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—FIREMEN CALLED — Firemen were called out at 8:45 last night for a flue fire at the residence of Mr. J. Watson MacNaught, Myrtle Street. There was no damage.—S

—MEETING OF VICTORY LOAN SALESMEN—Mr. Frank Callbeck of Sherbrooke has been appointed salesman for the forthcoming Victory Loan Drive for Sherbrooke, St. Eleanors and Linkletter. It has been arranged that a convention of all the salesmen will be held in the Town Hall on Tuesday, April 20th at 10.30 a. m. for the purpose of getting acquainted with the details of the drive and to submit any questions which will be dealt with and answered at the meeting. —S.

C.W.A.C. Members From Province Arrive Overseas

HALIFAX, April 14 —(CP)— Nine members of the Canadian Women's Army Corps from Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island have arrived overseas in the third contingent of C.W.A.C.'s to cross the Atlantic, it was announced today at Military District No. 6 Headquarters.

Members of the group included: Sgt. Beatrice Murphy, Charlottetown, and Pte. Gertrude MacDonald, Souris, P.E.I.

For three of the group—Pte. Ayres, Sgt. Murphy and Pte. Hopkins—it meant eventual reunion with relatives with the Canadian Armed Forces overseas.

Pies. Gertrude and Sadie MacDonald claim the distinction of being the first CWAC drivers from Military District No. 6 to head overseas. They are not related. Pte. Gertrude was hoping she would be assigned to ambulance driving.

"I always wanted to go overseas," said Sgt. Murphy, a former telephone operator. Besides, I'll see my brothers. Will they be surprised!"

The brothers are Sgt. John S Murphy and Pte. Donald Murphy. Two other brothers are in the Navy.

Axis Lose

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The day was rounded off by the destruction of 11 more Axis planes for certain, four of them going down in flames under the gunfire of the bombers coming back from Sicily.

84 Enemy Planes

These attacks (which in all likelihood accounted for a total considerably greater than the minimum and certain figure of 84 enemy planes) were synchronized with assaults upon the surviving Axis airdromes in Tunisia itself—Megrine at Fochville on the outskirts of Tunis and Oudna, south of Tunis.

(Not only the Tunisian Allied air forces but British home-based bombers and R.A.F. planes under the middle east command were positioned violently at the Italian base-land. It was announced in London that Spezia, the naval base in northern Italy below Genoa, and the Palermo and Messina Harbors in Sicily had been heavily bombed.

Malta Based Planes Too

(The R.A.F based on Malta also was in the thick of what appeared to be an unprecedented effort to bomb the Axis clear out of the Mediterranean Sea, a communique announcing successful fighter-bomber attacks on enemy air forces on Pantelleria Island between Sicily and Tunisia and sweeps over Sicily itself.

(One of three Axis naval vessels attacked in these Malta-based sweeps was destroyed.)

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— OPENING DELAYED — The dehydration plant at Summerside will not open today as expectd earlier, it was learned last night. The opening is being delayed awaiting the arrival of a machine which has been shipped by express. Officials of the plant said production could begin 24 hours after the machine arrived in Summerside and it is expected that the first potatoes will be processed within a few days although no definite opening date was mentioned last night.

—CANADIAN RED CROSS — On Friday evening, April 9th, twenty members of the Canadian Red Cross War Emergencies Course met at the home of Mrs. E. J. MacTague, Tignish. At the close of the meeting an appreciative address was read to Mrs. John McNally, R. N., by Miss Kathleen Brennan and on behalf of the class, Mrs. Joseph T. Arsenault presented her with a complete set of Pyrex ware. Mrs. McNally warmly thanked the ladies for the gift and assured them she had enjoyed teaching the classes. She expressed the hope that they would continue to meet occasionally to review the lessons. An enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

DIES ENROUTE TO HOSPITAL —The death of Mrs. John Arsenault of St. Chrysostome occurred on Tues. April 13th. She was on her way to the Prince County Hospital in the Bowness Ambulance but before she could be brought to the hospital she passed away. The late Mrs. Arsenault who was a general favorite with all who knew her will be sincerely mourned by a wide circle of friends who were shocked to learn of her sudden passing at the early age of 26 years. Besides her sorrowing husband she leaves to mourn five sisters and six brothers also four sons Wilfred John P. Francis and Ronald at home and also one daughter Leona to whom the sympathy of the community is extended.—S

Personals

—Miss Blanch Landry of the C. W. A. C. is spending a pleasant furlough, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Landry, Ottawa St. S.

