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Hockey Meeting Will Be Held Monday

A public meeting to re-organize the local hockey club for the current season, will be held in the Agricultural Office on Monday evening at 8 p.m.

Morisburg's junior hockey teams during the past two seasons have enjoyed a batting average of 1000 per cent, so far as their own league is concerned, and last year they were beaten out of the Citizen Shield finals only on a referee's ruling, and that same referee has had plenty of trouble this year in the Q.S.H.L. on account of more of his corny rulings, all of which seem to favour his home team.

The locals should be able to ice another strong club this year, as most of last year's players, or at least a good number of them will be available.

Anyone interested in hockey and the future of these boys, is cordially invited to attend the meeting.

Inkerman Man Killed In Crash

John Lang, 65, of Inkerman, was killed when the automobile he was driving was in collision with an R. C. A. F. ambulance on the Metcalfe road, about nine miles south of Ottawa.

Miss Freda Fawcett, 19, Winchester, a passenger in the car, was taken to the General Hospital, Ottawa, suffering from lacerations about the face. Two other passengers in the car were badly shaken up and bruised. They were Miss Vivian Timmins, 18, and her sister, Lorna Timmins, 17, both of Inkerman.

Although badly shaken up, occupants of the ambulance escaped injury. Coroner Dr. E. P. Byrne was called and announced that an inquest would be held.

The accident occurred at the foot of a hill about a mile north of South Gloucester. Lang was driving his automobile south down the hill, and collided head on with the ambulance travelling north.

LAC Galipeau, driver of the ambulance, told police that when he saw Lang's car coming down the hill he pulled over to the side of the road and stopped. Lang's car was steaming badly, he said, and this might possibly have interfered with his vision.

Milk Producers Discuss Problems

The Executive of the Chesterville and Brockville Concentrated Milk Producers Associations met in Chesterville to discuss the low price paid to farmers shipping to condensaries and powdered milk plants.

It was pointed out at the meeting that the winter price for milk is ten to fifteen per cent less than last year. This condition coupled with the scarcity of hired help, the shortage of machinery, the higher costs of production and the preferred position of the consumer and labour, makes the farmers' lot a most difficult one and the will to keep up production is gone. And the recent reduction in the cost of living, instead of helping the farmer, has rather increased his difficulties. The farmer must share the cost of reduction, and his benefit is very small.

Only an increase in the price he receives for his milk, will give the producer amore optimistic outlook at this time, and thus increase his winter production.

In the past month the condensary patrons in the Chesterville area have sold over one thousand of their ten thousand cows, or over double the number sold in the corresponding period of last year.

A resolution was framed, to be presented to the War Prices and Trade Board, requesting a higher winter price for milk.

Walker-Finnie

In All Saints Cathedral at Halifax N. S., at eleven o'clock Friday morning, December 12th the marriage took place of Miss Alice Bradfield Finnie, a graduate of the Montreal General Hospital, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gordon Finnie of Morrisburg, to Flight Lieut. Ross Bennett Walker, R. C. A. F., a graduate of Ontario Agricultural College, and son of Mrs. Walker and the late J. C. Walker of Guelph, Ont.

Squadron Leader R. G. Sparling, chaplain R. C. A. F., at Halifax officiated. Mrs. K. C. Cameron was bridesmaid and Flight Lieut. K. C. Cameron best man.

A reception was held later in the private dining room of the Lord Nelson Hotel, which was decorated with pink and white chrysanthemums.

Before her wedding, the bride spent two weeks at her home in Morrisburg and was entertained by her many friends here.

A Toast to Our Boys at Christmas

wherever they may be

LET'S drink a toast to the widening host—
Of Canadians serving the nation—

TO those thousands of lads (and their brothers and dads)
Who are saving our civilization.

TO the men from the mills and the farms and the hills
And the cities and mountains and plains—

TO the workers and miners and airplane designers,
And crews on the ships and the trains.

WHEREVER they are—be it near, be it far,
On the land, in the air, on the sea—

WITH a stoutness of heart they are doing their part
In keeping our Canada free!

SO Good Luck, and God speed them—may nothing impede them
Nor make them delay nor digress—

MAY Christmastime find them with power behind them
To roll up a final success.

Royal Navy Men Appreciate Ditty Bags

Among those who sent ditty bags to the brave sailors of the Royal Navy and the Royal Canadian Navy, was Miss Doreen Beckstead of Williamsburg, and showing that these stout-hearted lads really appreciate these little comforts, she received the following letter of thanks this week.

Dear Doreen—

I had a delightful surprise today. As you probably guess it came in the form of a charming gift, your Xmas present; to a sailor on a British destroyer. Every one received one of these little blue ditty bags, crammed full with good things. It's awfully charming and sweet to find some one who thinks of us in so nice a way. I couldn't keep my present sealed until Xmas, and tho' a grown up man, believe me, I opened this gift with that abundant joy and anticipation of a mere boy. My eyes grew larger as I extracted and dipped my hand as it were, into this parcel of delightful surprises. 'Faith Doreen, it was like rubbing Aladdin's lamp, and receiving gifts from an Angel. Until all these things are exhausted, I shall enjoy—cleaning my teeth, sewing on a button, darning a sock (maybe), shaving, smoking, writing a letter, and so on. No! But joking apart, I love the thought which inspired all you kind people to send these gifts which are particularly welcome when so far away from home.

Before bidding you adieu, let me please say again, Thanks a Million! And may I wish you a jolly happy Xmas and an even happier New Year, lots of fun, success and happiness for your future.

Sincerely yours,
HARRY PRICE.

Some Discrepancy In These Thermometers

The prices Board which Wednesday publicly appealed for a temperature of not more than 68 degrees in office buildings, Thursday had failed to react to its own propaganda for fuel conservation, according to the Ottawa Journal.

The Board was violating— but good—its own heat 'ceiling'.

The thermometer in the draft elevator shaft near the front door of the Prices Board headquarters on Thursday morning registered an em barrassing 72 degrees. In some of the offices the mercury had gotten entirely out of hand, running up to and over the 80 degree mark, better than 12 points above the Board's own "recommended maximum."

This kind of thing is what disgusts the average citizen, and is apt to cause distrust and suspicion, especially when he is asked to foot the tremendous bills which our war effort costs us each day. People do not object to sacrifices, but they should strike equally at all classes.

RED CROSS NEWS

The Red Cross rooms will be closed December 23rd. Any person having any finished work or knitted articles please bring them to the rooms December 30th as we will be packing on that day.

Workers are urgently needed. It will be impossible to fill these quotas for British civilian and hospital work if more people do not help with this noble task.

MRS. A. VIPOND, Vice-Pres.

The manager of the Red Cross Superfluity Shop wishes to thank everyone who asisted in any way to make the effort successful. The secretary-treasurer, Mrs. S. G. Finnie, has given to the treasurer of the Red Cross Society, Mr. H. E. Paull, a cheque for $400.

Mr. H. E. Graham is allowing us to use the Agricultural Rooms on Saturday to sell a few articles for Christmas. If any person has anything we can use, kindly phone 43.

The result of this undertaking has been most gratifying. Thank you all who assisted.

JEAN PARKER, Mgr.

Williamsburg Shipment

Army and Air Force Comforts: 37 pair khaki socks; 8 sleeveless sweaters; 1 scarf; 7 helmets; 2 alternative caps, 1 steel helmet, 1 pair half mitts, 3 pair mitts, 7 pair gloves, 2 pair air force socks.

Civilian comforts: 12 quilts, 1 afghan, 1 complete layette, 1 second hand coat, 22 women's nightgowns, 14 girls' pyjamas, 1 child's nightgown, 2 small boys' pyjamas, 7 sr. boys' pyjamas, 2 boys' sleeveless sweaters, 1 girls' sweater, 3 pairs of children's mitts.

Seamen's comforts: 15 pair socks, 9 pair seamen's socks, 1 alternative cap, 2 pair mitts, 1 tuck-in, 4 helmets, 1 sleeveless sweater.

Hospital supplies: 5 pair pyjamas 1 bathrobe 1 bed jacket, 3 gauze handkerchiefs.

Following is the shipment to Toronto from the local branch of the Red Cross Society:

British civilian: 25 suits boys' pyjamas; 5 women's nightgowns; 3 quilts; 1 crib afghan.

Kintting quota: 7 pair gloves; 6 sleeveless sweaters; 5 pairs mitts; 3 aero caps; 35 pair service socks; 8 pair seamen's socks.

Urgent Hospital Supplies: 240 small pads; 160 medium pads; 60 large pads; 800 wipes; 1200 compresses.

BINGO!

St. Mary's Parish Hall

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31st

8 P. M.

GOOD PRIZES

Price of Fifteen Games 35¢

Williamsburg Council

The Council met at Williamsburg on December 15th, 1942.

The minutes of previous meetings were read and adopted without ammendment.

