

LA VOZ ATLANTICA

SEMANARIO INDEPENDIENTE

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LOS CARNICEROS DEL MERCADO GESTIONAN ANTE LA CORPORACION MUNICIPAL QUE NO SE LES OBLIGUE A REFRIGERAR LA CARNE PARA LA VENTA AL PUBLICO

Ante la Corporación Municipal se han presentado los carniceros del Mercado Municipal solicitando que no se les obligue a refrigerar la carne que se expende al público como había sido dispuesto.

La Municipalidad ordenó que pasara esa solicitud a una comisión compuesta por el señor Médico de Sanidad, el Bacteriologo y el Jefe de Rastro quienes informarán si hay justicia en las razones invocadas por los interesados.

Ese informe que será presentado la semana entrante resolverá definitivamente lo que debe hacerse.

TRES Y MEDIO MILLONES DE COLONES Y LA SECCION DE FOMENTO DE LA PRODUCCION AGRICOLA

Hace algún tiempo, fué publicado en La Tribuna el plan general de actividades que llevaría a cabo el Departamento Agrícola, en ayuda a

VECINOS DE LA BARRA DEL COLORADO SE DIRIGEN A DON VICTOR WOLF CON MOTIVO DEL NOMBRAMIENTO DE UN NUEVO CAPATAZ EN LOS SERVICIOS DE CARGA Y DESCARGA DE ESE LUGAR

Sr. don Victor Wolf. San José. Estimado don Victor:

Los firmantes, unos miembros del Sindicato de Tra-

jadores de la Barra del Colorado, otros no militantes de dicha organización, unos trabajadores de la Empresa Timon Tradnig C^a, otros no trabajadores de dicha empresa

atenidamente ponemos a usted lo siguiente:

Hemos tenido informes de que la empresa que usted dignamente representa dará el trabajo de carga y descarga de las lanchas en la Barra del Colorado al señor Rabi Tela.

Nos alarma tal noticia, pues este señor ha manifestado su odio al Sindicato, y no sólo eso, sino que ha manifestado su decisión de sustituir a los actuales trabajadores por trabajadores que él traerá de Nicaragua.

Eso significaría un golpe (Para a la pág. 5)

SE NOMBRARA EN LA PROXIMA SESION MUNICIPAL UNA COMISION QUE ESTUDIE LAS OBRAS QUE DEBERAN EJECUTARSE CON EL EMPRESTO ACORDADO POR EL CONGRESO

En la sesión municipal del martes último se acordó nombrar una comisión que estudie las obras que deben emprenderse con el dinero que se consiga del empréstito acordado por el congreso hace algunos meses.

Esta comisión se compondrá de 7 miembros con re-

presentación de los cantones de Siquirres y Guapiles y procederá a estudiar detenidamente la forma en que la suma conseguida se pueda invertir con mayor utilidad y provecho en beneficio de la provincia.

El señor Gobernador por

su parte está llevando a cabo las negociaciones necesarias con los bancos para la colocación del empréstito que tiene admirable garantía.

Ojalá que el estudio se lleve a cabo lo más pronto posible para beneficio de esta zona.

ESPLENDIDA RESULTO LA FIESTA ESCOLAR DE LOS QUINTOS GRADOS CELEBRADA EN LA ESCUELA DE NIÑAS "RAFAEL IGLESIAS"

En la noche del sábado fué celebrada en la Escuela de Niñas Rafael Iglesias Castro la fiesta anual que las alumbras de los quintos años despiden a las niñas del Sexto Grado que terminan sus estudios primarios. Este año más que en los otros la fiesta

resultó superior porque tuvo más bien un carácter social que otra cosa. Asistieron todos los funcionarios y gran número de padres de familia que fueron espléndidamente agasajados, con frescos, galletas, tamales y otras golosinas. La orquesta Steele ame-

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Para conocimiento de nuestros lectores copiamos el contrato celebrado entre la Secretaría de Agricultura e Industrias y los empresarios

Nº 26.—Nosotros, José Joaquín Peralta Esquivel, Secretario de Estado en el Despacho de Agricultura e Industrias, debidamente autorizado por el señor Presidente de la República, por una parte, y por la otra, Juan Francisco Rojas Suárez, Rubén Hernández Poveda y Eduardo Chaverría Salas, mayores de edad, periodistas, de este vecindario, casados una vez los primeros y soltero el último, con cédulas de identi-

dad 40107, 28055 y 13918 respectivamente, quienes en adelante se denominarán "los empresarios", hemos celebrado el presente contrato de conformidad con la ley Nº 36 de 20 de diciembre de 1940 sobre Establecimiento de Industrias Nuevas, y después de obtenida la opinión favorable del Secretario de Estado en el Despacho de Hacienda en lo que respecta a las franquicias y exenciones de impuestos. (Para a la pág. 3)

PARA LA PRODUCCION DE PELICULAS RAN ASUNTOS NETAMENTE NACIONALES

UNA QUEJA CONTRA EL SEÑOR INSPECTOR GENERAL DE HACIENDA

Hemos recibido para su publicación la queja que presentan algunos vecinos de la Barra de Parismíná contra el señor Inspector General de Hacienda por dificultades en el uso de la lancha. INSPECCION GENERAL DE HACIENDA NACIONAL San José, Costa Rica Nº 00748

Asunto: Solicitud del Sindicato de Pequeños Productores de la lancha de Barra de Parismíná San José, 25 de oct. de 1945

Señor Secretario de Estado en el Despacho de Hacienda, (Para a la pág. 3)

LA COOPERATIVA DE CACAO ESTA CONSTRUYENDO UNA SECADORA DE COPRA QUE DESARROLLARA ENORMEMENTE ESTA INDUSTRIA EN LA ZONA ATLANTICA

El Ingeniero don Rogelio Pardo está construyendo, para el servicio de la Cooperativa de Cacao, un sistema nuevo para secar la copra, que hasta el momento se hacía por el sistema de asoleo, largo e incómodo. Parece que se han construido hornos especiales usando como combustible la propia cascara del coco lo que significa enorme ahorro de la Cooperativa, cuyo Gerente don Raúl Velásquez, ha logrado desarrollar en todo el país un alto volumen de negocios y que ha adquirido enorme importancia en el desarrollo comercial de la zona.

porque ha logrado garantizar a los productores de cacao precios halagadores quiere ahora extender sus actividades en gran escala a otros cultivos que tienen magnífico precio. El nuevo sistema, ideado por el ingeniero Pardo, traerá a ser un éxito, ya que la experiencia de los hornos para secar la balsa que fueran destruidos tan pronto por el señor Pardo y que han dado resultados magníficos.

Nuestros felicitaciones y nuestros deseos por el tan pronto éxito de esta nueva experiencia.

A MAS DE TRESCIENTOS MIL COLONES PASA EL VOLUMEN DE LAS OPERACIONES EFECTUADAS POR EL BANCO NACIONAL EN EL ALMACEN DE DEPOSITO

Con un éxito completo ha comenzado a funcionar el Almacén de Depósito abierto en esta ciudad por el Banco Nacional de Costa Rica. No obstante que todavía no se han terminado los trabajos de instalación de las oficinas, el

Banco está operando con el almacén, consciente de la necesidad que para la agricultura y el comercio significa este procedimiento de crédito. Hasta el momento, en los pocos días que tiene de instalada, el volumen de las operaciones

efectuadas pasa de trescientos mil colones. Nuestras felicitaciones para el señor Zúñiga Gerente de la Sucursal, por el alto alcanzado y por el servicio que significa para la provincia de Limón este almacén de depósito.

Rápido alivio del

REUMATISMO



Los dolores serenos o punzantes del reumatismo son una advertencia: revelan que ciertos órganos vitales no cumplen en debida forma su tarea. Los dolores en las coyunturas y músculos se deben a la formación de ácidos y microscópicos cristales de ácido úrico, que no han sido eliminados del organismo.

Los riñones deberían eliminar de la sangre este exceso de ácido úrico (y demás impurezas y venenos). He aquí por qué, usted, al sentir las primeras punzadas reumáticas, debe procurar que sus riñones vuelvan a funcionar en forma.

