

CHARITY BINGO
 Holy Redeemer Hall
TONIGHT
 8.30
Guide News

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CONFEDERATION LIFE INSURANCE
COOKS for Christmas photographs

LARGE STOCK of reconditioned ranges at Holmans, Charlottetown from \$15.00 up. Monthly installment terms if desired. L-169-12-3-21.

FUR BUYER - Fritz Weisler will be buying all kinds of raw furs Friday and Saturday at the office of Mr. S. McLure, 110 Kent St., Charlottetown. L-206-12-4-21.

GIVEN 20 DAYS - A city resident picked up on an old commitment by City Police last night was escorted to Queens County jail for twenty days.

MONTAGE BAPTIST CHURCH
 Monday, 11 A. M. U3p 3 P. M. Sturgeon St. P. M. The Society of Orwell Hall will have charge of the program on Friday evening, Rev. J. G. Duncan, Minister. L-192-12-4-11.

30 MEN IN SERVICE-Wood Islands a small community, facing Northumberland Strait has sent 30 men to the armed forces. It was learned yesterday that the men bear the same family name, that of MacMillan. Four Stewarts are enlisted from one family. Almost all the men were farmers or fishermen.

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ST. PETER'S TEA, BAZAAR
 St. Peter's Church had a very successful annual tea and bazaar in the schoolroom yesterday. There was an exceptionally large attendance and the tea tables were widely patronized, the supper being one of the best of the season. The fancy work tables and refreshment booths were also widely patronized.

FAMILY BEREAVED-Mrs. Eliza Morgan, Valley Street, has received the sad news of the death last week in New London, Conn., of her sister, Mrs. Patrick Hogan (nee Agnes McNeill, formerly of Georgetown, P.E.I.) Other surviving members of the family are two sisters, Mrs. Joseph Murphy in Summerside, P. E. I., and Frances McCarville who resides in Malden, Mass.

LARGE CROWD AT NOTRE DAME HIGH TEA - One of the largest crowds in years was in attendance at the annual Notre Dame Academy High Tea and Bazaar which opened last night. From five until eight o'clock delicious chicken suppers were served with the various games also being played. The Christmas gifts were also very attractive and included hand-woven scarves, hand-painted vases, aprons, gifts in hand made leather, pewter work, centre pieces, towels, and sweaters, which attracted much attention. The tea will close tonight.

CALL ACCEPTED - At a special meeting of the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island held this week in Saint James Church with Dr. A. O. Thomson, Moderator and the Rev. G. C. Webster, Clerk, a call to the Rev. J. C. MacNeill, B.A., B.D., to be in charge of the annual Synod of St. James Church was received, approved by the Court and accepted by Mr. MacNeill who concludes his pastorate at Marshfield on December 7th. Mr. MacNeill's church and ministry as preacher, presbyter, pastor and scholar were paid by both Ministers and elders. Dr. Thomson was appointed Interim Moderator of St. James Church and the Rev. T. H. Bussell Somers were appointed Interim Moderators respectively of Belfast and Caledonia both of which had been under Mr. MacNeill's care.

WILL RESUME P. E. I. PASTORATE-It has been a source of much interest and delight to the many friends of the Rev. A. C. Webster and the Rev. T. H. Bussell Somers to learn of the recent invitation extended to him by his former congregation of Murray Harbor North and Peter's Road, P. E. I., to resume pastoral work in Northumberland. Mr. MacPhail had the pleasure and privilege to minister to this parish for 1-2 years through the supervision of the presbytery, and when his time had expired he returned to the survey of work had been termed as "satisfactory." It was learned, however, that a joint congregational meeting of pastoral charges was held at Murray Harbor North church the second week of November, with the Interim-Moderator, the Reverend T. H. B. Somers of Charlottetown in the chair. As a sequel to this meeting it was unanimously agreed to "Preach the Word" again. He has evidently accepted the generous invitation and was scheduled to commence services on November 23.-Halifax Chronicle

