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COL. STEWART TO PROBE RELIEF CAMPS

250 Men From Camps March to Nelson; Longbeach Men Refuse Chance to Leave

McGeer Opposes Re-Making of the Columbia Riding; the Government Wins Upon Vote

FOUR POWERS ARE BEHIND LONDON SILVER MOVE

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP)—United States, Australia, India and Mexico have formally ratified their execution of the London agreement on silver, Hon. E. N. Rhodes, minister of finance, informed the house of commons today.

Deputy Speaker Casts Against the Move; Pooley Critical

VICTORIA, Feb. 26 (CP)—In the first division of the present sitting of the house this afternoon, the government was victorious by a vote of 30 to 12. The division was taken on bill number 2 which would re-create Columbia riding, merged with Revelstoke and Cranbrook in the last redistribution.

L. A. Hanna, Comox, deputy speaker, and G. G. McGeer, Lib., Vancouver, Burrard, voted against the government; Clive P. M. Planta, non-partisan, Peace river, supported the bill, while R. W. Bruhn, Independent, Salmon Arm, Dr. J. J. Gillis, Lib., Yale, George M. Murray, Lib., Lillooet, and Thomas Uphill, Labor, Fernie, were absent.

When the bill passed second reading further progress was postponed by R. H. Pooley, Unionist, Esquimalt, who stated he was acting in behalf of Mr. Bruhn, who was unavoidably absent and who wished to speak on the measure. Mr. Pooley's request for delay was concurred in by the government.

ASSAULT BY McGEER

Discussion on the bill was featured by a vigorous assault by Mr. McGeer

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PLAN DARING ICE RESCUES

Airplanes and Dogs to Be Used on the Soviet Ice Floes

By STANLEY P. RICHARDSON
Associated Press Foreign Staff

MOSCOW, Feb. 26 (AP)— Over cracking ice and during a heavy storm, members of a Wrangel Island expedition marooned in the Bering sea today began moving their food and fuel stores to safe places while awaiting a rescue party.

An airplane, meanwhile, was dispatched from Moscow to aid another endangered group of 454 fishermen who, with 330 horses, were reported adrift on two floes in the Caspian sea.

Airplanes and dog teams were ready for another attempt to rescue the 101 persons, including women and children, whose ship, the Chelyuskin, sank February 13 on its return from Wrangel Island, leaving them to face perils of the Bering sea ice.

U.S. LEADS IN NEW CRUISERS

France Completing a Large Flotilla of Destroyers

LONDON, Feb. 26 (CP cable)—The United States leads the world in cruisers building and projected, it was shown in an official admiralty return issued tonight, while Japan is building cruisers of unusually heavy armament and France is completing the biggest and most powerful fleet of destroyer flotilla leaders.

As battleships remain at fixed limits under the Washington treaty it is the activities of the naval powers in these auxiliary classes that is arousing attention. The returns, incidentally, issued not long after Chancellor of the Exchequer Neville Chamberlain had declared, "We have reduced our defences to a dangerously low level."

Markets at a Glance

By the Canadian Press

Toronto and Montreal — Stocks closed lower.

Toronto—Narrowly lower.

New York—Stocks lower with the close heavy.

Winnipeg—Wheat closed lower.

Toronto—Bacon hogs off car up 5 cents to 90.

London—Bar silver, tin, copper, lead and zinc unchanged.

New York—Cotton, rubber, coffee and sugar lower.

New York—Canadian dollar up 1-16 to 99 7-16.

FORMER CITY CLERK AT NEW WESTMINSTER DIES

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., Feb. 26 (CP)—William Archibald Duncan, 88, for 22 years city clerk of New Westminster until his retirement in 1924, died Sunday at his home, Queens avenue. He had been in failing health for some time.

Lord Sands Is Dead in Scotland

EDINBURGH, Feb. 26 (CP cable)—Christopher Nicholson Johnston, Lord Sands, died today at the age of 76 years. He had been chairman of the Edinburgh employment committee of the ministry of labor for the past 12 years and previously held many other governmental offices. He was a former procurator of the Church of Scotland, and former sheriff of Inverness, Englin, Nairne and Perth.

BAYCHIMO STILL SAILS AMONG ICE THREE YEARS AFTER WAS GIVEN UP

HALIFAX, Feb. 26 (CP). — The phantom ship of the Arctic still sails the northern ice lanes, guided past unseen shoals as though by a ghostly hand at her wheel and steering always towards some destination she never reaches. Trapped in the ice floes off the far Alaskan coast, the derelict, Baychimo, has become one of the ghost ships of the seas.

She has been drifting now for three years, her staunch hull withstanding the battering of the ice, still as strong as the day she broke anchor at Wainright, Alaska, and drifted off into the northern mists.

WOMAN BOARDED SHIP

But the valuable cargo of furs the Hudson's Bay company steamer carried then has almost disappeared—prey to venturesome Eskimos and the two shiploads of white persons who have sighted her in her wanderings. Isobel Wylie Hutchison, who collects Arctic specimens for two English institutions, was with one of the two groups, the only white woman ever to have boarded the derelict.

The little Scotswoman, perhaps the only white woman who travels the Arctic on her own, was in Halifax today on the way back to England with botanical specimens and Eskimo curious. And she told reporters of her visit aboard the Baychimo when it loomed up 12 miles off Wainright—its starting point—last summer.

PACKED TIGHTLY

Miss Hutchinson was travelling

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Death Toll 60 in Eastern States; Tornadoes Terrify

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (CP)—Death total throughout the United States climbed to 60 today as a blizzard swirled through the eastern states, adding at least six names to the list of victims written by a weekend of snow, hail, rain, tornadoes and cold.

The south reported 17 dead in tornadoes which twisted through Alabama, Georgia and Mississippi; eight bodies were taken from a missing air liner near Salt Lake City; six were dead in the eastern storms and Ohio, Illinois and Pennsylvania added more than 20 fatalities. A tornado struck near Orlando, Fla., today, injuring five persons.

The forecasters promised all sections relief tomorrow.

Fires and a train wreck added to the disaster. Six died in a hotel blaze in Utica, N.Y., and three were killed and one seriously injured when a Pennsylvania flyer, the Fort Dearborn, crashed into a truck in

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Silver Resolution Placed Before the Dominion House

MAKE SILVER LEGAL TENDER REID'S URGE

Is in Favor of Fixed Ratio With Gold; Has Resolution

RHODES HAS AN AMENDMENT, TOO

Scarcity of Gold Is Termed the Cause of Hard Times

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP)—The adoption of silver as legal tender at a fixed ratio with gold was urged upon the house of commons today in a resolution moved by Thomas Reid (Lib., New Westminster). The resolution was as follows:

"Whereas goods or services between nations or people can only be paid for either by other goods or services, or by some unit of value acceptable to those desiring such goods or service, and which unit of value has for ages been the precious metals, silver and gold;

"And whereas, for centuries past, silver was the only precious metal used as currency and as the unit of value for the interchange of goods and service;

"And whereas, latterly, gold was alone used by the leading nations of the world as the one unit of

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World Silver Pact Backed by House Only One Opposes

Is First Step Towards the Stabilization of Prices; Rhodes Dismisses the Plan of Bi-Metalism; Weyburnite Against

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (AP)—The house of commons tonight approved the world silver agreement, negotiated at London last June under which the producing nations took steps to stabilize prices. The pact received almost unanimous endorsation, only E. J. Young (Lib.-Weyburn) shouting disapproval. There was no recorded vote.

The five leading silver producers, Australia, Canada, the United States, Mexico and Peru agreed to withdraw from the world market a total of 35,000,000 fine ounces of silver. Canada's share was 1,671,802 ounces, but so far no steps have been taken to buy this from Canadian mines. In addition, the countries with silver coinage agreed not to debase their currencies, Canada's remaining 80 per cent silver and 20 per cent alloy.

RHODES SAYS BI-METALISM IMPRACTIBLE

Endorsation of the world agreement marked the end of a debate on bi-metalism, introduced by Thomas Reid (Lib.-New Westminster). He sponsored a motion to link gold and silver as a monetary base but Hon. E. N. Rhodes, minister of finance, moved an amendment for approval of the silver agreement, dismissing bi-metalism with the statement it was impractible unless adopted simultaneously by the leading countries of the world.

Hon. H. H. Stevens, minister of trade and commerce, considered a parliamentary expert on silver, agreed with bi-metalism as a theory, but said it could never be operated until accepted by the larger countries. Canada could not lead off but should act in conformity with the views of the most progressive countries as enunciated in the world agreement.

One suggestion on how to withdraw Canada's silver quota was advanced by Mr. Reid. He proposed issuing silver certificates and showed step by step how Canada could pay 40 cents an ounce for 1,671,802 ounces and still make money on the deal. This was possible by following the present mintage of $1.60 in coins for every 40 cents in fine silver. Silver dollars would be issued to cover the initial cost, the remaining 1,781,980 ounces being left in the federal treasury as a reserve and silver certificates issued against it. This would allow over $2,000,000 in certificates to be issued.

PEOPLE TIRED OF OLD STUFF IN B.C. HOUSE

Watch for Something New to Emerge at This Session

SO DECLARES A C.C.F. STALWART

Anderson Hopes for Success Economic Council

VICTORIA, Feb. 26 (CP).—"The people of British Columbia are watching for something new to emerge from this legislature," H. C. E. Anderson (C.C.F.-North Vancouver) told the legislature today in debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne. "The old threadbare subjects of freight rates, tariffs, orderly marketing and collective bargaining have proved to be fruitless. We are asked to consider not merely economic problems, but the basic problems of bare survival for the people. Civilization today depends upon the successful operation of a system which has exhausted all its possibilities."

Education, public services, superannuation, pensions, and hospital-

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PLANE FINDS MISSING MEN

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26 (AP)—Searching the wide expanses of Lake Pontchartrain and Lake Borgne on whose storm-tossed waters more than a dozen persons were missing, James R. Wedell, the speed flyer, today located five of them.

All those sought were aboard small craft bound for fishing or outing parties when the lakes were swept by high winds over night.

Wedell found the sloop, Pimpernell, disabled toward the north end of the lake this afternoon.

The three on board, Edward Eustis, George Hopkins and Dr. H. R. Kahle, appeared safe, but suffering from the cold.

Subsequently, other parties numbering 10 men were reported missing on the lake and Wedell resumed his patrol of the rough waters, signalling late in the day he had seen two of the men stranded on a point near Pas Chef Menteur.

Would Have Music With Beer in B.C.

VICTORIA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Seeking permission to perform in premises where liquor is served, a delegation representing organized musicians in the province waited on Attorney-General Sloan over the week-end. Howard Coulter, solicitor for the musicians, and Edward Jamieson, secretary, asked for legislation to allow musical performances in beer parlors and any other premises which may be allowed to serve liquor.

PU-YI IS SOON TO BE EMPEROR

By JAMES A. MILLS
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HSINKING, Manchukuo, Feb. 26 (AP)—Mr. Henry Pu-Yi will receive a new name March 1—Emperor Kang Teh.

The years of his forthcoming reign as the emperor of Manchukuo will be known as the era of Kang Teh.

The two ideographs, Kang and Teh, were announced today as chosen to represent Henry Pu-Yi in history. They literally mean tranquillity and virtue.

These two ideographs were especially meaningful to the oriental mind because they represent the virtues in the writings of Confucius prescribed for a sovereign who intends a peaceful and benevolent rule.

Today the bespectacled Pu-Yi observed in fasting, prayer and meditation, the 28th anniversary of his birth.

Discuss Copper Prices in Tariff Board Hearing

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP)—The fact that Canadian copper sells cheaper in London than it does in Canada is not "commonsense," Chairman George H. Sedgewick of the tariff board told G. F. Allan, vice-president of the Canada Metal company of Toronto today. Mr. Allan was seeking a duty of 1½ cents per pound on ingot brass, 85 per cent of which was made up of copper.

Explaining that the difference in prices between the eight cents per pound in London and 9.45 cents per pound in Toronto, Mr. Allan said that, for the sale of Canadian copper in Canada, the Canadian producer put on to his initial price the Canadian duty and the ocean freight to and from London.

The hearing was adjourned until April 16.

Regina's Mayor Is Threatened

REGINA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Reminding him of the fate of Constable Lenhard of the city police force who was shot by a thug last year and intimating a similar fate was in store for him, Mayor Cornelius Rink received an anonymous threatening letter signed "We the Unemployed," Monday.

"A man who is afraid to sign his name to a letter is a coward and I am not afraid of cowards," was the mayor's comment.

Communist Killed

PARIS, Feb. 27 (Tuesday) (AP)—A Communist was killed early today in a sharp outburst of rioting in the Belleville worker's section. The death brought to 26 the number slain in disorders during the month.

Two hundred Communists fought a battle with Nationalists as the latter were leaving a meeting. Then the Communists started to raise street barricades.

FIRST BUSH FIRE

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., Feb. 26 (CP)—Months ahead of the usual season, a brush fire broke out Sunday in the vicinity of Mead station on the Central Park line of the British Columbia Electric railway. The blaze, fanned by a wind, burned merrily for a short time. But was extinguished with only slight damage done.

F. M. Gibson, Bank Official, Dies

TORONTO, Feb. 26 (CP) -Frederick Merton Gibson, 56, assistant general manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is dead here following a heart attack.

He managed branches at Revelstoke, B.C., Kingston, Ont., and Havana, Cuba, before being transferred to headquarters staff.

Vancouver Is Seeking More Aid at Victoria

VANCOUVER, Feb. 27 (CP)—Seeking definite information on what provincial grants may be received by the city this year, Ald. G. C. Miller will confer with Hon. John Hart, provincial finance minister, in Victoria on Wednesday. The alderman will leave Vancouver on Tuesday night.

Because of reduced assessments the city's revenue this year will be about $700,000 lower than that of 1933 and Ald. Miller is faced with the problem of finding additional revenue to balance the 1934 budget.

BENNETT TO TALK ON WHEAT BOARD

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Hon. W. R. Motherwell (Lib., Melville) asked in the house of commons today if the government had given consideration in recent months to the advisability of setting up a regulatory constituted wheat marketing board.

The prime minister said he would reply later.

LUMBER WORKER DIES OF INJURIES

NORTH VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 26 (CP)—Donald M. Beaton, 53, East Hastings, seriously injured while working in the lumber mill at Dollarton, B. C., Feb. 16 was dead today. An inquest will be held.

REOPEN CAMPAIGN TO CUT WHEAT PRODUCTION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 (CP)—Chester C. Davis, United States farm administrator, said today the campaign of last fall to sign up wheat growers in a compact to reduce productions would be reopened.

Alberta to Aid Coal Industry

EDMONTON, Feb. 26 (CP)—Government intervention in some form to save the Alberta coal mining industry from threatened disaster was urged upon Premier J. E. Brownlee and his cabinet on Monday by a delegation of steam and coal domestic coal operators from various mining fields in the province.

Something will be done about it, the premier indicated.

B.C. to Probe the New Bank Scheme

VICTORIA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Public accounts committee of the British Columbia legislature will investigate proposed Dominion legislation for a privately-owned central bank in Canada as a matter of urgent public importance. The question was referred to the committee today on motion of G. G. McGeer (Lib., Burrard), carried with the concurrence of Premier T. D. Pattullo.

Five Killed in Pittsburgh Wreck

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 26 (AP)—Five persons were reported killed tonight in a wreck of a Pennsylvania eastbound passenger train on Pittsburgh's north side. The engine and the first two cars rolled from a viaduct and plunged into the street below.

ACREAGE UNDER LONDON WHEAT PACT ON 3-YEAR BASIS

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP).—The acreage under the London wheat agreement was computed on a three-year basis and the yield per acre on a 10-year basis, the prime minister stated in the house of commons today in confirmation of a reply he gave to the chamber on Friday.

LATE NEWS FLASHES

PARIS—Probe into activities of two officials and a former ministry attache ordered in amazing Stavisky affair.

ROME — Premier Mussolini and Capt. Anthony Eden, British envoy, agree upon possibility of finding a base for a general agreement on disarmament.

OTTAWA—Minister of finance announces if Canadians wish a silver dollar government will not be opposed to it. Will probably be discussed by banking committee.

VIENNA—Monarchists cheer royalty and Dollfuss in demanding return of Austrian monarchy. Rumors are troops on way to meet Archduke Otto, claimant of the throne, and escort him triumphantly into Vienna.

GENEVA—Geneva circles of the league more optimistic as to resumption of disarmament talks.

2 Longbeach Camps and the Taghum Members March to Town; Refuse Take Checks

Colonel Stewart Urges Men Not to Be Hasty; Leaves Today to Inspect Conditions; Men Are Quiet and Orderly

FAIL IN ATTEMPT TO DICKER FOR MEAL; SLEEP IN VERNON' BLOCK

Lieut.-Col. J. C. Stewart, here from Calgary headquarters of military district No. 13 to make his first inspection of the Dominion work camps, as assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general, stated Monday night he was leaving at 8 a.m. Tuesday to visit the camps from which contingents have come to Neslon, to personally inspect them, and to get to the bottom of all complaints that relate to their operation.

Col. Stewart, recently appointed to succeed Lieut.-Col. D. J. MacDonald, who had been appointed to the general staff at Ottawa, arrived at Calgary only last Thursday, direct from his recent command at Kingston, Ont., where he commanded the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery. He was in command of the military force that put down the riot in Kingston penitentiary last October, the force consisting of three batteries on foot armed with rifles.

Three Dominion work camps are represented in a body of about 250 strikers that came together in Nelson Monday afternoon and night, following the discharge of 15 men at the Longbeach camps. The Taghum contingent, which had been in Nelson at the end of the week, and had returned to camp, came out again on receipt of the news from Longbeach.

The men behaved in an orderly manner, but in response to representations made to J. P. Coates, superintending engineer of the West Kootenay camps under the department of national defence, received no encouragement that the government would be able to do anything for them not already provided at the camps.

This demonstration coincided with the visit here on a tour of inspection, of Lieut.-Col. J. C. Stewart, newly appointed assistant adjutant and quartermaster-general of military district No. 13, and Lieut.-Col. H. D. Dawson, district supply and transport officer, who arrived on the morning train from Calgary.

15 MEN DISCHARGED

In the case of the Longbeach West camp, 15 men were discharged, and their sympathizers walked out with them. One provincial police officer was present. Leaving early in the morning, the strikers made the route by easy stages, carrying their packs, and arriving here shortly after 3 o'clock in the afternoon singing, and proceeded to the armory, where the district camp administration is situated. Dumping their packs in the armory, and sitting on them or on bales of blankets, and

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ASK MORE PAY AT LONGBEACH

84 Men Walk From Relief Camp Into City of Nelson

LONGBEACH EAST CAMP, Feb. 26—With a view to signifying their protest against the rate of pay being allowed them and with the object of furthering their chances of securing compliance with their "demands," 84 men left the Longbeach west camp early this morning to march to Nelson.

Shortly after dinner 54 men lined up at the Longbeach east camp and, headed by their mascot, a Boston bulldog, commenced the 15-mile hike.

The men are acting in an orderly manner and although the provincial police were at the west camp early, nothing untoward occurred. Some 95 men remained at the east camp and 55 at the west camp.

Stanley Humphries, foreman in charge, is handling a difficult situation in a remarkably efficient manner and while no work is proceeding pending the arrival of military officers from Calgary, he has the confidence of a very large proportion of the men and it is hoped that a satisfactory solution will soon be arrived at, whereby the good work the men were doing at these projects can be resumed.

HE IS 100

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26 (CP)—John Wesley Woodworth today was Vancouver's new centenarian.

Mr. Woodworth celebrated his 100th birthday yesterday.

Born on a farm at Albert Mines, N. B., in 1834 Mr. Woodworth spent most of his life farming. He retired and came here to live 23 years ago.

BRITAIN OFFERED BERMUDAS TO U.S.

But Hoover Declined Offer as Part Payment for War Debts

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26 (AP).—Representative Louis McFadden (R.-Pa.) told the United States house of representatives today he believed the country had gone long enough without information as to what President Hoover and Ramsay MacDonald talked about when they sat on the log at the Rapidan.

"I have been told," McFadden said, "and I think my informant was reliable, that MacDonald offered to transfer the Bermuda Isands to the United States in part payment of its war debt and that after some consideration, Mr. Hoover declined.

"I have also heard Mr. Hoover's reasons for declining, but I think he should be allowed to make his own explanation."

VICTOR ROSS BURIED

TORONTO, Feb. 26 (CP)—As thousands mourned, Victor H. Ross, first president of the Imperial Oil, limited, was buried today in St. George's cemetery, Pickering village.

ONE DOLLAR FREE MINERS' LICENSE FEE AND CUT IN RECORDINGS URGED

VICTORIA, Feb. 26 (CP)—A one-dollar free miners' license fee instead of the five dollars now charged with reduction in recording fees, was urged in the house this afternoon by E. T. Kenney, Liberal, Skeena. Mr. Kenney told the house that the money so saved by prospectors would buy a few boxes of powder and be a considerable help to most of the men out on a grubstake.

British Columbia, the Skeena member said, would in ten or fifteen years supplant South Africa as the leading producer of gold, and mining was the best hope of this province in emerging from the depression. The government could do worse than subsidize prospectors. They had in the past opened up nearly every section of the province and should be given every encouragement.

Mr. Kenney opposed direct relief. Governments, he said, could not balance their budgets unless families could balance theirs. And until unemployment was a thing of the past "we are bound to have deficits." Mining offered one way out for a great number of able-bodied men if the government could offer sufficient inducement for them to go out into the hills.

JOBLESS FAIL TO DEMONSTRATE

Mounted Police Dampen Ardor of Vancouver Crowd

VANCOUVER, Feb. 27 (CP)—A street demonstration scheduled to take place at the city hall this afternoon did not materialize. A crowd of several hundred gathered but rain and the presence of a squad of mounted policemen apparently dampened its spirits.

The city council voted against hearing a delegation of nine from Single Unemployed Protective association, which is requesting that the city assume responsibility for single unemployed men evicted from relief camps.

Aldermen Walter Deptford and L. D. McDonald were opposed to Mayor Louis D. Taylor's ruling that no delegations be heard by the council.

"They have never had a public hearing. They are Canadian-born and I think they deserve some consideration," said McDonald.

Seagull With Beak Wired Found, Is Treated, Fed and Given Its Freedom

VICTORIA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Somewhere around Vancouver Island a seagull rested tonight, freed by 14-year-old Isabel Anderson of Victoria from starvation which some human agency had wished upon it.

Thomas Anderson reported today that the gull, after winging an uncertain way about his residence, alighted near the back door, exhausted.

His daughter Isabel found its beak had been clamped shut with a piece of wire passed through a hole in the upper portion, drawn tightly around the lower part and twisted.

