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TEA, COFFEE and substantial refreshments, any hour. Prince Edward Island Hospital Ladies Aid, under grandstand. L-516-8-13-2i.

SEASON TICKETS FOR OLD HOME WEEK. — These popular amusement tickets are now on sale at all **Drug Stores and at Old Spain Restaurant.** They are good for every performance of the four days and are transferable. The price is only $2.25. L251-101

CANADIAN LEGION—Ex-Service men are requested to meet at 51 Water St., at 10:15 a.m. on Tuesday Aug. 13th to attend the funeral of Gunner Henry Martin late of the C.A.S.F. L-518.

LAID TO REST.—The funeral of the late Nelson Tremere was held from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Lyman Tremere, Hampshire, yesterday afternoon, and was largely attended. Service at the house and grave was conducted by Rev. Lewis Murray and Rev. W. A. MacQuarrie. Interment at Hampshire cemetery. The pall-bearers (all cousins) were: Messrs. Oliver Tremere, Hilson Tremere, Herbert Tremere, Winslow Watts, F. Sanderson, and R. Stewart.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY. — The funeral of the late Nelson Currie was held from his residence at Fairview yesterday afternoon. Service at the house was conducted by Rev. Mr. Woodside, and Rev. J. M. Bleselell. Interment New Dominion cemetery. Rev. Mr. Woodside officiated at the grave. The pallbearers were Messrs. Allison MacMillan, M. D. Murphy, Frank Smith, Joseph Doiron, Hector MacLeod and L. C. McIsaac.

FUNERAL THIS MORNING — The remains of Gunner Henry Martin, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Martin, Charlottetown, arrived in the City last night accompanied by Gunner Joseph Callaghan also of this City. Gunner Martin was drowned Friday night while swimming in the Ottawa River. It is understood he got out in the channel too far and perished before aid could reach him. The funeral will be held from Frank Hennessey's Funeral Home this morning at 10.15. Interment Roman Catholic Cemetery.

BIRTHS

CAMPBELL.—At P. E. Island Hospital, August 7, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Campbell, Brookfield, a son.

THOMPSON.—At P. E. Island Hospital, August 12, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley C. Thompson (nee Catherine Caseley) City, a daughter.

TUPLIN — At the Prince County Hospital, August 11th, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Tuplin a daughter, Marion Hazel, weight 9 lbs.

DOUGLAS—At the P. E. I. Hospital August 6, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Coffin Douglas, City, a daughter.

ROSS—At the P. E. I. Hospital August 10, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ross, Pinette, a son.

MARRIAGES

BUNTAIN-BELL—On August 10, 1940, at the Presbyterian Manse, Tyne Valley, Rev. Herbert M. Buntain officiating, William Harold Buntain of Wheatley River and Viola Grace Bell of De Sable.

JELLEY-HENDERSON—On Aug. 7, 1940, at the Freeland Presbyterian Church, Rev. Herbert M. Buntain officiating, Earle Swabey Jelley of O'Leary and Kathleen Gertrude Henderson of Freeland.

STEEVES-ROSS—At the Manse, Georgetown, Aug. 12, 1940, by the Rev. John Stirling, Miss Wynnie M. Ross, R.N., P.G., in nursing education, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neil S. Ross, Fortune Head to Wendell W. Steeves, M. Sc., Moncton, N.B.

DEATHS

GALLANT—At his residence, 171 Sydney St., Aug. 11, 1940, John Gallant, aged 64 years. Funeral from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Sophia Pineau, 31 Euston Street this morning at 8:45 to St. Dunstan's Basilica thence to R. C. Cemetery.

MARTIN—At Petawawa, Aug. 10, 1940, Gunner Henry Martin, aged 18 years. The remains arrived in the city last evening and were conveyed to the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hector Martin, 51 Water St. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at 10:15 to St. Dunstan's Basilica, thence to the Roman Catholic Cemetery.

Card Of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Hector McQuarrie, Milton, wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for kindness shown them during their recent sad bereavement. L-507-8-13-1i.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Mrs. Boyce Harding who departed this life one year ago today.

