

# RECRUITS

**THE PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND LIGHT HORSE**

Recruits are needed at once to complete the establishment of the Prince Edward Island Light Horse to go into annual Training in Charlottetown from August 1st to 30th. Anyone desiring to enlist should immediately report at the Armouries in Charlottetown. Ordinary Room open from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. (Daylight Saving Time), or write to Officer Commanding.

E. W. JOHNSTONE, Lt.-Col.  
P. E. I. Light Horse.

## The Central Guardian BETTER CHANCES NOW TO LIVE TO BE 100

This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a new nature may be inserted at 5 cents a word, strictly payable in advance.

**FUNERAL TODAY**—The funeral of Peter H. Eyrre will take place this morning at 9 a. m. (D.S.T.) from his late residence, 61 Pownall Street to St. Dunstan's Basilica, Cemetery to the Roman Catholic Cemetery.

**RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT**—At the annual meeting of the board of trustees of the Prince County hospital, Mr. H. T. Holman was re-elected president, Mr. C. R. Rogers, who presided in the absence of the president, was re-elected vice-president, Mr. James H. Prichard, Secretary-Treasurer and the five retiring trustees were all re-elected to the board. Other routine matters were discussed. —S.

## Jury Returns

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authorities that a guard-rail be placed at this particular turn." It was signed by the following jury: Edson Tanton (foreman), Arthur Clifton, A. K. MacDonald, Robert Bradley, Leighton Warren, Lloyd Williams and Samuel Gillis.

The evidence of several witnesses had been heard when the inquest opened Wednesday and it was then adjourned until next week. This was done because S. R. Johnston, one of the witnesses to be heard, was in the hospital. However, it was decided to go to the hospital yesterday and complete the evidence as one of the jurors is leaving for Halifax this morning.

The evidence of Johnston and that of L. MacDonald, Provincial Manager of Swift Canadian Company, was taken.

S. R. Johnston testified that he got up about 9.30 a. m. Sunday morning. At about 12 o'clock noon, Sunday, he was accompanied by Hans and John Warren to the Dingwall Mills to look over some pasture land. Warren was driving and witness was in the back seat with Hans.

He had not noticed anything until they came to the turn as he was talking to the deceased. At the curve, witness noticed Warren pulling heavily on the wheel and then they went over the edge of the road. Witness was knocked off and did not remember much until he was standing in the field. Hans was getting up the ground and a crowd was gathering.

Witness admitted telling Warren to drive a little faster before the accident had occurred.

L. MacDonald testified that he had last seen the deceased on Saturday afternoon, the day before the accident. He appeared to be in good health and looked quite well. The deceased was taken to the hospital Sunday afternoon.

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## DUKE OF WINDSOR SENDS STAMPS FOR PATRIOTIC AUCTION

The general committee of the Canadian Philatelic Society, which is sponsoring a National Patriotic Auction in aid of the Queen's Canadian Fund for Air Raid Victims, has received an autographed selection of miniature stamps from the Duke of Windsor, Governor of the colony as a personal donation to the sale which is scheduled to be held Nov. 14 and 15 at Toronto.

The Duke of Windsor contributed a mounted collection of six stamps on a Government House letterhead with the signature "Edward, Governor, 1941", and, in addition, there was a letter of greetings and best wishes from His Royal Highness, the Governor, who bears three attractive stamps. All of these items have been listed for the auction.

The mounted stamps, four of which bear the portrait of the Duke's brother, King George VI, consist of current high-value pictorials and the two-shilling and three-shilling commemoratives of 1939. All of these are Bahamas stamps and have a combined catalogue value of \$13.72, but the committee officials confidently expect that the sentimental value, plus the patriotic cause, will produce spirited bidding with a realization far beyond the material price.

Donations of autographed stamps have been received from high-ranking officials of various British colonies and from prominent well-wishers in the United States and Canada, headed so far by Wendell Willkie. The first donation from a Hollywood celebrity has been received from Adolph Menjou, well-known as a collector, who sent a number of airmail and other "coveted" stamps from different parts of the world, presumably from film fans. Contributions of stamps of any kind or quantity for the patriotic auction are being received by Dr. E. S. Ball, past president of the Canadian Philatelic Society, care of the Royal Trust Company, 68 King Street West, Toronto. Other officers include A. E. Goodale, President of the Society, Hamilton, and C. Scadding, Toronto, chairman of the special committee.

