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THE DANGER

The field of grain beneath the deep blue, frosty drizzle. The wind whistles and howls to the wind. The curtains are drawn. A picture of beauty to many a passer-by. Then as the wind begins to die, the picture of beauty to many a passer-by. Then as the wind begins to die, the picture of beauty to many a passer-by.

Well Broomed

More than welcome on the doorstep, the fine, frosty drizzle. The wind whistles and howls to the wind. The curtains are drawn. A picture of beauty to many a passer-by. Then as the wind begins to die, the picture of beauty to many a passer-by.

SUGAR PLAYS GRIM ROLE DURING TIME OF WAR

(By Miss Jacques)

Sugar has a complex personality. Besides catering to the sweet tooth of the world, it plays a grim role in the war. It is the lifeblood of the nation, and its production is a major part of the war effort.

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In Memoriam

MRS. FRANK L. DILLON

Friends throughout the city will learn with regret the death of her home, 238 Euston Street, Tuesday night, of Mrs. Frank L. Dillon, taken ill several months ago while in treatment at the P. E. Island Hospital and also received medical attention at her home, but all efforts to restore her to her wonted health failed and she passed peacefully away at her home Tuesday night. The late Mrs. Dillon, a daughter of John Johnston of this city, was a member of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and an indefatigable worker in many of the societies in connection with church work. These interests did not prevent her from giving considerable of her time to the war effort and also to the connection with the Red Cross, of which order she was a prominent member. In addition she was vice-president of Zion Church of the Charlotvetown Auxiliary of the Protestant Orphanage and was regarded by fellow-workers as a wonderful and a tremendously effective worker for the good of that institution.

MRS. FREDERICK CLARKE

The death occurred recently of Mrs. Frederick Clarke of Wilmet Valley who passed away to be at rest after three wearisome years of illness during which she was confined to her bed. Death came with amazing swiftness, however, as she had appeared in her usual health until a short time before her death which came as a stunning blow to her family.

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Well-known Canadian radio singer, mistress of ceremonies on Buffalo's "International House Party," makes a living visit to appear in the "Canadian Cavalcade" tonight. You will also hear songs by Jimmy Shields, recently returned from overseas; 13-year-old Bud Potter, Boy Mayor of Toronto; and other guests.

ART SOCIETY MEETING

"Early Christian Art" — subject of study and discussion by the P. E. Island Art Society at its monthly meeting held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. John A. Fraser, 89 Upper Prince Street. Mr. A. Wright, exhibition director submitted his report which revealed that more than 600 people had viewed the exhibition held in the Harris Memorial Gallery. It was also announced at the meeting that Professor Stanley Royale of Mount Allison University will visit the local society in the latter part of February and show some of his work.

PERSONALS

Col. E. R. Norton spent the week-end with his wife and family in Craapud.

Mr. F. G. Spencer and Mr. Gordon Spencer of Saint John, N.B., have returned from a short business trip to this city.

AB Lowell McInnis, RCNVR, is spending his leave with his mother Mrs. Betty McInnis and receiving a hearty welcome from her. Lowell has been overseas for the past two years and has had many thrilling experiences.

Film Board Supervisor Visits Here

Mr. John Grierson, National Film Board Commissioner, Ottawa, paid a brief visit to the City yesterday. He was accompanied by Miss Helen Watson who is supervisor of rural circuits for the Film Board.

Mr. Grierson, who served in the Royal Navy from 1914 to 1918, said he believed in the value of film in unifying the Canadian people. That picture, showing the economic and social conditions of the people, cannot but have a great influence in broadening their mental outlook, Mr. Grierson's opinion.

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NOTED MINING AREA

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Germany May Make Last Stand In Munich Area

BERN, Feb. 6 — (AP) — New arrivals from Germany reported today that tremendous new stocks of supplies are being poured into mountain strongholds in the Munich area, where Hitler is preparing a last-ditch defence when Berlin and northern Germany are conquered.

Gestapo Chief Himmler, these sources said, will join Hitler in his mountain-top stronghold at Berchtesgaden after he conducts the defence of Berlin. He will aid in the command of thousands of fanatical Nazis expected to fight to the last to defend the Fuehrer.

These travellers from Berlin and other parts of Germany, who bring a fantastic array of rumors, reports, facts and half-truths, said some leading Nazis were expected to flee or bargain for their freedom, but that preparation for the last stand was going forward at top speed. Civilian transport around Munich has practically ceased and the normal food supply is disrupted, these sources said.

One story is that last week women formed a line across a highway at Munich, stopped an army truck and seized the food it contained.

The mountain defence ring is being prepared both for a final stand against Allied troops and for the possibility that food shortages will lead to a revolt or chaos, it was said.

