

In case you've been wondering, here's some of the return the Americans are getting for their lend-lease to Great Britain. All these foods—including the familiar shredded wheat—are grown or processed in England and are turned over to U. S. forces, along with British mode clathing as a parameter of the control of the cont

British-made clothing, as payment for some of the goods sent Britain on a lend-lease basis. THE WAR . WEEK - Commentary on Current Events

## Will Non-Belligerent Turkey Throw In Its Lot With Allies?

orous Air Force.
Immediate gain for the Allies

Turkey's Army

Turkey's peacetime Army strength is about 200,000 which

could be swiftly raised to 500,000 by general mobilization, with 1,500,000 more trained or parti-

ally trained men in reserve.

The Turkish sold r's reputa-

Balkans where they might fight

Under fascism the historic Dodecanese Islands — seized by taly from Turkey in 1912 — secame strongholds from which fussolini hoped to control the lastern Mediterranean. Strateically the most important of the roup is tiny, rugged Leros with ne of the best harbors in the Dodecanese Islands - seized by Italy from Turkey in 1912 — became strongholds from which Eastern Mediterranean. Strategically the most important of the group is tiny, rugged Leros with one of the best harbors in the naval and air base which threat ened two vital waterways, the Dardanelles 250 miles to the north and the Suez Canal 450 miles to the southeast. The fall of Italy made Leros and adjac ent islands prizes of a race be tween Nazis and British. For the former they were outp of Fortress Europe; for the lat ter they were springboards for a Balkan invasion. British unit were rushed from the Near East t. hold them against Germans from near-by Greek islands.

Battle off Turkey

Much of the ensuing fight was obscured by censorship but last week the outcome became clear tish headquarters in Cairo which had previously admitte the loss of two islands, announced the fall of Leros. Outnumbered on the ground and blasted by a virtually unopposed Luftwaffe, 3,000 British and 5,000 Italian troops surrendere after five days of fierce battle. Germans on the sole remaining British garrison in the Aegean archipelago on the Greek island of Samos

A Costly Nazi Effort The Nazi el.ort - first rea Wehrmacht victory in more than a year-was generally viewed as desperate and costly attempt to bolster the German position in Southeastern Europe, aimed chiefly at impressing Turkey. In this it appeared to have missed with the Allies in Cairo, after the Moscow Conference, were fol-lowed last week by a Cabinet Turkish capital came variou signs that Turkey might end its

The question of whether Tur-key will throw in its lot with the Allies is one of the vital que

NEW CHAPLAIN



Honorary Brigadier C. G. Hepburn, M.C., E.D., who has been promoted from the rank of Honorary bieut.-Colonel and named Principal Protestant Chaplain of the Canadian Army. He is rector of All Saints Anglican Church, Ot-

### OTTAWA REPORTS

That The Contribution of Our Farme in The War Effort is

ents have taken place in Canad during the four war years. To provide food for Canada's armed rements of the people of th toh which has been recognized as

Canada's accomplishment been summarized by Hon. J. G. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture, as follows: "We have armed defensive and offensive forces rapidly approaching a million men. More than 7,000,000 of our people over 16 years of age are producing to maintain and save the lives of as many as possible of the million who will defend our way of life. About one-third of this 7,000,000 are engaged in producing food on our farms. They are part of that great body of the men and women who are necessary to maintain th fighting force which is doing the

most important job of the m There are many other accom plishments, however, not so well known, although nonetheless vital to the well-being and offensive nower of sailors, soldiers and air the areas of battle have been exarmed forces on the farm home front has increased, and this de-pendence extends from clothing

weapons of war.

personal equipment to the

The war, too, has demonstrated the necessity of a close bond between agriculture and industry. Industrial production is closely dependent on agricultural output and the mechanized agriculture of today needs industry as an outlet for its surplus production. The demands of war have taxed the ingenuity of Canada's scientistsplant breeders, botanists, entomelogists, pathologists and others, in developing new crops and in combating the insects and diseases that might destroy them in the fields or in storage. From farm to battlefront there is a continuous struggle to safeguard the high quality of the products.

