Chronicles of. .

Written Specially for

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It happened again! Yes sir

madam, I never knew it to fall.

sitting by the fire. And there

cleaned, so I went at it. But

I was so taken by surprise I nearly

standing. I had neither seen

rector on the step!

we left it at that.

But no, that wasn't all.

And once having made up his mind

FIRE SERVICE MEN

CHALLENGE DEATH

LONDON (CP) - The story of a

A shuttle transport service was

The Canadian and United States a little thing like a fence wasn't

the minister comes to call:

Ginger Farm

# Of Interest to Women



By ARME ALLAN Mydro Home Sectionist

Hello Homemakers! Thrifty grandmothers, whose wonderful soups we lave heard so much about, had an ever-burning kitchen fire to work with. They could keep their stock pots on the top of the stove because the constant heat was too high for the

Now, it is necessary to conserve every kind of fuel, but we need not worry about the soup pot - use and then place it in the refrigerator to prevent spoiling and waste. ---

growth of dangerous bacteria.

Meat flavor is the soul of stock pot, so begin by collecting leftover bones from roasts steaks. chops or poultry. (Buy a raw soup bone occasionally, but always have the butcher crack it for you.) Cover the bones with cold water. add drippings from roasts, steaks, sliced raw onion, raw carrots to head the department with which celery and pelery tops, parsley, a he was first associated on joining the bay leaf, sait and pepper. Cover: CBC. bring to bolling point, simmer 1 to 14 hours. Strain: cool. Skim off fat that rises to top and use it for D other cooking. Pour stock into fruit jar, seal and store in the refrigerator.

#### RECIPES Basic Supper Chowder

2 large potatoes, chopped or grated; salt and pepper.

Quick to make, delicious and inexpensive.

Cover the potatoes, onlong, and hamburger with hot water, and signmer slowly until the potatoes are and pepper to taste, add milk, and heat thoroughly. (Add a little flour and water thickening if desired.)

Quick Split Pea Soup 2 cups green dried peas, 2 quarts water, 2 small onlons, chopped: grated carrot, salt and pepper to taste, 1 bay leaf, ¼ teaspoon thyme, 2 stalks chopped celery or 1/2 cup chopped

celery tops. Mix the ingredients and boil for 20colander; reheat and serve. ,

#### Thrifty Changes

Use leftover ham or chicken stock in place of water. Chopped bucon will give a delicious flavor for a change. A dash of cayenne pepper or pepper sauce if you like it. Garlic minced fine and added while cooking will be a good change, served with thinly sliced wieners on top. After straining, 1 cup thick tomato juice may be added. Hot milk or cream (about 1 c.) may be added.

Creamed Vegetable Soups

Delicious cream soups may be made as it did 50 to 100 year ago. from leftover or freshly cooked vegetables, such as peas, cabbage, spinfor two minutes, stirring constantly. garden and health. Add 1 tablespoon butter just before ings or three small servings.

TAKE A TIP: quickly result.

2. To keep your refrigerator stock and sorrow in their failures. not safe, make sure that the broth is! brought to the boiling point and put confuses the city folk on Main Street. back into the refrigerator after cool- The slower pace of the small town ing, about every two days, unless of life gives time for the kindness at the course it is to be served.

#### THE QUESTION BOX Mrs. L.B. asks: Why do scalloped

potatoes curdle? Answer: When the oven temperature is above 325 degrees the fat and flour do not cook slowly enough to make a paste and will separate from

the milk if it boils. Mrs. J.M. asks: How to mould cranberries without using much sugar. Answer:

#### Cranberry Salad

% cup sugar, 1 tablespoon gelatine 2 cups of cranberries, 14 cups water, 1 cup of diced celery.

Cook cranberries in one cup of water until they are soft. Press through a sieve, add sugar, cook 5 minutes. Add gelatine sofened in W cup of water.

