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—NURSES ALUMNAE DANCE.—The Nurses Alumnae Association of Summerside, put on a very successful dance on Thursday evening in the Maple Leaf Gardens. Al Blanchard's orchestra furnished the music and those who attended had a most enjoyable evening. S

—RESTING COMFORTABLY. — Mr. Arthur Arsenault, of Higgins Road, is resting comfortably in the Prince County Hospital after his recent accident. Mr. Arsenault was ploughing, when the traces broke throwing Mr. Arsenault against the side of the plough, rendering him unconscious. S

—MADE OFFICIAL VISITATION —Prince Edward Lodge, I.O.O.F., Summerside received an official visit this week from District Deputy Grand Master, James Campbell of Charlottetown, and also from the Grand Warden Hazen Phillips of Summerside. Members were present from the two Charlottetown Lodges. After the business meeting a social time was had and refreshments served. —S.

—QUIET WEDDING — A quiet wedding was solemnized on Wednesday last when Miss Mary Lillian Rix, daughter of Mr. Charles Rix of Haliburton became the bride of Mr. Alvin Herman Costain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Costain of Cape Wolfe. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. B. Wilson at the Baptist Parsonage, Summerside. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Costain were the attendants. The bride and groom will make their home in Cape Wolfe. —S.

—WEDDING BELLS. — A pretty wedding was solemnized last Wednesday morning at the United Church Manse, Kensington, Rev. A. D. Sterling officiating, when Miss Elizabeth Louise Moase became the bride of Robert Claringbould Williams. Both parties belonged to New Annan. Miss Jean Walker, of Summerside, was bridesmaid, and Mr. George Taylor acted as groomsman. After a honeymoon motoring through P. E. Island the happy young couple will make their home in New Annan, in the lovely new residence built for them this summer. S

—DOING NICELY. — Mr. George Waite, of Traveller's Rest, who suffered slight burns when his clothing caught fire, is now making a good recovery in the Prince County Hospital. Mr. Waite, who is on the construction gang between Tignish and Elmsdale, and drives a tractor, was sitting near the store to dry himself having got wet in the rain, when his clothing caught fire. His clothes were saturated with gasoline. Before the flames could be put out, Mr. Waite was burned about the body and arms. His burns are not considered serious. S

—LEAVES FOR HALIFAX.—Rev. W. J. Phillips, rector of the Anglican Church at Milton, P.E.I., leaves for Halifax this morning, where he will act as chaplain to His Majesty's Forces. Rev. Mr. Phillips has been lecturing throughout the Island in aid of the Red Cross. He is a native of Wales, and came to this country some years ago. He was rector of the Anglican parish of Alberton for some time. He recently returned from England, where he had been on a visit to his mother. On the way over, when near the Irish coast, the freighter on which he made the voyage was torpedoed and Mr. Phillips suffered a fractured jaw, when he was thrown against the door of his cabin by the explosion when the torpedo struck.

## 4 Canadians Included In R.A.F. Casualties

LONDON, Sept. 29.—(CP Cable)—Four Canadians were included in the Royal Air Force's 47th casualty list, issued tonight, which contained 337 names, of which 28 were killed in action and 102 were missing.

The Canadians were:—

PO. K. M. Sclanders, of Saint John, N.B., killed in action.

PO George R. Holyoke, of Fredericton, N.B., killed in active service;

PO A. C. Denison of Vernon, B.C., missing;

PO. J. Benzie, of Winnipeg, missing and believed killed in action.

AR. R. Holyoke, father of Pilot-Officer Holyoke, was advised Sept. 4 that his son was killed in an aircraft accident over England.

(Pilot-Officer Denison was born in Edinburgh, and lived for some years in Vernon, B.C., where his father, Herber Denison, now resides.

(Pilot-Officer Benzie was reported wounded in action Sept. 6).


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—WILLIAMS-MOASE — A wedding marked by simplicity was solemnized at the United Church Manse, Kensington, at 10 A. M., Wednesday, Sept. 25, in the presence of immediate relatives, when Rev. Alex Stirling united in holy bonds of matrimony Elizabeth Louisa, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moase, New Annan and Robert Williams son of Mr. Williams and the late Mrs. Williams, Montreal. The couple were attended by Miss Jean Walker and Mr. George Taylor. The bride looked charming in a dress of silk mustard, with pin-tucked bodice and flared skirt, with brown accessories. For travelling the bride chose a brown boucle squirrel trimmed coat with matching accessories. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for a short honeymoon. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Williams will reside in New Annan, where the groom is a very prosperous farmer. Their many friends wish them much future happiness.

