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—BEDEQUE RINK — The game scheduled to be played tonight, Thursday, between Summerside Crystals and the Middleton Bombers has been postponed on account of the roads. 2-1-1i

—RECEIVES PROMOTION — Mr. Keith Boswell who has been barrack warden at No. 1 G. R. S., Summerside, since January 1944 when he succeeded Mr. William Gillespie, has been promoted to Barrack Officer. Mr. Boswell is a prominent farmer from Victoria and a veteran of World War One. This is a civil service position which is always held by a civilian.—S.

—POST NUPTIAL SHOWER — A post nuptial shower for Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Craig was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Montgomery, Lower Bedeque recently. The bride and groom were escorted to their seats of honor by Miss Ida Craig and Mr. John Forbes. A daintily trimmed basket of gifts was then brought in by Masters John and Robert Montgomery. The gifts were opened by Mrs. Clayton McLure while Miss Freda Howatt read the accompanying verses and Miss Ida Craig arranged them on the table. Ivan, on behalf of himself and his bride made a fitting reply which was followed by singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows". An enjoyable evening followed with contests and games after which refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Hudson Jeffrey, Mrs. William Stavert and Mrs. Robert Waugh. The National Anthem brought a very pleasant evening to a close.—S.

Personals

—Mrs. J. P. Martin of Hunter River, visited Charlottetown on Wednesday.—K.

—Mr. Todd, Bradalbane, was a passenger by noon train from Summerside on Wednesday.—K.

—Mr. and Mrs. Keir Clark of Kensington, were visitors to Charlottetown on Wednesday.—K.

—Mr. Sinclair MacKay, commercial traveller, was a passenger to Charlottetown recently.—K.

—Mr. Willard MacDonald, racing promoter, was a passenger from Summerside on Wednesday.—K.

—Mr. Elmer Offer, proprietor of the Ideal Dairy, Summerside, visited Charlottetown on Wednesday.—K.

—Mrs. A. E. Arsenault and her daughter, Miss Iphigenie, spent the week-end in Summerside where they attended the funeral of Mrs. J. E. Gallant.

—Tpr. Lester Woodside, Hamilton, left yesterday for Long Branch, Ont., to take a military course. He is a member of the Reserve Army.—S.

—Mrs. John W. Myers, Carleton, has returned to her home after enjoying a pleasant visit with her mother, Mrs. Alex MacLeod, of Victoria West.—S.

—It is regretted that Mr. Walter Moase of Freetown is a patient in the Prince County Hospital where he recently underwent a serious operation from which he is making a satisfactory recovery.—S.

—Mr. and Mrs. George C. Ramsay and youngest son, Lyle, of Cut Knife, Sask., are spending the winter months with his mother and brother, Mr. Fred C. Ramsay, of Mentrose.—S.

—Mrs. John MacWilliams has returned to her home in Cape Traverse having spent the past three weeks in Albany with her mother, Mrs. David MacKay, who has been seriously ill.

—Mr. J. F. Lighteizer, Assistant Superintendent of Transportation for Canadian National Railways, was a passenger from Summerside on Wednesday.—K.

—Mrs. William Shea, Palmer Road, has returned home after spending a month with her sister in Boston. She also visited her cousin in Worcester, Mass., and other relatives in New York.—S.

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—ROTARY MEETING — Mr. E. P. Foley gave an interesting account of the experiences of a curling team attending the International Bonspiel at Quebec at the regular luncheon meeting of the Summerside Rotary Club on Tuesday. Guests were Rotarian Austin A. Scales, Freetown, and Pilot Officer Howard Gay, R.C.A.F., Summerside.—S.

