The CHESTERVILLE Record

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Funeral of the Late Mrs. Elza Barkley

On Monday, February 14th, ,there passed away one of Dunbar's citizens in the person of Mrs. Elza Barkley, who was in her 74th year.

Although in declining health for three months, Mrs. Barkley was not confined to her bed. The deceased, formerly Alice Almeda Whittaker was the daughter of the late Barney Whittaker, and his wife, Lovina Schwerdfeger. Mrs. Barkley was born at the Whittaker homestead in the Sixth Concession of Williamsburg. After her marriage to Mr. Elza Barkley of Dunbar, settled on a farm near Dunbar where the greater part of her life was spent. Mrs. Barkley was a loving wife, a devoted mother and a staunch Lutheran.

Her passing is mourned by one son, Ivan at home and two daughters Edith at home and Mrs. Jason Froats of Dunbar, four grandchildren and one brother, Mr. Charles Whittaker and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Stata, Mrs. Charles Loucks, and Mrs. Kate Vassaw.

Her husband died thirteen years ago. The funeral service which was held in the Lutheran church, Dunbar, on Wednesday, February 11th, at two thirty o'clock, was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Wm. Nolting. The choir under the direction of Mrs. Bessie McMillan rendered appropriate music including her favoured hymn, "Jesus Saviour Pilot Me," also a very suitable duet by Mrs. Bernice Froats and Mrs. Bernice Barkley.

The floral tributes were—Pillow—The family; Wreath—Grace and Jason, The Loucks Family; Spray—The Ladies Aid.

The pall bearers were: Willie Dillabough, Eddie Servage, George Weegar, Harold Elliott, Arthur Barkley, Stanley Black. The remains were placed in Williamsburg vault, pending burial in the spring.

RETURNS FROM OVERSEAS

Capt. Graham R. Weegar, RCOC, Ottawa, has returned from overseas, after having spent some time in liaison work at C.M.H.Q., London, England.

DEATH OF MRS. BLACKLOCK

The death occurred in Montreal Saturday last of Mrs. Eleanor Blacklock, widow of the late R. J. Blacklock. The funeral took place yesterday at St. Mary's church when mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Keaney.

CORRECTION.

The names of Joseph Lynch and Alfred Beehler should have appeared among the pallbearers at the funeral of the late Mrs. Rady.

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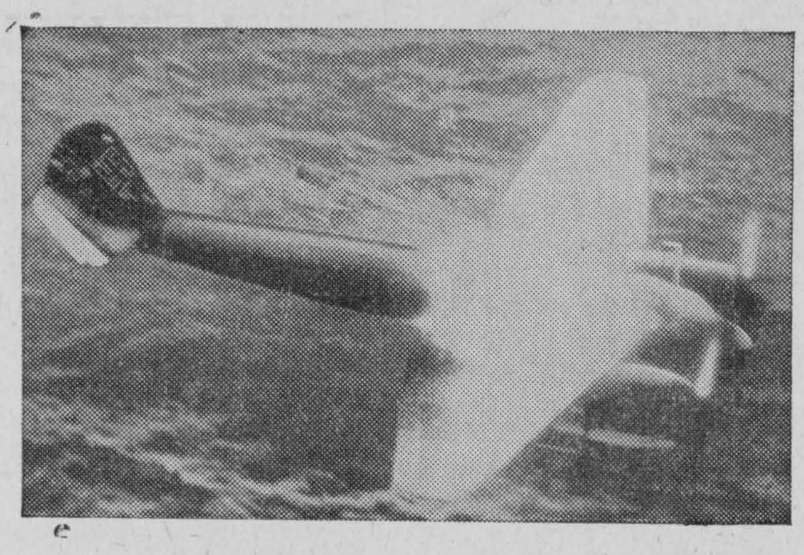

R.A.F. COASTAL COMMAND PLANE "KILLS" A JU. 88

A JU. 88 shot down into the sea by an aircraft of R.A.F. Coastal Command. The German plane is seen on fire just before it hits the water. The pilot of the British Aircraft flew around taking photographs but saw no signs of survivors.

Bill Barker's Mother Passes Away

Tribute was paid Monday to the memory of Mrs. Frank Barker, pioneer resident of the Rideau Lakes district, when the funeral was held from her New Boyne home to St. Peter's Anglican church and to Portland, Ont., vault, where the body was placed to await interment. Rev. R. H. Braman of Lombardy, conducted the services.

Mrs. Barker died on Friday night in a Smiths Falls hospital following a long illness. Born on the Rideau Lakes 71 years ago, daughter of the late Samuel Willis and Maria Gardiner, she had resided there during her entire life, making her home at New Boyne following her marriage in 1889. She was an Anglican and active in St. Peter's Church organizations.

She is survived by three sons, Bill, now of Chesterville and well known in Ottawa district curling circles, Sam, of Hamilton, and Ralph, Smiths Falls; one brother, H. E. Willis, Portland, and one sister, Mrs. W.H. Murphy, Saskatoon, Sask.

MRS. ELLACOTT PASSES AWAY UNEXPECTEDLY

Yesterday Mrs Ellacott, wife of Rev. J. A. C. Ellacott, rector of Holy Trinity Anglican church, died at her home in Winchester after a brief illness. A week ago Mrs. Ellacott became ill but was believed to be on the road to recovery within a very short time of her death. Besides her husband she is survived by three sons now overseas with the RCAF. The funeral will take place in Winchester Friday afternoon at two o'clock.

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While Capt. Cass is on Active Service, Mr. W. J. Cass, K.C., will be in the Chesterville Offices every forenoon, and in the Winchester Office every afternoon except Saturday.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Birthday greetings to A. R. Casselman of Berwick, who will celebrate his ninetieth birthday Saturday, February 26th.

GRADE HOLSTEIN COW SOLD FOR $250

When Oscar Foster, a mile west of Chesterville sold one of his Grade Holstein cows for $250 this week we believe a high was set for grade cows in this district. The cow said by the American buyer to be the finest cow he had seen in Canada was for shipment to Massachussets. At an auction sale a week ago the top for Pure Bred Holsteins was $265 for a cow.

District Red Cross Makes Good February Shipment

Hospital.
395 spray towels,
2 hand towels,
60 face cloths,
35 pr. men's pyjamas,
25 hot water bottle covers,
140 triangular bandages,
130 face masks,
2 men's dressing gowns,
200 airforce hankies,
230 khaki hankies,
10 white hankies,

Army
6 long sleeved sweaters,
9 sleeveless sweaters,
20 pr. khaki gloves,
7 pr. service socks,
1 turtle neck sweater,

Navy
30 pr. service socks,
24 comfort bags.

Refugee
24 quilts,
6 girls' coats,
1 girl's blouse,
4 girls' pinafore dresses,
6 girls' knitted dresses,
8 ladies' sleeveless sweaters,
1 pr. lady's knickers,
7 boys' knitted suits,
1 boy's blouse,
13 baby sets,
2 scarves,
9 face cloths,
13 pr. children's mitts,
4 pr. children's stockings,
3 small hankies.

SPENDS THIRD YEAR OVERSEAS
PTE. MELVIN HARPER.



Tuesday of this week Pte Melvin Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Harper of town, celebrated his fourth year in the army and his third year overseas.

NEW C.P.R. AGENT

Mr. W. W. Timmins of Pembroke has taken over the position of agent for the Canadian Pacific at this place during the week, succeeding T. H. Cowan, who retired recently on pension after 45 years service. Mr. and Mrs. Timmins will take up residence in the apartments at the station, the comfort of which has been much improved with the addition of a new heating system for the office, waiting room and apartment. Mr. and Mrs. Timmins have two sons and a daughter in the services.

Variety Show Well Presented By Trinity United Y.P.U.

Tuesday evening in Community Hall a fair sized audience was treated a well rendered and particularly pleasing Variety Show by the members of the Young People's Union of Trinity United church, assisted by an orchestra of five pieces. Mrs. Geo. Merkley and Mrs. Hosea Droppo, violins, P. G. Hewitt, saxophone, Gordon Wragg, flute, with Mrs. P. J. Gilroy at the piano. The orchestra on three occasions delighted the audience with selections not often heard in connection with a show by the 'teen age group.

A humorous sketch well presented by Lillian and Harry Allison, following the song of welcome was well presented and whetted the expectations of the audience for the main one-act comedy "Sauce for the Goslings" with a cast made up of Charles Doering, Isobel Paul, Duane Justus, Marjorie Summers, Berneyce Dillabough, James Brown and Lois Brownlee. It was remarkably well rendered by these young people with the nonchalance and lack of prompting seldom seen beyond the professionals. It reflected the greatest credit on the effective training of Mr. Gordon Wragg, who was in charge of the show.

A short interlude was filled with a sing-song led by O. L. King and followed by a humorous skit "Columbus Discovers America" in which Gordon Fulton was the reader, with Graham Sullivan, Ronald Sullivan, Bill Hough, Doug. Hough, Jim Sullivan and Lila Young in the cast.

A medley march by the orchestra and the closing chorus brought a splendid entertainment to a close with the wish of many that it would not be the last opportunity to hear the talented young people of the Young People's Union.

Valentine Tea By Mission Band

The Merrill Mission Band of Trinity United Church, held a very delightful Valentine Tea on Saturday, February 12th, in the S.S. Hall, which was very prettily decorated for the occasion.

The many guests enjoyed a rare treat as each member of the Band contributed his or her share to the very interesting program. Opening number on the program, was an exercise by the Junior members and included recitations, rhymes, songs and thought-provoking riddles. The way the children excelled was an indication of how painstaking had been the training they received by Mrs. Hewitt. Song selections by a group of senior members under the capable leadership of Mrs Gilroy, was thoroughly enjoyed.

The presentation of a Life Membership Certificate to Betty Servage was made by Mrs. Doering.

At the conclusion of the program the leader, Mrs. Fader, on behalf of the leaders and members addressed the guests. The delicious lunch, which was served by the Senior members was enjoyed and so also were the piano selections rendered by Jack and Connie Morris, Shirley Munro, Katheryn Durant and Shirley Rowe, duirng the tea hour.

Radio Forum News

No Forum last Monday night. It was review night and the members listen from their own homes. On the Monday preceding, the Forum met at the home of Oscar Foster and despite the fact that it was collection night, 27 members were present and a large collection was realized. If every Farm Forum in Ontario would pay in $8.00 a season, the Farm Forum office would be self-sustaining. So far S.S. No. 10, with one collection still to be held, has paid over $17.00 to the Provincial Secretary. During the last three weeks, four new Forums have started in the county, bringing the total up to seven. The three originals are Matilda South, Hallville and S.S. No. 10. North Winchester school section is planning to start next Monday night. There are still a large number of school sections that could be organized, if some member of each section would only make a start.

S.S. No. 10 meets at Albert Smith's next Monday night with Tom McCadden as convenor. A new series "Planning reaches the Family Farm" will commence on that night.