The following accounts were passed:

E. R. Marcellus, salary, road supt. and express	53.11
Geo. Marcellus, operating grader	13.00
Geo. F. Reddick, cutting brush	11.30
Wm. P. Reddick, cutting brush	5.80
Sam Duval, cutting brush	6.60
Don. Duval, cutting brush	6.60
Glen Cunningham cutting brush	5.00
Graham Gallinger, cutting brush	3.90
Kenneth Gallinger, cutting brush	5..30
Max Dennison, cutting brush	6.40
Arthur Heagle, spreading gravel	12.00
Ernie VanGunten, care of gravel pit	10.00
Grant McMillan, hauling gravel	19.70
Willis Darling, hauling gravel	19.70
Wallace Murphy, hauling gravel	20.90
John Farrell, hauling gravel	20.90
Harold Merkley, hauling gravel	15..60
James O. McMillan, hauling gravel	1..90
Earl McMillan, spreading gravel	8.05
Joe Featherson, shovelling gravel	11.05
Wilbert Loucks, repair culvert	1.00
Irwin Hall, snow Fence	5.00
Geo. Casselman, snow fence.	8.00
J. D. Adams, grader blades	11.30
W. A. Froats, hauling gravel and bridge cover	43.50
Mrs. J. M. Carkner, gas & oil	20..43
Mary Summers, collecting garbage	37.50
M. S. Beckstead, half year salary Clerk-Treas.	175..00
M. S. Beckstead, postage, telephone, Stat. Exchange	40.00
M. S. Beckstead, writing minutes for paper and P. V. work.	35.00
M. S. Beckstead, preparing Old Age Pensions	22.00
M. S. Beckstead, services indigents	6.00
M. S. Beckstead, Nomination and Election expenses	135.00
Reeve and Treas. preparing Financial statement	12.00
Prov. Treas., insulin, Kordon Christie	1.88
Reeve's services, re McMillan Drain	7..00
Reeve's Services, re McMartin Drain	5.00
Reeve, taking Geo. Rutherford to House of Refuge	5.00
Reeve, telephone & postage	4.80
Leader Pub. Co., printing Financial statements, ballots, and nomination meeting	84.10
Municipal World, supplies	40.00
A. Milton Casselman, relief, Mrs. Earl Casselman	6..37
C. B. Barkley, relief, Mrs. Earl Casselman	26..30
J. D. Dain, wood, Mrs. Earl Casselman	32.00
A. Lewis, milk, Alfred Smith	3.85
C. B Barkley, relief, Alfred Smith	10.00
Iden Whitteker, salary, relief officer	5.50
Treas. Matilda Twp. relief Baker family	21.00
I. O. O. F. Hall rent for Council meetings & nomination	58.00
Reeve Edgar Whitteker, salary and allowances	46.60
Deputy reeve Frank Darling	46.60
Councillors Frank M. Casselman	46..60
John H. Wells	46.60
E. A. VanAllen	46.60
Payment to public schools	16404.33
A. K. MacMillan, County Treas., County Rates	21,980.04
Geo. E. Hill, part payment, salary tax collector	44.00
Sick Children's Hospital	5.00
Police Village W'msbg., drainage, tile sand etc.	178..52

The council adjourned to meet again in the I. O. O. F. Hall, Village of Williamsburg on January 4th, 1943 at 1 o'clock p.m.

M. S. BECKSTEAD, Clerk.

KING GEORGE TO BROADCAST CHRISTMAS MORNING

It has been announced that His Majesty, King George, will broadcast to the Empire on Christmas morning sometime during the Empire Show, from 9 to 10.15. A rebroadcast of the address will be given Christmas night at 9 to 9.15.

WILLIAMSBURG BLOOD DONORS

Blood donors going from the Red Cross clinic in Ottawa, last week included.

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Honour Roll Dedicated At Williamsburg

A special feature of the service in Williamsburg United Church last Sunday evening was the dedication to the Church of an Honour Roll and chairs for the elders, in the presence of a large congregation.

The honour roll was presented by the minister, Rev. E. C. Lacey, Mrs. Lacey and Frazer, and the chairs were presented by the elders.

The ceremony of dedication was performed by Rev. Lacey, who after the dedication service, conducted an order of service after the manner of the Winston Currie programme. During the service, Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Dixon's Corners rendered a beautiful solo: "God is Our Refuge".

Is your subscription to the Leader paid up?

WAR-TIME TRAVEL TIP NO. 5

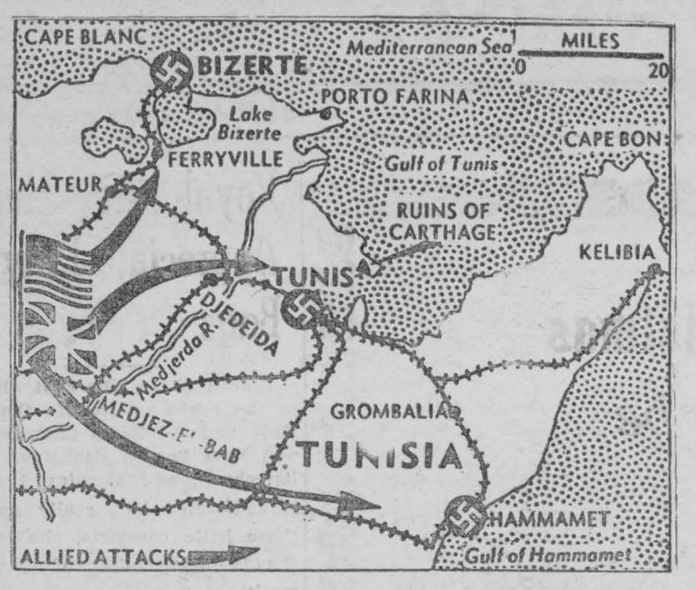


PLEASE! Don't wait to be asked

War traffic makes heavy demands on railway accommodations... now more than ever, it is necessary to consider the convenience of others.

CANADIAN NATIONAL

SIEGE OF TUNIS



Important Allied blow against Axis was the cutting of the Tunis-Bizerte railroad, as shown on the map. British, Fighting French and American forces pushed 12 miles past Djedeida, thus severing rail link between Axis forces holding coast strongpoints.

HOW CAN I? ? ?

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I clean oil paintings?

A. Make a thin paste of raw potatoes and clear water. Add fine pumice stone and rub on the paintings gently with a sponge. Then wipe off with clear water and a clean cloth. It is often advisable to apply a coat of clear varnish when the painting dries.

Q. How can I keep candles firm in their holders?

A. Melt some paraffin, pour into the sockets of the candlesticks, and, while hot, set the candles into the holders.

Q. How can I remove gasoline odor from my hands?

A. Rub the hands with moistened salt.

Q. How can I clean the furniture thoroughly before applying the furniture polish?

A. Use a cloth wrung out in slightly warm water, add a touch of vinegar, and wipe the wooden furniture carefully before using furniture polish. The wood will then be thoroughly clean and will take the polish better.

Q. How can I keep an angora wool sweater fluffy?

A. Long-fibred wool, such as angora, should be brushed thoroughly while it is drying. It will then be fluffy and the original appearance restored.

The Japanese, as a race, are a mixture of Mongol, Ainu and Malay.

BANK EXECUTIVES SUPPORT WARTIME TAXES, PRICES AND TRADE CONTROLS

Huntly R. Drummond, Bank of Montreal President, Suggests that High Taxation and Controls Are Justified for Duration Only — Sees Need for Freedom of Enterprise With Return of Peace

G. W. Spinney, General Manager, Reviews Bank's 125th Year—Discusses War Finance—Says Government Financing Through Chartered Banks Being Kept Within Reasonable and Manageable Proportions

Efforts by the Government to prevent the effects of inflation as experienced in the aftermath of the last war — including price and wage controls and pay-as-we-go taxation — were commended by Huntly R. Drummond, President of the Bank of Montreal, at that institution's 125th annual meeting. Such efforts, he said, "merited the support of every thinking Canadian". At the same time he urged, as he did at the annual meeting a year ago, that controls and regulations be removed with all possible speed after the war so that private enterprise might have the opportunity to convert war factories to the production of peace-time goods.

Wide expansion in industrial production having been financed by taxation and borrowing, under government direction and control, with the government guaranteeing the overhead and providing the market for the output, he emphasized that "these conditions will not, and cannot, obtain after the war".

Describing the income tax, company and individual combined, as "probably the highest in the Allied Nations", and covering practically every individual, the president said that nevertheless, the cheerful acceptance of hardship by all Canadians had been notable and was an encouraging sign for the future. In this connection, however, he pointed out that "we have gone a long way toward sacrificing everything but liberty itself.

Nor let us forget that on the shoulders of free enterprise stand those other freedoms that go to make up democracy — freedom of conscience, freedom of speech, freedom of labour and equality before the law".

Bank Earnings Restricted

During the year the bank's assets and deposits reached new high levels; the average assets were $1,091 million compared with $1,032 million in the preceding year, while deposits — the safety of which "is our first consideration"—amounted to $1,064,645,000. Earnings showed a small increase, but taxes at $2,540,000 were considerably higher, because of the government's policy of restricting net earnings to 70% of pre-war-standard profits. The incidence of this increase was felt only in the last four months of the fiscal year, he explained, and warned that taxes for the coming year would be sharply higher.

Dealing further with the bank's position, he said that this year even a larger proportion of assets was represented by short-term and immediately realizable investments, which placed the bank in a stronger position than ever before. However, the earning power of all banks had been reduced by such investments, higher taxes and the government policy of keeping interest rates low — "which we commend".

At the same time he gave credit to the banks in supporting to the full the Government in its stupendous task of financing the war, observing: "We can fairly claim that in Canada our banking system has more than justified its existence, and, with irrefutable facts, answer those who talk of the State taking over the banks".

General Manager's Review

G. W. Spinney, general manager, reviewed, in his address to the meeting, the accounts of the bank for the year and referred to the increase in total assets to $1,175,319,000 from $1,046,551,000 at the end of the previous fiscal period. Total quick assets, he pointed out, amounted to $896,935,000 and were equivalent to 81.65 per cent of all liabilities to the public.

He referred to the reduction in current loans during the year and the wide expansion in investments.

In this connection he said: "The increase in investments is mainly under the heading of Dominion of Canada securities and resulted almost wholly from our purchase of Deposit Certificates. These Certificates are a new type of instrument devised to provide flexible short-term financing for the Dominion Government, and are similar to the Treasury Deposit Receipts used in Great Britain during the War of 1914-18 and reintroduced by the British Treasury at the beginning of July 1940.

"During the year ended October 31", said Mr. Spinney, "new and refunding issues of the Dominion Government, exclusive of Treasury Bill financing but adjusted to include the approximate total of the Third Victory Loan, which was issued in the latter part of October and the early part of November, aggregated approximately $3,150,000,000. This figure includes $645,000,000 of the new Dominion of Canada ¾% Deposit Certificates, sold to the Chartered Banks from July to October, some of which have since been retired. In the light of the Dominion Government's heavy borrowing requirements, I feel that the amount of war financing through the Chartered Banks has so far been kept within reasonable and manageable proportions. The extent to which this type of borrowing can be kept in check will depend largely upon the success of the public distribution from time to time of Government loan flotations."

