

The Canadian Champion

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LINDBERGH

Last Sunday night Charles Lindbergh told the American people over the radio that they had nothing to fear from events in Europe, provided they build enough bombers. He said the country should continue to remain neutral. No Quilting could have done a smoother job of Hun propaganda. He is certainly earning the Nazi medal that Hitler gave him. But then again perhaps he is earning the popularity in the United States he has won so low and his reputation for smug self-satisfaction has risen so high that whatever he says against the Allies will quite likely work out in their favor.

The New York Times has sized him up correctly:

Colonel Lindbergh is a peculiar young man if he can completely defeat the Allies in an other light than as a calamity for the American people. He is an ignorant young man if he trusts his own premise that it makes no difference to us whether we put up or down with the historic defence of British sea power in the Atlantic Ocean. He is a blind young man if he really believes that we can live on in terms of equal peace and happiness "regardless of which side wins this war" in Europe.

A GOOD IDEA

The Department of Welfare of the Ontario government has ruled that all relief recipients must cultivate a vegetable lot this summer, if they are physically able to do so, and the plot must be at least twenty-five by one hundred feet. Not only would such a garden be an asset to the man concerned but it would also help to win the war, as Canada needs a larger production of foodstuffs.

Must be several vacant lots in town that could be used for this purpose at a low cost to the town. The vegetable crops thus raised should help to reduce relief bills next winter, and every encouragement and assistance should be given to such an idea. No municipality where relief claims have been made in the past six months are exempt.

Catering to the Tourist Trade

Merchants and others catering to the tourist trade who will accept United States currency will be permitted to display an official card provided by the Foreign Exchange Control Board.

The card, bearing the crest of the Dominion of Canada, will be available in two sizes: 14x11 inches and 9x7 inches. The larger card is suitable for window display. Both will carry the same legend: "United States currency is accepted here at the official premium set by the Foreign Exchange Control Board."

Favoring Allies More

According to a prominent American magazine, Newsweek, the pendulum in Washington is unmistakably swinging back in the we-must-help-the-Allies-in-some-way direction. The Scandinavian invasion of Holland and Belgium has shocked the U.S. public, and the neutrality-at-all-costs is perceptibly lessened. There is a strong feeling that the U.S. is throwing too many obstacles in the path of the British, and there's a growing desire to credit and even naval and air aid to the British.

OBITUARY.

MRS. ANDREW J. NEILSON.

The death occurred in Galt Hospital on Saturday morning, May 18th, of Mary Ann Teller, wife of Andrew J. Neilson, Milton, after a short illness and an operation. Mrs. Neilson was a well known and highly respected citizen of Milton, having come here from Waterdown forty years ago. Mrs. Neilson was a member of the Pardon Home for seven years, resigning that position at the time of her marriage. She was born in Northumberland, England and came to Canada with her family when quite a young girl. She was a member of Knox Presbyterian Church. She is survived by her husband, one brother, Adam, who lives in Northumberland, and one sister, Mrs. E. M. Aikens, of Milton. Four brothers and one sister predeceased her. The funeral took place from her late residence on Monday afternoon at 2:30 p.m., the service being conducted by Rev. J. Riddell. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery, Milton. Six nephews acted as pallbearers and also carried the flowers, which were many and very beautiful.

Mountain Union Women's Institute

A very interesting meeting of the Mountain Union Women's Institute was held on Wednesday, May 15, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Dales, the president, Mrs. F. Hadley, presiding, and forty ladies were present. After the meeting was over, the Ladies of the Institute Ode and the Lord's Prayer, the routine business was transacted, during which the final arrangements were made to conduct the annual which will be held in Knox Church on June 13th, at 9 a.m., D.S.T. The Roll Call was answered by giving hints on cooking or sewing. Miss Betty Rex, of Faldon Home for seven years, resigning that position at the time of her marriage. She was born in Northumberland, England and came to Canada with her family when quite a young girl. She was a member of Knox Presbyterian Church. She is survived by her husband, one brother, Adam, who lives in Northumberland, and one sister, Mrs. E. M. Aikens, of Milton. Four brothers and one sister predeceased her. The funeral took place from her late residence on Monday afternoon at 2:30 p.m., the service being conducted by Rev. J. Riddell. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery, Milton. Six nephews acted as pallbearers and also carried the flowers, which were many and very beautiful.

