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LABOR WINS IN BALLOT FIGHT

Cleary Has a Narrow Margin on Platt, Conservative

CHURCHILL GETS THE THIRD PLACE

He Split Tory Vote; Cabinet Had Hand in Campaign

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 6 (CP cable).—Labor captured the Wavertree by-election today by a narrow margin, registering a straight gain from the Conservatives.

James Cleary, the Labor candidate, got 15,811 votes, while the official Conservative candidate, James Platt, polled 15,711. Young Randolph Churchill, whose entry as an Independent Conservative split that party's vote, received 10,575 votes. Arthur Morris, Lib-

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30 CHILDREN ARE MAROONED

LONG BEACH, Cal., Feb. 6 (AP)—Flood waters drove 200 Long Beach residents from their homes today, marooned 30 children in a school and rushed four feet deep into State street residences. Two days and nights of heavy rains were climaxed by a downpour of 1.29 inches in two hours 45 minutes.

Families left home in the northeastern section with the aid of police and life guards. Many found shelter in the state armory.

The children marooned in Alexander school made ready to spend the night there.

Hotels Want All Rights for Serving Liquor With Meals

VANCOUVER, Feb. 6 (CP).—The British Columbia Hotels association will protest against any measure designed to allow the serving of alcoholic beverages with food in places other than hotels with proper dining room facilities where table licences are in demand, the association's executive announced tonight following a meeting here.

Earlier today the British Columbia trades and labor council announced it would urge the sale of beer and wines be permitted in hotel dining rooms, restaurants and other eating houses.

Government Will Relocate the Nelson-Nelway Road This Year

DISTRICT ENGINEER E. S. JONES GIVES BOARD OF TRADE THE NEWS AT PUTNAM CONFERENCE

Hunter and Whimster Are Board Spokesmen in Asking Putnam to Get Nelson-Salmo Section Improved

NELSON-CRESTON MEMBER PLEDGES EVERY EFFORT TO GET BETTERMENT

Jones States Survey for Relocation to Start April First; Road Will Be Chief Work Project of Year

That a relocation of the Nelson-Nelway highway was to be made, the survey for which would start the first of April, and that this would necessarily have a bearing on the work of improvement, as it would be uneconomic to standardize pieces of road that would not be part of the ultimate highway, was the information given to the Nelson board of trade Wednesday by E. S. Jones, district engineer, when, with Frank Putnam, M.P.P. for Nelson-Creston, he commented on the road recommendations made to Mr. Putnam on behalf of the board.

FRANK PUTNAM, M.P.P.

Mr. Putnam's reply to the represenations, which asked for improvement of the Nelson-Salmo section, was to the effect that he would do everything possible for proper road facilities for the district referred to, both to serve the mines, and to bring in tourists.

While the relocation announced by District Engineer Jones had reference to the Nelson-Nelway highway, and not just to the upper portion, it is understood it will not disturb the work being done by the department of national defence, whose projects between Salmo and Nelway, aggregating 12 miles of standardization, are already located to the best advantage.

President W. B. Bamford presided over the function, which was the semi-monthly luncheon of the board of trade council, with the roads and bridges committee included because of the conference on the program, Mr. Putnam having been invited to meet the board when he should be going through from Creston to the Victoria session, and to arrange for Mr. Jones to be with him. Outside of President Bamford, who felicitated the visitors, there were only four speakers, J. R. Hunter and H. M. Whimster, who spoke for the board, and Messrs. Putnam and Jones, who replied.

COST $374,000 SAYS HUNTER

Mr. Hunter, who spoke first, recalled the arduous efforts to get road connection between Nelson and Ymir, and later on to the boundary,

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GERMANY SENDS AN AMBASSADOR TO TALK PACT

BERLIN, Feb. 6 (CP-Havas).—Roland Koester, German ambassador to France, left for Paris tonight to appraise the situation for the Hitler government with a view to possible negotiations on the Anglo-French proposals for stabilizing Europe. Apparently he has not as yet received any definite instructions.

COAST POLICE IN A BATTLE

80 Pickets at Mill Repulsed; Several Are Injured

VANCOUVER, Feb. 6 (CP).—An unidentified man was knocked unconscious and a score of others received minor injuries when police clashed with about 80 men who were picketing the Blodel, Stewart & Welch sawmill at the foot of Boundary road on the north arm of the Fraser river today.

No arrests were made.

About 20 provincial police and 15 officers from the Burnaby and Vancouver forces, were called to the scene when the pickets attempted to stop employees from going to work at the mill and overturned a truckload of shingles.

CANADA HELPS IN BOOTLEGGER FIGHT

Recent U. S. Deaths Due to Rubbing Alcohol, Says President

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6 (AP).—President Roosevelt said today the United States government has gained the upper hand in the war on bootleggers through cooperation of the Canadian government.

Aroused by more than 30 deaths in upper New York state from bootleg liquor, Mr. Roosevelt ordered a special investigation which revealed the supply came from rubbing alcohol and non-freezing ingredients.

He told newspapermen today at a press conference that the treasury had reduced the supply to bootleggers from these two sources.

He announced cooperation by the Canadian, British and other governments in curbing alcohol smuggling.

The president also said an agreement had been reached for joint control on the Canadian border, the first of its kind in history. It was described as one of the finest illustrations of friendly cooperation among governments.

RED DRIVE ON PARIS BROKEN BY THE POLICE

1200 "Preventive" Arrests Are Made During Day

PISTOLS, DAGGERS EXPLOSIVES TAKEN

After-Midnight Row Came After Day of Quietness

By ALEXANDER H. UHL
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

PARIS, Feb. 7 (Thursday) (AP).—A dramatic last-minute descent upon the capital of several thousand Communists from outlying "Red" districts was broken up by police early today with 1200 "preventive" arrests to commemorate the anniversary of the fatal riots of February 6, 1934.

Confiscating pistols, clubs and cans of explosive material, police pounced last night upon Communist groups converging on the Place de la Concorde, focus of the bloody riots of a year ago where 19 met death, after a generally quiet day marked only be memorial services and elaborate police precautions.

40 ARRESTED

Shortly after midnight police arrested a band of 40 Comunists, armed with revolvers and daggers, near the Elysee Palace, resident of

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Markets at a Glance

(By the Canadian Press)

Toronto and Montreal: Industrial stocks lower.

Toronto mines: Irregularly lower.

New York: Stocks closed slightly lower.

Winnipeg: Wheat down ⅛ to ¼.

Toronto: Bacon hogs off car unchanged at 8.65.

London: Bar silver lower; tin higher; copper, lead and zinc unchanged.

New York: Bar silver lower; tin, lead and zinc unchanged.

Montreal: Silver lower.

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

New York: Canadian dollar down 1-32 to 99 29-32.

CHARGED WITH BITING OFF A WOMAN'S NOSE

TORONTO, Feb. 6 (CP).—For allegedly biting off a woman's nose, Mike Kravtz, 37, was under arrest here today charged with assaulting a female and occasioning bodily harm. The injured woman, Mrs. Solomini Chevchuck was resting in hospital, where doctors hope they can join the severed member.

U.S.A. RELIEF BILL IS SAFE

But It Nearly Is Turned Into a Dole Bill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6 (AP)—Stirred by an insurgent uprising that almost changed the $4,880,000,000 work-relief bill into a $2,880,000,000 dole measure, Roosevelt administration chiefs tonight resorted to parliamentary strategy to strengthen their position.

With virtually nothing to do tomorrow, the senate, nevertheless, was called to meet for the specific purpose of swearing in Senator McKellar, Tenessee Democrat. He is a member of the closely divided appropriations committee which has locked up the relief bill, and his vote is needed to get the president's program out intact. He is slated to return tomorrow after a long mission to the Phillipines.

RIVAL UNION MEN EXPELLED

SPRINGHILL, N.S., Feb. 6 (CP).—A brief flare-up of violence among 1000 striking United Mine Workers saw five rival unionists run out of town today and warned, under threat of physical injury, never to return.

Three members of the Amalgamated Mine Workers—the opposing union—were beaten up. Tension growing out of a two-weeks' strike burst into near riot as government and union officers negotiated for a settlement of the strike.

Peddler Is Held for Booze Deaths

Quantity of Anti-Freeze and a Still Found Where He Ran a Store

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (AP).—An itinerant peddler and two of his sons, after denying their guilt in police lineup, were taken to Utica, N.Y., today, to answer murder charges in connection with the poison liquor deaths of 32 persons.

The prisoners, Salvatore di Benedetto, 46, and his sons, Michael, 22, and Philip, 19, who operated a vegetable store in Utica for three weeks, were arrested in a Brooklyn flat they rented Sunday, in a police raid early today.

The family disappeared from Utica at the time of the deaths but police found in their store a so-called cleaning still for refining wood alcohol and a quantity of anti-freeze mixture for automobiles.

D'ARCY TATE OF RAILROAD GAME DIES AT COAST

VICTORIA, Feb. 6 (CP).—D'Arcy Tate, C.P.R. vice-president and general counsel of the Pacific Great Eastern railway during its constructions days, and for years a figure in British Columbia politics, died here today. He retired 20 years ago.

He was born in Portadown, Ireland and educated at Queens college, Belfast. He was a member of the Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia bars. After being counsel for the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo railway, he came west in 1905 as assistant solicitor of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Honest "Sandwich" Man Earns $100 and $20 Weekly

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (AP).—Because of a very fortunate stock transaction Frank Greges, 67, a "sandwich" street-advertising man of great honesty, was rewarded with $100 in cash today. Greges' transaction consisted in returning to a brokerage house stocks of $42,000 face value which he found lying in the snow. In addition, the elderly man will get an income of $20 a week until spring.

JURY FINDS HIM GUILTY ALL COUNTS

Jury Deliberates Only Hour and 13 Minutes Bringing Verdict of Guilty for Labatt Kidnapping, Detention, Robbery

DEFENCE WITNESSES FLEE COUNTRY AFTER HALL CAUGHT IN EVIDENCE

Lawyer Asks for Extreme Penalty; the Judge Says He Disbelieves Defence Witness; Kidnap Case Cleared in a Week

By CHARLES NICHOLS
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

LONDON, Ont., Feb. 6 (CP).—The week-old trial of David Meisner ended late today when the former Cincinnati gambler was convicted and sentenced to 15 years in penitentiary on charges connected with the kidnapping of John S. Labatt, wealthy London brewer, last August.

John S. Labatt

David Meisner

After deliberating one hour and 13 minutes, a Middlesex county assizes jury, composed of 10 farmers, a jeweller and a painter, brought in a verdict of guilty on each of three counts.

Mr. Justice G. F. McFarland then sentenced the dapper little bookmaker. Meisner heard the same sentence on each count, all to run concurrently.

Two counts dealt with the kidnapping—the abduction and detention of Labatt—and the third charged Meisner with armed robbery. Labatt was abducted near Sarnia last August 14 and held prisoner in the district, 100 miles from Toronto, before his release early on the morning of August 17.

The armed robbery charge arose from the $90 from Labatt's person when he was taken captive.

Meisner's pallid face wore little expression as he faced the jurors. His mouth dropped slightly as he heard "guilty" pronounced on each count. Before the verdict was announced by Don

Labatt Case Highlights

August 14, 1934—John S. Labatt kidnapped by three men while motoring from his summer home on Lake Huron to business in London, Ont.

August 17—After many mysterious telephone calls to Hugh Labatt, brother of John, at a Toronto hotel, the victim is freed on the outskirts of the city, apparently without payment of any of the $150,000 ransom demanded.

September 6—Announced officially Labatt was chained to a bedpost in a Muskoka summer cottage during his three days' imprisonment.

September 20—David Meisner of Cincinnati, one of the men suspected in the case, surrenders to Detroit police declaring he is innocent and can establish an alibi.

January 30, 1935—Trial of Meisner starts in London after grand jury brings in a true bill on charges of kidnapping, imprisonment and armed robbery.

February 5—Meisner found guilty on three charges and sentenced to 15 years imprisonment without lashes.

Bright, 30-year-old farmer, Meisner mopped his face with a mauve handkerchief.

Meisner's expression did not change but he leaned forward and the corners of his mouth moved nervously after the final pronouncement.

J. C. M. German, K.C., special crown prosecutor, then addressed Justice McFarland.

"I will move for sentence of the court, your lordship," he began. "I submit on these charges the exreme penalty should be imposed. I

unfortunate that the penalty for armed robbery should be more severe than that for kidnapping.

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YUGO HOUSE DISSOLVED

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, Feb. 6 (AP).—Prince Paul, chief regent, today dissolved parliament on the recommendation of Premier Bogoljub Yevtich. Elections will be held soon.

WHERE DID FINGERPRINTS ON KIDNAP LADDER GO? IS QUESTION OF DEFENCE

DRIVE SAFELY!

A good windshield wiper is essential for snowy weather but remember that if it becomes clogged with ice do not stop in traffic to clean it. Pull well up to the curb before stopping. Use your rear-view mirror because a sudden stop may cause the car behind you to skid into you. Leave a greater distance between your own and the car in front than you would in summer driving.

Hauptmann Scores Points as Defence Brings New Witnesses Forth

By JOHN FERRIS
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

FLEMINGTON, N. J., Feb. 6—(AP)—Further testimony intended to link the dead Isador Fisch with the Lindbergh baby ransom cash and to show the maker's fingerprints should have shown on the kidnap ladder for six months marked Bruno Richard Hauptmann's closing case today.

Counsel for the Bronx carpenter, on trial for the murder and kidnapping of Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr., marshalled a new array of witnesses in the Hunterdon county courtroom today.

They again pointed to Hauptmann's friend, Fisch, and just before adjournment an attack on the state's case was made by a New York criminologist who testified the fingerprints of the ladder's maker should have shown for six months, unless he wore gloves.

PRINTS POSSIBLE

Dr. Erastus M. Hudson, New York fingerprint expert, whose silver nitrate process was demonstrated to the New Jersey state police three weeks after the kidnapping, which took place March 1, 1932, swore today his method would reveal prints in the wood six months after they were made.

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TREATY INDIAN IS CONVICTED ON FIREARMS CHARGE

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Feb. 6 (CP).—Believed the first case of its kind in Canadian court history, John Smith, Jr., a treaty Indian, today was convicted on a charge of carrying firearms on a game reserve. The hearing was considered a "test" case and it was believed an appeal would be launched.

Magistrate J. E. Lussier imposed the minimum sentence of $10 and costs and gave Smith 30 days in which to pay.

$100,000 FIRE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6 (CP).—Three aeroplanes, a gasoline truck, four automobiles and large quantity of aviation equipment were destroyed in a $100,000 fire today at the department of commerce hangar at Bolling field.

SLIDE KILLS SIX

SAINT ANTONIEN-PRAETGAU, Switzerland, Feb. 6 (AP).—Six persons were killed today by a huge avalanche which swept down from Kuhlnhorn mountain. Two houses and a stable were overwhelming and their inhabitants trapped.

Attorney-General to Supervise the Labatt Kidnap Development; a Row Is On

Statement of the Prosecution Lawyer Brings Retort From Mr. Roebuck

TORONTO, Feb. 6 (CP).—Given the assignment of "personal representative" of Hon. A. W. Roebuck, Ontario attorney general, W. B. Common, senior solicitor in Mr. Roebuck's department, was in London tonight where he will remain for a time to supervise developments in connection with the kidnaping of John S. Labatt.

Conviction of David Meisner, Cincinnati bookmaker, on a charge of kidnapping the wealthy London brewer, will not result in Mr. Common's immediate return to Toronto, the attorney general said tonight.

Mr. Common was ordered to London today after Mr. Roebuck had seen a newspaper despatch in which Norman F. Newton, associated with J. C. M. German on the prosecution staff at the Meisner trial was quoted as saying "within two weeks we will clean up the entire (kidnapping) gang and when we do we intend to convict not only the actual kidnappers but those concealing them in any way or by being accessories before or after the crime itself."

Mr. Roebuck issued a lengthy statement in reply to the remarks credited to Mr. Newton who is acting crown attorney for Middlesex county.

After denying Mr. Newton's reported prediction of prospective arrests in the Labatt case and stating the procedure would be no different to that in other cases before British courts, the attorney general concluded the statement appearing in the press, presumably given by Mr. Newton, "is not under my authority nor does it meet with my approval."

Asked whether the action arose out of dissatisfaction with Mr. Newton, the attorney general replied "The intimation of policy contained in the newspaper statement is such that special supervision seems necessary."

Squaw, "Dead" Two Days, Sits Up in a Daze When Reserve Indians Prepare to Bury Her

MASSEY, Ont., Feb. 6 (CP).—Believed dead two days, the shadow of the grave before her, a Spanish River reserve squaw was alive tonight on the road to recovery.

Indians in full regalia rode from far and near to the reserve, about 75 miles west of Sudbury, to pay their last respects to Mrs. George Owl. The wake with all the glamor of the North American redman had been in progress two days.

Mourners wept as they prepared the coffin in which the squaw was to be borne to her final resting place. She was laid out in funeral clothes on her "death" bed.

Then as the ceremony reached its height and the supposed corpse was to be placed in the casket, the woman raised herself and asked what it was all about.

The Indians, famed for their bravery and mysterious legends, gasped as their tribeswoman was seemingly resurrected. They hesitated to go near—then they approached and believing their eyes, comforted the squaw.

It was learned Mrs. Owl, who had been suffering from influenza, had never been declared dead by a physician. She had been visited once during a two-weeks' illness by a Massey doctor, who did not consider her condition serious. But when she appeared to have died, her relatives did not consider a doctor necessary.

Man Aged 80 Weds Woman Who Is 72

CHICAGO, Feb. 6 (CP).—Joseph Schriner is 80. Mrs. Meri Pirce is 72. They were licensed to marry yesterday.

"I need a companion," Schriner said.

VANCOUVER, WITH MAYOR McGEER TH HELMSMAN, TO FIGHT FREIGHT TARIFF

McGeer Names Self Coun for City in Effort to Get Better Prairie Rates

VANCOUVER, Feb. 6 (CP).—T civic finance committee today decided to recommend to the council that Vancouver join w Tom Reid, M.P. (Lib.-New Westminster), in an appeal to the Canad privy council for removal of alle discrimination in freight rates tween Vancouver and prairie poi The decision was the result o resolution by Mayor G. G. McG who was appointed counsel for city and authorized to reopen issue which will cover grain commodity freight rates both e bound from Vancouver and w bound from the prairies.

Unanimously adopted by finance committee which is c posed of the entire slate of ald men, the resolution will be p sented at the regular meeting of council next Monday for adoptio expected to be a formality only.

"No city is so discrimina against as Vancouver," Mayor M Geer said when he introduced resolution. "There is discriminat in grain, commodity and class ra

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THE WEATHER

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NELSON	25	40
Victoria	34	49
Nanaimo	31	42
Vancouver	34	46
Kamloops	28	38
Prince George	20	22
Estevan Point	32	50
Prince Rupert	32	48
Atlin	22	36
Dawson, Y.T.	0	8
Seattle	38	52
Portland, Ore.	38	52
San Francisco	52	60
Spokane	26	38
Los Angeles	52	56
Penticton	26	—
Vernon	30	—
Grand Forks	6	32
Kaslo	22	—
Cranbrook	22	30
Calgary	24	34
Edmonton	4	30
Swift Current	22	28
Prince Albert	14	24
Saskatoon	18	24
Qu'Appelle	8	24
Winnipeg	8*	20
Moose Jaw	16	22

*—Below zero.

Forecast for Nelson and vicinity—Northerly winds; continued fine and cold at nights.

Trades, Labor Congress Approves the Insurance Idea But Would Assess the Employer More and the Worker Less

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP).—Spokesmen for the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada today expressed approval in general of the government's unemployment and social insurance scheme, but suggested several changes in the measure, including augmentation of employers' contributions and diminution of those by workers.

The congress, presenting its annual legislation memorandum to the cabinet, asked that employers' contributions to the scheme be raised from 25 cents to 30 cents in the case of adult men, and that workers' contributions in the same class be reduced from 25 to 20 cents. It suggested similar changes in other insurable classes.

The delegation also submitted the 40-week contributory period was too long and that it would debar many from participation in benefits of the scheme. At the same time it asked the section setting a 78-day period for receptions of benefits be lengthened.

LFERS HAVE FINE SEASON

nances Sound and the Grounds Are Improved

s reviewed in the annual re- by President C. W. Appleyard Nelson Golf & Country Club, enjoyed a successful season in a financial and sporting dpoint last year. Revenue over enditure amounted to $511.30 and ng the season a five-reel gang er had been the chief item on a of new equipment.

. B. Bamford was named honor- president, and the list of direc- named at the annual meeting day night included John Fraser, . Appleyard, R. E. Horton, A. B. er, C. H. Hamilton, A. Baird, A. cCulloch, L. S. Bradley, Z. E. ewdney and W. Blane.

he president's report was as fol-

Directors, in reviewing the club's vities for the past season, are sed to be able to report that withstanding the slight decrease evenue for the year of $70.01, that ng to a drastic curtailment of ex- es amounting to $823.47, the ex- of revenue over expenditure unted to the sum of $646.35, prior writing off the sum of $135.05 to e care of depreciation, leaving an s of revenue over expenditure of $511.30 after depreciation.

MOWER

"During the year we purchased and paid for a new five-reel gang mower and a horse. These purchases were a great factor in keeping down repair costs. In addition, the indebtedness to the bank which at the beginning of the year amounted to $250, was paid in full and the club enters the new year without any current liabilities.

"Without doubt this satisfactory condition was due to the loyal co-operation of the different committees in connection with the club.

"The directors especially wish to thank the ladies' committee for the efficient way the club house was handled and for their support in the matter of the dances, etc. We also wish to express our appreciation to L. S. Bradley and his committee for their work in connection with the dance held in November.

"We also wish to thank the match committee for their work during the season as it is realized this is one of the most difficult committees to handle to the satisfaction of all members. This committee through their efforts have been responsible for the bringing up to date of the necessary engraving on all the club trophies and also were responsible for a box of powder. We also wish to thank John Fraser, secretary, for the very efficient way he has handled his duties during the season and further for his kindness in donating flags and flag poles for the greens.

"Thanks are also due to the grounds committee for the work done on the grounds during the season which is covered by a separate report.

VALUED MEMBERS

"We regret that it is our duty to express our deep sorrow at the loss sustained by the deaths during the past year of two valued members, W. J. Meagher and R. T. Thorburn. Mr. Meagher took up the game when our club was formed and became a player of the first rank. During the year before his death he captured the cup for the club championship and also won the Leith cup at our Labor Day open championship. Mr. Thorburn came to Nelson 10 years previously with a ripe experience in the game and was always cheerfully willing to give the benefit of his knowledge to beginners and others. He won the cup in the senior competition in 1933."

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MORE ABOUT PUTNAM

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shortly after the war, Hon. J. H. King, then provincial minister of public works, declaring there was no money in the treasury, but finally acting when the Nelson board of trade said it would build the Ymir road itself if the government would do the engineering. A year after the survey, the 18-mile section between Nelson and Ymir was built by DeWolf & Ham for $225,000. Later the Ymir-Boulder section was built by DeWolf & Ham for $42,000. Subsequent sections were built by P. J. Gallagher of the public works with day labor, the Boulder-Salmo section for $12,500, the Feeney's-Nelway section of 17 miles for $72,000, and the Salmo-Feeney's which had been left to the last, for $20,000, the road's total first cost being thus $374,000.

When the road was finally opened by Dr. W. H. Sutherland, the new minister, by a ceremony at the boundary, about 300 cars from the two sides of the line attended, including from Metaline, Ione, Newport, and Spokane, the Americans, Mr. Hunter stated, hailing the new road as opening a new tourist country, and coming on to Nelson over it. One of the reasons this highway should be made serviceable, he said was the need for giving the American tourists a good road.

MINES NEED SERVICE

But apart from that general consideration, there were the strongest commercial reasons for giving the mining camps of the Salmo-Ymir area proper road facilities, for they made that area the brightest spot in British Columbia today, with 800 to 1000 men employed in it, and only half a dozen individuals on direct relief. Many old properties had been reopened, and new ones developed, the district having something like 25 operations, and this was only the beginning. Supplies must be got to the district expeditiously, Nelson being the only wholesale center, and while there was railway service, that was not sufficient in these modern times, when it was required that service should be on call, winter and summer alike. In this connection he recalled that this road was the last arterial highway to be reopened after the recent snow blockades.

While crediting Mr. Putnam with having no doubt done his utmost, Mr. Hunter doubted if Hon. F. M. MacPherson, minister of public works, fully realized the importance of this road. Practically nothing had been done on it the past year.

Commenting on the minister's remark in a letter that tourists could use some other route, Mr. Hunter said he would say nothing against any other district, but if this district did not ask for the service it urgently needed, the money would be spent elsewhere, as was illustrated by the $3,000,000 bridge being built by the government to replace one that was probably good as it was.

"WERE FRIENDS" SAYS WHIMSTER

Mr. Whimster assured Mr. Putnam that the attitude of the board of trade toward the minister and the department was one of friendliness and assistance. He did not want the member to get the idea that the board was in a critical mood. The board knew the that the government had done something for the district roads in the past two years, as far as its limited funds would allow.

He asserted the Nelson board wished to back Mr. Putnam in his request to the minister to do as much work as possible on the road to Salmo, and those serving the mines. He personally knew the Second Relief road was bad, while that to Sheep Creek was poor for such an important section. While the board didn't want the main highway overlooked, it felt that the mines should have good roads.

In reference to the action of the board reaffirming a former resolution urging restoration of a separate district engineer for West Kootenay, Mr. Whimster said the board felt that the present district, comprising the whole Kootenay, was too large for one engineer to handle, and that Nelson should be made an engineering office again.

If Mr. Putnam should ever wish the assistance of the Nelson board when he was asking for facilities for the district, a letter would quickly obtain him the needed backing.

"We wish you a good session, Frank, and that you may get the Nelson-Nelway highway completed this summer," Mr. Whimster concluded.

PUTNAM VALUES MINES

Mr. Putnam, in replying, spoke appreciatively of the friendly attitude of the Nelson board of trade, and said he always liked to drop in on its functions if he happened to be in town. He also said he enjoyed Mr. Hunter's and Mr. Whimster's talks.