Closing of Branches

The general manager spoke of the necessary closing down of branches in keeping with the war policy of the Government, but stated that care is being exercised to see that no area is left without adequate facilities. The policy followed has been to close down branches where overlapping exists.

He concluded by commending the staff of the bank on the manner in which it had undertaken added duties and thanked the customers for accepting cheerfully any unavoidable relaxation in service.

Have You Heard?

Comes a story about a Tennessee hillbilly who went down to the county seat one day recently, encountered two recruiting officers and before he knew it he was in the army.

Returning home, his old father looked him over and said: "Son, what you got them thar strange clothes on fur?"

"Paw," replied the young mountaineer, "Do you know that's a war on?"

"Dad blame my hide, I hain't heered a word of it," answered the old man. "Who's a fightin', son?"

"I don't know much about it, Paw. Roosevelt and Churchill are fighting two fellers named Hitler and Mussolini. An' from what I larned down at the county seat it appears to be over a gal named Pearl Harbor."

"You're a failure," nagged the wife. "When you courted me, you said I should always be the flower of your life, and now—"

"You're still the flower," said the henpecked one, "but no rose — I should say 'snapdragon.'"

Mrs. Jones was very proud of her son, who showed promise as an athlete.

"Yes, he must be a very fast runner," she explained proudly to a neighbor. "Look at this newspaper report of the sports yesterday. It says he fairly burned up the track.

"And it's quite true," she added confidentially. "I went to see the track this morning, and it's nothing but cinders."

Recalling scenes in the last war one veteran said: "I was lucky. I went through it all without a scratch."

"You were lucky, pal," said another. "In the trenches where I was we did nothing else."

The local railway was very leisurely. The train rumbled along at a snail's pace. The passenger started a conversation with the guard to kill time.

Guard: "Yes, I've been traveling on this train for 20 years."

Passenger: "Gosh! And what station did you get in it?"

"I like that dress you're wearing."

"I got it for my twentieth birthday."

"Really! tI has worn well, hasn't it?"

"Now remember, Pat," said a sergeant to an Irish soldier, "the password is Saxe—after Marshal Saxe, you know."

"Shure," said Pat, "Oi'll never forget it. Wasn't my father a miller and my uncle a coalman?"

Later in the day, the Irishman was challenged. "Bags," he replied.

"What would you suggest for a man who's a little hoarse?"

"How about a little cart?"

SCOUTING . . .

The four British "Blitz Scouts" who toured Canada and the United States during the past summer are now on a tour of Great Britain and Ireland telling of their visit and something of the war effort seen by them on this side of the Atlantic. Upon completion of the tour, Stanley Newton, leader of the group, will join the Air Force; Roy Davis the Royal Engineers, and Hugh Bright the Royal Navy. John Bethell is not yet of service age.

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A Ceylon Boy Scout, A. Ramaswamy, has been awarded the Scout Certificate for Gallantry. The youth rescued another lad in heavy seas off the coast, and returned to rescue two of three other lads who had gotten into difficulties. The Scout was practically exhausted by the time he had brought the third boy to safety.

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A South African Cubmaster now on service in Great Britain is operating an English Cub Pack (Junior Scouts). The English Cubs have opened correspondence with their new leader's former Pack in South Africa.

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Boy Scouts of St. Catharines, Ont., recently had the unique experience of acting as "guinea pigs" at the St. Catharines General Hospital, when they were "patients" for a whole day as nurses demonstrated a new method in the treatment of infantile paralysis.

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Boy Scout Bob Kemp of Hamilton studied first aid at a Scout meeting, and learned the use of a tourniquet to stop bleeding. He had not long to wait to put his new-found knowledge into practice. The next night he was present at the scene of an automobile accident and applied a tourniquet to one of the victims who was bleeding profusely. A doctor who later handled the case said that the prompt treatment applied by Scout Kemp saved the patient from a very serious loss of blood.

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As Churchill Warned



So it happened. RAF bombers, using "triple block buster" bombs, smashed at Turin, as mapped above, for second successive night. Map indicates how much closer to Italy Tunisian bases would bring Allied bombers; emphasizing the Prime Minister's warning to Italy to sue for peace or watch its cities blasted to bits.

There have been more than a thousand systems of shorthand since the days of Julius Caesar.

British buildings must not be painted except when necessary for preservation.

Modern Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

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1. Is it all right, in conversation, for one to use the words phone, wire, photo, ad, etc., instead of telephone, telegram, photograph, and advertisement?

2. When a hostess asks a guest to take another helping of some dish, isn't it all right to say, "I couldn't possibly eat another bite"?

3 Whose duty is it to see that corsages are sent to the mothers of the bride and the bridegroom?

4. Should the theatre party invitation be acknowledged promptly?

5. What is the birthstone for November, and its significance?

6. What should a person do when entering a pay-as-you-enter conveyance and he finds it necessary to have a bill changed?

ANSWERS

1. These colloquial abbreviations, so commonly used in the commercial world, should really be avoided in our social life, where we are not so rushed. It is just as easy to say photograph as as photo, advertisement as ad, etc. 2. No. Merely say, "No, thank you." Such expressions as "I am already too full," or "I feel as though I would never want to eat again," are not good form. 3. The bridegroom should do this. 4. Yes. This invitation should be acknowledged immediately, as the host or hostess cannot procure the tickets until it is known how many guests there will be. 5. The topaz, meaning fidelity and friendship. 6. Either be the last one to enter, or step aside and allow the other passengers to drop their coins first.

Greetings To Sailors At Home and Abroad

The British Sailors' Society has made provision for the entertainment of the Sailors at Christmas and New Year not only in Canada but in ports throughout the world.

Since the War started, new centres and suitable Clubs have been put into commission. With the thought in mind that wherever there is a need, a Club will be opened for the use of our sailors. Two of the most interesting are at Reykjavik in Iceland and at Haifa in Palestine.

In addition to its well known work in London and elsewhere on the seven seas, the Society has undertaken to give Service to the Lighthouses and Lightships around the British Isles; also to the Minesweepers and the Fishing Fleets.



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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON 51
THE BIRTH OF JESUS
Luke 2:1-20
PRINTED TEXT
Luke 2:8-20

GOLDEN TEXT—Thou shall call his name Jesus; for it is he that shall save his people from their sins. Matthew 1:21.

THE LESSON IN ITS SETTING

Time.—Our Lord was born probably 4 or 5 B.C.

Place.—Joseph and Mary lived in Galilee, but the birth of Jesus occurred in Bethlehem, six miles south of Jerusalem.

THE MESSAGE

8. "And there were shepherds in the same country abiding in the fields, and keeping watch by night over their flock. 9. And an angel of the Lord stood by them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid." Why should the shepherds be told of the event transpiring in Bethlehem? No such announcement was made in Caesar's palace or to any others in high authority. The shepherds would be glad to hear the message and would act upon it—in other words, their hearts were ready to believe what God said.

Be Not Afraid

10. "And the angel said unto them, Be not afraid; for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be to all the people: 11. For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Saviour, who is Christ the Lord. 12. And this is the sign unto you: Ye shall find a babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, and lying in a manger." Three titles are given to Jesus by the angel—a Saviour, Christ, the Lord—the first referring to the work of Christ, the second referring to His work as the Messiah anointing Him to be Prophet, Priest and King, and the third referring to His glory.

Gloria In Excelsis

13. "And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying: 14. Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among men in whom he is well pleased." Salvation must come from God, and not from man. Salvation must come out of the heavens to the earth; it cannot arise out of the earth and climb to the heavens. Glory to God is a necessity as it is a fact.

Shepherds Answer Message

15. "And it came to pass, when the angels went away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing that is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us. 16. And they came with haste, and found both Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in the manger."

A revelation from God is not only to be believed, but to be acted upon. When, in an hour of spiritual exaltation, we hear God telling us to do something, when we see a vision of something which we know we ought to do, and when the vision is gone, we do not obey it, then the joy which we had in the vision experience will wilt, and that which was meant to be a blessing to us will only become something about which we boast and beyond which we never advance. The shepherds did exactly what they should have done. They went down to Bethlehem to see this Babe. Wonderful as it was to have heard the angel and the angels, it is far more wonderful, a far greater privilege, infinitely more important, to behold the Lord Jesus. What they did, they did instantly.

Bearing Witness

17. "And when they saw it, they made known concerning the saying which was spoken to them about this child. 18. And all that heard it wondered at the things which were spoken unto them by the shepherds." Bearing witness to what we have seen and heard and experienced in relation to the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour is a natural part of every normal believer's life; a privilege as well as a duty, not only something we should do, but something we feel compelled to do.

Mary Kept Silent

18. "But Mary kept all these sayings, pondering them in her heart." The word here translated "pondered" means casting together, by which we would understand that Mary compared and considered all these amazing events, testimonies, and acts of worship, overwhelmed as she must have been in the midst of these supernatural manifestations, for she surely knew that her Babe was the Lord of Glory. It was just as natural for Mary, the mother, to keep these things in her heart, as it was for the shpeherds to proclaim what they had seen and heard. She had a different relationship at this time to Jesus than they had. He was her Son, and a wise mother does not proclaim to the world, when her son is still a babe, any tokens of or humanly expressed predictions of the ultimate greatness of her babe.

The Shepherds' Return

20. "And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, even as it was spoken to them."

Great joy we have in understanding what the Word of God means, believing it with all our hearts, but an even greater joy is experienced, and a deepening of our faith, when the Word of God becomes a living reality, its promises a daily experience in our own life. The shepherds might not have been believed if they had simply told of what they heard from the angel, but they were bound to be believed when they told not only what they heard from one who came from Heaven, but what they had seen in the manger in Bethlehem. All do not have revelations through an angel, in fact, very few, but all may have a definite, transforming, redeeming experience with the Lord Jesus Christ.

Hong Kong Captives Get Relief Supplies

The Red Cross and St. John Ambulance Associaion announced last week it had been advised by Geneva that relief supplies for prisoners of war in Hong Kong had been delivered at the Fort Stanley Camp, and partly distributed.

