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**Nelson's 'Victory' Under Fire Again**

Admiral Lord Nelson's Flagship Hit by German Bomb But Not Badly Damaged

It was reported some time ago, says The St. Thomas Times-Journal, that H.M.S. Victory, Admiral Lord Nelson's flagship at the Battle of Trafalgar, had been hit by a bomb in Portsmouth dockyard, and we are glad to learn that the damage is not serious. This is surprising, because the Victory is one of the "wooden walls of England," and having been in dry dock since 1922, owing to deterioration of the hull which put her in danger of sinking, the wonder is she did not go up in flames. Fortunately, she was not hit by an incendiary bomb.

Many of the ancient buildings and relics in the British Isles which have been damaged by

bombs can be repaired and restored to resemble the originals, but if the Victory had been burned there would have been nothing left of her but ashes. And she is one of the grandest relics of the ancient glories of Britain. Lord Nelson selected her as his flagship when he was appointed commander-in-chief in the Mediterranean in 1803, a position which he held until his death on October 21, 1805. Lower down is the "cockpit" where the admiral was carried and died that afternoon. Nearby, is the surgery office, with the crude instruments of that period laid out, some of which, no doubt, were used on Lord Nelson.

**BLACK DAWN**  
 By VICTOR ROSSEAU

CHAPTER V SYNOPSIS  
 Dave Bruce, out of a job, arrives at Wilbur Ferris' Cross-Bar ranch. Curran, the foreman, proposes him a job if he can break a horse called Black Dawn, a notorious killer. When Dave discovers Curran expected the horse to kill him, they fight. Dave hits Curran just as a girl rides up. She is bitterly angry with Dave for breaking "her" horse. The girl, Lois, rides off on Black Dawn, and Dave follows, but she refuses to speak to him. Dave goes to a bar where he finds two men, Lonergan and Hooker, quarrelling.

"You put me off and you'll wish you'd never been born, Lonergan," shouted old Hooker. "He had picked himself up and came tottering forward, a tragic figure, with his educated speech and scrawny features kept quiet, long enough. I'm warning you—"

"Yep? And I warned you plenty that she shank me, and has got to stop," rasped a voice behind them.

**69 Holstein Cattle Sell For \$71,610**

Sixty-nine head of Holstein cattle brought \$71,610 at the all-Canadian sale in Oakville. The average price of \$1,037 represented the highest attained at a Holstein consignment sale in Canada and the highest in North America since 1929.

Top price of \$5,100 was paid by Glenn L. Bancroft, of Flint, Mich., for Meadowood Aberkerk Bay Apple, a two-year-old heifer consigned by J. E. Chandler of Hudson Heights, Que. Sarah Van Housen Jones of Rochester, Mich. paid second highest price of \$2,700 for a five-year-old cow offered by Hays and Company of Calgary, which also received the highest price for a bull when H. J. McFarland of Euston, Ont., paid \$2,000 for Hays' Great Journey, eight-month-old calf.

Twenty-four animals sold for \$1,000 or more, eight reaching the \$2,000 mark. Other buyers paying \$2,000 or more included Albert Selling, Elmira, Ont., who bought a four-year-old heifer from Smith Haven Farm, which paid \$2,000 for a four-year-old heifer consigned by Hon. Walter J. Jones, premier of Prince Edward Island; and H. L. Guilbert, Vercheres, Que., who paid \$2,000 for a two-year-old heifer offered by R. R. McLaughlin.

Pat reserves near Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, will soon be producing a thousand tons a day, it is planned.

**AWARDED D.F.M.**  
 P.O. Bob Charters of Brantford is a son of Mr. Clarence Charters, manager of the C.W.N.A.

He was 19 years of age when he joined the A.I.R. Force and received the D.F.M. before he was 20. The decoration was awarded him for a display of great fortitude when he remained at his post although wounded in the chest. His bomber continued on its flight to Essen with one engine disabled. P.O. Charters' 23 year-old brother has been overseas with the Lorne Scots since May 1942.