SAP SHOULD RUN

It must be tempting to farmers with sugar bushes to tap with such syrup making weather as we have had this week. The snow we have had has practically disappeared and it might be thought we are at the end of March instead of February. There is still time to worry about March coming in like a lamb or a lion. If the former it would be handy to have a few seeds started for early setting out when gardening is commenced.

Coming Events

POT LUCK SUPPER.

The Women's Association of Elma United church will hold a Pot Luck supper in the church hall Friday night, February 25th. Games and music will be provided for entertainment. Come and enjoy a good evening. Admission Adults 25 cents, children 15 cents.

SHOWER.

The Woman's Association of Trinity United church are holding a shower at the Parsonage, on Wednesday, March 1st, at 2.30. All ladies are invited to bring a towel or money and to join us.

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH
Chesterville, Ont.
Rev. W. E. Wright, Pastor
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH, 1944.
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Public Worship
Starting For First Base (The church)
7.30 p.m.—Public Worship
"Out of the Overflow." Illustrating the W.M.S. "Study Book"

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH
CHESTERVILLE
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH, 1944.
11 a.m.
Conducted by Mr. Harold Groves.

MOREWOOD UNITED CHURCH.
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH, 1944.
Service at 2.30 p.m. Conducted by Rev. W.E. Wright, Chesterville.
Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path. Psl 119: 105.

COMMUNITY THEATRE
Chesterville

FRIDAY & SATURDAY——————FEBRUARY 25TH & 26TH

"Varsity Show"
—with—
Dick Powell Priscilla Lane Rosemary Lane
AND ON SAME PROGRAM
"The Gorilla Man"
—with—
John Loder Ruth Ford Paul Cavanagh

Two Shows Each Evening

Next Week's Programme
Picadilly Theatre
Williamsburg - Ontario

THIS THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY FEB. 24-25-26
"SHADOW ON THE SAGE"
New series of adventure with the Mesquiteers.
—ALSO—
"MOUNTAIN RHYTHM"
The Weaver Brothers and Elviry with their wholesome, Hillbilly fun and music and a load of Patriotic Ideas.

MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY FEB. 28-29- MARCH 1
"PRESENTING LILY MARS"
Music and Laughter and a few tears, with Judy more beautiful than ever. Starring JUDY GARLAND, VAN HEFLIN, FAY BAINTER and RICHARD CARLSON.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY MARCH 2-3-4
"WHISTLING IN DIXIE"
RED SKELTON in one of his funniest pictures, with ANN RUTHERFORD and GUY KIBBEE.
—ALSO—
"BELOW THE BORDER"
Three reckless Buckaroos who live to the tune of leather and lead. Starring BUCK JONES, TIM McCOY and RAYMOND HATTON.

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G. C. LACEY,
Editor and Proprietor.

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ADVERTISE IN THE RECORD
. . IT PAYS!

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1944.

LACK OF SHIPS MAKE BEEF SURPLUS

With packing houses in Ontario literally loaded to the rafters there has gone up a great cry from cattle producers for the lifting of the embargo on shipments to the United States and the discontinuance of meat rationing and "meatless Tuesdays" There has also been a demand for the abolition of subsidies on western packers to eastern packers. Ontario producers declare that with packing plants "chockful" of beef which is being disposed of it is found virtually impossible to sell their cattle. With a beef shortage in the United States the producers maintain that sending the surplus stock across the line would not only be a neighborly act but would also help to relieve the congestion in the provincial packing houses. It is explained by agricultural officials that the hogs and cattle population is unusually high at the present time. The Government has felt it to be the duty of Canada to ship all available meat to Great Britain and the clogging in the packing plants has arisen owing to the lack of space in which to ship beef overseas.

MILK SUBSIDY NOT CHARITY

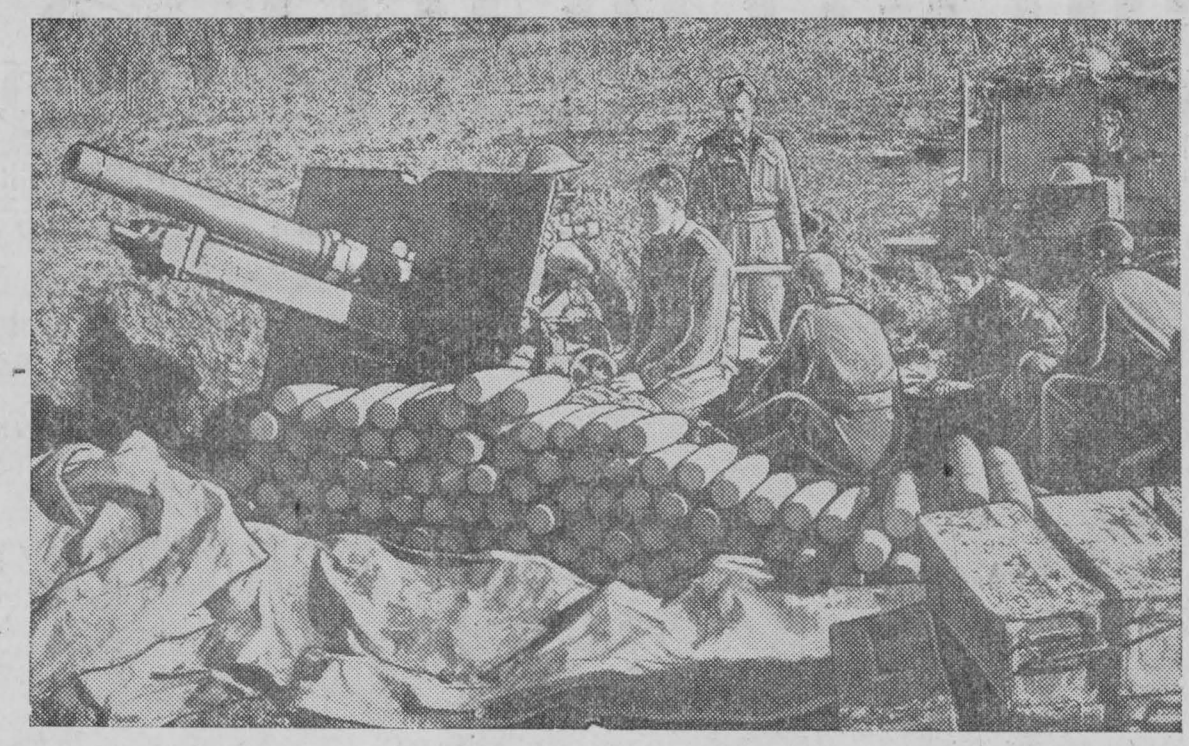
In requesting that the 30 cents a hundredweight subsidy on milk be continued throughout the summer months Ontario Milk Producers were advised that they must get away from the idea that the subsidy was government assistance or charity. Dr. J.B. Reynolds, president of the Association contends it is an alternative to the free upward trend of prices. But for price controls, he maintains, producers would be getting higher prices today. The ceiling prevents a free upward move and an equivalent for this loss is a continuation of the subsidy. At a meeting of the Ontario Whole Milk Producers League it was deemed advisable to license producers under the Milk Control Act. Under a plan of automatic membership and legalized fee collections a resolution was passed asking an amendment to the Act and provision whereby collection deductions be made by milk distributors or processors from the monthly milk cheque and turned over to the provincial Association for allocation to locals for the maintenance of service. The fees will be determined from time to time by the local committees for their respective market areas subject to the Milk Control Board's approval.

MAKE CONTACT WITH BRITISH INDUSTRIES

A fund of $15,000 a year or more for a period of five years is to be established by the Associated Boards of Trade and Chambers off Commerce of Ontario for the upkeep of an industrial commission with officers in the newly reopened Ontario House in London if the Provincial Government permits the use of offices in that centre. The Toronto Board of Trade has undertaken to bear the major part of the cost and an outstanding man will be selected for the post of Commissioner, who will make necessary contacts with British industries said to be eager to establish branches in this province.

GET SEED POTATOES EARLY

Farmers should pay heed to the warnings that are being sent out to place their orders for certified seed potatoes without delay if they do not wish to be left in the lurch at the last moment. It is pointed out that certified seed potatoes are being withheld from export to meet the requirements of Canadian growers. It has been announced that supplies not needed for planting in the Dominion will be released for export in March before the season in the U.S. A. is too advanced for planting.



NEW ZEALAND TROOPS IN SANGRO RIVER BATTLE.

In the face of appalling weather conditions and stiff enemy resistance the 8th Army, carried the barrier of the river Sangro by storm and are now well on their way to the port of Pescara.
Picture Shows: A New Zealand crew with their 25 pounder in action near the River Sangro.

SAVE MONEY WHEN YOU HAVE IT

An Elmira business man, R. G. Pickell, says the most vital problem facing Canadians today and which will continue to face them for a good many years is that of taxation. During the war people have cheerfully shouldered this load but the time is coming when some relief must be given. He points out that it is almost impossible to build reserves for future rehabilitation and this applies not only to industry but to agriculture and any other activity. The problem is how to eliminate some of the load of taxation. Mr. Pickell believes that the job confronting Canada calls for leadership of all organizations outside of politics. This leadership should have as its ultimate aim the bringing to the consciousness of Canadian citizens the fact that, if we want even a measure of prosperity, there is no substitute for individual work and individual thrift. That if we are to have a postwar plan that will give us the desired end each individual in the Dominion must take his share or responsibility to bring it about.

CANADIAN RED CROSS URGENTLY NEEDS $10,000000

The Canadian Red Cross National appeal for $10,000,000 opens on February 28th, when the people of Canada will be asked to contribute just as much as they possibly can to make this objective a certainty.

Coming into the fifth year of a wide-spread war with more Allied countries desperately in need of supplies and comforts of all kinds, the Canadian Red Cross is stepping up production in every department to meet requisitions as they come in.

This year there are more prisoners of war. $5,500'000 must be spent on food parcels alone, with an additional $1,000,000 for parcels for Allied Red Cross Societies.

Dried blood serum is growing in importance with the advance of our armed forces, and $750,000 will be required to keep this vital service functioning at top speed, as it must.

Hospital supplies and comforts for the Forces require $3,000,000.

With a growing feeling that the war may be coming to a close, there is an even greater need for concentration on Red Cross supplies. The peoples of the occupied countries have been stripped of their possessions. They have literally nothing. With the ending of hostilities, Canadian Red Cross will be faced with an extension of her active war services.

Peacetime commitments have been kept up, with regard to nursing and first aid outpost hospitals and public health. To meet any eventuality, Canadian Red Cross must stand prepared.

There has never been a time in the history of Canadian Red Cross when there was a greater need for the all-out support from loyal Canadians. Last year the objective was reached —and passed.

This year the need is greater. Canadian Red Cross is the living link between Canadians at home and kin overseas. Keep mercy on the march!

Shopping 5 Years Ago and Now

1939

The customer is always right. If you don't see what you want ask for it. We deliver anywhere.

1944

Please be kind to our clerks; they're harder to get than customers. Don't you know there's a war on. Carry your own bundles.

