

NORTH RIVER SCHOOL (Mid-term examinations)

Grade IX —Howard MacPhail. Grade VIII —Zilda MacDonald. Grade VII —Willard MacPhail. Grade VI —L. Linda Docken-Grade V (a) —Lois MacEwen. Grade V (b) —Billy MacDonald. Grade IV —L. Linda MacPhail. Grade III —L. Linda Docken-

dorf; 2. Peggy MacDonald. Grade II —L. Linda MacEwen; 2. Robert Sanderson; 3. Jimmie Robertson; 4. Mary MacDonald. Grade I —L. Linda MacPhail; 2. Barbara Robertson. Pupil with highest average —Lois MacPhail, 93.3%. Perfect attendance — Robert Sanderson, Patsy MacEwen and Donald MacEwen. Teacher —Greta Proude.

Shortage Of Engineers In Canada Forecast

VANCOUVER (CP) — A shortage of engineers to develop Canada's resources was forecast in an interview here by Dr. Austin Wright of Montreal, secretary of the 16,000-member Engineering Institute of Canada. He said only 1,200 engineers will graduate from Canadian universities this year though there is a demand for twice that number to further development of the country's economy.

Dr. Wright came here with Ross Dobbin of Peterborough, Ont., president of the institute, on the final lap of a cross-country trip on which they talked with branch executives from St. John's, Nfld., to Whitehorse, Y. T. "Demand today for engineering graduates exceeds the supply to such an extent that some men are handling as many as three jobs simultaneously," said Dr. Wright. "For another quarter of a century there will be a shortage of engineers in Canada."

He said about 50 Canadian students will be sent to European industrial centres this year in exchange for the same number of foreign students. Under the United Nations Economic, Social and Cultural Organization, 18 countries are involved with 4,200 students making the switch.

Each youth is placed in a job pays his own expenses and is expected to return to his own country to put his year's practical training to work. "It gives bright young men a chance to study different social systems as well as industrial development," said Dr. Wright. "and it will be a stabilizing influence through the motion of mutual understanding."

STELLA MARIS HIGH SCHOOL (January Honour Roll)

Grade XI (Over 90%) —Lorina Peters. (80%-89%) — Doris Andrew, Bernardine Gauthier, Kathleen Walsh, Edwina Peters. (70%-79%) — Leslie Hiscott, Edmond LeClair, Adele Kelly, Margaret Doiron, Albinus Gauthier, Mary Bradley, Geraldine Turner, Allison Gallant. Grade X (Over 90%) —Patricia Gauthier. (80%-89%) — Hazel Doiron, Frances Doiron, Mary C. Gallant. (70%-79%) — Eric Peters, Edward Doucette, Thelma Gallant, Rodney Gauthier. Grade IX (Over 90%) —Phyllis Gallant. (80%-89%) — Dixie Kerwin, Theresa I. Gallant, Rose Marie LeClair, Eleanor Doucette, Mary Pineau, Teresa Blaquiere, Grace Gallant. (70%-79%) — Marie T. Gallant.

Discuss Changes In Air Agreement

OTTAWA (CP) — The external affairs department announced today that Canada and Australia are considering amendments to the Canada-Australia air transport agreement of 1946 which established air services between the two countries.

The department in a press release said discussions between representatives of the Canadian and Australian governments have been held during the last few weeks in Melbourne. It said both parties agreed it would require some time to examine proposals. "Accordingly the Canadian representatives are returning to Canada, and it is intended that the discussions will be resumed at a meeting to be held later between representatives of the two governments."

The release said it "is not anticipated" that there will be any "immediate" change in the broad pattern of operations by the two airlines affected by the agreement, Canadian Pacific Airlines in Canada and Australia's British Commonwealth Pacific Airlines.

NO DODGING

OSLO (CP) — The Norwegian Supreme Court in a test case has ruled that youths of military service age are obliged to call for registered draft letters and must report for service as soon as possible.

