

SPORTING NEWS

Pitchers Feature Opener In Major League Baseball

NEW YORK, April 18 (AP)—The pitchers had their day as major league baseball launched its third war time season today, as hurlers holding the wood-wedgers to a puny .186 average.

No team was able to get into double digits in the hit column, three failed to score a run, three counted but once four scored twice, three scored three times, and only one was able to get four markers. Only 38 were registered in 450 times at bat.

Fudgy Max Lanier, St. Louis Cardinal southpaw, came up with the No. 1 effort as he held Pittsburgh

Airmen In Finals With Navy For City Hoop Title

P. W. C. Co-Eds Win Hoop Title

An Air Force basketball team defeated Saint Dunstan's University 41-29 yesterday afternoon to take the semi-final two games to one in the city championship.

Date of the opening of the finals was not learned last night.

Baseball Scores

NATIONAL
Brooklyn 1; Philadelphia 4.
Boston 1; New York 2.
Pittsburgh 0; St. Louis 3.
Chicago 3; Cincinnati 0.

AMERICAN
St. Louis 3; Detroit 1.
New York 3; Boston 0.
Philadelphia 3; Washington 2.

Post-War Family Plane Is Getting War Workout

(Canadian Press Staff Writer)
LONDON, April 18 (CP)—The family plane of the post-war future is having its workout by dragging enemy lines at Andaz and Cassino.

It's the tiny mat-like leaping Taylorcraft Auster that air experts here predict will sell for around \$2,000 after the war. It's easy to carry and cheap to operate. It can land and take off from a short stretch of road or a flying field.

The army calls it a flying jeep. The anc and use as living artillery observation posts. On the front line, they direct the fire of the artillery targets while the enemy-trained troops direct the fire of the artillery through radio. They fly low over hidden gun posts to draw fire. Aircraft carriers to direct the fire of the navy's guns.

Some of the ducky little Auster is a mercy machine flying food and supplies to outposts in Italy where no other plane could land. The aircraft is accepted to all in flak and enemy fighters with more than twice the flying speed is 110 pounds of armor plate below and behind the pilot.

That's its war history but the plane will make peace history as John Jones' runabout, carrying two or three passengers.

Here are some of the features that will make it a safe vehicle in that junior can take out his best bit of a Saturday night.

It climbs quickly to the take-off, 1,000 feet in 60 seconds. The maximum speed is about 130 miles an hour in level flight. Landing speed is 50 miles an hour.

The Auster can cover 250 miles at a hop, getting to between 20 and 25 miles to a gallon of gasoline.

The sound-proof cabin allows normal conversation between passenger and pilot and the temperature is thermostatically controlled. A plastic cabin roof and side windows provide almost unrestricted visibility.

Maximum loaded weight of the plane is 1,500 pounds. The wing span is 36 feet and the fuselage length, 22 feet.

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MONTAGUE — SATURDAY
8.00 AND 10.00 P. M.

SOURS — TUESDAY 8.15

Remember When

By The Canadian Press
Gerard Cole, 25-year-old St. Hyacinthe, Que., runner, won the 44th Boston marathon four years ago today in the record time of two hours, 23 minutes, 23 3/4 seconds. This was 23 1/3 seconds lower than the previous record, Joseph Smith of Montreal, Mass., lowered Cole's mark to 2:26:51.2 in 1942. Cole won the race again in 1943.

HEADS BANK OF ENGLAND

LONDON, April 18 (CP)—Lord Catto was elected Governor of the Bank of England today, succeeding the 73 year old Montagu Norman who announced his retirement April 6 "due to illness and advancing age." For a quarter century, Mr. Norman had headed the bank.

RETIREES FROM PULPIT

On May 25th, an ecclesiastical convention will convene at the University of Toronto to discuss the issue of a very serious situation in the pulpits of the United Church of Canada. The convention will be held in the city of Toronto, Ontario, Canada, from May 25 to May 29, 1944.