Life's race well run,
Life's work well done,
Life's crown well won,
Now comes rest.

Inserted by Husband and Family.

L-492-8-13-1i.

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Spent Pleasant Week-end In Island Province

Hon. James A. Glen, K. C., Speaker of the House of Commons, Ottawa and Mrs. Glen, leave this afternoon for Pictou after an enjoyable weekend visit to the Province.

Saturday afternoon, accompanied by Mr. J. L. Douglas, M. P., Mrs. Douglas, and Senator Sinclair, they visited the summer home of Hon. Dr. Thane A. Campbell, Premier and Mrs. Campbell, at Stanley.

After viewing Cavendish and other parts of the National Park the party, including the Premier and Mrs. Campbell, had dinner at the Dalvay Hotel, where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Macdonald, and Miss Doris Macdonald.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Glen visited the Provincial Building and were particularly interested in seeing the Confederation Chamber.

In the afternoon, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Douglas, they visited the old church and monument at Belfast.

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Douglas held an informal reception in the Charlottetown Hotel in honour of Hon. Mr. Glen and Mrs. Glen. A large number of invited guests had the pleasure of meeting the visitors. After an enjoyable hour spent in conversation, refreshments were served. Brief speeches were then made, Mr. Douglas calling in turn upon Hon. J. P. MacIntyre, Acting Premier, and Minister of Public Works, Dr. I. J. Yeo, President of the Queen's County Liberal Association, Mrs D. J. Jelley, President of the Charlottetown Women's Club, Capt. N. W. Lowther, representing the militia. Mr. Reuben MacDonald, and Hon. Mr. Glen.

This was the first visit of Mr. and Mrs. Glen to Prince Edward Island, and they both expressed their pleasure and appreciation. The Province reminded them of their native home in Scotland which they left about twenty-nine years ago to come to reside permanently in Canada.

Tonight they will stay at Pictou Lodge and will leave for New Glasgow on Wednesday, where they will be welcomed by Mr. H. B. McCulloch, M. P. The same evening they will proceed to Halifax, where they will spend Thursday and Friday and continue their tour to Yarmouth, Digby, Saint John, Fredericton, and Montreal before returning to their home in Russel, Manitoba.

Body Of Local Gunner Recovered From Ottawa River

PEMBROKE, Ont., Aug. 12—(CP) — Body of Gunner Henry Martin, Royal Canadian Artillery, stationed at Petawawa military camp about 120 miles west of Ottawa, was discovered by searchers in the Ottawa River Saturday. He was drowned while swimming the previous day.

G. R. Martin, a son of Hector Martin, Charlottetown, was a member of the 2nd medium regiment R.C.A. Dragging operations were begun late Friday when a women notified military authorities she had seen a bather call for help and then disappear. No inquest will be held.

Hore - Belisha Cautions Against Over-confidence

DEVONPORT, England, Aug 12—(CP)—Leslie Hore-Belisha, former Secretary for War, cautioning Britons against over-confidence appealed today for the creation of 100 army divisions to deal Germany an eventual "coup de grace."

Mr. Hore-Belisha said he hoped the British leaders recognized the "true position in which we are placed and the forces of destruction which are gathering about our Empire."

There were two psychological dangers, he said. One was accepting "as inevitable the continuing policy of concession and withdrawal on the ground we have an inadequacy of armament—as if such inadequacy were irremediable and must endure." The second was representing "every enemy success to be of small moment and minor strategical effect."

"In Africa there's a risk of minimizing the setbacks we are suffering," he said. "Such an under-estimation should be guarded against, particularly in view of our experiences surrounding the Norwegian campaign."

"It is to be hoped that our pre-occupation with home defence is not so absorbing the military thought that we are failing to shape the instrument wherewith to deal the coup de grace. The project should contemplate creation of at least 100 divisions."

Use Minard's for dandruff.

Too Late To Clasify

A FEW GOOD BRED SOWS FOR sale. Livestock Marketing Board. L-519.

FOR SALE—SLIGHTLY USED hydraulic hoist complete with flat bottom. Eddie Gallant, Oyster Bed Bridge. L-515-8-13-2i.

