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JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF

Defense Secretary George Marshall, testifying in the MacArthur and Far Eastern policy hearings, paid high tribute to the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Said he: "I frankly doubt that this Government will ever be so fortunate again as to have such a collection of experience at one time in the Chiefs of Staff." Below are the four military leaders and, in Marshall's own words, his estimate of each.



Gen. Omar N. Bradley
Chairman



Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg
Air Force

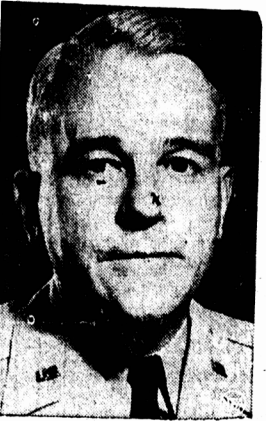
"General Bradley has... commanded the largest force of ground troops in history, ours or anybody else's, in the field; so he is not inexperienced; aside from being a very level-headed man, and one of great honesty of purpose."

"General Vandenberg has commanded, I think, the largest pursuit or battle formation of planes, in contrast with bombers, of any man in history. That is a considerable experience."



Adm. Forrest P. Sherman
Navy

"Admiral Sherman has commanded ships in the Pacific. He had one submarine from under him, a carrier. He has been Nimitz' deputy chief of staff in the Pacific campaign. He is not detached in his view of the Pacific. He knows the Mediterranean."



Gen. J. Lawton Collins
Army

"General Collins commanded a division which terminated the fighting in Guadalcanal. He commanded a corps in landing on Utah Beach. He conducted a classic battle... in destroying large portions of the two German armies remaining at Mainz."



When Len Wahl lit a match in his Peterboro, Ont., home, gases of unknown origin exploded, collapsing the brick and wood back kitchen, as shown here. He was seriously burned about the face and hands, but a companion, in the house at the time, was uninjured. Neighbors said the explosion sounded like a bomb exploding, as it collapsed the kitchen structure.



THEIR "PERFECT MARRIAGE" ON ROCKS — The Gary Coopers, seen above at a recent Hollywood premiere, are ending 17 years of wedded life—a near record for Hollywood—by a separation. Mrs. Cooper, who said she would not seek a divorce, announced the split through her attorney.



THE BLIND LEADING — Watched over by her faithful Seeing-Eye dog, blind Ruth Askenas, staff aide at the New York Lighthouse, donates a pint of blood at the Red Cross Blood Donors' Center in New York. A Red Cross nurse oversees the donation.



FANCY DIGGINS — Pfc. William L. Sickley of Baltimore, Md., made his bed — a soldier's dream in a straw-lined foxhole — and now he's ready to lie in it near the front line in Korea. Its border of stones is decorative but its main purpose is to protect against enemy small arms fire.

Navy Recalls Veterans In \$13 Billion Rearmament



IN AND OUT of uniform a batch of British Navy veterans are pictured as they arrived at the Naval Barracks, Portsmouth, England. They are some of the 6,000 reservists being recalled for 18 months training in latest equipment and methods, and they will supplement the regular sailors and men in the fleet serving their two-year terms under universal conscription which has been law in Britain since World War II. Britain plans to spend the equivalent of \$13 billion on her defense.



MAC'S AIDE QUILTS — Maj. Gen. Charles A. Willoughby, above, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's intelligence chief, will leave Tokyo soon to return to the U.S. for retirement. Willoughby is expected to testify before at least two congressional committees to defend his intelligence work in the Far East.

KING'S LYNN, Norfolk, England (OP) — After surveys showed a smallpox hospital here was "of no further use," the health ministry sold it to the local council for \$1.

Lorne Valley and Vicinity

Miss Marion Shaw was a visitor to Montague on Tuesday.

Mrs. Angus Nicholson spent a few days in Montague last week.

Mrs. Mary A. Phee was a visitor to Montague on Friday.

Mrs. James Callaghan was a visitor to North Rustico on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben McCannell have received word that their son Pte. James McCannell has arrived in Korea.

Mr. John White, Montague was a business visitor to Lorne Valley on Thursday.

The sympathy of the community goes out to Mrs. George MacAuland and Mr. Angus Nicholson in the loss of their sister, Mrs. Bears formerly "Olive Nicholson."

Mr. and Mrs. William Hutton and daughter Gazon were recent visitors to Charlottetown.

Messrs. Bruce Woolridge, Leslie MacLeod and Stanley Ferguson were visitors to Montague on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben McCannell, and Mr. and Mrs. Francis McIntyre were business visitors to Charlottetown on Tuesday.

Mr. Nelson Crane and Mr. James Crane left last week for Niagara Falls where they expect to spend some time.

Miss Glenda MacLeod, Charlottetown spent the week-end at her home in Lorne Valley.

