

... LEGION NOTES ...

(By J. M.)

Comrades: Perhaps you are wondering why this column is different this week. Well here are the facts: One year ago today your Legion Reporter wrote his first Legion story for this paper and today we are just celebrating our anniversary and trying to be a little different. Our timidity has left us and we are going strong after one year and although we might have made enemies we still have a few friends left so read on kind friends—Here goes:

Comrade "Bert" Part of Buxbury Ont. was a guest at the Legion last week and "Bert" was secretary of the local branch for a number of years and met several of his former officers and friends and discussed the transformation of the Club Rooms, compared with the quarters the Legion occupied while he was in office. "Bert" is looking good and enjoyed his visit.

INSTRUCTIONS MUST BE OBEYED
Comrades! Please bear in mind that our popular caterer Comrade Dick Mitchell (photo at left) has received his instructions from the canteen board as to what his duties are. Dick intends carrying them out, so do not embarrass him by asking any favours for friends. Simply read the sign above canteen door, "It tells the whole story."

COMRADES—Did you purchase your ticket for the Stag Party? The committee in charge urge that all those wishing to attend purchase their tickets at once so the caterer to this banquet may know how much food to prepare. Let us make it 100 per cent attendance at this Stag. The Comrade, in whose honor this is put on has worked hard for the Legion and deserves the support of the comrades.

BOB IN THE DOG HOUSE



We all know by now that "Bob" has put a chain around his neck and is in the dog house, but we cannot let the opportunity pass without extending to him our best wishes on the eve of his forthcoming marriage. The entire branch wish you and yours "Bob" all the best of luck for years to come.

Congratulations to the Ladies Auxiliary for the part they played in disposing of Poppies on Poppy Day. Full account appears elsewhere in the paper.

The "Spirit of Comradship" truly exists in the Legion. Here is only one of the examples: Comrade Wm. Roney last Saturday, raffled a bushel of apples, the proceeds to go to the cigarette fund. No preparations of any kind, a few sheets of paper with two numbers written in pencil were offered for sale. The result: In one hour close to \$10.00 was realized for the boys' cigarette fund.

HAROLD ON THE RAMPAGE



No Comrades! There is no fire. The picture of Harold Stallford appearing above was taken last Armistice night when he was running after his guests to entertain them in the large hall. As you state here boys that a real surprise awaited all those frequenting the club rooms on Nov. 11th. Comrade Harold Stallford entertained about 35 members. This was not an invitation affair and the comrades who were not present missed one of the best parties put on for a long time. From 8 p.m. till 11 p.m., all those entering the Club Rooms were immediately ushered direct to Harold and made welcome to join the party and all "Soft drinks" were "free-gratis." All present, when called upon, did their share of entertaining. Out of town guests included: Major and Mrs. H. L. Robson, of Brampton, Mrs. E. Crowder, of Brampton and Mr. Tom Ayres of Guelph. The piano accompaniments were furnished by Mrs. Robson and Joe Bailey. Hats off to you Harold for the grand evening of Armistice Day.

The writer of this column regrets the omission last week of Comrade Bob Muir's name in connection with the joint banquet of the Legion and Auxiliary. "Bob" as chairman of the entertainment committee was responsible for the success of the banquet and entertainment and we take this opportunity to congratulate him.

SOMETHING TO CROW ABOUT
ADVERTISEMENT—Wanted to purchase spring chickens, weight from 6 to 10 lbs. Apply Wm. Roney at the Legion Club Rooms. (This should have appeared in our Legion Notes last week.) However let us carry on with the story: It so happened that Wm. wanted chickens for Sunday dinner and made arrangements with Comrade "Phredy" B to supply same. To do William a favor the host was delivered ready for the oven, which as you know brought the weight down. "Phredy" was accused of supplying pigeons in lieu of chickens. "Bill" apparently is not well enough versed to know that government regulations will not allow killing of pigeons without a permit. After the parade Sunday the writer overheard the conversation that "Bill" had a whole chicken for breakfast Sunday morning, bacon and eggs, three slices of toast, two pieces of pie with cheese and four cups of tea. After consuming the above "Bill" complained he was still hungry, but "Lil" soon had a stop to this. Therefore our heading is in order. Can any member beat this record?