THE HEART'S PROOF
By James Buckham

Do you ask me how I prove
That our Father, God, is love?
By this world which He hath made,
By the songs of grove and blade,
By the brooks that singing run,
By the shining of the sun,
By the breeze that cools my brow,
By fresh odors from the plow,
By the daisy's golden head,
Shining in the fields I tread,
By the chorus of the bees
In the flowering willow trees,
By the gentle dews and rain,
By the farmer's springing grain,
By the light of golden eyes,
By the sheen of forest leaves,
By the sweets of woodland springs,
By the joy right-doing brings—
By a thousand, thousand things!

FAMILY TABLE TALK.
Health League of Canada

In the present national drive for the eradiction of veneral disease, there has been frequent emphasis on the responsibility of parents to instruct and guide young people and inculcate in them good moral attitudes.

The importance of the home, where character is moulded, where attitudes are taught and where acceptable standards are developed, is fundamental to any effort to reduce delinquency and prevent its physical results.

Character training and development of good social standards is not so much a matter of special lectures as exposing a child in day-to-day living to good example and expression of the parents' conception of sound values.

Much of the teaching can and should be done indirectly, little by little, and for this one of the best opportunities is offered by the family gathering at the dinner table, where the conversation provides a democratic forum, for the exchange of ideas.

Table conversation serves as an evaluating conference especially on the needs, experiences and interests of the family members. It fosters an agreement on beliefs, and clarifies the application of beliefs. The inculcation of viewpoint comes more out of the informal chatter than out of formal admonition.

Almost everyone will have been present at staged conversation—at which mother—for instance, relates what she heard about the dangerous practice of some children who ride on the back of bakers' wagons. Then there are the conversations between the parents, with the children as the audience, in which the father, perhaps, expresses his disaproval of the conduct of unnamed persons.

Subtle, indirect teaching of children, by the exposure method, from day to day, will do more to develop a sound appreciation of values and standards of conduct than lecturing—which children do not enjoy any more than adults. But parents should remember that children learn just as readily the attitudes and habits of parents when the latter are not conscious of them.

The father, who unthinkingly condones loose conduct or an ordinarily unacceptable social attitude may quickly undo the teaching of years. It is in their day-to-day living with their children that parents have the greatest responsibility.

REPORTS BY FARMERS REQUIRED BY BOARD

Reporting that many producers of butter and other rationed commodities as well as farmers who slaughter for consumer use or for the retail trade have apparently failed to register with their Local Ration Boards, as required under the ration regulations, the Prices Board points out that neglect to do so leaves them subject to prosecution. It is further necessary that such producers and slaughterers should make detailed reports by the 10th of each month of the sales made and animals slaughtered during the previous month.

PARCELS SENT TO PRISONERS OF WAR AFFECT RATIONS

Canada's acceptance of responsibility for supplying large numbers of prisoners of war in the hands of the enemy with foods that are needed to augment their rations and to maintain their health has quite a lot to do with the continuance of consumer rationing in this country, it is pointed out by regional officers of the Prices Board.

Among other articles, a pound of butter, a pound of jam, four ounces of tea, or one-half pound of coffee, 12 ounces of tinned corned beef, one-half pound of tinned salmon, one-half pound of sugar, 10 and one-half ounces of tinned luncheon meat are forwarded in every one of the tens of thousands of these parcels despatched to the International Red Cross from month to month.

This food is absolutely necessary to maintain prisoners of war in good condition and making it available imposes some strain on Canadian supplies, thus contributing, with many other external demands on them, to the necessity of consumer rationing remaining in force in this country.

SUSPEND ORDER RE COLLAPSIBLE TUBES

Reporting that the total poundage of empty collapsible tubes already collected approximates 400,000, with about 90,000 pounds of pure tin having thus been recovered, the Prices Board has now issued an order removing the necessity of consumers turning in used tubes of this description when they purchase shaving cream or tooth paste. This action has been taken because of the low tin content of the tubes now in use. Nevertheless, the public is requested to turn in used tubes, as formerly, so that they may be utilized for salvage This is particularly important in regard to older tubes as they had a high tin content.

Questioned Ownership

Some of you pedestrians walk about as if you'd bought the streets.

Yes and some of you motorists drive about as if you'd paid for your cars!

Grateful Soldiers Thank Berwick Women's Institute

To Women's Institute, Berwick:
The box of chocolates sure did some travelling before it caught up with me. Thanks a lot.
FO Alex Stark.

Dec. 26, 1943
Overseas.
To Women's Institute, Berwick:
I have received your gift of 300 cigarettes and wish to express my sincere thanks for the same.
LAC J. MacQueen.

January 3, 1944
To Women's Institute, Berwick:
Well I must admit that I am a bit tardy in writing to thank you for your lovely parcel; however don't misunderstand me. I'm very grateful for all that you folks back home are doing for us fellows over here.
Had a very pleasant Christmas as the English people treated us fellows the very best. Hope you all had the same and may you have the best of luck in 1944.
I'll close now and thanks again.
Yours sincerely,
Sgmn. G. Casselman.

January 9, 1944
To Women's Institute, Berwick:
I wish to thank you very kindly for the lovely parcel I received from the W.I. of Berwick. I received it just in time for Christmas and can assure you that it did help to make a better Christmas for me, especially when I had to spend it on the station at Limanady.
Since Christmas I have been moved and am now in Wales for a short stay. I am leaving here, and this country, very shortly but am sorry I cannot tell you where. Anyway I will be cabling home when I get to my new station and Dutch will know where I am. I will be on operations from now on as I finally have completed my training. It takes us about nine months to a year to do a tour of operations and after that I have a chance of getting back to Canada.
Hoping to see you very soon and trusting that Berwick is still the same old place.
Thanking you again for your kindness.
Sincerely,
Pete.
FO G.M. Casselman.

January 31, 1944
To Women's Institute, Berwick:
Again I find myself indebted to the kindness of the Institute for a Christmas box of varied assortments which essentially fill the bill as to a soldier's needs, such as, cigarettes, soap, shaving stick, tooth powder and an odd chocolate bar for a sweet tooth. I most sincerely thank you for all the wonderful boxes I received while overseas and I know that others receiving the same have only the heartiest of good wishes for the welfare of your Institute and give you a rousing hand for your efforts which bring them so many good things overseas. So for the future I wish you every success and to you all a prosperous New Year.
Very gratefully yours,
Cpl. J.C. Barrigar.

Tommy was asked by the teacher which he would rather have, half an orange or eight-sixteenths.
"Half," said Tommy.
"Why?" asked the teacher.
"Because," replied Tommy, "with the sixteenths you lose such a lot of juice."

GOVERNMENT NOTICE
NATIONAL WAR LABOUR BOARD

Incorporation of Cost of Living Bonus into Wage Rates

THE ATTENTION of all employers in Canada, subject to the Wartime Wages Control Order 1943 (P.C. 9384), is directed to the provisions of the Order requiring them to establish for each of their occupational classifications, not above the rank of foreman, a single wage rate or range of wage rates as prescribed by the rules set out in Schedule "A" of the Order by adding to the previous authorized single wage rate or previous authorized range of wage rates the amount of previous authorized cost of living bonus, and that such established single wage rate or range of wage rates shall be effective for the first payroll period beginning on or after February 15, 1944.

Employers who may not be paying previous authorized cost of living bonus as required by General Orders of the National War Labour Board, issued under dates of August 4, 1942, and November 3, 1943, pursuant to the provisions of the Wartime Wages Control Order, P.C. 5963, are required to include such amounts of cost of living bonus in the establishment of wage rates of their employees under P.C. 9384 effective for the first payroll period beginning on or after February 15, 1944, as stated.

C. P. McTAGUE,
Chairman
NATIONAL WAR LABOUR BOARD

Ottawa, Canada

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Irene Hughes and Jimmy Devon, versatile dancing team of the Lifebuoy Follies which comes to the Community Hall, Chesterville, Monday, March 13th, under the auspices of the Chesterville and District Red Cross to give one of the few civilian performances of its career.

Goldfield

Mrs. Jean Stewart who was spending sometime with her sister-in-law Mrs. Grimes in Duluth, U.S.A., suffered a stroke. Her many friends will learn with regret of her illness.

Miss Amanda Gillies of the Ottawa Normal School spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Gillies.

[illegible] Frederic McLeod and Winnipeg friends in Smiths Falls for week-end.

[illegible] Catherine Foley who was a patient in the Hotel Dieu hospital, Kingston for a few weeks returned home at the end of the week.

Mr. Bernard Foley and baby have returned home from Chesterville at the end of the week.

Mrs. Blake Nephew spent the week-end in Ottawa visiting with Mr. Silas [illegible] who is ill.

Mr. John McNamara spent the week-end in Cornwall.

Mr. David McMillan visited his uncle Mr. John McMillan on Sunday.

Misses Naomi Ouderkirk, Margaret Foley and Mary Jane McMillan, students at Finch High School, spent the week-end at their home.

Mrs. James Murphy of Connaught is spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. Bernard Foley.

Mrs. Sarah McLean-Nesbitt, R.N., is visiting friends in Montreal.

Mrs. Roland Droppo, Miss Doris Droppo and Keith Droppo visited friends at Colquhoun.

Mr. Bruce McLeod, teacher at the Cameron school spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alex Foley.

Mr. Crawford Barkley of Kirkland Lake who spent a few days in Montreal and Ottawa and called at the home of his uncle Mr. Archie Gillies en route home.

Mr. and Mrs. Aden Casselman of Berwick, visited at the home of Mr. Archie Gillies on Sunday.

Miss Baker, R.N., of Montreal is visiting her sister Mrs. Charles Burd.

Maple Avenue

Mr. anl Mrs. Harold Warner and Jackie were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Brownell and M.J. Hawn.

Lyle Stewart, RCAF, of Toronto, Lorne Stewart, RCAF, of Montreal, and Mr. Wilson Stewart of Montreal spent over the week-end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ober Beckstead and Lawrence and Mrs. Ida Rutley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Murphy and Miss Berneyce Paupst, Newington.

Mrs. Morgan Warner returned to her home at Russell on Monday after spending the past week with Rev. Stewart and Mrs. Stewart and son.

Mr. and Mrs. John Neville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Woods, Wales.

Mrs. Murray Neville spent over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Scott and Mrs. Agnes Scott of Sandtown.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Hollister, on February 15th, a daughter.

Real Test

That man is so honest he wouldn't steal a pin.

I never thought much of the pin test. Try him with an umbrella.

Morale the Most Important Aspect Away From Home

The following story, adapted from the "Halifax Mail", deals glowingly with the way in which the Salvation Army Officers are grappling with the problems which confront men and women in the service of their country. Morale, the most important aspect in the life of a boy or girl away from home is the gravest concern of Salvation Army officers, who are in the front line of battle against loneliness, dejectedness, depression and boredom. How they combat it is told here:

Men who are fighting Canada's battle in the present war, men, who have stood on storm-washed decks and fought submarines, who have been through the indescribable Dunkirk, who wing their way towards the common victory—these men are not unemotional gods of war, or supermen oblivious of feeling. They have their anxieties and cares, and these are reflected especially if they are stationed far away from home, in the stories they tell the hostel managers who give them advice.

