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A WEEKLY EDITOR LOOKS AT Ottawa

Written specially for the weekly newspapers of Canada

By JIM GREENBLAT

At 12.20 p.m. on Sept. 8. in the Prime Minister's office in the East Block your representative was among those gathered at one of the most momentous press conferences since the outbreak of war. The text of statements to be broadcast ten minutes later by General Eisenhower to the world, telling of Italy's exit from the war, to be followed by Mr. King's radio statement to the Canadian people were distributed. Then the P. M. made the announcement to the little gathering, mainly members of the press gallery. From the office, redolent of Canadian history and haunted by shadows of Macdonald, Laurier and others--went the gladsome tidings to you out on farms, ranches, fishing smacks.

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The news came little more than a day later Finance Minister Ilsely's announcement of Canada's Fifth Victory Loan opening October 18th with a minimum cash objective of $1,200,000,000. Thrilled with the dismemberment of the Axis, realistic newsmen present at the conference, nevertheless commented they hoped Canadians wouldn't let the news lull them into any false sense of security insofar as the war is concerned, and affect their contribution to the objective's attainment. They as well as the government are convinced that a severe and costly struggle still lies ahead. The remaining enemy is still powerful. The appeal goes out to readers of weekly papers, who by and large made up he much sought after "smaller subscribers" to assure ultimate victory by supporting the Fifth War Loan.

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The other night late I passed the National Research Council Building. Lights were glowing in windows. Geared to much hush-hush war research this cutfit gets little publicity these days but those who know say a very tremendouisy important job is being done within those grey walls and much of it by young men and women who grew up in rural areas. Only some of the results attained are given out, about things which will affect our post-war living. For instance, in connection with Irish moss (seaweed) a processing procedure has been developed producing orderless, tasteless, light colored preparation giving a strong jelly in canning. Several million pounds of Irish moss is harvested on the east coast annually. In drying pork they found ways of getting an excellent product retaining 75% of the natural B 1 vitamin content for cooking and drying. Astounding things they have evolved in aircraft production, leather substitutes, plastics, too.

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Ration book distribution is about over completely. It was the largest single printing order ever placed in Canada. Proper precautions had to be taken in connection with proper dyes, designs, on account of possible counterfeiting, etc...each month an average of 5000 Canadians use their ration books....46 million coupons are handled each week by merchants, wholesalers and banks.

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The new ration allowance for jams, jellies, etc., and new regulations pertaining, are really important concessions to the rural people of Canada, who for the most part do their own preserving. As country stores were rarely well stocked with these commodities--of recent years--there was a cry of "inequality" and probably with justification The new order means, in effect, sugar for the folks out there for their fall apple sauce and more particularly sugar with which they put up earlier without sugar.

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NOTES FOR YOU AND YOU:

In studying the consistency of soils agricultural scientists note whether a soil is crumbly, friable, mellow, soft, firm, tough, hard, compact, cemented, plastic or porous. The friability of soil, its capacity to be easily crumbled into small pieces, has often great influence on the productivity of soil....September is the best time to divide and transplant peonies, but they should not be moved more often than once in five years unless a special reason exists for doing so....Parcels for your boys or girls overseas to catch Christmas delivery have a deadline of November 1, according to the Post Office Department which faces a gigantic task this year--he'p yourself by co-operating....Ottawa recorded over 9 inches of rainfall during August.

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One keeps marvelling at the figures which keep coming out about aCnada's part in producing for the war. An example: in the year 1940 we produced three types of small arms to the value of four and a half million dollars. Do you know that for the first four months of 1943 we were producing twenty types valued at $23,600,000 and there were 30,000 workins in the arsenals and plants, half of them women.

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Not gone and not forgotten Dr. J. H. Keith, National Secretary of the League of Nations, speaking to a service club in Ottawa the other day said in part: "the League of Nations is not dead; it is carrying on its work in a way which will be useful and beneficial to the future of Canada and to the future of the world." He said that in the Atlantic Charter we have the promises of idealism to be worked out in the years to come--that the League stands for just that.

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Army Public Relations gives a story out giving us an idea how troops in Canada are locked after to keep them from getting too bored in off hours. Such organizations as the Canadian Legion, Y. M. C. A., Savation Army and Knights of Columbus do a grand job in this direction. During the first week of August for instance, 69,804 books were in circulation, 65,277 magazines and 10,948 papers were distributed; 1,464 motion pictures were shown in camps, with an attendance of over 380,000 men. In July they had more than 400 dances for the lads, with an attendance of 150,000. There are about 175 civilian concert parties on the go and more than 4,000 individuals giving one or two nights a week to assist them--which all goes to show that even if the boys are 'n-wearyin' for you' they do and see things.

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After standing bare for three years, the flag pole which juts out from the former Italian Consulate's offices in Ottawa carried a fluttering Union Jack on the afternoon the news came of the capitulation. The superintendent of the building hurriedly did the trick to celebrate. The Italian colony here were jubilant, even a bonfire in the middle of the street resulted from one jamboree.

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The Canadian cost-of-living index was up 118.2 to 119.2 in July, the sixth consecutive month with a rise, which is not viewed with satisfaction in official circles. This affects cost-of-living bonuses for workers in most industries and if continued bonuses would have to be increased effective November 15. if October's index had a rise of this nature. The bonus is adjusted quarterly, based on the index. Increased cost of living does not run parallel with the best tenets of price control.

EARN D.A.R. PROMOTIONS





C. S. Clancy, left, formerly chief clerk to the general freight and passenger agent of the Dominion Atlantic Railway and the district freight agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who has been promoted to the position of district freight agent for the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company, with headquarters at Halifax. At right, W. J. Curran, formerly senior passenger clerk with the D.A.R., who has been promoted to the position of district passenger agent for the company. The promotions are announced by A. T. Smith, general freight and passenger agent, Dominion Atlantic Railway.

91,000 MILES OF WIRE CIRCUITS SPEED VICTORY

If one were to listen in on the 91,000 miles of railway telegraph and telephone circuits stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific and required for train despatching purposes of Canadian National trains their theme song would be found to be "Speed the War Effort." Last year some seventy-two million tons of munitions of war and other products of industry, agriculture and natural resources and upwards of thirty million passengers were moved over the 23,000 miles of railway comprising the Canadian National System. Each day approximately one hundred thousand freight cars move over the system and behind it all is the driving power of Canada's war effort and the indomitable will to Victory.

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THE PEOPLE'S FORUM

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THE BIG JOB:

To the Editor.

Sir: Some people who have been writing letters to the press recently are pro-American, some people are pro-British, but as yet I have not seen any pro-Canadians. My father was born in Scotland, my mother was born in Wales, so my background is quite British. However, they met and were married here in Canada, so here is my birthplace, so I am a Canadian. Exactly what we (Canadians) would gain by an alliance with America is something that I cannot figure out. Canada is a nation in the stand of Britain and is treated as such. The only tie we have with Britain in any way is through our gracious King George. However, before we decide whether we shall be American, British or Canadian let us first insure ourselves of being free. Yes, let us first wipe the Axis from the tortured fortress of Europe and then we can as free men face the tasks of securing peace. Canada has a great future and it is up to Canadians to make it secure.

A CANADIAN

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TWO-WAY CRITICISM

To the Editor.

