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Story of German Submarine warfare at Scapa Flow!

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German Plight Becomes Acute On Two Fronts

By Kirke L. Simpson Associated Press Staff Writer Conflicting claims from Berlin and London as to the progress of the Allied—German war on its only active front, the sea, share world attention with Russia's moves as Europe's strife drags into its fourth month.

Against a picture of developments of the war at sea, drawn for parliament by Winston Churchill and bolstered by specific figures, Berlin advises that Nazi operations are weaving an "impenetrable" counter blockade about the British Isles sound fantastic. Mr. Churchill's report makes the Berlin version sound a bit like Nazi whistling in the dark.

The Nazi report may have been issued for home consumption rather than in any hope of its acceptance by the neutral world as an authentic account of the war at sea. There has been little in the war news of late to cheer German public opinion and to urge to disengage it, including the Russian sweep into Finland.

Some hint of the plight in which Germany now finds herself in her doubtful partnership with Moscow must be seeping through to the German public despite every precaution to prevent it. Some word of Mr. Churchill's statement on three months of the war at sea must also sooner or later raise doubts in many German minds as to the dependability of Nazi government contentions that the Royal Navy has fled the scene of battle.

Truth will out sooner or later, even in war times and against every expedient of any government to withhold it. Neutral bookkeeping on sea losses shows that the British report is far nearer the truth than the account attributed to German military experts. It also jibes with a gloomy picture—drawn in the official Nazi magazine, Four Year Plan—of the effect the Allied blockade has had on Germany to date. This magazine is sponsored by the no. 2 Nazi, Field Marshal Goering.

At least a hint of added confusion in Nazi high councils may be drawn from the fact that such an article was permitted publication in Berlin at the very time other Nazi spokesmen were whistling up German spirits with reports the Royal Navy had abandoned the North Sea because of German attack. Nor can there be any longer much doubt that some Nazi leaders are watching the ripening fruit of the Soviet-Nazi partnership with troubled eyes.

At no time since the Russo-Finnish crisis developed have Nazi spokesmen endorsed any other Russian purpose on the German flank with territorial and other adjustments to make Leningrad secure from military attack and protect Russian outlets to the Baltic by way of the Gulf of Finland.



wearing identity tags is new London tag, demonstrated above, or wearing large necklaces which spell out the wearer's name and address.

MAYFIELD WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The annual meeting of Mayfield Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Gordon Houston, with a good attendance. Meeting was opened in usual form. Reports of the various committees were received. Secretary and auditors reports were received and adopted.

The minutes of last annual meeting and previous monthly meeting were read and duly signed. Financial report showed receipts \$38.32 and expenses during the year \$12.84, leaving a balance on hand of \$25.48. The following motions were carried, that a water pail and pencil sharpener be secured for school; that scrubbing be paid for; that the boys taking part in play be notified to meet with secretary, or with the Institute on regular night of meeting, to divide funds of play. That the Institute pay \$2.00 towards the Christmas seal bond. New committees appointed are:

- Sick, Mrs. Lewis Toombs and Mrs. Andrew.
Schole, Mrs. Coles and Mrs. Nicholson.
Seven members paid their dues. One new member gladly added to the roll.

Miss McKinnon and Miss Evelyn Houston were appointed scrutineers for the election of officers. The following are the officers.
Pres. Mrs. Blair Andrew.
Sec.-Treas. Miss Evelyn Houston.
Asst. Sec.-Treas. Miss Cora Toombs.

Directors, Mrs. Millar Orr, Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. Lewis Toombs and Miss Ella Wyand.
Auditors, Mrs. Nicholson and Mrs. Jas. Houston.

Invitation to meet with Mrs. Lewis Toombs for next meeting which is to be held Thursday, Dec. 14, at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Toombs and Miss Ella Wyand in charge of lunch. The National Anthem brought a busy evening to a close. A dainty lunch was served by those in charge.

War—25 Years Ago Today

(By The Canadian Press) DEC. 9, 1914—British Indian expeditionary force captured Kurua on the Persian gulf. French government returned to Paris from Bordeaux. Five-year arbitration treaty between Great Britain and Portugal signed at London.

DEC. 10, 1914—Premier Louis Botha announced the Boer rebellion had virtually ended. Japan divided control of the German South Seas possessions with Australia. Three German submarines reported sunk in raid on Dover. Turkish battleship Goeben bombarded Batum.

