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- SLEIGH BELLS and driving harness in stock at Brace's. -TOILET WATER by Adrienne at Taylor Drug Co., Kensington. -MAPLE LEAF Anti-Freeze in stock at Brace's. -WANTED - Used jute, cotton or hemp bags. Can use any quantity. Ship to Rex Dawson, Albany. -ELECTRIC Soldering Irons in stock at Brace's. -NO SKATE at Bedeque Rink tonight, Tuesday, on account of a special skate Wednesday night. -BOOK ORDERS for Goodrich Silverton Quality Automobile Tires at Brace's. -BEDEQUE FLOUR MILLS extend Greetings and are pleased to announce they are again making Bedeque Whole Wheat. -JOYOUS EVENING for old and young at the special Christmas Day skate, Bedeque Rink, 8 to 10.30 p.m. Admission to ice or promenade 25 cents. -FOR SALE, 1930 Chevrolet engine, complete with starter, clutch, radiator, etc. Alex MacDonald, Travellers Rest, phone 614-2. -PUPS FOR SALE, Scotch Collies and long-haired terriers, great pets for children, J. F. Tanton, Central Street, Summerside, phone 186. -BUY Pulp Wood, Saw Frames and Blades at Brace's. -LAST MINUTE SPECIALS for Christmas. Presto cookers, electric irons and toasters. We also have other gifts worthwhile. Wright and Bell Radio and Electrical, Summerside. -POLICE COURT - In the Summerside Police Court yesterday morning before Stipendiary Magistrate E.H. Strong, K.C., a man charged with assault was given two months in jail. A drunk was fined \$3.00 and costs and another drunk had his bail estimated at \$5.00. -CHURCH OF ENGLAND Services for the Parish of New London, Christmas Day, December 25th: 8.30 Holy Communion and Sermon, St. Mark's, Kensington, 10.30 Holy Communion, St. Stephen's, Burlington, 2.30 Carol Service, St. Thomas', New London, 7.30 Carol Service, St. Mark's, Kensington, Rev. D. E. Noel, Rector.

Toronto University Paper Awarded Bracken Trophy

(By The Canadian Press) TORONTO, Dec. 23 - The Varsity, University of Toronto daily, was awarded the Bracken trophy as the best university newspaper in 1946 at the annual dinner of the Canadian University Press conference tonight.

Runners-up were the Manitoba, published twice weekly at the University of Manitoba, and the Ubysey, published three times weekly at the University of British Columbia. Thirteen newspapers were entered.

In announcing the results, Gillis Purcell, general manager of the Canadian Press and honorary president of the C.U.P., said the Varsity was chosen because of "its broad and crisply-written coverage of student news, its simple dignified make-up, and its independent, well-handled editorials."

The judges were R. A. Farquharson, managing editor, Toronto Globe and Mail; G. V. Ferguson, editor, Montreal Star; Sydney Scott, managing editor, Vancouver Province; and Mr. Purcell. The trophy was presented in 1944 to encourage development of newspaper representation in the membership of the C.U.P. Previous winners have been the Dalhousie Gazette and the McGill Daily.

GOOD MOUTH WASH Used full strength, good quality witch hazel is excellent as a mouth wash or gargle.

HOLMAN STORE NEWS Here's a tip for the bewildered gift shopper - give her a cozy brushed Rayon Housecoat, with a wide Plastic belt (these are high fashion just now). The colors are delicate pastels and they are 19.95. There is another model in brushed Rayon with a hand-painted decoration around the neck and front, this has a belt of the same lovely brushed Rayon as the garment and is 17.95. Ladies' Wear Department.

Mince Pie - A must for holiday meals! The Grocery Department has delicious Mince-meat in bulk for 23 cents a pound. If you have one use this in a pie, no other will satisfy your hungry family. Grocery Department.

A gift of discrimination! A matching Tea Set, consisting of a teapot, stand, hot water jug, sugar bowl and cream pitcher - made of English earthenware in white with rich gold decoration, for \$35 in the China Department.

The Dry Goods Department has just opened a new shipment of Wool Blankets - the colors are really beautiful, wine, green, gold, white and blue with a cord binding. They are so soft and fluffy - even to look at them warms you! Dry Goods Department.

Say Happy Christmas to him with a Pipe! In the Smoker's Section of the Grocery you will find Pipes to please every man on your list - The price range is from 1.50 to 5.00. Grocery Department.

