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—FORTY HOURS DEVOTION—The Inmaculate Conception Church at Fifteen Point opened their Forty Hours Devotion on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Nazaire Poirier, P. E. being assisted by the neighbouring priests. Rev. F. X. Gallant, Egmont, Rev. Urban Gillis, Wellington, Rev. Dr. Monaghan, Summerside, and Rev. Francis A. Senneker, of the Mission Field, West Canada, who is at present visiting his old home in Egmont Bay. There was a very large attendance at the Forty hours which closed on Tuesday morning with High Mass. S.

—MAIL COURIERS MEET—The regular meeting of the Prince County Rural Carriers was held on Saturday evening in the Town Hall, Summerside and was presided over by Mr. J. P. O'Connell, president. Representatives from the Provincial Association were present and discussed the problems of the mail carrier system was the main point under discussion but nothing definite was done in the matter. The election of officers for the following year was held in the following appointments: President, Mr. F. A. Wotton, Victoria. (re-elected). Vice-President, Stanley Arthur, Alberton. Secretary, Rev. Francis A. Senneker. Recording Secretary, Rev. MacDonald, Bloomfield. It was decided to hold small couriers' picnic at Cavendish next summer. S.

—PASSED AWAY SUDDENLY—Friends were shocked to learn of the sudden passing of Mrs. Barton of New York who dropped dead at the home of her brother, Mr. Lambert Gillis, Misouche shortly before midnight on Sunday. Mrs. Barton, 65, was formerly Miss Gillis, Misouche, and was visiting her brother at the time of her sudden demise. Her husband was visiting her at the time of her passing. Her death was a surprise to all who knew her. Her funeral will be held this morning from St. John the Baptist Church, Misouche. S.

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BUFFER STATE

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rupted by the collapse of the Polish state and to assist the population of Poland in reconstructing their state existence. First reports said Red troops had taken Dubno and Tarnopol in the Polish Ukraine, Baranowice, a rail centre 50 miles inside the Polish frontier and Gieboke, north-east of Wilno. (Paris reports said Wilno, Lithuanian capital which Poland seized in 1920, had been captured by the Russians. Rumanian frontier dispatches said the Soviets took Zaleszczyki and Sniatyn on the border and were driving toward Kut).

Foreign military experts estimated the Soviet Union has at least 2,000,000 soldiers on her western front and that between 500,000 and 1,000,000 were probably were participating in Poland.

Poland's Ambassador, Wladyslaw Grzybowski, received instructions from his government to leave Moscow in protest. There was no immediate indication when he would leave.

British and French diplomatic missions still awaited instructions from London and Paris over the development of the war.

When he informed 24 other nations of the Soviet march, Premier Vachidoloff told Britain and France that Russia intended to remain neutral. He declared the Soviet intention was to protect the 11,000,000 Ukrainians and White Russians in Poland.

Excitement of the Russian population over the army's advance subsided when they no longer feared war with Germany. Soviet newspapers in their war reports gave the bulk of space to Berlin dispatches.

Diplomatic quarters heard continued reports that an armistice would be concluded as soon as Poland's fate has been settled by Germany and Russia.

RUSSIAN ACT

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"Gunga Din" a sensational screen drama of British army life in India, with amazing action and magnificent headlong action, thrilled the large audience from the opening scene to the last dramatic moment when Gunga Din sacrifices his life for his chief, at the Capitol Theatre last evening.

The RKO Radio feature is adapted from Rudyard Kipling's famous poem of the same title, its central figure being a bhiloi, or regimental water-carrier, who develops from a humble servant into a heroic fighting man.

Dominating the adventures of Gunga Din are three sergeants, a strongly contrasting trio who meet an attack by tribesmen of the murderous cult of Thugee as a British military patrol advances from a British outpost.

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NAVAL SHIP

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his duties at Buckingham Palace when the Naval Reserve was called up, being posted to the Courageous.

The Courageous was one of Britain's oldest Aircraft Carriers. Originally launched in 1916 as a cruiser, she was converted between 1924 and 1928 into a motorship for sea-going planes at a cost of £2,000,000. She was the first British warship to go down in this war.

Sub Perishes The first brief communique by the Admiralty said the attacking submarine was "heavily attacked by destroyers and is believed to have been sunk."

This led to the theory that the commander of the German U-Boat spotting the big floating air base which presumably was engaged in convoy work in cooperation with destroyers, decided to take the 1,000 to 1 odds against him by firing a torpedo at the Courageous and hoping to escape.

Just what happened is shrouded in Admiralty secrecy. But it was conjectured that the U-Boat pierced the ring of destroyers by a dangerously deep dive, came up to the surface to release a torpedo at the unsuspecting aircraft carrier—and perished through the terrific pounding of shells and depth charges directed at her by the destroyers. The U-Boat commander's big game had succeeded—and failed.

The Ministry of Information said the full complement of the Courageous plus the personnel of the fleet air arm—normally 48 planes—was about 1,200 officers and men. When sunk she had a reduced complement of aircraft and therefore presumably a somewhat smaller crew.

Who the Courageous went down was not disclosed. The Admiralty said she had been "performing very good service in protecting the west coast of the mercantile marine against U-boat attacks."

This was taken to mean she had been conveying merchantmen as well as carrying planes in Britain's efforts to drive enemy submarines and shipping from the seas.

Six Newer Carriers The loss of the Courageous, while a severe blow, left Great Britain with six other, newer aircraft carriers. Ark Royal, Eagle, Furious, Glorious and Hermes. Five more are under construction. One of them, the Conqueror, was launched on August 18. She is not damaged and now is being prepared for service.

The number of survivors could not be reported until the number of each minorly injured was reported.

One survivor said those members of the crew who could not swim supported themselves with pieces of wood and rafts until they were rescued.

"She immediately began to list to port," he said, "and within five minutes the Captain gave orders to abandon her, and after her bows had submerged and her stern had cocked up being hit, she actually foundered within 15 to 30 minutes after being hit. Some boats on the starboard side were got out but those on the port side could not be used as she heeled over too quickly."

Lists of the survivors were posted and lost and lists were missed in the crowd of cheering and there were relatives who turned away in tears and disappointment.

Struck Without Warning Survivors said the Courageous was struck without warning, though the submarine was quickly spotted after the attack.

There was a moderate sea and it was still daylight.

The Captain's Secretary said the ship was hit by destroyers after swimming 40 minutes. "Everybody behaved with calm and men cracked jokes," he said. "There was no panic or disorder, some being their air patrol of the sea said 'many submarines' have been found and attacked, some with little opposition from the German air force."

Plane Sinks U-Boat The communique also gave an eyewitness account by a South African flier telling how he sighted, approached under cover of a cloud and sank the craft with bombs.

The scene of the battle was not disclosed.

He said he opened fire at a man on the conning tower. His first bomb hit the water 15 to 20 yards ahead of the submarine, and the explosion blew her back to the surface, he said. His account continued:

"The nearest bomb of my second salvo was a direct hit on the submarine's portside and there was a colossal explosion and her whole stern lifted out of the water. She divided in two at the sea at an angle of 90 degrees."

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