

Stewed Rodents, Roasted Insects Good, Army Says

By JOHN E. BIRD
Canadian Press Staff Writer
OTTAWA (CP) — Boiled or stewed rodents and even roasted insects will help keep Canadian soldiers alive if they are lost in the far north.

A new army booklet entitled "A Soldier's Guide to the North" gives servicemen not to try to eat live rodents. It's poisonous.

The 122-page booklet, released here Friday by army headquarters, is designed to help soldiers survive if they become lost while on duty at northern defence posts.

The booklet says all animals in the north, including rodents, and

even insects can be eaten. Meat should be slowly boiled or stewed but insects are best roasted.

EAT ROOTS

All plants in the Arctic can be eaten. But in the sub-Arctic forests soldiers are warned that water hemlock, death cup mushroom and the baneberry are poisonous.

The booklets says the most readily edible plants are berries which may be eaten raw or stewed. Roots of many plants also will provide a source of food and can be eaten raw or boiled.

The greens of most plants, including leaves, seaweed, lichen and moss, also may be eaten raw

or boiled. The needles of spruce, fir and pine trees make stimulating beverages.

A chapter entitled "Tips on Temperament" tells the soldier to get on the Arctic when it begins to get on his mind.

"If you get blue, depressed and moody and don't want to talk, force yourself to chat with the others. Talk things up and don't let yourself get off in one corner."

The booklet reminds troops they are in the Arctic to fight and not to enjoy a camping trip.

"The development of defences is the first consideration when a position is occupied. The provision of shelter and food comes next."

Mrs. Morris Casey Is Elected President

The annual meeting of Kelvin Grove W.L. met at the home of Mrs. Leaman Casey, Tuesday evening, Nov. 6th. The president, Mrs. Sterling Millar presiding. Meeting opened with singing in unison. Roll call was answered by 11 members and 1 visitor present.

Minutes of last annual and monthly meetings were read and approved. The president gave a report of the year's activities. Sick committee reported one box of fruit sent. It was agreed to get a gift for a member who is leaving the district.

Mrs. Harold Laird, was appointed to the chair for the election of officers which resulted in the following: President, Mrs. Morris Casey; vice - president, Mrs. Douglas Webster; secretary, Mrs. Vernon Millar; treasurer, Mrs. Leaman Casey; Directors, Mrs. Horace Payne, Mrs. Erskine Murdoch and Mrs. John Hogg; auditors, Mrs. Picketts and Mrs. Ralph Moore; pianist, Mrs. Robert Hogg.

Correspondence was read and discussed. It was decided to exchange Christmas gifts to the value of 50 cents. Mrs. Morris Casey moved, seconded by Mrs. Harold Laird that \$10.00 be sent to Springfield Disaster Relief Fund. Motion carried. Mrs. Douglas Webster invited members to her home for next meeting.

Lunch committee, Mrs. Morris Casey, Mrs. Robert Hogg, Mrs. Ralph Moore, Mrs. Horace Payne, Mrs. Hogg moved meeting adjourn. Lunch was enjoyed by all.

Today's Amputees Are Able To Accept Any Employment

By JACK VAN DUSEN
Canadian Press Staff Writer
OTTAWA (CP)—The man walking ahead of you may have no legs—yet he's walking as fast as you are. The chap dashing past to catch a streetcar may have had a leg shot off in the First World War.

You might not be able to tell at a glance.

Thousands of veterans who lost limbs in the First and Second World Wars and in Korea have unobtrusively returned to civilian life, many to do as well as before, or better, thanks to a government agency which took on a seemingly impossible task some 40 years ago.

EXCELLENT SUBSTITUTES

The prosthetic services of the Department of Veterans Affairs provide veterans with artificial limbs to substitute as adequately as possible for those they lost while fighting Canada's wars.

The old method has been replaced by an ingenious apparatus articulated at knee, ankle and toes. Double-leg amputees, who years ago would have spent the remainder of their lives in wheel chairs, are walking on these metal, wood, leather and plastic legs with remarkable agility. Often a slight limp sets them apart from others.

Affable Maj. J. A. Bell, OBE, MC, head of the prosthetic services since 1938, is a proof of the success of the years of research and treatment. He lost both legs below the knee in the First World War.

"I have to go in for repairs every now and then, but they're fine," he said in an interview.

The quiet-spoken, grey-haired veteran would be the last to admit he is a living example to the thousands of men treated by the active executive.

Maj. Bell tries to visit the 12 centres of the services across the country at least once a year. He co-ordinates the activities of the vast organization.