—Dr. Austin Delaney has returned to Montreal where he will complete his internship at Notre Dame Hospital after visiting his parents Dr. and Mrs. Mark Delaney. S.

—Mrs. Stevenson (nee Edith Delaney) has returned to Montreal after spending three weks with her parents in Summerside. S.

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hydrogenation, which requires a very expensive plant" he continued. 'It was pointed out that a hydrogenation plant of a capacity to deal with 10,000 barrels of oil a day would cost more than $12,000,000."

The Government had arranged to take title to the abasand operation without compensation to the company, and $500,000 would be spent on plant improvements.

M. J. Coldwell, C. C. F. leader, reviewing plans for a Crown Company to drill in southern Alberta proven and semi-proven areas, said leases would be taken over from those owning them and developed by the Crown. Later the property would be returned.

He said "the government takes the risks, opens up new undertakings, and then the private corporation steps in and reaps the benefit of the public development that has been done."

Finance Minister Ilsley said that in a period of extremely high taxes, including excess profit taxes, the development mentioned by Mr. Coldwell was a natural one, and did not reflect on the willingness of private enterprise to take risks under normal conditions.

Hon. R. B. Hanson (Prog. Con. York-Sunbury) said he had no wish to get into controversy with Mr. Coldwell on private enterprise when he could assist the minister in getting resolutions through by remaining silent.

Mr. Coldwell: "That would be a change."

Mr. Hanson: ". . .I venture to suggest, and I put myself on the judgment of the members of this House, whether I have not made more constructive suggestions in the three sessions which have passed than all the members of his group put together."

Mr. Coldwell: "That is egotistical, if you like."

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25 Soldiers Leave Here

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U. J. Bambrick, Mt. Stewart.
S. J. Bernard, Egmont Bay
J. R. Burke, Charlottetown
J. M. Duffy, Charlottetown
G. E. Gallant, Ebbsfleet
O. W. McEwen, Summerside
F. McKenna, Tracadie Cross
G. H. MacKinnon, Charlottetown
J. A. Poirier, St. Nicholas
J. E. Gillis, Howlan
G. A. Phillips, MacNeill's Mills
J. A. Dougay, Albany
L. E. Sickles, Montague
R. W. Boylan West Devon
M. P. Gavin, Charlottetown
E. J. LeClair, Egmont Bay
C. H. McDonald, Roseberry
H. Roberts, Charlottetown
F. A. Ross, Beaton's Mills
R. A. MacDonald, Charlottetown
R. J. MacKinnon, Coleman
L. R. Doiron, Charlottetown
J. A. Pineau, Charlottetown
J. D. Roop, Charlottetown
G. J. Tulle, Charlottetown

Before leaving they were presented with cigarettes by the Provincial Government through the Carry On Canad Corps. The presentations were looked after by a representative of the Canadian Legion War Services

Mr. W. G. Spinney Defers His Visit To The Island

It was a matter of very great regret both to himself, and to the members of the Provincial Committee that Mr. G. W. Spinney, Dominion Chairman, National War Finance Committee, found it necessary to cancel his proposed visit to Prince Edward Island.

Mr. Spinney, who is also President of the Bank of Montreal, is a distinguished Canadian, who at the request of the Dominion Government consented to act as Chairman of this War committee charged with the tremendous responsibility of finding the money, through the medium of Victory Loans, so vital for the prosecution of the war. In this capacity he has to visit many cities speaking on behalf of the Fourth Victory Loan, and was scheduled to be in Charlottetown on April 22nd.