—CARNIVAL POSTPONED — Because of snow-blocked roads a carnival, scheduled for the Bedeque Rink last night, was postponed And apparently the rink management was not too hopeful for today as a game slated for tonight was likewise called off. Travelling conditions were said to be as bad as they have been for several years. Frequent high winds recently have been causing large drifts.—S

—TEMPERANCE DISCUSSION — The congregation of Bedeque United Church sponsored a largely attended Temperance Forum at Bedeque on Monday afternoon, Jan. 22, for the purpose of discussing the present temperance situation. Rev. Jas. M. Baxter presided. Representatives from Central Bedeque Baptist Church, North Bedeque United Church were also present and all displayed a keen desire that more effective efforts be made to stir the latent temperance sentiment in many districts of the Island. Discussion revealed that there was danger of losing the Prohibition Act unless the temperance people made greater efforts to convince the Government that it is the best method of handling the liquor problem. A resolution was passed to the following effect: "Inasmuch as we believe that Prohibition is the best method of dealing with the liquor problem therefore every effort must be put forth to retain the Act." It was agreed to send a letter from each church represented to the Premier. The Attorney-General was strongly commended for the effective enforcement of the Act since taking that office.

—OFFICERS ELECTED — The annual meeting of the Grand River Dairying Association was held on Jan. 23 in the Maple Leaf Hall with an exceptionally large attendance of the members. Rev. A. O. Murphy, the president of the Association presided. The financial statement which was read by the Secretary J. A. Brown showed that the association had enjoyed a very successful year. 79 patrons had sent 1,197,797 pounds of milk and business amounting to $28,000 had been transacted. Resolutions of condolence were passed to the families of the late Messrs. Frank Gillis, Artemus McArthur and James McIntyre all outstanding figures of the organization and by whose efforts much of the success of the association is due. The three men had passed away since the last annual meeting and will be sincerely missed in the community where they had labored so long and faithfully. The board of directors was re-appointed with the exception of Leo Lecky. Mr. Alerander Cummings was appointed to fill this vacancy. Resolutions regarding exemptions from military service of Robert Winchester as helper in the factory and Arnold Praught, blacksmith at Northam were drawn up and sent to the military authorities. The officers for the coming year are as follows: Rev. A. O. Murphy, President; W. G. Phillips, Vice-President; Directors, Angus Gillis, W. H. Cameron, John L Maynard, A. C. McDonald and Alexander Cummings. After the business meeting was over, the president introduced Rev. M. E. Francis who addressed the assembly on the subject of Co-operation. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the Reverend speaker by the members of the association for his kindness in coming and for the interest he had always shown in the association.—S.

SCHOOLBOY HERO

LONDON — (CP) — Henry Flintoff, a 13-year-old Yorkshire schoolboy, has been awarded the rarely-bestowed Edward Medal for saving a farmer from being gored to death by a bull.

OIL TO SPARE

The sea elephant when fully grown, contains 70 gallons of pure oil.

PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 31 — (CP) — Produce prices today reported by the Dominion Department of Agriculture follow:—

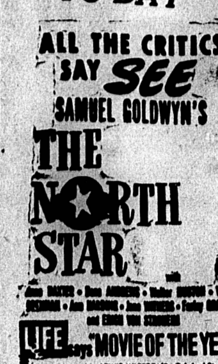
EGGS: Not packed for export A Large 35-35½; A Medium 31-1-2-32 A Pullets 26-26 1-2; B 29 30 Packed for export A Large 37; A Medium 35.
Receipts: 1725 boxes.

BUTTER, Wholesale jobbing pasteurized 34 3-4-35; current receipt Que No 1 pasteurized 35 del Mtl; No 2 34 del Mtl; first grade creamery prints job price 36 ½-37; first grade solids, job price 35-35-1-2.
Receipts: 646 boxes.

CHEESE: Current white and colored, western 20 FOB colored Que 22, white 20 1-2 FOB; wholesale white and colored for local trade and export western 20 11/26-21; colored Que 23, white 21 1/4-21 ½ for local trade
Receipts: 120 boxes.

POTATOES: 75 lb. bags local No. 1, 1.50; No. 2, 1.20-1.25; No. 1 Que., 1.65-1.75; N.B. 1.85-1.90; P. E. I., 1.80-1.90.

TO-DAY



ALSO NEWS
SHOWS 7.15—9.15
MATINEE THURSDAY AT 3.30
CAPITOL
SUMMERSIDE

Committed To Supreme Court

James McNeil, Summerside, was committed for trial at the next session of the Supreme Court by Stipendiary Magistrate E. H. Strong, K. C., in Summerside police court yesterday on a charge of theft from a person. McNeil is alleged to have entered a room at the Clifton Hotel and to have stolen two one-hundred dollar bills from a guest while he was sleeping and to have replaced them with two one-dollar bills. According to evidence produced by the Crown this man had the money pinned to a shirt which he was wearing in bed. The next morning he discovered his loss and reported it to the police.

