#### Prisoners-of-War Try Own Cooking on Red Cross Parcels

Red Cross Gives Sidelights on Life in Prison Camp.

The following is from the Canadian Red Cross news service:--

Men in captivity in prison camps have found a new hobby. . . . through Red Cross food parcels. , it's cooking! Judging from prisoners' letters supper is the big meal of the day. Men out on work parties return in the evening, tired and hungry; they want a good, tasty meal so out come Red Cross food parcels.

Atlhough much of the food is already prepared for eating, like salmon or kippers and only needs heating the men try their skill at serving things in a variety of ways. . . mixing the contents of food parcels with camp rations and making provisions go further. This gives variety to the diet and varies the monotony of rather unappetizing vegetables, which form the bulk of supplies distributed by the enemy. It makes an interesting break in the day, too, and thus becomes an important morale builder.

The men show their ingenuity in a hundred ways. If there is no stove in their billet, they make one from bricks and earth or biscuit-tins. Cooking utensils are tins from Red Cross parcels

Prisoners take turn being "chef". . but anyone who shows a natural flair for cooking often finds himeslf permanent cook!

Sometimes there is a party to celebrate a twenty-first birthday or a wedding anniversary. Each guest contributes samething from his parcel toward the feast.

Some of the prisoners are becoming first-class cooks. One wrote home to his wife, "Just you wait 'till I come home. Then you'll be able to go out on Sunday mornings and I'll stay at home and cook the dinner. . I'll show you a thing or two!"

Hashed biscuit pudding. . . soups. . . and stews. . . are concocted with tremendous rivalry and the new recipes invented are amazingly varied when you consider that many of the ordinary ingredients used in cooking can not be sent to prison camps. . . . they wouldn't "keep".

In the five packing depots in Canada, real and Winnipeg 100,006 food parcels travel, a blue wool two-piece suit. They Local V. O. N. in Toronto Hamilton, Windsor, Monta week is the objective this year .. To will take up residence there . keep our men supplied with these necessities, it will take \$5,000,000 for British and Canadian prisoners-of-war in Europe and \$500,000 for food parcels for Canadian prisoners in the Far East. More than half of the total campaign fund of \$10,000,000 will go this year to feed our prisoners. They look to their homeland to keep them alive and cheer.

When you give your donation to the Canadian Red Cross. . . . remember our prisoners in enemy hands. There are more. . .this year! Give what you IN-TENDED to - and THEN some!

#### Lovely Wedding at First United Church Saturday Morning

Wedding of Nora Carrick, Timmins, and Arthur Baker, Toronto.

A very charming wedding took place at the Timmins First United Church on Saturday, at 11.30 a.m. when Nora N. Carrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Carrick of Timmins, became the bride of Arthur Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Baker, of Toronto. Rev. W. M. Mustard officiated, and Mr. H. Treneer supplied the wedding music. For the occasion, the altar was tastefully decorated with many coloured spring

Given in marriage by her uncle Mr. Kwaitkowsky, the bride wore traditional ivory satin gown, fashioned with Mrs. Elizabeth Allison a full skirt, fitted bodice, v-neckline, and tapering sleeves. Her floor-length veil was caught at her head with white ribbons, and baby's breath, and she carried a bouquet of sweetheart roses.

Mrs. M. Fijal was matron of honfeta gown, with matching picture hat. She carried a bouquet of pink carna-

Bridesmaid was Miss Olga Hubisky, who wore turquoise net gown, with applique flowers scattered around the skirt, and a matching picture hat. Her bouquet was of pink carnations.

wearing pastel gowns, Misses Helen Carrick, Anita and Jenny Kwaitkowsky. Kwaitkowsky.

rick, while the usher was Mr. M. Fijal. Following the ceremony, a reception Mrs. Rose, is one daughter, Catherine, was held at the bride's parental home, Mrs. R. A. Duncan, of Riverside, Ont. 169 Maple north, where the bride's Another daughter died some years ago. mother received the guests, wearing a One son Captain Ian Allison, of the accessories, and a corsage of roses.

Naval Awards for C.N.S. Officers

Després, R.C.N.R. of Montmagny,

room forces of the company in 1930.

3. Lieutenant-Commander (Engin-

eer) A. B. Arnison (Torpedo) of Van-

couver, who prior to joining the

with the company's Pacific Coast

former Chief Officer with the Cana-

dian National Steamships. He entered

5. Commander O. C. Robertson

advanced from Lieut. Commander.

His home is in Montreal. He started

his sea-going career with the C.N.S.

as an apprentice in 1924, and served

with the company until he joined the

the service in 1921.





TONORS and promotions have been | pany since 1923.

