DOWN - THE - BACK STRETCH

S. Thane Belyea writes from Fredericton, N. B., that Lee D. Jones of Wickham, N.B., has bought two new pacers in from Ontario. One is Lulu Axworthy by River Evans 2.12 1-2 and the other Sweet Marie Lee by Corporal Lee 2.04 1-4. Last week he started them on the ice at Sussex and won a race with the Axworthy mare and was third with Sweet Marie Lee, the race being won by Hanover Courier 2.09 1-4. It is stated on good authority that Hollyrood Cochato by Hollyrood Demus, is in Earle Avery's stable and will be raced by him in the Maritimes this season. It will be good news to many race fans if Earle really decides to race at home, as he is one of the most popular drivers appearing before the public

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Thane ends in this note. . . "I see by the press that you are having your usual good ice racing over there and I expect when the boys come over from Halifax and Dartmouth the fur will fly for there. We have very little snow over here, not enough for sleighing, and the lumbermen have been hard on account of no snow." Thanks, Thane, for your interesting contribution towards this column.

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And now we will hear from our friend John A. MacDonald, New Glasgow. . . "Horsemen have enjoyed themselves the past week because of the nice snowfall which has made almost perfect sleighing, and every day you can see either Joe O'Brien or Harley Harrison out with the different horses in their stables. There is no question but that Belle of Brooklyn 2.15 1-2 is the opinion of local horsemen, a much improved mare and is expected to take a record of 2.10 this season. In the same stable is Patrick Abbe by Bert Abbe 1.59 1-4. He is a handsome, good-gaited three-year-old with an easy way of going and perfect manners. The other members of the stable are also doing nicely.

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It is with great pleasure that local fans have read where Hal Hilton 2.09 3-4 has been winning constantly over the ice. Hal Hilton was always a great favorite with New Glasgow race fans and they maintain a warm feeling towards him wherever he is.

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When Joe O'Brien appears out with Tip Abbe 2.05 1-2 all eyes are on the big chestnut, as he has the earmarks of a free-for-aller all over him. The other members of Joe O'Brien stable look well and are being exercised daily. Dale H. 2.06 is round and fat as butter and just itching to step a bit.

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I know you will be interested to find out how the entries came in for our Maritime Pacing Derby. Well, I think I can truthfully say that we have the finest class of horses ever entered in any race in the Maritimes. No less than 3 well known horsemen have made the first payment, thereby showing that they want bigger purses and stakes. The following are the nominators. . William G. Stewart, New Glasgow, George MacLeod, Westville, Dan J. Collie, New Glasgow. The Dudey Patch Club, New Glasgow, Moriarty & Mahey, Dartmouth, William Cruickshanks, Halifax, Carmen Coates, Amherst, Dr. J. J. MacPherson, Campbellton, N.B., H. M. Sweeney, Bridgewater, (2) Cyril Dauphinee and B. C. Cruickshanks, Halifax, James McNeill, Kensington, P.E.I., George Gay, Moncton, N.B.

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You and your readers know the horses which the above owners will enter, but it is said that one of the above has a "dark horse" with a record of 2.01 1-2 that we will hear about later." Thanks, friend John A., for keeping us au fait with the big news in the up and coming racing town of New Glasgow, and by the way, there is an idea floating around that Lou McKinney 2.01 1-2, who last year won several fast classes for the Sullivan & Mawhinney stable, Machais, Maine, is now owned in P. B.

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The Harness Horse of January 5th has the following item . . . The fast and handsome pacer Hap Abbe 2.05 1-2 by Bert Abbe 2.09 1-4, raced for the past several years by Earl Rouse, Carton, Ohio and for R. F. Chaffin, Midland, Pa., will be campaigned by his new owner in Nova Scotia the coming season."

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The latest issue of Hoof Beats is one of the most interesting they have published, with articles—As We See It—containing reminiscenses of the famous brother and sister, Hedgewood Boy 2.01 and Lady Maud C. 2.00 1-2, raced by their owner and breeder John P. Crabtree of Keewanee, Illinois Hedgewood Boy was the sire of several good pacers that were raced in the Maritimes by Billy Keyes, the most noted being Jennie H. 2.06.

