

Theatre of The Air

FRIDAY'S PROGRAMMES

CFNB, FREDERICTON, 550 K.
8.10—"The Listening Post"
8.30—Enterprise Foundry Program
9.00—Popular Songs
9.15—Novelty Program
9.30—Maytag Melodies
10.00—Concert Period
10.15—Tangos
10.30—Piano and Violin
10.45—Dance Music
11.00—Happy Warrior Hour
12.00—Purina Program
12.15—Building Products Program
12.30—Sherwin-Williams Musicale
1.00—Waltz Time (Frigidaire)
1.30—Marconi Hour
2.30—Royal York Concert Orchestra
4.30—Musical Comedy Memories
5.00—Monitor News
5.30—Dance Music
5.45—Dinner Music
6.00—Aladdin Program
6.15—Canada Cement Program
6.30—Burgess Battery Program
6.45—MacDonald Program
7.00—News Bulletins
7.10—Real Life Dramas
7.15—Radio Short Story
7.30—Canadian Press
7.45—By Candlelight
8.00—Rex Battle and His Royal York Hotel Orchestra, Montreal
8.15—Noel Brunek, violinist
8.30—Young Tim
8.45—Artist Recital
9.00—Live, Laugh and Love
9.30—Concert Hour
10.00—Anything Goes
10.30—Concert Canadian
11.00—Up to the Minute
11.30—Gene Fogarty and his Orchestra
11.45—Canadian Press News

CKAC, MONTREAL, 730 K.

4.30—Down at Herman's.
5.00—Grab Bag
5.30—La Peptonne
6.00—Social Announcements
6.15—Odette Oligny
6.30—Fireside Program
7.15—Real Life Dramas
7.25—L'Heure Recreative
8.00—Sport Review
8.05—French songs
8.15—Le Cure de Village
8.30—Lazy Dan
9.00—The Provincial Hour
10.00—Hollywood Hotel
11.00—Variety Shows
11.30—Commentator
11.45—Mary Eastman, Soprano
12.00—Moison Sports Reporter
12.05—Corey Thomson, News
12.20—Talent on Parade
12.30—Variety Show
1.00—Dick Messner's Orchestra
1.30—Freddie Bergen Orchestra
2.00—Sign Off
WABC, NEW YORK, 360 K.
5.00—Grab Bag
5.30—U. S. Army, Band
6.00—Mark Warnow's Orchestra
6.30—Jack Armstrong
6.45—Og, Son of Fire
7.00—Kaltenborn Edits the News
7.15—Bobby Benson and Sunny Jim
7.30—News
7.35—Football Results
7.45—Loretta Lee, Songs
8.00—Myrt and Marge
8.30—Lazy Dan
8.45—Boake Carter
9.00—Sketch-book
9.30—Broadway Varieties
10.00—Hollywood Hotel
11.00—Richard Humber
11.30—The March of Time
11.45—Mary Eastman, Soprano
12.00—Frank Dailey and his Orchestra

WEAF, NEW YORK, 660 K.

4.45—The O'Neils
5.00—Woman's Radio Review
5.30—Girl Alone
5.45—Betty Marlowe Orchestra
6.00—Al Pearce and his Gang
6.30—Tom Mix Adventures
6.45—Clara, Lu 'n' Em
7.00—Flying Time
7.15—Esso News Reporter
7.30—News
7.35—Talk by Stanley High
7.45—Billy and Betty
8.00—Amos 'n' Andy
8.15—Uncle Ezra
8.30—March Through Life
8.45—Orchestra
9.00—Cities Service Concert
10.00—Waltz Time
10.30—Court of Human Relations
11.00—Campana's First Nighter
11.30—Campus Revue
12.00—George R. Holmes
12.15—Leonard Keller's Orchestra
12.30—Esso News Reporter
12.45—Jesse Crawford, organist
1.00—Leon Belasco's Orchestra
1.30—Henry King and Orchestra

WJZ, NEW YORK, 790 K.