It was found however that the local Kinsmen, a group of young business men who have performed a notable service of war work, were entertaining the founder of Kinsmen Clubs, Mr. Hal Rogers, on the same evening. Arrangements had been made to give this distinguished visitor a reception at which provincial and civic representatives, and many prominent citizens would be present. The local National War Finance Committee in deference to the Kinsmens Club decided with regret to cancel Mr. Spinney's proposed visit, with the assurance, however, that he would take the first opportunity of making good his intention of visiting this Province.

Mrs. Albert Stafford returned to her home in Kensington after being employed for the past few months in Saint John.

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Freight Moved In March

A total of 1174 carloads of freight were forwarded from Borden to Tormentine during the month of March. Of this number 787 contained Prince Edward Island potatoes being shipped to other Canadian provinces and the United States.

Altogether during the month 198 carloads of turnips were shipped from the Island. A further breakdown in the figures reveals the following carloads shipped: livestock 76; meats 20; hardware 8; eggs 4; cans empty 2; fish 2; household goods 1; hides 1; starch 2; miscellaneous 6; railway other 2; l.c.l. 65.

Carloads originating at points between Charlottetown, Summerside and Borden numbered 677; originating at points east and south of Charlottetown 312, originating at points west of Summerside were 185.

Shipments from Tormentine to Borden during February totalled 1235 cars. This included 263 cars of coal; 238 of flour and feed; 160 of fertilizer; l.c.l. 182; fruits 13; gas and oil 68; hardware 44; lime 79; lumber 56; meats 16; machinery 6; sugar 7; salt 8; waters aer. 6; hay 40; miscellaneous 14; railway coal 10; other 19; household goods 5; bags 1.

Of the coal shipments from Tormentine 219 were destined to points between Charlottetown, Summerside and Borden; 27 to points east and south of Charlottetown and 17 to points west of Summerside.

One hundred and sixty-five cars of flour and feed were for points between Charlottetown, Summerside and Borden.

HITLER

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had boasted that he would be up on the front with his troops, now may have quit the eastern front, leaving his generals to direct the battle while he concentrates upon keeping peace in his jealous Balkan family.

The conferences, attended by the German foreign minister, Ribbentrop, Field Marshal Kietel, and the Rumanian general staff, came after a significant succession of conferences between Hitler and King Boris of Bulgaria on March 31, Mussolini and Premier Nicholas Kallay of Hungary on April 3, and Hitler and Mussolini from April 7 to April 10.

Usual Nazi Tack

The German radio announcement, which took the usual tack of proclaiming "German-Rumanian friendship and the unshakeable fighting spirit of the tripartite powers," avoided any suggestions underlying the uneasy problem Hitler has in trying to reconcile the bitter territorial rivalry among Rumania, Hungary and Bulgaria.

The explosive possibilities of this rivalry are seen in reports of increasingly frequent border demonstrations as Rumanian patriots demand the return of the transylvanian district with which Hitler bought Hungary's alliance and southern Dobruja with which he bribed Bulgaria early in the war.

Meanwhile a Tass News Agency dispatch from Istanbul reported indications of heighteninbg tension in the Balkans.

It said wagonloads of automatic rifles and revolvers were being supplied to Bund-organized Germans living in Rumania, Hungary, Bulgaria, and Slovakia, on orders of Heinrich Himmler.

Named To Coal Production Board

OTTAWA, April 14—(CP)—J. Gerald Godsoe of Toronto and Halifax, associate co-ordinator of controls, has been appointed to the wartime emergency coal production board, it was announced today by the munitions department.

The board was established last November to stimulate output of coal in Canada. In addition to Mr. Godsoe, its members are coal controller J. McGregor Stewart, chairman, Graham Towers, Governor of the Bank of Canada, and Charles E. Payne, Secretary of Mountain Park local of the United Mine Workers of America and Secretary of sub-district coal branch No. 4 of the United Mine Workers.

Delightful Concert By P.W.C. Students

Sponsored by the College Glee Club under the capable direction of Prof. J. T. Inch, Prince of Wales students last night presented a most enjoyable concert to an appreciative audience in the P.W.C. auditorium. The performers were introduced by Arthur Shama, president of the Students' Council. Jerry Foster acted as mater of ceremonies.