Las Píldoras De Witt se elaboran especialmente para que obtengan los riñones débiles e inactivos. Después de ingerirlos, estimulan y fortalecen congestivamente el sistema circulatorio. Dentro de las 24 horas de haber tomado la primera dosis la orina se tornará amarilla. Esto demuestra que el excremento aséptico que contienen las Píldoras De Witt empezó a eliminar las

impurezas y venenos. Sus riñones volverán a la normalidad. La inflamación e hinchazón de las coyunturas disminuirá, como así los dolores. Las articulaciones rígidas recobrarán su agilidad. Los riñones reanudarán sus tareas, eliminando las impurezas de la sangre y expulsando del organismo mediante el maravilloso mecanismo de la naturaleza.

He aquí por qué un tratamiento con las Píldoras De Witt es tan conveniente para el alivio del reumatismo. Van directamente a la fuente del mal: los riñones.

Píldoras De Witt

Especialmente recomendadas para Reumatismo, Lumbago, Dolores en las Coyunturas y Traumatismos de los Músculos.

Y EL POETA DICE...

Por: José Gmo. López Salazar

Y el poeta, absorto en la lejanía, cual viejo león en cautiverio siente en su seno brotar nostálgicas ansias de poder retornar, a sus dominios vastos, a su lejano imperio. Como ave inquieta que vuela azorada, por aquí y por allá, así es su alma ahora, que cuenta contaba a las sensibles almas, su cuita, o sus horas felices, de amor, de pasión...

Y, el poeta dice: para una alma vana do no llegan ecos de inquietos anhelos, esa alma que no sea como placu heras, donde muere tenue la ola gigante, para esa alma muda, tened compasión. Contempla la rizada alfombra de nubes bruniadas en lumbre de plata, admira el sortilejo y el vocablo extraño, de plantas y aves...

¡Y las soledades: qué dulce misterio!... ¡Qué música tocan las ninfas curiosas!... ¡Qué suave murmullo producen las gasas de leves insectos—como las libélulas—al tocar traviesas las erizas ondas, que llevan inquietas mensajes de amores o suspiros suaves de la amada ausente, o la melodía de festiva charla, de luces y fuego, que en la lejanía se extiende imponente!

EL HIJO DEL TENDERO

Teniendo en sus brazos una cosa roja que lloraba, la doctora salió de la trastienda e hizo irrupción en el establecimiento.

—Mister Wand, exclamó, es niño! Es Niño!

Hace sesenta años de esto, Ahora, John William Charles Wand, hijo de un modesto tendero de ultramarinos, es obispo de Londres. Antes de instalarse en la residencia episcopal de Fulham Palace, el nuevo obispo había dado la vuelta al mundo. Comenzó sus estudios en Oxford, y el colegio de St-Edmund Hall, y poco después fue enviado a los antipodas. Noniura al arzobispo de Brisbane (Australia), tocóle dirigir una de las diócesis más extensas del mundo. Desgraciadamente la mitad de sus fieles no comprendían el inglés. Dos soluciones había para evangelizarlos: enseñarles el inglés o aprender él el papúa. Y se decidió por esto último. Sus aventuras podrían llenar un grueso volumen, en el mejor estilo de las novelas inglesas de aventuras.

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Hoy, fatigado de correr el mundo, reposa en su palacio episcopal. Sus emolumentos,

"LA VOZ ATLANTICA"

Director Propietario: E. Arrázola Posada Apartado de Correo: Letra J.

Semanario de intereses generales EL PERIODICO QUE TIENE MAS CIRCULACION EN LA PROVINCIA.

Tenemos agencias en los siguientes lugares: Nuestra Semanario es el único que tiene noticias en inglés y que es leído en los lugares más remotos de toda la Provincia.

Banarito	Margaret Mitchell
Suz Clemente	George Julie
Beverly	Justin Clarke
Pandora	A B C Hart
Cañuita	Hernan Skinner
Puerto Viejo	Dudley Barton
Limon	Jos A. Thomas
Liverpool	Philip Henry
Cuba Creek	E. C. Campbell
Boston Line	Kate Green
Zent	Justino Vallejo
Zent Commissary	J. Earle
Estrada	Geo Hart
Matina	Ismael Murray
25 Millas	Ames Henry
26 Millas	Geo Hart
Paguarito	Antonio Allen
Cultivation	Walter Morrison
Manila	Stanford Barton
Squirres	Carl Land
Cairo	Simón Jones
Germania	T. T. Thompson
Colorado Bar	Vernal Cleland
Gudcimo	Stanley Watson
Gudpiles	J. Zumbado
Care Dispensario	Jos Franklin
San José	Jacobo Clarence
Alajuela	Jacobo Clarence
Heredia	Jacobo Clarence
Cartago	Jacobo Clarence

que son de 10,000 libras esterlinas anuales, le permiten subvencionar clubes deportivos de su diócesis, y esto en conjunto con sus rezos, su única distracción.

Porque hay que decir que el obispo de Londres es, ante todo, un deportista. Y se dice el caso de que la Iglesia anglicana lleva su rigorismo hasta el punto de prohibir los juegos y las reuniones deportivas del domingo. Es una regla tan severa, que ninguna campeonata ha podido jamás hacerse transgredir. J. W. Charles Wand sostiene que hay en esta una mala interpretación de las seguras escrituras.

—Si es un pecado jugar el domingo, yo soy uno de los mayores pecadores del reino. He dicho.

Es posible que sus violentos ataques consigán romper la férrea norma impuesta por los "sabatarios" (partidario del reposo total el domingo), que zoobre una de las más antiguas costumbres de Inglaterra, porque el hijo de un tendero la heredó a ser obispo de Londres.

DOCTOR

TELEMACO ESPINACH B.

Médico-Cirujano-Obstétrico

De la Universidad de Bruselas.

Ex-Interno de la Maternidad Caji

DESPACHA: En casa de doña JUANITA de ESNA

HORAS: — Diario, 7 a 9 A. M. y 2 a 5 P. M.

DISCIPLINA

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—La fuerza del ejército norteamericano—explica el capitán yanqui— reside en su disciplina...

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¡Hello, Jackie—exclamó—! le tome el coche para dar una vuelta!

Y desaparece.

—Ahí tienen ustedes— dice el capitán— un ejemplo entre mí: hace un año se habría llevado el coche sin decir nada.

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GEORGE LAZARUS D

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(Viene de la 1ª pág.)
otación y exportación que en él se otorgan.

I.—Los empresarios, por sí o por medio de la Sociedad que con ese objeto se organicen, para lo cual quedan debidamente autorizados, procederán a fundar y desarrollar en el país la industria totalmente nueva de que son iniciadores, consistente en la producción y montaje de toda clase de películas cinematográficas procurando dar preferencia en ellas a los motivos nacionales, a la exhibición de aspectos o características del país, tales como la belleza de paisajes, la exuberancia de las tierras, la vida apacible de sus habitantes, y todas aquellas otras que puedan servir para atraer corrientes de turismo o de inmigración como medio para fortalecer la economía nacional.

II.—Con el objeto expresado los empresarios se comprometen a introducir al país una maquinaria moderna provista de los más recientes adelantos, con un gasto inicial no menor de cincuenta mil colones, y a levantar construcciones apropiadas para establecer los estudios necesarios debidamente acondicionados para efectuar el montaje, im-

presión y desarrollo de las películas.

III.—Los empresarios se obligan además:

a) A la calidad de la producción de películas que con el establecimiento de esta industria se asegura, no sea inferior a las que sear traídas del exterior para su exhibición en el país, aceptando, en caso de divergencia sobre la calidad del producto, que el punto sea sometido a la decisión del organismo técnico que indique la Secretaría de Agricultura e Industrias;

b) A ofrecer sus productos en el mercado nacional a precios no superiores a los extranjeros que en esa misma época se ofrezcan;

c) A establecer la producción con capacidad suficiente para suplir la demanda que de esa clase de productos exista en el país;

d) A ocupar el noventa por ciento de empleados costarricenses tanto en el manejo y servicio de la maquinaria, como en la atención de los estudios que se construyan y en el personal del elemento artístico que tome participación en el montaje y desarrollo de los argumentos que se lleven a la pantalla;

e) A introducir al país y establecer en él la maquinaria necesaria dentro de los seis

meses posteriores a la fecha de la firma de este contrato, y a comenzar la elaboración de películas dentro del plazo de un año contado asimismo desde la firma de este contrato;

f) A comprobar que en el costo del producto terminado se ha invertido no menos del sesenta y seis por ciento entre mano de obra y materia prima nacional; y

g) A hacer uso de los servicios de un contador Público o Perito Mercantil costarricense, en la teneduría, revisión y auditoría de sus libros.

