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"The Strongest Memory is Weaker than the Weakest Ink."

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More Money Needed

War is never cheap, but it is a million times cheaper to win than to lose. Mr. G. W. Spinney, national chairman of the War Finance Committee, told a Vancouver audience recently...

It is plain that in order to carry out this program, both the wealthy and people with slender means, will be forced to budget expenditures more and more carefully...

Business firms and other organizations which make a practise of showing individuals how to budget every last cent of their incomes are rendering an invaluable service to Canada's War Finance program.

Bigger Raids in Store

London sources have said more than once during recent weeks that as autumn approaches the air raids on Germany will be more frequent and the full might of Britain's aerial power be used...

Air Marshal Sir Arthur Travis Harris, of Great Britain, who is the military genius behind the mass raids over Rostock, Cologne, Essen and other German cities, was credited with saying...

It may never be possible to launch air raids on such lines as that, says an exchange, but it has been proved that the raid of a thousand planes, and even twelve hundred, is practicable and can be done with losses that are not serious...

Behind The Budget

This year the Dominion Government will spend \$3,000,000,000—equal to \$339 for every person in the country. War will take at least \$3,200,000,000 of this sum, equivalent to \$478 for every Canadian...

Who performed the gargantuan task of preparing the details of this staggering war budget? Finance Minister Halsey, who delivered it in the House of Commons, is too modest a man to claim the credit...

Times, include Fraser Elliott, K. C., Commissioner of Income Taxation, Hugh Scully, Commissioner of Customs, Dave Sim, Commissioner of Excise, Hector MacKinnon, Commissioner of Tariff, Professor MacIntosh, economist, Kenneth Eaton (Harvard) taxation expert, John Deutsche, of the research staff of the Bank of Canada...

EDITORIAL NOTES

The last day of summer, according to the calendar, but not of summer weather.

Pulman accommodation is at a premium these days, as returning holiday makers find.

Parliamentarians will shortly have an opportunity of meeting their constituents individually if not collectively, and explaining just why they didn't.

That Stradivarius claimed to have been purchased here by an orchestra conductor may be one of those referred to in our correspondence columns some time ago, imitations of the real thing of which there are still a few in the province.

A man in San Francisco "confessed" he committed murder in 1937 in New Jersey. Subsequent investigation showed he made up the story in the hope of getting a free ride back to New Jersey where he belonged.

Walter Horatio Pater, English critic, died this date 1894; at an early age came under the influence of Keble and of Ruskin; educated at Oxford, he was a fellow of Brasenose College; visiting Italy he made a prolonged study of Italian art and humanisms...

Peat moss has several uses. It is used as a fertilizer, as stable and poultry litter, as packing material for fruits, vegetables, eggs, plants, and fragile articles, and also as an insulating material in the building trades...

The constituents which render seaweed valuable as a fertilizer are nitrogen, phosphoric acid, potash, common salt and organic matter. This fertilizer has the advantage of being free from weed seeds and disease germs.

Despite the Prime Minister's lengthy and dramatic self-justification, no one is convinced he really needs a third confidence vote in order to enforce overseas conscription, says the Gazette. By coming back for a vote of confidence Mr. King will consummate a political manoeuvre so smart as to verge upon genius...

Those able bodied shirkers who like others to do their fighting for them and endeavour not to look uncomfortable in the presence of "he" men and women, will read with considerable self-satisfaction the appeal to "women" to enlist on their behalf, by Lieut-Col. Joan Kennedy, of the Canadian Women's Army Corps.

Crops generally have made satisfactory progress, says the Bank of Montreal Crop report. Unsettled weather has prevailed in parts of New Brunswick and warm, dry weather would be beneficial; rain is needed throughout the remainder of the Maritimes...

NOTES BY THE WAY

"This is an appropriate time," says an eminent oldie to remember that mosquitoes are distinguished from all other gnats by a fringe of scale-like hairs on their wings.

We repeat, we have nothing against dogs. We prefer cats, but dogs are all right. What is it that we do not like is dog worship. And we do not believe that a dog is man's best friend; man's best friend (and worst enemy) is man.

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second front. I suppose that settles it! But of course wars cannot be managed by a town meeting or a Gallup Poll. An invasion of Europe is a task in organization and equipment beyond the imagination of most laymen...

How long will it take him to get a million? The answer is 68.2 years. Since hardly any man will ever have just that good investment luck, he has had to make his money in other ways...

--- CANADIAN ARMY ---

RECRUITS WANTED

A large number of girls can be accepted for immediate enlistment in the Canadian Women's Army Corps. Ages 18 to 45. Sergeant Taylor of this Corps is now at the Recruiting office and can supply full information to all interested.

GENERAL ENLISTMENTS

Recruits are needed for all branches of the Canadian Active Army, and are being enlisted as usual at the Recruiting Station at the Charlottetown Armouries.

MEDICAL BOARDS

Medical Examining Boards for the examination of all recruits meet at the Charlottetown Armouries on MONDAY and THURSDAY of each week, and at the Summer-side Armouries on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday in each month.

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PEACE WITH A SWORD
So long the Damoclean sword had hung
Above us we were confident its blade
Would be withheld, Tenaciously we clung...

Those were the darker days,
Most unsure, when stratagems, evasions and deceit
Left us, instead of stronger, less secure,
Hugging a safety that was half retreat.

—Leslie Nelson Jennings in the New York Times.

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