Almost four hundred people listened to a synchronization of song, verse, and drama, the first of its kind staged by Prince of Wales students for several years. After the opening chorus, "O Canada", a four act comedy, "The Great Canadian Drama", was presented by second year Section A. One other dialogue was included in the programme, "The Fatal Quest", by first year Division Four.

Talented elocutionists provided a dramatic interest to the program. Irene Roper led off by reciting "An Aspiring Dishwasher," and she was followed soon after by David Bentley with a humorous reading.

Much credit is due the College Orchestra who presented several delightful selections during the evening including, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart.", "The Sheik of Arabie," and "When Your Hair Has Turned To Silver".

Assisted by a choral group they also rendered three songs, "The Voice In The Old Village Choir", "The Easter Parade", and "Sometime." The joint efforts of the Glee Club and Orchestra produced three selections that were exceedingly well received, "Juanita", "Long Long Ago", Bondameer's Stream" an Irish folk song and the negro spiritual, "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot."

A spontaneity of song, the solo efforts of Kay Royston, Stirling Inman, Ivan Robinson, were feelingly rendered, as were the two piano solos, "Arabesque" by Helen Stewart and Beethoven's "Moonlight Sonata" by Gordon Taylor. These young students proved themselves talented musical artists. The dashing strains of "All Pals Together" followed by the National Anthem brought to a close a splendid evening's entertainment.

Prof. Inch is to be commended for his untiring efforts to make this evening a success. The proceeds were generously donated to the Canadian Red Cross.

NEW CAR FERRY

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be called for immediately after the plans are completed. Following that the contract will be let and a boat built in a Canadian or United States shipyard whenever one is available. However, he could get no assurance of any date, but three million dollars is being placed in this year's estimates for a boat costing four and a half million dollars.

At this point President V. A. Ainsworth expressed thanks to the Boards of Trade in Summerside and Kings County for telegrams which were helpful in presenting the case before the Legislature.

Mr. Wellington MacNeill, Southport, spoke on the unsatisfactory steamship service between Newfoundland and this Province last year. Mr. MacNeill stated that a steamship plying between Halifax and St. John's, Newfoundland and operated by the Shaw Steamship Company had been subsidized to the amount of $16.000 for calling here. It came here already loaded, Mr. MacNeill said and could take practically nothing away. It made only one-half as many trips as it should have, just came when it pleased.

Col. Full suggested that it would be better to subsidize a boat which would make Charlottetown its first port of call and if there were not sufficient freight here it could be routed to other ports before proceeding to Newfoundland.

After considerable discussion it was moved by Mr. W.L. Higgins and seconded by Mr. J. P. Gordon that the matter of the Newfoundland steamship service in all its phases be taken up with the members during their Easter recess.

The necessity of increased Sanatorium accommodation was brought to the attention of the Board by President Ainsworth. He outlined the facts presented a a recent meeting called by the Women's Institutes on the matter.

Col. G.E. Full, who is chairman of the Provincial Sanatorium Commission, gave figures showing the cost of the necessary addition and the upkeep of same.

Action on the matter was delayed until the committee which was appointed at the Sanatorium meeting had brought in a suggested plan.

Mr. Wellington MacNeill spoke on the need of a sanitary Public Abbatoir for Charlottetown, this to be under government inspection. He advocated the construction of the Abbatoir as a health measure and also as a means of conserving large quantities of by-products, offall, etc., which is greatly needed in the war effort.

This matter was referred to the Agricultural Committee with Mr. MacNeill as an additional member. This committee is to report back to the Council.

CENTRAL GUARDIAN

This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a newsy nature may be inserted at five cents a word, strictly payable in advance.

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TRAIN ARRIVAL—The train arrived last evening at 8:20 with 100 passengers.

MONTAGUE Presbyterian Church Services 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. W. J. Murray, speaker. 4-15-11

POLICE COURT—In the Police Court yesterday morning a motorist charged with drunken driving was sentenced to seven days in jail.

TO ATTEND MEETING—Dr. J. A. MacMillan and Dr. J. A. Clark, both of Charlottetown leave today for Moncton to attend a meeting of the executive of the Maritime Hospital Association. They expect to return tomorrow. Dr. MacMillan is president of the organization, while Dr. Clark is a member of the executive.