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Another very readable article is entitled — Memoirs of John R. Gentry 2.00 1-2 — one of the greatest little pacers that ever stepped on a race track, and another article is — Al Thomas, A Great Reinsman — giving his career, as scout, plainsman, rancher, horseman and breeder. Al Thomas was one of the greats who passed on in recent years. The writer remembers him, in fact could never forget his appearance as he rode ponies from morning until late afternoon showing horses in Madison Square Garden during the Old Glory Sale of 1913. He was absolutely tireless and had earned the soubriquet of "The Iron Man."

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In his early youth he had been a scout and accompanied General Nelson Miles in his campaign against the Sioux after they had massacred Custer's forces. Al also teamed up with Buffalo Bill, later becoming a horse trainer, then manager of various stock farms, the last of which was the King Hill Farm at St. Josephs, Mo., where the stallions in service were Captain Aubrey 2.07 1-4 and Constantine 2.12 1-2. Mr. Donovan, the proprietor, died in 1913 and all the colts, fillies, brood mares and stallions were sold at auction at the Old Glory that fall.

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The late Hammond Kelly and the writer were keen listeners to Mr. Thomas as he extolled the merits of the famous horses. He predicted that Captain Aubrey, given opportunity and access to types of mares such as Constantine sired, would be one of the great progenitors. When the sale was concluded it was found that the stock had gone to widely separated points, Captain Aubrey to Hon. John Richards, Bideford, P.E.I., and Helena Constantine 2.12 1-2 to Hedley T. Fulton, Upper Stewiacke, N.S.

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You all know what the union of these two in after years meant to Maritime and Maine racing. Peter Pokey 2.06 1-4 was one of the greatest of Helena's colts by Captain Aubrey. He dominated trotting events and mixed classes in Maine and New Brunswick for years and still holds the record for the fastest heat trotted in the Maritimes —2.06 1-4— at Fredericton and the fastest three heats ever trotted in the Maritimes, and the fastest three heats ever trotted over a half-mile track in the Dominion of Canada. Gwendolyn Aubrey 2.08 1-2 won many races in Maine and New Brunswick and has since became a good brood mare. Helen Aubrey took a record of 2.06 on the pace and is a brood mare, as are also other daughters of Helena Constantine.

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Old Orchard, Maine, mile track announces 18 days racing from July 17th to August 5th. It is the greatest race program of the Grand Circuit and includes colt features for two-year-olds, three-year olds and four year olds, as well as complete assortment of early closers for the aged classes. The meet is sponsored by the Down East Trotting Association, Inc., with Frank G. Trott, President. Mr. Trott is the author of the widely read horse column which appears in the Boston Sunday Globe.

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Deleware, Ohio, race track management are offering $100 in cash for a name that will feature a three-year-old pace to be raced in 1946. It will be the richest race in the world for pacers and they want a suitable name for this feature race. If you can think of one send it to H. C. Thompson, 12 Sandusky St., Deleware, Ohio. Deadline for submitting names is February 15th.

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The dates for the Grand Circuit for 1944 have been awarded as follows: Old Orchard, Maine, July 17th to August 5th; Goshen, N.Y., August 7th to 11th; Saratoga Springs, N.Y. and Roosevelt Raceway, N.Y., August 14th to Sept. 9th; Milwaukee, Wis., August 21st to 25th; DuQuoin, Ill., Sept. 4th to 9th; Trenton, N.J., Sept. 11th to 15th; Deleware, Ohio, Sept. 18th to 22nd; Lexington, Ky., Sept. 25th to Oct. 7th.

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Dick McMahon, noted race driver of the era when Walter Cox and Tommy Murphy were in their prime, has been ill for some time but is now released from hospital and on the way to Florida to recuperate. Dick McMahon was particularly good with hoppled pacers and many were the battles between the trio, Cox, Murphy and McMahon. Later Dick managed the Calumet Farm at Lexington where Calumet Bee and Calumet City as well as other Calumet horses owned in the Maritimes were bred.