IV.—Con el objeto de facilitar el establecimiento de la nueva industria que en este contrato se determina, y a la cual se considera beneficiosa para la economía nacional, el Gobierno otorga los siguientes privilegios:

1º—Exención de derechos de aduana en la importación de la maquinaria, piezas de repuesto y accesorios que requiera su instalación, combustible, aceites y lubricantes y otras sustancias necesarias para el funcionamiento de la misma, así como de cámaras, película y demás implementos;

2º—Exención de todo gravamen sobre la exportación de productos manufacturados por la nueva industria que por este contrato se establece, una vez que haya sido sa-



tisfecha la demanda nacional;
3º—Protección aduanera adecuada contra la competencia extranjera, mediante obligación del Estado de no hacer rebaja alguna, directa o indirecta sobre los actuales gravámenes fijados a la introducción al país de productos cinematográficos.

V.—Las ventajas concedidas en el artículo anterior, no serán otorgadas a industrias similares y competidoras durante un lapso de cinco años, necesario para que la nueva industria subsista y recupere la inversión hecha con las utilidades líquidas provenientes de la misma.

ros y carga. Si no hubiera medios habría razón para lamentarse, pero existiendo estas dos lanchas motor, no es vecindario aislado.

Considero, salvo su mejor criterio, perjudicial otorgar este permiso.

Humberto Gei Bernini
Inspector Gral. de Hacienda

Nota de la Federación de Trabajadores de Limón.—El señor Gei Bernini, como se puede apreciar en su informe rendido a la Secretaría de Hacienda, le importa muy poco la suerte de los vecinos de Barra de Parismina; pues muy particularmente recomiendo no ceder a la justa solicitud de estos esforzados y abnegados trabajadores, alegando que un particular tiene dos lanchas que las puede poner al servicio entrando estos vecinos en un arreglo con el dueño, es decir, tratando de hacerle el caldo gordo a éste, pues en esta forma los pobres vecinos tendrán que continuar pagando los caprichos que se les cobre; es ésta la defensa que el Sr. Inspector de Hacienda hace de los débiles y de los más, del pueblo de Barra de Parismina? Que la lancha del resguardo si pone a hacer este servicio habría que estaría reparando y no hay partida presupuestada para ello? Se arreglaría con un precio justo y medico que se cobrara a dichos vecinos, los que muy gustosos lo pagarán; pues éstos no pretenden que se les haga el servicio de gratis.

DR. B. FERNANDEZ SEGURA MEDICO CIRUJANO

abrió su consultorio médico en los bajos del Park Hotel Hispano-Americano, contiguo oficina dental del Dr. Pacheco.

UNA QUEJA CONTRA ETC (Viene de la 1ª pág.)

S. D.
Muy atentamente me refiero a la nota fechada el 18 de los corrientes enviada a usted por el señor Asís Esna, Secretario General del Sindicato de Pequeños Productores de Limón, que me fué enviada adjunta a su oficio N° 6624 de 24 de los corrientes, en que dicho señor solicita los servicios de la lancha motor del Resguardo de Barra de Parismina.

Al respecto debo manifestar que si esa lancha, que tiene un motor muy viejo y de poca potencia, se pone al servicio en la forma solicitada en muy poco tiempo se quedaría ese resguardo sin ese medio de comunicación, lo que traería grandes dificultades para esta Inspección, y de todos modos se quedarían los vecinos sin el servicio. Además de este motivo, habría que estarlo reparando cada rato, con gastos que no podría

cubrir este departamento por no tener presupuesto para ese fin, así como el gasto de gasolina, sobre lo cual me permito indicarle que se prestaría para abusos difíciles de controlar.

Fuera de los motivos expuestos, debo informarle que en dicha barra existen dos lanchas motor del señor Santiago Taylor con quien esos vecinos podrían entrar en un arreglo, pues este señor se dedica al transporte de pasaje

PLAN PARA EL SORTEO DEL 2 DE DICIEMBRE DE 1945

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1 Segundo Premio de	20,000
10 Premios de € 1,000 cada uno	10,000
20 Premios de € 500 cada uno	10,000
80 Premios de € 200 cada uno	16,000
141 Premios de € 100 cada uno	14,100
10 Aproximaciones al Premio Mayor (5 anteriores y 5 Posteriores de € 500 c/u.)	5,000
10 Aproximaciones al Segundo Premio (5 anteriores y 5 posteriores de € 150 c/u.)	1,500
21 Terminaciones a las tres últimas cifras del Primer Premio, de € 200 c/u.	4,200
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Labores Municipales

Sesión vigésima séptima ordinaria de la municipalidad de Limón, iniciada a las 9 horas del seis de noviembre de mil novecientos cuarenta y cinco con asistencia de los regidores señores Echeverría, quien presidió, Hernández, Heilbron, Picado, Salas y Esquivel. Asistieron los jefes de dependencias señores Alvarado, Arrázola, Barrantes, Castro, Espínach, Martin, Castillo, Montero, Mora Aguilar, Mora Morúa, Pérez y Zeledón.

ARTICULO I.—ACTA: Se leyó, aprobó y firmó acta de la sesión anterior.

ARTICULO II.—Notas del señor Gobernador: a) Se acordó archivar nota en que transcribe la que recibió del señor Secretario de Agricultura, indicando que ha designado al Ingeniero don Jorge Alvarado Arroyo para que rinda un informe detallado en cuanto a la solicitud de la Corporación para que se establezcan varios trapiches en esta provincia, como una ayuda a los pequeños agricultores de la caña; nota en que informa haber remitido a la dependencia respectiva los planos y presupuestos del maderero municipal y nota en que transcribe telegrama del señor Presidente acusando recibo del acuerdo municipal en que se le pidió romper relaciones con el gobierno español de Franco.

b) En nota N° 1473 se refiere al trabajo de limpiar una zanja en Matina, el que ofrece hacer el señor Thomas A. Gillin, por sesientos colones y solicita ayuda del municipio, según informa el Agente de Policía del lugar. Se acordó que el señor maestro de obras se constituya en Matina e informe de la conveniencia de hacer el trabajo, su costo y demás pormenores.

c) En nota N° 1496 transcribe la que recibió del Sr. Secretario de Educación, manifestando que por las razones expuestas en el velo publicado en Gaceta de 1° de diciembre de 1944, esa Secretaría siente no acceder a la solicitud de la municipalidad para que se convierta en colegio de segunda enseñanza la Escuela Complementaria de esta ciudad. Habiendo expresado el señor vicepresidente del Congreso y diputado por esta provincia licenciado don Francisco Fonseca, en reunión celebrada el sábado último en esta ciudad, que la Secretaría de Educación está dispuesta a pagar el profesorado del colegio de segunda enseñanza de Limón, siempre que las Municipalidades de la Provincia aporten el dinero

necesario para proveer el material de enseñanza indispensable, que la Secretaría estima costará mil colones mensuales. Por las razones expresadas en el acuerdo atrás referido, la Municipalidad por unanimidad y definitivamente acuerda: para suplir al Colegio de Segunda Enseñanza de Limón el dinero necesario para sus gastos de material de enseñanza, aumentar a cinco céntimos por litro el impuesto municipal vigente de un cuarto de céntimo por litro, cuyo provento pasará a la Junta Administrativa del Colegio de Segunda Enseñanza de Limón; pedir a las municipalidades de los otros cantones de la Provincia tomar acuerdos semejantes ya que a todos interesa el establecimiento de ese colegio y solicitar al Poder Ejecutivo, por medio del señor Gobernador, el envío a sesiones extraordinarias del Congreso, un proyecto de ley que por separado se le envíara, creando el impuesto en referencia y estableciendo el modo de percibirlo.

d) Con recomendación especial, el señor Gobernador transcribe la nota que recibió del señor Jefe de Sanidad solicitando proveer su oficina de una lámpara para escribir y una máquina de escribir, que necesita con urgencia. Se acordó definitivamente autorizar al señor gobernador para comprar inmediatamente la lámpara, que podrá ser cancelada este año y autorizarlo asimismo para comprar la máquina de escribir, cuya cuenta será cancelada en los primeros días del año próximo, que entra en vigencia el nuevo presupuesto.

e) En nota N° 1573 transcribe la que recibió del señor Secretario de Gobernación manifestándole que esa Secretaría no tiene objeción que hacer a lo dispuesto por la Corporación en el empréjito por sesenta mil colones de acuerdo con la autorización que le concede la ley de 17 de agosto del corriente. Se acordó autorizar al señor Gobernador para que gestione la colocación del empréjito por la suma y para los fines dispuestos, con alguno de los bancos del país.

