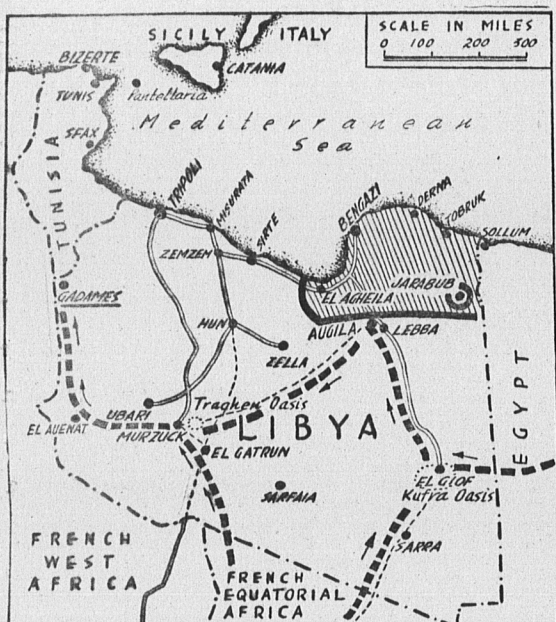


Punishment for Traffic Violations



Dutch bicycle owners who violate the rigid blackout violations by leaving their vehicles where pedestrians may stumble over them, sometimes find their cycles hanging from trees, lamp posts or statues. This statue in Amersfoort, Holland, honors Wilhelmina, queen of the Netherlands.

Today's War Map



British forces probably from Egypt or the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan have joined with Free French forces from French Equatorial Africa in southern Libya. They are only mechanized patrols and camel troops, roaming about through thousands of miles of desert, and capturing oases and destroying Italian stations and airports. Some weeks ago, it was said that Free French forces had destroyed the Italian outpost at Murzuk and captured the Italian post at El Gatran, 100 miles southeast of Murzuk. Since then it has been reported but not confirmed that the same forces moved westward and northward along the Tunisian frontier until they reached and captured Gadamus, only a little more than 200 miles from Tripoli. Now we know that the oasis of Kufra, in southeastern Libya, has been taken by Free French forces. All these places are located on the map. London states that British patrols, operating with the French, have destroyed Italian airfields at Murzuk and Kufra.

The Central Guardian

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CHARLOTTETOWN BOARD OF TRADE—Special General Meeting (Charlottetown Hotel, Friday next) 8 P. M. Business Provincial Marketing Act and Deep Water Terminal. L-41-2-19-21.

RETURN FROM FUNERAL—Terrence E. Campbell and Peter B. Campbell, R. C. A. F. have returned to St. Thomas and Toronto after attending the funeral of their father Mr. James Campbell.

WAR SAVINGS COMMITTEE—The following War Savings Committee has been formed for Crapaud: Doctor N. R. Boyver, Percy Dawson, Brent Wood.

Nursing sister Margaret Campbell who came home to attend the funeral of her father Mr. James Campbell, 99 Pownall Street, returned to Moncton by plane spending a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leo Power and Mrs. McLean then to Sydney where she is stationed, nursing in the Military Hospital.

Y. P. S. MEET.—The Young People's Society of the Lons Creek Baptist Church held their regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Currie on Tuesday night, followed by a Valentine Party and social. Thirty-eight members and visitors were present. A pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of a gift of silverware and an address to Rev. and Mrs. Todd in appreciation of their interest in the work of the young people. The presentation on behalf of the Society was made by Mrs. Malcolm MacNeill, the president. Mr. and Mrs. Currie were tendered a vote of thanks for their hospitality in entertaining the Society at their home.

GRANT-COMPTON—A pretty wedding took place in St. George's Anglican Church, Ottawa, on February 8, when Rev. J. J. Alexander united in marriage Miss Hope Genevieve Compton, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Compton, of Summerside, P. E. I., to LAC. Paul Milton Grant, of the R. C. A. F. at Uplands, Ottawa. Best man, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Allison Grant, of Canterbury, N. B. The bride looked lovely dressed in aquamarine blue with matching accessories and wore a corsage of sweet-heart roses and maiden hair fern. She was given in marriage by her mother, who wore dusky rose crepe with matching accessories and corsage of roses. Miss Marie McHugh attended the bride and wore rose crepe and matching accessories and corsage of roses, while the groom was supported by Leonard Burke. During the wedding ceremony and signing of the register J. Woodhouse, organist of St. George's Church, played the organ. Both bride and groom have many friends in Moncton who will join in wishing them many years of wedded bliss.—Moncton Exch.