Take, for example, the Red Shield Army Centre, Halifax, at 10 Hollis street. Major and Mrs. W. Bosher, long experienced in the expert handling of servicemen with a problem, have had many satisfactory and notable adventures in settling a troubled mind.

An Ontario man, a Salvation Army worker, joined the Army and went overseas. In the course of time he met and married an English girl and later they were blessed by a baby boy. Then he went to Dunkirk. He, with Salvation Army Auxiliary Officers, huddled with groups of men on the hell-shot beach, praying and giving comfort while deliverance was awaited. He came safely through the ordeal, except that his eyes were almost gone and he needed treatment. His sight restored, he went home to find his wife and little boy killed in an air-raid. At the same time, he received word that his mother in Ontario had passed away.

With his world transformed from gold to dust, he began to drink heavily, and for two years the bitterness in his heart deepened. Finally, one night in Halifax, passing along Hollis street in inebriated condition, he saw the Red Shield Hostel. "That must be the Salvation Army Blood and Fire," he said, and though drunk went inside and asked if someone could pray for him. The prayer touched his heart and converted to peace of mind, he left saying, "Tomorrow I shall be shouting Hallelujah."

A woman who travelled from the West Coast of Canada to see her son, only to have a few seconds with him before he left by another train, was given aid and comfort by the Salvation Army. Major and Mrs. Bosher, at the station, noticed a fond goodbye between mother and son, and that turning from the train the woman was overcome by grief. She had expected to spend several weeks with her son here, but when she arrived and was getting off the train she saw her son about to board another.

Many of the services are little ones, and unnoteworthy perhaps, but loomingly large to the one who receives them. The young soldier from Ontario despondent at the thoughts of going overseas and leaving his wife and family behind—the soldier who said he felt like deserting, whose girl friend had told him "to trust in God," who told the supervisor, "I don't know how," and was helped. . . The young navy man who needed socks, and was feeling discouraged until he noticed a note, in the toe of the sock given him, with the Biblical message, "Be strong and of good courage, be not afraid."

These are stories of small services rendered the men. A young cockney entered the Hostel with the little Maltese kitten in his overcoat. "Please may my kitten 'ave a 'ome 'ere?" he said. The boat crew already had four kittens, and this one must go. A civilian home was found for it through the hostel.

Morale, the terrific problem facing all servicemen and women away from home, is more than adequately met by the cheery work carried over hostels throughout the Dominion.

Dunbar Presbyterian Y.P.S.

A very interesting meeting of the Dunbar Presbyterian Y.P.S. was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beckstead on Thursday evening, February 17th. Mrs. Levi Merkley, Service convenor, was in charge of the meeting, which was well attended by the members of the Society and a number of guests were present.

A leading feature of the program was Lantern Slides and lecture in "The Pioneer work of the Presbyterian work in Western Canada", by Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford of Chesterville. Another pleasing number was a duet by Messrs. George Crawford and Fred Beckstead.

A dainty lunch was served by the hostess. A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. and Mrs. Beckstead for giving their home for the meeting, also to Mr. and Mrs. Crawford and Mr. Beckstead for their kind assistance with the evening's program.

The singing of "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows," and the National Anthem brought the evening to a close.

WORLD SUGAR POOL IS MUCH REDUCED

S.R. Noble, Sugar Administrator recently pointed out that Canada depends for four-fifths of her sugar supply on a world pool which stood at 3,000,000 tons three years ago but which has now shrunk to only a million tons. While this seems like a large quantity, there are heavy demands upon it which seem likely to be increased and only the West Indies now remain as substantial exporting countries.

Slim Dinner

Mary—If you please, ma'am, the cats had chickens.

Mistress—Nonsense, Mary; you mean kittens.

Mary—Was them chickens or kittens you brought home this morning?

Mistress—Chickens, of course.

Mary—Well, mum, them's what the cat's had.

Hyndman

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gilmer were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Tompkins, Millars Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McLaughlin of Cardinal called on Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lattimore, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant visited Mr. and Mrs. Val Chartrand, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Lyall Crowder and daughter of Pleasant Valley, spent Thursday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant.

Mrs. Gordon Francis, Wayne and Larry visited Mrs. Ray Grant, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Beggs and daughter, Irene, Silver City, visited Mrs. Robert Grant, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Chartrand and family moved this week to Mountain Station. Mr. Chartrand is going to work for Mr. Harold Clark.

He's Particular

Small Boy—I'm not afraid of going to the hospital, mother. I'll be brave and take my medicine, but I ain't going to let them palm off a baby on me like they did on you. I want a pup.

Recognition

The honeymooners were driving along a country road when they met a farmer leading a mule. Just as they were about to pass, the animal turned toward the motor car and brayed vociferously.

Bridegroom (teasing)—relative of yours?

Bride (sweetly)—Yes, dear, by marriage.

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For clear, noise-free transmission, always keep your desk telephone upright — not at or near the horizontal position.

3 WELLINGTON COWS AIDING WAR EFFORT

Included in the honor list of outstanding Holstein producers in Canada are three cows from Wellington County, it was announced yesterday by the Holstein-Friesian Association.

In the 305-day division, Belle Lyons Posch Lass, owned by the Ontario reformatory at Guelph, was first for milk and second for butterfat in the three-times-a-day milking section of the senior 4-year-class with her production of 686 lbs. butterfat from 17,911 pounds of milk.

The largest local record was that of Rockford Pearl Hartog, the property of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, which ranged second for butterfat in the mature class of the yearly division on three-times-a-day milking with 893 pounds of butterfat from 21,945 pounds of milk. In fifth place for butterfat in twice-a-day milking class of the 305-day division as the junior two-year-old F.B. Josephine Dutchland owned by Fox Bros., Guelph, with 487 pounds butterfat from 13,144 pounds of milk.

SPENCERVILLE BOY STOLE $1,085

A 14-year-old boy from Spencerville, who stole $1,085—the life savings of Sigmund Fink, also of Spencerville, a year ago—yesterday was committed to the boys' training school at Bowmanville, Ont.

Police said that at the time of the theft the youth had escaped from Bowmanville and while seeking food in his home town, broke into Fink's home and stole the money from an unused water pitcher.

He hid the money in a chimney hole in an unused house and when brought from Bowmanville a few days ago led police to the money—still intact.

C.C.F. Meeting

In Chesterville

Wednesday, March 1st

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Melvins

Mrs. George Coons of Methodist St. spent a few days the latter part of last week with her mother who is ill.

Mrs. Wm. Stewart returned home with her daughter Mrs. Bernice Short having spent the past few weeks with her son Emerson and Mrs. Stuart. We are glad to hear she is better, having been quite ill with pneumonia while at the home of her son.

Mrs. Clarence Presley and Dale visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Holland and Jr. of Massena spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gainer.

Red Cross circle met at the home of Mesdames H. and G. Beckstead last week and this week at Mrs. H. Gauthier's.

We were sorry to hear that Mr. John Hutt has been quite ill with pneumonia and are pleased to report on the gain.

Mrs. M. Lebrun and baby visited her parents one afternoon last week.

Born—Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Roland Griguan, a daughter. Congratulations.

PREPARE FOR SEEDING EARLY

PREPARATION for seeding includes buying the seed, cleaning, treating it for disease, and putting the planting machinery in shape to do the necessary work without a hitch.

Perhaps the immediate necessity for care and early attention to these suggestions is more urgent this year than ever before. Machinery is aging and becoming more liable to breakdowns; spare parts are not always easily obtained and following last year's unfavourable season, good seed is scarce.

Good seed has certain essential characteristics. The most important of these are good germinating power and growing ability, often summed up in the term visability, freedom from weeds and other crops, and purity and suitability of variety.

Good germination and freedom from weeds and other crops, and purity and suitability of variety.

Good germination and freedom from impurities are assured when seed is purchased by grade, and purity when registered seed is used.

If the seed is home grown or obtained from a neighbor, a germination test should be made. This can be done at home or a sample can be sent to the nearest seed laboratory for an official analysis.

Clean seed is very important. Weeds are prevalent enough already, so that every effort should be made to prevent the introduction of new ones. The market value of grain is lowered when seeds of other crop plants are found in it.

Suitability of variety is essential. Only varieties that are suited to local conditions should be used. For instance in a district having a short season, the use of anything but an early maturing variety spells failure from the start, or again in a district where rust is common, the use of a resistant variety is imperative.

All seed should be treated for disease. Treatment with the new improved mercuric compounds can be carried out considerably ahead of seed time. This saves time when the rush of Spring work commences.

All these operations should be done as soon as possible to avoid delay and disappointment when it is seeding time in the Spring.

Goldfield South

Miss Eleanor Casselman has returned home after spending the past week in Montreal.

Mrs. Dick Brindall, Montreal is spending a week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sutherland.

Mr. Willis Warner was a dinner guest Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. D. Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Nephew and Janice were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sutherland.

KEEPING NAZIS BUSY IN NORWAY.

A clever ruse now being adopted by Norwegian saboteurs for wasting the time of the German police was mentioned by a speaker in the BBC European Service recently. (Probably, too, decoying them to a certain quarter of the city may be a means of getting rid of them for a short time from some district where their absence is convenient.)

Anonymous telephone messages are frequently received by the German authorities alleging the presence of time bombs in various buildings in Oslo. The German police dare not take the risk of ignoring these warnings because in some instances they have proved true. So they are forced to order the evacuation of the particular building and engage in a thorough search.

A variant of this is for Norwegians to telephone just before the last suburban trains leave Oslo, to give information that bombs have been placed on the track. The trains have to be delayed while investigations are made. Later, the German authorities have to issue curfew permits to the stranded passengers.

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We have just received a good assortment of agate ware—White and Cream.

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PRESENTATION AT BERWICK.

Mrs. Clifford Swerdfeger and her quilting fans met at the home of Mrs. John Bogart, Berwick, on February 14th and quilted 2 W.I. quilts. Their husbands joined them in the evening, and presented Mrs. Bogart with a fancy glass cake plate and a set of towels. Mrs. Bogart, taken by surprise, thanked the ladies for their lovely gifts. After singing "Happy Birthday to you", lunch was served by the ladies, the occasion being Mrs. Bogart's birthday.

The Bargain Table

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Flowers for all occasions will be supplied on the shortest notice. Phone 437. Basil Rowe, Chesterville. 21

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FOR SALE

1 Pure Bred Holstein Cow, just freshened, listed and accredited. Apply Dixondale Farm, Chesterville. 19-1

FOR SALE

One sewing machine, drop head, and one baby carriage. Apply Mrs. A. Nimmo, Morewood. 19

FOR SALE

Set light sleighs, suitable for milk sleighs. Apply C. Lafaver, Chesterville. 19

FOR SALE

2 two-year-old Heifers supposed to freshen and five yearlings; also 185 Hybrid pullets.
Apply Stanley Black, Chesterville.