ARTICULO III.—Notas de Jefes de Dependencias: a) Se acordó archivar telegramas del señor jefe de sanidad, Dr. Telémaco Espínach, a los señores Presidente y Vicepresidente municipales, agradeciéndolos su nombramiento y poniéndole a las órdenes de los señores regidores, así como la contestación del señor Vice-

presidente al Dr. Espínach.

b) El ingeniero don Rogelio Paro rinde el informe que se le pidió con respecto a la cuenta del señor Arrázola por el trabajo de catastro del barrio Roosevelt, manifestando que en su criterio es módica por lo laborioso y concienzudo del trabajo realizado. Se acordó dar las gracias al ingeniero Arrázola, debiendo presentar el señor Contador, un proyecto de presupuesto extraordinario hasta por esa suma si hubiere a qué partida cargarlo.

c) El señor Presidente de la Junta de Protección Social traslada la solicitud que hace el Sindicato de Pequeños Productores para que se establezca un cementerio en Penhurst. Se acordó que el señor Jefe de Sanidad se constituya en el lugar e informe del sitio más apropiado para fines que se solicitan.

d) Se acordó archivar copia de telegrama dirigido al licenciado don Francisco Fonseca por los señores Vicepresidente Municipal, Presidentes de la Junta de Educación, Junta de Protección Social y Comité Auxiliar de la Cruz Roja, rogándole gestionar se aumente a la cuota de azúcar asignada al cantón para racionarla a razón de una libra semanal por persona.

e) Se acordó dirigirse al Presidente de la Junta de la Caña telegráficamente, pidiéndole que informe si la Junta Distribuidora de Limón podrá disponer de azúcar suficiente para racionarlo a una libra semanal por persona a partir del diez del corriente, enviando copia de ese telegrama al licenciado Fonseca Chamier.

ARTICULO IV.—Notas de

Particulares: a) El señor Secretario del Club de Leones de Limón comunica al señor de tomado por la Directiva de ese centro en que solicita de esta Corporación y de las empresas que usan el campo festerizado de la ciudad, la cooperación necesaria para ampliarlo y acondicionarlo debidamente. Se acordó: Contestar a la Corporación con un troyo a sus expensas y mantiene en buenas condiciones el campo de aviación en referencia, sin cobrar nada a las empresas que usen, estando dispuesta a cooperar con las empresas mencionadas en el mejoramiento del mismo.

b) Se acordó archivar solicitud del señor Jorge Lázarus para que se conecte una paja de agua en edificio de su propiedad, por manifestar el señor Fontanero que ya se ha sido ordenado ese trabajo por el señor gobernador.

c) Conocido memorial suscrito por doña Ester de Bestar y los señores Italo Marabotto, Jorge Lázarus, Jaime Ching, Carlos Kirkpatrick y Joaquin Jiménez, protestando del cobro que está haciendo la municipalidad, de acuerdo con sus tarifas, de los impuestos sobre pajas de agua para servicio comercial y tazas de excusado adicionales. Se acordó contestar a los firmantes que la municipalidad, para sus múltiples funciones de bien comunal sólo cuenta con los impuestos y patentes, los que está cobrando de acuerdo con las tarifas vigentes desde hace varios años, sin haberlas aumentado. Que los impuestos en referencia, al no sobrarlos a los propietarios se les estaban regalando, pero en la actualidad esos fondos son indispensables para sufragar los gastos de la Corporación, que se hacen en beneficio de la comunidad y muy especialmente de los pro-

ARTICULO V.—Cuentas Para su cancelación en cargo a las partidas que se indican, fueron aprobadas las siguientes: Cta. Bónanos de Costa Rica, cargo 5-C 250 — 9-C 750 — 9-B 300 — 9-C 925 — 9-B 910 — Ramón Acón León, 1-4 C 900 — Limón Trading Company 1-4 C 1006 — 6-C 25500 — 6-C 8500. — Isard Hnos. Ltda. 6-1 C 37500 — Northern Railway Company, 6-1 C 13715 — Manuel A. Mata 5-4 C 2250.

ARTICULO VI.—Planillas Fueron aprobadas las siguientes: Semana del 19 al 25 de octubre: saneamiento población C 568.80; saneamiento distrito segundo C 13.00; reparación edificios C 423.00; peones parques C 147.60; peones mercado C 129.15; peones higiene C 184.50; peones cloacas C 73.80; peones tanques C 36.90; Semana del 25 de octubre al 1° de noviembre: saneamiento población C 347.35; saneamiento distrito segundo C 13.00; reparación edificios C 90.95; peones parques C 147.60; peones mercado C 129.15; peones higiene C 141.45; peones cloacas C 73.80; trabajo extra C 45.00.

ARTICULO VII: Se acordó pedir al señor Gobernador que haga las gestiones necesarias a fin de que los interesados reparen por su cuenta las calles que ha sido necesario romper para hacer las conexiones de agua a la cañería de la Northern.

ARTICULO VIII: Se acordó pedir al señor gobernador que solicite de la F. U. C. Nacional de Licores IV, informes necesarios para cobrar el impuesto municipal de un cuarto de céntimo sobre cada litro de licor fabricado en el país que vende el depósito en esta ciudad.

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los recién liberados decidieron permanecer algunos días más en la prisión. Hoy salieron a dar un paseo por el campo de los alrededores de la prisión. Primera salida después de 15 años de reclusión. Uno de ellos preguntó: "¿Es verdad que murió el Presidente Roosevelt en Moscú?"

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TRES Y MEDIO ETC.
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en la Zona a un joven Ingeniero Agrónomo, don Jorge Alvarado; la labor de este ingeniero está siendo archivada en dicho Departamento sin ningún resultado efectivo para el desarrollo de nuestra Agricultura, se han organizado tres núcleos de producción en Limón y se han hecho gestiones para que se les ayude como lo manifiesta el tan cacareado plan y todavía no se ha organizado el citado Departamento, según contestaciones que han recibido los solicitantes, como decimos todos los importantes informes que ha rendido el señor Alvarado quedan archivados. Citaremos algunos de dichos informes; un amplio informe relacionado con dos mil quinientas hectáreas de fertilísima tierra en la región de la Estrella, está esperando la mano del hombre para ponerla en producción; en la región de Línea Vieja (Guati-

mo) el sindicato de pequeños productores de dicho lugar gestionó por medio de la Federación de Trabajadores de Limón, la ayuda del Departamento de Agricultura para que se estudiara si los terrenos eran aptos para la producción de arroz, el señor Alvarado envió un amplio informe, recomendando la inmediata ayuda de los agricultores proporcionándoles Semilla de arroz, estamos bien enterados que la gestión fue rechazada por dicho departamento alegando que no tenían capacidad económica ni mucha semilla para los campesinos, se les aconsejó que hicieran memorias para la Junta Rural de Créditos solicitando ayuda económica. Ya la Sección de Fomento que dice? Por gestión de la municipalidad de Limón se pidió a la Secretaría de Agricultura ayuda para la instalación de trapiches en la Zona Atlántica, considerando la Corporación el grave problema que afronta el país con la producción de azúcar tenemos informes que el señor Alvarado ya hizo el correspondiente estudio y que fue enviado para su aprobación; de este informe estamos seguros que nos dirá el señor Ministro que es muy valioso, pero que no hay capacidad económica para realizarla, como dicen nuestros campesinos,

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dección del Estado para abrir caminos y reparar tranvías que están en muy mal estado, dejense de menos estudios técnicos y háganse realidades las leyes proteccionistas para la agricultura. La Federación de Trabajadores está empeñada y se seguirá empeñando porque no se burlien las gestiones que se hacen ante la Secretaría de Agricultura, no queremos que se siga haciendo política de campanario con las leyes proteccionistas para las leyes de protección a la agricultura.

Johnnín Hernández Poveda, Srío. Gral de la Federación

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 importante en la vida económica de este pequeño pueblo donde una cantidad importante de los habitantes vive dedicada al trabajo de carga y descarga de las lanchas.
 Como lo sabemos gran am

go y cooperador en la promulgación de las Garantías Sociales y el Código de Trabajo-propulsor, en fin, de todo lo que sea progreso. Y, muy especialmente gran amigo de doctor Calderón Guardia, esperamos que mientras dure la ausencia de este gran amigo de los trabajadores, Ud., su digno amigo, velará porque le suerte de los trabajadores sea tomada en cuenta, principalmente en las actividades en que Ud. tenga participación personal.