ADOPTION COMMITTEE

MEETING—At the meeting of the Citizens Adoption Committee held last night in the City Hall, it was decided to hold a public hearing on the adoption of a child by a married couple. The hearing will be held on Monday, April 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall.

MARTINVALE SCHOOL

Honor Roll for March:
Grade X Sr. Flora Martin.
Grade IX Sr. 1 John A. Shaw.
Grade VIII 1 Gladys Robbins.
Grade VII — 1 Lillian Myers, 2 Marguerite Campbell.
Grade VI Jr. — 1 Martin Myers, 2 Mary Campbell.
Grade V Jr. — 1 Hughina Macdonald.
Grade IV — 1 Rebecca MacAusland.
Grade III — 1 George A. Plover.
Grade II Sr. — 1 Betty Campbell.
Grade II Jr. — 1 Muriel Myers.
Grade I — 1 Clifford Macdonald.
Bess attendance for March: Flora Martin, George A. Plover, Martin Myers, Lillian Myers.
Myra MacLeod, John Shaw, Gordon Shaw, Sterling Shaw, Martin Myers, Florence Plover, George A. Plover.
Highest mark for March, Flora Martin.

Swedish Gov't In Protest To Berlin

STOCKHOLM, April 18 (AP)—The Swedish Government has expressed its "surprise and disappointment" in a note to Berlin as a result of the interception of numerous military maps of Sweden en route from Germany to Oslo, a foreign office spokesman said today.

The maps were intercepted by Customs officials at Helsingborg.

Red which the Chinese consider the luckiest color, predominates at their weddings and funerals.

Yesterday's Market

Mackerel, each	25-30
Haddock, lb.	19-
Tomatoes, lb.	45c
Beef, lb.	20-24c
Steak, lb.	35-38c
Butter, dairy	37-40
Eggs, doz.	25-30c
Pork, lb.	25-30c
Cream	25-45c
Potatoes, Green Mountains, pk	43
Chickens	30c
Head Lettuce	20-25c
Bolling Meat	20-25c
Spinach, lb.	30-35c
Apples, doz.	25c
Fowl, lb.	30c
Pork Roast, lb.	30c
Hams, lb.	25c
Bacon, lb.	25c
Celery	20c
Pink Grapefruit	2 for 25c
Brussels Sprouts	42 1-2
M. F. Chickens A	40 1-2
M. F. Chickens B	40 1-2
Bunch Carrots	10c
New Cabbage, lb.	10c
New Beets, lb.	10c
Bunch Carrots	10c
Rhubarb, lb.	27c
Peppers, each	10c
Apples, doz.	for 31c
Strawberries	35c
Broccoli	42c
Pineapples	for 10
Artichokes	3 for 10
New Onions, bunch	3 for 25
New Parsnips	3 for 25
Cauliflowers	3 for 25

Freight Shipments Show Decline For March, Figures Show

The carrier Prince Edward Island moved a total of 1,671 loaded freight cars across Northumberland Strait in March this year. It was released yesterday from figures received by the office of Mr. E. W. MacKinnon, superintendent of the P.E.I. division of the Canadian National Railways. The total freight movement was 736 cars less than in the corresponding month a year ago.

A total of 623 loaded cars left the province against 1,174 a year ago. Incoming freight in the same time was 1,044 cars to the 1,255 a year ago.

Both potato and turnip shipments slumped sharply in March. This year 299 cars of potatoes left the province against 761 a year ago. Turnips were 83 this year and 166 a year ago.

Variety Show At Beach Grove Inn

A Musical "Variety Show" combining camp and Charlotteville talent appeared at Beach Grove Inn, Toronto, last night to give the recruits and numerous visitors a fine evening's entertainment.