While he was not much on publicity, Mr. Putnam admitted, he contended he did appreciate the road situation in the Salmo and Ymir section, having gone over that area with Mr. Jones in the fall. Knowing the value of the mining activity there to the province, he had asked the government for money, and told it something had to be done, but as a matter of fact there was very little money available. For the whole Nelson-Creston riding $54,000 was granted for maintenance last year, and the two months in the summer without rain created conditions where only a black top treatment was any good, as gravel was blown away. "We talked over the matter, and decided that under those conditions $30,000 spent on gravel surfacing would be $20,000 wasted, as some work needed to be done before gravel was put on," he related. "I don't know what we can get," Mr. Putnam stated, "but I feel that the government can't stave us off any longer."

While the tourist industry was of great importance to the district and the province, Mr. Putnam felt that the mining industry should be considered first, as it put men to work, every man put to work reducing the number on relief. In this connection the member said he felt the country was not geting value for what was being spent for relief, though he was not criticizing in any way the department of national defence; but the fact was that the province's equipment was tied up with the Dominion program, and if there were no relief, there would be money and machinery which could accomplish a good deal.

He referred to a report in The Nelson Daily News in reference to R. R. Burns, M.P.P. for Rossland-Trail, wishing to get a good road from Trail to Salmo for the purpose of cutting out Nelson and stated he did not think that was Mr. Burns' object, for he himself years ago, when Liberal candidate for the former Creston riding, campaigned in Fruitvale and Salmo, and advocated in that campaign a round connection between Nelson, Trail, Fruitvale and Salmo, which would relieve some of the congestion. Such a circle route, he still claimed, would reduce maintenance, for the wear by trucks in dry seasons would be reduced.

TOLD MINISTER VIEWS

"I want to assure you people that I am doing everything I can to get the roads done," Mr. Putnam asserted, stating he had explained his view to the minister, and pointed out to him that while there was a good road from Cranbrook to Kingsgate, there was not one from Cranbrook to Nelson. He had often spent time on the Kingsgate road to observe the rush of traffic, and the cars there were astounding. If there was a good road here, this district would have in a week more tourist cars than it now had in a month, in the tourist season.

Expressing the belief that the mining development here was still only in its infancy, Mr. Putnam said if gold went to $41 an ounce, as some authorities predicted, it would give gold mining here such an impetus that in three or four years its volume would be trebled.

Evincing a liking for Mr. Whimster's attitude toward the government, which gave it credit for what it had done, Mr. Putnam declared the minister of public works wanted to do these things that were wanted, and suggested that an attitude of cooperation would get further than one of criticism. He said he had told Mr. MacPherson that this district had half a dozen Bridge Rivers. The government was certainly anxious to develop the country with roads, but the financial difficulties were too strong. In closing, Mr. Putnam declares his desire to further the district's interests while at Victoria, and that he would be glad to hear from the board at any time for such a purpose.

JONES ANNOUNCES SURVEY

Mr. Jones, who followed Mr. Putnam, remarked that recently road luncheons had been almost a weekly event with him, and that he was grateful to the board for this opportunity to discuss roads with it.

He was sorry that Messrs. Hunter and Whimster didn't say anything he could oppose; all their statements were absolutely true. These members of the board who had read the report on the public works in the Kootenay district in the New Year issue of The Daily News would know how much he thought road work was needed in this district.

At this point Mr. Jones revealed that in a recent letter the chief engineer had advised him that he was starting another survey of the Nelson-Nelway road the first of April. Commenting that to many another survey might seem unnecessary, the district engineer explained that there were a lot of places that the road could be better located. Work could be done on the road, but the first thing should be to put it in the right place. It was unfortunate, he commented, that it had not been located right at first, but this was a condition common to the whole country.

The department's officials appreciated the necessity of improving the roads, but money governed, he remarked.

In reference to Mr. Hunter's implied criticism of the department for not opening the Nelson-Salmo connection earlier, Mr. Jones said the board would appreciate the department's difficulties in dealing with the snow, if it realized that for weeks the plows never stopped operating, day or night. Conditions were out of the ordinary, and everything possible was done to cope with them. The slides were responsible for the isolation of Salmo from Nelson, plows alone not being sufficient. He mentioned one slide near Fernie that had a depth of 80 feet and had to be dug out.

Pointing out that with the gravel gone, next summer would have worse road conditions than last if it should happen to be dry, Mr. Jones said only a wet season would permit maintenance. He stated the minister and the chief engineer were both conversant with what would be the conditions in this territory next summer, and would do everything that was possible.

BIG WORK OF YEAR

In concluding, Mr. Jones expressed the opinion that the Nelson-Salmo road program would be the most important road work the department would have in this district next summer, and would be ahead of anything in the five ridings, on account of the mining to be served.

Asked by Mr. Putnam what would be its cost, Mr. Jones replied that he could not say yet, on account of of the extensive relocation that would be necessary, the road being too narrow in many places, and it being improper to do work on the wrong location. He said he could soon give Mr. Putnam an estimate for the work on the parts that would not be relocated, but for the others he would have to wait for the survey.

President Bamford said the board was greatly indebted to Mr. Putnam and Mr. Jones for conferring with it, and for the assurances and information they had given.

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JACK JOHNSON — DAVE BARRY

Sitting with Dave (Long Count) Barry in criminal court in Chicago where Barry and three others appeared to stand trial in a $54,000 embezzlement case, Jack Johnson, former world's heavyweight champion, recalls old times with the referee whose delay in counting out Gene Tunney is claimed to have cost Jack Dempsey the championship.

MORE ABOUT LABOR WINS

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eral, who made it a four-cornered contest, got 4208.

CHURCHILL MADE INTEREST

The by-election had been watched with wide interest, particularly since the son of Winston Churchill, die-hard and former chancellor of the exchequer, announced he would oppose Mr. Platt.

The by-election was necessitated by the succession to the peerage of Ronald Nail-Cain. He was elected as a Conservative member in the general elections of 1931 in a straight contest with G. G. Clark, Labor. The vote was 33,476 to 9603.

MINISTERS WERE IN BATTLE

The government sent several cabinet ministers into the campaign on behalf of Mr. Platt, while Winston Churchill spoke on behalf of his son. The government's Indian policy drew the fire of the Churchills.

"The triumph of the Labor party," said Mr. Cleary, when the results were announced, "is a reflection of the tremendous volume of protest which has been aroused throughout the country by the unemployment assistance board regulations."

The victory was the Labor party's fifteenth in 49 by-elections since the National government came into power.

Young Churchill, far from downhearted by his baptism of fire, announced immediately he will fight for the Wavertree post in the next general election.

Like his father and his grandfather, the late Lord Randolph Churchill, the family's new political entry ran on a "rebel" platform as an Independent Conservative against the party in power.

Randolph Churchill's political career got away to a slow start as did the career of his forefathers. Blond, blue-eyed and six feet tall, he was regarded by the opposition as a handsome, although not very serious challenge.

MORE ABOUT HAUPTMANN

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The expert quality of the physician's testimony was regarded as the most effective blow to the state's case against Hauptmann as the builder of the ladder, the kidnapper and the collector of the $50,000 ransom.

INSINUATE NEW NAIL HOLES

The defence also insinuated strongly that the authorities had made nail holes in one of the ladder those in the beam in the attic of Hauptmann's home from which, the state charges, a piece of board was taken to be used in the ladder. Dr. Hudson testified that when he examined the ladder in March, 1932, he noticed only one, and not the four nail holes which now appear on the upright.

The defence scored another point when it revealed that a beer stein which had stood in a recess of the windowsill of the Lindbergh nursery at the time of the kidnapping was apparently not disturbed by the person who, the state says, went in and out the window.

CONDUCT GOOD

Mrs. Gerta Henkel, friend of the Hauptmann family, was called to the stand to testify that Hauptmann's conduct toward her never was other than circumspect, although he had coffee at her home when Mrs. Hauptmann was in Europe.

Three members of the New Jersey state police force and Dr. Hudson were called to testify to examinations of the ladder for fingerprints. The three police officers were Lieut. Paul Sjostrom, investigator, and Sergeant Louis Kubler and Trooper Frank A. Kelly, in the bureau of criminal identification.

PLUMBER'S STORY UNTOLD

Gustave Miller, an outspoken Bronx plumber, also took the stand to testify he had been called to examine a leaking pipe in the Hauptmann home and that in his examination of the attic he did not notice any floor boards missing.

Edward J. Reilly, chief defence counsel, was balked in producing the testimony of Oscar John Bruchmann, a Bronx taxicab driver who had known Fisch, that the dead Bronx Jewish furrier had ridden in his cab, displayed a roll of bills, an had given him a $5 note for the ride. Justice Thomas W. Trenchard ruled that unless Bruchmann knew Fisch's money was ransom cash his testimony was inadmissable.

Hockey Results

SOUTH SASK. SENIOR HOCKEY
Weyburn Beavers 3, at Regina Vimy 4.

SOUTH ALTA. SENIOR HOCKEY
Olds 1, at Calgary Rangers 4.

Pianist, Who Likes Cigarettes, Is 110

Little Deaf But Otherwise Is Lots of Fun, Aid Society People State

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (AP)—A woman who says she is 110 years old, who plays the piano like an artist and lights one cigarette from the stubb of another, was a problem tonight at the shelter of the Travellers' Aid society.

Dr. Marie Charlotte de Goliere Davenport, Russian-born and a graduate of the University of Heidelberg, is without funds to pay a local hotel bill and is waiting for something to turn up in the lecturing line to get her out of the predicament. The Travellers' Aid doesn't know what can be done about it, but meanwhile they are enjoying her unsolicited visit.

Dr. Davenport says she was born in 1824. She has had 10 sons, she said, and studied the piano under an up-and-coming composer named Liszt.

She is alert mentally and unimpaired physically except for a slight deafness. She finds life about her zestful and amusing, and her present hosts find their charge good fun, too.

Dr. Davenport said that for many years she has been a lecturer on mental hygiene and beauty.

BIG PAT MALONE IS A HOLDOUT

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 6 (AP)—Big Pat Malone, fast ball pitcher traded to St. Louis Cardinals last fall by Chicago, lined up alongside Dizzy Dean as a holdout today with announcement that he had returned his contract unsigned to the Cardinal management.

No mineral of the earth has been found to be older than 1,800,000,000 years says S. K. Roy, geologist, of the Field Museum, but he adds that the oldest analyzable mineral remains to be discovered, and may show the earth to be 3000 million years old or older.

BAER IS OFFERED 175,000 SMACKS

Germans Want Champ to Meet Winner Schmeling and Hamas Bout

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 6 (AP)—Ancil Hoffman, manager of Max Baer, arrived home today with the announcement he may quit orange ranching and start growing cauliflower ears in the great fistic hothouse of Madison Square Garden, New York.

Hoffman said Garden officials want him to take over the boxing business of their institution; that he made a proposal in which he would be the sole fistic showman for the company, and he stated he would not be surprised if they accept it. Jack Dempsey is not involved in the latest dicker.

Hoffman found awaiting him a cablegram from Walter Roethendberg of Hamburg, offering $175,000 for a meeting between Baer and the winner of the Steve Hamas-Max Schmeling fight that will be held in Germany.

A villager of Blanchland, Northumberland, entering casually the parish church, witnessed the surprise wedding of his 72-year-old vicar to the vicar's housemaid, aged 25.

NOT A RHEUMATIC PAIN FOR 4 YEARS

70-Year-Old Man Praises Kruschen

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FERNIE HOLDS AN EDUCATION WEEK PROGRAM

Addresses Held in the Churches and the Schools

BACKGROUNDING URGE OF PASTOR

Fernie Schools Have a Program Wednesday Afternoon

FERNIE, B.C., Feb. 6.—Education Week was ushered in on Sunday by educational addresses in both the United and Anglican churches. Rev. F. Sanders and Rev. Canon Comyn-ching, each in his own pulpit, discussed the importance of education and each stressed the necessity of a Christian background.

Rev. Comyn-ching also spoke on education at the regular Rotary meeting on Monday. In this address he took the letters of the word "education" as the initials of key words to introduce the several phases of his subject. E-enthusiasm and d-devotion should mark the pursuit of an education. The educational system should be marked by a U-unity of purpose and action that would make it possible for pupils to move from one province to another without the necessity of spending a year or more to become adjusted to the new system. C-concentration should be developed by the pupils through reading books of a type that required thought instead of limiting their reading material to a type that requires little concentration. An A-amicable atmosphere and friendly attitude should prevail toward education and T-thoroughness should be recognized as more important than mental brilliance. Education should be inclusive. The three Rs, said the speaker, were not enough for the normal person, but education should touch every phase of life and the normal pupil should have an opportunity to sample, at least, all phases of knowledge. Education should be operative, he continued, that is it should be practical in its results and lead to practical interests. Finally, he said, education should be normal and produce normal individuals, normal in their outlooks on life, not freaks.

In connection with visitors' day at the Fernie school on Wednesday, a meeting was held in the school auditorium after the closing bell at which Principal W. R. Pepper, S. Herchmer and Rev. F. Sanders gave brief talks on various aspects of modern education.

Cat Best Ratter When Man Failed

LEICESTER, England, (CP)—Dissatisfied with the efforts of Leicester's rat officer and the official rat-catcher who visited her flat to destroy mice, a Leicester woman wrote to the town clerk that the poison put down did not have the desired effect.

"Mice continued to frisk merrily, increase in numbers, and generally 'make whoopee'" she said. "Do you think your official administered a tonic by mistake? I enlisted the services of a stray cat and he quickly strewed the carpet with the fallen."

The letter was read at Leicester county court when the corporation sued Mrs. Queenie Groves, claiming about $4 "for goods and services supplied for the destruction of mice."

Eventually the judge dismissed the corporation's claim. "I cannot go so far as to say the mice thrives on the substance supplied for their destruction," he remarked, "but I am quite satisfied that as an attempt to exterminate them it was a rank failure."

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Called Slayers in St. Valentine's Day Massacre

Machine gun killing of seven in Chicago's infamous St. Valentine's Day massacre in 1929 (shown below) may be solved through statement purported to have been made to federal agents by Byron Bolton, arrested in Bremer kidnapping case. [illegible] is said to have admitted part, naming Fred (Killer) Burke (left) as leader. Others named, left to right, are Claude Maddox, Gus Winkler, Fred Goetz and Murray Humphreys, Chicago gangsters.

MASTS FOREST SPROUTED ANEW

Decade-Old Industry Makes Waterfront Busy; Scallopers Rake in Little Fortunes

DIGBY, N.S. (CP)—Digby's "forest of masts" has returned. Once the home port of one of the largest fishing fleets that ever sailed from Nova Scotia for the sea's harvest off the Grand banks, lean years brought their repercussions, the larger vessels were thinned out and finally the fleet dwindled to nothing.

But Digby waterfront today has sprouted new masts, shorter and less picturesque perhaps, but stuck into trim little boats and manned by just as hardy, just as doughty a crew as the Bluenose windblown ships of yesteryear.

They are the masts of the famous Digby scallop fleet—which each year brings home more than half of Canada's total scallop catch.

It is a rising industry. In a decade the fleet has grown from one small boat to the 50 modern vessels which sail out of Digby Neck to the Bay of Fundy fishing grounds today. They represent an investment of $250,000 and give steady employment to 300 men. Boston and New York markets depend on them for a large proportion of their scallop supply, and several owners have raked in a little fortune from the scallop beds.

Scallop fishing like every other task of those "who go down to the sea in ships" is not without its hazards. Scallopers have been lost on the tossing Bay of Fundy and there have been many serious accidents. Some have been maimed for life; some have been hauled overboard by the heavy multiple rakes that scrape up the small-fish delicacy. Boats have caught fire; men have been surprised by sudden storms, and have spent anxious moments before reaching port.

Unlike the salt-banker, the scallopper must have almost ideal weather conditions in order to get the best harvest.

The heavy drags take the catch from the floor of the ocean, 100 fathoms deep. And when their powerful little engines pull up the drag to unload, many strange specimens from the sea's bottom are piled high on the vessel's deck. There are sea pumpkins and the sea mouse, odd shaped clams, colorful shells, uncommon varieties of fish and once in a while a lobster.

Year after year the drags rake over the scallop beds but there seems to be an inexhaustible supply for each year the catch is larger.

Only a very small portion of the shell-fish is marketable—the muscle which acts as a hinge, opening and closing the shell. The rest is thrown away.

Digby scallops practically control the scallop price in Canada and the United States. When the weather is fine and all the boats are operating, the price in Boston and New York is sure to tumble but if the fleet ties up for a day or two, the price rises rapidly.

And that's the story of Nova Scotia's fast growing sea industry—built on the hinge of a shell fish.

GIRL ROUTS THIEF

MEERUT (CP) — Guarding her home against burglars, a 18-year-old Indian girl beat one intruder insensible and took him to hospital.

Harvard's fatigue laboratory will send an expedition to a valley in India, 17,000 foot elevation, to study respiration and circulation in the inhabitants.

ON THE AIR TONIGHT

CANADIAN RADIO COMMISSION NETWORK

6:00 Along the Road by Prof. V. W. Jackson, Univ. of Manitoba, Winnipeg; 6:15 Address, auspices League of Nations Society, Ottawa; 6:30 Wings Over Canada, dramatization of McCurdy Flight at Baddick, N. S., Feb. 23, 1909 Montreal; 7:00 Melodic strings, CJAT, only in B.C.; Drama of B.C.; CKWX and B.C. Net., ex. CJAT; 7:30 Billy Bissett's orch., Toronto; 7:30 The Work to be Done at this Coming Session of Legislature, talk, Premier Pattullo, Victoria; 7:45 News and Weather Forecast; 8:00 Pacific Nocturne, Vancouver; 8:30 Bridget and Pat, Winnipeg, ex. B.C.; News, B.C. Net.; 8:40 Dominion Dept. Agriculture talk, Vancouver; 8:45 Three Guitars, Prince Albert; 9:00 Happy Valley, Chilliwack; 9:30 Allan Carson, organist, Winnipeg; 10:00 Sparklets, vocal and instrumental, Vancouver.

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6:00 Captain Henry's Show Boat; 7:00 Whiteman's Music Hall; 8:00 Amos 'n' Andy; 8:15 Symphony Hour; 9:15 Winning the West; 9:45 Dancing in Twin Cities; Book Parade, KPO; 10:00 News Flashes; 10:15 Waltz Time; 10:45 Tom Coakley's orch.; 10:55 Press-Radio News; 11:00 Happy Felton's orch.; KPO; Flo-Rito's orc.; KGO to Net.; 11:30 Way Back When, organist, KPO; Jimmy Grier's orch.

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6:00 Let's Go to Europe, D.L.; 6:15 Piano Fantasies, DL; 6:30 Fred Waring's Pennsylvanians; 7:30 Leith Stevens' Harmonies; 7:45 Voice of the Crusader; 8:00 Myrt and Marge; 8:15 Little Jack Little and Orch.; 8:30 Annette Hanshaw, Walter O'Keefe, Ted Husing; 9:00 Orch.

800 k CJOR 500 m
VANCOUVER 500 w

6:15 Stan Fields, baritone; 6:30 Prairie Drifters; 6:45 Bill Easterbrook; 7:00 Women's Viewpoint; 7:15 Jr. Chamber of Commerce; 7:30 Studio Program; 7:45 Investment Council; 8:00 News; 8:15 Dick Abbott, songs; 8:30 Melody Train; 9:00 Romances of Cariboo, Philip D. Randolph, drama; 9:30 Tony and Alan; Other periods: Records.

1030 k CFCN 291.3 m
CALGARY 10,000 w

6:00 Highway of Reading, Alex Calhoun; 6:30 Orchestra; 7:30 King Solomon; 8:30 Lonely Rangers; 8:45 Songs of the Islands; 9:00 Si Hopkins' Old Time Dance; 10:00 King Solomon.

970 k KGO 379.5 m
OAKLAND 7500 w

6:00 Dinner Concert, E.T.; 6:15 Lum and Abner; 6:30 Federal Business Talk; 6:45 Air Adventures; 7:00 Brooks Brothers, vocal; 7:15 San Francisco Municipal Gov.; 7:30 45-minutes fr. Broadway; 8:15 Broadcast, from Seth Parker; 8:30 Leo Reisman's orch.; 8:45 Dream Dramas; 9:00 George Olsen's orch; 9:30 Dancing in Twin Cities; 10:00 Mickey Gillette and his Music; 10:30 Press-Radio News; 10:35 Orch.; 11:05 Ted Flo-Rito's orch.; 11:30 Jimmy Grier's orch.

970 k KJR 309.1 m
SEATTLE 5000 w

6:00 Scandinavian Air Reporter; 6:15 Castles in Music; 6:30 News Reporter; 6:45 Jimmie Allen's Air Adventures; 7:05 Tonic Tunes; 7:15 Greater Washington Hour; 7:45 Waltz Dreams; 8:15 Carefree Capers; 8:45 Romance Time; 9:00 News Reporter; 9:15 Charlie Kent and Singers; 9:30 Musical Scrapbook; 9:45 Hal Grayson's orch; 10:55-11:00 Memory's Garden; 11:30 Till Tomorrow, Reed.

1060 k KNX 285.5 m
HOLLYWOOD 50,000 w

6:00 News Service; 6:15 Concert Group; 6:30 Lum and Abner, rural skit; 6:45 Air Adventures; 7:00 Watanabe and Archie; 7:15 Lawrence King songs; 7:30 The In-Laws, play; 7:45 King Cowboy; 8:00 Frost Warnings; 8:30 Forge of Freedom, drama; 9:00 News Service; 9:15 Entertainers; 9:45 The Crocketts; 10:30 Pete Pontrelli's orch.

BRITISH BROADCAST B.B.C. TRANSMISSION 4

Short Wave—Pacific Standard Time 10:00 a.m.—1:30 p.m. GSB, 31.55 m., and GSD, 25.43 m. 1:30—2:45 GSA, 49.59 m., and GSB, 31.55 m.

10:00 a.m. Big Ben. News; 10:15 Talk: Cape to Cairo on Foot, R. A. Monson; 10:30 Ten a Penny. A play with Music; 11:15 Variety, Relayed from Empire theater, Middlesbrough 11:35 A Dialect Story; 11:55 Interlude; 12:00 noon, Grieg Duets for One Pianoforte, played by Alec Rowley and Edgar Moy; 12:30 p.m. "Guess Who It Is!" No. 3. Another Annonymous Variety Show; 1:30 B.B.C. Theater orch.; 2:00 News; 2:15 Interlude; 2:30 Dance Music; 2:45 Close Down.

Are We Dreaming?

JUNE LANG

Like something out of a spring-time dream, is classy June Lang, movie player. Mr. Press Agent, you're driving us craz-z-zy!

France Nearly Fought Italy Over African Area in 1931

But Mussolini and Laval Have Now Settled Trouble; Van Paassen Visits Scene

By PIERRE VAN PAASSEN
(Central Press Canadian Writer)

KOLOGO, Tschad, Feb. 6.—After nineteen days of weary plodding through the greatest desert in the world, we have arrived on the shores of Lake Tschad. We are in the heart of Africa. If you look at the map you will see that Tschad is also the geographical center of the black continent. Today, however, Tschad is even more than that. Tschad is the hub of the universe. What happens around Tschad these days is of vital importance to the future of Europe and of the world in general.

When I wrote early last summer from Vienna that the solution of the Austrian problem lay in the heart of Africa, some critics sent up a discrete ha-ha. That assertion seemed a little too far-fetched to them. Other so-called far-seeing observers thought me bereft of reason and passed my observation under a merciful silence. In another place I was accused of smartaleckism, of seeking to pop a sensation. Nevertheless, my affirmation rested upon a solid fact. Today every student of European affairs knows that Mussolini is switching into the French camp, and is abandoning his revisionist allies, Hungary, Germany and Austria because . . . because of what? Because France is giving Italy free access to the shores of Lake Tschad. That is what M. Pierre Laval, the French foreign minister, went to arrange in Rome. It all looks so simple and plausible now.

When Mussolini and M. Laval came to an agreement, it included the rectification of certain colonial frontiers in Africa, the radio broadcasts and the newspapers informed us. But nothing is said as to where those frontiers are located.

FRONTIERS ARE CHANGED

They are here — around Lake Tschad. The frontier of the Italian colony of Tripoli is to be moved south several hundred miles. On the face of it this seems quite unimportant, for the territory ceded by France is barren and rocky desert a ghastly wilderness if ever there was one. I have just traversed the better part of it, and so I can say that it is the most god-forsaken region on earth. Man-forsaken, too. Some lions roam there and an almighty big lot of lizards, but that is all. Yet that is what Italy gets and what Italy wants.

In fact, the whole of Tripoli is a desert, except a narrow strip of verdure along the Mediterranean coast. Before 1910 Tripoli was a province of the Turkish Empire. Italy declared war on Turkey in that year and expelled the Turks. That meant at the same time that Tripoli was conquered. For the nomadic Arabs who live there were no match for the highly efficient Italian military forces.

FRANCE GAINED ADVANTAGE

Now the frontiers of Tripoli under the Turkish empire were not clearly defined. The Turks, whatever else may be said of them, were slipshod colonizers. So long as the annual tribute came in they did not bother a great deal about the inhabitants of the vassal provinces. When the Turkish garrisons in Tripoli surrendered to the Italians, which took place in the coast cities, the French took advantage of the confusion and marched toward Lake Tschad, 2000 kilometres south of the actual theater of war, and occupied that vast fertile territory. The Italian troops were separated from Tschad which was also tributary to Turkey, by the whole Lybian Desert. The French had marched in from Algiers, following the road which I have just covered.

At the time, in 1910, this French move looked rather unimportant and it was really not till the advent of Mussolini that the Italians realized that they had been cheated, as it were, or at any rate that France had stolen a march on them. For Tripoli, without its natural hinterland is a huge and costly white elephant. But then it was too late. The French had installed themselves and had begun to build forts and blockhouses and a French administration had begun to function in the great Tschad province.

NEARLY CAUSED WAR

Mussolini never forgot the incident, which is of capital importance to him and his policy of Italian expansion in Africa. When he proclaimed, as he did on many occasions, that Italy had not been treated fairly, one of the things he had in mind was the fact that Italy had been excluded from the shores of Lake Tschad, the spot in Africa where all the old carivan trails and trade-routes converge.

On one occasion—it can be told now—Mussolini gave orders to the Italian colonial troops stationed in Tripoli to march southward in the direction of Lake Tschad and plant the Italian flag there. Italy was the heir of the Turkish Empire in that part of the world, he argued, and Italy would be in her right to take what was rightfully hers. The Italian army duly advanced.

That was in December, 1930. Of course, if the Italian forces had really invaded the Tschad district that time, there would have been a clash with the French. That clash was expected around Christmas, 1930. But it did not occur. France did not reinforce her military effectives in North Africa and sent no reinforcements to her troops in the Tschad district. France simply mobilized on the Italian frontier.