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A veteran trainer, Ned McCarr, has taken a new position training a stable owned by Eddie Havens. Ned still Lolds the record of 2.02 for a pair of pacing stallions to wagon which was made in 1912. The pair that accomplished this were Minor Heir 1.58 and George Gano 2.02, both owned by M. W. Savage of International Stock Food and stock farm fame. Savage was said to have been a Canadian with birthplace in Prince Edward Island or Ontario. He became famous through his advertising methods, his preparations for horses and other animals and his campaigns against time with Dan Patch 1.55 1-4, world's champion pacer.

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Mr. Savage was an astute businessman and made millions by his unique methods of bringing his products before the public. He would ask a certain price for an exhibition mile by Dan Patch, usually guaranteeing to break the track record. Once he dickered with the Wisconsin State Fair and finding difficulty coming to an agreement asked how many people usually attended the first day's racing. The number was small. Savage offered to double it, charge nothing, if he was allowed to have the balance of the receipts. This was readily agreed to and the largest crowd that ever attended a harness horse race in the west was the result. They came by special trains and by every known method of conveyance -over 100,000 people—and Savage made a clean up.

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The Horseman & Fair World Christmas number published as its introduction a front page from its issue of Christmas 1893 — 50 years ago. Four horses are featured on that page — Kremlin 2.07 3-4, champion five-year-old stallion of 1893, Nancy Hanks 2.04, world's champion trotter of 1893, Manager 2.06 3-4, champion five-year-old stallion of 1893, Arion 2.07 3-4, champion three-year-old colt of 1892, sold by Senator Stanford to J. Malcolm Forbes for $125,000.

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The family of Kremlin has pretty well died out except with traces among the brood mares. That of Nancy Hanks continues on. The trotter Golden 2.12, owned here some years ago was a grandson of Nancy Hanks. Manager was exported to Russia, if we remember correctly. The blood of Arion 2.07 3-4 flows through numerous brood mares including some of the tops.

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Here are some of the items culled from that year's writeup. . . "There are 56 tracks in the United States over which 2.10 miles have been trotted or paced. These tracks are located in 23 different states. One of the up and coming young drivers of the country is Harry Jones of Rushville, Indiana." (Harry Jones passed on just a short time ago.) "A great many owners of pacers all over the country are writing to Ed Geers as to what he will charge to take their horses in hand." (The reason they were after Geers was that he had become a wizard in the development of pacers and had marked the gelding Robert Jay in 2.01 1-2 that year. Geers became the grand old man of the turf and met his death in harness —that is he died just as he finished a race.) "At the season's close there were 10 new 2.10 or better performers added to that select list this season. This now swells the grand total of those that have acquired trotting records of 2.10 or better to 25." (What a change a half century has brought! Here in the Maritimes 63 miles were trotted or paced in 2.10 or better in 1943.

SPORTING NEWS

Baseball Officials In Big Parley At New York

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 — (AP) — Baseball's hot stove was blazing hot today in informal closed meetings as major and minor league officials converged on the big town to open a four day session during which the sport's post war future, will be discussed in an atmosphere of 1944 player shortage realities.

Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Ilandis has called a meeting of the post war committees of the majors and minors for 11 a. m. tomorrow. Visiting Diamond planners will be guests at the annual dinner of the New York baseball writers Sunday night and the national league will hold its schedule meeting Tuesday. It is possible that the American league also will have a session early next week.

While the big boys are looking to the future, the international league will adopt its 1944 schedule of 154 games tomorrow and the eastern league is expected to settle its troublesome Springfield, Mass., franchise situation Sunday.

High on the calendar of the post war planners is the problem of returning service men to the game in conformity with the United States government's desire that job, salary and seniority rights remain the same.

Kennel Club Holds Meeting

A most interesting meeting of the Charlottetown Kennel Club was held last night. Business discussion was cut to a minimum and the evening given over to study and discussion of the points which go to make up the ever popular setter and pointer breeds of hunting dogs

Three members of the club each gave a short summary of the particular breed they were most interested in, and from the favorable comments heard, future meetings will bring forth many more talks on many breeds. Every effort will be made to keep the meetings not only interesting but educational so that any dog lover who is not already a member of the Charlottetown Kennel Club would be well advised to become one.

