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Aerial Offensive Is Hurled at Italians

Airdrome and Railway Bombed in Westward Push to Bengasi; Barentu Occupied in Eritrea; Fascists Flee

CAIRO, Feb. 3 (AP)—British forces, gathering strength for an assault on the key concentration of Italian troops in Bengasi, Libya, today hurled an aerial offensive 300 miles farther West with heavy bombing of an airdrome and railway centre South and West of Tripoli—almost to the border of French Tunisia.

The communique of the Middle East Command said that Castel Benito, 15 miles South of Tripoli and Zanzur, on the coast West of Tripoli, were heavily and successfully bombed Sunday and Monday.

The communique said:

"On Feb. 3, bomber aircraft of the Royal Air Force carried out very heavy and successful raids on Castel Benito and surrounding districts.

"During the night of Feb. 2 and 3, several tons of high explosive and incendiary bombs were dropped and at least seven enemy aircraft grounded on the airdrome were destroyed by fire.

"In addition other aircraft machine-gunned motor transport on the road west of the airdrome and on the main road near Zanzur, causing considerable damage. All our aircraft returned safely."

This air raid marked the farthest Westward push of the British forces in their African campaign and indicated that conquest of all Italian Libya—clear to the border of French Tunisia—may be the objective of Gen. Archibald P. Wavell's Army.

Meanwhile, other British forces were announced by the Middle East Command to be driving a wedge into the heart of Italian Eritrea to the East, occupying Barentu with the Fascist troops retreating under the pounding of land and air attacks.

The entry into abandoned Barentu took place Sunday after Royal Air Force bombers cleared the way with slashing low-diving attacks. It followed by a few hours the fall of Agordat, an important rail and highway centre 40 miles to the North.

British forces thrusting past Agordat in the Northern sector of the Eritrean front were in hot pursuit of Italians withdrawing toward Cheren, about 100 miles inside Eritrea and 50 miles Northwest of Asmara, Eritrean capital and ultimate British goal.

Supporting the operations beyond Derna, the R.A.F. Command said its planes inflicted numerous casualties on Italian troops and motor transport with machine-gun attacks at Slonta and Apollonia, West of Derna on the roads to Bengasi, next British Libyan objective.

With the British in command of Agordat, hub of a network of motor highways leading East, West, North and South, the Imperial forces were within about 70 miles of Asmara and 100 miles from Massaua, Eritrea's major port on the Red Sea.

R.A.F. bombers roaring ahead of the British ground forces smashed at concentrations of motor transports West of the Eritrean capital and scored direct hits on the Italian columns.

Fisher Becomes School Trustee

ELIAS FISHER

was elected to the Nelson School Board by acclamation Monday. A special election was necessitated by the resignation of Trustee Douglas Cretney, who has left Nelson to go into business on Vancouver Island. No other candidate entered the field to contest the election.

Single Raiders Attack Britain

LONDON, Feb. 3 (AP)—Single German raiders harassed British towns today and a senior Royal Air Force officer expressed the opinion that such forays would persist until a break in weather permitted a return to mass bombing.

But, continued the officer, superior aircraft and pilots of Great Britain "will again beat back any return to mass daylight bombing as a preliminary to invasion," despite the fact that Germany's first line air strength will be "measurably in excess" of Britain's on March 1. Britain, he held, is "a little ahead" in night bombing experimentation.

An air raid alert accompanied by a burst of anti-aircraft fire was heard in London shortly before midnight but the warning ended within a few minutes.

Raiders were reported over an East Anglian town, another in the East Midlands, two in Southwestern England and one in Wales.

The worst blizzard of the winter died down over the Strait of Dover after an all-day snowfall. The weather turned bitter cold and a gale swept the full force of the storm to the fog-wreathed Belgian and French coasts.

One raider was shot down today.

Missing Bomber Found, 7 Dead

OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 3 (AP)—Two men found the United States Army's missing two motored bomber today, half buried in the side of a mountain, about 70 miles South of here, with its seven occupants dead.

The huge bomber disappeared January 16 on a routine flight from McChord Field, Wash., to Muroc (Calif.) bombing range.

Harry and Bill Studhalter, brothers living in the Bear Canyon woods arrived in Morton, Wash., late today with news of the discovery.

C. I. Kimple, Publisher of the Morton Mirror, said the brothers told him they found the plane this morning about 20 miles Northwest of Morton in a dense growth near the base of Huckleberry Mountain.

The brothers said they had seen the plane January 16 when it passed over thier home at an altitude of about 600 feet. They said they could not figure out how the plane would negotiate the mountain while flying at such an altitude and, when it was reported missing, they started a search.

Spurred by a $1000 reward the brothers made three trips into the area. They said the journey to the wreck scene was so difficult that it would be nearly impossible for a search party to travel tonight. It took them eight hours to make the round trip.

Hitler Believed After Naval Base

LONDON, Feb. 3 (CP Cable)—The belief is growing that Hitler is determined to obtain Bizerta, French African naval base, and try a downward thrust through the Balkans in an effort to convert the Mediterranean into an "Axis lake."

Possession of Bizerta, 150 miles due West of Sicily, in addition to enabling the Germans to help the Italians withstand Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell's onslaught, would make possible German domination of the Sicilian Channel where Nazi dive bombers already are a menace to British shipping.

Informed circles do not believe a demand for Bizerta is contained in Hitler's letter to Marshal Philippe Petain, replying to proposals for collaboration in Europe. It is believed Hitler contented himself with a "request" for Pierre Laval's restoration to the Vichy Government. This would be considered the thin end of a wedge to sap Petain's strength and pave the way for Bizerta to be taken later.

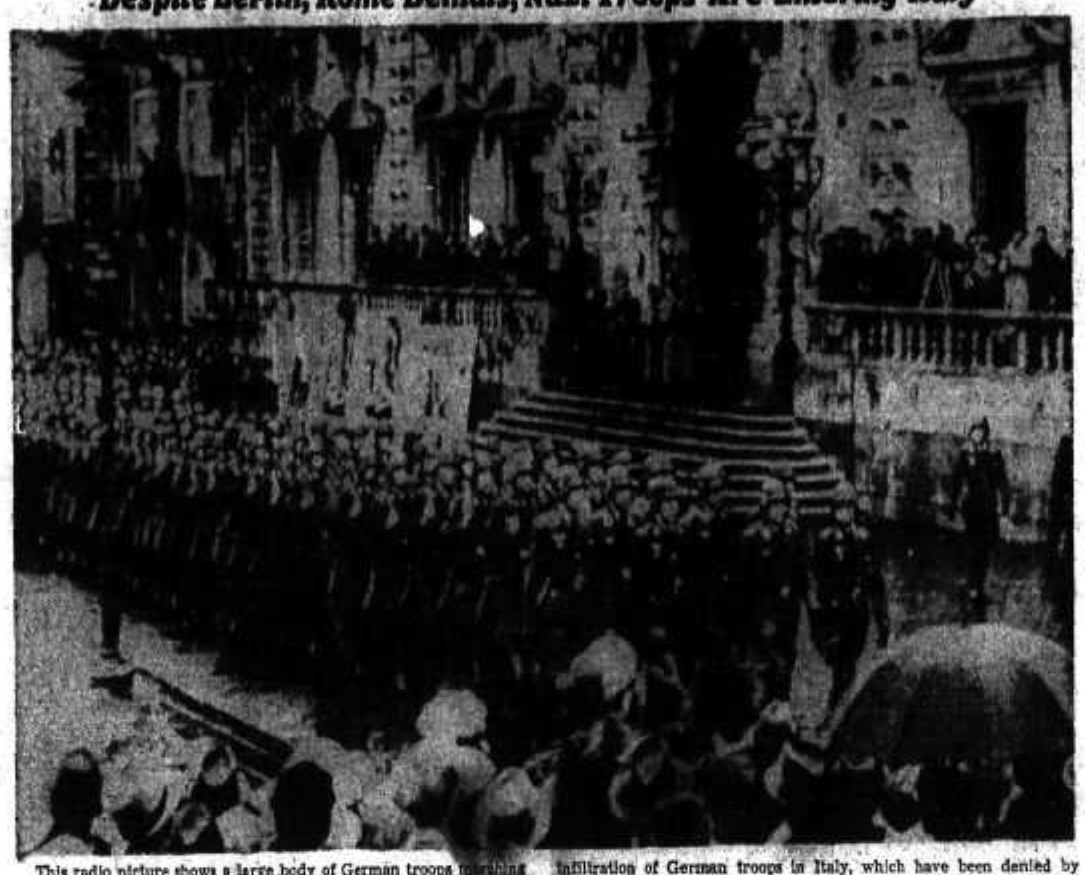
Germany holds two trump cards in negotiations with Marshal Petain—a threat to occupy all France and possession of 2,000,000 French prisoners.