JOURNALISTS KEPT MUM

The world has little realized how near we came to a first-class European war in the early months of 1931. And what I am writing here now is really part of a chapter on the secret post-war intrigues which will not be fully revealed until some day when the archives are thrown open to the light of day. That day too, will come. Many people think you are telling them a fairy tale, when you relate how you saw troop-train after troop-train leave in the dead of night from the suburban railway stations around Paris for the Italian frontier in the early months of 1931. Everything was done to maintain the greatest secrecy. Had France openly announced that she was mobilizing, there is little doubt but the fat would have been in the fire. The few foreign journalists, who knew what was going on, kept mum. One unguarded sentence and Europe would have gone up in flames. For, as I said, had knowledge of the partial mobilization of the French army leaked out, Mussolini could not have done otherwise but accept the inevitable. The honor of Italy, as they say on such occasions, would have been at stake. To have backed down, in the sight of all the world, would have been a terrible humiliation for the Duce and perhaps the end of his dictatorship. He would, therefore, not have backed down.

By shrouling that partial mobilization in secrecy, France afforded Mussolini an opportunity to back down quietly, without dishonor and without fuss. And so it happened. Before the French threat against Italy's northern frontier. Mussolini called off the campaign in Tripoli. The Italian colonial troops made about turn before they met the French forces. But that is not the end of the story.

TRIED DIPLOMATIC GAME

Thereafter Mussolini played the game along different lines. He chose the diplomatic field. He backed up Austria and Hungary against the interests of France's allies, Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia and Roumania. The Duce put himself at the head of the revisionist group of powers, that is to say, those powers who were defeated in the last war and who consequently favor a revision of the frontiers established by the Versailles treaty. France considers those frontiers inviolate. Italy has no territorial ambitions herself in Europe, but she has definite ambitions in Africa. That is why Mussolini played the claims of Austria, Hungary and of Germany for a time against France.

By partly meeting Mussolini's demands in Africa, one of which is for Italy to have access to the shores of Lake Tschad, M. Pierre Laval has now loosened Italy's connection with the revisionist powers. It's a plain job of buying and selling. Other arrangements in Africa are to follow, we are told. We will hear of them later. One of them concerns the empire of Abyssinia, on which Italy has since long cast her eyes. There can be little doubt on this.

The more satisfaction Italy obtains in Africa, the looser becomes her connection with Germany, Austria and Hungary. In other words, Pierre Laval is isolating Germany, France's chief opponent. And a total new realignment of the powers looms on the horizon as a result of what is taking place in the neighborhood of . . . Lake Tschad.

POPULATION ON WANE, HE THINKS

Believes Next 50 Years Will See a Great Reduction

SHEFFIELD, England, (CP). — "Just as overpopulation went on in the last century, it was now probable that in the next 50 years there might be an equally precipitous tendency towards underpopulation," declared Prof. Julian Huxley in discussing the effect on the nation of birth control.

"It was not generally realized that in the next 25 years the population would have been reduced by 2,000,000, and it was safe to assume that there would, in consequence, be a change in the proportion of young people to old people. The number of people more than 55 years of age would arise in proportion to the general population, and this would affect the whole life of the nation."

Battle Communism With Play-Acting

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., (CP)—[illegible] cial workers here are claiming victory over the Communists [illegible] seriously proposing to laugh th[illegible] out of town. The novel meth[illegible] chosen for combatting allegedly [illegible] versive tendencies among the [illegible] employed is to make actors of th[illegible] and let them entertain one anot[illegible] with the performance of light co[illegible] edy.

Apparently the theory is that [illegible] playing a young and prospe[illegible] housewife the widow with a bro[illegible] of eight or nine children forg[illegible] her cares and discovers life thro[illegible] the eyes of the character she i[illegible] the play.

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NE ADDRESSES GIVEN BY PUPILS AND VISITORS AT THE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

rents and Citizens See Pupils at Work

A goodly number of parents and erested citizens were present at school classes and also stayed the program given by city akers as pupils at the Junior h on Wednesday afternoon, the nt being staged in connection h education week across the minion.

eople who saw the children at k in the various classes and r heard them speak on the diffent schools of the past, were erably impressed and both the rts of the pupils, and also the thers, came in for exceptionally e tributes. Many people expressed prise at the ease and poise of pupils who spoke, for their resses were interesting and entening.

isitors were permitted to see the pils in the classrooms from 1 3 p.m., and then the program the auditorium was heard. Miss thel Gray, superintendent of the tenay Lake General hospital, and B. Gray were the guest speakers, Cleary, Leo Foster, Allan Bar- and Billie Wallace being the pils who spoke.

OF EDUCATION WEEK

ris Johanson, who presided, refaced the program with the formation that the idea for edution week arose in British Coumbia and the delegates to the minion convention proposed it ere, with the result that the was adopted. The purpose of ucation week, stated Miss Joanson, was to focus attention d interest upon the schools the Dominion so that people uld have a better idea of their hievements, activities and posbilities. It was hoped with the reater interest in education, uld come appreciation of the gher and richer life that was ing given to the pupils of to-y, and thus the nation as a hole.

Pat Cleary was then called to k on the schools of the classi- period.

During the time of ancient Greece d Rome, declared Pat, girls were t educated at all, and only boys of upper classes were educated. In arta only physical education was ven, and this because it would give arta a fine army. At the birth of a ld in Sparta, a council of elders uld examine the babe, and if y did not think it would become rong boy or girl, it would be left the hillside to die. At 7 the boys re sent to a military camp where y learned the essentials of fight-

AVES OFTEN TAUGHT

In Athens the schools were held street corners, under eaves, or rhaps in empty houses. The teach- were uneducated and would be y person who took the desire to ch. The teacher might even be a ve. They would be paid by the rents.

At Alexandria, observed Pat, the mentary schools were first upld by the state and these schools re a great advancement over evious ones. Great stress was laid memorization, music and gymstics also being prominent.

Until the Greeks began to find eir way to Rome, there were no hools there. The boy's father would ach him a code of laws and that s deemed sufficient. With the ming of the Greek slaves, teaching gan. No special training was reired of the teacher, no standards. nly the upper classes were taught d memorization was the one great ing stressed.

AUGHT CHIVALRY

Leo Foster gave a talk on the meeval and Renaissance schools. rom the fall of Rome, he stated, ntil well after the Reformation, tle teaching was done except in onasteries. Boys were generally tached to some knight who inructed them, or from whom they tained the rudiments of fighting d self protection. Chivalry was ught rather than book learning. ith the advent of the Reformation, e printing press filled a great ant, and reading material could be tained by those who desired it. rivate schools arose, but here again e teamhers did not need to be pecially qualified. These schools ight be held at the teacher's home, kitchens, or in any other place at was handy. The pupils were ught individually and not in asses and the lessons were mainly from the bible, catechisms and Aristotle. Memorization was stressed and punishment loomed large in the cramped curriculum.

Locke and Francis Bacon were outstanding scholars of this period, Bacon being the first advocate of scientific learning. The schools of this period also were greatly influenced by the Frenchman, Rousseau. Rousseau urged studies of more practical bent. Kindergartens were introduced during this era.

VICTORIA SCHOOLS

The Victorian schools were depicted by Allan Barton. During this period, he stated, there were no public schools, but there were private schools that had no uniform method of teaching or type of studies. Any person could start teaching whether he had the qualifications or not.

It was Charles Dickens who exposed, in able manner, this type of school. The pupils would be required to arise at 6 a.m. and would go to the master's unheated room to recite their lessons to him. The master would probably arise about 9 a.m. The kind of school that Rugby exemplified ,where the juniors were really the servants of the older boys and were practically in their hands, developed at this period. The basic ideas of the schools of today could be traced back to to these schools.

Billie Wallace was then asked to speak on modern schools. There had been a great improvement in the Victorian school, she stated, but there continued to be too much memory work, and the life of the school was artificial. Today the schools were in a scientific age. In the past it was mainly the intellect that teaching was directed toward improving, but the field had now widened perceptibly. Clubs, debates and dramatics entered the cirriculum. Pupils could choose a subject which suited their taste and abilities. There were still two or three subjects compulsory, however. Memory work occupied a minor place and students now were taught to plan things for themselves, to do things rather than to learn about things. In the past the school teacher was the center of things, but now the pupils was the center. Discipline was more elastic and the strap only appeared at rare intervals, whereas formerly it came about as often as porridge and prayers.

NEW CONVENIENCES

The one roomed school house of a few years back with its hard benches, bleak and unattractive surroundings, had given way to something much brighter and more conductive to study and varied development. New buildings provided place for practical arts, gymnasiums and other things now deemed necessary to the broad school life of the pupil.

The junior high school pupils, declared Billy Wallace, believed there should be an improvement of the school grounds. They were grateful for the fine school buildings, but it was their opinion that the grounds could be fixed up more in keeping with the buildings.

The character of the future schools, she concluded, would depend on what the present scholars became.

Albert Hooker favored with a solo, "The Birds" accompanied by Mrs. C. W. Tyler.

Miss Gray, called to speak on health and education, spoke her delight in being able to attend and stated she hesitated in speaking after the bright addresses given by the speakers who preceded her.

ONE OF GREATEST ASSETS

Health, declared Miss Gray, was one of the greatest assets individually or to a community, but only in recent years had health found a place in school education. In their work at the hospital, the nurses and doctors had an opportunity to see the results of ill health. Observing the ill effects naturally led to the study of how the sicknesses could be avoided or prevented. With the advance of medical science it became known that many of the diseases could be prevented.

The picture of a healthy child, said Miss Gray, had always interested her. For a healthy child one would say that, among essential things, the child would have to be clean, have rosy cheeks, be morally clean and physically active.

Health meant cleanliness of body and mind. It needed sunshine, wholesome food, exercise and fresh air, rest and sleep. Mental health was also important.

SLEEP IS IMPORTANT

Sleep was important because without it the body could not resist disease. Lots of sleep was one simple rule of health. Another was keeping a clean handkerchief over the mouth or nose when coughing or sneezing. The common cold, disregarded by many, was the cause of more absences from school than any other cause.

As yet little was done to protect the pre-school child, yet facts revealed that the death rate of diphtheria was highest among children about the age of five. There should be an active campaign, observed Miss Gray, to protect children of that age.

For general protection pure milk and water were very important. A great many diseases came from impure milk, and milk, it must be remembered, was an important food of the growing child.

An enlightening glimpse of hygenic and health practices in Poland were given by Miss Gray in which she disclosed that the children themselves did most of the health inspecting, with the teachers and nurses acting in an advisory capacity.

WASH HANDS

Washing the hands, concluded Miss Gray, was an effective means of keeping free from disease.

The next item was a duet by Billie Wallace and Daisy Norris.

J. B. Gray, final speaker of the day, gave a few reminiscences of his early school life in Scotland. He congratulated the pupils on the opportunities they now enjoyed for entering vocations in life which they could choose and which they would like.

At the age of four or five, said Mr. Gray, he was bundled off to school, a sort of infant school or kindergarten where about the second day he made the great mistake of standing up and saying that he didn't like the place and intended going home. He was promptly taken to a side room where he received his first corporal punishment, the beginning, he remarked, of a long line of punishments.

LACKED MODERN ADVANTAGES

Following about two years at this school, he was then sent to a public school where between 600 and 700 pupils attended. Classes there were much the same as here only there were not so many advantages enjoyed in Scotland. At recess they played simple games, no organized sport being arranged for them.

It was the custom then to have the class leading at the top of the class, with the others following in order of merit. His position, observed Mr. Gray, was easiest on the eyes for as a rule he had about as far to look one way as the other.

The school hours were from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., the last 30 minutes being given over to singing.

Summer holidays lasted for six weeks and began about July 1. It was a time for reunion and former students would come from any parts to attend the exercises at which medals and prizes were given to the leading students.

WOULD REMEMBER THEM

Although not ideal, concluded Mr. Gray, his mind often went back to his schoolboy days, and he realized more and more that they were happy days indeed. And pupils at the school today, even though they too thought their paths strewn with difficulties and troubles, would look back on these times as the brightest and happiest that it was ever their lot to experience.

Iris Johanson then thanked the speakers for the fine addresses they had given.

Flashes From the Wires

STRATFORD, Ont.—Tim Buck, general secretary of the Communist party of Canada, on ticket of leave from Portsmouth penitentiary came to Stratford and thanked Stratford furniture workers and poultry dressers for the part which he declared they had played in bringing about his release and that of seven other Communists from imprisonment.

"The Stratford strikers of 1933 were the beginning of a whole series of demonstrations that showed Bennett, Guthrie and the others that they could not smash the Canadian working class movement by putting their leaders in jail," Buck told an audience of 600 persons.

WASHINGTON — Two foreign trade hopes of the United States dwindled away toward the vanishing point.

President Roosevelt said the cotton barter deal with Germany definitely was dead. The state department reported most of its consular staff in Russia was to be withdrawn—a reflection of the recent Russian trade-debt negotiations collapse.

VIRGINIA, Min.—A tragedy of the snowbound northwoods which left a slayer and his hunting-knife victim cabin mates more than two weeks was related by authorities.

Dr. W. C. Helam, county coroner told the story in anouncing Harry Manes, 58-year-old trapper, had confessed killing his partner, Joseph Bigelow, 56. Cooped in a snow-bound cabin they got into a fight which ended fatally.

GENEVA—The projected annulment of the military clauses of the Versailles treaty as affecting Germany probably will be followed by a demand from Germany's war allies for similar liberation from military restrictions, it was said here.

WASHINGTON—Representative Walter Andrews, New York Republican, said President Roosevelt has indicated to him he would approve ratification of the 1909 treaty with Canada for the preservation of the scenic beauty of Niagara Falls, provided the section for further diversion of water is omitted.

TOKYO (Thursday)—A declaration by Admiral Mineo Osumi, minister of the navy, that future Japanese naval construction will be planned "according to an independent national policy" was discussed by Japanese newspapers.

Japanese newspapers interpreted it as meaning Japan desires a new agreement restricting Pacific fortifications and extending article 19 of the Washington naval treaty after the pact finally is terminated.

MANCHESTER, N.H.—Extradition proceedings brought by the Canadian government against Capt. Freeman Hatfield, 73-year-old war-time skipper, were suspended for two weeks at request of defence for time to prepare final arguments.

JERUSALEM — Twenty persons drowned in the Nablus district of Palestine alone in week-end floods sweeping the country.

HUDSON, Ont. — An airplane mercy flight ended in death on a train for John Barstowski, Lac Suel relief camp laborer. Suffering from tuberculosis, he struggled in delirium when being transferred into and out of the plane. He died when being taken to a Winipeg hospital.

CALGARY—The board of Central United church accepted the resignation of Rev. J. E. Todd to take effect after June 30 when he will become pastor of St. Clair avenue United church, Toronto.

VALLEYFIELD, Que.—Details of beatings, refusals of water and food and privations inflicted on 6-year-old Laura Groleau were recounted by witnesses at the trial of Mr. and Mrs. Edouard Groleau for the murder of the child.

DUBLIN—The Free State government agreed to a change in its citizenship bill allowing Irish people living abroad two years instead of one in which to take steps to become citizens of the Free State.

SANTA MONICA, Cal.—Sir Edmund Chayter died of a heart attack at the Del Mar club where he had been spending the winter with Lady Chayter and their three daughters.

PALMER HEADS TRAIL BOARD

Again at Helm of the School Board; 40 Pupils at Annable

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 6—H. J. Palmer was reelected chairman of the Trail school board at the first meeting of the 1935 board Wednesday night.

Committees were approved as follows:

Management—W. C. Aston chairman, C. W. Guillaume and W. C. MacKenzie.

Finance—C. W. Guillaume, chairman, C. Catalano and W. C. MacKenzie.

Sports—W. C. MacKenzie chairman, C. Catalano and H. L. Smith.

Property—H. L. Smith chairman, W. C. Aston and W. C. MacKenzie.

That there were now 40 pupils for each of five grades at the Anable school was information provided by Principal K. B. Woodward, who stated that the number of pupils and grades was too heavy for a teacher to do justice to the scholars. Previously there were 36 pupils, eight of which comprised grade VI and these were taken in at the Central school, the number having since grown from 30 to 40 pupils. The board felt that an additional teacher could not be considered at this time, but that those pupils who wished could attend Central school, Mr. Woodward being instructed to inform them to this effect.

The resignation of Miss Mary Anderson of the high school staff was accepted with regret.

The request of Miss G. Butorac, Anable school teacher, to be translaid on the table.

The board moved that a special class in English and Italian pupils, conducted for the past three months by Miss Agness Rossman, be concluded. Action was taken on Mr. Woodward's report that Miss Rossman felt that she had done all possible in an individual manner, and that they could now join the other classes.

Revision Court Sits on Friday Not Saturday

Sittings of the court of revision respecting Nelson's assessment roll, to deal with appeals, will open Friday morning at 10 o'clock, in the city council chamber.

80 AT BANQUET FOR F. PUTNAM

Member Assures He Will Work Hard for Riding

About 80 friends of Frank Putnam, M.L.A., for Nelson-Creston, who with Mrs. Putnam, is on his way to the coast for the opening of the legislature, joined in a banquet in his honor at the Golden Gate cafe Wednesday night. E. S. Jones, district public works engineer, and Mrs. Jones, were also guests of honor.

A program of songs, dances and readings was given following the banquet, when a number of people were called to speak.

Chairman J. R. Hunter, first called upon Mayor J. P. Morgan to speak a few words.

Mayor Morgan stated he had been anxious to meet Mr. Putnam for he had two things which he wanted to speak to him about. The first was the proposed auditorium, and the second was about roads, so that people could get in to the auditorium.

The main thing which he would like to ask Mr. Putnam was that he try to have the road from Salmo to Nelson fixed, as the road was a most important one to Nelson and its improvement would benefit the city greatly.

FAIR MAN

John Notman expressed the pleasure he felt in seeing so large an attendance to great Mr. Putnam and give him a hearty send-off. He was sure they would get satisfactory results from Mr. Putnam. It was not always the man who was outwardly aggressive who obtained the greatest results, but rather the man who sought to get what was fairly and obtainably his. Thinking men realized that the fair person was entitled to great consideration, and he believed that Mr. Putnam would do his best and obtain for the ridings whatever could possibly be gained.

Mr. Putnam stated he appreciated greatly, the fine gathering and lovely banquet, and the nice things that had been said about him.

He had already met several delegations who were asking for improvements on the Ymir road. He appreciated the interest in the road and knew that a good road must be made, for the Ymir district was a coming one. He had already taken up the matter with Mr. Jones and they had gone over the road together.

Some time ago, when going over the roads in the riding with Mr. Jones, they had tried to estimate what it would cost to put the roads in the riding in good shape and after reaching a million dollars, and still not having the Ymir road fixed, they had given up the task. That road was not the only one, but, along with the Nelsonites, he realized that it meant much to the city and that roadwork was desired where it would bring greatest benefits.

He would get all the money he could but he knew that it would not be enough. The other person's wants have to considered too. At present this riding was getting about as much as any of the others. No other riding, perhaps, has roads as hard to build or maintain as this one. Much of the road needed resurfacing and there was a great deal of other work to be done, but the money to do it was lacking. He would do his best to get as much as possible, but he had no idea what that would be.

More money had been spent in this riding on mine roads than in any other riding in the province. And while speaking of mines, he thought that the impetus given to mining here, was only an indication of the boom that would come within the next three or four years. He did not believe the Bridge River country was in it compared to Nelson. If people could be brought in and interested in the mines, bringing of course capital with them, there would be no doubt as to the success of this area.

In closing, he again expressed his thanks for himself and Mrs. Putnam.

W. W. Ferguson spoke briefly on the pleasure he felt in seeing so many present to welcome Mr. Putnam and hoped more of them would be seen at the Liberal meetings, supporting Mr. Putnam's efforts.

Mrs. F. Waters, Mrs. J. C. Hooker and Max Baskin were heard in vocal solos, Miss Francis Wheeler and Miss Mae Macfarlane gave two readings, and Miss S. McLean and Miss W. T. Willets accompanying them. McDougall entertained with two dances, Miss C. McDougall presiding at the piano.

Mr. Hunter thanked the entertainers who contributed so willingly to the program and the success of the evening.

J. FRED HUME, PIONEER BOAT MAN, MERCHANT AND MEMBER FOR NELSON CROSSES DIVIDE

Was Liquor Vendor; Leaves Wife and Family of 3

Nelson and the interior of British Columbia lost a pioneer of 50 years' standing Wednesday night in the death of J. Fred Hume, after a lengthy illness. One of the first store-keepers at Revelstoke, one of the first boat owners on the Columbia river and Kootenay lake, associated with the locator of the Hume addition, and one of the first Nelson merchants and hotelmen, Mr. Hume was a pioneer in the true sense of the word.

Mr. Hume was born in Jacksontown, N.B., in 1860, to George and Mary Hume, and at the age of 20 years left for the prairies. Preceding the construction of the Canadian Pacific railway he resided first at Carbury and Winnipeg, Man., before going to Revelstoke. Landing in Revelstoke about a year or two before the rails of the C.P.R. went down, he operated one of the first general merchandise businesses in that community.

It was while at Revelstoke in 1891 that he married Lydia Irvine.

Later he secured a partnership in the pioneer Columbia River Steam Boat Company and was associated with early boating on both the Columbia river and Kootenay lakes. Later he sold his partnership in the boating concern and in 1898 made his first entry at Nelson, and the same year built the first log cabin in the camp.

Mr. Hume first operated a general store with R. E. Lemon. It consisted of a large tent, the partners having purchased the business of Denny & Devine, Nelson's pioneer merchants. Later he went into business for himself in a building which occupied the site where the post office now stands.

BUILT HUME HOTEL

Approximately 1897 he took part in building of Nelson's first business section and with his brother Horace, his contribution was the construction of the present Hume hotel building. Later the hotel was purchased by George Wells. In 1907 he homesteaded across the lake and carved what is the now delightful summer place. About 10 years ago, when government liquor control came into force, he was named first government liquor vendor, a post which he held up until his death, although he had been off on sick leave for some time.

Mr. Hume was not only a pioneer in the sense of early settlement, but was one of the pioneer political leaders for the interior. From 1894 until 1900 he served in the provincial house, first under Premier Davies and then under Premeir C. A. Semlin. He was first elected to the house for the constituency including Grand Forks, Rossland, Trail and Kaslo, over G. O. Buchanan in '94. On July 1898 he was again elected to the house in competition with A. S. Farewell and Frank Fletcher. This term he was named provincial secretary and minister of mines. He held the provincial secretaryship until 1899 when, on his resignation, it was taken over by Premier C. A. Semlin. He retained his minister of mines portfolio, however.

8-HOUR DAY

When the party principal was instituted he gave up his political endeavors. During his time in the house Mr. Hume was instrumental in securing an eight-hour day for the working man and through his office became associated with early-day developments of Nelson. He served on the original committee which drew up the plans for the incorporation of Nelson and petitioned the government for a provincial court house and aid for the hospital construction.

Hume addition, the upper section of what is now known as Fairview, was staked by Mr. Hume following a survey made by the late C. W. Busk.

WORKED FOR WATER SUPPLY

Ever ready to promote the development of Nelson, he was an active petitioner for a water works and upon its installation was one of the "consumer" board.

For several years he served as alderman on the Mayor Houston council and after the war was an unsuccessful candidate for mayor.

When the Old Timers association was revived five years ago, Mr. Hume became the first president of the new organization.

Besides Mrs. Hume, who is one of the interior's pioneer daughters, he leaves two daughters, Mrs. C. F. Magee of Moscow, Idaho and Mrs. H. P. Bolton of Berkley, Cal., a son, John F., of Chatcolet, Idaho, and three grand children. A brother and three sisters also survive him, Horace of Vancouver Mrs. A. van Wart of Toronto, Ont., Mrs. F. O. Thompson of St. Louis and Mrs. George Balmain, Woodstock, N.B.

CEMENT TIES OF SCHOOL AND HOME AT FAIRVIEW FUNCTION

Mrs. Auld, Morris and Rev. Silverwood Speakers

Cementing the ties of home and school more closely, a large number of Fairview residents were children for an afternoon and attended classes at the Hume school, mingled with the students and saw 1935 methods of education. This was done in conjunction with the city's general observance of educational week, and preceded an assembly in which both parents and children participated.

Packing the assembly hall parents heard an all-Fairview program of songs, dramatization and piano selections by the pupils and, addresses relative to education by School Trustee R. B. (Jack) Morris, Mrs. F. M. Auld and Rev. W. J. Silverwood of the Church of the Redeemer.

STALLWOOD PRESIDES

Principal B. B. Stallwood presided and, in his introductory remarks, explained the purpose of educational week. It was an opportunity for parents to acquaint themselves with the way in which their children were being educated, and a means of providing a closer relationship between the parent and teacher. By meeting with one another parents and teachers were better equipped to know the wants of the child and successfully prosecute education, he declared.

Miss Greta Curwen's prize winning choir gave a festival number, "A Little Hush Song," by Dorothy Hill. A dramatized reading, "David Copperfield and the Waiter", taken from Dicken's David Copperfield followed, and the presentation by Miss C. Smith's Grade V pupils, proved an interesting one. The chairman explained that readings were being dramatized to stimulate a greater interestin this phase of the work. Richard Thain, Frank Christian, Peggy Chapman, Phyllis Laishley, Elaine Browne, Helen Carter and Shirley Robinson were the principals.

TRUSTEE MORRIS A SPEAKER

Trustee R. B. Morris was the first speaker of a representative of the school board. "The whole of Canada is observing what is known as educational week, and I am delighted that here in Nelson we are doing our bit," he said.

Canada believed in education as all free countries must if they wish to remain free. Institutions for both higher and elementary education were established in Canada when people were few and poor, and have grown with increasing population and wealth until at present some of the finest schools in the world are in Canada.

No country had planned more liberally for public education than Canada. In some of the provinces an eighth of the public land had been set aside for education, and B.C. had provided liberally for her provincial university.

NOT LAGGING

"We here in Nelson are not lagging behind, in the four schools, high, junior high, Central and Hume you have total assets of $900,802 for the building, property and furniture. You are providing each year for maintenance and operation between 80 and 90 thousand dollars, plus $13,000 for debenture interest and sinking fund, making a total of approximately $100,000 each year to build better citizens for Nelson and Canada."

