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The Morrisburg Leader

VOTE in the Plebiscite

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CANADIAN CLUB HELD FINAL MEETING ON WEDNESDAY

The final meeting of the Morrisburg and District Canadian Club for the current year was held in the Club rooms on Wednesday evening.

The guest speaker for the evening who was introduced by President Erdley Coones, was Professor Charles Lightbody, professor of history at St. Lawrence University, Canton, N. Y., and the concensus of opinion after the meeting, was that Professor Lightbody's address was the finest to which members of the Club had ever listened since the club's inception.

He spoke on the subject of Canadian—American Relations. The speaker traced the history of Canadian—American relations since the birth of the countries, and the rise of democracy in these countries and throughout the world. Speaking of the war, Professor Lightbody stated that he was convinced that this war would be what we hoped the last war was, namely a war to end the wars beteen autocracy and democracy, and he added that he believed 1942 would be the decisive year of the struggle. Also in that connection, he pointed out the great responsibilities that rest with the people of the North American continent, and stated that this continent is the hope of the civilized world. Americans, he said, now realize that the policy of isolationism is dead, and dead forever. We must face our responsibilities and discharge them together.

The speaker remarked that certain prominent men in public life, on each side of the international boundary, had recently passed remarks that certainly did not help a mutual feeling of goodwill, and possibly rankled a bit, certain persons in each country. This, he said, we should not tolerate, even in the name of freedom of speech; nothing should be allowed to disrupt or upset the amity that has grown up between Canada and the United States during the past 125 years.

He stated that our front lines of defence are in Europe and in Asia, not on the Atlantic or the Pacific seaboard, and that we should not tolerate a "business as usual" or a "politics as usual" mentality.. Our responsibility is to supply the basis for the mightiest war machine in the world, and we must discharge this responsibility together and as quickly as possible.

Following the war, he said, no one or two countries would or could dominate the world. It is only the ideal of the fellowship of all men that can win a lasting peace.

The thanks of the club to the speaker and to the ladies of St. Paul's Lutheran Church for the supper was expressed by Mr. Frank Shaver, of Aultsville.

Following the regular luncheon, the annual business meeting of the club was held in the Agricultural office, with the retiring president, Mr. Erdley Coones in the chair.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, J. R. Coligan, and adopted. The treasurer F. R. Chalmers, reported a balance of some $90, and the secretary reported a membership of 315 with an average attendance of 282.4 or 90 per cent.

Officers elected for the next season were: President, D. K. M. Stewart; vice-president, Frank Shaver, Aultsville; secretary, J. R. Coligan; treasurer, F. R. Chalmers; directors Dr. G. Gorrell, J. E. Christensen, T. R. Parker, J. D. McDonald, S. G. Finnie, J. M. Whitteker.

Associate directors were named for various districts as follows: Winchester, W. J. Cass; Morewood, Harold Allison; Wales, George Colquhoun; Chesterville, O. L. King and Eric Casselman; Williamsburg, Geo. L. Barclay; Cornwall, Wm. Mack Alguire; Cardinal, J. E. Schlicter and H. V. Redden; Iroquois, Chas. Fisher and Robt. Ellis; Prescott, Dr. Walker; Matilda, Arthur Bell and Chas. Harkness; Aultsville, Douglas Jarvis; Colquhoun, Wm. Colquhoun; Winchester Springs, Ralph Allison; South Mountain, R. Robinson; Finch, Arthur McMillan; Hallville, Douglas Beggs.

Speaker's committee will be composed of: Erdley Coones, J. R. Coligan, F. H. Broder, G. H. Challies, D. K. M. Stewart, Dr. W. C. Davy.

Storr-Collingridge

A wedding of interest took place at St. James' Anglican Church, Morrisburg, on Saturday afternoon last at 2 o'clock, when Miss Edith Mary Collingridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Collingridge of Chesterville became the bride of James William Storr, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Storr, of Ottawa. Rev. G. Oliver Davies, rector of St. James, officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length dress of blue sheer, styled with full sleeves and shirred bodice and skirt, and a matching Juliette cap with shoulder length veil. She carried a bouquet of roses.

The bridesmaid, Miss Eileen Weed on of Ottawa wore a dress of pink sheer, fashioned on the same lines as that of the bride, and wore a matching off-the-face hat. Her bouquet was also of roses.

The groomsman was Mr. Herbert Leggo of Ottawa.

Dundas-Grenville M.P. Appeals for Yes Vote In Plebiscite

To the Electors of the Riding of Grenville-Dundas

As your Representative in this riding and considering the perilous situation faced by the United Nations, I am impelled to express, very briefly, my views on the forthcoming Plebiscite.

The Plebiscite is being held under Legislation passed by the House of Commons at the request of the Government. The only question involved is the release of the Government from pledges made by it with respect to the Enlistment of men for Service outside Canada. It is not a vote on Conscription. No promises have been made with respect to the action that will be taken consequent upon the result of the vote.

A "NO" vote marks us as isolationists and says to the Government that we are not willing to share the heavy responsibilities faced by all peace loving people; nor are we willing to support those already in the armed forces.

A "YES" vote relieves the Government from pledges given and places them in a position that they may take such action as they may deem essential in face of existing facts.

You are not voting for or against any individual or set of individuals.

I, therefore, take this opportunity of impressing upon the electors the necessity that faces everyone to go to the Polls and mark a "YES" Ballot. I do this in the belief that it is the only way in which we may, as Canadians, protect our freedom.

Yours faithfully,

A. C. CASSELAN.

SHIPWRECK SUIT

A "shipwreck suit" is the latest British invention for saving seamen's lives.

It is made of a bright yellow rubberised material in two parts—combined trousers and overshoes and a hood and coat. The coat sleeves are long enough to cover the hands, and slits in the trouser legs allow the limbs to be taken out easily for massage. The hood is used for a carrier for the complete outfit, which weighs 3 lbs. 6 ozs. It is to be worn in lifeboats or on rafts and its bright yellow colour shows up the shipwrecked to rescue ships and aircraft.

The inventor is Mr. Thomas Metcalfe, O.B.E., who is administrative Principal in charge of the life-saving appliances of the Ministry of Transport. The electric light fitting now used for life-saving waistcoats was also Mr. Metcalfe's idea; the light is clipped to the collar strap. and the water-tight battery, lasting for ten hours is kept in a pocket. The society of Arts has awarded Mr. Metcalfe a 50 pound prize for his shipwreck suit. This prize has been given annually since 1926 for inventions advancing the science or practice of navigation. Last year it went to the inventor of portable radio equipment for lifeboats. It is a bequest from Thomas Gray, whose father wrote the well-known rhymes for teaching seamen the rules of navigation, including the familiar

"Green to green or red to red,
Perfect safety—go ahead!"

Lieut. Col George A. Drew, Ontario Conservative leader who has been ill with pneumonia since Saturday, is now reported to be very much improved and out of danger.

SALVAGE

The first collection has been made and a large quantity of material has been collected. Unfortunately a lot of people did not tie their packages with good string and a lot of work will be necessary to put the salvage in condition for shipping. Please watch this in packaging your next lot

WHY YOU SHOULD VOTE ON MONDAY

It is the duty of every single Canadian Citizen, no matter what his racial origin, to vote in the Plesbicite on Monday, the 27th day of April.

This expression of your opinion is asked, and is needed by the Government, regardless of what your politics or your opinion on the contentious question of conscription is.

It is well to point out again, too, that in voting on Monday, you are not voting confidence, or lack of confidence in the government as presently constituted. All you are voting on is whether or not you wish the government to be released from its anti-conscription pledge.

Through the years, one of the most valued rights of the democratic countries has been the right to vote on important questions, and we should be thankful we live in a country where the Government asks us for an expression of opinion, for in many countries to-day, it is the custom to simply regiment the people whether it is their will or not.

No one among us should regard this Plebiscite lightly. It may be the means of saving or condemning our country. It is your solemn duty, no matter whether you are Liberal, Conservative, C.C.F., Communist, or an adherent of any other party, to vote on this question.

The Government is not asking you to necessarily support the plebiscite. They are merely asking for an expression of your opinion. And we must give it to them. WE WILL!.

DONALD CASSELMAN CELEBRATES 19th BIRTHDAY OVERSEAS

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Pte. Donald Casselman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Casselman, who celebrates his 19th birthday today (Friday, April 24th) overseas.

The best of luck to you, Don.

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GAS RATION CUT NOT UNDER CONSIDERATION

Well informed circles in Ottawa said on Wednesday that the gasoline shortage in Canada had become more acute, but Munitions Minister Howe said in an interview that there had been no intimation to him that any further restriction in gasoline consumption was at present under consideration.

Before gasoline rationing was introduced in Canada on April 1, Mr. Howe warned in a speech that the initial gasoline allowance might be reduced if it became necessary.

By popular request the Y. P. U. of the United Church will be presenting their play "Mother Mine" the second time on Thursday evening, April 30th, at 8.00. Admission 10c & 25c. 17p.

New Patrol Car For Local Traffic Officer

P. C. LES. THROOP'S NEW "BANDWAGON" FULLY EQUIPPED

Speeders, tire and gasoline thieves reckless drivers, bank robbers, and all others whose profession or habits may bring them into conflict with the law, should now be warned that they are in for a hotter time than ever if they try practising their nefarious schemes in this district.

Provincial Traffic Officer Les. Throop has recently received one of the new patrol cars issued to the traffic patrolmen by the Ontario Provincial Police.

The car, a 1942 Ford Coach, has been specially equipped for police work, and about the only detail lacking to make it complete is a tommy-gun to shoot through the windshield.

It is painted white with a black hood. On the top is a 'blinker' light with a red lens for a warning at night. A spot light on the front of the car is used at the scene of accidents at night, and another light on the right front fender of the police car, is flashed at the traffic law violator, and on its red lens are the words, 'Police, Stop!'

Other equipment includes a siren, a box of flares and one of fusees, shovel, tow rope, wrecking tools for rescuing persons in damaged cars and a first aid kit. The 'bandwagon', as the new machines are known to the patrolmen are also equipped with a special gear ratio, adding greatly to the speed of a normal automobile, just in case anyone gets the notion to try to outrun one.

Graham Wells Suffers Painful Injury

While working on his farm in the Colquhoun district, on Tuesday, Mr. Graham Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. Durham Wells, had the misfortune to be kicked in the face by a horse..

Dr. C. A. Louden of Morrisburg was called, and attended the injured man, and he was later taken to the General Hospital in Kingston where he is now under the care of Dr. Boucher.

Examination at Kingston showed that he was suffering from a broken nose and bad bruises.

We are glad to hear that Graham is now getting along well and expects to be home in about a week.

