



Scout News and Notices

80 magazines for soldiers' reading rooms were collected in one week by Dartmouth N. S. Boy Scouts...

Three Boy Scouts of Bristol, England, own and operate their own Mobile Tea Canteen. They carried on during the heaviest Nazi bombing of the port...

One of the most popular subjects at the Huntingdon, Que., High School is Morse signalling, as being taught by a "staff" of Boy Scouts.

No fewer than 175 different types of national wartime service have been found and carried out by the Scouts of Britain since the beginning of the war.

"In my experience in the Juvenile Court I have found that very few Scouts become juvenile delinquents. This can be attributed in large measure to the training that they receive as Scouts...

A report by Patrol Leader P. Willis of the 33rd Coventry West Boy Scout Troop: "I regret to advise you that Second Douglas Hill and Scout Bernard Harbour, aged 15, were killed while acting as fire watchers at St. Nicholas church, Redford. They were two fine lads, who had been in the Movement for seven and two years respectively. The church received a direct hit and everything, including the Scout and Guide flags, was lost."

Loss of 700 leaders through enlistment in His Majesty's Forces was recorded in the recently issued Annual Report of the Boy Scouts

Association for 1940. The effect of this loss upon boy membership was shown in a drop of 5.37 per cent, to 97,341. This figure, however, was still in excess of the membership total of the prewar year of 1938.

The 1940 total consisted of 40,353 Wolf Cubs, 45,489 Boy Scouts, 503 Lone Scouts, 883 Sea Scouts, 2,361 Rover Scouts, 227 Rover Sea Scouts, and 7,989 leaders (not counting 444 Rovers registered as Scouters.)

By provinces membership figures show: Prince Edward Island, 742; Nova Scotia, 5,378; New Brunswick, 5,782; Quebec, 8,849; Ontario, 41,395; Manitoba, 7,181; Saskatchewan, 5,808; Alberta, 8,599; British Columbia, 8,168; La Federation Quebec, 4,279; Life Saving Scouts, 1,460.

There were 2,306 Groups, which included 1,645 Packs, 2,051 Troops, 221 Rover Crews, 41 Sea Scout Troops, 3 Sea Scout Patrols, and 14 Rover Sea Scout Crews.

In all 33,393 Cub Badges were passed, including 20,396 Rank Badges and 12,997 Proficiency Badges. Rank Badges to the number of 27,609 and 27,001 Proficiency Badges made up the Scout total of 54,610. The Rover Badge was issued to 386 and the Rambler's Badge to 23, making the Rover total 409.

Sponsors of Groups are given as follows: Anglican, 430; Baptist, 62; Canadian Legion, 35; Community, 747; Handicapped, 12; Hebrew, 25; Latter Day Saints, 30; Lutheran, 4; Presbyterian, 106; Roman Catholic, 344; Salvation Army, 50; Service Clubs, 80; United, 276; Other, 113.

FORT AUGUSTUS SCHOOL For month of March: Grade X-1, Frances Hegarty, 2; Frances Weatherbe; 12; Hebrew, 25; Grade VIII-1, Arnold Dalton; 2; James Hegarty; 3; Harold Weatherbe; 2.

Grade VII-1, Lawrence Kelly, 1; Grade VI-1, Angeline Coyle, 2; Leo Kelly; 3; Edwin Logan, 2; Grade -1, Bernadette Hegarty; 2; Chester Dalton and Wm. Leo Weatherbe (equal); 3; Albert Duffy, 1.

Grade IV-1, George Hegarty; 2; Emmett Dalton, 1; Grade III-1, Gertrude Duffy; 2; Charles Weatherbe and Daniel Kelly (equal); 3; Edward Dalton; Grade II-1, Rita Dalton; 2; Henry Koughan; 3; Helen Coyle, 1; Grade I-1, Bernadette Weatherbe; 2; Melvin Dalton; 3; Dorcas Curlew, 1.

Leola Weatherbe, teacher.

Brooding and Rearing For Egg Production

(Experimental Farms News)

While it is important to have the best possible stock in order to obtain satisfactory results in the laying pen, it is equally important that the chicks receive the best possible rearing during brooding and rearing or else egg production will suffer, says B. F. Chorney, Head Poultryman Dominion Experimental Station, Kentville, Nova Scotia.

The time to have chicks arrive will depend on when it is wanted to have the pullets to start to lay. Early chicks are likely to mature more rapidly than those hatched in May or June. Six months should be allowed for Leghorns to mature and seven months for the heavy breeds. It is a mistaken idea that it is a good thing to have pullets commencing laying at four months. Many difficulties with poultry are at least partly due to too early maturing in order to retard development as they will not mature before six months. It is advisable to cut down the amount of protein in the mash by changing from chick starter to the growing mash at six weeks and by increasing the amount of scratch grain, so that the birds are getting all they can eat before going to roost.

