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INGO, Lunch and Dance at... evening, May 20th at 8.30.

CONSULTATION will cut the coal... Buy insul... some black, singlet or panel...

SURSES GRADUATION — Miss... will receive their diploma... at the Prince County...

NOEL-TREMBLAY NUPITALS — Miss... wedding was solemn... at St. Mary's Convent...

SOCIAL CLUB MEET — The... Ladies Social Club of Trinity Unit...

MAGISTRATES COURT — Judge... on Monday morning and heard...

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Dr. Young Guest speaker At S'side

Rev. Dr. L. Young who arrived in Summerside on Saturday was the guest speaker last night in the Presbyterian Church.

—BRACE'S price on Barbed Wire is right. L-148-5-19-21.

—LEFT FOR HALIFAX — Mrs. Brenton Rankin left last week for Halifax to join her husband.

—VISITOR TO P. E. I. — Rev. E. A. Kinley, Field Worker for the Maritime Board...

—BAPTIST CHURCH — The congregation of the United Baptist Church held a delightful social...

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British Freighter Chases Nazi Ship

Enemy craft left Chilean port in attempt to run blockade.

SANTIAGO, Chile, May 13 — (AP) — A British freighter armed with a six-inch cannon and two anti-aircraft guns was believed tonight to be chasing at least one of five German freighters which sailed during the weekend from widely separated Chilean ports in an attempt to run the British blockade.

The Nazi ship Rhakotis, 6,173 tons, left the port of Antofagasta only 30 minutes before the British armed freighter, the 6,883 tons, departed from widely separated Chilean ports in an attempt to run the British blockade.

The dispatch did not clarify how an armed freighter could take action against another freighter since the merchant ships are armed essentially for defence rather than offence.

There was the possibility, some observers presumed, that the Laguna might be faster than some of the ships she was chasing, and after passing them could bring into play her gun mounted on the stern.

The departure of the five German ships cleared Chilean ports of all Nazi freighters. They had been in Chilean waters since the beginning of the war.

Churchill Has Secret Report On Hess Affair

British hope veil will be at least partially lifted this week.

LONDON, May 18 — (CP) — Prime Minister Churchill pondered today a detailed secret report on the statements by Rudolf Hess since the Nazi deputy fuhrer parachuted to earth in Scotland and the British public hoped he would lift at least a corner of the veil from the mystery before the House of Commons this week.

The British Broadcasting Corporation continued a barrage of broadcasts to Germany, playing the Hess affair for all it is worth.

It told listening Germans that the Nazi radio is keeping quiet before its home audience, while pouring out a variety of conflicting accounts for foreign consumption.

The British public itself appears anxious for clarification of widely differing versions published here.

But some observers suggested that official silence thus far might be a sign the government has obtained such valuable information from the Nazi radio that it would be able to bring maximum benefit from keeping the Germans in long suspense.

British broadcasts beamed toward the Nazi radio in "widespread reports of an extensive purge in Germany and many arrests of Hess' associates, especially occultists."

A reference to German assertions that the No. 3 Fuhrer had been ill-advised by fortune tellers and mesmerizers.

The Germans also were told that all telephone communication between Germany and Sweden was cut off on Friday.

Exchange Telegraph News Agency, in a dispatch from Goteborg, Sweden, quoted the Berlin correspondent of the newspaper Goteborgs-posten as saying that Hess' wife was arrested "two days ago and that a multitude of arrests followed the escape of Hess to Scotland."

"Several fresh prisoners have arrived at Sachsenhausen concentration camp. Secret police are questioning Prof. Messer Schmitt (designer of the fighting plane) about the Hess affair."

On Saturday home security minister Herbert Morrison declared: "I am sure that whatever Prime Minister Mackenzie King and his Government had done since the war began had been done 'because of the possibility of a change of public opinion in Parliament, in the press, and in the marketplace.'"

Idle hands and idle factories indicated that industry had not been completely mobilized in the war effort.

M. J. Caldwell, acting C.C.F. House leader, will make the second talk of the CBC series next Saturday, and John Blackmore, New Brunswick leader, will speak the following week.

HUGE FIRES IN

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The air ministry said docks at Rotterdam, Holland, and Boulogne, France, and other objectives in enemy-occupied territory were attacked and unidentified French and Netherlands harbors were raided.