R. Zindel, International Red Cross delegate at Hong Kong, said the goods were received with great enthusiasm. The consignment included 1,000 tons of food, clothing and drugs from Britain and the Dominions.

After Hong Kong fell the Japs reported taking 1,689 Canadian prisoners of the 1,985 Canadian officers and men sent to the Far East. In Canadian Defence Department recent casualty lists, 1,594 Canadians had been officially listed prisoners of war at Hong Kong.

Send Special Gifts To War Prisoners

Christmas Parcels Supplementary to Regular Parcels

Arrangements are being made by the Canadian Red Cross Society and the British Red Cross to send a special Christmas parcel "from the people of Canada" to each Canadian prisoner of war in enemy hands.

The parcels are supplementary to the parcels sent regularly by next-of-kin and the Canadian Red Cross Society.

Chief article in each parcel for prisoners of war in Europe will be a sweater of an appropriate color for each of the services, the announcement said — khaki for army, light blue for air force, dark blue for navy, and blue-black or black for merchant seamen. The parcels, which are being packed in the United Kingdom, will also contain cigarettes, chocolate, soap and other small comforts and extras.

Far East Prisoners

The parcels for distribution to prisoners of war in the Far East will be purchased in Japan by the delegate of the International Red Cross and will be made up there.

It is not known exactly what they will contain, the department said, but the Canadian authorities have suggested to the International Red Cross Committee that they should be made up as far as possible of foodstuffs, especially canned goods, and warm clothing.

Gifts From Germany

The International Red Cross is also acting as an intermediary to provide Christmas gifts to prisoners of war in Canada. Arrangements now are under way whereby every German combatant prisoner of war will receive a Christmas gift from Germany.

Already some carloads of Christmas packages provided by the German Red Cross have been received in Canada for distribution at Christmas time and the delegate of the International Red Cross is making arrangements to provide a supplementary gift to each German combatant prisoner of war.

Huns Could Land On St. Lawrence

"It is quite possible that a submarine might land a few people at remote points along the St. Lawrence," Hon. Angus L. Macdonald, minister of naval services, admitted recently.

"They landed some in the United States last summer, and General Clark and his group landed in North Africa and got off all right," he said, referring to the saboteurs taken in the United States and to the United States-Anglo group which got into North Africa to make contact with the French and plan invasion.

"If any were landed, it would probably be done with a view to sabotage. There is no evidence that any submarines have landed men to buy provisions along the gulf or river. They would not need to do this, as we know they can carry enough provisions across."

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He is going to move in and take over your prisons, churches, schools, universities and corporations.

All your work is going to be judged and praised or condemned by him.

Your reputation and your future are in his hands. All your work is for him, and the fate of the nations and of humanity is in his hands.

So it might be as well to pay him some attention.

VOICE OF THE PRESS

WORSE TO COME

The new winter uniforms of the Nazis in Russia appear to be no better than the Fuehrer's promises. Moscow reports that many German troops are shivering and suffering from the cold, are pathetic figures wrapped in bits of shawls and surrender gladly when their captors come upon them. This is only December. What of the Russian winter a few weeks hence?
—Hamilton Spectator.

YOUTH'S STRONG POINTS

The St. Catharines Standard states a military fact when it says the calling of very young men into the fighting forces is based on the realization that "their response to leadership, their quick recovery from fatigue, their aggressiveness, their enthusiasm, and their flair for soldiering far exceed such qualties in other age groups."
—Brantford Expositor.

TIDBITS FOR "TINY"

Goering, who says Germany won't go short of food, is making sure he won't go short himself. From Istanbul comes a report that Goering's personal plane visits that city every Thursday to load up with lobsters and caviar at $7.50 each and $15 a pound, respectively.
—Sault Ste. Marie Star.

LIVING SPACE IDEAS

According to statistics recently published by the City Council of Warsaw, the average number of Jews compelled to live in one room in the Warsaw ghetto has, in the summer of 1942, reached the unheard of number of 14. Hitler has badly warped ideas about living space.—Kitchener Record.

SOME GOOD IN ITALIANS

A Canadian who flew at Malta says the Italian airmen fight "like gentlemen," not like the Huns. Italians as a race have, in fact, a streak of decency which not even Mussolini could wholly eradicate—and decent Italians hate the Germans like poison.—Ottawa Journal.

SOMETHING TO REMEMBER

Manufacturers and merchants who violently dislike the price ceiling may get a different slant on things when they learn that, after the inflation of the last war, over 21,000 small independent merchants and manufacturers went out of business in 1921.
—Chesley Enterprise.

GIVE THEM A CHANCE

An Italian newspaper recently stated that the Italian people have got very little out of the war. The Italian people complain that they haven't got out of the war at all.
—Montreal Star.

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RADIO REPORTER
By REX FROST

For the next two weeks, the Christmas note will dominate the air waves. Here is one programme the youngsters won't want to miss . . . "The Magic Cord." The stories of "The Magic Cord" were first heard last year over the C.B.C. network on the nine days immediately preceding Christmas Day. Many of Canada's younger generation will have noticed that those popular characters Billy and Bunty, and Topsy, the darling doll, and Scooty, the dear little mouse, together with Cocoa, the clown, and dozens of other fond characters of the nursery tales have already made their welcome reappearance over C.B.C. stations this Christmas season at 6.30 in the evening. The first programmes were heard last Monday, and they will continue to occupy the same spot every week night right up till Christmas Eve. Story-teller Mary Grannan, whose "Children's Scrapbook" and "Just Mary" stories are very familiar to thousands of children all over Canada and the United States promises that her Yule-tide "Magic Cord" series this Christmas will be brighter and breezier than ever. Make sure that the children have an opportunity of enjoying this charming 6.30, C.B.C. prelude to the Season of Goodwill.

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Late listeners will have an exceptional opportunity of hearing a fine rendering of the "Messiah" in the early hours of the morning of Tuesday, December 22nd, 12.05 to 1 a.m. Handel's musical masterpiece is to be presented on that occasion from the Stone Church, Kansas City, Mo. over the Columbia Broadcasting System, including CFRB, Toronto. Another special Yuletide treat is in store for those who in the early hours of Christmas morning tune in the Annual Carol service from 12.05 to 1 a.m. over the same network.

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CFRB announces that this year there will be no curtailment of programmes dedicated to the spirit of Christmas Good Cheer and the interpretation of that motive of "Peace on Earth, Goodwill toward Men." In spite of the fact that the world at large is plunged into war, the feeling is that we should maintain and proclaim the spiritual values which long have dedicated the spirit of Christmas to the highest, most humanitarian principles of mankind. So most of the time honoured Christmas programmes will be continued this season. However, in the case of New Year, important changes will be noticed, reflecting the more reserved aspect of a world engaged in the greatest war in history. As long as radio broadcasting has been national and international in scope, the Columbia Broadcasting System has presented an all-night New Years Eve dancing party from coast to coast. But it is to be dropped this year. All stations affiliated with the C.B.S. will curtail their activities, not only to save power, but because also the feeling exists that undue levity at the dawning of a New Year should be restrained in the consciousness of the tragedy of world strife which surrounds us. Stations, including CFRB, Toronto will go off the air at 1 a.m. New Years morning. All-night radio dancing sessions are to be banished for the duration.

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The greatest work in all violin literature is to be heard over the National network of the C.B.C. on Thursday, December 17th at 10.15 p.m. when Sir Ernest MacMillan and Kathleen Parlow with the concert orchestra play the Beethoven Violin Concerto in D. This will be the main programme item of the C.B.C. Concert Hour which opens with the orchestra playing the charming "Surprise Symphony" of Joseph Haydn. Lovers of fine music in general, and of the violin in particular should make a note of this intriguing air performance.

A SPANISH KING

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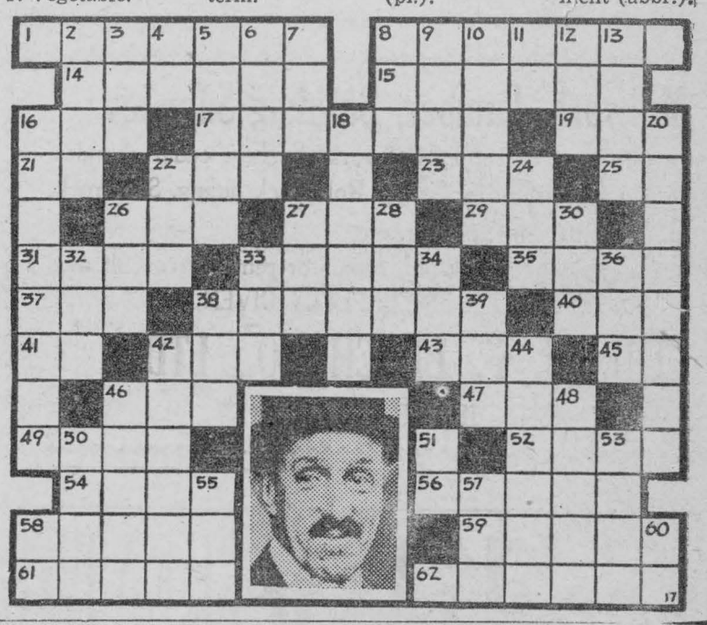
1 Spanish king who died an exile.
8 He designated his son, ——, his heir.
14 To appoint.
15 Reluctant.
16 Curious inspection.
17 Latticework for plants.
19 Epoch.
21 Musical term.
22 Chewed.
23 Eye tumor.
25 Bone.
26 To handle.
27 Genus of blue grass.
29 To harden.
31 Cry of distress.
33 Street boy.
35 Wheel hub.
37 Harness part.
38 Side conduit.
40 Baking dish.
41 Magic syllable.
42 Short hair cut.
43 Dog's foot.
45 Paid publicity.
46 Dyer's pot.
47 Vegetable.
49 Asterisk.
52 In bed.
54 Olive shrub.
56 His country was recently torn by —— war.
58 His —— started at birth.
59 Fortification.
61 Summed up.
62 Father.

