# Local and General Items NINTH VICTORY LOAN

Read every advertisement in this and every issue. They con-tain valuable information.

Mr. Noble of the income tax department was a business visitor in town today (Thursday).

Roy Gardner, of Marquis, Sask... was a visitor with his parents at shortly.

Delisle from Saturday evening to
Monday forenoon.

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Born, at St. Paul's Hospital, of this week owing to the death Saskatoon, on Monday, September 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shannon, of Delisle district, a formerly the state of the service State of the Co-Op. Service State of the company of the state of the co-Op. Service State of t

Mrs. Robt Harvey was admitted to Saskatoon City Hospital last Saturday suffering with scintica. Her many friends are hoping for her speedy and com-

The first pre-fabricated aluminum houses have appeared in Bristol, England. These houses took three-and-a-half hours to erect and during that time, water, gas and electricity were laid on. "We took rather a long time," remarked the foreman. "With a little experience we shall be able to put them up more quickly."

Mr. R. R. Lloyd of the Woodlawn district has decided to be-

FOR SALE-Quantity of quart

come a resident of Delisle and is having his house moved in from the farm. It will be located just north of Morris Miller's residence. Others moving houses to town are Mrs. C. Bend and J. R. Campbell, while James Busby intends building a town residence

Harvest operations are going along nicely with most of the local farmers, the weed manace being the only drawback in many cases. Ylelds, however, are disappointing, the wheat going only from three or four to seven or eight bushels per acre with the odd piece going slightly higher. It is doubtful if the average yield will exceed five bushels per acre. Some farmers will finish harvesting operations this week.

The Advocate regrets having referred to Flt. Lieut. H. McMillan as F. O. in the last issue. Another error which crept in was that we referred to Mrs. Clement as (nee Margaret McFee) and the item should have read "(nee Mary

"Here comes our cheque Mummy!"

All over Canada, in cities, towns, villages and on farms, hundreds of thousands of men and women watch for the post-

man to bring dependents' allowance cheques as other people

look for pay-day. They are people of all ages whose bread-

winners are away on active service. They include returned men

And soon there will be hundreds of thousands more back

from the war. They will receive cheques to help them buy

civilian clothes, to go to college, to get technical or vocational

training, to start in business for themselves, or to set up as

The banks have to be prepared to cash all official cheques for

these and a dozen other purposes-and to do so anywhere in

Canada without charge. In fact, the banks supply Canada with

the nationwide machinery to facilitate a grateful country's

This is a tremendous task. It will entail a vast amount

of bookkeeping. But you can be sure that your banks will take

it in their stride without impairing regular banking services

plans for restoring service men and women to civilian life.

not yet back in civil life.

farmers or fishermen.

OPENS OCTOBER 22 Ottawa, August 31-Canada's

Ninth Victory Loan will open on October 22nd and will be the big-Others moving houses to town gest ever floated in this country, the Hon. J.L. Ilsley announced to-leading a town residence and sullding a town residence hortly.

Miss Etta Williams of Moose of Finance explained, making it is the specific of the making it is the making it is

recent years.

"Victory has been won in Europe and the Pacific. The end of way towards normal peacetime
hostilities means the end of many living.
war costs. But, we now face new "These tasks, and these needs, tasks. And, these new tasks bring are reasons why Canada's borrow-new needs. So, total outlays and ing requirements for the next borrowing requirements will con-year will remain at a high level tinue at high levels.

of shipping shortages and come savings program for another year. tinuing operations in occupied "Plans to win the peace—plans areas. Meanwhile, they must be for high employment and prospaid, fed, housed and cared for perity in the days to come—are in a hundred-and-one different now being laid. Continue their present ways. This all costs money— ing over the next year will help large amounts of it.

"Then, the wounded and the "War production has to come sick must be restored to health. to an end. Production for civi-

ervice gratuities and re-estab-ahment credits will be paid. outlays involve hundreds of mil-ions of dollars.