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cept for the captain.

Two torpedoes hit this steamer, striking at 1.15 a.m. Once the men were in the boats, the U-boat drew near, threw a number of shells at the boats and then made off in the darkness.

The crew managed to save only what they were wearing at the time of the attack.

The weather was moderate at the time of both attacks, and officers said the crews had no difficulties in the boats.

Police had to clear a path for the seamen to land when their rescue ship tied up here. Hundreds of St. John's residents, observing the packed decks of the tramp as it came up harbour, crowded the pier when it tied up.

## U. S. Press


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United States."

Washington Star—"If the British should be defeated we would stand alone as the one great democracy in the world, gravely menaced from both front and rear by predatory enemies. We would then be truly isolationist."

St. Louis Globe Democrat—"Almost of equal importance with the Axis-Japan alliance is Russia's reaction to it. The world awaits with much interest a statement from Stalin.

"The specific exclusion of the Soviet from the terms of the pact gives no assurance that Russia was in any way a party to the negotiations, or that the agreement is to its liking. If Russia stands by and permits Japan to develop its 'new order in Asia'. . . there is obvious danger of an exceedingly strong Japan which will menace the Soviet in the Far East. It is difficult to believe Russia will actually assist in clearing the path for Japan's new Asia."

## Plans For Educational Program Laid

HALIFAX, Sept. 28—Detailed plans for nation-wide educational services for men on active service were studied at a meeting of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island District educational and armed forces leaders, with Dr. H. F. Munro, Superintendent of Education, in the chair.

The elementary and secondary school training courses are being sponsored jointly by the Canadian Legion War Services and the Canadian Association for Adult Education, and have four general purposes to fulfil, Dr. Munro explained.

These are to enable men to obtain a higher academic standing to qualify for promotions; to provide supplementary instruction along technical lines of work used in military activities; to prepare men for civil re-establishment after the war; and to offer profitable ways for the men to spend their leisure time.

"We are trying to help the men of all branches of the services fit into the right groove when they come out of the war," Dr. Munro said. "We want to get them studying what they are best fitted for, and the kind of work they like best."

Both scholastic and vocational courses will be made available both to any man on active service and to those recommended for admission to the armed forces. "We want to give any man a chance to learn anything he wants," said the chairman.

College professors and school teachers in all parts of the Dominion are giving voluntary service as instructors. Correspondence courses are being arranged so that each province's educational facilities will handle all the work in one or two subjects.

Even Icelandic is included among supplementary language booklets being made available to men of the forces. German and French are the other subjects covered in the language courses.

## *Kensington And Vicinity*

Her many friends will be pleased to hear that Mrs. Wm. Toombs who has been a patient in the Prince County Hospital, Summerside during the past six weeks suffering with a broken hip is steadily improving and hopes to return home at an early date.

Mr. Merrill Craswell and Mr. Leigh Toombs of Charlottetown were in Kensington Friday, in the interest of their respective firms.

Mrs. T. M. Howatt was a visitor to Charlottetown last week.

Another of Kensington's popular young men, Mr. Clinton Glyden, left on Wednesday morning for Toronto, Ont., where he will go into training with the R.C.A.F., having secured his transfer from the P.E.I. Highlanders recently. Clinton, a general favorite, will be greatly missed in the activities of the younger circle and especially in sports as he was an outsanding athlete, being a member of Kensington's Intermediate Hockey Team of last season, and will no doubt, as in hockey, make no mistake, when he lets go with his machine gun, instead of hockey stick. His many friends wish him the best of luck and "Happy Landings."

