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9 KNOWN KILLED IN MONTREAL PLANE CRASH

Entire City Block Is Wrecked By Explosion

Eye-Witnesses Believe that Wing of Twin-Engined Bomber Broke Off Before Plane Crashed into Block Near Bonaventure Station and Exploded—Edgar Forget, of Farnham, Among Victims.

Montreal, April 25.—(P)—A twin-engined bomber crashed and exploded in Montreal's downtown commercial district today, with a toll of at least nine dead, one man in hospital, and with rescuers searching the debris of wrecked buildings for possible other victims.

Two of the victims were identified as Edgar Forget of Farnham, Que., and Philippe Lemieux, of Montreal. Lemieux, a constable, was patrolling his beat at the time of the crash and was hit by the falling plane's fuselage. Forget was killed in one of the dwellings wrecked in the crash.

More than twelve dwellings were wrecked, some of them partially destroyed by fire.

Eye-witnesses told varying stories, some stating that the plane exploded before striking, others that the bomber struck, blew up sending fragments fifty feet into the air with the wings and engines settling over sections of a block of buildings bounded by Colborne, Ottawa, Shannon and Smith streets, not far from the site of the Canadian National Railways' old Bonaventure Station.

Some eye-witnesses thought one wing of the plane broke off before she struck and added that she came in silently, her motors apparently either stalled or cut off.

SALARIES AND WOMEN'S WORK ARE DISCUSSED

Ottawa, April 25.—(P)—The Commons yesterday paused for a moment to look at the long trail of legislation ahead and then gamely put its shoulder to the wheel with brisk discussion of salaries and women's work.

Finance Minister Itley said he hoped to bring down the budget—which usually signifies the red letter day of any session—shortly after the middle of May.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King, answering Gordon Graydon, Progressive Conservative House Leader, said the Government would bring down legislation dealing with housing, family allowances, a floor under farm prices, insurance or guaranteeing of export credits, surplus war assets, an airport board and rehabilitation. Measures of health insurance and contributory old age pensions are probable.

That will be in addition to the normal business of passing estimates and other sessional duties. There may be other measures found necessary and there may be legislation arising from Committee reports.

The session started in January. The forecasts today were it would not finish before August.

Today the House will review the report of the Committee on standing orders which has studied means of facilitating business by revision of House rules. The Senate will sit in the evening.

The House examined—with commendation from both Government and Opposition benches—the work of the Canadian Legion educational services for men in the forces as the War Services Department estimates came under review.

The sharpest debate of the day arose on payments totalling \$9,190 to Miss Helen Doherty, special assistant to War Services Minister LaFlèche, who received a lump sum of \$7,090 in pay for her work in the department from 1940 to August, 1942, after her salary had been delayed from month to month by what the Minister called "a series of events."

She had gone to the department when it was being organized and the staff had not been built up.

G. K. Fraser (P.C., Peterborough West) said he wondered why a lump payment should have to be made to Miss Doherty.

Gen. LaFlèche said he believed Miss Doherty had gone to the department in 1940 on the understanding she was to head a division. This did not materialize, and she finally was paid at the rate of \$10 a day for the time she spent in the department, later being appointed special assistant at \$3,500 a year.

She had recently gone to the United Kingdom with three other women to make a report for the department on the work of women's organizations there.

Mr. Fraser said the Minister should say how the four women who went to the United Kingdom—Miss Doherty, Miss Agathe Dore, Montreal, Mrs. Jules Laine, Toronto, and Mrs. Gordon Konantz, Winnipeg—were chosen.

"I would like to know what difference there will be, so far as the interest of the general public are concerned," asked J. A. Pinard (Lib., Ottawa East), "if the Minister had made a very peculiar statement."

It is a statement which will go down with the Government, and will put the Government absolutely out of power when the next election comes along. The honorable member who has just spoken knows perfectly well that money is being spent which should not be spent."

Gen. LaFlèche said the four women who went overseas were chosen not as individuals representing any particular group but as representatives of the department. Each one had been "highly recommended" to him. Mrs. Laine had said she would make no claim for expenses and he would seek information for the House on the

AIRFIELDS IN FRANCE BLASTED

Hollandia Airfields Are Seized

No Word Received of Organized Fighting by 14,000 Japanese Estimated to Comprise Defending Force at Hollandia.

By C. YATES McDANIEL, Associated Press War Correspondent, Advanced Headquarters, New Guinea, April 25.—(P)—American and Netherlands invaders, slowed more by mud and mountain than by disorganized Japanese resistance, closed from two sides today on three airfields in a 350-square-mile area of Dutch New Guinea around captured Hollandia as Netherlands civil officials came ashore.

A fourth airfield, seized by another invasion force against superior opposition 150 miles to the Southeast near Aitape, was expected momentarily to be in use by 5th Air Force planes.

Even while the new invasion was going forward, it was announced that Netherlands civil officials had landed at Hollandia, preparing to organize a resumption of Netherlands Government rule.

Reports today by General Douglas MacArthur and advice from the field by Associated Press war correspondents told of a steamroller, impeding largely by the terrain, over-running territory within bombing range of the Philippines.

Nowhere in the Hollandia area, less than 1200 miles from Mindanao, was there any word of organized fighting by the 14,000 Japanese estimated to comprise the defending force.

On the West flank, American soldiers, last reported within five miles of the main Hollandia airfield, told AP Correspondent Martin Spencer that some Japanese "didn't even have guns."

This invading force, landed at Tanahmah Bay, had moved six miles Southeast by Sunday afternoon.

AP Correspondent Asahel Bush, writing his dispatch amidst the ruins of the community's 150 buildings, said only the sprawling bodies of

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SHOULD SERVE EVERYWHERE
Toronto, April 25.—Premier Drew of Ontario last night told the 13th biennial convention of the Ontario Command of the Canadian Legion that every man in uniform should be made available for active service everywhere.

He was commenting on a speech made by Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, General Officer Commanding-in-Chief of the Pacific Command, Saturday to members of the Pacific Coast Rangers, in which Gen. Pearkes said: "No man should wear that Khaki uniform unless he is willing to wear it anywhere."

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Blast Nazi-Held Airport



Marauder B-26 bombers streak for home as their bombs burst the length of the Nazi-held Schiphol Airfield in Amsterdam, Holland. One of the enemy's largest and most heavily defended airfields, it has been successfully attacked time and again by the 9th Air Force.

War's Greatest Aerial Offensive In 11th Day

German Radio Reports Other Allied Raiders Have Penetrated into Southern Sector of Reich as Terrific Pre-Invasion Blitz Is Continued by Allied Forces—Thirty British Planes Lost in Night's Operations.

By AUSTIN BEALMER, Associated Press Staff Writer.
London, April 25.—(P)—More than 4,000 American bombers and fighters bombed three German airfields in France today, the 11th consecutive day of the war's greatest aerial offensive. The German radio said other Allied raiders had penetrated into the Southern sector of the Reich.

A preliminary announcement of daylight activity, which appeared again to be on a gigantic scale, said heavy bombers from Britain smashed at German airbases at Nancy, Metz and Dijon in the continuing all-out effort to humble Hitler's air forces ahead of the Western invasion.

The daylight attacks followed attacks last night by probably 1,000 planes of the R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. which blasted industrial Munich and Karlsruhe.

The night operations cost thirty planes, including eight Canadian. The main Canadian participation was a heavy blow at Karlsruhe while R.A.F. Mosquitoes hit Dusseldorf and other raiders pounded the rail depot at Chambley twenty miles North of Paris, a link in the battered rail network supplying the German Atlantic wall. Mines also were laid in enemy waters.

Waves of planes of all types drove forward the campaign that has poured 40,000 to 50,000 tons of explosives on Hitler's war machine since mid-April, and shortly before noon the German radio reported strong bomber formations over the Southern, Western and Southwestern portions of the Reich.

Thirty British planes were lost last night, when the main blows aimed at factories and communications in Karlsruhe and Munich. Canadian formations were understood to have participated in great strength in the Karlsruhe attack. Mosquito planes hit Dusseldorf and other raiders pounded the rail depot at Chambley 20 miles North of Paris, a link in the battered rail network supplying the German Atlantic Wall. Mines also were laid in enemy waters.

Reconnaissance showed fires were spreading over a large area of Munich an hour after the main bomber force had left, the Air Ministry said, and the attacks there and at Karlsruhe 150 miles to the Northwest were "well concentrated."

The raid into Germany was described as "the very greatest strength." The Mediterranean Air Force bagged 29 Nazi planes yesterday against a loss of 14, but Headquarters did not specify how many fell in the raids into Romania and Yugoslavia.

Allied fighters and fighter-bombers escorted the heavy bombers to the target areas.

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Government May Lower Sales Tax

Quebec, April 25.—(P)—Adoption of a Government Law Project to ease the Provincial Sales Tax by \$1,400,000 is expected in the Legislative Assembly this week. The measure received first reading last week when introduced by Provincial Treasurer J. A. Mathewson.

Among articles to be added to the list of exemptions are soft drinks and aerated waters costing 10 cents or less, school supplies (not including automatic pencils and fountain pens), children's clothing and footwear, printed books and periodicals, soaps and other cleaning products, coal, firewood and ice, besides metal wire and netting for fences when bought by a farmer of good faith for the needs of his farm.

Discussion of the several departments' budgets for the fiscal year to end March 31, 1945, also will continue. Most of the municipal affairs and health and social welfare departments estimates already have been voted besides the 1943-44 supplementary estimates.

30,538 CANADIAN CASUALTIES
Ottawa, Apr. 25.—(P)—Casualties suffered by the three Canadian Armed Services from the outbreak of war up to February 29, 1944, totalled 30,538, Defence Headquarters announced today.

U.K. PERSONAL REVENUES SHOW BIG INCREASE

London, April 24.—(P)—Sir John Anderson, chancellor of the exchequer, told the House of Commons today that personal incomes in Britain last year increased by £400,000,000 (about \$2,700,000,000) above 1942 and despite Government expenditure of £190,000,000 last year alone on stabilization, the cost of living had increased until now it was 29 per cent above the pre-war and still rising.

A range in the cost of living index of 30 to 35 per cent over pre-war should be substituted for 25 to 30 per cent laid down in 1941, the Chancellor of the Exchequer said in his budget speech.

Sir John, presenting his first budget since succeeding the late Sir Kingsley Wood last September, told the House that of the 1943 increase in income more than half was paid out in additional taxes and part of the remainder, £221,000,000 went into additional savings. The rest was spent.

Without steadily increased Government expenditures toward stabilization—mostly in subsidies—the cost of living would have increased to about 45 per cent over the pre-war figure and might have reached 50 per cent, Sir John said.

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Encouraging Response To Opening Day Of Canada's 6th Victory Loan

Ottawa, April 25.—(P)—Canadians subscribed a first-day total of \$74,276,150 in Sixth Victory Loan Bonds yesterday, \$6,000,000 in excess of the same day in the fifth campaign, the National War Finance Committee announced today.

Officials said, however, that figures in this loan are difficult to compare with those of previous loans.

"The results, of course, show that the people are behind the loan 100 per cent," one official said. "However, there are a number of factors that enter into yesterday's report. Our organization, for instance, was perfected much earlier this year. The result was that reports began coming in to headquarters much more quickly."

"The armed services, due to the war situation, began their canvass well in advance of the opening day of the loan. The fact that the Canadian Army Overseas ran up a total of \$5,800,500 before the loan even opened is indicative of this faster canvassing and reporting."

However, from Nova Scotia to the Yukon Territory reports showed that support of the loan by individuals of all classes was good. In Nova Scotia, Antigonish and Yarmouth reported the biggest opening day sales of any loan while

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WAR BULLETINS

Naples.—American troops occupied a house one and a half miles West of Carano in the central sector of the Anzio beachhead after a brisk fight yesterday, Headquarters announced today.

Artillery and mortar duels continued in Cassino. One Allied patrol in the central part of the front crossed the Sangro River.

Jerusalem.—The Soviet Government will open a consulate in Palestine shortly, it was announced today.

Recife, Brazil.—Seventeen survivors of a British merchant ship torpedoed in the South Atlantic arrived here today in a lifeboat. The captain of the sunken vessel, among the 17, said two more lifeboats were afloat. The date and other details of the sinking were not disclosed.

New York.—Attesting to the growing strength of Allied attacks on Japanese supply lines, the Tokyo Radio quoted a Japanese War Ministry statement today as saying the "hardships which confront our seamen directly participating in the maintenance of supplies are beyond our imagination."

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GERMAN ATTACK IS SMASHED BY RUSSIAN FORCE

More Than 400 Nazis Killed in Red Counterblow 85 Miles Northeast of Big Communications Centre of Lwow.

Moscow, April 25.—(P)—The Red Army has smashed a German attack West of Dubno, 85 miles Northeast of Lwow, communications centre of the Ukraine, which at first had succeeded in driving the Russians out of two localities, a Soviet communique said today.

More than 400 Nazis were slain.

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TRAVEL BAN IS IMPOSED AS NEW SECURITY MOVE

Invasion-Secrecy Step Announced as Germans Predicted Zero Hour Near with Seasoned Troops Ready to Meet Assault.

London, April 25.—(P)—Britain halted all but the most urgent travel Overseas in another invasion-secrecy step today, while the Germans predicted the invasion hour was near and declared their most seasoned troops alerted ready to meet the assault.

The travel ban, "except for business of urgent national importance which cannot be postponed," will run indefinitely and was taken "for military reasons," a Home Office announcement said. It followed orders restricting movements of diplomats, tightening control over coastal areas, suspending travel to Elre, and other recent steps to prevent leakage of information.

Persons now holding exit permits can use them to leave Britain until midnight Thursday. Thereafter only "urgent" permits will be issued. No permit to leave the country will be valid unless issued on or after April 19th.

Berlin broadcasts told the German people to expect the invasion at any moment, and boasted of defence and counter-measures.

D.N.B.—The German News and Propaganda Agency, said the Allied air blows had weakened "potential German counter-offensive strength" but that the Luftwaffe "with many of its plane production factories underground, will not be knocked out, and is planning a second front of its own—adding reserves to use only when the curtain rises."

Another broadcast said preparations had been made to counter Allied parachute landings, and that the Germans would "meet surprise with surprise."

In Britain Lt.-Gen. H. D. G. Crerar, Commander of the first Canadian Army, said it was finished with its pre-invasion training and eager to

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Canadians Assured Of Ample Food Supplies During Forthcoming Year

Montreal, April 25.—Canada's general food situation at the present time was described at a press conference here yesterday as "fairly good" by the Board of Food Administration Kent Taylor.

"We have at the present time a pretty good supply of everything," Mr. Taylor said. He added that Canadians could look forward this year to about the same supply of food as last year.

However, he warned that the food situation was a quickly changing one from surpluses to shortages and vice-versa owing to shipping difficulties.

The meat supply was "ample," there was no shortage of eggs and there was a fair volume of vegetables and fruits. The situation in dairy products was a little "tight" with just enough fluid milk to "get by."

He said it was impossible to count on an increase of total production of fluid milk which had reached a peak production of 17,000,000,000 pounds last year. The production this year had started with a little slump and he could not foresee any easing-off butter rationing.

If there were a further decrease in the production of fluid milk, this would probably mean a further cut of those commodities.

Canadians Hit Karlsruhe With Record Tonnage

London, April 25.—(C.P. Cable)—Hullfaxes and Lancasters from the Canadian Bomber Group thundered through bad weather last night to hammer the big Rhineland industrial city of Karlsruhe with a bomb load exceeding last week's 1,000-ton blast at Dusseldorf.

This was the main R.C.A.F. participation in Bomber Command's night's activities, which included an R.R.P. smash at Munich, but other Canadian aircraft laid mines in enemy waters. Eight Canadian bombers were listed missing.

Returning airmen reported the bombing was concentrated and great fires were left burning in Karlsruhe. Some told of electrical storms sending lightning booming across the wings of their giant planes while others reported seeing British planes silhouettes beneath their against Karlsruhe's fires.

Weather en route to the target was the worst some of the crews ever encountered. Clouds were heavy and temperatures as low as 35 degrees below zero. The airmen also had to contend with severe icing conditions.

Over the target, the Canadians had to reduce their altitude because of heavy clouds but some fliers reported because they were down lower they could see how well the bombing was concentrated.

"All the cookies seemed to be falling dead on the Pathfinder mark," said P.O. D. Robertson of Winnipeg.

The Canadians, who took off at dusk on the 1,200-mile round trip, returned several hours later, the roar of their planes' engines awakening the sleeping countryside.

FINAL TRIBUTE IS ACCORDED TO MRS. A. BERWICK

Many relatives and friends gathered to pay final tribute to the late Mrs. Alexander E. Berwick at the funeral service which was held at St. Peter's Church on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Berwick died last Thursday in the Sherbrooke Hospital following a long illness. Born in Harrogate, England, Mrs. Berwick came to Canada in 1894, and married Alexander Berwick in 1900 at St. Peter's Church in Sherbrooke.

This War Four Years Ago

By The Canadian Press April 25, 1940.—Allied troops in Norway withdrew from Stosinjer and Lillehammer as British War Office denied reports that British forces had been "cut to pieces."

War's Greatest

Friedrichshafen and Munich, sent down 66 enemy planes, and bomber gunners accounted for 37 more.

The bombers blasted factories at Friedrichshafen and airfields in the Munich area, and a U.S. communiqué declared "bombing results were generally satisfactory."

Twelve American bombers landed in Switzerland after Friedrichshafen raid, and two others crashed in that neutral country, the Swiss announced. One was shot down by Swiss fighters when it failed to obey landing signals.

The bombers striking from Italy obtained good results in blows against railway yards at Bucharest and Ploesti, and against the Ikarus aircraft plant at Belgrade in Yugoslavia, headquarters in Naples declared.

German planes flew over parts of Eastern and Southeastern England last night, bombing one place, but there were no casualties, an Air and Home Security communiqué said.

Hollandia

Continued from page 1. dead enemy stragglers were found after naval guns, dive bombers and mortar raked the village.

At Aitape, the story was the same. The enemy garrison of between 500 and 1,000 fled, leaving ninety-eight dead and a few prisoners around seized Tadjil airfield.

Royal Australian Air Force engineers worked at night under floodlights, dislodging the enemy air arm, to repair the bomber and fighter strips while the troops moved on Aitape Village five miles north.

If the Japanese in the Hollandia area planned a last-ditch fight in defence of the airfields, it remained to be developed against Americans pinching from the two bays along a 34-mile connecting road.

Humboldt Bay forces, in addition to occupying Hollandia Village, took the village of Pib four miles to the South, within eight miles of the Tami airfield in the Lake Sentani area. The main Hollandia field is 17

U. K. Personal

"I am disturbed at the trend of these figures," he told the House. "I am afraid we can no longer regard the cost of living figure of 25 to 30 per cent above pre-war as sacrosanct."

Sir John said wage rates had risen eleven per cent more than the cost of living to date.

"It is the firm intention of the Government to maintain the stabilization policy so long as we have vital co-operation of all sections of the people—and continue it on the same conditions during the transitional period when we turn from war to peace," he said.

Sir John reported that Britain last year borrowed \$2,750,000,000 (about \$12,315,000,000) or 254,000,000 less than in the previous year. The Chancellor said also that the newly-instituted pay-as-you-earn income tax method has been successfully launched.