Trustees were like the board of directors of a large manufacturing plant, and the parents the shareholders who were supplying the funds. Under such circumstances it was fitting that the parents should come occasionally and satisfy themselves that their money was being spent wisely and well, and see to it that the product, which was more valuable than the manufactured article could be, was being moulded in the finest and most careful manner.

COOPERATION

"We believe that the schools in Nelson are fortunate in possessing excellent teachers and appeal to you to cooperate in every way possible with the staff and board, for I assure you that although some things done may not always meet with your approval, it is only carried out after serious thought and with the idea of doing the most good for the majority."

Addresses were punctuated by a diminutive piano pupil, Shirley Robinson, who gave a finished demonstration.

Cooperation was the key note of an address given by Mrs. F. M. Auld, who spoke on behalf of the mothers, dealing with the care of the child in the home, outside of the home and in the school.

She traced the development of child welfare in the educational sense from the self-sufficient family of the early days, the family that spun its own wool and supplied its own needs. Gradually there had been a change with the interchange of goods. Out of the industrial revolution there had evolved a greater need for cooperation. An industrial map of the Hudson's Bay with its trade lanes leading to all parts of the world, was pointed to as an example of this cooperation.

NO BETTER THAN ITS EDUCATION

Not only was there a vital need for industrial cooperation, but for cooperation in every-day life, and more especially in the education of children. A community was no better than its education, and education no better than the home influence.

There were many forces or factors to contend with in the upbringing of a child.

Not only was the home the parents' domain but the life outside of the home, in sport and in leisure hours. There was a greater responsibility than the mere providing food and clothing and attending to the cleanliness and health of the child. The guidance of the child in a channel that would lead to a useful occupation of leisure hours was a vital point.

In this respect she touched on improper literature, and urged parents to live with their children and learn their individual touches. They may harbor a genius within their home. Good tools were necessary for good workmanship and she urged that the children were given articles in the line of practical arts.

Cooperation with teachers was dealt with at length. Parents must never speak critically of teachers in the presence of their children but should teach them to respect their teachers.

FORM AND NOT REFORM

Form and not reform, build and not rebuild was the speaker's plea. Good habits must be nurtured and the best qualities brought out of a child so that rebuilding of their characters would not be necessary. "Get the home right, the mother and the boy right. Only when we as parents and teachers rise to this opportunity and then only will we arrive at this happy state, and found the true brotherhood of man," Mrs. Auld concluded.

Her address was folowed by a musical selection by the choir, "Indian Lullaby," by Carl Gressler, and "Fairy Love," by Percy Judd, and by a talk by Rev. W. J. Silverwood.

In connection with educational week the clergy received a request that a distinctly moral and spiritual note be sounded from their pulpits in view of the tragic social conditions of today resulting from a worship of false material values, the speaker stated.

EDUCATION A FAILURE

"I take it that the most important factor in social life is education, by that I mean just this, —the development in men of all those faculties that make for social well-being. Yet in spite of all our education, life is full of tragic circumstances, individual and social. So, we are told that education is a failure. Why has education failing to do all that men hoped? My own answer would be this—that education has set before itself an inadequate ideal. It has aimed at the acquisition of knowledge rather than at the enrichment of life."

Among the aims of education week was to be found "to achieve a more fuller life for the nation."

Since true education was designed to stimulate and develop every side of the present difficult and complex life, no education was complete which omitted religion. An education which left this instinct without acknowledgement was starving the child on the most important side of his nature.

It was obvious that the whole idea of education would be affected by the aims and ideals set before the people. The Christian will set before himself the ideal of a noble personal character and a useful citizen. Moral and spiritual values were important phases of character building and if the state required useful citizens, it surely should arrange its educational system, that it not only conduces to build up character, but also is adequate for the purpose in view.

A HUMAN PERSONALITY

Children must not be treated as human personalities but as human personalities fitted to take their place in the life of the home, community and the counsels of the nation.

Truth, beauty and goodness were still three guiding stars in human life, and true education meant knowledgement of truth, admiration of beauty and love of goodness.

REPAIR BLUNDER

"It seems to me that one of the greatest tasks of the home, the church and the state is to repair the blunder that has put asunder what religion has joined together. The ignorance, stupidity and laziness of individuals and public opinions regarding the aims and objects of secular and religious education is the measure of our failure."

Education led right into the heart of the home, and for the sancity of home, life Christianity must, if necessary, stake its very life. Home environments called for greater care, influence and cooperation with church and state to develop personality. The duty of the parent was outlined, and in this respect he pointed out the need for a deeper and more intelligent responsibility of the matter of education, secular and religious.

It was the fault of much of the educational systems that so many young people drifted aimlessly into life with no purpose except a vague desire to get on without too much effort. The need was a greater regard for developing that right judgment in all things rather than a uniform standard. The purpose of education was to help the pupil to apprehend and realize the highest value of life and that purpose was contradicted when an attempt was made to force him into moulds desired by someone else.

WILLING TO COOPERATE

"I believe the church is anxious and willing to cooperate and supplant the suspicion that sometimes exists and is represented by teachers who feel that they deserve to be encouraged and supported. Therefore, in conclusion, I plead for a more strenuous cooperation on the part of all concerned in this matter of education, greater effort on the part of the home, the school and the church, so that moral and spiritual values can be given their rightful place and as a result of which, there shall come to pass a fuller and more abundant life for this nation of Canada."

Senate Names Its Committee Heads

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP)—Chairman of 13 committees of the senate were named at organization meetings today.

The committee heads are: Railways, Rt. Hon. George P. Graham; banking and commerce, Senator F. M. Black; agriculture and forestry, Senator James J. Donnelly; standing orders, Senator W. A. Buchanan; immigration and labor, Senator Lendrum McMeans; miscellaneous private bills, Senator C. E. Tanner; debates and reporting, Senator Chapais; commerce and trade relations, Senator J. S. McLellan; finance, Senator Smeaton White; public buildings and grounds, Senator Cairine Wilson; public health and inspection of foods, Senator H. S. Beland; divorce, Senator Lendrum McMeans; tourist traffic, Senator W. H. Dennis; internal economy, Senator W. H. Sharpe; and civil service administration, Senator D. O. L'Esperance.

Amalgamation of Communications Is Proposed, Ottawa

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP)—Amalgamation of railways and canals, civil aviation, wireless and telephone services and the Canadian Radio commission under one minister is contemplated in legislation to set up a department of communications as forecast in the speech from the throne. The measure will be presented to parliament shortly but will be preceded by acts respecting hours of work which may be brought down this week.

PRESIDENTS STILL LEAD

Play 3 Games; More Scheduled for Tonight

The Nelson curling rink again hummed with activity Wednesday night when the Presidents vied with the Vice-Presidents in a renewal of the bean feed competition. Three games were played and the Presidents still managed to retain the lead. Presidents have 85 points to the Vice-Presidents' 80.

Games Wednesday night were: J. Long 7, F. A. Whitfield 9; J. B. Gray 6, S. P. Bostock 8; W. Brown 11, W. M. Vance 6, R. D. Barnes and E. E. L. Dewdney have yet to play their games.

Totnight play goes on at 7, p.m. and draws are as follows: W. Brown vs. E. E. L. Dewdney, R. D. Hall vs. A. G. Ritchie, J. Teague vs. J. H. Long, F. A. Whitfield vs. H. M. Whimster, and J. B. Gray vs. C. E. Mansfield.

9 p.m.—A. Jeffs vs. S. P. Bostock, Roy Sharp vs. J. Teague, P. E. Poulin vs. W. M. Vance, C. F. McHardy vs. A. E. Murphy, and F. A. Whitfield vs. C. E. Mansfield.

February 8, 7 p.m.—Roy Sharp vs. A. Jeffs, S. P. Bostock vs. J. Teague, P. E. Poulin vs. C. F. McHardy, W. M. Vance vs. C. E. Mansfield, and A. E. Murphy vs. F. A. Whitfield.

9 p.m.—W. Brown vs. R. D. Hall, E. E. L. Dewdney vs. J. H. Long, J. B. Gray vs. H. M. Whimster, P. E. Poulin vs. A. E. Murphy and A. G. Ritchie vs. Roy Sharp.

Would Slaughter Prize Birds in Poultry Shows

TORONTO, Feb. 6 (CP). — All prize birds entered in poultry contests should be slaughtered immediately after the competition, Dr. C. H. Weaver of the Dominion experimental farm, Ottawa, today told members of the Canaian National Poultry Record association in convention here.

"Only by such radical action can the spread of infection and contagious diseases among poultry be checked," he said.

BUFFALO WINS

WINDSOR, Ont., Feb. 6 (CP)—Johny Newman flipped a soft shot into the Windsor goal in the overtime period tonight to give Buffalo Bisons a 2-1 victory over the Bulldogs in a scheduled International Hockey league fixture.

Cloth from milkweed floss and cotton staple mixed has so far been very successful, but experiments to make use of milkweed fibers are being continued.

Oysters contain 200 times as much iodine as milk, eggs, or beefsteak.

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Colds mean poisons in the body. It's easy to sweat them out with mustard baths. Soak your whole body in a hot bath with 3 tablespoonsful of Colman's. Or wrap yourself up warm and take a steaming mustard foot bath. Then get into bed right away and perspire. Just try it.

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Don't be embarrassed again by having your false teeth slip or drop when you eat, talk, laugh or sneeze. Just sprinkle a little FASTEETH on your plates. This new, extremely fine powder gives a wonderful sense of comfort and security. No gummy, gooey taste or feeling. Get FASTEETH today at any drug store. Small and large size. Made in Canada.

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LADIES HONOR MRS. YEATMAN

Gets Silver Basket at Institute Tea, So. Slocan

SOUTH SLOCAN, B.C., Feb. 6.—The Women's Institute gave an afternoon bridge party in honor of Mrs. J. D. Yeatman whose twenty-fifth wedding anniversary was recently celebrated. This reception was one of the most delightful of the many social events of the past month. Mrs. E. J. Bowkett kindly loaned the spacious lounge of the Pinehurst Inn for the occasion.

Mrs. P. O. Bird the president of the institute with Mrs. Bowkett received the guests before tea was served, Mrs. Bird on behalf of the members of the institute and other friends in the district, presented the guest of honor with a beautiful silver flower basket. In making the presentation Mrs. Bird spoke of the valuable services of Mrs. Yeatman who is a charter member of the institute making especial mention of the way she had always welcomed new families to the district and above all looked after the wants of the needy. Besides giving her support to all utilitarian activities Mrs. Yeatman has contributed much to the community by her interesting demonstrations on art and has lent her artistic talents on many occasions when her decorative effects have always been beautiful and original.

Mrs. Yeatman thanked the donors not only for the gift but for their words of appreciation of her efforts.

Since the inception of this organization, she had always enjoyed anything pertaining to institute work, and hoped to continue to do her bit in the interests of the community.

Solos were rendered by Madame Purdy who delighted the guests with her songs "Out of the Dusk to You" and "Absent" which were heartily encored. Mrs. W. C. Motley gave a charming interpretation of "The Night Nursery".

The tea table was centered with a beautiful crimson flowering cactus flanked with tapers to correspond. Mrs. R. G. Elliott who presided was the first person to greet Mrs. Yeatman at the C. P. R. Chalet on her arrival at South Slocan 24 years ago.

Mrs. W. A. MacCabe, Mrs. J. Jewitt and Mrs. W. Walkley were the serviteurs.

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Women's Boudoir Slippers

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MARBLES OUT TO DEFY GROUNDHOG

Youth must be served and even the predictions of Mr. Groundhog cannot put a damper on its enthusiasm. A bunch of Nelson youngsters who had their own views on the weather possibilities were seen playing marbles in the alley off Baker street recently, a sure sign that winter has little of its punch left.

A Grand Clearance

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The final lap—we have no carry-overs.

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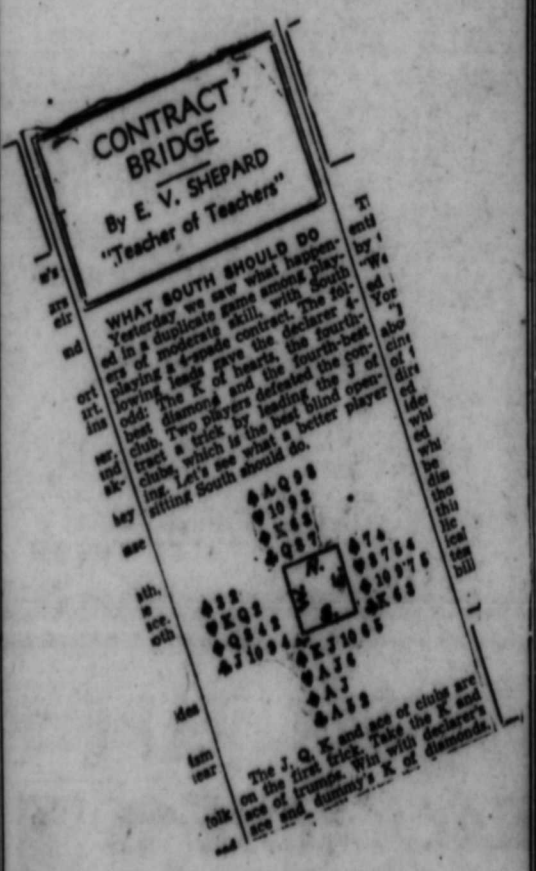
322 Baker at Stanley



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SIRDAR WINS AT BADMINTON

Make Good Showing in Doubles With Wynndel Club

CRESTON, B.C., Feb. 6.—Some of the badminton talent from Creston was at Wynndel on Thursday night for a tournament participated in by players from Sirdar and Wynndel in the spacious community hall at that point, the play resulting in a 12-7 triumph for Sirdar—their second win in three contests.

It was in the mixed doubles that Sirdar made such a good showing, taking seven of the nine games played. Honors were even in the men's and ladies' doubles. Mention should also be made of the fact that every member of the Wynndel club played one or more games, and as some of them had only two weeks' experience the showing made by Wynndel is the more creditable.

THE SCORES

After the play there was a lunch, and dancing followed to music by Wynndel's new local seven-piece orchestra. The players and scores:

Men's doubles:

A. Birch and L. Benedetti, Wynndel, lost to C. Lombardo and Sid. Rogers, Sirdar, 8-15.

Ed. Hulme and A. E. Towson, Wynndel, won from D. Pascuzzo and J. Rogers, Sirdar, 15-7.

G. Hulme and J. Hulme, Wynndel, won from B. Cam and P. Cherbo, Sirdar, 15-8.

Clarence Wilson and G. Eakin, Wynndel, lost to J. Paguna and C. Lombaro, Sirdar, 8-15.

Clarence Wilson and A. Hagen, Wynndel, won from J. Audino and M. Colombo, Sirdar, 15-3.

R. Benedetti and D. Butterfield, Wynndel, won from B. Cam and J. Rogers, Sirdar, 15-9.

M. Hackett and G. Benedetti, Wynndel, lost to M. Colombo and C. Lombardo, Sirdar, 11-15.

M. Wigen and W. Cooper, Wynndel, lost to J. Pagura and J. Audino, Sirdar, 8-15.

Ladies' Doubles:

Misses E. Towson and B. Hulme, Wynndel, won from Misses Daisy Rogers and Annie Pascuzzo, Sirdar, 15-1.

Misses D. Butterfield and Florence Wood, Wynndel, lost to Misses Margaret Rogers and Camilla Pascuzzo, Sirdar, 10-15.

Mixed Doubles:

Mr. and Mrs. A. Birch, Wynndel, lost to Miss D. Rogers and C. Lombardo, Sirdar, 7-15.

Miss E. Towson and E. Hulme, Wynndel, lost to Miss C. Pascuzzo and Sid Rogers, 8-15.

Miss F. Wood and L. Benedetti, Wynndel, lost to Miss Rose Pascuzzo and B. Cam, Sirdar, 12-15.

Miss B. Hulme and A. E. Towson, Wynndel, won from Miss A. Pascuzzo and D. Pascuzzo, Sirdar, 15-3.

Miss Olga Hagen and J. Hulme, Wynndel, lost to Miss M. Rogers and A. Lombardo, Sirdar, 6-15.

Miss Ellen Hagen and D. Butterfield, Wynndel, lost to Miss D. Rogers and C. Lombardo, Sirdar, 4-15.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cooper, Wynndel, lost to Miss A. Pascuzzo and J. Rogers, Sirdar, 3-15.

Miss D. Butterfield and M. Wigen, Wynndel, lost to Miss A. Pascuzzo and P. Cherbo, Sirdar, 2-15.

Miss Ruth Joy and G. Hulme, Wynndel, won from Miss M. Rogers and J. Paguna, Sirdar, 15-1.

COULDN'T STOP WORKING

LONDON (CP)—An 82-year-old widow who said she had worked hard all her life and could not stop, died in Romford as result of a road accident on the way to her employment.

A freight train was stalled in Texas in 1904 when millions of "army" worms covered the tracks and rendered them [illegible] for movement of the train.

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.

An interesting wedding took place in Calgary Saturday, February 2, in Grace Presbyterian church, when Edna Irene, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Pierson of Cheadle, Alta., became the bride of Frederick S. Saunders of Vancouver. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Miss Pierson was formerly dietician on the staff of the Kootenay Lake General hospital.

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A. Vassar left yesterday morning for Calgary.

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F. McDonald of Cranbrook is a Nelson visitor.

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City shoppers yesterday included J. Gille of Ymir.

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Mrs. Carl Lindow of Salmo paid a visit in the city yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jones of Cranbrook are Nelson visitors.

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An article of interest to Nelsonites appearing the Spokesman Review, Spokane, read as follows:

One of the largest gathering of club women of the new year will be the long planned Delphian assembly with Mrs. Lena Latham Goble, Pacific coast director, the guest and speaker. Announcement of the date was received Wednesday by Mrs. Minnie Brine, state organizer, who with Mrs. Hugh Tremaine, president of the local Delphian council, are in charge of the luncheon.

Five of the chapters are completing the six-year study program of the society this year and it is believed at this time Mrs. Goble will present a new program which will keep the chapters intact for study along further cultural lines.

Tau Delta chapter, the new chapter organized this year by Mrs. Brine, will receive its formal recognition from Mrs. Goble, who was to have come to Spokane to present its charter last October. She was stricken with pneumonia in Seattle en route to Spokane and the program was postponed until this time.

Mrs. Zophar Tharp is chairman in charge of reservations for the luncheon. In addition to the 200 local members and their guests, Delphian chapter members from Inland Empire towns as far distant as Wallace and Kellogg are planning to be present.

Mrs. Minnie Brine of Los Angeles, Calif., has recently resided in Nelson at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Hall, Gore street.

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J. J. Malone is here from Princeton.

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The Nurses of the Kootenay Lake General hospital entertained at the Nurses Home recently at a miscellaneous shower honoring a recent bride, Mrs. Jack Young (nee Isabel Walton). The many pretty gifts were presented in a beautifully decorated basket in yellow and white. The tea table, which was presided over by Miss Ethel Smith, was centered with daffodils and pussy willows.

The invited guests included Miss K. Ethel Gray, Mrs. C. Walton, Mrs. L. Walton, Mrs. Brereton, Miss Evelyne Brereton, Miss Mary Walton, Mrs. Robert Andrews, Mrs. E. W. Steel, Mrs. A. R. Keeler, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. K. Keeler, Miss M. Smith, Mrs. Corbie, Miss Elsie Corbie, Miss Argnes Jerome, Miss Vera Eidt, Miss Sybil Archibald, Miss Mary Madden, Miss Moira McLeod, Miss A. Cant, Miss Gibson, Miss Paula Gansner, Mrs. A. Banks, Miss Edna Fraser, Miss Leslie Fraser, Miss Joy Leslie, Miss Jean McVicar, Miss Lulu McVicar, Mrs. Wilcox, Mrs. J. F. Gussin, Mrs. William J. Sturgeon, Miss Ethel Smith, Miss Sybil Keeler, Miss Bea Matthews, Miss Vera Hayden, Miss Bessie Hayden, Miss Jean Ryan, Miss Carol Furney, Miss Hazel Marshall, Miss Alice DePorter, Miss Winnie Russell, Miss Dorothy Corbie, Miss Jennie Daron, Miss Catherine Boyce, Miss Jean Robinson, Miss Evelyne Higginbotham Miss Dorothy Bissom, Miss Dorothy Wylie, Miss Irene Edmondson, Miss Ellen Alexander, Miss Bertha Johnson, Miss Dora Kahle, and Miss Andrey Richardson.

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Miss Alice Twist has left on a visit to friends in Penticton.

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Mrs. P. Kepp arrived Tuesday from Bentley, Alberta and is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Richardson, Latimer street. Mrs. Richardson is convalescing from a recent illness.

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H. Percy Leake of Balfour visited Nelson yesterday.

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Dr. L. E. Borden left Tuesday via the Great Northern for Chicago, New Orleans and Arizona.

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Russell Tinkess of Kaslo visited town Tuesday.

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Chief Alex Stewart and Mrs. Stewart, Victoria street, had as their guest yesterday, their daughter, Mrs. E. J. McGregor of Bonnington.

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Ned Rhodes, who is employed in Trail, is visiting his mother, Mrs. C. C. Rhodes during his furlough.

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Malcolm McKay of Procter was a city shopper Tuesday.

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Visitors in town yesterday include John Patterson of Crescent Bay.

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Mrs. R. R. Horner, 1002 Carbonate street, is a patient in the Kootenay Lake General hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Blaylock of Trail were Nelson visitors yesterday.

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Shoppers in the city yesterday included Mrs. Oscarson of Erie.

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Mrs. James B. Curran, Vernon street, left yesterday morning to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Gordon in Grand Forks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Putnam of Creston are city visitors.

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Mr. Simpson is a visitor from Cranbrook.

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A charmingly arranged tea was given yesterday by Mrs. L. W. Humphrey, at her home on Silica street, when she was assisted by Mrs. N. Murphy, who presided at the prettily appointed tea table which was centered with pink carnations. Others assisting included Mrs. O. B. Russell, Mrs. H. E. Dill, Mrs. F. Wilson, Mrs. L. J. Maurer and Mrs. M. J. Vigneux. Mrs. Humphrey's invited guests were Mrs. J. H. Bennett, Mrs. Clare Bennett, Mrs. J. A. Gilker, Mrs. Charles Keisman, Mrs. W. R. Smythe, Mrs. L. L. Boomer, Mrs. H. H. Pitts, Mrs. F. Wilson, Mrs. R. A. Peebles, Mrs. Harry BURNS, Mrs. Arthur Baird, Mrs. A. A. O. Williams, Mrs. Robert Thompson, Mrs. A. D. Emory, Mrs. A. Clyde Emory, Mrs. H. H. McKenzie, Mrs. Joseph Sturgeon, Mrs. M. J. Vigneux, Mrs. C. E. Mansfield, Mrs. F. C. Sharpe, Mrs. David Laughton, Mrs. E. C. Hunt, Mrs. H. E. Dill, Mrs. A. N. Winlaw, Mrs. S. B. Jepson, Mrs. George Fleury, Mrs. W. E. Widdowson, Mrs. G. B. Russell, Mrs. Wilfrid Laishley, Mrs. J. F. Gussin, Mrs. N. Murphy, Mrs. George Twist and Mrs. G. B. Russell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Warden were in from Longbeach, Tuesday.

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Mrs. I. Lewis who has been visiting her relatives in Trail and Nelson leaves today for her home in Boswell.

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Miss M. Woolgar of Fort Crawford visited town yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Williams arrived yesterday from Montreal and will take up residence in the Higginbotham cottage on the north shore.

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A. F. Williams of Edgewood visited town yesterday.

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W. Haigh Smellie of Procter was in Nelson Wednesday to visit his wife and two children who are patients in the Kootenay Lake General hospital.

Good ..... Housekeeping

By MRS. MARY MORTON

Menus, Recipes and Hints

Menu Hint

Veal Cutlets With Spaghetti
Jellied Mixed Vegetable Salad
Hot Rolls or Biscuits Jam or Jelly
Jellied Custard
Coffee Mints

This menu is intended for your luncheon bridge. It is easily prepared, appetizing and economical. The canned mixed vegetables are excellent jellied in lemon or lime flavored gelatin, or raw vegetables may be used.

Today's Recipes

Veal Cutlets With Spaghetti—Cut veal cutlet into small serving pieces season with salt, pepper and a few drops of onion juice. Dredge with flour. Brown in a small amount of fat. Add a small amount of water and a few drops of Worcestershire sauce. Cover and simmer gently until the veal is tender, about 30 minutes. Add one can spaghetti in tomato sauce and heat spaghetti through. In serving, arrange spaghetti on the platter, top with veal and garnish with sprigs of watercress.

Jellied Custard—One package lemon flavored gelatin, one cup boiling water, one egg, one-fourth cup sugar, one-fourth teaspoon salt, two cups milk. Put milk in upper part of double boiler. When scalded pour slowly over beaten egg to which the sugar and salt have been added. Cook until mixture coats spoon. Remove and hill. Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. When it begins to thicken add the chilled custard. Serve with oranges cut into small pieces and sugared.

FACTS AND FANCIES

Spiced Cranberries

One pound cranberries, one-third cup mild vinegar, one-half cup water, one cup brown sugar, dash salt, one-half tablespoon cinnamon, one-half teaspoon cloves. Wash cranberries and drain well. Add vinegar and water and cook until cranberries burst. Press through a course sieve, add remaining ingredients and cook slowly until thick.

Prune Relish

One pound prunes, one quart water, dash salt, one cup sugar, three small pieces cinnamon, one-fourth teaspoon allspice, three whole cloves, one-third cup vinegar. Wash prunes in warm water, drain and add water, and simmer gently one hour. Add salt, sugar, spices, vinegar and cook slowly until prunes are tender and syrup is thick. Cool and serve with curried heart, roast of beef or veal.

Drop Proposal to Make Foreigners Pay an Income Tax

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP)—Fear of retaliation by the United States was the reason given in the house of commons today by Finance Minister E. N. Rhodes for turning down a proposed amendment to the Income Tax act. In view of the pending trade negotiations, this would be a most inopportune time to invite retaliatory laws.

A. E. Munn (Lib., Vancouver North) proposed an amendment to the income tax under which all foreigners resident in Canada five years or more, would be excluded from monetary exemptions. The purpose was to promote naturalization and citizenship.

The finance minister said it would apply primarily to Americans, now resident in Canada and would invite retaliation by Washington against Canadians residing in the United States. Mr. Munn withdrew the resolution.

