The SUMMERSIDE GUARDIAN
AND PRINCE COUNTY CHRONICLE

WESTERN GUARDIAN

AGENT—Mrs. John Pond, 44 Water Street, East. Phone 289-1
SUMMERSIDE AND PRINCE COUNTY

News, Subscriptions, Advertising should be left with Mrs. Pond

The Guardian may be bought daily at any of the following stores in Summerside:—
Ben Bookstore, Water St. — Gourlies Drugstore, Water St.
Toronto Bakery, Water St. — Mark Gaudet, 67 Granville St.

The Guardian will be delivered daily to any home in Summerside by Carrier Boy at 2c per day or 10c per week. Phone 289-1 for this service or give your order to the boy responsible for deliveries on your route.

—This column is reserved for news of local interest but advertising of a newsy nature may be inserted at 1c a word strictly payable in advance.

—WARRENS MILLS, Burlington, will close August 13th for repairs. L-186-8-8-5i.

—USE BRACE'S Fly Sprayers and Fly Oil and increase the milk cheque. L-217-8-9-2i.

—PALMER ROAD PICNIC Tuesday, August 16th. A hearty welcome to all. Delicious dinners. Your choice of Meats and Fresh Fish. Amusements, Games and Music. Come and enjoy a real holiday. By order. L-3794-8-10-14.

—TAKEN OVER DUTIES —Mr. William Mathews, of Summerside, is relieving Mr. MacLellan, caretaker of the Summerside Post Office for the next two weeks, while he is on his vacation. —S.

—MOTORING THROUGH THE MARITIMES—Mr. and Mrs. William Smallman and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Lewis, are motoring through the Maritimes in an auto trailer built by Mr. Smallman, the trailer is the last word in comfort and convenience and should add greatly to the enjoyment of their vacation. —S.

—SUFFER BROKEN LEG—Vernon Morrison young son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Morrison while playing in the yard at his home near Summerside, was struck by a car and suffered a broken leg. He was brought to the Prince County Hospital where the leg was set. He is now resting comfortably.—S.

—SUPREME COURT—In the case of Frank McEwen, Jr., vs. the Executors of the Estate of Mrs. Frank McEwen, Judge Saunders gave judgment for the Defendant. The Plaintiff claimed that his grandmother gave him her car before she died but the Executors claimed the car and the Judge upheld their claim. Each side paid their own costs.—S.

—BOY SCOUT FIELD DAY — The Prince County Boy Scouts are holding a field day at their camp at Mill's Point, Clearmont, this afternoon. An excellent program of scouting demonstrations and sports has been arranged to which the public are very welcome. The Scouts have been in camp just over a week and have been favoured with very fine weather. On Tuesday the senior scouts went on a 1st class over night hike, staying over night, pitching tents and cooking their food. They will cover about 7 or 8 miles. There are about 35 boys in camp all from the 1st, 2nd and 3rd troops from Summerside. The camp chief is Allan Hopper of Moncton, N. B., assistant chief Gordon Hyde, Charlottetown, quarter master. Rupert McNeill, O'Leary First Aid, Bill Brennan, Summerside. Leaders Mickey MacVaim, Moncton, Tanton McNeil, Summerside, Jack McCarvell, Charlottetown. —S.

—TOWN COUNCIL — The following bills were passed at the regular monthly meeting of the Summerside Town Council. Town bills paid, $3,233.56; unpaid $1648.37. Electric light paid bills, $900.73. Unpaid $2,130.60. Mr. John A. Smallman, retiring representative of the Town Council on the High School Board was reappointed. A motion was passed to have Cedar Street from Cedar Avenue to Bruce Street paved, with out curb and gutter. Calhoun Street from Linton to Russell, paved without curb and gutter. Market Street from Central to Cedar, with curb and gutter. Curb and gutter on Willow Avenue from Central Street to the property of Daniel Clow. The paving is to be one inch less than that laid down in May 1938, at a cost of $1.50 per square yard and $1.05 per lineal foot for curb and gutter. A 24 inch pipe is to be laid on lower end of Duke Street. This was considered necessary as the water laid there very badly in the spring and fall. The police report showed that there were twenty-eight arrests for drunkenness during the month. Four for drunken driving, with three convictions and one dismissal. A case of theft in which the man got four years in Dorchester Penitentiary. Two machines were confiscated under the Provincial Slot Machine Act and are being kept in custody awaiting the orders of the Attorney General for their proper disposal. Fines collected amounted to $182.00 labour licenses $20.00 —S.

