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—RED CROSS dance in James McNeill's warehouse, Kensington, on Tuesday, June 23rd. Summerside orchestra. Old time and modern dancing. Sponsored by Busy Bees. 6-22-23.

—MARRIED IN HALIFAX—Miss Helen C. Rogers, R.N., of Halifax, N.S. and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rogers of Kensington was married in Halifax on Sunday night to Lieut. Cyril Hickey, son of Mrs. Hickey of Summerside and the late J. C. Hickey.

—TWO DELIVERIES daily at Brace's; one must contain meat, fish, lard or shortening and each must amount to at least $1.00; at 10.30 a.m. and 4 p.m. daily. Wednesday excepted, one delivery only at 11 a.m. 6-23-2i.

—FUNERAL ON WEDNESDAY —The funeral of Mrs. Stephen Gallant who was killed on the highway on Saturday night will be held on Wednesday morning from St. Anne's Church on Lennox Island. The remains which are resting at Percy L. Bowness' undertaking parlors will be conveyed to Port Hill on Tuesday and taken across by motor boat to the island.—S.

—LEAVE FOR VICTORIA — The Misses Teresa and Susie Fitzpatrick of Summerside left on Monday morning for Victoria, B.C., on a visit to their brother, Mr. Peter Fitzpatrick. It is rather interesting to note that the sisters have never met their brother, he having left home when one was only 3 months old and before the other sister was born. Their many friends hope they will have a pleasant trip and happy visit. —S

—FOR SALE. — Pure Bred Registered Holstein Bull, three years old. Sure stock getter, perfectly quiet. Ambrose Curley, Freetown.

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—PREACHED FAREWELL SERMON — Rev. Kenneth Sullivan preached his farewell sermon to a large congregation on Sunday evening in Trinity United Church. Rev. Mr. Sullivan leaves shortly to act as chaplain in the armed forces. —S.

—DEDICATION SERVICE — A beautiful oak communian table, the gift of Mrs. A. E. MacLean in memory of her husband, the late Hon. A. E. MacLean, M.P., for Prince County was dedicated at the morning service of the Presbyterian Church at Summerside on Sunday. Rev. Wm. VerWolfe, pastor, held the short dedication service before the usual service. He took the texts Rev. 14, versus 1 and 12. The Hymns "For all the Saints" and the Church's One Foundation were sung. Rev. Mr. VerWolfe spoke briefly of the late Mr. MacLean and his work for the church, and in accepting the gift of behalf of the Board of Stewards dedicated the communion table to the Glory of God and in memory of a noble life. A ladies quartette, Mrs. Hubley, Mrs. Whalen, Mrs. Mill and Mrs. Cameron sang an appropriate hymn at the regular service following the dedication. —S

—DEATH OF MRS. BENJAMIN BERNARD — There passed away in the Prince County Hospital on Friday evening after an illness of some months, Mrs. Benjamin Richard at 67 years of age. Mrs. Richard was a woman with many estimable qualities and a devout member of St. Paul's Church. She leaves to mourn her husband, three sons and three daughters, Bennie serving with the armed forces overseas; Owen in Bath, Maine; and William at home; Mrs. Peter Sonler and Mrs. John Grady of Summerside and Mrs. John Berwick of Kitchener, Ontario. The funeral will take place this morning at 9 o'clock from her late residence to St. Paul's Church. —S

AXIS FORCES

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of the British line, brushing aside the light tanks of the defenders, and strike northeastward toward the Nile valley.

It was calculated that reinforcements by United States forces in Asia would be impossible for two months and that if reinforcements had to be sent from the United States they could hardly take a hand in the battle in less than five months.

Few Escaped

There were dismal indications that only a few of the British, South African and Indian troops making up the Tobruk garrison had escaped.

Four vessels with supplies escaped from the harbor while it was under shell fire and air attack, and some troops reached the British lines after making their way through enemy formations, but their numbers were not large.

(A BBC observer in Cairo said there was no question of embarking troops and that destruction of motor transport made any large break-through by land impossible. Gen. Jan Smuts, South African Prime Minister, announced that "substantial numbers" of South Africans had been lost at Tobruk, but said that most of the South Africans in the campaign remained in the field as a "strong, well-equipped and experienced force."

