

Bargain Bus Tours For Islanders In Europe

The longest week-end sightseeing trip yet taken by soldiers of 27th Canadian Infantry Brigade was the jaunt enjoyed by a group from "C" Squadron, Royal Canadian Dragoons.

A party of 26 "Drag" and ROEME personnel attached to the armoured unit travelled by luxury bus from their camp at Hohn, Germany to Brussels, Belgium—some 350 miles to the southwest.

Among them were Sgt. Lorne Cass, Charlottetown, P.E.I.; Tpr. John Alfred Bernard, Summerside, P.E.I.; and Tpr. Walter "Larry" Paquet, Souris, P.E.I.

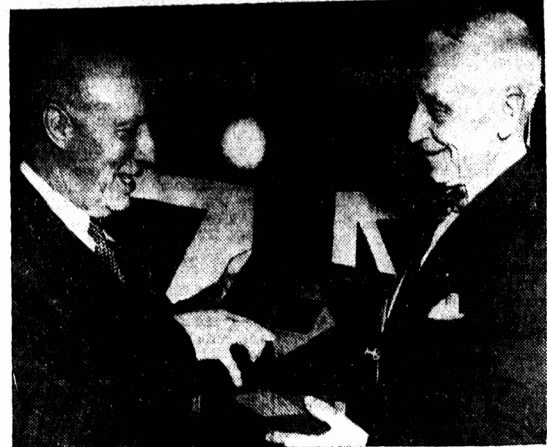
A few of the visitors had been to Brussels during the war and knew their way around the metropolis. Others took a "rubber-neck" tour of the city and saw the main points of interest. All were impressed with the general prosperity of the citizens and the large number of American-made cars. However, after checking the prices of some consumer goods the Canucks concluded that the basic cost of living in Belgium was higher than in West Germany.

First Aid Refresher Course

A Refresher Course for First Aid Instructors will be held at Red Cross Headquarters, 62 Prince Street, this weekend. Red Cross First Aid Instructors are required to attend a Refresher Course every two years in order to retain instructor standing. The following program will be of interest to all instructors:

Friday, February 27th
 2 P.M. — Organization — Mrs. Cudmore.
 2.30 — Roller Bandaging — Mrs. H. Simpson.
 3.30 — Triangular Bandaging — Mrs. N. D. MacLean.
 4.00 — Accident Prevention — Dr. Curtis.
 5.00 — Fundamentals of Teaching — Mr. MacPhee.
 7.00 — Transportation — John Mully.
 8.00 — Spinal Injuries — Duties of First Aid Worker — Dr. Murchison.
 9.00 — Artificial Respiration (New Method) — Paul Cudmore.
 Saturday, February 28th
 9 A.M. — First Aid in Civil Defence — Dr. MacNeill.
 10.00 — Splinting — Rev. Sister Mary Irene.
 1 P.M. — Artificial Respiration.
 2 P.M. — Written Tests.

Life Memberships Presented To Maritimers



Crystal Chapter Eastern Star Meets

The regular meeting of Crystal Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star was held on Friday evening last at the Masonic Temple, with the Worthy Matron, Jessie Parker, presiding, assisted by the Worthy Patron, Morley F. Smith, and a large attendance of officers and members.

Routine business was transacted, followed by the ceremony of initiation, when five new members received the Degree of the Order, and were warmly welcomed. The Chapter was also pleased to welcome a sister by affiliation.

Refreshments were served in the Recreation Hall at the close of the meeting under the convenship of Sister Helen Herring and her committee followed by a social hour.

More than 600 persons, including many former Prince Edward Islanders, attending the recent 23rd annual banquet of the Maritime Provinces Association of Edmonton, Alberta, saw life memberships presented to some of the oldest members. The ten present at the gathering to receive their awards were, front row, left to right: Mrs. W. E. Poole, formerly of New Perth, P.E.I.; Mrs. George Henry, Bars Corner, N.S.; Mrs. Sarah Bruce, Port Shoreham, N.S.; Mrs. E. G. Moffatt, Waterville, N.S., and Mrs. William Douglas, Milton, P.E.I.; standing, W. E. Poole, Lower Montague, P.E.I.; Dr. John S. Lowther, Bedouque, P.E.I.; Dr. Leslie L. Fuller, Grand Pre, N.S.; George Ball, Charlottetown, P.E.I., and Peter McKenzie, Belle River, P.E.I. Below, H. O. Patriquin, president of the Association, formerly of Tatamagouche, N. S., and James Hierlihy, vice-president, formerly of Coleman, P. E. I. inspect a walnut box inlaid with oak, the gift of members of the "Overlanders of 1952", a party of Easterners who travelled across Canada last year.

Long Creek Day Of Prayer Service

The World Day of Prayer Service was observed in Long Creek United Baptist Church on Friday February 20th, with Mrs. Malcolm MacNeill as leader.

The Theme was "Walk As Children of Light," which had been prepared through the co-operation of African Christians.

Representatives from the United and Presbyterian Churches took part in the service. The choir consisted of Girls from the J. P. U. with Mrs. Hector Currie, organist.