Mr. J. Watson MacNaught, K. C., represented the Crown and Mr. C. D. McCallum the defence. —S.

CANADIANS IN

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head.

The third attack was mounted on a greater scale than the other two but once again the Germans clung to well-prepared positions and while the issue was in doubt silence was maintained by the Canadian Army.

(The German High Command communique reported the launching of the attack last Saturday and German radio broadcasts subsequently told of heavy fighting. An enemy account Tuesday acknowledged the Canadians had "dented" the German positions.)

Fresh troops from another Ontario battalion replaced the soldiers withdrawn from the eastern approaches to the tiny ferry harbor and throughout Saturday and part of Sunday the Canadians inched their way from both sides into the enemy defences. Canadian tanks gave them fire support.

The eastern objectives were reached but Sunday night the Germans, who had replaced their casualties with other paratroopers from north of the river, counter-attacked again. The Canadians had to withdraw about 500 yards.

Still another attack was launched from the east at noon Monday and by late afternoon some German positions were overrun. Further progress was made Tuesday and resistance finally was crushed when the last enemy machine-gun ceased to fire early today with about 30 prisoners in Canadian cages and at least 120 Germans dead on the battlefield.

Canadian casualties were not light and among the officers especially the proportion was high. Many wounds were superficial, however, for the Germans had no heavy weapons and casualties from frost bite also were included in the total.

Red Cross Corps

Charlottetown Detachment

At our first meeting in the New Year, January 4th, we were delighted to have Column Officer Louis Stewart as our guest speaker. His description of fire fighting during the "blitz" in England was intensely interesting, and made us realise more than ever, the debt of gratitude we owe to all who carried on through those dark days. We did appreciate the splendid tribute paid to members of our Red Cross Corps who are giving excellent voluntary service in our Overseas Detachment.

The class of new members are busy with their basic training, and lectures on history and organization of the Canadian Red Cross Corps, and military law, were given by the Divisional Commandant, Mrs. H. L. Palmer, Detachment Commandant Mrs. E. M. Bagnall, and Officer Commanding Office Administration Section, Mrs. A. B. Cosh.

About thirty five members will be presented with Service Chevrons at the annual meeting of the Prince Edward Island Division of the Red Cross Society at The Charlottetown on Tuesday evening, and those who have completed their Home Nursing Course and passed the test, will receive certificates.

We still have need for more daytime workers to take care of all our calls for Red Cross and other national services.

SPARSELY POPULATED

Alaska has a population of 72,524 in an area of 586,400 square miles.

KENSINGTON

Mrs. Ivan Lambe, Springfield, visited Summerside on Monday.

Rev. J. N. Trainor, Indian River, was a visitor to Charlottetown on Monday.

Mrs. Aloysius Croken of Borden was a visitor to Summerside on Monday.

Mrs. D. F. McNeill, Summerside, was a passenger to Halifax on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Cameron, Kensington, were visitors to Summerside Monday.

Miss Rita Horgan, teacher of Indian River School was a visitor to Charlottetown on Saturday.

Messrs. John Gillis and Roddie Cameron of Indian River, visited Charlottetown on Saturday.

Miss Rita Jamieson of Pugwash, N. S., spent a week in Kensington the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mill.

Sgt. Fred Semple, who was spending a short leave at his home in Kensington, left on Monday to rejoin his unit.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Callaghan of Alberton were passengers to Charlottetown on Monday where Mr. Callaghan attended the Educational Conference.—K.

