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Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths are inserted in this column without charge. In Memoriam Notices, etc., and see per-line additional for poetry.

BORN

MORGAN - At Toronto East General Hospital, on Friday, October 13th, 1939, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Morgan (nee Doris Mann) a daughter. Both doing well.

McBACHERN - At Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton, on Tuesday, October 17th, 1939, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McBachern, of Acton, the girl of a daughter.

DIED

SPEIGHT - On Friday, October 13th, 1939, at Philadelphia, Jennie Speight, beloved wife of Thomas B. Speight.

GEMMELL - At the residence of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Allen, Ottawa, on Saturday, October 14th, 1939, Emma Parker, formerly of Guelph, Ontario, and mother of Mrs. Alfred Fryer, Acton.

KERR - At his residence, Bower Avenue, Acton, Ontario, on Wednesday, October 18th, 1939, Robert John Kerr, husband of the late Elizabeth Lowry. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon, with a private service at home at two o'clock, followed by a service in the United Church, Acton, at 2:30 p.m., interment at Fairview Cemetery, Acton.

IN MEMORIAM

ROBSON - In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Tom, who passed away October 25th, 1938.

Quickly and quietly came the call. His sudden death surprised us all. We have lost, but God has gained. One of the best the world contained. Sadly missed by FATHER, MOTHER, BROTHERS, and SISTER NORA.

What did they

Remember in your purchases to "Buy British."

Your label on your FREE PRESS has a message, too, beside your name and address. Your prompt renewal is always appreciated.

Bonfires of leaves are providing fun for the children. Don't leave any of them unattended or light them near buildings or cars.

Yes, the FREE PRESS will present a limited assortment of Personal Christmas Greeting Cards. They will be ready for your inspection shortly.

The municipal officials have made a real job of trimming the trees, especially on Church Street, where they had become a menace to traffic.

The annual Duke of Devonshire 1. O.D.E. Bazaar and Afternoon Tea will be held on Friday, at Acton Y, from 4 to 6 p.m. Everyone is invited.

Miss Mary Chalmers, Acton, was awarded the prize for runner-up in the ladies' section at the Cedar Crest Golf Club and received the prize at the annual dinner last week.

Some splendid lots of apples are being secured and stored away. One grower, who advertised in THE FREE PRESS has found that the ad helped move a quantity of his crop.

A personal item last week referred to the funeral of Mr. Roy Wansborough, at Brampton. This should have read Mr. Roy Swackhamer, of Brampton. We regret the error and hasten to make the correction.

Jack Canteloni, of Hornby, and Joan Main, of Georgetown, were chosen on Tuesday night to represent Esqueping Township in the annual Public Speaking Contest, to be held at Milton on October 30th.

Several store improvements have been made at Acton Exclusive Footwear Store the past week. The store has been enlarged and new lighting installed. Both add to the convenience and brightness of the premises.

Force Electric Bowling Team is continuing its winning streak in the Commercial League in Guelph, and won from "Printers" entry, 3 games to 0, and 7 points to nothing. Total score for Force Electric was 3121 and for Printers 2889.

Hilton's share of the second line, from the C.N.R. tracks to the Erin boundary line has been greatly improved during the past few weeks. The road has been properly graded and ditched and a liberal coat of new surface material applied.

FISHING BROADCAST

THRILLS LISTENERS

Radio listeners throughout Canada and the United States were thrilled recently when by means of air waves they listened in on a salmon fishing expedition from the heart of one of Canada's famed fishing and big game hunting districts, the Miramichi in New Brunswick. The broadcast was carried over the wires of the Canadian National Telegraphs from Half Moon, where it originated, to Moncton, N.B., and from there was fed into the CBC radio network, the announcer using a portable microphone from a canoe.

PROOF POSITIVE

"I tell you," said Pat, "the cold friends are the best after all and what's more, I can prove it." "How are you going to prove it?" "Where will you find a new friend that has abated by ye as long as the cold ones have?"

KNITTING INSTRUCTIONS FOR WAR WORK

MAN'S DAY SOCK

Please make a wearable sock; wash and press, or wash and stretch.