PRESENTATION ABOARD TRAINING SHIP — Yesterday afternoon a pleasant social hour was spent aboard H.M.C.S. "Queen Charlotte" when the officers of the wardroom waited on Lieut. Cmdr. and Mrs. McCarthy and presented the latter with a beautiful silver vegetable dish. Afternoon tea was served, and the following ladies were present: Mrs. (Capt.) Toplitsky, Mrs. Daniel MacLennan and Miss Ethel Moran. The gift was accompanied by the best wishes of all to the Captain, Mrs. McCarthy and young son John as they leave by plane this morning to spend a three weeks' furlough in Ontario. Lieut. H. S Trotter will be acting Officer Commanding while Lieut.-Cmdr. McCarthy is away.

IS TRANSFERRED — Mr. J A Likely, a member of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia here is transferred to Newcastle, N.B., it was learned last night. It was understood that Mr. Likely will leave Friday for his new position. He will be accountant there. He has been in Charlottetown since April 1942, and two years earlier than that was here for a time also, being transferred to Western Canada later. Mr. Likely is a son-in-law of Hon George D DeBlois. He is prominent in community activities and will be greatly missed here.

CAR FERRY MOVEMENTS—The car ferry S. S. Prince Edward Island completed nine crossings before midnight last night. All trips were made in good time, making the nine mile crossing in about an hour. Transported to the Island were 34 car loads of mixed freight and 51 empty refrigerator cars. Leaving this Province were 38 carloads of potatoes and turnips and 49 empty box cars. At Tormentine at midnight there were 30 loaded cars and 20 empties still awaiting transportation here. All the freight and empties were cleared away from the Borden terminal.

DEHYDRATION EXPERT HER —Mr. R.W. Arengo-Jones, technical adviser in fruit and vegetable processing to the Agricultural Supplies Board, Ottawa, arrived here last night. He will go to Summerside today in connection with the opening of the dehydration plant there. Mr. Arengo-Jones said he hoped to remain in the province until the plant begins operations. He came here from New Brunswick and will go to Nova Scotia to visit a dehydration plant at Berwick where potatoes are being processed. With him is Mr. M.P. Harrison, who oversees dehydration plants in New Brunswick and P. E. I. for the Agricultural Supplies Board. His headquarters are in Fredericton, N.B. He is expected to remain in the province for a time after Mr. Arengo-Jones leaves.

Mr. Phillip Rossiter, city, has entered the Charlottetown Hospital for treatment.

Mr William Champion of Summerside was visiting with friends in Kensington on Wednesday.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear son JOHN AMBROSE MacLELLAN, who was killed in action on Vimy Ridge on April 9, 1917.

Twenty-six years have past,
Our hearts still sore,
As time goes on we miss him more,
The blow was hard,
The shock severe.
To part with one we love so dear.
So quick, so sudden was the call,
His sudden death surprised us all
Though his smile has gone forever,
And his hands we cannot touch
We shall never lose sweet memories
Of the one we loved so much.

Lovingly remembered by Mother, Father, Brothers and Sisters.
4-15-11

P.E.I. Hospital Ladies' Aid Reorganized

Mrs. (Dr.) J. W. MacKenzie was elected president at a largely attended reorganization meeting of the Prince Edward Island Hospital Ladies' Aid held yesterday afternoon.

Other officers elected were: — Hon. President, Mrs. F. P. Taylor; Vice-President-at-large, Mrs. N. H. DeBlois; Secretary, Mrs. J. Pope Clarke; Treasurer, Mrs. H. L. Sear.

Executive from the various churches:

Trinity United, Mrs. Earle Baker, Mrs. Gordon MacDonald, Mrs. E. A. Large, Mrs. D. T. Waye, Mrs. Gordon Hutcheson, Mrs. A. Pickard, Mrs. A. B. Fisher.

St. Peter's, Mrs. R. S. P. Jardine, Mrs. Walter Hyndman, Mrs. H. L. Palmer.

St. Paul's, Mrs. W. J. Phillips, Mrs. Louis Diamond.