An enjoyable evening was recently enjoyed by many of her young friends, at the spacious home of Mr. W. A. Moase, when they extended Miss Louise Moase, whose marriage takes place in the near future, a miscellaneous shower. After all had gathered to the strains of Wagners wedding march played by Miss Mary Cairns, the happy bride-to-be was ushered to the seat of honor, which was tastefully decorated for the occasion by Mrs. Max Robertson of Summerside, where she was presented with a beautiful bouquet by little Wendell Moase. An overflowing basket of many useful and beautiful gifts were brought in by the Misses Audrey Tuplin and Edna Dazzell and the gifts were opened by Mrs. John Waugh and Miss Jennie Clark. The accompanying verses were then read by Mrs. John Moase and Mrs. Lorne Bowness, and were then neatly arranged on the table by Mrs. Harold Mill. Although taken by surprise, Louise in her most capable manner, thanked one and all for their kindness and extended an open invitation to one and all to visit her in her future home, after which all joined in heartily singing "For She's A Jolly Good Fellow." A dainty lunch was then served by the ladies, and the remainder of the evening was pleasantly spent in music, singing, games and social chat.

Another successful old time dance sponsored by the Busy Bee Club, for the Red Cross, was held in the Kensington rink on Friday evening. The large number attending, thoroughly enjoyed themselves to music furnished by the Baltic Orchestra, which by the way is making quite a name for itself, in producing music second to none, for these old time dances. H

## Author Hangs Self In Closet

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—(AP) — Courtney Ryley Cooper, 53 author and "Circus Fan No. 1," hanged himself in a closet of a mid-town hotel room Saturday. His body was found early today by hotel attendants.

Mrs. Cooper could advance no reason for his suicide, but told police he had been morose over alleged snubs he had received in Washington when he sought to inform officials of German activities he said he discovered in Mexico.

Finally, she said, he had conferred with his close friend and writer collaborator, J. Edgard Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

B. E. Sackett, special agent in charge of the F.B.I. office here, said however, that neither Hoover nor any other member of the F.B.I. had talked with Cooper about the Mexican matter.

## Burning Tests Of Ontario Lignite Made

TORONTO, Sept. 29 —(CP) — Hon. Paul Leduc, retiring Ontario mines minister, said Saturday that supervised burning tests of Ontario lignite in the provincial government-owned Temiskaming and Northern Ontario railway plant at North Bay have been sufficiently encouraging to warrant trying out the low-grade fuel in locomotives of the railway.

"It is as yet too early to speak definitely of the result of the tests but so far they are proving encouraging."

Officials conducting tests of the northern lignite said burning operations have been conducted with raw lignite, raw mixed with Nova Scotia coal, steam-dried lignite, and steam-dried with coal. A mix, three of steam-dried to one of coal, seems to give the highest heat-producing and burning efficiency.

The tests are being conducted to prove the value of the huge lignite deposits north of Cochrane.

## Canada Keeps Relations With Vichy Gov't

OTTAWA, Sept. 29—(CP)—Moved by a desire to keep in friendly touch with the people of France, Canada is maintaining official relations with Vichy government through the French Legation here headed by Rene Ristelheuber.

Officials here said today the situation was unchanged depsite recent actions by the Vichy government in bombing Gibraltar and that the fuutre would be entirely dependent on developments which they hesitated to forecast.

A nation-wide organization prepared to help the Free French Forces under Gen. Charles deGaulle has been set up in Canada but pending the granting of a charter by the federal government is not taking positive action, it was learned today from Henri Gauthier, Ottawa representative of the organization.

## Clergymen Urge Americans To Aid Britain

NEW YORK, Sept. 29—(AP)—Two prominent clergymen today urged Americans to help Great Britain-one calling for unlimited war aid and the other for spiritual assistance—while a third attacked President Roosevelt for "taking this country into war."

Rt. Rev. William T. Manning, Protestant Episcopal Bishop of New York, told 3,000 worshippers in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine—

"Speaking as a citizen of this land, and also as a bishop of the Christian Church, I say that it is our duty to give our immediate aid, without stint or limit, in every form available, to the people of Great Britain who are giving their lives and all that they have in this battle, which is ours as truly as it is theirs."

In a broadcast observing "Great Britain Sunday," Rt. Rev. Henry St. George Tucker, presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church, appealed for divine aid to strengthen the British people against the Nazi assault.

Meanwhile, Dr. John Haynes Holmes, preaching to the congregation of Community Church at Town Hall, said that "step by step we are slipping" into war "because of President Roosevelt's actions."