Directions for hand-knitted regulation socks:

Length of foot, when finished - 11 inches.

Material required - Approximately 5-6 ounces of 4-ply fingering yarn.

For average knitting - No. 11 Needles by Bell gauge.

For tight knitting - No. 10 Needles by Bell gauge.

For loose knitting - No. 12 Needles by Bell gauge.

Cast on 60 stitches, rib 4 inches, 2 plain, 2 purl. Knit plain 7 inches (11 inches in all). HEEL - Knit plain 28 stitches on to one needle, turn, purl back these 28 stitches, turn, knit plain. Repeat these two rows (always slipping the first stitch) - 11 times (12 in all), or 24 rows.

With the inside of the heel toward you, purl 15 stitches, purl 2 together, purl 1.

Turn, knit 4 stitches, knit 2 together, knit 1, turn, purl 5 stitches, purl 2 together, purl 1.

Turn, knit 6 stitches, knit 2 together, knit 1, turn, purl 7 stitches, purl 2 together, purl 1.

Turn, knit 8 stitches, knit 2 together, knit 1, turn, purl 9 stitches, purl 2 together, purl 1.

Turn, knit 10 stitches, knit 2 together, knit 1, turn, purl 11 stitches, purl 2 together, purl 1.

Turn, knit 12 stitches, knit 2 together, knit 1, turn, purl 13 stitches, purl 2 together, purl 1.

Turn, knit 14 stitches, knit 2 together, knit 1.

Pick up and knit the 12 stitches down the side of the heel piece and knit 2 stitches off the front needle.

Knit 28 stitches of the front needles on to one needle; the last 2 stitches knit on to the 3rd needle, on which pick up and knit the 12 stitches at the other side of the heel piece. Divide the heel stitches on to the 2 side needles and knit right round again to within 3 stitches of the front end of side needle, knit 1.

Front needle plain. Third needle, knit 1, knit 2 together, knit plain to end of needle.

This reducing to be done every other row until there are 56 stitches on the needles (front needle 28, side needles 14 each). Knit plain until the foot from the back of the heel measures 9 inches.

KITCHENER TOE - Decrease for toe - knit 6 stitches, then knit 2 together, knit 6 stitches, knit 2 together. Repeat this to end of 3 needles. Then knit 5 rows plain. Then knit 5 stitches, knit 2 together, and repeat to the end of 3 needles. Then knit 4 rows plain, of 3 needles. Then knit 2 together to end of 3 needles. Then 3 plain rows. Then knit 3 stitches, knit 2 together, repeat to end of 3 needles. Then knit 2 plain rows. Then knit 2 stitches, knit 2 together, and repeat to end of 3 needles. Then 1 plain row. Then 1 row decreasing, if necessary, so as to leave 10 stitches on front needle and 5 on each of the back needles. Knit the back stitches on to 1 needle. Break off the wool, leaving about 10 inches. Thread this into a darning needle, put through the 1st stitch on front needle as if for purling, but do not take the stitch off. Then put the darning needle through for purling, and take off. *Then through next stitch on back needle, as if for purling, and do not take off. Then through the 1st stitch on front needle again knitting and slip off. Through the 2nd stitch on front needle purling and do not take off. Through the 1st stitch on back, needle purling and take off. Repeat from * until all the stitches are worked off. In finishing off end of yarn, run yarn once down the toe so as not to make a ridge or lump.

ALTERNATE TOE - Decrease for toe. On front needle - knit 2, knit 2 together. Knit to within 4 stitches from end of needle, knit 2 stitches together, knit 2. On first side knit 2, knit 2 together, knit to end of needle. Knit to within 4 stitches from end of second side needle, knit 2 together, knit 2. Knit 3 rounds plain. Then 1 round decreasing, then 2 rounds plain. *Then 1 round decreasing. Then 1 round plain. Repeat from * until there are 10 stitches on front needle and 5 on each side needle. Now slip stitches from one side needle to the other, making 10 stitches on 2 needles. Break wool, and finish as for Kitchener Toe - From the Red Cross Instruction Booklet.

The directions for hand-knitted sleeveless sweater will appear next week.