Only one bomber was missing after the night's raids, the ministry said. Two fighters were missing from patrol Saturday but the ministry added that a British fighter downed a German fighter, shooting it into the sea off the southeast coast.

As for Britain Saturday night, the air and home security ministries said Nazi raids were on a "very small scale."

Today German aircraft were reported over various sections of Britain, including the Midlands, but there was no indication of large scale operations.

Carleton and Vicinity

Mrs. T. Teigland, Huntington Beach, California, has arrived to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Stetford Mullins, Tryon.

Mr. Wesley MacMicken who has been working in Halifax all winter was called home on Monday by the sudden death of his mother, Mrs. George MacMicken, Cape Traverse.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Arthur MacMicken, Carleton, who was doubly bereaved on Sunday, May 11, when his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Newton Howatt, passed away at his home in Carleton the evening following while his paternal grandmother, Mrs. George MacMicken, also passed away at her home in Cape Traverse the same night.

Much sympathy is felt for Ms and Mrs. Wesley MacMicken, Cape Traverse, in their double bereavement. Besides the sudden death of Mr. MacMicken's mother on Sunday, May 11th, they also mourn the death of their infant daughter, who was born May 10th and passed away May 14th, after her grandmother's funeral.

After a long illness, which she bore with heroic patience, Mrs. Christian faith, Mrs. Newton Howatt passed peacefully to rest Sunday morning, May 11th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stewart MacMicken, Carleton. Her maiden name was Elizabeth Wilson and she was born in Hampton in 1858. After her marriage to Mr. Newton Howatt, fifty-eight years ago, she was a faithful and consistent Christian, a kind and helpful neighbor and a loving and devoted wife and mother.

There are left to mourn their mother's death, Mrs. Stewart MacMicken, Carleton; Mrs. Annie, Mrs. Stewart MacMicken, Carleton, with whom she made her home for a number of years, and who nursed her through her long illness; Emma, Mrs. Maynard Poy, Tryon, and two sons, Percy, in Tryon, and Penton in Hampton; also a number of grandchildren and two sisters, Emma, Mrs. Keir of Granville, and Miss Ella Wilson of Hampton, to all of whom sincere sympathy is extended.

The funeral, which was largely attended, took place on Tuesday, May 13th. There was a brief service at the home; the hymn Rock of Ages was sung, followed by the reading of the burial prayer. At the United Church in Tryon the hymns sung were Nearer My God to Thee and Abide With Me. Miss Mary Mart served as organist.

Messrs. Rich, Lord, Albro Howatt, Austin Toombs, Frank Robble, W. S. Muttart and Nathan Bell, who were largely attended, and who preceded her nineteen years ago.

Among those from a distance who attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Newton Howatt on Tuesday were the following: Mrs. George Bell, Charlotteville, Miss Ella Wilson, Hampton, Mrs. Hector Kier, Miss Annie and Mr. John Kier, and Mr. John Falconer, Granville.

Mrs. Harry Sobey has returned to her home in Carleton after spending the last two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Stewart MacMicken, Carleton.

The sudden death of Mrs. George MacMicken, Cape Traverse, after an illness of only two days, came as a great shock to both his relatives and friends both in this vicinity and throughout the province. Apparently in her usual health, she suffered an attack on Saturday, and her condition became rapidly worse. She passed away Sunday night, May 11th in spite of all that medical care and tender nursing could do. Of quiet and unassuming disposition she was a kind and helpful neighbor and will be greatly missed in the community, but especially in the home where she lived.

Surviving her, besides her sorrowing husband, are three sons, Stewart of Carleton, Thomas in the West, and Wesley on the home in Carleton. Her only daughter, Hazel, Mrs. Ralph Campbell, Chelton, a Yugoslav in the first days of the Balkan invasion.

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Italian King's Cousin becomes King of Croatia

(By Richard G. Massock) (Associated Press Staff Writer) ROME, May 18 — (AP) — In a 10-minute ceremony the new Axis-created state of Croatia today received its fifth foreign dynasty in 839 years when King Victor Emmanuel named his 41-year-old cousin, the Duke of Spoleto, as King of Croatia to wear the crown of Zvonimir.

Designation of the tall polo-playing sailor Duke of the House of Savoia as the ruler of the kingdom of Paganik, Croat equivalent of the Duce in a glittering audience at the Quirinale.