Earl of Athlone Operates Machine

MONTREAL, Feb. 3 (CP.)—The Earl of Athlone operated a 1200-ton press during an inspection tour tour of a munitions plant in the Montreal area today. He arrived here earlier with the Princess Alice on a two-day visit.

After inspecting various operations at the plant and chatting with workmen in different departments, the Governor General was invited to don gloves and operate the press which puts heads on shell casings.

Despite Berlin, Rome Denials, Nazi Troops Are Entering Italy



This radio picture shows a large body of German troops marching through an unnamed Italian city while citizens watch the procession with mixed emotions. The picture lends credence to reports of the infiltration of German troops in Italy, which have been denied by Berlin and Rome. Persistent reports from Belgrade tell of rioting in Italian cities against the influx of the Nazi forces.

Cuban President Takes Hold of Army Forces as Political Storm Brews

Army Guards Throw Up Sandbags in Palace and Mount Machine-Guns at Gates; Military Heads Resign

HAVANA, Feb. 3 (AP)—President Batista announced tonight that he has taken personal command of the Army, Navy and National Police forces.

Shortly before his announcement Army guards threw up sandbags at strategic points inside the Presidential Palace and mounted machine-guns at the entrances.

Batista announced he has accepted the resignations of Col. Jose E. Pedraza, Chief of the Army, Lt.-Col. Angel A. Gonzalez, Navy Commander-in-Chief, and Col. Bernardo Garcia, former National Police Chief.

Col. Pedraza had only been appointed head of the National Police Force two days ago in succession to Col. Garcia.

Well-informed circles said Batista's Government is facing a political storm.

During the day the President held several conferences with high army officers. The subjects discussed were not revealed.

In taking charge of all Cuba's armed forces, the President announced that the attitudes of the three men whom he replaced were considered openly seditious.

President Batista personally took charge of the armed forces at Camp Columbia.

An order was broadcast to all service men who were away from home to return immediately to their houses.

Cuba's strong man President, Fulgencia Batista, is no stranger to violence, though he has experienced little more than the customary political ferment since he sprang to fame by leading the classic "Revolt of the Six Sergeants" on Sept. 4, 1933.

On that day, Sergeant Batista, who had become known merely as the best stenographer in the Cuban army, organized the non-commissioned officers and enlisted men behind him in a drive that ousted the army's officers and sent President Carlos Manuel de Cespedes packing.

It was acknowledged that at any time from that date Batista could have made himself President of Cuba. Instead, he chose to bide his time for more than six years, remaining as head of the nation's armed forces and the strong man behind the political scenes, keeping Cuba in comparative order.

In December, 1939, he resigned from the army and dropped his modest title of colonel — the only one he ever had accepted — and announced he would run for the presidency.

The job was his for the asking, but Batista chose to run for it, insisting that the opposition candidate, former President Ramon Grau San Martin, remain in the field. Grau San Martin tried vainly to resign the candidacy.

As had been expected, Batista last July won an overwhelming victory at the polls, though the election was more placid than had been anticipated by some. He was inaugurated in October for a four-year term. Under Cuba's new constitution, he cannot succeed himself.

He was 40 last January 16.

British Strike at Northern France

LONDON, Feb. 3 (CP)—Royal Air Force bombers struck across the Channel in pre-dawn darkness today at objectives in German-held Northwestern France, the Government announced, following up weekend air assaults against both ends of the Axis.

A terse Air Ministry communique listed neither the precise targets of the R.A.F.'s bombs nor the damage inflicted.

It said merely that "targets in the Northwest of occupied France were bombed in the course of an offensive patrol" by a small number of bombers this morning and that all returned.

Steady attacks upon the Germans on the other side of the Channel can be expected "as we get stronger," a high Royal Air Force officer declared tonight.

Escorts of fighters with bombers are a great advantage in carrying the aerial war to the continent, he said.

R.A.F. bombers are paying particular attention to German oil, the officer said, adding that "oil is the Achilles heel" of Germany's motive power.

Another favorite target was said to be Germany's communications system with the view to slowing up the Nazi war machine whenever or wherever the opportunity presents itself.

"The bomber command already has established a good straight left," the officer said, "now it is busy strengthening a very formidable right under the impetus of British and United States production."

Late Flashes

HONG KONG, Feb. 4 (Tuesday) (CP)—The Chinese Central News Agency, in a dispatch today from Chungking, reported a large shipment of Japanese tanks and other war materials had arrived at Hainan Island Southwest of here.

Several German military experts accompanied Japanese officers on an inspection of the island's Western coastal defences a few days ago, the dispatch added.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 (AP) — A sweeping decision of the United States Supreme Court today upheld the constitutionality of the wage-hour law in all its phases and went on to overrule a 1918 decision which had denied Congress the right to outlaw child labor.

JERUSALEM, Feb. 4 (Tuesday) (CP)—The Australian Prime Minister Robert Menzeis, visiting Palestine on his way to London, said today he considered one of the most important results of British victories in Libya was their impact on French public opinion.

ILLEGAL ORGANIZATION

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP) — The Watch Tower Bible and Tract Society Incorporated has been declared an illegal organization under the Defence of Canada Regulations, it was disclosed tonight in an order-in-council published in an extra edition of the Canada Gazette.

Darlan Confers With Laval, Paris

VICHY, Feb. 3 (AP). — The French Navy Minister, Admiral Jean Darlan, conferred with Pierre Laval for several hours today in Paris negotiations aimed at meeting German demands that the former Vice-President of the Council be reinstated in Marshal Petain's Government.

Admiral Darlan was expected to return shortly with Laval, or bearing a report on Laval's conditions for reentering the Government from which he was ousted in December.

Friends of Laval said he expects to receive an important portfolio, possibly the Foreign Ministry. They said Laval took the position that if he returns he should be placed in full charge of Franco-German negotiations and with an understanding that there would be no divergence in opinion on what constitutes "collaboration."

French political circles believe Darlan sought to settle Laval's position now and "create a favorable atmosphere" for the broader questions of French-German relations.

They considered it likely that important changes would be made as a result of Admiral Darlan's trip with possibly a triumvirate of Ministers — Admiral Darlan, War Minister Gen. Charles Huntziger, and Laval — exercising power under Petain.

Churchill Receives Kimberley Donation

LONDON, Feb. 3 (CP)—From the Kimberley, B.C., Branch of the "Smash Hitler" Fund for the "homeless and suffering" in Great Britain Prime Minister Churchill received £1180 (about $5000). He forwarded it to the Lord Mayor of London's national air raid distress fund.

MODERN FREIGHTER TO VISIT WESTMINSTER

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP) — One of the new type of American freighters just built by the United States Maritime Commission, will arrive at New Westminster Feb. 8 on regular schedule of the Pacific Republics Line.

The ship is the Mormacstar, of the C3 type, with sheltered deck, raked stem, cruiser stern, two complete steel decks and a third deck fitted below the second. There are five cargo holds, seven watertight bulkheads and collision bulkheads. There are accommodations for 12 passengers and the boat carried a crew of 47.

Rumania Names Revolt Leaders

BUCHAREST, Feb. 3 (AP). — Gen. Ion Antonescu's Government issued a communique tonight naming as the "big three" of the recent Iron Guard rebellion Horia Sima, Vice-Premier and Iron Guard party head, Gen. George Petrovicescu, former Minister of the Interior, and Director of Gendarmes Ghica.

Sima still is sought, the other two are under arrest.

The Government claimed Sima ordered Petrovicescu to order Ghica to turn over firearms from the gendarmerie arsenal to the rebels in an attempt by the three to seize power.

Severe punishment was ordered for any priests found to have been involved in the rebellion.

Viorel Virgil Tilea, former Minister to London who was dismissed from his post last Fall and remained in the British capital, was deprived of his citizenship for "anti-Rumania activity."

Captured Nazi Ship Torpedoed

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 (AP).—Marine circles said tonight that the former German passenger vessel Wahehe, captured by Britain and renamed the Empire Citizen, was torpedoed yesterday about 725 miles off the Irish coast.

The 4700-ton Wahehe was trying to reach Germany from Vigo, Spain, when seized last February.

Responsible sources also said the British freighter Urla, 5198 tons, was torpedoed and sunk last week about 475 miles off the Irish coast. Recently engaged in carrying supplies from Canada to England, the Urla rescued 17 sailors from the British freighter Lisieux, which foundered in a storm off Newfoundland last December.

Loss of the British passenger liner Apapa, 9333 tons, a marine link between England and Africa, also was reported.

The Apapa was sunk by Nazi planes off the Irish coast with a loss of 16 lives. Her captain reported on arrival at a Canadian port that 66 persons were saved, including six injured.