BINDER TWINE 550 FT. LENGTH 10c lb., 600 ft. length 11c lb. Clark Bros., Mt. Stewart, Montague, St. Peters Bay. L-517-8-13-2i.

WANTED—A QUANTITY OF good barley. Also oats. Must be good quality and clean. Livestock Feeds, Fitzroy St., Charlottetown. L-519.

WANTED—SET OF STORAGE batteries for 32 volt lighting plant, must be in good condition, advise price. Clark Bros., Montague. L-517-8-13-2i.

Missionaries Speak At CentralChristian

Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Henderson spoke to a good audience at the Central Christian Church last night. Mrs. Henderson spoke concerning her public health work in Manitoba and also of a number of things which she expected to find awaiting in her work in Africa.

Dr. Henderson then told of the vast territory 200 by 500 miles in the Belgian Congo where they will assist in the medical mission work. Many of the fears, superstitions and troubles of these primitive people were mentioned.

These two young people are to study tropical medicine in New Orleans because the war conditions hinder a like study in Belgium.

While on the Island they will speak at Montague tonight, Summerside Wednesday and (Greenmount) Tignish, Thursday night.

Party Of Former IslandersArrives From Ottawa

A group of former Islanders who arrived yesterday by motor and will be here for the "Old Home Week" includes Mr. John W. Young of Ottawa, his sister, Miss Minora Young and his son, Earl Young and the latter's daughters, the Misses Janet and Norma Young.

Mr. Earl Young is editor of debates and chief of the reporting staff for Hansard, the official record of House of Commons debates. Formerly he was Supreme Court stenographer for this province but went to the Dominion Capital in 1912. He is president of the Gyro Club at Ottawa and hopes to meet fellow Gyros here.

His father, is a former member of the teaching staff at West Kent School. After he went to Ottawa he was with the civil service department but is now retired.

While in the province the party will be at the home of Mr. Henry Young, of Earnscliffe.

CLEAN-UP OF

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was accepted and it was decided to make the visit some time in September.

Among the communications which were read was a complaint from certain citizens concerning what they termed disturbances at a service station on the corner of Queen and Euston Streets after midnight. They asked that the station be compelled to close at 12 o'clock Daylight Saving Time. The matter was referred to the Police Committee.

Another letter from Premier Campbell said that the name of Mr. John Hearn, Charlottetown, was accepted as a member of the proposed Boxing Commission. It would be presented to the Executive Council, the letter said.

Another communication was read from the Secretary of the Dominion Fire Chief Association regarding the possibility of holding their 1941 Convention in Charlottetown. No definite answer was received and the matter was left to the Chairman of the Fire Committee

Committee Reports

Councillor J. T. McKee reporting for the Street Committee said that everything was going along satisfactorily.

Coun. J. E. Sterns, chairman of the Police Committee, referred to the absence of any serious crime in the City. He said that arrangements had been completed for the placing on duty of three extra policemen during this week's celebrations.

Coun. McKee complimented the Police on their promptness in carrying out a certain raid in the City.

Coun. Earle MacDonald also complimented the police on the promptness with which they returned a stolen bicycle after it had been reported to them. He stressed the need of a more forceful law in dealing with persons caught stealing bicycles.

Coun. McKee said it was the duty of every owner to put a lock on his bicycle as when they were stolen they were sold in the country and it was difficult to trace them.

Coun. MacDonald, chairman of the Fire committee, said that the old Overland hose truck purchased for the Fire Department in 1917 was shelved as it was considered a hindrance at a fire. He advocated a better bell system and suggested that the age of fire fighters be from 18 to 60 for the duration of the war instead of from 21 to 50 as it is now. He also stressed the need for a better fire alarm system and the laying of a water pipe at the City dump for fire fighting.

These recommendations had been made by the Fire Chief, he said, and added that the firemen asked the removal of the waiver by the City regarding their not being responsible to accidents to firemen going to, while at or coming from a fire, unless better equipment was provided.

The matter was left for discussion at a special meeting of the Council.