Death Of Diocesan Priest Rev. Jos. Fay

(From The Western Catholic, Alberta)

It is with deep regret that we record the death of Rev. Joseph Fay, who passed to his eternal reward in an Edmonton hospital on Sunday, Jan. 19. Father Fay had been in ill health for the past few months, but, like the true pastor of his flock, that he was, he placed the spiritual interests of his people above his own personal concern. It was not until the heavy parochial work of the Christmas season was over that he sought relief and entered the hospital on January 2. His already critical condition became worse and it was evident to the hospital authorities that he could not recover. On learning of his condition, he began to prepare himself in a truly priestly manner for the supreme moment when God would call him to render an account of his stewardship; and a very important stewardship was his: a priest of God and a pastor of souls.

On Monday, Jan. 13, the late Father Fay had the privilege and grace of receiving the Sacrament of Extreme Unction from the hands of his Bishop, the Most Rev. J. H. MacDonald, Archbishop of Edmonton. From that hour up until within one minute of his death Father Fay's one thought was God. He professed with his dying breath the beautiful prayer of the Church: "Jesus, Mary and Joseph, may I breathe forth my soul in peace with you."

Such a death was in keeping with his life. His was a truly supernatural life, a life of oblation, and therefore, a constant preparation for death. As he had offered himself in union with the Divine Victim of the altar in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, and now the time had come to make that final oblation, just before his passing, he turned to one of the priests in attendance at his bed-side and asked him: "What time is it now?" On being told it was eight o'clock in the evening, he kept repeating from time to time the beautiful prayer of the Psalmist with which the Mass begins: "Introibo ad altare Dei. I will go unto the altar of God, to God Who giveth joy to my youth." May the same God give joy to his youth for all eternity.

Born in Newport

Father Joseph Fay was born at Newport, P.E.I., at the beginning of the present century. His early days were spent in the parishes of the rural school, Joe entered St. Dunstan's University, Charlottetown, and began to prepare himself more thoroughly for the goal which he had set his heart—the Catholic Priesthood.

Quebec Seminary

The more immediate preparation for his life's work was begun in September, 1920, when he entered the Quebec Seminary, Quebec City. Naturally, those were years of prayer and study through which the Church commands all ecclesiastical students to pass. To both prayer and study he devoted himself in his usual unostentatious manner.

Pastoral Charge

The well known prayer of Christ to His Apostles: "Lift up your eyes to the fields already white for the harvest" was to him in reality as the west, especially through the endeavours of the late beloved Archbishop O'Leary, was calling for missionaries. With God's grace he was able to answer the call. God did give the grace and Father Joe was ordained to the priesthood in the summer of 1924.

After his ordination Father Fay came west and immediately began his priestly work in the Archdiocese of Edmonton where he held many positions, first as assistant priest and afterwards as pastor. His first appointment was as assistant to Msgr. O'Gorman in Sacred Heart parish, Edmonton. He remained there but a few months when he was appointed pastor of the parish of Hanna where he remained for six years. He was next transferred to the parish of Daysland in which he spent the following three years before being appointed to Radway where he laboured for a short time until going to Mearns five years ago and where he was the pastor until his recent death.

Office For Dead

On Monday evening, Jan. 20th, the office for the dead was recited in the Cathedral. His Excellency Archbishop MacDonald presided, assisted by Rev. E. Rooney and Rev. P. Sullivan. A large number of the clergy from the city and diocese were present. The service at the Cathedral was necessarily



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to Newport to his mother's home where the remains rested until Sunday afternoon. While at Newport friends from far and near, despite the bad roads, came to pay their last respects, to console the bereaved, and to pray for the deceased priest's repose. On Sunday afternoon the remains were removed to St. George's Church where the deceased priest had been baptized, received his first Holy Communion was confirmed, and later in 1924 had been elevated to the Holy Priesthood. On Monday morning Solemn Requiem Mass was offered by Rev. Wm. McCabe, assisted by Rev. Owen Kiggins as Deacon and Rev. Leonard MacDonald as Sub-Deacon, and with Rev. Edmund Donahoe as Master of Ceremonies. The sermon for the occasion was delivered by Father Donahoe who paid tribute to the deceased. The mortal remains were then taken to the cemetery where they were laid to rest beside those of the late Monsignor MacLean and several other priests interred therein. The pall bearers were Capt. W. J. Sigsworth; Daniel N. MacLean; Augustus MacDonald; Angus D. Walker; Jerome MacDonald; and John Boudreau. The hearse driver was Peter Walker. May his soul rest in peace. Two forms of citizenship now exist in Switzerland.

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