—TRY HESS'S CATTLE FLY SPRAY. It lasts. Taylor Drug Co., Kensington.

—ROBIN HOOD and Calgary Select Flour the popular brands at your dealers. L-1075-7-28-tf.

—FIRST WITH PAINT $1.77 per gallon for a short time only, it will pay you to place an order at once at Brace's. L-217-8-9-2i.

—WITH PAINT $1.77 per gallon for a short time only, it will pay you to place an order at once at Brace's. L-217-8-9-2i.

—VISITING VANCOUVER—Mrs. Alfred Groom of Summerside left this week for Vancouver, B. C., she was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. William Gray of Mansfield, Mass. They will visit their sister, Mrs. James Johnston.—S.

—FROM BOSTON — Dr. W. L. McLellan, Mrs. McLellan (formerly Miss Hickey of Indian River) and three children are visiting at Indian River being guests of William Hickey and family. The doctor has an extensive dental practice in Roxbury. K

—S'SIDE REGATTA—Everything is set for the annual meet of the Summerside Yacht Club which is scheduled for this afternoon. Several yachts from other clubs have signified their intention of contesting the different events. The club has arranged a dinner for the visiting yachtsmen at the Clifton Hotel and a dance at the Maple Leaf Gardens. This is the big event of the summer at Summerside and is being looked forward to with much pleasure by boating enthusiasts.—S.

—NOTED CONCERT SINGER PASSES—Mr. Lambert Gillis, Miscouche, has received the sad news of the death in Paris, France, of his daughter, Madame Beatrice St. Coeur. Madame St. Coeur gave quite a number of concerts in P. E. I. a few years ago and was well known and beloved not only for her lovable disposition. She went to Paris with her husband, who was a distinguished lawyer in New York, and was engaged in concert work when Mr. St. Coeur met with an accident which resulted in his death about two years ago. News of her death will be a great shock to her many relatives and friends on P. E. Island. K

—MOVIE SHOW AT KENSINGTON—Something unique in the cinema line was shown in the McMahon house on Friday night when Mr. and Mrs. Leo Coyle of Boston, who were guests of the Higgins family, screened a large number of "local shots" taken on farms here last summer. Mr. Coyle owns a movie machine and makes a special hobby of getting good "shots". Our local farmsteads and daily chores are pretty fair to look upon when seen through the "eyes" of the camera. The "locals" were supplemented by the inimitable "Popeye" and "Mickey Mouse", also by shots taken at Niagara and at break of day in the Berkshire hills, and some beautiful parades taken in Boston, in which Mr. Coyle was seen as a piper in a Highland band. A large number of friends were present and enjoyed this novel entertainment. Mr. and Mrs. Coyle and family left on Saturday on return to their home in East Lynn. K

—COURT NEWS—Monday was a busy day at the Summerside Court House. Before Judge Saunders. Master of the Rolls Creditors were called upon to prove their accounts in the Estate of James H. Reeves late of Freetown, Richard S. Hinton acting for the Executors and in the Estate of George Coyle, late of Roseville Lot 3, Heath Strong K. C acting for the Estate. Before Judge Arsenault, Vice-Chancellor the case of Alex C. McDonald and others vs. Lena McDonald and others, was heard being an action for appointment of a guardian of the niece of the late Mrs. Stella Gaudet of Miscouche and for advice and direction to the Executors. Judge Arsenault ordered that all the property be sold by Master in Chancery F. J. E. Wright in two weeks from this date. Adrian F. Arsenault K. C. for the complainants. Watson MacNaught and Thane Campbell K. C. for the defendants The Board of Review with Judge Saunders presiding was also sitting and deal with several cases. —S.