TRYON CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

The following is the report of Tryon Consolidated School for the month of November:

- Senior Department
Grade X Sr.—
1. George Halliwell.
2. Nan Craig.
3. Theo. Foy.
Grade X Jr.—
1. Betty Howatt.
2. Freda Howatt.
3. Ralph Robinson.
Grade IX—
1. Adelaide Lord.
2. Cecily Fell.
Grade VIII—
1. Jennie Mabey.
2. Flora Crossman.
3. Kathleen Carr.
Grade VII—
1. Doris Bell.
2. Marion Foy.
3. Noreen Crossman.
Grade VI—
1. Elinor Bell.
2. Roma Howatt.
3. Ferna Crossman.
Grade IV—
1. Shirley Vessey.
2. Richard Fell.
3. Wallace Calbeck.
Grade III Jr.—
1. Lloyd Carr.
2. Ralph Foy.
Grade III Jr.—
1. Louise Foy.
2. Estelle Carr.
Grade II Sr.—
1. Phyllis Crossman.
2. Daisy Carr.
3. Ferna Howatt.
Grade II Jr.—
1. Ralph Calbeck.
2. Donald Howatt.
Grade I Sr.—
1. Eva Bell.
2. Cecil Foy.
Grade I Jr.—
1. Ann Howatt.
2. Harold MacDonald.
3. Delbert Carr.
Perfect attendance: — George Halliwell, Ruth Lord, Flora Crossman, Sheldon Howatt, Doris Bell, Elinor Bell, Roma Howatt, Shirley Vessey, Lloyd Carr, Estelle Carr, Phyllis Crossman, Ferna Howatt.
Principal, Vera O. Simpson, Assistant, Florence Mabey. (Patriot please copy)

In Memoriam

MRS. JOHN A. McRAE

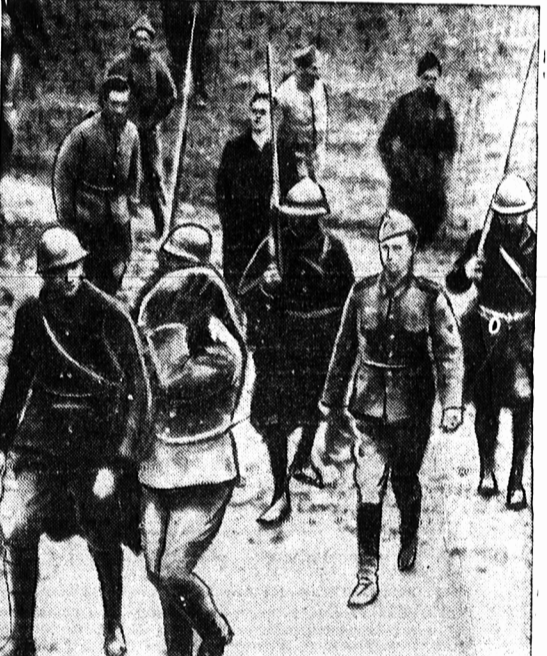
On Tuesday, Nov. 7th, Mrs. John A. McRae, for many years a highly esteemed resident of Point Prim passed peacefully away at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Kennedy Murray Harbor North at the age of 83 years. The deceased had been in her usual quite good condition of health until about a week before the coming of the end.

Apparently as well as usual she was taken quite suddenly ill and it was soon evident that she had lost the use of some of her faculties. Her illness was of the nature of a paralytic stroke. As the days went by there was little or no change for the better.

Instead of improving it was plain to all that she was falling. Her supply of reserve energy gradually waned until on the above mentioned date her gentle spirit winged its heavenward flight.

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Advertisement for Today's Short Wave Radio Program. (All Time is Eastern Standard) SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9. BERLIN, DJL, 15.11 meg., 19 m.; DJN, 9.61 meg., 31 m. LONDON, 4:45 p.m.—"London Log" talk by Howard Marshall. GSP, 15.31 meg., 19.6 m. BUDAPEST, 6:00 p.m.—Overture by Orchestra. HAT4, 9.12 meg., 32.8 m. ROME, 7:30 p.m.—News in English; Chamber Music. 2RO, 11.81 meg., 35.4 m.; IRP, 9.83 meg., 30.5 m. MADRID, 8:25 p.m.—News in English. EAQ, 9.86 meg., 30.4 m. TOKYO, 8:30 p.m.—Tango Band. JZK, 15.16 meg., 19.7 m. CARACAS, 9:00 p.m.—Dance Music. YV5-15.16 meg., 19.7 m.



Photographed within a few minutes of their capture in action on the Western Front, two German prisoners are shown being taken back to the French field Intelligence Officer for questioning. Note camera shy Nazi (foreground), hiding his face.



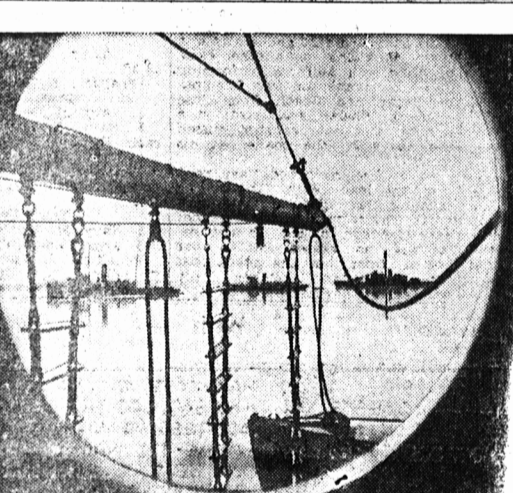
What is believed to be the greatest mass attack on the tonsil problem in history was completed successfully in Chicago when the seven children of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Davis, above, had their tonsils removed the same day in the same hospital. The wide open spaces are, left to right, seated: Paul, Edmund, Richard, and Robert. Standing: Myrtle Ann, Mary, Virginia and Jay, Jr.