SUCH TABLE MANNERS

A man went into a cafe and ordered beefsteak and chips. When the waiter was taking it to him he saw the man put his thumb on the edge of the knife, and when close to him said:

"You have no need to do that; as the steak you'll find it nice and tender."

"And so it may be," said the man, "but the last time I was here I cut me up."

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MILITARY LEADER



General Hugo Viktor Oestermann, Commander-in-Chief of Finland's armed forces, will be faced with the task of resisting Russia's armed might should the small Finnish republic stand firm in its resolve to resist any attempt by the Soviet to threaten the independence of Finland.

The Column Y

The first Ping Pong Tournament of the season among the junior members of the Y, resulted in Lloyd Robinson and Cliff Young fighting it out for first place, with Lloyd Robinson emerging victoriously. A long list of entrants have all ready signed up for the Ladder Ping Pong Tournament, an effort to decide who is really the best. This will run for several weeks.

Quite a number of Seniors have signed up for a Ladder Ping Pong Tournament and there should be some close games. Those interested in this popular indoor sport should keep their eyes glued on future "Y" announcements, telling of the visit of two or three of Ontario's best players, who will demonstrate the finer parts of the game.

Basketball is becoming increasingly popular and the "Y" House League will be starting within a couple of weeks. Tuesdays, from 7-8 p.m., has been set aside for basketball, with probably another period later on. Anyone wishing to be on one of the teams should be out Tuesday evenings.

The Badminton Club are having their election of officers for the coming season on Thursday evening of this week, at 8:00 p.m., and as a special attraction Mr. M. Margesson, of Toronto, and one or two of his associates will be here to demonstrate the game and to give coaching to any who desire it. Don't miss this opportunity on Thursday at 8:00 p.m.

Volleyball will get under way this week, and Wednesday, at 8:00 p.m. will be set aside each week for those young men who wish to play the game. Plans for inter-association tournament games are taking shape and several Associations have signified their desire to play the Acton "Y" team.

An announcement of particular interest to those who are interested in wrestling will be made shortly. So watch closely.

Young ladies of Acton who are planning to attend the "Y" this season will be pleased to hear that every Tuesday evening, from 8 to 10 p.m., a special gym class will be conducted for those who wish to take part. A second night is being held open also, should the attendance warrant it's use. The season is under way and to those who are contemplating joining the "Y," we say join now and enjoy the facilities it offers.

"GOOD-BYE MR. CHIPS" COMES TO GREGORY HERE ON MONDAY

One of the most popular actors of the screen and one of the most popular novelists in recent literature are combined in "Good-bye, Mr. Chips," James Hilton's haunting story, in which Robert Donat, fresh from his triumph in "The Citadel," returns to the screen. Third of the pictures filmed at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's English studio at Denham, it is playing at the Gregory Theatre, Acton, with matinee and evening performances. "Good-bye, Mr. Chips," tells a story of ideals, romance, tragedy and deep understanding. Donat plays Mr. Chips, who starts as a young man, teaching in a great English school for boys, and passes his life at the work. He becomes the inspiration of boys who grow to manhood and in turn send their sons to him. He shapes the destinies of great men of the future. He meets and marries a beautiful girl, she dies, and from the tragedy a deep human understanding is born in his heart. Thrills of the World War ensue. The teacher, now grown old becomes the very spirit of popular education. Dramatic highlights include the rescue of the heroine in the Tyrolean Alps, a great ball in Vienna, a sensational air raid during the World War, football and cricket at famous old English schools, intermingled with gripping human interest sequences.

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MORTGAGE SALE

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF the Powers of Sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by R. J. Kerr, Auctioneer, at Public Auction on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24th, 1939 at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, at the farm of

NEIL PATTERSON

R. R. No. 2, Rockwood, Ontario, the following property, namely:

ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Township of Hutton, in the County of York, and being composed of the North East Half of Lot Number Twenty-six, in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Nassagaweya, containing by admeasurement 100 acres, more or less.

At the same time and place, under the authority of a Lease and Tenancy Distress Warrant, there will be offered for sale the following chattels:

LIVESTOCK - 1 Bay Mare, general purpose, 3 years; 1 Bay Horse, general purpose, 3 years; 1 Gray Horse, 10 years; 1 Gray Mare, 12 years; 1 part Jersey Cow, with horns; 15 Yorkshire Pigs, 30 lbs. each; 2 Brood Sows, Yorkshire, Yorkshire.