Nazis Claim 28,000 Prisoners

(The German high command claimed Tobruk prisoners now totalled 28,000; that more than 100 tanks had been captured or destroyed, and that a group of eight small British ships which tried to escape from Tobruk had been destroyed by a German motor torpedo boat flotilla. German minesweepers, it was said, already were at work in Tobruk harbor.

(The Italians claimed the capture of the Tobruk commander and five other British generals).

British forces still hold the top of the escarpment which rises 700 feet above Salum and Capuzzo near the frontier.

TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of the dwelling house and lot and lands of the late A. J. MacLeod of Stanley Bridge. Separate tenders of each property will be accepted. Tenders opened Saturday, June 27 at 12 o'clock. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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SUMMERSIDE

Songs, Color Add To Love Theme Of "Smilin' Through"

The "escape" from the turmoil of present-day problems to realms of romance and music, which is an important need of audiences today, is answered in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Smilin' Through," the M-G-M film opening at the Capitol Theatre, Summerside, starring Jeanette MacDonald and Brian Aherne, with Gene Raymond.

Filmed in Technicolor and replete with some of the most delightful music ever to reach the screen, sung by Miss MacDonald, "Smilin' Through" presents the star in the dual part of the old-fashioned heroine, Moonyean, and her modern niece, Kathleen. It is the death of Moonyean on her wedding day to Aherne, who enacts the role of Sir John Carteret, which forms the basis of the story of a love that endured fifty years and conquered death.

A Brilliant Cast

Aherne does the finest work of his career as Sir John, and his change from a young man of twenty to one of seventy is the most realistic aging characterization the screen has yet seen. Miss MacDonald has never been more beautiful than as Moonyean, and her death scene is one which will go down as one of the screen's finest artistic accomplishments.

For the first time in their screen careers, Miss MacDonald and Gene Raymond appear together. Particularly outstanding in the featured cast of the picture are Ian Hunter, seen as the Rev. Owen Harding, and Patrick O'Moore, Frances Robinson and seven-year-old Jackie Horner.

Frank Borzage, who has long been rated the secreen's finest director of love stories, more than makes good his right to the title.

Britons Are Stirred By Tobruk Fall

LONDON, June 22— (CP)—The presence of Axis troops on the frontier of Egypt, coupled with the loss of Tobruk, brought forth a wave of editorial criticism in the British press tonight, seemingly paving the way for a still heavier storm due to break on the Churchill Government when the House of Commons reassembles.

The Daily Herald called the Axis triumph, now menacing allied control of the Mediterranean and the Middle East, "a grave, humiliating disaster to British arms," while the News-Chronicle labeled it "a serious knock; the most serious since Singapore." The Daily Mail saw in the defeat "another stern warning of the great strength and resourcefulness of our main enemy."

While Prime Minister Churchill is in the United States conferring with President Roosevelt, he is linked in the mind of the average Briton with military strategy and thus is vulnerable after a defeat in the field.

Dominions Secretary Clement Attlee probably will make a statement on the Libyan campaign to the next session of Parliament. But the real fireworks will start when Mr. Churchill rises to deal with the Middle East situation.

House of Commons critics said they would insist on something more than a general picture of events in Libya from Mr. Churchill. There was no disposition among members of Parliament to take the fall of Tobruk as coolly as the surrender of Singapore.

Dispatches from correspondents at the front fanned the public anger. A story in Lord Beaverbrook's Evening Standard called "faulty leadership" one reason for the defeat.

The favored explanation by government spokesmen was that the British forces, although they had "some" American-made "Gen. Grant tanks" and "some" new anti-tank guns, did not have enough to check the Germans. But political experts found such statements deficient in view of Britain's vast production efforts and privations caused by diversion of shipping to military convoys.

There was no weakening in the faith of the allies' ability to "bring our enemies to their knees," as Mr. Churchill promised Stalin, but there was bitter disillusionment.

The Evening News, usually strongly pro-Churchill, said tonight that "Parliament will fail its duty if it does not probe this new inglorious failure (Tobruk) to its [illegible]"

Girl Tells

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ret to the Smyth family, according to Miss Smyth.

"I'm going to tell you something, and I hope you'll promise not to tell on me," he was quoted as saying. "I'm a German flier and I escaped this morning."

Miss Smyth, who said she was suspicious of the man throughout the evening, said she asked him why he made such an admission if this was true.

"Because I don't want you to get into trouble," he replied.

Then, after telling them his correct name, the German turned and quickly left the house.