Probably the greatest handicap for most birds is overcrowding. Crowding does one thing well—produces culls. Every crowded chick has to work life at a disadvantage. One hundred well-raised pullets may make a dollar each while two hundred poorly-raised may cause loss of a dollar each. Sanitation is closely associated with crowding. It may seem like a lot of work to have the brooder house cleaned frequently and to place all feed and water dishes up off the floor on wire covered frames, so that the chicks do not come in contact with the litter around these dishes, but results have shown that it is worth the effort. Everything that is done to improve conditions for the chick will be shown in the results obtained from the laying pen.

The next point to be considered is the range. This should be planned in advance so that a clean range, producing plenty of tender green feed will be available. It is suggested that the range is cut with the mower several times during the summer so that there will always be a supply of short tender grass for the chicks to eat. This tender green feed provides materials to

strengthen the body and the bird is able to build up a reserve of energy to carry it over the hard winter months. Good stock, not forced no crowding, sanitation and good range are the main points to be remembered for results in the laying pen.

In Memoriam

MR. JAMES MCCALLUM

The death occurred at Cross Roads on Tuesday, April 1st, after a brief illness, of James McCallum, aged 86.

Mr. McCallum had been engaged in farming all his life and by his industry and intelligence had achieved a large measure of success. He was a man of splendid character and a deacon in the Church of Christ at Cross Roads, and was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him.

There are left to mourn the loss of a devoted husband and father, a widow, (nee Marcia Ballem), one son, William McCallum on the homestead, and three daughters, Mrs. Seymour Wood of Mt. Herbert, Miss Katie McCallum of Ottawa, River Glade, N. B., also seven grandchildren and one great grandchild.

One brother, William McCallum of Leadville, Colorado, also survives. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon to Cross Roads Cemetery.

ST. PETER'S LAKE SCHOOL

Honor roll for the month of March: Grade VIII-1, Rita E. Byrne; 2, Augustine Nolan; 3, W. H. Deveaux; Grade VII-1, Daniel A. Conohan; 2, Melvin C. Byrne; 3, Joseph Nolan; Grade VI-1, Norman J. Conohan; Grade V-1, Mary J. MacDonald; 2, Maurice J. Deagle; 3, Isabel M. Conohan; Grade III Sr. -1, Verna M. MacAdam; 2, Robert B. MacAdam; 3, Evelyn T. Conohan; Grade II Jr. -1, Geneva MacAdam; 2, Isabel Trainor; 3, Lucine P. MacDonald; Grade I (a) -1, George N. Roche; 2, Chester J. Deveaux; 3, Alice Gunn; Grade I (b) -1, Owen J. Trainor; 2, Catherine Deveaux; 3, James McCormack; Grade I (c) -1, Catherine B. MacDonald; 2, Francis McCormack; 3, Jean Trainor; Teacher, John T. Valley. (Patriot Please Copy)

SHAMROCK AND VICINITY

On Thursday evening, March 28th the many friends of private Samuel, Lorne and James Nicholson gathered at the home of their father to bid them farewell. They left the following Friday for Nova Scotia where they will resume their military duties.

The many friends of Mrs. Hallett Rodgerson are sorry to hear of her recent illness in the Prince County Hospital.

Miss Marion Campbell was a weekend visitor to Kelly's Cross.

Mrs. Thomas Noonan and Ambrose were recent visitors to Shamrock.

Miss Louise Cairns returned to her home after a six week short course in Charlottetown.

Shamrock School is progressing favorably under the capable management of Miss Marguerite McCarville.

Mrs. Urban Waddell was a weekend visitor to Charlottetown at the home of her parents.

Misses Mae and Hazel Nicholson has returned to Montreal after a short visit with their parents in Shamrock.

Miss Pauline Mohar returned home after attending the six week course in Charlottetown.

Miss Mildred Campbell spent a very pleasant week-end in Charlottetown.

Mr. Aeneas Hughes was a recent visitor to Tryon, and reported the roads in bad condition.

Mr. Gerard McQuigan spent a very pleasant week-end visiting friends in Shamrock.

Mrs. Emmett Hughes and son Joseph, were recent visitors to Summerside.

Mr. Wm. Mathison was a visitor to Tryon recently.

MILLCOVE SCHOOL

Following is the honor roll of Millcove School for the month of March: Grade X Sr. -1, Laura Hughes; 2, Patricia Hughes; 3, Desmond Burge; Grade X Jr. -1, Edna Reid; 2, Theresa Hughes; 3, Desmond Burge; Grade VII-1, Bernadine Hughes, 2, Patricia Hughes and Gerard Burge (equal); 3, Auldine Cullen; Grade VI -1, Norma MacIntyre;

2, Leona Hughes; 3, Terese MacIntyre; Grade IV-1, Patrick Hughes; 2, James Cullen; Grade II-1, Marie McQuaid and Theresa Cullen (equal); Perfect attendance for the month were Desmond Burge, Gerald Burge, Patricia Hughes, Alfred MacDonaid, Edna Reid, Marie McQuaid and Auldine Cullen. Teacher, Molly Harrington.