Miss Vina Higgins, Kensington, whose engagement to JAC. Jack Thiele of Spring Valley, Sask., was announced this week is receiving congratulations from many friends in Kensington and Summerside.—K.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McLeod, Kensington, were pleasantly surprised on Wednesday evening when neighbors and friends gathered in their new home to give them a real old-fashioned house-warming. When the guests had all assembled an address was read to Mr. and Mrs. McLeod by Mr. Thomas Humphrey while Mr. Horace Bryenton presented a well-filled purse on behalf of those present. Mr McLeod, in a brief speech, heartily thanked their friends for this tangible expression of good will The ladies then served the ever welcome cup of tea and accompanying refreshments. Dancing whiled away a few hours to the strains of excellent music played by Messrs. John Ingles and Roddie Cameron. After spending a most pleasant evening the guests departed wishing Mr. and Mrs. McLeod many happy years in their new home.

Kensington and Vicinity

Mrs. Everett Jay is ill at her home here.

Mrs. Fred Shea is confined to her home with a bad cold.

Miss Georgie Profitt of Summerside spent the week-end at her home here.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Darrach on the birth of a son in the P.C. Hospital.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Owen Larkin on the death of her husband on Jan. 18.

Mrs. Willard McNeil of Borden, was a visitor here last week the guest of Mrs. Bert Kelly.

Miss Lorraine McMahon has accepted a position in Summerside and has left to take up her new duties there.

Mrs. Wm. Haggerty of New Annan is visiting in Kensington at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy McCarville.

Petty Officer James Murphy, RCNVR of Halifax, spent the week-end in Kensington and at his home in Sea View.

Ian Webster and Aubrey Bowness of Norboro have returned home after a short trip to the mainland.

A hockey team from Freetown played a local team in the rink here on Saturday. The Kensington boys were victorious.

LAC. Kenneth Hale spent a short leave here with his wife. LAC. Hale returned to his unit in New Brunswick on Monday.—V.

Mrs. Mae Mallett of Charlottetown spent a few days recently in Kensington the guest of her brother Kenneth McLean and Mrs McLean.

The pupils of Kensington High School are now writing their half yearly examinations. It is indeed a very busy time for both teachers and pupils.

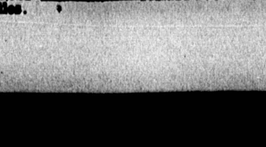
Friends of Mrs. Arthur Burgess were sorry to hear of her recent illness, and are glad to hear that she is around again and able to continue her duties as teacher of Grades two and three in the school

Quite a number of friends and neighbors called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Pendergast to say farewell to their son Eddie who was returning to his duties in the RCNVR after spending a furlough here.

Mrs. Gordon Mallett, while visiting her sister Mrs. Palmer had the misfortune to fall on the ice and break two bones in her ankle. After having her injuries attended to she remained a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken. McLean before returning to her home in Charlottetown.

INDOOR PLANT CARE

Plants grown in houses should be watered thoroughly and then not watered again until the surface of this soil is thoroughly dry.



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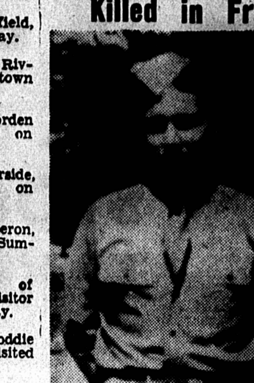
Kensington Boy Killed in France



Mrs. Frank Rose of 80 Charles St., Boston, has received the sad news from the war department that her son, Pvt. Thane Bernard, Med. Inf. Div. has been killed in action in France, December 10th. Pvt. Bernard attended the Kensington High School and left to reside in the United States in 1940. He entered the services in November 1943, and trained in Abilene and El Paso, Texas, and left for overseas July 1944. Besides his sorrowing parents he leaves to mourn his wife (formerly Floreda Tyler, of Orlando, Florida) and baby daughter, June, who are at present residing in Boston. Also grand-parents, Mrs. K. L. Waite, and Mr. and Mrs. James Bernard, of Kensington.

Church Board Urges Premier To Maintain Prohibition Law

The following open letter to the Premier of the Province was moved and adopted unanimously by the Church Board of the United Church at Bedeque on Jan. 25.

"To the Hon. J. Walter Jones,

"Dear Sir:

"This Church Board representing the United Churches of Bedeque, Albany, and Borden has watched with deep interest the efforts in the past few years of the different Provincial Governments of Canada to cope with the control of the liquor traffic.