Esperamos de su magnanimidad la promesa seria de que el trabajo a que hacemos mención se seguirá desarrollando como hasta aquí con los pobladores de esta localidad.

Lo saludan sus amigos,
 Santiago Archivol
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TEXT OF THE COMMUNIQUE ISSUED IN WASHINGTON BY MR. ATLEE, PRESIDENT TRUMAN AND MR. MACKENZIE KING —

The Prime Minister of the United Kingdom, the President of the United States and the Prime Minister of Canada have issued the following statement:

1) We recognize that the application of recent scientific discoveries to the methods and practice of war has placed at the disposal of mankind means of destruction hitherto unknown, against which there can be no adequate military defense and in the employment of which no single nation can in fact have a monopoly.

2) We desire to emphasize that the responsibility for devising means to ensure that the new discoveries shall be used for the progress of mankind, instead of as means of destruction, rests not on our nations alone, but upon the whole civilized world.

Nevertheless, the progress that we have made in the development and use of atomic to the progress of knowledge, energy demands that we take an initiative in the matter, and we have accordingly met together to consider the possibility of international action: (a) to prevent the use of atomic energy for destructive purposes; (b) to promote the use of recent and future advances in scientific knowledge, particularly in the utilization of atomic energy, for peaceful and humanitarian ends.

3) We are aware that the only complete protection for the civilized world from destruction depends on the use of scientific knowledge in the prevention of war. No system of safeguards that can be devised will of itself provide an effective guarantee against the production of the atomic weapons by a nation bent on aggression. Nor can we ignore the possibility of the development of other weapons, or of new methods of warfare, which may constitute as great a threat to ci-

vilization as the military use of the atomic energy.

4) Representing as we do, the three countries which possess the knowledge essential to the use of the atomic energy, we declare at the outset our willingness, as a first contribution to proceed with the exchange of fundamental scientific information and the exchange of scientists and scientific literature for peaceful ends with nations that will fully reciprocate. of scientific research should

5) We believe that the fruits

be made available to all nations, and that freedom of investigation and free interchange of ideas are essential to progress of knowledge. In pursuance of this policy, the basic scientific information essential to the development of atomic energy for peaceful purposes has already been made available to the world. It is our intention to see that all further information of this character that may become available from time to time shall be similar-

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THE REVOLT OF THE SCIENTISTS

By DOROTHY THOMPSON

(culled from the Sunday Gleaner)

To my mind one of the most important news stories of the week was a report from Chicago of a luncheon attended by seventeen scientists who worked on creating the atomic bomb, and who expressed in no uncertain term, their indignation at the "tragic use" made of the discovery and the treatment they themselves have since been accorded.

If anyone has a right to advise on the use of the atomic disintegration and has the power to back such advice, it is the scientists who are responsible for the greatest discovery in his story.

They know its potentialities, for infinite disaster or infinite good. They have power, because without their secrecy cannot be indefinitely kept, and secondly progress in this science is unlikely without them. At this stage, the pure theoretician is still essential; atomic science still needs the Galileos and Einsteins. There are only a handful of men in the world who really, basically demonstrating the bomb.

One of them is Dr. Samuel Allison, Head of the Institute of Nuclear studies at the University of Chicago, and one of the men in charge of the first atomic bomb experiment in New

Mexico. Speaking for all seventeen of his colleagues at the luncheon — they included two Nobel Prize Winners, — Harold C. Urey and Enrico Fermi — Dr. Allison said that all considered it a great tragedy that so important a discovery should be revealed under such circumstances; that they had hoped that by merely demonstrating the bomb on an occupied island or in Japanese home waters, the war could have been ended.

Dr. Allison vigorously criticized the dropping of the second bomb on Nagasaki, and he made a strong plea that further experimentation with atomic science be undertaken with a view to putting it creatively to work for the welfare of mankind, suggesting "some city be created or taken over for the sole purpose of conducting these experiments on a life-size scale" — the experiment to heat and operate an entire area by atomic energy.

Dr. Allison also protested a situation in which the atomic scientists have become virtual prisoners at a time when they are

"Making a desperate attempt to return to free research and investigation as it was before the experiment began. We have been virtually locked up ever

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Some of God's people wander in their lives because of
Poor teaching or no teaching and thus the talents and gifts are unused
And the crown they should have had is not received.

AN IMPERATIVE PUBLIC NEED

We have gained by earnest thought that the cycle of time in its revolution brings to the sensitive mind the vision of many things which are lacking and are surely essentially necessary to move in harmony with our civilization.

A good many of us, perhaps have been afforded, if not full experience, some glimpses of the public convenience and other utilities which designers and engineers have given and are giving to enhance human happiness. We, too, should do new things in our community, because we can do them; even in spite of the fact that some may not consciously want to see changes on the face of our civilization, but the age demands new services for humanity.

We have a warm desire to see step-by-step progress toward our material improvement does not falter; we are full of enthusiasms to see the creation of an environment in which our citizens can live with health, interest, goodwill and a reasonable degree of contentment. We share, too, that the stranger who come to our shores will observe that we are in the van of progress.

In times past the boundaries between human creatures and their necessities were somewhat fixed; today, the ever increasing knowledge inculcated by man enables him to provide for his wants.

It is desired, foremost, at this time to point out the vital necessity of public telephones installed at prominent places in this city; the type of phone which, unless a coin of certain denomination is dropped in its accompanying apparatus the service cannot be obtained. For instance, we have a Red Cross Ambulance stationed at a place equipped with a telephone, but the general community has not access to the use of a telephone to call for the vehicle. The local Police Station has telephone service, but John Public has no telephone to summon the police in cases of emergency; such as — arson — burglary — murder or other possible grave crimes so prevalent in a sin wrapped world. Thought should also be given to the turning in of a fire alarm; this latter service can be taken care of by call stations where the phone is protected by a glass casing, which, in case of fire, the glass can be broken and the alarm by an automatic device is turned in to the Fire Brigade Station.

In order to add to the efficiency of the service, a phone should be also installed in the residence of the Captain of the Volunteer Bombers.

These thoughts have brought to our mind circumstances which would have been very easily attended to if we had such public service.

ENGLISH STEAMSHIP COMPANIES MAY RESUME TRADE

It has been mentioned that the English Steamship Companies which had rendered such valuable services during pre-war days may resume trade with the Latin American Republics on or about next Spring. The lines of the Company were known as the Royal Mail-Pacific Steam Navigation and the Blue Star Line. We yearn for the day at

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Tickets for admission are already in circulation.

CLOSING OF THE OFFICIAL SCHOOLS IN THIS CITY

Today, Saturday the 24th, Government Primary Schools

close their doors for the year in course. Many of the scholars bid farewell to the classrooms as far as their primary education is concerned.

With the contemplated change in the operation of the present Comprehensive or Secondary School, that a

its standard is to be lifted to that of a College, we are not yet informed whether the same opportunities of entry will be extended to the Sixth Grade Graduates as was given to those of the past two years; those who have now completed their second year in that higher seat of education. We would welcome the change for many reasons; for no other is to permit the students taking up their studies in the freshness of morning and not at the afternoon boiling hours of this zone, and also to withdraw their attention from the busy city lights during their hours of study.

WANTED AT BRITISH VICE CONSULATE

The following persons are requested to call at the British Vice Consulate in this City: Matters of vital interest.

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- Levi Newton
- Theophilus Hall
- Charles Pink.

JOSEPH HENRY

REBEL UPRISING REPORTED IN PERSIA

It has been reported from Persia in the Middle East, that an organized band of rebels in the north of Persia, apparently provided by communists have created disturbances and with armed forces were marching towards Teheran the capital.

Criticism is said to be levelled at Russia on the grounds of cold attitude in the premises, since Russia as England guarantee the Independence of Persia.

FISH FOR BRITAIN

Britain's deep-sea fishing industry is now found to be in a surprisingly healthy condition, despite the inevitable effects of nearly six years of war. Consequently an adequate supply of the deep-sea fish, such as cod, halibut and haddock, is assured for Britain during the coming months. Here again, of course the main problem is that of securing adequate distribution.

The fishery fisheries of Britain, which supply such fish as plaice, sole, herring, mackerel and the various shell fish are not in such a healthy state having suffered from neglect and deterioration of equipment during the war years.

New types of craft and fresh equipment, together with improved means of distribution, are needed to enable this branch of industry to make its full contribution to the nation's food supply.

Official supplies of fish to the Allied Kingdom for the first half of 1945 exceeded 1,000,000 pounds—a figure 50 per cent above that of some corresponding period in 1939.