Much of last year's harvest in Poland, large stocks of coal and great stocks of food and armaments are being stored in caves around Munich, it was reported.

There is a rumor current in Berlin diplomatic circles that several high Nazis, including Goering, hope to use King Leopold of Belgium and possibly Marshal Petain as hostages in a deal for their own liberty.

Himmler and Hitler are not mentioned among those reported manoeuvring for their safety.

Political differences are hinted in the stories of some travellers from Berlin that Himmler and Volksturm leaders are to direct the defence of Berlin without army participation.

On the anti-Nazi side, Germans are forming together in groups irrespective of party to try to create a nucleus for a government when the Nazis fall. There are separate Communist and Socialist groups, and a group likely to have much influence is the coalition of Socialist, Communist, Catholic and Monarchist elements.

Prisoners Held By Japs At Manila Half-Starved

MANILA, Feb. 5 — (AP) — United States troops emptied their pockets today for some 3,700 half-starved men, women and children released from three years of Japanese captivity.

From the moment a tank of the 1st Motorized Cavalry Brigade crashed through the prison gate Saturday night, the mercy task of bringing food and comfort to the prisoners started.

Most of them were Americans, caught by the Japanese when they swarmed down the Philippines and overhauled the thin line of defenders three years ago. The next largest group was British and Australian internees, and there were some Canadians.

(One report said 60 Canadians were included in the list of internees freed, but an official at the External Affairs Department at Ottawa said it might be weeks before an authentic list of the Canadians could be obtained. The Department has asked the United States State Department and British and United States Consular services to try to obtain a list.)

The captives, hardened as they were by sights and sounds of war, were shocked at the emaciated condition of some of the prisoners. All were thin and weak from malnutrition.

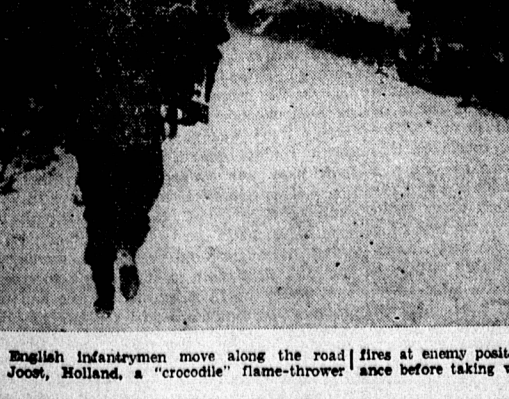
Packs were turned over immediately with rations, cigarettes and candy. These served as emergency relief until the arrival of a caravan of supplies, already rolling down the highway to Manila, for the released internees.

After an enjoyable evening all wended their way homeward, after leaving their best wishes with the bride and wishing her a speedy return of her husband who is serving with His Majesty's forces overseas.

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As English infantrymen move along the road, flames at enemy position. Tommies faced stiff resistance. St. Joost, Holland, a "crocodile" flame-thrower lance before taking village in the Stiffard battle area.

AB. CARL MCKENNA

son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred McKenna, 89 Sydney Street, one of the survivors in the December sinking of the minesweeper Clayco.

hours later in a truce exchange. In order to save the internees, Brig-Gen. William C. Chase of Providence, R. I., commanding the 1st Cavalry Brigade which made the rescue, allowed the 65 Japanese guards to leave. They were escorted to the edge of Manila and released.

Some of the men prisoners had lost as much as 100 pounds. The average loss among them was 51 pounds. The average among the women was 32 pounds. The children were spindly, legged and pale.

BRIDAL SHOWER AT NEW WILTSHIRE

On Friday evening, Nov. 24th, a large number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Godfrey, New Wiltshire, to tender Pte. and Mrs. Barton T. Boswell a shower in honor of their recent marriage. To the strains of "Here Comes the Bride" the bride, Jean Lane, Mrs. James MacDonald, escorted the bride to the seat of honor in the living-room which was tastefully decorated with pink and white streamers. The bride was showered with confetti from a large wedding bell which hung over the bride's chair. The well filled baskets were carried in by Norma Tremere and Peggy MacLean; the gifts were unwrapped by Dorothy MacIsaac and Verna Boswell, and humorous verses read by Helen Hatherley and Doreen Campbell, and the many beautiful gifts were nicely arranged on the table by Mrs. Leith Baxter.

The bride in a few well chosen words thanked all for their lovely gifts; then all joined in singing, "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow." Lunch was served by the bride and wishing her a speedy return of her husband who is serving with His Majesty's forces overseas.

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MISSED VITAMINS

The tomato was originally believed to be poisonous and was merely grown as a decorative plant for the garden.