ARGUMENTS AND CRITICISMS
One point the writer would like to bring to the attention of some of the comrades, is the unwarranted criticism of the doing of officers of the Legion. It is all very well to find fault with the work accomplished by our officers, who by the way, are doing a grand job in the interest of all Comrades, but bear in mind members that in all Clubs and Organizations there is bound to be differences and these can only be rectified at a regular meeting by bringing up their grievances before the whole organization, so as everything can be thrashed out. The Officers were elected by you and I and they deserve your support while in office. Those elected have pledged themselves to work in the interest of the Legion and have been granted power to act as they see fit in any emergency. These remarks are not made by the writer to take one side or the other in any controversy but the Legion rooms is the place to discuss Legion matters and not outside.

OUR MASTER OF CEREMONIES FOR THE HTAO
Comrade Wm. Carney will have full charge of the doings at the Stag Party. Give him all your co-operation to make this a real "bang-up" party. Luck to you "Bill".

Comrade President Fred McCartney was very well pleased with the grand turnout of Legion men for the Remembrance Day Service at the Cenotaph. The comrades, in return wish to thank "Dutch" for the wonderful "Hot Coffee" served to the boys after the parade.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LINDQUIST, D. D. of the Board of Christian Education of the United Methodist Church, Chicago. Edited by Western Evangelist Union.

Lesson for November 21

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HONESTY IN ALL THINGS

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 20:15, Leviticus 19:11, 12, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

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As a matter of fact, dishonesty has become so common that a person who is strictly honest is a bit of a novelty. Some even think he is peculiar.

Under such circumstances the Christian needs to be vigilant lest he also accommodate his own ideas of honesty and begin to justify little evasions rather than being absolutely upright.

The teaching of Scripture on this matter is very plain.

I. Honesty and Fair Dealing (Exod. 20:15; Lev. 19:11, 13).

The very commandment against stealing implies that men have a right to that which they have made, earned, or saved. If no one had property rights there could be no stealing. Some of our modern laws deny such rights, but their reasoning is clearly not biblical or Christian.

"Thou shalt not steal" forbids every kind of theft, and the passages from Leviticus indicate that this includes more than robbery or ordinary stealing.

It relates to every kind of false dealing with another, such as oppression or the withholding of just wages. That, too, is stealing in God's sight.

Perhaps we ought to be more specific and apply the truth to our own daily. Stealing includes such things as loafing on one's job, "borrowing" money from the cash drawer, taking goods from the stock with which one is working, stealing another man's sermon and preaching it as one's own, "lifting" material out of another man's book without credit, contracting debts which one cannot pay, using false weights and measures, adulterating food or other material, "watering" milk for sale, selling worthless stock, dodging taxes or lying to the tax assessor, or using a slug instead of a nickel in the telephone to escape proper payment.

One might add gambling (which is taking another man's property by skill or by chance), making an unduly large profit on the labor of another, making money out of the sorrows and failures of others, etc. To be honest means to be fair—and that has broad implications.

II. Honesty and Restoration (Luke 19:1-10).

The reality and thoroughness of Zacchaeus' conversion was indicated by his willingness to restore all the money he had unjustly (but legally, note that!) taken from his fellow citizens—and that in fourfold measure.

Insofar as it is possible to do so, the honest person will make right any known injustice. To be right with God must mean that we are to be right with men. The testimony of many Christians could be presented to show that they have only entered upon real peace and usefulness as they have made consistent effort to right every wrong, to pay every debt.

Often such actions open opportunities for Christian testimony and point others to the redemption in Christ, which makes a man live right as well as talk right.