MEANS FOR NEW CRAFT
The ravages of war left France fishing fleet in a sadly depleted condition. For instance, only 33 allied-flags trawlers registered with the 350 sturdy vessels registered in 1939.

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TEXT OF THE
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ly treated. We trust that other nations will adopt the same policy, thereby creating an atmosphere of great confidence in which a political agreement and cooperation are possible.

6) We have considered question of the disclosure of detailed information concerning the practical industrial application of atomic energy. The military exploitation of atomic energy depends in a large part upon the same methods and processes required for industrial uses. We are not convinced that the spreading of specialised information regarding the practical application of atomic energy before it is possible to devise effective reciprocal and enforceable safeguards acceptable to all nations would contribute to the constructive solution of the problem of the atomic bomb. On the contrary we think it might have the opposite effect. We are, however, prepared to share on reciprocal basis with others of United Nations detailed information concerning the practical industrial application of atomic energy as soon as effective enforceable safeguards against its use for destructive purposes can be devised.

7) In order to attain the most effective means of entirely eliminating the use of purposes, and promoting its widest use for industrial and humanitarian purposes, we are of the opinion that at the earliest practicable date a commission should be set up under the United Nations to prepare recommendations for the commission should be instructed to proceed with the most despatch and authorized to submit recommenda-

tions from time to time dealing with separate phases of its work. In particular the commission should make specific proposals: a) for extending the exchange of basic scientific information for peaceful ends; b) for the control of atomic energy to the extent to ensure its use only for peaceful purposes; c) for the elimination from national armaments of atomic weapons and all other major weapons adaptable to mass production; d) for effective safeguards, inspection and other means to protect the complying states against the hazards of violation and evasions.

8) The work of the commission should proceed by separate states, successful completion of each of which will develop the necessary confidence in the world before next stage is undertaken. Specifically it is considered that the commissions might well devote their attention first, to the wide exchange of scientific and scientific information and, as a second stage, to the development of a full knowledge concerning natural resources raw materials.

9) Faced with the terrible realities of the science of destruction, every nation will realise more urgently than before the overwhelming need to maintain the rule of law among nations and to banish the scourge of war from the earth. This can only be brought about by giving wholehearted support to the United Nations organisation and by extending its authority, thus creating conditions of mutual trust in which all peoples shall be free to devote themselves to what is best. It is our firm resolve to work without reservation to achieve these ends.

THE DEATH AND BURIAL OF MRS. ETHEL PORTER DE COLE

The very precious life of Mrs. Ethel Porter de Cole came to its close on the tenth of the current month; that sad day for her loved ones when her spirit took its flight from this land of strangers to that realm from which it came.

The late Mrs. Cole was a Jamaican by birth having been born in the Old Parish of Spanish Town, in the parish of St. Catherine. She had lived in this very embracing Republic, particularly in this city for many years and under the wing of the Anglican Denomination she had sung her harp and chanted the

songs of Zion, even though in a strange land. Her very amicable and pious mood had won for her, esteem, honour and love.

Death had robbed her of her husband nearly three years ago; this, no doubt, has hastened her body to the grave in her comparatively blooming years of fifty and two.

On the day following that of her death the funeral service was conducted in the St. Mark's Church by Major Thos. B. Lynch and terminated at the grave by Mr. Ruben Samuels, the acting catechist. The scene associated with the procession was self evident of the high standard of the worthiness of her life which had now blithely died the frost. She has been connected also to the Port Limon Branch of the Jamaica Burial Scheme Society; an organization which is said to have played its rightful part during the period of her illness. The membership of the Society was largely represented in the course of mourners and sympathizers and in addition the funeral rites were performed at the grave by Mrs. Eva Spence, Maam, Chairman of the Society, assisted by her associates.

The departed citizen is mourned by her children; Lester, the eldest; Victor Arturo, Boyzie, Vera, Vilma, Eubor, our deeply esteemed young citizens while Bertie and Edna are residents of the city of Panama. To these greatly bereft loved ones we tender our heartfelt condolence. May the soul of the visitor rest in peace.

AMONG THE BAPTISTS

The "Rally of the Victorious etc.

"United Nations", amid scenes of great enthusiasm and with a capacity house, under most favourable weather conditions came off very successfully for the Baptists. The competition was between the "Big Three" and very keenly between the first two. China represented by Mr. Oscar McRae and buttressed by Mrs. Ruth Gourzong came first. Nicaragua represented by "Sister Sue" and very ably supported by Mr. Phillip Booth, was only a neck behind. Panama which came third in the Rally wrought nobly. Mrs. Mattie Henry being the Representative. But mention ought also to be made of Mr. Thomas Martin who represented Ethiopia; Mrs. Sarah Ricketts representing England; and Mr. Alphonse Taylor who represented Russia. Mention may be made also of the United States and India represented by Mr. Victor Gourzong and Mrs. Ambrozine Rupon, respecti-

The programme was sustained by recitations from the children. Mrs. Irene Walker, was perfectly at home with her solo which was highly appreciated.

Mrs. Hortense Smith gave recitation and song which were well rendered and well received. There was also a recitation from Mrs. Sarah Bowerbank.

"My Task" was very feelingly rendered as a duet by Miss Olive Gourzong and Mr. Oscar McRae. Amid great excitement and much enthusiasm with no small amount of anxious curiosity, the most successful of their rallies in the aid of the very extensive and badly needed repairs of the Church came to a close amid great applause.

Heartiest congratulations must be extended to all the representatives of the Rally who toiled and laboured so well to make it a success and to the public in general for their most generous support.

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On Sunday, a fortnight ago, the San Jose passenger train brought to this city among its other passengers, Dr. Miguel S. Dejuk who terminated his studies both at the Tulane University of Medicine and the Charity Hospital of the same States in the great North American Republic. He has returned to his home and fireside.

Don Salim Dejuk our genial merchant in the city market and his other two sons met the Doctor at the San José airport. Arriving at the railway station in this city the party was extended

a triumphant welcome by relatives; all the local citizens of Lebanon, many outstanding officials and other Limonenses.

They motored to the family residence on fifth avenue, where a splendid reception was given in honour of the very distinguished new arrival. Three days after, in compliance to certain constitutional requisite for the incoming practitioner, the young "medico" left for the Capital.

Again, the Atlantic Voice lovingly welcomes Dr. Miguel S. Dejuk.

THE SALVATION ARMY CELEBRATED HARVEST FESTIVAL.

Under the influence of an encouraging temperature which prevailed over this city on last Sunday the Salvation Army's Harvest Festival was celebrated.

The divine services at the eleven o'clock forenoon hour and at seven in the evening were conducted by Major Thos. B. Lynch, the Commanding Officer.

At three o'clock in the afternoon cheers rang in the Hall with the presentation of the Harvest Programme which had its start with the tuneful singing of the congregational hymn — "Come Ye thankful people". Then, the prayer was offered by Field Cadet, Miss Ricketts followed by the reading of the scripture by Mrs. Thos. B. Lynch. The preliminary remarks were given by the Major who in turn with very high compliments introduced Mr. Jos. A. Thomas to undertake the responsible duties of chairman. The nominee in acceptance expressed his pleasure and general opening remarks.

The body of the programme proved a high standard success. Among the items were the song — "Have we done what we could?" effectively rendered by the Singers Brigade. The juniors, A. McFarlane, Joe Lewis, N. Peters — Barry Johnson — Glenna Mullings and Elena Gordon, effectively contributed reci-

tations. A party of eleven children presented the dialogue — The Thanksgiving Altar. With the harmony of a loftier sphere, the duet "Dear to the heart" was sung by Mesdames Ivy Atkinson and Kevelry of the Home League. Mrs. Jessie Wright presided at the organ. The harvest march by the children and the presentation of their gifts which had laden their fancy baskets were both colourful and impressive; the tender voices chanted the march to the instrumental accompaniment by Major Lynch. There were more than forty children who had completely encircled the hall while marching. Treating on Harvest Missionary in Ladia, Candidate McFarlane contributed a reading.

On came the Charinan's Harvest Message; the text is published elsewhere in these

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Batan, 25 Miles.

The Editor,

ATLANTIC VOICE

Port Limon, Costa Rica.

Dear Sir:

Permit me space in your valuable news organ, "The Atlantic Voice" to report the latest happenings in 25 Miles, Batan. — This town of Batan, Twenty Five Miles had a very grave ceremony on the 16th of November 1945 at about one O'clock in the afternoon when the Police Agent of the district shot Gladson Reid, a foreman on the abaca farm; he was shot in one leg and he is now a patient in the Limon Hospital.