FOR SALE

Set diamond tooth drag harrows, and Deering Binder truck, both in good condition. Apply H.C. Baker, Nation Valley. 19

FOR SALE

2 Pure Bred Holstein Bull calves a few days old. Out of good producing dams and the sire is Cedar Dale Montvic Pansy. His 20 nearest dams have over 20,000 lbs. of milk in a year and a 4 percent test. Will have a number of bull calves for sale in the next three months. Herd accredited and federal listed. Priced reasonable. Apply Angus Smith, Chesterville. Phone 540. 20

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CALLS FOR OVERHAULING OF SYSTEM MUNICIPAL TAXATION

J. L. McDonald (PC —Stormont) warned the Ontario Legislature yesterday that Hitler's rise to power in Germany could be traced to the faulty economics of the country at that time and declared that at present Canada is "still in the economics of scarcity of distribution."

Seconding the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne, the Stormont member said that in peace time there seemed to be over-production. But examination would disclose this to be "under-consumption", he declared amid vigorous desk-thumping by CCF members across the chamber.

Mr. McDonald, farmer native of the Cornwall district, was the second speaker of the day. He followed Dr. Hobbs Taylor (PC—Huron) who moved the address in reply with a warning that the war could be lost at home through a belief that it was almost over.

Mr. McDonald also called for an overhauling of the system of municipal taxation, said the state owes everyone opportunities for a full and happy life and warned democracy might not survive if there was a return to the hard days of 1929 in the post-war period.



EDUCATOR.

Appointed producer of educational broadcasts in the Maritimes, Douglas B. Lusty left the announce staff of CBC's Toronto studios recently to take up his new post in Halifax. Before entering radio, Mr. Lusty was a teacher and supervisor of music in Ontario public schools.

HOME GROWN RATION FOR LAYING HENS.

POULTRYMEN who have well cured second cut alfalfa, a reasonable quantity of skimmilk or buttermilk and home grown grains can make up an economical ration for laying hens which will give good results. By using such a ration only a minimum of purchased feed ingredients need be used.

H.H. Jenkins of the Dominion Experimental Farm, Nappan, states that excellent results have been obtained at the farms with the following feed mixtures.

Scratch grain consisting of two parts by weight and barley to one of oats. A mash mixture composed of five parts of coarsely ground oats, 4 parts of coarsely ground wheat and 2 parts of coarsely ground barley. To this ground grain mixture is added 1¾ percent cod liver oil and 1 per cent of common salt, these being the only purchased ingredients in the mitxure. The amount of cod liver oil used varies from the above proportion depending upon the vitamin potency of the oil available.

The mash mixture was before the birds at all times and was also fed occasionally as a wet mash. The grain was fed in the litter morning and evening such quantity that a ratio of 2 parts of grain to one of mash was consumed throughout the fall and winter and equal proportions of the two during the spring and summer. Skimmilk was given daily as a beverage at the rate of 40-50 lb. per 100 pullets excepting in the warm weather when this amount was reduced by half, water being then given to drink as well as the skimmilk. Steeped alfalfa leaves were fed every second day as much as the birds would clean up in ten minutes until fresh green grass was available in spring and summer. Oyster shell was available in hoppers at all times.

Over the three years during which this comparison was made the birds on the home mixed ration, fed as outlined, produced slightly more eggs than the comparable birds on a commercial mixture considered to be typical of those generally fed in the area. It may be taken for granted that the home grown ration was at least the equal of the commercial mixed ration used in this instance. The important consideration is, of course, that most of the ingredients of the home mixed mash were home grown.

HEN IS BLAMED.

Farmer Felix Polasik, Dunkirk, has a theory why his barn caught fire causing damage estimated at $300. A hen, he says, setting on a nest of eggs, created spontaneous combustion which ignited hay in the nest.

Cadet Training For All Schools In Ontario

Ontario schools will place increasing emphasis on the development of character, it was stated in the Speech from the Throne read at the opening of the Ontario Legislature by Lieutent Governor Matthews.

In addition to offering religious education in public and secondary schools, cadet training would become a part of the regular school program and physical and health education would be extended.

"The duties of citizenship and significance of Canadian institutions will be given a more important place in the school curriculum. Schools will be encouraged to establish types of internal organization calculated to develop a co-operative spirit and the habit of assuming responsibilities."

The Speech spoke of an acute shortage of competent teachers and said that immediate emergency courses would be modified to permit the training of additional teachers without delay. However, as a long-range program, the Government the teachers intended to increase the minimum salary for teachers, assure greater security and prestige, provide better conditions of service and "to place the teachers' superannuation fund upon a sound basis."

In addition to discussing extension of vocational education facilities and establishment of programs of education for adults and new Canadians, the Speech said formation of larger school areas would be encouraged and special attention given to the use of radios, gramophones and sound films in the classroom.

Riverside

Visitors at the home of John McMillan of Finch at the week-end were Mrs. J. McMillan, Miss Murial McMillan, David McMillan, and Albert and W.M. Montgomery of Osnabruck.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Mills Foster were, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Snetsinger and family of Newington.

Mrs. R.C. Bogart visited Mrs. Addie Hawn, Newington, Thursday of the past week.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Pollock were Mrs. O. Higgs and family of Montreal, Mrs. Hugh McMillan, Goldfield, Mrs. Harold Winters of Sandtown.

Mrs. C. Foster and Mack were in Chesterville Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Bogart visited Mr. and Mrs. Fay M. Droppo, on Monday.

J.P. Rudy was in Casselman on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jake Shaver and son spent the past week in Cornwall and Montreal.

THANKS W. I.

Somewhere in Italy,
13 January, 1944.

Secretary W.I., Chesterville:

Dear Ladies—I was very much pleased and gratified to receive your thoughtful gift which arrived yesterday. The two of us living in this pup tent will enjoy it immensely. To say only "thank you" from one who has been away from your and my town for so long is definitely too little.

Italy may be a grand place and the term "sunny" O.K. but give me a little corner of Canada any time.

Again many thanks and wishing the best of success to your Institute in 1944. I am,

Sincerely yours,
Tommy Carpenter.

ENGLAND IN THE BAG

Not all Newfoundlanders are serving at sea. The Royal Artillery, one of the most famous arms of the British Army, has two regiments made up exclusively of Newfoundland volunteers. . . . These gunners were at one time assigned the unglamorous task of building gun positions, observation posts and ammunition pits. . . . They did all this work very cheerfully and willingly, but one day a prominent official of the British Government paid a visit to one of the regiments, and going up to one man who was leaning on his shovel he asked him if he had seen much of England since he had been over. "Seen much of England," replied the gunner disgustedly, "why I've put half the darned country in sandbags.

TO DOUBT IS TO DIE— IN GERMANY

In the BBC broadcast in Magyar—the language of Hungary—the other day, one of the items was a translation of an announcement from a German newspaper which had reached the BBC.

The announcement was of the execution in Irefenau of a doctor named Gaiger. There is a great dearth of doctors in Germany, but that wasn't allowed to influence the Nazi verdict in the case of this doctor. His crime? He had expressed doubts about a German victory to the wife of a soldier at the front, and also about "the veracity of the news services. A short time ago a German dentist was similarly sentenced to death for voicing his doubts to a patient.

TO BOOST SUBSIDY FOR ONTARIO BRIDGES, ROADS

Increase of 25 percent in the provincial subsidy for construction of bridges, payment of provincial road subsidies to municipalities twice yearly and abolition of the machinery rental arrangement with municipalities were announced yesterday by Highways Minister Doucett of Ontario.

Addressing the Ontario Good Roads Association's 50th annual convention, Mr. Doucett said that there are 5,453 bridges in Ontario with a span greater than 10 feet which do not come up to standard and 10,226 sub-standard bridges with less than a 10 foot span.

Raising Subsidy

"As of January 1, 1944, we are raising this subsidy (now 50 percent) to 75 percent of the amount spent in rebuilding and standardizing these sub-standard structures and in construction of new bridges," he said. "The new rate of subsidy will be applicable where not less than $1,000 is spent in a given year on a given structure by a county or $500 by a township. Where lesser amounts are spent the present standard subsidy. . . will still apply."

To assist municipal financing, road subsidies henceforth will be paid in two instalments, March 31 and Sept. 30, instead of once a year, said the minister, adding there will be "a reasonable hold-back on the Sept. 30 payment pending final accounting."

Dealing with the machinery rentals system of subsidies, the minister recalled that when a municipality buys power machinery for use on road and maintenance, the practice has been to place a rental charge of so much a day on the municipal books, the province paying half the amount of the yearly rental.

This system is abolished as of last January 1st, he continued, and in its place the Highways Department henceforth will pay a straight subsidy of 50 percent of the cost of the machinery.

"The new system is simple, avoids bookkeeping and cleans up each of these machinery purchases in one transaction rather than dragging them over the years," he said.

BIG BOMBERS ARE ASSEMBLED IN SIX DAYS

Lancaster bombers can now go through the assembly line of Victory Aircraft in six days, David Boyd, General manager of the firm, told the Electric Club there yesterday. While actual production figures are a military secret, Mr. Boyd declared the big plant at Malton is now hitting its stride, with machines being test-flown almost daily. Speedy production had been brought about despite the fact that frequently modifications, based on the experience of fliers who piloted the machines, had to be made.

The manufacture of the Canadian Lancaster wasn't all plain sailing, Mr. Boyd said. There was, first of all, the conversion of 18,000 photographic negatives of drawings here, then the breakdown of the thousands of drawings into bills of material, operation sheets, tool and jig data. In some cases, he said, jigs and tools were being made while the bills of material were being prepared.

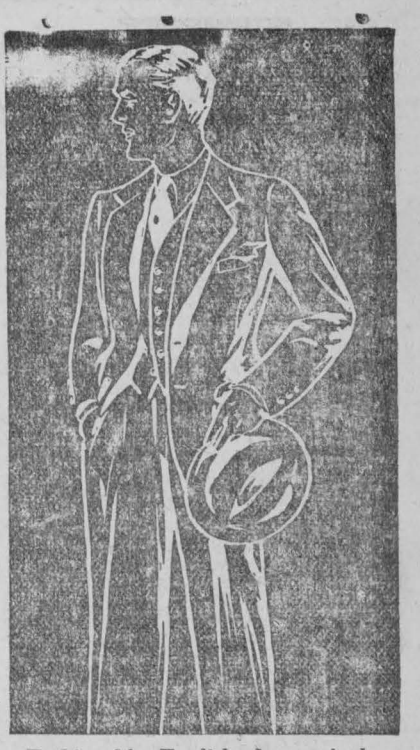
When the planes leave here now, he pointed out, they were completely "operational", since "we couldn't depend on getting equipment from Britain, and this year we will cease getting any supplies at all from that source."

And, he mentioned, British manufacturers are turning out Lancasters in two-thirds the man-hours required by United States manufacturers to turn out Liberators or Fortresses, although the Lancaster is five tons heavier than either.