The prosthetic services treat about 70,000 persons a year. Treatments range from new legs and hearing aids to artificial eyes or limbs and repairs to all types of "appliances." Most of the treatments are "repairs." There are about 100 new amputation cases a year in peacetime.

The nucleus of the service is the prosthetic centre in Toronto's Sunnybrook Hospital, which serves as the main manufacturing and distributing centre for the 11 other branch facilities. Some 16,000 appliances, including 800 artificial limbs, and 17,000 repair jobs are produced annually by these facilities.

The Toronto centre has special shops to produce artificial limbs, braces and splints and orthopedic boots. An artificial eye section turns out plastic eyes, moulded ear pieces and facial restorations.

A special research section is continually experimenting in the improvement of design and the use of new materials, such as fibreglass, dacron, nylon and various light metals and steels.

BUY CENTRALS

There are some 1,100 patients a month in the Toronto centre alone. Its most dramatic work is the supply and manufacture of artificial limbs.

Some 3,500 Canadian soldiers lost limbs in the First World War, 2,000 in the Second World War and 28 in Korea. The great majority have returned to civilian life to resume normal lives with tailor-made artificial arms and legs.

"Veteran amputees are engaged in nearly all forms of employment including professional, executive, clerical, farming, fishing, mechanical and other trades," reports Maj. Bell.

"Even double-arm amputees have proven their ability to carry on successfully. Most amputees—motoring, hunting, fishing, gardening, golf—common to the physically fit."

About 21,000 non-veteran amputees in Canada benefit indirectly from the research of the centre. "And we're not through yet," says Maj. Bell. "We are always investigating new materials and methods, adopting new designs and improving on old ones."

ALBERTON

Mr. Kenneth Irving Jr., Moncton spent the weekend at Alberton South, guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hutt.

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Mrs. Stanley Wedlock, O'Leary, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. J.A. Noonan, Alberton.

S'SIDE MINOR SCHEDULE

The following schedule has been released by head coach Lorne Hennessy, and he has again urged all players to examine the schedule carefully and to be present at the rink at least 20 minutes before they are to go on the ice.

He has also advised that the collecting of ten cents from each player will commence this Friday. Each player is asked to contribute ten cents and to turn it into his teacher on Friday morning and Mr. Hennessy will pick it up early Friday afternoon. The co-operation of teachers and players is requested, so that the minor hockey program may be carried out for the winter months. This practise of collecting each Friday will continue until the end of the season.

FRIDAY Paperweights
3:30-4:00 p.m. No. 2 Minor vs. No. 3 Major.
4:00-4:30 p.m. No. 1 Minor vs. No. 2 Major.

Fee Wee
4:30-5:00 p.m. No. 1 Major vs. No. 4 Minor
5:00-5:30 p.m. No. 2 Minor vs. No. 3 Major.

SATURDAY Paperweights
8:00-8:30 p.m. No. 1 Major vs. No. 2 R.C.A.F.
8:30-9:00 p.m. No. 3 Minor vs. No. 1 R.C.A.F.

Fee Wee
9:00-9:30 p.m. No. 1 Minor vs. No. 4 Major
9:00-10:00 p.m. No. 2 Major vs. No. 3 Minor
10:00-10:30 p.m. No. 1 Major vs. R.C.A.F.

Bantam
10:30-11:15 p.m. No. 1 Minor vs. No. 2 Minor
11:15-12:00 No. 2 Major vs. No. 1 Major
10:00-12:45 No. 3 Major vs. No. 3 Minor
12:45-1:30 o. 1 Minor vs. R.C.A.F.

Fee Wee
4:30-5:00 No. 2 Minor vs. No. 4 Minor
5:00-5:30 No. 2 Major vs. No. 2 Minor

Midnet
8:30-8:15 No. 1 vs. No. 2
8:15-7:00 No. 1 vs. No. 4
7:00-7:45 No. 5 vs. o. 6

Juvenile
7:45-8:30 Practise

MONDAY Paperweights
3:30-4:00 No. 1 Major vs. No. 1 R.C.A.F.
4:00-4:30 No. 2 R.C.A.F. vs. No. 3 Minor
4:30-5:00 No. 3 Major vs. No. 4 Major

Fee Wee
5:00-5:30 No. 2 Major vs. No. 3 Major
5:00-5:30 No. 2 Major vs. No. 3 Major
5:30-6:00 No. 1 Minor vs. R.C.A.F.

WESTERN GUARDIAN

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HEAR HON. J.A. Bernard greeting the many F.E. Islanders now living in Boston, over the Boston Radio Station WVOM - 1600 on the dial, during the Irish hour programme on Thursday Dec. 6th, at 9 p.m.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. William Bentley, of New Jersey, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alyre Arsenault, 105 Central Street, Summerside.