Royal Navy Makes Rapid Strides With New Weapons

LONDON Reuters — The Royal Navy is making major strides on new weapons to combat submarines, sea mines and attacking planes, it was disclosed today. J. P. L. Thomas, first lord of the admiralty, did not specify in his report the lines the research is taking.

Thomas said that in the naval production program for the coming year, 1954-55, emphasis will remain on the expansion of minesweeper and anti-submarine forces, and on completing aircraft carriers already under construction. The fleet carrier Ark Royal and two light fleet carriers, Albion and Bulwark, would be completed during the coming year.

Progress on building frigates, minesweepers, sea defence boats and patrol boats had been less rapid than was hoped. This was due partly to production difficulties — which were being overcome — and partly to problems "inevitable with ships of new design."

Estimated Increased

The report accompanied the annual navy estimates for the coming year. The net estimate is £333,000,000, an increase of about £25,000,000 over the current year. The report listed the active strength of the fleet as follows: One battleship Vanguard; one

fleet carrier Eagle, two light fleet carriers Glory and Warrior. Cruisers 10; daring-class ships heavy all-purpose destroyers 6; destroyers 20; frigates 33; fast minelayers 1; submarines 37; minesweepers 38.

Ships in reserve: battleships 4; fleet carriers 2; light fleet carriers 3; cruisers 15; daring-class ships 3; destroyers 69; frigates 115; fast minelayers 2; monitors 2; submarines 20; minesweepers 146.

Under construction are one fleet carrier, six light fleet carriers, three cruisers, 25 frigates, and 114 minesweepers. Three fleet carriers and a light fleet carrier are among other ships on training and experimental duties.

DARNLEY AND SEA VIEW W. M. S.

The monthly meeting of Darnley and Sea View W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. James Hickey on February 8. Meeting opened by singing "O For a Closer Walk With God." Mrs. Hickey had charge of the Worship service, assisted by Mrs. Gordon Cousins, and Mrs. Lloyd Adams. Roll call was answered by eight members responding with a verse

of Scripture starting with the letter (E). Two chapters of the study book, "The Four R's of Europe", "The Ministry of Radio", was in charge of Mrs. Arthur MacKay, assisted by Mrs. Keir MacKay, Mrs. Gordon Cousins, Mrs. Lloyd Adams. The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison. The hymn, "All The Way My Savior Leads Me," and the Benediction closed the meeting. Next meeting is at the home of Mrs. Harry Crozier.

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DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS 1. Projecting end of a church 5. Jargon 9. Arabian chieftain 10. Those who tell falsehoods 12. Crown of the head 13. A chess opening 14. Anger 15. Weapons of defense 16. Father 17. Capital (Venez.) 18. Kettle 19. Gained 21. Bottom: the foot 22. Slight of hand 26. Greedy 27. Wrath 28. Offer 29. Onward 33. Old Dutch (abbr.) 34. Bulk 35. Sorrow 36. Relate 38. Wash 39. Breathe noisily in sleep 40. Ventilated 41. Having to do 42. Malt beverage

Crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-42 indicating starting positions for the clues.

DOWN

- 1. Beetle 2. One of the Apostles 3. Observe 4. Erbium (sym.) 5. Edible mollusks 6. Points 7. Seize 8. Capital of Libia 9. Heroic 10. Island (New York bay) 13. Flaunting 15. Acidity (Med.) 17. Cry of a dove 38. Recline 40. Jewish month

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE

Here's how to work it: AXYDLBAAXR is LONG FELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this example A stands for the three Ls, X for the two Os, etc. Single letters, positions, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different

A Cryptogram Quotation

FDC LUNHF FDNF LUXPH UXQE-CHFC WH HXXA XSCKLUXPA-HTXU-UCFF.

Yesterday's Cryptogram: SERENELY FULL, THE EPICURE WOULD SAY, "FATE CANNOT HARM ME: I HAVE DINED TO-DAY"—SMITH.

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