List, three were appointed to be Distinguished Service Cross:

on the deck, in the engine room and in | Promoted to Commander:

I received by twelve former offi-

cers of the Canadian National Steam-

ships now serving in the Royal

Canadian Navy. All of those so

honored are professional seamen who

entered active service from their

peacetime assignments through the

Royal Canadian Naval Reserve, Five

of them, commencing as apprentices,

served their entire sea-going career

with the company. Of those who were

accorded recognition in the Honors

officers of the Military Division of the

was awarded the Distinguished Ser-

Eight officers of the Royal Cana-

dian Navy who had formerly served

the purser's department of the Cana-

dian National Steamships received

1. Lieutenant-Commander N. V.

promotions. Shown above:

Order of the British Empire:

vice Cross.













of this war." 2. Lieutenant (Engineer) L. G. F. To Lieutenant Commander:

6. A. K. Young, of Montreal, form-Que., formerly a second engineer in er Chief Officer in the C.N.S. service, the steamships. He joined the engine | began as an apprentice in 1922."

> 7. H. D. MacKay, of Halifax, began as an apprentice in 1930, was Third Officer in 1934, and First Officer when he joined the navy.

Canadian Navy had 18 years service 8. E. W. T. Surtees (Engineer), of Montreal, a former chief engineer with the steamships, joined the service in 1926, serving in various 4. Acting Commander D. C. Wal- engine room capacities. Order of the British Empire, and one lace, R.C.N.R., a native of Pictou,

N.S., whose home is in Halifax, and a To Paymaster Lieutenant Commander: 9. C. R. Boggs, of Montreal, joined the C.N.S. in 1931.

> 10. A. S. E. Sillett, Saint John, N.B., had been in the company's service since June, 1936.

11. H. R. Northrup, whose home is in Saint John, N.B., joined the office of the company in 1931 and became purser's clerk in 1935.

Navy. He is now senior officer of 12. W. J. Marshall, of Montreal, Clarke, R.C.N.R., whose home is in H.M.C.S. Prince Robert, which the joined the staff of the Canadian Halifax. He was formerly a first naval department statement terms National Railways in 1930 and two officer in the Canadian National "a renowned auxiliary cruiser which years later transferred to the purser's service and had been with the com- has figured in several major operations | staff of Canadian National Steamships

trip to Toronto, the bride wearing for

#### Amid All Their Troubles the British Still Laugh

The Wartime Milk Control Board of England has its occasions to laugh, in spite of the grimness of war and falling from actual letters sent in to the milk board by English mothers:

my child was filled up properly. I did intend coming to the milk office

looking forward to an increase in November, hoping this meets with your

I am glad to report that my husband who was reported missing is now dead. Sir: I am forwarding our marriage certificate and two children, one of which is a mistake as you will see.

Unless I can get my husband's pay I will be forced to lead an immortal life. You have changed my boy into a little girl. Will this make any difference? Please send my money as I have fal-

len into errors with my landlord. I have no children as my husband is a bus driver and works day and night In accordance with your instructions I have given birth to twins in the enclosed envelope.

Milk is wanted for my baby and the father is unable to supply it.

# Dies Wednesday, March 10

Mrs. Elizaeth Allison at the age of 69 years, 7 months, died on Wednesday, March 10th, at the home of her daughour, and was lovely in a turquoise taf- ter, Mrs. A. A. Rose, 111 Tamarack St. After brief funeral services at Walker's Funeral chapel on Thursday morning, at 11 a.m., the body was shipped to Windsor, Ont. for burial.

Born in Scotland, on August 16th. 1876. Mrs. Allison came to Canada 31 years ago, and for a time, resided in Windsor, Ontario, with her husband There were three little flower girls, who predeceased her in death five years ago. For the past five years, the deceased was residing at the home of her The little page boy was Master Henry | daughter Mrs. A. A. Rose, Timmins, whose husband, Mr. Rose, is principal of Acting as best man was Mr. Nick Car- | Timmins High and Vocational School.

Surviving her besides her daughter, Funeral arrangements were under the

## Committee Re-elect Geo. Gedge as Pres.

(Continued From Page One) fish service for many decades. His ad. dress, although detailed but informabombs. Here are a few extracts taken | tive, proved very interesting, opening his topic with the explanation, of time, and giving illustrations. He spoke of Please send me a form for supply of the pleasure of working, of the success milk for having children at reduced of perseverance. He gave various examples of the workers, their ambitions, I posted the form by mistake before | concluding that no person should work long at one period, and incidentally, no task should take to long. "The only today, but have had 15 children this key to success is to persevere as long as you can with all the guts at your dis-I have one child two years old and posal," said Dr. McClinton. After an explanation of Health Insurance, as a benefit to the people, he concluded his stirring address, with the words, "Look for character. It is like the sunset over Kamiscotia, indescribable, inspiring and

