

DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

Charlie Horton's well known pacer...

Yesterday morning we saw Lt. Col. J. P. Hooper's Margaret...

There are some well bred racing prospects in Sackville, N.B. activity...

Race fans all over the Maritimes will regret owner Frank Adams' decision to send Watchin' 2,000 to the Grand Circuit...

In conversation with Heber Sweeney last Wednesday he told me that the two-year-old pacer...

The annual meeting of the Prince Edward Island Racing Club of which George A. Callbeck is president...

Mr. J. W. Boulter, Secretary of the Provincial Exhibition Association...

Various matters in connection with racing were discussed and it was decided that a declaration box would be used at each track...

In the evening there was a grand banquet at the Scotia Hotel...

The dates for the Nova Scotia racing circuit are as follows: New Glasgow, June 20th; Amherst, June 27th; Amherst, July 4th; Amherst, July 11th; Amherst, July 18th; Amherst, July 25th; Amherst, August 1st; Amherst, August 8th; Amherst, August 15th; Amherst, August 22nd; Amherst, August 29th; Amherst, September 5th; Amherst, September 12th; Amherst, September 19th; Amherst, September 26th.

A valued friend sends us a clipping from the Standard, Montreal, which contains the following particulars regarding the trotter...

SPORTING NEWS

Tigers Favored By Mack To Win American League; Thinks Race Will Be Close

(By The Canadian Press) PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—Connie Mack looks for another close pennant race, but he thinks Detroit Tigers have the strength necessary to win.

Big League Games Rained Out For 2nd Straight Day

Looking For Big Year In Fistic Circles

(By The Associated Press) NEW YORK, May 4.—(AP)—Boxing, a mix of financial and professional success in the United States during its fourth wartime winter season, expects even bigger bankrolls and more artistic knockouts this summer with the return of major out-of-door arenas.

Baseball's Big Six Eastern Chronicle Building Burned

(By The Canadian Press) NEW GLASGOW, N.S., May 4.—Possibility that the Eastern Chronicle building here today was incendiary origin was seen tonight.

Five P. E. I. Men Freed From Prison At Montreal

(By The Associated Press) OTTAWA, May 4.—(OP)—The Defence Department issued tonight a list of 58 Canadian prisoners of war—all other ranks—who have been liberated by Allied armies in Germany.

REMEMBER WHEN

Johnny Risko, Cleveland heavyweight, won a 12-round victory over Max Baer 14 years ago tonight. In 1934 Baer took the championship by a technical knockout of Primo Carners.

ST. SYLVESTERE

The guard then looked around and saw the crowd was getting pretty mad. Sgt. McSweeney continued and he started to usher the prisoners out of the side door.

ATTENTION HORSEMEN

The annual meeting of the Prince Edward Island Trotting Association will be held in the Courtroom of the City Building, Charlottetown, Wednesday evening, May 10, at 8 p. m.

Baseball Scores

AMERICAN Philadelphia 100-100-100 Washington 200-100-100 Flores, Knerr, Berry and Hayes; Pieretti and Guerra.

Sports Officer Receives New Appointment

(By The Canadian Press) WINNIPEG, May 4.—Sgt. Ldr. Burr Horton of Toronto, sports officer of No. 2 Air Command since February, 1944, has been appointed supervisor of the R.C.A.F. physical training and drill branch with headquarters in Ottawa, it was announced today.

Bartolo Takes 10-Round Decision From Gus Mell

(By The Associated Press) BOSTON, May 4.—(AP)—N. B. A. featherweight champion Sal Bartolo, 128-3-4, of Boston gave a 10-round decision to Gus Mell, 150, of Montreal, an artistic boxing lesson while gaining a unanimous 10-round decision in their return non-title bout tonight before an 11,027 crowd at the Boston Garden.

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Prisoners Drink Beer In Tavern At Montreal

(By The Associated Press) MONTREAL, May 4.—(CP)—Three Nazi officers, prisoners of war, today drank beer in a mid-town tavern here and only their rapid exit through a side door prevented a melee after they discovered their presence in the establishment.

V-E Holiday Plans Revealed

(By The Associated Press) OTTAWA, May 4.—(OP)—Hon. J. J. Iley, acting Prime Minister, announced today that the week-day following the day of the official declaration of the end of hostilities in Europe will be proclaimed a holiday and it will be observed by government and Crown company employees.

Canadian Occupation

(Continued From Page 1) Headquarters will administer the occupation for at first and later a special occupation headquarters may be formed.

N. E. LOAN TOTAL

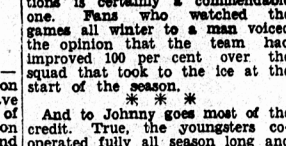
ST. JOHN, N. B., May 4.—(CP)—Sgt. New Brunswick's Victory Loan stood at \$17,821,850 tonight. Subscriptions today amounted to \$1,767,060. The object is \$25,860,000. The armed forces today passed their quota of \$1,050,000.



Johnny Squarebriggs, who did such a swell job coaching the Collegians hockey team during the past City Hockey League season...

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THE HUNTERS' CORNER

Wild geese are thinning out in numbers in districts where hun-

Reports of infractions are beginning to seep into circulation. It is alleged that about 10 days ago, just as day broke, a car allegedly containing two persons drove into a potato field at North Bedouque where several hundred geese were feeding in close proximity to the highway.

Breeding black ducks are present in record breaking numbers. Every pot hole and swale is harboring its quota of birds, and if a good hatch is forthcoming this season the outlook for next fall is exceedingly bright.