Three Tenders

Councillor McKee, chairman of the Tender committee, reported that there were three tenders in for supplying fire hose for the City. The prices were all the same, he added. The matter was covered by a resolution. This called for awarding the tender to the Dunlop Tire and Rubber Company of Charlottetown. An amendment asked that the tender of Mr P. W. Turner, of Charlottetown, be accepted. An amendment to the amendment asked that the tender of the Nash Motor and Sales, of Charlottetown, be accepted, and this was adopted by a vote of the Council. The text of this appears below.

Coun. Chandler reported for the Finance committee, and his statement appears below.

Coun. MacDonald notified the Council that the city sprinkler, which has been laid up for repairs, would be in action again this morning.

Councillor T. Andrew Butler, chairman of the Light committee, referred to the office of the Provincial Electrical Inspector being housed in the City Building. He said he did not favor electrical inspection.

Only Has Office

Mayor Holman explained that the City had no electrical inspector at present, and the work was being done by the provincial man. He is given office space only in the building.

Coun. Sterns referred to the complaint of a citizen that there was no light on Upper Prince Street but there was one up further—outside the city limits.

Coun. McKee said this light was paid for by the Provincial Government.

Coun. Blanchard said work on the construction of the City barn was almost finished. (He was interrupted by the Mayor, who said the building should be called the City Works Building and not a City barn).

Coun. Blanchard referred to the Kensington Beach, and said the breastwork needed repair, as it is dangerous to children swimming there. It is property of the Dominion Government, he added.

Coun. McKee, reporting on the City dump asked that certain recommendations made at a former Council meeting be carried out.

Coun. Sterns reported that he had looked into the matter of supplying magazines to the soldiers of this province on military duty on the mainland. He said the Carry On Canada Corps had promised to supply the magazines.

Coun. Henry Lapthorn, reporting for the Employment and Relief committee, said that there was very little unemployment in the City at present, as most of the men were working at the airport. He referred to the matter of zoning also.

The following resolutions were passed:

Resolved that a special standing committee of the Council be hereby constituted to be known as the Purchasing Committee, to consist of the Chairman of Finance, and the Chairman of Tender, who may as often and for such occasion as they see fit add as member protem of such committee any councillor considered by them to be especially informed of or concerned in any matter to be dealt with, that such committee shall, subject to all proper direction of this council in all matters and especially in the calling and approval of tenders have full authority and supervision for and over all purchases, orders for repairs, and other expenditures entailing discretion in quality, price or person dealt with, provided for in or covered by the yearly estimates or otherwise authorized by the Council, and that the City Clerk shall be directly responsible to such committee and subject to its instruction in all matters done by him as purchasing agent or otherwise within the intent hereof.

Moved by Coun R. C. Chandler.
Seconded by Coun. J. T. McKee.

Resolved that the tender of Nash Motor Sales, Ltd., for the purchase of 500 ft. 2 1-2 inch 400 pounds pressure 6 years guarantee per coupling double jacket Duplex hose at $1.15 per foot be accepted and that the next purchase of fire hose be given to some other dealer.

Moved by Coun. J. T. McKee.
Seconded by Coun. J.E. Blanchard.

The following statement was read by Coun. R. C. Chandler, Chairman of the Finance Committee.

Receipts For July

Tax Collections:

1940 Real $20,364.51; Personal. $8,411.70; Poll, $317.94.
1939: Real $1,290.39; Personal $450.21; Poll $92.22.
1938: Real, $858.49; Personal $393.29; Poll $48.32.
1937: Real $454.18; Personal. $188.47; Poll $25.00.
1936 and previous: Real $935.92; Personal, $258.07; Poll $23.00.

Streets and sidewalks $363.18; Gas tank licenses $100.00; Insurance licenses $100.00; Investment brokers $100.; Labor license $44.00; Milk vendors $160.00; Bicycle licenses $11.00; Auctioneers licenses $50; Meat and fish $60.00; Bakery $35.00; Garage $12.50; Horse and carriage $6.00; Building Permits $15.00; Truck licenses $6.50; Weigh scales $15.80; Market Tolls $38.25; Market Rents $492.45; Sale of land $3,215.; Sale Airport Buildings $565.00; Sale of hay $25.00; Street department 1.49; Police Court receipts $241.66. Total $39,769.54.