Removing the wire Isabel fed the gull until with strength partially restored, it whirred away to join a flock of gulls in a nearby slough.

The gull was first seen about three weeks ago at Seaside park in Howe sound, when several unsuccessful attempts were made to catch it and release its beak from the wire.

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ization must be curtailed to a point where they would lose their efficiency, or perish, unless we devise a new economic system, the North shore member stated. They must be paid for out of taxation and taxes must be drawn from successful commercial operations. Taxation on land is unfair and inequitable. Assessed values today are based on the inflated boom values of 20 years ago and the structure of our municipal and provincial finance systems is based upon entirely unsound values.

Revenues derived from many properties fall short of covering actual overhead expenses and the only way to successfully finance the administration of affairs is by taxation upon higher incomes.

ON DANGEROUS GROUND

"The pyramiding of municipal debt and the interlocking of municipal sinking fund securities has developed to a point of being ridiculous. The debts of one municipality form the securities of the adjoining municipality, and bonds which are becoming increasingly difficult to meet, are held as securities by our insurance companies, our banks and our pension boards, Mr. Anderson asserted. The entire structure is so interdependent upon weaker municipalities that it is only a question of time till the rottenness of the entire fabric will be exposed, and we will be compelled in emergency to seek some more suitable form of economy.

"I look," said the speaker, "with great expectation to the economic council which has been established for the purpose of solving our problems. I do not know how far they are prepared to adventure along the road to new economy, but I wish to predict that if they are not prepared to boldly tackle the ownership of the means of production their efforts will avail nothing."

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4087 THE PROPRIETORS

Billington Estate Appraised at $2200

Sitting in chambers Monday, Judge W. A. Nisbet granted an application from C. H. Hamilton, for letters probate to issue respecting the estate of William Billington of Nelson, appraised at $2200 to the widow, Elizabeth Billington, executrix and beneficiary.

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NELSON CLERGY IS BEHIND MOVE OF RETAILERS

Meet With E. R. Matthews to Hear Plan

The ministers of the city held a special meeting Monday morning in the ballroom of the Hume hotel to confer with George R. Matthews, provincial secretary of the Retail Merchants association regarding trade ethics in business. Archdeacon Graham, chairman of the association, occupied the chair.

Mr. Matthews explained that it was indeed with real joy that he had learned that Rev. Mr. Wilkinson of the Christ Church cathedral had referred to the effort being made to eliminate the unfair practices in business and had stated that at last it was evident religion was percolating through business and that Rev. Mr. Paul of the First Baptist church stated: "Here in Vancouver we find that at last the ethical aspects of our business problems are being considered in a practical method by men who consider that quality of conduct will play an important part in helping to solve some of our difficulties. They realize that practices based upon an active respect for human personality and truth are essential if our social order is to be healthy and enduring. They are evidently of the opinion that selfish, relentless and unprincipled competition is a distinct social menace of which they as well as society in general are the victims. The codes to which reference has been made all assume that the ethical aspect of business is important, that there are standards of conduct that must be observed and even enforced by law if necessary, if the integrity of our social order is to be maintained. There seems to be no place in modern life for the selfish individualist who, in his desperate greed for profits, is willing to undersell, evade the minimum wage law and violate every concept of fair business practice known to society."

SECURE LEGISLATION

Mr. Matthews referred to some of the practices which the Retail Merchants association were endeavoring to have eliminated, explaining that in the final analysis it would certainly be necessary to secure legislation to accomplish this, but that in the codes which were being prepared by the various retail classifications, that they were all four-fold, keeping in mind the just claims of the producer, distributor, consumer and employee.

Asked as to just what was being done to assist the producer, Mr. Matthews stated that there was little doubt that federal legislation would be brought down that would enable the province to pass legislation that would by intravirus and which would protect the producer in the provinces where such legislation was enacted. He referred to how closely related were the producers in Alberta with the retailers and consumers in British Columbia, by exhibiting a statement of a merchant in Vancouver who was disposing of turkeys for a farmer in Alberta on a commission basis. This man's place of business was immediately adjoining a branch of a chain store organization, which store had been quoting the retail price of turkeys at 17 cents per pound and had so advertised. The retailer who was handling turkeys on commission decided to meet this price and inserted his advertisement in the local paper, both ads appeared quoting the same price. Immediately the price of the chain store turkeys was reduced to 15 cents per pound and of course the independent retailer, because of handling turkeys on commission, had the law in his own hands and simply met the price, thereby causing the producer at Alberta the loss of 2 cents per pound which he very badly needed. Mr. Matthews stated that it was his opinion that the average wage earner who purchased turkeys at Christmas, while he would undoubtedly take advantage of the reduced price, was not desirous of doing so at the expense of the farmer as it was evident on all sides that one thing the experiences of the last few years had taught was that no man was justified in exploiting his fellow men.

FIRST MEETING WITH CLERGY

Interviewed by representatives of The Daily News, Mr. Matthews stated that this had been his first meeting with the clergy of any city and that in future he would plan his itinerary in such a manner as to avail himself of the opportunity of conferring with the clergy as he found that the ministers of Nelson were most sympathetic. He stated he was forwarding to the secretary of the association, Rev. Herbert W. Guscott, copies for each minister in the city, of the suggestions as outlined by the various classifications of trade and that he proposed keeping the ministers fully advised of the activities of the organization from time to time. Archdeacon Graham on behalf of the clergy, warmly thanked Mr. Matthews for the time given and assured him of the desire of the clergy of Nelson to cooperate insofar as they could and advised him if he would let the secretary know when he would next visit Nelson that the clergy would appreciate the opportunity of spending an hour with him again.

Mr. Matthews explained to The Daily News that arrangements were being made to have held a mass meeting of the citizens of Nelson on the Wednesday evening when the churches of the city would unite, but that owing to his being called to Ottawa, it had been necessary to cancel the arrangements.

WM. CAMERON DIES IN AUTO

FERNIE, B.C., Feb. 26 (CP)—William Cameron, well known curler of Cranbrook, was dead today and two companions, James Baird and Bert McPhee were recovering from shock and frost bites following an automobile mishap, west of here, Sunday.

Skidding on the ic. highway, the car got beyond control and plunged 35 feet and landed upside down in a 12-foot water hole in the Elk river. Cameron was swept to his death. The body was recovered this morning. After being thrown from the wreckage, Baird and McPhee swam ashore and had to walk two miles to a farm house. It was 6 below zero and their clothing was frozen stiff. Cameron was trapped behind the steering wheel and his body was recovered at 10 a.m.

The men were returning to Cranbrook after taking part in a curling competition here Saturday.

W. F. Cameron was one of the oldtimers of the Crows Nest Pass, coming to it as a railroader when the railway was first put through there, and after many years of service as a conductor, retiring a few years ago, and entering the wholesale and retail tobacco business, in Cranbrook, the firm being Cameron & Sang.

He hailed from Nova Scotia, and his wife was also an easterner. He had two daughters, Mrs. William Anderson of Dutch Creek, in the Windermere, and Mrs. Wilfred Patterson in Ontario.

He served in the Cranbrook city council for many years, and was several times mayor.

The fatal accident occurred while he and his party were returning in his car from Fernie, where they curled for the Fleischman cup.

HOCKEY DATES NOT DEFINITE

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 26.—Dates of the British Columbia senior hockey title games were still uncertain today, pending the outcome of the Trail-Kimberley series.

If the Kootenay champions are declared on or before Wednesday, Vancouver will meet the winners March 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9.

But if the Kootenay playoff does not finish until March 1, then the Vancouver Quakers and the Kootenay champions will begin their series March 3, playing succeeding games March 5, 7, 8 and 9.

Trail and Kimberley renew the playoff series here tomorrow night. Efforts to advance the games so that the B.C. series might get under way by March 1 were unsuccessful. The Smoke Eaters returned from Kimberley yesterday and Kimberley shifted its forces to this city today.

MINING AIDS IN ONTARIO PICK-UP

Finding conditions slightly improved but the weather exceedingly cold, J. A. McDonald of the McDonald Jam company, returned to Nelson Monday from Toronto and other points east of the Rockies.

Mr. McDonald, along with other jam manufacturers of the west, made the trip in connection with low prices on the prairies. Mr. McDonald states that while he was able to sell 10 cars of jam, it was practically giving it away. Eastern manufacturers are turning out a corn syrup and glucos jam and are marketing it far under the price of the jam produced in the west, Mr. McDonald states.

While jam prices were low conditions on the whole appeared to be picking up on the prairies, he stated. Mining was putting Ontario back on its feet again. While stopping at the King Edward hotel in Toronto the Nelson manufacturer saw a banquet at which 400 mining men of the province were guests.

Mr. McDonald visited a great number of towns and cities between Nelson and Toronto including Calgary, Edmonton, Battleford, Saskatoon, Swift Current, Regina, Moose Jaw, Melford and others. He found the weather extremely cold in the east, the mercury varying from 5 to 50 below.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26 (CP). — Vancouver Lions handed the league leading Calgary Tigers their second straight defeat in a Northwestern Porfesional Hockey league game here tonight. Clint Smith's fluke goal on Jimmy Arnott's pass a half minute before the second period ended broke a 2-2 deadlock and gave Lions the win.

WHEN YOUR DAUGHTER COMES TO WOMANHOOD

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Dr. CHASE'S SYRUP

LONGBEACH EAST CAMP SEEKS MORE HUT ROOM, BETTER GRUB, PAY UNDER MINIMUM WAGE ACT, CROCKERY DISHES

LONGBEACH EAST CAMP, Feb. 26—Following are the "demands" as presented to Stanley Humphries, foreman in charge at this camp on Friday morning by the men employed on this project at the east camp:

"We, the workers of this camp, this day go on strike, pending the granting of demands:

"We agree that the food offered the workers of this camp is lacking in quality, quantity, and variety.

"And in view of the fact that good food is in abundance throughout the country, we here demand that an ample supply is left at the disposal of the camp cook.

"We have been informed that there is a certain sum set aside for the feeding of each unemployed relief camp worker. We are also told that the food is purhased by contract from various firms, and we the workers of this camp go on record as being in favor of purchasing where possible the necessary food and produce from local firms and farmers, which in our minds would leave less possible room for graft.

"We understand that it is contrary to the laws of this province to use granite dishes and we demand that these dishes be replaced by earthenware.

"We maintain that there is only room for eight men in each hut, whereas there are 12 men crowded into each. We demand that enough huts be erected so that there will be no more than eight men in each one.

"We also protest against any rate of wages, compensation etc., that will not comply with the British Columiba minimum wage act."

Social Events of Trail City

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 26—Mrs. James Rigney, who recently underwent an operation in the Trail-Tadanac hospital, has returned to her home.

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Mrs. Ronald Rushton of Fruitvale has as her guest Mrs. K. Morrison of Nelson.

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Mrs. James Mannarine of Creston is a Trail visitor for a few days.

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J. Markl of Slocan City has arrived in Trail, where he expects to make his home.

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Charles Doctor of Nelson was a visitor to Trail during the week-end, leaving for his home Saturday noon.

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Celebrating her birthday, Mrs. E. Cole entertained a number of friends at a charming dinner party. A beautifully decorated cake centered the table.

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Miss Rose Pascuzzo of Creston is visiting relatives in Trail.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Allen and son were recent visitors to Rossland.

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Miss Helen Warden spent the week-end visiting her parents near Nelson.

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Klaus Scheer was a recent visitor to his home in Grand Forks.

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T. Ellis of Rossland has accepted a position in Trail and will make his home here.

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John Waldie of Robson was visiting friends in Trail recently.

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Mrs. A. Thomason, who has been visiting in Trail for a week, has returned to her home in Kimberley.

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Mrs. A. Wagner of Fruitvale is a patient in the Trail-Tadanac hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hild and daughter are visiting in Trail, guests at the home of Mrs. Hild's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Mawdsley.

Curling Schedule Resumed Tonight

Scheduled play will be resumed at the curling rink tonight when four games will be played in the President's cup competition. One rink is to be held open for scratch games and the scheduled games which start at 8 p.m. are: W. M. Myers vs. J. Long, R. Sharp vs. A. Jeffs, H. W. Robertson vs. J. M. Gordon, J. Teague vs. W. M. Vance.

High School Wins Juvenile Hockey

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 26.—The High School team took the lead in the race for the Trail Juvenile hockey title here on Monday afternoon by nosing out the Rink Rats 3-2 in the first game of the best two out of three game series.

The Rink Rats, who eliminated the Colombo's on Friday afternoon, had a considerable edge on the High School team in the second and third periods, but lacked finish in front of the goal.

Milne of the High School team scored the only goal in the first period. The Rink Rats set a furious pace in the second period, and were finally rewarded with a goal when Hayward went down the length of the ice to beat the High School goalie from close range.

Less than a minute later McDonnel slammed in Murray's rebound to again put the High School club in the lead.

Two minutes after the start of the final period Hayward scored from a scramble to again tie up the game. Only fast work on the part of the High School goalie kept the Rink Rats fom taking the lead, but the losers failed to take advantage of the penalties handed out to the High School players who were short-handed most of the final period. Clark in the High School goal seemed over confident and was slow at clearing rebounds, but fast work on the part of his defence prevented any serious damage.

Just before the final bell Trussel put the High School aggregation into the lead when he slammed in Murray's rebound. The losers protested the score, claiming that it was scored from the crease, but the score stood. Referee Scotty Ross handed out a total of 11 penalties with the winners getting eight of them.

The teams were—

High School—F. Clark; G. Richardson, G. Murray and J. Diamond; A. McDonnell, M. Mainarich, S. Dembicki, J. Buchanan, D. Milne and P. Trussell.

Rink Rats—W. Owens; Sonny McLeod and A. Zuk; W. Melvin, N. Hinton, A. Hayward, G. Scott, A. D'Arcangelo and J. Donaughty.

CHAPPED HANDS
Chilblains, Frost Bite
Quickly Healed by Zam-Buk.

TRAIL MUST WIN TONIGHT

Kimberley Is in Good Trim for Third Game

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 26.—The Kimberley Dynamiters arrived here at noon for the third game of the West Kootenay title series, which takes place on Tuesday night. With a full days rest the Dynamiters hope to end the series in three straight games, but expect plenty of trouble from the Smoke Eaters who generally go at their best speed when the going gets tough.

Although bumps were handed out with frequency in the first and second games, it is expected that both teams will be at full strength for tonight's crucial battle, and judging from the advance seat sale, the rink is expected to be packed to the rafters at the start of the game. In the first two games the Smoke Eaters received the majority of the penalties inflicted on the teams. Just who will referee tonight's game was undecided late Monday afternoon, and reports have it that a complete change of referees may be made for the balance of the games.

TRAIL JUNIORS WANT EXERCISE

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 26.—In an endeavor to keep his team in shape for the Memorial cup playdowns, Scotty Ross, manager of the Trail juniors, is attempting to line up a hockey game with Nelson and is willing to play an intermediate team or a mixed team of the Red Wings and intermediates. If a game can be arranged the juniors' manager will also bring over the snappy girls' club which has won four straight games this season.

Christ's Example Theme at Barracks

Chapman Says Live Life That Would Rebuke Sin

"Christ our example in things He didn't do," was the topic of a sermon given by Captain H. Chapman at the Salvation Army barracks Sunday, and the text was: "Who did not sin, neither was guile found in His mouth; 1 Peter 2:22.

"Peter writes that Jesus left us specifies the things He did not do, an example, but He immediately No sin, no guile, no reviling, no threatening and His example is equally as strong in the things that He did not do as in the things He did do," Mr. Chapman said.

"We may well ask ourselves: 'If Jesus wouldn't why should I.'

"Christ wouldn't stoop to bedraggle His mind.

"He never stooped to scold; to be irritable; to borrow trouble; fret at small discomforts. Even when He said the Son of man hath not where to lay His head, it was not in complaint, but a frank statement of fact to all who would follow Him, showing that there was no glamour attached to following, but that it was a life of sacrifice and self-denial.

"Jesus never stooped to dislike, He had no pet abomination, He cherished no grudges, and regarded no man as His enemy, not ever the traitor Judas. If Jesus would not disturb His mind with personal dislikes or bitterness however much He was wronged; why should we be so unchristian as to do so?

"We can have no better example of right living than Christ, and Peter in the next verse tells us that the only way in which we can live righteously is by accepting Christ as our Saviour, and maintaining the standards He has set.

"He would never allow Himself to be flattered to the point where He would lower the standard. Neither did He flatter, it made no difference to His whether a person was rich or poor, the conditions were the same, and are still the same today.

"He did no sin, and if we would be His followers we also must maintain the standard.

"We would not condore sin because it was more convenient than to condemn, and also in this we must follow His example.

"We must not come to Him merely for the loaves and fishes as many did in that day, but because we really wan to add our contribution to making this world a better place. He did not pick out this place or that, because it would be better for business or for a better social standing, but where there was need, there He was to supply it. He drew His parallels from daily life, He said be not as the scribes and pharisees, but as this publican. Wherever He went His life condemned sin, and so must we live that our lives will be a rebuke to those who live in sin. In this way, and this way only, shall we follow the example of Him, in whom was no sin, and in whose mouth was found no guile."

MIDGETS ENJOY FIRST PRACTICE

First hockey practice of the winter, of the M.R.K. Midgets took place at the skating rink Monday evening, with Coach Clifford Ratcliffe putting the Red and Blue teams through their paces. The initials, M.R.K., stand for McNicol, Ratcliffe, Kinahan, the three sponsors of the Midgets.

GYROS HEAR OF THE NORTHLAND

Sergt. Barber Gives Interesting Talk

Tales of the northland, incidents of hardships and tragedy, and the irresistible appeal of the country's vastness were related again by Sergt. C. G. Barber of the provincial police force to members of the Nelson Gyro club, who gave evidence of their interest in the numerous questions they asked the speaker. The address was the same as that given a week ago for the benefit of the Nelson Rotary club.

Among the many questions was that of Dr. H. H. MacKenzie who asked about the tropical valley. Sergt. Barber replied that it was no myth, but that is was not as large as it was made out to be. A series of hot springs in a valley in northern British Columbia keep the vegetation surrounding them green all winter long. Sergt. Barber first heard of the springs from the original locater, he said.

J. D. Notman announced that the net proceeds from the Scottish concert received by the club was $53.50. He was thanked for his work in connection with the concerts. Preparations were made for a hoedown which the club is planning to sponsor.

This Wednesday the Gyro and the Rotary clubs will engage in mortal combat at the curling rink and J. B. Gray has been appointed chairman of the Gyro committee to make necessary preparations for the event.

MRS. MEAKINS LAID TO REST

Rev. W. C. Mawhinney Conducts the Services

Mrs. Benjamin Meakins, who passed away Friday morning, was laid at rest in the Nelson cemetery Monday, following services at Somers funeral home. Rev. W. C. Mawhinney of Trinity United church officiated and a large number of friends and relatives were in attendance.

Hymns sung were "There Is a Land That Is Fairer Than Day," and "When the Mists Have Rolled Away."

Pallbearers were C. Wardale, J. Hoogerwerf, F. Webber, W. Jeffs, F. Yates and F. Amas.

TRAIL CURLING

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 26.—Games of the Trail Curling club Monday night resulted as follows:

Club schedule—W. Forrest 10, J. Balfour 9; H. E. Wade 11, J. R. Craig 2; P. R. McDonald 7, E. W. Hazlewood 11; W. E. Wilson 5, W. McLeary 8.

Patron's cup—R. C. McGerrigle 11, W. B. Hunter 16; C. Dodimead 8, L. G. Mowatt 13.

President's cup—J. H. Young 6, J. P. Schofield 9; G. C. McKay 7, A. M. Chesser 8.

Results in points play were:

	Saturday In turn	Saturday Out turn	Saturday Tot.
C. G. Dahlgren	14	11	25
H. Beckett	10	8	18
L. Murdoch	8	9	17
G. B. Hollington	11	5	16
W. H. Baldrey	9	7	16
W. J. Stevenson	6	8	14
T. A. Rice	8	6	14
C. L. Luypaert	6	8	14
W. F. Taylor	9	5	14
J. R Renatta	1	12	13
M. M. Butorac	6	7	13
W. Gregory	6	7	13
J. Thompson	7	6	13
C. M. Thomson	7	5	12
A. B. Ritchie	6	6	10
J. Currie	5	5	10
M. R. Landucci	3	4	7

ROSSLAND MILK TO BE TESTED

Relief Receivers Not to Frequent Beer Parlors

ROSSLAND, B.C., Feb. 26—Dr. E. E. Topliff, medical health officer, reported to the city council this evening that he had made arrangements with Kurt Raht of Trail, stationed at the laboratory, to make a monthly test of milk from the Rossland dairies to make sure that it contained the proper amount of butter fat. As soon as the snow goes the provincial veterinary surgeon will be asked to make an inspection of sanitary conditions surrounding the dairies.

The Rossland Gyro club and the City band were granted the free use of the rink on March 8 when they will stage a carnival. The intermediate hockey team was granted the use of the rink for $15 to play a return game with Spokane.

The Rossland school board presented its estimates for 1934 which included $19,249.50 for teachers' salaries, $2284.20 for janitor's salary and $4605 for incidentals.

Complaints have reached the council that some of those receiving relief are spending too much time in the beer parlors. The culprits have been given a final warning that this will not be permitted and, unless they cease their visits to the beer parlors, relief will be given them in the shape of credit on the local stores.

"The council endorsed the resolution passed by the Kootenay Municipalities asking for provincial legislation making it possible for the municipalities to provide citizens with medical services upon payment of a fee similar to a pole tax.

Trail Ministers to Attend Presbytery Meeting at Nelson

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 26.—Trail delegates of the Kootenay Presbytery of the United Church will be in Nelson tomorrow attending the meeting. Rev. Bryce H. Wallace and Rev. C. E. Motte will represent Trail United churches at the gathering.

If Past 45 and "Low" and Upset Look for Acid Stomach

HERE ARE THE SIGNS:
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But—be careful you get genuine *Phillips'* Milk of Magnesia, or *Phillips'* Milk of Magnesia Tablets when you buy—25c and 50c sizes.

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NOTICE to RETAILERS

Our attention has been drawn to a circular appealing for funds to be sent to the Fair Trade League to gather data for the Committee of Investigation. The B.C. Board of Retail Merchants' Association of Canada are not associated in any way with this appeal.

Will ALL retailers in the Kootenay District please mail to me AT ONCE, information that I may use in Ottawa next week when meeting the Select Committee of Investigation, setting out the effect mass buying by chains and department stores has had on your business, your community life and the consumer.

GEO. R. MATTHEWS
Provincial Secretary
RETAIL MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION OF CANADA
420 Pacific Bldg., Vancouver B.C.