"We are steadily alarmed at the apparent common result. In each case there has been a large and steady increase in the amount of liquor consumed. Government control has failed to control.

"We have, therefore, a firm conviction, justified by these results, that the only effective legislation to control the liquor traffic consists in a prohibitory law such as we have, and we strongly endorse the movement to retain our present Act.

"We have been somewhat disappointed in the past with the enforcement of the Act, but we are pleased to note recently a greater activity on the part of those who are responsible for its enforcement.

"We would commend particularly the efforts of our new Attorney General in this respect.

"We also feel that the importance of the temperance question in relation to sobriety, decent citizenship and venereal disease, calls for a more prominent place for temperance instruction in the program of our public schools.

"Education should accompany legislation.

"In conclusion we would affirm that we definitely believe that education and prohibition, founded on the principle of love to God and regard for our fellowmen are the only forces that can control effectively the liquor traffic and redeem our country from the curse of intemperance.

"Signed on behalf of the Church.
"Minister: Rev. J. M. Baxter, B.D.
"Clerk: J. Arnold Henderson.

CASUALTIES LIGHT

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stay afloat he signalled the carrier to back away, for the rise and fall of the sea were converting the bows of the carrier into a gigantic saw which was cutting through the frigate's hull.

As the carrier extricated herself, the frigate floated free, a great hole torn in her side and a list to port. All hands were ordered to the starboard side to true her.

Later, half of the Teme's company was transferred to the Outremont, which then began the hazardous job of towing her damaged companion to port. Nearly 36 hours later Teme was tied up at her berth.

Cardigan Soldier Dies Of Wounds

Seriously wounded on the Italian front shortly before Christmas, Sergeant John William MacAulay, a son of Daniel C. MacAulay and the late Mrs. MacAulay of Cardigan never recovered from the wound and died early in January.

Enlisting in September, 1939, with the Prince Edward Island Highlanders, he served in Halifax during the remainder of that year and throughout 1940. From there he went to Newfoundland where he remained till the spring of 1943. He then went overseas. In December, 1943, Sgt. MacAulay landed in Italy with the Cape Breton Highlanders. He was with that regiment when he received his fatal wound.

Previous to the war, Sgt. MacAulay had been a student at St. Dunstan's from 1935 to 1936 and was well known in college circles as an athlete.

He is survived by his father, three sisters, Mary, Mrs. John D. C. MacCormac, Halifax; Loretta, Mrs. William Brothers, Cardigan; and Helen at home; also two brothers, Pte. Joseph, who is overseas; and Peter at home.

SOUTHAMPTON, England — (CP) — Lieut. Thomas G. Jennings, 36, who used to work for a famous brewery has been sent to Italy by N A A F I. to improve the quantity and quality of locally-brewed beer for the troops.

S'side Girl Guide Report

This has been a very successful year for the Girl Guides but uphill work for the Guiders. Not only Summerside but everywhere there is a crying need for more trained leaders in this supremely important work of training girls in practical Christianity and in helping them to be prepared to meet whatever the future may hold after the war is over. So short have we been of guiders that one person has been leading one Guide Company and two Brownie Packs every week. It is one of our jobs - Local Association and Commissioners - to be constantly on the lookout for the best type of young women to be guiders and if necessary provide training for them.

Last March Mrs. Harry Cudmore, the only Blue Cord Diploma'd Guider in the Maritimes, came up from Charlottetown and gave a two days' intensive training for Guide and Brownie leaders. Again in September Mrs. Cudmore arranged for a week-end conference in Charlottetown for Guiders and Patrol Leaders. The Patrol Leaders now have a better idea of the Patrol system which Lord Baden Powell planned should be a training ground for leadership and responsibility, teaching the girls to make decisions for themselves, thus preparing them for democracy. All the expenses of this course were covered by the proceeds of a rummage sale. Many of our guiders attended also a refresher course in Physical training in Charlottetown in October; this excellent course was given by Miss Slack, National Chairman of P.T. in the Y.M.C.A. and Miss Jackson of Toronto University It gave us training in singing, games, dances, and exercises which we can pass on to the Guides and Brownies.