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GLIMPSES OF PARLIAMENT

By Hughes Cleaver, Halton's Member

The keynote of the opening speeches of the House on Friday last was the criticism of the alleged complacency of the Canadian public toward Canada's war effort. Hon. Mr. Hanson, the newly appointed Opposition Leader, in his opening remarks stated:

"We shall expect from the administration a full accounting of its stewardship during the past seven or eight months. The Canadian people are asking for that. I fear that they have been too complacent during the early period of the war. However, now that the shock of this tremendous conflict is being borne upon them, and through them to us, they desire to know the measure of effort Canada is putting forth at this time."

Mr. Sinclair, member for Vancouver North, struck the same note when he said in seconding the address:

"This is no time for complacency. It is time for united effort, for ceaseless endeavor; above all for action, for fearless action. This is the time to subordinate all other efforts in order to smash away the political bickerings and the departmental red-tape in the past have impeded democratic action. This is the time to mobilize with ruthless speed every resource of this vast country."

It is, of course, easy to criticize, but for the life of me I do not know where these gentlemen got the idea that Canadians as a whole are complacent about the war unless it might be that they have misunderstood "complacency" for "complacency." While I share with other Canadians an abounding confidence in the final result of the war, I do not find anyone who does not appreciate the full seriousness of the struggle. In addition to a willingness to make any necessary sacrifice, I find everywhere a very determined insistence that this time there shall be no excess profits and that this time there shall be an equality of sacrifice so far as it is humanly possible to attain it.

On Monday afternoon Hon. R. B. Hanson spoke for two hours in a critical vein on Canada's war effort, covering again a great deal of the criticism which was voiced during the general elections. He stated that he understood the recent mandate of the electors to be that we should use all our powers and all our resources to win the war. He stated that he was opposed to any time now being taken to consider unemployment insurance or any other post war problem. He also expressed grave doubts as to whether the consent of the provinces could be obtained in regard to the amendment of the constitution to permit the Federal government to enact unemployment insurance.

On Monday evening Mr. King gave a complete synopsis of Canada's war effort and war plans to date. I regret that I am unable to give verbatim reports of these speeches of our two leaders, but any copy must go to the county press tonight if it is to be published this week, this is impossible. Mr. King stated that the most accurate means of arriving at a correct impression of the magnitude of our effort was to give comparative costs. In the first eight months of the war Canada has spent over twice the sum which was expended in the same period of the Great War. Our estimated war expenditures for the coming fiscal year are seven hundred millions, as compared with one hundred and sixty-six millions spent during the corresponding period of the last war, an increase of 320%. Since the return of the Defence Minister from England it has been decided to further increase this amount.

As to the Canadian Navy, we are spending thirty times more than we were at the same period of the last war. In addition to the following ships now in active service: 7 destroyers, 15 mine sweepers, 16 anti-submarine ships and 51 auxiliary ships, we have 90 new ships now under construction. We now have an active naval personnel of 6,614 officers and ratings, which will be increased to 11,450 by March 31st, 1941.

On the Air Force we are spending 100 millions as compared to three millions during the same period in the last war. On May 10th we had 13,315 of all ranks in the Air Force. In addition to these figures we are spending \$50 million over a period of three years as our share of the British Commonwealth Air Training Scheme. We have built and are building 110 separate air training schools and depots and in the Empire Air Training Scheme. This scheme will require an instructional staff and ground force of over forty thousand officers and men.