"People in war-torn countries need food, clothing, medical and other supplies to relieve suffer-ing and distress. The United Miss Etta Williams of Moose of Finance explained, making it Jaw spent the week-end with Jaw spent the week-end win

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"For instance, men in hundreds have declined with victory in Eurof thousands must be brought ope and in the Pacific. They are back to their homeland from over-reasons why Canadians are being seas. This will take time because asked to continue their present

sealers; toilet set; iron bedstead; McFee", Margaret being still on Veterans will be given a good lian use is on the way up. But, Oleandor plant. Apply at The the eligible list. We tender our start in civilian life. Many will the supply of new things to buy Advocate Office.

apologies to the parties concerned. be trained for new jobs. War at current prices is still very much less than the amount of spendable money in the hands of Canadians. As long as this condition remains, there will be upward pressure on prices-pressure which could lead to inflation, then to mass unemployment, misery and hardship.
"Spending increases this pres-

sure. Saving reduces it. So continued saving, by the purchase of 9th Victory Loan Bonds, helps to keep the cost of living under control, and to maintain the buying power of our money. By helping to maintain stability, it will help us to win the peace.

"The minimum objectives for the new loan are the largest in Victory Loan history. They reflect the two loans in one feature of the 9th Victory Loan, the continued need for saving, and the new level of borrowing require-

"As individuals, Canadians know the value of Victory Bonds -the value of a reserve of savluture nee wants. With twelve months to pay for the 9th Loan Bonds, many Canadians will buy double the amount of their purchases in earlier loans, and most others will buy more than before.

"The 9th Victory Loan will be Canada's greatest Victory Loan."

TO AID FARMERS IN POOR CROP AREAS

A program of public works, to aid farmers in crop failure areas of Saskatchewan, has been inaugurated by the provincial government, it has been announced by Municipal Affairs Minister J.

Aid additional to that provided under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act was necessary in poor crop districts, said Mr. Brockelbank. There was a considerable area where the present crop failare followed by one or two years of poor crop or crop failure years, he explained.

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Services Sunday, Sept. 9th: Delisle, Sunday School 10 a.m. Church Service, 7.30 p.m. Donavon, Sunday School 11 a.m. Church Service 11.15 a.m. Laura, Church Service 3 p.m. Come and worship-Rev. J. C. Cinnamon, Minister.

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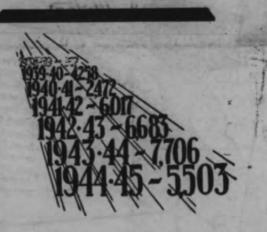
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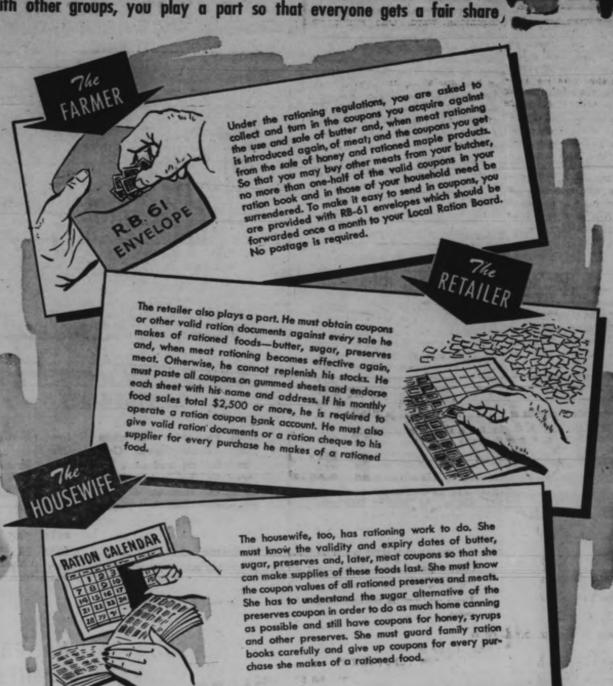
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#### DONAVON

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter French over the holiday were Mr. and Mrs. F. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Morris and Doreen, of Saskatoon, Mr. and Mrs. Harold French and Janet of Dodsland, and Pte. Jack Pitman from Camp Shilo.

Mr. Howard Aitken spent the week-end at his home here after teaching the past month at his former school in Keatby.

Miss Joy Ryan left this week for Sovereign to continue her teaching duties at that point.

Mrs. W. E. Bell is visiting during the week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. Shaw of Lang-

Miss M. Nymoen, of Saskatoon, made a short visit over the holiday with Mrs. C. P. Hansen.