The Chancellor announced an increase from 366,000 to 400,000 tons in the quota on sugar admitted from the colonies at a special preference and said the present margin of preference on sugar will be continued for two years after August.

Encouraging

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Shawinigan Water and Power Company and associated companies in addition bought \$3,500,000 worth of Canadian loan headquarters reported purchases totalling \$27,150,000 from other large organizations throughout the country.

Other large purchases reported yesterday were London Life Insurance Company, \$15,000,000; the Huron and Erie Mortgage Corporation and Canada Trust Company, \$1,750,000; Canadian Kodak Company Limited, \$1,500,000; the Royal Trust Company, \$1,000,000; Credit Foncier Franco-Canadian, \$1,000,000; General Steel Wares, Ltd., \$1,000,000; Hudson's Bay Company, \$1,000,000; Canada Northern Power Corporation and subsidiaries, \$750,000; Safeway Stores Limited, \$600,000; Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company, \$300,000.

Montreal, April 25.—(C)—Quebec today reached 4.58 per cent of its \$328,000,000 provincial objective in the Sixth Victory Loan campaign, it was announced today. Subscriptions yesterday totalled \$15,035,559. Subscriptions yesterday totalled \$10,470,400 in the Island of Montreal, while Quebec City reached 4.35 per cent of its objective. Percentages for other Quebec cities and towns were as follows: Chicoutimi, 3.72; Lévis-Lauzon, 6.53; Sherbrooke, 7.41; St. Hyacinthe, 19.781; Valleyfield, 7.04; Granby, 28.89; St. Johns, 21.75; Sorel, 38.54; Drummondville, 10.98; Three Rivers, 14.27 Hull, 6.59; Shawinigan Falls, 15.89.

Salaries and

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Several Opposition members inquired about the National War Services Advisory Board headed by C. L. Burton of Toronto, General Manager of Robert Simpson, Ltd. Gen. LaFleche praised the Board's work, but Mr. Coldwell said Mr. Burton had said in a newspaper interview that children should be allowed to take jobs at fourteen years of age and then encouraged to study later.

Educational services, such as those of the Canadian Legion under the War Services Department, should not be interfered with by "people who do not believe in education beyond the age of fourteen."

"In my view the time has passed when this remote control organization, known as the Burton Committee, can serve any useful purpose," said Clarence Gillis (C.C.F., Cape Breton South). The Defence and War Services Department could do their own work with respect to auxiliaries.

Gen. LaFleche said that without the services of the Board he would feel "very much cut adrift."

Speaking on a salvage division estimate of \$210,750, Gen. LaFleche said there was an acute shortage of waste paper, and as some paper mills might be forced to close down he was considering with officials an advertising campaign to cost about \$60,000.

The value of salvaged materials was more than \$3,000,000 although the department did not have reported to it all the salvage work undertaken.

miles West, the Cyclops field 11 miles West and slightly North. Headquarters reported today a 33-ton bombing of the Wewak-Hansa Bay area by Allied bomber and attack planes. Wewak is a Japanese air base 250 miles Southeast of Hollandia.

To the Northwest of Hollandia, Japanese air bases at Geelvink Bay, from which planes could be sent against the invaders, apparently have been reinforced. Headquarters said today that Liberators had to fight off 30 interceptors, shooting down from 14 to 17, while dropping 41 tons of explosive on airdromes there. The bombers had met no enemy air opposition in recent raids on that sector.

On the altar above the bier where the body of the 84-year-old prince of the church lay in state, Rev. Mr. Edward G. Murray, rector of St. John's Seminary, celebrated the children's mass.

CARDINAL O'CONNELL PAID FINAL TRIBUTE

Boston, April 25.—(AP)—More than 2,000 parochial school children of the Boston Archdiocese paid final tribute to William Cardinal O'Connell today at a Solemn High Mass of Requiem in the Cathedral of the Holy Cross.

On the altar above the bier where the body of the 84-year-old prince of the church lay in state, Rev. Mr. Edward G. Murray, rector of St. John's Seminary, celebrated the children's mass.

German Attack

Continued from page 1. in the Russian counterblow which encircled the enemy from both places and "restored the situation," the bulletin declared.

In the Carpathian foothills more than 100 miles to the Southwest more than 200 Germans were officially reported killed after they crossed a stream Southwest of Stanislavow by night and were routed by Soviet troops in the morning.

Except for these actions, however, a stalemate continued along the land front as the Red Air Force tightened the blockade of Sevastopol, blasting ships which attempted to carry Axis troops out of the encircled Black Sea base.

The communiqué said the warplanes sank seven transports totalling 16,000 tons as well as a landing barge, a torpedo cutter and three patrol boats between Sevastopol and Romanian ports.

Red bombers also blasted Lvov, Ukraine, striking at concentrations of troop trains at the railway yards, the communiqué reported.

Travel Ban

Continued from page 1. settle the debt of Dieppe, Canadian-led reconnaissance in force in August, 1942.

German newspapers reaching neutral Madrid warned that "the Anglo-American invasion probably will have a different result than at Dieppe, and that "the greatest battle in the history of the world will take place along the Atlantic."

Available information in Madrid indicated this might be the distribution of German forces: six divisions in Norway, twelve in Finland, twenty-five in Italy, five along the Mediterranean Coast, and thirty posted on the Atlantic wall with a mobile reserve of sixty divisions on strategic points in France, Germany and Central Europe.

NEWSY ITEMS

GRATIFYING SUM RAISED Mrs. Frederick Sangster, who so efficiently planned the "Window of Nickels," which through the courtesy of Skinner Brothers, was so successfully carried out on Friday and Saturday, with pardonable pride, has announced that the splendid sum of \$250 was thus raised for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Mrs. R. K. Beers, President of the "Carry on Club," under which auspices the novel event was staged, and all its members were in turn "on duty" at the entrance to Skinner Brothers, soliciting donations, the public who responded so generously, being much interested in watching the "nickel pile" grow as the huge "horn of plenty" was emptied of its load of gifts, so gladly given to help the "Carry on Club" in its noble endeavor on behalf of the "Red Cross."

BADGER — Entered into rest on April 24, 1944, at the home of her son, Mr. E. R. Badger, 84-A Council St., Nettie Louise Kimpson, wife of the late Wesley S. Badger, in her 79th year. Remains were removed to Blake's Funeral Home, where service will be held on Wednesday, April 26th, at 2 p.m. Rev. Fred Williams officiating, assisted by Rev. Mr. Carr. Interment will be in North Hatley.

BECK.—Died at St. Mary's Hospital, Montreal, on Tuesday, April 25th, 1944, Jessie M. Wilson, beloved wife of A. O. Beck, of Montreal, formerly of Lennoxville. Funeral notice later.

CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank everyone who remembered me in any way while I was in the Sherbrooke Hospital by sending me with Cat Well, Easter and Birthday cards, letters, flowers, fruit, radio and chocolates, also for two lovely birthday boxes. I especially want to thank St. Barnabas Guild, Missy, Rev. Mr. Brown, Sherbrooke, Dr. Klinck and the nurses of the hospital of the third floor who were so kind to me. MRS. MILBRED CAIRNS Ives Hill, Que.

CARD OF THANKS I wish to take this opportunity to thank all those who sent cards or letters, fruit, nuts, chocolates or money to me during my recent illness. All these things helped to make my stay in the hospital more pleasant. EUGENE BISHOP, Bury, Que.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to extend our sincere thanks and heartfelt appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness, death and burial of our dear wife and mother; we especially wish to thank the Rev. J. Ford, R.A., the bearers, the Sherbrooke Hospital staff, those who loaned cars, those who sent flowers and those who sent food or helped in any way. For the many messages of sympathy we are grateful. Such kindness will never be forgotten. WILLIAM SJOLANDER AND DAUGHTER, AMY.

CARD OF THANKS I wish to express my sincere thanks to my friends and relatives for the many cards, letters and flowers, and to all who sent me fruit and other delicacies; also to those who visited me, which helped to brighten the long hours during my illness. MRS. E. G. BAKER Danville, Que.

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HITLER, MUSSOLINI ET AL HOLD CONFERENCE

London, April 25.—(C)—A Berlin broadcast heard here today said Benito Mussolini, former Italian Duce, had conferred with Hitler Sunday and Monday and that they had reaffirmed the Axis determination "for victory over the Bolsheviks in the East and the Jews and Plutocrats of the West."

Present at the conference, the broadcast said, were Joachim von Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister; Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel, Chief of the German High Command, and Marshal Rodolfo Graziani, one-time Commander of Italian Forces in North Africa.

The broadcast added Hitler and Mussolini had inspected Italian divisions in a training centre.

C.W.L. CONVENTION IN LONDON, ONT.

Announcement has been made that London, Ont., has been chosen for the twenty-fourth National Convention of the Catholic Women's League of Canada from June 10th to 16th.

Mrs. P. J. McGarry, National President, Kitchener Ont., will preside at all the sessions. One of the features of the Convention will be the ceremony of placing a wreath on the cenotaph on Sunday, June 11th, when the Girl Guides will form a Guard of Honor.

"AND A LITTLE CHILD SHALL LEAD THEM"

Impatiently waiting to be the first person to buy the first Victory Bond on Monday and thus start Coaticook off to their objective, little Andree Charland, three years old, granddaughter of Mrs. Cleophas Charland, woke the household up at 5 a.m. to get her a salesman.

Andre, who is visiting her grandmother, heard her aunts and uncles talking about the Victory Loan and from then on her mind was made up to buy a Bond.

She had then phone her father, who is working in a war plant in Montreal, to send her her savings.

When he inquired why, she told him she wanted to buy a Victory Bond and thus hasten the day that her uncles, Ronald Charland, who is in England waiting to invade Fortress Europe, and Emile Bedard, who was wounded in Sicily, would return home.

BONDS AND BANKS

CANADIAN BONDS Following are the closing bid and asked quotations as to April 24th, as furnished by the Investment Dealers' Association of Canada: DOM. GOVT. BONDS: Wartime Issue: 3, June 15, 1950-51 ... 103 1/2 104 1/2 3 1/2, Feb. 1, 1948-52 ... 104 1/2 105 1/2 3, Oct. 1, 1948-52 ... 102 1/2 103 3, Mar. 1, 1952-54 ... 102 1/2 103 1/2 3, Nov. 1, 1953-55 ... 101 102 3, May 1, 1954-57 ... 100 101 3, Jan. 1, 1956-59 ... 99 1/2 100 1/2

DETAILED WEATHER

LIGHT SHOWERS Forecasts: Moderate to fresh winds; mostly cloudy with occasional light showers today and part of Wednesday; then clearing. Temperatures yesterday: Maximum, 44; minimum, 34. Same day last year: Maximum, 64; minimum, 26.

LET'S ALL BACK THE ATTACK

BUY SIXTH VICTORY LOAN BONDS

SHERBROOKE TRUST COMPANY

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

The following quotations are supplied by Greenshields & Co., of which J. J. Bell is local manager. Open Noon Amer. Tel. and Tel. 157 1/2 157 1/2 Anaconda Copper 25 1/2 25 1/2 Bethlehem Steel 57 1/2 57 1/2 Canadian Pacific 8 1/2 8 1/2 Chrysler 80 1/2 80 1/2 General Electric 35 35 Kennecott 56 56 Montgomery Ward 30 1/2 30 1/2 Standard Oil of N. J. 52 1/2 52 1/2 Southern Pacific 27 1/2 27 1/2 United Aircraft 26 1/2 26 1/2 U. S. Rubber 42 1/2 42 1/2 U. S. Steel 50 1/2 50 1/2 Westinghouse 94 1/2 94 1/2

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AYER'S CLIFF

Stanstead County Teachers' Association will meet in Confederation Hall, Thurs., April 27. Supper. Interesting topics re Modern Education at meeting. Cordial invitation extended to all.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

The following quotations are supplied by Greenshields & Co., of which J. J. Bell is local manager. Open Noon Asbestos Corp. 20 1/2 B 20 1/2 A Bathurst Paper 14 1/2 14 1/2 Bell Telephone 152 1/2 152 1/2 Building Products 18 1/2 18 1/2 Can. Cement 7 7 Can. Cement Pfd. 4.105 B 4.105 A Can. Steamships Pfd. 33 B 34 A Can. Car & Fdy. Pfd. 25 1/2 25 1/2 Can. Celanese 30 1/2 30 1/2 Can. Ind. Alco. "A" 5 1/2 B 5 1/2 A Can. Pacific 10 1/2 10 1/2 Con. Smelters 40 1/2 B 40 1/2 A Dom. Tar & Chem. 9 1/2 9 1/2 Crow Cork & Seal 32 B 33 A Dist. Searoms 38 B 38 B Dom. S. & C. "B" 7 1/2 7 1/2 Dom. Textile 69 B 70 A Foundation Co. 15 1/2 15 1/2 Gen. Steel Wares 12 1/2 12 1/2 Hollinger Cons. 11 1/2 B 12 A Howard Smith 13 1/2 13 1/2 Hudson Bay Min. 28 1/2 B 28 1/2 Ind. Ac. Corp. "A" 21 1/2 21 1/2 Inter. Nickel N. 28 1/2 B 28 1/2 Massey Harris 8 B 8 B Mont. Powers 19 19 Nat. Breweries 34 1/2 34 1/2 Nat. Steel Car 14 14 Noranda 58 58 1/2 Place Dev. 19 B 19 B Erie Bros 20 20 Quebec Power 12 1/2 12 1/2 S. L. Corp. 21 1/2 B 21 1/2 A St. L. Corp. "A" 13 1/2 B 13 1/2 A Shawinigan 13 1/2 13 1/2 Zeller's Ltd. 21 1/2 B 22 A Zeller's Ltd. Pfd. 27 1/2 B 27 1/2

COUNTRY AND DAIRY PRODUCTS PRICES

Montreal, April 25.—Further unlevelled was evident on the local potato market with prices again shaded on a number of grades under slow demand, good supplies and a highly selective attitude on the part of buyers. Indications appeared to be yesterday that prices may go considerably lower unless greater buying interest appears. A feature of trade on the Fruit Exchange was the arrival of a carload of Chilean onions which cleared almost immediately on arrival at \$4.29 per 56 pounds. Other items showed little or no change. EGGS: (c. per) Spot Quotes lots tail dozen; 4Govt. \$Comm. \$ 1 A-lar. 35 1/2 35-35 1/2 40 39-41 A-med. 33-33 1/2 28-28 1/2 31-33 35-37 A-pul. 28-28 1/2 28-28 1/2 31-33 33-34 B ... 30 1/2-31 30-31 ... C ... 27-28 27-27 1/2 ... Commodity Exchange Futures: April 30th. 30th Dominion Marketing Service quotations. Canadian Commodity Exchange close, basis 50-cent minimum. Small lots to retailers in cartons; 2c per dozen less when bought loose. Approximate price to consumers in larger retail outlets. BUTTER (c. per lb.): Open market No. 1 pasteurized storage, 35 1/2-36. Small lots to retail trade, solids, 36-36 1/2; prints, 36 1/2-37. CHEESE (c. per lb.): Que. and Western white and colored, wholesale jobbing, 20 1/2-21. POTATOES (per 75-lb. bag): P.E.I. Mountains ... 1.80-1.90 N.B. Mountains ... 1.60-1.80 Quebec No. 1 ... 1.50-1.60 Quebec Red No. 1 ... 1.25-1.35 Quebec No. 2 ... 1.35-1.50 b Bid. n Nominal. t Traded.

DANVILLE

School re-opened on Tuesday, April 18, after the Easter vacation.

"GIRL CRAZY" GRANADA

Starring MICKEY ROONEY JUDY GARLAND "HIGH EXPLOSIVE" with CHESTER MORRIS JEN PARKER "WAR DOGS" (Colored Cartoon) LATEST WORLD NEWS

STARTING TOMORROW FOR FOUR DAYS

These are the men who are today fighting back along the long, hard road to liberty under the gallant banner of

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BUY VICTORY BONDS

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Olivia De Havilland "Government Girl"

with SONNY TUFTS ANNE SHIRLEY - JESS BARKER JAMES DUNN - PAUL STEWART AGNES MOORHEAD - HARRY DAVENPORT UNA O'CONNOR

Produced and Directed by BUDLEY NICHOLS

SHE raises ruckus in Capital madhouse!

LATEST WORLD NEWS

\$50.00 FREE TONIGHT A Victory Bond will be given away FREE to the holder of the lucky number in attendance tonight.

THE NEW PREMIER THEATRE SHERBROOKE

STARTING TOMORROW FOR 4 DAYS THE MOST SENSATIONAL NEWS OF THE DAY... THE ACADEMY AWARD WINNING PICTURE OF 1943!

HUMPHREY BOGART INGRID BERGMAN PAUL HENREID A new hit from WARNER BROS. A story as exciting as the landing at Casablanca!

They had a date with fate in CASABLANCA the city that rocked the world!

SPECIAL ADDED FEATURE FOLLOW A TRAIL OF CRIME Behind the Scenes of Broadway's Gayest Night Spot!

Criminal Investigator ROBERT LOWERY EDITH FELLOWS JOHN MILIAN

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CITY and SUBURBAN

SHERBROOKE, QUEBEC, TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 1944.

Large Parade Held Here To Mark Opening Of Victory Loan Appeal

Canada's Sixth Victory Loan salute as the marchers filed past the appeal in Sherbrooke district was saluting base. With him were Major formerly opened last night with a monster military parade, almost two miles long, and an appeal by Mayor J. W. Genest to "support the campaign to the limit of your abilities."

Prior to the demonstration, a rally was held at the saluting base at the intersection of King and Wellington Streets. Mayor Genest, speaking bilingually through an amplifying system, said that "we must put victory first by subscribing every available dollar to the loan."

Others giving brief talks in support of the drive were Mr. Justice J. Dalma Landry and B. N. Holtham, K.C., and H. A. Peabody and Jack Latraverse, Joint-Chairmen of the Public Relations Committee of the Sherbrooke County N.W.F.C. organizers of the parade, who acted jointly as Masters of Ceremonies.

Upward of six thousand persons who lined the route of march saw for the first time four anti-aircraft guns recently received by the 35th Battery. These "AA" guns were drawn by military trucks and manned by members of the unit in full battle dress. Other highlights of the procession were the squad of "red-coated" Royal Canadian Mounted Police from the local post, the versatile R.C.A.F. band from Victoriaville and a well-drilled unit of Nursing Sisters, applauded tremendously. Other battle equipment, including jeeps and trucks, for which Victory Loan money is utilized, also was paraded.

Col. Leopold Chevalier, O.C. 10th Infantry Brigade (R) took the

JEUDI MUSICAL WILL FEATURE KATHLEEN SHEA

The second of a series of three concerts being presented this season by the "Jeudi Musical" will be given by Kathleen Shea, soprano, who has prepared a programme of French songs. This recital will be given Thursday evening at 2:00 at the Superior School of the Sacred Heart Brothers at the corner of Gillespie and Ball Streets.

Although all the concerts of this series were to have been presented in the hall of the Mont Notre Dame convent, the Executive Committee of the "Jeudi Musical" regrets that this will not be possible for the last two concerts.

Miss Shea is very well known in Sherbrooke, having made several public appearances, particularly as soloist with the Sherbrooke Symphony Orchestra and with the St. John the Baptist Choir. She has also given recitals at the Studio Club, in New York, at the Mont Sainte-Marie, Montreal, and in Berlin, N.H. She was awarded scholarships by the Dolbech Study Club, Montreal, and the Provincial Government and has studied with Pablos Poirier, Florence Easton, in New York, and Pauline Donalda, Montreal.