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BREADALBANE

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Roach and their daughter Florence were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chappell.

Mrs. Charles Baillieu, Port Hawkesbury, Nova Scotia, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morrison during the latter part of October.

Mr. and Mrs. Bismark Cousins, who recently sold their home and farm in Breadalbane have moved to Charlottetown for the winter months. Their many friends here regret to have them leave but are anticipating their return to Breadalbane Village next summer.

Mr. James Craig Sr. St. John, N.B. was a visitor to Breadalbane during the weekend of November 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Barlowe, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robertson and Mrs. J. J. MacLeod motored to Toronto the weekend of October 27th.

Both Alberton Rinks To Open

The Alberton skating rink has been taken over for the season by Glen Mathews and Charles Fraser, two members of the Regals hockey team, and the work of leveling the ground preparatory to the making ad repairs to the arches supporting the roof is already underway. This is good news for skaters and hockey fans as for a time it was a possibility that the rink would not open. As far as free hockey and skating time for school age children, started two years ago, will be continued this winter.

Ice making is underway at the Alberton Curling Rink where curling is expected to be started at the earliest date in the club's history following the installation of an artificial ice plant last winter. A grand opening moccasin dance is planned.

NORTHAM

Friends of Mr. Ivan Linkletter, are pleased to know that he has returned home after being a patient in the Montreal hospital.

Mr. Earle Dymont, Moncton, N.B. attended the funeral of his grandfather, the late Mr. James Dymont.

The funeral of the late Mr. James Dymont, was held on Wed. afternoon, November 28th and was largely attended. A short service was held at his late residence then to the Presbyterian Church, Tyne Valley, with Rev. Mr. MacPhail conducting service, assisted by Rev. Mr. MacDonald, of Norton, N. B. The flowers were many and beautiful, testifying to the high esteem in which the deceased was held in the community. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Herman Dymont received news of the death of her brother David L. Stewart of Watertown, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sanderson, Summerside, were guests of Mr. Claude Colwill, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Colwill on Wednesday.

TYNE VALLEY

Mrs. Wilfred MacDougall spent the weekend visiting with friends in North Bedouque and Carleton.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Horace MacArthur on Thursday evening, Nov. 22nd with a good attendance.

Mrs. Dean Crosby and Mrs. Horace Lidstone were guests of Mrs. Hugh MacNeil Lennox Island, on Monday evening, Nov. 26th. Sympathy is extended to the town, was a recent visitor in Miscouche at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Gallant.

Friends of Mrs. P.C. Marten of Miscouche will be sorry to learn that she recently entered the Prince County Hospital where she underwent surgery.

Friends of Ben E. DesRoches, Miscouche, will be sorry to learn that he is in the Prince County Hospital as a result of an accident.

Father Daniel of the Foreign Missions was in Miscouche during the weekend of November 23rd where he gave a talk about his work to the convent pupils and also preached on Sunday.

Friends of Rose May DesRoches of Miscouche, will be sorry to learn that she has entered the Prince County Hospital where she underwent surgery.

Sympathy is extended to the family of the late Mrs. Peter Steele of Miscouche. Mrs. Steele passed away at her home on Monday, November 26th. The funeral took place on Wednesday morning November 28th at St. John the Baptist Church. Interment was in the Church Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Des Roches, Mrs. Felix DesRoches of Miscouche, recently motored to the United States where they will visit relatives and friends.

Mona Gallant, R.N. of Charlotte-

AU'CIEN'T LAND
Teakwood has long been a principal export from Thailand, which changed its name from Siam in 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kennedy and family, Kensington, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Kennedy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Nisbet on Sunday, Nov. 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Stenning Williams were visitors to Portage on Sunday, Nov. 25th, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Major Milligan.

The "Explorers Club" which meets at the Manse on Friday of each week, is thoroughly enjoyed by all the junior members. The parents appreciate the time that is being spent on their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacDonald, Summerside, spent the weekend in Tyne Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maynard St. Eleanor's, were visitors on Sunday, Nov. 25th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Maynard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Darrach and family, spent the weekend at Stanley Bridge, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bell.

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BEDEQUE

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Taylor, Freetown, have moved to this village and plan to remain here for the winter. They will have Mr. Taylor's father, Mr. George Taylor residing with them.

Mr. Ivan Dawson, Central Bedouque, was a recent visitor to Newfoundland, where he spent several days.