Expenditures For July

Advertising $105.26; Assessing $226.35; Bath houses $69.50; Building Inspector $16.66; City Government $686.93; City Hall $83.50; Electrical Inspector $48.31; Fire Department $405.41; Health $86.00; Insurance $40.00; Interest debentures $12,076.00; Interest overdraft $437.37; Library $98.93; Market $176.49; Market and Library $99.-98; Police Department $1,548.16; Police Court $200.00; Pond $45.50; Squares $135.20; Street Maintenance $2,482.76; Victoria Park $148.-91; Miscellaneous $25.00; School Board $2,000.00; Rent of battery site $1.00; Transfer to Sinking Fund $3,500.00; Deeds for purchasers of lands $15.00; Handling charges (coupons) $32.40. Total $24,790.62.

ORGANIZE REST ROOMS

LONDON. — (CP) — Rest rooms where people may go "to pull themselves together" if their homes are bombed, are being organized. Victims will receive free refreshments while they make arrangements to go elsewhere.

Lily Picture

One of three beds of Regal Lilies grown by Mr. Percy Burke, North River. Some of the plants are six feet in height, and produce as high as 18 flowers. Stalks are seen lying on the ground after a recent wind storm.

"Old Home Week" Opens Here Today

Harness Races Feature Big Program At Provincial Exhibition Grounds.

This afternoon the big event which has been so widely advertised all over the Maritimes and which has brought and is bringing thousands of people here, will be fully on its stride. Every feature is ready for your approval from the moment you step inside the gates—which by the way are free—until you are comfortably seated in the commodious Grand Stand and bleachers watching the thrilling harness horse racing and big Vaudeville show.

Bill Lynch's Merriest Midway with side shows galore occupies its usual place on the main grounds and is certain to command a lot of attention.

Harness Races This Afternoon

The harness races will commence on or about 1:30 standard, 2:30 D.S.T. with three really good classes, namely, the THREE YEAR OLD FUTURITY with Margaret Jean, Abbe Frisco, Ada Worthy, George Mac, Kelly's Dream and Presto Kalmuck.

The 2:12 TROT AND PACE with Aaron L., 2.08, Barney Hanover, 2:07, Marvin Brooke, 2.04 1-4, Viking 2.08 1-4, Rainey G. Henley, 2.06 1-4, Signal Senator, 2.08 1-2 and others.

The 2:22 TROT with Queenie O'Neil 2.06 1-4, Peter Pin 2.07 1-4, Ethel Bellini 2.15, Model T., 2:15, Nativa 2.19, Paul Abbe 2:15 and Golden Guy.

Vaudeville Program

The vaudeville program has been so widely advertised that everyone must be familiar with it. It is positively an outstanding show with two super-spectacles, Queens of the Air and Ace from California and Billy Outten's Water Circus from Miami, Florida. Each other act such as Laddie Lamont, White Brothers, DeCosta and Lenore and the Golden Gate Revue is a high-liner—the best procurable. Wally Wallis will sing one or more songs afternoons, also Lenore, a most beautiful girl with a charming voice. Don't miss this afternoon's big show in front of Grand Stand.

Evening Shows

Evening shows in connection with Old Home Week will be positively outstanding, surpassing by far evening shows of Exhibition days. They commence at 7:20 standard, 8:20 D.S.T. 14 acts of vaudeville with magnificent stage effects that go with the Golden Gate Revue.

The Horse Show in the Horse Show arena, singing by Wally Wallis and Mlle. Lenore and finally the fireworks—four super-spectacles—balances up into an evening's entertainment such as has never before been offered to a Maritime audience.

Popular Prices

The management of Old Home Week have placed their prices so that everybody can see the shows. Admission to afternoon's horse racing and vaudeville is 75c for adults, 50c for children.

Evening shows at 35c for adults, 25c for children.