St. James, Mrs. Donald Campbell, Mrs. F. A. S. Jones.

Zion, Mrs. Sutherland MacLean, Mrs. Norman McPherson and Mrs. Heber Bell.

Baptist, Mrs. R. D. Quigley, Mrs. E. D. Nicholson.

Central Christian Church, Mrs Milton Carter, Mrs M. C. Stewart.

Church of Scotland, Mrs. Neil MacDougall.

Trustees, the President and Mrs. E. R. Brow.

Mrs. W. E. Cotton was appointed convener of the Buying Committee, Mrs. J. P. Lantz of the Ways and Means Committee, and Mrs. E. C. Baker of the Sewing Committee.

Mrs. R. R. Hurst presided while the election of officers took place.

Discussion took place concerning the Graduation Exercises to be held next month. Mrs. Hurst was named convener of a committee to proceed with graduation arrangements as before.

Mrs. W. E. Cotton reported on plans for the League of Mercy Tea.

Preparations were also made for the annual sale of flags in aid of the Hospital.

Welcomed Home

CPL. JOHN W. HOGAN

At a special meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society members of the Society welcomed home Cpl. Hogan, back from 18 months service overseas with the Canadian Army. A member of the B. I. S. for 14 years, Cpl. Hogan held the position of president for two years and in addition held other executive positions in the organization. The meeting welcoming Cpl. Hogan back was one of the largest held for years, an indication of the high esteem in which he is held. Cpl. Hogan was severely injured overseas and is now convalscing. He arrived home this week.

BIRTHS

MacDOUGALL—At the Charlottetown Hospital on April 14, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Macdougall, a son.

McEWEN — At New York on April 8, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Horace F. McEwen, a son.

GILLIS—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on April 14, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Gillis, Charlottetown, a daughter.

CLARK—At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on April 14, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clark, Winsloe, a daughter.

DEATHS

ARSENAULT—In an ambulance enroute to the Prince County Hospital at Summerside, on April 13, 1943, Mrs. John Arsenault, of St. Chrysostome, P.E.I., aged 26 years.

FRIZZELL — At Charlottetown, April 14, 1943, Mrs. Robert Frizzell in her 78th year. Remains are resting at the Cutcliffe Funeral Home where funeral service will be held Saturday April 17, service starting at 2 p.m. Interment People's Cemetery.

QUINN—At the Charlottetown Hospital, Wednesday, April 14, 1943, Richard Quinn, aged 49 years. Funeral will be held from his late residence 85 Richmond Street on Friday morning at 8:45 to St. Dunstan's Basilica thence to R. C. cemetery.

TROWSDALE—At Haverhill, Mass., on April 9, 1943, Andrew Trowsdale. Funeral Friday from the home of his sister, Dora Trowsdale, Crapaud. A short service at the home, starting at 2 p.m., thence to Crapaud United Church where the service will be continued. Interment Crapaud Cemetery.

McLEOD—At Breadalbane, P. E. I. Wednesday, April fourteen, 1943, Robert McLeod in his 76th year. Funeral service Friday, April 16th 2 p. m. to Breadalbane Presbyterian Church. Short services in Granville Church 4 P. M. Please omit flowers. (Patriot and Halifax Papers please Copy)

Game Birds To Be Released

Interviewed yesterday regarding the shipment of prairie chickens recently received in this Province from Western Canada, Mr. W. R. Shaw, Deputy Minister of Agriculture informed a Guardian representative that in conformity with the policy of the Department to promote the Fish and Game interests in Prince Edward Island that contacts were made during the season of 1942 with Fish and Game Associations of Canada, United States and Newfoundland with a view to securing information on birds that might be established here with success.

It was felt that the importation of prairie chickens, whose habits are somewhat similar to that of Hungarian partridges might meet with considerable success. Owing to the lateness of the season however it was intimated by the Fish and Game Associations in Western Canada that it would be impossible to secure prairie chickens until this year.

A short time ago a communication was received from Mr. George M. Spargo, Secretary and Manager of the Fish and Game Association of Alberta stating that six pairs of the sharptail or prairie chicken were available Mr. Shaw immediately wired Mr. Spargo authorizing shipment of these game birds.