Mrs. Herbert Craig, Middleton, has been a patient in the Prince County Hospital for several days. Her many friends hope for her early return to good health.

Her many friends are pleased to see Mrs. Robert Affleck up and around again after being confined to her home for several days through illness.

Mr. Lloyd Burns, of the firm of "Campbell & Burns", has his third operation in the P.E.I. Hospital. He is doing as well as can be expected. His host of friends wish him a speedy recovery.

The annual congregational get together of the Central Bedouque of the Sewing Circle, was held at the Parsonage on Monday evening, November 26th. Over 60 were present. A balanced programme was carried out including solos, duet, and a debate in which six speakers took part. Following this a social time was spent and ice cream and cake was served.

The Bedouque congregation of the United Church has sent forward a total of \$152.00, \$40.00 of this amount was contributed by the Sunday School.

MISCOUCHE

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Cotton and two children Nora May and Michael of Chatham, New Brunswick, were recent visitors to Miscouche at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Taff Arsenault of Charlottetown recently visited relatives in St. Nicholas.

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ALBERTON

Friends here will regret to learn that Mrs. Sidney Sanderson entered the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Sunday Nov. 18th where she underwent an appendectomy.

Mr. Wellington Murray student at the University of New Brunswick spent the weekend of Nov. 11th at his home in Breadalbane.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Ackland, Cornwall, visited friends in Breadalbane and Fredericton during the week of November 4th.

Young Canada Book Week was celebrated in the Breadalbane Library, Nov. 15-22. On Thursday, Nov. 22, the Reading Club and librarian sponsored a party, to which they invited the pupils of the Breadalbane Village and Breadalbane Rural School. Chief items on the program were a play "Little Black Sambo", a duet, a book review and several contests. All present were treated with candy.

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PIUSVILLE

Sincere sympathy of the community goes out to the relatives of Mr. Mike Doyle, whose death occurred recently in Toronto. Mr. Doyle was formerly from Bloomfield Station, P. E. I.

A large crowd attended the show held in Piusville hall on Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Trainor. Numerous gifts were received. Also a sum of money. Dancing was enjoyed to the excellent violin music by Mr. Pius Dorton. Howlan, with guitar accompanied by Misses

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Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacDonald of Woodstock, N.B. have taken up residence in the Campbell Apartments, Alberton. Mr. MacDonald is employed with Hutt Bros at Alberton South.

Friends of Mrs. Walter Myers of Hingham, Mass., will regret to

NOTICE

Regular meeting South Shore Branch Prince County Fish and Game Association will be held in the Borden Town Hall on Wednesday evening, Dec. 5. Drawing for razor will take place at this meeting.

RANDOLPH STEVENSON.

NOTICE

Electrical service in the Town of Kensington will be disrupted between the hours of 1:00 and 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 6 or, if weather unfavorable, on the first fine day following.

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Unaware So Much Maritime Made

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP) — Results of clothing and footwear surveys in the Atlantic region were reported to the Atlantic Provinces Economic Council Friday by its trade committee.

Most producers felt that educating consumers to support products made in the region was a long-term objective. Buyers said they were interested in buying and supporting regional products, other factors being equal.

Buyers had admitted they were generally unaware that so many clothing and footwear products were manufactured in the area.

The report said a survey of container requirements in the four provinces is under way.

Efforts also were being made to determine what regional statistics were unavailable; also where and how they could be obtained.

A regional trade directory was reported in course of preparation listing the names of manufacturers in the Atlantic provinces and their products.

TOURISM CAN GROW

The tourist committee reported "no doubt" that the tourist business could be expanded in the region. Capital and the right personnel were first required.

The first part of a tourist research program has been completed by Prof. William Dalton of St. Mary's University at Halifax.

Alberton United Ladies' Service

A Christmas meeting for the ladies of Alberton Congregation of the United Church of Canada was held in the church hall Monday evening. The hall was attractively decorated in keeping with the season. The focal point of interest was the worship centre, a table covered with a white cloth and bordered with evergreens and a bright red berries from the barberry, on which was an open Bible and an arrangement of white and red candles. A large raised candle symbolized the Light that is in Christ and smaller candles symbolized the Universal Kinship of those who have received a measure of this Light into their own lives.

The theme of the service was "His Constant Lamp." During the worship members representing Canada and five countries of South

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OPPORTUNITY

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There will be an interruption of electric power on the Bedouque line on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 5, between the hours of 1:00 and 5:00 p.m., weather permitting, for the purpose of allowing us to do some necessary maintenance work on this line. This interruption has been scheduled for last Wednesday afternoon but had to be cancelled because of bad weather conditions.

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