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proposed manpower conscription.
 The bill is expected to be adopted by the House of Commons tomorrow, however, to weigh it further in the light of Sir John's speech.
 Sir John spoke with the full authority of the War Cabinet where one of his jobs is co-ordination of production problems. His remarks appeared to agitate the Labor minority one of whom commented in the lobby: "I read us a sanctimonious lecture," while another expressed surprise that "our people" sat so silently.
 The Labor meeting was attended by the Labor members of the Cabinet, Lord Privy Seal Clement Attlee, Labor Minister Ernest Bevin and Home Secretary Herbert Morrison. They were reported to have told their fellow Laborites that if the 30 members persist in their amendment it would be inconsistent with Labor ministers remaining in the government.
 This was said to have failed to budge the "rebels" who say they will force a vote on the nationalization issue. Others think they may force the Labor ministers to seek Prime Minister Churchill's assurance there will be more control of the war industries.
 Reuters' lobby correspondent reported that while Labor's uneasiness over production and other problems may be reflected by the party's attitude toward the manpower bill, their criticism cannot affect the stability of the government in Commons."

Nazis tell of Furious fighting In Rostov area
 (BERLIN, Dec. 4) (Thursday) - (AP) - German and Russian forces are grappling in unbelievably furious fighting for the Rostov and Donets basin area, acknowledged key to the oil-rich Caucasus, German military dispatches declared today.
 Evidence that the German command is throwing some crack troops into the fray was seen in the publication of newspaper obituaries of SS (Elite Guard) men attached to Hitler's bodyguard.
 Details of the struggle were scant, and even the high command omitted mention of Rostov from its communique, although that front, along with Moscow and North Africa, has been called one of the three current major operations.
 German spokesmen, however, denied reports that the Germans had destroyed Rostov in reprisal for alleged guerrilla warfare. (NBC reported in New York it had heard a German radio broadcast, for foreign consumption, stating that German artillery and bombers had destroyed Rostov as "an unavoidable and logical reprisal for the fiendish and treacherous participation" of armed Russian civilians in the battle behind the German lines.)

Find guilty persons Or else, Paris told
 PARIS, Dec. 3.-(AP)-Lt. Gen. Ernst von Schaumburg, German military commandant of Paris, issued a stern ultimatum to the city of Paris with "the most rigorous of reprisal measures" if they fail to deliver within one week the persons guilty of recent attacks on German soldiers.
 The order was issued after an attack in which a German medical corps officer was shot last night while walking on the boulevard Magenta.
 The corps sought are those responsible for this attack and for a bombing last Saturday night in the Montmartre district in which two Nazi artillerymen were killed and a number of others injured. The blast was in an establishment requisitioned for the use of German soldiers.
 A variety of political backgrounds and not organized, this opposition is becoming quite formidable.
 Referring to the St. Lawrence power-seaway project in a speech before the American Institute of Electrical Engineers here this week, Chairman LEON O'CONNOR of the Federal Power Commission for the first time openly adopted a defensive attitude. "Men are already raising the question as to what we are going to do with all the power capacity we have in the defense emergency is over," he said. "They will raise the same question in regard to expanded transportation facilities such as the St. Lawrence seaway."
 "I answer that if we accept the necessity of idle generators and idle transportation facilities, we must also accept the necessity for idle manufacturing capacity. And if we accept the need for idle manufacturing capacity, we must accept the inevitability of idle men, the very institutions which we have defended will be in peril."
 Mr. O'Connell took no note of the already tremendous size generating capacity in wholly or predominantly fuel-powered plants in the United States. According to the Electrical World, this capacity-not reseeded-is represented by the facilities used less than ten percent of the year. During the remainder of the time this installed capacity, estimated at several millions of kilowatts, stands idle.
 Whenever the pro-St. Lawrence spokesmen sound off for publication, and their remarks are duly reproduced in the Congressional Record, it is one of the oppositionists invariably replete with an emphatic riposte. A most effective and systematic adversary of the waterway champions is Representative James E. Van Zandt of Pennsylvania, who has combated the entire country. State by state, the regional editorial reaction to the St. Lawrence proposal. The resultant complications are impressive and have been reproduced by him periodically in the Congressional Record with obvious effect upon several Representatives who had been undecided as to their stand.
 So the prospect of imminent Congressional action on the waterway is no better than a one to ten shot with no takers on the long end. For action in the early New Year, however, the odds are by no means as wide. I should say two to one that the proposal does not make the House calendar before February.