BRITISH SEAMEN TO MAN U.S. VESSELS

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP) — Bound for U.S. ports to take over American merchant ships recently bought by the British Government, a group of British seamen arrived in Vancouver today. They are the first of scores of seamen who will follow them.

JAPANESE JAILED

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP) — Sobie Kitagawa, Japanese, was fined $500 and sentenced to six months in jail by Magistrate Mackenzie Matheson in Police Court today for an infraction of the Excise Act.

Police said he was in possession of 20 gallons of mash suitable for the manufacture of spirits, when arrested.

6000 Enter Camps March 15; Others Following Months

Two Months of Advanced Training Included in Plan; 72,000 Compared to Original 250,000 Required for Year

By C. R. BLACKBURN, Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP)—Establishment of a four-month compulsory military training period in place of the present 30 days and complete reorganization of the training program to graduate 72,000 recruits a year was announced tonight by Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

The new program will start operating March 15 when 6000 to 6500 men will enter camps. Additional groups of the same number will be called up for the 15th of each succeeding month.

On July 15 the first group will have graduated, and a similar number will be turned out on the 15th of every month thereafter, with at least 24,000 men constantly in training.

This program will require only 72,000 to 78,000 recruits a year, compared with approximately 250,000 under the original scheme and the Prime Minister said it would appear likely the men required would always be available from the 21-year-old class.

"It has always been recognized that 30 days training would not fit a man to take his place in a fighting unit," the Prime Minister said in a prepared statement.

In the initial stages of the plan for compulsory training, the equipment situation did not make a longer period possible, he said. Under the new plan the training will be combined with that being carried on in the camps of the Canadian (active) army.

"Instead of continuing the 30-day training the Government has decided to have all young men, as they reach the age of 21, called for training for a four months' period," the statement continued. "Equipment can now be made available.

"Under this arrangement only those of 21 years will receive compulsory training unless circumstances change materially or the numbers in this age group prove unexpectedly small."

(About 78,000 men 21 years old registered last August during national registration).

Mr. King said the next training period under the National Resources Mobilization Act, would begin March 15 and would last four months. The time before March 15 would "afford opportunity for reorganization of the training centres and the training of instructional personnel."

The announcement said one reason for the change was that the original plan involved taking approximately 250,000 men a year away from civilian labor for 30-day periods, at a time when skilled workers were needed in war industries. The new plan was designed "to make the best possible use of Canadian manpower."

There will be no exemptions for those called up for this training but postponements may be allowed on principles to be worked out by the Boards of Review, chairmen of which have been called to work out details of the new programs.

"The four months' period of training will be divided into basic training for months and advanced training for a further two months," Mr. King said. "At the end of the first two months of basic training, those who volunteer and are accepted for the Royal Canadian Navy or the Royal Canadian Air Force will be withdrawn, and will go to naval or air force schools.

"The others will go to advanced training schools where special training will be given in the particular arm of the service (infantry, artillery, signals, army service corps, ordnance, etc.)

"Consideration will be given to the preference of the men themselves as to the branch of the service for which they would like to qualify."

At the end of four months, unless the recruit volunteers and is accepted for some active unit in which there is a vacancy, he will be posted to a reserve unit and return to civil life. He will be liable to recall if he should be required for service in Canada or for additional training.

"Because of their age it is expected that a number of those returning from training schools will enter youth training schemes and qualify for work in connection with war production," the statement said.

Recruits called up under the National Resources Mobilization Act and volunteers for the active army will all go to the basic training camps for their first two months' training.

These camps now have accommodation for about 40,000. When the plan is in full operation about 24,000 of the men in training will be those called up under the act.

The call-up will be made under the same circumstances as men up to now have been called for the 30-day training plan.

There have been three call-ups of approximately 27,500 each for the 30-day training periods. The third period now is in progress. Men have been called to undergo medical examination for the fourth training period but it is assumed their call now will be altered to meet the new plans.

Spitfire Blows Heinkel to Bits

LONDON, Feb. 3 (CP)—A Spitfire fighter, its cannon roaring point-blank range, blew a Heinkel bomber to bits over the Thames Estuary today.

"It was like having a dustbin emptied into your face," the 21-year-old Spitfire pilot said after diving through the hail of debris.

The flier said he sighted the Heinkel at 3000 feet, while cruising 1000 feet below.

Climbing steeply, he said he "crept to within 50 yards of the bomber."

"Then I opened fire. The result was amazing. I hadn't given him more than a two-second burst when pieces of the bomber flew off like chips and so blinded me I had to stop firing and dodge out of the way."

He described how the bomber crew bailed out and said he had a long look at the Heinkel as it plummeted to earth with "some terrific holes in it."

In his excitement, the Royal Air Force pilot left his radio transmitter turned on and listeners at his base plainly heard him shout, "I've got him! I've got him!"

Then they heard only the drumming of the powerful Merlin engine for moments until suddenly the Spitfire pilot's voice exclaimed, "Hell's bells — he's gone all to pieces."

Two More Ships Are Ordered From Coast

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP) — Orders for two more 9500-ton steel cargo ships, valued at $3,600,000 were received this afternoon from Ottawa by the Burrard Dryd[ock] Company, Clarence Wallace, Presi[dent] announced.

The two are in addition to six already ordered in a $12,000,000 contract. They are being built for Brit[ish].

Construction of the $600,000 addition to the Burrard plant, where the cargo ships will be constructed has already been started.

Employment will be given about 1600 men when production gets in[to] full swing at the shipyards.

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Forecast: Kootenay: Fresh Sou[th]east winds, mostly cloudy and [rain] with showers toward night.

Level of the West Arm at Nel[son] Monday was 2.10 feet above the [low] water mark.

Inspector Kearns Leaves B.C. Game Branch to Become Flying Officer; Again in Rank He Held in Last War

Pays Warm Tribute to Sportsmen Backing Game Branch

C. F. Kearns of Nelson, for nine years in charge of Game Branch work in Southern Interior British Columbia, is on his way to Toronto to become Flying Officer Kearns, attached to the Link Trainer Division. Accepted recently as an experienced pilot of the first Great War, he has been ordered to report at Toronto and planned to leave on the Eastbound train at 1:30 Tuesday morning.

He has been granted indefinite leave of absence, and while he is with the Royal Canadian Air Force C. H. (Jimmie) Robinson, veteran fisheries official, will have charge of B. Division work.

Inspector Kearns is known throughout the Southern Interior. His district extended from Princeton through the Lower Okanagan Valley to the Boundary and the Kootenays, and North to Revelstoke. There is little of his district, B Division, that he does not know intimately; and his friends and acquaintances are legion.

PASSES MEDICAL BOARD

Following an announcement that physically fit pilots of the first Great War would be accepted for service, Inspector Kearns forwarded his application and in December went to Calgary for Medical Board examination.

He received notice of his appointment as a Flying Officer in the Royal Canadian Air Force a few days ago after he had returned from a wearying trip on snowshoes through damp heavy snow. Even his pleasure in receiving the appointment was unable to quench a typical Kearns epigram: "From snowshoes to wings."

Kearns was not sure what his work would be. Many fliers of the First Great War were engaged in instructional and administrative duties, he pointed out.

FORMER ARTILLERYMAN

In the first Great War Kearns enlisted in the artillery, and in 1917 transferred to the Royal Flying Corps, which later was absorbed into the Royal Air Force. He was engaged in North Sea patrols in 1918 and spent the Summer of 1919 in Northern Russia with a British Expeditionary Force which was fighting the Bolsheviks.

Following his return to Canada he took a refresher course in the Canadian Air Force in the Spring of 1921. He returns to the Royal Canadian Air Force with the rank he held when discharged.

Kearns joined the B. C. Game Department July 15, 1921, at Vancouver, and this year was his twentieth with the Department. From Vancouver he was sent to Pender Harbor and then to Van Anda on Texada Island. Transferred to Sicamous, he remained there only a short time, being moved to Salmon Arm, where he remained for several years. He was transferred to Nelson in February, 1932, as Game Warden in Charge of the Division, and was promoted through successive ranks until he was named Inspector.

TRIBUTE TO SPORTSMEN

"The duties of game enforcement have been extremely interesting," he stated Monday afternoon as he completed transferring these duties to Mr. Robinson.

"They have been made more interesting by the Rod and Gun Clubs and Fish and Game Associations through which we deal, and which are keenly interested in British Columbia's great natural resource—hunting and fishing.

"That the B. C. Game Department ranks as one of the leading conservation organizations in America is due in great measure to the public support it receives from these clubs, associations, not only moral support in enforcement of laws and regulations, but also active support in the construction and maintenance of fish rearing ponds and so on.

MORE GAME THAN EVER

"There is more wild game, both animals and birds, in British Columbia now than ever. The fur trade of the Province is being maintained by its system of permanent traplines, in which British Columbia leads any state or Province. This is proven by the fact that the annual fur catch for 15 years has been maintained at almost the same level — it is not depreciating. Beaver are as numerous as they ever were, except in some farming communities.