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The following is an excerpt from an article by Dorothy Thompson:

Democracy is a hollow phrase without the sharing of rights; the sharing of the duties; the sharing of one's own little self with the great whole. Sharing through taxation is not enough. What is needed are people willing to invest themselves in the community. This investment of oneself occurs when anyone does more than he is paid to do in any form of work for the common good.



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INDIANS SING FOR LONDON CHILDREN



These London children, orphaned by the blitz, are being entertained by two Cree Indians, A. B. Ward and Joe Dacoine (with guitar) both serving with the Canadian Forces in England. The men sang hill-billy songs for the children, and gifts of clothing purchased with money subscribed by Indians living on the Old Crow Reserve, Northern Yukon, were presented by the Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey, Canada's High Commissioner in London.

Modern Etiquette

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1. Is it proper to send gifts to the mother of a new-born baby?
2. Is it all right for an overnight guest to ask the hostess for an extra blanket?
3. Is it necessary to write anything on the card that accompanies a wedding gift?
4. What is a good thing to remember when playing bridge?
5. When entertaining a house guest and an invitation is received to some social affair, is it permitted to ask the hostess for an invitation for the guest?
6. Is it correct to eat frozen puddings with a fork or with a spoon?

ANSWERS

1. Yes. Friends, as a rule nowadays, send flowers to the mother and perhaps some dainty apparel for the baby—such things as a lace cap, a little sweater, or a pair of boots. This is not absolutely necessary, but it is considered nice.
2. Yes. This should be done by all means if insufficient covering has been provided.
3. No. The card is sufficient, as good wishes and congratulations are offered at the reception
4. The words of one famous bridge authority: "Not everyone can play a faultless game; but everyone is certainly capable of the highest degree of etiquette and courtesy—and these two things go far towards making up for any lack of skill."
5. Yes, provided the entertainment is general enough to make this acceptable to the hostess.
6. With a fork.

Store Up Steam In Accumulators

British War Factories Have Saved Thousands of Tons of Fuel

Thousands of tons of fuel have been saved in Britain's war factories by storing steam in accumulators during air raids. Although factories do not shut down merely on getting the "alert," they have to do so when the roof spotters signal that the raiders are overhead.

But instead of the boilers blowing off their steam into the air when work stops, the steam is generated into the accumulators and stored, to be used when the raiders have passed.

More than a thousand of these accumulators have now been installed in iron and steel works, sugar refineries, breweries, dairies, dyeworks and laundries. All act on the same principle—the storage of energy during off-peak-load periods, and the calling into action of this steam when production requires it.

In one sugar refinery the installation of a steam accumulator raised production by 12 per cent, and lowered coal consumption by about 7 per cent. In a dairy the time taken to produce condensed milk was reduced by 20 to 25 per cent, while in a brewery 16 per cent of the coal was saved. Output in a laundry was increased by 10 per cent after installing an accumulator, and the boiler efficiency of a dyeworks was improved from 66 to 74 per cent.

Britain has the largest steam accumulators in the world, their steel shells being 14 feet 9 inches in diameter by 82 feet long and weighing approximately 500 tons.

Need 20,000 Pupils For Ontario Farms

Twenty thousand Ontario secondary school students will be needed to work on farms in the holiday season, A. McLaren, Farm Service Force Director, said recently.

Students from twelve years of age up are being registered for farm help, he said. Camps were being established for girls from sixteen to nineteen who will be paid a minimum of 22½ cents an hour for farm work and in such areas as the Niagara Peninsula where piece work prevails the minimum must come up to this hourly rate.

Boys would be paid $20 for the first month they work if they are inexperienced and $25 if they worked on farms last year. For the remainder of their employment, their salary will be settled between themselves and their employers, Mr. MacLaren said.

FARYON GOES TO QUAKER OATS



REG. R. FARYON

Reg. R. Faryon, formerly president of Lord & Thomas of Canada Ltd., has been appointed vice-president and general manager for Canada of Quaker Oats Company. Canadian-born, Mr. Faryon has had long agency association with the company. For the past two years he has been with the parent agency in Chicago as vice-president.

Norway's Clergymen Tender Resignations

All clergymen in Norway have handed in their resignations to the Ministry for Church and Education in Premier Vidkun's Quisrespondent of the newspaper Tidling's government, the Oslo corningen said.

A long message was read on Easter Sunday in every Norwegian church giving reasons for the mass resignations, the story added.

The clergy recently has been in conflict with the Nazi-controlled Quisling regime over youth control and other matters.

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Have You Heard?

The small daughter sat watching her mother making up her face, no doubt wondering what it was all about. When it came to the time for the application of the lipstick the small girl could contain herself no longer.

"What do you put all that on your face for, Mummie?" she asked.

"Mummie puts it on to make her look pretty," came the reply.

"Then why doesn't it?" asked the small girl innocently.

And there was the Indian rope trick performer who was discharged from the navy because every time he climbed the rigging he disappeared.

A Hollywood actress was shredding a reputation at a night club. She stopped back-biting long enough to order a chicken sandwich and a glass of milk.

"Wouldn't you," asked a friend of the victim, "prefer the milk in a saucer?"

"What are seasoned troops?" asked the bright young thing on her first visit to an army camp. To which the new recruit replied: "Oh, they are mustered by the sergeant and peppered by the enemy."

Teacher: "Tommy, why is your composition on milk only half a page when I asked for two pages?"

Tommy: "Well, you see, I wrote about condensed milk."

The teacher was explaining the meaning of the word "recuperate" to young Tommy.

"When your father has been working hard all day, he is tired and worn out, isn't he?"

"Yes, miss."

"Then, when night comes and his work is over, what does he do?"

"That's what mother wants to know," Tommy replied.

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Boy: She swallowed it.

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HOW CAN I?

Q. How can I give a creamy appearance to chocolate frosting?

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Q. How can I make a good supper dish that can be quickly prepared in an emergency?

A. Slice cold boiled ham thick enough so that it will not break apart when handled. Spread mustard on each piece and then place in it a tablespoon of baked beans. Roll and fasten with toothpicks, then bake for ten minutes in hot oven.

Q. How can I make the carpet sweeper more efficient?

A. When cleaning the carpet sweeper, remove the brush and after taking off all hair and lint, rub it well with a cloth wet in kerosene. Let the brush remain in the air until the odor has evaporated.

Q. How can I dry bed clothing if water has been spilled on it when attending someone who is ill?

A. It can be very quickly dried by slipping a hot water bag filled with very hot water between the covers over the wet spot.

Q. How can I make it easy to find the electric light switch at night?

A. Touch the electric light buttons with a little luminous paint, and they will easily be seen in the darkness.

What Science Is Doing

Hungry people live longest—if the are not too hungry, Edwin Teale writes in Popular Science Monthly. A diet that contains all essentials in reduced quantities is, next to long-lived ancestors, the greatest aid to longevity. This is the conclusion of eight years of pioneer experiments with more than 2,500 white rats by Dr. Clive M. McCay, working under a grant of the Rockefeller Foundation at Cornell University.

White rats react to diet in the same manner as humans. Roughly ten days in the life of a rat is equal to one year in the life of a man. All the rats were fed a basal diet, but those receiving only half rations lived longest. The reduced diet slowed down bodily activities. There were fewer white corpuscles in the blood stream, and the animals' hearts beat only three hundred times a minute instead of the four hundred beats of the well-fed rat.

Living more slowly, saving energy, they lived longer. The Methuselah of the laboratory was an underfed rodent with a life span of 1,430 days—proportionately 143 years for a man.

To find if excess in one kind of food shortened life more than excess in other kinds, Dr. McCay fed one group of middle-age rats excess sugar, another starch, a third whole-milk powder, and a fourth liver. All four over-fed groups lived approximately the same length of time. All died much sooner than they would have if they had continued on short rations. Over eating, no matter what, works against a long life.

Dr. McCay could find no "longevity foods". Nor could he find that a high protein diet shortened the span of life. He thus sums up his findings: "Eat what you ought to eat first; then eat what you want to eat—but not too much of it."



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WORK WITH FEAR OF DEVIL

It would be an excellent thing if every Canadian were to cut out and place in a prominent position in his home or office Mr. Gordon's declaration that total war will remain for most of us an empty platitude "until we are seized with the sense of terrible urgency, until we all go to work with the fear of the devil himself driving us forward; until we are ready to sacrifice in the flame of a true understanding patriotism all the selfish advantages of class, position and property. Until that time, until we and the other democracies who are still in the fight do that, we shall neither deserve nor achieve the victory that we so confidently assume must be ours."

—Montreal Star

BRITONS AT WORK

Almost half of Great Britain's 45,000,000 people are either in the armed forces or working on munitions; her war production now equals that of Germany; her construction of new naval tonnage is four times that of prewar days; she is building merchant ships at the rate of 1,100,000 tons a year, and the Royal Air Force now exceeds Germany's both in size and quality. John Bull is sweating, but he is far from exhausted.

—Hamilton Spectator

LAMENT

"A spirit of defeatism has swept over part of the country since razor blade rationing bobbed up among the restrictions that now are being applied or projected. Men who since the start of the war have been fancying themselves as the backbone of the nation are succumbing to a wave of mental depression, and already are mumbling some brave nothings through their anticipated whiskers."

—Windsor Star

ONE RAY OF HOPE

An aviation expert says that neither side in this conflict can build warships as fast as aviation can destroy them from the skies. Looks as if the day of the great navies is gone. The encouraging part of it is that no country in the world can build planes as fast as the United States when it gets going.

—Chatham News

LAUNDRY LANGUAGE

"They say Chinese laundrymen on the West coast, north and south, have adopted a scorched shirt policy towards their Japanese customers."

—Woodstock Sentinel-Review

COMPLICATIONS

Any incursion of Japs in India would merely complicate the caste system, as a place would have to be found below the untouchables for the unspeakables.

—Stratford Beacon-Herald

SPRING TIPS

Labeling the garden helps you to remember what it is that isn't coming up.

—Ottawa Citizen

In The Garden

By GORDON L. SMITH

Big Vegetable Garden

A good big vegetable garden is both patriotic and commonsense in wartime. Provided he is willing to devote all his spare time to it, one person can handle a quarter acre of vegetable garden and grow more than enough vegetables to keep a family the year round. But a quarter of an acre is a big garden.

As a matter of fact, all experienced gardeners advocate a small, well cultivated plot in preference to one larger and receiving less care. If the original digging is followed promptly and regularly with from two to four thorough cultivations, about a week to ten days apart, the weeds will get discouraged.

Leave Wet Soil Alone

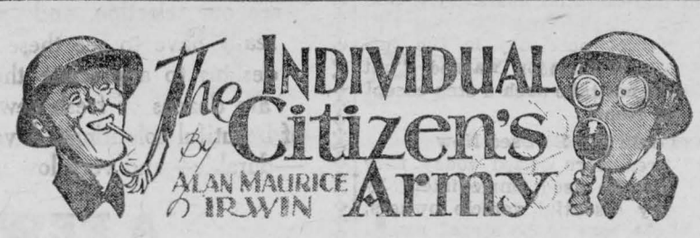
Nothing is to be gained from working soil before it is ready. In fact with heavy ground, according to garden authorities, too early digging is about the worst possible thing one can do. Not only is it a messy job, in the first place, but the sticky clay is quite likely to bake later into hard lumps, suitable perhaps for temporary building material, but not for growing flowers and vegetables.