IMPLEMENTS - 1 Binder, 6 feet; Deering; 1 Mower, 5 foot, Frost & Wood; 1 Steel Rake, 10 foot; Drill, 5 sections; 1 Corn Weeder, 15 foot; 1 Hoe; 1 Steel Roller, 3 drum; 1 one-turrow riding plow; 1 walking plow; 2 scuffers; 2 Load Drag Harrows; 1 Corn Wagon; 1 Light Sleigh; 1 Cutter; 1 Buggy; 1 Turnip Drill; 1 Spring Tooth Harrow; 1 Horse Power; 1 Farming Mill; 1 set Scales; 1 Gas Engine, 3 H.P.; 1 Stoneboat.

FEED - 20 loads of Rye and Wheat; Quantity of Oats, Barley and Corn. On the said farm there is said to be erected a Dwelling House with suitable Farm Buildings.

The land will be sold, subject to a reserve bid.

TERMS OF SALE OF LAND - 25% of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale and the balance to be secured by a mortgage, with interest at four per cent. per annum.

TERMS OF SALE OF CHATTELS - Cash.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to

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CLEARING AUCTION SALE

IN GUELPH TOWNSHIP

REAL ESTATE - FARM STOCK - IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

The undersigned has received instructions from

HULBERT ROBSON

to sell by Public Auction at the farm where the barn was recently burned, being Lot 9 and 10, Concession 3, Guelph Township, situated on No. 7 Highway, 2 miles east of Guelph City, on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23rd, 1939 commencing at one o'clock sharp, the following:

HORSES - Aged Matched Team of Black Heavy Horses, quiet and good in all harness.

17 COWS - Splendid Herd - Red Cow, due at time of sale; Red Heifer, fresh about 5 weeks; Red Heifer, due in December; Red Cow, fresh 2 months; Blue Cow, fresh 2 weeks, with calf at foot; Black Cow, milking well, due in March; Black Cow, milking well; Red Cow, fresh 2 months; Roan Cow, milking well, due in February; Brindle Cow, fresh about 6 weeks; Jersey Cow, due in December; Pure bred Holstein, due in January, milking well; Holstein Cow, milking well, due in March; Holstein Cow, milking well, due in January; Holstein Cow, fresh 6 weeks.

These are a choice lot of dairy cows, all F.B. tested.

2 Spring Calves.

HOGS - 13 Yulks, good big chunks.

SHEEP - 8 choice Suffolk ewes; 6 Suffolk Lambs.

POULTRY - 100 Leghorn Pullets, Finner strain, laying; 150 New Hampshire Pullets, Selling strain; 12 Ducks.

IMPLEMENTS - Deering Binder, 7 foot cup; Massey-Harris Mower, 6 foot cut; International Drum Hay Loader; International Side Delivery Rake; International Dump Rake; 10' P. G. Engine, on tractor; Massey-Harris 10-spool Seed Drill; 5-section Harrow; 3-section Spring Tooth Drag Cultivator; Steel Roller; Cockshutt Manure Spreader; Massey-Harris Cutting Box; Potato Plow; Massey-Harris Walking Plow; Turnip Sower; Quantity Fence Posts; Gasoline Lamp; Lumber Wagon with box; Truck Wagon; Democrat; Rubber-tired Top Buggy; Bench Sleigh, with flat rack; Hay Rack; Corn Rack; Stock Feed; Water Trough; Pig Crates; Grindstone; Emery Grinder; Feed Box; Milk Cans; Milk Coolers, etc.; Hoes; Shovels, etc., also 2 acres of good Swedish Turnips.

HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS - McClary Cook Stove; Moffat four-burner Electric Stove; and other Household Effects.