Miss Smyth said her sister, Margaret immediately notified North Bay police by telephone that a German prisoner of war had just left the house and was taking the train for Montreal.

"She related the facts of the case briefly and urged that a quick check of the train be made but the policeman told her if it had been a German he would not have admitted it," Miss Smyth said.

"My sister sought to impress upon the police officer the urgency of having the train checked and told him there was no doubt but that the man was an escaped German."

The following afternoon, Miss Smyth said, her brother, John, phoned the police to find out what happened. She said he was informed the police had no record of the call.

Chief William Clark of the North Bay police force said today he had been out of the city at the time and could not comment on what had happened.

Inspector William Gartshore said the sergeant on duty at the time the call was made had been questioned concerning the incident. The sergeant's name was Michaud, the inspector said, and he explained he made no note of the call because it was an anonymous one.

"Sergeant Michaud is preparing a statement in writing covering the incident," the inspector said, "but he claims he reported the call to the military police, thinking it was up to them to handle the situation.

Miss Smyth said her sister had identified herself when the call was made.

At the same time military police authorities denied they had been notified of the call.

"If the military police had been told a German prisoner of war was at large in North Bay, we would have been down there so fast it would have made your head swim," according to Lieut. J. C. Chartres, adjutant at the military training centre here.

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Borden

Mr. and Mrs. William Pickering and son Elwood of Borden visited relatives in French River on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Dorsey and Mrs. Louis Hackett of Borden were visitors to Summerside on Tuesday.

Mrs. Julian Herring and Mrs. J. V. MacDonald, delegates from Borden Women's Institute are attending the annual Convention in Charlottetown.

Messrs John MacKenzie and Russell Bell of Borden left on Tuesday morning for Louzon, Que.

Mr. Frank Dorsey, R.C.A.F. is spending a few days leave at his home in Borden.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell of Cape Traverse and Mrs. Campbell's sister Mrs. Thomas Pelletier of Catalac, Quebec were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Herring of Borden on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Harry Crossman and Mrs. Albert Jay of Borden were visitors to Freetown on Friday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Jardine and Miss Rena Crossman.

Many friends here learned with deep regret of the death at Moncton on June 14th of Mrs. Lucy MacQuarrie, widow of the late Donald MacQuarrie at the age of 81 years. For many years the late Mr. and Mrs. MacQuarrie had resided in Borden where they were highly esteemed by the community.

Mrs. Norman Oatway and son Wendell of Borden visited Halifax where her son Edward Oatway, R.C.N.V.R. is stationed. On the return trip they visited at Truro, where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edison Baird former residents of Borden.

On Tuesday evening the Borden parishioners held their regular auction party in the town hall with four tables playing. Ladies prize was won by Mrs. Cecil Stewart gents by Mr. Montague Campbell with consolation prizes going to Mrs. Margaret Ferguson and Mr. Reginald Rodgers. The freezeout prize was won by Mrs. Eddie Richard. —A.

Fish Market

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Rustico.

The proposition advanced by these two men was briefly that they would agree to entirely renovate the present fish market and maintain an up-to-date service six days a week. They would lease the section of the building from the City at the rate of $35 each month, to be paid in advance. These men promised to install new sinks, an electric show case, refrigerators, paint the walls and make other alterations. The project would cost them in the vicinity of $25000, Coun. MacKinnon stated.

The only requirements of the city would be the opening of another door on the Library end of the building and the levelling of the floor.

Several Councillors favored this proposition while others were not in favor of leasing the market to any one firm. The latter group held that this was contrary to the original idea of a City Market where the farmers and fishermen could come in and sell their produce. They were against creating a "monopoly". Those who favored the proposition deplored the present condition of the market and argued that conditions would remain the same under the present set-up. A couple of the Councillors were undecided and suggested that they be given time to consider it before voting.

Those who opposed granting the lease included: Councillors B. Earle MacDonald, A. T. MacKinnon, F. C. Dougan. Those favoring the leasing of the fish market were: Councillors T. A. Butler and J. T. McKee. Councillors R. C. Chandler and J. E. Sterns said they were not prepared to vote on the question and asked further time to consider it. Coun. J. E. Blanchard favored putting the market in a sanitary condition but did not agree with allowing it to operate six days a week.

Mayor B. Roy Holman said the fish market had always been a "nuisance" and had cost the city thousands of dollars. He declared that something must be done soon to put it in a sanitary condition. The way it is at present "the Board of Health should close it". He added that the present tenants "never attempted to keep it as they should have."