SYKESVILLE, Md., Sept. 29—(AP)—Bishop Adna Wright Leonard, New Methodist Bishop of Washington, said today Great Britain is "fighting the last battle of democracy" and "I pray that old England may be victorious and that the enemy may be defeated."

## Says British Will Receive Full Support

FREDERICTON, Sept. 29.—(CP) —The British Empire is receiving, and will continue to receive, the full assistance of the United States in the war, W. S. Levin, Houlton, Me., declared Saturday night at an international Independent Order of Odd Fellows meeting here.

"The day will come when all the English-speaking peoples will be united in carrying forward the principles for which this organization stands, and then wars will cease," he said.

Mr. Lewin is Past Grand Master of the I.O.O.F. jurisdiction of Maine. The meeting was attended by about 100 members of the order in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Maine.

Mayor C. Hedley Forbes, Fredericton, one of the speakers, told of visiting an internment camp in Eastern Canada where he saw a large number of boys, 14 and 15 years old.

"Those boys should be in school," I told the commandant. "Not those boys,' he replied. 'You don't know them. They're smooth.'"

"'How do you mean, smooth?' I asked."

"'They were taught at Hitler's diplomatic school to lie, and then they were sent into Belgium and Holland as part of the Nazi fifth column, and from there they entered Britain as refugees.'"

Other speakers were Past Chief Patriarch D. W. Bailey, Fredericton; Grand Junior Warden E. K. O'Brien, Pictou, N.S.; Special Deputy Grand Sire E. H. Munroe, Windsor, N.S.; Grand Sentinel F. W. Gunter, Fredericton; Grand Patriarch W. C. Vincent, Kentville, N.S.; Advisory Officer W. E. Bishop, Fredericton; Chief Ruler Keith Scott, Fredericton; Fred Foster, Marysville, N.B., and Miss Helen Chappelle, Fredericton, District Deputy President of the Rebekahs Lodge here.

## Nazis Say Red Sphere Defined In New Accord

BERLIN, Sept. 29—(CP)—German sources during the week-end let it be known that the Reich, Italy and Japan have agreed under the terms of their new pact what Soviet Russia's sphere of influence is to be in their "new world order."

But they did not disclose the nature and the extent of their "allocation" to the Soviet Union.

(Through the week-end Moscow, which had published the details of the pact concluded last Friday at Berlin, maintained a non-committal silence, and some sources abroad—particularly in China—interpreted this as indicating disapproval.)

## Take Step To Distribute Work In Defence Dept.

OTTAWA, Sept. 29.—(CP)—Creation of a directorate of staff duties in the general staff branch, Department of National Defence, is a further step designed to distribute the burden of administrative work thrown on that branch by the expansion of Canadian military forces.

The decision to set up the directorate was announced Saturday by the department. Lt.-Col. M. H. S. Pennale, who went overseas nearly a year ago as Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General at Canadian military headquarters in London, will return to Ottawa to head the directorate.

On the branch of the chief of the general staff has fallen the bulk of responsibility for recruiting, training and equipping the Canadian Active Service Force and the enlarged and still-growing non-permanent active militia.

Recently the chief of the general staff was provided with two assistants, a deputy chief of staff and a special assistant. The present chief of staff is Maj.-Gen. H. D. G. Crerar, who returned from the command of Canadian military headquarters in London to take the post.

The deputy chief is Brig. Kenneth Stuart and the special assistant is Col. E. L. M. Burns, who so brings to the post experience gained overseas in the present war at Canadian military headquarters in London.

The directorate of staff duties will take over the staff duties section of the work now performed by the directorate of military training and staff duties. This work includes the assignment of officers for staff appointments and involves keeping posted on the abilities of different officers.

The Defence Department statement, however, said the most important function of the new directorate would be co-ordinate action taken on matters affecting more than one branch of the staff under the chief of the general staff.

A change in the type of truck used for transport, for example, is primarily a matter for the branch of the Master-general of the ordnance but it might also materially affect methods of training which come under the chief of the general staff's branch, the new directorate will serve as a liaison between the branches.

## Wheat Surplus Situation

OTTAWA, Sept. 28 —(CP) —Figures available tonight on movement of wheat to the prairie elevators are interpreted by trade department officials in Ottawa, as indicating there is no rush to deliver the quota of eight bushels to the acre.