One should curb the natural impulse to be out digging in early Spring and wait until the surface water has completely disappeared and one can walk and work in the garden without getting the shoes muddy. When the soil reaches this stage it is fit to work, and not before. Good garden soil in the right working condition crumbles and breaks into fine, tiny pieces; it does not pack into lumps.

WHO SAID WE WOODEN HAVE BIKES?



Two Los Angeles youngsters demonstrate a bicycle built of wood to meet the shortage of bikes. Three metal bolts hold the vehicle together and it runs on tires of reclaimed rubber.



A Weekly Column About This and That in The Canadian Army

Well, when Col. Ralston got back to Ottawa recently and announced the formation of groups of "Rangers" on the Pacific Coast he rather changed the complexion of this column. Or, perhaps it would be more truthful to say that he set this columnist's thinkbox working in a new and less circumscribed channel.

The Individual Citizen's Army today isn't all uniformed in khaki. It consists of—or should consist of—all of us.

A year ago last Christmas His Majesty, King George, said, "We are all in the front line." At that time, I'm afraid, most of us thought of that statement as being applied to the citizens of Great Britain. Somewhat complacently, too, we laid the flattering unction to our souls that the King also included our little purchase of War Savings Certificates and Victory Bonds as our front line contribution.

Today there are many branches of the Individual Citizen's Army in which all of us may serve in one way or another: men, women and children; old soldiers, young soldiers, men who are exempt from military service.

I don't like that term, "exempt from military service." Not one of us is, or can be, exempt. So, for the purpose of this column let's translate the phrase to mean, "exempt from legal compulsion to serve."

To follow the biblical injunction that, "the last shall be first," let's look at the opportunities for service offering themselves to old soldiers, young soldiers and the legally exempt. For them the Reserve Army offers the ideal opportunity to serve in two ways—as a soldier preparing himself for home defence if that should become necessary, and, you heard what Prime Minister King said on the radio,—as a producing citizen continuing his ordinary tasks.

No need to go into detail about this—it has all been in the daily papers recently—but there is no doubt that once the new set-up gets well under way the men who jump at the opportunity of spending 45 evenings, 10 week-ends and 15 days (in camp) learning the ways of a modern army will have an interesting and useful spare time occupation that will stand them in good stead if it has to become a full time job.

"Sam" Browne, usually known in print as Major-General B. W. Browne, D.S.O., M.C., has been named commander of the Reserve Army and he has had a long acquaintance with the problems of a part time militia. In peace time that is a heart-breaking job—it will be simpler now that authority has been given to equip the Reserve Army with modern guns, weapons, equipment and training facilities.

You know the classes who are eligible? Let's repeat them. Men between 35 and 50, men between 17 and 19 who will thus be able to fit themselves for active service before they reach service age and men who are not subject to conscription by reason of their occupations or for other legitimate reasons.

Before this column gets too long let's look briefly at the expansion of the Individual Citizen's Army. This is an army now in which abstention from buying another pair of shoes if half-soles will do is the equivalent of a clip of machine-gun bullets. It is an army we all belong to and in which we can all fight.

It is an army that trains us all to do all we can for the defence of our country or for attack on the Axis.

It is an army in which the physical training necessitated by doffing an elastic girdle will result in a stronger race of women who will be ready for any tasks war may impose as well as the conservation of rubber for war purposes.

Not very romantic? War hasn't been romantic since the days of knights in armour — and if we knew the truth it probably wasn't very romantic then.

Solves Gas Problem

Bill Pinch, Hardgravel Mountain farmer, has a solution to gasoline rationing. It's his four-year-old steer, "Bossy," which he hitches to an old-time buggy for the five-mile trip to town.

When someone commented on the slowness of the rig, Bill replied, " 'Bossy' just acts sedate in town. You should see him on the way home. He does a good five miles an hour."

Nazis To Conscript Greeks For Service

All males in Greece between the ages of 16 and 60 are liable to compulsory military or other service for the German authorities, an Exchange Telegraph said in a dispatch from the British island of Cyprus in the Eastern Mediterranean.

DESTROYER RATING

by Wm. Howard Pugsley

Our destroyer carries a proud ship's company.

They have a right to be proud. A year ago a torpedo ripped into the forward part of the ship's hull, blowing away the bow, but her crew kept the ship afloat and brought her safely into port where the damage could be repaired.

Then she went back to her convoy job.

Recently, this same destroyer ran into a hurricane while homeward bound. Battered and leaking, her boats smashed and her life-rafts gone, short of provisions and fuel, and her crew exhausted, she still came through and steamed smartly into her base port.

Not a man had been lost overboard in the storm, nor even anyone seriously injured.

How many of our O.D.'s (ordinary seamen) newly come to the ship and for whom this had been their first introduction to the real meaning of life at sea, how many of them longed for a draft on shore after this experience? Not one.

The complement of a destroyer is about three times that of a corvette or minesweeper. We carried eight officers and one hundred and sixty-six ratings.

Most of the O.D.'s were new in our ship. During the shore refit, many of the old crew, now rated A.B.'s (able-bodied seamen) had been drafted off, some to leaven with their experience the crews of new ships just commissioning, others to take courses to qualify for higher specialist ratings.

As replacements, a flock of "jeeps", ordinary seamen who had just finished their shore trimming, had been drafted aboard.

All of these lads were young, keen, willing, enthusiastic, hard-working and ready for anything. Never, even under the most trying circumstances — of which there were many—were they anything but cheerful.

The "fore lower" is where you begin your life at sea in a destroyer. As it is so far for'd and so far down in the hull, the motion of the ship is very pronounced.

Because this location is so un-"de luxe", it is reserved for the least important of all ratings, the O.D.'s. When you've done your nine months, (including the four month seatime), and can pass professionally in the things a seaman must know, you too will be rated "A.B.", and graduate to the more spacious upper mess deck.

When I first went on board, I, too, was asigned to the "fore lower", being an ordinary seaman.

The first ten days after I joined the ship were spent in harbor. During this period we worked about the ship in the morning and afternoons, and were allowed ashore two or three nights out of four, depending on how the watches were being run. We turned out each morning at 6.30, lashed and stowed hammocks, sat down to breakfast at seven, and fell in for work at eight.

All the seamen ratings, that is those who worked principally on the upper deck, then mustered in the waist of the ship, along the port and starboard sides.

The "Buffer"—a petty officer whose official status was that of Bos'n's Mate—mounted the walkway over the torpedo tubes, called us to attention and reported us all present to the First Lieutenant, who then gave the Buffer any special instructions he might have regarding work he wanted done.

Make no mistake, they could always find something for you to do, and when you had done it you were supposed to come back and ask for more. Otherwise you were liable to be "run in" on a charge of "skulking", that is, not working.

Other ships, then on convoy assignments, freguently did a month or more at sea, broken only by a day on one side refuelling and at most three to four days in port at the other side while waiting for another convoy. Sometimes they didn't get more than a day at either end of the trip—and only a few hours shore leave.

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THE WAR - WEEK — Commentary on Current Events

British Mission To India Fails Nazi Demands Reinstate Laval

Indian leaders rejected Great Britain's plan for self-rule and co-operation in the war effort. The plan brought from England by Sir Stafford Cripps met its defeat on the question of India's defence. Great Britain contended that this responsibility should rest in experienced British hands: the all-Indian Congress leaders held that the responsibility was India's.

United Against Invaders

It is considered that, although Sir Stafford Cripps' mission to India has failed in its main objective, its work has not been wasted. The discussions which were held drew together the various units of India, and their leaders expressed determination to resist "to the death" the invasion that appeared imminent. Volunteers rushed to join the armed services and work in Indian munition plants and shipbuilding yards was speeded up.

Even Mohandas Gandhi, arch-Pacifist, pledged himself to complete passive resistance against the Japanese and said: "I and my followers will refuse any help, even water, for the Japanese even if it should cost us our lives."

Importance of India

Great Britain may make a new declaration of Indian policy soon in the hope of getting India fully aroused to the danger of the Japanese menace. For the United Nations the loss of India would mean the collapse of their defenses throughout the Far East; for Japan a land road would be opened to a possible juncture with Germany in the Middle East.

India is vital to the United Nations: (1) as a barrier to the westward march of the Japanese, and (2) as a growing source of war supplies and vast manpower. Without India the war may well be prolonged for years.

Epic of Bataan

The whole world of free men will join in paying tribute to the magnificent stand made by American and Filipino troops in the Philippine Islands. They have written a chapter of stubborn heroism that will never be forgotten.

The delaying action in the Philippines has been of the utmost importance to the Allies and may have altered the whole course of the Pacific War. It has kept a large force of Japanese assault troops tied up which might have been used for striking at Australia before the defenses there were ready.

But the fall of Bataan means that now the enemy will be able to divert a large body of troops to the Battle of Burma and to the projected attack on India. The Japanese position is thus materially improved and is further strengthened by the British loss of two battle cruisers and an aircraft carrier off India's East Coast.

Laval Reinstated

The sudden dramatic shift that brings Pierri Laval back into power as "Chief of the Government of France", can only mean, according to the New York Times, that Hitler is through with halfway measures and ready to take personal command. Petain remains as "Chief of State", but there cannot be much doubt that he now becomes a figurehead. Laval is a traitor to France and is Hitler's creature and his accession to power is the opening signal for Hitler's Spring offensive.

Hitler is about to make a supreme effort to win the war in an all-out drive for victory, and for that drive he must have all the power he can muster among the conquered nations of Europe. He evidently expects to get from Laval that aid which Petain had refused to give.

Game With France Ended

Hitler's long and cruel game of cat-and-mouse with France is ended. For nearly two years—with intrigue, bribery, cajolery, displays of German military power—Hitler has sought to win over the people of France. In that effort he has failed and failed so utterly that in order to achieve his will in France he has put into power a renegade Frenchman who is hated and despised by his own countrymen. The proof is clear that France has rejected Hitler.

U. S. Attitude

It will become necessary now for the government of the United States to consider whether it will still attempt to maintain relations with Petain's successor or whether it will break off those relations. Much is at stake. Not only is the status of the French fleet and French bases uncertain, but there would be deep concern if France should turn over Madagascar to the Japanese and permit the use of her colonial bases by Axis submarines.

French Control Gone

With Hitler's new agent in power it becomes impossible to believe that any part of continental France will remain under the effective control of French authorities. No one can be better aware of this than the great masses of the French people, the Times says.