Last fall all the companies received instruction in toy making by the wife of an officer in the Air Force; We need more activities like this; there must be others who could help us in this way. This winter Miss Harrison has given a number of girls lessons in figure skating. Badges were won by the girls in these activities. The cook's Needlewoman's Laundress', Child Nurse's. Ambulance, Star Lovers, and Entertainer's badges were also won by many of the girls during the year and at camp many tests were passed for the Second and First Class Badges and the Swimmer's, Life Saver's, Pioneer's and Athlete's badges were won. Just now four or five girls are trying to get the Little House Emblem, a replica of the little house given to Princess Elizabeth by the people of Wales; the badges necessary to have to obtain this coveted badge are Cook's, Needlewoman's, Child Nurse, Laundress, Homemaker's and Hostess's.

During the year the Guides helped with two Salvage campaigns and have lately carried on the biggest collection of paper salvage yet made here — about ten tons much of which had to be repacked. We have to thank the Scouts for their help in the heaviest of this work Last winter the Guides knitted and sewed for English children and now the three companies are busy finishing up layettes for English babies. These will probably be on display before being sent to Charlottetown to enter the competition for the Bessborough Shield. Christmas Eve guides from the 2nd and 4th Companies sang carols in the wards of the hospital and for some private patients and then Miss Brown gave them a surprise by entertaining them royally in her sitting room. They also sang at the homes of some 'Shut-ins'. The 2nd and 4th Companies sold War Saving Stamps for the C.W.L. to the amount of $135. And here I would like to thank the Catholic Women's League for their continued help and encouragement in our work. They made a large donation towards uniforms and made uniforms for both Guides and Brownies; they paid to have the fires lighted for meetings; they helped in finding Guiders, taught the Guides sewing and knitting and were always ready when asked for advice and help.

Two Company competitions were held during the year, the 1st. Company winning the cup for the best presentation of a play. Their play was a dramatization of Alice in Wonderland. The Third Company won the cup for group singing.

Church Parades were held three times; on the Sunday in February nearest the birthday of our founder, Lord Baden Powell, in April to celebrate St. George's Day and on Guide Day in October. The Guides and Brownies attended as usual the service on Remembrance Day and laid a wreath before the monument.

Some changes have taken place this year. It was found necessary to unite temporarily the First and Third Companies owing to the lack of leaders. The Protestant Brownie Packs have been rearranged; the Presbyterian and Anglican Brownies meet in St. Mary's Hall now and the United and Baptist Brownies in the Baptist Hall. We were sorry during the year to lose Mrs. Willet as District Commissioner and Mrs. Stogre and Mrs. Moscrip as Captains, and June Ramsay and Constance Conrod as Tawny Owls, these latter we hope to have working with us again. We have now in Summerside thirteen Guiders, seventy one Guides and sixty Brownies.

During the year six Brownies have received their Golden Hand and these Brownies have flown up into guides. The new Guiders are Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Ogden, Miss Sexton, Mrs. McMullen (Who has had to leave us), Mrs Foreman, Miss Marie Gallant, Miss Croken, Miss Betty McMurdo, Miss Aileeen McLean and Miss Pauline Phillips.

In November the Annual Meeting of the Provincial Girl Guide Association was held in Summerside. Mrs. R.H. Rogers gave an entertaining and stimulating address telling of her impressions at the National Convention in Toronto. Mrs. Reay, the Provincial Commissioner, presented her report showing steady progress in Guiding on the Island.

And now we come to the Camp which is considered by most Guides as the most important part of Guiding. Mr. Harrison McFarlane again allowed us the use of his beautiful camping site and he and Mrs. McFarlane can never be thanked enough for their continual kindness to us. Mr. McFarlane every year gives the guides talks on the stars and helps us from his fund of Nature lore. About one hundred Guides and Guiders were under canvas, a few coming from Charlottetown All the joys of outdoor living were theirs as this year the weather man was particularly propitious. The camp was divided into three groups. We were lucky in having the Provincial Camp Adviser, Miss Jessie Fullerton as Commandant. The cooking facilities were greatly improved when the Y's Men erected a $250. cook shelter and bought up a large range. The S.Y.C.I. helped us by giving a donation of $60. for helping the poorer guides. We are grateful to these two organizations for their good turns to Guiding. The Guides have never gone before the public asking for help for Guiding and we appreciate therefore such generosity. Others we would thank for their help to Guiding in Summerside are; the Journal for giving us a weekly Guide Column, the churches and Town Council for the use of halls, the ladies who have acted as judges for badges and all others who have helped in any way. —S.