"The public spirit of sportsmen's organizations is shown in their participation in fish rearing ponds and hatcheries," Kearns asserted. "When we talk of B. C. tourist attractions, fishing is our main attraction. We are at the stage where we can — and do — confidently invite tourists to come and guarantee them good fishing; the best fresh water fishing anywhere."

Members of the Game Branch presented their chief with a pen and pencil set in air force blue, and a pocketbook.

"One of the nice features about this job has been the amiable, congenial crowd I have had to work with," he said in reply.

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Trail Alderman in Hospital

ALD. E. J. PROVOST

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 3—Ald. E. J. Provost is a patient at the Trail-Tadanac Hospital, where he has undergone an operation for appendicitis.

Trail Overseas Soldier Sends a First Aid Kit

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—Pte. T. J. Teahan, of the Trail Veterans' Guard, has been sent a first aid kit from George Corbett, formerly of Trail, who is now with the Canadian Merchant Marine.

The kit is made in England, and is similar to those being used in the bombed areas in the Old Country. The kit is in a black metal box, and contains an assortment of bandages, scissors, a variety of salves for the treatment of burns, boracic crystals and other medicinal supplies. It is manufactured in Nottingham, and the kit and contents weighs about seven pounds.

New Heights Go to Greek Army

ATHENS, Feb. 3 (AP).—Italian resistance has been wiped out in 100 square kilometres (about 39 square miles) of mountain range North of Klisura, Albania, a spokesman for counter-invading Greek forces said tonight.

The heights occupied are in the Trebeshina Range, the spokesman said, and Italian counter-attacks failed to dislodge the Greeks.

The spokesman charged the Italians with ignoring Greek successes and denounced as a "deliberate lie" an Italian claim that the Greeks lost 300 dead in a recent set-back.

"News from the front is always satisfactory," he said.

In the course of the mopping-up operations near Klisura, the spokesman said, the Greeks "took some more prisoners and a number of Italians surrendered to our lines."

"The Italians also speak of patrol action by them," the spokesman said. "What actually happened is that over the whole front only one Italian patrol showed up but it soon came in contact with our advance posts and made off."

Trail Man Can Pick His Own Army, U.S. Draft Board Says

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 3 (AP)—The dual citizenship of Charles Williams, 29, of Trail, B. C., making him a citizen of both the United States and of Canada was recognized today by the Spokane Draft Board.

Tonight Williams returned to Trail where he works in a smelter, free to come and go across the border, his draft status deferred and the prospects of a job in Spokane in sight.

The Board decided Williams was a citizen of both countries after a lengthy hearing in which it was developed that he was born of American parents in Canada, but the parents later became Canadians and his brothers and sisters were all Canadians.

Because he supports his mother, he was given deferred status for military training in the U. S. Army and draft officials said he could ultimately pick his own army, Canadian or United States.

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Gas In Mine Caused Macdougall's Death, Coroner's Inquest Finds

Jury Wishes All Possible Precautions When an Old, Unused Section of a Mine Is Undergoing Inspection

While finding that Archibald Donald Macdougall, 29-year-old Sheep Creek Gold Mines Ltd. mining engineer, came to his death as result of coming in contact with carbon monoxide gas during an inspection trip last Thursday in the Queen Mine, a coroner's jury in Nelson Monday turned in a recommendation that it "be made compulsory, when inspecting old workings, that two or three experienced men should be instructed to remain together while in performance of their work. The head of the party shall see to the turning on of all the necessary air valves prior to their inspection, thereby overcoming any chance of accident or loss of life through lack of necessary air."

The jury consisted of H. G. H. Perdue, Foreman, T. D. DesBrisay, J. H. Vivian, E. J. Tinant, Patrick Lowick and Eli Mack. Dr. H. H. MacKenzie District Coroner, presided over the inquest.

It was explained in evidence given by four mining engineers that there had been no reason to suspect that poisonous gas was prevalent in an unused portion of the mine's workings where Macdougall and another mining engineer, Fred A. Hemsworth, made an inspection trip Thursday morning. It could not be conceived that there would be gas, and so, as was the usual practice on a mere inspection, they did not turn on the compressed air in that sector, it was revealed.

Macdougall and Hemsworth separated for a few moments, Macdougall exploring one stope while Hemsworth did another at Macdougall's suggestion. In testimony given by witnesses, it was said these men were experienced, and while it was the custom to send men in pairs in this work, they had enough experience to know what they were doing when they separated. It was brought out that had Hemsworth gone with Macdougall he might have possibly saved Macdougall's life by getting him to safety quickly and turning on the air.

DEATH BY ASPHYXIA

Dr. G. F. Young of Salmo, who was called to the mine in mid-afternoon to give treatment, and Dr. F. P Sparks of Nelson, who performed an autopsy Friday, reported that death was due to asphyxia. When Dr. Young arrived, artificial respiration was being applied to Macdougall at the main cross-cut of the mine, but the man was "apparently dead". He was unable to detect any definite pulse whatever, but he administered stimulants by hypodermic, and artificial respiration continued to be given. Dr. Young said that when rigor mortis began to set in, he pronounced Macdougall dead at 5:30, and the body was removed to the surface.

Hemsworth said that it was about 11:30 a.m. when he separated from MacDougall. MacDougall went in 581 West drift and Hemsworth explored 581 East and 583 East and West. Hemsworth was gone for about 15 minutes, and when he returned to where he had left MacDougall, he saw no sign of him, and surmised he had gone out of the mine ahead of him. He then went to lunch, but when he came back Macdougall still hadn't been seen. Investigation showed that Macdougall's lamp was missing from the lamp-house and immediately a search in the mine was instituted.

FIND BODY

With Hemsworth in the lead, the search party went to the stope where Macdougall had gone. Hemsworth flashed his light up the manway and saw Macdougall's body lying on the first platform 10 feet up. The stope, where the poisonous gas was, was 30 feet up and it was surmised that Macdougall was halfway up to the second platform on the second of the staggered ladders, when he was overcome by gas and fell back to the platform.

In turn Hemsworth and F. R. Thompson, Mine Superintendent, tried to climb up the first ladder, but they got dizzy and had to be assisted back down. The party realized what was wrong, and immediately the compressed air was turned on to clear out the gas. Macdougall was taken to the main crosscut where there was a good circulation of air and artificial respiration was applied.

NOT USUAL PRACTICE

When questioned by Dr. MacKenzie, Hemsworth explained that since there was no reason to suspect danger, the compressed air was not turned on just for an inspection, unless there was going to be considerable work there.

He and Henry E. Doelle, General Manager, suggested that the presence of gas was due either to fumes from powder blasts having settled there from some time ago, or from oxidation of ore and timber. And the gas, being lighter than air, would naturally rise up to this level. This stope had not been worked since a year ago last October.

Story of the accident was also heard from Albert Waters, Master Mechanic, who applied first aid, and was in the search party with Doelle, Thompson and Hemsworth.

H. C. Hughes, Mines Inspector for this district for the Provincial Government, testified that during his inspection of this mine about four times a year, he found the underground conditions "quite satisfactory". With the air compressor of 23,000 cubic feet per minute capacity, supplying the whole mine, he himself would have no hesitation in going through the mine, as was previously stated by all other four witnesses. He said he had no reason at all to suspect that carbon monoxide was present, describing the occurrence as unusual.

British Goods Convey Slogan

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 3—A consignment of men's wear, from a firm in London, England, arriving in Trail bore a bright sticker with the message, "Britain Delivers the Goods."

The slogan was ringed in the centre of a Union Jack, and in the black and red circle was pictured a thistle, shamrock, rose and leek, respective emblems of Scotland, Ireland, England and Wales.

Ghirardosi Says Lumber Was Not Obtained by Him

Charles Ghirardosi, of Randall Creek, Trail, who was convicted in Provincial Police Court, Trail, Saturday on a charge of theft of gasoline, arising out of his driving off from a Fruitvale service station without payment being completed, informed The Daily News Monday that a lumber bill of $40 the proprietor claimed was owing to him, had not been incurred by him, someone else having used his name without his authority or knowledge to obtain the lumber. The claim for $40 had been advanced by the proprietor previously as a reason for not paying $8 for work Ghirardosi had done for him in 1936.

Columbia Park Land Sale Bylaw Adopted by Trail Aldermen

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—The Columbia Park Land Sale Bylaw was finally adopted by the Trail Council Monday night. This provides the city with the lands on which the pumping system and part of the distribution main of the Sunningdale water tanks are located, in exchange for the installation of the equipment.

Kimberley High Wins Inter-School Cup

KIMBERLEY, B.C., Feb. 3 (CP)—For the second year in succession Kimberley High School has defeated Cranbrook High School in a two-game series for the Green Inter-School Hockey Cup.