Through two long years of bitter misery and immense danger they have rejected Hitler's advances, only to have Hitler's creature forced upon them in the end. That they hope passionately for Hitler's destruction we may be sure. That we shall fight until we have achieved his destruction they may be certain.

Canada To Issue War Time Stamps

Canada will soon have an entirely new set of postage stamps illustrating her part in the war.

"These stamps are in necessary replacement of those at present current throughout Canada and will depict Canada's war effort and the contribution being made by this country to the cause of the United Nations," Hon. W. P. Mulock, Postmaster-General, said.

The new stamps are expected to be available sometime in July but Post Office officials meantime ask that philatelists refrain from sending in requests for them.

Details of the designs will be announced shortly, officials said.

Some of the stamps, it is understood, will bear new portraits of King George, in uniform. On others will be pictures illustrative of various phases of Canada's part in the war.

REG'LAR FELLERS—A Bad Break — By GENE BYRNES



Presbyterian W. M. S. Meetings

The April meeting of Knox Presbyterian W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. D. K. Stewart, the president in the chair.

There was a good attendance, the Easter message being included in a review of the "Glad Tidings" magazine, up to that date. The devotional exercises were taken by Mrs. Golden and Mrs. Holliday.

MARCH MEETING

The March meeting, held at the Manse, was also well attended, with fourteen present. The devotional exercises were taken by Mrs. Brodie and Mrs. Merkley. The study, the third in the series, was taken by Mrs. Jones. A report of an executive meeting at Prescott, given by Mrs. Brodie, concluded the meeting.

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Claims Saluting Carried Too Far Wants It Abolished

Abolition of saluting except on parade was advocated by T. L. Church (Con., Toronto-Broadview) during discussion of army matters under the War Appropriations Bill resolution in the House of Commons Wednesday.

He said he had seen seasoned veterans of actual combat having to salute newly appointed women officers and others on Toronto streets.

"I was with a young soldier last Saturday night who had been 36 times over Germany", Mr. Church said. "These are the young men who have been doing the fighting.

"Why should young soldiers in the Air Force and the other forces, like this young gentleman, have to a'ute a lot of people who are nothng but glorified civilians?

"I am not here to criticize any man wearing the King's uniform, but I do suggest that the saluting business is carried too far and except on parade, it might well be abolished."

There was no reply from Defence Minister Ralston who was being questioned on army affairs.

To Give Statement On Relations With Vichy Gov't

Prime Minister Mackenzie King promised the House of Commons yesterday that he would make a statement next Tuesday on the question of future relations between Canada and the Vichy government.

Mr. King was replying to a question from Hon. Grote Stirling (Con., Yale) who asked if it were true that that the South African Government had broken off relations with Vichy, and what would be done about the Vichy Legation and its Minister in Ottawa.

Mr. King said it was quite true that South Africa had broken off relations with Vichy. Such action, he said, was always a serious and regretful matter.

"It is doubly regretful in the case of countries which have been so closely related for centuries as have Canada and France, he said.

At a time of war it was necessary to consider what effect severance of relations would have with Canada's allies, Mr. King said, and the Government had felt it adviseable that there should be a complete exchange of views with the United Kingdom and the United States before any decision was reached by Canada.

These exchanges of views had not yet been concluded but the Prime Minister said he expected to be in a position to make a full statement on Tuesday next.

Alex Walker Urges All Canadians To Vote 'Yes'

Compromise and procrastination, defended in the name of national unity, have characterized Canada's war effort to far too great an extent, said Alex Walker, Dominion President of the Canadian Legion, in a prepared statement issued at Legion headquarters in Ottawa.

"The time has come," Mr. Walker said to strip away the trappings and frivolities of peace. More plowshares must be beaten into swords, and the entire nation must be girded for an all-out war of survival. On behalf of 200,000 veterans of the First Great War, I urge all Canadians to vote 'Yes' on Plebiscite Day, and so make our Government feel free to wage war with the full support of a truly united nation."

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More Drastic Tire Restrictions Being Drafted

RUBBER NOW FROM PLEASURE CARS NOT COMMANDEERING

New regulations for the restriction of dealings in tires and tubes are now being drafted, Allan H. Williamson, Controller of Supplies, Department of Munitions and Supply, revealed yesterday.

Designed to provide sufficient tires and tubes for vehicle owners whose needs are vital to the war program, the new regulations will be more drastic than any previous tire regulations. They do not however, call for the commandeering of tires and tubes from the cars of the so-called non-essential users. "We cannot rule out the posibility that this step may be necessary in the future", Mr. Williamson warned, "but we would not take such a step except as a last resort.

Could Not Be Used Now

"If tires were seized today they could not be used immediately by the really essential vehicle owners, and would have to be stored away.. Tires not properly stored deteriorate almost as rapidly as tires in moderate use, so no good purpose would have been served by the seizure."

The Controller pointed out that tires with very little mileage left in them will still be salvageable even if they remain on the road.

For two or more decades this continent has been rolling on rubber. "It is virtually impossible and certainly not efficient, to fall back on a more primitive means of transportation when the need for getting about with a reasonable degree of rapidity is greater than ever before", the Controller added.

Duty of Motorists

"So that our tempo may not be slowed down, and so that still greater pressure on our already overburdened public transportation systems may be avoided, as many cars as possible must be kept on the road. For his own sake, and for the sake of the war programme, it is the duty of every motorist to conserve his tires as long as possible."

ROWENA

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Marcellus, also Mrs. Jay Bailey and daughter, Marilyn of Winchester Springs spent Tuesday in Cornwall.

Miss Olive Seeley of Cardinal spent the week end at her home here.

Miss Phyllis MacDonald spent the week end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sutton of Johnstown.

Mrs. L'Acyeur has returned to her home in Ottawa after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Garlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Glover, also Mr. and Mrs. Basil Glover of Haddo had tea with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie Seeley on Sunday evening.

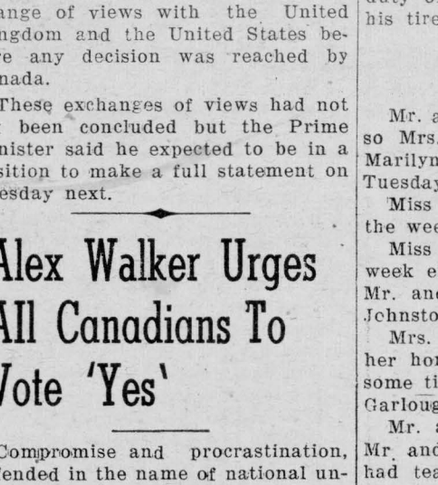
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller of Toyes' Hill spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. William Miller and Tommy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Casselman spent one day recently with Mrs. Nellie Merkley and Mr. and Mrs. Rae Merkley of Dunbar.

Mrs. Edna Miller and Mrs. Jimmie Miller and son Lorne of Haddo spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. William Miller and Tommy.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Seeley and Eleanor called on Mr. and Mrs. Berton Seeley of Cardinal on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Casselman visited one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Donald McIntosh of Elma.



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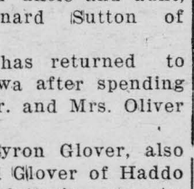

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7 p.m.—Divine Worship.
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Our Correspondents:

AULTSVILLE

Messrs. John Cross and Arthur Ault of Petawawa Training Camp spent the week end at their respective homes here.

Mrs. Ernie Gooch visited her brother, Harold Froats and Mrs. Froats in Belleville last week.

Mrs. Guy Strader of Williamsburg called on relatives here on Monday last.

Della Wells of Ottawa spent the week end with her mother.

George Rice of Wales was a business caller here on Friday.

Verna Heagle of Iroquois visited her mother over the week end.

George Weagant and daughter, Lois of Archer, called on Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cheley on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Baker and Miss Morgan who spent the winter in Toronto, have returned home.

Mrs. Art Dafoe and Miss Minnie Dafoe spent a few days in Quebec last week.

Mrs. Black of Morrisburg called on Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Marcellus on Monday.

Ardeen Beckstead of Cornwall training camp is home on leave.

Judging by the small crowd at the Red Cross work rooms on Tuesday, we think the ladies are busy with the spring housecleaning.

Mrs. Burk and children spent a couple of days in Cornwall with her mother.

Mrs. Morley Warner of Osnabruck Center spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bowman, Gallingertown.

Miss Bertha Gallinger called on Mrs. Etta French Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamell of Massena, N.Y., visited Mrs. Etta French and Mr. John Crites on Thursday.

Mr. Russell Brownell of Wales has been busily engaged hauling wood to Crysler for Mr. Fred Gallinger, Gallingertown.

Mr. Andrew Dawson of Newington was in Farran's Point on Sunday. evening.

CEDAR GROVE

Raymond Dafoe of Cardinal spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. Clarence Dafoe Massena, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Dafoe and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dafoe. Robert Dafoe accompanied him home to spend a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McConnell spent Tuesday in Cornwall and visited their daughter, Mrs. Garnet Gallinger.

Mrs. Reuben Gallinger, Bush Glen visited Mrs. Lillie Dafoe Tuesday.

Mrs. Harvey Dillabough, Mrs. Fred Dafoe, Mrs. Lillie Dafoe attended the Red Cross executive meeting held at Osnabruck Centre Monday afternoon.

Williamsburg News

Miss Nettie Hill of the staff of Cambridge St., Ottawa was a recent visitor with Miss Cora Trickey and Mrs. Bowman.

After spending the winter months at Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., George W. Strader spent last week at his home here with Mrs. Strader and family. He left this week for Toronto to resume his duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Forward are spending two weeks visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Wallace Johnson and Mr. Johnson at Ticonderoga, N.Y.

Mr. L. Clifford McIntosh made a business trip to Montreal last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McLatchie and daughters, Enid, Elaine and Carolyn Elena, of Cornwall, Mrs. Milton Barkley and sons Carl and Dale of Dundela, were recent guests at Arnprior with Mrs. Fred S. McMillan and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lenser and infant son, Blaine Frederick.

Miss Betty McIntosh of Winchester Springs was a recent guest in town with Miss Estrel Swerdfeger..

The many friends of Mrs. Byrtle Hess will be pleased to learn that after being a patient in the St. Lawrence Sanatorium, Cornwall for the past two years, she is much improved in health. Mrs. Hess is spending some time at Brinston with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Douglas Locke.

Congratulations and good wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Henophy, who celebrated the 18th anniversary of their marriage on Friday, April 10th. To celebrate, the couple were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Angus B. Strader at a nicely arranged six o'clock dinner.

Mrs. Guy Strader motored to Wales on Monday where she visited at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Harry Morgan and Mr. Morgan.

Friends here are sorry to learn that Perry Hess had the misfortune to break his arm last week.

Grenville Newlands of Ottawa was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Barkley and Miss Evalene Barkley, R. N.