Budget Speech In House Tonight

OTTAWA, June 22—(CP)—Finance Minister Ilsley said in the House of Commons today that his budget will be presented tomorrow night at 8 p.m. E.D.T. (8 p.m. A.D.T.) instead of in the afternoon as [illegible]

Kensington and Vicinity

Mr. Ernest Robertson of Summerside, spent the week end in Kensington the guest of his friend, Mr. Ingham MacNeill.

Mr. David MacLean of Wolfville, is spending a few days in Kensington, the guest of his sister Mrs. James MacDougall and his brother Mr. William MacLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacFadyen of Hunter River, spent Sunday here, the guests of Mrs. MacFadyen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Folland.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dunning, of Clinton, spent a pleasant holiday with relatives and friends here.

Miss Annie Carr spent a couple of days recently at her home in New London.

On the Sunday of June 7th the children of the Sunday School of the Kensington Presbyterian church, had charge of the morning church service, speaking and singing, with their emphasis upon "Foreign Missions." After the Scripture lesson, prayer and the first hymn by the congragation the children took over They sang the chorus "We Are Junior Workers" first followed with the Mission Band. Motto, "The World for Christ." The Rev. Mr. Nichols asked them questions of a Missionary Nature, which were answered very well. Elaine Humphrey, Neva Heckbert, Helen Pendleton and Freda Heckbert, took part in an exercise entitled "God's Little Bee". Allan Champion and Jackie Bernard then gave, "When I'm a Man." A duet was sung very ably by June and Harold Paynter, entitled "Working Together", then Ellsworth Inman, Harold Paynter, Earl Dunning, Gordon Kennedy and Wendell Paynter gave an exercise "Our Gifts". June Semple followed with a recitation and also a solo "Birds Are Singing." This was followed with an exercise by Henrietta MacArthur, Marjorie Mann and Betty Pendleton. June Paynter again brought the congregation a message on "Ten Little Fingers." Charles Bearisto and Alfred Anderson gave a recitation which was followed with a dialogue by Norma Humphrey and Margaret Jardine. Isabel Jardine, Frances Adams, Shirley Kennedy and Sylvia Pendleton gave an exercise at the end of which they sang a hymn. The children's part of the service closed with recitations by Eleanor Bernard, Carole Adams and Olive Ferrish. Mr. Nichols gave an object lesson with a tray of salt, an electric light and the cross, and as the light got nearer the "cross" it increased in intensity, drawing its current from the water. This illustrated the fact that when our lives come nearer the cross they become brighter for Christ." Hymn 794 "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" was sung followed with the "National Anthem" after which the Benediction was pronounced by Rev. Gordon Nichols. The children performed very well and much credit is due Mrs. Lorne Dunning and Mrs. Robert Humphrey for their labors with the children.

Lance Corporal Ivan Duggan is spending a pleasant furlough in French River with his wife.

Mrs. William S. MacLean and Miss Grace MacPhee have as their guest here, their mother, Mrs. MacPhee of Sheet Harbour.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Woodside returned to their home in Malpeque from Montreal, where Mr. Woodside underwent a serious operation. His many friends are very pleased to see him home again.

Mr. and Mrs. William Roach of Summerside spent Sunday in Kensington the guest of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Keyes of Montague, were in Kensington on Sunday, the guests of Mrs. Keyes mother. Mrs. Kentford Waite.

On Wednesday evening June 10th, a large number of relatives, friends and neighbours gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arnold Douglas, in honor of their son, Keith, who left Saturday morning for Edmundston, N. B., where he entered the services of the R.C.A.F. About 10.30, Mr. Harry Bowness took the part of chairman and with a few opening remarks stated the reason for the gathering and congratulated Mr. and Mrs. Douglas on having Keith, their second son to enter the R. C. A. F. within a year. Mr. Bowness then called on Mr: Ian Webster who read an address, while Mr. Keith Stewart presented "Keith" with a well filled purse, to which Keith responded in a few well chosen words, after which all joined in singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." Mrs. Lenora Cameron and Mrs. Robert Bowness on behalf of all present each made a few remarks, wishing Keith the best of luck in his chosen duties. After which Keith was bounced and lunch served by the ladies. The remainder of the evening was spent in playing cards and dancing, the music being supplied by the Misses Jean and Thelma Andrews, assisted by the Messrs. Harry Bowness and Ivan Bowness.—H.