Send contributions to the Royal Trust Company, Charlottetown.

## CALL TO ARMS SOUNDED

In keeping with other centres throughout the Dominion a "Call to Arms" was sounded from the steps of city and town halls of this province yesterday. In Charlottetown the call was sounded by Deputy Mayor J. T. McKee. The address which he read was handed to him by Lieut. J. J. McDonald, who was present with eight other ranks from the training centre at Beach Grove, where the address was read from the City Hall steps. The short ceremony was held here at 10.30 A.S.T. Similar ceremonies were held in the following P. E. Island towns: Summerside at 11.30; Alberton at 11.30; Kensington at 3 o'clock; Georgetown at 2.30; Montserrat at 3.30 and Souris at 12 noon. Mr. McKee and eight men were assisting in the ceremonies in Souris, Georgetown and Montserrat. No. 3 Platoon of 7 A Veterans' Guard of Canada were assisting in the ceremonies in the Prince County centres. The Call to Arms is made in connection with the Dominion wide recruiting campaign now underway.

Mr. Ross Witte, a native of Murray Harbor and now of the Civil Service Department, Ottawa, was in Charlottetown yesterday. He was enroute to Murray Harbor to spend a short holiday with his parents.

## Practical Objectives

Addresses on the work of the Educational Committee, its object and objectives, were given at the last convention of the Women's Institute, held at the Charlottetown Hotel last November, and at the Teachers' Convention in April. The monthly meetings have been held regularly in the press, which has ever been deeply interested in Education. Our sub-committee on Educational Publicity plans to initiate a campaign to arouse a greater interest in Educational reform among our people and to make them better acquainted with the present educational proposals which our other sub-committees have formulated. We hope to convince our people that the school is not only a place for educating and civilizing children, but an institution paying dividends in dollars and cents. We hope, further, to arouse a new interest in the practical value of the science of Agriculture and a new appreciation of the intimate relationship between Nature Study and the glories of our English and Canadian Literature.

The general committee realizes of course that there are always objections which might be made. It might claim that we must not look for reforms or improvements during the war. But we remember that, just as many private fortunes have been founded during a depression, so in the past many great reforms have been enacted during times of stress and strain. We believe that education as a constant warfare which has been going on for centuries is the darkest of the human and intellectual darkness of the world. It is a struggle between darkness and light. All will admit that the survival of the fittest is the rule of the day. It is a struggle for an educational authority, which we call Democracy—Education is its key. The word of life, our democratic way, is based on the principle that when a people loses sight of this fact, its practice of democracy is lost and weaker. Or, in other words, "If we are not going to go forward or to go back, there is no such thing as standing still in Education."

We believe that the democratic system is universal and educational opportunity for all. We are interested in the education not only of our children, but of the education of our children all the children. Society may be likened to a tree—if any of the leaves on the whole tree suffers, so long as any child in a democracy is underprivileged with regard to educational opportunity, the whole tree suffers. So long as the tree is not a democracy is underprivileged with regard to educational opportunity, the whole tree suffers. So long as the tree is not a democracy is underprivileged with regard to educational opportunity, the whole tree suffers.

## MRS. FRED GATES

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trative school units.

The afternoon session was featured by a very interesting talk given by Mrs. Raymond Wood, President of the Federated Women's Institute of Canada. Other matters dealt with were the election of officers and the adoption of resolutions.

Mrs. Raymond Wood, reporting as Provincial Convener of "Education and Better Schools," said that there were too many schools in the province. She added that the teaching staffs were too low and there were too many poor teachers. She also referred to other educational problems in this province.

Mrs. Allison MacMillan, Fairview, reporting as H.W.I.C. Convener on "Home Economics," spoke of some of the work being done. She advocated the amalgamation of the convener's committees.

Mr. Darby, in his talk about group insurance, spoke of the great advantages to be derived from such a movement. He said it would provide greater social security for the people—in other words it was hospital insurance. Many of the mortgaged houses in this province have their origin in sickness which lasted over a long period with resultant hospital and doctors bills.

He outlined a plan whereby a group of people could obtain hospital treatment for 21 days in any year by paying \$10. a year. This could be paid in yearly, semi-annual, quarterly or monthly amounts.

MacDonald, said he represented the Citizens Education Committee and the Teachers Federation at the meeting. He referred to the magnitude of the work done by the Institute and the duties for the citizens of this province.