Wednesday & Thursday

SAMUEL GOLDWYN presents
THE HURRICANE

Flight before the storm and the law...the greatest of South Sea adventure dramas by Nordhoff and Hall, authors of "Mutiny on the Bounty."

with
Dorothy LAMOUR · Jon HALL
Mary ASTOR · C. Aubrey SMITH
Thos. MITCHELL · Raymond MASSEY
Directed by JOHN FORD
RELEASED THRU UNITED ARTISTS

ALSO "NEWS OF THE DAY"
SHOWS AT 7.15 — 9.10
MATINEE THURSDAY AT 3

CAPITOL
SUMMERSIDE
AIR-CONDITIONED

—FROM DODDSLAND, SASK.—Mr. Ray Schurman and Mrs. Schurman (formerly Miss McConnell of Georgetown) and children have been sojourning at New Annan, visiting Mr. Schurman's mother and brothers and sisters. They came by automobile. Mr. Schurman has extensive land and other interests near Doddsland, being also quite successful at fox farming. He was successful in the construction of an artificial lake on his "section"—made by damming a stream. The lake is a "Mecca" for local tourists and sportsmen. He also makes occasional shipments of horses to P. E. I. He speaks with the greatest optimism of the future of the prairie country, and thinks the dry cycle is over for some time. He took great delight in his trip and meeting his old time friends and relatives. K

—LIBERAL MEETING — The West Prince Liberal Association held their annual meeting in O'Leary yesterday afternoon. Mr. James E. Wells of Alberton who presided was re-elected president. G. R. Profitt re-elected secretary. 1st Vice Presidents were: 1st. district, John Nelligan, Christopher Nethirall, Ralph Hardy, Wm. McKendrick, Peter Bernard. 2nd district, James A. MacLean, Allison Rayner, Edward McLellan, Nelson Palmer, H. Phillips. The speakers were Hon. Thane A. Campbell, Hon. J. P. McIntyre, Hon. W. A. Dennis, A. E. MacLean, M. P., George Barbour, M. L. A., Aneas Gallant, M. L. A. Resolutions of confidence in the Federal and provincial leaders were passed unanimously.—S.

—JUVENILE COURT—Three boys were up before Judge Shaw in the Juvenile Court Tuesday. One boy told of a rather daring way of stealing coal from the C. N. R. He boarded a loaded car on the train going west at the Summerside Station at noon and as the train moved through the western part of the town which is upgrade the boy threw off about half a bag in lumps and then jumped before the train attained too great a speed. A police officer caught him before he could dispose of the coal. Two other boys had taken sixty-eight cents worth of ginger ale bottles from a garage and sold them to a local grocer. The Judge instructed the police to warn dealers that if this practice of buying quanties of ginger ale bottles from boys was persisted in that some action would be taken as dealers must know that these boys would not have a quantity of bottles for sale unless obtained by some unlawful means. The Judge put all the boys on probation.—S.

PERSONALS

—Miss Edna Baker, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Baker, Summerside, has returned to Toronto. —S.

—Miss Thelma Hammill, of Montreal, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Hammill, Bedeque. —S.

—Mr. A. H. Rankin of Perth Amboy, New Jersey, is visiting friends in Summerside.—S.

—Mrs. George Callbeck of North Tryon is visiting at Edgewater, the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Stavert.—S.

—Mrs. Mitchel and Miss Clara Mitchell, of Halifax, are visiting in Bedeque the guests of Mrs. (Dr.) Moyse. —S.

—Mrs. Edith Smith and Mrs. Blanche Broadbert are visitors to Bedeque, the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Orville Johnson. —S.

—Miss Jean King of Newfoundland and Lynn, Mass., is visiting at the home of Mrs. Andrew O'Keefe, Kensington. K

—Mrs. Collins of New York, arrived last week to spend the summer months at the old Scales homestead at St. Eleanors, which she recently purchased for a summer home. —S.