LUMBER TREATY BEFORE HOUSE

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP)—No information on the status of the negotiations between British timber importers and Soviet Russia was forthcoming in the house of commons today when T. F. Ahearn (Lib., Ottawa) inquired about a despatch from Vancouver saying a contract had been signed, including the "fall clause" which would mean half of Canada's market for lumber in the United Kingdom would be lost.

Minister of Finance E. N. Rhodes promised to bring the question to the attention of Prime Minister R. B. Bennett for an answer tomorrow.

Australian Girl Students Visit

TORONTO, Feb. 6 (CP).—Sixteen young women, students of the School of Science, Sydney, Australia, were welcomed to the University of Toronto today by President H. J. Cody.

The purpose of their visit is to gain first hand knowledge of how the schools on this continent are dealing with social problems.

A naturalist reports that rainbow colors of hummingbirds in the tropics tend to disappear from the plumage farther north or south in the following order: Oranges, yellows, greens, blues, purples, reds.

It's All in the Way She Does Her Hair

KATHARINE HEPBURN

The charming and talented Katharine Hepburn of cinema fame is one lass who believes in coiffure individuality. Katharine varies the styling of her hair frequently. She experiments with different coiffures whenever she has the time. And she always manages, somehow, to achieve hair arrangements that are singularly original and becoming.

MISS HARTINGER BRIDGE HOSTESS AT GRAND FORKS

GRAND FORKS, B.C., Feb. 6.—Miss Ida Hartinger was a bridge hostess on Monday evening. Miss Hattie Gow won first prize and Mrs. Ronald the second prize for high scores. Consolation prize was won by Miss Alta Deporter. Those present were Mrs. W. Bonthron, Miss A. Deporter, Mrs. W. Devlin of Nelson, Mrs. V. Forrester, Miss Hattie Gow, Mrs. R. Gardiner, Mrs. W. Gowans, Mrs. W. Huffman, Mrs. J. Kenyon, Mrs. L. G. Landon, Mrs. L. Haddon, Mrs. H. Mann, Miss Berta McLeod, Mrs. R. McLeod, Mrs. N. McKay, Mrs. Don Manly, Mrs. J. McKie, Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. F. Newbeaur, Mrs. B. Norris, Mrs. Pearson, Mrs. W. Ronald, Mrs. W. D. Smith, Mrs. W. Smith, Miss Florence Spraggett, Miss Alice Spraggett, Mrs. D. Todhunter, Mrs. T. Walker, Mrs. J. Willis, Mrs. T. Williamson, Mrs. E. Woodward, Mrs. E. White, Mrs. E. Vant.

MRS. D. MANLY BRIDGE HOSTESS

Miss Jessie Ross of Grand Forks Goes to Trail; Mrs. Devlin Visits Sister

GRAND FORKS, B. C., Feb. 5—Mrs. D. Manly was a bridge hostess on Wednesday evening. Miss Berta McLeod won first prize and Mrs. Vernon Forrester took second prize. Those present were: Mrs. I. Rutherton, Mrs. V. Forrester, Miss Hattie Gaw, Mrs. R. Gardiner, Miss Ida Hartinger, Mrs. J. Kenyon, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. G. Manly, Miss Berta McLeod, Mrs. Ross McLeod, Mrs. J. McKie, Miss Florence Spraggett, Miss Alice Spraggett, Mrs. Todhunter, Mrs. T. T. Walker, Mrs. E. Vant.

Miss Jessie Ross left on Sunday for Trail.

Mrs. H. Brenizer left on Monday for a visit in Spokane.

Hume Ritchie returned on Sunday from Cascade where he has been visiting his parents.

Mrs. Reilly and children who have been visiting here returned on Sunday to Farron.

Albert Maida who is attending the local high school, spent the week-end at his home at Christina Lake.

Miss Alice Flynn who teaches at the upper Rock Creek school, returned to Rock Creek Sunday afternoon after spending the week-end at her home here.

Vernon Forrester who has been in ill health for several months, left on Monday for Vancouver to consult with a specialist.

Mrs. Wilfred Devlin of Nelson is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. Hartinger.

George Murray left this week for the coast.

Senator Seeks Data Upon Eggs

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP)—Interested as a westerner in the poultry industry of the country, Senator Lendrum McMeans (Cons., Winnipeg) is seeking information in the upper chamber on the subject of eggs.

Senator McMeans gave notice at today's sitting he would ask these particulars:

1. Number of eggs exported from Canada during the last two years.
2. Cost of inspection of eggs since the act regarding the inspection of eggs came into force.
3. Number of prosecutions which have taken place for any infraction of the act in each of the different provinces and the cost of such prosecutions.

BURMAN RUNS AMOK

RANGOON, India (CP)—A Burman ran amok and attacked five sisters with a dagger, killing one instantly. The other four received serious injuries. The assailant escaped.

WELL LOCKED UP

LONDON (CP)—When a cell-lock jammed in Tower Bridge police court it took two jailers and three detectives half an hour to get out three prisoners to appear before the magistrates.

PRIMARY GRADES CLOSE AT YAHK

Epidemic of Colds Prevails; Frosty Nights With Sun Is Weather Program

YAHK, B.C., Feb. 6—A successful dance was held in the C.P.R. hall on the night of February 2. A large and enthusiastic crowd was in attendance, many coming from Kitchener, Kingsgate, Eastport, Glenlily and the various East Kootenay camps.

Peppy music was supplied by a Yahk orchestra consisting of Holmgren and Hellquist accordions and Carl Anderson piano.

Yahk and district is at present being visitted by an epidemic of colds.

The primary department of the public school has been closed for several days on account of so many being visited by an epidemic of the school are carrying on although in all grades the attendance is low.

FROST AND SUNSHINE

Frosty nights and sunny days are in evidence now and the groundhog saw his shadow on February 2 (provided he could burrow from under the snow).

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith of Canal Flats renewed acquaintanceships here over the week-end.

Mrs. Hanbury Is Ottawa Visitor

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP)— Mrs. Wilfrid Hanbury, wife of the Liberal member of the house of commons for Vancouver-Burrard, has arrived in Ottawa to join Mr. Hanbury. She will remain for part of the parliamentary session.

Mrs. George A. Sedgewick, wife of the chairman of the tariff board, entertained Tuesday at a luncheon at the Country club.

Guests at a government house dinner Tuesday night included Wilfrid Hanbury, member for Vancouver-Burrard and Mrs. Hanbury.

National boundary lines mean nothing to insect pests, says an entomologist, stressing the point that control of many insect pests calls for work planned by the nations co-operatively.

WOMAN AUTHOR'S LIFE THRILLING

MONTREAL, (CP)—A life of adventure and thrills seldom met even in fiction has been the lot of Mrs. Joseph H. Sinclair, formerly Ada Bedard of Ottawa, who recently visited Montreal with her husband.

An explorer and author in her own right, Mrs. Sinclair has accompanied her husband on all his travels as an exploring-geologist, and has been the first white woman to journey into many of the little-known parts of Africa and South America.

In search of precious metals, Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair have risked their lives exploring parts of Africa never before visited by white men. They have been guests of the head-hunting Jivaro Indians of Ecuador and have lived among the most primitive black men of French Guinea.

Full of hazards though their life is, Mr. Sinclair will not admit that it is any more dangerous than civilized city life. His narrowest escape, he said, occurred in New York when a careless painter dropped a hammer from the top of a 40-storey building, missing his head by a fraction of an inch.

Believing that Canada's mineral wealth is still, for the most part, undiscovered, the Sinclairs are in this country on the trail of Canadian gold.

MASTER CHESS AT AGE OF FIVE

LONDON (CP).—A nine-year-old girl, Eileen Saunders, learned chess from watching her father as he learned, when she was five. She knew all the moves in a few weeks, now chess experts predict a great future for her in the chess world. "She plays two hours a night and often during the day, but she never worries over it. She loves it too much," her mother says.

At the Imperial Chess club keen admiration is also expressed for the scientific command of the game shown by 15-year-old Rowena Dew of Plymouth. Rowena has not lost a game so far. She always keeps her scores. "The only way to find a weak position or a false move is to analyze your games afterwards," she says.

Tropical palms produce over a billion pounds of palm sugar each year.

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A SOUND HIGHWAY PROGRAM

Hon. F. M. MacPherson has the right idea as to the general highway policy which should be carried out in British Columbia.

First he is in favor of the hard surfacing of highways which are in a condition for it.

Second, he believes in expending the greater part of his appropriation for construction upon the main transprovincial highway where the traffic is heaviest.

He is opposed to spending a little money here and a little money there and getting nothing completed.

Third, he intends to spend money on roads such as that between Salmo and Nelson where improvements are needed because of the traffic resulting from mining operations.

He is for the main highways first but realizes that there must also be recognition of the needs of the mining and other industries of the province.

In his letter to the Nelson board of trade he mentions that the Salmo-Nelson road is receiving consideration on account of the mining activity in that area.

He also emphasizes the desirability of concentrating as far as funds will permit on the Nelson-Trail highway. Some good work was done in hard surfacing additional mileage on this road last summer.

This policy is sound. The biggest immediate necessity in East and West Kootenay, with of course due consideration for the needs of the mining and other industries, is for a hard-surface road between Rossland and Crows Nest. Mr. MacPherson's policy is in this direction, instead of, as he suggests, dividing up the available money in dribs and drabs and getting nowhere.

Traffic on the transprovincial highway especially between Nelson and Trail is increasing rapidly. The traffic over the Castlegar ferry, for example, is already much greater than over the Ladner ferry at the coast. Outside of a few routes at the coast the Nelson-Trail road has the heaviest traffic in the province. Mr. MacPherson evidently realizes this and the necessity for hard surfacing it as soon as possible.

Hard surfacing so far done on the Nelson-Trail road has been west of Castlegar and there has been some criticism because none so far has been done between Nelson and Castlegar. Actually which sections are done first matters very little. The reason for the work having been done between Trail and Castlegar first is obvious. More mileage of hard surfacing could be done for the money on the sections selected than elsewhere—and that's what we want, as much hard surface mileage as we can get. Every mile which is laid brings us that much nearer to a complete hard surfaced highway between Nelson and Rossland.

VALUE OF READING

Wide reading pays. Its worth may not be immediately apparent but an odd scrap of knowledge occasionally pays big dividends on time devoted to reading.

Recently a man was brought to Regina General hospital suffering from severe frostbite. It was feared his hands and feet would have to be amputated.

Dr. R. C. Riley, hospital pathologist, remembered a magazine article he had read some months ago describing a newly invented apparatus used successfully in a similar case. With the aid of a tinsmith he hastily constructed a crude apparatus based on the principle of the invention. He applied it to such effect that the frozen man, instead of losing his hands and feet, will suffer only temporary loss of the nails on several fingers.

Wide reading is a habit to cultivate.

MEAT OR EGGS MUST BE EATEN IF HARD MUSCULAR WORK IS TO BE DONE

By JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

Everybody needs some starchy food daily as it is quickly transformed into heart and energy. Nearly every nation eats large amounts of either potatoes, rice, bread, oatmeal or other cereals which serve as a general food standby.

However more than starch is needed if the population of any country is to be kept at its best physically.

It is interesting therefore to read a report of the diet of natives of South Africa, written by Dr. E. H. Cluver, Pretoria, in the South African Medical Journal.

It is difficult to secure workers for the hard labor required in the gold mines owing to poor physical condition of natives who live almost entirely on the starch food called mealie meal. Employers have to seek natives in other districts. About 25 per cent of the natives sought in other districts are rejected as unfit for the work. Mealie meal is a good food from the standpoint of energy but it lacks the body building qualities of protein food—meat and eggs—and also lacks sufficient vitamins and minerals.

Of the 4000 calories or heat units of food required daily by these workers mealie meal supplies 2000 calories or one-half.

"The natives that are secured from distant districts arrive at the mines in very poor condition physically from lack of meat and eggs, and with a tendency to scurvy owing to lack of vegetables and fruits. They leave the mines at the end of their contract period of six months or a year shining with health, although they have been working in an unhygienic industry in a hot moist atmosphere in which sunlight never penetrates.

"The reason for their excellent physical condition at the end of six months or a year is due to the carefully thought out articles of diet which are added to the mealie meal as required by government regulations.

"The added articles of diet are about half a pound of meat, a quarter pound of beans, half of which must be germinated to produce vitamin C, and about one third of a pound of vegetables.

"The thought then is that when hard work is to be done, in addition to starchy food, meats, eggs, milk, cheese or other animal protein is absolutely necessary to maintain the body structure and fruit or vegetables to supply the necessary vitamins and minerals.

"Hard work requires protein foods in any country."

Between You and Me

By J. B. C.

A GOOD TURN

A wife's cheerful effort to do her husband "a good turn" by getting his car washed for him yesterday had the following results early today, when he went to the garage:

Ice in lock made it difficult to get door open.

Water in carburetor had frozen and had to be thawed out, and

Brakes frozen.

Then, this afternoon, the "good turn" developed still further into three flat tires as the car stood parked at the curb. Water had gotten into the valves and when it became ice it caused the valves to leak.

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IT IS TIRING

Nothing ever seems to tire the manufacturer who sponsors the broadcast.

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ABOUT SKATES

Boston hotel provides skates for guests who wish to use a nearby rink. The guest who puts on a skate is not so welcome in local hotels.

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ONE OF THE GIRLS

The olive branch of the family includes all the girls.

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DINNER AT SEA

On leaving the harbor the ship ran into a nasty half-pitching, choppy sea, which was especially noticeable as the 25 passengers at the captain's table sat down to their New Year's dinner.

"I hope that all of you will remember this New Year's day," said the captain, as the roast beef and turkey appeared, "and that this little assembly of—of 23 will be more happy and prosperous during the coming year. I look upon these—er—20 smiling faces as a father would upon his family, for I am responsible for this little group of—17. I hope that all—14—of you will join me in drinking to the coming year. I believe that we—er—eight are most congenial, and I applaud the judgment which chose you for my table. You and I, my dear sir, are—Here, steward, clear away those plates and bring me my pudding."

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EGGS-ACTLY

That lady of Linch, Ont., who tells the world that one of her hens is producing blue eggs, will now give us the old song—"Brown Eggs, Why Are You Blue?"

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THE BLUEBERRY

All of which recalls that question—Why are blueberries red when they are green?

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COLD FACTS

The prize cold weather story of the week comes from George Kimball of Lakeville, Conn. George says that during the recent cold spell his dog curled up to sleep in a box and in the morning he found the dog's nose frozen to his tail.

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KEPT ON WORKING

By a happy trick of fate, that Boston man who discovered Indian relics while digging in his garden was a Harvard professor intensely interested in remains redolent of ancient times. The average city man, finding the strange objects which meant so much to the scholar, would simply have thrown them over the fence into his neighbor's yard and gone on with his digging.

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CHANGE OF WORDS

Here it's February and all that is needed is a little adjustment. Sing the song now "It's June in February—"

10 YEARS AGO

From Nelson Daily News Files

(February 7, 1925)

Hope is still held out that workers will be able to release Floyd Collins, imprisoned in a sand cave near Cave City, for more than 155 hours. It is not known yet for sure whether he is still alive, but miners are working frantically to sink a shaft. They will not reach him for another 36 hours at least—maybe longer.

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A delightful dance was given last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Horstead when their daughter, Miss Creina Horstead, entertained a number of the younger set.

20 YEARS AGO

From Nelson Daily News Files

(February 7, 1915)

The contract for practically the entire construction of the magnificent Mormon temple at Cardston, Alta., to be known as the Church of Jesus Christ of latter Day Saints, which when completed will have cost $500,000, has been obtained by the Kootenay Granite and Monumental works of Nelson. The temple is being built entirely of Kootenay granite. The local firm has been working about a year supplying granite on the original contract for the superstructure.

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Bishop-elect A. J. Doull, of the diocese of Kootenay, will visit Nelson early next month for the first time since his election.

EXAMPLE

We scatter seeds with careless hand,
And dream we ne'er shall see them more;
But for a thousand years
Their fruit appears,
In weeds that mar the land,
Or healthful shore.

The deeds we do, the words we say—
Into still air they seem to fleet,
We count them ever past;
But they shall last—
In the dread judgment they
And we shall meet.

I charge thee by the years gone by,
For the love's sake of brethern dear,
Keep thou the one true way,
In work and play,
Lest in that world their cry
Of woe thou hear.

—John Keble.

WILL BAYLISS ANSWERS LETTERS OF J. T. BEALBY

The Editor,
Nelson Daily News:

Sir—I have before me two letters written by J. T. Bealby. The first, written Dec. 10th 1934, in which he gives an 18th century fatherly talk to "Hayseed" and myself. I have no doubt his little talk is appropriate to Hayseed because he still reasons in 18th century style. However, to a modern philosopher who takes cognisance of modern trends as dictated to him by present day economic and social conditions, his fatherly talk is like throwing water on a duck's back. I am fully aware that our Cambridge (England) graduate is far better qualified to write intelligently than I am. I also appreciate much of his writings; but, when he treats on the subjects of economics and sociology, instead of absorbing modern scientific investigations written by the most able economists and socialogists of the 19th and 20th century, he persists in harping back to Adam Smith who was purely an economist of the business element of British society. Not only was he a Bourgeois economist, but his analysis of labor in its relation to commodities was inscientific. Nevertheless, we credit him with having done much spade work, and with almost discovering commodity values. There are plenty of modern economic writers who are able to analize modern production along the lines of materialism, therefore there is no excuse for a man of Mr. Bealby's intellectual calibre to remain ignorant of the true explanation of commodity production and consumption. There are, however,—I am sorry to say—too many modern writers on economic subjects who still favor what I call the business man's economies. Such economists place the cause of the present depression on various things, but omit the real cause. Some blame the monetary system. Others tariffs. Others extravagance. None of these Bourgeois economists lay the cause at the point of production where the real producers, the workers of hand and brain are paid less than their producing capacity. This last idea was, for the first discovered by Karl Marx in the middle of the 19th century. He laid his fingers on the true cause of all depressions which ever happened within the capitalist form of production. When I say the Capitalist form of production I infer a destinction between it and the Fuedal form of production.

"The Feudal system, in its essence is a compact of reciprocal services. On accepting the oath and fealty and homage the Lord engaged to protect his vassals against all and sundry by all the means at his command; in return for which the vassal was bound to render military and personal service. A sense of duty was the spirit of Feudal society, just as the lust of lucre is the soul of our own". The Capitalist system sets the vassals free from the land and creates or transforms them into free wage earners. Instead of being bought with landed property, the workers are now bought on the open market in the form of wages paid at stipulated periods. As workers, there is no fundamental difference between the vassal and the modern worker. In fact the vassal had an advantage in security.

With this too brief outline of historical facts we can now proceed to answer Mr. Bealby's letter of Dec. 18th, 1934.

In the first place he wants to impress me with his graduation in economics and sociology at Cambridge university, England. Let me compliment him on his good fortune. I was not as fortunate. My real tuition commenced in a coal mine when thirteen years old. Since then, with the exception of one winter's evening classes, my college training has been achieved in the world by labor. On this account, I ask my readers to overlook any faulty wording or grammar.

The next item in Mr. Bealby's letter endorses Hayseed's definition of Socialism. Coming from a learned man's pen, I am surprised. If Mr. Bealby sincerely endorses such a definition, then I am compelled, much against my desire to do so, to pronounce the fact that Mr. Bealby's ideas of socialism are greatly at fault.

To explain sociology at any time, not only now, it was necessary to understand economics. Most of our faulty socialogical works are faulty through not having a knowledge of, or of neglecting to give economics priority over sociology. The manners of production in any given society determines the form of society. Our laws, customs, ethics, morals and even our religous professions are directly influenced by the way society produces the necessities for its existence.

Such works as those of Herbert Spencer, Grant Allen and Morgan of "Ancient Society" fame bear out the above statements.

Karl Marks, Engels, Leibnecht, Kautsky, Lenin, Scot Nearing, Fred Henderson and others who are economists of the first water, also bear out my contentions. These works on sociology and economics as based on the materialist conception of history; the manners of production.

The next error in Mr. Bealby's letter is a statement that I claimed two forms of co-operation within capitalism. I said there are two forms, one capitalism, the other socialistic. Again, he claims there is no co-operation, economic nor social within capitalism, of couse, like nearly all Bourgeois philosophers, he contradicts himself later in his letter, but to resume to his claim regarding the absence of co-operation, both economic and social.

Economic co-operation is expressed by and for the capitalist class in the following manner. In cities we have merchants' organizations who consider, among other things, their own immediate interests. In our Parliaments we have cabinet ministers who pass legislature favorable to the capitalist class. This kind of legislature is of primary importance to capitalist society, and the little reforms of a social benefit to the masses of workers is of a secondary character. The co-operation is primarily capitalistic. The state at the head of world capitalist countries functions on behalf of the ideas and interests arising from private ownership in the means of life. It co-operates with the owners of our mines, mills, transport companies and other enterprises involving a certificate of private ownership. The state disregards race or color, all it is interested in is to maintain law and order in favor of the Capitalist form of society. These three instances could be multiplied by 3000 and perhaps more, but enough is written to prove we have economic co-operation within Capitalism. The league of nations is the highest known expression of Capitalist co-operation in an economic sense. The league also contains powerful influences which bear on the social characteristics of world capitalism.

Let us examine some of the social characteristics found within capitalism. The three examples mentioned were ascribed to the economics of our society; but, upon close examination you will find a social function prevailing in each economic organism. The merchant organization, composed of men and women neccessarily has a social characteristic. They are social beings. Once their economic difficulties are solved, they resolve themselves into social friendliness.

The state also functions socially. And so does parliament.

But let us examine human activities within capitalism. Where a division of labor occurs, there you will find a social element. To build an auditorium in the City of Nelson we shall have to choose a site. The city surveyor is on the scene. The city fathers choose the site. Plans are drawn by some architects. Estimation of costs by accountants. Lumber is ordered which entails the labor of lumber-jacks and bush workers of many kinds. Railroads transport material, involving workers of a different kind entirely; chiefly service. The saw mill and its various social activities are involved. The saw material to the carpenter is boards, timbers and nails. There will be steel used which would take us down into the bowels of a Michigan or some other mine. Even the erection of the building demand the presence and exercise of that social characteristic so plainly seen in our present form of production. The auditorium finished, it will have absorbed thousands of different forms of activity in the shape of expended labor. The finished product is labor in the abstract. You cannot see the labor, but you can see the effect of all the expended labor from the foundation diggers to the golden dome, which came from the depths of some Kootenay mine or a Klondyke creek.

This illustration clearly shows the social character of capitalistic production.

The head man of the C.M. & S. of Trail fame, substantiates my contention regarding co-operation. He says "Co-operation between employers and employee on a basis of fair to both is the only solution of problems of industrial relationship." Van. No. 28th.

I am not endorsing Mr. Blaylock's philosophy; a philosophy based on the interests of private ownership for the purpose of creating surplus commodities out of which profits accrue.

I am proudly aware of the great strides the co-operative societies have made in Norway, Sweden and Great Britain. These are, at present, practising capitalist principles. I claim they cannot practice co-operation to the extent of production for use within Capitalism. Read my letters carefully. Then again. The ideal of the founders of our co-operative concerns was to ultimately produce for use. Until then it must be, although against our will, carried on under capitalist principles.

In contradiction to Mr. Bealby's theory of the idea first; the great man theory, let me point out that it was the economic need of the time which forced Rochdale pioneers of co-operation to start the present gigantic organization. At the present time the power of this same organization. Influences our lives, our thoughts, our actions. It has become an economic environment. All our ideas, whether realistic or idealistic must neccessarily be a reflex of present and past human experiences. Right and Justice must conform in favor of the class controlling the economic power within any given society; capitalism is no exception. These laws, and our morals arise out of the peculiar conditions to capitalism. The only thing constant is change.

Mr. Bealby has a contrary view of Russia to most real up-to-date writers. It is the only real modern attempt to scrap capitalism and to as quickly as possible institute a real co-operative society. They are not there yet; a long way from it, but they are making a noble attempt to show the rest of the world the way to peace, happiness and prosperity. There again, their ideals, to become realities, must be the result of economic conditions. These conditions are not yet established sufficiently well to produce the ideals. In a broad sense we cannot have a realisation of high ideals unless we have economic security.

Give the people of Canada economic security and you give them freedom. Deny this to the largest portion and you have an economic and a social subject class. In other words you have a class society. A society which has class distinctions can never give expression to the highest form of justice, right morals or ethics. Its basis is at fault, therefore its philosophy, which must conform to its chief needs, is at fault.

My answer to the query regarding co-operation on a national scale depends on many conditions. Canada alone cannot institute a commonwealth wherein all its people would produce for use. We have in Canada international investments. These vested interests are almost evenly divided between Canadian, British and American Capitalists. So you can readily see that the success of a Canadian co-operative society depend on a similar movement being established in America and Great Britain. This will not be done by our parliamentary Conservatives and Liberals, nor by Facism, but it will be accomplished by the last class to emancipate themselves, the workers of hand and of brain. It is possible, providing the people wills it. The conditions are over ripe for the establishment of a co-operative commonwealth, but the will is not strong enough. The psychology of the masses has to be slightly changed through economic pressure. We are getting it quickly. A spasm or two more of Conservative and Liberal parliamentary rule under the economic influence and rule of the real masters of parliament, the big industrialists; under the pressure of concentration of capital, of reduced interest on capital and resultant tightening up. All these economic phrases tend to eliminate the waste of energy expended in the aggregate of world production. It eliminates the small business men, the petty officials, and a lot of unnecessary advertising. In short, it swells the army of unemployed workers and exaggerates the economic and social problems the Parliamentary parties have to contend with. This phase is inevitible. The signs on the political horizon point to such reform as lowered interest on capital and unemployment insurance.

Character, rightness, justness, fairness are the result of special conditions chief among which is the economic. It is a policy to attribute causative importance to these concepts. When Mr. Bealby surmises the use of force in order to establish the co-operative system based on production for use, he also infers that force does not function in what he is pleased to call present-day "free civic liberty". He seems to forget that force was strenuously used to overthrow the proud old Feudal Lords and what they thought was an ideal social system. He forgets that old man Cromwell used force to curtail the Royal Powers of Britain and to strengthen the economic status of the rising capitalist class. He forgets the periodical exhibitions of force used in the form of wars here and there in order to serve the interests of the capitalist class. Not only does he ignore the above salient points, but he also forgets that a society consisting of more than one class must necessarily subsist on force. I claim that when socialism is firmly established the cause of human blood-shed and destruction of human life through wars will disappear. Common ownership must of necessity produce its idealogical ethic of the highest common weal; the highest good for the greatest number.