Prelude To Peace Drive?

LONDON, June 23—(Tuesday) —(CP)— Pierre Laval's broadcast over the Vichy radio "probably will prove the prelude to a peace offensive in the Axis press, timed to exploit Rommel's success" in the western desert, the diplomatic correspondent of the Free French information agency wrote today.

(Laval asked Frenchmen to collaborate with the Germans and expressed hope for a German victory.)

The correspondent said fresh pressure evidently was being brought to bear on "wait-and-see" elements in Vichy at a moment when Libyan events were embarrassing them.

BATTLESHIP MAKINGS

LONDON — (CP) — Sufficient metal for 13 35,000-ton battleships has been recovered by melting down railings and gates in Britain, London alone contributing [illegible]

You **have** to perspire—
You **don't have** to offend!

A girl may meet the man of her dreams—but she'll never win his heart if she is careless about "B.O."

No one can take personal freshness for granted. We ALL perspire. It's going on constantly, winter or summer. When perspiration stays on your skin, it becomes offensive and results in "B.O." That is why we all need regular Lifebuoy protection. Lifebuoy is the ONE soap especially made to PREVENT "B.O." No other popular soap contains Lifebuoy's special deodorizing ingredient to give you ALL-OVER, LASTING PROTECTION.

Start using Lifebuoy today and you'll actually feel the difference. Its rich, tangy lather is marvelously REFRESHING. You'll step out of your bath *sure* of all-day freshness. Use Lifebuoy for your face and hands, too. It's 20% MILDER than many so-called beauty and baby soaps.

LIFEBUOY *FROM HEAD TO TOE—IT STOPS* **B.O.**

MacDonald

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today in the ranks of the Opposition."

Defence Minister Ralston told the House that it was indicated possibly two enemy craft took part in the Saturday night shelling of the government wireless and telegraph station at Estevan Point on the west coast of Vancouver Island.

Thirty or more shells were fired but no damage was caused.

Finance Minister Ilsley announced his budget will be presented at 9 p.m. A.D.T. tomorrow instead of at 4 p.m., the customary time in past years.

Answering an inquiry by Conservative House leader Hanson, Prime Minister Mackenzie King said the situation in the Middle East was as critical as any which had arisen in that area since the war began.

Mr. King recalled it was the anniversary of the German attack on Russia. He wished to say on behalf of the House and the Canadian people how great was their admiration of the Russian fight during the past year. He wanted Russia to know "how wholeheartedly we are with her forces in this conflict."

In his speech on the conscription-enabling bill, Mr. Macdonald said a person who had listened to the debate, now in its ninth day, might well gain the impression the majority of members were against conscription in any circumstances.

It had been said that conscription for overseas had little or no value and would not appreciably increase the number of men available for overseas. If this were so, there had been waste of valuable time in discussing it, and the manpower plebiscite bill and the plebiscite vote were unnecessary moves.

The navy minister proceeded: "If conscription is of no value and cannot be of any value, then the plebiscite was of no value.

"It was worse than valueless: it had a definite minus value because it cost money, required time, required energy, had stirred up feelings, had created bitterness that had much better never been born.

"If conscription is of no value it was foolish to seek release from a pledge against it."

Ralph Maybank (Lib. Winnipeg South Centre) said events in the war so far had indicated there was no natural inferiority in men called for compulsory military service.

He suggested the government go to the eight provinces which had voted "yes" in the manpower plebiscite and tell them more time was required by Quebec.

Quebec should be informed there was no imperialism about the present war and that it was solely for the defence of Canada. There was hope for the continued unity of Canada if a policy of candor were adopted.

Dr. G. Fauteux (Lib. Montreal-St. Mary) speaking in English, said he would vote against conscription and in doing so would be keeping faith with his electors. He spoke in English out of deference to the English-speaking members who had spoken kindly of Quebec in the debate.

Navy Minister Macdonald said the moment when Canada would require conscription for overseas might come suddenly and the government should be in a position to act without delay.

There should be no doubt this was a Canadian war, for the news had been received within the last 24 hours of an attack on Canadian soil by a hostile power.

"The Japanese evidently regard this as a Canadian war," said Mr. Macdonald, referring to the shelling of Estevan Point, Vancouver Island Saturday night.