They were received last Friday and were taken care of by the Deputy Minister at his farm at West River pending disposition of these birds.

They arrived in excellent condition and were placed in a large fox pen until such time as arrangements were made to have them released

Mr. Shaw now informs the Guardian that it has been decided to release three pairs in the territory south of the Hillsboro Bridge where ring neck pheasants have survived conditions in this province better than in any other section of the Island where they have been introduced. Hungarian partridges have also survived well in this southern section from Mt. Herbert to Murray Harbour.

The other three pairs will be released in the Bonshaw, West River district where Hungarians have also found natural conditions favorable to development.

A close check is being kept on the progress of this experiment, and it is hoped that these Western Canadian birds will find conditions here favorable to their survival.

The birds are in appearance easily distinguished from Hungarians and native grouse. They are large than Huns and plumper in appearance than the grouse. They are also somewhat more speckled in color than either varieties.

A very sincere appeal is made to all sportsmen and hunters in this Province to give the fullest possible protection to these birds. In other words "Look before pulling the trigger."

The Department of Agriculture is to be commended on the work it is attempting to do in the establishment of an industry in this Province which will make Prince Edward Island, if proper precautions are taken by every gun-owner a real paracise for birds of this kind. The Deputy Minister Mr. Shaw is working in this connection in very close alliance with the executive of the Fish and Game Association to act in an advisory capacity to further Fish and Game interests in this Province.

MANY BIG

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gunfire, but there were neither reports of bombs nor casualties.

The R. A. F. pounded Spezia with block-buster bombs Tuesday night, and the British Africa command announced yesterday that its bombers had showered explosives on Messina and Palermo in Sicilty Monday night in an offensive which has caught vulnerable Italy in an aerial vise.

"The whole dockyard was well ablaze," said PO. Robert Randolph Bombaimer of Winnipeg, one of the many Canadians in the R.A.F. crews which made the 1,500-mile roundtrip flight to attack the big Fascist submarine, shipbuilding and repair centre; 50 miles southeast of Genoa in Northern Italy.

Defences "Pathetic"

Returning Canadian airmen said Italian defences were "pathetic" during the raid, which was officially described as heavy, and they told of tremendous explosions being touched off and thick palls of smoke arising over Spezia.

Heavy gunfire, apparently from anti-aircraft guns, from the French side of the channel tonight indicated that the R.A.F. might be flying over the continent again.

Three planes were reported missing from the Spezia raid and a dawn attack on undisclosed targets in Northwestern Germany.

Cairo headquarters of the R.A.F. Middle Eastern Command said all planes returned safely from the Monday-night assault on Messina and Palermo.

During today speedy R.A.F. bombers were reported to have hit an 800-ton ship off the Brittany coast and damaged two trawlers in sweeps over France and the lowlands.

A very successful card party was held in the Kensington Town Hall on Wednesday evening in aid of the Red Cross

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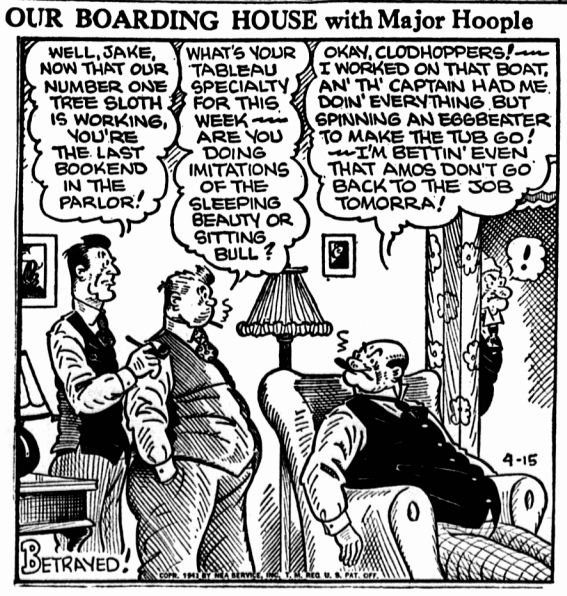

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