Immediate gain for the Allies would be availability of air bases from which Axis key points in the Balkans could be intensively bombarded, possibly by shuttle raids to fields in Southern Italy. Ploesti with its oil treasures is only about 300 miles from istanbul, while Bucharest and Sofia are even less. The foundation for the multiplicity of war contributions by fia are even less. Turkey's Air Strength Canada's farms is largely seed, therefore it is important that good More than three years ago Turkey began rebuilding its Air Force, which then numbered only seed be used. During the progress of the war, many sources of seed have been cut off, but home production has been developed with about 300 first-line planes. Now it almost certainly is several times that and many could be funneled in swift by British the result that most seed formerly imported now is produced in Car ada. It is equal in quality to that and Americans to excellent milwhich was imported. itary airfields.

The largest and best of the air-

dromes is Ekhischer, about 200 miles southwest of Istanbul, but others are well placed all over are crops which have been outthe western part of the nation, including Istanbul, Ankara, Izmir, Adana and Diyarbakir.

offensively-this is not regarded as a major handicap.
Under the vigorous leadership of Kemal Ataturk and his successors the Army Staff has been kept at a high level of profici-

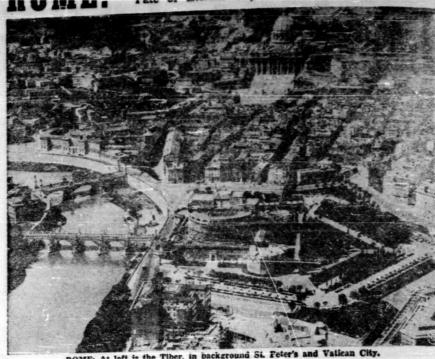
the Turkish sold is reputa-tion for toughness and courage is well established and after near-ly two years of intensive Lend-Lease aid from the United States and Britain he is believed by far the best-equipped of all Balkan fighting men.

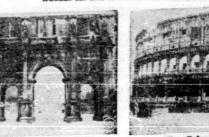
The Army is rich in anti-tank and antiaircraft artillery and in coastal defence guns as well as lighter weapons. Tanks are available in small numbers, but due to the terrain and lack of roads in Turkey—and in the near-by

including one at Izmir, could be an invaluable jumping-off point Greece and the Aegean Islands Significantly, perhaps, British official sources declined information on Turkish naval installa

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Fate of Eternal City Remains Uncertain







poses. Whereas only about 8,000 acres were planted to fibre flax in 1939, there were close to 50,000 acres of it this year, chiefly in eastern Ontario and western Que-bec. The product of this flax fibre is linen which has many war uses. Flaxseed oil has industrial uses, such as in paints, linoleums and other products, but it is indispensfor all shells and bombs are coated in oil and the flaxseed oil which Canada has developed is equal to any in the world. This year close to 18,000,000 bushels of this see

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owever, for naval blows against

## PELANGIO LARDER

and one-half miles. Diamond drilling now under way on the Pelangio.

are expected from about 2,798,000 All Sorts Of Sports

history of Durham cattle will re Ury House, near Stonehaven, but many are perhaps unaware that besides doing much to develop the Shorthorn, the family also produced the greatest pedestrian of ill times, in Captain Robert Barclay-Allardice.

Of the Captain's many extra ordinary feats of endurance, his cesive hours on Newmarket Heath in 1809 is best known. Now thousand hours is 41 days, 16 hours, and to walk 24 miles a day for nearly six weeks, with only short snatches of rest, sounds almost beyond human endurance, but the Captain made little of it, and the day after finishing the ordeal he was in perfect health,

. . . To give a detailed account of the Captain's performances would cover much paper. We therefore list but a few of them at ramdom. In 1806 he walked 100 miles over rough roads in 19 hours. Exclusive of stoppages the time taken was only 1716 hours, or an average of 5% M.P.H. A year later he left his house at 2 a.m. and walked a considerable distance at attend a cattle sale. where he remained on his feet for five hours. He then walked home, having covered 78 miles of hilly road in 14 hours.

Purely for amusement (he

The Colosseum.

of his matches) he walked to the of pugilists. He prepared A ander Mackay to meet Si house of a friend in Allenmore is Aberdeenshire, where he dined and slept. He rose at 5 to 70 Byrne for the championsh alas the fight proved fata Mackay, and it is believed grouse shooting and tramped at least thirty miles in the mountains was never proven—that Ba was so chagrined at the that he challenged Byrns He dined with his host and in the evening set out for Ury, distance of 60 miles, which he ac complished in 11 hours withou stopping. The Captain was not 500,000 From Indi one to go to bed in the morning so he attended to his duties and With Empire For that afternoon walked 16 inile to Laurencekirk, where he at

Up to last June India's fight forces had incurred 103,880 cs alties, Maj:-Gen. G. N. Moeswer Military Secretary, India Offi has disclosed. Killed were 5,6 wounded, 13,084; missing prisoners, 85,178.

