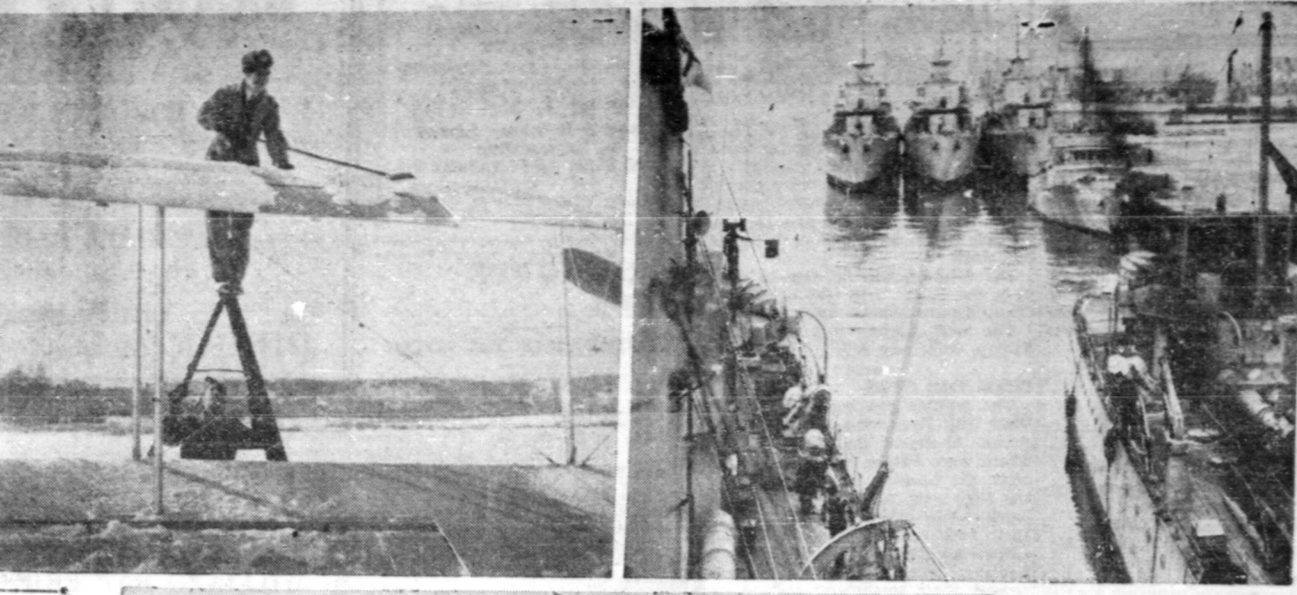


Canada's Eastern Coast Is Under Constant Guard of Men, Ships And Planes



An unceasing vigil on Canada's eastern coast is being kept by men, ships, guns and airplanes, constantly on the alert for a sign of enemy craft. Coastal guns such as ABOVE, are trained on every ship entering port until she passes examination. Giant flying boats of the R.C.A.F. make daily patrols out to sea, even though snow and ice must first be cleared from the wings of the boats. UPPER LEFT. Patrol vessels, which constantly patrol the coastal waters are shown, UPPER RIGHT.

NEWS PARADE...

As the fifth month of the war came to a close, it was difficult to find a military expert on this continent who would venture to predict a "spring offensive" on the Western Front. An Associated Press story reported that U.S. military technicians, analyzing every scrap of information from Europe, said they "couldn't see" how either the Allies or Germans could launch an offensive, because of weather conditions, with reasonable chances of breaking through the Maginot or Siegfried lines.

CHANGE OF THEATRE?
An enlightening despatch by H. H. Miller, Christian Science Monitor correspondent, carried this view a step further. Declaring that the stalemate on the Western Front was not likely to be broken for some time, it advanced the opinion that the whole Allied war plan was shifting north to Scandinavia and south to the Near East. Intervention in Finland, Mr. Miller said, would take away the initiative from Hitler who might now be thought to be planning a bold offensive in a region of his own choice. The Balkans or the Near East would be the theatre of the war. The correspondent quoted from the current number of the London News Letter: "The French have reasoned it out that the northern theatre is in reality one of Germany's vulnerable points. Should Scandinavia and the other neutral countries agree to let themselves be used as a springboard, Hitler argued, the Allies would be able to tackle Germany and Russians both."