She is Vice-President of the "Jeudi Musical" and a member of the Schubert Club. Her programme Thursday evening will include songs by Duparc, Faure, Poulenc, Debussy and Ravel. She will be assisted at the piano by Sylvio Lacharite, conductor of the Sherbrooke Symphony Orchestra.

This recital is open only to the members of the "Soirees Artistiques du Jeudi Musical."

President Of Quebec Command Of Canadian Legion Sends Message Re Opening Of Local Convention

Among the many greetings received by the local branch of the Canadian Legion will be that of the Provincial Legion Convention to be held here this week, was a message from Stuart Rolland, President of the Quebec Provincial Command. In his message Mr. Rolland praises the "outstanding contribution made by the Eastern Townships to the armed forces both in the last and present wars," stating that the fact is well known in the district but has not received sufficient recognition elsewhere.

"Important decision will be made at the convention," the message read, "and the decisions made will point the road which the Legion shall travel in their next twelve months of the operations" through what will be "a critical year in the war against tyranny," as described in Mr. Rolland's message.

A report from the Pensions Advisor, L. W. E. Greenland, shows that forty-nine cases were handled for veterans by the local branch of the Legion during the past year. These cases included obtaining hospitalization, treatments, pensions, allowances and various benefits required by the veterans, and the report told briefly of some of the many difficulties encountered by the Legion members during their work.

Mr. Greenland said "the work of the Legion is difficult, and sometimes even discouraging, but the excellent reports are proof that the work is being carried on with continuous success."

MANY EXPECTED AT DINNER FOR GRAHAM TOWERS

Several hundred will attend the dinner of the payroll savings section, Sixth Victory Loan, tomorrow night at the New Sherbrooke House, at which Graham Ford Towers, Governor of the Bank of Canada and Dominion Chairman of the National War Finance Committee, will be guest of honor and chief speaker, it was announced today.

Representative employers and men who are supervising the internal canvass of employee groups will hear the interesting message of Mr. Towers, a brilliant economist.

The meeting will be conducted by D. J. Salls and Louis F. Codere, Joint Chairman of the Sherbrooke County National War Finance Committee. Apart from the brief opening introductory remarks, there will be no addresses other than that of Mr. Towers, for he has a message of interest and the Committee is anxious that he be given all the available time.

Mr. Towers will reach the city late tomorrow afternoon and will leave immediately after the meeting. Demands upon his time make it impossible for him to remain in the city, and the district Committee is indebted to the busy executive for making the trip. Because of the outstanding achievements of the past when this city led in the number of subscriptions per capita, Mr. Towers is giving special recognition to Sherbrooke, a signal honor which the entire Victory Loan organization fully appreciates.

Local officials in a statement said this morning that through Victory Loan purchases thousands of people have not only invested their dollars to aid the cause of freedom, but have created a savings reserve, which many admit would not have existed had they not joined the great army of bond buyers. The reaction of these investors to the Sixth Victory Loan is most favorable, indicating further success in this new and latest challenge to the home front, they added.

Aggregate Of \$2,342,400 Raised In E.T. On First Day Of New Loan

Divisional headquarters today reported that an aggregate of \$2,342,400 was raised on the opening day of the Sixth Victory Loan appeal in Divisions Five and Six of the Eastern Townships on a combined objective of \$13,295,000. Unfavorable weather retarded the progress on the opening day of the drive, officials pointed out.

Zone Five jumped out into the lead after the opening gun was fired and is ahead of the other zone with 31.9 per cent, which accounts for a total of \$1,082,800, of which \$872,300 is in general sales and \$210,000 in special names subscriptions.

The larger zone, Division Six, recorded 8.8 per cent, with \$449,000 being registered in general sales and \$810,000 in special names applications. The quota for Zone Five is \$4,430,000 and Zone Six, \$8,865,000.

As in the past four loans, Arthabaska County in Division Five was the first unit to go over the top. The percentage of this district stood at 100.05 per cent at the end of the initial canvassing day, with more than \$1,000,000 being listed. A breakdown of figures reflect \$800,500 in general sales and \$210,500 in special names.

Shefford County was leading the five other counties in Division Six with a percentage of 27.5. Bromes was second with 10.8 per cent and Sherbrooke third with eight per cent.

Subscriptions announced today by the Sherbrooke County N.W.F.C. included the J. S. Mitchell Co. Ltd., \$150,000, and Miss Gertrude Scott, of Lennoxville, \$100,000.

Employees of the Dawson Auto Parts raised \$1,650 on a \$1,400 quota on the group payroll plan.

St. Hubert de Spaulding was the first parish in Frontenac County to exceed its goal by subscribing 125 per cent of its quota on the first day.

Cle de Triot de Nicolet employees with an objective of \$2,350 registered 48 applications for \$3,050.

JUDGE LEMAY TO ADDRESS CLUB

The regular meeting of the Sherbrooke Rotary Club in the New Sherbrooke House this evening will be addressed by Judge J. H. Lemay of the Magistrate's Court.

Judge Lemay has chosen as the topic of his talk, "Juvenile Delinquency." He will deal with his experiences as a Magistrate.

"That the Rotary Club Cigarette Fund is appreciated is indicated in a letter from J. P. Burns, at present on active service in Italy. 'Just received your cigarettes and I wish to thank you very much for your kindness,' he wrote. 'I sure appreciate them. Hoping to thank you in my own way in the very near future.'"

Officials said that other cards of "thanks" and "appreciation" also have been received from Cpl. Clifford Shuffelt, J.H.B. Hunting, William Bell, Pte. Lawrence Best and Sgt. H. A. McIntyre.

DIVISION FIVE			
	General Sales	%	Special Names
Arthabaska	\$800,500	100.05	\$210,500
Wolfe	15,100	10.00
Frontenac	25,650	9.23
Compton	25,550	5.9
Nicolet	4,200	1.35
Megantic	1,300
	\$872,300	81.9	\$210,500
DIVISION SIX			
Shefford	\$275,300	27.5	\$105,000
Bromes	54,500	10.8
Sherbrooke	120,150	8.8	705,000
Stanstead	26,500	2.9
Richmond	11,450	1.6
Missisquoi	9,600	1.31
	\$449,600	8.8	\$810,000

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BRIEFLETS

Card party, Brompton Rd. Community Hall, April 26. Adm. 35c or article for Bundles for Britain.

This coming Sunday, Grace Chapel, Montreal Street. Plan to come and hear Mr. Charles Innes, Toronto, on "So Great Salvation."

Dance, Cecil's Place, Cherry River, Sat. night. Orford Mountaineers.

There is enough ice in Antarctica to encase the earth in a layer 120 feet thick.

FARMERS HAVE VITAL ROLE IN WINNING OF WAR

W. G. MacDougall, District Agriculturist, speaking to the farmers of the area on the Sixth Victory Loan, declared that Eastern Townships agriculturists were playing a big part in the winning of the war by their efforts to increase production of food.

Asserting that food is a war material, the speaker said that the farmers had co-operated with the government in every possible way by meeting, to a large extent, the ever-increasing demand for more agricultural products such as milk, butter and eggs, etc.

Mr. MacDougall gave the following reasons for the increased demand for food in Canada. More Canadians are working; purchasing power has increased; exports to Britain and other countries have increased; the requirements of our armed forces must be met; more food is being shipped by the Red Cross to war prisoners; and there has been a disappearance of a wide range of consumers' goods from the market.

He also spoke of the subsidies paid by the Government to offset the increased cost of production. This system of subsidies keeps down the prices to the consumers and also prevents inflation. The speaker also advocated improvement of pasture land and said this is the cheapest way to increase production.

Farmers are being asked to buy Victory Bonds, Mr. MacDougall said, because authorities believe they are able to, judging from the increased amounts being deposited in banks and credit unions.

He pointed out that emergencies will be awaiting farmers after the war. Food is now being exported in large quantities and it is up to the Canadian farmer to maintain these markets after the war is over. If these markets are to be maintained, the Canadian farmer must produce a high quality of food. He also said that agriculture is becoming more mechanized and that many new implements will be needed to maintain the high quality of produce which will be needed.

In this way, Mr. MacDougall said, the farmer will benefit by buying Victory Bonds, for in the post-war era, when he needs new machinery to help in the production of food, he will be able to fall back upon the

YOUTH IS GIVEN THREE YEARS IN REFORM SCHOOL

A sixteen-year-old Sherbrooke youth appeared before Recorder Raoul Gagne in a late session of the Recorder's Court held yesterday in Police Headquarters on Marquette Street and was sentenced to three years in the reform school when he pleaded guilty to charges of theft.

The stiff sentence was imposed following a review of the youth's police record which disclosed that he had already served one term in the reformatory and another short term in jail, when he was sentenced on similar charges after having given his age as eighteen years.

Following the imposing of sentence the youth protested, saying that he thought two years would have been sufficient punishment, but the Recorder said that three years would not be too much.

GAVE ADDRESS TO LIONS CLUB

The duties of an inspecting company and the importance of the inspection of materials prior to their use for constructional purposes were outlined before members of the Lions Club here last evening in an address given by J. M. Fairbairn, General Manager and Vice-President of the Charles Warnock Company of Montreal.

"Very few people are acquainted with the performances of an inspection company, and fewer still are familiar with the operations carried out in the tests of materials inspected by them," the speaker said.

Mr. Fairbairn told of the various procedures through which constructional materials must pass during the course of their inspection, saying that sample pieces are taken from the original material following each process. These pieces are then put through tests which determine their quality, strength and endurance, such as in the case of rails used in the construction of railway lines, "and through these various procedures," the speaker said, "even the smallest of deficiencies may be uncovered and replaced by proper material, which in the end saves the possible collapse of whatever construction for which they were intended."

Mr. Fairbairn concluded his address with a brief outline of the processes used in the testing of the quality and endurance capacities of the cement used in the construction of buildings and water-ways, which was further explained by motion pictures which he produced for the occasion.

The speaker was introduced by Elmer Locken and a vote of thanks for his address was extended by Armand Rousseau on behalf of all members present.

During the business session which preceded the address by the guest speaker, two new members, Yalmer Loken and Austin Brooks, were welcomed into the club by President Cecil Dunn, and final plans were made for the salvage drive to be staged this evening under the sponsorship of the Club.

LOCAL BATTERY HELD PARADE AT VICTORIAVILLE

The 35th Light Anti-Aircraft Battery (Reserve) of Sherbrooke travelled to Victoriaville on Sunday where they took part in the launching of the Sixth Victory Loan. The Battery was under the command of Major L. W. Greenland, and was accompanied by Lieutenant-Instructor P. Ouintet, and Transport Officer Lieutenant N. Lothrop.

Lunch was served in the R.C.A.F. Depot on their arrival, and following the parade in the afternoon the officers and men of the Anti-Aircraft Battery were entertained by members of the 17th Field Company, Royal Canadian Engineers (Reserve).

money which he invested in Victory Bonds.

In closing, the speaker urged every man, woman and child to support the current drive to the fullest extent and carry the loan over the top as on previous occasions.

PUBLIC ASKED TO PUBLICIZE LOAN APPEAL

Appeal was made by Sixth Victory Loan officials again today to business men and home owners to see that Sherbrooke appears in patriotic dress for the next two weeks—until the end of the present drive on May 13.

It was pointed out that the appearance of the city for campaign purposes would be enhanced if more flags were flown and more buildings decorated. The request was made for co-operation in this respect.

Store owners who have Victory Loan publicity material are asked to give it prominent display in windows and in stores. Business offices can also help in this respect by using flags and posters.

Victory Loan officials urge that until the campaign closes all material should have exclusive display, as this will assist in the final results.

"Fly a flag if one is available," the Public Relations Committee said. "Fly it from your flagpole, your porch or your window."

DANCE

(Informal)

TO THE TUNEFUL MELODIES OF NOBLE SMITH AND HIS 14 NOBLEMEN

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Saturday April 29th

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MRS. W.S. BADGER PASSES AWAY IN 79TH YEAR

Mrs. Wesley S. Badger passed away yesterday at the home of her son, E. R. Badger, 84-A Council Street, in her 79th year after an illness of six weeks' duration.

Born in Hatley on October 17, 1865, the late Mrs. Badger married Wesley S. Badger in 1882 and came to Sherbrooke in 1928 where she lived till the time of her death.

Predeceased by her husband, Mrs. Badger is survived by a daughter, Grace W. (Mrs. A. O. Thompson), of Oshawa, Ont.; two sons, Roland A. and E. Raymond, both of Sherbrooke, as well as several grandchildren.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock at Blake's Funeral Home, 89 Queen Street, with the Reverend Fred Williams officiating, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Carr.

Interment will be made at North Hatley.

Corn of nearly all colors of the rainbow is grown in some parts of America.

THE THINGS OF TOMORROW

THE NEW SHAPE OF FREEDOM

THE NEW PATTERN OF SECURITY

THE NEW PROJECTS FOR A BETTER WORLD

THESE WILL FOLLOW WHEN VICTORY COMES

I RESOLVE

TO PUT VICTORY FIRST

TO RESOLVE is easy, but without planned retrenchment few of us can wring from overburdened incomes the increased savings this crucial year demands. To cut corners, trim spending, and eliminate every item of waste and extravagance—these are imperative. To some these ways to victory may be of little significance, unless beyond victory they foresee the future security that thrift will mean to each of us in the post-war world.

Shape for yourself a new pattern of security after the war by spending less now. Until victory is won none of us can feel secure.

A Message from the Life Insurance Companies in Canada.

BUY VICTORY BONDS

THE RECORD'S EDITORIAL PAGE

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

ACTION NEEDED, NOT TALK

Once again the utter absurdity of the present Canadian army system, whereby the volunteer soldiers are placed in one army for fighting Overseas and the draftees who refuse to enlist for active service, or the unpopularly known "zombies," are maintained at home to meet the threat of some mythical enemy, is vividly illustrated in the failure of the recent campaign to have members of the "zombie" army transfer to the active service forces.

The latest effort was made at Vernon, B.C., where Major-General George R. Pearkes, a Victoria Cross winner of the First Great War, and Major Paul Triquet, who copied this honor in the present struggle, made ardent appeals to some fifteen thousand soldiers stationed at the camp there to transfer their allegiance from the zombie army to the Canadian Army Overseas. But apparently their appeals fell on deaf ears, for latest reports from the British Columbia camp indicate that less than four per cent of the men joined the active army.

At the present time there are seventy thousand conscripts in Canada, comprising at least three divisions of men who will not fight and who are prevented from working (if many of them wished to do so). At one time they were of a limited amount of use in that they formed a defence army for the Pacific coast, but the turning tide of the war in the Orient has largely removed the Japanese invasion danger.

The Government possesses the power to make these men into useful soldiers by a mere order-in-council, but despite the cry for more and more men for the active army, either to fill up the vacancies in existing formations or provide the necessary replacements for casualties and others discharged for medical reasons, the Cabinet refuses to make any such move. And yet, the Cabinet Ministers blithely talk of hundred per cent mobilization, of an all-out war effort and the preparations made for the great invasion. And yet seventy thousand A-1 men are kept immobilized.

GERMAN FIGHTER STRENGTH

The definite announcement by senior Allied military officials in the Old Country that the steadily intensifying United Nations aerial campaign against the Continent of Europe is nearing fruition in one respect, namely, the destruction of the German air force "as a preliminary to destruction of the German ability and will to continue armed resistance" will be a source of satisfaction to those observers who have seen the Luftwaffe as the chief danger to be met by the Allies in any effort to break into the Continent of Europe.

One of the prime German objectives set about a year ago was to quadruple the fighter strength of the Luftwaffe as a defence against the concentrated Allied air attacks and at the same time to build up a substantial fighter strength reserve to meet the menace of invasion. Instead of this, the flow of new planes from German plants has been reduced to such an extent that the reserves are "a mere trickle" in the pipeline between factory and operating units.

The German campaign was launched in April, 1943, following an American daylight raid on Bremen. By the dispersal of factories and conversion of bomber plants, the Reich succeeded in doubling its fighter plane output by June, 1943, but six American raids in July brought any expansion hopes to a standstill while the final frustration came in February of this year when co-ordinated raids damaged factories producing sixty per cent of the single-engine and eighty per cent of the twin-engine craft for the Reich.

But the statement warns that while the United Nations campaign has been a success, it has not been a complete one and that it can be considered completed only when replacements for the Luftwaffe have been entirely cut off and the present force fought out of the skies. The statement concludes, "It is still unfinished history, but the end draws steadily nearer."

SPEEDING THE END OF JAPAN

The surprise United States landing in Netherlands New Guinea, an amphibious operation which swept five hundred miles up the coast of New Guinea, fairly stole the invasion spotlight over the week-end and proved a dramatic support for the declaration of Admiral Ernest J. King, Commander-in-Chief of the United States Navy, that the Allied forces now are "fully entered" on the roads to victory and fortified with unity, power and experience are determined to travel far and fast. While admitting that long roads still lie ahead, he stated that the encirclement of Germany is in sight and that the war against Japan is in the American offensive stage and is progressing increasingly well.

And certainly the landing of American troops at Hollandia and Aitape on the North Coast of New Guinea, after a fierce naval and aerial bombardment advanced General Douglas MacArthur, Allied Southwest Pacific Commander, a step nearer his heart's desire—the recapture of the Philippines.

The landings also isolated another sixty thousand Japanese who face annihilation. This makes a total of 140,000 enemy troops which are neutralized in the area from New Guinea to the Solomons—all that are left of the quarter million originally intended for invasion of Australia.

Once Hollandia's air bases are in Allied hands, they will provide bases from which heavy bombers can reach the Philippines. These Pacific operations, coupled with the increasing naval pressure in the Indian Ocean by Lord Louis Mountbatten's forces, indicate that the United Nations campaign is one of long strides for an early attack on Japan proper, rather than a gradual regaining of the scattered outposts one by one. In every attack of recent months, the Allied forces have struck three or four hundred miles ahead of their established bases and have bypassed Japanese garrisons, which have been isolated, for subjection at a later date.

Thus it is hoped to reduce Japan and its principal outposts with a minimum of casualties.

GERMANS BECOME "LOST"

One of the important secondary results of the Allied aerial pounding of the German industrial centres has been the ease with which the individual can disappear in the sea of disaster and confusion which follows any of these thousand or two thousand plane attacks. Every day people disappear and cannot be found again, one Swiss reports in the Swiss newspaper Die Nation following a trip to Germany. These comprise not only the people killed in air raids, for disappearance has developed into a science widely practised by that considerable group of the population whose existence is for some reason endangered. Some of these who vanish may be army deserters or even criminals, but more than likely they are politically compromised men for whom it is a boon to have a chance to allow themselves to be declared dead or missing.

An outline of this process as revealed in the Swiss paper was recently broadcast in the BBC European news service. The general process is for the members of a man's family to go to a police station one day and report that on a particular evening he had said that he was going to pay a visit to a certain friend at a particular address. He has not returned after his visit and his relatives are most anxious. The police investigate and find that this particular house was totally destroyed on the night in question and that there is no hope that the man can be found alive. The relatives even state that they believe they can recognize his body among the charred corpses. The man is officially reported "missing" or "dead." He is not dead, however, but in helping in rescue work may have found the papers of some dead man. He moves to some distant city; it is impossible to prove that his identity is false.