Sir: It is more than passing strange that the Tories and Tory newspapers on one hand criticize those who advocate union with the United States and then on the other hand protest violently against those Canadians who advocate a distinctive flag and national anthem for Canada. In between the two schools of thought, where does Canada stand? Is she in reality a nation or just a glorified colony under the patronage of the British Commonwealth of Nations. In two world wars, Canadians have sacrificed, with blood tears, toil, sweat and taxes, to save the flag and entity of other democratic nations and it is a cold and callous injustice that Canada is refused the benefits of the principles for which she and her sons and daughters fight so valiantly and wholeheartedly.

CAANDIAN TAXPAYER.

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TWO VIEWPOINTS

To the Editor.

Sir: In the recently arisen discussion regarding the union of the Canadian provinces with the U.S.A., it seems that more emotion than logic is being expended on the subject. From the tone of the letters the unionists appear to favor the democratic procedure of appealing to the people on the question, whereas the anti-unionists take the stand that there is no question but that their own viewpoint must prevail. It might be enlightening, and perhaps frightening to the latter body, if the figures were published as to the number of native-born Canadians resident in the United States and the number of native Canadians resident here.

GORDON RADFORD.

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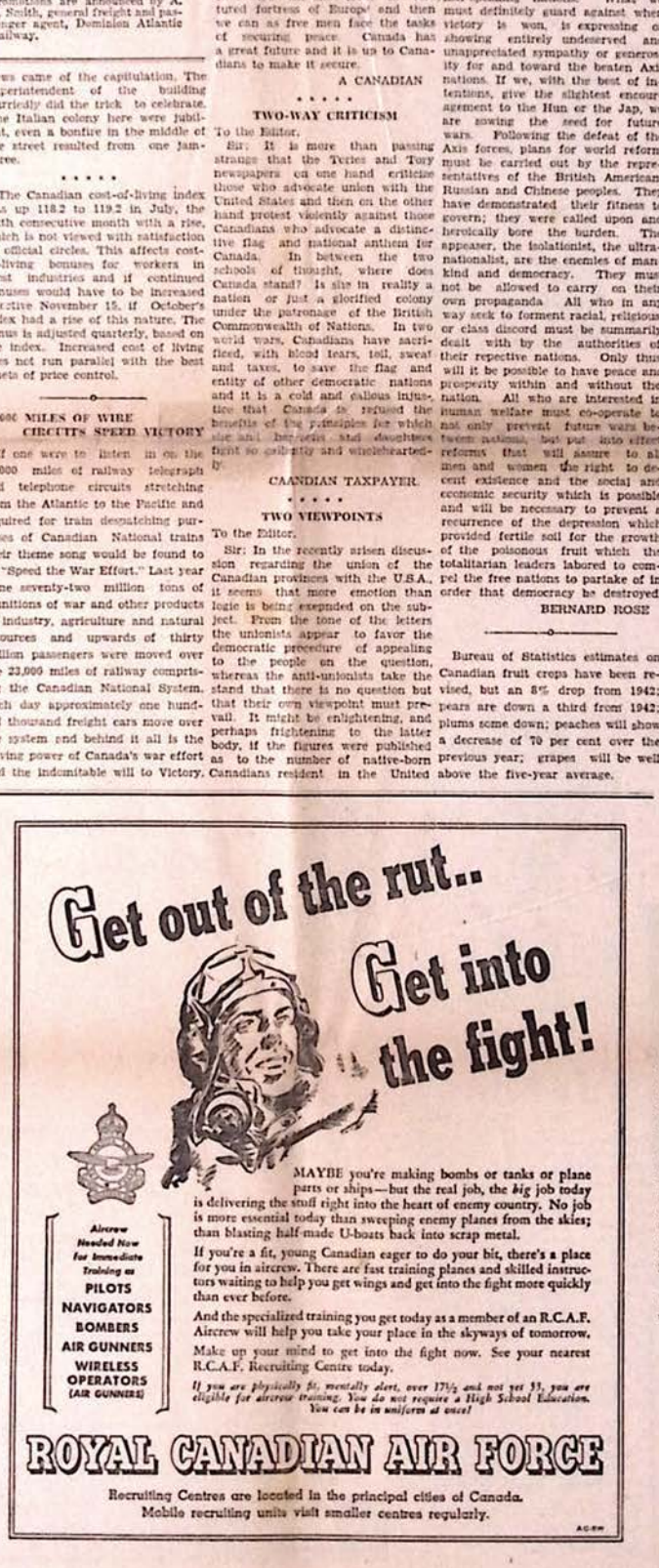
WORLD REFORM

To the Editor.

Sir. The battle for righteousness in which China, Russia, Britain and the United States are engaged, when victory is won, will bring with it a peace that should endure for centuries. The war has brought closer together the Orient and the Occident. The great democratic statesmen have expressed in very warm terms their appreciation of the great sacrifices of the Chinese people. China and Russia will not have made these sacrifices in vain; they have demonstrated that although possessing cultures and traditions different to those of western nations, they are as fiercely determined to maintain their liberities as the English-speaking nations. What we must definitely guard against when victory is won, is expressing or showing entirely undeserved and unappreciated sympathy or generosity for and toward the beaten Axis nations. If we, with the best of intentions, give the slightest encouragement to the Hun or the Jap, we are sowing the seed for future wars. Following the defeat of the Axis forces, plans for world reform must be carried out by the representatives of the British American, Russian and Chinese peoples. They have demonstrated their fitness to govern; they were called upon and heroically bore the burden. The appeaser, the isolationist, the ultra-nationalist, are the enemies of mankind and democracy. They must not be allowed to carry on their own propaganda All who in any way seek to forment racial, religious, or class discord must be summarily dealt with by the authorities of their repective nations. Only thus will it be possible to have peace and prosperity within and without the nation. All who are interested in human welfare must co-operate to not only prevent future wars between nations, but put into effect reforms that will assure to all men and women the right to decent existence and the social and economic security which is possible and will be necessary to prevent a recurrence of the depression which provided fertile soil for the growth of the poisonous fruit which the totalitarian leaders labored to compel the free nations to partake of in order that democracy be destroyed.

BERNARD ROSE

Bureau of Statistics estimates on Canadian fruit crops have been revised, but an 8% drop from 1942; pears are down a third from 1942; plums some down; peaches will show a decrease of 70 per cent over the previous year; grapes will be well above the five-year average.



NOVA SCOTIA Farm News

CREATIVE PRODUCTION

Large Hay Crop Makes for Continued Livestock Production

The cattle industry is the most important phase of Nova Scotia agriculture. This particularly applies to dairying. In the production of food as a war measure, dairy farmers in Nova Scotia have made an outstanding record this year This is indicated by the creamery butter production for 1943. For the first eight months of the year the increase for Nova Scotia was 16.6% while for the month of August the amount was 20.9%. This production was made possible through better feeding of dairy cows last winter, through more fertilized pastures, and through the excellent pasture conditions of this season, resulting from the wet weather. Last year the rainfall during the month of June and August was low, while this year it has been heavy throughout the growing season. It would appear that these excellent pasture conditions will continue through the remainder of this season.

Looking forward to the winter production, a large hay crop has now been harvested. Where the hay was cut early an excellent second crop has come on and some have even cut a second crop. There is also much valuable grazing for livestock. While much hay was damaged because of the weather and late cutting, still even it the late fields the second crop came through the first and will thus greatly improve the quality. The next important factor in feed for the winter is the question of grains and mill feeds in Western Canada. In this connection livestock raisers are urged to place their orders early and make every endeavour to lay in a supply ahead of the winter months

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Berwick Guernsey Heads List

In the August list of Guernseys qualifying in R.O.P., the 4 yr. old class was led by OAKFIELD PRINCESS MARGARET, producing 10,406 lbs. milk, 566 lbs. fat. She is owned by H. C. Ward, Berwick.