MISS LILLIAN M'DONALD NEW HEAD AT SALEM

Is Superintendent of Hospital Oregon. Capital

REORGANIZATION TAKING PLACE

Nursing School Is to Be Abolished There

Miss Lillian McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McDonald of Nelson, has been appointed superintendent of the Salem (Ore) General hospital to succeed Mrs. Mildred Lenoir, resigned.

News to this effect appears in the Capital Journal of Salem, Ore., a town of 27,240 population.

The change was announced by C. J. Cummings who is at Salem from Tacoma for an indefinite period to serve as manager and in an advisory capacity with the hospital board of trustees and is one of the changes in a general reorganization of the hospital. Among other important changes announced, says the Salem paper, are the discontinuance of the school of nursing and the addition of a professional man to serve jointly as radiologist and pathologist. He will arrive shortly from Mayo Brothers.

Miss McDonald, the new superintendent, received her training at St. Luke's hospital, Spokane, from 1922 to 1925 inclusive and during the last two years of that period she was gold medalist of her class. Following her graduation from school she did private duty for two years. Then for two years she was ward superintendent, following which she took a post graduate course in advanced nursing at Western Reserve hospital, Cleveland. In 1930 she was appointed assistant superintendent of nurses at St. Luke's hospital in Spokane.

In 1933 Miss McDonald was appointed director of the school of nursing and assistant superintendent at St. Luke's. For two months she has been taking advanced administration work at Tacoma General hospital.

"Miss McDonald is going to maintain the best possible service for both patients and doctors," said Mr. Cummings in announcing the policy of the reorganized hospital. "She is preparing for diagnostic facilities not usually found in hospitals of the capacity of the Salem General or in communities of this size, but which we feel is necessary on account of the rapid advancement in medicine and the type of service demanded by the medical profession today.

"The new superintendent will discontinue the school of nursing in which are now nine students who have not completed training. These students will be replaced by competent graduate registered nurses.

"The hospital has long been accredited by the American College of Surgeons and has met its every requirement. This standard will continue and application is now being made to have the hospital accredited by the American Medical association, which will accredit the institution for interne service."

Mr. Cummings, who is superintendent of Tacoma General hospital, is working at Salem without salary and complimented the Salem hospital board for its efforts to bring about the rehabilitation of the hospital.

FRUIT-A-TIVES GAVE QUICK RELIEF FROM CONSTIPATION ... MAN SAYS IN SWORN STATEMENT

Mr. Isaac P. Booth, Toronto, Ont.

TO help other constipation sufferers Mr. Booth voluntarily has made a statement of his happy experience with Fruit-a-tives. He has *sworn* to it before a notary so that you can *know* it is true. Mr. Booth says:—

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Isaac P. Booth

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Blaming Others Sermon Subject

"Thou Art the Man" Rev. J. Youngson's Text

"Blaming Others," was the theme of a sermon given by Rev. James Youngson at the First Presbyterian church Sunday evening and the text was "Thou art the man," taken from II Samuel 12:7.

"One of the commonest frailties in human nature is the frailty which induces us to shirk responsibility for whatever may have gone wrong, and shift the blame to someone other than ourselves" the speaker said. "The bible recognises this frailty, and constantly exposes it. It tells us that the very first thing man did after his first sin was to shirk from the responsibility of it. He shifted the blame to the woman, and the woman shifted it to the serpent. But God is not mocked. The soul that sinneth, it shall die. Neither Adam nor Eve escaped. Both of them paid the penalty.

"David's case is another example of how a blame-shifter was made to shift the blame back from someone else to himself. David had coveted the wife of Urish the Hittite, and, in order to secure her, he had sent Urish to his death. It was a dastardly crime. Nathan, the prophet heard about it, and demanded admittance into the royal presence. He faced the king, and told the king the story of a poor man who had been robbed by a rich man of his one ewe lamb. As David listened to the story, he was roused to fiercest anger, and vowed that the man who had done this thing would surely die. Nathan waited for the storm to subside, then he looked the king straight in the eye, and then let him have it straight between the eyes. 'You are the man' he said. The shock of the blow was overwhelming. David was knocked stone cold. He had no come-back. He was completely down and out.

OUR OWN FAULTS

"It is a strang psychological fact that the faults we are most apt to discern in others are our own faults, and that the sins we are quickest to detect are the sins we ourselves have already been tempted to commit, or have actually committed, in the secrecy of our own hearts. We become acquainted with them and therefore expert in recognizing them elsewhere. No doubt it was this psychological fact the Master had in mind when He said 'Why beholdest thou the mote that is in thy brother's eye, and considereth not the beam that is in thine own eye?'

"In our church life, instead of blaming other members of the church for failure to do their duty, if every member were to examine himself with a view to finding out wherein he himself has failed, and follow this up by putting right whatever may have gone wrong, there would be a wonderful change for the better in our church life. The same is true of our individual life. We can never begin to rise to our best until we have first of all faced our worst. He saw himself as he really was, a sinner in desperate need, and the seeing constrained him to cast himself unreservedly on the Everlasting Mercy. He made a clean breast of his sin. He cried out to God for pardon, and God heard and answered. He took this man who was completely down and out, set his feet upon a rock and completely restored to him the joy of His salvation.

Delegates Arrive for Presbyterial

Close to 20 delegates arrived last night or this morning for the Kootenay presbyterial of the United church, which commences its sessions at Trinity church this morning. Rev Mr. Addyman of Moyie is to preside. The meetings conclude Wednesday.

JOHN OZEROFF DOROTHY WRIGHT BEST SPEAKERS

ROSSLAND, Feb. 25—Under the auspices of the Rossland Young Men's Discussion club, the pupils of the Rossland High School staged a public speaking contest Friday evening. There was a capacity audience and all were delighted with the efforts of the young people. All the subjects had been carefully thought out, and the various points presented in a most pleasing manner. The judges were John Melville, Arthur Schwartzenhauer, John E. Gordon, Leo Burke and George Bishop. Maurice P. Debrissay acted as chairman. He told of the aim and objects of the Young Men's Discussion club, and extended the thanks of the club to Mr. Grayburn for the use of the theatre, to those who had donated prizes, and to the teachers and pupils of the high school for cooperation. A few remarks were also given by W. McKenzie, principal of the high school.

Under the leadership of Miss E. McGill, a choir of about 45 high school pupils rendered several musical selections and a solo was given by Lilian Buick.

Following were the topics presented:

"Abraham Lincoln," Lorna Jones; "The City of Rossland", Maurice Cullinaine; "Benjamin Disraeli," Dorothy Wright; "Where Manhood Stands Today," Ernest Lefevre; "Modern Russia," Dora Cunningham; "Sir Wilfrid Laurier," Lorne McLeod; "Florence Nightingale," Rachel Douglas; "The Stratosphere" Stewart Jamieson; "Joan of Arc", Elsie Brown; "The Planet Mars," John Ozeroff; "Father Pat", Nellie Hackney; "The Conquest of the Air," Eddie Cox; "The Empress of Britain," Marjorie McDonell.

First prizes were awarded to John Ozeroff and Dorothy Wright and second prizes to Stewart Jamieson and Rachel Douglas. Special prizes, which had been donated by citizens of Rossland, to be given to the youngest boy and girl entrant, who did not win a prize were awarded to Nellie Hackney and Lorne McLeod.

Badminton Club Has a Valentine Dance

SOUTH SLOCAN, Feb. 26.—Mrs. C. Knowles is visiting friends in Trail.

E. J. Bowkett has returned from a visit in Vancouver where he took part in the Pacific Coast Curling bonspell.

Miss Martha Kliest was a recent visitor in Trail the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keith.

J. H. Jerome, Norman Ashley, and W. Wadeson were hosts at a recent Badminton club day at No. 3 plant.

John Laurie has returned from spending the week-end in Trail at his home.

The Badminton Club's Valentine dance which had been postponed from the previous week took place on Friday evening. Red and white predominated in the color effect and large Valentine motives decorated the walls. The stage was banked with huge vases of pussy willows. Mrs. Frank Scott was convenor for refreshments and was assisted by the badminton committee.

E. Edwards was a week-end visitor in Nelson.

C. C. F. Campaign Expense Was $216

CRESTON, Feb. 26.—It cost just $216 to conduct the C.C.F. election campaign in Nelson-Creston last fall according to a statement submitted at the annual meeting of the Canyon C.C.F. club, at which officers were elected and plans for conducting an intensive educational campaign were completed.

The chair was occupied by the retiring president, F. Knott, who was reelected. James Simister is vice-president, and O. M. Samuelson, secretary-treasurer. On the executive are Mrs. F. Knott, Glen Messinger and W. E. Searle. An open meeting is planned for early in March when James Sims, who contested East Kootenay as a Farmer-Labor candidate in 1926, will be a speaker.

At the annual meeting of Creston C.C.F. club John Murrell was reelected president; A. F. Rudd of Wynndel, vice-president; Dr. E. M. Warren, secretary-treasurer, and the executive is Mrs. Dodd, James Compton, J. H. Eddy and E. Ostrensky.

Trail

From Day To Day

BY A. R. J.

A hall kitchen following some festivity dance or whist drive is often the place of certain raillery and great fun is poked at those who won consolation prizes if they be there. The other evening when getting the "dope" on a whist drive the committee in charge was packing away the victuals that had been left over and when a reporter arrived they started joking about the consolation prizes.

One lady with lovely whits hair had won a thermometer encased in a glass tube.

"Come up and see me sometime and I'll tell your temperature," she said, laughing.

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And passing a local butcher shop, Her Shepherd, one of Trail's apothecaries, was the centre of considerable attention. He had just come from a barber shop and was exhibiting a hair cut similar to the crown-prince coiffure, and Herb being a good-natured fellow was joining in the fun.

But no one could find out the why and wherefor of the special cut.

Brian Thompson and his High School basketball team are gradually stepping into the spotlight of sport. All through the first half of the Intermediate division of the Trail city basketball league this team has been in the cellar but since the first of the year, has progressed in a consistent manner and is advancing to the other end of the standing. They handed defeat to the Comets Wednesday night in an exhibition tilt and controlled the situation throughout its entirety. Comets held second place in the first half of the league but it looks as though the High school will probably take this place in the second. Aces held first place in that section of the league games and whether they maintain first place in the league standing in the latter half, will only be known later on in the season.

Parade to Honor Sir Robert Powell

Scouts, Guides, Brownies and Cubs Attend St. Saviour's

The Scouts, Girl Guides, Brownies and Cubs paraded to St. Saviour's church Sunday morning when Ven. Archdeacon Fred H. Graham gave a fine address in honor of Chief Scout Sir Robert Baden-Powell's 76th birthday. There was an exceptionally large turnout of every troop. Sir Robert was the founder of the scout and girl guide movements.

Captain Mrs. Harold Penny was in charge of the 32nd I.O.D.E. company of Girl Guides, Mrs. Paddon was in charge of the Brownies, O.C. Thompson in charge of the Boy Scouts and Alex Nisbet, the Cubs.

Reports Increase in New Business

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—Showing an increase in the amount of new business and cash income, a year of substantial progress is indicated by the annual report of the Monarch Life Assurance company, which was presented at the general meeting.

Other features of the report were increases in surplus and special reserve funds, satisfactory surplus earnings for the year, favorable mortality record and decreased expenses.

New business issued totalled $8,825,554 and insurance in force $52,602,206. Income increased to $2,303,701 and assets increased to $10,860,770. Payments to policyholders and beneficiaries totalled $1,385,534. Reserve for policies stands at $9,118,503 and special reserve and surplus funds totalled $1,141,938.

The company reports a continued favorable mortality experience, death claims in 1933 being 36 per cent of the expectation. Surplus earnings exceeded those of the previous year.

An outstanding feature of the report is the conservative treatment of its assets, which have been valued considerably below the amounts authorized by the Dominion insurance department.

E. J. Tarr, K.C., is president of the company, and J. A. Macfarlane, A.I.A., is general manager.

BISHOP ADAMS VISITS KASLO

Inducts Rev. E. Pitt Griffiths as Vicar

KASLO, B. C., Feb. 26—Rt. Rev. Walter R. Adams, Bishop of Kootenay, paid his first official visit to Kaslo Thursday for the purpose of conducting a confirmation service and the induction of the new incumbent, Rev. Edward Pitt Griffiths, as vicar of St. Mark's church. The bishop was accompanied by Rural Dean Rev. Clyde Harvey of Procter, who assisted in the services.

An afternoon service was held Thursday when candidates were presented for confirmation. In the evening a large congregation gathered for the induction service which opened with evensong conducted by the vicar and continued with the formal declarations and oaths by the new incumbent and the presentation of the license by the bishop and the presentation of the church and vicarage keys by the church wardens, Ronald Hewat and R. A. Chester.

The new vicar was led to his seat by the bishop and the church wardens, after which the clergy passed, in turn to the font, prayer desk, lectern, pulpit and holy table to the singing of "We Love the Place, O God."

In his address to the congregation Bishop Adams compared the church to a flowing river as typified in the bible, necessary to the material and spiritual welfare of man. He stressed the importance of the service just concluded and committed the parishioners to their minister and the minister to his people.

Special hymns and chants were rendered by the choir, Mrs. John Keen presiding at the organ. Owing to the inability of Rev. T. W. Reed to attend the induction service or the following reception, greetings and good wishes from Mr. Reed and the members of St. Andrews United church were conveyed to the new incumbent of St. Mark's church, by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Paterson.

Following the evening service a reception was held in the vicarage, sponsored by the Women's auxiliary, which was attended by about 60 members and friends of the church when all were given the opportunity of meeting Bishop Adams.

While in the city the lord bishop was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. E. Pitt Griffiths, Rev. Mr. Harvey being the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Whitaker.

Government Agent Ronald Hewat was a Nelson visitor Friday, going down to attend a special Masonic meeting.

Miss Elizabeth Giegerich returned Saturday after visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. G. E. L. McKinnon of Cranbrook.

J. A. Fraser, principal of the Kaslo schools, was a Friday visitor in Nelson.

City electrician F. S. Chandler entertained friends at a jolly "stag" party Thursday evening.

Dan and Alex Grant of Ainsworth were in the city Friday, leaving the same day for Vancouver where they had been called by the death of their brother-in-law.

Miss Athol Prust to Wed Canal Flat Man

INVERMERE, Feb. 26.—Major R. B. Prust and Mrs. Prust of Columbia Lake ranch have announced the engagement of their elder daughter Athol to Fred Mitchell of Canal Flat, the wedding to take place next month.

Major Prust is one of the old-time residents of the Columbia valley and although he left it for some years which he spent in other parts of the world he returned with his wife and family several years ago, making a charming home on the shores of beautiful Columbia lake near Fairmont hot springs.

Mind Is Topic at Scientist Church

"Mind" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which was read in First Church of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 25.

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Jesus rebuked the devil; and he departed out of him: and the child was cured from that very hour" (Matthew 17: 18).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Every function of the real man is governed by the divine Mind. The human mind has no power to kill or to cure, and it has no control over God's man. The divine Mind that made man maintains His own image and likeness" (p. 151).

CONTEST FEATURE OF YAHK SOCIAL

YAHK, B. C., Feb. 26—Friday a most enjoyable evening was arranged by members of the Junior badminton club under the direction of Mrs. C. H. Cooper and others. After badminton arranged by Jack Hamilton, lunch was served, then dancing and game competitions completed the evening. Music for dancing was supplied by Willard Erquhart, Dave Harvey and Mac Brogan.

Umbrella dance prizes were won by Mrs. Carl Anderson and Mrs. Herman Peterson. "Follow the Leader" dance directed by Betty Cooper and Art Wilkinson was won by Dave Harvey and Vera Matson. First prize for the "Stampede" was won by Hope McInnis and Norman Tepper, second prize went to Mrs. Harry Dickson and Verdun Cooper, third prize to Jack Anderson and Clifford Jupp. The question historical prizes went to Dave Harvey and Toots Anderson. The "Three Legged Race" dance was won by Betty Cooper and Jack Anderson. Dave McColeman and Thelma Peterson won the paper chase. Prize waltz was won by Mr. and Mrs. John Wardrope, jr. Raisin guessing contest prize went to Mrs. Bert Revans. This prize was a buffet set worked and donated by Miss Mavis Setter. During the dance confetti and serpentine streamers added merriment.

Miss Evelyn Revans and Joe Brogan were week-end visitors to Cranbrook.

Dave McColeman left Saturday for his home in Alberta after spending the winter here.

Alan Verch of Canal Flat spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie McGrath.

T. Attree who has been employed in Yahk and district left last week for Vancouver from where he will journey to San Francisco. Mr. Attree will sail on March 6 for Australia where he has been called to take a position as diamond driller. Mr. Attree previously made his home in Cranbrook.

HALLS ENJOY COAST VISIT

Adair and Robert Hall, just back from a two months' holiday trip to Vancouver, report an excellent time, with many pleasant visits to the parks and scenic points.

Seeing men swimming in English bay in the middle of February and playing tennis, proved quite novel to Kootenay minded people. Visits to Stanley and Hastings park, where they saw the bears, the seven sister trees and the large hollow tree, were also interesting. Another sight that they found peculiarly interesting was the feeding of the sea gulls and pigeons at Victory square. The man feeding the birds had a big box of stale bread, and the birds lit on his shoulders and arms and fed out of his hands.

ON THE AIR TONIGHT

CANADIAN RADIO COMMISSION NETWORK

CJCA CHWK CKY CKCK CFCN
730 780 910 1010 1030
CRCV CKOV CFQC CFJC
1100 1210 1230 1310

6:00 Inter-University Debate Finals; East vs. West
6:30 Parade of the Provinces, direction Rupert Caplan. New Brunswick
7:30 News and Weather Forecast
8:38 Maurice Meertes Orch.
8:00 Seville Fair, dir. Leon Zuckert
9:00 Only a Rose, Helen Morton soprano
9:15 Rhapsodies in Rhythm, two piano team and Vagabond Fiddler

NBC-KGO NETWORK

KHQ KGW KFI KGO KOMO KJR
590 620 640 790 920 970

6:00 Doric Quartet, male vocalist
6:00 Canzonetta, Arion Trio (KGO)
6:15 Historical Sketches (KGO only)
6:30 Ed Wynn, Fire Chief, Graham McNamee, M. C., D. Voorhees Orch.
7:00 The Cruise of Seth Parker
7:30 Madame Sylvia in Tollywood
7:45 Concert, mixed quartet
8:00 Amos 'n' Andy, blackface com.
8:15 Memory Lane, serial drama
8:45 Adventures in Health, Dr. Bundesen
9:00 Ben Bernie's Orch.
9:30 Song of Araby, original operettas
10:00 News Flashes
10:15 Mark Hopkin's Orch.
11:00 Tom Coakley's Orch (KGO)
11:00 Guy Lombardo's Royal Canadians
11:30 Dance Orch.

CBS-DON LEE NETWORK

KVI KFRC KOIN KSL KOL
570 610 940 1130 1270

6:00 Philadelphia Studio Orch.
6:15 Ruth Etting(torch singer; Ted Husing, M. C.
6:30 Ski 6:30 George Jessel, Eton Boys, Mildred Bailey
6:30 Isle of Romance (Don Lee)
6:45 Rocketeers, Military Band (Don Lee)
7:00 Connie Boswell, Col. Stoopnagle and Budd, Orch.
7:30 Columbia News Service
7:45 Myrt and Marge, from Chicago
8:00 Harlem Serenade
8:15 Charles Carlisle, tenor
8:30 Mellowed Melodies (Don Lee)
8:45 Voice of Experience
9:00 Vincent Lopez' Orch.
9:00 Hermie King's Orch. (Don Lee)
9:30 Pancho and His Orch.
9:30 Hodge Podge Lodge, (Don Lee)
10:00 Bill Fleck's Bowery Orch. (D.L)
10:30 Ted Fiorito's Orch. (D.L.)
11:30 Bill Fleck's Bowery Orch. (Don Lee)

600 k CJOR 500 m
VANCOUVER 500 w

6:00 Musical Program
6:30 Ski Program
6:45 News Service
7:00 Musical Program
7:15 W. A. Pritchard, talk
7:30 On Wings of Song
7:45 Newspaper Adventures
8:00 Margaret May, piano
8:15 Laddie Watkis, songs
8:30 Amateur Hockey
10:00 Studio Program
10:15 Len Chamberlain's Orch.

1100 k CRCV 272.7 m
VANCOUVER 500 w

7:00 Jr. Chamber Civic Affairs
7:15 Jennie McIntosh Smith Old Time Pianist
8:30 News
8:45 To be announced
9:30 Vancouver Piano Teachers' Ass'n Program
10:00 CRCV Concert Orch., Kate Lynch, soloist

970 k KJR 309.1 m
SEATTLE 5000 w

6:30 High School Reporter
6:45 Manhattan Echoes
7:00 Sports Revue
7:15 Melodic Moods, Marcus
7:45 Radio and Television Talk
8:00 Orpheus Ensemble, Damaski
8:30 Financial Digest
8:45 Frank and Archie, E. T.
9:00 Mystic Asia, Solberg
10:00 Jules Buffano's Orch.
10:30 Silver Strings
11:30 Starlight Hours

1050 k KNX 285.5 m
HOLLYWOOD D 25,000 w

6:00 News Service
6:15 King Cowboy
6:30 Concert Ens.
6:45 Mona Lowe, Melody Moods
7:00 Watanabe and Archie
7:15 The Avengers, play
7:30 KNX Orch., Elvia Allman
7:45 Tiny Newland and Orch.
8:00 The In-Laws
8:15 Homer Canfield and Orch.
8:30 Dance Band, Joe Bishop Mary Rossetti
8:45 Romance of Old Coins
9:00 News Service
9:15 "So This Is Radio"
9:30 Crockett Mountaineers

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U.S. ARMY AIR MAIL

Tragic misfortune has beset U. S. army aviators in their attempt this week to carry on air and mail service. Weather has been extremely bad in the eastern half of the United States. In the first 72 hours of operation, seven pilots crashed in the fog; five were killed and a sixth is seriously injured.

Inexperience, unfamiliarity with the routes, but above all, lack of radio direction-finding equipment on the army planes have caused the disasters.

This bitter experience will further weaken public support of President Roosevelt's attack on the aviation companies. There is little doubt now that he acted impetuously in his annulment of the air-mail contracts. Some of the companies offered to continue flying the mail for 30 days without charge pending investigation. Probably it was a mistake to refuse that offer. It is freely predicted at Washington now that the air mail will be back in private contractors' hands within 60 days, possibly after reorganization of some of the transport companies, and certainly at lower contract prices than before.

BRITAIN'S ARMY

The British Army is 7,000 short of its requirements in recruits. This condition is not due to the fact that there are not enough candidates for enrolment. It is because of the higher standard required of recruits. It is quality not quantity that is lacking. The quality required is not altogether physical. The new Army of Britain is demanding a higher intelligence; it wants educated youth. The state school has now been in force for many years, but it is a remarkable thing that there is still youth in the industrial districts without education and untouched by formal knowledge.