Here is a list for you - who are slightly confused by what foods still require sugar ration coupons - Jams, Jellies, Honey, Marmalade, Molasses and all Syrups - they contain over 66 percent of water soluble solids - in other words SUGAR!

See Our Assortment Of: Christmas Cards, Toys and Other Gifts. THEY'RE DIFFERENT. CECIL'S GROCERY SUMMERSIDE EUSTANE ST.

Merry Christmas CHRISTMAS GREETINGS You Are On Our List For Best Holiday Wishes May the Christmas Season and the year to come bring you much that is good. Art's Groceteria SUMMERSIDE

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SUMMERSIDE Today

Tops the thrills and threats of 'The Maltese Falcon'



Also SPORT SHORT and CARTOON Shows 7:15 - 9:15 Matinee Tuesday 3:30

SPECIAL FEATURE FOR CHRISTMAS DAY MATINEE ONLY STARTING AT 2:30 KEN CURTIS

"RHYTHM ROUND-UP" CHRISTMAS NIGHT



CLAUDETTE JOHN COLBERT - JOHN WAYNE IN MERVYN LEROY'S production of 'Without Reservations'

THURSDAY MATINEE and NIGHT Also NEWS Shows 7:15 - 9:15 Matinee Thursday 3:30

"THREE STRANGERS" IS GRIPPING MYSTERY FARE

Warner Bros. those past masters in the art of screen melodrama have scored again with "Three Strangers" their newest drama of murder and intrigue which opened last night at the Capitol Theatre.

Played against a background of intrigue-ridden London just prior to the outbreak of war, the film relates the most extraordinary circumstances which develop around Crystal Shackelford (Geraldine Fitzgerald), Jerome Arbuthy (Sydney Greenstreet) and Johnny West (Peter Lorre) when their lives become inextricably entangled with a mystic idol Kwan Yin, the ancient Chinese goddess of human destiny, to whose power Crystal is a devout subscriber.

KIRK WALL, Orkney Islands - (CP) - Causeways built by Italian prisoners-of-war, to connect the islands around Soaps Flow naval base and prevent a repetition of the Royal Oak sinking by a German submarine, are under construction and may be temporarily abandoned.

Electric Co. At Freetown Has Breakdown

Mechanical trouble, occurring at the same time as flood conditions, caused slight damage to the dam of the Scales Hydro Electric Co. Ltd., Freetown and caused a partial blackout last night of the areas served by the company. Mr. Austin A. Scales, president of the company, said last night that he expected they would be operating normally by this afternoon. Last night Bedeque and Kingsport were without service. He said that heavy rain on Saturday night with several inches of snow and the ground frozen resulted in a very heavy run of water to the streams causing the pond to overflow quickly. Apparently the gates were not opened soon enough, which caused slight damage to the dam. He explained that to close the gates after they were opened resulted in lack of water power. The pond is filling again rapidly. Coincident with this difficulty the auxiliary power unit gave trouble. Mr. Scales said, but this has now been rectified. If both these difficulties had not occurred at the same time the matter would not have been so serious. Besides the areas already mentioned the plant also serves Kensington and Freetown. All sections were out for a time.

Christmas Greetings Sent To Employees Of Canadian National

MONTREAL, Dec. 23 - R. C. Vaughan, C.M.G., chairman and president of the C.N.E., today sent a Christmas greeting by wire to all officers and employees of the National System. The telegram, which went to the 110,000 men and women employed in Canada and the United States, reads: "The great festival of Christmas is again at hand, and to all in our service and to their families I send warm greetings in the hope that all will receive a full measure of the happiness of this joyous season. In retrospect, recalling the difficulties of shortages and the unsettled conditions which obtained generally, there is much to satisfy us in what we accomplished during the past year. These achievements were made possible by the continued loyalty and cooperation of all ranks within this vast transportation organization. The magnitude of the task ahead, however, is a challenge to every one of us to move forward into the New Year with courage and confidence ever remembering that our first obligation is to serve the nation and to meet its transportation and communication requirements. May all of you prosper in the new year."

MONCTON, Dec. 23 - The following message was sent to all officers and employees on the Atlantic region by J. P. Johnson, regional vice president and general manager: "To all of my fellow workers on the Atlantic Region: I thank you sincerely for your fine cooperation and splendid good service and I beg you to take good satisfaction from what we have been able to accomplish in the past year. I hope your families and yourselves will enjoy a merry Christmas and that you shall find in the New Year abundant happiness, good health and prosperity."