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**Sausage Chouder**  
 This hearty soup, carried in a vacuum jar, makes an appetizing and satisfying "starter" for any lunch. Cut the sausages rather small, for convenience, and send along a spoon, as well as crisp crackers wrapped in waxed paper, to go with the soup!  
 1/2 pound sausage  
 1/2 cup chopped onion  
 5 cups water or stock  
 Cut up sausages and cook until crisp. Lift from pan and drain off some of the fat. In remaining fat, cook onion until tender. Add water and bring to rapid boil. Shake and stir in Aunt Jemima Sausage Soup, heating until thickened. Add salt and sausages, and re-heat. Fill into heated vacuum jar, for the carried lunch. Makes 6 hearty servings. Leftover soup may be re-heated for home lunches.

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**TABLE TALKS**

SADIE B. CHAMBERS  
**Some Tempting Autumn Recipes**

**A New Spanish Cream**  
 1 pint of cream or rich milk  
 1 tablespoon of sugar  
 3 egg yolks  
 1 teaspoon vanilla  
 Scald the milk or cream over hot water. Beat egg yolks, sugar and vanilla, and mix thoroughly. Gradually add scalded cream and when mixture is well combined, turn into a baking dish. Set in a pan of hot water and bake in a slow oven until firm. Cool and chill thoroughly. Cover with apple sugar or brown sugar and place under the broiler. When the sugar is quite brown and melted remove from the heat again. Serve very cold with caramel sauce or cream.

**Origin Of Term "Black Market"**  
 The black market got its name from a development in Germany in 1917 which, with variations, is being repeated in the United States in 1942. Ethyl News explains: "German farmers, dissatisfied with price ceilings set over their livestock, took to slaughtering their animals on moonless nights and selling the meat through illegal channels. Hence the term 'black slaughtering' and 'black market'."

**Cauliflower Surprise**  
 For those who think cauliflower is rather a flat-tasting vegetable it can be made to try this recipe and they will be using it often.  
 2 eggs  
 1/2 cup of milk  
 1/2 teaspoon salt  
 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg  
 3/4 grain of cayenne  
 2 tablespoons lemon juice  
 1 tablespoon butter  
 Mix all the ingredients together, in the order given. Cook in the top of a double boiler, until thick; pour over hot cooked cauliflower.

**Apple Dream**  
 2 lbs. of apples  
 1/2 cupful of sugar  
 3 tablespoons butter  
 Juice and rind of one lemon  
 3 egg yolks  
 2 egg whites  
 2 tablespoons of sugar  
 Peel and core apples and combine with sugar, butter and lemon. Cook until tender then beat well and stir in well beaten egg yolks. Put in a baking dish. Beat egg whites until stiff but not dry. Fold in two tablespoons of sugar and fill on top of first mixture. Heat in a moderate oven until the top is nicely browned.  
 Serve hot or cold.  
 Whipped Cream Substitute  
 I heard this over the radio the other day and hope it will meet with your approval.  
 1 cup of ground apple  
 1/2 cup white sugar  
 1 tablespoon of lemon juice  
 Whites of two eggs, whipped stiffly