Little George Bruce Strader, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip B. Strader of Smith's Falls was a guest for a few days last week at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hill, while his parents were visiting with friends at Syracuse and other points in New York State.

Paul Clancy of Toronto spent the week end in town with Mrs. M. W. Locke and family.

Cpl. Gerald Norval, R. C. O. C., returned to London after spending two weeks leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Norval.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hawkshaw and Thelma of Cornwall, enroute from Vernon on Sunday were guests at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Casselman and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Beckstead were guests last Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Cephus Smyth and Mr. Smyth.

Mrs. R. C. Casselman was a guest for a six o'clock dinner on Friday last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. D. Beckstead and family.

Misses Ruth Beckstead and Marion Loucks have resumed their studies at the Ottawa Normal School after teaching for a week in local schools.

Mr. Harold Moulds has returned to his home in Ottawa after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Loucks.

L.A.C. Glen S. Ferguson, Malton, spent the week end with Mrs. Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Trickey.

Sgt. Keith Saddlemire, R.C.A.F., Trenton, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merton Saddlemire.

Many friends will join in congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Saddlemire, of Williamsburg, who will celebrate the 55th anniversary of their marriage on Sunday, April 26th. They were married on April 26th, 1887 at the Presbyterian Manse, Morrisburg by Rev. E. Bayne. All hope they will live to enjoy many more years of happiness and health.

The Collegiate Boys' Quartette—Gordon Louden, Robert Loucks, C. Blancher and Donald McIntosh, accompanied by Miss Barbara Finnie of Morrisburg, were enjoyed at the several delightful selections rendered at a supper gathering sponsored by the managers of the Williamsburg United Church last Friday night. Several numbers rendered by Miss Evalene Barkley with Mrs. R. A. Merkley as accompanist were also enjoyed.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. Herbert Wallace, accompanied by Geo. Warren of Glen Stewart attended the sessions of the Grand Orange Lodge held in Cobourg on Wednesday and Thursday and on Thursday evening called on Mr. and Mrs. George Peebles of Colborne, parents of Rev. A. Peebles, minister of the United Church here.

The W. A. met at the home of Mrs. S. R. Hamilton on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Crowder and family and Ivan Crowder spent Saturday evening in Kemptville.

Mr. Delbert Murdock of Montreal spent the week end at his home here

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Conley, Mr. Percy Gilmer of Prescott spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Seeley of Rowena spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Minnie Gilmer.

Mr. Chester Gilmer of Hyndman spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs Herbert Wallace attended the funeral of the infant son of Corp. and Mrs. Johnson Fader held at the home of Mr. and Mrs.. Arnold Fader on Sunday.

Mr. Harvey Brown of Gananoque was an overnight caller at Melvin Crowder's on Saturday night.

Mr. Earl McKercher of Prescott called on his father here on Sunday.

GALLINGERTOWN, WEST

Callers at the home of Charlie McNairn on Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Hart of Archer and Harold Anderson, Second Concession, Aultsville.

Teddy McNairn and Hubert Gallinger were in Morrisburg on Saturday evening.

Miss Fern Gallinger and Miss Marion Anderson, Ottawa spent the week end with the former's father, Reuben Gallinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Vincent and Garfield Vincent of Massena were calling on friends here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geick and Miss Florence Collins, of Montreal spent the week end with Mr.. and Mrs. Andrew Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Elburn Crites and baby, Aultsville, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Swerdfeger.

Rev. F. G. Strange, Aultsville was a guest at Andrew Collins' on Sunday.

Mrs. Clifford Gallinger and baby Paul spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Gow.

George Gow, Hoasic and Clifford Gallinger were in Aultsville on Saturday.

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EVERY CANADIAN CITIZEN IS HEREBY ADVISED:

(1) THAT a Proclamation of the Governor in Council dated the 9th day of March, 1942, ordered a plebiscite to be taken in every electoral district in Canada on the question set out in the ballot papers to be used thereat in the following words and form:

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(2) THAT the date fixed as polling day for the said plebiscite is Monday, the 27th day of April, 1942.

(3) THAT polls will be open in each polling division from 8 o'clock a.m. until 8 o'clock p.m. (daylight saving time).

(4) THAT new lists of voters have been specially prepared for the said plebiscite.

(5) THAT the said lists are what may be termed "open lists" which means that, in either urban or rural polling divisions, any qualified voter whose name has been omitted from same may vote on polling day in his polling division upon taking the required oath and upon being vouched for on oath by a voter whose name appears on the list of voters for such polling division.

(6) THAT National Registration Certificates are required to be produced by qualified urban voters whose names have been omitted from the lists of voters, and by those voters only, before being allowed to vote.

(7) THAT advance polls will be opened in the same localities and on the same conditions as at the last General Election.

(8) THAT, as a general rule, every person who has ordinarily resided in Canada during the last twelve months is entitled to vote at the said plebiscite if he is twenty-one years of age and a British subject.

(9) THAT voters will be entitled to vote in the polling division in which they were ordinarily residing on the 30th day of March last.

(10) THAT urban voters have been advised of the location of their polling stations on the notices left at their dwelling places by the enumerators.

(11) THAT rural voters have been notified in the Notice to Voters posted up in the post offices, and should have been verbally advised by the rural enumerators of the location of their polling stations.

(12) THAT, generally, polling stations for the said plebiscite will be established at or near the same premises as at the last General Election.

(13) THAT arrangements are being made to collect the results of the plebiscite on the evening of polling day as is done at a General Election.

(14) THAT every Canadian on active service or in training in any of His Majesty's forces or corps, within or without Canada, is entitled to vote at the plebiscite in advance of polling day by virtue of a special procedure provided.

Dated at Ottawa this 20th day of April, 1942.

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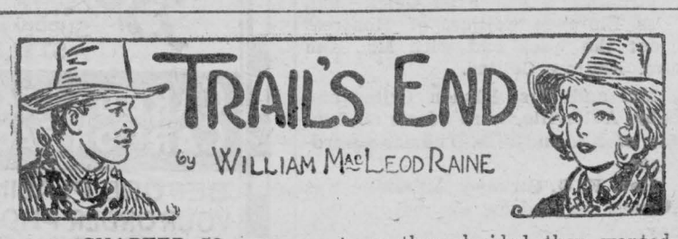

CHAPTER 52
What's The Game?

Caldwell had a .45 in his hand when he opened the door a few inches. "I'll take that letter, young fellow," he said.

Lamprey gave it to him. The door closed. Presently it opened again.

"Come in," Caldwell invited, the piercing eyes in the lean bony face fixed suspiciously on the messenger. "He says yore name is Lamprey. That right?"

"Yes." Jesse knew the voice in his chalky throat was dry.

"You a friend of his?"

Lamprey nodded. "We're neighbors."

"Hmp! He's got neighbors gone too friendly. Where was Red when he wrote this?"

"He was talking things over with his lawyer Stratton. Something came up about the letter; so they decided they wanted to read it again."

"Fine. I'll take it to him." Caldwell dragged on his boots.

"Red said you were to give the package to me," Jesse protested uneasily. "Didn't he write that in the letter?"

"Maybe he did, but I reckon I'll go along with you. The package ain't here, anyhow. I'll have to get it." The old cowpuncher disposed of the revolver where he could get it with the least delay. "Let's go."

The two men passed within ten feet of the tree where Roan Judson was concealed. As they did so Lamprey gave information to the Hat T gunman.

"You gimme the letters, Mr. Caldwell," he said. "That's all you have to do. I'll get them to Red. He doesn't want you to come along."

"Oh, I reckon he won't care." The mind of the old man was filled with doubts. "I was to give this to him personally, so I aim to do it." Caldwell spoke casually, but his eyes and ears were busy.

Lamprey Caught

They crossed the plaza and the saddler unlocked the door of his shop. He lit a lamp, then turned swiftly on the young man, eyes stabbing at him. "Who's the pilgrim with you on this?" he snapped.

"With me?" Jesse gasped.

"That's what I said. Think I don't know a guy followed us from my house and is waiting outside? You gave it away when you looked back. Come clean, fellow. What's the game?"

Lamprey was caught. The jaws of the trap were closing on him. If he betrayed the Hat T outfit, they would get him for it later. If he let Silcott die, the friends of Red would know he was in the plot. It was characteristic of him that he followed the line of least resistance and yielded to the immediate pressure. No doubt another factor influenced him. He was weak, but not a villain. There was an urgent impulse to save Silcott if he could.

His face was ashen, his lips bloodless. "They've got Red up in the hills and are going to kill him," he murmured.

Caldwell asked the most important question first. "Where have they got him?"

"At the old Sandoval ranch. They wanted these letters. He wouldn't talk and they beat him till he was senseless. Jud Prentiss did it. Orders from Russ Mosely. Then they caught my wife, Anne Eliot—and Red wrote this letter to you. It was Roan Judson followed us. They don't trust me." Lamprey's mouth trembled. "Roan is to kill me if I double-cross them."

Somebody knocked on the store door. Jesse leaned against a counter for support. "He's . . . there now."

Homer Caldwell padded to the door, the revolver ready for action. "Who is there?" he asked, his voice harsh and cold.

"Rufe Jelks and Pesky Kennedy. For God's sake, let us in. The Hat T outfit have got Red."

The oldtimer flung open the door. He wasted no time. "Where are yore horses?" he demanded.

"Outside here," Rufe answered. "Listen, Homer. Russ—"

Caldwell's voice rode down the other. "You listen. They've got Red at the old Sandoval ranch. Lamprey will take you there. Ride hell-for-leather if you want to find him alive." Abruptly he swung around on the messenger. "Got a gun?"

"No," quavered Lamprey. "They took mine from me."

"Caldwell thrust his .45 at him. "Here. Take this—and use it. I'll be with you boys soon as I can slap a saddle on a bronc. But don't wait for me."

"Roan Judson is outside," Jesse reminded him.

There came the clatter of a horses hoofs.

"No, sir," the old cowboy cried, his voice slipping to an excited falsetto. "He's lit out for the hide-out. Fork yore mounts, boys."

Already Rufe was running for the street. "Where's yore bronc, Jesse? We got to jump."

"In front of the Trail's End," Lamprey cried, at his heels.

They rode out of town on the gallop. Roan Judson was not far ahead of them, they knew.

Anne Makes Enquiries

Russell Mosely brought Anne to the lane which led to the Windom house.

"Have to leave you here," he said.

She slipped down from the saddle, a slim tired little figure, and looked up at him pitifully. "If you'll save Jim Silcott—from his enemies—I'll do anything in the world for you that I can."

Irritably he pushed her insistence from him. "I've told you half a dozen times I don't know where he is. Go home and sleep. He's all right, I expect. Bad pennies always turn up again."

He turned away abruptly and swung to the saddle.

Anne did not at once go home. She went across the plaza and then to the hotel. Not a soul was stirring in town. The road was deserted.