—Mrs. Nellie Blood of Braintree, Mass., who is visiting friends on P. E. I., went to Charlottetown on Sunday, where she is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Ready. K

—The Rev. Norman H. Robertson and Mrs. Robertson of Danbury, Conn., arrived on Tuesday evening to spend a month at Edgewater, North Bedeque.—S.

SERVICES

(Continued from page 1)

Rev. K. C. McPherson of Tracadie as deacon and the Rev. J. N. Poirier of Mont Carmel as sub-deacon.

Chaplains to Bishop O'Sullivan were the Rev. T. Campbell of St. Andrews and the Rev. J.A. Gaudet of Bloomfield.

Today at 10 o'clock His Excellency Most Rev. P.A. Bray, C.J.M., D.D., Bishop of Saint John, N.B., will celebrate Solemn Pontifical Mass in the open air while the Rev. J. A. Sullivan of St. Dunstan's University will preach the sermon.

In the afternoon Bishop Bray will deliver a sermon and the procession of the Blessed Sacrament will take place.

A beautiful open air altar has been erected beside the church and numerous arches line the route of procession.

Arrangements have been made to supply meals to visitors from all over the diocese and a large attendance at today's services is expected.

Bishop Bray arrived in Charlottetown last night and will go to St. Peter's early today.

ODDFELLOWS

(Continued from page 1)

lottetown, for the highest percentage of correct returns for the year.

The Grand Encampment elected the following officers: Arthur Boutilier, Stellarton, N. S.; Grand Patriarch; Ernest Matwall, Truro, N. S., Grand High Priest; W. C. Vincent, Kentville, N. S., Grand Senior Warden; Rev. G. W. Whitman, Windsor, N. S., Grand Scribe; L. M. Robinson, St. Stephen, N. B. Grand Treasurer; Victor Taylor, Glace Bay, N. S., Grand Junior Warden.

A feature of the evening session of the Rebekahs was the conferring of the degree of chivalry on President Mrs. Beulah Speedy, St. Stephen, Mrs Bessie Johnes, Windsor, Mrs. Etie Anderson, Lunenburg, N. S., and Mrs. Lena Robertson, St. Stephen, N. B.

Education Discussed By Institute

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

LAKE COUCHICHING, Ont., Aug. 9—A central system of school supplements, earmarked "so they could not possibly be used for anything else," is Canada's first great need, J. W. Noseworthy of Toronto told the seventh annual conference of the Canadian Institute of Economics and Politics here today.

"The system I visualize would mean larger Federal supplements granted in proportion to the wealth of each province," said the President of the Ontario Teachers' Federation. "The grants should be made with a minimum of Dominion control.

"The Dominion should keep the right to watch closely the spending of its money. But the decision as to what type of schools each province should develop for general improvement of educational standards must remain solely in the hands of those individual provinces."

Mr. Noseworthy outlined before the gathering of students, educationists and businessmen a three-point policy which he said would make for better distribution between Dominion and provincial governments of the financial responsibility for education. In addition to centralization of supplements, he proposed a "minimum national program" of education and a larger administrative area.

Communist Threat Met By "Co-ops"

(By The Canadian Press)

ANTIGONISH, N. S., Aug. 9 — Co-operative work is driving Communism out of Nova Scotia's mining and heavy industry areas, A. S. McIntyre of Glace Bay, N. S., a former Communist, told the tour conference group of the United States Co-operative League today.

McIntyre said the "Antigonish movement" as co-operatives and similar mutual projects have become known in North America was enabling people to control the forces which make for social and economic betterment. Such a people, McIntyre said, would never resort to Communism.

The former Cape Breton Communist renounced his socialistic beliefs six years ago, and is now field secretary for the Extension Department of St. Francis Xavier University here, agency through which adult education and application of co-operative principles have become widely distributed over the continent.

OTTAWA, Aug. 9 — (CP) — "There is nothing definite," Tommy Gorman, manager and coach of Montreal Maroons, said here today commenting on reports the National Hockey League Club be sold or transferred from Montreal to either Cleveland or St. Louis.