N155 Produces 1191 Eggs in 6 Years

N155 (that is the designation of a White Leghorn at the Dominion Experimental Station, Kentville) is surely doing her bit to keep up wartime production. This nice looking biddy has just completed a six-year record with a total of 1191 eggs, according to records that have been carefully kept by B. F. Cheney, head poultryman at the Station For years this bird laid 200 or more eggs a year The average body weight of N155 in her pullet year was 5.9 lbs., and she had an average egg weight of 26.8 ounces to the dozen.

Blood counts. This bird was from a family of seventeen sisters with an average production of 231 eggs, 26 ounces to the dozen. In her breeding season N155 produced nine daughters, eight of whom qualified in R.O.P. with a production of 200 eggs. One male from this hen, tested under the Proposed Breeding Policy, qualified 20 daughters out of 42 entered.

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Lime Shipments Increase Over 100 Per Cent

Orders of lime for shipment by rail between August 1 and September 15 totalled this year 3,735 tons, as compared with 1,561 tons for the same period last year. This increase of more than 100% indicates the importance which farmers are giving to the lime requirements of the soil, and the urge there is to increase clover production to help out in the feed situation.

During the first half of August 262 tons were placed on order as compared to 100 tons last year. In the last half of August orders totalled 1,615 tons as compared with 1,105 last year.

It should be noted that farmers are now ordering lime in the summer time for movement during the late summer and early fall. Only a few years ago very few orders were received at this time of year. This policy has been furthered by a prize variation, the purpose of which is to keep quarries in operation and thus help for a more efficient industry. Farmers are co-operating fully in this movement.

Much of this rail shipped lime must move from the quarry of O. P. Mosher and Sons, Upper Musquodoboit, the remainder from Eastern Lime Company, Windsor. The movement by truck from the Pictou United Farmers quarry at Churchville, Thomas Dillman at Admiral Rock and the Department quarry at Pugwash is also heavy.

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W. I. N. S. Contributes $457,883

Contributions, in cash and merchandise, made by the Women's Institutes of Nova Scotia to war activities from June 1941 to June 1943 total $457,883.70 according to figures published in the September-October Issues of Home and Country W. I. N. S. This grand total, approaching the half million mark and coming entirely from the rural women of the Province, included cash, almost $200,000 and the balance in contributed articles Knitted articles numbered 192,432. Then there were 22 toddlers' packs, almost 50,000 sewn articles, 2,781 bundles for Britain, 14,237 bed coverings, 626 pillows, 1,729 ditty bags, 321 jackets, 100 layettes, vast quantities of jams and jellies. Cash donated to the Queen's Fund totalled $6,982.55.

Red Shield Home Front Appeal

A mild little man with a gentle smile sat in The Salvation Army Prison Department office. His name was Stan. He wore a smile that lit up his whole face, and there was nothing bitter or resentful about him.

Stan, however, has lots of cause to be bitter. And why isn't he? Here's the story:

Stan's father is the general manager of a large automobile company in a middle-western city of the United States. His sisters and brothers have good positions. They're getting along just fine and they've never been in trouble. Not like Stan.

When he was about thirty years old, he got mixed up with bad company. Easy money came his way when he robbed, in succession, three banks, seven gasoline stations and three coal yards. Then he was caught, and because he was the "guy with the gun" he got the longest sentence. He was a jailbird for ten years.

Given his "freedom" he was shipped to Canada, and because he had no friends, and very little money, he starte his same life all over again. He indulged in a splurge of crime, robbing several banks and as many as twenty gasoline stations.

Disillusioned, hard-boiled Stan. He came up for sentence and got another ten years. He spent the first five years in Kingston, and then he was shipped to Stoney Mountain penitentiary, out beyond Winnipeg. In 1940 he got his liberty, seven dollars in his pockets and a suit of prison clothes.

In describing the suit, Stan, says: "I looked as if I had been sent for and couldn't come!"

His fare was paid to an Eastern Canadian city, but the suit gave him away. Everyone shunned him. No one wanted to give him a job.

It was easy to pick up a few old habits, and first thing he knew, Stan was back in the "jug" for having held up a jewellery store.

This is where The Salvation Army comes in. An officer talked to Stan just after he had been sentenced for

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NOTE and COMMENT

A local doctor says that a hearty laugh does more good than a meal. It depends who's laughed at. And why. Sometimes the laugh forces the laughter to have a meal he doesn't enjoy--swallowing his own words--"eating crow."

Policemen are required to have "a good personality." An arresting personality, no doubt.

The escape of Mussolini shows that the Allies have a problem in laying the Axis criminals by their "heels".

England is said to be having the poorest grouse season in years. And naturally enough. The way the war is going, there's little to complain of.

As the surrender of the Italian fleet releases British ships for the Far East, hon. Tojo begins to realize the possibility of losing face at neck.

It is rumored that Mussolini has been rescued by the Germans. If the Allies finally get him, no matter in what close confinement they keep him, they should at least give him Elba room.

As for the editorial "we", an editor at *least* never asks his readers, as a doctor asks his patient, "How are we this morning?"

Berlin now fears that others of her little pals will follow Italy's example and include themselves out.

Goebbels cautions Germans against getting weak in the knees, having noted, no doubt, what happened to Italy when it got weak in the toe.

The Japs dread to lose face. Looking at some of these monkeys, one would think they would be glad to lose it.

No one in Richmond has yet reported having received a picture postcard from Mussolini saying "Having a good time; wish you were here."

Making his first speech in six months, Hitler tells his people that Italy's surrender was due to an absence of will, whereas, of course, it was really due to an absence of wen't. Hitler says Mussolini "is one of the greatest men in history," thus showing that de Fuehrer can't distinguish between greatness and grossness.

Swordfishing About Over

Swordfish in Cape Breton coastal waters is about over for this season. During the past several days only a few fish were caught according to reports from centres where the boats make their headquarters. Many of the boats, especially those from Newfoundland, have left for their home ports. During last week the price jumped to 31 cents a pound. Boats from Petit de Grat and Rocky Bay have arrived from Eastern ports and report good catches with prices the best in the history of the industry.

RED SHIELD HOME FRONT APPEAL

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the third time. Stan wanted no part o The Salvation Army--or of decent society--or of God, for that matter. He was going back where he came from, with only one objective in mind: To get even.

Soon, though, The Salvation Army worked its way into his conscience, into his heart. With patience, with tact and with considerateness, a new man was born, and the years of bitter loneliness and estrangement gradually slipped away. By the time his three-year sentence was up, Stan has found a real friend.

Stan has only been out of jail a few days, but he's a different man. To start him off right, The Army gave him a good suit of clothes, a smart hat and new shoes; in fact both inside and out, Stan is a new fellow. The Army got him a job in a war plant, and he's making 85c an hour. He's proud of his badge, with his photograph and number on it--so different from the other number he wore so long--and now he's got something to live for. Stan is quite frank when he says: "If it weren't for The Salvation Army, I'd have been back in my old haunts by now."

Who are criminals? Where do they come from? Criminals can be you or I in our weakest moments. Not only from poor, degenerate backgrounds come those criminals to whom The Salvation Army opens its heart. Doctors, lawyers, technicians, ministers, accountants, and many others who have fallen from grace through weakness and temptation have been re-instated back into society through the efforts of The Army of Mercy.