Quints Planning Christmas Party

CORBELL, Ont., Dec. 23 - (CP) - Because Christmas presents around his home are "sacred until opened," Olivia Dionne today declined to reveal what gift his famous quintuplet daughters will give to their mother - and he hasn't a clue as to what he may receive himself. There was consolation for the 12-year-old Quint's younger brothers - Olivia Jr., Victor and Claude - Santa Claus would have no trouble with his sleigh runners in these parts. Snowbound fields stretch to the green edge of a fir thicket.

FOR SALE

We have for sale Pickle Cured Cod and Hake. Well pressed. COD ..... 12 Cts. HAKE ..... 10 Cts. In 50 Lb. Lots R. CHAMPION & SONS, Kensington

The Bonnie Brae Inn Formerly The MAWLEY HOUSE IS NOW OPEN TO RECEIVE GUESTS HOT and COLD RUNNING WATER IN EACH ROOM MEAL HOURS 7 A.M. TO 7 P.M. WHEN IN SUMMERSIDE ON BUSINESS OR PLEASURE CALL AT THE Bonnie Brae Inn Under new management L. J. ANDERSON.



The beauty of Christmas has come down to us through the birth of the Savior who taught the world that love is stronger than hate and good mightier than evil. May this prevailing spirit of good will embrace us all during this joyous holiday season.

It takes too long to say all we'd like to about the pleasure it's been serving you this year, so we'll just say - MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Sinclair & Stewart Limited SUMMERSIDE, P. E. I.

War Cemetery Will Be Beauty Spot In Years To Come

By William Boss Canadian Press Staff Writer NIJMEGEN, Holland, Dec. 23 - (CP) - Slowly taking shape on a ridge overlooking the costly Nijmegen battleground, is a cemetery for more than 3,000 Canadian war dead which will be rivalled by few others in location and development. Like the cemeteries at Agira, Sicily, and Ortona, Italy, and the First Great War memorial at Vimy, Nijmegen commands ground over which the Canadians fought and its lofty, simple cross is visible from the farthest corners of the battlefield. Its roster of dead now is complete. The Canadian graves construction unit has left and landscaping designs have been turned over to the Imperial War Graves Commission. Work has been entrusted to a handful of Dutch gardeners who may be finished by next autumn. Most of the graves have been adopted by citizens of neighboring towns - Bergeijk and Groesbeek and almost every one has unbound sprays of flowers upon its still unsodded turf.

It is proposed to nestle every grave cross in rose shrubs and to outline the rows of graves by lines of bramble roses. Though every grave now is marked by a low, well-shaded mound after the continental practice, they eventually will be flush with the ground, Canadian fashion.

TURKEY IN THE STRAW (By Florence G. Bruner in Dumb Animals) The title of the old dance tune, "Turkey in the Straw," is, perhaps, a very apt one. Did you ever see a turkey quardrille? I never had, until one day, some years ago, on Norfolk Island, about 600 miles northeast of Auckland, New Zealand. I was busy about some household task, when a maid I had came running, calling excitedly for me to hurry and see the turkeys dance.

My husband and I had a flock of about twenty turkeys, some gobblers, the others, hens, varying in plumage from gray to white. A beautiful black was among them, also a glossy ginger. The lawn in front of the house sloped down to a smooth patch of ground and there, much to my amazement was a strange sight. Arranged as though for the set of a quadrille stood the gobblers, each a short distance from the other, and each surrounded by four or five hens. Stretching wide their wings, raising their tails and puffing out their red wattles, the gobblers would jump high in the air, while the hens circled about them. Every once in a while they would change places, exactly as though working out the steps of a reel or quadrille. It goes without saying that just as excitedly as the maid had called me, I called my husband and the children to witness the scene, too.

ALE BOTTLES PURCHASED We call for ale bottles, any quantity, pints and quarts; highest prices paid. We will also pay for Jaxex bottles. Bring them in and guarantee an ample supply of Jaxex. Phone Cecil's Grocery, 712, 1st pick-up.

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Christmas Bells

will ring so merrily... bringing in a wealth of good cheer and happiness. We offer you sincerest hope for a joyous Yuletide season.

BORDEN THEATRE Wednesday, December 25 (Christmas Day) "HIGHWAYS BY NIGHT" Matinee 3:30 Shows 7:15 and 9:15

CAMEO MON. 6-8:30 - TUES. 8:30 The most reckless renegades who ever rode - "THE DALTON'S RIDE AGAIN" With Alan Curtis - Lon Chaney - Kent Taylor and Martha Driscoll Also 1st Chapter of Serial "KING OF THE FOREST RANGERS"

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