Of the Lancastr construction generally, he pointed out it required 479,128 rivets, made up of 935 types and sizes. "About 65 percent of these rivets required special heat treatment to 920 degrees, quenched and then stored in refrigerators at 40 below zero until put in work. Once released to the floor, these rivets must be used within two hours or returned for reheat-treatment."

Originally, he said, "we lost three months through our own stupidity," cannot be revealed for security reasons, "a plane can go through the assembly line in six days now."

Mr. Boyd paid tribute to Canadian manufacturers of component parts of the aircraft who had "been of tremendous help," and to the aggregate of 8,800 people at Victory who all helped to contribute to the speedy porduction" of the big machines.



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Just as he got to the door, he heard her calling him back.

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Away With Weasel Words---

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In our 1943 series on CCF socialist literature, we invited Mr. Coldwell and his party to "Come Clean With The Farmer." Many a farmer owns a bank deposit and many a bank depositor owns a farm. We now invite Mr. Coldwell and his party to come clean with both of them—farmers and bank depositors alike. We link them together because we note in CCF socialist literature a rather extraordinary parallel. That parallel is in the use of what have come to be known as "weasel" words.

An able writer not so long ago coined the phrase "weasel words" to describe words injected into a statement for the purpose of "hedging" it and thus providing an "out" against the future. By the use of such artifice, the CCF has hedged against the future in the case of both the farmer and the bank depositor.

In our previous series we pointed out that at no stage had the CCF made the clearcut statement that in no circumstances would they cancel the right of the farmer to own land. At no stage have they said that they will not in any circumstances nationalize the farms.

In 1932 they made reference to the "use-lease" system of holding the land. This created such an uproar within their own ranks and such a disturbance among the farming community all over Canada that when they came to redraft their policy and put it in the form of the Regina Manifesto, they got away from the term "use-lease" and promised the farmer "security of tenure" which is a very flexible term. The CCF, to borrow a phrase of their own, have not yet "defined in words" what they mean by "tenure". But they have hedged it about by weasel words. In the previous work in which Frank Scott, national chairman of the CCF was associated, they said that agriculture and certain other businesses would **"probably"** continue **"FOR SOME TIME"** to be privately owned. At a later stage they said: "We do not at all recommend the nationalization of land **NOW** held by individual owners." They also said: "There is no suggestion of wholesale expropriation of **PRESENT** farmers, but no MORE land would be handed over to private owners in the future."

The words **"PRESENT," "MORE," "FOR SOME TIME"** and "land **NOW** held"—these are weasel words. They are intended to hedge any clearcut statement and they do hedge it. In the latest book, "Make This Your Canada", they say that they "want to retain the family unit as the basis of agricultural life in Canada—even when the necessary development toward co-operative farming takes place." The whole statement is a weasel statement. Thus the "family unit" means that so long as a family remains on a farm the land will remain in their hands, but that the family can neither will it to anybody else or sell it.

First it was **"PRESENT"** farmers. Next, private ownership of land would continue **"FOR A TIME."** Then it was only "land **NOW** held" that would not be taken over. Now it is **"THE FAMILY UNIT"** is the basis," pending some vague policy called "co-operative farming". We presume they mean socialistic collectivism. One of the CCF leaders in Toronto has declared in a speech that farmers will be able to own their land as long as they live but will not be able to will it when they die.

The CCF leaders have been rather frantically endeavoring of late to reassure the farmers. They are justified in refusing to be reassured. On December 6th, Canadian newspapers carried a cable from London showing that the Labour Party of Great Britain had issued a manifesto demanding "acquisition by the state of all agricultural land in Britain as rapidly as possible." And on that very day, Mr. Coldwell, the CCF leader, announced to L'Action Catholique of Quebec City: "The CCF is a socialist movement in exactly the same manner as the labor parties of the British Commonwealth and the Anglo-Saxon world are socialist." It is a sound mathematical axiom that "things that equal to the same thing are equal to one another."

Now what of bank depositors? There are some four million of them in the country and lately they have shown some alarm over the idea that socialist experiments involve their money. Because of that uneasiness Professsr Scott and Mr. David Lewis have found it necessary to try to reassure the bank depositors. In "Make This Your Canada," at page 158, they say: "To the **ORDINARY** depositor, the nationalizing of banks makes no **IMMEDIATE difference."** There are two fine weasel words—ORDINARY and IMMEDIATE. No doubt there are some depositors who are not ordinary. The reassurance doesn't apply to them. And what is the worth of the reassurance to even the ordinary depositors? They are simply told that there will be no **"IMMEDIATE"** difference—but they are left in the air about the future, just like the farmers are told that land **"NOW"** held won't be nationalized.

There is a deadly parallel between the weasel word "NOW" and the weasel word **"IMMEDIATE."**

MASTITIS AMONG WORST PROBLEMS DAIRY FARMERS

Many veterinary authorities now believe that mastitis causes more loss in dollars and cents to more herd owners, than even Bang's disease. It is also estimated that mastitus causes an average decrease of twenty-five per cent in milk production. Mastitis is a disease of the udder. It may be brought on by injury, by improper milking or by infection with one of the common streptococcus germs. If a case of mastitis is discovered soon enough, the cow's usefulness can be preserved by proper treatment. But if the disease goes untreated too long, there is little chance of restoring the animal to production. Common danger signs of mastitis include swelling of the urder, and flakes or other abnormalities which appear in the milk when checked by strip cup milking.

If a cow is found to have mastitis, she should be moved away from the rest of the herd, and should be milked last. This will help to avoid infecting the rest of the herd. The milk from affected cows should be discarded, thus preventing the abnormal milk from impairing the quality of the total supply from the farm.

The fact that a cow shows symptoms of mastitis need not mean that her usefulness is over. If there are no marked physical changes in her udder, she is a suitable subject for infusion treatment—and it has been found that ninety percent of such cows will recover if the infusion treatment is given, only under veterinary direction.

Mastitis often makes considerable progress in the drying off period. Few cows have udders so free of infection that it is safe to simply stop milking and give a two or three months' dry period, without examining the udder frequently. It has been found that infusion therapy is more effective if it is applied during this dry period, or during late lactation, or both of these times.

In general, there are several pointers which the average farmer can follow, to prevent mastitis, or to help keep it under control if it does appear in his herd. For one thing it is desirable to raise all replacements, if possible. Calves and heifers should not be allowed to nurse each other. When it is necessary to purchase cows from the outside, they should be isolated for thirty days and their udders should be checked to see if mastitis is present.

Above all, one should use a strip cup before each milking, to identify abnormal milk, and thus be able to isolate cows which are carriers of the disease. At least twice a year, every cow in the herd, including the cows which are dry, should be re-examined to see whether mastitis has developed in any of them. Any cows which are found to be affected should be stanchioned by themselves, and milked last.

Before each milking, the udders should be washed with warm water, containing two hundred to four hundred parts of chlorine per million. Individual cloths should be used for each cow and these cloths should be sterilized by boiling. Wet hand milking, or milking onto the flour should not be permitted.

Because of the fact that much mastitis is due to udder injuries, it is wise to use plenty of bedding. The standing platform should be scrubbed frequently with hot lye water or even with plain hot water. Lime or superphosphate may be used on the platform, provided it is well covered with bedding.

To summarize briefly: Mastitis control is a matter of constant vigilance. Cows should be inspected frequently. Those showing symptoms of mastitis can generally be saved if treated promptly. But most important of all are the everyday precautions which the herd owner can take to prevent its spreading to other animals if it should appear in the herd.

INCREASED VALUE OF PRESERVES COUPONS

The Local Ration Board today suggested that consumers should bear in mind the increased values for the D preserves coupons which are now in effect. These are as follows in fluid ounces: Jams, 12; jellies, 12; marmalades, 12; molasses, 40; honey butter, 12; extracted honey, 24; fountain fruits, 12; canned fruits (excluding blueberries which are temporarily off the ration) 20; cranberry sauce, 12; corn syrup, 15; blended table syrup, 15; maple syrup until the end of May, 40; maple butter, 12. The value of the preserve coupon, when converted into sugar, remains, however at one-half pound per coupon.

COUPONS EXPIRING AT END OF MONTH

As usual certain butter and meat coupons will expire at the end of February. After February 29 butter coupons 46, 47, 48 and 49 will be without value in the hands of consumers, and this will be equally true of meat coupons (pairs) 35, 36, 37 and 38.



ANNE SHELTON.

Young singer in British Broadcasting Corporation Home and Overseas programmes, and a great favorite with the Forces. She has frequently appeared in the short wave "Starlight" series was one of the stars in "Here's Wishing You Well Again", a fortnightly broadcast for men in hospitals and convalescent homes overseas, and is the regular vocalist in the BBC's "Calling Malta" programme.

Not yet twenty, she has made a name for herself in a little over three years. She was only sixteen, when Ambrose, the dance band leader, heard her voice and pronounced her "the greatest singer of her kind in the country." Irving Berlin, during his recent visit to London, declared "we have nothing to touch her in the States." She is now appearing in a new radio series with Ambrose and his Orchestra.

Tire Thieves Busy Near St. Andrews

Tire thieves are at work in St. Andrew's area and early Monday morning removed five wheels and tires from a car owned by Vincent McDonald, St. Andrews. According to police, the thieves gained entrance by breaking the lock on the garage door and jacked up the car on blocks of wood to remove four wheels and a spare as well as tires. In addition, they took a considerable number of tools, a flashlight and tire chains. Mr. McDonald resides on the road to Martintown, approximately one-half mile east of St. Andrews. Tires and wheels of Mr. McDonald's car were reported to be in good condition. Their loss was discovered when he went to his garage and township police were informed.

Grantley

Farmers are taking advantage of the light fall of snnw to haul from their wood lots. The trio, Wallace Murphy, Harold Merkley and Kenneth McMahon have cut wood all winter.

Mrs. Ernest Beckstead, Orchardside was calling on friends here Sunday. She is spending this week in Cornwall, guests of her brother, Mr. Harley Weegar and Mrs. Weegar.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kittle and Mrs. Byron Gordon were visiting friends in Aultsville one evening last week.

Candid Comment

Most conversations these days consist of beefing about the gas, or gassing about the beef.



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[] American Girl	2.50
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[] Rod & Gun	1 yr.
[] The Farmer's Advocate	2 yrs.
[] Canadian Poultry Review	1 yr.
[] Canada Poultryman	1 yr.
[] American Fruit Grower	1 yr.

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For both newspaper and magazines $3.25

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[] Christian Herald	9 mos.
[] American Girl	1 yr.
[] Sports Afield	1 yr.
[] Parent's Magazine	9 mos.
[] Outdoors	1 yr.
[] Open Road for Boys,	1 yr.
[] Flower Grower	1 yr.