With weather conditions warming up better catches of trout are being made, although the big fellows are still in a temperamental mood. A nice string of 18 was caught by a local angler on a few days ago. The trout were all about the size of fresh herring and were quite fat and sweet. It is believed that trout caught have been taken on the time honoured earth worm, however, during the afternoons of late some have been taken on the fly on sheltered mill ponds.

Harold S. Peters, Atlantic Fly-ware Biologist, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, is expected to arrive in the province for his annual survey of migratory game birds between May 9th and 12th. The woodcock will be in for the lion's share of attention but all species of waterfowl will be included in the survey.

The sale of fishing licenses is proceeding very satisfactorily and are reported to be ahead of the same date last year. Officials have been extending angler licenses since the season opened and to date all accounted have been in possession of the little square of card which is necessary to assure one of the continuance of a pleasurable pastime. That's the way it should be. No trout or migratory game birds are expected this summer from the first dam built with license money.

force, in the months following the German capitulation will be met by an extensive program of work with the same basic system prevailing. As men are called to return home they will be given a course in Belgium or France and may also get a few weeks in the United Kingdom before sailing.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—(AP)—The submarine Swordfish is overboard and presumed lost. The Navy announced today. Approximately 65 officers and men were aboard the Swordfish when the 43rd United States naval vessel lost from all causes in the war.

Plastic surgery was first employed more than 5,000 years ago in India.

Just Arrived

At my stables, Buntain & Bell's Wharf, 2 cars of choice horses, mares and geldings. One extra matched pair among them.

Signed, WELLINGTON McNEILL, 5-13-5-8

AUCTION SALE

I will sell on Wednesday, May 9th at 2 p. m. the property of A. R. Wise, situated at corner of Elm Ave and Bayfield St. Store and dwelling combined.

J. S. BIGGAR, Auctioneer

Million Nazis— (Continued From Page 1) Less procession attacked their motor armada, sinking or damaging more than 100 of their ships.

The fall of the German armies in the north will release the British 2nd, 1st Canadian and U.S. 9th and 8th Armies for the invasion of Norway or the attack on the broken enemy retreat in Austria and Czechoslovakia.

The Canadians, however, still were advancing Friday night on the German North Sea ports of Bremen and Wilhelmshaven.

The surrender embraced many a symbol of German might, both military and economic.

Ports, Bases Included Included were the great naval base of Kiel, the rock of Heligoland which Kaiser Wilhelm fortified to defend British in another generation the port of Bremerhaven from which ocean liners used to sail, and the great port of Emden and Wilhelmshaven.

It ended five years of bondage and starvation for the German people in another generation. Rotterdam, Utrecht and the Hague, where the nations once met to try to abolish war, were included.

Holland was invaded May 10, 1940, and Denmark April 9 of the same year.

Unanswered was whether Doenitz intended to flee to Norway or to the west coast of the German High Command communique from Copenhagen indicated that he was in the Danish Capital.

The German armies of the north in this one momentous week had surrendered 1,000,000 men to British, Canadian and American forces.

The remnants of the German 9th Army were cut to pieces by the Russians, surrendered to the Americans.

When the north was being followed quickly by collapse in the south.

Break Through Brenner Pass The U.S. 7th Army broke clear through the Brenner Pass into Italy when the invasion of Southern France, by the U.S. 6th Army, and the 5th Army's veteran Italian campaigners 10 miles southwest of Rome.

Salzburg, bastion standing at the entrance of the so-called southern Alpine mountains, was captured by the U.S. 7th Army.

FIGHTING JOB— (Continued From Page 1) Only a few days ago, the R.C.A.F. fame-bearer group found itself out of work for the first time since its formation two years ago.

A Long Road And now, as Canadian trucks took food through no-man's land to gaunt Netherlands under a battered flag, Canadian soldiers came to the end of their long road. Behind them are the years of waiting in England, Dieppe, the landing on the beach at Juno, Sicily July 10, 1943, the cruel campaign of the 1st Corps in Italy, D-Day in Western Europe June 6, 1944, and the battles of the Canadian graves in the soil of France, Belgium, Holland and Germany for a second generation.

Although the two Canadian Corps—the 1st and 2nd—were fatigued by the end of the war, separate fronts in Italy and Western Europe, history will record D-Day in Western Europe June 6, 1944, and the battles of the Canadian graves in the soil of France, Belgium, Holland and Germany for a second generation.

It is probably no exaggeration to say almost a million Canadians have crossed the Atlantic since the first of the war.

Canadian Occupation— (Continued From Page 1) Headquarters will administer the occupation for at first and later a special occupation headquarters may be formed.

These details were learned as the Canadians advanced tonight on the German naval base of Wilhelmshaven against practically no opposition. The German North Sea pocket in the 1st Canadian Army sector shows every sign of collapsing.

In Western Holland, where a truce existed making possible food deliveries to the starved Dutch, another 1,000 tons of food were dumped in no-man's land. Three food ships were scheduled to arrive at Rotterdam.

It was learned it will take considerable time, possibly several months for Canadian forces in Germany to be shaken down to operational strength but this can be achieved by return to Canada of men for demobilization or for volunteer service in the Pacific.

The policy system for rotation leave to Canada will be continued in selecting men for return, it was believed. This men with the longest service will be the first home.

Machinery for rotation leave on the point system is working smoothly now and return of the whole army, except the occupation