Local Curling Schedule Today

Following is the schedule for today in the week-end bonspiel at the Charlottetown Curling Club:

2.30 P. M.

H.B. Cutcliffe, H.H. Cox, L. I. Turner, J.A. Fraser, skip vs. E. Gallant, Willard McDonald, Hon. M.R. McGuigan, C.H. Black.

J.R. Williams, A.H. Roper, H. R. Carruthers, R.S.P. Jarvine, skip vs. Victor Shaw, N.A. McLellan, J. S. Macaay, L.B. MacMillan, skip

G.R. Hooper, Neil McLeod, A.G. Putnam, J.F. McLeod, skip vs. D. C. Jamieson, A.B. Bagnall, Ivan Horne, W.W. Lord, skip.

H.J. Shaw, G.E. Champion, Harper McNeill, W.R. Adams, skip vs. A. Aylward, J. Squarebriggs, Walter Wilson, A.W. Hyndman skip.

4 P. M.

Stewart Williams, Clifford Montgomery, Luther Coffin, J.C. Montgomery, skip, vs. William Nicholson, Alfred McNeill, A.H. Mould, A. J. McPherson, skip.

G. Roper, A.V. McQuaid, J.J Larabee, Harry Winchester, skip vs. R. Dalziel, R. A. Corning, J.H. Cerry, George Keefe, skip.

T.B. Rogers, J.O. Diamond, Frank Cox, J.J. Morris, skip, vs. W.C. Hoyt, Frank Acorn, Ralph Worthy, R.R. Bell, skip.

Lieut. Ian Burnett, William Munroe, W.A. Gaudet, Chief Justice T. A. Campbell, skip vs. William McLean, W.D. Gillies, J.E. Burden P.W. Turner, skip.

REMEMBER WHEN

By The Canadian Press

Dave Castilloux, Canadian welterweight boxing champion, four years ago tonight gained a 10-round decision over Charlie Gomer of Baltimore at Maple Leaf Gardens, in Toronto. It was the Baltimore fighter's first defeat in 20 fights. Castilloux is now in the R. C. A. F.

S'side Flyers Defeat Amherst

AMHERST, N.S., Feb. 4—(CP)—Summerside Flyers defeated the Amherst Ramblers 7-4 here tonight in a junior exhibition hockey game.

Going into the third period with only a one-goal edge, the speedy Flyers tallied three more times to the local's once to gain their decisive victory. The visitor's passing formations and interception plays confused the Ramblers, who played their first game of the season.

Pictou Shipyards Defeat St. F. X.

ANTIGONISH, Feb. 4 — Pictou Shipyards defeated St. Francis Xavier 12-7 here tonight in an exhibition hockey game. Bert Steele, a former Prince Edward Island player was prominent on the victorious team's lineup.

St. F. X. took an early lead and ended the first period on top 4-3 but Pictou struck its stride in the second and went in front 7-6 and added five more in the final frame.

N. H. L. Schedule

Five National Hockey League games are scheduled for the week-end.

Saturday
Chicago at Canadiens
Detroit at Toronto
Rangers at Boston
Sunday
Chicago at Rangers
Toronto at Detroit

Sport Briefs

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 — (AP) — Ed Levy, towering outfielder - infielder with the Newark Bears of the international league last year, was bought outright for an undisclosed sum of cash today by the parent New York Yankees of the American League.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 — (AP) — Two guys, Gil Dodds and Bull Hulse, who earned a lot of fame chasing other runners across the finish lines, are the co-favorites in tomorrow night's Wanamaker mile, traditional feature of the Millrose games in a Madson Square Garden

ORLANDO, Fla., Feb. 4 — (AP) — Improvement in the condition of Joe Tinker today permitted physicians to remove the 63 year old former baseball star from the oxygen tent in which he has been battling against an aggravated case of influenza.

South Shore Hockey

Upwards of 500 fans who lined the promenade at Bedeque Rink on Monday Jan. 31st, saw the Middleton Bombers and Summerside Olympias stage one of the greatest hockey duels ever witnessed in the rink, and skate off tied at 3 all.