Table Returns Re War Pensions

OTTAWA, April 17 (AP)—Pensions have been refused in 458 cases of persons who died while members of the forces in the present war, it was reported in a return table to the House of Commons tonight for Victor Quichon — SC — Acadia. In 385 of the cases it was held that the cause of death did not arise from military service. Pensions were granted on compassionate grounds in 223 cases of death. Pensions were refused in 28,524 cases of persons discharged for disability.

Bette Davis Heads Hollywood Canteen

HOLLYWOOD, April 18 (AP)—Election of actress Bette Davis as president for the third successive year was announced today by the Board of Governors of the Hollywood canteen. The board reported the canteen has served more than 1,500 service men during its two years.

TILLIE THE TOILER— UNDER SUSPICION

I GUESS THE SERGEANT'S QUIT LOOKING FOR ME. S'LONG.

HE SAYS HE ONLY WENT UNDER HERE TO DODGE A SERGEANT. WELL, MAYBE.

BUT HE CAN'T MAKE ME THINK THAT WAS IT.

I JUST CAME UNDER TO LOOK FOR SIGNS OF SABOTAGE.

HMPH! YOU CAN'T MAKE ME THINK YOU AREN'T DODGING DUTY.

Speaks On Trends In Agriculture

"Trends in agriculture" was the subject of an interesting address by E.A. Proffitt, Freetown, at Rotary luncheon on Monday. Tracing the development of farming since the boyhood days, Mr. Proffitt recalled that it used to be considered extraordinary if a dairy cow produced as much as 7,000 or 8,000 pounds of milk a year. Now farmers want two-year old heifers to produce 10,000 or 11,000 pounds. Farmers also used to allow only one cow to 80 dry in the fall, but this condition changed because of the urban demand for dairy products in winter as well as summer. Increased difficulties have come with the step-up in production, expert knowledge and careful feeding being needed to look after a high producing herd. The speaker also referred to the trend in poultry and hog raising and pointed to disadvantages in the system of bonusing select hogs and dairy products.

Emphasizing that farming is no place for the speculator, Mr. Proffitt pointed out that the demand for farm products is fairly constant from year to year. It is not a boom and bust industry. It is a steady industry that produces a huge amount of one thing or another in any given year because you cannot backorder and for that product quickly enquired in proportion. "We must have consistent production so that we need not plan economy to provide for the needs of the people of Canada. But, if there should be a surplus in any one year, he believed that the Government should see to it that the farmer did not have to stand the loss. The production might be down in one year, it cannot always be controlled, it was suggested.

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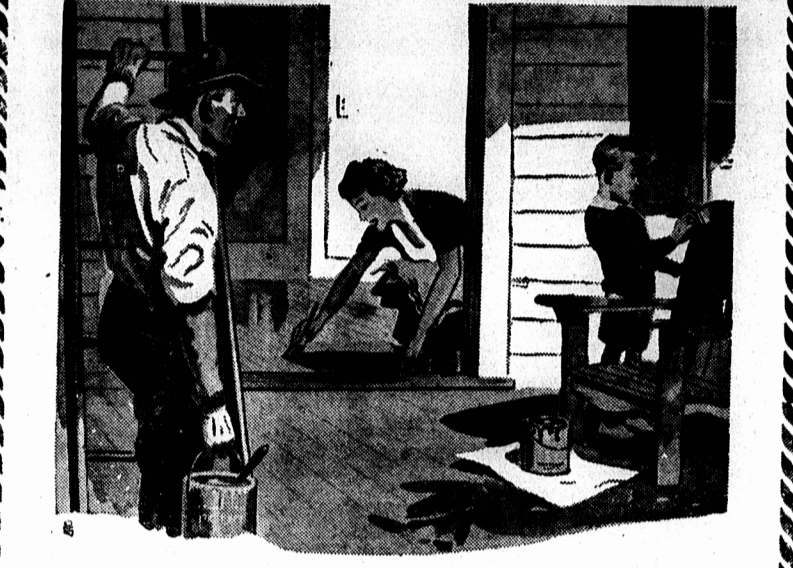
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