PARLIEMENT—

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Next to the winning of the war attention was directed to the winning of the peace. Canada's "positive contribution" to discussions looking to development of a world security organization at the conference of Commonwealth Prime Ministers in London and in communications to the greater powers following the Dumbarton Oaks conference was mentioned.

Canadian Governmental policy on international trade was defined as looking to the development of wider markets for exports and a greater flow of imports in accordance with the principles of the Atlantic Charter.

The speech contained a lengthy review of the legislation of the last session aimed at providing a basis for Canadian prosperity and a minimum standard of human welfare with ample provision for rehabilitation of the members of the forces after the war.

The Government's intentions to hold a Dominion-Provincial conference at the earliest appropriate time and to seek agreements with the Provinces on health insurance and larger contributory old age pensions were repeated.

Although none were asked to come and they received neither travelling expenses nor pay, out-of-town members swelled the attendance of members of Commons to 108. The Senate which required a quorum of 15 had an attendance of 23.

The 108 members came close to a half of the maximum possible attendance of 231 since 14 of the 245 seats are vacant. There were 84 Liberals out of a possible 156, 12 Progressive Conservatives out of a possible 39, four C.C.F. members out of a possible 10, one Social Credit member out of a possible 10 and seven others out of a possible 16.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King did not take his seat in the Commons as he, along with Hon. J. H. King, Government leader in the Senate, has the duty of escorting the representative of the King while he is in the Parliament buildings.

There was a good attendance of cabinet ministers and among front bench private members were Col. J. L. Ralston whose resignation as Defence Minister in a disagreement with the cabinet on conscription last November created a crisis, Hon. C. G. Power, former Air Minister who resigned soon afterwards because of his opposition to overseas conscription, and Hon. P. J. A. Cardin, former Minister of Public Works who resigned for the same reason in 1942.

Gordon Graydon, Progressive Conservative House leader, was in his place and so were M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, and John Blackmore, Social Credit House leader.

Not a word was said by a member in debate. Not a motion was put.

Speaker J.A. Glen led the House of Commons in prayer as usual at three o'clock and afterwards read an announcement that the deputy Governor-General would be in the Senate for the purpose of proroguing the session.

The Senate met earlier at 2.30 p.m. and party leaders voiced their tributes to two Senators who died since the last meeting in December. The Chief Justice came in and took his place in the Speaker's chair.

Maj. Andrew Thompson, the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod summoned members of the Commons who arrived under the leadership of the Speaker and took their places at the bar of the Upper Chamber.

The Chief Justice read in English and then in French the speech prepared for him by the Government and the session which started more than a year ago was ended.

The fifth session opened on Jan. 27, 1944, and continued until Aug. 14 with the usual short adjournment at Easter. It met again on an emergency call for two weeks at the end of November when a cabinet crisis developed over conscription.

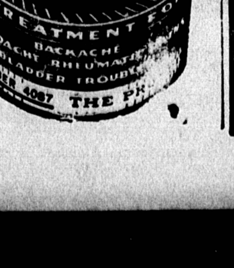
To Settle 10,000 Veterans In B. C.

(By The Canadian Press)

VICTORIA, Jan. 31—Furtherance of plans to settle 10,000 or more British Columbia war veterans on farmlands in the province is expected to follow a conference to be held in Ottawa soon between Federal officials and Hon. E. T. Kenney, provincial lands minister.

The British Columbia Government has placed a reserve on more than 3,000,000 acres of Crown land in various sections of the province and has agreed to transfer 1,000,000 acres free of cost to Dominion rehabilitation authorities.

Each serviceman will be entitled to take up holdings on any of the Crown lands with each holding not to exceed 560 acres.



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This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a newsy nature may be inserted at five cents a word, strictly payable in advance.