Nowadays, the correspondent goes on, nobody in Germany knows whether he is talking to Dr. Jekyll or Mr. Hyde. There are thousands of people who are not the persons they pretend to be.

EDITOR'S NOTE-BOOK

Hitler certainly could not commit suicide by blowing his brains out.

It is unfortunate that we have not heard that Mussolini's illness has taken a turn for the worse.

Men will soon be finding out that nothing can feel better and look worse than last year's straw hat.

The will power of men would get a lot further if it was not for the want power of women

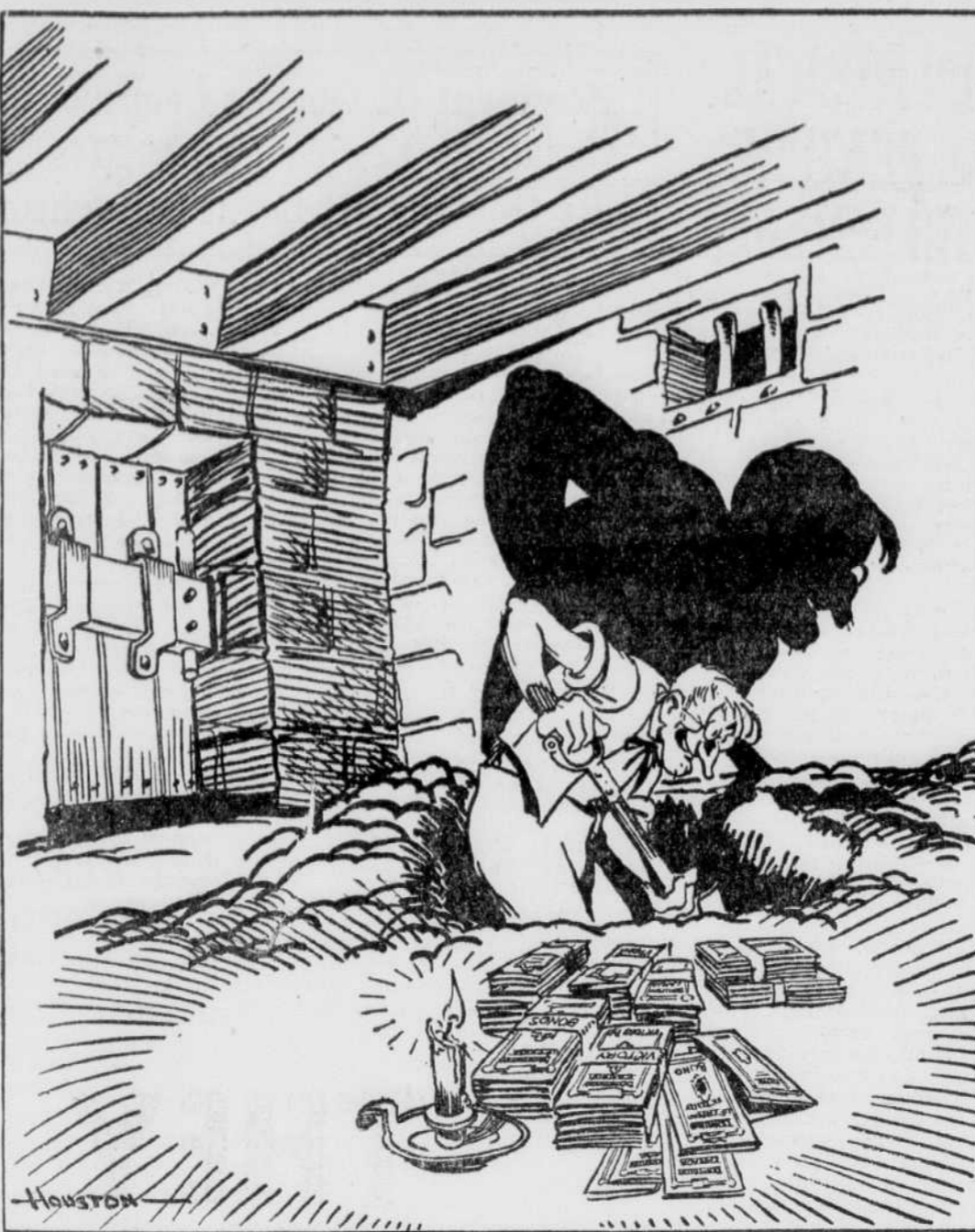
BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

For Thou wilt light my candle: the Lord my God will enlighten my darkness.—Psalm 18:28.

Now that the sun is gleaming bright,
Implore we, bending low,
That He, the Uncreated Light,
May guide us as we go.

—Adam de Saint Victor

THE WISER MISER'S HOARDING VICTORY BONDS



Letters To The Editor

The Record will publish letters from its readers which are considered in the public interest providing they bear the signature and address of the writer. Opinions expressed in this column are the personal views of the writers and not necessarily those of the Record.

LOOKING OVER THE NEWS

Dear Sir: I liked the Record's views on "The Republican Nomination," and especially the suggestive thought that: "Willkie might well hold the party and give his support to President Roosevelt for the duration, in view of the similar attitude of both men on the part of the United States must play in the post-war world."

That action would look good to me on various counts, because not only the people of the United States but people who love freedom throughout the world owe their gratitude to Wendell Willkie for his world patriotism at a critical juncture in the present global struggle, and his loyalty to F.D.R. at that time—despite 26,000,000 votes for W.W.—in reminding smaller men who would have split their country into two camps: "There's my President," pointing to a picture of Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

Just a word on an item "From the Record Files" twenty years ago—"E. W. Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, speaking before the Border Cities Chamber of Commerce at Windsor, asserted that the Dominion of Canada was able to absorb three hundred thousand immigrants annually.

We have come a long way since April 18, 1924. It may well be that our depression experience may have colored—i.e. darkened!—our vision of Canada's possibilities! Nevertheless, I am satisfied to go along under the guidance of "Edward Wentworth Beatty," whose executive genius played a central role in building the Dominion he loved to its present proud status.

It would make merely one proviso, namely, that immigrants be admitted on a proportional quota basis; not in terms of nationality but of vocation, at a ratio of one-rural-to-two-urban new people. It simply will not do to pump new folks onto the farm and forget them! Meanwhile, giving the devil his due, I concur in the idea that our present enemies would have little or no difficulty in placing 5,000,000 people in each of our Prairie Provinces—with 20,000,000 this side of Winnipeg.

SO THEY SAY

We need not claim moral superiority over countries interested in promoting their own safety. Through fortune and geography we are relatively more secure than most countries and therefore can exercise the high privilege of endeavoring to deal in foreign affairs on a basis of fairness and justice.—U.S. Assistant Secretary of States Adolf A. Berle, Jr.

How anybody can see a quick conclusion to this war beats me.—Major Everett W. Hostron, Tokyo raid pilot.

There is nothing in our private lives that compares in importance for one instant with fighting this war to success.—U.S. Navy Secretary Frank Knox.

PRESS COMMENTS

SYRUP FROM WHEAT

Canadian Finance

A process has been perfected for the manufacture of syrup from wheat, says Cecil Lamont, Vice-President of the North-West Line Elevators Association, who recently returned from attending the annual conference of the United States Farm Chemistry Conference held at St. Louis, Missouri. The conference was attended by agriculturists, industrialists and scientists from the United States, Canada, South America and China. Latest developments in science's search for finding new industrial uses for farm products were reviewed.

"Manufacture of syrup from wheat was developed at the United States Government's Northern Research Laboratory at Peoria, Illinois," says Mr. Lamont. "Commercial production is already under way at the rate of 1,000,000 pounds per month. Its quality and taste equals that of corn syrup. The new product is being manufactured in a sugar plant.

"Wheat syrup offers distinct possibilities for new industries in Western Canada and would result in a new market for wheat. There are three best sugar plants located in Western Canada—one at Winnipeg and two in Alberta. In addition there are two plants in Ontario. These plants operate only from three to four months of the year in processing sugar beets. With slight plant adjustment they could engage in manufacturing wheat syrup for the remaining eight months of the year. These plants could produce upwards of 60,000,000 pounds of wheat syrup annually and do much to relieve the shortage of syrup and other sweetenings in Canada," the line elevators' spokesman said.

BACK TO THE BIBLE

Pontiac, Ill. Daily Leader
More Americans are reading the Bible today than at any time in the last forty years, says Rome A. Betts, of New York, General Secretary of the American Bible Society. A recent national survey indicated that sixty-four per cent of our people, almost two-thirds, are reading the old Book of Books again.

Here is one of the most interesting developments of these troublous times. Also one of the most reassuring.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

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

CONTRACT IS SAVED BY COUNTING TRICKS

The Federal Bridge League of Washington provides an evening of relaxation and keen bridge competition for the federal employees. Thirty-three teams are divided into three sections, according to their percentage. Privates, civilians and generals will all be found competing in the contest. Capt. James S. Surrock handed today's hand in nice fashion.

He won the opening lead with the king of hearts and led a small spade. Surrock played the eight-spot from dummy and East won with the jack of spades, returning the ten of hearts. The captain won with the jack, led another spade, went up with dummy's king and East won with the ace.

East returned a club, dummy's king won, the deuce of spades was led, East won with the queen and returned another club. Surrock with the ace, picked up the other tricks, Surrock was able to make his two trumps in the East hand, and doubled contract.

TIMELY COMMENTS

Q—What is the difference between Argentina's pampas and chaco?
A—Pampa, the Southern plains; chaco, hot Northern regions.

Q—What was Istanbul, Turk city, formerly called?
A—Constantinople.

Q—What is the manpower total of the U.S. armed forces?
A—11,300,000 by July 1, 1944.

Q—What did U.S. postal revenues gross in the fiscal year 1943?
A—\$966,227,283.

Q—How many divisions does Germany have under arms?
A—Probably 325; this would be 4,875,000 soldiers figuring each division at full strength of 15,000 men.

HAVE A SMILE

The church service was proceeding successfully when a woman in the gallery got so interested that she leaned out too far and fell over the railings. Her dress caught in a chandelier, and she was suspended in midair. The minister noticed her undignified position and thundered at the congregation:

"Any person who turns around will be struck stone blind."

A man, whose curiosity was getting the better of him, turned to his companions and said: "I'm going to risk one eye."

A girl turned up at work the other day wearing two officer's silver bars pinned on her sweater. One of her office mates asked, "Is your boy friend a captain?"

"Goodness, no," she said. "Two lieutenants."

Jones: "The doctors now say that low-necked dresses help women ward off colds and pneumonia."
John: "At the restaurant where we were last night it seemed they were trying to ward off lumbago as well."

"Why is marriage like a cafeteria?"
"Because you grab what looks nice to you and pay for it later."

Now had to take the diamond finesse. But it was on—and thus, by the simple process of counting his hand with the ace, picked up the other tricks, Surrock was able to make his two trumps in the East hand, and doubled contract.

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♥ 7 6	♥ 6 5		
♦ K J 9	♦ Q 10		
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♦ Q 7 4 2	♥ A K J		
♣ Q J 10	♦ A 8 5		
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2 N T	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	3 ♠	Double
Opening—♥ 4. 25			

From The Record Files

Thirty Years Ago

The United States Government has ordered a strengthening of the garrisons along the Mexican border in view of the increasingly critical conditions prevailing in the latter country. The civil war is within rifle shot of the United States boundary.

Reports from Belfast indicate that fifty thousand rifles and half a million rounds of ammunition from Germany were landed in Ulster during the night as the Northern men mobilized to prevent their inclusion in any home rule scheme.

An agreement has been signed between the Provincial Government and the E. T. Immigration Society whereby the latter will receive substantial financial aid in its efforts to relieve the farm labor shortage throughout the district.

At the annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Sherbrooke Methodist Church, the following officers were elected: Mrs. W. A. Morehouse, Mrs. LeBaron, Mrs. Clark Gordon, Mrs. D. G. Loomis, Mrs. Dowling, Miss Van Vliet, Mrs. Robert Dean, Mrs. B. C. Howard, Mrs. F. N. McCrea and Mrs. H. E. Frye

The following officers were elected at the ninth annual meeting of the Farnham Tennis Club: W. B. Way, A. E. Gough, A. J. Choquette, Mrs. L. E. Smith, C. E. Davignon, G. E. Standish, H. J. Stubbs, P. White, L. E. Smith, L. H. Baytes and G. H. Fuller.

Twenty Years Ago

The refusal of Ulster to name a representative on the Irish Boundary Commission has created a new and grave crisis in the Irish affairs, as constitutional lawyers believe it is impossible to proceed with delineating the boundary with only two commissioners.

The official Opposition party in the Dominion House of Commons was preventing from filing a formal amendment to the Budget as a result of a surprise Labor Party move in calling for a further tariff reduction. The rules of the House at that time prevented more than one amendment to the budget.

Municipal officials estimate that over four thousand local citizens are entitled to vote in the Daylight Saving Time referendum to be held in Sherbrooke next week.

Prize-winners in a card party held at Richmond were Miss A. Mackey, Mrs. W. J. Ewing, Mr. E. L. Hall, Mr. Bert Boast and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bidgood.

At the annual business meeting of the Huntingville W.C.T.U. the following officers were elected: Mrs. W. A. Hunting, Mrs. T. D. Bozer, Mrs. D. J. Lowery and Mrs. W. Lane.

The following organization committee has been named for the Sherbrooke Publicity Association: Meredith Wilson, O. J. Gendron, Sam Echenberg, A. McLean, C. O. St. Jean, Charles Codere, J. W. McKee, Oscar Naut, J. A. Trudeau, J. H. Poupart and C. P. Buckland.

Ten Years Ago

Reports are coming in today from all parts of the Eastern Townships of flood dangers as rivers rise rapidly. Bridge at Magog nearly washed away. The river at Coaticook is at its highest level in eight years.

The recent series of robberies at Drummondville is believed ended as police make three arrests. Much of the stolen loot has been recovered.

In figures released this morning from the City Hall it was shown that in the vicinity of seven hundred families are expected to move to new homes the beginning of May.

Federal Police Officers in Mercer Wisconsin stated this morning that the arrest of John Dillinger is expected at any moment. Approximately five thousand policemen follow blood-stained trail in the largest manhunt ever attempted.

United States officials announced today that the last of one hundred fighting ships had passed through the Panama Canal on their way from the Pacific to the Atlantic Ocean in the biggest transfer of its kind in history.

Leon Trotsky, exiled former Russian leader, is seeking to reside on the Channel island of Guernsey following refusal of entry to most countries in the world.

In reports from London today it is believed that Italy's Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs had failed to convince authorities of feasibility of his government's proposals in disarmament programme.

Five Years Ago

A net cash deficit of \$54,314,000 on the Canadian National Railways and an estimated loss of \$25,000,000 in the operations of the Canadian Wheat Board has produced a deficit in the Dominion Government accounts for 1938 of \$55,666,000 according to the annual budget speech of Finance Minister Dunning.

The British budget just tabled by Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, boosts automobile, sugar and tobacco taxes to produce the record-breaking revenue of 942,000,000 pounds, most of which is ear-marked for the growing defence costs.

The message of Chancellor Hitler to the residents of former German Southwest Africa to swear undying allegiance to the Fatherland is causing considerable concern in South African political circles, where the problem of these minorities has long been a thorny one.

Conditions along the St. Francis River are again returning to normal following the spring floods which covered many streets in Sherbrooke and Richmond and forced the temporary suspension of many industrial plants.

Prize-winners at a masquerade dance given by the Sawyerville I.O.O.F. Lodge were Miss Marguerite Gaultin, Miss Thetis Woods, Donald Robinson, Lloyd French, Miss M. Eggs, Joseph Rousseau, Mrs. Ben Neil, Roy Montgomery and Mrs. R. J. Marshall.

IN THE WOMEN'S SPHERE

WOMEN'S CLUBS

CHURCH OF THE ADVENT W. A.
The Women's Auxiliary of the Church of the Advent met at the home of Miss Fannie Knapp, 23 Hubbard Avenue, with an average attendance.

The President, Miss Doris Robinson, presided, opening the meeting with prayers and the Litany. The bulletin was read and discussed, after which the study period was conducted by Mrs. Howard Price.

The Dorcas Secretary, Miss Evelyn Kinder, then displayed the clothing which has been procured for the sale to be sent to the Shingwank Indian School.

Besides funds provided by the members, the Auxiliary is indebted to friends whose contributions made the outfit most complete.

The W. A. wishes to thank the

following for their generosity: Howard Woolerton, Harold Bench, Gordon Knapp, Art. Hurley and Ronald MacMillan; Mesdames Norrey Price, David Murray, R. Badger, H. Lemay, Redway, Haddon, Bryant, Nyles, Farr, Bacheider, Robinson and Miss Ruby Price.

Mrs. Jas. Wark, 143 Bowen Ave., will entertain the members on May 5th.

MUNICIPAL CHAPTER I.O.D.E.
The Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., held its regular monthly meeting at the MacKinnon Memorial.

The Regent, Mrs. W. E. Loomis, presided and in her opening remarks welcomed the new officers and spoke of the splendid representation of the Sherbrooke Chapters at the Provincial annual meeting in Montreal last week.

The Secretary, Mrs. E. G. Bascom, read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved and the Treasurer, Mrs. Matthew Graham, presented her report.

Miss I. Cobleigh, Educational

Social and Personal

Mrs. David Galvin and her infant son, Richard, have spent three weeks in Truro, N.S., where they have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Ferguson, en route from Sydney, N.S., to join her husband, who is presently stationed with the R.C.A.F. in Charlottetown, P.E.I.

Mrs. Horton Dingman, of Hamilton, Ont., is a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Chebro, and family, at their home on Wolfe Street, and will later visit her brother, Mr. Clair Hazard, and family, Gillespie Street.

Mrs. George King was a tea guest at Mrs. Chesbro's home yesterday afternoon.

Miss Jennifer Brumwell and Mrs. R. L. Bishop were hostesses yesterday afternoon when tea was served informally at the close of the regular meeting of St. Faith's Guild in St. Peter's Church Hall. Mrs. Harry L. Pette, President, was in the chair, and while the members continued working for their spring sale on May 8th, they formulated plans for a rummage sale on May 5th. Later in the afternoon tea and light refreshments were served by the hostesses, the President doing the honors.

Mrs. W. Foster entertained delightfully at her home on Esplanade Avenue in honor of Mrs. W. S. Lennon, the beloved wife of a former reverend Pastor of Trinity United Church, the late Dr. W. S. Lennon, who has been visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Lennon, at their home in Lennoxville. The gathering of former friends, who so warmly welcomed Mrs. Lennon, was indeed a happy social event. Mrs. J. H. Shorten presiding at the pretty tea table, which was attractively centered with spring flowers. The hostess was assisted in her pleasant hospitable duties by her daughter, Mrs. Eric Lennon.

Mrs. S. F. MacLagan and Mrs. F. S. Rugg were hostesses at the tea hour after an interesting and busy session of the Women's Association held in the Primary Room at Plymouth Church, under the presidency of Mrs. Andrew Sangster. The session opened with the recital of the Lord's Prayer, following which routine business was disposed of. Plans for a garden party were discussed, and the coming event will, through the courtesy of Mrs. Walter S. Sutherland, be held at her home on Prospect Street on June 22nd. Arrangements were also completed for a rummage sale on May 26th. Mrs. J. C. Mead will continue to look after magazine subscriptions for the benefit of the W. A. It was announced that any one interested in sewing for the fall sale, is asked to meet at Mrs. Fraser Armstrong's on Tuesday evenings. Letters of thanks and appreciation from boys Overseas and shut-ins, were read by Mrs. Gerald Spafford, the former acknowledging gifts of candy and the sick ones flowers. Later tea and delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, sweet peas adorning the tea table at which Mrs. Lynn did the honors.