For the moment the British Army wants youth of a calibre better than seems to be obtainable. The fact that there are considerable numbers of unemployment does not help the situation. It is possible, of course, that the campaign of pacifism is weakening Britain's defences and that the sedulous propaganda organized is leading youth to regard the profession of arms with contempt. That is an unhappy thought with the condition of the world as it is today, for it is inviting a calamity which pacifism wishes to avoid. In an emergency Britain has never been lacking in recruits for her naval and military services. That is a condition that will obtain again. For the moment, however, the Army of Britain wants something which the State seems unable to supply, whatever the causes.

THAT BODY OF YOURS

By JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

FOODS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES WHICH CAUSE AILMENTS

Although the word allergy is gradually becoming known, the subject itself is growing so rapidly that the average individual cannot begin to keep up with it.

It would seem that about one in every ten to 15 persons is allergic, that is susceptible or sensitive to certain substances.

Years ago some individuals found that eggs, even fresh eggs, did not agree with them even when used in such preparations as custards or ice cream.

Others found that certain drugs, useful drugs, disagreed with them and they were thus denied the benefits of these drugs.

Then hay fever victims, especially those that had their attacks about the middle or end of August discovered that it was the pollen of the rag weed plant that caused the symptoms.

A little later it was discovered that certain of these same substances caused asthma and even eczema, so that one of these sensitive individuals was said to have a hay fever-asthma-eczema complex.

But now the substances to which these allergic individuals are sensitive are so numerous they run into the hundreds.

It seems strange that substances which are harmful to some individuals, substances that are wholesome for nine out of ten individuals, and some substances that are actually necessary to good health can cause various illnesses in those that are sensitive or susceptible to them.

In addition to the pollen of plants, eggs, and meat, there are various kinds of animal fur and feathers which cause symptoms. Lately also it has been found that perfumes, toilet articles, and smoke and dust may cause hay fever, hives, asthma, and eczema.

Very recently even light, heat, and cold have been found to so affect the workings of the body that the above illnesses occur.

Research men tell us that the above illnesses—hay fever, asthma, hives, eczema—are not the only ones which can be traced to various substances, and that other conditions such as stomach and intestinal ailments, diarrhoea, dizziness, weakness, nervousness and prostration may be due to "allergic" substances.

You can thus see that the first thought in the treatment of any of the above conditions may, in future, be trying to find the substance or substances causing the symptoms.

AUNT HET

"A wife can't be neutral. She's goin' to fight for her man or she's goin' to fight with him."

30 YEARS AGO

(From The Daily News of February 27, 1904)

Several thousand tons of ice is to be shipped by the Yale-Kootenay Ice Co., to Spokane where there is a shortage due to soft weather.

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A. McQueen, well known Kamloops cigar man, arrived in the city yesterday from a successful business trip to Winnipeg.

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John Houston, M. P. P., who has been laid up with an attack of la grippe, was able to get up yesterday.

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A. H. McNeill, K. C. of Rossland, arrived in the city yesterday.

A submarine can travel only about one-third as fast under water, guided by a periscope, as when it travels on the surface.

Between You and Me

by J. B. C.

EDUCATION

We are turning them out of college
and universities—
To make their way through life
with all its adversities.
But are they able to apply all this
knowledge that they gain?
Or is all this time and money only
to be wasted in vain?
To start in any profession requires
experience, capital and brains.
We furnish them with the latter,
but with the former it is not
the same.
Experience is only acquired through
many years of observation—
Whilst capital is usually inherited
from some previous generation.
All the brains in the world are of
no avail to you and me,
If nobody wants our services in any
capacity.
This a far greater problem than any
that Euclid presents
And it will not be solved by oratory
or voluminous correspondence.

—"D. TESS."

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The expression "what a relief" can be used freely in Nelson these days as the boys come marching in.

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King Albert of the Belgians who met such a tragic death the other day was possessor of a keen sense of humor.

Although known to possess a keen sense of humor, the king rarely was heard to laugh aloud. On one occasion when the minister of finance presented to him a state document for his signature, the minister was surprised to hear the king chuckle as he read it. After some hesitation, the minister asked: "May I inquire what is amusing to your majesty in this decree?"

"Well," replied the king as he put the royal signature to the document, "we will be able to see a little more of Charles now."

The king had in mind the fondness of his son, Prince Charles, for dancing and the fact that his signature promulgated a law closing restaurants, clubs and dance halls at 1 a.m.

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We don't know much about the coming spring fashions, but our guess is that this year's seed catalogues will have a large red tomato on the cover.

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All eyes will be on the Trail hockey team tonight at their home rink. The Smoke Eaters must do or die. That trip to Europe is looking pretty slim. But as the Trail fans say there is a long, long trail to the hockey title yet.

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There used to be an old joke in this country which assured a certain amount of what might be called "compatibility of temperament" between policemen and cooks, but the championship for overwhelming demonstrations of affection in that sphere seems now to have passed to Budapest. Reuter reports that a cook in that city has brought an action against a policeman for "negligent kissing"—she says that he "kissed her in a public house so violently that her jaw was broken."

There seems to be little of the "Then come kiss me, sweet and twenty" flavor about that form of salute—20 kisses of that kind would be just about the equivalent of being broken on the wheel or run over by a motor-lorry and trailer. Perhaps young women who have been brought up on the "King Kong" standard of "caveman stuff" might be willing to submit to the experience, but it is hardly surprising to find that the cook urges "negligence" on the part of her admirer. Indeed, "negligent kissing" is almost an understatement; the policeman in question seems unacquainted with the traffic code and unable to distinguish between a kiss and a head-on collision while "driving to the danger."

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The man who raised the German fleet from Scapa Flow says he lost money, thus proving that German fleets are worth more at the bottom of the sea than they are anywhere else.

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The thief who stole Mae West's diamonds is now on his way to the penitentiary. Just going from one rock pile to another.

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Well, that's all for today. I am mad anyway.

LOVERS' LANE

By Kathleen Norris

INSTALMENT THIRTY-FOUR

And then the surprise. The nine men, the three women could not come to an agreement. Circumstantial evidence was heavy against Montgomery Brett, but some of his peers did not feel that it was heavy enough.

The Judge looked surprised, looked displeased. How did the jury stand? Eight for conviction, four for acquittal, your Honor. Was there no hope of reaching an agreement? No hope, your honor.

But the Judge decided to lock the jury up for the night in hope of a verdict. Mont went back to his cell, and William Polk took Dina up to the Hill. With Elliot they sat late into the night, talking, planning, surmising.

"They'll stick to it", Polk said, still dazed. "They'll bring the same verdict in tomorrow, you'll see. Probably one more will come over, the Jury'll hang seven to fi ."

"Is it so queer?" Dina asked, eager to read the faintest glimmer of hope into it.

"It's extraordinary. What changed them? They were all set one way yesterday!"

"Maybe Dina did," Elliot suggested, with a glance at her. "Dina—with her will-to-believe."

"Likely!" Dina said apathetically, paying no attention. "They might disagree again tomorrow?" she asked looking at the lawyer.

"Then there'll be a new trial."

"And would that be—good?"

"Yes. A hung jury always influences the next jury. The new jury has been reading about all this, is interested in it."

"Billy," she began. In the country fashion of Squidgett, she had called him quite simply by his given name from the beginning. "Billy, has Mont a chance?"

"He had a better chance today than he had at this time yesterday," the attorney said. "He'd have a good chance," William Polk went on, "if we could dig up some new hypothesis."

"Some theory, Dina, that would throw suspicion on someone else; even 'person or persons unknown'," Elliot explained.

"We've followed up both the wives," the lawyer said musingly.

"You mean——" Elliot said, almost involuntarily, "you mean you actually don't think Mont had anything to do with it?"

"William Polk looked up in surprise.

"Oh, no; he didn't do it, Elliot," he answered simply.

The dull, soft winter day wore on. The room was filling, the jury was filing back. Mont came in.

Dina reeled a little, and William put out a quick hand. He was looking at the foreman.

"They've no verdict!" he said in a whisper.

A little later he could say to his client, "I think I may congratulate you, Mont. It isn't an acquittal, but it's better than a conviction."

Dina saw Mont pull himself together, saw him make an effort to be responsive, polite, that for Mont was extraordinary.

"I certainly owe it to you, Mr. Polk," he said, "and to my wife here."

The last words kept Dina's heart singing all day.

"My wife here—my wife here——" He needed her, he loved her, and he knew it, now.

And it was only that evening that the miracle occurred.

She had been sleeping all afternoon, worn out with anxiety and vigil, sleeping on her bed in Elliot's apartment on the Hill, while Elliot played endless games of solitaire at his adjustable low table, and listened, with an occasional comment, to William Polk's conscientious review of the whole story from the beginning.

"I don't know what makes you so wonderful about it, Elliot," Dina stumbling off to rest, had said gratefully.

"Nothing as real as this has come into my life for ten years," Elliot had answered.

While the two men were talking, and while Dina was asleep, a caller came in, this quiet foggy afternoon. There was half an hour of low talk, before Elliot and William Polk were left alone again, and perhaps another fifteen minutes had passed, dusk had fallen, and the clocks were striking five, when Dina came flushed and sleepy and refreshed to her door.

"What time is it? It isn't five?" Dina said. Then her face changed, and coming suddenly three or four steps into the room, and putting a hand out blindly toward a chair-back, to support herself, she asked in a frightened tone, "Elliot, who's been here?"

"How do you mean who's been here?" he evaded her, with a glance at the other man.

"I mean—Billy," she persisted sharply, turning to the attorney, "tell me. Who was here while I was asleep? Who's been here!"

It was an exclamation, no longer a question. Elliot's eyes became uneasy.

"How do you know anyone's been here, my dear?" he countered, still temporizing.

"Oh, somebody's been here!" she all but wailed, wringing her hands, running to the door. "Oh, who was it? Who was it?

"It's the smell!" she said, coming back to them. "It's that same smell that was in Perry's room, that last afternoon! Like incense,—sweet and smoky—like something burning, like weeds burning. I've never smelled it anywhere else before. I've never smelled it anywhere else since!"

She stood still in the centre of the floor, her eyes turning from one man's face to the other.

"Whoever it was that was here with you now," she said, "he's the one who was with Perry Hickson that last afternoon—he's the one who knows who killed him!"

(To Be Continued)

EXPERIMENTAL STATION NOTES

The bright sunny days so far this month make one think of spring and the garden, but there are certain things that one may well do now and lighten the rush of work in the spring. Edges may be trimmed and shade and ornamental trees may be thinned or shaped. the orchard may be pruned and the rubbish gathered and burned. Small fruit plantations may also be thinned and pruned, but where there is danger of winter injury it is possibly best to leave this work until later when the injury is evident

A hot-bed is practically a necessity for certain early vegetables, or if a long season of bloom is required for many of the flowers. It is not too early to get the hot-bed into shape. It should be located in some sheltered nook where there is a good drainage. The frame may be of two inch boards or if permanent beds are required it may be constructed of concrete. The sash are usually three feet wide and six feet long and the frame can be constructed in units as desired.

Horse manure with small amounts of litter will give the best results. Fresh manure should be obtained and stacked and turned a couple of time when fermentation is well under way and then allowed to stand for two or three days before placing in the hot-bed pit. The manure should be thrown in the pit in successive layers of five to six inches and thoroughly tramped. From eighteen to twenty four inches of manure should be used and then covered with four to six inches of good garden soil. If flats are to be used to grow the seeds in only a couple inches of soil need be used on top of the manure. If the weather is cool it is well also to bank the sides of the hot-bed with manure.

Cold frames are also necessary to releave the hot-beds later in the season and to harden off the plants before they are set out in the open. These may be constructed with two inch boards and covered with sash or in some cases cotton covered sash may be used. Flats may be cleaned and repaired and if pots are used these may be washed and in readiness. It is well to have particularly good soil containing plenty of humus and if this can be sterilized so much the better.

Auction and Contract Bridge

By the World's Leading Authority, MILTON C. WORK

PLAYING THE ODDS

There are many simple hands in which Declarers of real ability lose themselves and fall down, possibly because of the apparent obviousness of the play which should be made. A striking example of this occurred recently in the duplicate of a prominent club. The cards were distributed as follows:

North: ♠3-2 ♥9-8-6-2 ♦7-5-4 ♣Q-9-6-2
West: ♠8-5 ♥A-K-Q-10-4 ♦J-8-3 ♣A-J-5
East: ♠9-6-4 ♥J-7-5 ♦10-9-6-2 ♣K-7-4
South (Dealer): ♠A-K-Q-J-10-7 ♥3 ♦A-K-Q ♣10-8-3
Dealer South. Neither side vulnerable. D-79

At every table South became the Declarer with a contract of four Spades. He appreciated that dummy might be able to supply the one trick necessary for game (for example, the Queen and Jack of Clubs) without being able to raise a one bid; so every South started with either a forcing bid or with a four Spade bid. If South started with a forcing bid, West overcalled, but neither West nor East dared to bid or double after South's four Spades.

In the play, West led the King of Hearts, followed by the Queen which South ruffed and then exhausted the adverse trumps, leaving in his own hand the two remaining trumps. At some tables, Declarer then led a Club and played the Queen from dummy, hoping that the strong Heart hand held both the Ace and King of Clubs, which was not the case.

At other tables, a little simple analysis indicated the best possibility of game. Nine tricks were assured, the tenth, if available at all, must be developed in the Club suit. It could be secured by leading low and the Ace and King of Clubs were in playing dummy's Queen if both the West hand—an improbable distribution; but, regardless of the location of the Ace and King, it could be secured if West held the Jack, a fifty-fifty chance. These Declarers, therefore, led a Low Club and by finessing dummy's Nine, developed their game going trick.

TOMORROW'S HAND

North: ♠A-6-2 ♥A ♦K-Q-10-4 ♣A-Q-7-5-2
West: ♠K-10-9-5-3 ♥4 ♦7-6-5-3 ♣J-10-8
East: ♠Q-8 ♥10-9-8-7-5-2 ♦A-J-9 ♣K-4-3
South (Dealer): ♠J-7-4 ♥K-Q-J-9-6-3 ♦8-2 ♣9-6
Neither side vulnerable. D-79

How would you bid and play it?

20 YEARS AGO

(From The Daily News of February 27, 1914)

Kootenay and Boundary hockey champions, Trail and Grand Forks, playoff tonight for the interior honors.

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E. E. Robinson was elected president of the Nelson Football association at a meeting last night.

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The Elford Boat company at Nelson has about completed two lap-streak singles for the Nelson Rowing club.

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

Praises Speech of Secretary of Retail Merchants' Assn.

To the Editor:

Sir—Referring to your report of the meeting of the Retail Mercants of this city on Thursday the 22nd and the very able address of the general secretary, I was present at this meeting and my great regret was that the women of the town were not present. The address was most illuminating and would have surely been of value to all self-respecting women. Why I single out women, is because they are generally the purchasers. The whole of the cut throat business houses were mentioned, chain stores, grocers, butchers and clothers. While it is good business for a woman to save a few cents where possible it would sure seem better to cut out the unnecessary things altogether and pay honestly for the things we must have.

The leaders that chain stores, butchers, etc., put on as week-ends rob the product, the purchaser and the help. One chain store compels the help to sign an agreement on hiring for instant dismissal although they pay a weekly wage around $6. Produce is sold below cost and misleading advertising is resorted to. One butcher sells steer beef and another cow beef a cent less but not advertised. Another sells ladies dresses at such a price that should give pause to women requiring silk as to the price paid to the women and children who labor long hours at the job. One firm buys as a wholesale house and sells in his same premises as a retailer (two profits). Sometimes the producer gets enough to pay for his material but for the rest it is mostly a labor of lore and gradual starvation. And so the vicious cirlce goes on.

Capitalism? No monopoly? Yes. Wake up you women of Nelson as they are doing elsewhere and look up the struggling grocers and merchants in a small way, who have given you credit for so long and are gradually going under while the chain monopoly sees that they have cash before you remove the goods. You may buy a cent lower for a time but it is giving untold suffering to the small dealer. We have the promise of the Hon. Stevens and legislature but in the meantime the retail men should call a metting for women and show them. They will understand.

—M. MARTIN.

Nelson, Feb. 23.

Gems From Life's Scrapbook

THE RIGHT SIDE

"Wait not to be backed up by numbers. Wait not till you are sure of an echo from a crowd."—Channing.

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"Be thou the first true merit to befriend;
His praise is lost, who stays till all commend."—Pope.

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"They are slaves who dare not be
In the right with two or three."—Lowell.

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"The brave man seeks not popular applause
Nor, overpower'd with arms, deserts his cause."—Dryden.

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"Cling to thine own integrity and God!"—Tuckerman.

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"O learn to lose with God! and you find Life eternal: You gain all."—Mary Baker Eddy.

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"My Concern is not whether God is on our side; my great concern is to be on God's side."—Lincoln.

TEN YEARS AGO

(From The Daily News of February 27, 1924)

R. Andrew left last night via the Kettle Valley for Vancouver.

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C. S. Leary of Nakusp was a visitor in the city yesterday.

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The Nelson Operatic society more than justified the expectations of its friends in its opening performance of "The Gondoliers," last night.

The disease known as "sleeping sickness" is quite different from African sleeping sickness and was not known to doctors before 1917.

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This is the kind of weather that makes Pacific the good milk it is. This is supposed to be winter and the temperature the herds have to stand. Contrast it with long stretches of 40 below and you have one reason why cows here produce better milk.

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Unsanded Cottonwood Panels are a suitable grade for all mining and other camp buildings. It is strong, waterproof, light and very easy to handle.

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THE GUMPS:

TILLIE THE TOILER:

By Westover

ROTARIANS HEAR SERMON, SERVICE

Mr. Mawhinney Welcomes Fellow Members of the Club

"If for nothing else I think the child welfare work more than justifies our existence," declared Rev. W. C. Wawhinney at his evening services in Trinity United church, Sunday night, attended by members of the Nelson Rotary club and their wives.

As a member of the club Mr. Mawhinney extended a warm welcome to the group.

The subject of his sermon was "Citizenship and Service," and his text "If the foundations be destroyed what can a good man do?"

"It is said that one of the main lessons of life's retrospect is that we use to advantage what experience confers upon us. History reveals a stern impatience with those who are neglectful or those who are oblivious to their past.

"Its warnings can not be neglected with impunity. We need to be advised by the life of the past, plus the requirements of the new. We have our exits and our entrances, and we each must play our parts for good or ill as the case may be. Presently we must leave the stage to others and then comes the need of appraising what has been worthy in our work. In the verse of our text a statement is made in the form of a question asked and the answer given will depend upon the attitude of each individual citizen. According to the psalmist, 'If the foundation be destroyed what can a good man do?' Evidently the life of the state in his day was imperiled to the extent that the foundations were crumbling and there was urgent need for rebuilding. A just man can make use of his powers of analysis and judgment in a crisis. He can strive to push a plow a little further in the furrow and leave a small nook better tilled. He can arise and follow the gleam, shed by those former fellow pilgrims who, in their day, faced a crisis but who persisted and persevere to the end. We shall surely lose if we yield to repining and we ought to scout cowardly retreat and see even in our burdens the credentials of added strength to bear them. We need to remind ourselves as the poet said 'Our remedies oft in our selves lie'. A just man will stand squarely on his own feet and use the powers of intellect. He will act upon impulse, but upon intelligent judgment. It is such a type of individual who has inaugurated social movements which have lifted the nations and communities to higher levels."

"Examples of Lincoln in the abolition of slavery, Shaftsbury and his efforts for the poor, and Paul Harris as founder of Rotary, which now embraces 76 nations with its spirit of good will and service above self, were enumerated by the speaker.

"The just man can help to rebuild life by possessing an open mind, ready to follow truth wheresoever it may lead. Prejudice always impoverishes. Whenever we shut others out of our fellowship, in reality we shut ourselves in. We are plagued by provincialism and too much of insular spirit. Too often we are like the person described by H. G. Wells in his book 'The World of William Clissold: 'His mind was like some great furniture depository, safe from fire, corruption or admixture. Nothing seemed to happen of it and nothing got lost in it, and he could with every appearance of pleasure reproduce the most commonplace facts at the fullest length at any time and in the completest detail. What he lacked was a thoroughfare of interest. No common highway of purpose was his to link him with his fellow men and their needs.

Such people may be characterized as follows:

"Not that we starve, but starve so dreamlessly,

"Not that we sow but that we seldom reap.

"Not that we serve, but have no Gods to serve.

"Not that we die, but die like sheep."

"Then finally a good man can rebuild the life of his community and nation by seeking to practise service above self. In plain terms we can be a service—filled, service-directed and service-controlled life. The service for underprivileged children, and a little helpful advise on behalf of a boy or girl which may mean the changing of the trend of life from failure to success, and of becoming an asset rather than a liability, is a service which lives on.

"Nation's childhood is its hope and power and a nation moves backward or forward on the feet of its children. Then the service given for international peace is another form of service which today is needed if the nations are to be built into a commonwealth. The just man will seek to square his life by convictions and come clean in all relationships. If we would get down to such a basis, then the pillars of the state would be upheld. The outstanding need is for more high minded men and more practical everyday actions. Personality is power and this is the greatest factor in any situation. Rotary or any other organization is made by the character of its constituency, and by the type who put service above self."

The speaker closed with the verse—

"I will not cease by mental fight,
Nor shall my sword sleep in my hand
Till we have built a new Jerusalem
In Canada's green and pleasant land."

A solo was given by Mrs. R. Hagarty and Mrs. E. Marsden was soloist in a special anthem given by the choir.

50,000 BRIDES IN 1934

CANBERRA, Australia (CP)—With gradual emergence from depression Australia expects to register 50,000 brides in 1934, as compared with 36,863 in 1931—the worst of the present slump.

Explaining the advantage of quick-freezing fruits and vegetables, a research scientist explains that quick-freezing forms small ice crystals which do not break down the tissues as do the larger, more slowly-developed crystals of former, slow-freezing methods.

TODAY'S SPECIALS

at the

★ STAR ★

GROCERY

Campbell's Tomato Soup— 3 for	25¢
P. & G. Soap 6 for	22¢
Chateau Cheese— 1-lb. pkt. for	25¢
Maxwell House Coffee— 1 lb. for	39¢
Purex Toilet Tissue— 2 for	23¢
Royal Household Flour— 24-lb. sk.	79¢

NOTICE to Customers

All goods purchased today or tomorrow may be charged, if so desired, to your March account.