Mr. Francis McIntyre has purchased the beautiful farm of Mr. Reuben McCannell.

Messrs. Ralph Nicholson, Roy MacLeod, Millford MacLeod and Sheldon MacLeod were visitors to Charlottetown on Thursday.

Mr. Cecil Jay and son Herbie, Halifax, accompanied by Mr. Jay's father, Mr. Herbert Jay, Brooklyn, N. Y., were Wednesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earle MacDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCannell and daughter Margaret Ann, Charlottetown, spent a few days visiting Mr. McCannell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben McCannell.

Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Cobb, Millburn, motored to Lorne Valley on Monday where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George McInnis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jay and son Wilfred and Mr. and Mrs. George Jay, Pisquid, motored to Lorne Valley on Wednesday where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. MacDonald.

Miss Marjorie McInnis, Charlottetown spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McInnis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McDonald and family motored to church, Road on Sunday where they were guests of Mrs. MacDonald's parents Mr. and Mrs. Homer James.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewen MacLeod, Forest Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Grover MacKay, Strathcona, were visitors to Lorne Valley on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cuyler Dingwell and family, Marie, motored to Lorne Valley on Sunday. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Francis McIntyre.

A variety concert was held in Lorne Valley Hall on Friday, May 18th. Two one-act plays were presented, the junior play entitled "Tommy Says Hello," and the senior play "How the Story Grew." Specialties included instrumental music by Miss Jane MacGrath and Mr. Alex MacDougall, a duet by Misses Gloria MacLeod and Margaret Hutton, "Between two Trees," (encored) "May You Never Be Alone Like Me," Step dancing by Miss Viola Shepherd, a solo by Kenneth MacLeod, "On top of Old Smoky" (encored) "Wedding Bells," step dancing by Mr. Gerald Clark, a solo by Miss Viola Shepherd, "My Old Brown Coat and Me," (encored) "So Long, It's Been Good to Know Ya." Mr. William Hutton

Souris and Vicinity

Among the recent visitors to Souris were Mrs. A. C. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beers of Charlottetown.

Mrs. W. J. Poole has left the Prince Edward Island Hospital and is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ranahan, at Royalty.

Mrs. Ben Bushey is visiting friends in Charlottetown and Summerside prior to leaving for U.S.A., where she will reside.

After the ordination on Sunday the relatives and friends of Father MacAulay were served a tasty meal in St. Mary's Convent Hall.

A general meeting was held in the Town Hall on Monday, May 28th, to organize for the annual regatta which was such a great success last year.

Mr. Ernest Dugas has been making great changes in the appearance of the house which he purchased on Prince Street.

Work has commenced on the St. Charles Road, which will be 66 feet wide and will extend from the pavement at Rollo Bay to St. Charles Station, a distance of about 4 1/2 miles. When completed this road will be a great improvement for the people in that vicinity.

"Clean Up Week" got away to a good start on Monday night when thirty-five men turned out to sweep the main street. The job started at 6 p.m. and at 8 p.m. the last truck was loaded. The Board of Trade are to be complimented on their effort and the thanks of the Town Council go to the men for their services. The trucks were supplied by J. J. Hughes Co., Matthew & MacLean Co., Waldron Dingwell and C. E. Lavie. The men consumed a lot of dust and some raised blisters on their hands but they all took this in good part.

A large audience attended the three-act comedy "The People Next Door", presented by the Baptist Players of Charlottetown on Friday, May 18th in the Parish Hall sponsored by the Auxiliary of Souris Hospital. It was very much enjoyed by all present. Before the last act commenced Mr. George Leard of the Hospital Board moved a vote of thanks to the players, which was seconded by Mrs. Arthur Paquet, president of the Auxiliary. After the show the visitors were treated to a tasty lunch by the ladies of the Auxiliary. Following is the cast of characters: Dottie Moore—Helen MacRae. Edna Moore—Margaret Dolliver. Sally Moore—Jeanette Ladner. Pete Foster—Kenneth Yeo. Harry Moore—Windsor Brehaut. Charley Foster—Shirley MacKay. Gordon Daniels—Bud Home. Irene Bates—Betty Haman. Music between the acts was supplied by Messrs. Earl Hobbs and Keith Robertson.

was chairman. There was a sale of candy and the National Anthem brought this enjoyable programme to a close. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing.



M.P. VICTIM — Cpl. Paul J. Gressens, of Rochester, N. Y., was shot and killed by two uniformed Soviet soldiers in Vienna. Gressens, with a fellow M.P., attempted to inspect the Russians' documents, when they opened fire point-blank with machine pistols.

The Neighbors

By George Clark



"Now the kid is out flying real bombers and I'm still sitting down here building little models."

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