Members had contended that Northern Ireland, South Africa and Australia had not adopted compulsory service for overseas. But New Zealand, Great Britain, the United States and Russia had adopted conscription.

It was raising a "weak sort of bogey" to say that sending men overseas would strip industry and agriculture of manpower as this would be guarded against by the government. The minister recalled the argument of Ross Macdonald (Lib. Brantford City) who said that if every nation confined itself to production there would be no one to fight.

"The real truth is that successful war effort involves both civilians and members of the armed forces," said Mr. Macdonald. The two efforts must be properly co-ordinated.

"There seems to be general agreement here that it is all very well to send troops to Alaska or to any other point in the United States, but when it comes to sending troops across the water, across the Atlantic, you are going into an entirely new field."

If it were demonstrated to the Canadian people that the need of conscription for service overseas existed he believed they would desire to have the need filled. He believed that Canada would remain a united country, for with the realization the country was threatened there was no Canadian, seeing that condition, who would fail to support every effort to meet the threat.

Men At Tobruk Stunned By Nazi Attack

(By Edward Kennedy, Associated Press Staff Writer)

CAIRO, Egypt, June 22—(AP)— The German attack on Tobruk was a lightning blow that reduced the Libyan stronghold with such rapidity that it stunned the British defenders.

Many of them never had a chance to offer any real resistance whatever.

Details of the British debacle, which can now be told for the first time, show that the operation against Tobruk was one of the swiftest blows yet delivered in this war of speed and supplies.

Once having smashed through the perimeter of the port's outer defences, Marshal Rommel's tanks made straight for the waterfront.

Standing at the water's edge they put British minesweepers, trawlers, tank-carrying barges and smaller craft under immediate fire.

Then the Germans brought up heavy guns to add to the barrage. Some of the ships at the waterfront returned the fire, and the battle raged between tanks and cannon on one side and ships on the other.

The Germans had the advantage since, as far as is known, there were no heavy British vessels such as cruisers and destroyers in port.

Some of the ships got away, taking off 200 naval ratings, but first reports indicate few if any of the army personnel escaped.

Gen. Wavell's army took Tobruk in January, 1940, capturing 30,000 Italians there in a day and a half. That was considered a swift and brilliant feat.

But the Germans appear to have beaten this record by many hours.

Tobruk's fortifications are such that once its 30-mile perimeter of barbed wire, mine fields, tank traps and pill boxes is broken, it does not take long to reduce the entire stronghold because the perimeter defences can be rolled back from inside.

GRASS SHOES FOR DUTCH

LONDON — (CP) — Shoes made of grass now are manufactured in Holland, says "Vrij Nederland," Free Netherlands newspaper published in London. They are [illegible] without use of clothing ocupons.

Statment On Roosevelt And Churchill Talks

By J. F. Sandersen
Canadian Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, June 22—(AP)— Winston Churchill and President Roosevelt continued their conferences here tonight with the announced objective of obtaining "the earliest maximum concentration of Allied war power upon the enemy."

In a joint statement about the discussions they have been carrying on for four days, the President and the Prime Minister omitted details of decisions reached and of specific problems.

Speculation on these problems continued to centre on the possibility of establishing a second front in Europe, on the grave Axis menaces to Egypt, China and Sevastopol, and on the interlinked questions of supplies and shipping.

Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill said any unofficial statements about the course of their discussions could be nothing more than surmise. They let down the bars of secrecy far enough to disclose that they are "reviewing or, when necessary, further concerting the measures which have for some time past been on foot to develop and sustain the effort of the United Nations."

BUILD INLAND PLANTS

MELBOURNE — (CP) — Munitions plants numbering 13, costing £4,000,000 ($14,320,000) have been or will be established in inland areas of Australia in a "decentralization" plan.

COLGATES TALC
2 tins Special 25c

PETAL - TONE
Face Powder and Cologne
90c Value. Special 69c

LIFEBUOY SOAP — 3 for 20c
APPLE BLOSSOM SOAP
— — — — — — 6 for 29c
WOODBURY SOAP 4 for 25c

GIANT COLGATES TOOTH PASTE
15c HALO SHAMPOO
60c Value—Special 45c

CEDARIZED MOTH FLAKES
Large Package 25c

PREP
Prepares you for Shaving
23c Special

SAVE 16c
NOXZEMA SKIN CREAM
NOXZEMA COLD CREAM
56c Value—Special 40c

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CHINA CUPS & SAUCERS
FANCY PLATES

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