COUP IN CANADA
While Europe last week appeared to be deliberating on where to carry the war next, events of history-shattering importance were taking place over here. The dissolution of the 18th Parliament of the Dominion after but four hours of session caused the people of Canada to wonder what our parliamentary democracy was coming to. Although it was generally conceded that the Prime Minister had done a very clever thing in so frustrating the Opposition, many were the question: Why an election at this time? ... nobody needed an except perhaps the Mackenzie King government. Did it no longer mean anything in the life of Canada, what was said and done in the House of Commons?

Proper Placing Of Thermometer

If You Want to Know What The Correct Temperature Is Instrument Should Have All Sides Free Circulation of Air on All Sides

That Albert J. Kelly, of the McGill University Observatory, last week gave the Montreal Star a few hints as to how a thermometer should be properly placed for accurate readings. Outdoors, thermometers are notoriously variable and are simply demonstrated on any particularly cold day in winter or hot day in summer.

The best thermometers are the maximum and minimum thermometers similar to those used in the weather bureau stations.

First of all, Professor Kelly said, these should be free circulation of air on all sides. The instrument should not be placed against the wall or too close to the window pane.

Wind ordinarily does not affect a thermometer. It may do so, however, when moisture on the glass tube is dried by the wind.

USE THERMOMETER SCREEN

The proper way to obviate this — although most householders will not want to go to the trouble — is to use a thermometer screen. This is a box with downward vents at a 45 degree angle on all four sides, both inside and out, which not only break the wind and keep out snow, but at the same time allow free circulation of the air.

FACE IT NORTH

A thermometer should face north and if it is in a screen box the door should be on the north side so that the sun does not get at the instrument when the door is opened.

ONTARIO OUTDOORS

By VIC BAKER

AN AGE-OLD QUESTION
Judging by the inquiries reaching this corner from time to time there are many outdoorsmen who are anxious to learn how to tell the age of a moose — that mischievous reminder of prehistoric times which is fairly abundant in Ontario.

The popular belief is that the age of this animal can be told by the number of points on its antlers — one for each year of life. This is quite untrue because it is impossible to determine the age of an adult or sub-adult in this manner. Age and antler growth bearing no relation. For example, a five-year-old moose may carry seven or eight points on each side of its antlers, or, on the other hand, it may carry only four. Furthermore, the number of points on each antler are not always equal, which would confuse the computation if it had any value. And to add to the total of a pair of antlers would of ten suggest an age beyond the period of normal existence. With no exception, the rule, however, is not generally or strictly applicable as the first growth and a large area of palmation, with points, as the second growth.

As far as we know, there is no known method of determining the age of moose, male or female, with any degree of satisfaction or accuracy. Size and appearance give the only clue.

VOICE of the PRESS

GOOD NEWS AND BAD
Soon the small carriers who brought the Christmas greetings will be bringing the income tax forms. — Brandon Sun.

A SURPRISING WAR

Those people who said there would be surprises in this war are being justified. A British officer has resigned because he had nothing to do. — Toronto Saturday Night.

WHAT EVERY TOWN NEEDS

What does Ferguson need next? What we need and all the people need, is a restoration of confidence in the municipality. We need to regain enthusiasm for the future of the old town, so that people will turn in and help to make it better. — Ferguson News-Record.

CHANGED THEIR MINDS

Since the elections, some of those civic legislators who opposed Premier Hepburn's proposed two-year terms have come out very strongly for the plan. Of course they were in the recent polling and naturally want to stay on as long as possible. — St. Thomas Times-Journal.

LOOKING AT THE PAST

Times we miss in Western Ontario — eight store Indians, cracker barrels, chestnut trees, barefoot boys, livery stables, fly nets on horses, pig top pants, two-for-a-nickel cigars, vermuths, life saver ropes to hotel bedrooms, pictorial small girls, a natural complexion on the big girls. — London Free Press.

Ice Bridge Said Largest In Years

Solid White Mass Stretches For Three Quarters of A Mile From the Base of Niagara Cataracts

The American Falls was reduced to a thin trickling stream, as the thermometer hovered in the vicinity of zero the middle of January, and firmly locked great floes of ice in the Niagara Gorge in one of the biggest ice bridges in many years.