In the hotel lobby one lamp was lit. The night clerk was asleep, his lank body stretched over two chairs. Anne wakened him, to ask if Silcott had returned.

"No, ma'am, he hasn't showed up since six o'clock," he told her. "His friends were worrying about him considerable. I dunno why."

"What friends?" she asked.

"Those two cowpokes — Jelks and Kennedy." He was wondering what she was doing here. What right had any decent woman, young and good-looking, to be inquiring for a man at this time of night? Etched on her pale face was a desperate anxiety.

"Are they here now?" she inquired.

"No, ma'am. They went out looking for him. Quite a spell since."

"Did they say where they were going to look?"

Anne Cannot Understand

"No, they didn't. There was some trouble at the postoffice, some fellows trying to rob it. They left right after that. Then they came back and asked was Silcott here yet. When I said he wasn't they beat it again."

"If they come in will you please tell them I want to see them?" Anne said. "I'm staying with the Windoms, at the old Gandara house."

"Yes, ma'am, I sure will."

When Henrietta saw her friend's face she had not the heart to pour out on her all the accumulated reproaches she had been saving. She listened to Anne's story and took her into her arms.

"You poor sweet," she comforted. "Maybe it's not as bad as you think."

"Then why did Mr. Mosely drag me over the hills? What did he want with me? I can't make sense of it."

"Mr. Silcott's two friends were here," Henrietta explained. "When they saw the necktie they figured it out that this Mosely was using it as a kind of bait to get you to go with him. They thought Red, as they call him, had been captured by the Hat T gang and that Mosely was taking you to him in order to make him talk. But I guess they were wrong, since you did not see Mr. Silcott or any of the Mosely gang."

(Continued Next Week)

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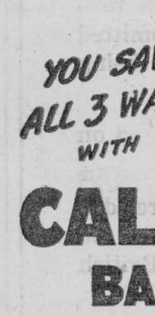

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Sugar Ration For Home Preserving

Ottawa Announces Amounts To Be Allowed for Canning

Special provisions for use of sugar in home preserving of fruits, forecast when the rationing order was put in effect last January, were announced by S. R. Noble, Sugar Administrator of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

In addition to the amount of sugar allowed under rationing regulations, any person may purchase such quantity of sugar as necessary for the household preserving, canning or making into jams and jellies of any fruits, subject to these provisions:

Purchases of sugar for preserving or canning shall be on the basis of one-half pound of sugar for every pound of fruit weight. All home canning or preserving by syrup method must be done in a light syrup, defined as syrup made of one part of sugar to two parts of water.

Purchases of sugar for jam or jelly are to be on the basis of three-quarters of a pound of sugar for every pound of fruit weight, and all homemade jams and jellies are to be preserved with three parts of sugar to four of fruit or juice.

The order does not apply to industrial users of sugar.

As sugar "has no preservative value in the curing or preserving of meats," it is provided that no person may hereafter purchase or otherwise acquire any sugar, other than that quantity already allowed under the rationing order, for the purpose of curing or preserving meats.

The normal sugar ration is three-quarters of a pound a week for each person.

Britain Training Glider Regiment

A War Office announcement March 24 on formation of an Army Air Corps gave Britons a new hint that their military leaders have carefully laid plans for streamlined offensive action against the Axis.

This newest unit in the nation's striking force, which one day will be used to sweep the enemy from occupied territory, includes a regiment of glider pilots whose existence was disclosed in the announcement which said all air-borne troops are being brought under one command.

British glider troops have not been in action yet, but for some time have been in training. They are not to be confused with parachute troops which have been used twice—once in Italy and again recently when the radio location station was destroyed at Bruneval, France.

Together, glider troops and parachute toops will make a team hard to stop, observers predicted.

Dutch Still Fight Japanese In Java

Two forces of considerable size still are battling the Japanese in Java, Lieutenant-Governor - General Hubertus Van Mook of the Netherlands East Indies told Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

The forces, under command of Generals Schilling and Pressman, are well supplied with food and munitions and should keep Japanese forces occupied for some time, Van Mook said.

The Netherlands official conferred at length with MacArthur on the role which the Indies are expected to play henceforth in the war in the Pacific.

Stitch Gay Pansies



by Laura Wheeler

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TABLE TALKS
By SADIE B. CHAMBERS

Requests

I have had requests accumulating for quite some weeks; therefore we will make this week's column a request number, and hope that all of you will be able to use some of the recipes.

Apricot Bavarian Cream

1½ tablespoons gelatine
¼ cup cold water
1 cup boiling apricot juice
½ cup sugar
Few grains salt
½ cup finely cut drained apricot pulp
1 teaspoon lemon juice
1 cup heavy cream
¼ cup drained canned crushed pineapple
⅔ cup slivered browned almonds

Soften the gelatine in cold water; add boiling apricot juice, salt and sugar; stir until sugar and gelatine are dissolved. Strain. Set aside to cool. Chill with occasional stirring until as thick as strained honey.

Prepare the apricot pulp; add lemon juice and pineapple. When gelatine mixture begins to set beat with an egg beater until frothy, then fold in prepared fruit, nuts and stiffly beaten cream. Pile lightly in dessert glasses or turn into wet moulds and chill until firm. Serve from dessert glasses or unmould on dessert plates.

Coffee Sponge

1 tablespoon granulated gelatine
¼ cup cold water
2 tablespoons lemon juice
¾ cup sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
2 egg whites
1½ cups strong boiled coffee

Soak gelatine in cold water and dissolve in hot coffee, add sugar, salt and lemon juice. Stir until sugar dissolves. Strain; then chill with occasional stirring until the mixture begins to thicken. Boil until frothy. Add egg whites; beat until stiff and continue beating until very well combined. Turn into mould that has been rinsed with cold water. Chill until firm, then unmould and serve with sweetened cream, whipped or plain.

For a Coffee Bavarian fold in 1 cup heavy cream, whipped, instead of the egg whites. In this case additional coffee may replace lemon juice, and ½ teaspoon vanilla may be added.

Brown Sugar Cookies

2 cups brown sugar
1 cup melted shortening
3 eggs
¼ cup milk
1 tablespoon vanilla
1 teaspoon soda
Flour to mix stiff

Mix ingredients in order given. Add just enough flour to roll. (Sift soda with flour). Cut into shapes as desired. Sprinkle with brown sugar and bake in moderate oven.

Miss Chambers welcomes personal letters from interested readers. She is pleased to receive suggestions on topics for her column, and is vn ready to listen to your :ipet peeves." Requests for recipes or special menus are in order. Address your letters to "Miss Sadie B. Chambers, 73 West Adelaide Street, Toronto." Send stamped self-addressed envelope if you wish a reply.

Oil Taking Toll Of Wild Birds

Oil from tankers and other craft sunk in naval warfare in the Atlantic is taking its toll of North American bird life.

Observers along the coast report that increasing numbers of waterfowl and sea birds are being washed ashore dead or in dying condition. The oil from sunken vessels or submarines comes to the surface and floats for days in calm patches or slicks, often extending over wide areas.

The birds alight on the oil-calmed water and once their plumages become saturated with oil they are unable to fly and have to drift helplessly until cold or starvation brings death.

Eleven hundred feet under the city of Detroit is a 160-acre salt mine.

GOOD EATING NEWS

Tastiest, most tempting of all bread puddings is a new one made with bran, bread cubes and chips of semi-sweet chocolate. After the batter is mixed the remaining chips are sprinkled over the top and the whole business is baked. Served warm with cream or top milk it's a dessert to be remembered! Directions follow:

All-Bran Chocolate Chip Pudding

2 cups bread cubes, without crusts
½ cup All-Bran
3 eggs
½ cup sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
3 cups milk
3 squares semi-sweet chocolate
½ teaspoon vanilla extract

Place bread and All-Bran in buttered baking dish. Cut chocolate into coarse pieces and sprinkle half of it over bread cubes. Beat eggs, add sugar, salt, milk and flavoring. Pour over bread; sprinkle remaining chocolate over top. Set baking dish in pan of hot water and bake in moderate oven (325°F.) for 1 hour.

Yield: 6 to 8 servings.

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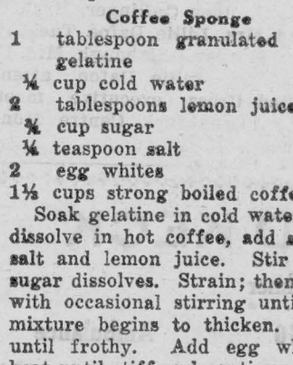

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON 17

Wayside Conversations — Luke 13:22-35

GOLDEN TEXT. — **Whosoever doth not bear his own cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple.** Luke 14:27.

THE LESSON IN ITS SETTING

Time—November, A.D. 29.

Place—Perea.

Who Will Be Saved?

22. "And he went on his way through cities and villages, teaching and journeying on unto Jerusalem." Through these towns and villages he had sent the seventy in advance and he was on the way through them now preaching as he went along.

23 (a). "And one said unto him. Lord are they few that are saved?" Why this question was asked at this time we do know, but we do know that every believer in Jesus Christ will be saved.

23 (b). And he said unto them, 24. Strive to enter in by the narrow door; for many, I say unto you, shall seek to enter in, and shall not be able" Jesus does not answer the question asked because the answer is not one that He desires man to have, but He does speak of the more important problem, raised by this very question, namely, are we ourselves saved?.

Acting Too Late

25. "When once the master of the house is risen up, and hath shut to the door, and ye begin to stand without, and to knock at the door, saying, 'Lord, open to us,' and He shall answer and say to you, I know you not who ye are. 26. then shall ye begin to say. We did eat and drink in thy presence, and thou didst teach in our streets." In its application to salation, this does not imply that there are any people in the world, whom Jesus does not know about, but there are great multitudes whom Jesus does not know as His own. The Lord does not know these people because they have never come to him before. They did not accept salvation when it was offered, and now, the time being over for salvation, they have no right to His hospitality.

Without A Saviour

27. "And he shall say, I tell you I know not whence ye are, depart from me, all ye workers of iniquity." Inasmuch as salvation is from Christ alone, when He says he does not know one, that means that person is without a Saviour. Inwardly the worker of iniquity is separated from Jesus, and, at last, the outward relation will be adjusted to the inward, and departure from Him will be inevitable and that is ruin.

28. "There shall be the weeping and the gnashing of teeth, when ye shall see Abraham, and Isaac, and Jacob, and all the prophets, in the kingdom of God, and yourselves cast forth without." Here is the fate of those barred out, presented with the greater intensity because contrasted with the lot of the blessed. It is certain that the damned shall know fully of the joys of the blessed, and worse still, that they, too but for themselves, might be in the midst of those joys.