With insufficient elevator space to take care of all the marketable wheat grown this year because so large a quantity of last year's crops is still held in storage, a quota of five bushels to the seeded acre was fixed so that each farmer would ge equal treatment. This was later increased to eight bushels to the acre.

Under the eight-bushel quota Manitoba farmers could have delivered 32,345,000 bushels up to Sept. 20 had delivered only 18,000,000. Officials here say that most of the threshing in Manitoba is completed and these figures indicate the farmers are in no particular hurry to get their wheat to the elevators and thereby convert it into cash.

The same officials regard the Saskatchewan and Alberta figures as not so conclusive because harvesting is later. The quota provided Saskatchewan farmers with elevator space for 129,373,000 bushels and 58,000,000 bushels had been delivered on Sept. 2. In Alberta the quota space was 71,800,000 bushels and the deliveries 17,500,000.

## Forestry Corps Armed For Close Fighting

OTTAWA, Sept. 29 —(CP) — While the primary function of the newly-organized Canadian Forestry Corps is the cutting of timber and construction and demolition work, it will be ready to take on the enemy at close range if occasion arises.

A statement from the Department of National Defence Saturday said the "corps is distinctly a combatant unit, equipped and trained to take its place in any military operation to which it might be called."

The lumberjacks and forestry workers who comprise the corps for the most part are no mean scrappers at any time and arms and military training will make them that much more formidable.

Except for two or three of the authorized 20 companies the corps now is fully recruited and undergoing advanced training in a central camp under its commander, Brig.-Gen. J. B. White, D.S.O., of Montreal.

Gen. White has been engaged in the forest industry all his life and was director of timber operations in France during the last war. His headquarters staff and company commanders are all officers experienced in the lumbering and allied industries and the men have staffs of lumber, pulp and paper companies across Canada.

Indication that Russia "had been taken care of" in the sweeping Rome-Berlin-Tokyo plans was given in the Nazi political commentary, Dienst Aus Deutschland, which said the step was taken "so that there can be no question of encroachment in foreign spaces by these powers."

In foreign office circles it was estimated that Japan probably would clear up any misunderstanding with the Soviet over disputed borders.

## Four Are Charged With Conspiracy

MONTREAL, Sept. 28 —(CP) — Four men, accused of violating foreign exchange restrictions, were held tonight for voluntary statement Oct. 4. "It seems to me these men should be interned," Judge F. T. Enright remarked as their preliminary hearing ended today.

Three of the group, Ernest Dallman, A. W. Glover and Joseph Reigler, all of Montreal, remained in custody when they were unable to surrender bail. The fourth, Rolf Pichon of Toronto, had been held without bail.

Phillipe Brais, K. C., counsel for the Justice Department, delared: "These men, your honor, have sabotaged Canada's war effort to the tune of about $70,000. That was the profit made through their activities in bringing bonds into this country at this time."

"While Canadians have been out in the front yard, they have been plundering the house," Judge Enright remarked.

The four are charged with conspiracy and with importing almost $300,000 worth of Dominion government bonds into Canada from the United States without permission from the foreign exchange control board.

The arrest of the four in Montreal and Toronto last week followed five months of investigation by Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Judge Enright interrupted the hearing on its second day by announcing he had heard enough evidence to establish a prima facie case against the group.

## Turn Out Air Administration Staff Members

OTTAWA, Sept. 29 —(CP) — Training schools in Ontario and Quebec are turning out large numbers of men to increase the administration staff of the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, the Royal Canadian Air Force disclosed tonight.

An R.C.A.F. statement said that the personnel of the empire plan now exceeds 20,000 officers and men. Ultimately, twice this number will be used.

It reported the largest single group of men has been provided by the technical training school at St. Thomas, Ont.—1,428 skilled mechanics and craftsmen of various kinds. The St. Thomas school is turning out 150 more staff men each week.

The statement said that the accounting and equipment school at Trenton, Ont., has trained 41 equipment officers 634 equipment assistants, 60 accounting officers and 300 accounting clerks, and 171 additional men are trained each six weeks.

The school of administration at Trenton has trained 202 administrative officers, and turns out 40 more a month. The central flying school there has trained 157 flying instructors, and graduates 70 more every six weeks.

The Trenton Air Armament School has trained 392 armorers and armament officers, and its present output is 48 every three weeks.