As to the infantry the first division of 22,278 men is now overseas. The second division of 24,645 men is training in Canada and we have others recruited for coastal and home defenses bringing the total of this branch of the service under arms to over 100,000 men. It has been decided to recruit a third division immediately.

A general speeding up is to take place as to all services. Two new ministers are to be appointed, a Minister of Defence for Air and a Minister of War Supply. In regard to financing the war, conditions have radically changed since the last war. At that time we were able to borrow money for the purpose from the United Kingdom as well as from the United States. This time the United States is prohibited from lending and as to the United Kingdom we are not only unable to borrow from that source but we must repatriate Canadian securities now held there in order to assist the United Kingdom to finance her purchases in Canada. From this it will be seen that the forthcoming budget must of necessity provide for a drastic increase in taxation.

BASEBALL

Indications are that Acton will not participate in any O.B.A. Intermediate group this year. Meetings called by the officers failed to bring out any group interested in putting in a team.

First plan was to play in the Inter-County League, rather than the Inter-League, which has been characterized more by its appeals and off field decisions than by its baseball of late years. That plan was counted out by an O.B.A. ruling.

A meeting was called Friday night, at which no one but the officials turned up. It is felt that no representative was sent to the County League meeting.

Rumor is current that Georgetown will have no entry either this year. It appears that Milton and Oakville will be left to decide the protests.

Acton may arrange some exhibition games during the summer and the juveniles may have a group but indications at the moment are that little intermediate ball will be played here.—Acton Free Press.

In an exhibition game played in Oakville yesterday evening, Oakville's Intermediate nine defeated the Milton Intermediate team by 5 to 2.

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LOWVILLE

Anniversary services of the Women's association of the United Church held on Sunday last were well attended, both morning and evening. Rev. C. R. Albright, of Freeton, preached at both services. The men's choir furnished the music.

During the electrical storm which passed over this community on Sunday afternoon, the United Church parsonage was struck. Fortunately, the damage was not heavy.

Mr. Howard LeRoy and Miss Mary Langton, of Waterdown, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Langton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and Miss Edna Anderson, of Milton; Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Patterson and Mrs. Douglas, of Ash; Rev. C. R. Albright, of Freeton, were visitors on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Harbottle. Mrs. S. H. Spicer, of Hamilton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Erling Colling.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gunby, of Waterdown, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Burdge Gunby.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas, of Brookville, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Readhead.

Mr. Victor Butts, of Toronto university, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Burdge Butts.

ZIMMERMAN

Mr. and Mrs. W. Walker visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Sinclair. Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Fine, of Toronto, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. M. Gardstein.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Simpson and family spent the week-end at their home here.

Rev. C. R. Albright, of Freeton, occupied the pulpit Sunday in the United Church.

The Community League closed on Wednesday evening in the form of a men's soiree. Geo. E. Elliot, of Milton, the guest speaker, gave a very interesting address on the Canadian writer and poet, Albert Kirkland Cernegon, of-times known as the Khan. Frank Hadley, Bob Wheelband, Gordon Hadley and Verne Galbraith also contributed to the program. Refreshments were served.

ASH

M. Sanson, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Pelletier on Sunday.

The friends of Lorna Murray regret to hear that she is under the doctor's care, and hope that she will soon be able to return to school.

Bobby Black spent the week-end with his mother at Kilbride.

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Pleading guilty in Milton Police Court yesterday to charges of breaking and entering, and of stealing a car, John Dybar, of Tilsonburg, was sentenced to two months in Penitentiary on the first charge, and two years on the second charge, the sentences to run concurrently.

He was charged with entering the summer home Dr. D. F. McLellan, of New Toronto, two miles south of Milton, and stealing a car belonging to Edward Snow, of Trafalgar township.

NAMED COMMISSIONER FOR TAKING OATHS

George R. Harris, one of the publishers of the Burlington Gazette, and ex-Mayor of the town, has received word from the provincial government of his appointment as a Commissioner for Taking Oaths.

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