Judgment Reversed

29. "And they shall come from the east and west, and from the north and south, and shall sit down in the kingdom of God. 30. And behold, there are last who shall be first, and there are first who shall be last." Whatever be the number of those who are in the way of salvation, that which concerns us is that we should without delay secure a place among them.

31. "In that very hour there came certain Pharisees, saying to him, Get thee out, and go hence: for Herod would fain kill thee." Jesus was in Perea, and therefore within the dominions of Herod. It is impossible to say whether the message was sent by Herod or was invented by the Pharisees.

Christ's Mission

32(a). "And he said unto them, Go and say to that fox, Behold, I cast out demons and perform cures to-day and to-morrow." Here the fox is used as a symbol of craftiness. Jesus saw the inner heart of Herod and therefore when he described him as a fox, he spoke the word of righteousness and of truth. It was not an epithet; it was a character in a word.

32(b). "And the third day I am perfected. 33. Nevertheless I must go on my way today and tomorrow and the day following: for it cannot be that a prophet perish out of Jerusalem." Christ did not resign his functions, he did not decline to go on with his work. He said, I work in the name of God and for the good of mankind, and I must not be stopped. If we had more of that spirit we should all do more work in the world.

34. "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, that killeth the prophets, and stoneth them that are sent unto her! how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her own brood under her wings, and ye would not! 35. Behold, your house is left unto you desolate: and I say unto you, ye shall not see me, until ye shall say, Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord." One of the inexplicable features of divine love is that, in spite of the infallible foreknowledge that all will be in vain, its call and effort to save never ceases till the very end. When Jerusalem persistently refused to receive Christ as her Saviour and a Prophet come from God, then God could do nothing else but leave her to the fate which she was shaping for herself.

Canada's production of crude petroleum and natural gasoline in 1941 totalled 10,123,532 barrels compared with 8,718,053 barrels in 1940 and 7,837,503 barrels in 1939.

RADIO REPORTER

DIALING WITH DAVE:



Full of ideas and plans for his new season, which starts over the NBC-Red Network Sunday, Oct. 5, Jack Benny returns from vacation bitten by the wanderlust bug. He plans to tour the U. S. A. a bit, instead of staging all shows from New York and Hollywood.

THE CIGAR! THE VIOLIN(?)! THE COMEDIAN!

Yes, it's Jack Benny, in probably as typical a pose as you could imagine him in! Jack, with Mary Livingstone, Dennis Day, the Music of Phil Harris and his Orchestra, and all the cast, continue to entertain their waiting millions each Sunday night at seven o'clock —heard throughout Canada on the CBC National Network!

Behind The Program!

Indeed, 'tis very often the story behind the show that gives the program the interest and entertainment value it has. Even more often, the story behind the scenes, if known, enhances the pleasure one has in listening to the program! Take for instance, the Fred Allen Sunday night 9.00 o'clock shows: During the past few weeks, they've been scripted by Vick Knight, who also does the production on such famous 'one shot' shows, as 'The President's March of Dimes' broadcast, and international 'Red Cross' Shows. Several weeks ago, the Army invited Vick to direct its "Command Performance" internationally short-waved shows for the American Fighting Forces! Vick's spare-time wasn't sufficient to cover this new assignment! The problem: Give up a $600.00 a week job as Fred Allen's Scripter and take the Army work, full time, as a volunteer director at nothing per week! That would take some deciding, you'll agree! But right now Vick Knight is in Hollywood, directing bigger and better "Command Performance" shows!

Bogey's Back

Horror Man, Boris Karloff, master of the macabre, is now heard Sunday nights as guest on the Inner Sanctum Mysteries broadcast via the Blue Network, to a network of Canadian stations at 8.30! Mr. Karloff's Friday the 13th of March fun-party at his Hollywood home, was one of the most original and eerie, yet staged by a member of the movie-radio colony!

Bonus From Baker

One of the shows a lot of Canadians thoroughly enjoy is the "Breakfast Club," broadcast by a majority of CBC stations daily at 9.00 a.m. Jack Baker, tenor of the show, recently sang a concert for convalescent soldiers and sailors at the O'Reilly General Hospital in Springfield, Missouri. And here's the bonus: Jack gave them, as a parting gift, a fine public-address system for the Hospital auditorium!

An 1150 Listening Tip or Two

The excitement, the danger, the brilliant execution of a mass bombing flight over military objectives in Germany, is just one of the many spine-tingling episodes in the life of the boys of the R.C.A.F. on Active Duty, brilliantly recreated for radio in the story "Flying For Freedom," heard from CKOC, Wednesday nights at 8.00 o'clock.

"Telequiz," popular phone-quiz feature, with special tune identification section for out-of-town listeners, is heard from 1150 on your dials daily at 11.45 a.m.!

Record of the week, Tommy Tucker's "Tangerine," featured in the film 'The Fleet's In!'

OUR RADIO LOG

TORONTO STATIONS		
CFRB	860k, CBL	740k
CKCL	580k, CBY	1010k
U.S. NETWORKS		
WEAF	N.B.C. Red	660k
WJZ	N.B.C. Blue	770k
WABC	(C.B.S.)	880k
WOR	(M.B.S.)	710k
CANADIAN STATIONS		
CFOS	Owen Sd.	1400k
CKOC	Hamilton	1150k
CHML	Hamilton	900k
CKTB	St. Cath.	1230k
CFCF	Montreal	600k
CFCH	North Bay	1230k
CFCO	Chatham	630k
CFPL	London	1570k
CJCS	Stratford	1240k
CFRC	Kingston	1490k
CJIC	Sault Ste. M.	1490k
CKAC	Montreal	730k
CJKL	Kirkand L.	560k
CKCR	Waterloo	1490k
CKCO	Ottawa	1310k
CKGB	Timmins	1470k
CKSO	Sudbury	790k
CKPC	Brantford	1380k
CKLW	Windsor	800k
CKNX	Wingham	1230k
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WGY	Schenectady	810k
KDKA	Pittsburgh	1020k
WBBM	Chicago	780k
WBEN	Buffalo	930k
WGR	Buffalo	550k
WKBW	Buffalo	1520k
WJR	Detroit	760k

SHORT WAVE		
GSB	England	9.51m
GSC	England	9.58m
GSD	England	11.75m
GSE	England	11.86m
GSF	England	15.14m
GSG	England	17.79m
GSP	England	15.31m
GSV	England	17.81m
EAR	Spain	9.48m
EAQ	Spain	9.86m
RAN	Russia	960m
RNE	Russia	12.00m
RV96	Russia	15.18m
WGEA	Schenectady	15.33m
WCAB	Phila.	15.27m
WRUL	Boston	15.15m
WCBX	N. York	11.83m

Lesson In Attack For New Airmen

New pilots with the Royal Canadian Air Force Spitfire Squadron got a lesson not long ago from a veteran English commanding officer when they took part in a sweep over the coast of Northern France with another Canadian fighter unit.

On the way across the channel a formation of Messerschmitts appeared far below and in the words of the commander: "Some of the more bloodthirsty Canadians wanted to dive and attack them".

"I had to point out," he added, "there was another larger German formation considerably above us, waiting for us to do just that so it could attack us the moment we were involved in a scrap. The lads were disappointed, just the same"

The sweep was the Canadians' second job of the day which started with a patrol over a convoy moving along the British coast.

Supply Of Wheat Larger Than Ever

Surplus in Four Leading Nations Biggest on Record

Despite two successive short war crops and prospects that the 1942 production may be smaller yet, the world may have a larger supply of wheat this year than ever before.

This is because the surplus existing in the world's four leading exporting nations—United States, Canada, Australia and Argentina—is the largest on record.

Russia Excluded

The present prospects indicate a total 1942 crop for most of the world of around 3,950,000,000 bushels, or slightly less than was harvested last year. This figure compares with the record crop of 4,636,000,000 produced in 1938. Russia and China are excluded from the world figures because adequate information has not been available.

The world—again exclusive of Russia and China—is expected to have a carryover of about 1,590,000,000 bushels of old wheat when the 1942 crop is harvested. Of this amount, only about 175,000,000 bushels were expected to be held by countries other than the United States, Canada, Australia and Argentina.

Famine Implied

The large stocks in the four exporting countries and small stocks in other countries . . . imply a serious bread situation in continental Europe.

United States is expected to have a wheat supply of 1,425,000,000 bushels when this year's crop is harvested. The carryover of old wheat is estimated at about 630,000,000 bushels. This country normally uses about 675,000,000 bushels a year for all purposes.

The crop in Europe this year is expected to be about the same as last year's below average harvest. Bad weather, lack of labor and military operations have hindered farming operations there.

Australia Calls Up More Land Forces

The Australian Government ordered that all Commonwealth land forces be brought up to full war strength by calling up additional personnel.

The order requires all unmarried men between the ages of 18 and 45, as well as married men from 18 to 35, to report immediately for military service.

Army Minister Francis Forde said the step was taken on recommendation of Gen. Sir Thomas Blamey, Commander of Allied land forces in Australia, and applied to men who were already listed for service but who would not have been called for some time.

Intensive battle training for all units was ordered by Gen. Blamey, Mr. Forde said.

How War Affects Farm Auction Sale

It Puts Pep Into It, Says The Woodstock Sentinel-Review

If you really want to know how the war is affecting Ontario, attend one of the farm auctions. Auctioneers say the attendance is away above the attendance before the war and prices appear to ignore any such thing as price ceilings. Good quality farm machinery is at a premium. Ancient binders dating from before the Great War, they say, find a ready market at prices more than half their original cost.

Buggies are scarce and bring from $20 to $25. Before the war, buggies, good enough for the purpose, could be had at auction for $3. Three horses sold for $150 each. A year ago, the auctioneer said, these horses would have brought only from $75 to $90. A binder, which had cut two crops, sold for $285. The market price of the machine today, including Federal Tax, is $325. Most surprising of all, a manure spreader, bought second hand two years ago for $45, sold for $115. A crosscut saw, costing $3.50 when new, sold for $5.25. Similarly, furniture brings prices which definitely put it in the antique class.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



OWING to the obliquity of the ecliptic (the angle between the planes of the earth's equator and orbit), and the eccentricity of the earth's path around the sun, the latter sometimes passes the meridian before 12 o'clock by our watch, and sometimes it does not cross the meridian until after 12. "Sun time" can be as much as a quarter of an hour slow, or fast.

NEXT: How was the date of Easter decided upon?

Britain Thorough In Matter of Fines

The British people have often been accused by their American brothers and cousins of being slow, but no one yet has ever accused them of not being thorough, states the Huron Expositor.

And that goes as well in the matter of fines for infractions of war restrictions.

Last week Woodlands Chemists, Ltd., of London, was fined forty thousand pounds, which runs close to two hundred thousand dollars in our money, for exceeding its cosmetics sales quota under Britain's wartime rationing laws, and was given three months to pay the fine.