23.6 CENTS A DAY FOR CAMP RATIONS

Quantities of Various Foods Are Given by the Correspondent

LONGBEACH EAST CAMP, Feb. 26—So that the general public may know, your correspondent at this camp has been asked to make clear the procedure by which cooks at the relief camps operated by the department of national defence are furnished with foodstuffs with which to appease the appetites of the men.

Under the system now in effect each man in camp is entitled daily to the following standard ration: one pound of flour, one pound of beef, one pound of potatoes, six ounces of fresh vegetables, three ounces of bacon, three ounces of sugar, two ounces of beans, two ounces of jam, two ounces of butter, one ounce of cheese, one ounce of milk, one-half ounce of split peas, half ounce of salt, one third ounce of coffee, one-quarter ounce of tea and one-thirty-sixth ounce of pepper.

Thus, if there are 140 men in a camp the cook is issued with exactly 140 times the above amounts of different articles of food.

Whatever sugar or other ingredient is used in cooking must be taken from this supply.

If the cook saves on one item of food, he may purchase that quantity of another to the extent of the amount he has saved.

But if he overdraws on the cost of the entire rations one day he must make that up on some subsequent day before the end of the current month.

He is, therefore, in the unenviable position of a mother trying to feed a number of children with a scanty supply of food, except on a larger scale.

When the provincial government operated the camps, a cook could anticipate his requirements and send his order, through the timekeeper, to the office of William Ramsay, District engineer, and anything within reason was furnished, with the result that the men obtained better board.

It has been difficult for Stanley Humphries, foreman-in-charge, therefore to keep the men contented but the extent to which he has succeeded is proven by the fact that even though the relations between the government and the men are strained, the staff and the men are harmoniously striving to arrive at a solution of a difficult problem.

The cost per standard ration per day per man in November last was 26.6 cents. That allowed now is 23.6 cents a day and through skilful management on the part of the foreman-in-charge, the storekeeper and the cook, the men have been provided with as good board as is humanly possible under the circumstances.

For each day that a man is in camp he is allowed 1.3 cents a day for tobacco. The custom in this camp has been to issue a package of tobacco each Tuesday and Friday to each man.

The system adopted in the dining room at this camp is that the men are seated at tables, partitioned off for each eight men and the difficulty is to get each man to take one-eighth of the amount of sugar, milk, etc., set up at each section as the amounts of these items in particular and others in general vary, sometimes being scanty through the fact that more or less has been used for cooking purposes.

It is hoped, therefore, that a more generous ration will be allowed by the governement and that a more equitable standard of pay can be allowed in order that the men will resume work where they left off last Thursday night.

Snowdrops in Bloom at Creston

CRESTON, B C., Feb. 26—Snowdrops in full bloom were picked in a village garden at the end of the week. However, vegetation will be retarded as the district was in the grip of a gale out of the north all day Saturday and up until noon Sunday, which has cooled things off considerably.

Mrs. Bouey and daughter have left to visit the former's mother at Weed, Cal.

Jack Connell was a week-end visitor at Nelson to his brother George, who is attending business college.

A. Kotz of Cranbrook is renewing acquaintances here, a guest of Mr. and Mrs A. E. Penson.

Rev J. McGillivray of Vancouver, who is substituting for the moderator in visits to Presbyterian congregations in the Kootenays, was here last week and held service at St. Stephen's church, which was followed by a congregational reception.

Mrs. L. Leveque of Medicine Hat is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. L T. Leveque.

Now the roads have dried out sufficiently for heavier hauling, the local ice harvest got under way on Friday. It is being cut at the second bend of Goat River and the ice is about 10 inches thick.

Cut of Lumber to Be Larger

CRESTON, B. C., Feb. 26—The stork had a very decided preference for ladies in his visits to the district during January. Of nine new arrivals but three were boys. Two deaths were recorded.

Miss Jean McCreath is in charge of Division 4 at the public school due to serious illness of the regular teacher, Miss M Learmonth.

The village council has named Councillor Charles Murrel as the town representative on Creston hospital board.

With better road conditions the haul of logs to the John Huscroft mill on the Rath limit is again under way, and the cut of lumber promises to be larger than in 1933.

Prior to leaving for Vancouver where she expects to remain for some time, Miss Madeline Putnam was guest of honor at a party at the home of Mr and Mrs. R. M. Telford, which was sponsored by Miss Ruth Cartwright and Marcella Sanford. Bridge was the feature of the evening with the high score prize going to Miss Nora Payne and Perley Putnam, and the consolation honors to Miss Kate Payne and membered with a suitable gift and Harry Webster. The guest was rea delightful lunch was served.

Mrs. L. T. Leveque, who has been a patient at Creston hospital for the past two weeks, was sufficiently recovered as to be able to return to her home at Erickson late last week.

Mrs Bert Hendy, nee Florence Craigie, whose marriage took place earlier in the month, was guest of Erickson Ladies' hospital guild at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Frank Celli, at which Mrs. Hendy was "showered" with a great array of useful gifts for the new home. Lunch was served.

SOCIETY

This column is conducted by Mrs. M. J. Vigneux. All news of a social nature, including receptions, private entertainments, personal items, marriages, etc., will appear in this column. Telephone Mrs. Vigneux at her home, 519 Silica street.

Mrs. J. E. Annable, Miss Charlotte Annable and Mrs. Reginald Haggarty, Hall Mines road, entertained recently on two occasions at bridge and a reception honoring Mrs. Annable's two daughters, Mrs. R. S. Turner of Berkeley, Calif., and Mrs. J. S. Haigh of Mission and also Mrs. A. W. Nagle of Seattle, Wash. The floral decorations centering the filet lace covering on the tea table were narcissus, roses and cinerarias, flanked by pastel lighted tapers in antique candelabras. Mrs. A. W. Nagle, Mrs. A. D. Emory, Mrs. Gilbert Hartin and Mrs. W. E. Wasson did the honors by presiding at the tea table. Serviteurs included Mrs. Wilfrid Allan, Mrs. G. C. Arneson, Mrs. A. Clyde Emory, Mrs. E. A. Murphy, Mrs. J. Annable, Miss Frances McHardy and Mrs. G. A. C. Walley. During the afternoon little Annabelle Haigh, granddaughter of Mrs. Annable, delighted the guests with tap dancing and the highland fling. Mrs. J. R. Hunter won the prize for the high score in the bridge game. The invited guests included Mrs. A. D. Emory, Mrs. R. D. Hall, Mrs. George Horstead, the Misses Betty and Lolita (Babs) Horstead, Mrs. J. Percy Coates, Mrs. Nelson Ball, Mrs. A. Clyde Emory, Mrs. W. O. Rose, Mrs. George M. Clark, Mrs. Gilbert Hartin, Mrs. R. E. Horton, Miss Carmen Horton, Mrs. J. J. Foots, Mrs. W. H. Smedley, Mrs. J. R. Hunter, Mrs. Charles F. McHardy, Miss Frances McHardy, Miss Eva McHardy, Mrs. Kay MacLean, Mrs. James Brodie, Miss Kathleen Brodie, Mrs. J. Fred Hume, Mrs. Roy Manahan, Mrs. Ernest Marsden, Mrs. B. Lowery, Miss Gwen Lowery, Mrs. G. B. Matthew, Mrs. H. H. Pitts, Mrs. Earl Swanson, Mrs. A. G. Lambert, Miss Jean Lambert, Mrs. J. H. R. Christie, Mrs. Reginald H. Dill, Mrs. E. A. Murphy, Mrs. George A. Hunter, Mrs. Wilfrid Allan, Mrs. D. D. Townsend, Mrs. F. Beck, Mrs. William Brown, Mrs. George Ferguson, Mrs. G. C. Arneson, Miss Gladys Ewing, Miss Maude Elliott, Miss Jean Hunter, Mrs. G. Douglas Nagle, Mrs. Fred L. Irwin, Mrs. Harold Hinitt, Mrs. Harry Ferguson, Mrs. R. A. Peebles, Miss Louise Peebles, Mrs. A. T. Noxon, Miss Eileen Dill, Miss Jean Gilker, Mrs. L. Hanna, Miss Amelia Hanna, Mrs. Walter C. Kettlewell, Mrs. H. E. Dill, Mrs. Herbert Thorpe, Mrs. John Marquis, Mrs. T. W. Slader, Mrs. Norman C. Stibbs, Mrs. W. C. Mawhinney, Mrs. John Gansner, Mrs. T. E. Higginbotham, Mrs. J. Spencer, Mrs. L. L. Boomer, Mrs. Roy Sharp, Mrs. A. A. Fagdin, Mrs. George F. Motion, Mrs. J. A. Gilker, Mrs. W. A. Thurman, Mrs. R. B. Morris, Mrs. Alex. Carrie, Mrs. Robert York of Nelway, Mrs. N. Murphy, Miss Helen Murphy, Mrs. Charles Kelman, Mrs. L. S. Bradley, Mrs. F. M. Auld, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. John Teague, Mrs. J. H. Wilkinson, Miss Grace Wilkinson, Mrs. W. G. Hunter, Mrs. T. G. Gibson, Miss Agnes Cant, Mrs. William Rutherford, Mrs. W. E. Wasson, Mrs. J. A. McDonald Jr, Mrs. J. H. Wallace, Mrs. A. H. Wallace, Mrs. G. E. Sparkes, Mrs. James Lawrence, Mrs. Harry Burns, Mrs. Ferguson Wilson, Mrs. Gordon Allan, Mrs. J. A. Irving, Mrs. J. T. Andrews, Mrs. G. A. C. Walley, Mrs. J. R. Hunter, Mrs. Kane, Mrs. James McGregor, Mrs. A. M. Sturgess, Miss Dorothy W. Tyler, Mrs. H. Cecil Grizzelle, Sturgess, Mrs. W. H. Hoare, Mrs. C. Mrs. Joseph Sturgeon, Mrs. M. J. Vigneux, Mrs. J. Annable, Miss Enid Etter, Mrs. Arthur Perrier, Mrs. Anderson of Moose Jaw, Mrs. Frank Murphy, Mrs. S. C. Squires of Robson, Mrs. Etter, Mrs. J. S. Hawkins, Mrs. D. McEachern.

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Mrs. L. W. Oughtred, Fairview, has as her guest her mother, Mrs. McKinnon of Ainsworth.

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Mrs. A. J. Cornish, Latimer street, is a patient in the Kootenay Lake General hospital.

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W. Stanley Hepher of Boswell was a city visitor during the week-end.

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Alex. Carrie, Silica street, leaves this morning for Vancouver.

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Mrs. N. Dosenberger of Sunshine Bay is a guest at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. R. MacLean, Edgewood avenue. Mr. Dosenberger, who accompanied her, returned yesterday.

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S. J. Towgood, who has spent the past few days in the city, guest of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Sturgeon, Strathcona hotel, left yesterday for his home in Sandon.

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Mrs. W. E. Wasson, Mill street entertained yesterday afternoon at a benefit bridge for the Women's auxiliary of the Kootenay Lake General hospital when those playing were Mrs. M. E. Watts, Mrs. H. E. Dill, Mrs. Stuart McIntosh, Mrs. Lynch, Mrs. J. Fred Hume, Mrs. J. A. Gilker and Mrs. W. O. Rose.

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F. A. Heise of the C.P.R. employ at Cranbrook was a visitor in town during the week-end.

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Rev. J. D. Moriarty, O.M.I., of Westminster, who on Sunday evening completed a week's mission in the Church of Mary Immaculate leaves tomorrow for Rossland where he will conduct a mission for the children of the Sacred Heart parish finishing Sunday when he will begin a week's mission for the adults of the parish.

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Mrs. R. E. Bruhn of Nakusp was a week-end visitor in town.

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Maurice Major of Sunshine Bay spent yesterday shopping in Nelson.

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Joseph Dunkerley who has been visiting his wife and Mr. and Mrs. James Brennan, Hall Mines Road, for the past few days left yesterday for Kimberley.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Garbutt of 312 Arnold avenue, Victoria, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Catherine Mary, to David Nerin Suttle of Kimberley. The wedding will take place at Fairfield United church on Wednesday, March 7, at 9 p.m.

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Mrs. W. T. Fotheringham, Silica street, has returned from Trail where she visited at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. MacBey.

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Mrs. Joseph Hawes, 922 Edgewood avenue, entertained informally at the tea hour last week in compliment to Mrs. L. W. Oughtred, Fairview, who with her family will be leaving shortly to reside in Montreal where Mr. Oughtred of the staff of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting company has been recently transferred.

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Among week-end visitors in the city was R. B. Melvin of the Reno mine.

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Mrs. T. A. Wallace, 925 Stanley street, when to Cranbrook Saturday to attend the funeral of Peter Dallas which took place there Sunday.

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Rev. J. J. Cheevers of the Slocan district leaves early this morning for Ainsworth where he will officiate at the funeral service of Grandma Dumont which takes place there at nine o'clock this morning.

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Joseph Gallo of the Lardeau spent the week-end in the city.

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Mrs. Kirby Grenfell entertained last week at a dinner party at the Plaza cafe after which bridge was enjoyed. Covers were laid for eight. Her guests including, Mrs. Harold Lakes, Mrs. George Fluery, Mrs. C. A. Larson, Mrs. J. D. Notman, Mrs. W. Waldo Ferguson, Miss Helen Murphy and Mrs. William Taylor.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lakes, Rosemont, entertained Sunday evening at three tables of bridge when their guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bunyan, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. John Cartmel, T. R. Wilson and L. K. Larsen.

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Mrs. J. J. Scott who has been the house guest of her niece, Mrs. L. W. Oughtred, Fairview, for the past few days left yesterday for her home in Ainsworth.

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C. J. Bourne of Grand Forks was among week-end visitors in town.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. Ryley of Coeur d'Alene and their two sons have arrived to visit Mr. Ryley's mother, Mrs. James H. Ryley, who is a patient in Kootenay Lake General hospital.

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VAIN AT SHILOH IS PROMISING

S. A. Curwen was a visitor to Salmo last week.

Mrs. J. H. Clarke was a visitor in Nelson last week with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson are visitors in Spokane and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Korstoff. They expect to return home in about a week.

Work was being done on the Goodenough road last week.

The school children were skating on the pond west of town on Saturday.

Miss Goldberg, visited with friends in Nelson recently.

J. M. Gille is doing some work on the Shiloh mine and the vein is looking good according to the experts.

A. Fatta and Lustic Bond have taken positions at the Goodenough mine.

The Oriental moth made its first appearance in this country in 1906, when some peculiar cocoons were found on fruit trees near Boston.

HARROP SOCIAL CLUB PIANIST RECEIVES GIFT

HARROP, B. C., Feb. 25—Harrop social club held its annual meeting Friday evening, the president, B. S. Creasey in the chair. The secretary H. Fairbank, read the financial report which passed unanimously.

A gift was presented to Mrs. A. R. Johnston in appreciation for services as pianist.

The new committee is as follows; Miss Hazel Khauf, Miss Myrtle Johnston, Miss Frances Andrews, B. S. Creasey, H. Fairbank, C. S. Price and A. R. Johnston.

Tregillus' Condition Very Satisfactory

The condition of A. Tregillus at the Kootenay Lake General hospital was reported as being very satisfactory Monday night.

Good ..... Housekeeping

By Circle No. 4 of St. Paul's Ladies' Aid

None but tested recipes will be inserted . . .

LEMON BLITZ TORTE

½ cup shortening
¾ cup powdered sugar
4 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 cup of cake or pastry flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
3 tablespoons milk
½ pound blanched almonds.

Cream shortening and add sugar. Add beaten egg yolks and vanilla. Add flour mixed with baking powder, alternately with the milk. Spread in two shallow greased pans by beating the whites of the eggs very stiff and adding gradually one cup of sugar. Sprinkle this with the almonds, cut fine. Bake in a moderate oven. When cool put the layers together with a lemon custard filling.

PEANUT BUTTER CAKE

1-3 cup peanut butter
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
1 cup milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 cups flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
¼ teaspoon salt.

Cream peanut butter and sugar together. Add well-beaten eggs, milk vanilla and the flour, baking powder and salt sifted together. Bake in a loaf in a moderately hot oven. Ice with peanut mocha icing.

SOUR CREAM CAKE

1 cup brown sugar
¼ cup butter
2 eggs
1 cup sour cream
½ teaspoon soda
3 teaspoons cocoa
½ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
½ cup chopped nuts
½ cup raisins
1 cup chopped dates
2 cups flour

Cream the butter and sugar, add beaten eggs. Beat together the sour cream and soda and add to butter and sugar. Sift together the flour, cocoa, and salt and beat into other ingredients. Stir in floured nuts and fruit and add vanilla. Pour into a greased pan and bake in a moderate oven.

1 egg
2-3 cup sugar
1 cup milk
2¼ cups of cake or pastry flour
4 teaspons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
¼ cup melted shortening
Flavoring

Beat egg and add sugar. Then add, alternatly, the milk and flour, baking powder and salt which have been sifted together. Add shortening and flavoring. Beat well. Bake in two layers in a moderately hot oven. Cool and put together with cream filling. Sprinkle the top with powdered sugar.

FILLING FOR BOSTON CREAM PIE

1 cup milk
¼ cup sugar
2½ tablespoons flour
¼ teaspoon salt
1 egg
1 teaspoon vanilla

Scald milk, add sugar, flour and salt mixed together and cook until thick, stirring constantly. Continue cooking, stirring occasionally for 15 minutes. Add egg, slightly beaten, and cook a few minutes longer. Cool and add flavoring.

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RENO UP CENT AT THE COAST

But General List Is Off; B.C. Nickel Loses 7 Cents

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26 (CP) — Prices were weak on the Vancouver stock exchange. Trading was quiet.

Bralorne was off five cents at 10.95, Nicol. lost the same amount at 85, Cariboo was down four cents at 2.36, Vidette lost three cents at 2.15, Premier Gold was off two cents at 1.33, and losses of one cent were marked up by Bridge River Exploration at 71, Meridian at 23½, Salmon Gold at 30 and Wayside at 46.

Minto was up 1¼ cents at 31, Morning Star gained 1½ cents at 36 and Reno was one cent higher at 1.12.

Bradian Gold Mines appeared in the unlisted section today at 2,00 and Bradian Rights was off 10 points at 1.15 premium.

British Columbia Nickel lost seven cents at 74, Pend Oreille was off five cents at 1.00, Golconda and Porter Idaho were each down one cent at 56 and 14 respectively, Noble Five gained ¼ cent at 15½ and Big Missouri was unchanged.

Calgary and Edmonton lost four cents at 1.10, Home Oil was off two cents at 1.70 and Royalite and Dalhousie both closed unchanged.

APPLE PRICES OVERSEAS

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Supplies of apples on the United Kingdom markets were fairly heavy with a fair demand last week, says a report received today by the department of agriculture. Stocks at London were being cleaned up, but there was no outstanding demand. Expected arrivals this week were 75,000 boxes and 60,000 barrels of Canadian, and 101,000 boxes and 8000 barrels of American.

Receipts and quotations:

Glasgow—31,218 boxes British Columbia apples.

Quotations by boxes Spitzenberg seven shillings ninepence to 10 shillings; Delicious 10 shillings threepence to 14 shillings; McIntosh eight shillings sixpence to 11 shillings; Rome Beauty seven shillings sixpence to nine shillings; Grimes Golden seven shillings sixpence to eight shillings; Newtown 10 to 12 shillings sixpence.

A motor has been developed in Germany using a mixture of hydrogen and oxygen as fuel instead of gasoline.

BAR GOLD PRICE IS UNCHANGED

MONTREAL, Feb. 26 (CP)—Bar gold in London unchanged at $34.86 an ounc in Canadian funds, 136s 5d in British funds, in Washington the fixed $35 price amounted to $35.21 Canadian.

Metal Markets

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP)—Copper quiet; Electrolytic spot and future 8.

Tin steady, spot and nearby 52.25; future 52.35.

Iron quiet; No. 2 F.O.B. Eastern Pennsylvania 18.50; Buffalo 17.50; Alabama 13.50.

Lead steady; spot New York 4.00; East St. Louis 3.90.

Zinc dull; East St. Louis spot and future 4.40.

Antimony spot 7.20-7.25.

Quicksilver 74.00.

Bar silver easy ½ lower at 45⅞.

AT LONDON— Copper standard spot £32 10s; future £32 12s 6d.

Electrolytic spot £36 18s; future £36.

Tin, spot £227 10s; future £227 2s 6d.

Lead spot £11 12s 6d; future £11 15s.

Zinc spot £14 5s; future £14 17s 6d.

Bar silver easy, 3-16 lower at 20⅜d.

Calgary Live Stock

CALGARY, Feb. 26 (CP)— Receipts: 270 cattle, 4 calves and 118 hogs. The cattle market was moderately active at steady prices. Hogs sold at selects $9.15, bacon $8.65 and butchers $8.15, not fed or watered.

Cattle—Good butcher steers $3.75 to $4.50. Medium to good butcher heifers $2.75 to $3.25. Medium to good fed calves $3.50 to $4. Good butcher cows $2. Medium to good bulls $1.50 to $2. Good heavy veal calves $3.50.

Exchanges

MONTREAL, Feb. 26 (CP)—British and foreign exchange in relation to the Canadian dollar, as compiled by the Royal Bank of Canada, closed today as follows:

Argentina, peso	.3620A
Australia, pound	4.0680A
Belgium, belga	.2348A
China, Hong Kong dollars	.3932D
Denmark, krone	.2283A
Finland, finmark	.0229D
France, franc	.0662A
Germany, reichsmark	.3987A
Great Britain, pound	5.1191A
Holland, florin	.6763A
Italy, lire	.0859D
New Zealand, pound	4.0843A
Norway, krone	.2569A
Poland, zloti	.1911A
South Africa, pound	5.1035A
Spain, peseta	.1365A
Sweden, krone	.2638A
Switzerland, franc	.[illegible]43A

United States, dollar 9-32 per cent premium (unchanged.)