CNR EXCURSION brings you to MOORE & McLEOD'S

Friday, April 4th. Saturday, April 5th. at bargain fares

Table listing fares for various destinations: ALBANY \$.95, ALBERTON 2.60, BEAR RIVER 1.25, BLOOMFIELD 2.35, BORDEN 1.10, BRADALBANE .70, CONWAY 1.90, ELLERSLIE 1.65, ELMIRA 1.80, EMERALD JCT. .80, FREDERICTON .60, GLENCOE .50, GEORGETOWN 1.20, GRANDVIEW .60, HARMONY JCT. 1.40, HUNTER RIVER .50, KENSINGTON \$ 1.00, KINKORA .90, MELVILLE .80, MISCOCHE 1.35, MONTAGUE 1.20, MONTAGUE JCT. 1.05, MT. STEWART JCT. .60, MURRAY HARBOR 1.20, O'LEARY 2.20, RICHMOND 1.60, ST. PETERS 1.00, SCOTCHFORT .50, SOURIS 1.55, SUMMERSIDE 1.20, TIGNISH 2.90, WELLINGTON 1.50

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Purses - Patent leather and fabrics in envelope and small styles. Colors, navy, black, and pastel shades. \$1.19 and \$1.95 Prices

Purses - Pigtex, patent leather, crushskin and calfskin, new spring colors in popular styles. Prices \$2.95 and \$3.50

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Scarves - Plain sheer and figured designs in ascot and other styles in a smart assortment of colors. Prices 75c to \$2.00

Easter Bonnetry

You will have the springtime of your life in a bewitching new sailor, worn straight or pompadour-wise trimmed with flowers and flirty \$2.25 to \$7.50 peek-a-boo veils. Priced from -

Poke bonnets, young and clever designed to do the most for you and your spring coiffure. \$2.25 to \$4.95 Dressmaker hats have new feminine charm with a bevy of flowers and a cloud of veiling that envelops your face. \$2.25 to \$7.50

New casual felt toppers and deep shadow box brims for your spring classics and tailleurs. \$1.79 to \$5.95

Navy, Black, Plaster Beige, Canyon Rose, Crater Blue, Warpath Red, Hopi Turquoise, Cowboy Brown and shades of Amber.

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The Fashion Show brings you the STOCKINGS to Step Out!

4-Thread Full-Fashioned Genuine Silk Crepe from top to toe in leading Spring Shades, Precious, Sherry Beige, Siesta, California Sun and Crushed Petal. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2 \$1.25

3-Thread Full-Fashioned Chiffon Hose in three proportions in long, medium, and short lengths. Silk to the top in all new Spring shades, Argentina, Precious, Crushed Petal, Flippant, Paprika short length in sizes 8 1/2 to 9, medium length in sizes 9, 9 1/2, 10, long length in sizes 10, 10 1/2. Pair \$1.15

4-Thread Full-Fashioned Chiffon Silk to the top in a large assortment of colors in sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. Pair \$1.00 NYLON \$1.65

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Easter Style Successes Coats.. Dresses.. Suits.. Blouses..

Look now and see in this spring's styles the essence of femininity.

Coats with shoulders of new naturalness, sleeves of a new gracefulness... in deliberately elegant dress details. Fine all wools including Foisman's Tricotine... Beige, navy, the new blues, moccasin tan, suez and black -- \$17.95, \$22.50, \$25, \$29.50, \$35

Smart little dresses with smart little jackets, a perfect town costume for under your coat in black or navy with whisks of white... and Prints! Join the parade of prints in lush, gayest rayon crepe -- \$5.95, \$10.95, \$14.95, \$16.95

Suits galore and glorious! Spring begins and we announce the completion of our suit collection with the authoritative tailoring that distinguishes suits by Moore and McLeod Ltd. Men's wear Worsteds and Tricotines \$12.95, \$17.95, \$19.50, \$25.00, \$27.50, \$32.50, \$35

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Your Easter Suit is here, as Smartly Styled. as Dad's

We get plenty of pleasure showing suits such as we have to offer this season! The fabrics are fine all wool English Tweeds and smooth, good looking Worsteds. They were well tailored for us with plenty of style and finish. We are showing double and single breasted three button drapes—the trousers are fuller and drape nicely. Most suits have two pants.

Junior Sizes, 24 to 28 \$ 4.50 to \$11.50 Boys' Sizes, 26 to 30 7.75 to 14.50 Youths' Sizes, 30 to 34 11.95 to 19.95 Students' Sizes, 34 to 38 14.95 to 28.95

Easter Shirts Hundred of boys' and students' shirts in up-to-the-minute styles—all fine quality broadcloths—tastefully blended colors—smart new designs. Regular and fused collars. Sizes 11 to 14 1/2 neck. Prices \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25 and \$1.65.

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