I would like to know of any other historical epoch which expresses greater greed, more poluted politics, greater selfishness, less ideal justice, greater class rights and less rights for the masses, greater greed for exploitation power, greater lucrative graft, worse crime, greater chaotic management of unemployment and fiercer warring methods than capital society. Production for profit is the opposite to production for use. Please read and study economics, Mr. Bealby.

The Laplanders, on the whole, are not yet under the influence of capitalism in so far as affecting their mode of living. True, they belong, in a territorial sense to Norway, Sweden and Russia. True also, that there is a certain amount of capitalistic effort operative in the most favorable parts where the natural resource can be made commercially profitable. These favored parts of Lapp territory are peopled by Norwegians, Swedish and Russians. In so far as the influence of these outsiders are felt, and to the extent of their industrial activities within Lapland, to that extent only can we call Lapland a capitalistic country. The greater part of it is still under the nomadic form of society. Their activities consist of hunting, fishing and crude household duties which are peculiar to nomadic tribes.

Even the Norwegian, Swedish and Russian people who live and work in Lapland are not capitalists. There may be an odd one or two there, but the most of them will be residing in the chief cities of Norway, Sweden and Russia.

This opinion is based on a history written prior to the Russian revolution of 1917. I know of no data since then, so I may not be up-to-date. Apart from the Russian aspect, which, I believe will have been changed, the general correctness will be, broadly speaking, true.

The nomads produce for use, the invaders for profit. The Russian political, social and industrial enterprise is the only one within the last 17 years of modern civilization which has made real material and ethical progress. They have constantly improved their economic and social status, while the rest of the modern world have retrograded. War has never ceased within the capitalist world since 1914. Unemployment has steadily increased. Human needs have been neglected more and more while, at the same time, the necessities for human consumptions have increased beyond the dreams of the most optimistic. Criminality in all its phases are rampant. Divorce, for trivial reasons increases. Our jails are well filled, and dissatisfaction is the ruling sentiment of our day.

The statement that "not one person goes without except through his own fault" is a wild one, and cannot be too emphatically denied.

Another far-fetched statement: "that fur coats valued at $300 to $400 apiece for Lancashire mill hands principally." Perhaps there is a mistake of one 0. Even then it would be beyond the pockets of the average mill hand.

The stock exchange, the gambling den in which the expended life energy of the masses of workers is used as stokes, will be, under a socialistic planned economy revolutionized. In the place of it will be a distributive council whose duty will be to study the needs of the people. At present, its chief study is how to raise the price a cent a pound, or some percentage gain. The incentive is profits in total disregard to the needs of the people.

Contrary to Mr. Bealby's remark that "labor of itself can create nothing." I understand him to mean labor in action. Very well, granting this, we will find that labor was expended probably millions of years prior to the appearance of capital as understood today. Even today, the capital necessary diminishes in quantity when related to the amount necessary in the years gone by. Besides, in the last analysis labor power is the source of capital, and upon the credit labor (the workers of hand and brain) extends to the employer rests the success of capitalism. In other words, the worker works a day, week, month or year before getting paid. They have produced the goods through the application of labor, aided, of course by machinery which is, also, congealed labor-power, and then, but not until they have produced something, does capital pay, in the form of wages, a value far less than the total value of the products. Capital, expressed in wages always follow expended labor, and never, except in foolish instances, does it precede labor expended.

You ask me, who, if capital is withdrawn, will produce the million and one things society needs? I answer in a question, who does now?

Labor is the source of all wealth. Wealth is the sum total of commodities, services come under that head also. Once we recognize this fact, the capitalist, as a class of non-producers becomes unnecessary.

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WHAT DO YOU THINK?

All letters to the editor must be signed with the name of the writer. A nom de plume may be used for publication if desired.

Would Put Bounty on Deer; Orchards Suffer Damages

To the Editor:

Sir—I read with surprise the article in Saturday's News recounting how a North Shore resident has been feeding deer. I should have thought that the resident would have realized with ranchers all along the lake that by doing this act of kindness to the deer, he was doing just the reverse to his neighbors, who have more than enough difficulties to contend with due to the precarious condition of farming.

All along the lake ranchers have been complaining of the ravages done by these pests to fruits and vegetables, and many of them, the writer included, after working hard all day during the spring and summer have to patrol their places at night, and even then daylight discloses young fruit trees with all their foundation branches eaten and broken, promising patches of vegetables gone, etc., etc.

It is the opinion of many ranchers that instead of being protected a bounty should be given by the government as with other depredatory animals.

A. B. HILL

Longbeach, B.C.,

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By E. V. SHEPARD

"Teacher of Teachers"

NOT A GOOD BID

The correct opening bid and response are important; frequently they are of vital importance. One pair in a duplicate match found their team in an unusual tangle on the hand shown below, because they had started off wrong, and then gone worse.

North: ♠ A Q J 10 7 4 3 ♥ 5 4 ♦ A J 7 ♣ A

West: ♠ K 6 2 ♥ 10 3 ♦ 9 8 5 ♣ Q 10 9 7 6

East: ♠ 9 5 ♥ A K 7 6 5 ♦ 10 6 4 3 ♣ K 8

South: ♠ 8 ♥ Q J 9 2 ♦ K Q 2 ♣ J 5 4 3 2

Although North's proper opening bid is 4 spades, which he should just make, about half the tables started off with an opening bid of 2 spades. The proper response is 3 clubs. When North bids 4 spades he should not be disturbed. Most tables had no trouble in that respect, the defenders merely winning 2 tricks in hearts and a single trump trick.

At table 8 the bidding was dreadful. North bid 2 spades. Instead of responding with 3 clubs, to show his single quick trick, South bid 3 no trumps. When North went 4 spades, surely he should have been left alone, but his partner insisted upon playing 4 no trumps, and was allowed to do so.

The opening lead was the 7 of clubs. When dummy's ace had to be played East did his best to clear partner's suit, by underplaying his K. South entered his own hand to take the spade finesse, by leading the 7 of diamonds and winning with the Q. The 8 of spades was led and overtaken with dummy's 10. When that held the suit was cleared, by leading the ace and a low spade. West was in with his K.

Probably the declarer expected West to lead the Q of clubs, and give the declarer the next club trick with his J. That would have been fine, but it did not come about. West led a heart. East was in with the K. He led back his 8 of clubs. South played low. West overtook with his 9, then took his Q of clubs for the fourth defensive trick. Dummy had to let go a heart and a spade. West led his last heart and East's ace won the trick, but the balance of tricks belonged to the declaring side. South went down 2 tricks, for bottom score.

A BEAUTIFUL DOUBLE-DUMMY PROBLEM

North: ♠ Q 10 9 ♥ J 9 8 ♦ A 9 6 ♣ J 9 7 6

West: ♠ 6 5 4 3 2 ♥ 3 2 ♦ 4 3 2 ♣ A K 8

East: ♠ A K J 7 ♥ 10 6 5 ♦ Q J 8 5 ♣ 10 4

South: ♠ 8 ♥ A K Q 7 4 ♦ K 10 7 ♣ Q 9 6 3

South plays 3 hearts doubled. Can the contract be fulfilled against the best defence of East and West? The answer will appear tomorrow. The solution looks easier than it is.

AUNT HET

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"There ain't nothin' so aggravatin' as punishin' yourself to hurt your husband's conscience and it not hurtin'."

The Land of Heart's Desire

"Sonmwhere," he mused, "its dear enchantments wait,
That land, so heavenly sweet;
Yet all the paths we follow, soon or late,
End in the desert's heat.

"And still it lures us to the eager quest,
And calls us day by day"—
"But I," she said, her babe upon her breast,
"But I have found the way."

"Some time," he sighed, "when youth and joy are spent,
Our feet the gates may win"—
"But I," she smiled, with eyes of deep content,
"But I have entered in."

—Emily Huntington Miller.

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ACTION ON ICE

Detroit Red Wings, New York Americans battle, Madison Square Garden.

CAVALCADE LOOKS AROUND

At Santa Anita race track, Cavalcade during training for $100,000 handicap.

ENGLAND WINS OVER IRELAND

Score 2 to 1 in Inter. Soccer Battle; 30,000 Fans

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 6 (CP Cable)—England defeated Ireland 2-1 in an international soccer game played here today. Half time score was 1-0 in favor of England.

Bastin scored the only goal of the first half, Stevenson equalizing soon after the resumption. Bastin netted the winning counter shortly before the close of the game.

The match was played in clear, cold weather before 30,000 spectators.

Ireland dominated most of the play. Their shots at Hibbs, however, lacked power. Bastin scored after 17 minutes with a strong shot into the roof of the net.

After the interval, Ireland equalized following good work by their forwards. Coulter centred, the ball being deflected from Hapgood to Stevenson, who scored from 18 yards out.

England's second goal came when Fulton only partially cleared from a corner. Bastin nipped in and netted a remarkable goal.

The teams lined up as follows:

England: Hibbs, Birmingham; Male and Hapgood, Arsenal; Britton, Everton;ton; Barker, Derby; Copping, Arsenal; Crooks, Derby; Bestall, Grimsbytown; Drake, Arsenal; Bastin, Arsenal, Brook, Manchester City.

Ireland: Breen, Belfast Celtic; Cook Everton; Fulton, Belfast Celtic; Gowdy and Jones, Linfield; Mitchell, Chelsea; Brown, Wolverampton; Doherty, Blackpool; Martin, Wolverampton; Stevenson and Coulter, Everton.

Marylebone More Than Quadruples Guiana's Score

GEORGETOWN, British Guiana, Feb. 6 (CP Cable)—Batting faultlessly, the touring Marylebone cricket club had more than quadrupled British Guiana's first innings score as stumps were drawn on the second day's play of the first colonial match here today. At bat since shortly after tea-time yesterday the visitors had 421 for the loss of nine wickets at today's close compared with the colonials' 102.

Patay Hendren defied the best of the colonial bowlers before being stumped by C. M. Christiani at 148. He knocked out 18 fours and one six.

IRISH STUDENTS UNBEATEN

DUBLIN, Irish Free State, (CP).—Dublin University's field hockey team has not lost a game in two seasons. Recently the team defeated Oxford 2-0.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

By The Canadian Press

To Frank Nicks, one of the most promising sprinters in the Maritimes and member of the 1934 Canadian British Empire Games team, who was born at Halifax 20 years ago today. Nicks was the only Canadian point-winner in the Empire sprints. Greetings go today also to the illustrious George Herman "Babe" Ruth, who was born at Baltimore, Md., 41 years ago.

STRATHCONA CLUB CONTINUES TO WIN

WINNIPEG, Feb. 6 (CP).—The curling elite moved ahead of the pack and lesser lights in the chase for grand aggregate honors fell by the wayside in the Manitoba Curling association's forty-seventh annual bonspiel.

Ness Wise and Gordon Hudson, ace duo of the Strathcona club, came through with creditable wins in the Hudson's Bay trophy play. The former nosed out the clever Hembroff rink, from Gladstone, 10-9 while the latter defeated T. McBride, of Thistles, 17-12. Score balances favored Ontario rinks after a wobbly start in the Birks draw.

DEFEAT BARRING WORD "AMATEUR"

LONDON, Feb. 6 (AP)—A resolution that the word "amateur" be deleted from conditions governing all events controlled by the British Ladies' Golf union was heavily defeated at the annual meeting of the union today. An alternative resolution asking the union to sanction an open tournament also was voted down.

Some delegates bitterly criticized the union, saying it had made no effort to reinstate Enid Wilson, declared ineligible for competition almost a year ago because she deviated from a straight newspaper reporting job to give advice on golf.

BRITISH SOCCER

LONDON, Feb. 6 (CP. Cable)—English league soccer games played today resulted as follows:

FIRST DIVISION

Birmingham 4, Middlesbrough 2.
Sunderland 3, Aston Villa 3.

SECOND DIVISION

Manchester United 2, Port Vale 1.
Notts Forest 1, Bury 4.
Plymouth A. 0, Norwich 1.

THIRD DIVISION—Southern

Bristol City 1, Bristol Rovers 1.

NORTHERN

Stockport 4, Crewe 0.

HOCKEY CHATTER

Just in passing we might point out that Andreashuk's eight-minute penalty for fighting with Bunny Dame is the stiffest handed out this year in the West Kootenay league; that Thompson has taken over the leadership of the penalty earners; that Moore is leading the league in assists by three points; that of the puckchasers who have been playing regularly in the league games, Reinikka, Jack Hanson, and Botterill have only served one minute in the penalty box; that Kimberley players have been credited with 43 assists, Trail with 24 and Rossland with 19; that Redding has made points in 12 out of the 14 games he has played.

Trail goes to Rossland tonight in the next game of the schedule, but with the weatherman thinking in terms of spring zephyrs and warm suns, it may be necessary to have it at Trail.

The fact that youth marches on has been well exemplified in the National Hockey league this year, for eight of the nine clubs have one or more rookies making good in their first season play in the big stuff. And Dave Schriner of the New York Amerks easily tops the list. He seems to possess everything that is needed to make a star. He was on loan last year to the Syracuse Stars, the Amerks holding the option on him, and at present he is sixth in the point standing of the international division of the N.H.L. with nine goals and 14 assists.

The week-end of January 19-20 produced a number of freaks and oddities in the National Hockey league. St. Louis Eagles were beaten 6-2 in Toronto on Saturday night, but stepped into Detroit Sunday and defeated Red Wings 6-1. It was the highest count registered against the Wings this season, and the highest total ever scored by the Eagles.

Montreal Canadiens invaded Boston and beat Bruins 4-1 there, the first victory Habitants had registered over Bruins this season. It was the first time Canadiens had won a league match in Boston since November 20, 1928, and in that period they lost 13 straight league games there, though winning in playoff games.

The next night, Canadiens were beaten 7-1 by Rangers, the biggest score for Rangers and against Canadiens in the season to that point.

The champion Chicago Black Hawks defeated Toronto Leafs for the first time in the season, after losing four in a row to them.

Russ Blinco

Forty-one goals were scored in six games, an average of almost seven per game, the heaviest scoring of the season, and indicating no necessity for rule revision to open up scoring.

Russ Blinco of Montreal Maroons scored four goals in a game, duplicating the season's best previous feat by Harvey Jackson of Toronto.

Boston Bruins got only three shots in the first period on Wilf Cude of Canadiens.

Americans got only two shots in the first period on Aleck Connell of Maroons.

Toronto's famed "Kid Line" of Charlie Conacher, Harvey Jackson and Joe Primeau is not only the greatest in many respects, but one of the unluckiest forward units in the entire National Hockey league.

Conacher, injured every season to date in National league campaigns, with broken ribs, a broken hand, and a broken wrist at various times, is the only player of the great scoring combine that has escaped injury with regard to the present race.

Plenty of praise is given, and not without reason, to the performance of Dave Kerr in the Rangers' net for the sensational winning streak of the New York team, but one should not overlook the string of veterans that Manager Patrick boasts. Cook, Boucher and Cook have been making goals at a good rate, and this past week Frank Boucher moved ahead of Larry Aurie to take the leadership of the United States division of the N.H.L. He has 10 goals and 20 assists, one more goal than Aurie of the Detroit Red Wings. At the beginning of January, that is, when the Rangers started their winning streak, Boucher was tied in fourth place in the list with Bill Cook and Tommy Cook, all having 14 points. The Rangers' line has added 30 points in approximately a month.

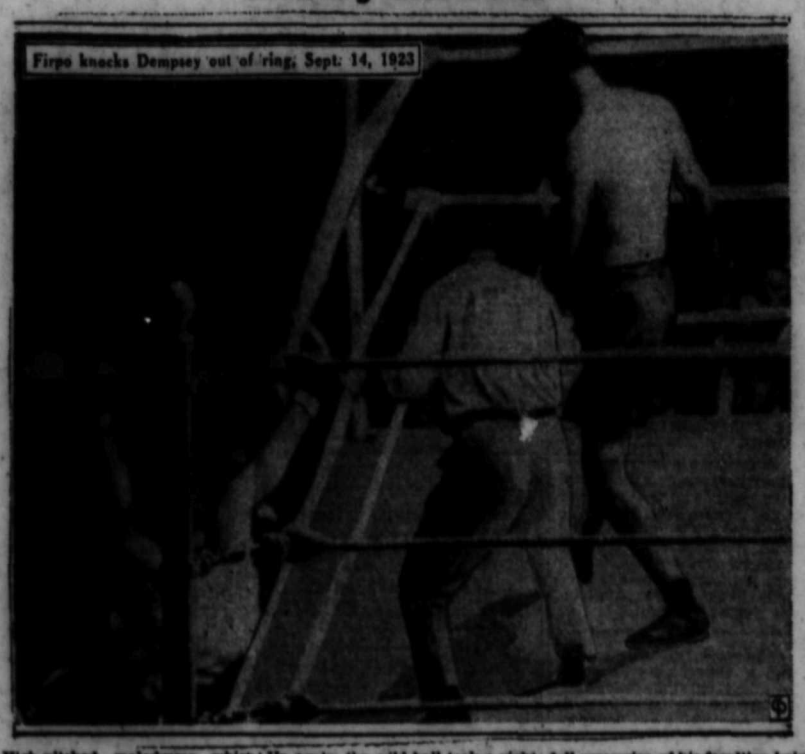
Frank Boucher

Did you know that Norman Locking, of the Chicago Black Hawks, played for the Owen Sound Greys, 1927 Dominion champs? That Russ Blinco of the Maroons is called the perfect player by Tommy Gorman? that Joe Simpson calls "Sweeney" Schriner the perfect player?, that Lester Patrick has called Ott Heller the perfect player and that Jack Adams has called Herbie Lewis the perfect player? That Murray Murdoch of the Rangers attended the University of Manitoba, even as did Andy Blair of Toronto? That "Dit" Clapper was born at Newmarket, Ont.? That Joe Lamb joined the Montreal Maroons in 1927 but was sold to the Ottawa Senators, was loaned to the New York Americans, was then sold to Boston, who in turn sold him to St. Louis Eagles? That "Red" Beattie was out of the game one year with a broken leg?

Scrap-Book OF FAMOUS FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS

BY BILL BRAUCHER

Dempsey and Firpo Fight Was High Point of Mauling Melodrama



Firpo knocks Dempsey out of ring, Sept. 14, 1923

High-pitched melodrama which marked Jack Dempsey's fights reached a tremendous climax when he met Luis Angel Firpo, the wild bull of the Pampas, at the Polo Grounds in New York, September 14, 1923. Ring history reached a top that night. There never was another fight like it.

With his first punch the giant from Buenos Aires knocked Dempsey down, but Jack was up without a count, and tore into the swarthy South American like an infuriated tiger. A left floored Firpo for a count of three. He was hardly up before a right sent him crashing to the canvas for a count of two.

UP TOO QUICKLY

Firpo made the mistake of leaping up too quickly. As he arose for the third time, Dempsey whipped a left to the body that sent him sprawling for another count of three. Up again, the wild bull took a right to the jaw, this time remaining down for the count of nine.

As Firpo crawled to his feet after the fifth knockdown, Dempsey let him have another left to the body, and the giant sank again, but only for a count of two. Then the same blow sent him back to the floor again for a count of six.

Floored six times, the amazing Firpo rushed at Dempsey like a maddened animal, crowded him to the ropes and with a right hand that was half punch and half shove sent the champion flying out the ring.

If Referee Johnny Gallagher had begun his count at once, Firpo might have been champion of the world. There are some ringsiders who declare Dempsey was out of the ring more than 20 seconds.

Others insist he not only was not out 10 seconds, but that he retained full possession of his faculties, hoisting himself back into the ring immediately.

There was a roar as the champion crawled between the ropes, rushed across the ring and smashed Firpo on the jaw as the bell rang.

THE END

Dempsey was like a madman as the bell started the second round. He fairly pounced upon Firpo, sending two rights to the jaw that dropped him for a count of four. When the wild bull arose, and tried to clinch, Dempsey sent terrific left and right to the jaw.

Firpo fell flat, spread out, relaxed. He was out long after the count of ten had been intoned. What many have called the greatest prize fight the world ever has seen was over.

(End of Scrap-Book Series)

Southpaws Swear at Switch-hitters

By AL DEMAREE
Former Pitcher N.Y. Giants

Just why is a switch hitter? Is he born that way, or does he become ambidextrous intentionally? Almost without exception the turn around hitter was originally a right hand hitter. A natural left hand hitter never experiments from the other side of the plate. A right hand batter who finds he is a sucker for a right hand pitcher's curve ball becomes a switch hitter for self protection. Frankie Frisch, who is probably the greatest modern switch hitter, says that this type of hitting won the pennant and world's series for the Cardinals. Frisch did this by using a system which gave him right handed hitters in right field, center field, first base, second base and behind the bat, when facing southpaws, and left handed hitters in the same positions, when opposing right handed pitchers Frankie was able to do this because three of the shifts were accomplished by the simple procedure of the batter stepping across the plate to bat the other way. Rip Collins, Rothrock and Frisch himself all being switch hitters. Orsatti and Fullis alternated in center field, while DeLancey and Davis worked behind the plate. I believe this is the first time in history that a team used three switch hitters in its regular lineup all season.

PLAY CURLING 'SPIEL FINALS

Milne Beats Pasco; Badminton Stars Back in City

CRANBROOK, B.C., Feb. 6—The finals in the Lethbridge Brewery cup in the Crows Nest bonspiel held at Cranbrook, which was postponed because of soft ice, has been played, Mine of Cranbrook winning over Pasco of Cranbrook.

The competition for the Dr. Green trophy is being played off here the first three days of the week. In this competition two men and two ladies will play on each rink.

KEY STARS RETURN

Dr. Fergie, E. S. Jones, Major Prust and L. J. Whiteford, Cranbrook crack badminton players who attended the Spokane tournament over the week-end, returned to the city Monday morning and report a splendid time given visitors by their Spokane hosts. Major Prust and L. Whiteford reached the finals in the men's doubles but defaulted to Male and Godfrey of Nelson.

E. S. Jones, who won the men's singles in the Cranbrook City tournament a week ago, was defeated in the semi-finals by H. Frederick of Spokane. All but one of the events, the ladies' singles, were won by Canadians.

154 GAMES FOR AMERICAN RACE

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (AP)—The 154-game American league schedule, released tonight, calls for the season to open April 16 and end Sept. 29.

Opening games will be played at St. Louis, Detroit, Washington and New York against Cleveland, Chicago, Philadelphia and Boston.

Eileen Beresford Is Squash Champ

BOSTON, Feb. 6 (AP)—The four-year-old reign of Mrs. William P. Howe, Jr., of Weston, as women's United States squash racquets champion ended today when she was decisively beaten by Eileen Beresford, hard-hitting 24-year-old Short Hills, N. J., player, in a third round match by score of 11-15, 15-8, 15-11, 15-9.

CUT HANDICAPS IN GOLF EVENT

Victoria Prepares for Annual Meet, 18th to 23rd

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 6—Golfing visitors to Victoria during the seventh annual golf week—February 16-23—will find Vancouver island hospitality carried to the n-th degree. Handicappers for the popular Empress midwinter tournament to be played at the seaside Oakbay course of the Victoria golf club, have decided to cut the handicaps of all players entered from local club by two strokes.

Players from all parts of the Canadian west who have been trying vainly for the past six years to lift the E. W. Beatty handicap cup will greet the announcement with loud cheers. Victoria mashie wielders, with characteristic sportsmanship, are all for the innovation, claiming it will give out of town players a break and help the tournament which is Victoria's leading winter sports attraction.

Chief beneficiaries of the "handicapped handicaps" are prairie dwellers who ordinary hang up their clubs for the season in mid-October or earlier, and find themselves bothered by lack of practice when they match strokes with local players who enjoy year round play.

Entries for the event already have rolled in from Pat Smith, Winnipeg; T. W. McKee and W. C. Fisher, Calgary; C. F. G. Pattullo, Spokane; E. B. Sutherland, W. M. Dyke and W. Closs, Fort William; and Frank Wilkinson and Ralph C. Rogers, Vancouver.

Chicago Taboos $25,000 Salaries

CHICAGO, Feb. 6 (AP)—No more $25,000-a-year baseball stars for Chicago Cubs—not even for a pitcher like Dizzy Dean.

Owner-President Phil K. Wrigley of the Cubs said that today and apparently meant it. He made his statement after reading press dispatches of Dizzy's demand for $25,000 a year from St. Louis Cardinals.

"We don't want any $25,000 players," Wrigley said firmly. "We've discovered that sort of salary isn't worth while. It takes more than one man to win a ball game."

Madison Garden Watching Baer

Faces Law Suit If He Does 10 Rounds Elsewhere Than in the Garden

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (AP)—Max Baer may be allowed to fight 10 rough bouts in New York now without involving his heavyweight title, but if he tried it for anyone else but Madison Square Garden they'll sic the law onto him.

"I don't care what the New York State Athletic commission says," Jimmy Johnston barked today. "If Baer tried to fight here for anybody else we'll paper him up with legal documents like he was a fresh plastered wall. He's got a contract to defend his title for us for 15 rounds in June.

"Just let somebody win a decision over him at 10 rounds, and no matter what the commission says, that fellow is the new world's champion. No one's going to pull a swifty like that on us without getting into a law court."

A Bit of Action From English Rugby Matches

Photo shows a struggle for the ball when Eastern Counties met East Midland in a recent English rugby match at Woodford, Essex. The player on the ground under the general scrimmage is a Midland stalwart.

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You may combine the qualities of Samson and Clark Gable...
You might be able to provide silk, satins and rich sable;
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Little Sister

by MARGARET WIDDEMER

CHAPTER 30

Leila was past the age where she believed that boasters can never make good their boasts. Mary Martin might point out with brazen heartiness that her way with men was a honey; nevertheless it was. She was devoted to her job, which was stripping boughsful of men with every weapon she could find for the purpose. Leila, on the other hand, only did it as a sideline. The balance in Leila's favor was only redressed by the fact that she had much more natural attraction. She'd never had to work to get men, and it had made her indolent. But in spite of Aunt Minnie's remarks that a young lady should wait to be sought, and that Mr. Right always came along, Leila knew that Mr. Right and his friends sometimes needed a certain amount of dealing with. Leila forgot all about being a chessman on life's board. She forgot all about everything, in fact, but a jealous desire to see that cheap, hard, vulgar little Mary Martin (these are not all her adjectives, but a selection) didn't get her private man. She waited until Mary and the satellite had gone. She then put exactly twice her normal time on dress and makeup.