DOW JONES AVERAGES

30 industrials	103.12	off 1.65
20 rails	47.90	off 1.18
20 utilities	26.47	off .66

TORONTO STOCK QUOTATIONS

Alexandria	.06½
Algoma	.02⅜
Amity	.03
Ashley Gold	1.13
Barry Hollinger	.15½
Base Metals	1.80
Bear Explorations	.72
Big Missouri	.41
Bobjo	.44
Bralorne	11.00
Brett Trethewey	.13
Bridge River Exp	.72
Brownlee	.08¼
Buffalo Can Gold	.09⅞
Bunker Hill	.01⅞
Can Kirkland	.08¾
Can Malartic	.45
Cariboo Gold Qtz	2.40
Castle Trethewey	.72
Central Man	.08½
Central Pat	.62
Chibougamou	.09
Cherley	.02
Coast Copper	4.75
Cobalt Contact	.05⅞
Columario	.77½
Coniarium	1.30
Cons M & S	150
Dome	34.60
Dominion Explor	.06¼
Eldorado	3.55
Falconbridge	3.45
Granada	.66
Hollinger	13.85
Howey	1.21
Hudson Bay	23.00
Kirkland Lake	.30
Lake Maron	.09¼
Lake Shore	45.10
McIntyre	40.00
McVittie Grahame	1.10
McWatters Gold	.34
Macassa	2.16
Malrobic	.03½
Manitoba Basin	.03½
Mining Corp	2.20
Moffatt Hall	.04
Nipissing	2.65
Noranda	34.50
Parkhill	.49
Pend Oreille	1.02
Pioneer Gold	11.50
Premier Gold	1.35
Reno	1.16
San Antonio	.55
Sherritt Gordon	1.12
Siscoe	1.91
South Tiblemont	.10½
Stadacona	.18
St. Anthony	.34½
Sudbury Basin	1.52
Sylvanite	2.40
Teck Hughes	5.85
Towagamac	.32
Treadwell	.65
Ventures	.98
Waite Amulet	1.24
Wayside	.43
White Eagle	.37
Wright Har	7.20
OILS	
Acme	.25
Ajax	1.46
A P Con	.19
Associated	.20¾
B A Oil	14.50
Baltac	.06½
Calmont	.12
C & E Corp	1.15
Chem Research	3.05
Dalhousie	.59
Home Oil	1.77
Homestead	.14
Imperial Oil	13.75
Inter Pete	22.00
Lowery	.35
Nordon	.11
Oil Selections	.06
Olga	.24
Royalite	17.50
Sarnia	.08
Sterling Pac	.65
INDUSTRIALS	
Beatty Bros	10
Beauharnois	8
Bell Telephone	116
Brazilian	12½
Brewers & Distillers	2.70
Can Bread	4
Can Cement	10¾
Can Car & F	8½
Can Indus Alcohol A	15½
Can Dredge	33
Can Pacific Railway	15⅞
Cons Bakeries	10½
Distillers Seagrams	19⅞
Dominion Stores	20½
Ford of Can A	22⅝
Goodyear Tire	126
Hiram Walker	45¼
Imperial Tobacco	12½
Loblaw A	15⅛
Massey Harris	6½
Photo Engravers	19½
Page Hersey	67½
Service Stations	8½
Standard Paving	3⅞
Steel of Canada	36

MONTREAL STOCK PRICES

Alberta Pac	4½
Bell Tel	116
B C Packing	3
Brazil	12½
B C Power A	32
Building Prod	21
Can Bronze	24
Can Car Fdy	8½
Can Cement	10½
Can Cement Pfd	45
Can Gen Elec	130
Can Gypsum	7
Can Indl Al A	15½
Can Indl Al B	14½
C P R	15½
Can W & C A	24½
Can W & C B	10
Cockshutt Plow	9¼
Cons M & S	150
Dom Bridge	34¾
Dom Glass	90
Dom Textile	76½
Gen St. Wares	5¾
Chas Gurd	9¾
Hamilton Bridge	8¾
Intl Nickel	23
Lake of the Woods	131½
Massey Harris	6½
Mont Power	37¼
Nat Brewing	26¼
Nat Steel Car	17¼
Ogilvie	210
Penmans	45½
Power Corp	14½
Price Bros	2
Quebec Power	17
Shawinigan	21½
Sherwin Williams	18
Sou Can Power	14½
Steel of Can	35½
Winnipeg Railway	2½
Winnipeg El Pfd	11½
CURBS	
Ass'd Breweries	11½
Brew & Dist	270
B A Oil	14
Bruck Silk	19⅞
Can Dredge	33½
Can Malting	34
Can Wineries	9¾
Cosgrave Brew	8¾
Dist Seag	20
Dominion Tar	4⅝
Dryden Paper	6
East Dairies	4
Home Oil	171
Impl Oil	13¾
Imp Tob Can	12¼
Intl Petrol	21⅝
McColl Front	12
Moranda	34½
Reliance Grain	6¼
Walker Good	45¼
Walker Good Pfd	16¾
UTILITIES	
Intl Util A	4¾
BANKS	
Canadienne	141
Commerce	163
Dominion	178
Imperial	175
Montreal	200
Nova Scotia	274½
Royal	160
Toronto	202
MISCELLANEOUS	
Can Gypsum	7
Can Dredge	33½
Dom Stores	20¼
Ford of Can A	22½
Goodyear	128
Kelvinator	5¼
Lob Groc	15
Service Stations	8½
West Can Flour	7

QUOTATIONS ON WALL STREET

Allegheny	4⅛	4	4⅛
All Chemical	154⅝	151⅝	152¼
Am Can	103⅞	102	103
Am For Pow	10	9¾	9¾
American Ice	9	8¾	8¾
Am Ma & Fdy	17	16½	16½
Am Smelt & Re	46⅝	43⅞	44¼
Am Telephone	121½	119⅝	121¼
Am Tobacco	75¼	74	74
Anaconda	15¼	14½	14¾
Atchison	66	64½	65¼
Auburn Mo	13	12½	12¾
Balt & Ohio	30⅛	28¼	28½
Bend Aviat	19¾	18¾	19⅛
Beth Steel	45⅛	43⅞	44½
Canada Dry	25	24⅞	24⅞
Can Pacific	15¾	15⅛	15½
Cerro De Pasco	35½	34	34⅝
Ches & Ohio	43⅝	43	43
Chrysler	56¼	54⅝	55⅝
Comm & South	2⅞	2⅝	2⅝
Con Gas N Y	40	39	39⅝
Corn Prod	72⅝	71⅞	72½
C Wright Pfd	—	—	10
Dupont	99¾	97½	98½
Eastman Kod	98½	88¼	89
Elec Pow & Lt	7	6¾	6⅞
Erie	20½	19⅝	20
Ford English	—	—	6⅝
First Na Stores	58½	57½	58⅛
Free Texas	47¼	46	46¼
Gen Electric	20⅞	20⅛	20½
General Foods	34⅛	33½	33¾
Gen Motors	38	37¼	37¾
Gold Dust	19⅞	19⅜	19⅜
Goodrich	15⅞	15½	15¾
Granby	10¾	10¼	10½
Grt North Pfd	27⅝	26	27
Grt Wst Sugar	28	27	27¾
Howe Sound	46⅞	44	44⅞
Hudson Mo	20	18¾	19⅛
Ins Copper	5½	—	5½
Inter Nickel	23¼	22¾	23
Int Tel & Tel	14⅝	13⅝	14
Jewel Tea	45⅝	45	45
Kenn Copper	19⅝	19⅛	19¼
Kresge S S	19½	18¾	19¼
Kroeg & Toll	30¾	30	30⅝
Lehn & Fink	19¾	19	19
Mack Truck	36¼	35	35¼
Milwaukee Pfd	6½	6	6¼
Mont Ward	31⅝	29⅞	30½
Nash Motors	27⅝	26⅝	27
Nat Dairy Prod	15¼	14⅞	14⅞
N Pow & Lt	—	—	11½
N Y Central	38½	37¼	37⅞
Pa Gas & Elec	19½	18⅝	18¾
Packard Mo	5¾	5⅝	5½
Penn R R	34¾	33⅛	33⅛
Phillips Pete	16⅞	16¼	16¼
Pure Oil	12⅝	12⅛	12⅛
Radio Corp	7¾	7⅜	7¾
Radio Keith Or	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
Rem Rand	11⅞	11½	11⅞
Rock Island	5⅛	5	5
Safeway Stores	52¾	51½	52¼
S Louis & S F	3⅞	3¾	3¾
Shell Union	10½	10¼	10¼
S Cal Edison	19½	19	19
South Pac	28⅝	27⅛	28¼
Stan Oil of Cal	39¾	38¾	38⅞
Stan Oil of Ind	—	—	30⅝
Stan Oil of N J	47½	46	46
Stew Warn	9⅛	8¾	8¾
Studebaker	7⅝	7⅛	7⅛
Tex Corp	26¼	25⅝	25⅞
Tex Gulf Sul	38½	38	38
Timken Rollers	36½	35¼	35⅝
Under Type	45	—	45
Un Carbide	45⅝	44	44¼
Un Oil of Cal	18¼	—	18¼
Un Aircraft	24½	23⅛	23⅞
Un Biscuit	25	24	24
Un Pacific	126¼	124¾	126
US Cst Irn Ppe	28¾	27¾	27¾
U S Rubber	19¼	18½	18⅞
U S Steel	55¼	54¼	54⅞
Vanadium Steel	28	26½	26⅞
West Electric	40	38½	39
Woolworth	50	49½	49¾
Wrigley	59¼	58½	59¼
Yellow Truck	6¼	5⅝	6

Dominion Live Stock

WINNIPEG, Feb. 26 (CP)—Receipts of cattle 1350, calves 460, hogs 300, sheep 185.

Steers, up to 1050 pounds good and choice 4.25-5.25. Heifers, good and choice 3.75-4.50. Fed calves, good and choice 4.50-5.50. Cows, good 2.50-3.00. Milkers and springers 20.00-40.00. Veal calves, good and choice, 6.00-7.50.

Hogs, bacon $1.00 per head premium. Bacon 9.00; butchers $1.00 per head discount. Heavy 8.50. Extra heavy 7.25.

Lambs, good handyweight 6.00-6.75. Good heavies 5.00-5.50. Sheep good heavies 1.25-1.50.

MONEY

By the Canadian Press

Closing exchange rates:

At Montreal—Pound 5.11½, U.S. dollar 1.00 19-32, franc 6.62.

At New York—Pound 5.08½, Canadian dollar .99 7-16, franc 6.58.

At Paris—Pound 77.45 francs, Canadian dollar 15.15 francs, U.S. dollar 15.23¾ francs.

In gold—Pound 12s 5d, Canadian dollar 59.29 cents, U.S. dollar 59.66 cents.

EASTERN SALES

AT TORONTO

TORONTO, Feb. 26 (CP)—Sales of 100 or more shares on the Toronto stock exchange today:

Beauharnois 545, Brazilian 1406, Brewers & Dist 970, Fn Burt 485, Canada Cement 1635, Con Bakeries 368, Can Wineries 430, Can Ind Alc 390, Canada Dredge 555, CPR 836, Cockshutt 565, Con Smelters 377, Dist C Seagrams 2185, Dom Bridge 705, Ford A 2409, Gypsum and Alab 330, H Walkers 2367, H Walkers pfd 540, Int Nickel 5673, Massey Harris 1275, Standard Steel 190, B A Oil 1105, Int Pete 373, Moore Corp 215, Steel of Can 455, McColl Front 370, Imp Oil 1145.

AT MONTREAL

MONTREAL, Feb. 26 (CP)—Sales of 100 or more shares on the Montreal stock exchange today:

Bathurst A 735, B C Packers 205, Brazilian 1045, B C Power B 130, Bruck Silk 1415, Can Ind Alc 595, Can Cement 965, CPR 625, Con Smelting 238, Dom Bridge 1210, Dom SN & CB 980, Found Co 410, Int Nickel 4741, Gen Steel Wares 495, Massey Harris 395, Mtl Power 710, McColl Front 850, Nat Brew 382, Shawinigan 1213, Steel of Can 805.

Exchange Rates

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP)—Sterling exchange steady at $5.01½ for 60-day bills, and at $5.06½ for demand.

Canadian dollars 9-16 per cent discount.

Francs 6.58.

Lire 8.54.

Uruguay 80.40.

London Close

LONDON, Feb. 26 (AP)—Closing: Brazilian Traction $12⅝, Canadian Pacific $15⅝, International Nickel $23, British American Tobacco £6, Courtaulds £2½, Distillers 86s 6d, Dunlop Rubber 47s 4½d, Hudson Bay 27s, Imperial Chemical 34s 4½d, Imperial Tobacco 118s 9d, Mining Trust Ltd 3s, Rand Mines 56¼, Rhodesian Anglo Am 16s 6d, Rhokana Corp £5¾, Crowns £10⅛, Springs £5 ⅝, East Geduld £7½, Rio Tintos £20⅝, Vickers 9s.

Bonds—Canadian 4 per cent loan 1953-58 £107, British 2½ per cent consols £78 3-16, British 3½ per cent war loan £102⅞, British funding 4s 1960-90 £113.

Minneapolis Grain

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 26 (AP)—Wheat No. 1 Northern 84¼-86¼; No. 1 Red Durum 80⅝-82⅝; May 82¼; July 82½; Sept. 81⅝; Corn No. 3 Yellow 40-4¼.

Oats, No. 3 White 31-32.

Flax, No. 1 1.83-1.86.

Flour unchanged. Carload lots, family patents 7.10-7.30. A barrel in 98 lb. cotton sacks. Shipments 29,807. Bran 17.00-17.50.

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, Feb. 26 (CP)—Closing futures quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat:				
May	67⅛	67⅛	66⅞	67
July	68¼	68⅜	68¼	68¼
Oats:				
May	35⅜	35⅜	34⅞	35⅛
July	35¾	35⅞	35⅝	35½
Barley:				
May	41½	41½	41½	41½
July	42⅝	42⅝	42½	42¼
Flax:				
May	152½	152½	151	151
July	—	—	—	150⅝
Rye:				
May	48½	48½	48	48⅜
July	—	—	—	45½

Cash prices: Wheat: No. 1 hard 69½; No. 1 northern 64⅜; No. 2 nor. 61½; No. 3 nor. 60; nor. 57¼; No. 5, 54; No. 6, 51½; feed 50; track 64½; No. 1 durum 66½.

POUND STERLING GAINS

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (CP)—Small gains were recorded by pounds sterling, Canadian dollars and French gold francs in terms of United States funds on foreign exchanges today.

Sterling closed up ½ cent at $5.08½. Canadian dollars finished at 99 7-16 cents, 1-16 higher.

Francs at 6.58 cents were two points higher.

Shipment of Bermuda Spuds to B.C. Barred Because Tuber Moth in It

VICTORIA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Discovery of the active larvae of the potato tuber moth in a shipment of potatoes from Bermuda has resulted in the banning of the entire shipment which arrived here yesterday aboard the M.S. Disteldyk.

John Noble, federal plant pest inspector, discovered the larvae, which was later identified by W. Downes, Dominion government entomologist. It is the first time in nearly 40 years this type of pest, feared above all others by potato growers, has been found in a shipment arriving here.

Department of agriculture officials said today the entire potato industry in British Columbia would have been endangered had the imported potatoes passed into retail trade. The moth is reported to produce with unusual rapidity and to be destructive among all tuberous plants, including potatoes, tomatoes and tobacco.

CLASSIFIED SECTION

LEGAL

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES
Fiscal year 1934-35

SEALED TENDERS, in triplicate, enclosed in the envelopes provided for the purpose, will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, the 13th day of March, 1934, for the various supplies required by the following Government Institutions: Provincial Mental Home, Colquitz; Home for Incurables, Marpole; School for the Deaf, Point Grey; Provincial Industrial Home for Girls, Vancouver; Oakalla Prison Farm, Provincial Mental Hospital, Public Hospital for Insane, New Westminster; Provincial Industrial School for Boys, Port Coquitlam; Provincial Home, Kamloops; Tranquille Sanitorium, Tranquille; Provincial Gaol, Nelson; and for the coal required for the Public Buildings in Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster, for the fiscal year 1934-35.

For further information, lists of articles to be tendered upon, tender forms and samples, apply to the undersigned or to the officials in charge of the above named buildings.

All supplies to be delivered to the above Institutions and Buildings, without extra charge, as directed from time to time.

Two acceptable sureties for the due fulfilment of each contract for the Institutions will be required, and for the public buildings the Coal tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque for $100.00 on a chartered Bank of Canada, made payable to the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, which will be forfeited if the party tendering decline or neglect to enter into the contract when called upon to do so. Cheques of unsuccessful tenders will be returned upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders must be signed by the actual signatures of the tenderers.

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Gold Belt	—	.46
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Georgia River	.03¼	.03½
Golconda	.56	.57
Grandview	.05	.05½
Independence	.01½	.02
Int C & C X D	.12	.13
Koot Florence	.02	.02¼
Koot King	.01½	.02
Koot Belle	.20	.22
Lucky Jim	.05¼	.06
Meridian	.23½	.24
Morning Star	.38	.38½
National Silver	.05	.05¼
Noble Five	.15½	.15¾
Fend Oreille	1.00	1.04
Pioneer Gold	11.50	12.50
Porter Idaho	.14	.15
Premier	1.33	1.34
Reno Gold	1.12	1.13
Rufus Argenta	—	.03¼
Ruth Hope	—	.04½
Silvercrest	.03	.03¼
Snowflake	.02	.02½
Toric	.22	—
Waterloo	.30	.22
Wellington	—	.08½
Whitewater	.08	.09
OILS		
A P Consolidated	.18	
Associated	.26	
Calmont	.12	
C and E Lands	1.10	
Dalhousie	.56	
Devenish	.06	
Fabyan	.00¾	
Freehold	.12½	
Hirgal	.08	
Home Oil	1.70	
McDougall Segur Ex	.05½	
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SUMMARY OF ANNUAL REPORT

New Business Issued	$ 8,825,554.00
Insurance in Force	52,602,206.00
Total Income	2,303,701.00
Paid to Policyholders and Beneficiaries	1,385,534.00
Assets	10,860,770.00
Policy Reserves	9,118,503.00
Special Surplus and Reserve Funds	1,141,938.00

Surplus earnings for the year were increased.

The Company's exceptional record for low mortality has been continued.

Expenditures have again been reduced.

Assets were valued conservatively below amounts authorized by Dominion Department of Insurance.

E. J. TARR, K.C. — President
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TORONTO "KID LINE" TO FORE

Still Going Strong in Hockey Race for Honors

A week of heavy scoring in which Saturday night games were outstanding in number of goals, found point leaders in the National Hockey league ably upholding their end, with the result the top positions were unchanged.

Figures issued tonight by President Frank Calder showed Charlie Conacher, in accumulating three points against New York Rangers Saturday, held his lead of six points over Frank Boucher, Rangers' center, with Joe Primeau, Toronto, third, a point behind Frank.

Toronto's "kid line" by piling up points, opened an even wider lead in the domination of the Canadian section. Conacher has 28 goals, 18 assists for 46 points; Primeau 13-26-39 and Harvey Jackson 19-18-37.

The United States section showed little change.

Boucher's 13-27-40 kept his wide lead intact. Marty Barry of Boston who scored a couple of points at Ottawa Saturday night, was second with 20-12-32 tied with Cecil Dillon, Rangers, 8-24-32.

The penalty honor role is still headed by Boucher with but two minutes in the box.

Red Horner of Toronto is the league bad man with 127 minutes while Lionel Conacher, Chicago, still held second with 64, 10 minutes more than Nels Stewart, Boston.

OXFORD CREW MAKES TIME

In Heavy Training for the Cambridge Boat Race

PUTNEY, England, Feb. 26 (CP cable)—With hopes of stopping the string of Cambridge victories in the classic intervarsity boat race March 17, the Oxford crew got on the tideway today to open the last and hardest period of the long training grind.

The dark blues were impressive in a workout this afternoon, racing from Hammersmith bridge to Putney, 1 mile 1180 yards, in seven minutes and 43 seconds. In last year's race the winning Cambridge crew covered this stretch, the opposite way, in 8.07.

Oxford, who have not won a race since 1924, got away on this trial at 34 strokes to the minute, dropped to 32 and then pounded along at a steady 29, finishing with another burst at 34.

Earlier in the day the Dark Blues paddled with full course of 4½ miles from Putney to Mortlake, against a strong north-eastern, with several spurts of rowing.

MAULERS BEAT FAIRVIEW 6-2

Play Fine Combination in Junior Game to Take Sunday Puck Game

Playing fine combination throughout the entire game, the Maulers took their lighter opponents into camp Sunday afternoon at the rink when they downed the Fairview juniors 6-2. Tommy Bird led the players in the attack for the winners and also made two goals. Clark, Gibbons, Dewdney and Steed made the others.

The Maulers had the play in every part of the game and Jackie Bishop in the Fairview nets had an interesting time. A. Vyse and J. Leeming made the counters for Fairview.

Walt Gillett refereed the game.

Lineups:

Maulers — Archie Bishop, goal; Horswill, F. Clark and R. Kirby, defense; Bird, Gibbons, Dewdney, Whitfield, Steed, Winlaw and Ritchie forwards.

Fairview—Jack Bishop, goal; Steve Smith, Hawkins, defense; Anderson, J. Rothery, Cooper, Leeming, C. Baker, Vyse and Lindsay, forwards.

THE WEDNESDAY IS BEATEN BY LEEDS

LONDON, Feb. 26 (CP cable)—Leeds United defeated Sheffield Wednesday 2-0 in a first division, English soccer league game today.

VARIETY

You will be pleased with the wide variety of foods and special dishes listed on our menu. And you will enjoy dining here because they are tastily prepared and appetisingly served.

Lunches and Dinners 35c

GOLDEN GATE CAFE

BELLINGHAM AND SEATTLE SKIERS TAKE HONORS

BELLINGHAM, Feb. 26 (AP)—Honors went to Seattle and Bellingham skiers at the first annual ski tournament of the Mount Baker club at Mount Baker Sunday. In the slalom events Don Fraser, Seattle, won first place in class A with Frank Kellerman, also of Seattle, second. In class B Don Spring, assistant caretaker at Mount Baker lodge was first.

There was no jumping.

BIG CATS FUN FOR TRAPPERS

Hird and Avis Bag Cougars While Trapping

With one of the best collections of furs taken in years, together with two cougars which provided a thrilling break in the daily routine, E. H. "Gene" Hird of Queen's Bay, and Harold Avis of Perry Siding are back home after six weeks spent on their Slocan trap line.

Hird, who brought the cougars into Nelson Monday to collect the $10 bounty offered for them by the government, states that the big cats are plentiful in the Slocan and are taking a toll of the deer herds. With unemployed on one hand and cougars and coyotes on the other, the deer are being thinned out considerable this winter despite the mild weather, he states. A higher bounty on cougars might be an inducement to hunters to war on the feline marauders.

While the two men have a fair number of martin, mink and weasel pelts to show for their winter's work, their remuneration will be lower this year as the price offered for fur is poor.

Hird, in the summer operated a turkey farm and Avis a fur farm.

Bagging the big cats proved an exciting undertaking. Coming upon a fresh kill made by one of them, the two men set traps and came back next day to find both traps and the logs to which they were chained gone. In an attempt to gain their freedom both had dragged the logs and traps a considerable distance but tore up the ground and brush to leave an easy trail. They were eventually found and shot and the traps set again. Hird came within a few feet of one before discovering it.