GROUP "B"—SELECT TWO

[] Maclean's (24 issues)	1 yr.
[] Canadian Home Journal	1 yr.
[] Chatelaine	1 yr.
[] National Home Monthly	1 yr.
[] Family Herald & Weekly Star	1 yr.
[] New World (Illust'd)	1 yr.
[] *Farmer's Magazine*	4 yrs.
[] Rod & Gun	1 yr.
[] The Farmer's Advocate	2 yrs.
[] Canadian Poultry Review	1 yr.
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Tom Kennedy, Farmer's War Veteran

There's a shadow these days over the spacious farm home of Thomas Laird Kennedy, Minister of Agriculture. Since 1940 the Kennedy's have had as war guests two charming English youngsters, John and Mary Sibun, who must return presently to play their parts in the British war program. There is no room here for the touching human interest story behind these fine children, but their departure will bring a great loneliness in the hearts of the Kennedy home.

Dean of the government, Tom Kennedy often serves as acting premier besides fathering an advanced agricultural program. Departmental projects include government acquisition of the Union Stock Yards, planned agriculture on a county unit basis, plans for a central produce terminal in Toronto and a rural home betterment scheme by furthering installation of refrigeration and water systems. If pending legislation is enacted plans are due to move quickly out of the blueprint stage and into the realm of accomplishment.

Tom Kennedy's home is on a hill which may help his breadth of vision. Four succeeding generations have occupied the 160-acre homestead, a property 136 years in the family. Broad orchards yearly producing thousands of bushels of fine apples occupy 100 acres. Nearby is the Dixie Anglican church, the fourth which the Kennedy family has helped establish and in whose hallowed acre the family forebears rest.

Was School Trustee

Born in 1879 on the family homestead, the future minister was educated at Dixie school and Parkdale Collegiate. Headed for a legal career, a lung condition interposed, sending young Tom to the then remote Michipicoten district where he won a four year battle for health. Returning to the farm he became school trustee at age of 21 and later served five terms on the Toronto township council.

Active in the militia, he became commanding officer of the Lieutenant Governor's Bodyguard and enlisting during the Great War, went overseas with the divisional troops with the rank of major. On manoeuvres during an English dawn his motorcycle collided with a truck, which mishap accounts for a deep facial scar. After service in France he was invalided home and on his return was induced by Howard Ferguson to take charge of a soldiers' settlement project at Kapuskasing. Early sensing the need of an industry to give extra employment to soldier settlers and their families, his recommendations aided in the ultimate establishment of a $30 million pulp and paper industry around which has grown a prosperous town of 3,800 population

Again returning to his farm, Col. Kennedy entered the legislature in 1919 as member for Peel became Minister of Agriculture in the Ferguson government in 1930, met his sole defeat in the 1934 rout, but in 1937 trounced the doughty Duncan Marshall. He piled up a record majority of 3,333 in the 1943 election.

Mrs. Kennedy is the former Minnie Patterson, daughter of the late John Patterson, Toronto City Treasurer. There are four Kennedy daughters.

His "Way of Life"

In Queen's Park Tom Kennedy keeps an open door to an un-ending stream of visitors, largely farmers, and how this most approachable of ministers keeps his desk clean is a mystery. His speeches are brief, sound, and are heard with respect. Agriculture is his life work and he sees it as a way of life rather than merely a means of livelihood. Kindness and courtesy personified, he has thousands of friends and no discernible enemies. An enthusiast on the planned agriculture program he decentralization as agianst bureaucracy centralization sa against bureaucracy and will give the man in the back township a strong voice in Canadian agriculture. And Tom Kennedy himself calls the man in the back township by his first name which is one of many reasons for his continued success.

ASK CONSERVATION OF EGG CASES

In view of the fact that a definite shortage of egg cases exists at the moment, the Prices Board, is asking all dealers and users to conserve them and to return them to wholesalers without delay. Similar return of packing material is desired. As Canadian egg production this year may be 22,000,000 dozens above that of 1943 it is essential that egg cases shall be returned to circulation with a minimum of delay.

Of Course Not

During the trial of a celebrated will case an Irishman was the principal witness.

Prosecutor—Was the deceased in the habit of talking to himself when alone?

Irishman—I don't know.

Prosecutor—Come, come, you don't know and yet you were intimately acquainted with him?

Irishman—Yes that's so, but you see I never happened to be with him when he was alone.



INFANT PRODIGY WHO HAS MADE GOOD.

Beryl Davies, popular young vocalist who is often heard in British Broadcasting Corporation overseas programmes, as well as starring in her own programme for the forces, "Appointment with Beryl."

Though only nineteen years old, Beryl has been singing in British radio for a long time. She first broadcast at the age of eleven, when she sang with Oscar Robin's band. At fourteen she went on tour on the Continent with the Hot Club de France, and sang in France and in the Scandinavian countries. Her mezzo-soprano voice impressed all who heard it as being unusually rich and powerful for one so young.

She was fifteen when war broke out, and since then she has toured Britain with Oscar Robin's band (her father, Harry Davies, is guitarist in the band); and she sang with Geraldo's orchestra for a year. She has also appeared in cabaret, and in pantomime and revue. In "Black Velvet" she deputised for Pat Kirkwood for a week, playing opposite Vic Oliver.

Both her father and mother are professisonals and Harry Davies says his daughter began as a "crooonerette" at the age of three. She is heard regularly by overseas listeners in "Tommy Handley's Half Hour."



CANADIAN SONG BIRD

Canada's young coloratura soprano Evelyn Gould, is being heard every Thursday night on the "Voice of Victor" program, over CBC's National Network, at 8.00 p.m. EDT. A Soprano in four languages, Miss Gould is starred with Charles Jordon, baritone, and Morris Surdin, who directs the Victor chorus and orchestra.

SELLING DAMAGED CASKETS GOOD SALESMANSHIP

St. Albans, Vt., February 22—Have you ever tried to sell three new but slightly damaged caskets? You haven't! Well, take the word of W.T. "Bill" Donovan, supervisor of claims for the Central Vermont Railway, that it is a difficult task. Bill, who has been adjusting claims for many years, said that the offer of coffins drove off prospective bargain-hunting customers who wanted to buy something. But a month's persistence brought a display of interest from one individual who ended by buying the three damaged caskets. Bill's curiosity impelled him to ask why buy three. The purchaser replied that cabinet making was his hobby and he thought that in spare time he could repair the damage. Later he invited Bill to see the finished work which the railwayman declared as being really "beautiful." To another question the cabinet maker answered that he would put away the caskets as a reserve against the future. It may sound fantastic, but Mr. Donovan reports that one casket has already been put to the use for which it was designed.

Jack—Too bad about Dick. He swallowed a teaspoon.

Jill—Is he in bed at the hospital.

Jack—Yes, he can't stir.

...—V...—

His One Regret

The oldest inhabitant had just celebrated his birthday and a reporter from a local newspaper was sent to interview him.

And, tell me what would you do if you could have your time all over again?"

There was a long silence, while the oldest inhabitant appeared to be deep in thought.

"I think I would part my hair in the middle," he said.

Bristling Six-Foot Sgt-Maior At O.T.C. is Man With Purpose

"I 'ates cadets."

These three words crack over the parade square like the lash of a whip and hit the new candidate class at the Officers' Training Centre at Brockville with sarcasm as icy as the winter weather in which the cadets stand.

A respected, bristling six-footer glowers at the class. He is Regimental Sergeant Major Fred Hall, of Esquimalt, B.C., and his steel-grey eyes pierce into those of the cadets. His voice and attiude, however, belie his real nature.

Hard as nails, yet as straight as the British Columbia spruce he felled when he first came to Canada, the regimental sergeant major has a lean tigerish figure. He seems ready to pounce on any cadet who sets foot on the wrong path during training for the coveted commission in the Canadian Army.

R.S.M. Hall is a man with a purpose and during his talk to the cadets newly arrived for officer training he outlines his purpose. According to the King's Regulations and Orders, he clips, "a man joins the army either as an officer or a soldier, but to become an officer one must become a soldier." It is R.S.M. Hall's purpose to see that the men are soldiers as well as officers, on graduation day.

A firm disciplinarian, he impresses on cadets during that first talk that they are in the army. However, he is a fair task-master, and no one is prouder in the entire camp on graduation day when these hardened, fighting-fit cadets snap smartly to attention to receive their certificates qualifying them as officers.

War is a game that one "plays for keeps" and behind the R.S.M.'s sternness is the safety of life and limb of the boys under his charge at C.T.C. He knows that those who are alert, quick to make decisions in the heat of the battle and who are physically able to carry out the almost impossible, along with the men under the command, will win through and help bring that long sought for peace to the entire world.

One of R.S.M. Hall's proudest moments was in New York City in 1941 during a United Nations' Parade. He had specially trained 75 Brockville cadets to take part in this significant demonstration. At the conclusion of the parade a high-ranking United States army officer remarked that the cadets "were equal to, if not better than the cadets of West Point."

It was on the banks of the River Tyne where the regimental sergeant major first saw the light of day. Newcastle was his birthplace. However, at the age of 16 years, he left the smoky coal-mining and industrial area of Northumberland for the tang of the salt air. He shipped east of Suez and west of Panama gaining the valuable knowledge of human nature which today stands him in good stead.

He forsook the sea, after six years for logging in British Columbia, and it was here that he enlisted in the Permanent Force to start his army career. In 1931, at Work Point Barracks, Esquimalt, he joined the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry as a private. Within six months he was a lance-corporal and at the outbreak of war in 1939 held the rank of sergeant.

When the P.P.C.L.I.'s were ordered overseas the then Sgt. Hall reverted to a private in order to stay with the unit. It was not long before he was back in the ranks of the N. C. O.'s.

In the summer of 1940 he was posted to an overseas Canadian Snipers school as wing sergeant major and later he was one of the originals to start the O.C.T.U., which is the English counterpart of Canada's Officers' Training Centre.

While in England, R.S.M. Hall was promoted to Warrant Officer (First Class). He returned to Canada from overseas in March 1942 with Brigadier (then Colonel) Milton F. Gregg, V.C., and was posted to Brockville O T C. as R.S.M.

A soldier's soldier, he has the respect of both officers and men in the centre.

"When I calls for markers," he barked during a training period, "I wants an 'ush over the parade ground." And so, when the Northumberland accent reverberates across the square there is "an 'ush" over the parade ground. The cadets are on the alert for they know that behind that gruff, stern and exacting exterior of the R.S.M. there is a purpose, and that is to impart to them the benefit of his own experience on how to become a good soldier.

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Ration Coupon Calendar

February 24th—March 1st, 1944.

Butter—Coupons 46-51 (inclusive) are now valid. Coupons 46, 47, 48 and 49 expire February 29.

Preserves—Coupons D1-D13 are now valid at increased coupon values and remain valid until declared invalid.

Tea or Coffee—Coupons 14-29 and E1 and E2 are now valid and remain valid until declared invalid. Coupons E3 and E4 fall due March 9th.

Meat—Coupons 35-40 (inclusive) are now valid in pairs. Coupons 35, 36, 37 and 38 expire February 29.

Canned Salmon—Valid meat coupons are now good for the purchase of canned salmon at one-quarter pound per coupon.