At Toronto the aircraft inspectors division school trains 25 inspectors weekly, and the school of aeronautical engineering at Montreal trains 20 engineer officers every three weeks.

No. 1 wireless school at Montreal has trained 28 signal officers, 367 ground wireless operators and 40 wireless electrician mechanics. A second wireless school has just been opened at Calgary.

One detachment of 120 ground wireless operators recently was sent overseas from the Montreal school at the request of the Royal Air Force.

## Believe Crew Of Missing Sub Prisoners

LONDON, Sept. 29—(CP CABLE) The commander, officers and a number of the crew of the British submarine Shark, reported lost by the Admiralty July 15, are believed to be prisoners of war in Norway.

The parents of Lt.-Cmdr. P. N. Buckley, commander of the Shark, said tonight that they had received two letters from him Saturday saying that he was receiving treatment for head and knee wounds in a Norwegian hospital.

The letters were dated mid-July and did not give any details. Four other officers and a number of the submarine's 39 ratings also are believed prisoners.

### WILL HEAD CAMP BORDEN

OTTAWA, Sept. 29.—(CP) — The Camp Borden Air Command in Ontario is due to turn over shortly to Group Capt. R. S. Grandy, formerly officer commanding the R.C.A.F. air station at Dartmouth, N.S., according to an Air Ministry announcement. Tomorrow student pilots making up the first class of students under the British Commonwealth air training plan at Camp Borden will receive their wings.

### FATALLY INJURED IN CRASH

BRIDGEWATER, N. S., Sept. 29 —(CP)—Lester Johnson, 42 of Danesville, N. S., died at the Dawson Memorial Hospital here after being struck by a car and thrown from his bicycle Saturday.

The collision occurred on the Bridgewater - Liverpool highway when a car driven by Willard D. Minard of Milton struck Johnson as he was crossing the road to enter his home.


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## Spanish Leader Dies In Prison

MADRID, Sept. 28 (AP) —Julian Besteiro, 70-year-old Socialist leader and last head of the Spanish Republican government, died tonight in prison at Carmona, Seville Province.

Besteiro had been in prison since Sept. 4, 1939, when he began serving a 30-year-old sentence imposed by a military tribunal which convicted him of helping prolong the Spanish Civil War.

The former law professor had been ill some time of tuberculosis.

Besteiro, a founder of the Socialist party in Spain, came out of retirement toward the end of the war with the announced purpose of seeking an "honorable peace" with Franco.

Just before Madrid's surrender, he took part in the overthrow of former premier Juan Negrin's regime, on March 5, 1939, and took his place at the head of the battered Republican government.

To Besteiro's broadcast appeals for a negotiated peace the only reply was: "Unconditional surrender." He submitted to arrest readily when Franco's troops marched into the city on March 28, 1939, without firing a shot. Besteiro was tried and convicted.

## Crew Abandons Grounded Ship

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 29—(AP) —Their vessel pounded to pieces by heavy seas, 30 weary crewmen of the wooden steamer Alice Tebb abandoned her yesterday and were taken aboard the steamship Samuel Q. Brown shortly before the Tebb sank 100 miles northeast of Jacksonville.

The Tebb, 2,426-ton freighter, was hammered relentlessly Friday night by high seas and at 5 a. m. Saturday she radioed for help.

From then on, a series of terse messages told the story of her crew's game but lost battle against the grim Atlantic but early this afternoon the crew was forced to give up and board the Brown.

Meanwhile, the coast guard cutter Tallapoosa, operating out of Savannah, Ga., was standing by to give medical aid to a Tebb crewman reported to have suffered a broken leg and internal injuries.

## Best Of Food For Trainees

OTTAWA, Sept. 28 —(CP) —Men trained under the compulsory military training scheme which begins to operate Oct. 9, need not worry about what they will have to eat in camps. They will have "everything from soup to nuts." And it will be prepared by real cooks.

The national defence department announced tonight that the food will be prepared and dished up by men who really "know their onions." These cooks will be a permanent staff in the centres to which they are assigned, after completing a special training course at Camp Borden.

During the six-weeks' course, they were shown how to to prepare generous, sanitary and good tasting rations based on recommendations of a committee of scientists and experts in dietetics. Formed through the National Research Council of Canada, the committee has worked out a diet providing for a balanced ration featuring health-giving foods.

