

Personals

Mrs. Con. Murray spent last week with friends in Winnipeg.

Mrs. E. Water, of Milton, visited Mrs. E. Gibbons, Acton, on Saturday.

Mrs. (Dr.) A. R. Ligon, of Uxbridge, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. A. Dill, this week.

Mrs. Dolores Ashton, of Toronto, visited her sister, Mrs. Condon Bay, Milton, this week.

Dr. Harold F. Mowat, Copper Cliff, visited his mother Mrs. John A. Mowat last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ray Wainwright of Toronto visited their mother, Mrs. E. H. Wainwright, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kelsey and Mr. Alex. Chisholm of Milton, visited Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. McMillan over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowering, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McPherson, Bob, Greg, Glen and Ray visited Acton relatives on Sunday.

Mrs. James Lenth received word yesterday that her dear mother, Mrs. John Lenth, died. Indeed, passed away on October 26.

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Colton are attending to-day the funeral of the late Dr. A. T. Turner of Richmond, who passed away very suddenly last Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mander, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Fielding, Mrs. Gertrude Mander and Mr. Chas. McLean, of Toronto, were visitors on Sunday with Mrs. Margaret Garcia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wainwright, Robbie, Carol and Bonnie, Mrs. Gordon McKay, and Mrs. Wessita Smith, all of Toronto, visited Mrs. R. H. Wainwright on Tuesday night.

Port Arthur Man Saw U-Boat Kills

Donald McLean was aboard ship named for his home town.

PORT ARTHUR (CP)—In one thrill-packed week in the Mediterranean, Donald McLean of Port Arthur, operator of a submarine detector, witnessed two U-boat kills.

Home on leave, the 26-year-old red-head gave an eye-witness account of his experiences aboard the corvette Port Arthur, which was built and named for McLean's home town.

The Port Arthur stood by and watched the Isle-de-Quebec sink an Italian submarine which both Canadian ships had spotted. The kill climaxed a race between the two escort vessels but the Isle of Quebec had the permanent first.

Exactly a week later, McLean detected a suspicious echo through his compass and reported it to his commanding officer. The ship was directed to the spot from which the echo appeared to originate and depth charges were hurled into the sea. Nine minutes later an Italian submarine surfaced in a sinking condition.

Chance got McLean on the spot to witness these sinkings. He had been on overseas duty for about a year when he heard the Port Arthur was docked at the Scottish port he happened to be visiting. Harbor gossip informed McLean that the corvette was in need of an operator for its submarine detector and two days later he was on his way to the Mediterranean.

Don is not the only member of his family in the front lines. A brother Alex, is a private in the British Army who has served in the Netherlands West Indies and is now stationed in Scotland. A sister, Margaret, is a member of the British Women's Auxiliary Air Force.

Attracting Business

There seems likely to be a great expansion of business after the war. The tremendous demand for civilian goods that cannot now be produced, will lead many new concerns to start and old companies will establish branches. Our town will be anxious to get some share in this new development.

When business people decide where to locate, they consider whether it will be possible to get the needed help in the towns where they may locate. Also they like to get into progressive towns, where there is a general spirit of co-operation. Thus a community is more likely to draw new business if it conforms to modern ideas. Whatever we can do to make Acton a good home and business town, helps draw more business.

THE MEXICAN CAMPAIGN

The women came up the stairs. Her youngest child was teething along beside her. She was Polish and spoke shyly and hesitantly. Her little boy had been killed last week, she told the secretary of the Local Italian Board, and she had come to turn in his ration book. She opened her worn purse and shuffled through some papers.

"Here it is," she said, "and I give you, too, the sugar for him. We no want it. My boy is dead now. He killed by truck last week. Maybe sugar offer little boy want it." Saying this, she tore off two ration coupons, each good for the pounds of sugar.

As a contrast to this comes a story of a woman who came into another Local Italian Board office and loudly demanded a hundred pounds of sugar for cooking. When refused, she threatened out of the office and returned with a policeman.

KNOW IN RIGHT

STANDERTON, S. Africa (CP)—Gen. Smuts South Africa's premier speaking at a gathering yesterday of the League of Nations, said that the Allies "are on the final march" and that "we are now coming to grips with Europe itself."

"A great turn has come in the war and bitter fighting lies before us but we know the end is in sight," he added.