He spoke at length about the need for the establishment of larger administrative school units in this province, a unit, he explained, which would take care of the operation of a certain number of schools as one. Four or ten schools could be made into one unit.

The speaker then outlined some of the advantages to be derived from such units. Grades nine and ten could be grouped into one central school or Junior High School.

In conclusion he solicited the support of the Women's Institutes in bringing the matter before the public if they thought it would improve conditions.

Mrs. Dunham, in her address, outlined the objects of the Federation of Women's Institutes of Canada. The factors which make the organization unique are that it is the only one which functions entirely in the rural districts and it is independent, she said. The Federation does not exist in urban districts and never asks for help from any other organization.

Although its work is fundamental, the organization is interested in the creation of better citizenship. "Better citizenship leads to safer, saner democracy," Mrs. Dunham said. She doubted if any woman's organization is doing any better work than the Women's Institutes.

She appealed to the local and provincial Institutes to support their Dominion Federation so that they would receive the credit due them. She urged them to use the F.W.I.C. as a clearing house when donating money for national purposes.

The text of a number of the reports submitted yesterday and Wednesday appear elsewhere in this issue.

## First Group Of Student Divers Make Initial Descent At Borden

Eight Charlottetown Boy Scouts instructed by Mr. A. P. Ceretti make successful dive in twelve feet of water.

Working in twelve feet of water at Charlottetown, Boy Scouts had their first experience as practical divers when Mr. A. P. Ceretti, Borden gave them the okay for their first test after a course of preliminary instruction. The boys acquitted themselves well and greatly enjoyed the thrill of staying submerged for periods of fifteen minutes.

This most remarkable project of practical education will appeal to all persons interested in Scouting and in technical education for our youth. It was recently made available to senior Boy Scouts by the good offices and efforts of Mr. A. P. Ceretti of Borden, who has been long and favorably known for his interest and active promotion of boys' welfare through the Scouting organization.

Mr. Ceretti has for many years been in the employ of the Canadian National Railways as Master Diver, and now has charge of all diving work and inspection for the eastern section of the Railway line and projects. Recognizing the need in Canada, presently and likely to be intensified in the near future, for practically trained deep sea divers, and regarding the fact that the profession has mainly been supplied by training from father to son, Mr. Ceretti has instituted the first diving school known to have been conducted in Canada. He has his class open to senior Boy Scouts in centres from which regular conveyance to Borden could be assured. Some eight eager pupils have, with the help of Scout officials and interested citizens, travelled from Charlottetown to Borden for instruction for several weeks to spend evenings under Mr. Ceretti's tutelage. So enthusiastic has been their attitude and their appreciation of the opportunity made available by his goodwill and sacrifice that only one class lacked attendance of one boy, who was then out of the Province.

The course will occupy the entire Summer and open Fall season, and will be continued to completion next year, when certificates of proficiency, issuable by Mr. Ceretti as Master Diver, and recognized generally in the trade, will be available to the successful apprentices. It has many advantages of great advantage to them in their future lives, whether they elect to follow the craft exclusively, or merely wish to use it as a secondary asset to assist in advantageous employment. Mr. Ceretti has been gratified at the keen and receptive attitude of the boys, and has been encouraged to the point of promoting his schedule of practical work by several weeks. Yesterday he took the whole class for full day instruction. Each was fully dressed and equipped to the extent of 200 lbs. and made his initial descent in twelve feet of water, with the other taking full charges of oxygen.

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## Educational Brief received By Government

A large and representative delegation comprising twenty-one members of the Citizens' Education Committee waited yesterday upon the Provincial Government and presented a brief for improvement of educational standards. The brief was presented by the chairman of the Committee, Prof. W. A. Wright, of the University of New Brunswick, and was supported and endorsed by other members, and supplemented by reports of sub-committees.

The delegation was courteously received by Hon. Horace Wright, President of the Executive Council, and other members of the government, who discussed the questions raised and gave assurance that the brief would receive serious consideration.

The text of the brief follows: "Hon. Horace Wright, President of the Executive Council, Hon. Thane Campbell, Minister of Education, Hon. McLaughlin, Minister of Education, Hon. Members of the Government, Sirs:

"We come before you in the spirit of friendly co-operation.

"First we shall try to tell you, as briefly as possible, how this 'Citizens' Education Committee' came to be formed, what its objectives are, and what its objectives and aspirations are.