Unsuccessful In Dragging For Body

Fishermen of Beach Point continued dragging operations off Murray Harbour yesterday in search of the body of Mr. Vernon Jordan, 45-year-old Beach Point fisherman who lost his life in a drowning accident at the mouth of the harbour at noon Saturday. His boat capsized on the way to shore. His son-in-law, Mr. John White, 26, also of Beach Point, was the other victim. White's body was found on the shore Sunday morning where it had floated in over the shoals. Although the body contained a bruise on the forehead medical authorities said death was due to drowning. A 14-year-old boy, who was also in the boat, was rescued. He was Bobby Nelson of Malden, Mass., a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nelson and a nephew of Jordan. Dragging operations will be continued today. R.C.M.P. officials are assisting in the search.

R.A.F. FIGHTERS

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The Admiralty announced that naval guns brought down five German planes Sunday, raising the official total for that day to 65 and the unofficial count to 74.

The list of German raiders destroyed may go even higher for Monday, as the developing battle between the world's largest air forces was believed here to be a decisive phase of the war.

Germany's objectives appeared to be three-fold:

To damage naval harbors and shore establishments in an effort to challenge Britain's sea control of the English Channel; to weaken Britain's air defences by damaging airdromes, destroying balloon barrages, silencing ground guns and attempting to wear out British pilots by forcing them to maintain 24-hour patrols; and to bolster the morale of the German people. This last aim was indicated by elaborate running accounts of the fighting carried by German radio stations.

The air ministry disclosed that while Britain's fighters are at work constantly in home skies, the R.A.F. raiders have continued their nightly missions over Germany and German-held territory

Last night British bombs blew up a synthetic oil plant at Dortmund, "with a violent explosion" and set fire to a similar plant at Kastrop-Rauxel.

The R.A.F. also bombed plants at Gelsenkirchen and Wanneeickel, oil storage vats at Cherbourg, airdromes at Dinard and Caen and the seaplane slipway at Brest.

The German air raiders struck at the Isle of Wight, airdromes on the Kent and Sussex coasts and at the midlands.

Two small harbor service craft were sunk at Portsmouth, but the big admiralty drydock apparently escaped damage. There were a few deaths and damage was done to other buildings. Considering the number of bombs dropped the damage was slight.

The attack on Portsmouth, carried out by a big force of dive bombers protected by fighter craft, was considered the most ambitious raid on a naval port so far in the war and followed an attempt yesterday to batter Portland, another naval port on the south coast.

Spitfires and Hurricanes, their silver wings flashing in the sunlight, raced up to intercept the German raiders which anti-aircraft batteries and multiple pom-poms ringed in a screen of high explosives to keep them high in the sky.

It was the second day of intensive air attacks on British ports, including naval stations. In the two days Germany lost 100 planes and the Royal Air Force 35.

New Anti-Aircraft Gun

Britain's new anti-aircraft gun, said to be an effective answer to dive-bombing, was helping nail the Nazi raiders, or drive them off.

It is a multi-barrelled pom-pom, which fires shells an inch or more in calibre, constructed so delicately they explode at the slightest contact

Britons who have seen the guns in action, praise them highly.

Witnesses of the day's battles saw flaming Nazi craft plummet into the sea and crash ashore. They said most of the bombs fell into the sea or in isolated sections, but some smashed houses and knocked civilians sprawling hundreds of yards away.

Several persons had remarkable escapes from flying fragments.

Many dashed for shelter as low-flying Nazi planes machine-gunned the streets of coastal villages.

The Nazis began blasting at Britain on a large scale June 18. They stepped up the assaults to a 400-plane level Thursday and continued at that stage throughout Sunday and today.

Two hundred German planes roared across the Channel from Cherbourg for the first attack on Portsmouth today, but the air ministry announced all but 55 were kept from their goal. Warships and coast units added their salvos to R.A.F. interception.

Jettisoned Bombs

Concussions shattered glass windows and rocked houses along the coast as many of the invaders jettisoned their loads and sped for home. The sky was filled with manoeuvring fighters.

Spectators saw some planes disintegrate in the air, and their crews bail out and flutter down into the sea.