Stan is one of 2,862 ex-convicts in a year who were helped back into a better way of life by The Army; many were restored to their homes; others went back to their old jobs; and for others, new jobs were found. Instead of going to jail, 1,502 men and women were committed to The Army's care; 6,715 prisoners were met on their discharge; 6,774 beds and meals were supplied to ex-prisoners; 9,573 received material assistance; 6,418 visits were made in the interests of prisoners to their families or prospective employers; 2,666 religious services were held in penitentiaries.

These figures tell countless stories of hope rekindled; of awkward and unfamiliar prayers rising from unaccustomed lips; of paths being diverted into useful and profitable ways; and all through the help of The Salvation Army, which believes that none have fallen so low that they cannot be reborn.

With your generous help, this work must go on. When you support the Home Front Appeal, you are answering the prayers of the would-be enemies of society, giving them a chance to start life anew.



DR. JOSEPH A. McMILLAN

Pominent physician and surgeon of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Maritime Hospital Service Association, Inc., member of the Maritime Hospital Association's Committee on Plan for Hospital Care, and first President of the Maritime Hospital Association. Progressive and dynamic, Dr. McMillan is enthusiastic about the benefits now available to the people of the Maritime Provinces under the new Maritime Plan for Hospital Care, the purpose of which is to provide adequate hospital care at a price the average family can afford to pay. Dr. McMillan's public-spirited service as Chairman is typical of each member of the Board of twenty-one trustees who all serve without pay in this non-profit community effort.



DR. M. M. COADY

Chairman, Maritime Hospital Association Committee on Plan for Hospital Care Director of Extension, St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, Nova Scotia, active for more than a quarter of a century in the development of the Co-operative movement in the Maritime Provinces. Author of "Masters of Their Own Destiny,", an inspiring book dealing with the growth of the Co-operative Movement in eastern Nova Scotia. As writer, lecturer and teacher, Dr. Cody is widely known and greatly beloved. The fact that he stands behind the new Maritime Plan for Hospital Care is conclusive proof that it is for the good of Maritime people.



RUTH COOK WILSON

Executive Director and Secretary-Treasurer of the Board, Maritime Hospital Service Association, Inc. Plan for Hospital Care, sponsored by the Maritime Hospital Association. A valued member of the American College of Hospital Administrators and of the Canadian Hospital Council, and business manager, assistant administrator and Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Moncton Hospital, Moncton, New Brunswick. Miss Wilson's outstanding ability and wide experience have been applied to the organization and direction of the New Plan for Hospital Care, a voluntary 'self-help' group effort which provides hospital care at a cost of less than 2c per day per person.

Uneasy lies the head that wears the Italian crown.

Rome radio no longer broadcasts lessons in the German language. The Italians feel that, if they don't now know German, they do know Germans.

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POULAMOND

(From our own Correspondent)

Pte. Joseph LeBlanc and Pte. Donald Martell of the P. E. Island Highlanders are spending their furlough with their parents.

Miss Anita Vessiere left for Halifax after spending her vacation with her mother here.

Mrs. Frank Wright arrived home from Halifax after spending over a month with her sister. We are glad to have Mrs. Wright back with us again.

Capt. Amedee Fougere and Isaac Fougere motored from Halifax on Wednesday. While here they were the guests of Mrs. Isaac Fougere.

Bertie Poirier motored from Halifax on Tuesday accompanied by his wife and son Wayne. Mrs. Poirier and son will spend a few months with her mother.

Mr. Phillip Martell arrived from the U. S. A. on Thursday, to visit his wife and daughter. He will also spend some time in L'Ardoise his native home. He has been away for nearly thirteen years.

Mr. and Mrs. Narcisse Boudreau, of Sydney spent a few days here during the past week.

Baptiste Boudreau was a week-end visitor here over the week-end.

Edward LeBlanc and Harold Martell motored from Sydney on Saturday to visit their brothers, Joseph and Donald who are in the service.

ST. PETERS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Councillor W. E. Morrison and Rev. I. J. Keals, P. P., were in Halifax several days the past week in connection with the Fifth Victory Loan Campaign.

Pte. Robert C. Morrison has been spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Morrison and plans to return to Ontario to take an advanced army course in motor mechanics.

Mrs. John Adams and baby have returned from a visit to Halifax.

Miss Charlotte Morrison, Glace Bay, spent the week-end at her home here.

The ladies of St. Peters held a Forty-five party in the Red Cross Rooms, Monday evening and the sum of fourteen dollars was raised to help purchase supplies for Merchant Seamen's Ditty Bags.

Miss Mary Ann Morrison, R. N., Sydney, visited her parents recently.

Miss Lexena MacAchill, Point Michaud, who attended High School here a year ago has entered Glace Bay Hospital as a student nurse.

Mrs. F. C. Cotton and Mrs. A. Calder were hostesses to the Ladies Aid which met on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Frances Glynn left on Tuesday evening by air from Sydney for her home in Boston, Mass. Miss Glynn has spent the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. O'Toole.

Mrs. Hugh O'Hare and baby left on Wednesday for their home in Niagara, New York, they were accompanied by Mrs. O'Hare's mother, Mrs. (Dr.) J. A. Macdonald.

L'ARDOISE

(From Our Own Correspondent)

A marriage of interest took place in St. Peters on the 19th inst., when Mrs. Sabine Burton of West L'Ardoise was united in marriage to Mr. Alvine Cormary of Isaac's Harbour, Rev. Fr. Leo Walsh officiating. The bride was handsomely attired in a two piece street ensemble of navy blue with picture hat. She was attended by Mrs. George A. Monbourquette who wore a blue ensemble with black accessories, the groom was attended by Mr. George A. Monbourquette. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hafair Pottie, West L'Ardoise for immediate friends of the bridal party. Mr. and Mrs. Colleran left on Monday for Prince Edward Island where they will spend several weeks. They have the best wishes of their many friends for many years of happy wedded life.

Mrs. Robert Doherty and Miss McGowan of St. John, N. B., are the guests of Mrs. Doherty's parents, Councillor and Mrs. Arthur U. Samson.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillie Martell of New York is the guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Martell and family.

Mr. Alex Marven of Saundersville, Mass., accompanied by his two sons, Alex (Jr.) and Tom and Mr. Pascal Marven are motor visitors here. This is the former's first visit here since forty-eight years.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. MacLeod, of Reserve, accompanied by Mrs. Joseph MacLean of Sydney were motor visitors on Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Simon G. Martell.

Charles S. Sampson, R.C.C.S. and Pte. Mack Briand of the Pictou Highlanders, are spending their furlough with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albany Sampson and Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Briand.

Corp. Peter Birrette of the R.C.E., stationed at Petawawa, Ont., arrived home to spend his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Birrette, Lower L'Ardoise.

Mrs. Michael Murphy and Mrs. Halair Gracie of Lower L'Ardoise left the past week for an extended trip to Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

Mr. Sam Kashen of Boston, Mass., is visiting in Lower L'Ardoise, guest of Mr. John H. Sampson.

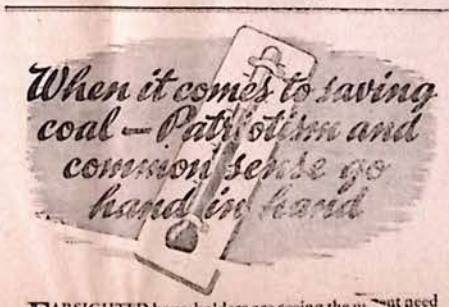
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chiasson and daughter, Catherine of New Waterford, accompanied by Mrs. Catherine Menbourquette of Glace Bay were week-end visitors here, guests of Mrs. Harriet Sampson and Mr. and Mrs. Ben J. Birrette, Lower L'Ardoise.