From what we understand the unfortunate man was just from work taking his meals and at a time when the said Police Agent was on his rounds distributing Cards for the purchase of sugar; stepping away, Reid said, if you cannot give me two pounds of sugar, don't give me none. Reid on repeating same twice, the Police Agent kicked him, and picked up a small barrel in one hand and his pistol in the other; Reid then became frightened and moved away, the Police Agent said — You negro son of a H — Reid in returning the words the Police Agent quickly made a return and shot Reid, saying I had it in mind to shoot you in your head, but to let you feel something you get it on your foot. The Police Agent in retiring from his office with in an half hour Reid was taken away for treatment, seeing the crowd all standing still with surprise — said — "What is all this crowd for; it's only a negro got shot. It was reported, that any one around who should be heard

columns. Spicily and not without his well embedded humour, the Major gave the announcement and expressions of gratefulness. The Dorelogy and Benediction climaxed a well spent afternoon; — well attended by a high representative people. The musical contributions of the Army's Brass Band was of great value.

talking about the incident would be shot also.

Now my readers just imagine the happening in a democratic country where a man is being shot as a bird; an act of such a kind should only be expected from nazism, and fascism.

We sincerely hope that with

those who will have to do with such a case, within the of Rights"; justice will be to this poor man who has a and two children to take of.

Thanking you for space, Editor:

I am, etc.

John B. B.

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THE DREAMS OF QUEEN ESTHER IN DRAMA

The curtain will be lifted on the night of Monday the 26th instant in the hall of the day school of the Roman Catholic Parish, thus affording lovers of high class entertainments the opportunity of witnessing the portrayal and to listen to the renditions accompanying the scenes. The choiristers of the Cathedral under whose auspices the drama will be presented have assured us an evening of amusement, mingled with educational development. Let us promise a full attendance.

PERSONALIA

Hearty welcome is extended to Mrs. Leonora Pritchard and daughter, Miss Silvia, who have returned from abroad after a long period of absence.

Their reunion with relatives and our communal life as usual will be of marked value. A few days ago they left for the pital and other parts in Interior. We wish their pleasant stay under the fluence of the milder climate.

Numbering with the going passengers for San Jose on the forenoon of Tuesday the current week Mr. Stanley Britton who effecting one of his regular periodical visits to the far residence in San Jose wish him a pleasant stay a safe return to our city his agricultural and other interests.

Mrs. Ada McKenzie Hamilton, the esteemed daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenzie of the Jamaica Settlement is a right welcomed visitor to her native land. She has come from abroad for a reunion with her parents and other loved ones.

WITH THE METHODISTS

In another three days, (Tuesday night the 27th) the Methodist Friends will take the entertaining front line with the presentation of the Harvest Programme: — the body of which will be a drama entitled — "St. Elizabeth of Thuringia".

Our Scout number One was sent ewes-dropping a few nights ago when a rehearsal was in process and judging by the report turned in, everything is in tip-top shape

for the raising of the curtain. No sacrifice will be great in order to attend to coming entertainment.

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HARVEST MESSAGE DELIVERED BY THE CHAIRMAN AT THE SALVATION ARMY'S HARVEST FESTIVAL.

The subject of Harvest Thanksgiving can be comprehensively classified in two phases; namely, Terrestrial Harvest and Celestial Harvest. The light of these material and spiritual aspects is thrown by consulting the Holy Scriptures; such as we find in Exodus, chapter 35, verses Fifth, Twenty Sixth and Twenty Ninth. These were offerings for the Tabernacle of the Most High; that place of worship given by divine command for the children of Israel in the Wilderness. The foundation of our system of worship, only different in names as we call them, church - temple - hall - cathedral, etc. It was but fair for the children of Israel, to offer their offering after all the goodness which God had done for them; freed them from Egyptian bondage; gave them safe conduct across the Red Sea. Furnished them with water where there was none; He had given them bread from heaven in the form of manna and He had

done other great things for them. Even Egypt in spite of the indifference of the Pharaohs, the land was blessed and mother earth have given her increase; a condition which had made it possible for the filling of the grain storehouses of the Egyptians while Canaan and other places were gripped with famine. That was the opening of the way for Jacob and his sons and brethren to have entered on Egyptian soil.

In the book of Leviticus, nineteen chapter, verses nine and ten, we find... Notice how God made provisions for the poor to feel that they had the law concerning the gleanings of the Harvest and Vintage. The Hebrew, literally -- "Thou shalt not make a full end of the corner; thou shalt not make a clean riddance of it. Those who had crops were to leave a little standing corn for the poor in the end of the field and were not to be too careful to glean the fields clean."

"In gathering the fruits of

the trees they were to leave a little for the poor. Scattered grape clusters were to be left on the vines".

The purpose in this law was to inculcate a kindly and generous spirit and to give the poor to feel that they had a legal right to the produce of the soil and need not be embarrassed over the necessity of entering a neighbour's field.

We come nearer to the terrestrial harvest by giving thought to our own cultivations; there we find the wonderful miracle of the five barley leaves and two fishes. Think of it, when we scratch a hole; place into it insignificant bits of plant as cassava or other tubercous plants and to see the yield in time of harvest through the goodness of God. When we plant three or four grains of corn and are blessed to reap fruitful ears; have we not the obligation to give in the service of God much of that which He has given to us?

The material gifts, shrouded on the other hand prepare our lives for that day when we will be the crops of the land, when the Lord of the harvest will appear, as we sung so tunelessly at the opening of this Service. -- "For the Lord our God shall come, and shall take His harvest home; from His fields shall purge away all that doth offend that day; Give His angels charge at last, in the fire the tears to cast, but the fruitful ears to store in His garner evermore. Let us be prepared for that day".

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MISS DUNN OF THE ZENT PRIVATE SCHOOL WILL ENTERTAIN

We are told that the private school at Zent which is operated by Miss Dunn of that district is slated for an entertainment on Wednesday night the 19th of December 1945; this programme will be in line with the closing of the school year. The scholars will be sent cheerily home to enjoy their period of rest and recreation.

It has been announced that a familiar character in that procedure of function has been engaged to preside over the programme.

The Presidents of Zent and vicinity are specially asked to mark in red the date of December 19 th as a token memory. A jolly Yuletide treat is in the making.

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CLOSING SCHOOL PROGRAMME—THURSDAY NIGHT THE 29TH.

The closing programme of the school designated "Triumph" under the jurisdiction of the seventh Day Adventist Denomination be given on

the night of Thursday the 29th instant.

Directress, Dora Berrios extends a cordial welcome to parents—wards—friends and the general community.

FRANCE'S NATIONAL ASSEMBLY CONFIRMS PRESIDENT DE GAULLE'S ELECTION

The Constitutional National Assembly of the Fourth French Republic on the nineteenth of the month in course by a vote of four hundred against one hundred and sixty three confirmed the election of General Chas. de Gaulle as Provisional President of France and asked him to renew the forces tending to create a Coalition Government.

It has been mentioned also that as an amendment to the previous voting which was approved by three hundred and fifty eight votes against thirty nine a motion was effected stipulating that the Chief Magistrate of the State must give equal participation in the Cabinet composed of the three principal parties of the Council—namely—Communist—Socialist and the Popular Republican Movement.

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BANANA GROWERS ASSOCIATION HELD INTERESTING SESSION

In keeping to previous announcement the members of the Atlantic Banana Growers Association held a very interesting session on Saturday, eight evenings ago. The meeting was presided over by President, Stanley Britton. Rather encouraging ex-

tracts on the aspect of the legal recognition of the Association was released by the Secretary; indicating that very soon this very effective weapon of defence and benefit to the cultivators of banana, particularly in this zone, will hold its own.

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BULLETINS FROM BRITAIN

MY DEAR DIZZY

Continued from last Issue
14th September, 1944

My Dear Dizzy,

These are "famous last words." I am afraid, but one has to face death one day or another, so I will not moan, and get down to brass tacks.