Special prayers were offered by Mrs. Allison MacMillan, Mrs. Donald MacEachern, Mrs. Dan Livingstone, Mrs. Melton MacNevin and Mrs. Melbourne MacEachern.

Mrs. Allison MacMillan gave a very interesting talk on the World Day of Prayer.

The offering was received and dedicated and will be sent to the Women's Inter-Council of Canada.

Northam and Vicinity

The many friends of Master Brian Colwill are sorry to learn that he had the misfortune to fall from a woodbox, fracturing his arm.

A very pleasant evening was spent recently at the home of Miss Gerlie Newcombe, in the form of a quilting party, when a number of members of the Women's Institute assembled to do a quilt, to be handed in to the Red Cross and passed along through them to someone in the flooded areas of Europe. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

On Tuesday evening, February 17th, a number of Institute members met at the home of Mrs. Leigh Maynard to do a quilt for the people in the flooded area. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess at which all departed for home, feeling another good deed had been done.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Colwill and family were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith McDougall, Bideford, Sunday, February 22nd.

Miss Phyllis Colwill spent the February 21st week end with Miss Barbara Ellis.

Miss Norma McDougall, Bideford, spent Saturday, February 21st, with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Colwill.

The Misses Irma and Jean Grigg spent the week end of February 21st with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLennan, Port Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Demont were visitors to Slemon Park on Sunday, February 22nd. —AW

CENTRAL LOT 16, SCHOOL

—Following is the report for Central Lot 16 School, Primary Department, for the half year ending January, 1953.

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World Day Of Prayer Meeting At Albany

—The World Day of Prayer was observed Friday evening February 20th, at the home of Mrs. S. M. MacKay, Albany, with 23 members representing the United, Presbyterian, Anglican and Baptist Churches.

"Walk as Children of Light," was the theme of a most impressive service which had been prepared through the co-operation of African Christians. The drum call was read by Mrs. Paul Dawson, which was followed by responsive reading with Mrs. Hazen Dawson, Mrs. Douglas Crossman, Mrs. Earl

—The offering received by Mrs. Lester MacLeod and dedicated to Mrs. Stephen Heustis will be sent to the Women's Inter-Council of Canada who sponsored the programme. The hymns sung were, "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee," "Thou, Whose Almighty Word" and "The Day Thou Gavest, Lord, Is Ended." Mrs. E. V. MacLeod was the organist for the evening.

A social hour was enjoyed, when lunch was served by members of Albany W. M. S.

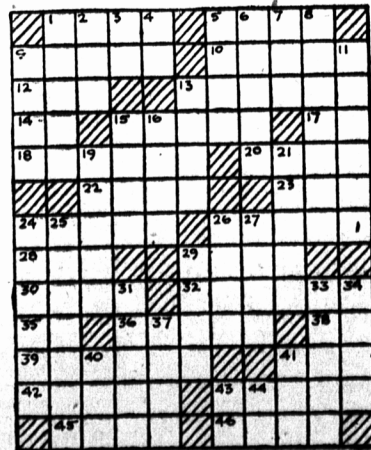
Mrs. George MacKay moved a hearty vote of thanks to the hostess for the hospitality given, which was seconded by Mrs. W. P. Cameron, and acknowledged by Miss. S. M. MacKay.

DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS
1. Bog
 2. River (So. Am.)
 3. Sun god
 4. Half an em
 5. Cry, as an owl
 6. Sea eagles
 7. Roll of money (slang)
 8. Place for storing goods
 9. Man's name (Fr.)
 10. Kind of paint
 11. Consisting of lime
 12. Mature
 13. Thick wire cord
 14. Biblical city
 15. Inscribe
 16. Sun god
 17. Secondary school (Fr.)
 18. Bang
 19. Confederate
 20. Mature
 21. Thick wire cord
 22. Talk (slang)
 23. Cuckoo
 24. Mast
 25. Penitential season
 26. Small pool of water
 27. Part of "to be"
 28. Peruses
 29. Water god (Babyl.)
 30. Islands along W coast of Greece
 31. Type measures
 32. Thin brittle cookies
 33. Piece of turf golf
 34. Hanging sword
 35. Foreboding
- DOWN
1. Gay
 2. Regulation
 3. Rude dwelling
 4. A Scotch
 5. City (Fr.)
 6. Spring wild flower
 7. Potato (dial.)
 8. Cushions (slang)
 9. Reach across
 10. Anything worthless (slang)
 11. Citrus fruit
 12. Orient
 13. Comfort
 14. Short sleep
 15. Evening (post.)
 16. Note of the scale
 17. I am (contracted)



Yesterday's Answer



DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it: AXYDLEAAXR = LONGFELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation

J W QUD TK JYGAD OUWC JP VUHK
 OSGUBCKYKC QD KOJUK, MWJVPJ
 VPBPGY—IPVEOPB.

Yesterday's Cryptogram: TO BE REGARDED IN HIS OWN AGE AS A CLASSIC, AND IN OURS AS A COMPANION—MACAULAY.



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