A vote of thanks was given Dr. Mc-Clinton by Mr. J. M. Douglas on behalf

of all present. The report of the nominating committee was given by Mr. A. Gillies, as

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Gurnell, Mrs. C. Desaulniers, The chairman, Mr. Gedge, then gave an invitation to any of the audience who wished to discuss any of the reports to please step forward. Mrs. H. Lloyd, on behalf of the French-speaking population of Timmins, extented a vote of thanks to the V. O. N., and wished hem a successful 1943.

with the singing of the National An- sible them, led by Mr. H. Treneer.

sating factor about a tooth-ache is the lovely feeling of relief when it stops terrific taxes.

#### Biography of Ottawa Man Book-of-the-Month Choice insurance.

Friends and acquaintances here of employed women only, on the same basis Michael A. Mahoney, of Ottawa, will be 7. Make no immediate change in W. A. A. F., Miss Constance Patricia gentleman by Merril Dennison is the accidents. the romance of the life of Mr. Mahoney raise the maximum pension from \$29 Orr, Timmins, Ontario, Canada. in the Klondyke. Mr. Mahoney has to \$30 a month with a premium for The ceremony, which was conducted visited Timmins on Several occasions those who postpone acceptance until a by the Vicar (the Rev. Jaspn Batersby) and his addresses here to the Kiwanis more advanced age. Club created great interest. He made | 9. Institute a new contributory old- | The bride, who was given away by her many friends here and at other centres age pension, for all persons under a father was attired in white silk taffeta, in the North. Merril Dennison's book, "Klondyke Mike" is described by one literary critic, Christopher Morley, as "outweighing in both are and narrative delight all the fictions of Jack London or Rex Beach omnibused together." which is certainly praise with a punch. Legends have grown around Mike Mahoney for forty-five years - ever since the fabulous days of 1898 — and in the biography these have been gathered together, with the background of the gold rush country painted in, with also a touch of the Paul Bunyan type of strong man, full of adventure and in-

#### Recommends 65 as New Age Limit for Old Age Pensions

Women Could Stop Work at 60 Years.

Ottawa, March 17-Plan of contributory retirement insurance, providing Executive - Mrs. A. Neame, Mrs. J. pensions on a higher scale than those now available under the old-age pension plan and a reduction from the present pension age of 70 was recom-Brunette, Mrs. Claude Desaulniers, Miss mended by Dr. Leonard C. Marsh, research adviser to the reconstruction Finance Committee - Mr. J. M. advisory committee, in a report tabled before the House of Commons Social Security Committee Tuesday.

Dr. Marsh's proposal for retirement insurance on a contributory basis, as part of a general social security scheme. makes provision for retirement of men at 65 and women at 60. As a "feasible rate" he suggests \$30 a month for the breadwinner and \$15 a month for his

Higher rates would be available if the claim were deferred beyond the minimum pensionable age.

The present non-contributory oldage pension could be improved by beginning pensions at 65 with a premium on deferment and with discretion to allow pensions at an earlier age in cases of disability, Dr. Marsh said. Setting of the maximum allowance at \$30 with rigid deduction of surplus income would also benefit those in the greatest need.

Other recommendations in his report included administration of the present pension plan on a social service basis and modification of citizenship and esidence restrictions.

The general trend in pension insurance schemes was to contributory plans inder which individuals received their pension as a right. Application of 'means-test" procedure was generally regarded as a violation of this right but abolition of "means tests" from non-The meeting was brought to a close contributory schemes appeared impos-

Under a contributory system, persons making contributions were practising Ottawa Journal: - The one compen- the discipline of thrift and foresight.

Toronto Telegram: - The girl behind aching. It may be the same with these the rivet gun is playing nearly as big a part as the man behind the gun.

#### New Social Plan to Assure Basic Minimum Income

Scheme Now Before House for Greater Measure of Security for All.

Ottawa, March 16-An integrated plan to assure every Canadian of basic minimum income regardless of age, occupation, place of abode or sexat an estimated cost of \$1,000,000,000 a year-was laid before the special House of Commons Committee on Social Security.

Prepared by Dr. Leonard C. Marsh. research adviser to the government' advisory committee on reconstructio beaded by Dr. Cyril James, principal of McGill University, the report is on the general lines of the Beveridge plan for the United Kingdom, but it was draft ed independently.

Costs Half of Budget

The plan calls for national health insurance, revised uunemployment insurance, children's allowances, extendand funeral grants.

a peace basis. All this, the report says, can be

federal budget. Here are the main suggestions:

1. Establish children's allowances payable in respect to every child regardless of family income-of \$8 to \$9 a month, or on a graduated scale depending on age; this programme to be coupled with abolition of present income-tax exemptions for dependent children.