Spotting their opponents three goals after twenty minutes of play the Olympias rang up two counters in the second period, and then came through with the tying goal in a hectic third session. The teams set a terrific pace throughout the encounter and the body checking was probably the heaviest in the history of the South Shore League.

The three stars were: Walker, Callaghan and DesRoches.

Lineups
Middleton, Goal, Noonan; Defence, Muttart, McWilliams; Forwards, A. DesRoches, R. Bradshaw, M. Bradshaw, McKenna, McLeod, McFayden.

Summerside, Goal, Frizzle; Defence; Walker, Oatway, Shields; Forwards, Sonier, Brown, Callaghan McLean, Fridgen, McCormack, Landry.

Referees—Jack Green, Art Larkins.

YOUR SKATING DAY

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3-5 AND 8-10 P. M.

TO-DAY - THE FORUM

Capital Closeups

By John Dauphinee
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, Feb. 4 — (CP) — Principal topic of conversation on Parliament Hill is Lt.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton's return to Canada and his intriguing remarks during a brief Thursday interview with reporters at Seigniory Club, Que.

Members of Parliament are agog to hear more from him — and from Defence Minister Ralston who is expected to make a statement in the House of Commons — about the reasons which led to relinquishing by Gen. McNaughton of the overseas army command.

Parliamentary correspondents are eagerly looking forward to a press conference the general is expected to hold after he comes to Ottawa to report at defence headquarters.

Gen. McNaughton's statement that he is fit and that it will be up to those who gave reasons of health for his retirement to explain them gave sufficient hint of a conflict of view with the Defence Department to make members of Parliament eager for more information.

Rules revision: When the special house committee submits its final report, the Commons probably will experience its most important rules changes in many years.

The most important change in several decades was the decision years ago to limit speakers to 40 minutes and to set a specific hour —11 p. m.— for the House to end night sittings. Later Wednesday was made a half day and since the present war began Friday sittings also have ended at 6 p. m.

Now the proposal is to have no sittings on Wednesday, with that day designated for committee work.

The suggestion which may be considered by the committee is to have only one sitting a day, as is the case at Washington. There Congress convenes generally about noon and works on without interruption until adjournment for the day is called.

Scotch: William Bryce (CCF — Selkirk), a new member, made his maiden speech with heavy Scotch accent. Then up rose Tom Reid (L —New Westminster) whose accent is just as broad.

The members cheered happily when Mr. Reid, boggling over the pronunciation of the name of a French Canadian newspaper, commented: "I've had enough trouble speaking the English language since coming to this house without learning another."

Bowling

Wednesday Afternoon Bowling League

Team 2			
B. Large	156	140	144
J Dillon	142	163	152
N. Longworth	131	78	100
I. Rupert	169	195	114
O. McAuley	90	108	112
Team 4			
Mrs. Cameron	115	195	129
Mrs. Mutch	108	167	188
Mrs. Dalling	151	104	136
Mrs. Smith	99	143	114
Mrs. F.B. Clarke	133	173	204
Team 3			
Mrs. Bell	143	142	121
Mrs. Craig	144	145	162
Mrs. Irvine	158	123	114
Mrs. Hobbs	109	119	115
Mrs. Clawson	131	65	127
Team 1			
K. Stewart	238	141	100
Mrs. Gardner	169	127	138
D. Hooper	134	177	150
Mrs. Ross	137	149	185
P. Clarke	133	158	126
High Single—K. Stewart—238			
High Three—K. Stewart—569			

The Unemployment Insurance Act of 1940 not only gave Canadians a scheme for insurance benefits for the unemployed but also a national employment service to find them suitable jobs.

Salvage Round-Up

(By The Canadian Press)

This war has glorified, among many other things, the common cellar or attic variety of junk.

This junk-man's calling has dropped its cloak of anonymity, has progressed from tired carts and spavined nags to heavy trucks. All over Canada women of such respectable organizations as the Red Cross, the I.O.D.E. and various citizens' committees have glorified the profession by becoming part-time junk-ladies. And a survey of all this emergency effort, conducted across Canada today by the Canadian Press, shows that junk—in its new go-to-meeting name, salvage—has been of considerable use in the Canadian war effort.