He added that India's defendence to the lide and a 20000 7 a.m., he spent the day partridge least 130 miles all told, plus being nearly three days, to make no men men and that almost 500,0 troops had served overseas sin

Between 30 and 50 gallons gasoline are required in warr ing-up the engines of a bombe

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

Much could be written of the

Captain's powers as a middle-dis-

tance and distance runner; as s

weight lifter, having once lifted

tended a ball and danced most of

the night. Returning to Ury b

only 8 miles when shooting a

tion of a night's dancing.



"Every time I call signals somebody up there yells, 'BINGO'! "

REG'LAR FELLERS-Rockabye, Pinhead

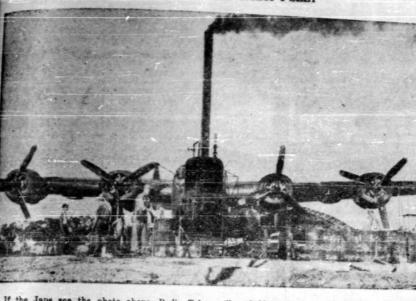








DO YOU SEE WHAT I SEE?



If the Japa see the photo above, Radio Tokyo will probably start cnattering about a new c. s. "seret weapon" or that America's gasoline shortage is so critical that steam engines with tall smoke-tacks now power the Flying Fortresses. But the weird effect is just an optical illusion, due to Fortress being right behind a steam boiler which produces steam for cleaning planes. Photo was taken a repair crew at depot in Australia worked on plane, which had been raked by bullets from Japa

LETTERS FROM YOU KNOW WHERE



Popular as Santa Claus is this mailman distributing letters to

## ave You Heard?

Valking round the barracks, the mel noticed a long queue of m waiting outside the stables. "I'm glad to see you love ani-is so much," he remarked to a recruit. "I suppose the horse re giving the sugar to is the of the regiment?" 'arf, sir," replied the re "He's the one what kicked

impty, sir; !t's loaded." If there is one thing I enjoy It is to get to the river banks and Why. I fall to see the necessit by you going to the banks of the first to do that," remarked Mrs. racer quietly.

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says a woman novelist.
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see why it doesn't. "Is this the pugilist who was run into by a motorist?" asked the house surgeon.
"No; he's the motorist who ran into the pugillst."
"Do you knew that your wife is

going about telling everybody that you can't keep her in clothes? "That's nothing. I bought her s home and I can't keep her in that Grasshopper green is to be the fashionable color in wool

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## Modern Etiquette STOPPED in a diffy 1. Is it obligatory to send a gift

when a wedding invitation or announcement has been received? 2. Is it correct to eat bananas with the fingers, when at the 3. Are punctuation marks used

when writing formal invitations and replies? 4. What is the correct way to eat baked potatoes? 5. Where is the proper place for the bridegroom's mother to sit at the wedding breakfast? 6. How much of the hand should be dipped lato the finger bowl?

Answers 1. It is obligatory to send a gift when an invitation has been received, but an announcement does not require one. 2. No; they should be skinned, placed on the dessert plate, and then cut with the side of the fork. 3. No. 4. They should be served split, with butter in the heart. Smooth the butter into the potato which is eaten from the skin. Do not take the potato from the skin and mash it on the plate. 5. She should be seated at the right of the bride's father. 6. Only the fingertips, one hand at a time.

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Record Movement Of Hogs To Market

Records are being soade in the slaughter of Canadian hogs, but labor available for packing plants still is hardly sufficient to keep pace with the flow, according to Agriculture Department officials. Last week 193,000 hogs were killed in Canada, and the control of the contr killed in Canadain plants-15,000 more than the previous record runs to market indicated that all problems still were not overcome. The movement of hogs to marsimilar flow in the United States here pens in country districts are being jammed as packing

plants are unable to handle offer-Officials in Ottawa said that in ecent weeks additional labor has become available in Canadian plants, which now are working near capacity. The prospect, however, is that hog marketings will continue to gain into December, with further strain on handling facilities.

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