The cougars were taken near the mouth of Indian creek on the lake. Returning a second time to the traps from their line further up the valley the found them sprung again but this trip they had given the cougars time enough to chew off their toes and escape. Dogs were secured from Perry Siding but they were unable to trace the animals. The two men brought back some fine snap shots taken during the trip.

THIRD ROUND RUGBY DRAW

LONDON, Feb. 26 (CP cable)—Draw for the third round of the Rugby league cup competition, the quarter-finals, to be played March 10 was made today as follows:

Huddersfield vs. London Highfield.
Castleford or Hunslet vs. York.
St. Helen's Recs or Oldham vs. Bramley.
Halifax vs. Widnes.

"Big League" BOWLING

(By AL DEMAREE)

When delivering the ball, swing the ball as near the body as possible, and keep it moving in a straight line. Do not bend your arm or back. Keep your feet far apart, and bend your knee.

A beginner's first consideration should be of the foul line, for in league contests, or match games, a foul is committed if the player's foot crosses the line. Therefore, the beginner should school himself from the first to avoid such a foul.

Three steps up to the foul line are all that are necessary, as a player can acquire just as much speed and more accuracy in this way, than if he takes a longer run.

TEN YEARS AGO

February 27, 1934—Tom Lynch, former president of the National league died at Hartsford, Conn.

Joe Kirkwood won Houston, Tex., open golf championship.

Jack Dempsey was operated on in New York City.

Al Demaree has prepared an illustrated leaflet on "Bowling Delivery" which he will gladly send to any reader requesting it. Address Al Demaree in care of this paper and be sure to enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.

A Wellingborough man ate 100 doughnuts at a sitting.

Sporting News

ONLY ONE TORONTO LEAF STAR GETS BOSTON WRITER'S CALL ON COUPLE OF NATIONAL LEAGUE ALL-STAR SIXES

Following is the second of a Canadian Press series of National Hockey league all-star selections by sports writers in N.H.L. cities. A consensus will be prepared later.

By Peter F. Kelley, Boston Daily Record

First Team	Position	Alternate Team
Gardiner (Chicago)	Goal	Worters (Americans)
Shore (Boston)	R. Defence	Dutton (Americans)
Johnson (Rangers)	L. Defence	L. Conacher (Chicago)
Boucher (Rangers)	Centre	Smith (Maroons)
C. Conacher (Toronto)	R. Wing	W. Cook (Rangers
F. Cook (Rangers)	L. Wing	Jolliat (Canadiens)
Patrick (Rangers)	Coach	Irvin (Toronto)

Puck Statistics

CANADIAN SECTION

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pt
Toronto	40	22	9	9	149	92	53
Montreal	41	16	16	9	93	106	41
Canadiens	40	16	18	6	81	87	38
Americans	41	13	18	10	85	105	36
Ottawa	40	11	24	5	99	122	27

UNITED STATES SECTION

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pt
Detroit	41	20	11	10	92	82	50
Chicago	40	17	12	11	73	60	45
Rangers	40	19	14	7	101	86	45
Boston	41	12	24	5	83	116	29

SCORING LEADERS—
CANADIAN SECTION

	G.	A.	P.	Pe.
Conacher, Tor.	28	18	46	24
Primeau, Tor.	13	26	39	6
Jackson, Tor.	19	18	37	38
Joliat, Cdns.	18	12	30	23
E. Roche, Ott.	13	14	27	20
Clancy, Tor.	9	17	26	58
Smith, Montl.	12	13	25	40
Robinson, Montl.	9	15	24	8
Shannon, Ott.	11	13	24	24
Kaminsky, Ott.	7	17	24	14
R. Burke, Amerk	16	7	23	24
Himes, Amerk	8	15	23	8
McVeigh, Amerk	13	10	23	4
Northcott, Mtl.	14	8	22	23
Trottier, Mtl.	8	14	22	17
D. Roche, Ott.	13	8	21	20
Cotton, Tor.	8	12	20	39
Blair, Tor.	13	6	19	28
Blinco, Mtl.	12	7	19	2
Larochelle, Cdn.	9	10	19	25
Thoms, Tor.	5	14	19	22
Howe, Ott.	12	6	18	16
H. Kilrea, Tor.	9	9	18	8
Day, Tor.	8	10	18	33
Voss, Ott.	6	12	18	6
Ward, Mtl.	10	7	17	40
Klein, Amerk	10	7	17	27
Finnigan, Ott.	9	8	17	10
Gagnon, Cdns.	7	10	17	18
Horner, Tor.	7	9	16	127
Doraty, Tor.	8	7	15	6
Riley, Cdns.	5	10	15	4
Conn, Amerk	3	12	15	6

UNITED STATES SECTION

Boucher, Rgs.	13	27	40	2
Barry, Boston	20	12	32	12
Dillon, Rgs.	8	24	32	8
Thompson, Chi.	15	16	31	17
R. Cook, Rgs.	16	14	30	26
Stewart, Bost.	15	12	27	54
Aurie, Detroit	13	14	27	36
Sorrell, Detroit	17	9	26	8
Weiland, Detroit	10	16	26	2
Gottselig, Chi.	13	12	25	2
W. Cook, Rgs.	13	11	24	19
Romnes, Chi.	7	17	24	16
Lewis, Detroit	12	11	23	13
Murdoch, Rgs.	15	6	21	23
Carson, Detroit	10	9	19	32
Keeling, Rgs.	14	4	18	16
E. Siebert, Rgs.	11	7	18	41
Conacher, Chi.	9	9	18	67
Clapper, Boston	9	9	18	6
Goodfellow, Detroit	8	10	18	41
Lamb, Boston	7	10	17	41
Pettinger, Det.	2	14	16	10
Beattie, Boston	6	9	15	24
Wiseman, Det.	5	9	14	11
Ripley, Bost.-Rgs.	5	9	14	14
Cook, Chicago	5	8	13	13
Oliver, Boston	5	7	12	6
Couture, Chi.	5	7	12	14
March, Chi.	4	8	12	26
Emms, Detroit	5	6	11	47
A. Smith, Boston	5	5	9	28

Pe.—Penalties in minutes.

GENEROUS GIFT IS THE FAVORITE

Stands 100 to 9 to Win the Lincolnshire Race on March 21

LONDON, Feb. 26 (CP cable)—Partly because he will be ridden by Gordon Richards, champion hockey, Generous Gift remained favorite for the Lincolnshire handicap in today's call-over of odds for the mile race on March 21.

Generous Gift was at 100 to 9, Quarts 199 to 8, Old King Sole 100 to 7, Playdon 100 to 6, Crumpets 18 to 1, St. Oswald, Gino and Toaig 20 to 1, Versicle and Greek Warrior 22 to 1, Madagascar 25 to 1, Soldier 28 to 1, and Creme Caramel, Ringmaster Timogue, Empire Unity 33 to 1.

Praise Kimberley Ski Tournament

With two trophies and hearty praise for the manner in which they were treated, Roy MacKay, Danny McKay and Art Grodzki, Nelson ski jumpers, returned Sunday from Kimberley where they participated in the mining city's club tournament.

"The officials put over the tournament in a big way and the entertainment and prizes were more than we had counted on," one of the skiers stated. Bob Lymburne of Trail, who was with the Nelson boys on their return trip, was also pleased with the tournament entertainment.

Lymburne did some of the prettiest jumping of his career, going over the hill for 171 feet on an exhibition. An odd coincidence, Lymburne and the two McKay boys were separated in both official and exhibition jumps by ten feet. Roy made 161 and Danny 151 in their exhibition jumps.

Lymburne took home the yearly challenge cup and lovely silver mug. Danny McKay brought back a cup for first place in B class and Roy a mug for second in A class.

Art Grodzki made two fine jumps but fell on his last.

Kimberley introduced something new in ski carnival entertainment in the Kootenays when Miss Iris Carlson was crowned queen at a monster dance Friday night. Queen Iris ruled with a graceful hand over her subjects and distributed the prizes at the banquet Sunday evening. J. M. Gordon, vice-president of the Nelson club spoke expressing his appreciation for the fine time shown the participants. The executive of the Kimberley club, Mr. Shannon and G. B. McGillivray were thanked for their efforts.

C.N.R. Operating Expenses Heavy

MONTREAL, Feb. 26 (CP).—Gross revenues of $11,562,577 were reported today by the Canadian National Railways for the month of January, an improvement of $1,838,988 over the January, 1933, figure of $9,723,589.

Due to adverse weather and other uncontrollable factors, a statement said, operating expenses mounted from $11,631,012 to $12,371,543.

The result was a net revenue deficit of $808,966. Net revenue deficit was $1,907,423 in January 1933.

CURRENCIES GAIN

MONTREAL, Feb. 26 (CP)—Small gains were shown by currencies on the Montreal foreign exchange markets at the close today.

The pound gained ¼ cent at $5.11½ while the franc firmed .02 cent at 6.62 bents. The American dollar closed unchanged at 19-32 per cent premium.

SAFEWAY GIRLS LEAD HOOP TEAMS

Falcons vs. Maulers, Fairview vs. Safeway Wednesday night

BOYS LEAGUE

	P	W	L	Pts.
Maulers	4	3	1	6
Falcons	4	2	2	4
Toilers	4	1	3	2
GIRLS LEAGUE				
Safeway	5	5	0	10
Aces	5	3	2	6
Fairview	5	0	5	0

So far the Safeway girls are the only undefeated basketball team in the City leagues, with the Maulers having the best showing in the boys' schedule. The former has five wins and no losses, the latter has only dropped one in four.

Wednesday night the Falcons will meet the Maulers from 7-8 o'clock and the Fairview girls will meet the Safeways in the earlier game.

Canada Out of Harmsworth Race

Unable to Complete Challenger for the Labor Day Event

WINDSOR, Ont., Feb. 26 (CP)—Canada's entry in the Harmsworth trophy, world famous speed-boat race on the Detroit river, has been withdrawn. A letter from Lorne Ardiel of Toronto, international representative of the Canada Power Boat association, today notified J. Lee Barrett of the Yachtsmen's Association of America that the Windsor syndicate that was building the challenger feared they would be unable to complete their entry in time for the Labor day races.

SMELTERS OFF OVER 5 POINTS

MONTREAL, Feb. 26 (CP)—Selling attributed by market observers to a natural reaction caused large losses today on the Montreal stock exchange. Weakness became pronounced near the finish.

Canada Northern Power was an exception, advancing slightly on reports of improvement in January earnings. Smelters sagged 5½ to 149. St. Lawrence Paper preferred at 20 and St. Lawrence Flour at 36 each lost two. Canada Iron Foundries in its first appearance in months lost 23 to 52.

Washington and Oregon Lumber Production Up

SEATTLE, Feb. 26 (AP)—Production of 86,810,882 feet of lumber by 569 down and operating mills in Oregon and Washington for the week ending February 17 was reported today by the West Coast Lumbermens association.

This was an increase of about 6,000,000 feet over the preceding week. The average production of the group in 1934 has been 75,540,212 feet; during the same period in 1933 the weekly average was 54,464,210 feet.

TO SHOW WINES

NEW YORK (CP)—D. M. Dow, official secretary for Australia in the United States, has advised his government to arrange a showing of Australian wines at the international wine show here in February.

GOOD ICE AT CURLING RINK

Ice Maker A. A. Perrier states that the ice sheets at the curling rink are in good condition and that while scheduled games have been overlooked, several interesting scratch games have been played. Four rinks played Saturday night after which they enjoyed a supper at the rink.

MARTS STEADY

Demand Well Ahead of Last Year at Victoria

Business on the various markets continues, according to the market news letter from the department of agriculture at Victoria. Fruit and vegetables are practically unchanged at Vancouver, while at Victoria the demand is keeping well ahead of last year

VICTORIA—The fruit and vegetable market demand is keeping well ahead of last year and supplies are plentiful in all lines except celery. Most of the green vegetables are coming from California. Delicious apples are cleaning up. Red Cheek Pippin apple is a new arrival and is wholesaling in Household crates at $1.10. Other apple prices are unchanged. Tomatoes are coming in from Mexico and Bahamas. Mexican repacks are quoted at $4.75 and Bahamas at $4 per lug. Local Brussels sprouts are offered in small quantities are 6c per lb. Local white cabbage at 1¾c to 2c per lb. Forced rhubarb from mainland points is selling from 4c to 4¾c per lb. California asparagus at 24c to 26c per lb., green peas at 20c per lb., spinach $1.75 per 40-lb box and celery at $4.10 per crate. Onion prices are firming—No. 1 at $1.85 and ungraded at $1.45 per cwt. Potato prices are unchanged with abundant supply.

VANCOUVER—The wholesale fruit and vegetable market is steady with prices practically unchanged. Delicious, Newtown and Spitzenberg apples, fancy, at $2.25 per box. Delicious, bulk, at 4½c and McIntosh bulk at 3½c per lb. Mexican tomatoes are quoted at $4 for repacked lugs. Imported asparagus is offered at 30c per lb. and cauliflower at $1.50 per crate. Eggs to producer are up 1c per dozen. Grade A-large 23c, A-medium 22c, A-pullet 21c. Wholesale price, Grade A-large 27c, A-medium 26c, A-pullet 25c. Poultry prices are unchanged. Hogs, country dressed prime to shipper 11c per lb. Veal, country dressed tops to shipper 9c per lb. Hay, grain and feed wholesale prices delivered. Wheat No. 1, $29 per ton, No. 2, $27; oats 2 C.W. $27; barley 3 C.W. $25, ground barley $27; corn $34, cracked corn $36; bran $22; shorts $24; middlings $29; scratch feed $32; ground recleaned screenings $21, semi-cleaned screenings $17; lay mash $36; clover hay $20; timothy $19 and alfalfa $21.

CALGARY—Business on this market continues fair. The apple market is steady. Potato shipping point quotations are varying from $13 to $15 per ton. A car of new cabbage from Texas in bulk, arrived yesterday—costing $9 per ton shipping point and wholesaling at from 4c to 5c per lb. The quality of this cabbage is very fair. There is plenty of local old cabbage still available. The weather is again cold with below zero temperatures nightly.

SEATTLE—Lettuce market easier and supplies liberal. Track holdings today 16 cars, with demand moderate at $2.75 to $3 per crate for best California lettuce. California asparagus receipts are increasing and demand easier at 15c per lb. for best quality. Hothouse rhubarb supplies moderate, market steady and demand fair at $75c to 80c per 15-lb. box for extra fancy. Local green onions are being offered at 20c per dozen bunches. Mild open weather is bringing season on early. Planting of lettuce under way in valley districts. Peas already four to five inches out of ground in few early districts.

SCOUTS HAVE A TOUGH TIME

Scouting a ball player and buying him are two different things. No matter how sold an ivory hunter is on a player and no matter how fast he wants to put the deal through, there is always the front office to consider.

Few, if any scouts have the authority to pay cash and make deals for players. The scout must necessarily correspond with his employer, and often while he is doing this, some rival club snaps up his prospect.

Harry Grabner, secretary of the Chicago White Sox, often did a bit of scouting himself occasionally, but quit, after he had followed Lefty Grove around the International circuit and didn't believe he had a good enough fast ball and control to risk buying him for the Chicago team. Chuck Klein was passed by as not being able to hit good pitching.

FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY

February 26, 1929.—Tony Canzoneri won the decision from Ignacio Fernandez in ten rounds at Chicago.

Luke M'Luke, famous sire of Anita Peabody, died at the farm of John Herz at Cary, Ill.

KEEP WITHIN INCOME MADE

Such Is Drayton's Urge in Speech at Victoria

VICTORIA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Finances of governments, cooperative societies, corporations and families are similar in underlying principle since the prime necessity for all is to live within the available income, Sir Henry Drayton, chairman of the public finance committee under the auspices of the Canadian chamber of commerce, today told a joint luncheon of chamber of commerce and Canadian club members here.

"The times are difficult," Sir Henry said. "Not only have prices been cut so that many incomes have disappeared, but many of our people have been out of work and require assistance. As a Christian country, that assistance must be afforded."

Sir Henry criticized overgovernment in Canada.

Sir Henry stated there was no political flavor to the movement he represented.

Wheat Price Is Off at Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, Feb. 26 (CP).—Easiness in outside markets together with lack of export business and general absence of other support carried wheat values fractionally lower on the Winnipeg grain exchange to close ¼ cent off.

May wheat ended at 67, with July wheat at 68¼ cents.

Foreign sales over the week-end were disappointing.

Liverpool wheat finished ⅛ to ⅜d lower, while Chicago prices skidded about 1 cent.

Cash and coarse grains operations were in the doldrums with prices little changed.

Nickel Is Off 45

TORONTO, Feb. 26 (CP)—Mild selling prevailed among industrials on the Toronto stock exchange. Gains totalled 16 against 58 losses.

Smelters lost 5 to 150 and Nickel 45 cents to 23.00. Brazilian, Ford A and C.P.R. each lost ¾. Distillers recovered most of their losses before the close. Walkers ended off ¼. Distillers Seagram and Industrial Alcohol down ⅛ cent.

BOND PRICES SAG

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP)—Bond market enthusiasm waned today and prices sagged.

Losses of 1 to 3 or more points predominated in rails, largely due to profit-taking. Traders were nervous over strikes and strike threats in the motor industry.

The foreign department was neglected and prices were a trifle mixed.

WHITE METALS ARE DEPRESSED

TORONTO, Feb. 26 (CP)—Unimportant recessions were registered by mining stocks today on the Toronto stock exchange. Signs of firmness appeared at the close.

Lake Shore, Pioneer and Teck and Bralorne were off 5 to 15 cents each. McIntyre dropped 50 cents. Hargreaves and Hollinger were unchanged.

A cut in the price of bar silver depressed all white metal stocks.

GRAINS SKID

CHICAGO, Feb. 26 (CP)—Trade confidence shaken by breaks in stocks and cotton and by snows in the winter wheat belt, grain prices skidded. Wheat struck a new low since January 12 due to stop-loss selling and dearth of buying power.

Wheat closed unsteady, 1 to 1⅜ down, corn ⅜ to ½ down, oats ¾ to ⅞ off, and provisions unchanged to 1 cents up.

BRAZILIAN HAS EARNINGS DROP

TORONTO, Feb. 26 (CP)—Brazilian Traction, Light & Power company, limited, reported an increase of gross revenue for January but still a small decrease in net earnings. The gross from operations in January was $2,346,166 compared with $2,305,568 in January, 1933. Operating expenses were $1,183,957 last month, an increase of $68,407 over January last year while net earnings were $1,192,20[illegible] last month against $1,220,018, a decrease of $27,809.

December net earnings were $1,053,253 compared with $1,179,091 for December, 1932, a decrease of $125,836. Aggregate gross earnings for the year 1933 were $28,469,704 compared with $29,358,420 for 1932, a decrease of $888,716. The aggregate net earnings for last year were $15,496,057 against $16,789,333 in 1932, a decrease of $1,293,276.

The company says the delay in making public the December earnings statement was occasioned by the "arbitrary action of the Brazilian authorities in abolishing the relationship of foreign currencies to the milreis in determining certain of the rates for services as provided in the relevant concessions."

Bralorne to Pay 12½ Per Share

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26 (CP)—Initial dividend of Bralorne Mines, limited, was declared today at a meeting of the directors. W. W. Boultbee, secretary-treasurer, announced the dividend would be at the rate of 12½ cents a share for the quarter, payable April 16 to shareholders on record at the close of business March 31.

BACKTRACKING AT NEW YORK

Losses Are From One to Five Points; Bonds Drop

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 (AP)—Markets did some further back-tracking today. Stocks, heavy from the start, encountered one brisk selling flurry en route to a soggy closing, although final prices were slightly above the lows, due apparently to late covering, commodities and secondary bonds dropped.

The range of stock losses was about 1 to 3 points net. Turnover totalled 2,187,480 shares, but continuation of the decline through three successive markets was contrary to the recent trading pattern.

Heaviness was well-distributed. Steels ignored reports of further gains, rails failed to respond to a contra-seasonal gain in freight traffic, merchandising issues apparently were wondering whether sales volume was to be maintained.

American Can, Loew's, Seaboard Oils, Dome Mines, Schenley Distillers, Snider Packing and a few others fought off the trend, closing with gains of fractions to a point. United Aircraft lost nearly 2 net. U.S. Smelting, Allied Chemical, Delaware & Hudson, New York Central, Case, Woolworth, Illinois Central, South Porto Rico Sugar and American Sugar yielded around 2 to 3.

Vancouver Sales

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26. — Mining shares sold on the Vancouver stock exchange today:

Listed: Beaver Silver 1000; Bralorne 1364; Bridge R Con 3500; Bridge R Ex 3650; Cariboo 600; Georgia Riv 7000; Grandview 800; Meridian 4900; Nat Silver 3000; Nicola 3950; Pioneer 45; Premier B 14,500; Premier G 4450; Reeves 1100; Reno 1450.

Unlisted: Alexandria 10,000; Bayview 4000; B.C. Nickel 13,050; Bradian 1400; Bradian Warrants 2407; Bute I X L 1250; Congress 600; Dalhousie 10,500; Dentonia 2250; Dunwell 500; Golconda 1500; Grull Wihksne 1000; Gold Mtn 500; Glacier Crk 800; Grange 350; Hercules 14,500; Haida 500; Home 5500; Koot Flo 5500; Lakeview 11,000; L. & L 1300; Lucky Jim 500; Marmot Met 6000; Minto 8900; Mogul 500; Morning Star 27,700; Mak Siccar 4000; Native Sons 4000; Noble Five 10,050; Pavilion 2600; Pend Oreille 300; Porter Idaho 3200; Reliance 2000; Reward 8000; Rufus 2100; Red Hawk 4000; Salmon 1800; Silverado 500; Silvercrest 7000; Silversmith 5000; Snowflake 5000; Standard Gold 100; Sunshine 100; Taylor Bridge 800; Toric 150; Thurlow 1000; United Emp 2500; Vidette 200; Waterloo 2500; Waverly 54,500; Wayside 8500; White Eagle 1500; Wellington 1300; Whitewater 2000.

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MORE ABOUT SILVER

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value for exchange of goods and services and for the issuing of paper currency;

"And whereas the adoption of trade barriers and restrictions by many nations coupled with the very limited amount of gold available in the world for the interchange of goods and services has in large measure contributed to, if not brought about, the unemployment of millions of people, with its consequent untold misery and suffering;

"And whereas, due to economic and existing monetary conditions many thousands of Canadian citizens have had to be sustained or given employment by the state;

"And whereas, Canada has been borrowing large sums to provide for the relief of the unemployed and destitute;

"And whereas, the issuing of currency in Canada has been based on certain coverage of gold, thereby restricting the amount of currency issued;

SILVER FOR CURRENCY

"Therefore be it resolved that, in the opinion of this house, the government take immediate steps to adopt silver in addition to that of gold for the issuance of currency either in the form of paper certificates or as coinage, and that silver be again recognized and accepted as legal tender by the Dominion of Canada at a fixed ratio to that of gold."