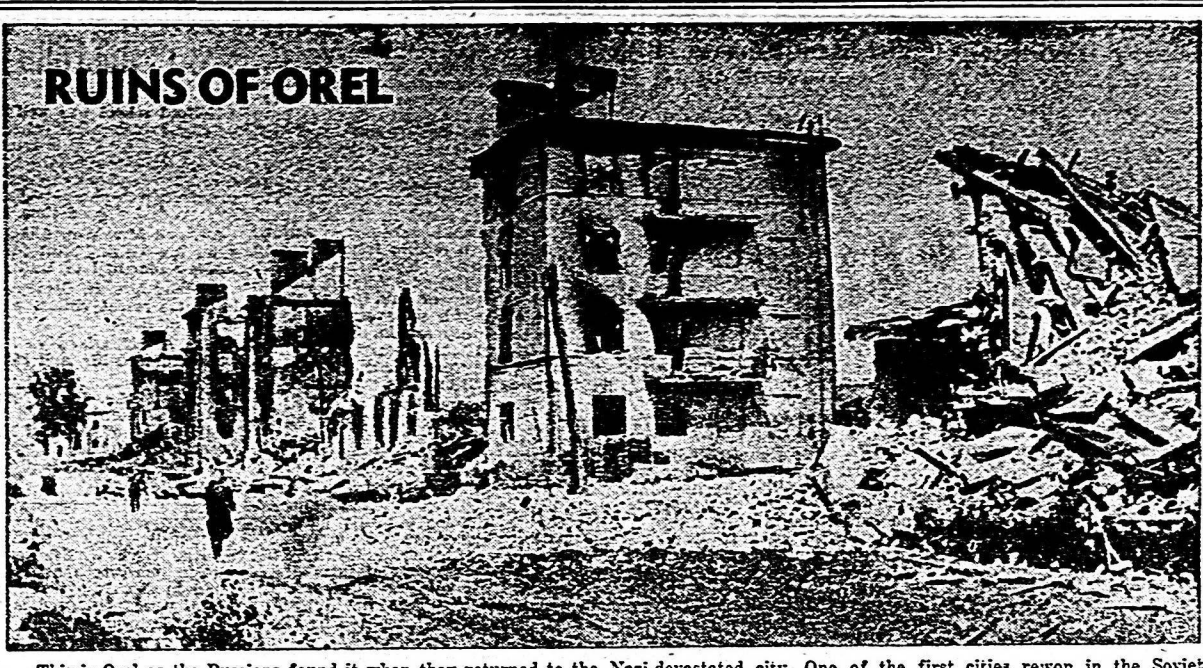
**Beans From Garden On November 1st**  
 In a small Victory Garden on Glen Ridge the lady of the household went out and picked a quart of climber beans, the times of which, used to cover up a wire fence, had been prolific for many weeks past. The beans were partly consumed at lunch and with freshness had all the vitamins.

Is there any other part of Canada where green beans for table use could have been picked on November 1st? The plant is one of the most susceptible of all to frost.

San Ken County, more southerly than St. Catharines, equal the record?  
 —St. Catharines Standard.

**Rural Hydro Rates Reduced In Ontario**  
 Reduction in rural power costs, merging of all 120 rural power districts into one district, and the setting up of a Hydro-Electric Advisory Council, were announced last week by Premier George A. Drew and the Provincial Hydro Commission. A saving of approximately \$500,000 will be accomplished for rural consumers under the changed rates.

**Look out for Trouble from Sluggish Kidneys**  
 Try the Original "Dutch Drops"  
 It is poisonous waste that your kidneys should be filtering out of your blood that may cause headache, sleep spells, leg cramps, restless, sleep-broken nights, and morning sickness. For relief, the remedy that has won the grateful thanks of thousands for many years—GOLD MEDAL Holland Oil Capsules.  
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This is Orel as the Russians found it when they returned to the Nazi-devastated city. One of the first cities rewon in the Soviet offensive that began last summer, Orel shows the loss of her modern, beautiful buildings but looks to the day when they will be rebuilt.

**THE WAR - WEEK — Commentary on Current Events**

**The Master Plan For Greatest Military Operation Of All Time**

London publicly reports that a large area in southwestern England is to be evacuated by Dec. 20 to provide an invasion training ground for American troops. General Devers, the American commander, announces that the manoeuvres are necessary to develop "the master plan that will set in motion what may be the greatest military operation of all time"; and as the correspondents are allowed to speak with an informed freedom of a gathering "second-front" army, the Germans show that they are impressed by the recent bombing of the southwestern British ports from which it will presumably be launched, says The New York Herald Tribune.

**Pattern Grow Clearer**  
 From all this one gathers that a master plan has actually been drawn to a major scale and the date set; but that it certainly cannot be before Dec. 25, and probably will not come for a considerable longer time. Thus the pattern, glimpsed through the Moscow communique and the subsequent speeches of Mr. Stalin and Mr. Churchill, begins to grow a little clearer. It was in May that the Prime Minister said that while opinions differed as to whether "air power by itself" could "bring about the collapse of Germany," the "experiment is well worth trying," probably neither Mr. Churchill nor his air advisers ever thought that Germany could be knocked out from the air with no land invasion at all; but it is believed that they did have hopes that she could be so "softened up" as to make the ultimate invasion a relatively minor part of the total strategy.

**Results Negative?**  
 Throughout the summer the "experiment" has been made on an ascending scale of violence, and the results, on the whole, appear to have been negative. The decision that has been made by the protective dispersal of Germany's war industries and the astonishing capacity of a modern industrial economy to make repairs and develop substitutes has rendered it less immediately decisive than might have been expected. While the air attack has severely tormented Germany's physical ability to make war, it has not directly destroyed it. The British are beginning to feel that the main impact of air assault is on morale rather than on physical potential.