From Ottawa, the National Salvage Committee of the War Services Department reported that in the 32 months up to last Dec. 31 about 229,102 tons of salvage had been reported collected, with proceeds reported at $2,834,981. The emphasis should go on that word "reported" the committee said, as some of the voluntary committees don't bother sending in their returns.

Bottlenecks

There have been bottlenecks, because the work of collecting Canadian salvage has been spread about among volunteer organizations, with the National Salvage Committee more an adviser than a governor. For instance, many cities have been unable to collect fats or glass salvage, because of the intricacies of handling and the shortage of other than volunteer, untrained help.

Other cities and towns have collected scrap paper, and found they couldn't sell it unbaled. But generally, the collection of salvage and its direction into the Canadian war effort has been thorough, imaginative and successful.

In a few places, salvage collection has cost money. In the town of La Tuque, Que., the town council wound up with a deficit of $300, instead of surplus, when it sought to turn over proceeds of salvage sale to the Red Cross. But Le Tuque is remote from salvage markets, and its experience is unusual.

In Vancouver, where the greater Vancouver war chest salvage division looks after collection, more than 3,000 tons of salvage—mainly, as in other Canadian drives, metals, rubber, rags, newspapers, magazines, and bottles—were gathered. Paper is sold separately, and other salvage goes to junkmen at rates set by the Federal Government for all such collections. Proceeds from all Vancouver salvage go to support a service shows troupe entertainment, which is just as it sounds—entertainment for servicemen

In Western Canada

Salvage collections for western Canada have central direction from Winnipeg. Each of 937 western cities, towns and villages get their general information and advice from the Winnipeg branch of the salvage committee. Each individual salvage organization, manned by volunteers, arranges its collection.

Cities and towns in Ontario work along the same lines, with the central direction coming from Toronto. Due to denser population and shorter distances to markets, Ontario's salvage record has been perhaps more impressive in tonnage than those of more remote provinces. As elsewhere in Canada, the proceeds go to various war charities. But in the normal, businesslike flow of old rags and bottles there are unorthodox interruptions. The town of Waterloo the other day found a man with 5,500 pounds of salvage stowed in his own home, creating a living-space problem all his own. Town officials hired a truck, and toted the salvage away.

Six organizations, headed by the Salvation Army, collect salvage in Ottawa, sort it and sell it, and give the proceeds to war charities after the small costs of handling have been deducted.

The same general plan is followed in Quebec, with almost every city, town and village having its own salvage organization, and as in most other Canadian provinces, Quebec salvage officials have trouble with handling some scrap paper because they lack professional balers. Large-scale salvage drives have been organized in the main cities—one, for paper, is coming up soon in Quebec City—and the proceeds go to varied war charities.

In Maritimes

Salvage collection in Nova Scotia is organized by 61 local committees throughout the province. Attention is focussed on paper and rags at present, with the paper being sold to Wartime Salvage, Ltd. Special drives are arranged at intervals, and the proceeds distributed among various charities — although in Halifax the salvage army collects the salvage and disposes of it between regular drives and collections. The Salvation Army also is strong in New Brunswick salvage organizations, with service clubs and children being the most effective salvage-collectors in Saint John. Most of the proceeds go to the Salvation Army for war work.

Proceeds from salvage collections on Prince Edward Island go to the Red Cross, and it is collected with the help of trucks from the provincial work and highways department. The first paper drive for some time on the island was held last month in Summerside.

Argentina Widens Break With Axis

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 4—(AP) The Argentine Government announced tonight it had broken off diplomatic relations with Vichy France, Bulgaria, Rumania and Hungary—all Axis satellites—following up its rupture with Germany and Japan last month.

PILES

Do you suffer with them? If so, send me your name and address and let me tell you how I rid myself of Piles by an old family remedy. This information is free and of inestimable value to every person troubled with Piles.