VERTICAL

2 Zoological term.
3 To cook in fat.
4 Alleged power.
5 Neat.
6 Male ancestor.
7 Single thing.
8 Split pea.
9 Genus of sheep.
10 Birds' homes.
11 Junior (abbr.).
12 Custom.
13 Pertaining to air.
16 He was known as a —— or lover of fun (pl.).
18 Wove.
20 He —— the throne at 16.
22 High mountain.
24 Japanese coin.
26 To place.
27 Butter lump.
28 Ozone.
30 To make lace.
32 Intention.
33 To gossip.
34 Pile of cloth.
36 By way of.
38 Quantity.
39 To drink dog-fashion.
42 Gauzelike fabric.
44 Maker of cloth.
46 Founded on f
48 To dwell.
50 Having toes.
51 Before Christ (abbr.).
53 Enthusiasm.
55 Connecting word.
57 God of war.
58 Sun deity.
60 New Testament (abbr.).

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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A ROSE BY ANY OTHER NAME

The recent announcement of the Prices Board that dyed rabbit must henceforth be called dyed rabbit and nothing more sent a Toronto Post reporter into the trade to find out under what guises the rabbit has been operating. His list follows:

Arctic Seal, Australian Seal, Super Seal, Glo Seal, Electric Seal, Baltic Seal, Russian Seal, Siberian Seal, French Seal, Baffin Seal, Northern Seal, Near Seal, Seal, Nordic Seal, Nubian Seal, Sealine Seal, Baby Beaver, Baltic Fox, Baltic Leopard, Baltic Tiger, Bay Seal, Beaverette, Belgium Beaver, Belgium Lynx, Electric Beaver, Eminette, French Beaver, French Chinchilla, French Leopard, French Sable, Lapin, Mendoza Beaver, Russian Leopard, Moline, Squirrellette, Squirreline, Twin Beaver.

The reporter also found out while he was at it that Alaska Sable now becomes natural or dyed skunk; Genet is dyed or natural cat, Moufflon is goat and Wolf Fox is dyed dog.

We can just hear Mrs. Bluff calling out the window to her friend in a waiting car: "Half a jiff. I'll just throw my skunk over my shoulders and be right down."

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JOGGING AROUND : : :

BY THE EDITOR

THANKSGIVING

Thanksgiving Day was celebrated in the United States a couple of weeks ago and the occasion prompted a staff writer in the St. Petersburg (Florida) Morning Times to say:

Let us be thankful for turkey—and for North Africa and Guadalcanal.

For Stalin and the Russian dressing he is handing the Nazi.

For consomme and the thick soup Rommel is in.

For nuts and "Ike" Eisenhower, the old hard-nut cracker.

For apples and for the grapes of wrath growing on the vines of occupied countries.

For celery and olives and for the pickle the Axis is in.

For plum pudding, and for the applesauce Tokio is feeding its people.

For wish bones—and they should break a leg.

For sweets and for Mussolini's sour stomach.

Thought for the day: Thanks for everything.

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BELIEVE IT OR NOT

(Perth Courier)

Believe it or not, there have been in use in this country no fewer than 130 shapes and sizes of distillers' bottles and 200 shapes and sizes of wine bottles. Under the order of the administrator, all the fancy shapes and sizes have been eliminated from November 11, and the 130 distillers' bottles have been reduced to four, the 200 wine bottles being reduced to eight.

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THINGS TO COME?

One of the scientific dreams which modern research is bringing steadily closer to realization is the capturing of energy directly from the sun's rays. The tapping of even a small part of the tremendous quantities of solar energy that flood the arth every day, and its harnessing to man's industrial and domestic needs would effect a complete transformation in the life of every nation.

No country would be more profoundly affected than Canada. With its highly developed industrial activities and with its huge resources of both developed and undeveloped water power, the Dominion has a vital interest in such new sources of energy. Our rivers and waterfalls rank second only to those of the United States in the amount of energy which they generate, and our utilization of hydro-electric energy on a per capita basis, is the third highest in the world. Our tremendous national investment in dams and power stations and transmission lines might be rendered useless.

Scientists have already built, on an experimental basis, solar engines which effectively utilize the power in the rays of the sun, though so far they have been unable to solve the practical problem of making this power available at the low cost which would make it a servant of daily life. When and if that day comes, it will see a revolutionary change in our present method of releasing stored up solar enrgy thru' the burning of coal and oil. These fuels are formed as the result of a natural process which, through millions of years, transforms the sunlight originally stored up through the action of chlorophyll, the green stuff in leave s and vegetation. Science is attacking the mysteries of chlorophyll in the hope that some day men may be able to duplicate nature's action and thus produce fuel synthetically from chemicals.

Also going on is research based on the application of the so-called "thermocouple" principle in converting the sun's rays into electricity. Photoelectricity, already put to many practical uses by means of the "magic eye", is also the subject of hopeful research. Finally the basic principles involved in releasing the atomic energy potentially available in matter itself, are also known, and science is engaged in the search for means of putting this limitless source of energy to work in the service of mankind.

It may be that future generations will have at their disposal a wealth of power which will dwarf our present output from waterpower, oil and coal, just as these multiply a thousandfold the energy which earlier civilizations had at their command in the form of human and animal labour.

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The Canadian army, it is said, now becomes the best paid army in the world, and allowances for dependents are higher than in any other country. A wife and one child, for example, will receive $76.20 per month, in allowances and minimum assigned pay, as against $62 in the United States and only $33.22 in the United Kingdom.

A dependent mother will have $48 a month as compared to $37 in the United States and $27.42 in the United Kingdom.

There has been a strong demand for months not so much for increases in the basic pay rates of the Army as that account of the cost of living bonus should be taken in the payment of allowances for dependents. The Government now has dealt with the problem generously and much of the discrepancy is removed as between the financial rewards of peacetime industry and of military service. Including everything, clothes and foood and allowances of every kind and pension rights, the private in the Canadian Army will be doing fairly well.

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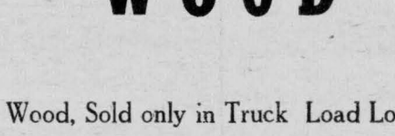


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Our Correspondents:

Williamsburg News

Messrs. Aden and Wilfred McIntosh motored to Cornwall last Thurs day and were accompanied by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac McIntosh to their home here, where Mr. McIntosh is convalescing after a recent operation at the General Hospital. Mrs. McIntosh spent two weeks with Mr. McIntosh during his stay in the hospital.

The many friends of Mrs. R. C. Casselman regret to learn of her ser ious illness at the home of her son, Claude Casselman and Mrs. Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Whitteker and children and Miss Eugenia Algire were guests last Friday at the home of the former's parents, east of Morrisburg.

Messrs. Conrad and Henry Whitteker were six o'clock dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Casselman on Friday.

Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Don ald Barkley join in extending congratulations and best wishes to them on the occasion of their 31st wedding anniversary, which they celebrated on Friday, December 11th.

We wish to extend our congratula tions to Miss Mary Barkley on the occasion of her birthday which she celebrated on November 20. We hope she may be spared to celebrate many more birthdays.

Miss Betty McIntosh of Ottawa is spending this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Strader McIntosh.

Henry Whitteker has returned to his farm home after spending a few months at the village with his sister, Mrs. R. R. Loucks and Mr.. Loucks.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Whitteker accompanied by Mrs. Lloyd Merkley of Nation Valley spent Monday at Corn wall with the latter's husband, who underwent an operation in the General Hospital there on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McIntosh returned to their home here on Thursday of this week after spending the past two months with their daughters, Mrs. F. J. Donevan and Mr. Donevan at Oshawa and Mrs. J. C. Fetterly and Mr. Fetterly at Trenton.

Mrs. Arthur Loucks is leaving shortly for Port Colborne to spend the Christmas season at her parental home and with other friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hawkshaw and family of Cornwall spent the week end with friends at Osgoode and Ventnor and enroute to their home attended the Dedication of Honour Roll Service held in Williamsburg Un ited Church on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hanson of Straders' Hill were last Saturday evening guests with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Christie in Williamsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckstead and family spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Tupper at Rowena.

Mr. Dale Beckstead, Miss Gladys Froats and Mr. Ralph McIntosh of Williamsburg, and Miss Phyllis McMillan of Iroquois, attended the Ice Capades at Ottawa on Wednesday, the occasion being in honour of Ralph's birthday.

The I. O. O. F. Lodge of Williams burg and their ladies and other friends were entertained at Brinston on Wednesday last. Progressive euchre was played and the prize won by Mrs. John H. Wells. A brief programme of music was enjoyed, and delicious refreshments were served by the ladies.

Miss Eugenia Algire was a visitor on Tuesday of this week with Miss Florence McIntosh and Mr. and Mrs. Strader McIntosh at Sunnybrook Farm.

The Annual Christmas Programme in St. Peter's Lutheran Church, will be held Sunday night, December 20, at 7.30 p.m.

CHURCH ROAD

Mr. J. M. Carkner of Kingston spent the week end at his home here

Mrs. Wm. Dafoe entertained at a number of ladies at a quilting bee last Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy Styles spent last Friday with Mrs. Russell Link at Morrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Whitteker and son, Dwane of Williamsburg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Crow der last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bowman and Elsie and Mrs. Roy Styles were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowman at Chesterville on Sunday.

Mrs. Garnet Prunner and little daughters were guests of Mrs. Roy Styles on Tuesday.

Mrs. Bowman spent a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bowman the first of the week.

Miss Mary Schwerdfeger, Russell and Ray Schwerdfeger spent the week end at their homes here.

A number from here attended the funeral service for the late Mrs. Lane of Aultsville held at St. John's Church, Riverside on Wednesday.. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved family.

Mr. James Styles and Miss Mary of the M. C. I. spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schwerdfeger and little daughter spent Tuesday afternoon at Mr. H. Schwerdfeger's.

GALLINGERTOWN. WEST

Gnr. Clifford Gallinger of Woodstock spent the week end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Heagle, Second Concession visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McNairn on Sunday.