Gorman admitted the management of the club had been approached by three or four interests but would not comment further.

—Mrs. W. A. Leard, has returned to Summerside from the west and is staying at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Smallman. —S.

—Mr. Leigh Stewart and son Wendle and Mrs. Purdy returned from Halifax on Sunday, where they went to bring Mrs. Stewart home. Mrs. Stewart is recovering from a very serious operation in the General Victoria Hospital and will be obliged to rest up for some time. Her many friends trust she will soon be up and around again. —S.

Arthur's Eczema Ointment
Summerside, P.E.I.
— at —
ALL DRUG STORES

Industrial Court To Adjust Labor Disputes Is Urged

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

TRURO, N. S., Aug. 9—United Mine Workers representatives heard today a resolution urging establishment of an "industrial court" to adjust labor disputes. At the same time as they passed the resolution on to a committee for redrafting, they adopted another which would abolish the post of umpire, present means of adjusting disputes between 12,000 Nova Scotia miner workers and their employers.

The Springhill, N. S., local placed the resolution before the union's biennial convention asking the "industrial court" be established in the "interests of all concerned that the economic life of the province should be adequately protected against losses arising out of labor disputes."

Action of the 120 delegates came at the end of three hours of discussion of relations between capital and labor. An inkling of the subject of debate tomorrow was given by Clarie Gillis of Glace Bay, N. S., who presented the resolutions committees report. He said the next matter would concern "the formation of a Labor Party."

New Dealer Leads In First Returns Of Ohio Primary

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 9—(AP)—Senator Robert J. Bulkley, New Dealer, led former Governor George White tonight for the Democratic senatorial nomination in first returns from Ohio's primary.

In other races, Robert A. Taft held a close margin for the Republican senatorial nomination and Charles Sawyer was leading Governor Martin L. Davey for the Democratic governorship nomination.

Bulkley, to whom President Roosevelt referred a few weeks ago as an "old friend," was leading White 104 to 26, in returns from two of the State's 8,601 precincts.

Taft was leading Arthur H. Day, Ohio Supreme Court Justice, 143 to 100 in five precincts. Sawyer topper Davey, 1,733 to 1,130 in 34 precincts, most of them from Cuyahoga County, an expected Sawyer stronghold.

House Fly Worst Carrier of Disease

A serious menace to health and a nuisance of the first order is the charge rightly made against the common house fly. This is especially true in the warm months, from mid-summer to autumn, when it reaches its greatest abundance. It is a menace to health because it breeds in garbage, manure and human faeces, and may pass directly from filth and other infested matter to foodstuffs. Particles of decomposing organic matter, bacteria and other living organisms adhere to its hairy body and legs, and sticky feet and mouth-parts, or may be conveyed to food in its excreta and saliva. One fly may carry as many as 1,000,000 germs.

The house fly, known to scientists as Musca domestica, is worldwide in distribution and notorious for the part it plays in the dissemination of dangerous diseases such as infantile diarrhoea, tuberculosis, typhoid, cholera and dysentry. It also serves as the intermediate host of certain species of roundworms that infest the stomachs of horses, and of tapeworms that occur in poultry. In Canada, the house fly is probably the most important insect species concerned in disease transmission. On this account it is very essential that measures be taken to control it and to prevent it from having access to human foods.