Mr. Alard Pottie returned to Halifax on Monday after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Halair Pottie, West L'Ardoise.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett McGrath of Sydney Mines, accompanied by their son, James, nephew Percy McGrath of Little Bras D'Or and Mrs. Mary Sampson are motor visitors to Lower L'Ardoise.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chappell of Sydney, are spending two weeks holidays in their bungalow at Point Michaud Beach.

Petty Officer Harry Murphy, Mrs. Murphy and little daughter are the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Maisie Murphy, Point Michaud.



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HON. C. D. HOWE, Minister

NOTICE

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS are to be held on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1943.

"Every candidate for the office of Councillor shall be nominated by at least 6 persons qualified to vote at the election of a councillor for the polling district.

"Such nomination shall be in writing and shall be filed with the presiding officer of the district on the first Tuesday of October (Oct. 5th 1943) between the hours of eight o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon at the place named by the presiding officer in the notice of election".

"The presiding officer shall not receive the nomination paper of any candidate for the office of councillor unless there is attached to such paper a certificate of the Municipal Treasurer that the rates and taxes of all kinds due by such candidate to the municipality have been fully paid at least ten days (Sept. 23, 1943) before the day for nominating candidates"--Chapter 38, Nova Scotia Laws of 1943.

MUNICIPAL TREASURER.

Arichat, N. S.

September 16th, 1943

MARITIMERS ON PACIFIC MISS THEIR DULSE

MONCTON, N. B.--This wartime rationing is all right but when it begins to interfere with a Bonnington man and his haggis, or a Maritimer man and his dulse, then there must be a limit to the war. Out on the Pacific Coast the New Brunswick Association held a picnic recently in Vancouver and it went merry as the proverbial wedding bell except for the fact that only five pounds of dulse could be obtained for the gathering of four hundred people. Dulse is a dulse seaweed obtained along the shores of the Maritime Provinces. It is purplish in color and its taste, well, when first tried by a novitiate it tastes like a dishrag impregnated with salt but to the initiated it's just delectable. Dulse has a high iodine content and the eating of it seems to have been handed down by the way of medicinal lore.

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Judicious cropping produced this striking cat picture. Only a small part of the complete snapshot was used.

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Judicious trimming can often change the whole mood and meaning of a picture. Most pictures, as taken, include details that do not belong—surplus material at top, bottom, or sides that blurs the picture's meaning and takes away its "punch."

The picture presented here is an excellent example. In the complete negative a mass of unessential surrounding detail distracted attention from the real picture. Only when the full print was trimmed, or "cropped" severely, did the kitten stand out as a cute and playful little fellow with direct and questioning eyes. Lines that tended to lead the eye out of the picture, and detract from the principal subject, were eliminated or subdued.

Cropping, as illustrated here, is good medicine for ailing pictures. Try it on your own. Cut two L-shaped masks of white cardboard and use them as an adjustable frame to study your own prints. By adjusting them, you can change the shape of a picture, fit shape to composition, and extract the heart of a snapshot from all surrounding detail. You will find that some pictures compose best as long panels; others almost square. Medium distance shots can be made into close-ups, through enlarging, by this method, and some subjects can be dramatized by cropping at an angle.

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» LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS «

The Royal Commission

The Royal Commission on Provincial Development and Rehabilitation held a public hearing in the county hall at Petres, yesterday, at 11 a.m. and at Arichat at 3 p. m. in the county hall. The chairman of the Commission was Dr. McGregor Dawson. Dr. Cumming was present as a member of the Commission. Much interest was taken in the proceedings by those present. E. C. Doyle was chairman of the meeting. The following "submitted briefs" at the Arichat meeting: Rev. A. Boudreau, P. F. Petit de Grat; Rev. W. J. Bridgman, Arichat; Prof. J. A. Benoit and E. C. Doyle. We hope to have a fuller report for our next issue.

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Enters Normal College

Miss Helena Latimer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Latimer has entered Provincial Normal College, as a student. We wish her every success.

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Old Age Pension Representative

Raymond G. Sampson, of L'Ardoise, Old Age Pension Representative, was in town during the week on official business.

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Home on Furlough

Sergt.-Major Jack Forrest, arrived on Thursday to spend his furlough with his mother, Mrs. Flora Forest and family. Jack's many friends are pleased to see him and to know that he is making such progress in the Military Service. Here's wishing Jack a very pleasant furlough.

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Visit: brother-in-law

Capt. Amedee Fougere of Halifax, was a motor visitor to town on Friday and called on his brother-in-law, Fred G. Gagnon. Capt. Fougere holds a good position on the Halifax waterfront. He also visited relatives at Poulamond.

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Returns to Halifax

Miss Talida DeWolfe, a stenographer, in the Treasury Department, Military District No. 6., Halifax, returned to her duties on Monday. Her sisters, Clothilda and Mildred who were also on their holidays have returned to their duties at St. Peters.

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Business Visitors

Major Chandler, of the Cape Breton Highlanders, and Sergt. Major John Morrison, of Sydney, were business visitors to town on Tuesday.

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Returns Home

Mrs. Gilbert Wilson and child returned from River Bourgeois on Thursday where she spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robertson. Mrs. Wilson occupys the Capt. Nichols property. Her husband is an officer in the Canadian Navy.

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Motors to Halifax

J. H. LeBrun, was a motor visitor to Halifax during the past week.

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Returns Home

Charles E. Lattimer, who was employed with contractor H. H. Lattimer, in Digby and other points for the past three months arrived on Saturday to visit his family.

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May Change License Plates

Hon. J. D. MacKenzie, Minister of Highways, said at Halifax last week that a proposal to do away entirely with metal auto licenses and use the paper windshield sticker system for 1944 is being considered by the Nova Scotia Government. Only the rear number plate on motor vehicles is in use in the province at present.

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The Late Sydney Muggah

One of Sydney's most highly regarded citizens passed away last week—ex-Mayor Sydney Muggah. Mayor of that city on more than one occasion, Sydney Muggah gave Sydney an honest civic administration. He took an active part in all worth-while public movements and ... a name untarnished by any ... act and in his death Sydney has lost one of its outstanding citizens, one who will be missed for many years.

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Adolf Half-Cracked

If the Nazis crack, as some commentators think they will, that ought to make things easier for Adolf, who was half-cracked at the start.—Boston Herald.

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Mulgrave Visitor

Frank Anderson, chief engineer, on S. S. Scotia, spent a few days in town during the week. While here he was the guest of his brother-in-law, Simon Boucher. His friends were pleased to see him.

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Visiting His Father

J. A. Boudreau, of Sydney, spent a few days in town visiting his father, Capt. Alfred Boudreau and his sister, Miss Lida Boudreau. Buddy's many friends were pleased to see him.

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Visiting Her Mother

Flgt. Sergt. and Mrs. Phil. Wright, of Halifax, spent a few days in town visiting Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. Flora Forest.

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River Bourgeois Visitor

Lawrence Burke, merchant, of River Bourgeois, was in town during the week on business.

Cough Up

The Record would like to receive a remittance from some of its delinquent subscribers. It costs money to publish a paper and the publisher must be paid in order to live as well as pay expenses. This applies to those owing several years.

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Too Much Rain

The farmers would like to see the rain cease for a few days to enable them to harvest their crops in good condition.

Moncton Visitors

Messrs A. L. Comeau, proprietor of the Moncton Fish Market, and John Nielson, of Moncton, were motor visitors to town on Saturday last. They made only a brief visit. Thanks for calling, Adolf.

Left For Everett Mass.