Miss Isabel McNairn and Ted McNairn spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Heagle, Second Concession.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Gallinger were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Weagant on Friday.

Gnr. F. C. Gallinger, Woodstock, and Mrs. Gallinger and Jimmie visited at the home of Mahlon Gow on Sunday.

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10 a.m. — Sunday School.

11 a.m.— Divine Worship.

7.30 p.m.— Divine Worship.

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2 p.m.—Divine Worship.

December 24— Christmas Concert in Church Hall at 8 p.m.

WILLIAMSBURG COUPLE MARK 42nd ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Forward, highly esteemed couple of Williamsburg celebrated quietly at their home on the 18th of December their 42nd wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Forward were married at the Lutheran parsonage at Morrisburg on December 18th, 1900 by the Rev. John C. Frances Rupp, pastor of St. John's Church, Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. Forward have two daughters (Velma), Mrs. Walter Loucks, Williamsburg and (Hazel) Mrs. Wallace Johnson of Ticonderoga, N. Y.; and one granddaughter, Velma Ella Johnson.

Mrs. Forward was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter D.. Schell of Froatburn and Mr. Forward a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Forward of Froatburn.

Their many friends wish them many more years af happy married life.

AULTSVILLE

Merry Christmas to all!

Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Dunkley of Vancouver B. C. were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cheley.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Countryman of Bush Glen visited relatives here on Friday last.

Mrs. James O'Shaughnessy has returned home after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Shaffer in Brockville.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson spent last Friday in Cornwall.

The Aultsville unit of the Red Cross held its annual meeting in the Red Cross rooms on Tuesday last. Everything went along very quietly, with the same officers being elected again.

An old and much respected resident in the person of Mrs. Helen Lane passed away on Sunday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Froats. Mrs. Lane had been in poor health for some time, but was only in bed a few days. Much sympathy is extended to all the family.

ROWENA

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Seeley, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lapier, Mr. Ted Beckstead and Pilot Officer Clinton Seeley spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Garlough.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Herman Cooper is on the sick list, suffering with a stroke. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Marjorie Seeley spent a coupleof days with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lapier last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Garlough spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hillyard Merkley of Iroquois.

Pilot Officer Clinton Seeley had dinner on Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. MacKenzie Seeley.

Mrs. Robert Cooper has returned home after visiting for some time with relatives at Brinston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Tupper, Mr.. and Mrs. Coleman Seeley and family spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Percy Roberts of Iroquois.

CEDAR GROVE

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wilson, Gallingertown visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ault Sunday evening.

Mrs. Frank McConnell was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Gallinger, Mille Roches Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Neill Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gallinger, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Kyer, Gallingertown, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dafoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McConnell called on Mrs. George Marcellus at Mr. and Mrs. John McNairn's Gallingertown Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunbar spent Tuesday in Cornwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McConnell spent Sunday with Reuben Gallinger at Gallingertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Burton and Carl, Second Concession, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dafoe Sunday.

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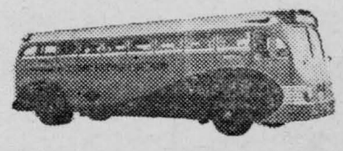
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• SERIAL STORY

OF BRIGHTNESS GONE

BY HOLLY WATTERSON

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DOMESTIC TEMPEST

CHAPTER VI

BELLE came home unexpectedly the end of July.

The circumstances of her return had an ominous air. Bruce was with her and they had with them, beside Belle's ever-present personal maid, the servant couple from the apartment in town. Candace saw neither of them that night or the next day, but whenever she passed through the halls she could hear their voices: Bruce's low and, it seemed, pleading, Belle's strident; and once she thought she heard Belle sobbing angrily.

She saw Bruce alone for an instant the next morning before dinner. It had been weeks only since she'd seen him, but she was shocked by the change in him, he looked so tired and so almost old. She said lightly, "It's been a tough summer in town, hasn't it, Uncle Bruce?"

He sighed. "Plenty tough," he agreed.

"You shouldn't have stayed there all the time," she said. "You should have come out here. The Hobbses and I would have seen that you were surrounded with fresh air and loving care—"

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Candace saw his expression change — he stood straighter, as though he had snapped to attention, and his face took on the harried expression that the servants invariably wore during one of Belle's not infrequent rages—and she knew that Bell had entered the room behind her. She thought indignantly, he treats him as though he were her servant, too. She turned slowly, her chin unconsciously lifting, and allowed Belle to advance without making any move toward her.

Belle was as usual beautifully turned out, but her eyes were narrowed unpleasantly and the tiny broken vens that showed in her cheeks when she was excited were in evidence. Prepared to endure th usual kiss of greeting from Candace, she was clearly taken aback when it was not offered. And in Candace's posed aloofness, that was in sharp contrast to her own hectic air, she sensed a change.

"You've grown older," she said.

Candace laughed. "It's a habit we all have," she agreed.

Belle looked almost apoplectic at that; but Candace's tone had been pleasant and there was nothing in her expression to indicate malice, and after a tense instant Belle apparently decided to let the remark go.

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The conversation during dinner degenerated, in their combined efforts to keep the peace, into almost childish prattle between herself and Bruce, having to do with how she had been keeping herself occupied.

Then Buce said, "Which college is it to be this fall?"

Candace smiled; her face lighted happily. "I've been dying for a chance to tell you both," she confided. "I go into training at Merrymount Hospital next week."

"You what?" Belle questioned sharply.

Her tone erased Candace's smile. She repeated carefully, "I'm going into training, I'm going to be a nurse."

"Oh, you are," Belle said, smirking. "How romantic! How too, too charming! So there's to be a glorified scullery maid in the family! How delightful." She dropped her tone of sarcasm. "Get that insane idea out of your head at once," she ordered.

Candace paled. She said slowly, "I'm afraid that's impossible. My plans are all made."

"Then you'll just have to unmake them."

Out of sight, under cover of the tablecloth, Candace clasped her hands tightly together to still their trembling. "I haven't the slightest intention of doing that," she said.

At the unexpected defiance, Belle looked to be on the point of exploding. Hobbs had entered with a tray and Bruce said, "Belle!" warningly. She shut her lips sharply against whatever it was she had intended to say, then waved Hobbs out.

"No dessert," she said. "No coffee. We're to be completely undisturbed."

In the drawing room she turned on Candace. "Now you'll explain to me the meaning of this high-handedness."

Bruce said, "I'll manage this, Belle."

She whirled on him. "May I point out to you," she remarked, her tone dripping scorn, "that under the circumstances you can scarcely claim to be able to manage anything? I'll manage this—and I prefer," she added sharply, "to do it alone."

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Candace turned her back so as not to see Bruce's ignominous retreat from the room. What the trouble between them was she couldn't guess, but she was hot with shame for him at Belle's treatment and her indignation lashed her into a fury that made her forget some of her own fear.

Behind her Belle said, "Now you'll explain to me, please, this sudden romantic urge to touch cool hands to fevered brows and all that—and incidentally to empty bedpans and things. You've thought of all that, I suppose?"

Candace hadn't, she h. dn't really thought much of anything beyond the actual details of getting entered and started. She said quietly, "I'll do everything that's expected of me, of course."

Belle had lighted a cigaret and was inhaling deeply and then expelling the smoke in angry gusts. "It's a simple reversion to type, I suppose," she said. "Peasants don't mind doing things like that. And your father was a peasant. With a gift of music, but a peasant for all of that. Did it ever occur to you," she demanded, "in your zeal to do things that are expected of you, that something might be expected of you for all I've done?"

Candace said miserably, "Of course, Aunt Belle. I owe you a lot, I know. But—"

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"But what? But you're just like your mother in that, that's the answer, not an ounce of gratitude in your whole make-up. I should have known. I wasted my whole youth doing without things so that she could have them. But when she had a chance to marry well so that she could make all that up to me, did she do it? No! No; instead she fell in love, 'romantically' in love like any cheap little servant girl, with her violin teacher and ran off and married him—"

Rembered bitterness threatened for an instant to choke her; she brought herself up sharply. "You might at least have consulted me about your plans. Why didn't you?"

Candace said honestly "It never once occurred to me that you'd be at all interested, or care what I did."

"I don't care, really," Belle admitted brutally, "My only real interest is in getting you off my hands as satisfactorily as possible, in a way that will reflect no discredit on me—and that will be permanent." She narrowed her eyes, peering at Candace through the smoke of her cigaret. "I'm going to be unpleasantly frank," she said. "You have not a penny to your name but what I choose to give you; you haven't an extraordinary brain; you have nothing at all but a certain youthful prettiness. If you take my advice, you'll go off to a good college while it's still possible, and you'll take every opportunity to meet eligible men, to make a good marriage. That's your only chance for safety. If—"

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A thought struck her and she paused speculatively. "It's possible," she said, her eyebrows raised, "that in your quiet way you've been ahead of me all this time. It's possible there's already a man in the picture. Are you," she demanded, "in love with Peter?"

Peter! It was as though Belle had accused her of being in love with a brother; Candace's face flamed.

Belle took the blush as confirmation. "I thought so," she said. "That explains the nursing notion. I suspected something of the sort a long time ago—"

Candace said quickly, "Aunt Belle, stop! It isn't Peter. Peter has nothing to do with it, he doesn't even know—"

"Then," Belle said slowly, after a long pause, "I'll finish what I was saying. If you can't manage matrimony, which is the safest career for any woman, you'll have to earn your living. But it will have to be in some dignified field. You'll promise that or my help stops right now.—Well, what have you to say?"

Candace said quietly, "I'm going into training, of course."

Belle crushed out her latest cigaret with an air of finality. "In that case, there's nothing more to be said. Except that, since you do it against my wishes, the sooner you do it the better." She swept coldly from the room.