III. Honesty and Religion (Luke 19:47, 48).

One might think it unnecessary to urge honesty upon religious folk. They ought to be honest. But here we see in sharp contrast to the quick honesty and restitution of Zacchaeus, the stubborn disobedience and dishonesty of the priests in the temple. Jesus had already cleansed the temple of the traffic in money-changing and the sale of animals for sacrifice practiced there (see John 2:13-17). On that occasion He rebuked them because they made His Father's house "a house of merchandise."

Had they known the change of heart of a converted Zacchaeus they would have heeded His admonition. But they did not believe in Christ and went on with their ungodly desecration of the temple area until it became "a den of thieves" (v. 46).

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Cecil G. Frost

President of the Progressive Conservative Association of Ontario since 1938 in announcing his retirement from the presidency, has issued a call for a general meeting of the association at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, on Friday, November 12th. Playing a leading part in the organization of the Post Hope conference, Mr. Frost later rendered notable service as Chairman of the resolutions committee at the Winnipeg convention.

HALTON BREEDERS BUY AND SELL AT BRAMPTON SALE

Halton County Holstein breeders took a prominent part, both as buyers and sellers, at the Fourth Annual Fall Special Sale held October 28 at Brampton. E. Segworth & Son, Presman, received \$260 for a four-year-old heifer and \$165 for a ten-month-old bull calf, while W. B. Hall, Oakville, secured \$235 for a two-year-old heifer. Elmer Carney, Georgetown, paid \$245 for an eight-year-old cow; J. T. Frame, Milton, \$310 for an eight-month-old bull calf; W. A. Winthrop, Campbellville, \$300 for a two-year-old heifer; Albert O. Hunter, Presman, \$235 for a two-year-old heifer; and A. H. McKane, Georgetown, \$235 and \$230 for a pair of mature cows.

A total of \$22,000 was realized for the 74 head sold. The 5 females averaged \$310.46 while 18 bulls, mostly calves, averaged \$228. The top price was \$560 paid by Nora Farm, Vankle Hill, for a three-year-old heifer consigned by John H. Oiler, Thameforth. Highest price for a bull was \$350 secured on the bid of Hugh R. Bonnell & Sons, Thameforth, for a seven-month-old calf consigned by Hmt. Haven Farm, Woodstock. Seven females brought \$400 or more.