Leila was good even when she didn't bother. Tonight she bothered. She trailed dreamily out to where Orton waited her; a perfect, most alluring reminder, from the Alice-in-wonderland fillet about her curls, to the satin slippers on her golf-weary feet, of the old-fashioned number in the show. Orton was going to ask her the question he had been slowly planning to ask her for one year and seven months now. It was an entrance, planned, effective; the orchestra might have been playing for the coming of the star. She heard a man at a nearby table say, "Gosh, who's the winner coming in?" and knew she was off to a good start.

She did not hurry. She made calculated play with a couple of the other men entering the lounge when she did. Orton, waiting for her, immaculate, his fair hair sleek and wet-brushed, his round blue eyes uninterested, sat up and took notice. Jim Hope—Howard Bennett—Hart Higginson—she picked them up with her eyes, she drew them to her. She used every good old trick she had ever despised in the three minutes of her delayed entry.

"Meeting Orton here," she told Jim casually as he hovered, and trailed the others along with her. Not hard if you took the trouble.

Naturally Orton jerked himself up; naturally he came forward and very nearly took her away with his hands.

"We're waiting for some people," he told the other men, lying burriedly and dragging Leila — still amused, alive, fascinating—off to his lair. He was ordering champagne. Could it be that he was nervous—Orton, the millionaire prince of Fernwood Manor? He started hastily on the hors d'oeuvres, before anybody else could intrude.

"Who's coming?" she asked innocently. "Somebody exciting, I hope."

"You know very well," said Orton reproachfully, "that I wanted to have a serious private talk with you tonight."

"Must it be serious? I never felt gayer in my life."

"I think it must. Gayety is a good thing—I like your spirits, Leila—but there are times when one must be serious."

"All right. You be."

She flashed a mischievous glance at him over the caviar.

He plunged in.

"There are two things. Two principal things, that is. One which concerns me, and one which concerns your family."

"Oh let's talk about us!" said Leila. "We're much more interesting."

She had to work fast—the Martin cat might be along any minute.

"Very well," said Orton weightily. "We will talk about ourselves. . ."

The pheasants came, and the waiter hovered with the champagne; there was a wait while the rite of the ice bucket and the humble desire of the waiter to please them was played through.

He took a drink and obviously felt more like proceeding . . . After all, Leila thought, it was hard on men to have to do all the proposing, especially as they were so much the vainer sex. She smiled dazzlingly into his eyes. He felt better yet—more like the normal Orton who knew no girl would throw him down, not even one who had a trail of other men around her on the eve of his proposal.

"It can't have escaped you that I have been seeing a good deal of you, and that I have been very fond of you always."

"It's made things very happy for me," said Leila, being glamorous with her eyelashes in a way that would have made Jane howl if she could have seen it. "You've been nearly all the pleasure I've had. . . though perhaps I've been a little more obedient to Aunt Minnie than I *should* have. She's rather confined me to you," she added audaciously. "She loves her little Orton."

This shook Orton up, as it was meant to. But he went on.

"I—hope she is not alone in her feeling."

"Why, no!" said Leila sweetly.

"Then—then you understand that I should be glad to—I hope you would like to—"

"I'd like anything you'd like, Orton," said the old-fashioned number, fixing her lashes on the asparagus, and wondering what next. But it seemed this had been the proposal and acceptance.

"I thought," said Orton, producing and sliding under the tablecloth to her a small square hard object which she knew for what it was, opened by the sense of touch, and found as she had known she would, a ring. "I could not be mistaken in you. The mater was sure. She's always right. 'Eugenically and in every other way, Orton,' she said to me, 'Leila Madison is the one woman for you to marry. I am sure of her ideas, health, principles. These more than make up'—" Orton stopped himself politely.

"For my pennilessness?" said Leila sorrowfully, looking up wistfully. "Are you sure you don't mind?"

"Certainly not," said Orton, swelling ever so little. He felt happy again. To stoop just a little made Orton very comfortable and kindly and normal indeed. "And through all the years of our married life—"

"Oh!" said Leila.

(To Be Continued)

Trappers Retreat When Signals Mix

TERRACE, B.C.—(CP) — Otto Metz and Andrew Kennedy got their signals mixed and missed a fine opportunity to procure a grizzly bear rug for their cabin floor.

The men, returning from a visit to their trap-line, saw a young grizzly on the trail. Otto's shot hit the bear but did not drop him. Just then, a full-grown grizzly ambled onto the trail and, as Andrew was "drawing a bead" on the newcomer, a third bruin rolled into view.

The situation was becoming serious but Otto badly wanted a bearskin. Then he made a wrong move and his partner thought he was sounding the retreat so Andrew hit the trail for home. Otto wanted to stay but, with 50 per cent of the artillery in retreat, his better judgment decided him to follow.

DEBTOR SUICIDES

BOMBAY, (CP).—Harassed by a moneylender from whom he had taken a loan, a carpenter here committed suicide by swallowing an overdose of opium.

Anyway They Have a Uniform

The problem of equipping two ball players with one uniform has been solved in Oklahoma City. John Kelly wears the pants, and his brother Burton the shirt as the boys begin spring training. They are choosing up to see who gets the belt.

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MONTREAL. CP)—The Young Women's Christian association here has received so many inquiries from men wishing to take the Trained Attendant course that it has decided to open a class for men only. The course, which will begin in the early spring, will cover care of chronic, convalescent and non-serious cases of illness, simple cooking, the art of reading aloud and amusing patients, as well as the rudiments of nursing and the principles underlying them.

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Market and Mining News

WHEAT CLOSES FRACTION OFF

Revised Estimates of World Supply Felt in the Pit

WINNIPEG, Feb. 6 (CP)—Revised private estimates of world wheat requirements led to fractionally lower prices on the Winnipeg grain exchange today. Wheat futures closed ¼ to ⅛ cent lower, May at 82 and July 81⅝ cents.

The revision of the world's estimates consumption was downward. Earlier this season it was set at 6,000,000 bushels. Today the figure was placed at 552,000,000 bushels.

The reduction was ascribed to low European absorption. The previous estimate of Canada's share of the world trade, 280,000,000 bushels, was reduced to 240,000,000 bushels. The Argentine estimate of 168,000,000 bushels was unchanged.

Liverpool closed ⅛ to ½d lower, and Chicago showed fractional declines.

Local cash and coarse grains trading held unchanged.

URGES LOWERING OF THE TARIFFS

TORONTO, Feb. 6 (CP)—A plea for a general lowering of tariffs and the renewal of other restrictions to trade, was voiced by Hon. N. W. Rowell, K.C., president of Toronto General Trusts corporation, in his address at the annual meeting of the corporation today. There can be no real prosperity in Canada, he said, until agriculture is prosperous and western Canadian agriculture cannot be really prosperous without an assured export market.

The speaker could see no real solution of the unemployment problem save from a general revival of industry in Canada and a shortening of hours of labor.

The drought situation in the west was a government problem. It was not possible, said Mr. Rowell, for mortgage-lending companies to lend money at substantially lower interest rates. The money would have to be provided from governmental sources. This had been done in the United States and in Australia.

POUND AND U. S. DOLLAR MOVE UP

MONTREAL, Feb. 6 (CP)—The pound sterling and the United States dollar moved narrowly higher on Montreal foreign exchanges today. The pound rose ⅜ of a cent to $4.86 while the dollar was 1-32 of 1 per cent higher at 3-32 of 1 per cent. The franc continued at 6.57 cents.

Border Gold Is Delisted Stock

TORONTO, Feb. 6 (CP)—As from today the Toronto stock exchange has delisted the shares of Premier Border Gold Mines, Ltd. The stock has been inactive in recent months.

The managing committee of the exchange has approved the listing of an additional 500,000 shares of Lake Shore Gold Mines bringing the total of listed and authorized shares up to 3,500,000.

Dominion Livestock

WINNIPEG, Feb. 6 (CP)—Live stock receipts: Cattle 1235, calves 60, hogs 2650, sheep 75.

Steers $5; heavyweights $5.

Heifers $4.25.

Cows $3.50.

Fed calves $2.50.

Bulls $2.

Stocker and feeder steers $2.50.

Cows and heifers $2.

Veal calves $5.50.

Hogs, select bacon $1 per head premium, bacon $7.15, butchers $1 per head discount, heavy $6.65, extra heavy $6.25, lights and feeders $6.50.

Lambs, handyweight $6.25, heavies $5.50.

Sheep, heavies $1.50, handyweight $2.50.

Metal Markets

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (AP)—Copper quiet; electrolytic spot and future, blue eagle, 9.00.

Tin steady; spot and nearby 51.12; future 50.70.

Iron quiet, unchanged.

Lead steady; spot New York 3.50; East St. Louis 3.35.

Zinc dull; East St. Louis spot and future 3.70.

Aluminum 19.00 to 22.00.

Antimony, spot 14.50.

Bar silver quiet, ⅛ lower at 53¾ cents.

London—Copper, standard, spot £27 5s; future £27 10s; electrolytic, spot £30 5s; future £28 10s.

Tin, spot £232 17s 6d; future £228 17s 6d.

Lead, spot £10 2s 6d; future £10 7s 6d.

Zinc, spot £11 15s; future £12.

Bar silver quiet, ⅛ lower at 24 5-16d.

ALCOHOL, WALKERS MARK UP LOSSES

TORONTO, Feb. 6 (CP)—Weakness at New York resulting from gold clause complications brought an irregular price tone to the industrial section of the Toronto stock exchange today. Losses predominated in the 13,300-share turnover.

Industrial Alcohol weakened ⅛ to 8⅝, Walkers ⅝ and the preferred ⅛. Breweries were unchanged. Interlisteds and foods boarded recessions. Utilities held fairly steady.

C.P.R., Nickel, Brazilian and Ford dropped fractions. Canada Bread B lost 4⅛ and the A issue 2⅝. Canadian Packers, Dominion Stores and International Milling showed gains.

Pioneer, Hollinger and Bralorne Up

TORONTO, Feb. 6 (CP)—The mining section of the Toronto stock exchange kept up courage today in the face of prolonged delay in settling the gold clause issue. A late rally reduced early losses. Volume approximated 267,000 shares.

Pioneer, Hollinger and Bralorne gained 5 to 15 cents. Teck Hughes eased 2 at 3.83 and losses of 2 to 4 were posted for Sylvanite, Toburn and Cariboo. Little Long Lac eased 10.

Higher prices were boarded for Gunnar, McMillan, Wayside and Sullivan. Coniagas advanced 35 cents at 3.15. Hudson and Falconbridge advanced in the base metals. In the silvers Eldorado gained 3 and Nipissing dropped 2 cents.

Homestake Has Extra Dividend

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (AP)—Homestake Mining company declared the usual monthly extra dividend of $2 and the regular monthly distribution of $1 on the capital stock, payable February 25 to stock of record February 20.

Sugar Unchanged

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (CP)—Raw sugar unchanged, 2.85 for spots.

Futures 1 to 3 points lower in the old contract and unchanged to 1 lower in the new. Sales, old 3950 tons; new 11,800 tons. March 1.85B, July 1.99B, Sept. 2.04B, Dec. 2.10B, Jan. 2.09B.

Refined granulated 4.30.

Eastern Sales

TORONTO, Feb. 6 (CP)—Sales of 100 or more shares on the Toronto exchange, industrial section, today were:

100 Abitibi, 1025 Brazil, 280 C Ind Clco, 299 CPR, 115 Cockshutt, 970 Ford A, 670 Nickel, 425 Massey H, 145 Steel of C, 300 H Walkers, 365 Dist C Seag.

MONTREAL, Feb. 6 (CP)—Sales of 100 or more shares on the Montreal stock exchange today were:

172 Nickel, 135 Mass Harr, 378 Mtl Power, 111 Nat Brew, 155 Stl Corp, 250 Steel Can, 738 Brazil, 255 Can Cement, 255 Ind Al A, 680 CPR, 495 D S & C B.

MINOR DIPS ON NEW YORK LIST

Uneasiness Over the Gold Clause Felt on the Market

By FRANK MACMILLEN

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (AP)—Stocks, bonds and most commodities slipped further down the hill of uncertainty today, but the general list, as in recent sessions, confined itself mostly to minor dips.

Corporation news appeared to combine with the all-pervading uneasiness of the gold clause. Turnover aggregated 558,240 shares.

Mengel preferred dropped 4⅛ to 29½, and a number of shares got down a point or so each, including American Telephone at 123, Union Pacific at 96 and Continental Can at 64.

Small losses were scattered through the Canadian list.

DOMINION GLASS UP THREE POINTS

MONTREAL, Feb. 6 (CP)—After a burst of early activity the Montreal stock exchange fell back into its former lethargic trend today and prices drifted lower.

Scattered buying created new highs in a few specialties.

Dominion Glass preferred put in an appearance to jump 3 points to 118, Dominion Textile preferred rose 8 to 145 and Canadian Celanese preferred a point to 107. Steel of Canada declined 1¼ points at 44¾. Reversals were suffered by Dryden, National Breweries and several more.

Sales 9526 shares, bonds $16,665.

Silver Futures Easier in East

MONTREAL, Feb. 6 (CP)—Trading was at a standstill on the Canadian commodity exchange today and prices of silver futures, were easier with no contracts changing hands. Futures showed a decline of 15 to 40 points.

Woods M'f'g. Has an Increased Profit

MONTREAL, Feb. 6 (CP)—Substantial improvement in earnings is shown in the 22nd annual report of Woods Manufacturing company, Ltd., covering the year ended December, 1934. Profits were $232,020 as against $170,817 in 1933. Profits are the highest for any year since 1928, the report issued today stated. After deducting bond interest, directors' fees, a provision for loss on investments, depreciation reserve and provision for income tax, there remained a balance of $104,098, equivalent to $6.81 per share on the 15,283 7 per cent preferred shares outstanding.

Potato Prices Jump at Montreal

MONTREAL, Feb. 6 (CP)—Further broad advances in potato prices were registered on the Montreal produce exchange today.

Quebecs sold at 60, N.B. Mntns at 65 and P.E.I. Mntns at 65.

Butter, No. 1 grade 24¾, solids 26, prints 27.

Eggs, A large 26, A medium 23, A pullets 22.

Cheese, No. 1 Ontario 12.

Wheat, No. 2 northern 86.

Barley, No. 2 C.W. 64.

Oats, No. 2 C.W. 53.

Flour, spring wheat patents 5.30.

Bran 23.25, shorts 29.25, middlings 33.25, hay 15.00, each per ton.

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, Feb. 6 (CP)—Grain futures quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat:				
May	82	82¼	81⅝	82
July	81⅝	81⅝	81⅜	81⅝
Oats:				
May	40⅝	40⅝	39¾	40⅛
July	40⅝	40⅝	39	40
Barley:				
May	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛	47⅛
July	47⅛	47⅛	46⅝	46⅝
Flax:				
May	145	145	143	144
July	—	—	143	143¼
Rye:				
May	51⅛	51⅛	50⅛	51
July	52⅛	52⅛	51⅛	51⅛

Cash wheat: No. 1 hard 79¼; No. nor. 78¼; No. 2 nor. 78¼; No. 3 nor. 71¼; No. 4 nor. 78; No. 5, 61; No. 6, 60; feed 59; No. 1 durum 87¼; No. 1 A. B. W. 71; track 78¾; screenings $11.50 per ton.

Exchanges

MONTREAL, Feb. 6 (CP)—British and foreign exchange closed higher.

Argentina, peso	.3583
Australia, pound	3.9180
Austria, schilling	.1189
Belgium, belga	.2279
Brazil, milreis	.0679
China, Hong Kong dollars	.4348
Denmark, krone	.2185
France, franc	.0657
Germany, reichsmark	.4007
Great Britain, pound	4.8868
Holland, florin	.6784
Hungary, pengo	.2684
India, rupee	.3713
Italy, lire	.0845
Japan, yen	.2860
New Zealand, pound	3.9085
Norway, krone	.3450
Poland, zloti	.1887
South Africa, pound	4.8810
Spain, peseta	.1383
Sweden, krona	.2393
Switzerland, franc	.3230

United States, dollar, 3-32 per cent premium.

(Compiled by the Royal Bank of Canada).

WORLD ZINC PRODUCTION

The zinc production of the world totalled 116,194 tons in November and 116,382 in October. The November daily average was 3,873 tons as compared with a daily 3,754 tons in the preceding month. The United States production rose 1.3 per cent in November to 35,033 tons. Stocks held by the International Zinc Cartel declined 1,038 tons in November to 122,741; on the other hand, stock in the United States increased 5,049 tons to 116,076.

Dow Jones Averages

30 industrials	100.22	off .52
20 rails	31.70	off .68
20 utilities	16.63	off .22

Vancouver Stock Exchange

	Bid	Ask
A P Con	.08½	.10
Amal Oil	—	.07½
Beaver Silver	.05½	—
Bradian	2.25	2.30
Bralorne	—	10.40
Bridge R Con	.05¾	.06
B R X Gold	.17½	.18
Cariboo Gold	.15	.20
C & E Corp	.78	.82
Coast Brew	13.50	13.90
Gold Belt	.31	.39
Hargal	.03¼	.05
Home Oil	.60	—
Int Coal	.16	.20
Joot Belle	.62	.65
Mak Lucar	.11	.11½
McDougal S Ex	—	.05
McLeod	.41	.45
Meridian	.15	.15½
Metalina	.02	.03
Model Oil	.25	.30
Morning Star	.09½	.10½
Nat Silver	.03½	.04
Nicola	.15	.17
Pioneer Gold	10.00	10.25
Premier Gold	1.48	1.49
Premier Border	.00¾	.00⅞
Quatsino	.01	.01½
Reno Gold	1.36	1.37
Reeves MacDonald	.12	.14
Sally Mines	.44	.48
Salmon Gold	.11	.12½
Spooner Oil	—	.25
Taylor Bridge	.19	.22
Vanalta	.07	.08½
Wayside	.08¾	.09
Wellington	.04	—
CURBS		
Alexandria	—	.02
Anaconda Oil	.03	.04
Bayview	.01	—
B C Nickel	.41	.42½
Big Missouri	.32	.35
Brew & Dist	—	.85
Can Rand	.06½	.08
Calmont Oil	.05	—
Congress Gold	.27½	.28
Crows Nest	.06	.06½
Dalhousie Mines	.00¾	—
Dalhousie Oils	.30	.33

	Bid	Ask
Devenish Oil	.02½	.02½
Dictator	.03½	.04½
Dunwell	.11	.12
Fairview	—	.15
Freehold	.07½	.08
Glacier Creek	—	.04½
Golconda	.28½	.32
Gold Mountain	.06½	.08
Geo River	.00¾	—
Granuview	.01½	.02
Grange	—	.16
Grull Wihksne	.05	.05½
Haida Gold	—	.08
Hedley Amal	.17	.18
Hercules Con	.01½	.01¾
Highwood Sarcee	.13½	—
Home Gold	.10	.11
Indian Mines	.01	—
Independence	.01	.01½
Jack Waite	.34	.36
Koot Florence	—	.00⅝
Lakeview	.00½	.00⅝
Madison	.00½	—
Mar Jon	.12½	.14
Mercury	.12¾	.13½
Merland	.18	.20
Minto Gold	.18½	.19
Morton Wol	—	.01½
Noble Five	.05¾	.06½
Okalta Oil	.04¾	—
Pend Oreille	.51	—
Pacalta	—	.07
Pilot Gold	.06¾	.07
Porter Idaho	.07	.07¾
Ranchmen's	.83	.87
Reward	.03¾	—
Royalite	—	#1.50
Rufus Argenta	—	.01
Ruth Hope	.02	—
Sheep Creek	.62	.65
Silvercrest	.01	.01¾
Silversmith	.06	.07
Taylor Wind	.15	—
United Empire	—	.08½
United Oil	.06	.06½
Vidette Gold	.51	.55
Viking Gold	.03¼	.04
Waterloo	.04	.04½
Waverley Tang	.00½	.01
Whitewater	—	.04¾
Ymir Yankee Girl	.53	.60

Toronto Stock Quotations

Anglo-Huronian	3.85
Astoria	.02¾
Ansley Gold	.20
Bagamac	.10
Barry Hollinger	.03
Base Metals	.58
Bobjo	.30
Bralorne	10.00
Can Malartic	.55
Castle Trethewey	.37
Central Patricia	1.17
Chibougamou	.09¾
Cobalt Contact	.02½
Coast Copper	1.95
Conarium	2.00
Columario	.08
Dome	35.50
Eldorado	1.10
Falconbridge	3.45
God's Lake	1.55
Granada	.12
Green Stabel	.27
Gunnar	.50¼
Hollinger	18.00
Howey	.35
Halgrow Swayne	.05
Hudson Bay	12.25
Int Nickel	22.25
J M Cons	.13½
Kirkland Lake	.37
Little Long Lac	6.75
Lake Maron	.03
Lake Shore	49.50
Lee Gold	.01½
Macassa	2.41
Man & Eastern	.06¾
McIntyre	38.50
McWatters	.70
McMillan	.32
McVittie	.37
Maple Leaf	.08
Mining Corp	1.02
Newbec	.02
Nipissing	2.30
Noranda	31.50
Parkhill	.30
Paymaster	.17
Pend Oreille	.51
Pickle Crow	2.41
Pioneer	6.05
Premier	1.48
Read Authier	.41
Reno Gold	1.36
St Anthony	.30
San Antonio	4.05
Sherritt Gordon	.40
Siscoe	2.25
Stadacona	.30
Sudbury Basin	1.33
Sylvanite	3.22
Teck Hughes	3.75
Toburn	1.21
Ventures	.90

Wright Hargreaves	5.40
Wayside	.08¾
White Eagle	.03¼
Waite Amulet	.50
OILS	
Acme	.20
Ajax	.86
Associated	.10
A P Con	.08½
Bailac	.03
Calmont	.05
C & E Corp	.78
Chemical Research	1.95
Commonwealth	.04
Dalhousie	.30
Eastcrest	.09
Foothills	.21
Home	.58
Merland	.19
Royalite	21.00
S W Pete	.06
Model	.23
Nordon	.04¾

Total sales: 280,898 shares.

Average: Golds, up .03; down 43.

INDUSTRIALS	
Abitibi	1⅛
Beauharnois	6½
Bell Telephone	135½
Brazilian Traction	9⅝
Brew Corp	2¾
B A Oil	15¼
Can Bread	8
Can Bud	8
Can Car	7
Can Cement	37½
Can Ind Al "A"	9¾
Can Pacific	13⅝
Cons Bakeries	17
Cons Smelters	120
Distillers	16
Dom Bridge	37½
Dom Stores	10⅝
Ford "A"	20
Gen Steel Wares	4¼
Hiram Walker	29
Imperial Oil	16⅛
Imperial Tobacco	15
Int Pete	29
Massey Harris	4⅛
Montreal Power	20½
Nat Steel Car	16
Power Corp	8
Shawinigan	18⅛
Steel of Canada	44
BANKS	
Canada	58½
Commerce	160
Montreal	167
Royal	170
Nova Scotia	250
Toronto	223½
Dominion	185½
Royal	170

Quotations on Wall Street

	High	Low	Close
Allegheny	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Al Chemical	194½	189½	193½
Am Can	112⅝	112⅝	112⅝
Am For Pow	4	3⅝	3⅝
Am Pow & Li	3⅝	—	3⅝
Am Smelt	32⅝	32¼	32
Atlantic Re	24	—	24
Am Telephone	104	102	102
Am Tob "B"	82½	82	82½
Anaconda	10⅛	10	10⅛
Aviation Corp	4⅝	4⅛	4⅛
Atchison Ry	42⅝	41⅝	42
Auburn Mo	22⅝	22½	22½
Baldwin Loco	5⅝	5⅛	5⅛
Balt & Ohio	10⅝	—	10⅝
Bendix Av	14⅝	14⅛	14⅛
Beth Steel	29⅛	28½	28⅝
Canada Dry	13	—	13
Can Pacific	13⅝	13½	13⅝
Cerro de Pasco	40⅝	39⅝	40
Ches & Ohio	41⅝	41	41
Chi & N'west	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Chlids	8⅝	—	8⅝
Cons Gas	18½	18⅝	18⅝
Curtiss Wright	3⅝	—	3⅝
Dupont	93⅝	92½	92⅝
East Kodak	112	—	112
Elec Auto	23⅝	23½	23½
Elec Pow & Li	3⅝	3⅛	3⅝

	High	Low	Close
Erie Rly	10½	10⅛	10⅛
Freeport Tex	20⅝	20	20⅛
Gen Asphalt	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
Gen Electric	23	22½	22⅝
Gen Foods	33⅝	33⅛	33⅝
Gen Motors	30⅛	30	30
Gold Dust	16	15⅝	15⅝
Goodyear	21½	21	21
Int Nickel	22⅝	22½	22½
Int Telephone	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛
Kenn Copper	16⅛	16	16⅛
Mont Ward	25⅝	25½	25½
Na Pow & Li	6⅝	6⅛	6⅛
N Y Central	16⅝	16	16
Packard	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Pennsylvania	20⅛	20	20
Rem Rand	9	8⅝	8⅝
Shell Union	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Stan Oil of Cal	30⅛	29⅝	29⅝
Stan Oil of N J	39⅝	39½	39⅝
Texas Corp	19½	19⅛	19⅝
Texas Gulf Sul	34⅝	34	34
Timken Roller	33	32⅝	32⅝
Un Carbide	46	45⅝	45⅝
U S Rubber	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
U S Steel	35⅝	34⅝	35⅛
Van Steel	17	16⅝	16⅝
Westinghouse	37	36⅝	36⅝
Worth Pump	—	—	16⅛
Wrigley	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝

Montreal Stock Prices

Associated Brew	12
A P Grain	2½
Bell Telephone	135½
Beauharnois	6⅝
Brazilian	9⅝
B C Power "A"	27
Building Products	20⅝
Can Cement	37⅝
Can Car & Foundry	7⅝
Can Pacific	13⅝
Dom Bridge	37½
Dom Glass	116
Dom Tar & Chem	5½
Donnacona Paper	1⅝
Hamilton Bridge	4⅝
Hollinger	18
Gypsum	6
Ind Alcohol	8⅝
Cons Smelters	120½
Montreal Power	20⅝
Nat Brew	32
Int Nickel	22½
Power Corp	8⅝
Ogilvie Flour	180
Quebec Power	18
Shawinigan	18½
Sherwin Williams	14½

Steel of Canada	44¼
Nat Steel Car	16
Can Steamship	2
Winnipeg Elec	2
Cockshutt Plow	7
Int Util "A"	2
Int Util "B"	30
McColl Frontenac	14⅝
Canada Malting	30
CURBS	
Brit Amer Oil	15⅛
Can Dredge	21½
Dist Seagrams	15⅝
Dom Stores	10⅝
Page Hersey	7⅝
Hiram Walker	29⅝
Imperial Oil	16¼
Int Pete	29
Imperial Tobacco	15⅝
BANKS	
Commerce	167½
Montreal	168
Royal	170
Toronto	223
Nova Scotia	250
Bank of Canada	85

MONTREAL SILVER PRICES

MONTREAL, Feb. 6 (CP).—Silver closed easier with prices 15 to 40 points lower. There were no sales. Closing bids: Feb. 53.65; March 53.75; May 53.85; July 54.35; Sept. 54.85.