Secretary, read a letter of appreciation from Miss E. Horton, Principal of the Mitchell School, regarding the gift of the magazine The Canadian Geographical Journal to the Lawrence, East Ward and Mitchell schools.

The War Service report, given by the convener, Mrs. K. B. Jenckes, stated that 422 articles had been sent to Provincial headquarters last month, the shipment comprising 297 articles for the services and 125 for the bombed victims.

The members expressed their gratitude for a gift of \$25 for a radio for the Sherbrooke I.O.D.E. adopted ship, H.M.C.S. M.L.Q. 100, and to Mr. Newman Hunter for his interest in procuring a satisfactory one.

The Canteen Convener, Mrs. Harold Goodhue, reported an attendance of 830 soldiers at the Red Shield Canteen with 110 workers being on duty for 344 hours.

Mrs. Eugene Arnold's Hospitality report stated that 628 nursing sisters and officers had been served tea by the King George V Chapter during the past month, while the De Laval Chapter entertained 1,150 soldiers at Friday night dances at the Training Centre. The Sir John Sherbrooke Chapter served free refreshments to 132 navy personnel and distributed cigarettes to troop trains. This excellent report also included hospitality in the form of meals, 48-hour leaves, etc., by all Chapters.

The annual municipal tag day is to be held on Friday and Saturday, May 13th and 14th.

The meeting adjourned with the singing of God Save the King.

Friends of Pte. David Neil, who recently returned from Italy, will regret to hear that he is now a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Mrs. George H. Carr, President of the Y.W.C.A. Board, graciously received the huge throng of guests who attended the "Swing Into Spring" dance and bridge, which was foremost among the season's most colorful and brilliantly successful social events.

Seldom has the MacKinnon Memorial been more beautifully decorated, both the spacious gymnasium, which was reserved for dancing, with the Rand Circo orchestra in attendance and the already attractive Club Room upstairs, where bridge was played at fifteen tables, being transformed with artistically arranged rainbow hued streamers, into a veritable replica of fairyland.

Perhaps in the gym, by reason of its emptiness, the decorative scheme was most effective, with a canopied ceiling of graceful rainbow streamers above, while the side walls continued the same color scheme with tall single blooms of hand-made lilies, daffodils, tulips and cute pink and white bunnies, placed at intervals.

The platform, with a brilliant sunburst on the wall and surrounded with a white picket fence, with a vine covered trellis on either side, and flowers in front, formed an ideal

background for the truly lovely decorations, the convener in charge, Miss Kay Symes, being congratulated by the many admiring guests.

Hostesses for the delightful "Swing into Spring" party included the girls who as conveners were in charge of arrangements, namely, the Misses Helen Burnell, Catherine Symes, Mildred Corcoran, Mrs. Kay Guild, Merle Adam, Jean Brent, Emily Odell, Alice Hutchinson, Doris Harrison, Doreen Smith, Marjorie Atto, Mardena MacIver, Pauline Larriee, Pauline Beaulieu, Valma Lavallee, Jessie Hopkins, Agnes Norton. At bridge the prizes were won by Mrs. R. L. McFadden and Mrs. Baker, and prizes for the spot dances were won by Miss Isabel Nelson and Miss Irma Lavallee, the door prize was won by 221, the holder of which has not as yet been discovered.

The floor show included Miss Joyce Whorwood, soloist, Miss Patricia Buzzell, trombone, and Miss Mildred Corcoran, accompanist. Miss Symes and the members of the committee in charge of the decorations wish especially to thank Sgt. Ronald Thomas for his invaluable help. At the close of the evening refreshments were served under the convener'ship of Miss Merle Adam, who with her assistants most attentively waited upon the bridge players upstairs and the throng in the gymnasium. Congratulations are due to each and every one who contributed in any way to the outstanding success of the "Swing into Spring" party sponsored by the Y.W.C.A.

Glorify Yourself...

SOAP AND WATER "BEAUTIFIES" MAY SACRIFICIAL ALLURE

BY ALICIA HART

Boldly reddened lips and frankly altered complexion tones are beauty artifices so widely accepted that an unmade-up face is apt to be noticeably conspicuous. The woman who boasts that she never uses anything but soap and water on her face should be certain that Nature's job can't be improved upon.

Says Fannie Hurst, the novelist with the exotic good looks, "The old chestnut that Nature unadorned is beauty at its best should be roundly debunked."

She discovered quite early in the game, she told me in an interview, that the sheen on her skin put there by Nature was nothing more than oil. That a robust outdoors complexion was usually rough, too, and could be improved by the subduing influence of foundation and powder. That eyes can be mounted, like pictures, when you take the pains to use colored shadow on your lids and mascara on your lashes. That redder lips give her skin the appearance of heightened pallor, which is most to her liking.

So, before you take a stand as

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soap-and-water girl—and nothing else—be certain that a dusting-on of bejugging powder and a clean coat of red lipstick won't make you more ravishingly beautiful.

BISHOPTON

Cpl. Anne Tanner, of Ottawa, and LAW. Marjorie Baker, of Montreal, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Scowen.

Mrs. Donald Clark has so far recovered from operation as to be able to return to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Clark, where she will spend some time. Little Miss Elizabeth Clark has been the guest of her grandparents.

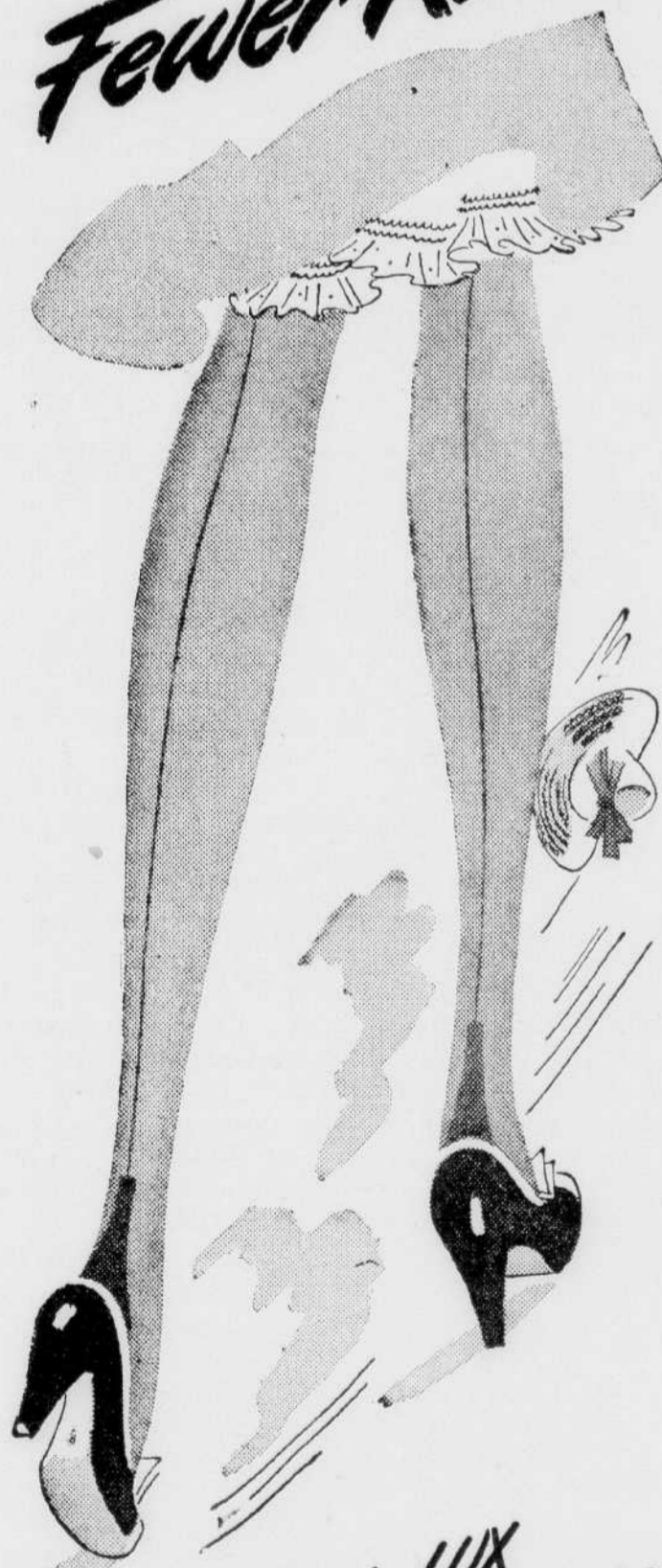
Mr and Mrs. J. L. Clark, while her mother, Mrs. D. Clark, was a patient at the St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Sherbrooke.

Mr. Gordon Joyce has so far recovered as to be able to return to his home.

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APRIL MEETING OF W.I. HELD AT EAST CLIFTON

Many Items of Clothing Distributed Among Members to Be Made Up for Shipment Overseas Following Well-Attended Regular Monthly Meeting.

East Clifton, April 25. — The Women's Institute held its monthly meeting with Mrs. Guy Waldron, and met for dinner with a good attendance of members and several war workers present.

The meeting was presided over by the President, Mrs. Guy Waldron. The members repeated the "Flag Salute," a prayer for the soldiers, sailors and airmen, followed by the Lord's Prayer and the Club Women's Creed. The roll call was answered by telling of "Ways to Serve My Country by Conserving."

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Parkinson, and approved. The correspondence included letters from Mrs. Anna F. Smallman, Provincial President; the Robert Simpson Company; Miss Barbara Fletcher, Demonstrator of Quebec Women's Institutes; and the Canadian Red Cross Society.

The "Consumers' News" was read and discussed. A donation of \$12.50 was received from the Municipality of East Clifton to the War Workers; one dollar from Mr. and Mrs. John Bain; also a donation of remnants of print from the T. Eaton Company, Montreal.

An appeal was made for old rags and waste paper for salvage. Three crib quilts were donated to the War Workers from the W.I. These were made by Mrs. Guy Waldron.

The Convener of Home Economics Miss Lottie Waldron, gave a reading on "Women on the Home Front," mainly on how to conserve food.

It was decided that the Self Denial Fund would be carried on as usual. Other business was laid over until the next meeting.

Mrs. James Towers, War Work Convener, gave her yearly report, stating that 244 sewn articles and 171 knitted articles had been made. Each person's report for the year was given of the work accomplished by them.

During the afternoon, after the war work had been given out, the remainder of the time was spent in sewing.

At the noon hour an excellent dinner was served by the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Edith. The table receipts were very gratifying.

General Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Waldron, Miss Jean Waldron and Messrs. Ellis and Mark Waldron, Mrs. Desmond Bain and daughter, Darlene, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon French, in Flanders.

Mr. William Forgrave and son, Gordon, and Mrs. Bates and Mr.

KNOWLTON

On the occasion of their twenty-first wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. A. Leroy Bullard were guests of honor at "at home" on Friday evening, April 14. The event had been arranged by their daughter, Miss Heather Bullard. Forty-three guests were welcomed. During the evening Rev. E. D. Mitchell gave a humorous reading and L. M. Knowlton, on behalf of their many friends, presented Mr. and Mrs. Bullard with a purse of money. Mrs. Bullard also received a gold wrist watch and two bouquets of American Beauty roses. Lunch was served, with Mrs. E. D. Mitchell and Mrs. A. C. Carter pouring tea. Assisting in serving were the Misses Heather Bullard, Ann Louise Mapes, Phyllis Allen, Muriel McClay and Lorna McClay.

Under the auspices of St. Paul's Junior Guild, a play entitled "Henry's Daughters," was presented by Doreen O'Brien (Mrs. Bellington), in the Guild Hall, which was filled to capacity. At the close of the performance, Rev. Mr. Bolton expressed thanks to all those who had assisted in making the evening a success. The proceeds amounted to sixty dollars.

Miss Vera Porritt has returned to Montreal, after spending the Easter holidays at her home here.

The many friends of Mr. Lawrence Draper will regret to learn that he is a patient in a Montreal hospital, where he underwent an appendectomy.

Mrs. Lily Swett, of Foster, is a guest of her mother, Mrs. A. W. Mizener.

Miss Barbara Ball, of Cowansville, called on friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. George Foster and family, of St. Lambert, were guests of Mrs. Jason Mars and Miss Ethel Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Mapes, Jr., and daughter, Miss Ann Louise Mapes, have returned to Montreal after spending the Easter vacation at their country home here.

Mrs. B. J. Stone, of Cowansville, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. W. Mizener.

Mr. Grayson Chapman has returned from visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beakes, at Duboyce's Corner.

Master Jack Templeton spent the Easter vacation at the home of Mr. Forest Tibbits, in Bondeville.

Mr. John Smith called on friends in Brome.

Miss Edith Nichols has returned to her home here, after spending the winter months in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Cousins, of Bolton Glen, called on Mr. and Mrs. Horace Whitehead.

Mrs. Forest Wright and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Wright and family, of Falford.

Mrs. Gerald Wright has resumed her teaching at the Brome School, after spending the holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Martin and family, of Montreal, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Rogerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ian W. Crandall and son, Roderick, and Mr. and Mrs. Ian C. Boyd and son, Tommy, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hume, in Foster.

Harold Waldron, of High Forest, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bell.

BEDFORD HOLDS UNVEILING OF HONOR ROLL

Forty-Five Names Included on Honor Roll Unveiled at Sunday Service in St. James' Church at Bedford.

Bedford, April 25.—At the eleven o'clock service on Sunday morning at St. James' Church, a most solemn and impressive service was held on the occasion of the unveiling of the "Honor Roll," containing the names of the members of the congregation who are in the services.

The First Troop Boy Scouts, with Scoutmaster Jerry Smith, were in attendance together with the members of the Bedford Girl Guides with their officers, Miss Audrey Bradshaw and Mrs. F. Speight. The color party for the Scouts was composed of Eric Jones, Carl Dunn and James Piche, while in the color party for the Guides were Dorothy Van Horn, Betty Corey and Ruth Van Horn.

An invitation had been extended to the members of Missisquoi Chapter, I.O.D.E., to attend the service. The members entered the church headed by the Standard Bearer, Mrs. F. E. Best, with the flag, who was met at the chancel steps by the rector, Rev. H. V. Fricke, who received the standard and placed it on the altar. At the conclusion of the service the rector removed the standard from the altar and returned it to the Standard Bearer.

The vested choir, under Chormaster E. A. Chadsey, with Miss Liette Delcote at the organ, sang as the opening hymn, "Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand," followed by the singing of "O Canada." The

special psalm chosen for the service was the XLVI, "God Is Our Hope and Strength." During the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers," the color parties from the Scouts and Guides took their positions at the chancel steps carrying their flags. The Last Post was sounded by Scoutmaster Jerry Smith, together with Clarence and Frederick Abdallah.

The rector, accompanied by Church Warden, Messrs. W. B. Bradshaw and Sinclair McIntosh and D. J. Reid, took up their positions in the chancel, where the "Honor Roll" had been placed, the unveiling then took place by Mr. Reid, who read the names of the forty-five members of the congregation who had enlisted from this parish, following which the hymn, "O God of Love, O King of Peace," for absent friends were sung.

The rector took for his text, "Quit you like men 'Be strong'." He spoke of the great honor it was for so many to have gone from this small parish, of how they had acquitted themselves in the line of duty and of the heartfelt prayers that were offered up for their safe return. Touching reference was made to the fact that two, whose names appear on the honor roll, those of Ronald Killick and Cameron McCaw, had made the supreme sacrifice for home and country. Sympathy was expressed for their families. Many whose names are on the honor roll had been born in this district and attended school here.

During the collection of the offering, which was taken by Ashley Shelton, a Scout and Sybil Palmer, a Guide, an anthem was sung by the choir. The hymn chosen for the recessional was "Soldiers of Christ Arise," which brought to a conclusion a service which will long be remembered. The church was filled to its utmost capacity, chairs having to be brought in for additional seats.

The names on St. James' Church Honor Roll are as follows: Garnet Bockus, Ray Bockus, Donald Brown, Douglas Brown, George Brown, Glen Casey, Joseph Cheek, Merton Casey, Roy Cook, Bruce Currie, Lewis Currie, Harold Ditcham, Donald Ditcham, Gerald Ditcham, Kenneth Fricke, Malcolm Getty, Howard Gilbert, Herbert Gould, Marion Holland, Mary Holland, Ronald Killick, Cameron McCaw, Charles McCaw, Sidney McCaw, Donald McElroy, William McNeil, Edward Miller, Philip Miller, George Palmer, Harold Palmer, George Phelps, Ross Preston, Jr., Darwin Proctor, Earl Proctor, Barbara Reid, Brant Saunders, Douglas Saunders, Eric Saunders, Gage Saunders, Garnet Steel, Donald Stevens, William Van Horn, Arthur Veysey, Norman Veysey, Myrl Wells.

General Notes.

Mrs. F. E. Best is in Montreal as a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Donald Peete, and to attend the annual meeting of the Provincial I.O.D.E., which is being held in Montreal as the delegate from Missisquoi Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Miss T. Ouellette, who was a resident of Bedford for several months, has gone to Montreal to live.

Mr. Robert Chadsey, who was the guest for several weeks of his father, Mr. E. A. Chadsey, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor, has returned to Stanstead College.

Miss Eleanor Jones, who spent the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Jones, has returned to St. Lambert. Mr. George Jones, of Montreal, spent a week-end with his parents.

Miss Pearl Borden, of Montreal, who has been the guest of Mrs. George Moody, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Collins were the guests over a week-end of friends in St. Lambert.

Mrs. D. H. Connor is spending some time with her brother, Mr. Dana Gardner, at his home in Perceton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Allain, of Mont-

real, were guests over a week-end of the latter's brother, Mr. W. B. Bradshaw, and Mrs. Bradshaw. Mr. and Mrs. Royce Smith and young son, David, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Corey and little daughter, all of Montreal, were guests over a week-end of Mrs. Corey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

News has been received that Arnold Gilman, R.C.N.V.R., who has been in the Mediterranean theatre of war has been wounded and is at present in hospital. Arnold Gilman is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gilman, of Montreal, and was for many years a resident of Bedford, where he attended the High School. Prior to enlisting he was in the employ of the Welland Vale Company, of St. Catharines, Ont., at their Montreal plant. He enlisted early in the war and has been for many months in the Mediterranean. His youngest brother, Fred Gilman has returned from England, where he was with the R.C.A.F., having transferred to the air branch of the U.S. Army. He is now stationed in Atlantic City, N.J., undergoing further training.

EAST FARNHAM

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Watson, of Champlain, N.Y., spent a short time at their summer home here.

Miss Doris McGovern and Miss B. Perkins, of Natic, Mass., were guests of the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall.

Mrs. Charles Paige, of Nitro, is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Collins.

Mr. O. Demers is making a dwelling over his shop and his family will move in by the first of May.

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Bdr. Molson Writes To Say How Much Record Valued Overseas

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This message comes from Bdr. R. J. B. Molson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Molson, of Bedford, who has been Overseas for more than three years.