Almost immediately afterward, three agreements were signed in the presence of Mussolini at the Palazzo Venezia fixing Croatia's frontier and establishing within Italy's "imperial community" the economic and political status of the new Balkan kingdom which was split off from Yugoslavia in the first days of the Balkan invasion.

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FRENCH-AMER.

(Continued from page 1) cerning France and Germany and in no way affect relations between France and any other foreign governments, particularly the United States.

These explanations appear to have gone far toward calming rumors current in Vichy that the United States was ready to break off diplomatic relations, that all Americans had been warned to be ready to leave France on short notice, and that Ambassador William D. Leahy would be called back to Washington quickly for consultation and a "vacation."

The Vichy news and propaganda agency declaring there was talk of a British-American federation under United States leadership.

It said that if France had accepted Prime Minister Churchill's proposal for a British-French union last June "she might today be run not from London, but from Washington," and "we would end up as the citizens of a Dominion twice removed."

France alone is qualified to take decisions which she considers compatible with her honor and her interests, and advice which others would give her, particularly from abroad, seems inopportune," said the government agency.

Rev. Dr. Luther L. Young, Presbyterian Missionary

ITINERARY

Table with 2 columns: Date and Time. Itinerary for Rev. Dr. Luther L. Young, Presbyterian Missionary, listing dates from Tuesday, May 20 to Sunday, June 1, with corresponding times.

THREE AIRMEN

(Continued from page 1) not acknowledged. "We were then some hundreds of miles from land and decided to get as close as possible before our petrol ran out," he said. "We made a good landing about 100 miles from the coast."

"All we knew was that Africa was somewhere to the east. There seemed nothing we could do about getting there. We got out our parachutes and rigged them as sails. We took it in turn to keep watch with field glasses. The pilot was incapacitated by seasickness. We had only seven cigarettes among the three of us."

Next day they sighted land. But the wind changed and started driving them offshore.

"I was down and tried throwing a bucket as a drogue (a buoy at the end of a harpoon) but could not check our way. In the end we decided to take to the rubber dinghy."

We loaded it with distress flares, emergency flying rations, three pints of water, an axe, and floor boards from the plane as paddles. Then we opened the camera hatch on the dinghy to make it sink.

"All day and night we paddled on, steering by compass. Next morning, he continued, they saw land seven miles away. But the dinghy began to lose buoyancy and after four or five hours we were up to our knees in water."

"Suddenly we sighted something which looked like a destroyer so we fire off distress signals. It sheered away and we realized it was really a native fishing boat. Then another fishing boat came from the shore and picked us up."

The negroes aboard were British. Asked what they wanted as a reward, the leader said he wished to have a certificate to show he had helped in the war.

"We wrote out a certificate, and also gave them canvas for new sails, rope, and a small fortune for them," said the observer.

Nazi bombs Cause 83,612 Civilian casualties

LONDON, May 18 — (CP) — Nazi bombs have caused 83,612 civilian casualties in Britain, 35,756 killed and 47,856 injured — from the time heavy air raids began last June through last month, it was announced Saturday.

The home security ministry's figures for April showed a rise over the casualties for March, when the pace of aerial warfare accelerated after the winter lull. But the April figures still were short of the casualties for last September and October, when Nazi raids were at a peak.

Here is a comparison of the monthly totals followed:

Table with 3 columns: Month, Killed, Wounded. Data for 1940 (March, April) and 1941 (March, April).

Besides the 6,065 reported killed last month, the ministry said 61 persons still were missing and were believed to be dead. Among the deaths were those of 2,912 men, 2,418 women and 680 children. Fifty-five were "unclassified."

As announced officially, the monthly totals followed:

Table with 3 columns: Month, Killed, Wounded. Data for July 1940 through April 1941.

FOREST, Ont., May 18 — Lieut. William H. Carter, 25, a member of the United States Army air corps from Selfridge Field, Mich., suffered fatal injuries, and two other American airmen from the same station were injured, one seriously, in an automobile accident near this Lambton County town Saturday night.

James M. Ingham, 24, was the more seriously hurt and is in the Starnia General Hospital. Lieut. Max Stubbs, 23, suffered bruises and cuts but was able to leave the hospital.

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