LAST TIMES TODAY — 3 Mesquiteers "WYOMING OUTLAW"

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Advertisement for The Jones Family TOO BUSY TO WORK. A 20th Century-Fox Picture. AMERICA'S FIRST FUN FAMILY! ... and for added laughs, Joan Davis moves in, takes over!

"BOY MEETS JOY" — Comedy — Looneytoon Cartoon VINCENT LOPEZ and HIS ORCHESTRA



Finland's tiny fleet has given good account of itself according to reports of first encounters with Russia's battleships. — Finnish naval craft in Gulf of Finland, seen through a warship's porthole.

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L. O. B. A. Banquet

On the night of Nov. 28 last, the members of Prince Arthur, L. O. B. A., assembled in the Grand Hall to hold their annual banquet an event always eagerly looked forward to by young and old alike. After preparations had been made and the tables spread, Rev. Bro. S. D. Trites asked Divine blessing, and approximately eighty persons sat down to a sumptuous feast of roast goose, cranberry, etc. Ample justice having been done to the appetizing things provided, Bro. J. Verner Moore, P. G. M., acted as chairman, who then called on Bro. Fred Oakes, W. M. of Prince Arthur Lodge and Sister Rhoda Lowther, Wor. Mistress of Princess Mary Lodge, who, each in turn, gave short addresses of welcome. He next called on Rev. Bro. Trites as the guest speaker of the evening. The reverend brother excelled himself as an after dinner speaker as he regaled the assemblage with breezy anecdotes and highly amusing stories about people, which brought ready laughter. Music was furnished by the famed "Buckle Busters," Messrs. Simmons, Rogerson, Leard and MacDonald, and for a short while dancing was indulged in by the younger set. In the midst of the merry-making the Wor. Master called the meeting to order, and asked Bro. S. B. French, D. G. M. to take charge of proceedings. Bro. French then called forward Private Bro. Chester Wilson, who it was learned is to leave for the mainland early in December and addressing him in a concise speech, commended him on the step he had taken for King and country and in defence of human liberty, and ended by presenting him, on behalf of the lodges, with a ring in token of appreciation and remembrance. The recipient was so moved that he found it almost impossible to find words to express his thanks. After bouncing Bro. Wilson, all joined hands in a ring with this young soldier in the centre, and heartily sang: "For he's a jolly good fellow" and then coming to attention sang the National Anthem, thus ending a most interesting and enjoyable evening. (Patriot please copy.)

20 DAYS AFTER

FORSHAM, England — (CP) — Six women who worked here during the last war in a food control office kept a promise made at their parting to meet at the same spot 20 years after — in another war.

DEDHAM, Mass., Dec. 6 — (AP) — More than 1,000 school children sang today while flames ravaged one classroom of the Dedham High School. None of the pupils was aware of the fire, having been kept in the assembly hall "for an extra hour of singing" when teachers learned of the fire. Firemen dragged in three lines of hose without disturbing the musicale.

GREENVALE W. I.

The annual meeting of Greenvale W. I. was held on Nov. 14th at the home of Mrs. Miller MacPherson with an attendance of nine members and one visitor. Meeting was opened by singing "There's a Long Long Trail A-Winding," followed by repeating Creed in unison. The reading of minutes of previous annual and last regular meetings followed by a review of the year's work.

SEACOAST GIRLS NAVY CONSCIOUS

HALIFAX, Dec. 9 — (CP) — If it's true that it's the uniform that attracts a girl, the average Halifax miss has been going around since early summer with her mind in a whirl because there have been uniforms and uniforms and uniforms.

The Canadians — army, navy and air force men — have been at hand all through it all of course. But last June, two crack British cruisers, H.M.S. Glasgow and Southampton started off when they came to escort the King and Queen back to England. The feminine clubbers were just beginning to pay attention to the boss's dictation again when in hove three United States battleships with 5,000 sailors and Annapolis midshipmen aboard.

For weeks "Anchors Aweigh" was the town's best dance number, and then, just when the average stenographer was beginning to be able to walk to work without a nautical roll, there came a United States cruiser and a destroyer. But the Second Great War added the final touch with a far more plentiful supply of sailors. Next to the girls, it's probably the old ads up on Citadel Hill or some other are up on Citadel Hill or some other advantage point as soon as a ship is sighted off Chebucto Head.