#### BUY AFRICAN SARDINES

LONDON (CP)-The ministry of food has purchased the whole of the season's production of the North African sardine canning industry, reopened with the allies' occupancy. The nearly 250,000 animals are receiving adian boys and girls may be saved the danger of explosion, which the purchase amounts to from 40,000,000 regular inspection and treatments, from becoming the victims of wholly men faced unflinchingly through the to 50,000,000 quarter-pound tins.





uate of the University of Manitoba. He joined CBC in 1940, after postmade assistant to the Supervisor of the Farm Broadcast Department the following year. Having successfully developed the group listening technique which has been a notable feature of National Farm Radio Forum broadcasts, Mr. Morrison now returns

# **Kationing Time Table**

November 15, 1943 (Clip this out and keep available)

expire December 31. Each good for tatives. one pound of sugar. Canning sugar coupons valid until declared vold.

butter. Coupon pair 26 valid November 18. stricted. Coupon pair 27 valid November 25. The Your points agreed upon were: Just seems that if I take an hour or these regulations were not absolutely

1 to 21/2 lbs. meat. spreads or sugar (sec.chart).

#### The Hub of Democracy

stitution for it never changes-a few shiny store fronts, theatres and even traffic lights may modernize its surface, but the great, generous kindly governments have agreed to raise going to stop him. It was too dark Wheat War Harvests heart of it beats as steadily to-day

The even tempo of small town life sometimes\_confuses\_city\_visitors. ach, beet tops, onlons, or cauliflower. takes an effort on their part to un-Press the vegetables through a sleve, derstand that the comparatively leland to each cupful of vegetable pulp surely way of doing business on Main add two cups of milk. Heat to the Street is not inefficient. They rarely boiling point, season with salt and realize that the merchant wouldn't pepper to taste; and thicken with a sell a nickle's worth if he did not take little flour - about I tablespoon flour | time to manifest his genuine interest and milk mixed to a paste. Simmer in the state of his cusomer's Yamily,

The Main Street community is quite serving. This makes two large serv- unconscious of class distinctions as the world knows them. All classes. rich and poor, are accepted into the 1. Meat broth is the perfect circle. The qualifications are merely medium for the growth of bacteria, that the members feel a sense of beand once bacteria starts, spoilage can longing to the small town brotherhood, joy in their neighbor's success

This sharing of emotion is what bottom of every human heart to rise to the surface. Main Street, in this respect, is a close approximation of Rosseau's natural state. Here is the osopher's natural man, the simple vir-

tue that he eulogizes. The boys and girls in the services have something behind them which held November 14 to 20. no city dweller can fathom. The Main Streeters in his Majesty's forces know | cellency: their personal sacrifices are appreclated in the home town, that their the people of Canada to National daring death throughout a whole places will not be filled in a month Immunization Week, the object of night to fight a fire in a 50-ton tank or even a year, and that in case they which is to impress on everyone the of sulphur at a North of England gas fail to return, Main Street will grie- importance of protecting children works has been released for publive and in its heart will never cease from the four menaces which threat- cation, having been held up for secur-

to mourn the sons forever gone. ocracy, the essence of what the Un- diseases are all avoidable. They can Equipped with special apparatus to ited nations are defending. That is all be prevented and they can all be breath through the choking fumes, proper disposal of manure and gargood and simple and if its steadfast eliminated. Science can, however, they showed "the highest courage and bage. heart should ever cease to beat, the make little progress without the pop- gallantry" in fighting the blaze for Freedom we claim for Canada would ular support and popular support will nearly 15 hours and finally extingube a dead and lifeless thing in the not be forthcoming without popular ishing it, said the official report. community.

scheme for their cattle by which whereby thousands of young Can- ing district was cleared because of