THE FARM - At the same time this 200-acre Farm will be offered for sale, subject to a reserve bid. This Farm is an ideal situation on No. 7 Highway, 2 miles east of Guelph, and very convenient to school. On the premises are erected a substantial Store, Dwelling House, with Stone Wood Shed, etc. There is still on the farm a fair-sized Bank Barn. This Farm is well watered, with wells and cisterns, also it has a never-failing stream crossing the corner of the farm. The Farm is well fenced and in a good state of cultivation.

TERMS - 10% of the purchase price on day of sale; balance in 30 days, or when possession is given.

NO RESERVE as to the Farm is being Sold.

Nothing to be Removed Until Settled For - No Reserve as to the Farm is being Sold.

EOY HINDLEY, Auctioneer, Phone 1584, Brtn.

GEHRIG ON THE JOB



Seen at his first civilian job since he left Columbia University in 1923, Lou Gehrig, who spent the intervening years in the "iron man" first baseman for New York Yankees, used to strike with a form of paralysis last May. Following the World Series, Lou was appointed to a member of the Municipal Parole Commission of New York, his interests in his university days having had a leaning to criminology and penology. He's brushing up with books on crime.

CIRCUS TO "CARRY ON" DESPITE WAR PROBLEMS

"Show Must Go On," Says Shrine Potentate Speers of 3-Ring Spectacle

Toronto, October 18th - "War or no war, the show must go on," said Wm. Speers, illustrious potentate of the Ramesses Shrine Temple, in announcing that the Shrine had just concluded arrangements with circus impresario Col. Bob Morton for the seventh successive annual presentation of the Shrine Charity Circus in Maple Leaf Gardens for the entire week of October 23rd to 28th. In spite of the innumerable difficulties arising through international complications commented Mr. Speers, Bob Morton has been able to assure Shrine officials that he has gathered together his biggest aggregation of circus stars available in the entertainment field to-day.

The world-famous animal trainer Clyde Beatty, will be headliner of the circus, presenting his famous fighting 40 lions and tigers. With Beatty will be his Canadian-born wife, a Winnipeg girl, who will present for the first time a unique act. She will go into the cages of wild beasts alone and put them through their paces, while her husband remains outside the cage, maintaining a careful watch, with a loaded revolver in his hand, in case of accident.

Col. Morton said that the war situation had made it extremely hard to gather together a circus presentation worthy of Canadian audiences, but that by combing every available source of talent he had gathered together what he termed, "the cream of talent from Allied and friendly nations." Star acts have been booked for next week's performances, he said, from every part of the British Empire and from many points in North and South America, to appear in the world's largest three-ring indoor circus.

This year marks the 20th anniversary of Col. Bob Morton's life job of presenting the modern indoor circus, chiefly for the benefit of social and welfare organizations such as the Shriners, who are interested in the recreational as well as the economic welfare of crippled and underprivileged children.

A contribution of \$509 is being given to the Canadian Red Cross and on the Monday and Tuesday of the circus all military men are being invited as guests of the Shrine at the circus, when an admission ticket, Potentate Speers pointed out in referring to the increased demands made on the organization by reason of the war.

Six big elephants will present a first-class animal feature, following presentation of the star attraction of Clyde Beatty's wild animal feature act. Known to and loved by scores of thousands of Ontario children is Shorty Flemm, the outstanding clown of North America, who will be ring-leader of 15 clowns in their ever-comic antics. The Flying Harolds, father and son trapeze performers "par excellence," will present their outstanding sensational act from the New York Hippodrome.

"The past six years have proven that our circus has been of a higher grade each year," said Mr. Speers, "and we feel sure that again this year our charity circus will be 'bigger and better than ever'."

"Queer Quirks" BY THE OLD PHILOSOPHER

is a Big Feature CFRB each Tuesday from 10 to 10.15 p.m. Copies of the radio script are available for the asking from your Local Gilson Dealer

