

CANADA'S YOUNGEST HONORARY COLONEL



To four-year-old 'Teddy' Cartwright life in Coburg these days is pretty dull. And sad. Honorary colonel of a hospital unit stationed at Cobourg, he said his good-byes bravely when he inspected the unit for the first time. Arrival of the unit overseas has been announced. 'Colonel' Cartwright is pictured above. With Col. C. F. Abbott, officer commanding the unit, he is seen at right making a final inspection of the unit. The best he has ever had now has gone off to war and he has been left behind with nothing to console him but memories of the happiest days of his short life.

Teddy 'joined' the Canadian Army several months ago when the unit took up headquarters in the Cobourg armory for the period of its mobilization and training. Living practically next door to the armory, Teddy began paying daily visits to all ranks and so popular did he become that the ladies had a reputation for making a special trip to see him. He is undoubtedly the youngest person in all Canada to hold that rank.

He has three service stripes on his sleeve. Because he took his soldiering seriously and was on hand for parade every day, 'Teddy' was promoted to the rank of honorary lieutenant-colonel. He is undoubtedly the youngest person in all Canada to hold that rank.

OTTAWA REPORTS

That New Ration Order Will Effect a More Equitable Allocation of Jam, Syrup, etc.

The new ration allowances for jam, jellies, syrups, canned fruit and similar products, with the permission to obtain as an alternative one-half pound of sugar for each coupon, is really a big and important concession to the rural folk of Canada. The news behind the news of that order is that the War-time Prices and Trade Board realized that inasmuch as rural folk for the most part do their own preserving of these tasty commodities and country stores are rarely stocked with them in any event, the old situation worked inequally.

The country people claimed that any more or less even distribution of sugar for home canning was unfair to them, and the new order was issued in recognition of that claim, and to effect a more nearly equitable allocation of these commodities in the light of real circumstances. The new order means, in effect, sugar for the rural folk for their full sugar and more particularly sugar with which to sweeten those preserves which they put down earlier without sugar. The new order means that when they open those jars of unsweetened fruits they will have ample sugar with which to sweeten them. At the same time the urban folk have their permission to use their coupons to obtain their jam rations at the city stores.

Two 'D' coupons from the new ration book become good each month and for each coupon the purchaser has the choice of: 1. Six fluid ounces of jam, jelly, marmalade, extracted honey, apple butter, maple butter or maple syrup; or 2. Ten fluid ounces of corn syrup, cane syrup or any blended table syrup; or 3. One-half pound of maple sugar or comb honey in squares. As an alternative to any of these commodities the consumer may obtain for his 'D' coupon one-half pound of sugar.

WISE INVESTORS PREFER STOCKS TO CASH

It is beginning to dawn on many investors, that hoarded cash and unproductive bank accounts are pretty poor assets in a market where increased taxes and the high cost of living. Particularly now, when it is possible to buy many sound common stocks, at bargain prices, which possess substantial market appreciation possibilities. Nevertheless, this is no time to just buy stocks blindly. Most investors are in possession of such meagre information on security values, that it is purely a matter of luck if they happen to secure any profits at all. Not only is it important to know what to BUY but that which is more important is to know when to HOLD or SELL.

PREDICTING THE TREND In March of this year we went on record that a Bull market of major proportions was in the making, and we further predicted that this powerful Bull market should carry through to the year end. Right now American buying of Canadian securities is of a new peak and 'good buys' are becoming increasingly scarce. This is one of the many reasons why we are continuously on the lookout for low-priced issues that have unusual profit-making possibilities.

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THE WAR - WEEK - Commentary on Current Events

Record Of Four Years Of War Is Full Of German Mistakes

The Nazis seemed to have good reason to believe that the war, which is now about to enter its fifth year, could be brought to a conclusion satisfactory to them within perhaps the first twelve months, says the New York Times. For more than twelve months, indeed, everything turned out even better than they had expected. In Poland the westerners smiled on them and the roads and fields remained conveniently dry for their tanks. The French were more divided and even less well prepared than early reports had indicated. The British were unready, except at sea and in the little matter of fighting aircraft. In fact, the very weakness of Germany's enemies in 1940 was perhaps responsible for throwing the Nazi machine out of gear. With a determined effort the Nazis might have effected a landing in Britain in July or August, 1940. Unfortunately for this operation, not completed, the invasion was thwarted by the air, and in the air Germany was repulsed.

The wisest course Yet the situation was still hopeful for the Nazis. If they could not invade Britain it was still possible for Britain and her dominant allies to invade the Continent. At the beginning of 1941 any calculation of material war strength would have suggested that a Nazi victory was only a matter of time. On the basis of previous experience, it seemed unlikely that either Russia or the United States would enter the war unless attacked. Germany's wisest course, one would have thought, would have been to take North Africa, Suez and the Near East, with some assistance from the Italians, batter or starve Britain into submission, and then invade the United States and Russia.