## The Week at **OTTAWA**

Specially Written for The Actes Free Free BY GUY BEAUDRY Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, NOV. 23 (CP)-A detailed statement on the 1944 agricultural requirements of Canada and her Allies is being prepared by a committee. representing government branches concerned with food production, dis-

equipment. ed to a conference here Dec. 6, 7 and to work. I got along fine in CBC Supervisor of Talks, is a grad- 8 when Dominion and provincial agri- forenoon and then after dinner culture authorities meet to exchange went at it again and was busy on vital users have been filled. information and indicate what food the second half of the ceiting when a graduate work at McGill, and was production objectives they hope to there was a tinkle on the door bell

One official has indicated that Can-fell off the table on which I was ada's failure to attain some of its quotas in 1943 by no means is a sign of "slackening off" in production. This year the Dominion is attempting to send the United Kingdom 150,000,000 nounds of cheese and 63,000,000 dozen eggs, with little hope held that these objectives will be reached.

To Study Wheat Situation The December conference will re view the world wheat situation and decide whether an increase or decrease in western acreage should be recommended.

Meanwhile, the federal labor de-Coffee or Tea (Green)-Coupons 1 partment has started to modify proto 21 inclusive now valid. Coupons posed legislation on compulsory col- and thought it was our worthy editor who has his job to do too. 22 and 23 valid November 25. Cou- lective bargaining and arbitration to on one of his flying visits. So Part-2 large onlons, chopped or sliced; I pons 1 to 13 expire December 31. include recommendations by the pro- ner came in through the kitchen, that in a broad sense personal selfpound of hamburger, I quart of milk. Each good for 8 oz. coffee or 2 oz. tea. vinces, following a three-day confer- ready with some quip or other as a ishness or thoughtlessness will only Sugar (Red)-Coupons 1 to 20 In- ence here between Dominion and pro- greeting. And then he came into the prolong the war-as well as contribclusive now valid. Coupons 1, to. 13 vincial government labor represent room and saw who our visitor really ute to a greater loss of Canadian lives

During the discussions, differences Partner's expression change. Butter (Purple) -Coupons 34, 35, provinces but an official statement complications and mistaken identity pment of the men who fight our batwell cooked, about 20 minutes. Salt 36 and 37 now valid. Expire Nov. 30, issued at the conclusion of the con- we did have a splendid visit with our ties. Coupons 38 and 39 valid Nov. 25. Ex- ference said "unanimity" was reached rector, and that after all was the pire Dec. 31. Each good for 1/4 1b by the Dominion. Opinions were var- important thing-even if I did have to with the compiling, issuing and the led specifically on the definition of finish the pantry after supper. Ment (Buff)—Coupons pairs 22, 23, war industries to which, the Dominion 24 and 25 now valid. Expire Nov. 30. proposed, the legislation should be re-time and then at supper time he operation of the entire population of

Expire Dec. 31. Each pair good for 1, compulsory collective bargaining; two off once in a while something necessary we would not have them, so 2. compulsory arbitration of disputes always goes wrong." Preserves (Orange) - Coupons D1 arising from negotiated agreements: to D7 now valid. Valid until declared 3, definition and prohibition of unfair 25 minutes. Strain through sleve or vold. Good for preserves, sweet labor practices; 4, adequate machin- away some place." ory for enforcement.

Dominion Labor Legislation Labor Minister Mitchell's statement I? that "the department will now have arbitration legislation.

their respective legations in Wash- that night to find him but the nex Ington and Ottawa to status of em- day Partner got him home and now bassies, and in making the announce- he is tied up in the stable. Poor ment in Ottawa Prime Minister Mac- Elmer-his freedom was of short dur-Kenzie King Indicated that similar ac- ation. tion may soon be taken with respect to other diplomatic missions abroad. Leighton McCarthy, Canada's repre- cows have the run of the farm. One states the Monthly Review of the sentative at Washington as an Am- day Partner saw a train along the Wheat Situation. In Canada, for bassador will remove some confusion track back of our place and the instance, total production of wheat which tends to arise about the rela- whistle was blowing like a fire airen in the four years 1939-1942 was altive status of Canada and other na- and the train would stop and start most double that of the previous four tions of the British Commonwealth. and stop again. Partner kept watch- years, while in the United States it He said the government wants to ap- ing and presently he saw something was about 14 per cent. greater, Warpoint a high commissioner to India moving and he guessed then that time harvests have yielded less wheat but has difficulty obtaining a suit- someone's cattle were on the track. In the southern hemisphere coun-