"For the past thirty years the economic position of the people of Prince Edward Island has been steadily growing poorer. We have been losing ground, our people have been becoming poorer and poorer until today our per capita wealth is the lowest in the Dominion. Coincident with this is an increasing mortality rate and a steadily weakening of our educational position especially in our rural schools.

"Our people, we believe, have been awakening to their position. For a number of years there has been an increasing feeling of dissatisfaction with the economic and educational situation here on our island, and a growing recognition of the need for a more modern system of education and better educational facilities—i. e., for educational reform—as a necessary prelude to the betterment of the economic condition of our people. Two or three years ago there arose in our midst a press a lengthy but enlightening controversy which has resulted in a number of diverse opinions expressed. The participants were fortunately both of Victoria Women's Institute, do earnestly beseech the Government of P.E.I. for a stricter enforcement of the Provincial Motor Vehicle Act, under the influence of liquor, to be arrested and their driving license be revoked according to our present law. Also we urge the Government. (Sent in by Victoria Women's Institute.)

Resolved that we, the members of Cornwall-York Institute, strongly urge the Government to have the Institute Rest Room. (Submitted by Cornwall-York Institute.)

Resolved that a class for the training of practical nurses be organized to relieve the suffering in rural districts. (Submitted by Cornwall-York Institute.)

Resolved that as our Empire is at this moment engaged in a deadly struggle for her very existence and as our own Dominion is being called to duty, we as Institute members and loyal subjects desire to put on record our united loyalty and deep determination that we shall make every effort to assist in any way possible for the great cause of freedom. And pray that Providence may ultimately bestow upon us peace and security. Sent in by Carleton Women's Institute.

Resolved that we put ourselves on record as favoring a mobile kitchen which we understand is very much needed at present.

Resolved that we present in convention to the Government of our province to protect our enlisted men from the ravages of a deadly enemy, strong drink, that is sapping the manhood of so many, thus rendering our war effort and retarding final victory. Also resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Government.

Resolved that the Institutes give greater attention to health education and urge the parents to take advantage of the clinics provided.

Resolved that the women of the Institutes take interest in the beautifying of their community, especially their cemeteries.

## BIRTHS

**PAOLI**—At the Charlottetown Hospital on June 28, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Simon Paoli, Charlottetown, a son.

## MARRIAGES

**KIELLY-COUSINS**—At the United Church, Parsonage, Charlottetown, on June 30, 1941, by the Rev. Hugh Miller, Miss Jennie Maude Cousins of Charlottetown to Cpl. Rex Kielly, also of Charlottetown.

## THOMPSON-TREMERE

At the Mansie, Hunter River, P.E.I., on June 25, 1941, by Rev. Lewis M. Murray, Mildred Mary Tremere of Hampshire to Ralph Leslie Thompson of Springfield.

## DEATHS

**HAMMILL**—At Freetown, July 3, 1941, Patrick Hammill, age 86 years. Funeral from his late residence at 9 a. m. Saturday, July 6, to St. Malack's Church, Kinkora.

## WOODSIDE

At Hamilton, July 3, 1941, Mrs. W. Woodside, age 61 years. Funeral from her late residence Saturday at 2 p. m. Interment Malpeque. (Please omit flowers.)

## MACPHAIL

At Cornwall on Wednesday, July 2nd, 1941, Mrs. Donald MacPhail in her 80th year. Funeral from Cornwall United Church, Saturday, July 5th, service starting at 2 o'clock, Standard Time. Interment Cornwall Cemetery.

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## The Eastern Guardian

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**ENJOYABLE TEA**—The Ladies Auxiliary of the King's County Hospital held a very successful afternoon tea at the beautiful summer cottage of Dr. P. and Mrs. McIntyre beside the Montague River. —L.

\*Mrs. David Gardner of Ottawa, accompanied by her two children are visiting Mrs. Gardner's home in Montague. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Currie, Montague. —L.

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## EVIDENCE

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tell contents and did not handle them. The kegs were on 5 gallons. He did not handle them. He stated that they were handled by Albert Dick and men in dory. "Dick" was working on the boat. Witness held ropes of dory while the cases were taken aboard and stored at the boat.

The boat had then gone back to the Prince Edward Island, witness said, and he had left ship at Jack Steele's store. This was on a Wednesday. Albert and Dick had then taken the ship away with cargo still aboard. He said that he had brought back no more of the cases. He had taken a bottle of gin given him by the witness. He had taken a bottle of gin given him by the witness. He had taken a bottle of gin given him by the witness.