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166 Queen St. Charlottetown

Department Of Public Works And Highways

PROVINCE OF P. E. ISLAND

SEALED TENDERS will be received at this Department until noon on Saturday, February 12th, for supplying the following lumber for NORTH GEORGETOWN FERRY WHARF:—

2,400 lineal feet of 10" x 10" lumber, not less than 10' long (40% to be 14' or more long (spruce)
8 pcs. 10" x 10" x 22' long (spruce)
1 pc. 10" x 10" x 26' long (spruce)
10 caps 10" x 10" x 16' long (spruce)
24 posts 10" x 10" x 10' long (spruce)
18 stringers 5" x 10" x 16' long (spruce)
32 logs 26' long 8" small end (spruce)
40 spruce piles 18' long 8" small end (straight)
110 binders 12' long with 13" butts and 8" tips (spruce)

Lumber must be sound and properly milled. No wane edged lumber accepted.

Parties may tender for the whole or any portion thereof.

Tenderers shall state price per F.B.M. at mill site and price per F.B.M. delivered.

Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned and marked "TENDER FOR LUMBER".

(L. B. Macmillan),
Deputy Minister of Public Works and Highways.
CHARLOTTETOWN, Prince Edward Island,
February 2nd, 1944.

In Answer Of Correction In Patriot

In my card I did not state I was requested to run as Water Commissioner by the P. E. Island Plumbers Association. As yet there is no such organization.

I am a member of the National Association of Master Plumbers and Heating Contractors of Canada.

D. L. MacKinnon
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1st and 2nd GUIDE CO.'S

At this week's meeting five recruits were enrolled as Girl Guides by Miss Lillian Duchemin, namely, Marry Pataleksis, Mary Myers, Elaine Murley, Gerda Hansen and Sadie McKarris. We were pleased to welcome some of the mothers and friends at this ceremony. A five year service star was presented to Florine Evans who also received her History Lover, Basket worker and astronomer badges. Helen Acorn and Patsy Barrett each received a service star for one year. Miss Duchemin dismissed the Company after prayers and taps. We wish the new Guides Good Guiding.

GLADYS F. HART.
Acting Captain.

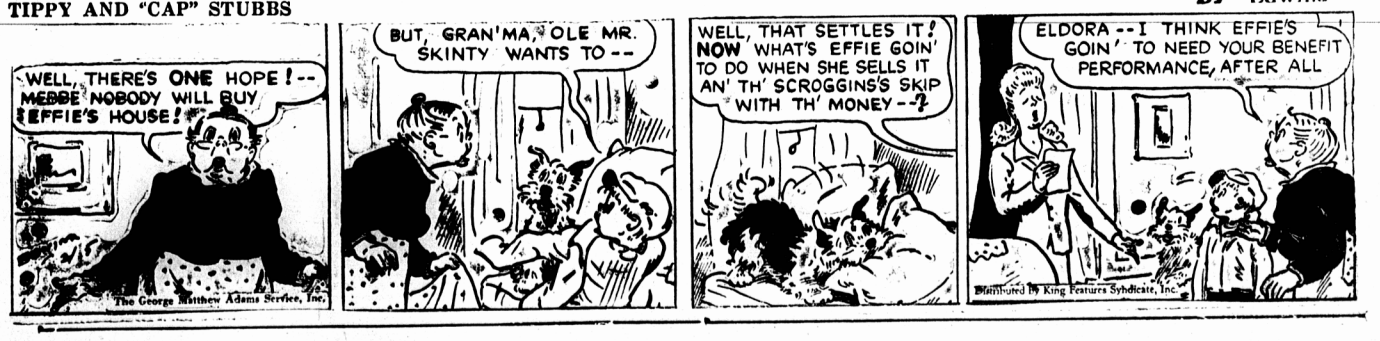
GUIDERS CLUB MEETING

The February meeting of the Guiders Club was held last night at the home of Miss Iphigenie Arsenault.

A discussion took place on the proposed Guide Concert which is being planned for the month of April.

The Guiders were pleased to have as their guest, Mrs. Barbara Roper, who devoted some time to the practice of new songs for the company meetings.

TIPPY AND "CAP" STUBBS By Edwina



TILLIE THE TOILER— GROUNDLESS FEAR. By WEBSTER