The Kimberley team took the series this year by 11 points to three, defeating the Cranbrook School 3-0 here and taking a return match at Cranbrook by an 8-3 score.

Fernie High School, former holders of the Cup before it was taken by Cranbrook two years ago, may still challenge Kimberley in an effort to regain possession of the trophy.

Trail Anticipation Loan Bylaw Passes

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 3—Anticipation Revenue Loan Bylaw for $100,000 was finally adopted by the Trail Council Monday night.

Trail Fund for Victims $1477

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 3—The Trail Rotary bombing fund reached the $1477.44 mark Monday. Objective, set for February 15, is $2000.

Trail Enlistees Go to Vancouver

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—A. T. Jones of Rossland, and D. J. Mauro of Trail, both of whom enlisted for active service, left Trail for the Coast Saturday morning.

D. P. Davis of Summerland, also left Trail Saturday morning to join the Veterans' Guard Company at Cranbrook.

Stane and Besom Sweepings

By HOG LINE

The annual B. C. Bonspiel is over for another year. Our local representatives did not bring back anything other than a few small voices and the odd stiff spot. Nevertheless they are not discouraged as a few of the boys are already making plans as to how they will overcome this at the next. The boys are perfectly happy about the whole thing as they had a grand time. The Trail Curling Club are perfect hosts. The ice was good too.

Did a certain rink get sweet revenge Sunday! The skip of the losing rink is still trying to figure out how a certain member of his rink could throw 20 rocks and only make two shots.

A member of one of the bonspiel rinks can supply those interested information as to becoming a millionaire over night.

Trail Council Will Buy 15 Dozen Lamps for Street Lighting

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 3—Purchase of 15 dozen lamps for street lighting from the West Kootenay Power & Light Co., Ltd., at a cost of $450, and parts for the lamps from the Northern Electric Company, estimated at $136, was authorized by the Trail City Council Monday night.

Trail Fire Loss in January Totals $5

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—January fire report submitted by A. A. MacDonald, Trail Fire Chief, to the Trail City Council Monday night listed 132 inspections; five orders served under the Fire Marshal Act, with no appeals; and two alarms. Three drills were held in places of public assembly.

Alarms resulted from a short circuit in the ignition system of a truck and the bursting of hot water coils in a kitchen stove. Property involved was valued at $450 which was not covered by insurance. Total loss was $5.

Vancouver Takes Over Second Place

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP)—Vancouver Lions defeated the Seattle Olympics 4-3 here tonight to step into sole possession of second place in the Pacific Coast Hockey League standings and cut Spokane Bombers' lead down to five points.

Dave Desreux, former Nelson player, picked up a goal and an assist.

Maitland Suffers Influenza Attack

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP)—R. L. Maitland, K.C., British Columbia Conservative leader, was taken to hospital today, suffering from an attack of influenza. He returned to Vancouver this morning after a speaking tour which took him to Winnipeg, Penticton, Nelson and Cranbrook.

Reimann Is Again President Trail Branch of Legion

GEORGE F. REIMANN

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—G. F. Reimann was reelected President of Trail Branch No. 11 of the Canadian Legion at the annual meeting Monday night. Other officers elected were: J. F. Millican, First Vice-President; T. Hinton, Second Vice-President; and W. F. Truswell, Secretary-Treasurer. B. A. Stimmel was elected Honorary President previously.

The Executive was named as follows: C. J. Wilson, C. F. Middleton, A. Sutherland, A. T. Smith, C. P. Jones, E. Ivison, Thomas Austin, William Rigby, J. Baines, R. Mullaney, Henry Simpson and James DeMaine.

W. M. Rae was named Band Representative and Rev. M. W. Lees was named Padre.

Trustees elected were E. L. Hodge, Rev. M. W. Lees and H. A. McLaren.

Members of the Legion entertain the Trail Platoon of the Veterans' Guard of Canada, and visiting members of the Canadian Active Service Force, at a smoker following the election.

No. 3 Platoon to Receive Trophy

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—Presentation of the Colonel Green Trophy, for rifle proficiency, will be made to No. 3 Platoon, No. 110 Company, Veterans' Guard, stationed at Trail, at the Trail Armory on Wednesday afternoon.

The presentation will be made by Lt. Colonel Green of Cranbrook, donor of the trophy. Lt. Colonel David Philpott, of Cranbrook, will also attend the ceremony. The Nelson Platoon will be present, and the Cranbrook unit will be represented.

Trail Collects $4500 in Trades Licences So Far

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—The Trail City Council was informed Monday night by Mayor Herbert Clark, that approximately $4500 had been collected in 1941 trades licences to date.

"Some 30 prosecutions have taken place in the City Police Court, and I know a lot of people are calling me hard names. If the electors want to kick me out of office for insisting on the collection of money due to the City, that is all right with me, but I think the Council's steps in this matter were perfectly justified," he said.

"We'll give them till July 15 to cool off and then, if necessary, we'll haul them up again," he added.

Trail Council Will Consider Revision of Trades Licences

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 3—Application of Palmer Rutledge, motorcycle dealer, for a reduction of his trades licence rate was deferred Monday night by the Trail City Council until a meeting planned for the near future to consider revision of the Trades Licence Bylaw. Similar applications have been received by the Council from various garages in the city.

Trail Assessment Court Scheduled for February 8

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 3—City of Trail Court of Revision to consider appeals against assessments on land and improvements will be held at Trail February 8.

Rossland Births in January Nine

ROSSLAND, B. C., Feb. 3—Two death, nine births and no marriages were registered at the Rossland Court House during the month of January, for the Rossland Registration District.

FREIGHT RATES FIGHT DISCUSSION PLANNED

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP) — A telegram from Attorney-General G. S. Wismer, now on his way back from Ottawa, said he would confer with the Executive Committee of the B.C. Freight Rates League tomorrow on plans for continuing the fight against increased transcontinental freight rates. The new rates went into effect Feb. 1. The telegram said Mr. Wismer would meet the Committee Tuesday afternoon.

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Old Timer of Cranbrook Dies

CRANBROOK, B.C., Feb. 3 (CP)—Charles Alfred Sneath, 80-year-old Cranbrook resident who retired two years ago as Branch Manager here for the Royal Bank of Canada, died today following a brief illness.

He was born in Ontario and started his banking career with the Crown Bank. Later he joined the staff of the Royal Bank, serving with branches in Barry, Ont., Winnipeg, Regina and Lacombe, Alta., before coming to Cranbrook.

Sneath was Master of Fort Steele Masonic Lodge, Number 30, Treasurer of the Cranbrook Red Cross, and a member of the Cranbrook Board of Trade. He was a nephew of Hon. Charles Stewart of the Alaska Highway Commission.

He leaves his widow here; two sons, Alfred of Regina and Donald, with the Canadian Army overseas, and two daughters, Jeanette in Vancouver and Isobel in Cranbrook.

Curling Scores

Scores of Nelson Curling Club play Monday night in the U. D. L. Cup event follow:

G. S. Godfrey 8, J. A. Smith 6; P. E. Poulin 6, William Brown 9; A. H. Whitehead 9, Roy Pollard 8; Robert Foxall 8, F. A. Whitfield 4; J. P. McLaren 9, E. C. Hunt 8.

Merchant Fined; No City Licence

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—W. E. Schwanz of 1440 Bay Avenue, Trail, appeared before Magistrate Parker Williams in City Police Court Monday afternoon, charged with carrying on a confectionery business without a city licence. He pleaded guilty and was fined $5 without costs.

Trail January Permits $200

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—One building permit, for repairs and alterations estimated at $150, was issued to E. R. Stevens, 1446 Second Avenue, Trail, in January. Permits for repairs and alterations issued in January, 1940, totalled $200.

Trail Has Record Volume of Press Wired for Month

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—A record volume of Press copy was filed at the Canadian Pacific Telegraph office during January. During the month 19,110 words were sent from the Trail office, the highest number of words in the city's history.

This was in addition to the news sent to The Canadian Press from the office of the Trail Daily Times.

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TODAY'S News Pictures

Canadian Doctors and Nurses for Canadian Troops in England

Canadian soldiers falling ill or becoming casualties in Britain are nursed in a Canadian-donated military hospital, attended by Canadian doctors and nurses, Col. C. T. L. Arthur, officer commanding No. 5 Canadian General hospital—as the Red Cross hospital is known officially—is shown, left, with Matron C. Lunn, who hails from Moosomin, Sask. The matron has the honorary rank of captain. Nursing Sister Adams, from Fort William, is pictured, right, enrolling a new patient.

Private Fletcher, who received burns from an incendiary bomb and is now being treated in the Canadian Red Cross hospital, has his hands soothed with oil by Nursing Sister Lowe of Winnipeg.