**Co-ordinated Plan Developed**  
 Perhaps it was a recognition of this which lay behind the success of the Moscow conference. One can infer that the Western Allies came to the conference ready to back the air war with exploitation on the ground, however costly in life it might be; that this made it possible for them, this time to bring life, land, sea and air strategy of Russia, Britain and the United States on to a common ground and from to develop a genuinely co-ordinated plan, leading to the firm pledges of specific action which were apparently exchanged at Moscow.

This cannot mean that the second front has been substituted for the bombing offensive, or that Italy is to be abandoned in favour of France. Rather, it suggests that all parts have been fitted into a whole which will permit each part to exert its maximum possible effect. In such a plan, ideas of a major Balkan offensive would be dropped; in Italy, the main objective would be simply to secure (and to keep done at a relatively small cost) the bases from which to step up the bombing offensive

**British Miner's Amazing Record**

Cheerful Little Fellow Has Worked 7 Days A Week For 84 Weeks

The battle of production, like the clash of arms, has produced its heroes, but few who appear doughtier than a British coal miner identified only as Bart. His exploits are reported in "The Listener," official organ of the British Broadcasting Company, as told over the air by the manager of the important pit in the North Midlands where he works. Telling English listeners how their miners are backing the attack, the manager said:

"There is one man, known to his friends as Bart, who has produced 21,511 tons of coal in 3,205 shifts; 84 of these shifts being worked on Sundays. Bart is 45. He stands five feet, four inches high in his socks and weighs just over 9 1/2 stone (133 pounds). He's a cheerful little fellow, and full of the joy of life. Every day this man has worked he has produced only a fraction below 15 tons, which is equal to 300 times his own weight. Let's look at it another way: In four years Bart has loaded the equivalent of 2,300 railway trucks of coal, or one whole trainload every four weeks. The vast quantity of coal produced by this one man is sufficient to provide the finished steel for the production of one heavy cruiser and two destroyers of the Tribal class. During the whole period of the war Bart has lost only one shift voluntarily. He has worked seven days a week for 84 weeks and his average for the whole war is six days per week, including holiday periods."

**THE NEW YORK SUN** points out how "phenomenal" Bart's record is by comparison with the output in U.S. bituminous mines in which, in 1941, the average per miner was 5.2 tons per day and in 1942 probably nearer five tons. The Sun adds:

"Yet in this country the output should be higher than in England due to the fact that here a proportion of bituminous coal is mined by strip mining and also because American pit mines are more efficiently mechanized than those in England."

**Chrysanthemums**

Before the Sicilian campaign the Emperor of Japan undertook to encourage his illustrious fellow-gangster, Mussolini, by decorating him with the Imperial Order of the Chrysanthemum. The Italian press duly reported the bestowal of a most distinguished honor. But kept mum on just what the decoration was. In fact, the chrysanthemum is associated with funerals.

**REG'LAR FELLERS — A Smoothie**



**VOICE OF THE PRESS**

VICTOR EMMANUEL  
 Here, then, is the bleak future of the proud old monarch: A large part of his kingdom remains his crown, which has adorned his head for 43 years. And another large part demands his head, which he has worn for 74 years. He may lose both. All because he committed with freedom war back in 1922.

**QUESTIONS**  
 The people who used to record their guesses on the number of beans in the pot in the drug store window are now recording their guesses on when the war will end. They are probably as far wrong as they were on the number of beans.

**MANY LIKE THIS**  
 Maybe that genius in the Navy Department who re-arranged the typewriter keyboard in the interests of simplicity could do something for ours. The blamed thing can't spell.

**AHEAD OF HIS TIME**  
 Funny how some people live years ahead of their time. Take the man who wrote, "Yes, We Have No Bananas."  
 —Windsor Star.

**LIFE IS FLEETING**  
 The good thing about a modern popular song is that it doesn't stay popular long.  
 —Brandon Sun.