WHEAT EXPORT CLEARANCE UP

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP)—Export clearances of wheat for the week ended February 1, amounted to 2,218,480 bushels, an increase of 408,347 bushels compared with the previous week, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported today. This was a decrease of 864,973 bushels, however, in comparison with the corresponding week last year.

DENTONIA HAS ACTIVE TIME

Closes Up a Cent on Coast List; Little Doing in Silvers

VANCOUVER, Feb. 6 (CP) — Trading was a little more active on the Vancouver stock exchange today and the trend was generally stronger.

Dentonia was the trading feature and closed with a net gain of one cent at 44½ after selling up to 47. Bralorne finished at 10.25, up 25 and Bradian gained 10 at 2.25. Sheep Creek was up 2 and Congress, also fairly active, gained 1½ at 27½. Premier Gold firmed a point while Reno Gold and Taylor Bridge each lost a cent and Ymir Yankee Girl dropped 3 to 53.

There was little activity in the silver and base metal issues. Noble Five gained ⅛ cent at 5⅝ and B.C. Nickel was unchanged at 41.

Calgary and Edmonton was up 2 at 78 and Ranchmen's Oil gained a cent.

ALUMINUM PLANT AIM OF JAPAN

TOKYO, Feb. 6 (CP)—In pursuance of Japan's plans to produce her own aluminum, the Japan aluminum refining company will be formally incorporated five months hence, it is reported, with production on the basis of 6000 tons annually to start in autumn next year.

The company will use bauxite from the Dutch East Indies to be refined in a plant in Taiwan (Formosa). It has the backing of four important industrial organizations, Mitsudiehi, Mitsui, Furukawa and Sumitomo. These, with the overseas commercial development association, will take up all the paid up capital of 15,000,000 yen ($4,200,000). The full capital is to be 30,000,000 yen ($8,400,000).

J. A. Langley, commercial attache at the Canadian legation here, characterized the Japan Aluminum Refining Co., as "the most promising of Japan's various aluminum producing projects."

Over Million and Half Fine Ounces Silver Purchased

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP)—Silver purchases by the Dominion government since April 1, 1934, totalled 1,583,320 fine ounces at a price ranging from 48.80 to 54.18 cents an ounce, Secretary of State C. H. Cahan told the house of commons today in reply to a question by Thomas Reid (Lib., New Westminster).

He also told Mr. Reid the gold output for 1934 was 2,994,295 fine ounces at an average value of $34.8398 an ounce.

Rail Bonds Heavy

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (AP)—Secondary corporation issues dropped sharply in today's bond market although a fairly steady tone prevailed in prime investments and government loans.

Railroad bonds were particularly heavy. There was little change in foreign bonds.

Exchange Rates

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (CP)—Sterling exchange steady at $4.87⅝ for 60-day bills and at $4.88⅛ for demand.

Canadian dollars: Today 3-32 per cent discount, year ago 1-16 per cent discount, week ago ⅛ per cent discount.

Franc 6.56¼ cents.

Lire 8.44½ cents.

Minneapolis Grain

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 6 (AP)—Wheat, No. 1 northern 107¼ to 109¼, No. 1 red durum 103, May 101¼, July 96¼, Sept. 90⅝.

Corn, No. 3 yellow 84½ to 85.

Oats, No. 3 white 51⅝ to 53⅝.

Flax, No. 1 184¼ to 193¼.

Flour unchanged. Shipments 20,195; bran 26.50 to 27.00.

Money

Closing exchange rates:

At Montreal—Pound 4.89, U.S. dollar 1.00 3-32, franc 6.57.

At New York—Pound 4.88⅝, Canadian dollar .99 29-32, franc 6.56¼.

At Paris—Pound 74.56 francs, Canadian dollar 15.21 francs, U.S. dollar 15.24¾ francs.

In gold—Pound 12s, Canadian dollar 99.80 cents, U.S. dollar 99.67 cents.

COAL DEALER FIRST WITNESS IN PROBE INTO B.C. PRICES

Whole Fuel Industry Including Gasoline to Be Probed

VICTORIA, Feb. 6 (CP)—Investigation into British Columbia fuel industries by Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald's royal commission will cover all phases of production and distribution, C. H. O'Halloran, inquiry counsel, stated today at the opening session.

"This may mean a detailed inquiry into the capital structures of the companies, the ascertainment of the actual amount of money expended in various enterprises, the actual value of undertakings or assets purchased, and a comparison of the actual value of the undertaking with the capital outlay purported to be represented in the capital structure," he said.

MONOPOLY OR FIXED PRICES

He declared it would be a matter to consider whether a monopoly existed; whether there was fixing of prices and "other factors at work which bring about addition of costs in the doing of business, which ultimately falls on the consuming public."

Mr. O'Halloran said it was proposed the commission devote the month of February to investigation of the cost of coal to the dealer and the consumer in Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster. After that, it is planned to investigate the cost of coal at the province's mines. The question of oil and gasoline costs will be taken up later, he said.

PROFIT IS $3.25

The first witness, W. A. Cameron, Victoria dealer, told the commission he paid $6.48 a long ton for Nanaimo-Wellington coal at the mine. The freight to Victoria was $1 a ton and the price to the consumer was $10.45 or a profit of about $3.25 a ton to dealers.

On some Alberta coals there was a greater spread, he said, and he believed the dealer should receive $4 a ton profit. He said his firm had lost money for the past two years.

Drumheller coal cost $2.50 at the mine and freight to Victoria was $5.50, Cameron said. Jasper coal cost $4.50 at the mine and another $4.50 laid down here. Freight charges on coal from Princeton, B.C., were $2.20 per ton.

BUY LONG TON, SELL SHORT TON

Witness estimated 10 per cent slack in each carload but said that, as dealers bought by the long ton and sold short tons this wastage was offset; he said Alberta coal was cleaner than Vancouver Island coal but the island coal contained more heat values. He knew of no dealers' agreement as to retail prices.

Questioned as to cost of deliveries, Cameron said screening, sacking and weighing cost 40 cents a ton, handling from car to yard 10 cents a ton; labor in delivering to customers, 40 cents a ton, exclusive of all equipment. He said gas and oil in deliveries totalled 20 cents per ton and the total cost of handling charges was $1.71, which did not include depreciation or salary to himself as managing director.

GOLD CLAUSE HURTS GRAINS

CHICAGO, Feb. 6 (AP)—Unabated anxiety as to the outcome of gold clause cases kept a wearying clutch on grain markets today, curtailing business and tending to pull prices down.

Cheaper offerings, too, of wheat overseas both from Canada and Argentina were reported. In addition, a British trade authority reduced by 32,000,000 bushels his estimate of Europe's wheat import requirements for the season.

Wheat in Chicago closed nervous unchanged to ⅜ of a cent lower, May 94⅝ to 94½, corn ¼ off to ¼ up, May 82⅝ to 82½, oats unchanged to ⅛ down.

B.C. Pays $282,034 in Tax on Gold

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP)—Since imposition of the gold tax last year the Canadian treasury has been enriched by $5,883,771, Finance Minister E. N. Rhodes said today in reply to a question in the house of commons. British Columbia's tax yielded $282,034.

Canadian Dollar Closes Lower

NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (CP)—The Canadian dollar closed slightly lower, sterling and the French franc a little higher in the foreign exchange markets today.

Sterling closed at $4.88⅝ for a net gain of ⅛. The Canadian dollar closed at 3-32 per cent discount against 1-16 yesterday. The franc, closing at 6.56¼ cents, showed a gain of .00¼ of a cent.

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MORE ABOUT G. G. M'GEER

(Continued From Page One)

All that Vancouver has won in its fight for more equitable grain rates has been equality from Edmonton. Grain from Calgary and all other points is still held up by unfair rates."

DRASTIC REVISION

"If Vancouver is ever to be a great distributing center for British Columbia and Alberta," the mayor continued, "there will have to be a drastic revision on rates eastbound as well as westbound."

When the question of a counsel to represent the city came up, Mayor McGeer said: "Well, I guess I'm the man for that. If I need any lawyers to assist me I will notify the council."

It will be the second time Mr. McGeer has stepped in as a champion of freight rates. In 1922 the present mayor, then practicing law here, was retained by the British Columbia government to seek concessions on freight rates to the province from the board of railway commissioners. After several years a number of important concessions were won.

The freight rates question came before the board of railway commissioners again when an application by Tom Reid, M.P. (Lib.-New Westminster), for lower rates on feed grains and mill seeds from the prairies to British Columbia was dismissed at Ottawa, January 19.

"FALL CLAUSE" PROTEST MADE BY CANADA

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP)—The "fall clause" in contracts between Timber Distributors, Ltd., of England and the Russian government selling agency is now the subject of representations by Canada to the United Kingdom government.

The Dutch elm disease so far has been reported from only two continents—Europe and more recently North America.

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MORE ABOUT WILL BAYLISS

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Wages cannot by any stretch of the imagination be classed as profits. Wages enter into the costs of production. Profit is that which is realized on the products above the cost in wages and factory incidentals such as raw material depreciation on machinery and equipment.

I did not say that genius would not be paid. But that most likely they will be satisfied to give world service instead of the circumscribed narrow national service. We do not eulogize great men. Great men are products of the conditions of their day. Their services under a planned society will receive greater appreciation than at present, but perhaps the nominal figure of their reward expressed in currency will not be as greatly different from the ordinary worker's reward as is noticeable today. The genius will have security in the broadest sense of the word. His or her activities, so long as they pertain to the well being of society, will receive every encouragement.

If the world progress depended on but two per cent of the people, we should never have arrived at our highly organized social and economic present day stage. With all due respect to the geniuses you mentioned, I give them so much credit as is due, no more, no less. Then Huss was hounded to death; Luther suffered same persecution; Pasteur was ridiculed; Garibaldi threatened with death. Many of the Greek philosophers were pounced upon. It is only recently, in point of time, when we have learned to appreciate genius. There are some geniuses who have died unrecognized by our class civilizations. Now I come to the most important part of Mr. Bealby's letter of Dec. 18th, 1934. He points out a mistake I made for which I gratefully thank him. I should not have erred thus had I thought it out, or looked up my notes on the subject of mysteries. I should have said that the seemingly mysterious is possible to a material explanation. I confess my mistake, but still maintain there is no mystery except in our ignorance granted that energy does not perish. Still in one sense there is disintegration and change. Two combustible gasses make noncombustible liquid. Vegetation results from nitrogen, phosphates, carbon and other chemicals.

I am afraid that Shakespeare understood very little about the socialist philosophy. But he may have read the philosophy of the Anarchists. The piece of poetry describes anarchism very well indeed. The anarchists are oppressed to anything in the nature of planned economy, of government as understood in our modern world. Yet I have no hesitation in saying that Shakespeare verses as quoted are but a caricature of even anarchism.

—WILL BAYLISS

Restoration of Hapsburgs Talk Among Austrians

LONDON, Feb. 6 (CP-Havas)—Restoration of the Hapsburg throne in Austria is likely to be seriously discussed with British states by Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg and Foreign Minister Egon Berger Waldenegg during their visit to London starting Feb. 24, authoritative circles said tonight.

Government House Luncheon Will Be Held in Ontario

TORONTO, Feb. 6 (CP).—The customary government house luncheon on the day following the opening of the Ontario legislature will be held as usual this year and will take place on Feb. 21, it was learned today at Chorley Park, official residence of Hon. H. A. Bruce, lieutenant-governor of Ontario.

Last week Dr. Bruce announced the cancellation of the state dinner which has been a feature of the opening of the session.

BRITISH RELIEF STARTS A BATTLE

20 to 30 Persons Jailed After Clash; Cabinet May Modify Bill

LONDON, Feb. 6 (CP cable)—The cabinet met today to consider modifying the provisions for unemployment relief under the unemployment assistance board while protests against the system were voiced through the country.

The government took note of the growing unpopularity of the "needs test" regulations framed by the board and Oliver Stanley, minister of labor, ordered a "standstill" on the regulations and promised that all cuts would be restored.

The protests took violent form at Sheffield today. Nine policemen were injured and between 20 and 30 persons arrested when several thousand people clashed with police. The crowd tried unsuccessfully to send representatives to interview the city council, Stones were thrown and mounted and foot police had to charge into the crowd before order was restored.

CROWN PRINCE MEETS HITLER; STARTS RUMOR

BERLIN, Feb. 6 (AP)—Political circles of the reich buzzed today over the visit of the former crown prince to Adolf Hitler Tuesday, but not a word about the incident appeared in the German press.

An extremist view was expressed by an old storm trooper who exclaimed: "What? Is Hitler ... for a viceroy whose family is later again to become the hereditary royal family?"

MORE ABOUT MEISNER CASE

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"The maximum penalty for robbery while armed is life imprisonment with lashes and I submit these should be given.

FIRST CASE OF KIND

"It would be a great deterrent to any person who intended to perpetuate such a crime in Canada. As this is the first case of its kind I submit the extreme penalty should be given."

C. W. Bell, K.C., M.P., chief of defence staff, was not in court when sentence was passed. He had complained earlier in the day of being indisposed.

Meisner stared blankly ahead as Howard Cluff, K.C., assistant defence counsel, addressed the court.

"Your lordship," he said, "you have seen the accused. You have noticed his health and his blind eye. I urge as light a sentence as possible be passed under these circumstances.

"Having been found guilty, there was no suggestion of physical brutality inflicted on Mr. Labatt. I feel safe in leaving the matter in your hands."

"How old is Meisner?" Mr. Justice McFarland asked.

"Fifty five."

"Stand up, Meisner," ordered the court.

Meisner stood erectly and looked straight at the presiding justice.

"You have been found guilty on the three most serious counts in Canada. The maximum penalty on each of the first two is 25 years; on the third it is life imprisonment with lashes.

"I am going to case your mind now. I am not going to impose lashes because of your physical condition and because there was no brutality in connection with the crimes you were charged with.

15 YEARS, NO LASHES

"The jury has found you guilty of three counts, and I think rightly so. But I want this sentence of 15 years on each of the three counts to run concurrently to be a deterrent to crimes of this sort."

Meisner did not speak. He turned in the prisoner's dock and went with his guards down the steps to the cells below.

WITNESSES DISAPPEAR

The final day of the trial brought most of the drama. When court opened Mr. Bell announced two defence witnesses had disappeared, supposedly having *returned to the United States.* They were Leroy Hall and Albert Seitter, police detectives from Covington, Ky.

Hall was the only defence witness to reach the witness box. He was called late Tuesday after the crown had taken nearly a week to marshall its parade of 23 witnesses to the stand. Thirteen of them, including Labatt, identified Meisner as one of three men seen at various places connected with the abduction.

FELL DOWN IN TESTIMONY

Before Tuesday's adjournment hall was subjected to merciless cross-examination. He admitted he had been indicted on a burglary charge in 1932, but said the case had never come to trial.

He declared Meisner had been in Covington, across the Ohio river from Cincinnati, the full month of August. Labatt was abducted on Aug. 14 and released in the early morning of Aug. 17 on the outskirts of Toronto.

While in the witness box Hall sought to make clear his contention he had seen Meisner last Aug. 17. He drew out a paper purportedly relating to other events of that day. Assistant Crown Attorney Norman Newton remarked briefly, "just as I thought; that is dated Sept. 17, not Aug. 17."

JUDGE DISBELIEVED HALL

When disappearance of the "alibi witnesses" was announced this morning, Defence Counsel Bell immediately rested his case.

Mr. Justice McFarland's comment on Hall's evidence, when his lordship charged the jury, was brief. He said:

"I did not believe a word of it."

Crown Prosecutor J. C. M. German in his address said of Hall:

"Did that man come up here to proect an innocent man? No, he came up here to lie. And when he was caught in his nefarious lie he took flight in his high-powered car."

PROTECTING SOMEONE ELSE

Defence Counsel Bell, opening his two-hour address to the jury, said it was a "possible conclusion that Hall and Seitter let down the prisoner in order to protect some other person responsible for the crime with which Meisner is charged."

Bell questioned if there had been an actual kidnapping. He said evidence showed Labatt had received good treatment at the Muskoka cottage; that he had been released after only three days; that Labatt had failed to cry out for help when stops were made on the motor trip from the abduction scene to the cottage.

DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR

He declared "if this was a kidnap, it was the sheerest on record," and described the detention as a "delightful affair."

Bell said the three men asked Labatt if he knew any good payrolls and this indicated they wanted him to become an accomplice to a robbery.

QUESTIONS IDENTITY

He attacked Labatt's identification of Meisner, declaring Labatt had never seen the sight defective's left eye and had sworn he had never seen the sight defection. Bell pointed to Meisner in the prisoner's dock. Meisner's eye was coated with a film.

The defence chief said witnesses in identifying Meisner meant they "believed" he was the man they had seen. Bell said he took the case to keep his barrister's oath that he would refuse no just cause, and described Meisner as a "small time" gambler with only $75 put aside for conduct of the case.

CHARGES WITNESS TIED

German, in the crown's address, declared there was a kidnapping and robbery by armed men. He said the defence throughout was one of alibi and charged Hall with lying in the witness box. He termed the defence theory of no actual kidnapping "absurd," and said Labatt had no chance to escape because of lameness and a heart ailment.

German said identification of Meisner was made not from photographs but from the man himself and that extra precautions were taken at police lineup to make identification fair.

MEISNER STILL DECLARES HE IS INNOCENT

LONDON, Ont., Feb. 6 (CP)—David Meisner will go to the penitentiary still protesting he did not kidnap John S. Labatt, and maintaining his innocence will one day be proven by the authorities who helped convict him.

"It won't be long until they round up the gang that did do the kidnapping, and then they'll know I was innocent," the little Kentucky gambler is quoted as saying to his brother, Richard Meisner.

Lumbermen Seek Standard Grades

MONTREAL, Feb. 6 (CP)—Lumbermen from all sections of Canada tonight brought to a conclusion the two-day convention of the Canadian Lumbermen's association.

Today the convention heard Hon. R. B. Hanson, minister of trade, recommend voluntary standardization of grades and sizes of lumber, listened to K. G. Fenson, lumber trade commissioner in the United Kingdom for the eastern Canadian lumber industry, outline export problems and elected W. R. Beatty of Pembroke, Ont., president.

"It may be found necessary for the government to take the necessary steps to improve the situation," Mr. Hanson warned, if the lumber industry could not regulate the standardization of sizes and grades of lumber and if consumers suffer as a consequence.

MORE ABOUT PARIS RIOTS

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the French president. Police said they were heading for the Place de la Concorde.

In the earlier roundups two shots were fired but nobody was hurt.

The Reds were picked up at railroad stations, subway entrances and autobus entrances on the outskirts of the city as they gathered from the "Red belt" around Paris and headed toward the center of the city.

YOUTH DEMONSTRATE

The Communists apparently responded to orders of their leaders to assemble at the Place de la Concorde. The Rightists sought to gather there after their memorial meeting tonight. They came from the outlying suburbs in large groups.

Meanwhile, the Patriotic Youth organization marched 3000 strong under police escort after the memorial meeting to the Arch of Triumph. There they dipped their flags in salute to the known soldier and dispersed.

Shortly after midnight the Place de la Concorde was practically deserted.

PREMIER HISSED

Premier Pierre-Etienne Flandin was hooted and hissed, the Place de la Concorde was splashed with red paint and milling crowds clashed twice with police in minor scuffles.

But the wave of blind anger inspired by the great Stavisky scandal and the political corruption it laid bare was gone, and tonight right and left wing extremists, war veterans and relatives of the victims of "February 6" maintained the "armed truce" they had pledged the government to observe.

MINOR CLASHES

Though leaders of the contending factions summoned their "political troops" to be ready to meet each other's "challenge" both the right and the left disclaimed any intention of breaking the peace.

Minor clashes marred the solemn ceremonies at which Paris honored those who spilled their blood in the Place de la Concorde last year.

Flandin had heavy forces of police, estimated at 14,000, at the danger spots. In the background was the powerful force of 20,000 mobile guards, in full equipment, with rifles and pistols, while an estimated 50,000 soldiers were also ready in the event the crowds got out of hand.

STUDENTS IN CLASH

There was scuffling before the great Cathedral of Notre Dame, where memorial services for the victims were held, as police sought to break up groups shouting "Down with Flandin." A more serious melee occurred at the Place St. Michel, where students crying "France for the French" clashed with the police, but there was no organized resistance.

The mobile guard, violently blamed by parts of the crowd for "brutality" during the 1934 riots, was the center of a demonstration of 300 persons who gathered at police headquarters and showered the guards with garbage snatched from riverside cars until policemen drove them off.

PREMIER PALE AND CALM

Flandin himself, pale but immobile in the face of the jeers and catcalls that met him, went out of his way to pay tribute to the dead of 1934.

After the service at Notre Dame cathedral, he bowed before the cenotaph symbolical of the dead and then turned toward the families of the victims to bow again.

As he left his office to go to the cathedral, extremists who resented his action in forbidding their scheduled parade hurled imprecations at him, and the premier's chauffeur wanted to drive faster.

"No drive slowly," the towering, war-time aviator ordered. "If anybody wants to get me, they can do it now."

Vessel Is Ashore Close to Siwash Rock, Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Feb. 6 (CP).—The steamer Cruiser of the Pacific Navigation company went ashore today in the heavy fog near Siwash Rock, landmark on the shore of Stanley Park at the entrance of Vancouver harbor. No one was injured and a Pacific Salvage company vessel took the passengers off. The mishap was the third in three days of heavy fog on Vancouver harbor.

PLOT DISCOVERED

GUADALAJARA, Mexico, Feb. 6 (AP)—Military headquarters today anounced the arrest of six alleged leaders of a plot to overthrow the federal government by revolution.

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CHEAPER PRESS RATES SOUGHT

CAPE TOWN, Feb. 6 (CP cable via Reuters)—Concrete steps toward securing reduction in cable and wireless rates in the Empire, with the aim of increasing the flow of news between the members of the British commonwealth of nations and thereby strengthen its solidity, were approved today by the fifth imperial press conference.

With the understanding that delegates, who represent all parts of the Empire including of course Canada, may discuss the matter further at future sessions in Johnnesburg, the Empire Press union adopted a resolution moved by Belamore MacKay of the Sydney (Australia) Sun, and warmly seconded by E. Norman Smith of the Ottawa Journal, leader of the Canadian delegation.

This resolution called for establishment of a committee to work in London for a "prompt review" of press cable and beam wireless rates not only from the United Kingdom to all parts of the Empire, but between Empire points outside of the United Kingdom. It suggested the "surplus" communications facilities now existing could be utilized through a low deferred-press rate which would not be more than two cents a word.

"PADDY" HODNETT DIES, AGED 100

KAMLOOPS, B.C., Feb. 6 (CP)—Patrick (Paddy) Hodnett, centenarian pioneer of the British Columbia Cariboo, is dead here. He came from Ireland to Vancouver when that city was a small settlement known as Gastown. He moved to the mining camps of the Cariboo 60 years ago and remained in area near Barkerville without a trip to the outside world until 1926, when he came here. He was aged 100.

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(589)

WHAT IS THE MODERN CONCEPTION OF A USEFUL EDUCATION? Nelson Teachers and Board of School Trustees will be disappointed if you do not hear Professor Dilworth answer that question in St. Paul's Church this evening at 8 o'clock. Admission Free. (6)

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LESS THAN TWO YEARS TO GO

Toronto's new famous "maternity sweepstakes" is nearing the deadline. To the Toronto mother who bears the most children during the 10-year period ending October, 1935, the estate of the late Charles Miller wills $500,000 plus interest. Dark horse in the contest is Mrs. Matthew Kenney, who is seen at TOP with her husband and three children and their playmates. Mrs. Kenney has had 10 children to date. Below is seen Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Darrigo, who are among the contenders with seven children eligible.—(Photos by Roy Task, Associate Screen News.)

Pappa Dionne Named Member of Famous Paul Bunyan Club

BAYFIELD, Wis., Feb. 6 (CP)—Papa Oliva Dionne, father of Ontario's quintuplets, along with President Roosevelt and a few others who have made a name for themselves, was named an honorary member of the Mystic Knights of the Blue Ox tonight.

The blue ox was the fabulous steed of the mythical Paul Bunyan, mighty hero of northwest lumberjacks.

Other honorary members named by the order's executive council are Huey Long, "Dizzy" Dean, Will Rogers and Mae West.

Dominion Status Ultimate Goal in the Indian Policy

LONDON, Feb. 6 (CP Cable)—A definite pledge that Dominion status was the ultimate goal of British policy in India was given today by Sir Samuel Hoare, secretary of state for India, as debate opened in the house of commons on second reading of the bill providing a new constitution for that country.

The reiteration was considered as the answer of the government to criticisms levelled in many quarters against omission from the proposed bill of any mention of Dominion status.

COMMITTEE WILL DISCUSS CANADA'S BEAM TRAWLERS

OTTAWA, Feb. 6 (CP)—The contentious question among maritime fishermen whether beam trawlers should continue operations along the Atlantic coast will be discussed by the house of commons fishery committee.

I. A. Macdougall, Conservative member for Inverness, moved in the house today to withdraw Dominion licences for trawlers but accepted the suggestion of Hon. Grote Stirling, acting minister of fisheries, to refer the question to the committee.

As in the past, party lines were divided when the trawler question was debated, although most members argued the three boats now licenced were needed to assure continuity of supply for the Canadian market. The minister offered no opinion.

WOULD ABOLISH OFFICE OF LIEUT.-GOVERNOR, SASK.

REGINA, Feb. 6 (CP)—The abolition of the office of lieutenant-governor in Saskatchewan as a means of curtailing expenses on "something that is not essential," was advocated in the Saskatchewan legislature today by Clarence Stork, Co-operative Commonwealth Federation member for Shaunavon, during the closing hours of the budget debate.

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