What to Do in an Air Raid

A sample of one of the numerous posters that dot London display boards these days.

Egyptian Dies

Mohammed Mahmoud Pasha, 59, Egyptian Minister of Defence and former Premier, who died Saturday.

In Ontario Cabinet

Farquhar Oliver has been appointed Minister of Public Works in the Ontario Cabinet to succeed Colin Campbell who is at present serving overseas. Mr. Campbell has been named Minister without portfolio.

Refugee Leaders Meet in London

Hearty, laugh-loving King Haakon of Norway, left, is photographed enjoying his conversation with M. Raczkiewicz, the President of Poland, when they attended a reception at the "Polish Hearth", a Polish club in London. Though these two men retain their titles, their lands are controlled by the Nazis.

Hiccoughs 12 Days

Singing in the bathtub 12 days ago, 16-year-old Joyce Wooley of Toronto, started to hiccough. She kept right on hiccoughing after every amateur method to cure her had failed. After hiccoughing for 12 days and losing four pounds, a Toronto hospital stopped the spasm by using carbogen, but would not guarantee the cure permanent.

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Following Air Rules Saved Pilots

MACLEOD, Alta., Feb. 3 (CP). — Because two student pilots — each unaware his place was locked with the other — followed instructions, their planes made a freak "pickaback" landing without serious injury to the men, aviation officials here agreed today.

Lac. J. C. McKeown of Ottawa and Lac. L. A. Bolli of Jasper, Alta., of the No. 7 Service Flying Training School at this Southwestern Alberta town were flying solo and practising landings Friday.

"Undoubtedly the gratifying feature of this unusual landing, along with the escape, of course, of the student pilots, was the highly commendable way they met the emergency," Wing Cmdr. Arthur James said. "Both of them did precisely what they had been instructed to do under such circumstances and because they did that, the story is as it is. The results might have been far different."

SYRIA FLOODS LEAVE THOUSANDS HOMELESS

DAMASCUS, Syria, Feb. 3 (AP). — Thousands of persons have been made homeless and a few have lost their lives in disastrous floods in Northern Syria, it was reported today. Bridges were said to have been swept away, fields inundated, cattle drowned, stocks of grain and goods destroyed and many houses demolished.

PLANS TO FORM SOUTH AMERICAN SQUADRON

MONTREAL, Feb. 3 (CP). — First Lieut. Nicopas Modesto Valle stopped off in Montreal last night on his way to Ottawa where he plans to probe the possibilities of forming an "Escadrillo Latino," or Central and South American squadron of the Royal Air Force. His father is Dr. Modesto Valle, present Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Nicaragua.

ONTARIO RABBITS TO BE SENT TO TROOPS

TORONTO, Feb. 3 (CP).—About 300 pounds of rabbits are to be frozen and shipped to Canadian troops in England as a result of a rabbit drive and fox hunt held in the Linwood District Saturday.

MRS. JOHNSON TO WED BUSINESS MANAGER

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 (AP). — Mrs. Osa Johnson, widow of Martin Johnson, the explorer and producer of wild animal films, will be married to Carl H. Getts, her business manager, at City Hall today by Mayor La Guardia.

2 HELD MURDER CHARGE

RIMOUSKI, Que., Feb. 3 (CP).—Rolland Dallaire and Emile Lessard were arraigned today on charges of murder arising from the deaths of six persons when fire destroyed the Hotel Des Vagues at Rimouski East Sept. 11, 1938.

The men were remanded for preliminary hearing Feb. 10.

LONDON (CP) — King George has received as a souvenir the Trades Union Congress gold medal which entitles him to attend any meeting of the Congress.

Canadian People Must Be Prepared for Greater Taxes

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP). — The Canadian people must be prepared to stand taxes greater than ever before and "must be ready and willing to devote every spare penny they have remaining to war bonds and War Savings Certificates," Walter P. Zeller, National Chairman of the Dominion's War Savings Drive, said in a luncheon address here today.

"Canada cannot be a land of luxury and the arsenal of the British Empire at the same time," he told the first public function held War Savings drive.

In connection with Vancouver's "Whatever the price of victory may be, it will cost money. There is not a man, woman or child in the country but will pay his or her just share."

Britain Expects 1000 U. S. Bombers by May

LONDON, Feb. 3 (CP).—A reliable source said today authorities expect 1000 United States-built bombers to be flying across the Atlantic for Great Britain monthly by May.

This figure will be well over the U. S. production rate, this source said, but will include planes built in the Winter months.

Great Britain is buying U. S. commercial flying boats to ferry the bomber pilots back across the Atlantic, it was added.

Three hundred pilots were reported qualified for the ferry service. The pilots, members of the auxiliary air transport service which includes 66 American fliers, were said to be planning on five Transatlantic flights each month.

JAPAN WILL IGNORE NETHERLANDS NOTE

TOKYO, Feb. 3 (AP).—The Japanese press predicated today Japan would ignore a Netherlands note rejecting participation by the Netherlands East Indies in any new order in East Asia.

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SOLDIER SENTENCED ON FALSE PRETENCES MONEY CHARGE

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE, Feb. 3 (CP Cable)—Russell Thomas Sayles, 28, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps private, pleaded guilty today to atempting to obtain $15 from a Newcastle bank by false pretences and was sentenced to four months' imprisonment.

It was reveal dein court that Sayles, native of Vancouver, was susnected of 26 similar offences in 17 towns. Police said he posed as a sergeant major with an account in the Bank of Nova Scotia at Halifax.

GERMANS TURN PLANT VINES INTO TEXTILES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 (AP). — German scientists, after six years of experimental work, have devised a process for turning hop plant vines into textiles, the Agriculture Department reported today. It was stated the hop fibers, after being processed, were found to be three times as strong as cotton, more resistant than hemp and free from wrinkling.

LORD LLOYD WEAKER

LONDON, Feb. 3 (CP). — Lord Lloyd, Secretary of State for the Colonies and Government Leader in the House of Lords, was reported "a little weaker" today from an illness which has caused anxiety over his condition. He is 61.

Report Thai Forces Break Border Truc

HANOI, French Indo-China, Fe 3 (AP).—French authorities charg today Thai forces violated a fro tier truce Feb. 1 by attacking an occupying Banhoueisai, French cu post near the Thai border.

Through the French Ambassad to China, Indo-China protested Tokyo the Japanese bombing Lungchow, Chinese town 50 mil from the Indo-Chinese border, which French Consul Jean Cama was injured last Tuesday.

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SERIAL STORY . . . . . By ELLIOTT FILLION

Murder Makes a Hero

CHAPTER TWENTY-NINE

That sound of breaking glass was ollowed by a moment of terrible ience. My thoughts flew to the reat chandelier in the living room. must have fallen! I was rushing or the door, my thought flying ere and there in wild imagining uppose someone was hurt?

There wasn't anyone in sight un- I turned the corner into the main all which stretched from the front f the house to the back. There I ught a glimpse of Janet's head isappearing down the stairs. There o came to my ears the sound of urrying footsteps on what I ought must be the back stairs.

I ran to the head of the long ight and, as I had done once be- re, called:

"Janet, Janet, wait for me!"

"Hurry up!" she answered back, a shaky voice.

I raced after her as fast as I dared. own the deep-piled carpeted stairs flew and caught her as she paused glance into the living room. The andelier still hung in place!

"Did you hear that noise!" she emanded.

I was out of breath from my swift scent; I could only emphatically d my head.

"What do you think it was?"

From the living room door she d dashed to the morning room ross the hall. Another quick in- ection there told everything was usual, and, with me trotting by r side, she turned toward the ck of the house.

"I don't know. I thought first that e chandelier had fallen."

She paused to look into the din- room. To me it seemed in its dinary condition, orderly, immac- ate. On down the hall we hurried. we paused the stairway which ded shielded the rear of the hall om our sight, I espied Jabez. He as drooping against the library or casing. The hopelessness of attitude brought terror to my art.

"Oh, Lord have mercy on us, have ercy on us!" he was mumbling as, eaking into a run, Janet and I ed to his side.

She was just one step ahead of when she reached him, and she first saw what lay within the room. I caught her as she reeled backward and would have fallen.

"Help me!" I cried, and Jabez, startled from his frozen posture, stopped his ceaseless frenzied muttering of "Have mercy on us!" and helped me ease her into a chair which stood near.

It was only for a moment that she yielded to the horror she had seen. She was up and out of the chair almost as quickly as we placed her in it.

"Jabez, call Doctor Barnett! Ask him to come here at once!" Her voice shook, every drop of color was drained from her face, but Janet Essex was not one to succumb weakly to trouble. With me at her heels, she entered the library, and then it was my turn almost to fall to the floor.

She gripped my arm, with a pressure which left blue marks there for days.