Writing to his father recently, Bdr. Molson related how he had received a bundle of thirteen Records at one time, each of which was, he says, "read and thoroughly enjoyed and then passed on to B. Q. M. S. Dawson, of Sutton, thence to D. R. Morrison, of Sherbrooke, and then on to Motor Mech. Bdr. Ray Sturgeon, of Noyan, and so on until they are in letters."

Bdr. Molson volunteered for Active Service in 1940 and has been Overseas since February, 1941. He landed in Sicily with the First Division in July, 1943, and is at present with them on the Italian front.

Many subscribers are sending Records to the boys in the Armed Forces and from the many letters received it is quite evident that the



BDR. R. J. B. MOLSON

"Home Paper" is welcomed and eagerly read in far-off lands. The Record is a letter from home and certainly brings cheer and encouragement to those who are far away.

MISSION CIRCLE HELD MEETING AT COATICOOK

Reverend Lorne Smith Gave Short Address on "Post-War Missions" Followed by Several Other Interesting Readings by Two Other Members of Circle.

Coaticook, April 25.—The Women's Mission Circle of the Baptist Church held a special thank-offering meeting one evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace, Court Street.

Several men of the congregation also attended the meeting. Mrs. John May, Second Vice-President of the Circle, presided at the opening exercises in place of the President, Mrs. E. B. Parker, who was absent due to illness.

A short programme included several items; a talk on "Post-War Missions" by Rev. Lorne Smith; a carefully compiled paper describing "The Building and Development of the Alaskan Highway" by Mrs. John Fraser; a vocal duet by Rev. and Mrs. Smith; and a paper of rather special interest by Mrs. A. L. Parker, dealing with "The Origin and Expansion of Church Activities in Stanstead County."

A social hour followed, after which refreshments were served by the hostesses, who were assisted by Mrs. Fraser and Miss Alice Parker. The mission offering amounted to sixteen dollars.

MAPLE GROVE

The Ladies' Guild of Holy Trinity Church was entertained one afternoon at the Parish Hall with Mrs. Herman Bennett and Mrs. Byron Bennett as joint hostesses. The meeting was opened by the President with prayers and the Secretary-Treasurer read the minutes of the last meeting, which were adopted as read. The afternoon was spent in knitting and sewing. Lunch was served by the hostesses. There were ten members, two visitors and four children present.

Miss Edna Bennett, of Sherbrooke, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bennett.

Master John Gill spent a few days with his cousin, Mr. Dufferin Annesley.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bennett, of St. Hubert, N.B., Mrs. Miss Edna Bennett, Messrs. Nat Amadon, Lawrence and Dallas Bennett.

The community was grieved to learn of the death of Mr. Jonas Kimbell, who passed away at his home on April 10th.

Mrs. George Reynolds and Mr. W. Dinning were guests one day of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Dinning.

Mrs. F. N. Gill and two girls spent an afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett, Mrs. Otis Bennett and two children, Elsie and Glenn, were evening guests at the same home.

Miss Eva Porter spent an afternoon as a guest of Mrs. Jessie Annesley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bennett and daughter, Viola, attended the party at her father's, Mr. Richard Wright, in Hendersonville.

Miss Marjorie Nugent and Messrs. William Dinning and Lawrence Bennett have returned to Theford Mines High School, after spending the Easter holidays at their homes here.

Mrs. Herman Bennett has reopened the school here after the Easter holidays.

Friends are sorry to learn that Mr. Irvine Cross is a patient in the Jeffrey Hale Hospital in Quebec. All wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. John Bennett spent an afternoon as a guest of Mrs. Herman Bennett and Mrs. Daniel Bennett.

GRANITEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cosdale and Mr. Douglas Bullock, of Lachine, spent a week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bullock.

Dawson and Murray Smith, of Beebe, spent a week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eryou, of Beebe, were visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. James Hibbard.

The funeral of Mrs. A. L. Guerin was held in the church here on Thursday afternoon, April 13, with A. B. Lovelace officiating. The bearers were four nephews of the deceased, Howard, Willard and Philip Reen and Albert Elliott. The beautiful flowers showed the esteem in which the deceased was held. The sympathy of the community goes out to the two sons and daughters-in-law, Cecil, of Keene, N.H., and Grant, of Derby Line.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton, of Claremont, N.H., Mr. Howard Reed, of Waterbury, Vt., and Mr. Willard Reed, of Barre, Vt., were visitors at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reed, being called here by the death of their aunt, Mrs. A. L. Guerin.

Mrs. James Bacon is on the sick list. Her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Johnston, of South Durham, is caring for her.

Mr. Samuel Denney, who has been ill, does not gain as fast as his many friends would wish.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bullock and children, of Rock Island, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bullock.

The albatross has a wingspread of 12 feet, the humming bird three inches.

MAGOG

Miss Helen Ayer visited her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Remick, in Burlington, Vt., during the Easter holidays.

Miss T. C. Perkins spent her holidays at Breckenridge with Miss I. Lynch.

Miss B. Greene spent the Easter recess in Ottawa with Lieut. and Mrs. J. Murray.

Lance-Cpl. Raymond Belevance, Instructor, of Ontario, spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Belevance.

Mrs. C. J. Hopps has returned to her home in McConnell, after spending a week with her brother, Mr. Albert Sandell, and family.

BROWNLEIGH PLACE

Cpl. E. Bushey, R.C.A.F., Mrs.

Bushey and son, William, spent a few days in Richmond as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bushey and sons. They were also guests of relatives in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sells and son, Ross, of Kingsley Falls, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Brown.

Mrs. Helen Davis and two daughters have returned to their home in Danville, after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. B. Blake and Mr. and Mrs. David Gifford.

Pte. Harold Blake and Mrs. Blake and daughter, Jean, who have spent the winter in Kingsley with Mrs. Blake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Mastine, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Blake.

Miss Marjorie Denison, R. N., spent the holidays at her home here. Col. P. L. Johnston, Mrs. Johnston and daughter, Helen, of Quebec City, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Perkins.

DANVILLE

Golden Rule Lodge No. 13, I.O. O.F., held a very interesting meeting, when two degrees were conferred on a new member. The second degree was conferred by Brother H. C. Marek, assisted by Brothers G. H. Burns and J. W. Bellevue taking the principal parts. The third degree followed, and was conferred by Brother A. D. Tector, assisted by Brothers E. C. McConigal, S. H. Soars and L. E. Findlay taking the principal parts. The candidate made a few fitting remarks at the close of the ceremonies. Refreshments were then served by Brothers F. J. Olney and H. Castello, who also took care of serving the oyster stew at the close of the previous meeting. Representatives for the Grand Lodge Session and Grand Encampment Session are D. McEachin and H. Burns, with J. Bastone and H. Lockwood as proxies.

English term for bingo games is "housey-housey."

TOMFOBIA

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Carpenter were visitors in Rock Island.

Mrs. Eva Greenwood, of Sherbrooke, spent Easter with her daughter, Marilyn, at the home of Mrs. Etta Manning.

Mr. E. R. Burbank spent the Easter holidays at his home in Coaticook.

Miss Jean Fyles spent a week-end with Miss Kathleen Harris, in Rock Island.

Misses Kathleen and Gloria Sanschargin were in Rock Island one day calling on friends.

The W.A. met with Mrs. R. Hatch on April 21st.

Mrs. Sanschargin has been confined to the house with the grippe.

Miss Evelyn Harris spent a week with Miss Marjorie Fyles.

Friends are pleased to see Mr. James O'Leary out again, after being ill with the grippe.

A gem carved in relief is called a cameo; one carved below the surface is called an intaglio.

SAWYERVILLE

Mr. Albert Allison, of Sherbrooke, was a guest of Mr. Roland Silverson.

Miss Hope Gill, of Cookshire, was a guest of Miss Hazel Bowker.

Miss Marilyn Kingsley was a guest of relatives in Montreal.

Mrs. K. Dawson was the guest of her sisters, Mrs. A. King and Mrs. H. Hodge.

The regular meeting of the Women's Association was held at the home of Mrs. M. D. Blue.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. French were guests of the former's father, Mr. James French, on his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Patrick and Mr. Douglas Patrick were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robinson and family, in Theford Mines.

Capt. M. L. Eager, who has returned from South Africa, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Patrick and family, in Sawyerville, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Ward, in Bury. Miss Eager is taking up her duties in Quebec shortly.

Mr. Eager Kingsley is ill at the home of Mr. Austin Bowker. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

The many friends of Mrs. T. J. Palmer will be pleased to hear that she is recovering from her illness.

Mrs. Harry Graham has returned home, after spending the Easter holidays with relatives in Malden, Mass., and Woodsville, N.H.

The Misses Bertha and Dorothea Graham have returned to their teaching duties, after spending the Easter holidays with relatives in Malden, Mass., and Woodsville, N.H.

PEARCETON

Messrs. Arthur and Guy Addie and friends, of Sherbrooke, spent a week-end with the former's mother, Mrs. D. Addie, at the home of Mr. Dennis Clough.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clough and Mr. Leslie Clough motored to Montreal for a day.

Callers at the home of Mr. Dana Gardner were Mrs. Cornell and Mrs. Hubbard, of Stanbridge East, Mr. R. Wells, of Bedford, and Miss Dorothy Gage, of Stanbridge Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hunter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Thomas, in Brigham.

Mr. M. Magnant, of Franklin, Vt., and Mrs. Marjory Smith, of Enosburg, Vt., were callers at the home of Mr. J. Hunter.

Mrs. Connor, of Bedford, was an overnight guest of her brother, Mr. Dana Gardner.

Master Alfred Chandler, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Chandler, is ill with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clough, Elmer and Allan and Miss Daisy Clough have all been ill with the measles. Miss Clough is now ill with pleurisy.

Mr. Dana Gardner, who has been seriously ill and under the care of Dr. Draper, of Bedford, is gaining slowly.

Mrs. James Corey, of Cowansville, has been in the care of her mother, Mrs. R. Wightman, who is gradually improving.

Mrs. James Hunter received news of the death of her uncle, Mr. George Tilson, who passed away at his home in Nashua, N.H., on April 4.

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C.P.R. WORKERS BACK NEW LOAN TO THE UTMOST

Montreal, April 25.—Management and labor joined in pledging all-out support from the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and its personnel in reaching a \$7,000,000 objective for the Sixth Victory Loan at a meeting in the Windsor Hotel here addressed by H. J. Humphrey, of Toronto, vice-president of eastern lines, by J. B. Ward and Thomas Broad, of Montreal, leading labor men from the C.P.R. and by National War Finance Committee officials.

In his fine keynote speech for the meeting, which was a prelude to the opening of the drive in the Quebec district, Mr. Humphrey saw the system-wide organization of the C.P.R. in support of this and other loans as "a pledge to the Dominion Government by the C.P.R., one of Canada's best citizens, of every possible assistance in over-subscribing the total asked."

Mr. Ward, general chairman of the Brotherhood Railway Engineers and labor representative on the C.P.R. central loan committee, said "we must not fail the many relatives of Canadian railway families now in

the thick of the fighting," while Mr. Broad, general chairman of Federated Trades and vice-president of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen, C.P.R., argued that if the United Nations are beaten "labor will be the greatest loser."

The representative of the fighting services at the rally also was a C.P.R. man, FO. H. W. Keane, D.P.M., D.P.C., who told of flying 61 trips over enemy territory including seven bomb-Berlin raids. An unusual turn revealed by the young air ace was that his room mate overseas had been FO. Lyle Humphrey, D.P.M., a son of the chief speaker at the meeting, who also is with the R.C.A.F.

H. C. Flood, joint chairman, payrolls savings sections, speaking for the National War Finance Committee for Canada and the Canadian Pacific as synonymous. Corporate citizenship of such stature carried with it a mighty responsibility he said but he was certain that "Canadian Pacific employees everywhere will back the Sixth Victory Loan to the limit."

While it was a Quebec district meeting with district and divisional officers of the C.P.R. and labor representatives present to check over actual details of the canvases, the rally, of which R. W. Scott, Quebec district general superintendent, was chairman, had many in attendance, in addition to the speakers, who are taking in a wider territory in the loan.

These included F. Bramley, secretary of the C.P.R. and a member

of the general loan committee; D. D. McLeod, liaison officer for the National War Finance Committee over the entire C.P.R. system and J. C. Riddell, who fills a similar liaison post for the C.P.R.'s Quebec district for the National War Finance Committee; and A. E. Lowery, a speaker with the National War Finance Committee.

Mr. Humphrey came to the Windsor Hotel meeting fresh from a speaking tour of the Algoma (northern Ontario) and New Brunswick districts of the C.P.R. where he said great enthusiasm had been shown for the Sixth Loan.

While he was satisfied with the response to the other loans by company people the vice-president urged on his listeners personal contact with officers and employees as a way to create greater interest and lend further impetus to the drive.

Mr. Ward said that it was up to C.P.R. personnel in this bond drive to "give the support which will help bring Canada's sons home with victory" and deal with the number who have a "personal stake" in the conflict through the service of husbands, brothers, sons and daughters.

Mr. Broad developed the theme of labor's rights under the democratic system for which Canada fights. With the example before it of what happened to labor in Fascist countries labor knew that it would be the greatest loser if the Axis triumphed. Recognizing this, the different labor lodges are investing heavily in this loan, as they have in all others and he was confident the record this time would be up to the high standard set by the Canadian Pacific in the earlier drives.

The Russo-Japanese war of 1904-1905 was the first war in which battle wounds killed more men than did disease.

SCOTSTOWN

The Women's Missionary Society of St. Andrew's United Church held its Easter Thank-Offering meeting at the home of Mrs. C. M. Smith. A special Easter service was used with the President, Mrs. A. A. MacAulay, presiding. "News Flashes" from the "Missionary Monthly" were given by Mrs. C. M. Smith, Mrs. J. Cox, Mrs. F. Mayhew, Mrs. A. G. Sherman, Mrs. R. A. Scott and Mrs. John Macdonald. Mrs. J. Penoyer presented a very interesting paper on "The Four Marys of the Bible," which was much appreciated. It was based on the love of Christ and prayer. Two minutes of silent prayer were observed for the men and women in the armed forces; for those who suffer and sorrow because of war; and for a just and lasting peace. The Treasurer reported an increase for the first quarter this year over last year. Mrs. William Gordon was appointed Superintendent of the Baby Band.

Mrs. Angus MacLennan is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Connor, in Montreal.

Mrs. J. N. MacIver and Mrs. Fred Goodin are visiting in Hingham, Mass., as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bardsley and Mr. and Mrs. Alex MacKenzie.

Miss Margaret Maclean, of Sherbrooke, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Maclean.

Mrs. Allen Morrison, of Sherbrooke, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. MacLean.

Mrs. D. L. MacRitchie has returned from Montreal, where she was a guest of her sister, Mrs. N. G. Scott. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Nicholson are spending two weeks in Montreal.

Mrs. Alex Smith, of Detroit, Mich., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Nicholson. Miss Katie Morrison is spending a

vacation in Montreal, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Adams.

Miss Pauline Goodin has returned to Ottawa, after spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goodin.

Mrs. John Smith and Miss Grace MacKay are spending a few days in Sherbrooke as the guests of Mrs. Irving Elger.

Mr. Joseph MacLean has returned to Pittsburg, N.H., after being the guest of his mother, Mrs. D. MacLean.

The Red Cross will resume their work meetings in the United Church Hall every Thursday afternoon. There is a good supply of work on hand and all ladies will be welcome to help in this much-needed work.

BULWER

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beaudoin included Mr. Omer Poirier and two children and Constable Talbot, of Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. Philippe Doyon and Mrs. Perron and children, of Sherbrooke.

Miss Hazel Fish, of Sherbrooke, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Nutbrown and family.

Mr. Newton Jones, of Toronto, spent a few days with relatives and friends in this district.

MILLANVILLE

Mrs. Wilfred McNey, Montreal, is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Marshall.

Pte. Calvin McMillan, of Vancouver, B. C., a former resident of this place, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Malcolm McMillan, and sister, Mrs. Russell McKinnon.

Master Wayne McGillivray is recovering from his illness.

Guests of Leonard Henderson included Mr. and Mrs. David Currie, Mr. Joseph Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker and Mr. Stephen Little.

BETHANY

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Norris spent a day in Boscobel and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Copping.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brin and daughter, Marie Laure, of Foster, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Norris and other relatives.

Miss Rheta Demers, who is attending the Convent at Roxton Falls, spent a day at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emile Demers.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Brin and family and Miss Marie Norris, of Montreal, were visiting relatives here.

Mr. Arlie Moffatt was a caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Copping at Boscobel.

Friends of Mrs. M. Cote will be sorry to hear that she is ill with pneumonia. All wish her a speedy recovery.

MELBORO

Mrs. Ida Robert has returned to her home here, after spending the winter months in Richmond.

Mrs. Pacelo and son, John, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallace and family. Mrs. Pacelo returned to the city, while Master John remained for a longer stay.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beaugard were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mallette and infant daughter, Sylvia, of Melbourne; Miss Belma Beaugard, of Richmond; Mr. Allan Darby, of Melbourne, and Messrs. Hiram Beaugard and Omer Malboeuf, of Waterloo. While here the two latter called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith.

Miss Helen Robert has returned to Richmond, after spending the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Ida Robert.

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Mrs. Placey and daughter, Vivian, of Sherbrooke, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. James Paige, Mrs. Albert Fleck and Miss Dorothea Newell, of Lennoxville, and Mrs. Newell and Miss Elaine Newell, of Sherbrooke, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Cote.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Richards, of Toronto, spent Easter with relatives here.

Friends are glad to see Miss Rheta Massey out, after her operation in the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Mrs. Russell Fleming was a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital, in Montreal, undergoing treatment.

Miss Iona Newell, of Montreal, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Cote, and was accompanied to Sherbrooke by Master Elmer Cote, who spent a few days with Mrs. Newell.

Mrs. Arthur Rodell and two daughters, Sherley and Sandra, of Lennoxville, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Cote.

BROOKBURY

Holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Delongchamps were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lahaie, Mr. Gaston Letarte and Miss Liliane Delongchamps, of Sherbrooke. Callers at the same home included Mr. J. Breton and Miss Rolande Coutiere.

Miss Yvette Leblanc has returned to Montreal to take up her duties after recuperating from an operation.

Miss Teresa Dieu is spending a week at her home here prior to writing her final nursing examinations at the Sherbrooke Hospital.

Holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Leonard were Miss Elaine Leonard, of South Durham, Miss Iris Leonard, of Marbleton, Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Cuming, of Bury, and Miss Betty Miller, of Montreal. A number of Brookbury people attended a sugaring-off at Mr. Bennett's camp.

Mrs. Floyd Hooker, of Bury, is caring for Mrs. Lionel Allison. Three workers are killed in off-the-job accidents to every two fatally injured on the job, according to records.

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SPECIAL CHURCH SERVICES HELD AT COWANSVILLE

Cowansville, Apr. 25.—Large congregations were present at the Easter services of Emmanuel United Church. At the service on Good Friday, Rev. G. P. German, Baptist minister of Sutton, was the guest speaker. The musical numbers were: "On Calvary's Brow," sung by a junior quartette composed of Misses Daphne Geiz, Doreen Longeway, John Geiz and Winston Longeway; a duet, "The Old Rugged Cross," was sung by Mrs. Lawrence Stowe and Mr. Merlin Lewis.

At the Easter Sunday morning service thirteen persons were received into the church fellowship as members and 123 received the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. The musical numbers were "O Thou Whose Deep Compassion," rendered as a double quartette, and "Alleluia," sung by Mrs. Lawrence Stowe.

