpet fabric.

One tip mentioned by Miss McKinney is to shift the position of rugs often enough so wear is equalized on all areas. Changing ends puts another part of the rug in front of doors or in other places where the most wear occurs.

Coaster cups should be used under heavy pieces of furniture to avoid breaking fibers in the pile or backing. Care also should be used when furniture is moved to avoid dragging it across the surface of the rug or carpet. Carpet fabrics also may be broken by hanging the carpet over a line.

### Glass Eyes Last Longer

Glass eyes have been improved in workmanship and last longer than they formerly did. A good glass eye now will last about two years, after which it becomes roughened and should be replaced to prevent irritation. Each night glass eyes are taken out and before being replaced are carefully cleaned.

Mobility can be given to a glass eye so as to avoid a fixed stare. One method is to sew the eye muscles over a piece of fat, taken from the side of the abdomen, after the eyeball has been removed. When the glass eye is placed over this stump, the artificial eye moves in fairly good unison with the good eye, according to the Better Vision institute.

### Imprisoned St. Vincent de Paul

The little port of LaGoulette, Tunisia, has always worn the garments of greatness, though 23 centuries old. It was built long after Tunis had risen to fame, and its buildings were constructed from stone quarried from the ruins of Carthage, three miles to the north. Thousands of Christian slaves were released at La Goulette in the 16th century, when the port was taken by Charles V. Captured by Turkish pirates in 1605, St. Vincent de Paul was imprisoned at La Goulette, escaping in 1607. He later was instrumental in ransoming some 1,200 Christians, enslaved by the Turkish corsairs. The resort has a permanent population of 10,000. It is a fortified customs port, an old palace and harem of Tunisia, many villas and gardens.

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