(Continued Next Week)

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by Laura Wheeler

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GOOD EATING NEWS

Get out that strawberry jam you made last summer, for here's a cake that calls for preserves instead of sugar. Not only do the preserves add the sweetening, but they give the cake a delicious moistness so that it stays fresh for days. Bran in the batter accounts for the unusual nut-like flavor. The recipe, which is well worth saving, follows:

All-Bran Strawberry Jam Cake

- 2/3 cup All-Bran
- ⅓ cup milk
- ½ cup shortening
- 1 cup strawberry jam
- 2 eggs, separated
- 1½ cups cake flour
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- ¼ teaspoon almond flavoring

Soak All-Bran in milk about five minutes. Blend shortening with ⅓ cup jam. Add egg yolks; beat well; stir in soaked All-Bran. Sift flour, salt and baking powder; add to creamed mixture alternately with remaining jam. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into shallow greased baking pan; bake in moderate oven (350°F.) 30 to 35 minutes.

Yield: 9 pieces (9 x 9-inch pan).

Note: Finished cake may be topped with meringue made of 1 egg white, 1-16 teaspoon salt and 2 tablespoons strawberry jam.

"Herr Meyer"

Among Germans, Marshal Goering is generally referred to these days as "Herr Meyer," Newsweek reveals. It seems they haven't fogotten that speech Goering made to the Ruhr miners in the early days of the war, when he promised: "Germany is bomb-proof. If ever your work should be disturbed by the R.A.F., or a single British bomb should fall on German territory, then my name is Meyer."

Early Christmas Mailing Essential

All indications point to a record volume of Christmas mail this year and wartime demands on manpower and transportation make it imperative that the appeal to "Mail Early" be closely observed.

The Postal authorities advise that for delivery by Christmas, mail must be posted on or before the following dates:

December 15th—British Columbia.

December 16th — Alberta and Saskatchewan.

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Last year—in spite of many appeals for Early Mailing—more than 10,000,000 letters and Christmas cards were dropped into mail boxes in Toronto on December 22, 23 and 24, and incoming trains on those dates brought in many additional carloads of mail. As a result of this deluge of last-minute mailing, Christmas mails could not be cleaned up until several days after Christmas.

Shortage of trained help is very acute this year and public cooperation in Early Mailing is absolutely essential.

Plans For Better Post-War Britain

Freedom From Want For Working Classes Object of Sir William Beveridge's Proposals

Sir William Beveridge, noted British economist, has given Britain a plan for post-war social security which forsees a system of compulsory state insurance covering every person in Britain, regardless of age, income or job, against almost all forms of personal want or insecurity.

The outlines of the plan, drawn up by a government-appointed committee were made public last week. The report now goes to Parliament for action—which Sir William urged be started immediately so the program could be instituted right after the war.

Theoretically there would be work for all. The state would control medical services. If a man couldn't work for some reason, he would get (basically) $5 a week for himself and wife and $1.50 for each child. Retirement (not "old age") pensions would be provided for all, beginning for men at 65, for women at 60. Housewives would be recognized officially as performing special services and possessing special needs, which would be covered as would those of any wage earner.

The whole scheme would cost about $3,200,000,000 a year, with $1,200,000,000 paid in $1 weekly contributions from people with incomes plus contributions from employers, while the government paid the other $2,000,000,000. This would mean permanent drain on the exchequer that would keep the postwar income tax above 7 shillings in the pound (35 per cent).

The benefits were worked on the basis of a cost-of-living which has risen 25 per cent since 1938.

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TABLE TALKS

SADIE B. CHAMBERS

On this fourth year of war please accept my heartiest wishes for a "Happy Christmas." It will not be a merry one for many who are anxious about members of their family in the army. But to make us all happy we need only to compare our conditions with those of last year. True there has been great sacrifice and much sorrow, but we have seen the sun peeping through the clouds of our anxiety and sorrow. "Victory" is emblazoned upon our national sky and in fact on the horizon of the world. It will be A DIFFICULT road yet with many turns and byways to follow, but ever will we be encouraged by the thought that the objective of our goal is to bring about a world-wide justice and the brotherhood of man. Therefore as we celebrate the birthday of the One who has given us everything we have personally, nationally and internationally, who is there among us who cannot say "Happy Christmas to All"?

Christmas Dinner Menu

Cranberry and Grapefruit Cocktail
Roast Chicken Savoury Dressing
Creamed Mashed Potatoes
Mashed Turnips
Giblet Gravy
Salad — Chopped beets in Lemon Jelly with Boiled Dressing
Carrot Pudding
Brown Sugar Sauce
Beverage of Choice

Cranberry and Grapefruit Cocktail

Boil cranberries and sweeten in the usual way. Strain and chill the juice. Have quartered grapefruit sections ready also chilled. Place grapefruit in sherbet glasses and pour over the cranberry juice.

Savoury Dressing

- 2 cups stale bread crumbs
- 2 tablespoons melted butter
- 1 tablespoon chopped parsley
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon powdered sage
- 1 teaspoon sweet marjoram (powdered)
- ¼ teaspoon pepper

Mix altogether and moisten with butter.

Salad

Chop one pint of pickled beets or freshly boiled ones. Season with salt and pepper. Moisten very slightly with salad dressing. Prepare a pint of lemon jelly powder. When cool stir in the chopped beets. Serve on ettuce with salad dressing and garnish with parsley.

Carrot Pudding

- 1 cup sugar
- 1 cup raisins
- 1 cup currants
- 1 cup suet
- 1 cup grated carrot
- 1 cup grated potato
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon soda
- 1½ cups flour

Dissolve soda in a little cold water. Mix all ingredients prepared in the usual way and turn into a buttered mold. Cover and steam three hours for a large mold or one hour for individual molds.

Brown Sugar Sauce

- 1½ tablespoons butter
- 4 teaspoons cornstarch
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- 1½ cups brown sugar
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 teaspoon vanilla

Melt the butter, add the cornstarch and blend thoroughly. Add salt, sugar and boiling water. Boil for ten minutes—to be sure there is no taste of raw starch. Remove from fire and add vanilla.

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 ::pet 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.

City Brain Worker Suffers From War

Doctors state it is the city brain worker in Britain who is suffering most from three years o war. The manual worker gets plenty of exercise in the open, even though his diet may not be excellent. Office workers, however, spend long hours in poorly ventilated and heated offices with no chance for normal exercise. They don't get the oxygen they require into their blood.



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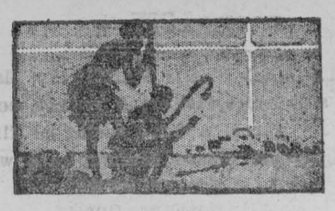
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Merry Christmas



We Must Fight The Good Fight

Our Fourth Wartime Christmas Without "Peace On Earth"

When Christmas Day dawns this year, one thousand one hundred and eighty-nine days of this war will have run their course. It is not a happy record; it is not a total upon which we can look with pride at this season of "peace on earth, goodwill toward men."

During that stretch of more than three years, we have witnessed the fall and occupation of many nations, the battering into submission of others. We have seen our young men and women go forth by the thousands for battle fronts the world over. Later, we received stunning reports of casualties. We have come to see, pray God not too late, that world domination is the one thought that spurs on our enemies, world domination that you and I shall live as slaves, without those precious freedoms.

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That is the unhappy side of the picture. But let us not forget —indeed, let us make it a point to remember this Christmas — that there is a brighter side.

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It cannot be a merry Christmas in the old sense. To be merry, the dictionary says, is to be full of mirth and good humor, gay, sportive, jovial, pleasant. The gay light-heartedness with which we have been accustomed to greet the Christmas season is scarcely fitted to a country fighting a war for its very life, its institutions, its future. But that light-hearted Christmas revelry is not, after all the essential thing about Christmas.

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Since that night in Bethlehem a thousand wars have mangled and crucified humanity. Yet is Christmas forgotten? A thousand times ill-will has obtained the temporary mastery over that ancient promise of good will toward men, yet in the hearts of millions of men the flame of good will burns uninterrupted. It is as inextinguishable as man himself, as eternal as God. It will come again to the surface to light the world once more, just as when the glory of the Lord shone down on the shivering shepherds in old Judea.

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That flame reflects other blessings too. Standing out boldly in its cleansing heat is the brave, indomitable spirit of our sailors, our soldiers, our airmen; the spirit of Victory at any cost. There, too, we see the noble endeavors of our brave allies, the skilled hands of our workers turning our munitions of war in ever-increasing quantities, and every Canadian — man, woman, and child, young and old —taking the significance of this brutal, callous war to his or her heart.

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No, we cannot today have peace on earth. Perhaps, one day again, we shall be able to speak those hallowed words. It depends on us. We must fight the good fight—for keeps!



(15th Century "Nativity" by Francesco di Pietra Santa, Rome)

And it came to pass in those days that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed. . . . And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city.

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem (because he was of the house and lineage of David): to be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child. And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them,

"Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you: ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger."

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying,

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."

His Last Dime

Dan Driscoll was broke. Well, almost broke. He had one thin dime, niding in the dark depths of a purse that had once held bills of three figures.

He had held it for 20 years, ever since he had found it while ploughing on his father's farm. His lucky dime—that's what he had called it. Dan laughed grimly at the thought. Lucky! Had anyone ever been so unlucky as him? Here was the whole town preparing for Christmas, shopping, spending oodles of money, and he was a penniless, weary wanderer. A lucky dime!

A little place around the corner caught his eye. Dan entered, his nostrils quivering under the tantalizing odors. He looked around with greedy eyes, his mouth watering with longing. Soup, roast fowl, potatoes, luscious mince pie! But he mustn't think about such things. He had just one dime—the price of a cup of coffee and a doughnut, or a hamburger. Which would it be? The queer little man inside the counter waited while Dan weighed the important question. The hamburger won. While it was being cooked to order, Dan dug into his pocket and took the dime from the battered purse.

Hungry as he was, he handed it over before attacking the food. His voice was a bit apologetic. "It's an old timer," he said; "been in my pocket for years and years."

The old man didn't seem to be listening. He was peering through his spectacles at the coin.

"You're sure you're telling the truth about this dime?" he queried.

"The absolute truth," Dan answered. "But, if you won't believe me, you can have your coffee and hamburger."