At the evening service a beautiful "Honor Roll" was unveiled, containing the names of sixty-five men and women, who have volunteered for active service with the Canadian Fighting Forces.

The Pastor, Dr. S. Wesley Boyd, presided and gave a glowing tribute to modern knightship as displayed in our Canadian Fighting Forces.

The Canadian Girls in Training groups assisted in the ceremony of the unveiling. Miss Teel gave a prayer which was written by a soldier serving Overseas. Miss Mary Buchanan, youngest member of the group, unveiled the "Roll of Honor."

At this service following the unveiling, a biblical drama was presented in Eastern costume. Much credit is due the artists for the impressive manner in which this drama was presented. The artists were Mrs. J. Murray Mason and Mr. Wendell Scott.

The musical number was "Open the Gates of the Temple," sung by Mrs. L. Stowe. The church was beautifully decorated with Easter lilies.

General Notes

Major Sherman Rodgers, of Montreal, spent a week-end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Drennan and son, James, spent Easter week-end in Lennoxville.

Mrs. Gordon MacDonald is spending a few weeks in Brickville with her husband, Lieut. G. G. MacDonald.

Mr. Norman Beach, of Lennoxville, was a week-end guest of his brother, Mr. William Beach.

Miss Joyce Cassidy, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cassidy.

Miss Heather MacDonald spent a week with her aunt, Mrs. Hugh Pibus, in Magog.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nunn visited relatives in Clarenceville for a few days.

Miss Doris Bridgette was an Easter guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Cronk, in London, Ont.

Mrs. W. E. Parry is visiting her mother in Philadelphia, Pa., for a few weeks.

Mrs. Bessie Johnson spent Easter week in Montreal visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Gunson, of St. Lambert, visited their son at "Silver Springs." Mrs. Leach was also a visitor at the same home.

Mrs. Emile Lapalme and daughter, Suzanne, accompanied by Miss Marguerite Lapalme, have left for Nainaimo, B.C., where they will stay for an indefinite time.

Miss Mary Douglaz visited friends in Mansonville for a week-end.

Miss Shirley Mackay spent the Easter holidays in Gould, at the home of her parents.

AC, 2 Arthur Knight, R.C.A.F., of St. Hubert, spent a week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seale were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Breesie in Sutton.

Mrs. E. Derrick, of Abercorn, was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Arthur Butler, one day.

Miss Suzy Stowe, of Ottawa, spent her Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stowe.

Mrs. Arnold Oliver and son, Buddy, have returned home after spending

OBITUARIES

MRS. LIZZIE BELLE WILSON, COATICOOK.

Coaticook, April 25.—The death occurred suddenly on Tuesday, April 11, of Mrs. Lizzie Belle Wilson, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Lang, in Whitefield, N.H.

Born in Barford, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Baldwin, Mrs. Wilson spent her early years in this vicinity, where she was well-known and had many life-long friends.

She was married in 1886 to Robert Kendall, of Lawrenceville, of which marriage two daughters survive, Velmer Catherine, Mrs. George Moyle, of Coaticook, and Bertine Barbara, Mrs. George Lang, of Whitefield, N.H. She is also survived by one niece, Edwina, Mrs. Wallace McElroy, of Lowell, Mass.; two grandchildren, Major W. K. Moyle, R.C.A., and Henry Donald Chitenden, of Washington, D. C.; and one great-grandchild, Robert Chitenden.

Mr. Kendall predeceased her in 1891, and in 1899 she was united in marriage to Mr. Henry J. Wilson, of Coaticook, at Lowell, Mass., after which she resided for many years in Boston, Mass., and New York City, returning to Coaticook in 1934. Following the death of Mr. Wilson in 1939, she made her home with Mr. and Mrs. George Moyle, in Coaticook, and also resided for some time with Mrs. A. E. Rowell, in Montreal.

Mrs. Wilson was a member of the Coaticook Baptist Church, whose pastor, Rev. Lorne E. Smith, conducted the funeral service at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace, who kindly offered the use of their home to the bereaved family. Rev. T. J. Matthews, rector of St. Stephen's Church, read the lessons at the service and assisted at the interment at Mount Forest Cemetery.

The bearers were Messrs. William Wallace, Ernest Parker, John May and George Cunningham.

Those from out-of-town who attended the funeral services included Mr. and Mrs. George Lang, of Whitefield, N.H.; Major and Mrs. W. K. Moyle, and a cousin, Mrs. Hugh Bowen, of Hatley.

Many beautiful floral tributes testified to the esteem in which Mrs. Wilson was held by a wide circle of friends, and organizations with which she had been associated.

MRS. BERNARD CAMPBELL, OF WATERLOO.

Waterloo, April 25.—Following a lengthy illness, Mrs. Bernard Campbell, of Waterloo, passed away on April 15th, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Masse, of Ste. Anne de Stukely, in her twenty-ninth year.

Requiem Mass was sung on April 18th by Rev. Father Albert Brunneau, at Ste. Anne de Stukely, and the interment service was sung by Rev. Father Chaine, of St. Bernardin de Waterloo.

Prior to her marriage she was Miss Jeannette Masse.

Left to mourn her loss are her husband, Mr. Bernard Campbell, of Waterloo, four children, Andrew, Marguerite, Homer and Clarice; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Masse; four sisters, Miss Laurette, of St. Hyacinthe, Yvette, Mrs. Leo Picard, of Waterloo, and the Misses Monique and Stella, of Ste. Anne de Stukely; four brothers, Armand, Paul, Victor and Henri, all at the home of their parents.

The bearers were Messrs. Paul Masse, Robert Masse, Raymond Campbell, Francis Campbell, George Dams and Arthur Dupuis, with Mr. Jean Maurice Legrandeur as the funeral manager, and Mr. Leo Paul Ledoux as the funeral director.

a week at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dymond, in South Pinnacle.

Miss Rose Lepitre spent a week-end in Beebe.

Miss G. Bell, of Montreal, Mrs. A. Farrel and Barbara Farrel, of St. Johns, Mrs. Bartlett and son, of Shawinigan Falls, were Easter guests of Mr. Walter Bell.

WATERLOO

Gratifying results were realized by the sponsors of the supper served in St. Paul's United Church Hall, from which the net proceeds amounted to over \$175. Tickets were sold by Mrs. Ronally Graves, Mrs. Dorey Dunn, Mrs. H. Bird and Mr. C. A. Norris, with Mr. R. Graves collecting the tickets at the supper. The food committee comprised Mrs. L. W. Adam, Mrs. M. D. Smith and Mrs. R. Graves. The table committee, headed by Mrs. M. D. Smith, included Mrs. S. Sturtevant, Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Clarence Worden, Mrs. Perkes, Mrs. Gunter, Mrs. Percy Tibbits, Mrs. R. Graves and Mrs. Bird. On the kitchen committee were Mrs. Charles Allen, Mrs. C. A. Norris, Mrs. L. W. Adam, Mrs. W. McCullough, Mrs. F. Sheppard, Mrs. F. W. Beckie, Mrs. Edna Irwin and Mrs. Harry Lucia. The event was held under the auspices of the Women's Association, under the presidency of Mrs. E. A. Blake.

The regular monthly meeting of St. Luke's Young Women's Guild, was held in the Church Hall one afternoon, with a good attendance of members. In the absence of the President, Mrs. Albert Dix, the meeting was conducted by the Vice-President, Mrs. Nelson Langevin, who opened the business period with prayer. The minutes of the March meeting were read by the Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. J. C. Marcotte. Needlework, under the auspices of Mrs. Basiner, occupied the attention of the members until the tea hour, when refreshments were served by Mrs. H. B. Seybold and Mrs. L. N. Adam.

The annual meeting of the Waterloo branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society was held in St. Luke's Church Hall one evening. The pastor, Rev. Sidney Wood, conducted the devotions, opening the proceedings with prayer and the singing of a hymn. In his remarks before giving his illustrated address, which was most interesting and informative, on "The Tribespeople of Burma," Mr. George Franck, the Field Secretary, thanked the President, Mrs. H. B. Seybold, and the members for their continued faithful work for the organization and referred to the loss sustained by this branch in the death of Miss Emma Boright, who for years had been its efficient secretary. Mr. Franck also expressed his thanks for the collections, which amounted to \$53.75. The election of officers resulted in the appointment of Mrs. Charles Slack as President; Mrs. J. C. Marcotte as Secretary, and Miss Lucia Knowlton as Treasurer, for the ensuing year.

Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Mitchell, of Knowlton, have taken up residence in St. Paul's Parsonage, following the induction of Mr. Mitchell as minister of the church.

Lieut. Arthur Wade is spending a two weeks' furlough with Mrs. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Robinson and Miss Nancy Ann Robinson, Court Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Macdonald have returned home from a pleasant holiday spent at the "Alpine Inn," in the Laurentians.

Mrs. E. A. Blake spent a week-end in Montreal as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Rogers.

Mrs. V. A. St. Denis entertained a few friends at the tea hour.

Dr. Paul L. Daigneau of Thetford Mines, and Mr. Samuel Daigneau, of the Royal Bank of Canada, Montreal, were guests of their sister, Mrs. J. M. Smith, and Mr. Smith's little Miss Dorothy Dix, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dix, has been very ill with whooping cough, followed by pneumonia.

Master Kenneth Tibbits has returned to his home in Waterloo after spending ten days at Davidson Hill as a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Davidson, and other relatives. He was accompanied home by his cousin, Master Wilbur Davidson, who is attending the Waterloo High School.

In the recent contest among the pupils of Grades VI and VII of Waterloo High School in collecting stamps, old newspapers and maga-

zines, their teacher, Mrs. O. T. Pickford, stimulated their interest in the campaign by offering a prize of War Savings Stamps or tickets to the movies to the winners of the contest. The side captured by Betty Reedshaw won.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Inglis, of Knowlton, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hamilton.

Mr. Patrick Murphy, of Montreal, visited his brother-in-law, Mr. W. H. Bell, and his niece, Mrs. J. R. Gannon, and son, Billy.

Mrs. W. D. Schofield, of Montreal, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Slack, for two weeks.

Mrs. Clarence L. Hanna is a guest of Mrs. Lorne E. Brown, of Granby, while caring for her mother, Mrs. E. J. Raymond, who has been critically ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Murdoch Macintosh and daughter, Mary, are visiting friends in Montreal.

Mrs. W. H. Ashton, of Granby, called on Mrs. S. J. Irwin.

Mr. Maurice Campbell and Miss Bernice Campbell, of Saxby's Corner, called on friends in Waterloo.

Miss Lillian Jolley and Miss Kathleen Stretch visited friends in Ottawa.

Mr. Robert Laurie, of Granby, was in Waterloo on business.

A Ladies' Aid tea was held at the home of Mrs. Edward Sharman, with a very large attendance. The afternoon was spent in social conversation, after which the members served delicious refreshments, including a birthday cake made and donated by Mrs. Oscar Desruisseaux, the occasion being Mrs. Sharman's birthday. After lunch, Rev. C. F. Johnston, in a few well chosen words on behalf of Mrs. Sharman's friends, presented her with a lovely plant in full bloom. Mrs. Sharman thanked her many friends for their kindness.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Desruisseaux were dinner guests of Mr. Desruisseaux's father, Mr. Fred Desruisseaux, and Mrs. Desruisseaux, on the Sherbrooke-Stanstead Highway.

Ray Martin, who has been Overseas for four years, was a caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Sharman.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lefebvre attended the dinner meeting in Waterloo, Gertrude Scott Hall, Lennoxville.

Mrs. Barber, of Huntingville, visited her sister, Mrs. E. Sharman, on her birthday, April 5.

Mrs. Violet Butler, of Sand Hill, spent Easter with her brother, Mr. Robert Kirkby, and Mrs. Kirkby.

Mrs. Charles Lefebvre was in Lennoxville as a guest of her sister, Mrs. L. W. Smith, and Mr. Smith, who is seriously ill.

Miss Rose Scott entertained a few of her young friends at tea.

Mrs. Robert Kirkby was a business visitor in Sherbrooke, and also called on her daughter, Miss Irene Kirkby, who is employed at the home of Mrs. W. S. Allen.

Mrs. Jack Murray, of Scottstown, spent her Easter holidays at her home, "The Pines."

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Picard, of Sherbrooke, spent a week-end as the guests of Mrs. Picard's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sharman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. S. Nutbrown, of Lennoxville, were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lefebvre.

Mrs. Nora Harrison, of Sherbrooke, spent two weeks as a guest at the home of Mrs. Louisa Beaton.

Mrs. E. Sharman spent a day in Sherbrooke as a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Orren Bailey, and Mr. Bailey.

Miss Glenna Stronach, who recently had an X-ray at the Sherbrooke Hospital, was pleased to have the report that her leg was improving favorably.

Mr. Elmer May, of Maize, spent a week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Stronach.

Mr. Albert Scott spent a day in Sawyerville as a guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Desruisseaux entertained the following at dinner on Easter Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. John McKay, of North Hatley, and her brother, Mr. Anson Rowe, and Mrs. Rowe, and Mr. Bobby Martin, of Acot Corner.

Mrs. Charles Davis, of Eaton Corner, who has been a patient in the Sherbrooke Hospital, has sufficiently recovered as to be able to be moved to the home of her sister, Mrs. Bernald Hodgman, and Mr. Hodgman. All join in wishing Mrs. Davis a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Orren Bailey, of Sherbrooke, spent April 5 as a guest of her mother on the occasion of her birthday.

Miss Glenna Stronach, who has been visiting relatives in Island Brook, has returned home.

Mr. Fred Sunbury spent a few days in Island Brook visiting old friends.

Mrs. Wendal Damon and daughter, Ann, of East Angus, who has been spending a week as a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Smith, has returned home.

Miss Rose Scott, who has been spending a few days in Randboro as a guest of friends, has returned home.

Mrs. F. A. Hodge and son, Lomer, were guests of Mrs. Hodge's brother, Mr. W. H. Hill, and Mrs. Hill, in Ruivert.

Quartermaster Sgt. R. Stevenson, of Quebec, and son, Bobby, visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith.

LAC. A. E. Little, of Montreal, and Mrs. Little spent a week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bennett.

Mr. Archie Stronach entertained the pupils of Dr. Klinck's Sunday School, of Sherbrooke, at a sugar-ing-off party.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKay, of North Hatley, and Mrs. F. A. Hodge and son, Lomer, were tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Desruisseaux.

The community was saddened to learn of the death of Mr. Marvin Hodge. The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Hodge in her bereavement.

Mr. Henry Hall and Miss Eva Beaton, of Sherbrooke, were guests

of Miss Louisa Beaton and Mr. Ruben Sherman.

Miss Betty Desruisseaux, of Cookshire, who spent her Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Desruisseaux, has returned home.

Mrs. Gordon Kirkby and son, of Sherbrooke, spent two weeks as the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Taylor.

Miss Jean Lowry spent her Easter holidays as a guest of her parents, in Sawyerville.

LAC. A. E. Little, of Montreal, and Mrs. Little, also Mrs. Lloyd Bennett were visitors in Sherbrooke.

Miss Audrey Hodgman, R.N., of Sherbrooke, was a guest of her brother, Mr. Bernald Hodgman, and Mrs. Hodgman.

Miss Alice Hill, of Montreal, spent a day as guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. A. Hodge.

Mrs. Leon Desruisseaux and daughter, of Cookshire, spent a day as guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Desruisseaux.

The Red Cross flag is the flag of the Swiss Confederation reversed.

LADD'S MILLS

Ladd's Mills School report at Easter follows: Grade II, Ernest Nicholson 8, Grade III, June Grady 84, Cecil Wallis 78, Bennie Cunningham 70, Grade IV, Alice Nicholson 69, Grade V, Claudia Cunningham 88, Marion Nicholson 79, Grade VII, Dick Paxton 86, Dorothy Nicholson 80, Elliott Cunningham 75.

Easter guests at Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Drew's were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Chamberlain and Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Drew and Ronald, Mr. Roland Drew and Miss Irene Lepoldin, of Stanstead, and Miss Frances Ladd, of Sherbrooke. Mr. Raymond Ladd, of Sherbrooke, was a guest of Mr. Drew and of Mr. Loren Ladd at Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sage spent Easter at Richmond with Mrs. Lloyd Stoddard and family and Mrs. Flanders and children.

Guests at Mrs. William Falconer's were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Falconer and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Davis and Veterans' Guard, and Mrs. Ray Bean and Lois.

FROST VILLAGE

The Misses Audrey and Velma McLeod, of Farnham, visited their cousin, Mrs. Oral McGovern, for a few days.

Messrs. Marcus Jones and P. C. Chapman attended the funeral service in Waterloo and the burial at South Stukely of Mr. Robert Dimick.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Williams and son, Ronald, of Waterloo, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Williams.

BOLTON CENTRE

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Rhines, Miss Helen Rhines and Miss Brenda Cousens have returned to their home in Alton, N.H., after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cousens. They were accompanied as far as Orleans, Vt., by Mrs. William Fisk, who will visit her friend, Mrs. Maude Wilson, there.

Mrs. Graydon True spent a day in Sherbrooke.

BARNSTON

At the regular church service at the Baptist Church on Sunday, April 16, the Pastor, Rev. Lorne Smith, gave a special dedication prayer for the beautiful silk flag which was given to the Church by the Ladies' Aid.

Mrs. Bertha Clement has returned home, after spending a few days with friends in Montreal.

Mr. Bartlett Morrill, of Bradford, Vt., was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pope.

Miss Lucy Corey has re-opened her school, after spending the holiday with her parents in Kingscroft.

ISLAND BROOK

Mrs. H. H. Holbrook has returned to her home here, after spending the winter in Sawyerville.

Mrs. Young, of Waterloo, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kerr.

Mr. John Burns is in poor health and under a doctor's care.

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him, he stuck to his post. Does the bond you are buying represent an effort equal to his? Look that airman in the eye. When the crunch of flak broke loose around him and machine gun bullets tore through his fuselage, he pressed on to his target. What answer will you give to the men who fight above the clouds? This is an opportunity for you to show how much you appreciate what these young men are doing for you. Back the Sixth Victory Loan with the biggest purchase you have ever made.

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ACES TOP PORT ARTHUR TO WIN ALLAN CUP

Re-Elect Ashton Tobin Head Of City Table Tennis League

Ashton Tobin was re-elected President of the Sherbrooke Table Tennis League at the organization's annual dinner which was held last night at the Chateau Frontenac.

The presentation of the league cup was also made at last night's banquet. The Invincibles, league champions, received the trophy for the year 1944, with each member of the team receiving a spoon. The captain, Roger Mailhot, accepted the cup on behalf of his team-mates and was also awarded a statuette of a ping-pong player.

The prize for the player who made the most progress in ping-pong during the year was awarded to Andre Charland, of Bromptonville. This youngster made a fine showing in the semi-final of the playoffs as he played masterfully to down a much older and more experienced player.

President Tobin, in his address to the large group, reviewed the year's activities, saying that, on the whole, it was one of the most successful seasons ever enjoyed. Saying that the league this year had been comprised of eight teams, Mr. Tobin declared that he had hopes of seeing not only a Sherbrooke Table Tennis League, but also an Eastern Townships Table Tennis League. He said that he would like to see leagues in every town in the district, with town competitions being held.

The President then thanked the Elks for the use of their hall during the playoffs, and extended his thanks, on behalf of the league, to all those who had helped in making the year a great success.