An Admiralty bulletin said later reports revealed crews manning multiple pom-pom guns aboard two small coastal ships, the Windsor and Edwardian, accounted for five German planes Sunday.

There were some casualties aboard the Edwardian during the fight.

Use Minard's for dandruff.

Rumblings Heard Within French State

VICHY, France, Aug. 12 —(AP) —France, reorganizing civilian life in her shriveled territory, awaited tonight the opening of court actions to punish leaders who took her into the war with Germany.

Public prosecutor Cassagnau will present a complaint and demand secret investigations and hearings tomorrow when the supreme "war guilt" tribunal—whose judgment will be final—meets at Riom. Names of those to be called were not announced.

Nor was it known what message Chief of State Marshal Philippe Petain has for the nation in a broadcast scheduled at 7.30 p. m. (4.30 p. m., ADT,) tomorrow, a few hours after the tribunal convenes.

(Rumblings of ferment within the new French state, however, have reached the outside.

(Reports in Switzerland before the French government broke off telephone communication said Vice Premier Pierre Laval, designated by Petain as his political heir, was among a group of officials slated for discard.)

Dissatisfaction With Federal Lobster Scheme

The handling of this year's lobster business by the Dominion Department of Fisheries is said to be causing considerable dissatisfaction in the Maritime Provinces both to packers and fishermen.

The facts as they apply to this Province are thus summed up by a local business man:

When the British market was closed to canned lobsters the packers and fishermen were at a loss to know whether to go into the business this year or not. Their uncertainty was removed by Hon. J. E. Michaud, Minister of Fisheries, who in the federal campaign last March declared at a public meeting in his constituency that the Government would take over the lobster pack to the amount of 55,000 cases. Later a price was set by the Government of $18.00 per case.

Mr. Michaud's assurance induced the packers and fishermen to make the same expensive preparations in the way of outfit as they did in other years. About the first of April, however, the Fisheries Department at Ottawa announced a size limit of 6 1-2 inches, which would curtail the pack by at least 30 per cent. Had this announcement been given out in January or February, packers and fishermen would have governed themselves accordingly, but they were given no such opportunity in preparing for the season.

The packers in the past sold their pack during May and June to the buyers and could obtain the necessary finances to take care of the fishermen and the hired help in the factories. Following Mr. Michaud's statement they expected prompt action, but May and June passed without the Fisheries Department taking a single case or advancing any money to either packers or fishermen, leaving both these classes in a very precarious position.

Subsequently the Charlottetown Forum was rented by the Government at $100 per month. A man was employed at the Forum and another gentleman as depot manager at a salary of $200 a month. They did not take in any lobsters until after the first of July.

The lobsters that were delivered at the Forum were inspected by a government official, and it is claimed the inspection was so rigid that no lobsters could pass as grades A or B, those which did pass being placed in Grade C.

Under the regulations the packer had to sign a document to the effect that he had paid $5.25 per 100 lbs. to the fishermen. The price for grade C lobsters being $16.00, the packers, it is claimed, were left at a decided disadvantage. Many did not succeed in getting their packs placed even in that category.

It is explained that in the month of May along the North Shore it generally takes 225 lbs. of lobsters to make a case of 48 lbs., or 96 half pounds. Entering into the production costs are fish cans at $12.00 and linings at $2.00, leaving only about $1.00 a case to take care of factory hands, provisions, board, coal, etc.

It is claimed that the industry would have been in a better position had the purchasing been left in the hands of those who had bought lobsters in previous years, who had established connections with the various firms and stores throughout Canada and the United States. A bonus of $3.00 or $4.00 a case would have provided against the loss of the British market and the cost to the taxpayers would have been less than by the method adopted by the Fisheries Department.

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ACCIDENT VICTIM IMPROVING—The condition of Mr. Joseph Flynn of Cardigan was reported to be improved early last night. He was injured in a car accident Saturday afternoon at Cherry Valley corner.