CHANCE OF NAME ACT, 1930

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Act that the application of Francis Edward Shea, residing at the Village of Acton, in the County of Middlesex, in the Province of Ontario, to change his name to Francis Edward Shea, and that of his wife, Betty Hedrick Shea, to Betty Hedrick Shea, will be heard by His Honor, Judge Munro, in his Chambers at the Court House in the Town of Milton, on the Eighteenth day of November, 1942, at the hour of thirty minutes past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated at Acton, this Fifteenth day of October, A. D. 1942.

C. F. LEATHERLAND,
Acton, Ontario.
Solicitor for the Applicant. 17-3.

COLLECTIONS

A Winnipeg client has just written me stating: "Your cheque for \$10.00 arrived this week and very welcome. I am glad to see you are doing enough for your collections. The results are nothing short of astounding."

Obviously this client was pleased with what we did for him.

Send in your list and avoid similar results.

TERMS: No collection, no charge for our services.

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As Last Year we had to Refuse Many Late Orders we are Going to Offer Earlier This Year Our Broad Breasted Kind

Bronze Turkeys with real broad breast, turkey and standard markings, raised from our government handed O. A. T. E. inspected stock for breeding purposes.

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One dollar less for any birds taken before November 15th.

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LIDIA FARM
Georgetown R. E. 3
Phone after 8 p.m. Georgetown 822

GREGORY THEATRE

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5
"STORMY WEATHER"
Bill Robinson, Lena Horne, March of Time "Show Business at War," Disney "How to Fish," Miniature "Here at Home," Final Chapter "Sea Raiders."

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6
Matinee at 3
"YOUTH ON PARADE"
John Hubbard, Ruth Terry.
"FRONTIER BAD MEN"
Diana Barrymore, Robert Paige, Fox News.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8
"FIVE GRAVES TO CAIRO"
Franchot Tone, Anne Baxter, Eric Von Stroheim, Comedy, "Wedding Scares" Cartoon, "The Boy and the Wolf."

Weekly War Commentary

Specialty Edition for The Acton Free Press
By **WALTER C. BERRY**
Canadian Press Staff Writer

The momentum Moscow conference has been concluded and the nations making the most of the situation, the United States, Russia and China have been clearly defined.

First on the list of steps agreed upon at the North-American-Russian conference, some nations of which were attended by the Chinese ambassador to Russia, Fan Ting-Sheng, was the creation of the Allies to coordinate a general international military command of their common effort which they continue in organizing for peace and security.

It is straight and solemn words the conference—probably one of the most important diplomatic parties of all time—brought together the Big Four and ended their hopes of driving a wedge between Russia and her Allies over war or post-war policies. Inclusion of China in the declaration of the conference which most of the world had thought concerned only Britain, the U.S. and Russia, was regarded in the Allied world as a significant achievement.

Post-War Issues
Among other points agreed upon by the Allied powers at the conference were the following:
These at war with common enemies will not together on a surrender and disarmament of that enemy; and they recognize the necessity of establishing a general international organization, based on the principle of sovereign equality of all peace-loving states; and open to membership of all such states for maintaining peace; and they will confer with each other and other United Nations on regulation of post-war armaments; and as regards Austria, the country will be liberated but the terms of her aid to Hitlerite Germany and her efforts for her freedom will be taken into account; and As regards Italy, all vestiges of Fascism will be erased and freedom of speech, worship, political belief, press and public meeting will be restored; and German war criminals will be sent back to the scene of their atrocities to be punished by their victims.

Crimes Suspect
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Canadian Active
That troops of the Canadian 1st Division with the 8th Army are active was evident from despatches late last week. William Stewart, Canadian Press correspondent with the Dominion's division, reported that the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment had taken the town of Molise on the central portion of the front while the 48th Highlanders of Canada, Toronto unit, entered a town a short distance to the right of Molise.

The twin objectives on the bald heights of the Appennine Ridge, west of the big Biadano valley, were gained by the Canadians after they had crawled toward the enemy positions and had dumped mortar, machine-gun and shellfire upon them. The last stage of the advance was carried out under heavy rain.

Meanwhile, it was announced from Algiers that the highly-efficient code played by the 88th in recent fighting had earned for the unit an official announcement that it is engaged in the battle for Italy. Disclosures of this kind ordinarily are reserved for units which have distinguished themselves in combat.

Russian Attacks Continue
Russian armies were still pressing home attacks in their efforts to complete encirclement of German forces in the Dnieper bend and the Crimea peninsula.

Three armies were converging on the key stronghold of Nikolopol on the lower Dnieper river while two other Red Army forces were surging west and south of Melitopol to seal off Nazi positions in the Crimea. One force was rapidly nearing Perekop, which bottlenecks the escape corridor at the northwestern edge of the peninsula.