Mrs. Norman French sustained injury to her left leg last Saturday and was taken to Saskatoon for X-rays and treatment. It was found a ligament was broken and her leg is now in a cast. She is recovering nicely at her home.

Don. Adams, in a fall from a ladder, suffered severe bruises to a leg but, after first aid, is getting along well, and we hope he will soon be as well as ever.

WEST COAST STAR



Golden-haired Istbelle McEwan is the soprano star of two popular programs concurrently heard from CBC's Vancouver Studios. She sings for the Trans-Canada network audience in her own hour program, Tuesdays at 5:00 p.m., and joins Harry Pryce's orchestrao Leicester Square to Broad-way Saturdays at 8:30 p.m. over the CBC Trans-Canada network. A globe-trotting artist, Miss Mc-Ewan has appeared in musical comedy in New York, on films and radio in Britain, and in opera in Paris.

Throughout the war-ravaged areas clothing is very scarce, or threadbare and worn out. More than 125,000,00- people in liberated European nations are in dire

#### Their Contribution To Victory

When it is possible to write the full story of the war work done in the past six years by the men and women of the Canadian farms, it will be a heroic saga of self-sacrifice, ceaseless labor, vic-tory over difficulties in the short-age of help and machinery, and the never-ending fight against the elements. Peace hath her victories no less renowned than war. The farm folk of Canada, like farm folk everywhere, are fundamentally people of peace. Para-doxically without them war could not be waged, so it is appropriate to pause and give due measure of appreciation to the people who made an immeasurable contribution to victory.

In other countries, unintentional forgetfulness of what farm men and women have achieved in war time is an old story, although that story is not likely to be repeated in Canada. About 1,600 years ago, the Visigoth farmers settled by Theodosius south of the Danube were forgotten and left to their own resources under harsh conditions. Yet much was expected of them in the way of supplying food. So they started the first major farm strike on record and were stopped from occupying Rome only on the payment of a large farm loan, then spoken of

Again in the world the time has come "when they shall beat their swords into ploughshares and their spears into pruning hooks." After every war, the ploughshares and pruninghooks are sorely needed. On the dec-

laration of peace, the Canadian farmer, with his outworn machinery, looks forward to the time of full supply which includes a long list of necessary implements.

Throughout the way the farm

Throughout the war, the farm men and women of Canada met with courage and uncomplaining endurance the many demands made upon them even when it would appear that the impossible

was being asked.

Agriculture has placed Canada in the vanguard of nations. Now an opportunity presents itself for the Nation to place farm folk in the forefront under conditions and surroundings worthy of the victories and peace.

#### INTERESTING NOTES

India is now Canada's third best customer. During the war the value of Indo-Canadian trade increased nineteen times.

In Santiago, Chile, there is a "Canada School" where Chilean boys and girls are taught Canadian music, shown Canadian books and paintings and being given a general picture of Canadian life.

The International Service of the CBC is sending special short-wave broadcasts to South America in Spanish and Portugese so that South Americans may keep abreast of the meetings of the interim council on cival aviation in Montreal.

Aggregate sales by War Assets Corporation up to August 15th amounted to \$28,826,230.

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#### President Vaughan Addresses Message to Canadians

Montreal, Sept 3.—In a message addressed to the Canadian public, Mr. C. R. Vaughan, chairman and president of the Canadian National Railways, has ex-pressed the system's thanks for the co-operation given it during the war by the millions of train and steamship passengers, ship-pers of freight and express, hotel guests, and patrons of the telegraph and other services. The Canadian National ability to fulfill its gigantic war duty "to the credit and satisfaction of the nation", he said, "is due not only to the skill, devotion and zeal of those who are workers, but in large measure also to the Canadian public who, by their gener-ous responses to appeals for help and their uncomplaining acceptances of restrictions and controls, lightened our burden." He made particular mention of "the unnumbered citizens who refrained from travelling needlessly as their contribution to the common

From the outbreak of war in September, 1939, to V-J day, Canadian National passenger train miles amounted to more than 138 million, according to the Bureau of Statistics. Passenger car miles totalled more than one billion, 217 million. It is estimated that more than 153 million passengers were carried; up to the end of last year, more than four million troops had been transported in 6,540 special trains. The movement of troops returning home from overseas is still continuing and figures are not yet available concerning its size, but two thirds of all troop trains required for these movements are being provided by the Canadian National. Special workmen's trains, operated to and from war plants, carried over 41 million passengers. Nearly 26 million meals were served to military and civilian passengers on Canadian National diners during the war period.