The Horseshoe Falls is about normal in appearance although considerable ice marks its crest near the shore.

MAYBE 40 FEET DEEP
The ice bridge, a solid, white, gleaming mass, stretches for three quarters of a mile from the base of the cataracts down stream beyond the point where the Falls View bridge was swept away Jan. 27, 1938, when heavy damage was caused to the Ontario Power Company plant below the bank in the vicinity of the Horseshoe Falls. Old-timers say the bridge is the thickest and largest in many years, being thirty-five to forty feet deep.

Puck Chasers

TOPICS OF THE CURRENT HOCKEY SEASON

CRACKING DOWN
The Ontario Hockey Association calls the attention of clubs and players to the power of referees, as expressed in the O.H.A. rules and regulations as follows:

1. A ten-minute penalty shall be imposed on any player, and the circumstances shall be reported to the O.H.A. for further action, who shall impose a fine or suspension for the first offence and a match-suspension for the second offence. In the same game the use of a substitute for the player so suspended shall be permitted. The offender shall also be reported to the O.H.A. for further action.
2. Any player who touches or holds a referee with his hand or stick or intentionally trips or body-checks any of such officials shall automatically receive a ten-minute penalty for misconduct for the first offence and a match-suspension for the second offence. In the same game the use of a substitute for the player so suspended shall be permitted. The offender shall also be reported to the O.H.A. for further action.

STAY OFF THE ICE

3. Any manager or coach who strikes an official shall be automatically suspended from the game and reported to the O.H.A. for further action.

4. The referee may order to the dressing room for the remainder of the game any player or manager guilty of gross misconduct. If a player so dismissed is taking part in the game, a substitute shall be permitted.

Coaches and managers are not permitted to go on the ice at any time during a game unless by special permission of the referee and then only to assist an injured player.

Be Appreciative Never Critic

Dale Carnegie Tells How to Get More Out of Life

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HOW TO HANDLE THEM
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SERIAL STORY BRIDE ON A BUDGET

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CAST OF CHARACTERS
IRIS LIVES—a radiant bride who thought her name first and money could take care of itself.
BART WHITTAKER—a righteous bridegroom who looked at the honeymoon first and his wife afterward.

Yesterday, Iris buys another gown, pretends it is an old one, and convinces the proud Bart. But the gown means more trouble for it sits in Iris a hatred for Bart's budgeting.

CHAPTER VII
That week of the Fourth of July, Iris tried to make Bart buy a summer suit.

"Everyone else is wearing summer things, Bart, and you just can't go on wearing a blue business suit to dance all summer. And King's store is having a big sale. You could get a nice gray suit for a very decent price right now."

"Can't afford it, honey. Got some summer merchandise coming in and it will take everything I've got to swing the doors all summer."

"Then get one and pay for it a little each week, Bart."

"Never!" he exploded, and stopped at her frightened expression. "Oh, what's the use, Iris? You know how I am about debts and charge accounts and time payments. We're getting along all right the way we are, and we don't go out enough to warrant laying a lot of money on clothes right now."

"We'd go if you cared enough to dress decent the way other men do, Bart."

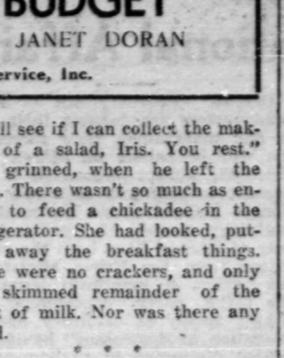
"I haven't signed a contract have you, Iris?"

"No, I can't quit, though."

"You've got to love it, honey; you'd have time on your hands after a while. When you get things down to a system. And there'd be more of this coming home to an empty pantry and a bare table still."

"I'll get your supper, Bart. I thought you weren't hungry, either. I don't see how anyone can want to eat much in heat like this. And as she yanked out a printed linen dress and matching sandals, "Believe me, if I had the money, I'd go out somewhere to eat in wedgie like this. No food on small cooking, no dishes to wash, no cleaning up."

MOTHER IS THE BEST JUDGE... SHE SAYS



Christie's PREMIUM SODA CRACKERS

They're Flakier, Tastier!

TABLE TALKS

By SADIE B. CHAMBERS

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