A LONG MOTOR TRIP — Mr. James Haslam, Charlottetown, accompanied by his sister Miss Muriel Springfield, were passengers on the Charlottetown on Saturday evening en route to Southern Ont., where they will spend their holidays with their two brothers and families

VENDOR SHOPS CLOSED —The vendor shops at Souris and Alberton have been closed recently. A rumor that the Charlottetown vendor shop will be closed has not been confirmed. The closing of the two vendor shops in the province is in line with the Government's policy following the recent plebiscite on Prohibition. The vote favored Prohibition.

OLD HOME WEEK entertainments at the Exhibition Grounds will be within the reach of all. There will be no admission at the Main Gate, but children under 12 have to be accompanied by parents. Admission to Grand Stand for afternoons racing and vaudeville, 75c, children 50c. Admission to evening performances in front of Grand Stand 35c, children 25c. **Season Tickets** good for each and every performance of the four days on sale at all **Drug Stores and Old Spain Restaurant, only $2.25.** L251-101

VISITORS FROM EDMONTON —Mrs. Clifford McCarville and young son, Vernon of Edmonton, Alta., are visiting the Island, the guests of Mr. McCarville's mother, Mrs. John McCarville, Freetown. They also visited at North Lake where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCormick. Mr. McCarville is at present in England with a signal unit. While in Charlottetown they are the guests of Mrs. Eliza Morgan, Valley St.

WOMEN LEARN MOTOR MECHANICS —The first class in women's auxiliary motor service, sponsored by the Ford Motor Company of Canada, and their local dealers, Grant Motors, began here last night. Ten young ladies are taking the first class, which will have two-hour instructions periods twice a week for eight weeks. Other classes are filled and will proceed with their instruction as soon as arrangements can be made to accommodate them. The requirements are that those taking the instruction have a licence to operate a motor car and be 18 years of age or over. Members of the first class include, Dorothy Stewart, Marjorie Stewart, Iris McLellan, Olive Johnston, Eleanor Belcher, Margaret "Peg" MacMillan, Jean MacLean, Bernadette Gaudet, "Bill" Hood and Jessie MacLeod.

Personals

Mr. Leigh Caie, East Bathurst, left on a two weeks' vacation, part of which will be spent at Old Home Week at Charlottetown.—Fredericton Gleaner

Dr. L. H. Newman, Dominion Cerealist, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, arrived in the Province Sunday. He leaves on return today.

Miss Dolly MacIntyre of Point Tupper, Cape Breton is visiting in the City at present. She is visiting her sister Mrs. A. J. Lund, wife of Constable A. J. Lund of the City Police Force.

New Flare-up Of Anti-British Feeling In Japan

TOKYO, Aug. 12.—(AP)—New arrests of foreigners were reported today amid a flare-up of anti-British feeling in Tokyo and signs of official pressure on other nations to withdraw from China.

Domei, Japanese news agency, reported that 19 foreigners had been arrested at Dairen, in the Japanese-leased territory of Kwantung, on charges of disseminating anti-Japanese propaganda and possessing shortwave radios.

Their names and nationalities were not disclosed. Most persons previously jailed in Korea and Japan proper in an anti-espionage campaign have been Britons.

About 3,000 demonstrators at an anti-British mass meeting beneath German, Italian and Japanese flags were restrained by police from marching on the British embassy here. They adopted resolutions demanding Britain's full withdrawal from the far east and advocating closer Rome-Berlin-Tokyo ties.

Britain already has announced her decision to transfer her troops from China.

Before the meeting convened, Yakichiro Suma, foreign office spokesman, had hinted that other nations should consider withdrawing their military forces from China.

In view of Britain's decision, Suma said, Japan is assuming responsibility for peace and order at Peiping, Tientsin and Shanghai, and "because of changed conditions, it now is problematical whether it is necessary to maintain troops in those areas."

(In Shanghai, opposition to any move to allow United States marines to take over the British defence sector was expressed by the Japanese army newspaper, Tairiku Shimpo.

(A Japanese embassy spokesman said it was believed the small Italian contingent and the French force stationed in the French concession, will follow the British example).

GLASGOW.—(CP) — John McLean was fined £5 ($22.25) at the West of Scotland sherriff's court for striking a match to light a cigarette outside a public air-raid shelter after raid sirens had sounded.