

This is the submarine, now the USS Burrfish, which is to be commissioned into the Royal Canadian Navy at Groton, Conn., May 11 as HMCS Grilse. The submarine will commission with a Canadian crew of seven officers and 72 men and will be commanded by Lt.-Cdr. Edmund G. Gigg, of North Bay, Ont., and Ottawa. The 1800-ton submarine has been loaned to the RCN under agreement between the governments of the United States and Canada. She will be used for training anti-submarine ships and aircraft in the Pacific Command. — U.S. Navy Photo

Extend Veterinary Regional Services

The OVC's regional services are to be extended by the opening on June 1 of two new veterinary laboratories at Brighton and New Liskeard.

The new branches, together with those already established at Kemptville and Ridgetown, plus the facilities available at the OVC itself, will now provide animal disease laboratory service at five widely separated points in Ontario.

Officials say more regional laboratories have become necessary because of the increasing demand on the OVC's technical facilities and the progress in scientific agriculture.

Diagnoses are made at the laboratories following examinations of specimens provided by local veterinarians and not from examination of animals. These techniques cannot be undertaken in the field.

Staffed by a veterinary surgeon, a laboratory technician and secretary, regional laboratories are located in buildings housing other agricultural staff and facilities including soil chemistry laboratory; Ontario Agriculture Department Dairy inspector; agricultural engineering; demonstration farm superintendent; household economics director and the two agricultural representatives.

Dr. Francis C. Nelson, who will head the New Liskeard branch is no stranger here for he practiced in the community for 15 years and is well acquainted with the problems of the livestock industry in the Northern area.

A native of Wetaskiwin, Alberta, Dr. Nelson moved to Smithville when he was 14 and attended high school there. Following graduation from the OVC in 1940 he spent a year with the Ontario Research Foundation in Toronto.

During World War II he served with the 63rd Battery, RCA (now the 11th Field Regiment) and saw service in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany. He started practice at New Liskeard after demobilization.

Dr. Richard Julian, now serving at Kemptville, has been appointed head of the Brighton branch laboratory.

The Film Service of the Canadian Red Cross provides regular showings of current movies for hospitalized veterans in 41 hospitals and institutions.

More than 100,000 women work as volunteers of the Women's Work Committee of the Canadian Red Cross Society.

Fish & Game Assoc. Has Cobalt Meeting

The low snowfall has created a hazardous condition in the bush, and sportsmen are being asked to be extra careful this year.

W. Clarke, District Forester from North Bay, made a plea for maximum caution when he attended the 31st annual meeting of the Temiskaming Fish and Game Protective Association, which was held in the Cobalt Community Hall last week.

An election of officers was held, with Phil Hoffman, MPP, acting as returning officer. G. Short was re-elected as president. Others elected were A. Scully, 1st vice-president; A. Green, 2nd vice-president; C. Barlow, secretary-treasurer.

The executive will consist of W. Sutton, L. Othmer, W. Parcher, R. Carlson, L. Scully, N. Abraham, D. Rolando, C. Walton, A. Seed, Geo. Ninacs, W. MacBrayne, J. Neelands, S. Sullivan, J. Steele.

The members of the fish management committee will be M. Dufresne, D. Rolando, J. Steele, and A. Green.

J. Gage, fish and wildlife supervisor from North Bay gave a talk on the fish planting and deer situation in the area.

A. Seed complimented the present game warden, E. Mantle, for the excellent job he is doing, and a motion congratulating Mr. Mantle was seconded by Mr. Hoffman.

W. Fleming expressed the association's appreciation of H. Grady, who has been a valued member for 30 years.

There was some discussion about the old Mission road, and it was agreed to contact the de-

partment of highways to see if this can be kept open during next winter.

A. Green reported on the Hunter safety training course held last fall, when 52 students passed their examination. He asked that some of the fathers attend the classes along with the youngsters to help manage them. Another hunter safety training course will be held next fall.

A. Scully gave a report on the planting of wild rice in the area, and A. Green reported on the activities of the fish management committee.

The president asked that members use the new entry forms when entering fish in the annual competition.

Haileybury Personals

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Doran is Mrs. Doran's mother, Mrs. E. K. Martin of South Porcupine.

Mrs. Hazel Blackman has returned to Haileybury after spending the winter months in Vancouver, Texas and Florida.

Miss Katie Uren returned home last week-end after spending a three week holiday in Sacramento where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John R. McFarlane, also visiting San Francisco and other points of interest.

The name of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adams daughter, Mrs. Nelson Dagenais of Bagotville, was inadvertently omitted from the list of those who attended Mr. and Mrs. Adams' 50th wedding anniversary. Mrs. Dagenais was accompanied by her children, Chris, Patti and Cathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burton and daughter Brenda of Niagara Falls have returned home after visiting Mrs. Burton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bolan.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Beach, Blackwall St., during the week-end, were their son Robert and Mrs. Beach, their daughter, Mrs. Maurice Philbert and son Peter, all of North Bay, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bush of New Liskeard.

Mrs. John Todd has returned to her home in Burks Falls after spending the past month at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hart.

North Cobalt

Mrs. William Craig of New Liskeard visited on Sunday at the homes of her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hunton and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Holdsworth of New Liskeard visited on Sunday at the home of Mrs. Holdsworth's sister, Mrs. M. Connelly, and Mr. Connelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perry, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Audette of Cobalt, spent Sunday in Kirkland Lake visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jackson and family spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Jackson of Dack Township.

Mrs. Ray Netherly and son Wayne of North Bay spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. James Warren.

Leslie Warren of Toronto spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. James Warren.



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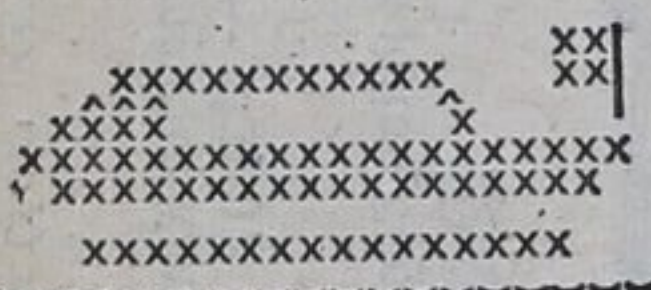
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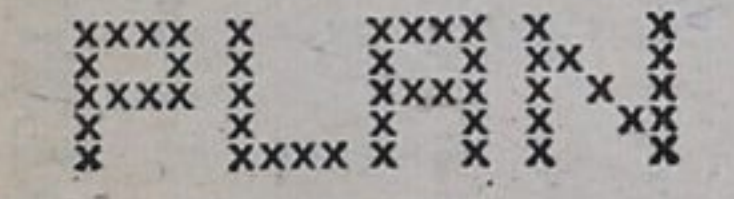
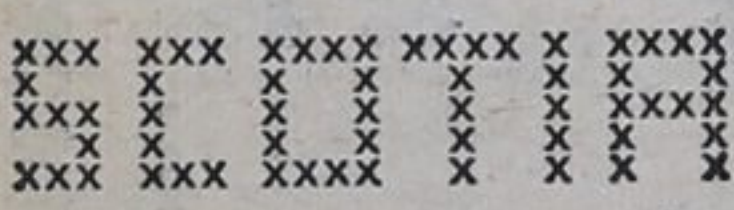
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