5.00—Betty and Bob
5.15—Jackie Heller, tenor
5.30—Ward and Muzzy, piano duo
5.45—Strolling Songsters
6.00—Michaelos Matchey's Orchestra
6.30—The Singing Lady
6.45—Little Orphan Annie
7.00—Esso News Reporter
7.05—Animal News Club
7.15—Ken Sparrow String Ensemble
7.30—News
7.35—The Charlotiers
7.45—Lowell Thomas
8.00—Dinner Concert
8.15—Stamp Club
8.30—Lum and Abner
8.45—Dangerous Paradise
9.00—Irene Rich
9.15—Bob Crosby Orchestra
9.30—College Prom
10.00—Beauty Box Theatre

11.00—Highlights in Harmony
11.30—Chamber Music
12.00—Esso News Reporter
12.05—Dorothy Lamour
12.15—Negro Male Quartet
1.00—Shandor, violinist
1.08—Billy Lossez' Orchestra
1.30—Billy Bissett and Orchestra

WTIC, HARTFORD, 1040 K.

4.00—Pat Kennedy, songs
4.15—Ma Perkins
4.30—Vic and Sadie
4.45—Th O'Neils
5.00—Woman's Radio Review
5.30—Girl Alone
5.45—Grandpa Burton
6.00—Al Pearce and his Gang
6.30—Col. Tallatory
6.45—Clara, Lu 'n' Em
7.00—Wrightville Clarion
7.30—News
7.40—Gems from Memory
7.45—Strange as it Seems
8.00—Amos 'n' Andy
8.15—Banjo Serenaders
8.30—News Magazine of the Week
8.45—Frank and Flo
9.00—Jessica Dragonette
10.00—Travellers' Hour
10.30—Court of Human Relations
11.00—First Nighter
11.30—Elgin Campus Revue
12.00—News

12.15—Leonard Keller's Orchestra
12.30—Madriguera's Orchestra
12.45—Jesse Crawford, organist
1.00—Silent

WGY, SCHENECTADY, 790 K.

5.00—Betty and Bob
5.15—Woman's Radio Review
5.30—Stock Reports
5.45—Smiling Ed McConnell
6.00—Al Pearce and his Gang
6.30—Adventures of Tom Mix
6.45—Clara, Lu 'n' Em
7.00—Flying Time
7.15—Joe LaTour, comedy sketch
7.30—News
7.35—Evening Brevities
7.45—Esso News Reporter
7.55—Sports Talk
8.00—Amos 'n' Andy
8.15—Uncle Ezra
8.30—Col. Jim Healey
8.45—Morton Downey
9.00—City Services Concert
9.30—Farm Forum
10.00—Waltz Time with Frank Munn
10.30—Court of Human Relations
11.00—First Nighter
11.30—Elgin Campus Review
12.00—Esso News Reporter
12.30—Dance Music
12.45—Jesse Crawford, organist
1.00—Dance Music

FRANCE WARS ON HOME WORK

PARIS France, Nov. 15—Clamor from parents against the overworking of school children is likely in the near future to bring about profound changes in the French educational system. The present Minister of National Education, M. Mario Roustan, is reported to be considering a plan that will do away almost entirely with home work and greatly enlighten the curriculum for all children under the age of 12.

Until now the French school system has been built on the opposite principals. From October to August, with very brief vacations at Christmas and Easter, the French child is expected to do little but attend to his schooling. The schools keep him at his desk until four o'clock every week day except Thursday, and such quantities of home work are assigned that there is little time for play. Moreover, in this latitude it is dark at four o'clock throughout a large part of the winter.

In addition to the "three R's" the child is expected to acquire before the age of 12 a fairly thorough knowledge of geography, French history and literature.

Under the new plan, primary education would be limited almost entirely to reading, writing, arithmetic and manual training. Physical development, now very largely neglected, would also be given a prominent place.

The proponents of this plan hold that formal knowledge—history, geography, literature and sciences—acquired in childhood is of doubtful value. It is preferable, they hold, to confine primary education to providing the child with the requisite equipment for later learning, by steering reading and writing and the elements of mathematics, at the same time taking good care of his physique and avoiding mental strain. It is equally important to avoid the incalculating at an early age a distaste for study.