2. Increase the present benefits under unemployment insurance for workers with dependents to a figure 50 per cent above the benefits to single persons. (Benefits now range from \$4.08 and \$12.24 a week for single persons and \$4.80 and \$14.40 a week for married

3. Provide unemployment assistance to uninsured persons at rates about 1 per cent, under the benefits paid under unemployment insurance.

4. Institute free medical care for all citizens.

Provide sickness benefits on a basis comparable to that of unemployment 6. Provide maternity benefits for

interested to note a biography of this workmen's compensation for industrial Small, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E "Book-of-the-Month Club" selection for 8. Lower the age for the existing and the bridegroom, Sapper Arthur Canada for April. "Klendyke Mike," is non-contributory old-age pensions to Jackson Orr, R. C. E. No. 1 Tunnelling the title of the book and it recounts 65 for men and 60 for women; and Co., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wyman W.

certain age, of \$30 a month for a man and \$15 for his wife.

10. Provide permanent disability pengions at the same \$30 and \$15 rates, payable at earlier ages on proof of unem-Apyability.

11. Provide survivors' pensions for widows on the same scale as old-age

12. Pay funeral benefits at \$100 fo adults, \$65 for juveniles and \$25 for

The basic minimum income aimed at in the report appears to be on the order of \$30 a month for an individual, \$45 a month for a married couple and \$14.50 a month for each child. Marsh used a budget prepared by the Mrs. Lariviere. Gentlemen: - 1st, Mrs. Toronto Welfare Council for these fig-

### Sapper Arthur Orr Wedded at Hastings, **England Last Month**

Bride is a Corporal in the W A. A. F.

ed old-age and retirement pensions! Word reached here some weeks ago It also proposes an outlay of a second wedded overseas. This was Sapper Ar- ladies. \$1,000,000,000 during the first year after thur Orr son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. the war on works projects designed to Orr, of Timmins. Newspaper reports of A. Bellamy, Mrs. R. M. Smith, Mrs. J. fill the gap between demobilization and the wedding have now been received in McGarry, Mrs. T. Gay, Miss Margaret restoration of the national enonomy to town and the particulars of the event Hellens, Mrs. H. Pope, Mrs. E. Charlcan be given.



SAPPER ARTHUR ORR

Small, of 24 Whitefriars Road, Hastings,

was choral.

warehouse, Special piano room.

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Celebrate Saint

Patrick's Day

The weekly whist drive conducted by the Ladies' Auxiliary was held on Tues-

day evening in the Legion Hall. Prize winners were: - Ladies: - 1st, Mrs. Roberts, 2nd, Mrs. McQuarrie, 3rd, J. Ormston, 2nd, Miss N. Cullen, 3rd,

Mr. E. Harvey On Wednesday afternoon, the weekly comfort fund tea was held by the Lafies' Auxiliary. As the occasion was St. Patrick's day, the table was tastefully set with a white cloth, and green shamrock serviettes, a pair of candletick holders with green candles in them on each end. Each of the ladies

wore a green shamrock or ribbon. Mrs. T. Gay entertained during the afternoon at the piano, with Irish selections, while Mrs. R. M. Smith sang "Rose of Tralee". Comunity singing of another popular Timmins soldier being Trish numbers was also enjoyed by the

Those present were Mrs. J. Shaw, Mrs. ton, Miss Margaret McGarry, Mrs. E. At Emmanuel Church, Hastings, Eng- | Ketley., Mrs. F. Hornby, Mrs. W. Johndone on half the present war-expanded land, on Saturday, February 13th, the son, Mrs. W. Wilkinson, Mrs. B. Richwedding took place of a Corporal in the ards Mrs. A Cannell, Mrs C. Wheeler, Mrs. J. Grant, Mrs. E Tilley, Mrs. J. Ormston, Mrs. L. Nicholson, Mrs. J. Brown, Mrs. Jean Smith, and Mrs. J.

> with a white lace veil held in place by a coronet of silver butterflies, and a gold cross and chain, the gift of the bridegroom. Her bouquet was of deep red carnations. She was attended by her sister, Miss Joan Small, who wore a dress of pink silk taffeta, with an overdress of lace, and a head-dress of pink leaves, with a pink silk muff, trimmed with maple leaves and lily-ofthe-valley Mr. J. Small was best man.

A reception was held at the bride's home, and the honeymoon is being spent in London.

The wedding cars were supplied by the Popular Car Service, 11 Emmanuel Road, Hastings.



## navy crepe afternoon frock, with navy 14th Armored Battalion Co., is overseas, The couple left later for the wedding direction of Walker's Funeral Home. RIVERSIDE PAVILION

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