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USEFUL GIFTS for all at Trav-... MacEACHERN - SMALL NUPTIALS - Christ Church, Deer Park, Charlottetown, Dec. 12-17-18-21

DOUBLE shear steel butcher or bread knives 6 to 10 inches long 12-17-21

WANTED-AT ONCE KITCHEN... PLUMBERS! The Vitamin... CHRISTMAS Wrapping Paper

OUR STORES will be open every evening until Christmas... PENS, ROSEBERRIES, Cushion Covers, Jeweled Belts, Key Cases

ENGAGEMENT-Mr. and Mrs. Olin... FUNERAL SERVICES - The Rev. Mr. Archibald Campbell

MISS RUBY Carr of Charlottetown spent a recent weekend in Kensington, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thompson.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Darnley in the Prince County Hospital recently.

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Killer BOGART ALL THRU THE NIGHT

Also Short Subjects Shows 7:15 and 9:15

CAPITOL SUMMERSIDE

Summerside Contact Club Notes

Attention, girls! The annual Christmas party of the club is to take place Tuesday afternoon at the K of O Hut.

The regular meeting was held last Tuesday in the Town Hall and there was a good attendance.

Sgt. and Mrs. George Maher are spending Sgt. Maher's furlough in Moncton and Halifax.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jackson have left on a visit to Toronto.

LAC and Mrs. Don Gent are leaving this week for Hamilton, where they will spend the Christmas holidays.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Kane is making a good recovery in the Prince County Hospital after her recent operation.

The winners of the Capitol Theatre passed in last week's bowling were Don Walsley, high three and Ann Costin high single.

Next Friday will be the last league bowling till after New Year's.

Lockheed Hudson: Dewar 132 170 126 428; Simmonds 122 196 138 456; Fullick 129 121 109 359; Cunninghamham 116 108 92 316; Sixty 873 741 584 1908

Hurricanes: M. Horton 192 138 118 448; J. Cahoon 110 130 111 351; J. Williams 113 113 90 316; M. Clark 106 107 113 326; J. McFarlane 134 90 82 306; Gaudin 649 608 514 1771

Skiffers: O. McGowan 80 89 95 264; A. Costin 119 211 159 523; J. Ourl 104 173 185 442; D. Walsley 146 187 202 515; G. Brown 133 85 152 370; K. Cooper 128 136 112 376; M. Horton 710 841 919 2470

Mosquito: B. Daley 166 200; J. Wignmore 149 162; E. Ellison 157 113; M. Holleran 128 82; John Doe 754 711

Gasoline Stocks In Northeastern U.S. Very Low

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP)—Gasoline supplies in the populous northeastern United States were declared critically low today by petroleum administrator Harold Ickes who appealed to motorists to keep their cars in garages unless it was absolutely essential to take them out.

"We are at the point where, in order to meet military and naval requirements and to preserve the health of the people in terms of heat, we are going to have to live on a hand-to-mouth basis for a period of several months," Ickes said in a statement.

He came to New York as industry reports indicated there was less than a day's supply of gasoline left for the New York area alone and that shortages were acute elsewhere in the region running from Washington, D.C. north along the seaboard.

Ickes directed motorists to eliminate all driving for pleasure or any "border-line" purposes and cautioned them not to start a run on their cars unless they were absolutely essential to meet even those needs.

Ickes warned that if the non-essential use of gasoline continued, there no longer would be any gas left in the tanks for the bare-essential purposes could be met. Enormous quantities were going into non-essential use, he said.

LONGEST TUNNEL Too Late to Classify

The longest railway tunnel in the western hemisphere is the Cascade in the state of Washington. It is 7.6 miles long.

WANTED - GIRL TO HELP with children and light housework, afternoons. Apply 96 School St. 12-17-31

WANTED - A FEW MORE PAIRS of mittens. Exchange Store 106 Richmond St. Phone 869. 12-18-31

PROFESSIONAL CARD

T. E. HICKEY Chartered Accountant Office at White Star Laundry Summerside, P.E.I.

Trinity United Church

FRIDAY 7:00 P.M.—Choir Rehearsal, Hearst Hall. 7:30 P.M.—Young People's Union, Social Hall.

Enjoyable Concert At Beach Grove

A most enjoyable variety concert field, night, marked the opening of the new stage built in the training hall of No. 62 O.A. (B.T.C.) Beach Grove. The Canadian Legion and the Legion Auxiliary provided the funds for making this splendid improvement in the facilities for entertaining the troops.

At the close of the performance, Capt. Andrew M.M. O.C. of the training center expressed the thanks of the officers and men to the Legion, the Legion Auxiliary, Mr. Joseph Whitlock for his work on the stage, and to the formers who provided such an enjoyable entertainment for the troops.

On behalf of the Legion Auxiliary, Major Norman Lowther, Mr. J.F. Leightner and Mrs. Arthur Henry extended to the boys from Beach Grove a welcome to the Legion Home when in the city. Refreshments were served the performers at the close of the concert.

The following program was most enthusiastically received: O Canada, by the Orchestra. Selection by Beach Grove Quintet: "The Maple Leaf Rag," J.B. Anderson. "Imitation of Pat Raftery" by Duke Nelson. "The Old Time Christmas Selection" by Alf Aremault, Pius Blackett, Lyle Trenholme, Willard Coffin. "Song De Feurher's Face" by Duke Nelson. Vocal Solo by Mrs. Ogilvie. Sketch by Eddie Bourgeault and Emil Dolron. Song by Miss Mary Walsh. Song by Sgt. Frank McIntyre. Solo by Mrs. Francis Holt-Trainor.

Spoken by Eddie Bourgeault. Solo by Pte. Lyle Trenholme. Impersonation Sketch by Connie Le Clair. Song and Sketch, Mr. William Tricker. "Guitar Duets" by Lyle Trenholme and Pius Blackett. Solo by Mrs. Ogilvie. Solo by Mrs. Francis Holt-Trainor. Sing Song by audience led by Sgt. Frank McIntyre. The National Anthem.

FRENCH SHIPS (Continued from page 1)

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Queen's Canadian Special Christmas Fund For Children

The Queen's Canadian Fund is conducting a special appeal for money to give Christmas cheer to British children whom the war has deprived of the traditional family Christmas.

Many of them are war orphans, many of them are children still suffering from the effects of bombing. Many others have not seen their parents for months or years.

Officials of the Lord Mayor's Fund are making the plans and will organize the scheme. There will be no administrative expenses deducted, either in Canada or the United Kingdom, from the public subscriptions. The dollar given to the Queen's Fund will be transmitted and subscriptions should be earmarked "CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS." Every cent will be used to bring comfort and cheer to children for whom Christmas Day this year would otherwise be just like any other day.

The Lord Mayor of London has cabled the warmest appreciation of this Christmas appeal, it is supplementary to the Fund's continuing appeal for war victims of all ages, whose needs still continue and may sharply increase in the winter days.

Children's Christmas contributions may be sent to: The Queen's Canadian Fund, Montreal, Que. or to any of the Fund's collecting agencies, which include the Royal Canadian Legion, Charlottetown.

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