Mrs. J. M. Power, left for Halifax, on Sunday. From there she will leave for Everett, Mass., to visit her daughter, Mrs. John Forest for a few weeks. She was accompanied on the trip by her mother, Mrs. Daisy Wilson, Halifax.

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Relieving Captain

Capt. Edward LeBlanc, is relieving Capt. Herb Lukeman on the S. S. Una. We trust Capt. Lukeman will spend a very pleasant vacation.

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Back on Duty

We were glad to see Con. Sydney MacLean, R. C. M. P., in town during the week. Con. MacLean had been on the sick list but is now fully recovered his many friends will be pleased to know.

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Visits Friends in Town

Mrs. Ned LeBlanc was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey H. Boudreau during the week. She has purchased the Dobson property and will occupy it next spring.

On His Holidays

A. A. LeBrun, manager of the local liquor store, is on his annual holidays.

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Relieving Manager

Murdock MacLean, of Inverness, is relieving manager of the Liquor Store here for two weeks. Murdock's friends in town are pleased to see him.

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On His Furlough

L.A.C. Donald M. Ferguson, of the R.C.A.F., is sending his furlough with his wife and child at Cape Auguet.

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Resident of Louisburg

Louis Goyetche, a former resident of Cape Auguet, but now residing in Louisburg, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alex E. Boudreau on Monday. He will also visit relatives in Cape Auguet before returning to his home in Louisburg.

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Visiting Her Parents

Miss Elsie Malzard, was visiting her parents over the week-end. Miss Malzard spent the past three weeks in Boston, Mass. She left for Sydney on Monday where she is employed at the general office of the Steel Plant.

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Left for North Sydney

Miss Alvina Doucet, left for North Sydney recently where she will reside with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Helen Doucet. We join with her many friends in wishing her every happiness.

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Opens Up Store Here

Mr. Webber, a Halifax merchant, was in town during the past week and has opened a store at Mrs. Alice Madden's. Kathryn Sutherland is in charge.

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Promoted

Frank Stone of the R. C. N. now stationed somewhere in Navy Scotia, has ... in Nova ... recently completed a ... and qualified for leading cook. His friends are glad to hear that he is getting along so well.

Receives Air Mail Letter

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From His Nephew

Fred G. Gagnon received an Air Mail Letter from his nephew, Technical Sergeant Clem E. Fougere now serving with an American Engineer-in Division somewhere in the South Pacific. He spent a week in Australia recently. Clem visited here in 1942 and looks forward to another visit in 1945.

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Inspecting Fish

Major Tom Kitchen, Sydney, spent a few days here this week inspecting fish at Petit de Grat and other points on Isle Madame. Major Kitchen's many friends here are always pleased to see him.

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Returned to Halifax

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Meagher who have been spending the summer here, left for Halifax this morning. We hope to see them again next summer.

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Agricultural Representative For Cape Breton County

H. F. MacIntyre, Agricultural Representative, for Cape Breton Co., was in attendance at the hearing of the Provincial Commission, which sat here on Thursday. A. D. Rankin, Richmond Representative, was also in attendance.

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Be Progressive

If you want to build up a town you can't succeed unless you support every worthwhile movement for its development. We hope the briefs submitted to the Commission which sat here yesterday afternoon will bear fruit and not be pigeon-holed, the fate of so many in the past. Why look to the government to undertake things that the citizens ignore entirely?

Hitler on the way out

Recent developments in the world war would seem to point to peace by the end of 1943. No doubt there is still much hard fighting to be done, but the final result is inevitable. The unconditional surrender of Italy and now the Italians fighting against the Huns on their own soil makes the defeat of Germany doubly sure. Undoubtedly the Germans and the Japanese know that they are beaten, but presumably they think that by continuing the useless struggle they will wear down the strength of the United Nations, who may become weary and worn. This is another instance of how German psychology has gone wrong. Being ruthless Huns themselves they think everybody else is actuated by the same primitive motives and instincts. At the beginning of the war, as our readers will recall, a prominent German, who broke with Hitler, remarked that the Germans would lose the war. He said that the Germans were great people to butt their heads against brick walls, thinking thereby that they were really accomplishing something.

Inside Germany, the people must be almost ready for revolution. The terrific bombing of Berlin, Hamburg and other cities must have reduced morale almost to the vanishing point. There will come a time when human endurance will become exhausted, with the result that the great mass of the German people will demand peace. The end of the awful struggle can't come too soon for a war weary world.

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Home on Furlough

Pte. Billy LeBlanc of the armed forces spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Agnes LeBlanc.

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Visiting at South Side

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Grimes, of Cannes, who were visiting Mrs. Grime's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Boucher, Arichat, South Side, returned home on Sunday accompanied by her mother, who will spend a week as their guest.

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Spent Week-End Here

Dominique David and Baptiste Richard employees of the Loggie fish plant, Mulgrave, spent the week end in town returning to their work on Monday.

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Arrives Overseas

We are pleased to report the safe arrival overseas of Lieut. Alfred H. Poirier, only son of ... Sheriff and Mrs. J. H. Poirier, West Arichat. Lieut. ... Poirier previous to enlisting in the Canadian Army practised law in Halifax.

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Promoted to Captain

Lieut. Oran Coates with the Ordnance Corps overseas, has been promoted to Acting Captain. He is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fixott, Sydney.

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Glace Bay Visitors

Prof. Harry MacNeil, accompanied by his mother, and uncle and aunt, of Glace Bay, spent the week-end in Arichat.

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Returns to Halifax

Miss Alexandra MacKinnon who was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Joseph Babineau, returned to her home in Halifax on Wednesday. Miss MacKinnon's friends were pleased to see her.

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Cleveland Visitor

Mrs. Howard MacKichan, of Cleveland was visiting friends in town on Saturday. She spent several days visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lennox Mauger at Cape La Ronde.

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Constructing Service Station

John F. LeBlanc, is having a new service station erected to replace the old one recently destroyed by fire. The work is in charge of Godfrey Petitpas.

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Visiting in Town

Douglas MacMillan, was a recent visitor to town the guest of Dr. and Mrs. B. A LeBlanc and his mother, Mrs. Mary MacMillan. He is an operator in the employ of the C. N. Railway.

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Latest News From The County Districts

River Bourgeois

"By the Gossip"

A pretty wedding was solemnized at St. John the Baptist Church, on Monday morning at 8 o'clock when Cpl. Garfield Fraser, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Fraser, was united in marriage to Miss Cecile McPhee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McPhee of Hawker, the ceremony was performed and Nuptial High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. P. Robitaille.

The bride was attractively attired in a long gown of white brocaded satin, having lace inserts in the sleeves with a long veil held with a head dress of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of pink roses, gladiola and fern. She was attended by her sister, Miss Rosella MacPhee, who was becomingly attired in a long dress of pink taffetta with shoulder length veil to match. She carried a bouquet of gladiola and fern. The groom was attended by Dan Usher, brother-in-law of the bride. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents and in the evening supper was served to over one hundred invited guests and a reception was held for them at the home of the bride After spending several days at Hawker, the groom returned to his unit Mrs. Fraser will reside at home for the present.

The marriage of May, youngest daughter of Mr. and the late Mrs. P. DeYoung of Martinique to Pte. Herman McPhee son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McPhee of Hawker, took place on Wednesday, Sept 15. The ceremony was performed at St. John the Baptist Church by Rev. Fr. P. Robitaille, P. P. The bride was attired in a white satin gown, with long sleeves coming to a point at the wrist, buttoned down the back and taken in at the waist by seveal rows of tiny tucks. Her floor length veil was held in place with a coronet of orange blossoms. The bride was attended by Miss Mary Forgeron also of Martinique who was dressed in pink sheer crepe with white accesseries. The groom was attended by Peter James DeYoung, brother of the bride A wedding supper was served at the home of the groom's parents to many relatives and fiends. The newlyweds will make their home in Martinique.