"Don't you dare faint!" she hissed in my ear. Her voice, as much as the pain caused by her grasp, brought me back to common sense, though I hated to look again at the figure sprawled across the big flat-topped desk.

As steadily as though she were performing an everyday task, she crossed the room, and bending over the crumpled form, laid her fingers upon the outflung wrist. I stood just inside the door and watched her. To save my life I couldn't have gone any closer.

When she returned to my side, her face was paler, if that is possible, than before.

"There isn't anything we can do." Her voice rasped my nerves with a new agony. "He is dead!" She stepped by me to the door.

"Jabez, when you've talked to the doctor, get Chief Crane's number. I'll speak to him."

Jabez's voice was muttering into the transmitter. Though the booth door was open, I could not distinguish one word. I wondered if at the other end of the wire they understood what he was saying, but evidently they did, for in another moment he stepped out of the booth and beckoned Janet to take his place.

(To Be Continued)

Science . . .

Religion Is Cure for Drunkards

By CAROLINE CHATFIELD

Dear Miss Chatfield:

Please tell me how to stop a man from drinking. No matter what day it is he goes out and gets beastly drunk if h cehooses and keeps late hours regardless of the fact that every member of the household needs rest to be up to par at work. ing time. Three-thirty in the morning is nothing for him despite the fact that he also has a job that demands his best. Three months ago he hadn't clothes to cover him nor food to satisfy hunger nor a job. Now he has the job but no sense of obligation to it. You cannot imagine what it means to live under the roof with a drunkard. No happiness here, no peace, nothing that makes life worth living. How can he be cured? Mrs. M.

Answer — The answer, my dear woman, is beyond me, except to point out that science and religion, separately, or together, sometimes do effect the cure. The drunkard is a diseased man mentally and physically, his drinking is merely a symptom of his disease and only when his drinking is approached from this angle can it be curbed or cured.

A psychiatrist can frequently put his finger on the spot of the drinking man's inadequacy, or his distresses, physical, mental and moral. The psychiatrist can give valuable suggestions as to how the pressure can be lightened, the burdens eased and the man restored to health. The psychiatrist can frequently point the way to the man's restoring his self-respect which is at lowest ebb when he becomes a confirmed drunkard. And that's where the grace of God comes in.

The wife who suffers most in consequences of her husband's drinking is the last person to do something effective. She's always hurt in her heart because she mistakenly believes that if he loved her he wouldn't punish her as he does. She has no sense of security in her marriage, which means she's always on nervous tension.

Being guilty toward the wife, primarily, the drinking husband defends himself by abusing her.

How can she discover the cause, even when she recognizes the occasions? How can she prescribe a cure when all she sees is a husband, who should be provider, protector and strong man, reduced by a bottle to a hollow shell of a man without sense of obligation to himself, his family or his job?

Science and religion can cure the drunkard, and his wife needs a big dose of both to stick by him while the cure is being effected.

Weight . . .

Should Be a Joy Keeping Slender

By ALICE WADE ROBINSON

Someone is supposed to have complained to Billy Sunday that his conversions were not permanent — the retort to have been, "Neither is a bath!" Well, neither is a diet!

Once you are slim, you will have to hang on to a few of the principles of right eating in order to stay slim. If you go back to your old ways, yu will pick up the 10 or so lost pounds faster than you lost them!

Slimming down should have given you a good start toward changing your food habits, however, and when slim food habits are well established you won't have to worry about your weight.

In the meantime, here is a weight stabilizing trick that will help you to control the scales without counting the calories too closely. You are not apt to over-eat of the protective foods and you don't have to keep an eye on those. But you may be inclined to over-eat on bread, potatoes and desserts; so make it a strict rule to limit yourself to one out of the three. When you have bread, leave off the potatoes and the dessert—other than fresh fruit —for that meal. Or, if you would rather have the dessert, skip the other two.

Keeping slim needn't take all the fun out of eating. You will find it twice as easy to keep your new figure as it was to get it! To reduce you had to draw on the stored fat for at least one-third of your energy every day, but when your weight is down you can have the one-third calories or more which have been omitted from your diet. You merely refrain from over-eating.

Of course, the 10 pounds' loss during the last three weeks may be only a drop in the scales for you. You may be a long way from slim. In that case, continue to follow the protective menus — they contain everything you need, with the exception of calories and you can repeat the diet with perfect safety. But the more weight you have to lose, the more careful you must be to include daily the stipulated amounts of lean meats, eggs, skim milk, fruits, vegetables and whole grain bread. To assure an abundance of the protective elements, you must also use a supplementary vitamin concentrate. And —one other rule: Do not average a loss of more than two pounds per week. In some cases it would be better to restrict the loss to one pound per week.

Salmo Pupils Sell Candy at School

SALMO, B.C.—A candy sale in aid of the Junior Red Cross was held in Division II classroom at the recess period. The botoh was well patronized by the other divisions and many of the young customers ha dto be turned away. A total of $3.17 was realized. The sale was repeated and a sum of $2.86 was turned in. Sales girls of the first sale were Shirley Waterstreet, Audrey Kleef, Janette Le Mair and Olga Pictin. The second sale was in charge of Bernarene Feeney, Marjorie McDonald, Annie Malakoff and Lucy Zarchoff.

POPE PIUS RECEIVES SHORTER CANDLES

VATICAN CITY, Feb. 3 (AP). — Pope Pius XII received scores of small candles — reduced in size by war-time shortages of beeswax— in a colorful Candlemas ceremony yesterday.

Accent on South America

By ALICE ALDEN

One style that has been perenially popular is the Spanish sailor, reminiscent of many a Carmen. Brenda Marshall has chosen a charming model, made of black fur felt with brilliant red velvet facing and a red velvet bow held by a jewelled pin under the left side of the slanting brim.

Heartrending Appeal by Women of Warsaw Asks Women of World to Demand Deliverance of Poland

The following appeal by the women of Warsaw has been issued by the Committee of Polish American Women, New York, as received by necessarily secret channels from Warsaw:

"The world, in the course of its existence has witnessed many atrocities and crimes; the history of mankind is saturated with blood and tears. But history fails to record a Calvary equal to that, which we, the women of Poland, are living through now. We are suffering—as Catholics, as Poles, as mothers, as wives, as sisters and daughters. We are suffering with every emotion of our hearts. There is no chord in our souls which has not been torn and trampled upon; there is no thought which is not a tormenting and heartening grief.

MASS MURDERS

"Our husbands — our brothers and fathers — perished in mass murders which wiped out tens of thousands. They die slowly in dungeons or perish from starvation and cold in war prisoners' camps.

"Our sons — the future and pride of the nation — either perish like their fathers (as boys of 12 and 14 years of age were by no means lacking among those who were shot) or are registered and taken away to alleged labor camps in Germany whence there is no return.

"Our daughters — our little girls, the dearest joy of our lives — are being apprehended on the streets or abducted from their homes under cover of night, imprisoned in company with prostitutes and deported to German brothels. And there are among us mothers who, no longer able to shed tears ask God for one thing only: 'that their daughters might die'.

"Our babes — those innocents who first saw the light of day in refugee shelters, in freight cars or prison cells, are slowly dying in our arms— (no longer able to give them warmth) — without even once having had a warm bath or sufficient food.

"Our churches are burned, closed or else doomed to destruction. Our priests have been imprisoned. Statues of Our Saviour and of the Blessed Virgin, the wayside shrines, are overthrown, chopped down and destroyed. No religious services are permitted in the churches.

MADE NATION OF SERFS

"Our schools are closed our young generation cannot obtain education. In the opinion of the German governing authorities the ability to read and write is sufficient for the Polish 'nation of serfs' (Knechtevolk). They need no other knowledge.

"Our opportunities for gainful employment no longer exist. We have no means of earning a living. Everything has been taken away from us. We can only beg and die.

"Our homes, once cozy firesides, stand empty — no longer sheltering anyone. Their walls ceased to be a protection, since every German has a right to enter at any time the abode of any Pole and take therefrom anything that might look worthwhile to him; furniture, linens and the last remnants of supplies.

"Crime, ruin and misery have plowed through the length and breadth of our land. Poland has forgotten laughter, forgotten words other than those of despair.

LYING APOLOGISTS

"Locked within a vicious circle of misfortune and unable to communicate with the rest of the world, we listen with stupefaction to the official pronouncements of the German masters. For instance, the infamous executioner, Greiser, pays no tribute to German justice, assuring his listeners that in the territories occupied by Germany there has been no single act of terror or brutality; Adolf Hitler pledges his word of honor that not a single Pole has been deprived of his opportunity to work; Dr. Frank, 'the only lawful representative of the Polish nation,' informs neutral newspapermen that Poland under German administration, prospers freely, that the majority of the Polish people cheerfully cooperate with the German administration, satisfied with having been delivered by the German Government from playing the part of England's flunkey, and that the rumors of terror were but a figment of Allied propaganda.