ISLANDER DEAD — Mrs. W H. Drake, Pownal, has received the sad news of the death of her brother, Finley MacRae, in Detroit Michigan.

THE PRESBYTERIAN Church in Canada. Divine worship will be conducted on Sabbath next as follows: Cardigan, 11 a. m.; Lorne Valley, 2:30 p. m.; Montague, 7 p. m. The Rev. Randolph D. MacLean will be the preacher for the day. All members and friends are cordially invited to attend. 2-1-1i

TRAIN LATE — Due to heavy congestion of traffic on the mainland, caused by recent heavy snow storms in New Brunswick, the Borden train was four hours and ten minutes late last night: She arrived in the city at 10:40.

ARRIVE FROM ENGLAND — Mrs. Allison W. Rogers and young son David arrived in Charlottetown Tuesday from England. Major Rogers, who was in Halifax, came home with his wife and son and they are the guests of his mother Mrs. Ethel Rogers, Prince Street.

HI-Y GRADS CLUB—The regular weekly meeting of the Hi-Y Grads Club was held last night at the Y.M.C.A. The president, Jim MacLean presided and Clifford MacDonald led the sing song. LAC Jenkins of the R.C.A.F., stationed at Lachine, Quebec, and now home on a 15-day furlough, was introduced to club members as a guest of R.E. Giggey. The meeting heard a financial report of the Burns anniversary concert, held recently.

Personals

Miss Mary Trainor, City, left yesterday on a visit to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dickieson, New Glasgow, left yesterday morning for Montreal.

Miss Phyllis MacInnis has returned to her duties in Halifax after spending a week here with her sister, Mrs. Emile Gallant.

Sig. Herb and Mrs. Phillips, little daughter Dianne, have returned to the mainland after spending the past week in Summerside the guest of the former's mother, Mrs. J. H. Waite.

The following report by Miss Elaine Harrison, District Commissioner was given at the annual meeting of the Summerside Local Association of Girl Guides held in Summerside this past week.

Baha'i Assembly Hears Lecture

Mrs. Emeric Sala of Montreal addressed a gathering at the Queen Hotel last night under the auspices of the Charlottetown Baha'i Assembly, her topic being "In Search of Maturity". Mrs. Sala said in part: "The idea of maturity is an evolving one. To be mature today we must see the panorama of humanity as a whole, not divided or cut up. Not only must we attain to an individual maturity, a fullness of powers, but we must blend our energies to build up a world maturity. World federation, a world system of distribution, an auxiliary world language, a world system of weights, measures and currency,—these are the goals of the mature minds of today."

The speaker then declared: "A mysterious force for civilisation is released through religion, because through the power of God there comes a revitalizing of souls. Unknown capacities are released, and maturity becomes a matter of conscious growth.

"Such growth," she asserted in closing, "includes a heightened response to the needs of society. The Baha'i basic principle of the unity of all mankind is the synthesis of individual and universal progress."

Mrs. Sala came here from Summerside, where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Johnson.

This War—Four Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

FEB. 1, 1941—German long range guns pounded British coast from French shore. R. A. F. attacked docks at Brest. British and Indian forces captured Agordat, rail centre in Italian Eritrea. Two enemy planes downed in raid on Malta.

BIRTHS

COADY — At the Charlottetown Hospital on Jan. 30, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coady, 122 Hillsboro Street, a daughter.

BLACKETT — At the P. E. I. Hospital on Jan. 31, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blackett, Charlottetown, a daughter, Mary Eleanor Joyce.

BEVAN — At the P.E.I. Hospital on Jan. 26, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bevan, Charlottetown, a son.

DEATHS

MCRAE — Suddenly at Detroit Mich., on Jan. 29, 1945, Finlay MacRae, formerly of Canoe Cove P.E.I., aged 62 years.

MILLS—At her residence, 28 Union Street, Wednesday, Jan. 31, 1945, Mrs. Mary Agnes Mills, widow of the late Bert Mills, aged 69 years. Funeral will take place from the residence of Mrs. Pearl White, 25 Union Street, Saturday morning at 9 o'clock to St. Dunstan's Basilica thence to R.C. Cemetery.

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