Lesson For Axis These things help to explain why Germany cannot now win. They also point the moral that no nation, however well prepared, however ruthless, can be master of the whole world. The enemies of such a nation increase faster than they can be disarmed or slain. Their courage, ingenuity and persistence are sharpened by peril. The aggressor nation stirs up forces against which it cannot stand, and which will be satisfied with nothing less than its military destruction. Mankind simply will not endure Nazi rule, or any rule resembling it. This is a lesson for the Axis, and for any future aggressors.

OVERSEAS \$1.00 SENDS 300 'BRITISH CONSOLS', 'LEGION', 'MACDONALD'S MENTHO', 'SCOTCH BLENDS' or 'EXPORT' Cigarettes.

Handy WAAFs

Crocodiles look terrible, but they are too small-brained and sluggish to be really formidable. Since they swallow their prey whole, only 'crocod' more than 15 feet long would be likely to consider a man as a candidate for a meal.



Not a multi-armed Siamese goddess, but a group of excellent WAAFs in England makes this complex picture of flying figures.

SCOUTING...

A recent census of the Boy Scout Movement in Great Britain shows an average increase of 21 percent. Hundreds of Canadian Boy Scouts will shortly be assisting in a nation wide drive for milkweed which is urgently needed for experimental work on synthetic rubber. Instructions will shortly go out to all Scout leaders in Canada on the method of collecting and drying the leaves.

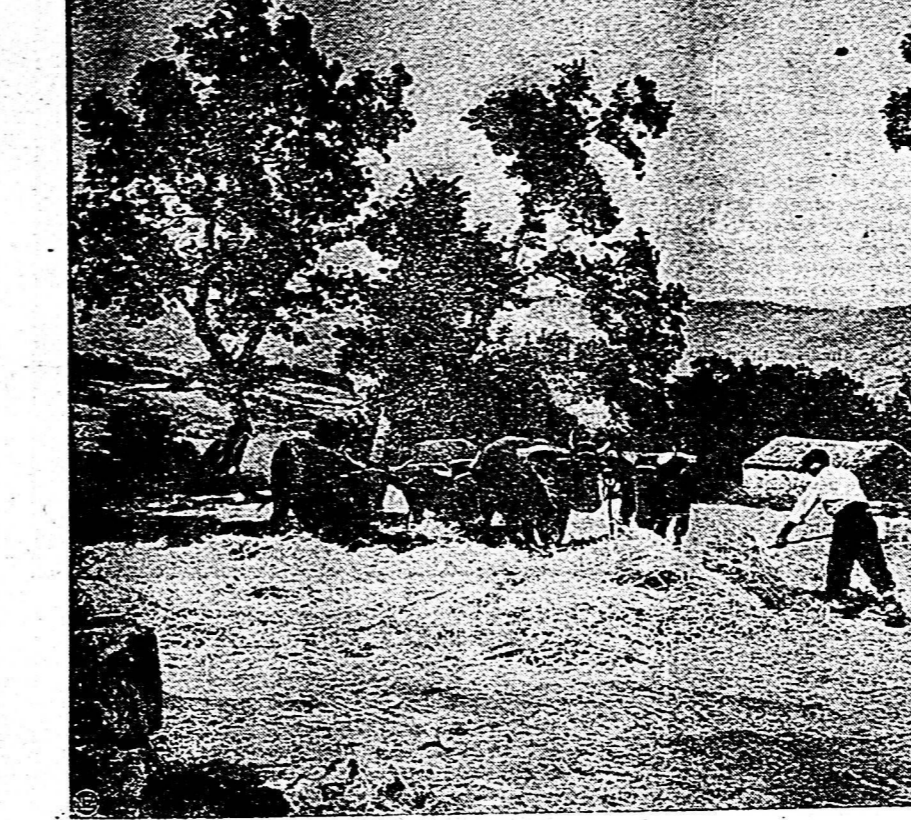
Oldest delegate to attend the recent National Scout Conference in Ottawa was Chief Justice J. B. McRae of New Brunswick. The Chief Justice is 75 years old and was billeted with other Scout leaders at Elmwood school where he made his own bed each morning. The Chief Justice has been for many years president of the

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PASTORAL OF PEACE IN SICILY



Peace has come to Sicily. The peasants have come down out of the hills to repair their homes and till their fields with nothing to fear except an occasional Axis air raid and with the confidence that they are once again free peoples. In this peaceful setting a Sicilian farmer threshes wheat in the manner of his forefathers, pitching it in the pat he's a huge stone pulled over the grain by the team of oxen.

Modern Etiquette

1. Is it all right for the bridegroom to give his bride something for the home as his wedding gift? 2. Is it obligatory for a guest at a christening to bring a gift for the baby? 3. Is the dessert at meals considered a separate course? 4. Should a woman refer to her husband as 'Mr. Jones' when talking with an acquaintance?