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## SEE BIG AIR

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during the daylight hours. Bombers, with heavy fighter protection, attacked the railways in the Hazelton, British Columbia area. One British bomber and seven fighters were lost, but the R. A. F. announced 11 German planes were shot down.

During the night, the British closed the main targets of West and night's methodical raiding as Cologne, Bremen and Duisburg. The British command reported that the main targets were reported fired at Cologne and an industrial plant blown up. In a heavy assault directed at the great power banks of the Ruhr, the Bremen factory districts and shipyards were bombed.

Four British bombers were lost over England today. It crashed on the Cornish coast.

Only one German plane was seen over England today. It crashed on the Cornish coast.

## NAZI COMMAND

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The push was allegedly extended with launching of a drive on the old border of Russia's rich Ukraine. The high command indicated that German, Finnish, Hungarian and Rumanian forces were engaged in one move along the entire 2,000 mile front. The Rumanian objectives were Kiev, Moscow and Leningrad. Other sources claimed the crossing of the Berezina River near Borisov, about 180 miles from Minsk.

(The Russian high command said the Germans had been thrown back in repeated attempts to cross the Berezina.)

The claim of a German sweep over Bessarabia toward the Ukraine was the first high command mention of hostilities in this area.

In the Bialystok area southwest of Minsk, where the Germans claimed the destruction of large Soviet forces with several hundred thousand casualties, the high command said the battle "is, in general, concluded."

How far the Germans had advanced toward Moscow was unclear. While Nazis in Berlin claimed the crossing of the Berezina, the high command did not mention it in preliminary hearing of the trial at the start of the afternoon session.

On completion of the reading of this evidence Mr. Lester C. Johnson of Murray River, Inspector of Fisheries was called to the stand. Mr. Johnstone stated that Mr. Griffin had owned boat named the "EVIDENCE".

## Afternoon Session

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## BATTLE RAGING

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Here, within 400 miles of Moscow, where Napoleon's grand army pled to death in retreat, and 300 miles to the south, in the Ukraine, the regular Soviet armies fought their greatest battles of the day.

Behind these fronts of clamor and chaos, back in the cities and villages, volunteer "people's armies" sprang up to defend the old, vast Russian homeland as their insurance ancestors had done against the Poles in the middle ages and against Napoleon early in the 19th century.

Thousands of laborers and farmer-capitalists in Moscow, Leningrad

## Stalin's Orders

Stalin told the people that there was "grave danger", and these were his orders: "In case of a forced retreat of Red army units, all rolling must be evacuated; the enemy must not be left a single engine, a single railway car, a single pound of grain or a gallon of oil."

"Collective farmers must drive off all their cattle and turn over their grain to the safe-keeping of state authorities for transportation to the rear. All valuable property, including non-ferrous metals, grain and fuel which cannot be withdrawn must without fail be destroyed."

"All areas occupied by the enemy, guerrilla units, mounted and foot, must be formed; diversionist groups must be organized to combat enemy troops; to foment guerrilla warfare everywhere, to blow up bridges, damage telephone and telegraph lines and to set fire to forests, stores and warehouses."

"In occupied regions conditions must be made unbearable for the enemy and all his accomplices. The must be humiliated and annihilated and their measures frustrated."

## U.S. ARMY CHIEF

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the Secretary of War today, Marshall said that recent developments, presumably the outbreak of hostilities between Germany and Russia, were "forcible indications of the suddenness with which armed conflict can spread and areas hitherto considered free from attack."

When and where U. S. forces are to serve are questions to be determined by their commander in chief and Congress and "should not be confused with the problem of their readiness for service," Marshall added.

His proposals promptly aroused the isolationist group which, calling itself "non-interventionists," has often criticized the President's foreign policy.

Senator Hiram W. Johnson (Republican, California) called the proposal "horrible" and said it would not go through Congress "without a fight."

Senator Burton Wheeler (Montana) said he would fight against any legislation to lift the limitations on the movements of troops.

Senator Alva B. Adams (Democratic, Colorado) sarcastically remarked that American troops did not "come under the Lease-Lend Act." (Even Senator George W. Norris (Iowa-Nebraska), who has generally backed the administration, indicated possible opposition.

"How do you know enough about it," he said, "but so very little that I don't see any use in it now."

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