Krivoy Rog, Ukrainian iron centre 50 miles northwest of Nikolopol, still was holding out at the week-end against fierce Russian assaults.

And in the turbulent Balkans, audacious Yugoslav guerrillas crossed the Hungarian frontier in widening battles against German and satellite troops. Continued and extensive operations by Partisans under General Josip Broz (Tito) along the Dalmatian coast were reported to have increased the formation in northeast Italy of an army of 30,000 experienced Italian fighters who were supplied arms by Yugoslav patriots.

Sweater Girls Win U. S. Poll

ST. LOUIS, (CP)—If the average soldier's dream girl wants to get her man, she'd better stick to tailored suits and sweaters. This is the conclusion of a recent census poll of soldiers who are studying at Washington University here.

Results showed that the American soldier prefers tailored dresses and coats, and low-heeled shoes. The Lena Turner sweaters and skirts led the entire voting for favorite feminine costumes among soldiers, with blue the favorite color. The questionnaire began by asking the soldier to "Think of a girl you know fairly well. She may be your sister or your best girl." Percentage of soldiers who thought of their sisters is unknown, but according to the table, the majority of the soldiers thought of brunettes, aged 18 to 22. One soldier charged that his girl was doing very well at the career of being a wife, thank you.

BETTER EDUCATION

A mountain-bank his son to a school to enroll him. "My boy's never been to school," he said to the teacher.

"We offer English, trigonometry, spelling, etc.," she replied.

"Well give him some of that trigonometry; he's the worst that in the family."

led the "slugging up Italy" to Rome. Between the Allied forces and the Eternal City lie a tangle of mountains, rivers and swamps 50 miles deep and this natural barrier is being steadily defeated. So the drive will be a slow and costly business. Also the advance is being hindered by heavy rain and mud in all sectors.

Less hope for quickening this pace, as military observers see it, is for the Allies to make an amphibious attack farther up the coast, cutting behind the mountain positions of the Germans and trapping them. But this would probably be more difficult than it sounds as German generals are expected to have taken steps to forestall it.

At the week-end British troops with the Allied 8th Army stormed the Regia Canal to occupy the sea-side town of Mandragone to run squarely against the lofty Mount Marone, western anchor of the new German line. Further inland, the American 3rd Army developed a flanking thrust against Mount Marone, capturing Pietravalme which dominates both the upper Volturne river valley and the main Capua-Rome Highway.

At the same time, the British 8th Army to the east forged ahead to take Montemiro on the lower bank of the Trigno River 14 miles from its bridgehead in the San Salvo area where the heaviest fighting on the Italian front continued to rage as this week began.

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MILTON

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ford have had a cabby from their son, Jack Ford of his wife arrived in England.

Rev. J. R. Moore, is attending the Queen's Annual Ministers' Conference in Kingston this week.

The Milton High School Cadet Corps held Victory Loan parties with the Georgetown Cadet Corps and the Milton and Georgetown units of the Larue Scouts, including their band, last Sunday afternoon. After parading in Georgetown in the early afternoon, the Cadets and Larue Scouts paraded in Milton, leaving the High School at four o'clock and marching to the park and back.—Chronicle.

OAKVILLE

Mrs. William Van Fleet, of Oakville, died on the bus at the Toronto terminal on Thursday evening at 11:15.

Mr. Louis Ling, of Hamilton, brother of Mr. Oral Ling, of Oakville, received fatal injuries while working at the Procter and Gamble plant in Hamilton on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Farr, Colborne Street, West, received word Monday that their son, Flying Officer Harry Farr, 27, is reported missing after an operational flight overcast on October 23rd.

The Fifth Victory Loan drive is half over and the people of Oakville and South Trafalgar are responding in the spirit that has made this district a by-word for patriotism.—Record-Star.

NASSAGAWEYA

The Anniversary Services held in Ebenezer United Church last Sunday morning and evening, had fairly large congregations present for both services, Rev. J. B. Moore, B.A., of St. Paul's United Church, Milton, being the special minister for the occasion.

His sermons were greatly appreciated by large gatherings.

On Monday evening the anniversary supper was held. There was a large crowd present to enjoy the good things provided by the ladies of the congregation, and also to enjoy the very fine program.

Mr. John McCuen of 17 1/2, concession 5, Nassagaweya, passed away rather suddenly on Monday afternoon, November 1st, at his home. He had been in failing health for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stokes and family of Campbellville, visited relatives and friends at Kateshall on Sunday last.