Methods of Control

The most effective method of controlling house flies consists of eliminating or reducing their breeding places by properly treating or disposing of manure and garbage. Fresh horse manure is probably chiefly responsible for the majority of flies in rural sections. It has been estimated that more than a million flies may develop from one ton of manure. In the cities, garbage is an important factor in fly production. To be fully effective, control measures should be organized on a community basis, as one neglected manure heap or garbage dump may infest a whole neighbourhood. Collections of manure should be removed from city stables and disposed of at least twice weekly. In rural sections, where practicable, the manure should be removed daily and spread thinly in fields where the drying effect of sun and wind will prevent breeding. An alternate method consists of taking advantage of heat produced by fermentation when manure is placed in tightly packed piles. The manure pile should be constructed on hard ground or concrete. The sides of the pile should be clean cut and almost vertical, but slopinfg slightly towards the centre. As fresh manure is added to the pile it should be tightly packed by means of a shovel. The heat produced by fermentation destroys all fly eggs, larvae and pupae, except possibly those close to the surface of the top layer. The application with a watering can or sprayer of a solution of borax consisting of 1 pound of borax in 6 gallons of water will destroy any fly stages in the top layer. Six gallons of the solution is sufficient to treat 30 square feet of surface area.

Measures should also be taken to prevent the accumulation of manure from other domestic live stock such as pigs, cattle and poultry, as flies will breed in these substances, although to a lesser extent.

Cover Garbage Then Burn It

All organic refuse such as household garbage should be wrapped in paper and stored in fly-proof garbage cans until finally disposed of by burning. The accumulating of garbage in municipal dumps during the warm months of the year is undesirable, as such dumps produce enormous numbers of flies as well as other vermin, and may constitute a serious public nuisance. The only satisfactory way of disposing of garbage during the fly season is by incineration.

Every effort should be taken to exclude flies from dwellings. The screening of doors and windows is very useful in this regard. Flies that find their way into the house should be promptly destroyed. Fly swatters, sticky fly paper, poisoned fly pads, poisoned bait made by mixing one teaspoonful of formalin in a cupful of sweetened milk or water, and exposing it in saucers (out of the reach of children or pets) are included among the various means of doing this. Fly sprays containing pyrethrum extract in mineral oil are a valuable and widely used killing agent. Leaflets concerning the house fly and its control may be secured by writing to the Publicity and Extension Division, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

SALVAGE SHIPS SCUTTLED AT SCAPA FLOW

Neptune's Treasure Chest Yields Supply Of Wealth In Metal.

(By Edwin Johnson)
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

LONDON, Aug. 9—Scapa Flow, post-war grave of a large section of the German navy, is yielding a supply of wealth in steel, brass, copper and gun-metal to bolster the dwindling scrap-metal market, already heavily taxed by foreign demand and Great Britain's huge rearmament program.

Millions of tons of shipping have already been retrieved, the metal broken up and used again in new ships, guns, tanks and other armaments.

On June 21, 1919, as the German High Seas Fleet was entering Scapa Flow to surrender to Britain under terms of the Versailles Treaty, the ships were scuttled by their own crews in full view of the escorting British vessels. Since then the prodigius task of raising the hulks has been in progress by marine salvaging firms.

37 Ships Raised

By the end of 1931 one firm had raised 25 destroyers, one cruiser and six battleships, while a second salvaging company brought five battleships to the surface.

The German battleship Grosser Kurfurst, which saw action against British warships in the North Sea, is the latest ship recovered. Months were required to bring the slime-covered hulk from a grave where it had rested for more than 19 years. Bottom up, it was towed to Rosyth where it was placed in dry-dock and now is in the process of being broken up.

Salvage crews are now concentrating on the 26,000 ton battle-cruiser Derfflinger which lies in Scapa Flow in about 25 fathoms.

"The Derfflinger will present one of the most difficult problems we have had to tackle," said an official who has been connected with salvaging operations for the past 15 years. "Owing to the depth, it will be necessary for the compressed-air workers inside the ship to work at pressures exceeding 60 pounds to the square inch."

Salvage operations entail danger for the men every minute they are below the surface.

Working under air pressure which keeps the water from rising beyond a certain level through the orifices in the decks below, the divers gradually work through the ship, cutting away pipes, ventilating shafts and cables, making watertight the labyrinth of compartments.

The ships are finally lifted to the surface by air pumped into their interiors.

Giant Petition For Separation

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Aug. 9—(AP)—Exchange telegraph says acting Minister of Justice Buhl officially announced today that a petition for the separation of Count Court Haugewitz-Reventlow and the former Barbara Hutton had been granted.