Silver advocates were few in numbers but rapidly increasing. Mr. Reid said, and he recalled that two ministers of the present government, the secretary of state and the minister of trade and commerce, had spoken on several occasions in favor of rehabilitating this metal which preceded gold as a monetary unit.

IS AGE OLD

The use of silver as a medium of exchange was age old, Mr. Reid said.

Great Britain was the first to place gold ahead of silver as the standard for money, in 1815, followed by Germany in 1870 and United States three years later. The move was forced by the bankers of the world and the change in each of the countries mentioned was always accompanied by periods of great distress.

He was as much opposed to uncontrolled inflation as any person, Mr. Reid declared, but if there had to be metal coverage for money, silver should take a place in that coverage. Gold was not enough because of its scarcity. He was not afraid that monetization of silver would result in a flooded market in countries taking such a step.

SILVER PRODUCTION

Since the 14th century the total production of silver had been 14,000,000,000 ounces. The average world production from 1914 to 1930 was nearly 250,000,000 ounces, with Canada's production 18,347,00 in 1932 and 15,360,000 in 1933.

Annual average world consumption was between 200,000,000 and 250,000,000 ounces. What had driven down the price was the fact that many countries had melted down their silver coinage debasing it with copper and throwing the salvaged silver on the market. Great Britain had dumped 549,000,000 fine ounces taken from that source in 10 years, he said.

Since 1920 the average annual production of silver from debased coinage was 200,000,000 ounces, Mr. Reid declared. This had been thrown on the market to compete with the natural production, and contributed to driving the price down to a record low.

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Following is the text of the amendment moved by Hon. E. N. Rhodes, finance minister, calling for the immediate adoption of silver in addition to gold as a basis of currency.

That all the words after the word "whereas in the first line thereof be struck out, and the following substituted therefore:

"At the world monetary and economic conference held in London, England, in the year 1933, attended by the representatives of 64 nations, the subject of the use of silver in the world's monetary systems was taken under consideration;

And whereas the following resolution was unanimously passed:

Be it resolved to recommend to all the government parties to this conference.

AN AGREEMENT

(A) That an amendment be sought between the chief silver producing countries and those countries which are the largest holders or users of silver, with a view to mitigating fluctuations in the price of silver; and that the other nations not parties to such agreement should refrain from measures which could appreciably affect the silver market;

(B) That governments parties to this conference shall refrain from new legislative measures which would involve further debasement of their silver coinage below a fineness of 800-100;

(C) That they shall substitute silver coins for low value paper currency in so far as the budgetary and local conditions of each country will permit;

EXCEPTIONS

(D) That all of the provisions of this resolution are subject to the following exceptions and limitations:

The requirements of such provisions shall lapse on April 1st, 1934, if the agreement recommended in paragraph (A) does not come into force by that date, and in no case shall extend beyond Jan. 1st, 1938;

Governments may take any action relative to their silver coinage that they may deem necessary to prevent the flight or destruction of their silver coinage by reason of a rise in the bullion price of the silver content of their coin above the nominal or parity value of such silver coin.

And whereas on the 22nd day of July, 1933, Canada signed a memorandum of agreement regarding silver, together with Australia, China, United States of America, India, Mexico, Peru and Spain, which agreement has been laid on the table of the house;

And whereas bi-metallism is only practicable if adopted by substantially all the leading nations of the world;

And whereas the above resolution and agreement represented the greatest measure of international agreement which it was possible to obtain.

Therefore be it resolved that the action of the delegate of Canada in signing said agreement is hereby approved."

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Lower Insurance Rates for Creston

CRESTON, B. C., Feb. 26—A reduction in insurance rates from $3.85 to $2.70 has been effected by the installation by Goat Mountain Waterworks company of three hydrants in the neighborhood of the New Creston hospital.

Miss Marion Heric has returned from a three weeks' visit to Cranbrook and Kimberley.

W. M. Archibald got away by plane last week on a trip to points in eastern Canada, as far as Montreal.

Mrs. Rhiel of Nelson went through to Camp Lister where she is on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bollinger. Mr. Rhell is expected to arrive during the week.

Mrs. Frank Garrett and daughter Beverley of Blake, are here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. LaBelle.

Mrs. B. F. Whiteside of Nelson was here at the end of the week on a visit to her son, Victor Grundy, and to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Simister

Mrs Willoughby left Friday to visit in Nelson.

J. S. Wilson of Sirdar was a visitor to town Friday. With colder weather in evidence, he reports logging operations in that section have been considerably speeded up.

Rev M. T. Percival, Kimberley-Cranbrook rector, is expected to move from Kimberley to Creston to reside some time in March.

Takes Radio Fight to Appellate Court

WINDSOR, Ont., Feb. 26 (CP)—Archibald F. Gignac, Sandwich, today stated he would carry his fight against the radio tax to the appellate court.

Twice Gignac has been charged with operating a radio without a licence and twice has been acquitted by Magistrate W. A. Smith who held that the act under which prosecution was taken by the marine department was due for amendment.

MORE ABOUT DEATH TOLL

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Delphos, Ohio.

FIRE DAMAGE $500,000

In freezing cold, firemen battled two fires in Chicago which did damage estimated at $500,000.

"Dirty weather," sleet and snow, grounded United States army flyers in the eastern bases and kept the air mail from movement there.

In New York, city and private agencies put 35,700 men and all available apparatus to work in an effort to keep the main streets and transportation lines open. Long Island communities, still snowbound by last Tuesday's pile-up, dug in for a prolonged siege. Northfort and Fire Island was cut off from food deliveries.

Biting cold with below-freezing temperatures moved in on the south after tornadoes and rainstorms had left a toll of 17 known dead and approximately 100 injured.

The cold was expected to range around freezing in Mississippi where the storm took the greatest count in lives with 12 dead.

A cold wind sweeping the south added to the discomfort of the homeless or those living in damaged and makeshift houses.

NEW VEINS ON KOOTENAY BELLE

F. M. Black, managing director of Kootenay Belle Gold Mines, Limited, Salmo, B. C., reports that since incorporation of his company one year ago, 844 tons of ore have been delivered to the smelter at Trail. From this ore 1065 oz. gold were recovered and 550 oz. silver, giving a net smelter return of $25,360, or an average of $30 per ton.

Recent word from the property states that two veins have been encountered, one six inches in width on the No. 1 level and the other an eight-inch cross vein on the No. 2 level. Values in these veins have not as yet been received. No. 1 and No. 2 levels are 200 feet apart.—Western Canadian Mining News.

MRS. PARKER ENTERTAINS

BONNINGTON, Feb. 26—Mrs. J. E. Parker entertained at a jolly social evening on Thursday at her home, Corra Linn, when her guests included, Mrs. A. Servold, Mrs. Grant Hall, Mrs. E. J. McGregor, Mrs. R. J. Kennedy, Mrs. G. Helbecque, Mrs. D. Powell, Mrs. W. Walkley and Mrs. G. Biddlecombe.

Mrs. George Helbecque was hostess for tea at the Badminton club on Tuesday afternoon and Miss Doreen Hill and Wilfred Lee served refreshments in the evening.

Chief of Police Alex Stewart and Mrs. Stewart of Nelson were visitors here over the week-end the guests of their son in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McGregor.

Mrs. George Biddlecombe is a patient in the Kootenay Lake General hospital, Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hall entertained at a dinner prior to the Badminton dance when covers were laid for 18. The guests were, Mr. and Mrs. A. Servold, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. J. Biddlecombe, Miss Frances Chapman, Misses Dorothy and Dixie Titsworth, Miss Georgina McKeown, Miss Muriel and Florence Maundrell, R. Clerihew, L. D. Waterer, R. Lane and A. Bruce.

LABELLE IS NAMED REGINA POSTMASTER

REGINA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Leo LaBelle became postmaster of Regina, today, with the receipt of official information of his appointment from Ottawa.

BODY RECOVERED

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., Feb. 26 (CP)—The body of Joe Hanley, longshoreman, Sixth avenue, had been recovered today from the Fraser river where he was drowned Saturday after losing his balance and falling into the water from the stern of a rowboat. Charles Coldicutt, Hanley's companion in the boat, said the man never came up after he fell into the river.

MORE ABOUT Col. Stewart

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munching apples heartily by way of lunch, the men presently picked a deputation of three, representing all three camps, some having sent advance parties, to interview Mr. Coates in his office.

The deputation after a brief absence announced that Mr. Coates said the government was now through with them, and that their checks were ready for them, but that they had the option of returning to camp and to work, with the exception of the men discharged. Any, however, who accepted their checks would be through. He also was reported to have stated that Alberta men leaving would be given transportation home, but that British Columbia men leaving would be through at once.

TO "STAY RIGHT HERE"

A brief discussion resulted in a proposal that "we stay right where we are and refuse to move." This proposal carried, various voices giving assent.

At the Longbeach East camp, where one striker was discharged, the walk-out occurred after the noon meal, and this contingent did not reach Nelson till about 6 o'clock.

The two Longbeach contingents came to approximately 140 men, comprising probably a little more than half the strength of the combined camps. The Longbeach West were the larger party.

About 4:30 the Taghum men marched in from the west, and joined forces with those at the armory.

A report by the men, that the Shoreacres camp, from which a party marched in Friday night, but returned to camp Saturday, would be here by the evening, proved to be unfounded. The men talked of the Salmo camp "coming out."

The Longbeach camp, however, had a delegate on hand, who stated there had been a misunderstanding on the part of the men there, and that the Longbeach men would arrive Tuesday.

Shortly after the last contingent arrived, Col. Stewart, who had received a report from Mr. Coates, went to the armory, and personally addressed the men.

20 CENTS AN ALLOWANCE

The camps, he said, had been established by the Dominion government for the benefit of the men under the difficult conditions of the times. Some of the men seemed to be under the impression that they were being paid a wage of 20 cents a day, but it was nothing of the kind. What they were receiving, he pointed out, was food, lodging, and the loan of clothes, medical attention, and certain personal articles, and the 20 cents a day was purely an allowance.

In entering the camps, the men had entered into personal contracts with the government, Col. Stewart stated, and the government was carrying out its obligations under these contracts. The camps were not charity camps, but camps where the beneficiaries could give a certain return in work for what they received, as any self-respecting man would desire to do.

CHANCE TO RETURN

Any men who returned to camps Tuesday, Col. Stewart stated, would be taken back, provided they went back to work, but they must abide by the contract. He said the department of national defence, which was administering the camps, was prepared to play fair with the men in every way, and in return expected the men to play fair as well. As far as changing the general policy was concerned, the officials had no power whatever, and were tied rigidly by the regulations.

The headquarters officials, he pointed out, had a very great sympathy with the men out of work, and realized that many of those who had left the camps on this occasion were misguided. The department desired to be absolutely fair with the men, but the matter of whether or not they desired the benefits of the camps had now come to a show-down, and to enjoy those benefits they must go back. In the case of any who now left the camps, their leaving would be deliberate, and the government would have no more responsibility with respect to them.

Col. Stewart told the men if they had any substantial and reasonable complaints to make, he would be prepared to listen to them, but he had no time to give to frivolous ones.

OUT TO HELP YOU

"We are out to help you," said Col. Stewart, "but if for any reason some of you do not play the game, it is certainly your own fault.

"You have subsistence in these camps, something that is very substantial, and if any of you go way, you will be going out to nothing, exchanging something that is tangible and real for a myth."

In concluding, Col. Stewart repeated his assurance that the department was anxious to deal fairly with the men, and expressed the hope that they would realize that the camps had been instituted for their benefit, and that if they expected to accept the benefits, they must accept the obligation as well.

MEN'S MEMORANDUM

Written representations on behalf of the strikers from Longbeach West, which men from the other camps later said also spoke for their camps, were handed to Colonel Stewart. Asked about these later, Colonel Stewart said as they related to matters of policy, which were beyond the scope of the camp administration, he was forwarding them to the proper authorities. The Longbeach West memorandum, according to a copy obtained from the men was as follows:

"We, the workers of the above camp in meeting assembled have decided to record and submit these our grievances, and request that they be immediately remedied.

"Chief among these is the question of the food supplied the workers. In neither quality nor quantity is it acceptable, and we believe that it can, and must, be remedied.

"We have no doubt that the moneys allotted by the government are sufficient for the supplying to each man in camp, of three properly cooked meals of good food. If the reason we do not receive them is because contracts have been awarded to firms who are not giving us a fair break, we demand that those contracts be awarded to local firms, and farmers, who can and will supply us with the required necessities.

"We also desire to point out the sleeping accommodation is in need of immediate attention. Twelve men are crowded into a hut that will barely accommodate eight men. We demand that sufficient additional huts be constructed to ensure only eight men to each hut.

"The workers here are solidly of the opinion that the sum of 20 cents is insufficient compensation for their labors, and stand united in a general demand for a scale of wages no less than that laid down by the British Columbia Minimum Wage act.

CALL STRIKE

"As consideration and rectification of these grievances have been repeatedly promised us by the camp management and the Nelson headquarters, and as so far they have failed to fulfill their promises, the attitude of the men is that a general strike be called, and work to positively not be resumed until our demands be complied with.

"Subsequent to the cessation of work in the camps, we request all men to remain strictly peaceable and refrain from acting in any way that would give the authorities any grounds for complaint in that respect."

In addition to the matters of government policy referred to in the memorandum, individuals, when interviewed in the evening outside the armory, had various others.

With some, the desire was "working wages," which is was claimed the government could easily give, as undoubtedly it could find money if at war.

Others felt the food was not acceptable, suggesting that food contractors were working off old stock.

WANT WORKERS' RULE

A change in the form of government was frankly desired by some, who suggested that the workers could bring it about in three months if given their way.

The familiar criticism of the tedium of camp life, and the unwholesome effect it had on the young, was also voiced.

There was also a criticism of the fact that the men, if deciding to accept their checks and leave the camp, the men were informed they must turn in their mackinaws, even though some of them claimed to have worked three months, and earned them two or three times over.

The men secured some sleeping accommodation around town.

MORE ABOUT M'GEER-VOTE

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Geer. The measure was more significant than appeared on the surface, he said.

It meant an extra seat and extra expense merely for the purpose of giving parliamentary representation to a small sectional already represented by the members from Cranbrook and Revelstoke.

"If two men can not take care of the parliamentary need of Columbia, there might be justification for this move," Mr. McGeer said. "The premier promised electors in the former riding that they would have their seat back. I hope the same sincerity will find expression when it comes to all other promises made to the people of British Columbia."

The Burrard member then told the house he would cooperate with the government when the government was right, "when it is in the wrong, I will be independent," he said.

REPUDIATES ECONOMY

The bill repudiated the promise of economy in administration, Mr. McGeer went on. It repudiated the general demand that the government should cut expenses and he would vote against it on the ground that it was purely political.

It was a bad start for the government and offered a splendid opportunity for private Liberal members to show independence in voting, which privilege they obtained at the Liberal convention.

Mr. McGeer went on to ask if either the member for Revelstoke (Dr. W. H. Sutherland) or the member for Cranbrook, (Hon. F. M. MacPherson, minister of public works) or even the electors of the old riding themselves had asked for restoration of the seat.

This year, he said, would prove to be the most critical period of the depression and nothing would destroy the confidence of the public more than passage of the legislation at this time. It involved a breach of promises to proceed with the administration of affairs of the province with every regard to essentials of practical economy and he urged the private Liberal members to exercise their liberty to vote against the government.

SMALL RIDING

R. H. Pooley stated that Columbia was the smallest riding numerically in the province with 1,700 odd voters on the list, of whom 1,549 exercised the franchise last November. When one considered the numerical strength of other rural districts, it was ridiculous to think that Columbia should have representation. He admitted some ridings of the province had extensive boundaries which took up lots of time and money of members, but not so Columbia. Premier Pattullo had made divers and sundry promises but he believed the premier now wished he had not made so many.

NO POLITICAL REASON

Columbia riding was not eliminated for political reasons, Mr. Pooley told the house. Much time had been spent on redistribution and he stated that Creston, a Conservative stronghold, had been merged with Nelson.

The premier, he remarked, intended to expediate an election in Columbia and proposed to cut down notices of publication from 80 to five days, also the time of the recount. The government was going to exercise brute force in pushing through the measure.

With people crying for reduction in membership of the house, the first bill to come under dicsussion was to increase and to make matters worse, the new Columbia would be smaller than the old, for a portion was to be left in Revelstoke riding.

Herbert Anscomb, Independent, Victoria, was not concerned with Columbia, but with the principle involved. The entire nation was crying for reduction in government expenses. He would oppose the measure.

LESS PATRONAGE

Hon. G. M. Weir, provincial secretary, pointed out that 99½ per cent of the province was not municipalised and must be administered by their own representatives.

"We must guard against family compacts, bureaucracy or juntas," he said. "We do not know how large or how small the house shall be. When a member knows his district well there is less change of patronage."

In a geographic and economic sense, British Columbia was not overrepresented, he went on. The question of the financial structure of the province, and state health soon was to be considered and the ministers must confer with members. Ministers should not be rubber stamps. The sparseness of the province frequently lead to difficulty in administration. "We should make a logical analysis of the situation with expert opinion to decide just how many seats would be suitable. There is a point beyond which cutting down ceases to be economy. Sometimes it is true economy to spend.

HONEST AND DECENT

"We are not buccanneers or spoilsmen," Mr. Weir said. "We should not be stampeded by slogans that originated in the paternalistic east for the guidance of the wayward west. At Ottawa a short time ago we were told that three cabinet ministers and a house of 20 members was sufficient for this huge province, but it is idle to say that such a small house could properly know the requirements of the various districts.

"I believe it was an honest and decent act to bring in this bill. I may be mistaken, but time and circumstance will, I believe, justify my opinion."

SAVAGE OPPOSED

Hugh Savage, Independent, Cowichan-Newcastle opposed the measure, as an injustice and on the grounds of expense. While he honored Premier Pattullo for implementing a promise, he would remind him that 10 years ago the old constituency of Cowichan was merged with Newcastle. Why not, he asked, rectify that injustice?

Hon. G. S. Pearson, minister of mines and labor, was not disturbed by restoring Columbia for which there was a scientific basis. The riding contained no municipality and depended upon the government for administration.

Clive P. M. Planta would support the measure. His experience in the Peace already had satisfied him that sparsely-settled districts received prompter and better treatment when there was direct communication between the government and the member representing the riding.

MORE ABOUT BAYCHIMO

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along the coast, in the Beaufort sea, on the little schooner Trader manned by an Icelandic crew. Capt. Peter Pallson steered a perilous course through the floes to the big steamer, lifted almost fully out of the water by the tightly-packed ice.

Before this, another crew had visited the Baychimo, and the hulk had been stripped then. Open to the winds, it still held an odd assortment of mineral ore, typewriters, cuspidors, writing paper, Hudson's Bay company ledgers. A pair of rusty handcuffs lay on the hatch. In a wooden box rested a "Times History of the Great War."

Trader was weighed down with salvage when she left Baychimo's side as night fell. Soon the Baychimo vanished into the mists.

Several days later those on the Trader sighted her again. Far off on the edge of a glittering ice pack, they saw the phantom ship reflected in a mirage. She was steering at a good five miles an hour past the shoals and ice that held Trader, heading toward Point Barrow with the pack.

"You'd think," said Captain Pete, "that someone was steering her. I guess she's haunted. She steers clear of the shoals as if a master hand was at her wheel." Trader stayed trapped in the ice 15 days as Baychimo sailed on to her will o' the wisp destination.

NO FURS LEFT

WINNIPEG, Feb. 26 (CP)—No furs owned by the Hudson's Bay company remained aboard the Baychimo, ghost ship of the Arctic, officials of the company said today. Valuables on board were salvaged some time ago, it was learned. The Baychimo has been adrift in Arctic seas for three years, ever since she broke anchor off Wainwright, Alaska.

Canadian Naval Men Welcomed in Port of Spain

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Feb. 26 (CP)—Despatches today from Caracas, Venezuela, told of the rousing reception given members of the visiting Canadian naval squadron on its annual winter cruise in tropical waters.

Officers and men of the four destroyers were received with "intense enthusiasm" by both Britons and natives who heard the commander of the coastal defences welcome the Canadians in the name of the president of the republic, General Gomez.

The Venezuelans proved capable football players, beating the navy team 6-0. The hosts, however, convinced the Canadians the wide margin of defeat could be attributed to altitude of the field—1000 feet above sea level.

HERBERT P. VIDAL DIES

LADYSMITH, B.C., Feb. 26 (CP).—Herbert P. Vidal, 67, was dead tonight at his home at Yellow Point, Vancouver Island, near here.

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An early Easter demands your immediate attention for that new suit. Made-to-measure Fashion-Craft and Cook new samples are here—and there's a totally new character to the textures for this spring—both in suits and topcoats. Better see them today.
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BOYS CONFESS SETTING FIRES

MONTREAL, Feb. 26 (CP).—Police today said three young boys arrested in connection with fires in the north end of the city which have caused more than $150,000 damage since the first of the year, confessed to setting most of the fires.

BUTTER, CHEESE UNCHANGED

MONTREAL, Feb. 26 (CP)—Butter and cheese prices were unchanged today on the Montreal produce market. Butter was quoted at 29½ to 30 cents a pound for No. 1, with arrivals only 11 boxes. Current Ontario cheese, with receipts 26 boxes, sold at 11 cents a pound.

Fresh eggs brought 46 cents a dozen for A large, 43 to 44 for A medium and 42 to 43 for A pullets. Offerings 707 cases.

Quebec potatoes were at 1.10 and New Brunswick Mountains at 1.15 for 80-lb. bags. Prince Edward Island Mountains in 90-lb. bags sold at 1.35.

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Fresh salted nuts, Cashems Almonds and Pecans, at Williams News Stand. (1380)

Soup, Fish and Chips, dessert, 30c, 12 to 8 p.m. Greyhound Coffee Shoppe. (1376)

See hockey, Trail vs. Kimberley. Bus leaves 4 p.m. Few seats left. $1.50 return. Apply 44 Taxi. (1381)

Dumas—Mrs. Christina, of Ainsworth, age 84, passed away Sunday morning. Funeral will take place Tuesday morning, 10 a.m., at Ainsworth, Rev. Father J. J. Cheevers officiating. (1374)

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Another Political Party Formed in England

The picture shows the leader of the newly formed United British party, Cecil Serocold Skeels, an organization opposed to the Fascists, seated in his office in London. Note the large Union Jack and a portrait of King George. Mr. Skeels, who will be the party's candidate in the coming byelection at Cambridge, says the United British party is a "National Loyalist movement" which has been formed to take immediate action against the menace of socialist dictatorship and the dark powers of delay, apathy and obstruction.

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