A wedding of interest to a large circle of friends both in Richmond County and also in the U. S. A. took place at St. John the Baptist Church, River Bourgeois, on Wednesday the 15th inst., at 7 o'clock in the morning when Rev. Fr. P. Robitaille, united in marriage, Margaret, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fractide Bourque to Arthur son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Digout, both of River Bourgeois. The bride who looked lovely, was dressed in taupe velvet with brown accessories. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Mary Bourque, of Medford, Mass., who was dressed in a Turquoise Blue Suit with matching accessories. The groom who is better known by the name of "Tatoo" is well known, being one of our best hockey and baseball players and also our best Victory Bond Salesman; was attended by Vincent Bourque brother of the bride. After the wedding ceremony, the wedding party motored to the home of the groom where a wedding breakfast was served to the immediate members of both families. After breakfast the bridal couple went by bus to Sydney where they will spend their honeymoon. On their return they will make their home with the groom's parents.

Mrs. John Landry of Miami, Fla., and her two small children, Ryan and Liane, returned to Miami after spending several months at the home of John's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Docite Landry.

Mrs. Jane Sampson, widow of the late Dan Sampson has sold her property to Herman Bourque and left on Monday to reside with her daughter at Yarmouth. Mrs. Sampson who has lived with us for the past 25 years was always a good friend and neighbor and will be greatly missed by the community.

Mr. John Bourque of North Cambridge, Mass., has been visiting his father, Capt. Abrahsen Bourque of South River Bourgeois recently. It was 20 years since he had been home and he found many changes since his last visit.

James Sampson, of the Atlas Construction Co., Newfoundland, is visiting his family.

Amen Sampson motored from Halifax last week and was accompanied on the trip by Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Petitpas, and young son Charles, Miss Catherine Sampson and Bernie Digout.

Arthur Boyd son of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Boyd and his bride, the former Lorraine Keefe, arrived here on Tuesday evening and are spending their honeymoon in River Bourgeois.

Pte. Philip Bourque is visiting his father, John P. Bourque at River Tillard.

Pte. Andy Fraser who came here to attend the wedding of his brother, Garfield returned to his unit on Wednesday evening.

"Ludovic to Hitler: "Yes, for you we have no bananas today."

PETIT DE GRAT

(By Observer)

Very little was accomplished by the fishermen the past week owing to heavy breezes and scarcity of fish on the grounds. Most of the large boats engaged at the swordfishing have returned home after a successful season. The Miss P. D. G., Capt. Henry H. Boudreau, had 48 fish this season. Some of the Rocky Bay boats also did well. High prices prevailing and fair quantities of swords made it very remunerative for all concerned. Fishermen are now overhauling trawls and preparing new gear in anticipation of a good fall season.

Miss Priscilla Boudreau employed in Montreal for the past eight years is spending a month with her father, Charles P. Boudreau. Previous to working in Montreal she was on the staff of the Halifax Hotel. She is being warmly welcomed by her friends.

The M. V. Josephine K. Cape Bourgeois, was in port recently with freight from Halifax for local merchants. She sailed for Cape Breton ports same day.

Mrs. Albany Landry and her daughter, Mrs. Ludevic Marieau were visiting Mrs. Ethel McGrath and family, Arichat, on Saturday. On the return trip they were accompanied by Mrs. Thilmon Landry (nee Patricia McGrath) and infant son, Michael, who will be their guest for a week.

Miss Muriel Boudreau, of the staff of the T. Eaton Co., Ltd., Halifax, is spending her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Boudreau, South Side. We are always pleased to see Muriel.

Miss Emma Boudreau an employee in the home of Sheriff Harris at Pictou for over thirty years is visiting her mother, Mrs. Archange Boudreau and family of Boudreauville. Miss Boudreau started in the employ of the late Sheriff Harris and continued with Sheriff Harris, the son, who succeeded his late father as sheriff of that County.

West Arichat

School has opened, with Miss Geraldine MacDonald in the primary department and Mrs. J. H. Poirier, taking the place of the principal, who it is expected, will be ready to start on October 1st.

Mrs. Bertie McDonald and her daughter, Dora, arived from Windsor to visit her mother, Mrs. Mina LeBlanc. Miss McDonald will enter the O. L. A. Convent, to study Grade X.

Leon Terrio is visiting his mother, Mrs. Leo Terrio.

BORN:--To Mr. and Mrs. Amedee Levandier, a baby boy; also to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Meunier a son, and to Mr. and Mrs. Elzear Fougere, a daughter.

Mrs. Mary B. Dorion, from Whitney Pier, was visiting friends here the past week.

Patrick Mury arrived from Dartmouth, to spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mury.

The following service men are home on leave: Pte. Vincent Boudreau, Thilmon Boudreau, Clifford LeJeune, Francis Clory, Alfred and Gilbert Boudreau.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boudreau of Petit de Grat, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dugas, the past week.

Frederick Dorion arrived from Moncton, N. B., with his family to return his home here. He has recently resigned from the R. C. M. P.

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D'ESCOUSSE

(From our own Correspondent)

Roland Poirier of Watertown, Mass., arrived here to visit his brother, Jeffrey H. Poirier who is at present on the sick list. This is Beniah's first visit since he left here twenty one years ago and his friends are glad to see him looking so well.

Anicitus Poirier and Irene Poirier, son and daughter of Jeffrey H. Poirier, arrived from New York, to see their father who is ill. Mr. Poirier's condition is somewhat improved.

Due to the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Germaine Poirier who is a patient in Sydney Hospital, Mrs. John Ranson had to postpone her trip to Montreal, but left on Tuesday of this week accompanied by Mrs. Albert Ranson.

Mrs. Alphonse Paon, (nee Marie Ranson) arrived from Halifax to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ranson.

The Misses Jennie and Winnie Tavenor, Eileen Sampson and Annie Harding left for Halifax on Friday last. Jennie will seek employment and the rest of the girls will report back to their work. Tears were shed quite freely when the train pulled out of the Louisdale station which proves the old song to be true, "There is no place like Home."

Mrs. Bertie McDonald arrived from Windsor, N. S., and will spend the winter in her home here. Mrs. McDonald has not been in good health for some time and we hope she will soon fully recover. No doubt a few games of 5 and 5 will help.

Week-end visitors from Sydney were Alphonse McDonald, Laughlin Poirier, Albert Portus and Peter Theriault.

Laughlin Barcardax is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Barcardax. He is employed on the C. N. R. from Sydney to Halifax.

Cape La Ronde News

Mrs. Howard MacKichan, (nee Terra Mauger) spent several days here visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lennox Mauger. She returned to her home in Cleveland during the week.

Mrs. Lloyd Mauger who was a patient at St. Martha's Hospital for several weeks arrived home on Saturday.

Miss Lillian Olsen who was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Latimer, returned to her home in Inverness

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Latter, of Antigonish, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Warren Mauger for several days They left over the week-end accompanied by Mrs. Mauger and little daughter.

We were pleased to see Rev. W. J. Bridgman on Sunday after an absence of three weeks. He conducted afternoon service at St. George's Church here.

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Although the Axis bonds of steel with Italy have gone snap, Hitler still peddles the ring of STEAL around the home front.