The petition was granted on the basis of a private agreement between the parties announced in London July 29.

Under Danish law, when the parties agree to separate it is unnecessary for the matter to come before any court since the petition can be granted by the Minister of Justice.

Rebels Advance In Southwest Spain

(By The Associated Press)

ZARAGOZA, Spain, Aug. 9—Insurgent military headquarters here announced Insurgent forces had broken through Government lines on the Estremadura front in southwestern Spain and advanced 7 1-2 miles along a 25-mile front.

The advance, it was stated, was made southwest of Almaden, important mercury mine centre about 65 miles north of Cordoba.

Insurgent General Gonzalo Quepo de Llano's southern army launched the attack early today following a rest from the recent offensive in which it conquered a large area on the Estremadura front.

Cooling and Refreshing
ENO'S 'Fruit Salt'

Canada At War

TWENTY YEARS AGO

(Written for The Canadian Press by Capt. W. W. Murray, M. C.)

The Battle of Amiens, which opened on Aug. 8, 1918, ushered in the last Hundred Days of the Great War. The expression, coined in connection with Napoleon's final bid which ended at Waterloo, is particularly apt, for the phrase wrote finis also to the desperate efforts of the Germans to wrest victory in 1918. The sudden delivery of the Canadian and Australian attacks in the misty morning of Aug. 8 was a surprise to the enemy in every particular. They had confidently believed the Canadian Corps — the "storm troops" of the British Army — to be in Flanders, and they had made hasty preparations to meet an offensive there. Prisoners captured on Aug. 8 were bitterly amazed to find the Canadians crashing through the Amiens line, and their criticisms of the inadequacy of the German intelligence staff were voluble and convincing.

The engagement did not end with the penetration of the Canadian Corps nearly eight miles from their jumping-off line on Aug. 8. Flushed with victory, the Corps resumed the battle next day. So successful had they been that plans for complete exploitation of their triumph had not been perfected. (It is now known that the initial break-through exceeded even the highest hopes of the British general staff).

However, Aug. 9 saw the Corps again marching to the attack. The 4th Division, more or less idle the previous day beyond employment of some units in the advance to the last objective in the vicinity of Caix, was side-slipped to the extreme right of the line. One small pocket of enemy resistance had continued to hold out, at Le Quesnel. This was captured by the 12th Brigade around mid-day on Aug 9, and, the French to the south having now entered the fray, the battle moved on.

(The French attack from Montdidier had been delayed in order to adjust itself to whatever situation might be created by the Canadian onslaught).

Equal to Occasion

In the full light of the afternoon, under a blazing sun, units of the Canadian Corps swept across the hay-fields which chequered the Plain of Santerre, continuing their advance of the previous day.

It was an infantryman's battle—a "Company Commander's Battle." During the summer they had been trained in open warfare, in the attack on distant objectives, and under circumstances in which control of operations fell more and more into the hands of the subordinate commanders — company and platoon officers. So well had that training been assimilated, that its first application, on Aug. 9, found the Corps thoroughly equal to all emergencies.

For the first few miles of the advance enemy defences were almost nil. The Germans contented themselves with manning transverse ditches and hedgerows, and they had hastily converted the small woods which dot that area into strong-points. Their artillery had fallen almost entirely into the hands of the Canadians the previous day; but stout-hearted machine gunners fought back valiantly.

Beaufort, Warvillers, Vrely and Rosieres — four villages sprawled along the front of the advancing Canadians—were centres of resistance. Heavy fighting with bomb and bayonet ensued, but the Canadian Corps would not be stopped. The long line ruffled forward. On the right the 4th Division swept through Bouchoir, about eight miles north-west of Roye. The 1st Division in the centre over-ran Falles and Rouvroy. On the left the 2nd Division captured Mehericourt and pivoted the line from Rosieres.