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2 lbs. for	per lb.
35c	21c
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Roast Beef lb	Cottage Rolls, lb.
18c, 20c	Fresh Pork Liver
	per lb.
	15c
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29c	Small, per lb.
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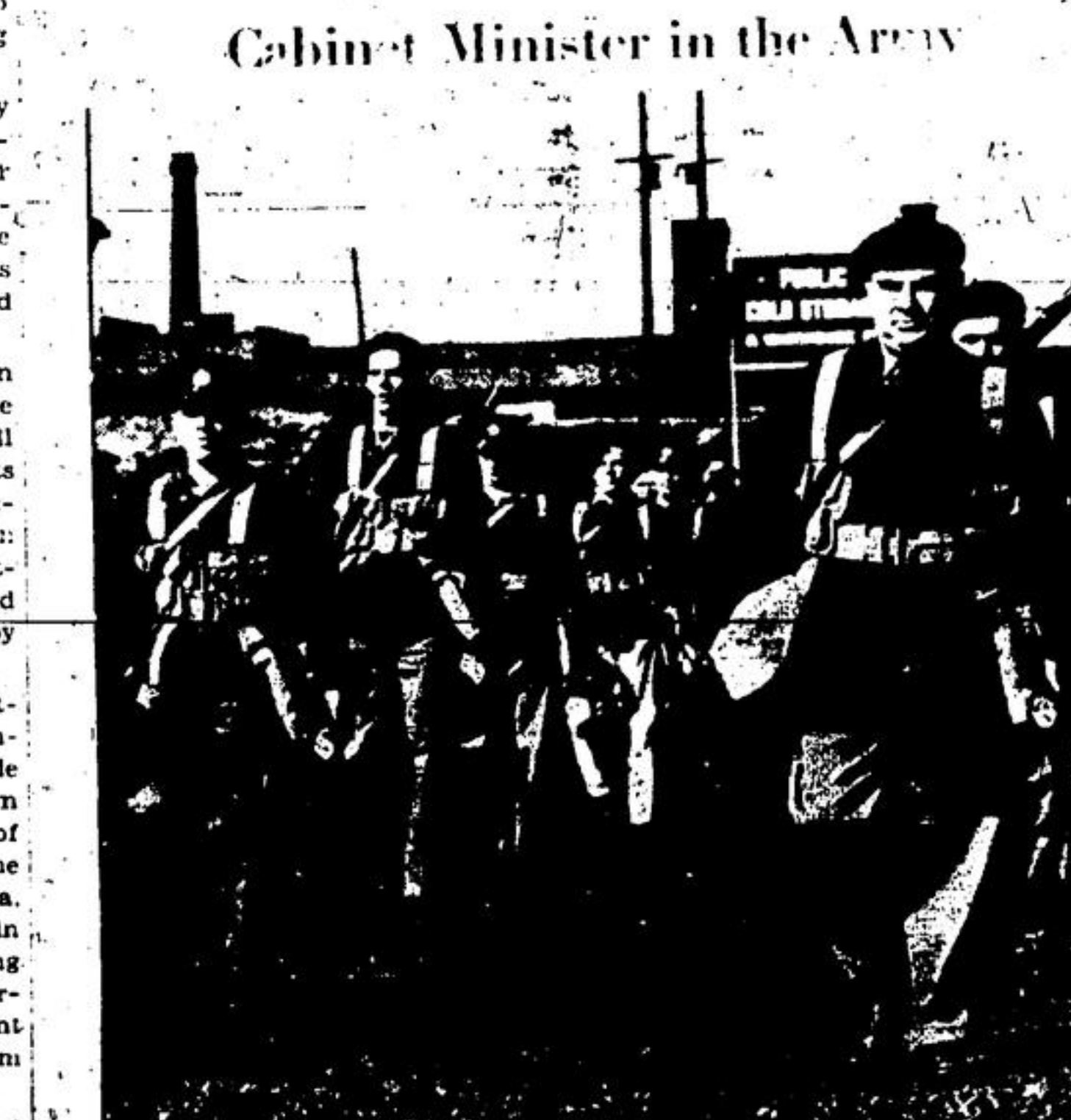
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Commander-in-Chief Tours Battle Line



General Gamelin, Supreme Commander of the Allied Expeditionary Force, shown here entering a local staff headquarters, somewhere on the western front, as he toured French positions on the front.

Cabinet Minister in the Army



Lieutenant Colin Campbell, Ontario's Minister of Public Works, who received leave of absence from his Cabinet Post to join the Royal Canadian Engineers, is shown, right, stepping out with other recruits of the R.C.E.'s at Toronto.