This reform implies the abolition of the dreaded "certificate of primary studies", examinations for which have to be passed now at the age of about

VICEROYALTY AND ROYALTIES

The arrival of Lord Tweedsmuir and his assumption of his high office here nicely synchronized with Book Week activities of Canadian Authors, whose Honorary President he is to become. It looks like better times in store for native writers, but they must not set too much store on what this happy incident may bring forth. Lord Tweedsmuir's advent in Canada likely will sell more of John Buchan's books both here and in the United States, if said books are up to their past standards; it may help sell more books by Canadian authors in general if their books are just a little bit better than they ever have been before. The Canadian public is not noted for its book-buying proclivities. Free libraries and lending libraries in this country have become so proficient in supplying books for nothing or a few cents a day that a book-buyer is now becoming confined to the ranks of those good souls who have room on their premises for something more cultural than a motor car and a radio. That type of Canadian all but passed out with the horse and buggy.

12. Without this certificate it is impossible for the French child to enter what corresponds to our high school, or what is known here as the "upper primary". Hundreds of cases are cited in which children have been wrecked physically and nervously by the strain of preparation for this test, which is a test of memory rather than intelligence.

If the reported plan of M. Mario Roustan is adopted it will mean that French primary education, heretofore the most formal and exacting in the world, will become one of the most modernist.

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BOY SCOUT NEWS

(Period Ending November 13, 1935)

On Friday, with District Commissioner Good, we visited the St. Anthony's Troop at Devon. A Scoutmaster's Warrant was presented by Mr. Good to the Rev. Father Gillis; and an Assistant Scoutmaster's Warrant to Hugh McElligott. The meeting was in charge of Commissioner Good. Satisfactory progress is being made.

On Saturday, with A. S. M. McElligott and Cubmaster Harold Doherty, I visited Edmundston, where both troops are making good progress. The Evangeline Group have greatly improved their head-quarters and will shortly enlarge these. Preparations for the 1935 Toyshop are well in hand. The group is to be sub-divided into three Wolf Cub Packs and three Boy Scout Troops; and sufficient leaders are available for all branches.

On Monday, we were guests, at the Andover Masonic Hall, at a banquet put on by the Perth Group, under Assistant District Commissioner Le-Baron Hopkins and the Cubmaster, who is Rector of Andover. About fifty were present, a large proportion being uniformed. Excellent speeches befitting the occasion were made by Revs. McAllden, Rodgers, and DeWolf while I spoke briefly on the progress of the Scout Movement along that part of the Saint John River. Following the banquet, films, supplied by the New Brunswick Fish and Game Association and Forestry Department were shown, illustrating fire-fighting, and wild life scenes. Mr. Hopkins acted as chairman of the programme, which included toasts to the King and to Canada, Mr. McAllden replying to the latter.

On Thursday, I visited the Minto Wolf Cub Pack, with Cubmaster Doherty and Rover Scout John Charters. A good meeting was held, at the Consolidated School. The Minto Cubmaster is Mr. Brewster.

Stanley is starting a troop of Scouts on the 21st inst. Herbert Sanson of Stanley is to be Scoutmaster. Good progress is reported from Juniper and Hartland.

Campbellton realized One Hundred and Thirty-six Dollars on Apple Day, each of the two troops netting exactly Sixty-eight Dollars.

Signed,
ROBT. PUGH,
Provincial Field Worker.

Veteran From North Sees His First Train

PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., Nov. 16—Down from the North where he has spent practically all his life, a tall stranger stepped off the boat recently to get his first view of a railway train. He was quickly taken in tow by Canadian National trainmen and shown everything from the engine to the observation car. His greatest interest was in the dining car and preparation of meals and the sleeping car. He looked upon the Porter as a mysterious gentleman who, by a wave of his hand, produced well-made and comfortable beds from the air. He suddenly became so comfortable that he hoped Edmonton, his destination, might be located in the next quarter-section to London, England.



The Danger of Cough Among the Children

In young children a cold or cough is not a thing to be disregarded, as it is often a grave matter, and unless attended to immediately it may eventually cause serious trouble.