A shrill laugh ran through the place. "It's a good thing you ran across someone who knew, and better, somebody who was honest," the little man was saying excitedly. "Do you know that you have one of the rarest dimes at large? It's — it's worth thousands."

"You mean, this thing I've held on to for years is worth money?"

"It's worth big money," the cafe owner was waving his hands in the air, the dime clasped between his thumb and first finger. "I've been looking for one of them all my life!"

"Hand me that menu!" Dan Driscoll cried commandingly. "I'm going to have a Christmas dinner right now. I'm going clear down the line, from soup to mince pie."

Fateful Meeting

In the graying dusk of a December afternoon the slowly moving figure seemed almost a part of the landscape. Half a dozen cars whizzed by but not one stopped to offer him a lift or ask where he was going. If the Spirit of Christmas, of kindness, was abroad, it was surely passing him up.

Ten minutes more of plodding through the chill, darkening air, and another car came roaring down the road, passing him by as the others had done. The grim lines around his mouth grew deeper, then he heard a loud grinding of brakes.

"Almost passed you up," a gay voice cried.

"Pretty fine of you to stop for an old man." He shuffled into the vacant seat as he spoke.

"Oh, that's nothing," the gay voice was a bit embarrassed. "But I did almost pass you up. With this Christmas business, and the rush and hurry, one could pass up their own mother."

"I like to hear you say that. It's what I've always believed. The fact is, I was making a bit of a test today—had a bet with a friend about it. What's your name?"

"The name is Tod Jenkins. I'm headed for St. Louis—going home to spend Christmas with mother. I graduated in engineering last June."

"An interesting story." Tod turned to look at the old man as he spoke. He almost swung the car off the slab. "Why—why you look years and years younger than I thought!"

A hearty laugh sounded against the sharply rising wind. The man was speaking again. "I'm not so old, Tod," he said slowly; "I'm a long way from the old fellow you were kind enough to pick up. Yesterday we had an argument at the club. I made a bet with a fellow that I wouldn't have to walk an hour before I would find the Spirit of Christmas. It was rather a crazy thing to do, but I happen to be rather an eccentric scientist. My name is Perry Birch."

"Perry Birch!" Tod's eyes widened in astonishment, and his foot went off the accelerator, bringing the car almost to a standstill before he went on. "Why—why," he stammered, "I've been wanting to meet you all my life. I've read everything you've written—studied your methods and work for years. In fact," his voice grew more embarrassed, "I've been hoping that some day I might follow in your footsteps. The biggest wish of my life is to become a scientist like you!"

Do Not Encourage Witches and Sprites

Evergreens are synonymous with Christmas, but if you would comply with tradition you should not put them in place before Christmas Eve. It should be a part of the children's Christmas duties to bring them in and hang them in the designated places. They should be left in place until January 6 (Twelfth Night,) when every leaf must be burned. Tradition maintains that even one leaf left to wither will encourage witches and sprites.

Druids Considered Mistletoe Sacred

Did you know that when enemies meet under the mistletoe bough they are supposed to lay down their arms for at least a 24-hours truce? That is why a hostess tries to hang some mistletoe near the doorway of her home, thus assuring perfect harmony while her guests are under her roof. The Druids of old held the mistletoe bough sacred. It was also considered symbolic and an invitation to the spirits of the forest to come in and bring good cheer. The custom of kissing under the mistletoe dates back to ancient Britain. To bring the best type of luck to the one kissed, it is claimed the bough must be cut with a golden knife.

Novel Christmas Tree Trimmings

Popcorn strung in long strings, and delicately tinted, makes ideal trimming for a tree. We saw one last year strung with pale pink and blue popcorn. Silver tinsel, combined with Christmas ornaments, completed the picture.

Tiny packages wrapped in colored paper dotted here and there on the tree will lend special interest. Have a small parcel of some amusing trinket for each member of the family.

If cranberries are available, have the children make strings of them to give your tree a colorful touch.

Attractive Christmas decorations that can be combined with bright glass decorations, berries, and other ornaments can be made by simply crystallizing crooked twigs and branches of trees. Simply wrap some loose cotton batting around the branches and tie it with wool. Next dissolve about two pounds of alum in a quart of boiling water, and pour it over the selected twigs and branches. Allow them to remain suspended for 12 hours, and they will be found to be crystallized. Small branches and twigs can be treated without the cotton batting.

Decorate House With Evergreens

The house may be decorated inside and out to make a fitting background for the tree. With a few greens, the place may be made over and the results will be most gratifying. For outside, make wreaths of evergreens and tie them with red oilcloth bows. Prunings from the Christmas tree often may be used for the wreaths and some of the homemade decorations used for a touch of color.

When you are trimming your own Christmas tree, don't forget the birds. The old custom of trimming an outdoor tree for the birds and squirrels is a charming one. Popcorn, cranberries, or crackers strung together and pieces of suet tied to the tree, and an extra pound of nuts scattered on the ground for the squirrels will make you feel very close kin to Santa Claus.

Christmas Legends

Why do we have Christmas trees and candles? One legend tells us that on a cold, clear Christmas Eve, Martin Luther wandered through the winter woods filled with happiness at the loveliness of the snow-laden trees, under the starry sky. He wanted to share his happiness with his children, so he cut a small fir tree and took it home. When he had set it up, he placed little glowing candles on the boughs to represent the stars of heaven.

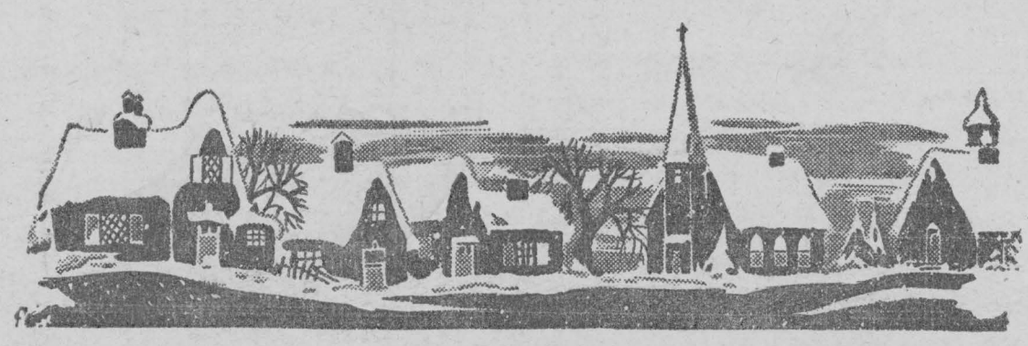
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In Holland the children call Santa Claus St. Nicholas and believe that he travels about on a white horse. Instead of hanging up their stockings, they leave their little wooden shoes, filled with grass and hay for the white horse to eat, on the step outside the front door. And lo! when morning comes the grass and hay have disappeared and in their place are gifts for such thoughtful children.

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From Spain comes the gentle admonition that cows must always be treated with special kindness, for did they not stand close to the Christ Child in His manger bed and blow their warm, sweet breath on Him all through the chilly night?







Merry Christmas

Heap on more wood!—the wind is chill;
But let it whistle as it will,
We'll keep our Christmas merry still.

Happy New Year

In The Morrisburg Churches

ANGLICAN CHURCH

Rev. G. Oliver Davies, Rector
4th Sunday in Advent—
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9.45 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Matins.
3 p.m.—Sunday School for children up to 8 years of age.
7 p.m.—Evensong.
Holy Trinity Church—
2.30 p.m.—Evensong.
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St. James' Church
Christmas Eve—
11.30 p.m.—Holy Communion.
Christmas Day—
7 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Holy Eucharist.
Holy Trinity Church.
9 a.m.—Holy Communion.
All Christmas Services will be in the Church.

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Sunday, December 20, 1942—
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Evening Service — 7.30.
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Annual Sunday School Christmas Concert on Wednesday evening in the Sunday School Hall.

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7.00 p.m.—Vespers.
Christmas Morning—
8 a.m.—Matins.
St. John's —
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2.45 pm.—Sunday School.
Christmas Evening—
7.30 p.m.— Vespers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam McLeod have returned to Morrisburg after spending the past few months in Dalhousie.

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S. A. C. Charles Blancher, R. C. A. F., of Belleville, spent the week end with his parents here. Charles is taking an observer's course.

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Miss Dorothy Weir, R. N., and Miss Florence Weir of Toronto University are spending the holiday season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Weir.

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Senator Georges Parent of Quebec, Speaker of the Senate, dropped dead in the Queens Hotel Montreal on Monday. He would have been 63 on Tuesday.

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Mr. Jack Tewsley of the Bank of Montreal staff has been transferred to Mimico, Ont. He left on Thursday Mrs. Tewsley will join him in a few days.

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Mrs. McGee and small son of Toronto and Mr. Orrie Casselman of Kingston were in town for the funeral on Monday of their grandmother, Mrs. Loucks, who died in Canton N. Y.

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Guests over the week end with Mr and Mrs. Claude Casselman, Williamsburg were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Casselman, Mr. Lyle Casselman, of Williamsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Casselman and Miss Adelene Smith, Ottawa; Mrs. Isaac Barkley and granddaughter, Miss Jean Sherridan of Pickering, Ont.

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Captain Allan Piper, of Cornwall, who suffered the loss of both hands about two inches above the wrists, while acting as an instructor overseas, is back in Canada, and is visiting with his wife and children in Cornwall before reporting to headquarters at Kingston. When the war broke out he was regimental sergeant major with the S. D. & G. Highlanders in Cornwall.

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Mrs. Robert Merkley was in Ottawa this week.

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Mrs. James Ault and Frances visited in Ottawa during the week.

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Mrs. Glen E. Strike of Ottawa is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clinton Casselman.

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Mr. George Baker, R. C. A. F. of Calgary is enjoying a holiday with his mother, Mrs. Lottie Baker.

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Miss Dorothy Nash is spending a holiday with relatives at Pittsfield, Mass.

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If you have folks coming to visit you for the holidays, or if you are going out of town yourself, let your friends know about it. Phone 33, and we will be glad to include your news items in our personal column.

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