Callup Is Extended

OTTAWA, Aug. 15 — (CP) — Men reaching the age of 18 this year and now are subject to call for compulsory military service under an announcement by Labor Minister Mitchell over the week-end.

The new orders drop the minimum call-up age from 19 to 18, provide that men shall not be posted with active units until they reach the age of 19 years and six months.

The extension makes married men between the ages of 27 and 30 subject to call for the first time. Previously married men up to 30 were already liable to call, and so were those single up to 27 whose birthdays fell in 1942. Previously single men up to 26 and those who were 27 when the present law was passed now are 28 and still liable to call with their birthyear class.

Volunteer NOW and Avoid the Call-up!

EVERY red-blooded Canadian, not already enlisted, should realize now that he must do something for his country in her hour of peril. He must get overseas with his friends and townsmen and HELP WIN THIS WAR!

But don't wait for the Call-up. Be a proud Volunteer and give your services gladly to your country NOW so there'll be no stigma of compulsion afterwards.

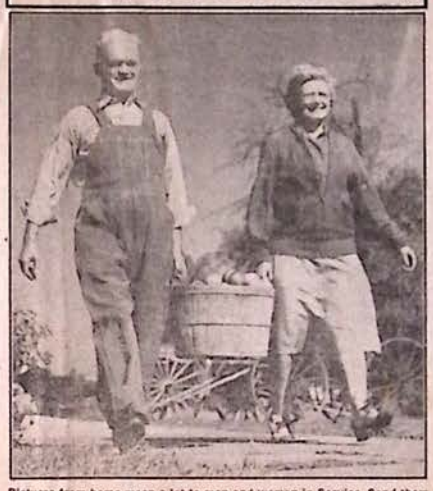
* If you are medically fit for active service, are not engaged in an essential war industry, and a woman or an older man can do your work, DROP EVERYTHING and join up . . . How about it?

HOW TO ENLIST

Apply to one of these Recruiting Stations: Halifax (Cogswell St. near Hospital), Yarmouth, Kentville, Truro, New Glasgow, Sydney, Charlottetown. Or mail this coupon to District Recruiting Officer, M.D.6., Halifax, N.S.

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The SNAPSHOT GUILD
ONE PICTURE A WEEK



Pictures from home mean a lot to men and women in Service. Send them at least one a week, starting now.

A FRIEND of mine has just made what I consider to be one of the most practical suggestions of the season. He said, "Just think what it would mean to the men and women in Service, if the folks back home made just one picture a week to send to them at camp."

Think of that yourself. Think of how much it would mean to your friends and relatives if you made just one or two pictures a week to keep them informed of what is happening while they are away. I can tell you right now they'd treasure those pictures. They'd pass them around and it would give them a bigger thrill than you could ever imagine.

Some people, I know, might feel that it is difficult to find enough subjects for that, but it isn't at all. Once you get started on such a program you'll find that ideas keep coming to you so fast that you'll want to make five . . . six . . . maybe a dozen pictures before you stop shooting.

For instance, let's take a soldier's dog as a typical subject. Every soldier wants a picture of his dog, and you can send him close-ups, action shots, or pictures of the pet with members of the family, without beginning to tap the picture possibilities. And if you're interested in other subjects, just look at the family itself. There's no end to the possible pictures there. They range from pictures of Mother and Dad working around the house, as in our illustration, to pictures of Sis in her new evening gown, or Uncle Henry when he comes visiting. Any one of those subjects would be sure to bring a big smile when he gets the snapshot.

Furthermore, you don't have to be the world's best photographer to make the kind of snapshots the boys like. What they actually are looking for are the pictures you can make with the old family camera. And they don't want big enlargements—ordinary prints will be best.

So get the "one a week" picture habit now. Your Service Man or Woman will appreciate it, and you'll be using your camera to help keep morale high. John van Guilder

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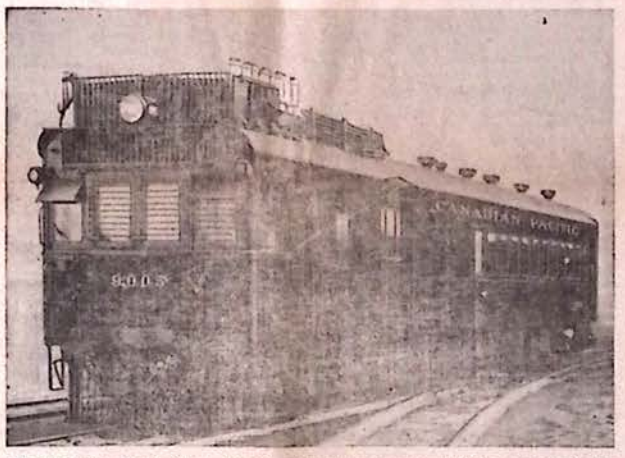
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Mile-a-Minute Local on C.P.R. Prairie Run



One of the fastest trains of its kind on the continent, the Canadian Pacific Railway's gas-electric No. 360 turns up 41.66 miles of right-of-way between Regina and Moose Jaw daily except Sunday in 55 minutes flat—and it makes four stops en route.

Familiarly known as the "Galloping Goose", No. 360 is a combination of engine, baggage, express, mail and passenger car all rolled into one — a particularly valuable feature these days when conservation of power and equipment is a vital necessity. .

The self-contained train, whose performance has been highly lauded by American railroad experts, leaves Moose Jaw at 6.45 a.m. and pulls into Regina depot just 55 minutes later. It is back in Moose Jaw again at 10.30 the same morning. The train does "local" work between stations en-route, but because of its light weight and ready acceleration it soon makes up for time thus lost.

No. 360 hits its real stride between Pasqua and Belle Plaine. On this 16.5-mile straight-of-way the train hits an average speed of 61.8 miles per hour to cover the distance in an even 10 minutes. Transcontinental trains actually equal that time on the same stretch but without slowing down for local stops.

Like other gas-electric units operating on short runs, No. 360 was designed to give frequent local service where operation of heavy trains would not pay. Inasmuch as they can maintain as satisfactory schedules with equal speed, safety and comfort, they have proven themselves highly popular with all sections of the travelling public.

WARNING
COAL WILL BE SCARCE NEXT WINTER !!!

Prepare your home now for adequate warmth with smaller fuel consumption

TO SAVE COAL CHECK THESE POINTS



✓ HOW TO GET MORE HEAT
Pipes and furnaces must be clean, and grates in good order. If one or two rooms are hard to heat, you are wasting fuel. A minor adjustment can probably remedy this. Have a competent man check your heating system, and make necessary repairs. Insulate your furnace and pipes when necessary.



✓ HOW TO AVOID HEAT LOSSES
Storm windows and doors must fit snugly and be weatherstripped. Lack of storm windows can cause as much as 20% heat loss. Caulking should be done around windows, doors and in cracks in brick work (some hardware stores have caulking guns for rent). Broken glass should be replaced, and loose panes puttied. Small expenditures on such work will save much fuel.



✓ HOW TO SAVE STILL MORE
You can save fuel and money by having your home properly insulated. It is a proven fact that in many homes lack of adequate insulation (including storm windows) results in unnecessary consumption of fuel—up to as much as 50%. Watch for later instructions on how to fire your furnace properly.

HAVE YOUR HOME INSPECTED FOR HEATING AND INSULATION DEFECTS

Get advice now! Skilled workmen and supplies are scarce. If you delay in getting your home ready for winter you may not be able to get the services you need.

Save one ton in five

THE DEPARTMENT OF MUNITIONS AND SUPPLY
HON. C. D. HOWE, Minister