Sugar—Coupons 14-26 (inclusive) are now valid and remain so until declared invalid. Preserves coupons may also be used for additional sugar at the rate of one-half pound per preserves coupon.

Canning Sugar—Spare F coupons 1-10 in the current No. 3 ration book will be valid for the purchase of canning sugar at one pound per coupon on dates to be announced.

Reasons Enough

A doctor who had taken up as his specialty the treatment of skin diseases was asked by a friend how he happened to select that particular branch of medicine.

"There were three perfectly good reasons," replied the physician. "My patients never get me up out of bed at night, they never die and they never get well."

THE MIXING BOWL

By ANNE ALLAN
Hydro Home Economist



Shoo Away Washday Blues.

Hello Homemakers Clothes were once subjected to such brutal treatment on wash-day that only the sturdiest fabrics escaped the rag bag for very long. Today, home-makers are taking extra precautions with wartime fabrics—this is indicated by the frequent questions asked of The Mixing Bowl. The information on these problems may "shoo away wash-day blues" for others who have been in the same quandary.

What are the proper water temperatures for washing different fabrics? White cottons and linens can stand the hottest water—right up to boiling; colored cottons and linens are the next hardiest in the fabric family; woollens and rayons are the babes of the family and should be handled in water of the same temperatuer as you would bathe your baby—never should they be washed in anything but luke-warm water.

How long do you soak wartime fabrics? Many people make the mistake of soaking their clothes overnight. Twenty minutes is long enough for white cottons and linens. Never leave clothes soaking in dirty water. If you are side-tracked from the job, wring the clothes and resoak in fresh water. Colored fabrics should not be soaked.

Do soaps make a difference today? Decidedly. Rayons, woollens and silks last longer if washed with a mild, neutral soap. Stronger soaps may be used for the general family wash of cottons and linens.

How much soap is needed to do a family wash? Use enough soap but do not be wasteful. A standing suds of two inches is ideal; use a measuring cup to find out how much soap is needed then use the right amount each time to be economical.

Why use water softeners? Gray and dingy clothes may broadcast the need for a water softener. The mineral salts of hard water unite with soap to form curds; dirt particles combine with these curds and these get caught in the fibers. Soap can soften water if you use enough of it, but this method is expensive and unless the rinsing is thorough and the water is hot, it is not successful. Better use a water softener.

How many clothes make a load? The manufacturers of electric washing machines say: 6-8 lbs. dry clothes make a safe load. For example: 2 sheets, 4 pillow cases and 3 bath towels. Overloading not only puts a strain on the washing machine, but keeps it from producing perfect results. A safe guide is: never put in more than will circulate freely.

Do you advocate rinsing in the machine? Use the electric washing machine if you have one. Operate it five minutes for the first rinse and two or three minutes for the second rinse. An extra rinse is necessary if the washer is not used.

When and how do you use a bleach? Sunshine will bleach clothes dried out-of-doors. White cottons and linens may occasionally need to be bleached with chemicals in winter time. Mix the bleach with the first rinse water according to directions. Rinse the clothes at least twice after the bleach is used. Silks and rayons should not be bleached as it weakens the fibres.

Will an artificial bleach affect my washing machine? Yes, certain artificial bleaches may have a tendency to pit the surface of the enamel tub. This in time would roughen the surface. Tubs with rust spots showing should not be used for bleaching either.

What would you do about new fabrics? Read labels carefully. Soak materials in cool salt water for a few minutes—½ cup salt per pail of water. Wash new colored articles separately and as quickly as possible. Dry in a breeze.

TAKE A TIP

1. Test the safety release on the wringer before you start.

2. Some wringers indicate the pressure for silks and woollens and some for cottons and linens—use the wringer wisely. For wringers without this gauge it is well to make sure that the rollers are not screwed too tightly. A wringer that is too tight may tear the fabric and may lock the rollers and even strip the gears.

3. In order to save the rubber rollers, the pressure should be released as soon as the wringing process has been finished.

4. Remember that oil ruins rubber; take care, therefore, not to spill oil on the rubber parts of the machine.

5. Keep the drains clear of lint which accumulates easily. Hose connections should be well drained and kept clean.

6. Wipe the machine off thoroughly, then dry, each time.

Anne Allen invites you to write to her c/o The Record. Send in your questions on homemaking problems and watch this column for replies.

Mainly About People

Send Your Items of Personal News to The Record —or— Dial 401

Berwick

Mrs. Grace Miller and sister of Ottawa visited here on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovide Bourgeon and son Victor spent a couple days at Ottawa.

Mr. Delbert Hutt of Ottawa was a visitor the week-end in town.

Miss Elva Ouderkirk of Cornwall spent Friday with her parents.

Cpl. J. A. Barrigar and Mrs. Barrigar and little Bobby are spending this week visiting in Ottawa.

Mrs. Jack Klaboury of Harrison [illegible] is spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Warner and Mr. Shannon.

Mrs. L.J. Hutt left last Thursday on extended visit with her two daughters at Toronto. Mrs. Jack McQuaig and Miss Lila Hutt who are nurses in training at a hospital.

Mrs. Wm. Barwell and Mrs. Syd Lebrun spent a few days visiting relatives at Ottawa last week.

Miss Alice Fetterly is nursing Mrs. Shaver of Lunenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmel Smirl was advised by wire that their son Glenn of the RCAF had arrived safely overseas.

Mr. Albert Adams of Casselman, was in town on Tuesday.

FULTON—MacMILLAN

A quiet wedding was solemnized in St. Stephen's United Church, Vancouver BC, on Saturday, February fifth, when Lyllis S., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O. MacMillan of Chesterville, became the bride of Paymaster Sub. Lieutenant R. Donald Fulton, RCNVR, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Fulton, Chesterville.

Rev. Holland McGill, M.A., B.D., officiated at the ceremony. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Bismark Fulton, uncle and aunt of the groom.

The bride wore a powder blue wool dressmaker suit with matching accessories and a corsage of orchids, carnations, snowdrops and maiden hair fern.

Following the ceremony the couple left by steamer on their honeymoon to Victoria. They will reside at 1657 Burnaby Ave, Vancouver, B.C.

Beckstead

Mr. Maurice Beckstead and Mr. Lloyd Froats collected for Beckstead Red Cross on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald McMartin and Gwen spent Tuesday in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dillabough had tea Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Beckstead called on Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rice on Sunday afternoon.

Wray McPherson, RCAF, and wife are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Morley McPherson and friends.

Mrs. Frank Whitteker spent Tuesday with Mrs. Earle Beckstead.

The next meeting of Beckstead Red Cross will be hed at the home of Mrs. Frank Todd on February 29 in the afternoon.

Mrs. Stanley Shaw and baby had tea on Tuesday with her parents Mr and Mrs. Mahlon Beckstead.

IN MEMORIAM.

CAMPBELL—In loving memory of Mrs. Jas. Campbell who passed away on February 26th. 1943.

Sunshine passes, shadows fall,
Loves remembrances outlast all,
And though the years be many or few,
They are filled with remembrances,
Dear of you.

Husband.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank all the friends and neighbours for the flowers, cards and kind remembrances I received during my recent illness.

Mrs. Harry C. Hummel.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. John P. Kearns wishes to than her friends and neighbours for flowers, fruit, cards and letters when she was in St. Vincent hospital.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank my neighbours, friends and relatives who remembered me with cards, visits and fruits and for many kind acts shown unto me and my wife and family during my long serious illness at home and in the hospital. Willie Moriarity.

CARD OF THANKS.

The family of the late Mrs. Elza Barkley wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to their neighbours, friends and relatives, for their many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings received during the illness and death of their beloved mother. They also thank the ladies Aid, the choir and Rev. Wm. Nolting.

Allow me to present my husband to you.

No, thanks, I have one of my own.

Mr. Fred Reveler of Ottawa visited Thos. Reveler on Sunday.

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Miss Marjoire MacGregor of Ottawa spent the week-end at her home at Morewood.

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Mrs. D.A. Kinsman has returned to her home in Toronto after visiting her home here.

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Mrs. Earle Gordon and Heather of Ottawa are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Gordon this week.

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Dr. J.M. Reveler of Toronto spent the week-end with his mother Mrs. A. W. Reveler of Cannamore.

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AC Ronnie MacMillan of the RCAF is spending a leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Mc Millan.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Byers attended the funeral in Morrisburg Tuesday of Mr. Wagner's cousin, George Wagner who died in Yellow Grass, Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Gordon Selkirk, RN, after giving her blood at the recent clinic gave her services as a nurse during the day. Mrs. Selkirk is a newcomer to town, her husband being connected with the Bell Telephone Co.

RECEIVED HIS WINGS.

Sgt. Pilot Donald W. MacGregor, is spending a leave with his mother, Mrs. George MacGregor at Morewood. He received his wings at No. 16 S.F.T.S. Hagersville on Friday, February 11th. He enlisted in November, 1942, and trained at Lachine, McGill College, Toronto, Pendleton and Hagersville. He expects to take a commando course at Valleyfield.

COULTHART-EAMER.

A pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. G.S. Lloyd, M.A., B.D., in St. John's Presbyterian church on Saturday afternoon when Maisie Darline, youngest daughter of Mrs. Pearl Eamer, became the bride of Private Ralph Edgerton Coulthart, C.A.B.T.C., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Coulthart. The bride was given in marriage by her uncle Daniel Prieur. The bride wore a floor length white sheer dress with finger-tip veil and carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. The bridesmaid Miss Jean Coulthart, sister of the groom wore a floor-length dress of blue sheer with turban to match and carried a bouquet of colonial roses. The groom's best man was Wilfred Eamer, brother of the bride and ushers were Pte Bill Drummond and Pte Grenville Preston.

Mrs. Eamer, mother of the bride, wore a navy blue crepe with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Coulthart, mother of the groom, wore a gold crepe dress with matching accessries and wore a corsage of pink carnations.

Following the ceremony the bridal party returned to the home of the bride, 19 Augustus Street, Cornwall, where a dinner was served to about 30 guests. The toast was proposed by Harry Lapierre. Later the happy couple left amid showers of confetti for a honeymoon trip to the east. The bride travelled in a green and beige two piece dress with matching accessories and fur coat. Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. William O. Coulthart, Mrs. Ida Coulthart, grandmother of the groom, London, Ontario; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lapierre, Brockville; Miss Jean Coulthart of Ottawa. The bride and groom were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts. Prior to her marriage the bride was tendered a miscellaneous shower where she also received many nice presents.

Cedar Grove

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dafoe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gallinger, Bush Glen, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lillie Dafoe spent Tuesday with Mrs. Jennie Wells, Aultsville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Burton and Carl, second concession, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dafoe. Sunday.

Wilda Jarvis, Farran's Point is visiting Pauline Jarvis this week.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dillabough were Father McPhail of Dickinson's Landing, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Beaudette and family of Pleasant Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dafoe visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gallinger of Gallingertown Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dillabough spent Monday afternoon in Morrisburg.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

Miss Avonne Moran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Moran, of town, was taken to hospital on Monday for an appendectomy.



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