Mrs. Wallace King of Campbellville visited relatives in Kateshall last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Black of Campbellville visited relatives and friends in Nassagaweya last Sunday.

Memorial service will be held next Sunday afternoon at the Cenotaph and the Nassagaweya Presbyterian Church in connection with the Annual Remembrance Day Service.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall and family of Campbellville visited relatives and friends in Nassagaweya last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Goughly of Toronto, visited friends in Nassagaweya on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Harris and family of Acton attended Anniversary Services at Ebenezer and visited relatives and friends in Nassagaweya last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Freeman and son of Stratford, visited relatives and friends in Nassagaweya last Sunday.

GROWING TOWNS

You make plants grow by giving them fertilizer and water, and by removing such obstacles as weeds that hinder their growth. So towns grow by such fertilizing processes as business enterprise and home town and residence improvement. When people discover that a town is a good place to work and do business in, such a place is likely to grow.

Wartime experiences have hampered the growth of some towns, while in any community that can fit into war production the growth may be rapid, though perhaps only temporary.

Wartime experiences pass, and the towns that do the most in the way of public improvements and in creating attractive homes, are the ones that can expect to grow permanently. The people who make their home places more attractive do valuable advertising for their town, which attracts the interest of all who come there.

GRAIN FOR RABBITS

Rabbits eat more at night than during the day, so that it is a good plan to make the evening meal the larger of the two daily meals, with mixed hay in the morning and mixed hay and grain in the evening. Rabbits should not be expected to live on greens only. They require hay and grain at all times. Green feed from gardens, such as carrot tops, lettuce, and cabbage, should form only a small part of the ration.

U. S. Forces in Great Britain are provided with many types of supplies, including bombs, shells, ammunition, anti-tank mines, Spitfires, as well as large quantities of food from British stocks, to supplement U. S. Army rations, all of which are charged against "Lend-Lease" in reverse.

Reeve Appeals for Poppy Day

Urges That Everyone Should Wear a Poppy on Remembrance Day

Reeve J. M. McDonald has issued the following appeal for Poppy Day on Saturday morning, when Poppies will be laid in aid of Canadian Legion Branch No. 157 welfare work:

TO OUR CITIZENS:
The local Branch of the Canadian Legion has designated Saturday, November 6th, as Poppy Day in Acton.

The sacrifices made by our Canadian men and women during the fatal years 1914-1918, and in the present conflict are again recalled as we observe Remembrance Day, and a thankful people hold in grateful remembrance the courage and heroism of our soldiers, sailors and airmen, who died in the cause of Freedom.

The Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League has contributed valiant service to this Country in helping to heal the scars made in the great conflict and has brought comfort, courage and practical aid to many in distress.

The difficult conditions existing at the present time offer a challenge to us to respond even more generously than usual to the Legion's appeal.

Let every one feel it a duty and a privilege to wear a Poppy from Saturday, November 6th, to Thursday, November 11th, and in so doing, strengthen the hands of the Legion in their splendid work.

Insurance and Real Estate

Now is the time to review your Fire and other lines of insurance. Are you sufficiently covered? Though rates have dropped considerably, values have increased. Many benefits have been added by the Underwriters on general and specific lines. Let us advise you. We are agents for the best and oldest companies, and have excellent facilities, combined with our long experience, and knowledge of properties.

REAL ESTATE DEPT.
Enjoy the happiness and convenience of owning your own home, we have several good residential properties, at fair prices, although values will go up. Owning your own home is the finest investment.

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T.C.A. Sets Another Trans-Atlantic Record



CAPTAIN M. B. BARCLAY, one of the senior Trans-Canada Air Lines captains, created a new non-stop Montreal to Britain trans-Atlantic record of 11 hours and 56 minutes recently when he piloted the plane carrying Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions and Supply; H. J. Byington, President of T.C.A., and J. R. Baldwin, of the Privy Council Office. The Canadian officials went to London to attend the Empire Conference on Air Transport and made use of the Government trans-Atlantic air service which is operated by Trans-Canada Air Lines. The service handles mail to and from Canada's war forces and official personnel. The previous record of 12 hours and 26 minutes for the crossing was established by Captain R. F. George, Operations Manager of Trans-Canada Air Lines. Photo shows (left to right) Mr. Baldwin, Mr. Howe, and Mr. Byington, and (inset) Captain Barclay.

Save Waste for Victory! Call Salvage Committee