I will not attempt to make a report on my journey except to say that up to the very moment of my arrest it had been a success, and I had got things cracking and woken up a number of slumbers. I was quite pleased with things—I took every precaution and neglected nothing—my capture was due to one of these incidents one cannot provide for—I had so much work that I was overwhelmed, so I asked PIC to provide me with a sure, dependable agent "de liaison", and he gave me a young chap called Guy, whom I renamed Alan. He worked for me for a week, and then got caught; how I do not know, but in any case he had an appointment with me at 11 a. m. on

Tuesday, 21st. March, by the Metro Passy, and brought the Gestapo with him. He was obviously unable to withstand bullying and very quickly gave in to questioning. I was caught coming around a corner and had not an earthly chance, being collar and handcuffed before I could say "knife". I was badly beaten up in the car on the way to Gestapo H. Q. arriving there with a twisted nose and a head about twice its normal size. I was then subjected to four days' continuous grilling, being beaten up and also being put into a bath of icy cold water, legs and arms chained, and held head downwards under water until almost drowned, then pulled out and asked if I had anything to say. This I underwent six times, but I managed to hold out and gave nothing away. Not a single arrest was made as a sequel to my capture. The only trouble was that the party who was to fog me got arrested and will have to be compensated for losing liberty and home.

I was interrogated for about two months, but dodged everything. I was offered freedom if I would hand over X—some hope—I nearly lost my left arm as a result of the torture, as I got blood poisoning through my wrist being cut to the bone by chains and remaining unattended with handcuffs biting into them for about six days. Apart from that I was kept in solitary confinement for four months at Fresnes. I was very unpopular as a Britisher, and one of the German N. C. O.'s, Feldwe-

bel, was particularly glad at every opportunity of punching me or slapping my face. He gave me three weeks of glasshouse in a darkened cell, without mattress, blanket, deprived of all means of washing, and with about half a pound of bread per day as sole food. I was pretty weak when I came out, but had about 2½ stage in weight. I was sent to Compiegne on 17th July, whilst there recuperated a bit, and had arranged an escape together with a chap well known to— and got sent to Weimar on the eve of escaping. The other chap succeeded. Bad luck for me.

The journey here was an eventful one, it took eight days. The first man I ran into when being entrained was A, and the second was B. We had various adventures, all were handcuffed the whole time, 10 men in one compartment and 16 in another. We could not move, being packed like sardines. The gates of the compartments were padlocked and we had very little air, no food had been provided for us. We were given one day's ration which had to last five days, luckily some had Red Cross parcels or we would have starved. The train was bombed and machine-gunned on the way and we had a very narrow shave. Our escorts ran and left us helpless; had the rain caught fire we would have burned like trapped rats. We had to stop at Saarbrücken for three days in a punishment and reprisals camp and were beaten up on arrival. As usual I seemed to attract particular attention and got well and truly slapped and cuffed. We were confined for three days and nights, 37 of us in a hut 9 feet by 7 feet. It was Hell. We then came on to this place, Buchenwald. On the way our escorts plundered and stole practically all our effects. Never before had a word about German honesty, they are the biggest thieves, liars, bullies and cowards I have ever met. In addition they delight in torturing people and gloating over it. Upon arrival, which took place at about midnight, we were locked up in disinfecting quarters and next morning were very nearly hanged summarily, but temporarily reprieved. We were stripped, completely shorn, and dressed in prison rags, losing of few remaining belongings, and 16 of us, including B, were told to report to a certain place. We never saw them again and found out that they were hung without trial on the night of 11th-12th September. They have been cremated so no trace remains of

WHEAT CROP ESTIMATE

Canada's 1945 wheat production is now placed at 39,000,000 bushels, according to the second estimate issued today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The production for this year is estimated at 37,200,000 bushels, limited at 153,300,000 bushels and floaxseed at 7,400,000 bushels. The second estimates of grain as compared with those released on September 12, are generally lower, principally due to lower estimates of yields in the Prairie Provinces. The second estimate of wheat production is lower by 12,500,000 bushels, while the oat crop is down 10,000,000 bushels. The reduction from the first estimate in the barley crop amounts to 4,900,000 bushels, while that for floaxseed is raised slightly.

AUSTRALIAN AID FOR U.S.

Speaking on Australia Reciprocal Aid to the U. S. A., Mr. Chifley, Federal Premier of Australia, has announced that the total recorded Australian Lend Lease expenditure to June this year was £ 358,500,000. The total included: £ 69,500,000 for provisions; £ 82,900,000 for general stores; £ 40,700,000 for works; £ 25,200,000 for shipping; £ 25,100,000 for motor transport and £ 20,900,000 for aircraft stores and equipment.

them. We are now awaiting our turn. There are 170 armen, (British and American) brought down and captured in France, but they are being treated as "terror fliers" and sleeping in the open, living under appalling conditions in violation of all conventions. They ought to be treated as prisoners of war. Men die like flies here.

I sent a message to you through— I hope you received it, but I have no means of telling. The bearer of this letter will give you all details, so I will not say more— whatever he tells you is Gospel truth. He is no rascal, and he will never be able to really do justice to the horrors perpetrated here. For God's sake, Dizzy, see to it that our people never let themselves be softened towards the German people, or there will be another war in 15 years time, and all our lives will have been sacrificed in vain. I leave it to you and others to see that retribution is fierce. It will never be fierce enough.

WELCOMES APPOINTMENT

The Canadian Governor-General Desjardins-Field Marshall Sir Harold Alexander— will hold his coming still further the friendship of Britain, Canada, and the United States.

In an interview at Ascot, England, with Reuters correspondent John Walker, the Mediterranean military commander said that he welcomes his appointment to the Canadian post because he thinks there is a real job there.

Sir Harold said that he is meeting every Canadian he can in order to learn from them something of the Dominion he will soon call his home. Sir Harold and his wife, Lady Margaret, intend to leave Britain for this country in February.

Now fifty-four years of age, the Field Marshall regards his military career as ended. He believes the time has come to make way for younger officers. In Canada, he expects to travel widely, by meeting and making friends with all classes. Canadians are not new to him since the Canadian Corps fought under him during the Italian campaign. He refers to them as having been one of his finest units and he says that he regretted their removal when it came time for the Corps to join the Canadian Army in Holland and Germany.

TALE OF NAZI CONSPIRACY

The trial of three one-time German desert fliers at Medicine Hat, Alberta, has revealed a tale of Nazi conspiracy, based on the barbed wire of a Canadian prisoner-of-war compound, the Canadian Press reports.

Prisoners Johannes Wittgen, Adolph Kratz and Werner, Schwab, are charged with murdering a fellow-prisoner—August Plazek—hanged on July 2nd, 1943. All four soldiered in the late Field Marshal Rommel's Afrika Korps.

The first of an expected 13 witnesses to be heard—Richard Eltermann—holder of the Iron Cross told the opening session of the court yesterday of reports which went the camp courts in July, 1943, to the effect that some prisoners had designs on camp authority as it was then constituted.

Major Nolte, another Iron Cross man, said he attended a meeting the day before Plazek's was found hanged and that it had been called to inquire into reports concerning internal management of the Medicine Hat camp.

The German medical officer

CO-OPERATION IN ASIA

Each of the great powers has been acting at times in Asia if they had no allies. International co-operation seems to be a mean ingenuousness that is a guide to conduct. In China and Japan the United States is being down the law with little regard to the desires of other nations. In northern Korea the Russians are operating alone and, what is worse, behind a curtain of secrecy. In Indo-China the French seem to take the attitude that native revolts are of no consequence except to France. In Java the British are fighting a minor war while the nationalists make appeals to America and Russia.

In the present state of the world joint action everywhere is an impossibility—Americans, for example, would be unwilling to take a strong hand in Indonesia—but there might be much less blood flowing in the Far East if the alliance which won the war were used more often to preserve the peace.

The internal conflict in China to select one illustration, might have been prevented if the major powers had agreed to inform the Chinese that such a war would be viewed with grave disfavor. In place of any move of this kind, however, the United States gave aid to the central government of such a nature that fighting became almost inevitable. This was a mistake as grave on the part of America as it would have been for Russia to assist the Chinese Reds in a drive on Chungking.

There was sufficient protest in the United States, fortunately, to bring about a change in policy in China. American planes and ships no longer are being used to transport government troops to battle grounds in the Red areas. As result there is a lessening of tension, and the government and the Communists again are negotiating, with some possibility of success. The negotiations should be encouraged by all nations concerned with the Far East in the hope that China will be united under a democratic constitution. If there could be joint action in China with good results it might lead to similar moves elsewhere, as in Korea, where the need is almost equally urgent. An alliance for peace is 3½ badly needed as the recent alliance for war.

He testified that on July 23, while working in the camp hospital, he heard a shot and later was called out by an orderly to find a corpse hanging in the recreation hall.

That was the lifeless body of Plazek.