#### The National Immunization Week

In a National Immunization Week bottles every day. message to the people of Canada, the Governor-General, the Earl of Ath- I guess I'll call it a day and go to turned from investigating a blaze, lone, has called attention to the im- bed. Partner has been there some his boss asked what had caused the portance of protecting children ag- time but then, as he tells me, he has fire. ninst communicable diseases and has work to do to-morrow. Maybe I communal feeling of the French phili commended the present effort to ar- haven't. ouse the parents of this country to their responsibility to safeguard health. Immunization Week is being

Here is the statement by His Ex-

"I desire to call the attention of group of National Fire Service men en them-diphtheria, smallpox, scar- ity reasons since the night of August Main Street is the very hub of dem- let fever, and whooping cough. These 21-22.

understanding. I warmly commend the Health organized to obtain oxygen from LONDON (CP) - Six thousand League of Canada in its praiseworthy local firm to maintain a supply in the farmers are in the national "panel" efforts to provide that understanding breathing apparatus. 'The surroundstataes the Ministry of Agriculture. | preventable maladies." time the fire was burning.

### Rationing and War-Winning

There is continuous grousing not all of it unjustified - about certain rationing regulations the necessity or equity of which is not readily appearent to a good many people. Even some of the rationing officials themselves do not seem to understand why certain provisions are in effect and privately, at least, they may be willing to concede that they could be or withdrawn without much harm being As done the nation's war effort, especsure as I start housecleaning in either lally since there is no disposition on the kitchen, pantry or dining room, the part of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board even to attempt to en-

This time it was the pantry.' Fri-The fact however, that petty irritaday being a cold dreary sort of day tions of this nature remain in effect I thought a little really active work and still await that housecleaning of might be a better foot warmer than government orders which said to be the pantry just about shouting to be under way in Ottawa, does not alter the fact that the rationing regulations tribution, stocks, contracts, prices and know how it is with a pantry-it is on the whole, have been wisely draftjust about the worst thing there is ed and that the principle of rationing. The Canadian farm program thus for cluttering up the place. Things now being gradually extended until being plotted-with the certainty it just go where you can find a place it embraces more and more commodwill require as much from the farmer for them-just so long as you get ities, is absolutely esential if the reasas in past war years-will be present: them out of the way and have room onable requirements of the civilian mands of the armed forces and other

The Toronto Better Business Bureau regards consumer rationing as of such absolute necessity in time of war that it has produced a special circular relating to that subject and its conheard a car come in and had no idea clusions are worth reproduction:

"This war has not only to be wonwho our visitor might be. Then, but we must endeavor to win it at went to the door, and there was our the earliest possible moment. The rationing regulations that have been Well, the living-room fire was out put into effect have not been institutwe have to save on fuel you know ed or enforced without the most care--so there was only one place to reful consideration of, and for, all conceive him and that was in the dining cerned. Therefore, it is up to each room with its overflow from the panand every one of us to make these retry. However I told him if he could gulations effective so that everyone stand the muddle then I could. So will have enough for health and efficiency-including the armed forces, our merchant marine, our munition Partner saw the car in the lane workers, and the everyday civillan

"It is well for us to keep in mind was-it was just too funny to see by hampering our civilian effort, loworing morale, encouraging defeatism of opinion were apparent between the However, in spite of housecleaning and rendering more difficult the equi-

> "Those who have been entrusted enforcement of our rationing regul-Partner stayed in the house all the ations deserve the whole-hearted cocame in and said rather glumly-"It this great Dominion of ours. If . . let's all work together to