The menu for trainees will be the same as that for Canada's armed forces and includes 17 standard commodities and certain alternatives such as chocolate for tea or coffee. The diet is arranged also to bring under-nourished men to the pink of physical condition in a short period and then maintain that condition.

### DIES OF INJURIES

ANTIGONISH, N. S., Sept. 29—(CP)—Warrant Officer Malcolm MacAulay, 44, of Vancouver, died in hospital here Saturday after suffering injuries in a fall aboard a Royal Canadian Navy vessel. His skull was fractured in the 15-foot fall, and he failed to regain consciousness. His body will be forwarded to Vancouver tonight.

### BEHEADED FOR MUTINY

BERLIN, Sept. 29.—(AP) —Wilhelm Schwabe, 29, Paul Bugla, 30, and Walter Jenner, 41, were beheaded Saturday for mutiny in Muenster prison. They were charged with using war conditions—especially confusion during an air raid alarm—to attempt escape.


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## 1870 Famine Days Recalled In Nazi Paris

By Robert Okin
Associated Press Staff Writer

PARIS, Sept 25 —(Via Berlin, delayed) —(AP) — A true picture of Paris under German occupation in 1940 would have as one of its main panels a view of a food queue and one of a ration card.

Frenchmen say that never since the famine of 1871 has it been so difficult to obtain food in Paris.

When butter and oil disappeared completely French cooks found themselves baffled. They might have been able to get something to cook, but they didn't know how to cook it.

Other staples such as cheese, eggs, and coffee, disappeared, and rice, spaghetti, milk, chocolate and salt were scarce and obtained only after long waits in line.

The food-card system was conceded by most people to be fair but like so many French masures, it tends to be complicated. To the point was a newspaper cartoon which showed a child saying to a companion:

"Mama has gone to wait in line to get a card to avoid waiting in line."

Lines form for everything now Hundreds fall in before coffee bars to get breakfast. Stores selling chocolate bars always have a huge audience on the days they are permitted to open. Crowds of people swinging tin pails or clutching empty bottles means somewhere ahead is either a dairy or a wine shop.

Restaurants thus far have managed to get sufficient food and those who eat out have been lucky, but new restrictions go into effect for them next month.

## 8 Construction Contracts Let

OTTAWA, Sept. 29.—(CP) — The awarding of eight construction contracts, totalling $1,078,000, on which work begins immediately, was announced today by the Munitions and Supply Department.

The contracts include:—

General reconnaissance school, Debert, N.S., $372,000, wood construction Acme Construction Company, Saint John, N.B.

Service flying training school, Moncton, N.B., $73,000, heating systems, October, Connolly and Twizzell Ltd., Montreal.

Dartmouth air station, Dartmouth, N.S., $45,000, road services November, Newton Construction Co., Sherbrooke, Que.

Service flying training school, Moncton, N.B., $21,000, heating systems, October, Moncton Plumbing and Heating Co., Moncton.

General reconnaissance school, Debert, N.S., $337,000, wood construction, December, Storms Contracting Co., Toronto.

## Soldiers' Vote SwingsPendulum In Australia

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SYDNEY, N.S., Sept. 29. — (CP Cable)—The vote of Australia's soldiers overseas has swung the pendulum in Australia's recent election to the side of Labor, and narrowed the majority of Prime Minister Menzies to two, perhaps three, in the House of Representatives.

Eight seats still are doubtful and Labor needs five of these to deprive the government of a working majority. Observers concede Labor the chance of winning four of the doubtful seats and a 50-50 chance to obtain the fifth.

Greatest surprise in the week-end count of the soldiers' vote was the election of Labor Leader John Curtin, who himself had given up the Fremantle seat as lost, and had already begun preparations to run in a seat Labor planned to vacate for him.

Mr. Menzies is expected to renew his invitation to Labor to join in a coalition, but though some Labor members favor acceptance, the majority still seem opposed.

Decision to participate in a national government can only be arrived at by an inter-state Labor conference which would have to be called upon to reverse a previous decision against participation. Labor has offered however, to create an advisory council, to work with the government.

In view of the close vote the Australian press today demanded formation of a national government in order to push the Australian war effort.

Brazil sent 3,100 pounds of sugar to the British Red Cross for use in hospitals.