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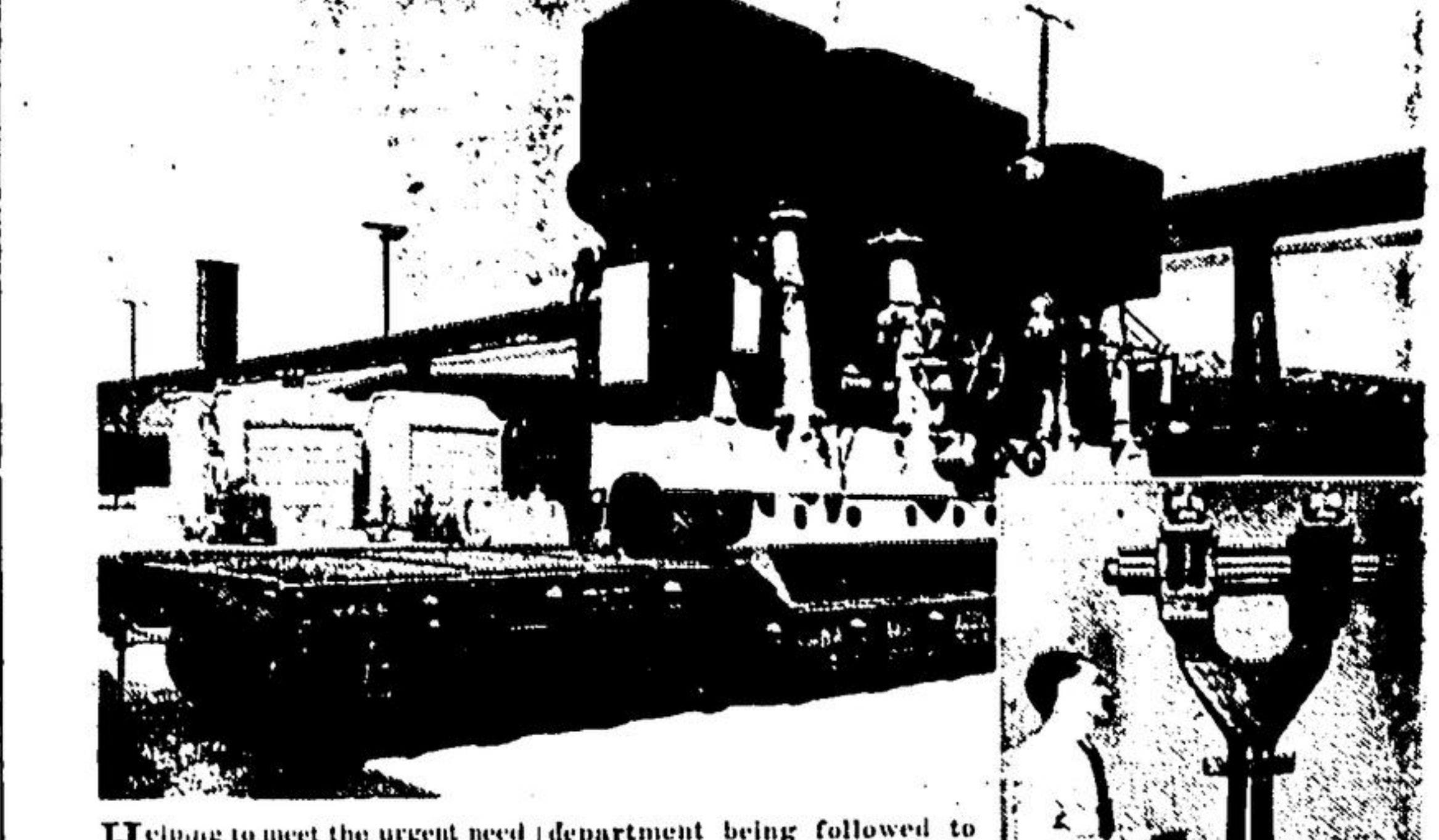
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Helping to meet the urgent need of the Royal Canadian Navy for main marine engines and condensers to be used in escort vessels, the Canadian Pacific Railway's Angus Shops in Montreal now has a steadily increasing flow of these "units of war" coming from that section of the big shops which earlier completed the manufacture on schedule of more than 1,000 Valentine tanks, mainly for service in Russia.

The marine engine, pictured above, is a C.P.R. design, developed in that city, prior to being processed for shipment, weighs 80 tons, with condenser and boiler included. Its size is demonstrated in the picture on the right by the workman, who is dwarfed by the huge connecting rods. The handling of the engines to their destination comes under the heading of "high and wide" transportation, with special advice from Canadian Pacific's engineering department being followed to squeeze the loads past bridges and other permanent installations.

As was the case with the Valentine tanks, the marine engines are being made at the same time as Angus Shops handles the greatly increased repairs on locomotives and cars necessitated by wartime's heavier transportation load. All the jobs are being done without new buildings or extensive additions to the existing plant, a further demonstration of the versatility of the department headed by H. B. Bowen, chief of motive power and rolling stock.

To reach marine engine production as early as possible, machining of parts and fabrication of sub-assemblies was started while the tank work still was proceeding at the big Canadian Pacific shops. As machine capacity and floor area were released from the tank contract they were utilized for the marine engine work. The first 10-ton engine base plate was laid down a little over two weeks after completion of the last tank hull on the Valentine contract to earn the compliment in an official report that "the very best efforts were put forth by all persons responsible for this work."