"What's the matter now?" I asked make them 100% effective. "Oh, it looks as if Elmer has got If the average consumer will bear these facts in mind-and it must be Which reminds me-I don't think remembered that they are being put I ever introduced you to Elmer, did forward by an independent organization of business men-he will accept Of course you have heard of Elsie rationing as it now exists, as it may the advantage of the views expressed" the Cow, haven't you? Well, this further be expanded before the close and that he would be assisted "con- isn't a cow, so we call him Elmer- of the war, in that spirit of co-opersiderably" in framing his recommen- and he's not much more than a year- ation which will make a success of dation to the government was inter- ling. Apparently while Partner was the whole business and thus accomptutions in modern Canadian life is the preted as an indication the govern- in the house Elmer thought it was a lish a great deal towards making it small town Main Street. It is an in- ment proposes to proceed with imple- grand opportunity to go over to the possible for Canada to play her full

The rising tide of surplus wheat in the four principal surplus-producing countries-Canada, the United States, You never know what cattle are up Australia and Argentina can be atto these days. Now that crops are tributed wholly to favorable wartime Mr. King said the new status of off most of the young cattle and dry harvests, at least in North America, We heard afterwards that one of the tries, but total production in the four cows was killed. Poor Bossie-it was countries in the period 1939-1942 was too bad for her. And too bad for her 1,207,000,000 bushels greater on a owner, and also for a number of milk sharply reduced acreage than in the consumers because in a few weeks four years 1935-1938.

Bossie would have had a calf and would have filled a good many milk "FRICTION" CAUSED THIS FIRE

When his insurance adjuster re-Well, I see it is nearly midnight so

"Friction," the investigator replied "Something rubbing together, eh?" "Yeah." the adjustor added, "the

fire was caused by rubbing a-\$3,000

insurance policy against a \$2,000

THIS WAR AT HOME

Because it is one of the greatest enemies of public health, the common house fly should not be tolerated in the home or its surroundings, or in shops offering food for sale ... Most effective method of control consists in eliminating breeding places and the

—Quesnel (B.C.) Cariboo Observer

Man 20 A0 E0 mai, Ju, 40, Ju: Want Hormai Pop, Vim, Vigor? Try Course Tunto Tublete. Contains tentes, et insu-iones, tree, vitenes Br., esletum, phosphorus; side to parinal pub, vim, vimor, vitality after 30, 40, or 50. Introductory size only like. If not delighted with results of first package, maker refunds low price. At all druggists. Start taking Outrey Tablets today.

#### FARMERS FIRST

CHELMSFORD, England (CP Home Guards in Essex were excused from week-day parades during August because most of them are farmers and had harvest work to do.



# CARROLL'S



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COUPONS TO USE TEA or COFFEE-1 to 21 SUGAR-1 to 20 PRESERVES-1 to 7 BUTTER-34 to 37 MEAT-22 to 26

PECANS Bran Flakes King 16c Macaroni - seems 16. 5c

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MIDCETS

Van Camp's Tomato SOUP

2 tim 150 CHOICE MALAGA GRAPES FRESH BEETS OR CARROTS Per Bunch **EATMOR CRANBERRIES** DOMESTIC SPY APPLES 4 lbs. 27c

## THE TOWERMAN

Fruit and Vegetable Prices Until Saturday Night Only.



Thus sketch by Grant Macdonald shows Henry Gardnar, Canadian National I Railways towerman operating the levers which route the many trains of war materials through one of Canada's huge railway yards. It is one of the series of drawings by Mr. Macdonald graphically depicting the big job being—performed by Canada's railway workers in moving the immense wartime traffic. List year the National System handled 71,545,237 tons of freight and the amount moved this year will be considerably greater. If the freight, passenger, and work equipment of the National System, together with locomotives, could be set out buffer to buffer, in a single line of track, bey would

form a train 1,100 miles long.