Rouvroy was the centre of the penetration and its deepest point on the second day, something more than four miles from the starting point. Thus, in two days, the German position had been pierced to a depth of nearly 13 miles. More prisoners and more guns were taken. It was clear, however, that further attacks would be more costly in this area. The broken ground of the old Somme fighting area was being reached. Enemy divisions were hurriedly concentrated from other sectors to bolster the resistance. Further fighting was in prospect; but with the glittering triumph of Aug. 8 and 9 behind them, the Canadians faced it with confidence.

SLOW PROGRESS IN RUSSO-JAP PEACE TALKS

Soviet Circles Charge Lack Of Sincerity On Japanese Side.

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

MOSCOW, Aug. 9—The Government of the Soviet Union tonight kept a watchful eye on the Changkufeng incident and continued preparations for a vigorous defence of its territory if the conflict should outgrow its present vest pocket limitations.

Inasmuch as there still was danger that diplomatic conversations might fail, there was no tendency to discourage patriotic expressions of defiance toward Japan in mass meetings and resolutions in all parts of the Soviet Union.

Unnecessary stirring up of popular indignation by frequent bulletins from the 4,000-mile-distant zone of conflict, however, was avoided. The last military communique came Sunday and no casualty list has yet been published.

Discusses "Incident"

Funao Miyakawa, first secretary of the Japanese Embassy, visited the Foreign Office this afternoon and talked with the chief of the Far Eastern section but it was understood their conversation was limited to discussion of the recent Russian-Japanese clash at Suifenho, 250 miles north of Changkufeng.

Fighting at Suifenho between Russian and Japanese troops was mentioned Sunday by Foreign Commissar Maxim Litvinoff in his latest talk with Japanese Ambassador Mamoru Shigemitsu. It could not be learned when Litvinoff and the Japanese envoy would meet again.

Soviet circles regarded what they termed a lack of collective sincerity on the Japanese side as the kernel of the crisis.

Sees German Hand

Moscow's German language daily newspaper, "Dzz," pictured Germany as seeking a central European advantage on the basis of the Russian-Japanese quarrel. The newspaper said:—

"Fascist diplomacy wanted to exploit the situation in order to frighten Czechoslovakia — against which the Third Reich (Germany) is feverishly preparing war—into abandoning its mutual assistance pact with the Soviet Union."

Le Journal De Moscou, a French language publication which speaks unofficially for the Russian Foreign Office, declared on the same theme that "German Fascists hasten to make use of the Far Eastern crisis for strengthening aggression in south-eastern Europe."

Of all capitals, Le Journal De Moscou said, Moscow is the only one "preserving complete calmness, appraising developments with fullest clarity and pursuing the most consistent policy."

"The Soviet Union fully realizes that Japanese militarists intend to draw Japan into war against the U. S. S. R." the newspaper said.

"The Soviet Union also knows that this war, if it breaks out will end in full defeat for Japanese Imperialism and the final checking of Japanese provocations in the Far East."

SLAVERY STILL

LHASA, Tibet — (CP) — Away from British rule, remote tribal country around Assam, Burma and Tibet is still a centre of slavery, says official reports, but steady progress is being made by international officers towards its abolition.

Annual Dance
Summerside Yacht Club
MAPLE LEAF GARDENS
Wednesday, August 10
Admission 38 Cents
L-230-8-9-2i

THE NEW WORLD CAFE WELCOMES YOU
Quick and Courteous Service.
Regular Dinners and Suppers.
Quick Lunches at all hours.
Special Parties Catered To.
NEW WORLD CAFE
NEXT TO STRONG'S STORE
WATER STREET SUMMERSIDE

TO ALL ROAD FOREMEN
Kindly notify our Department of all dog owners who have worked on the roads so that we may have their amount due for dog tax collected from the Department of Public Works.
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
L-233-8-9-2i

Under New Management
I Have Taken Over the Well-Known Store of
DAWSON'S LTD., NORTH TRYON
And am prepared to give you the Best Value with the smallest outlay. The Store is NOW open for business.
I solicit a fair share of your patronage.
A COMPLETE STOCK IN ALL DEPARTMENTS
Crilly M. Lea
NORTH TRYON.
L-169-8-6-8-10-3i