The presentation of the prizes followed. Ed Loomis, representing the Y's Men, received a prize on behalf of his team, which was the runner-up in the league final.

Gilles Desroches then thanked Mr. Tobin for the interest he had shown in the league this year and for all the work which Mr. Tobin had accomplished. He then proposed that the President be re-elected to the same office.

This motion was carried unanimously and the election of officers followed. Named to the post of Secretary was Gerard Proulx, while Dan Heilig was elected Treasurer. Georges Deslongchamps was made Honorary President of the league.

Plans were then laid for a league singles tournament which will be held very soon. This is for the men's singles championship. Last year's competition was won by Leo Haber, of the Windsor Mills Flying Training School. A large number of entries is expected for this tournament and some stiff competition for this cup will be seen. Exact dates on which the competition will be held will be announced later in this newspaper.

Members of the cup-winning Invincibles team are Paul Mailhot, Andre Panneton, Captain Roger Mailhot, Bob Marois and Claude Cote.

Seated at the head table last night were Ashton Tobin, Jacques Lagasse, Vice-President, Gaston Roy, Sec-

BOWLING

New York—Coley Welch, 164, Portland, Me., outpointed Vic Delcourt, 157 1/2, New York (8); Robert Garcia, 136, Houston, Tex., knocked out Zack Taylor, 130, New York (1).

Baltimore—Sammy Daniels, 144, Baltimore, outpointed Ernest "Cad" Robinson, 147 1/2, New York (10); Howard Bennett, 168 1/2, Baltimore, stopped Tarzan Roy, 170, Baltimore (5).

Newark, N. J.—Laurient Bouchard, 217 1/2, Montreal, knocked out Joe Thomas, 191, New York (1); Tony Riccio, 148, Bayonne, outpointed Sawee Jappa, 153, New York (8).

Trenton, N. J.—Steve Riggio, 149, New York, knocked out Sammy Mamone, 144, Stamford, Conn. (2); Eugene Burton, 180, New York, knocked out Johnny Cool, 143, Garfield, N. J. (4).

Lynn, Mass.—Tommy Reardon, 133 1/2, Brockton, Mass., knocked out Joe Colletti, 136, Providence (7); Jimmy Ruzzo, 178, West Warwick, R. I., knocked out Sam Shumway, 186, Boston (2).

FIVE YEARS OF FOREST FIRES

There were more than 200,000 forest fires per year in the United States over the five-year period of 1936-1940. Enough valuable timber to cover an area as large as New York State was burned.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By SYD THOMAS, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Toronto, April 25.—(P)—Vancouver seems almost certain to take a fling at double-A professional baseball as soon as the war is over. That is indicated in a letter Ken (Vancouver Province) McConnell received from President Clarence Rowland of the Pacific Coast League.

In his letter, Mr. Rowland pointed out that Vancouver's bid for a franchise recently was turned down because of wartime transportation difficulties, and the distance between the Canadian city and the Southern members of the league like San Francisco and Los Angeles. However, he added that Vancouver should be in line "at some time in the very near future" for a league franchise.

Poor fish, anyway!

Betting on horse races has a staunch defender in H. I. Phillips, a citizen who wrote to Dink (Montreal Gazette) Carroll about going on. Said Mr. Phillips: "Maybe in a day I lose 12 or 14 cents, but I gotta chance of making some or breaking even. What chance have I . . . if I go fishing on a Saturday afternoon? Whoever heard of a fish paying 50 to 1?"

Perhaps you have something there, Mr. P.

Incidentally: Edmonton U.S. Army Engineers, Western Canada senior men's basketball champs, are well-travelled. Their itinerary took them as far as Alaska in cleaning up on most opposition East of the Rockies and West of Great Lakes . . . Many tall and wore the tails aired in Toronto when old-time lacrosse players got together for their first reunion in 25 years . . . Pie, Jackie Whent of last season's Boeing soccer eleven in Vancouver has signed with Tottenham Hotspurs in the English League. Whent, an inside forward, is with the Canadian Army in Britain now . . . A niece of the great Whirlaway is being prepped for turf battles by James Speers, Western horseman. The filly, by Blue Eagle out of Sim-alass, hasn't been named yet and she won't race until 1946.

JUNE, GEHRIG'S MONTH

June was an important month in the life of Lou Gehrig. He was born in June, 1903, joined New York Yankees in June, 1923, first appeared in a major league game in June 1923, began world's record consecutive game streak in June, 1925, hit four home runs in a single game in June, 1932, and died in June, 1941.

BIRD LIVES OFF CACTUS

The southwest desert country's Gila woodpecker gets both its room and board from the giant Saguaro cactus. It digs its nesting holes in the cactus walls, lives on cactus fruit and the insects which infest the plant.

ENGLISH DERBY BEING AWAITED EXPECTANTLY

Newmarket, England, April 25.—(P)—There is joyful anticipation among the horse-loving people of Newmarket these days as spring comes into full bloom and Derby Day nears because the legendary signs point to a Newmarket-trained winner of the great Derby this year.

Those people who go strictly by the form chart rather than legend-ary points are not so sanguine in these hopes. But those who like a touch of the mystic in their racing have noted the green shoots of tulips and daffodils on the gypsy boy's grave just four miles out of town. That is enough for them.

Legend has it that when this grassy mound at the Kennet crossroads on the highway to Bury St. Edmunds produces blooms a horse trained at Newmarket will win the Derby. Further, there have been many occasions when the forecast of the grave has lived up to local legend and beaten any readings of public form.

Two years ago, it may be remembered, Big Game from Wiltshire was a hot favorite. The grave was a mass of blooms, however and Newmarket folk—some of them at least—remained quite unperturbed by all the fancy flung at Big Game. Came racing day and their faith that bloomed on the gypsy's grave was justified for Lord Derby's Watling Street, a Newmarket horse, won the Derby. Last year there were no blooms. An Epsom horse, Straight Deal, won the race.

The story is that the grave is that of a shepherd boy who watched his sheep in this area a century and a half or so ago. One day a sheep was missing and, fearful of the consequences when his employer, a local farmer, learned of this, he took his own life.

As was the custom of the day when a man took his own life, the boy's body was carried to the cross roads and buried. Ever since it has shown signs of being cared for and some years it produces blooms, some years it doesn't and some years Newmarket horses win the Derby and some years they don't.

Nobody in these parts seems to know who cares for the grave. Always it is trim and neat. Gypsies generally are credited with this good work but nobody in the neighborhood, beyond claiming they do not look after the grave, can say for sure.

Smear Westerners 9-6 To Win Dominion Cup For First Time

Quebec, April 25.—(P)—Quebec City held the Allan Cup for the first time in history today, but Quebecers had been expecting that for some time and today they did most of their talking about the fighting display of Port Arthur Shipbuilders in a losing cause last night.

The ports lost out 9-6 in the third game of their final series against Quebec Aces, and to the extent that Aces won, the game was true to expectations. But the thing that surprised a slim crowd of 4,000 was the way the powerful Quebec team had to stave off the inspired Ports to win.

The crowd was small because nobody expected much in the way of a hockey game after Aces took the first two games 6-1 and 15-4, but those who stayed away missed the one good game of the series. Never ahead throughout the game, the Shipbuilders nevertheless were always just a little way behind until the final few minutes.

Then Aces turned on full power to score three times in three minutes and clinch things.

Rellie Rossignol, who like all the rest of the Aces doesn't call Quebec his native city—he hails from Edmundston, N.B.—led the Quebec attack with three goals and set up the play for two others. Lude Check bagged a couple, and Doug Baldwin, Eddie Bruneteau, Bill Robinson and Rosie Rozzini got one each. Bruneteau also contributed four assists, the same number as Nils Tremblay.

Stan Robertson and Bill McKenzie sank two goals each for the Ports, with the others going to Pete Wymrot and Jo-Jo Gollatt. Norm Larson and Norm Wright each bagged two assists.

Secretary - Treasurer Alphonse Therrien of the Quebec Amateur Hockey Association presented the big silver trophy to goalie Lionel Bouvrette, captain of the Aces, right after the game.

The Ports made a game of it all the way with a display of aggressiveness that surprised those who had seen Aces prey well dominate affairs in the first two games. They were a goal down at the end of the first when Bruneteau fired one home for Aces late in the first period following a split on the first pair of goals.

They went three down early in the second then came back with two quick ones only to have Aces make it 5-3 with another late-period counter. They got one back at the start of the first and gained a split on the next two goals to leave it at 6-5 for Aces with 11 minutes to go. Aces cracked on the power then, however, and slapped home three goals in a row before McKenzie came back with Port Arthur's sixth goal and the final tally of the series.

The teams:

Port Arthur Quebec HillgoalBouvette BackerdefenseBaldwin SinclairdefenseStahan RobertsoncentreTremblay LarsonwingCheck KoivistowingBruneteau Port Arthur subs.—Wright, Eaton, Dinning, Gollatt, Wymrot, McKenzie.

Quebec subs.—Bergeron, Robinson, Rossignol, Reay, Gaudreault, Rozzini, McKinnon.

Officials: Holmshaw and Davis.

First Period

1—Quebec Baldwin 2:22
2—Port Arthur Robertson (Larson) 14:14
3—Quebec Bruneteau (Rossignol, Baldwin) 18:02

Penalties: Backer, Bergeron, Check.

Second Period

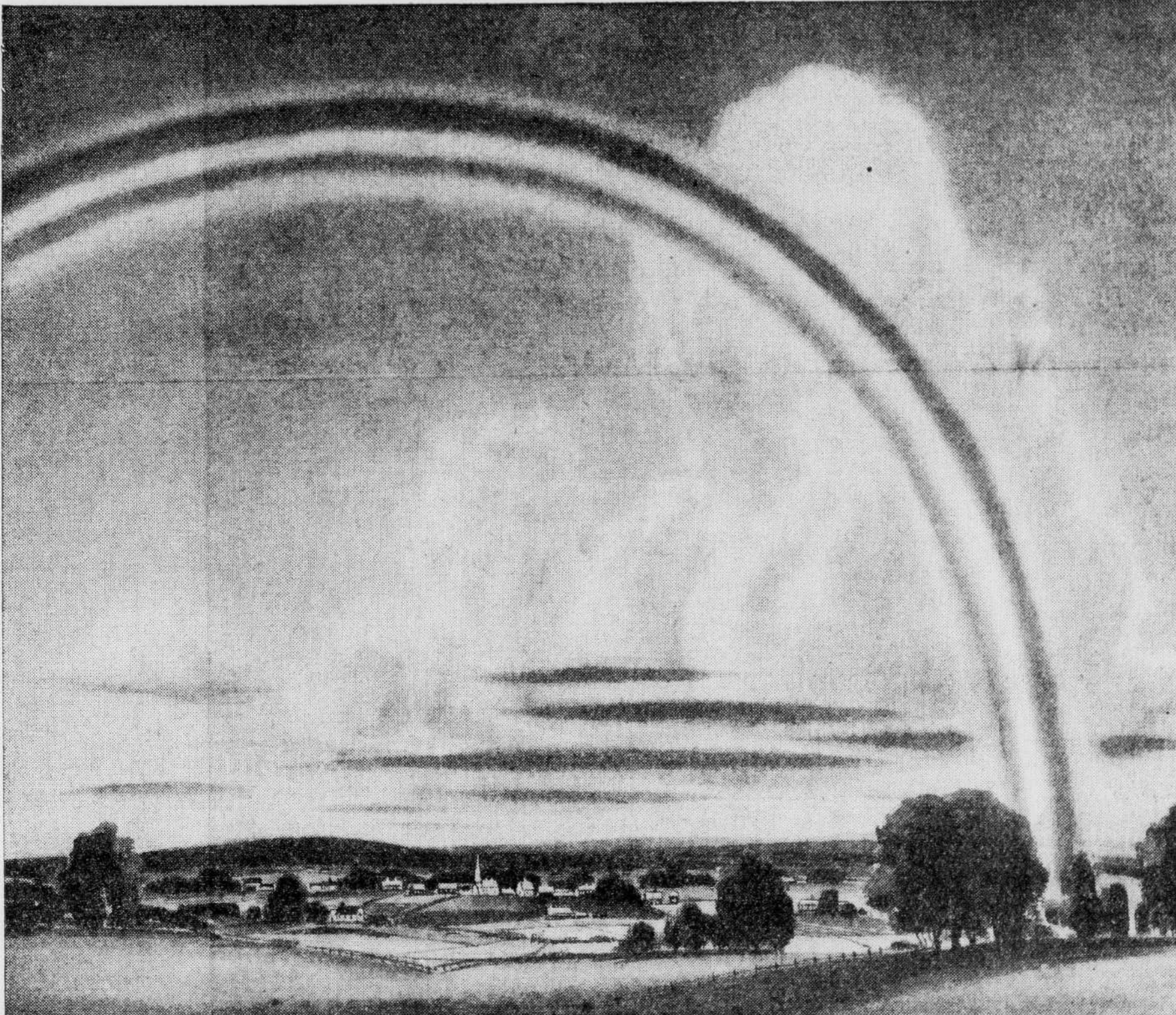
4—Quebec Check (Bruneteau) 1:37
5—Quebec Rossignol 7:57
6—Port Arthur Wymrot (Robertson) 12:53
7—Port Arthur Gollatt (Dinning, Wright) 14:57
8—Quebec Rozzini (Robertson, Bruneteau) 18:24

Penalty: Bergeron.

Third Period

9—Port Arthur McKenzie (Wright) 4:06
10—Quebec Robinson (Rozzini, Bruneteau) 6:40
11—Port Arthur Robertson (Larson) 6:55
12—Quebec Rossignol (Tremblay, Baldwin) 9:52
13—Quebec Rossignol (Check, Tremblay) 11:20
14—Quebec Check (Rossignol, Tremblay) 12:12
15—Port Arthur McKenzie 14:07

Penalties: Baldwin, Gaudreault, Gollatt.



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THE HOUSE OF SEAGRAM

JONNARD HEADS LIST FOR NEXT GIANT MENTOR

New York, April 25.—(P)—Speculation over Mel Ott's successor as manager of New York Giants centred on the inner circle of Horace Stoneham's organization today as the popular 35-year-old pilot rejoined his unbroken club.

Ott passed his physical yesterday at Camden, N.J. His call to army duty will come any time after May 15, but possibly not until July 24.

Clarence (Bubber) Jonnard, one of Ott's coaches and formerly a manager and scout in the Giants' farm system, headed a list of possible successors that include Manager Gabby Hartnett of the Jersey City farm, Coach Dolf Luque, infielder Billy Jurges and Farm Supervisor Carl Hubbell.

During the spring training period when Ott's possible loss first was discussed, Owner Stoneham had said that a temporary successor would come from within his organization and Ott would have full say as to who it might be. It is fully understood that the job is Ott's when he is again available.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE			
(Montreal at Jersey City, postponed.)			
Rochester at Baltimore, postponed.			
Buffalo at Syracuse, postponed.			
Toronto at Newark, postponed.			
NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, postponed.			
Only game scheduled.			
AMERICAN LEAGUE			
No games scheduled.			
WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY			
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE			
Toronto at Newark.			
Buffalo at Syracuse.			
Rochester at Baltimore.			
NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Brooklyn at Boston.			
New York at Philadelphia.			
Chicago at Pittsburgh.			
St. Louis at Cincinnati.			
AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Detroit at Chicago.			
Philadelphia at New York.			
Boston at Washington.			
Only games scheduled:			
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE			
STANDING			
Won	Lost	P.C.	
Toronto	2	0	1.000
Buffalo	2	1	.667
Montreal	1	1	.500
Baltimore	1	1	.500
Rochester	1	1	.500
Newark	1	1	.500
Syracuse	1	2	.333
Jersey City	0	2	.000
AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Won	Lost	P.C.	
New York	5	0	1.000
St. Louis	5	0	1.000
Cincinnati	3	1	.750
Philadelphia	3	3	.500
Brooklyn	3	3	.500
Chicago	1	5	.167
Boston	1	5	.167

ENGLISH HOUND RACING HAS OWN SCOTLAND YARD

By ALLAN NICKLESON, Canadian Press Staff Writer

London, April 25.—(P)—The secret kept itself pretty well but let it now be known that greyhound racing, rivaling football as a major sport, carries a "Scotland Yard" within its precincts.

Unknown to the general public, preventives against "ringers" and fraud, which include such measures as paw-printing, are taken by the Greyhound Racing Club, a body similar in functions to the Jockey Club, ruling committee of the turf.

Before a greyhound is permitted to race on any of the sixty-one tracks which come under jurisdiction of the Club, it must have a passport book in which particulars are recorded. For instance, particulars of each foot, with color markings and length of the four claws, form a part of the passport contents. Thousands of dogs have been checked and no two sets of feet found similar.

Dog owners never handle passports. They remain with the tracks and this makes substitution of a dog impossible because each physical point of the entry is checked before each race. Each track forwards a result sheet of its meeting to headquarters. Questions are asked if a dog suddenly "finds" a suspicious jump in form.

Just as stringent is the check on trainers and kennelmen, especially since recent cases of drugged greyhounds came to light. Seekers of these posts fill in a questionnaire which contains thirty sections.

Danger of loss of records through bombing or fire has been nullified. Each passport is photographed and the duplicate secreted in blast and fireproof boxes deep underground.

A record price of \$13,500 has been refused for Disputed Rattler, most popular racing greyhound in Britain today and winner of 21 of 31 races.

"She is not for sale at any price," said Trainer Sidney Orton. "It's a lot of money to refuse but only in a lifetime can you expect to have such a champion."

Nicknamed "Sadie" around the kennels, Disputed Rattler has a greater fan mail than many movie stars and leaped to popularity peak at London's Wembley Stadium recently by winning 11 to 12 open races against some of the country's crack racers.

ATTENDANCE AT MAJOR LEAGUES SHOWS INCREASE

By JACK HAND, Associated Press Sports Writer

Baseball moguls waded out to the ball parks today with some spare change jingling in their side pockets because 250,989 customers gave the game a vote of confidence in the first week of the new season.

It's still too early to draw any line on what to expect when the hot weather and night games come along but there's enough business in the house to top the 1943 opening week turnout by 35,000 paid.

Although figures are a little out of line because they include the banner opening crowds, the attendance has been more than 8,500 a game. Anything resembling this average throughout the season would surpass last year's total of 7,714,638.

Cincinnati's opening-day crowd of 30,154 is responsible for boosting the National League total to 152,620 as compared to 127,938 for the first seven days in 1943. The American figures for 1944 are 134,990 as contrasted to 121,051 a year ago.

While the statisticians were at work on opening-week figures, the Athletics enjoyed a day of rest as the only game scheduled, Cincinnati at Pittsburgh in the National, was called off.

With a shift of scenery the unbeaten New York Giants and St. Louis Cardinals go back to work today, Mel Ott's men at Philadelphia and the Cardinals in Cincinnati. Brooklyn at Boston and Chicago at Pittsburgh complete the National calendar.

Those St. Louis Browns kept their victory streak intact for at least another day as they are not scheduled but Philadelphia invades New York. Boston goes to Washington and Detroit visits Chicago for the first time in a three-game American League chart.

Thunderbolts to a number of 175 crash to earth every time you take a breath. Streaking down at 600,000,000 miles an hour, these lightning strokes are charged with as much as 200,000 ampere of electrical power at as high as 25,000,000 volts.

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