The Canadian National hauled more than 491 million tons of freight during the war. Freight train miles aggregated more than 246 million; freight car miles, nearly 11 billion; net ton miles, more than 196 billion.

Vessels owned and operated by the Canadian National Stemships travelled four and a half million miles in war service and a number were victims of enemy action. Three were converted into fighting naval units and one, "The Lady Nelson", was Canada's first hospital ship.

Hotels, express and telegraphs departments all contributed to the nation's war effort. Trans-Canada Air Lines flew some 45 million miles, carrying more than 600,000 passengers, approximately 14 million pounds of mail and 21/2 million pounds of express. The railway's drydock and shipyard at Prince Rupert built minesweepers and freighters. National Railways Munitions Limited at Montreal constructed naval guns and carriages and other war equipment. Officers and staffs in the Canadian National's architect's department, the real estate, law and development departments and others gave technical assistance to the government. In co-oper ation with the R.C.A.M.C., the architect's department designed special hospital cars which were constructed by the car equipment department and shops of the company. Officers of the system organized wartime censorship and public information in 1939 and

1940. Nearly 25,000 men and women enlisted in the armed

forces, in the Merchant Navy or were on special war duty with

the government. Many of them won decorations for gallantry and distinguished service.

"The surrender of the last en-emy had ended the fighting, but it has not ended the war job of the Canadian National Railways," concluded Mr. Vaughan's message to the people of Canada. "The men and women in the services have to be brought home without delay and for that purpose we shall continue to employ all our passenger equipment. Millions of tons of materials must be transported for industrial reconversion. In carrying out these and other extensions of our war job, we hope we may continue to enjoy the understanding of the Canadian public."

relief conducted in Canada this



Our work is aimed at serving farmers in the Prairie Provinces, and we have reached many hundreds of farmers through country schools. Practically every day we receive requests from teachers, students, or both, for some of our publications. This week, schools are opening all over the country. Many of the publications listed below will be helpful to our youthful readers in school studies. They may be obtained from Line Elevators Farm Service, Winnipeg, or through a Local Line elevator agent.

Water Erosion of Soils in the Prairie Provinces and Its

An Illustrated Guide to Prairie

Ornamental Shrubs and Small Trees for the Canadian

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Growing Small Fruits in the Prairie Provinces.

CIRCULARS AND PAMPHLETS Will Prairie Soils Wear Out? Spider Beetles and Rice Weevils in Stored Grain. Discoloration of Wheat Heads. Fight the Warble Fly.

Farm Water Supply.

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ON TOUR



Montreal's 'teen-age comedian, Frank Heron, who was a gay principal in the CBC Dominion network show, "The Little Revue", is now overseas entertaining There will be one nation-wide the services in the Canadian Leg-clothing collection for allied war ion Show. The youthful funster began his radio career eight years ago in Toronto and joined the CBC announce staff last year. He will return to Canada and his radio comedy early this fall.

blinded in the war against Ger- London and other cities of Brimany, 33 have finished a training ain, have been placed by the Bricourse at the Canadian National tish Government at the disposal Institute for the Blind. Its dir- of industry.

ector says that blind workers have done war jobs in "hundreds of Canada's great war plants."
There are 18,413 blind persons in Canada registered with the In-

A Brazilian order for six express cargo liners will provide work for 4,000 Montrealers. Construction began the end of August and the ships will cost about

Canada is in the sugar pool with the United Kingdom and the United States. Under the pooling arrangement, Canada gets 4.2% of the sugar available to the pool.

R.C.A.F. men forced to bail out over Germany were equiped with with compasses hidden in many ingenious ways. One might be concealed in the second button of an airman's tunic with the north pole marked in phosphorous dots, or it might be hidden in his pipe stem, his pencil or in the back of his comb. All aircrew carried an emergency kit containing concentrated energy food, a tiny razor, maps and foreign currency.

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