**ELUSIVE INFLUENCE**  
 Influence is what you think you have, till you try to use it.  
 —Kitchener Record.

**Banks Ready When C.C.F. Takes Over**  
 One of our banking friends has been telling us about the day when the C.C.F. takes over the banks in Canada. That going to be a great day. There will no longer be any money troubles. At first, this particular bank thought it would keep the money in stacks behind the counter and hand it out, but they decided that would be too formal. So, they are now going to put the money in a huge pile in the middle of the floor. Then, people can come in and take a handful whenever they need it. There is no taking two handfuls. The C.C.F. being against greed. Only one handful at a time is the limit; but of course, there is nothing to prevent anyone taking a handful, walking around the block, and coming in for another handful.

**OTTAWA REPORTS**

That In 1944 There Will Be An Increase In Machinery to the Canadian Farmer

With no possibility of a let-up in the demand for increased farm production and with the labor shortage becoming more severe and gradually more and increasingly conscious of the need for the most modern, labor-saving farm machinery.

Until May of this year, farm implements sub-committee of the House of Commons War Expenditures Committee made public recently, emphasized the "imperative necessity" of additional supplies of such labor-saving implements.

This has been made possible by increased manufacturing quotas which have come into effect since July.

Now the outlook becomes even brighter and it is expected that the cancellations of certain war contracts should cause an easing in the steel "bottle-neck," and factory facilities and labor shortage be made available for the manufacture of more farm implements. This is the opinion of subcommittee.

It was also pointed out that two oil-bottle-necks are factory labor and the limited supply of malleable castings, and it was stated that these factors are under "careful study" and may be alleviated, if not removed, with freedom war back in 1932.

**QUESTIONS**  
 Reviewing the situation for the coming crop season, H. H. Bloom, Wartime Prices and Trade Board farm machinery administrator, has given the assurance that there will be a substantial increase in the machinery available to Canadian farmers. No decision as to the allocation of this supply of machinery has been announced, but the matter is being carefully studied, Mr. Bloom said.

In the meantime, it would be folly to neglect any measure that might lengthen the life of machinery already in hand. Precautions can be taken to protect it from rust and rot.

W. S. Richardson, assistant superintendent at the Dominion Experimental Station at Lennoxville, Quebec, says that even an inexpensive shell will be a protection against sun, rain and snow. But in addition he adds all metal parts of machines that are polished by the sun and contact with the soil, should be covered with oil to prevent rust. For this purpose he recommends crankcase oil.

Before freeze-up, machines used to spread chemical fertilizers should be thoroughly washed or brushed to remove the fertilizer, and their metal parts given a coating of oil. Some farmers remove the star wheels and soak them in a bucket of oil for a day or two. Without these precautions it is often difficult to get these machines started in the spring.

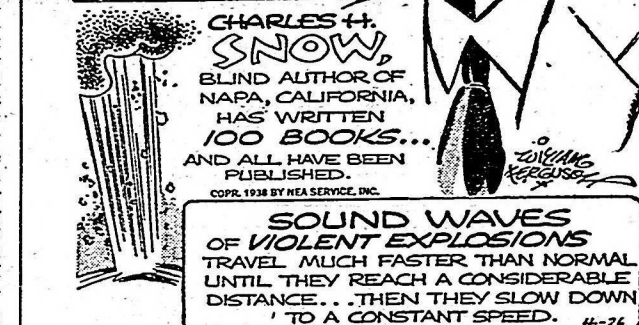
**HONORED BY U.S.**



Major General George Randolph Pearkes, 55, V.C., C.D., D.S.O., M.C., General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Pacific Command, has been honored by the United States which conferred upon him the title of Merit. The honor is one of the highest available to persons who are not citizens of the United States and ranks second only to the Distinguished Service Medal.

**THIS CURIOUS WORLD** By William Ferguson

**"CIVILIZED" MAN**  
 BROUGHT ABOUT THE EXTINCTION OF THE LABRADOR DUCK BY 25 YEARS AFTER HE KNEW OF THEIR EXISTENCE.  
 THE LAST SPECIMEN WAS KILLED NEAR NEW YORK, IN 1875.



**CHARLES H. SNOW**  
 BLIND AUTHOR OF NAIPA, CALIFORNIA, HAS WRITTEN 10 BOOKS... AND ALL HAVE BEEN PUBLISHED.  
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**By GENE BYRNES**  
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