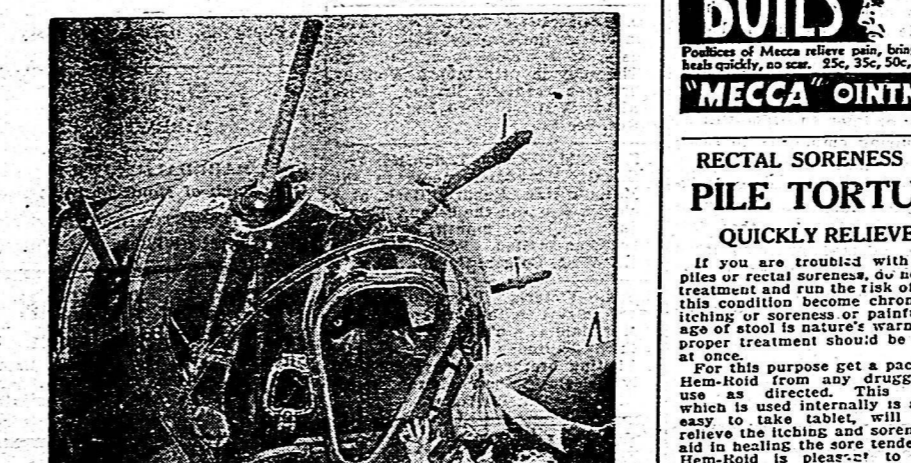
Triple Launching First In Canada

Three 10,000-ton freighters, christened Fort Moose, Fort Covington and Fort Romaine, slipped down the great runways at the United Shipyards, Montreal, on the first triple launching in Canada. The Fort Romaine, last of the three to hit the water, set a record. It was sent on its way 38 days after the keel-laying, beating by eight days the previous Canadian record established recently at Vancouver.

BACKACHE? Look out for Trouble With Your KIDNEYS

If your back aches or you have disturbed sleep, burning or smarting, look out for trouble. This condition is a sure sign that your kidneys are not fully riding your blood of poisonous acids and wastes. When the kidneys slow up, wastes collect. Backache, dizzy spells, puffy eyes and rheumatic pains may follow. Your kidneys need help—and there is a time-tested, proven way to help them known as GOLD MEDAL Haartem Oil Capsules. These capsules contain carefully measured quantities of that widely known diuretic called Dutch Drops. You will find their action fast and effective. Be sure you get GOLD MEDAL Haartem Oil Capsules, the genuine and original Dutch Drops—made in Canada. Get a package from your druggist.

Deadly Bug



MECCA OINTMENT

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Have You Heard?

As the men rushed frantically down the country lane, he came across a farm yard. 'Quick!' he panted. 'A marauding tiger has escaped from the circus!' 'He said the countryman phlegmily, 'What's it going to?' 'You don't think I'm chasing it, do you?' exploded the runner with a gasp.

Stranger: 'Can you give me a job, mate?' Foreman: 'A job is it? Wal, I've got a man here today that ain't come, an' if he don't turn up to-morrow, O'H see him away an' take you on.'

New Missionary: 'Did you know Mr. Brown?' 'Oh, yes! He was the pride of our island.' New Missionary: 'Why did he leave such a nice island?' 'He didn't, sir. You see, times got so hard that he had to swallow our pride.'

Barber: 'Shall I give you a shampoo, madam?' Mrs. Newlyrich: 'I should say not. I can afford the best. Give me a genuine Poo or nothing at all.'

In court the other day a defendant appeared without an attorney. Judge: 'Would you like a lawyer to defend you?' Defendant: 'I don't think so. But if you can find me a couple of good witnesses I'd sure appreciate it.'

'Then there was the girl who, on being asked what was her ambition, said she wanted to be an air raid siren.'

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The Last Shot

Wars sometimes peter out in a very prosaic manner. It was so with the Franco-German war of 1870. One evening at supper Bismarck announced to his friends, 'At twelve o'clock to-night our troops and the French will exchange their last shots, and I have agreed that the latter shall fire the last one.'

Shortly before midnight the Chancellor and his guests went outside their hotel at Versailles and waited. Presently they heard a shot from the Germans, followed after a brief interval by the French reply. At the echo of the second shot away the tower clock struck twelve and the Franco-German war was over.

Germans Flying U. S. Fortresses

German airmen are flying captured American Flying Fortresses alongside our formations over France and Germany but thus far have made no attempt to interfere with our operations, it was disclosed in Britain recently.

When the enemy's plan is as not emerged—perhaps he hopes to sneak one or more ships into the raiding squadrons and open the guns against all those about. The American system of identifying Fortresses among an another is being changed at irregular intervals, however, and the formations fly so closely together that there is little opportunity for a successful effort to sneak into them.

Slight Preference

Inscription on the centre of three toothpicks in a family plot near Niagara Falls, Ontario: 'Here I lie between two of the best women in the world, my wives. But I have requested my relatives to tip me a little toward Lillie.'

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