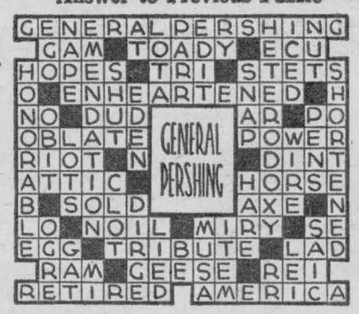
By the time the company succeeds in paying that fine they will be looking back upon their profits and dividends as vanishing cream, a highly prized cosmetic in women's lives, but something which the company will be very chary of disposing of in future.

STAR ACTRESS

HORIZONTAL

1 Beloved actress pictured here.
12 Juniper.
13 To thread.
14 Expert aviators.
16 Smelling badly.
17 Species of clams.
18 Street car.
19 Bull fighter.
21 Ecstasy.
22 Children.
23 To turn aside.
26 Tense.
29 Fury.
30 Fabled fish.
32 Female deer.
33 To rub out.
35 To fly.
36 Persia.
38 Back of neck.
41 Cavity.
45 Impolite.
48 Ratite birds.
49 Golf clubs.
50 God of war.
51 Work of skill.
52 Small memorial.
53 Fish.
54 She was a famous star of the ——.
55 She became a popular —— star late in life.

Answer to Previous Puzzle



VERTICAL

1 Evils.
2 Entrance.
3 To date again.
4 Fungus disease.
5 Darlings.
6 Corded fabric.
7 At any time.
8 Antitoxins.
9 Opposed to former.
10 Pale brown.
11 Back.
12 She was a —— or actress of humorous roles.
15 Smelting plants.
20 Kind of window.
24 To do wrong.
25 Beverage.
27 Bustle.
28 Kind of grass.
31 One who honors.
34 Afternoon sleep.
35 Narrow.
37 Ablaze.
39 Oriental nurse.
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43 To clip.
44 Spore sacs.
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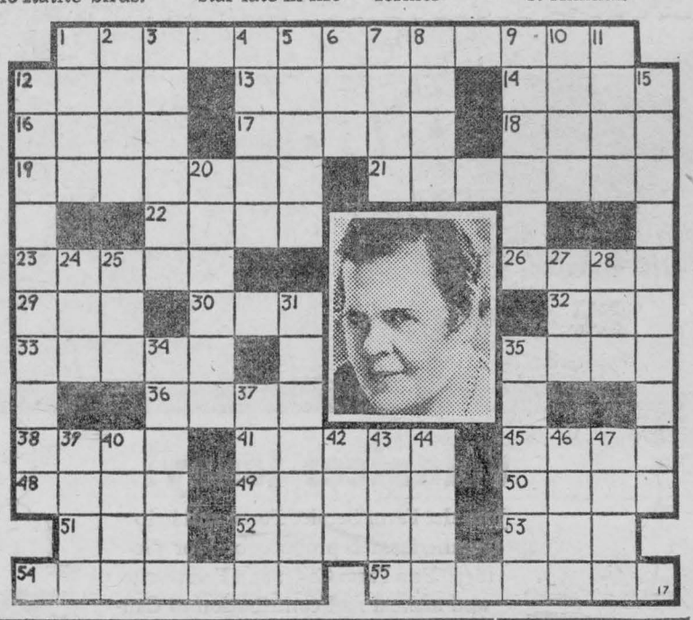

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LUTHERAN CHURCH

REV. A.F. BUEHLOW, B.A., Pastor

Third Sunday After Easter.

St. Paul's—
10.00 a.m.—The Service.
11 a.m. Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Vespers.

St. John's —
1.45 p.m.—The Service.
2.45 p.m.—Sunday School.

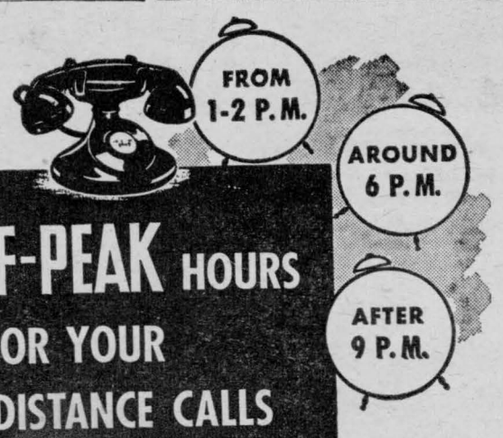
KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. C. S. Miller. M.A., B.D.
Minister
Miss Minnie Smith, Organist

Sunday, April 26th—
10 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Divine Worship.
Sermon: Resting Places.
A Communion Service.
7.30 p.m.—Divine Worship.
Sermon: Saving by Losing.

On Friday at 8 p.m. a Preparatory Service will be held and new members received. Rev. George E. Bingham of Farran's Point will preach.

A CORDIAL WELCOME TO ALL!



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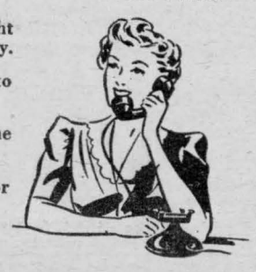

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St. James' Church— —
9 a.m.—Holy Communion.
10 a.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Evensong.

Holy Trinity Church—
2..30 p.m.—Evensong.

UNITED CHURCH of CANADA

Min., Rev J. A. Paytou, B.A., B.D
Sunday, April 26th—

Morning Service, 10.30
Sermon by the Minister.
Sunday School — 11..45
Evening Service, 7.30.
Sermon by the Minister.

The Y. P. U. will hold its regular meeting on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Trevor Allison at 8.00

The Midweek Service will be held as usual on Wednesday evening at 8.00. Note change in time.

The S. S. S. Class will be held on Thursday afternoon at 3.00 at the home of Mrs. W. S. L. Merrill.

W. M. S.

The Easter meeting of the W. M. S. of the United Church was held in the Lecture Room on Thursday afternoon, April 9th. The President, Mrs. Herbert Reddick occupied the chair and took charge of the opening exercises, announcing the topic to be: "The Church is Christ Living Throughout the Centuries".

The devotional period was taken by Mrs. Geo. Clark, assisted by several members. - theme "The Formation of the Christian Church, as the Disciples were Called by Christ". A duet, entitled "Alone" was beautifully rendered by Mrs. Pitt and Mrs. Epplett.

A pleasing feature of the afternoon's programme was a stirring address given by Mrs (Rev.) Douglas Smith, of Brockville, who spoke on the Church Militant, stressing the thought that our religious convictions should be expressed in action and following the work of the Church around the globe.

She showed that notwithstanding conditions in the world, Christianity was stealily advancing.

The meeting closed with prayer, after which a social hour was spent.

Mr. R. E. O'Doherty and Mr. H. Duggan spent Tuesday in Morrisburg.

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Mrs. John Bell and Miss Nellie Bell are spending a couple of weeks with relatives in Montreal.

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Mrs. Frank Moyle of Farran's Point spent a few days in town last week.

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Miss Sheila Prunner of Montreal spent the week end with her mother in town.

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Pte. Roy E. Merkley of Petawawa spent the week end in town with Mrs. Merkley.

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BORN—On Tuesday, April 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Merrill, a son.

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Miss Leara Warner spent the week end with her parents in Newington.

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L|C. Paull Laurin of Petawawa spent the week end with his mother Mrs. Leo Laurin.

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Mr. Craig Merkley of Montreal spent the week end with his father, Mr. Arthur Merkley.

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Miss Annie Dillabough, R. N., of Brockville is spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Nash.

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Mr. Basil Aikman of the R.C.A.F. left on Wednesday after spending three weeks furlough at his home.

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Mrs. Jones of Montreal is spending some time with her sisters, the Misses Kirkham.

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Miss Shirley Hunter of Toronto spent a week recently with her grandmother, Mrs. Elgar Dillabough.

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Gnr. Don O'Shaughnessy of Petawawa spent the week end with Mrs. O'Shaughnessy here.

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L|C Basil Millward of the Dental Corps, Ottawa spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Millward.

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Miss Ruth Colquhoun returned home on Thursday after a successful tonsilectomy at the Cornwall General Hospital.

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Mrs. R. E. O'Doherty of Westmount, Que., is spending a week with Mrs. Walter McGannon and Margaret.

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Mrs. T. R. Parker was the winner of the studio couch in the Red Cross drawing. The couch was donated by Mr. Dalton Merrill.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Laurin and son, John Leonard spent the week end visiting relatives in Cumberland and Rockland, Ontario.

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Nursing sister M. Rutherford of the Military Hospital, Kingston spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meikle and Jean.

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Leslie Foulds, R. C. A. F. Brantford spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon A. Foulds.

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Mrs. Elgar Dillabough is spending a few days in Longeuil, Que., with her son, Denzil Dillabough, Mrs. Dillabough and Deanna.

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Miss Mary McDonald of Ottawa, and Miss Genevieve McDonald, R. N. of Cornwall spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McDonald.

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Mr. George S. Tracy of the Bank of Montreal, Toronto and Mrs. Tracy spent a few days in town visiting with the former's mother, Mrs. E. J. Tracy.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson of Montreal arrived in Morrisburg on Saturday. Mr. Wilson left on Sunday for the Officers' Training Camp, Brockville.

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The many friends of Mrs. Lucy Casselman will be glad to learn that she is recovering favourably from a serious operation at the General Hospital in Brockville.

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In the results just issued by the University of Toronto for the May examinations of the Faculty of Medicine, Lorne K. Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Robinson of Morris-

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The A. Y. P. A. is holding a Euchre on Wednesday, April 29 in St. James Parish hall. Lady's and gent's prize and door prize 17p.

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Mrs. T. E. Coulthart of Morewood who is spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. Coby, enjoyed a motor trip to Beauharnois, Que., where they were guests for a few days with Rev. and Mrs. Nimmo.

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Flight Lt. Neil R. McGillis, Mrs. McGillis, Frances and Norman of Ottawa spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Norman McGillis in town. On Monday they left for Winnipeg, where Flight Lieut. McGillis will be stationed.



Volunteer today!

Join the Farm Service Force and help Ontario farmers produce food for Victory. Be a Farm Cadet or a Farmerette and make a real contribution to Canada's War Effort this Summer. Hundreds of farmers have registered their need for help already, and more are registering every day. Last year more than 14,000 young men 15 and up and young women 16 and up, pitched in and lent a hand. Thousands more are needed this year. Get full particulars from your High School Principal, Y.W.C.A., Y.M.C.A., or write Ontario Farm Service Force, Parliament Bldgs., Toronto. Volunteer TODAY!

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IN MEMORIAM

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Thy will be done, seems hard to say
When one we loved has passed away
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Another Good Idea

is to put a can of rust preventative in your radiator as you fill it with water. This will protect your radiator and motor block from one of its worst enemies— RUST.

You should also have the crank-case oil, and gear lubricants changed at this time.

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