Farmers warned Against off-grade Hog production
 OTTAWA, Dec. 3.-(CP)-The Canadian Bacon Board tonight warned farmers against production of off-grade hogs unsuitable for the export market.
 "There now are more hogs being marketed unsuitable for export than can be absorbed in the domestic market," the board said in a statement. "If the number of these off-grade hogs is not substantially reduced, this surplus product which can only be sold in the domestic market will ultimately force all hog prices to lower levels."

Persons
 Miss Olga M. Moreside P. W. C. student spent the week-end at her home in North Mill.
 Mrs. Nelson Piercey (nee Teresa DeCoste) received a cable, announcing the safe arrival of her husband in England.
 Mr. Rollin Hooper, P. W. C. Student spent Sunday at his home in North Mill.
 Mrs. Stephen P. Duffy has received a wire from her son Capt. L. I. Duffy, announcing his safe arrival in Great Britain.
 Mrs. James W. Judson has received a wire from her son, Capt. Harold E. Judson announcing his safe arrival in England with the fifth armored Division.

Miss Monica Dickens, great grand-daughter of Charles Dickens, and a writer herself, is working on munitions as a fitter at a London training centre.

Mr. Russell Clark, M. L. A., of Mount Stewart was in Charlottetown yesterday marketing silver fox pelts. Mr. Clark, a business man of varied interests, has also a large fox farm.

A cable has been received by Mrs. Duffy, Charlottetown, announcing the safe arrival of her husband, Capt. Loyola Duffy in Great Britain. Capt. Duffy is with the Dental Corps attached to the 8th Division.

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Reports of Axis Setbacks heard Over airwaves
 NEW YORK, Dec. 3.-(AP)-Reports of Axis setbacks came tonight over the airwaves from the Maritimes radio, under Vichy French control, and the Lisbon radio, which has been scrupulously careful to avoid comment that might be construed as a separate peace between Finland and Russia—a development obviously to Germany's disadvantage.
 Next the Maritine broadcaster quoted advice from Vichy saying "The Germans have completely evacuated Taganrog this afternoon."
 The Moscow radio had said only that fighting is raging in suburbs of that city, 40 miles west of Rostov. The Germans were silent about it.
 CBS heard a BBC broadcast saying the Germans had evacuated Taganrog and "are being pursued five miles beyond it." No source was given for the information, but it could have been Vichy, as quoted by Maritine.
 The Lisbon broadcast heard by NBC said British submarines were making bold forays in "the very busy" Atlantic, in an effort to Italian shipments of supplies to Axis forces in Greece.
 "The daring operations of these submarines have resulted in the almost complete blocking off of the great Adriatic ports of Brindisi and Bari," the Portuguese station reported in its broadcast heard here by NBC.
BIRTHS
 JOHNSTON—At the Prince County Hospital, December 3, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnston, one Margaret Callbeck of Tryon, a son—S.
 HERMAN—At the P. E. I. Hospital Nov. 14, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Herman, Pownal, a daughter.
HASLAM—At Chatham Hospital, Ontario, Nov. 28, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Haslam of Blenheim, Ontario, a son.
MARRIAGES
 ACORN-McDONALD—At St. David's, Mansie, Georgetown, on Dec. 2, 1941, by the Rev. Sidney J. Boyce, B.A., Ruth MacDonald of Lorne Valley to Chester Acorn of Primrose.
DEATHS