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UNEMPLOYMENT FIRST PROBLEM OF CONFERENCE

Provincial Officials to Meet Federal Government in Ottawa on Nov. 27, Premier King Announces.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 15—Welfare of Canada's half-million unemployed will be the supreme concern of the Dominion and Provincial Conference which will meet in Ottawa on Wednesday, November 27, Prime Minister Mackenzie King has announced.

Camps Transferred

The Prime Minister stated in passing that the relief camps which were established in different parts of the Dominion by the former Administration to take care of single, homeless, unemployed men will be transferred from control of the Department of National Defense to the Department of Labor.

Mr. King also announced that the Cabinet had been considering the personnel of the National Commission it proposes to set up to deal with the unemployment question to formulate a program for the solution of the difficult problem which confronts the Government by reason of the serious economic plight of the million persons or more who have been dependent upon official and private charity for their daily bread.

All the Provinces are to be represented at the Dominion and Provincial parley by their Premiers and one or two other Ministers, while the Federal Prime Minister and all the members of his Cabinet will speak for the Dominion. The Conference cannot be convened earlier because Provincial elections are being held in Quebec on November 25, and Mr. King said it was obviously desirable that all the Provinces should send delegates. He expects the conference will last at least four days, and maybe longer.

Agenda Being Prepared

Mr. King stated that the Provinces had been invited to intimate to the Secretary of State any matters they would like to have considered at the conference, but it probably would be found these had been anticipated by those responsible for drafting the agenda. "I think we have the preparations in pretty good shape," he said. "The question we will tackle immediately and which we regard as the most important of all is unemployment."

The National Commission on Unemployment will formulate policies supervise expenditures and evolve a program of necessary public works to provide jobs at reasonable wages. The day of the 20-cent gratuity is gone, and the government proposes humanitarian treatment of the unfortunate young men in the relief camps, which prominent Liberals have denounced as "slave camps". The National Commission is to have a paid executive, but the members of the Commission themselves, who will be outstanding Canadian business men

REVENUE UP FOR DOMINION IN FISCAL YEAR

OTTAWA, Nov. 15—Thanks to a betterment thus far of \$11,000,000 in ordinary revenues, the Dominion Government will have a surplus on ordinary account of several millions for the present fiscal year.

Total ordinary revenue for the first seven months, April to October, inclusive, is \$226,000,000, as against \$215,000,000 for the like period of 1934 while total ordinary expenditures is \$205,000,000 as against \$196,000,000 in the seven months ending October last year.

But while the Minister of Finance will be on the right side, so far as ordinary accounts are concerned, he will have to record a deficit of more than \$100,000,000 by reason of the special expenditures the Government is making on account of unemployment relief, the Public Works Construction Aid, and the railways.

In an effort to revive the stagnant construction industry and find employment for many of the half-million jobless Canadians, the Federal authorities have expended \$16,443,707 thus far, this fiscal year on special public works, and the total for the twelve months on the account may exceed \$25,000,000. For unemployment relief the Federal Exchequer already has paid out \$20,911,293, and with another five months of the fiscal year to go, the total is expected to exceed \$34,000,000.

Warm Weather Hits Xmas Tree Dealers

EASTPORT, Me., Nov. 15—Christmas tree dealers in this section are as concerned over the continued Indian summer as are the fuel men.

Usually at this time of the year the tree cutting is at its height. The unusually long spell of warm weather, however, has a serious effect on cut trees, in that the spilis fall off or lose their crispness, with the result the many handlings necessary in shipping them causes the trees to appear either denuded or half-dead.

Thousands of trees have been cut as a change in the temperature has been anticipated daily. These trees are being stored as far as possible in the shade. Dealers are afraid that if the warmth continues it will jam up the cutting so much at the last minutes that shipments to distant points will be delayed and much business lost as well as many persons disappointed in not having a genuine Christmas tree for the holiday.

who have taken an interest in movements like the Red Cross, will serve without remuneration.

Mr. King said the Government was exploring different possibilities and hoped to have its plans in shape for discussion concerning the scope of the work, the new method of dealing with unemployment relief, etc., with the Provincial Premiers and their colleagues when they come to Ottawa on November 25.

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