"Listening to the cynical lies brazenly uttered, we tremble lest the world might believe them. For who could possibly fathom such an abyss of falsehood and hypocrisy? Who could possibly believe that at the very moment when 'the only lawful representative of the Polish nation' assured the world of the cheerful cooperation of the Polish people with the German administration — thousands of human beings all over Poland were perishing amidst tortures, and all over Poland there was but one voice of execration of the Germans?

"It is, therefore, from the depths of our martyred souls that we cry to you, sisters throughout the world; that all this is is not true! Do not believe what the Germans say. Before God Almighty we swear that our words are true and that our accusations are not exaggerated. We are living in hell. There is no Pole who would abide by this hell or who would cooperate with the Germans, unless it be under threat of a gun aimed at his childrens' heads. This hell is all around us — it is smothering us and we are its helpless victims.

"We endeavor, however, not to abandon ourselves to despair. We believe in Divine Justice, in the justice of history and in the victory of good over evil. We have faith in the victory of the Allies and we wait for the day of their triumph. Should this day be slow in arriving, there will be no Pole left to see it; Poland may be free but there will be no Poles. The objective and the endeavor of the Germans is to exterminate and to destroy our entire nation. Three million of us have perished already. This figure increases from day to day because famine grows apace.

"Sisters throughout the world, we appeal to you for assistance. Add your voice whenever the question of waging a slow or quick war should be in the balance. Demand a quick deliverance of Poland. Let your ples outweigh consideration of an economic or political nature. Sisters, we do not believe that our appeal is a plea for pity. The world, let us hope, is well aware of the fact that Poland's becoming a battle field shielded other countries from a similar fate; just as 20 years ago and on innumerable occasions in the course of history, we formed a bleeding rampart. What would have happened to Europe if, in August of last year, Poland had pusillanimously yielded to Hitler's demands and Germany had thrown all her might against the Western world—then still unprepared for war?

"Therefore, we do not beg for pity but ask for help — as people who fought in the front lines. Do not refuse us your help. Let your womanly voices fill the world that it may acknowledge the deliverance of Poland as its most urgent concern; let it be moved by our misfortune; let it understand our plight. This is all we ask of you."

RED CROSS News Notes

RECORD ATTENDANCE FOR MOYIE GROUP

MOYIE, B.C.—The regular meeting of the Moyie Red Cross was held January 21 in the hotel with Mrs. Alego St. Denis as hostess. A record attendance was present. A sing song of war songs accompanied by Mrs. St. Denis and accordion was enjoyed.

Mrs. Kershaw reported that a shipment of knitting had been sent to headquarters. Sewing was handed out to the members at the meeting for those who do not knit. Cards will be played at future Red Cross gatherings.

Moyie Girl Narrowly Escapes Drowning in Skating Accident

MOYIE, B.C.—The lake at Moyie was the scene of a near tragedy on Saturday afternoon while a number of the children of the town were skating. Little Shirley Wills wandered away by the diving board and fell in an air hole up to her neck.

The little girl managed to hold on to the ice until Gordon Barr reached the child and brought her to safety.

Doctor's View . . .

Over Confidence in Disease Cures

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M.D.

I have again been looking over a work on the Art Treatment of sick people by Dr. W. R. Houston (Macmillan) and I feel that the general classification of forms of treatment which he gives would be a good thing for the public to know.

It seems to be, for instance, a fundamental belief of the human mind that for every disease there is somewhere a definite cure, if only you could find it. I do not know why this should be a foundamental belief of the mind because there is no basis for it in experience. It probably springs from that unquenchable quality of human hope. And it is fostered by remarks such as "My sister found the most wonderful doctor this Summer who cured her with rubbing and baths and manipulation." Or, "The doctor cured me completely with his electrotonic machine."

Unshakable belief in some sort of herb or tea is common knowledge.

SEVEN TYPES OF TREATMENT

Well, now, Dr. Houston divides his forms of treatment into seven parts, and one of these is diseases that yield to specific treatment. In other words, the list of diseases for which there is one real and certain remedy—a specific. It happens to be the shortest chapter in the book, and the common diseases (not counting tropical diseases) for which he has a specific remedy are seventeen.

Another point! There is a section on diseases that yield largely to nursing care. Now I get letters by the dozen from people who have one infallible remedy for the common cold — something to be taken by mouth. Yet here in a scientific treatise it is classified— very wisely, according to my experience—as a disease that we must treat largely by nursing care — rest in bed, applications to the throat and chest, etc.

Again, there is a chapter on diseases that impose a limitation upon the activities of life as a condition of treatment. The people who have these diseases never seem to consider that. They think they can go on a diet or take some daily medicine and then go gaily on their way to a round of dinners or church socials, or card games or business grind, or long motor trips, without interfering with the treatment at all. Such a thing as resignation has entirely gone out of modern life. People think the doctor should do all the work and that any limitation on their lives is a reflection on medical science. Yet here it is put down as the primary condition of treatment — in obesity, high blood pressure, angina, chronic bronchitis, tuberculosis.

Another chapter classifies certain diseases as conditions in which the treatment is tentative and experimental. In this section I notice, rather surprisingly, arthritis. But on thinking it over, I believe one of the most important things an arthritis patient can begin to realize is that the treatment of arthritis is tentative — subject to change and readjustment. No treatment of it is final.

The longest section in the book is that on conditions in which the chief method of treatment is psychological.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

R. G. N.: "Are cod liver oil tablets as good for children as real cod liver oil?"

Answer: Manufacturers should put the Unit concentration of cod liver oil preparations on the package.

SALMO SCHOOL STEAM BLOW CAUSES UPROAR

SALMO, B.C.—A great deal of excitement was caused at the noon hour Friday when over pressure caused the steam valve to blow from the furnace at the school. Many students thinking the school was afire carried books and other belongings to safety.

Young Nelsonites

Peter, five years, and Ann, two, children of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Godfrey, 918 Silica Street, Nelson.

—Photo by McGregor.

Hints for Housewives

By BETSY NEWMAN

TODAY'S MENU

Broiled Lamb Chops
Baked Potatoes Spinach
Celery Crisp Pickles
Peaches and Cream Salad
Coffee or Tea

PORK CHOP SUEY

Two cups pork, ½ cup chopped green pepper, 1 cup chopped carrot, ½ cup chopped onion, 2 cups chopped celery, 2 tablespoons fat, 1 cup tomatoes, 1 cup sour cream, 1 cup mushrooms, 3 teaspoons salt, 3 cups water, 4 tablespoons flour.

Melt fat, add ground meat and brown well. Cover with 2 cups water and cook 15 minutes. Add vegetables except tomatoes, which have been cut in uniform size, and cook 20 minutes, or until meat it tender. Add mushrooms, tomatoes and the sour cream. Cook until hot through. Serve on individual plates with small mound of flaky seasoned boiled rice in centre of each plate.

PEACHES AND CREAM SALAD

Four sugared doughnuts, one package cream cheese, eight canned peach halves, lettuce, mayonnaise.

Arrange lettuce on serving plates; cut doughnuts in halves the long way, and spread the outside of doughnuts with cream cheese. On the lettuce on each plate put two doughnut halves, on each of these pieces put one-half a peach, cut side up. Garnish with mayonnaise. Serves 4.

PROCTER

PROCTER, B. C.—Those going to Nelson from Procter to play badminton on Saturday were: Mrs. P. Bauer, Mrs. H. C. Carne, Mrs. O. Muirhead, Mrs. W. Soles, Miss Irene Hunt, Miss Mary Jarvis, Miss Jean Ferguson, Miss Edith Johnson, Miss Gale Bennett, Max Carne, Gilbert McMullin, Bert Crosby, Johnny Fiacci, Hallam MacKinnon, Maurice and Colin Major.

Ian Carne spent the weekend at home.

Alex MacPhee motored to Nelson Saturday.

Mrs. P. Bauer shopped in Nelson Saturday.

Mrs. J. Van Hemert was a Nelson shopper Saturday.

H. C. Carne has returned from Creston.

J. R. Hind visited Nelson Saturday.

Mrs. Major and granddaughter, Marjorie, visited Nelson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Shkwarok have as guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Solecki and daughter Beverly Rose of Blake.

Mrs. N. Shkwarok visited Nelson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Solecki visited Nelson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Jensen motored to Nelson Saturday. They were accompanied by Mrs. P. Blundon and infant son James Richard. Mrs. Blundon plans to reside in Nelson.

Miss Frances McMullin spent the weekend at her home.

Make Home in Trail

MR. AND MRS. F. BACHYNSKI

Married in Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Bachynski have taken up residence in Trail. Mrs. Bachynski was formerly Miss Rose Shkwarok of Procter.

—Photo by Vogue.

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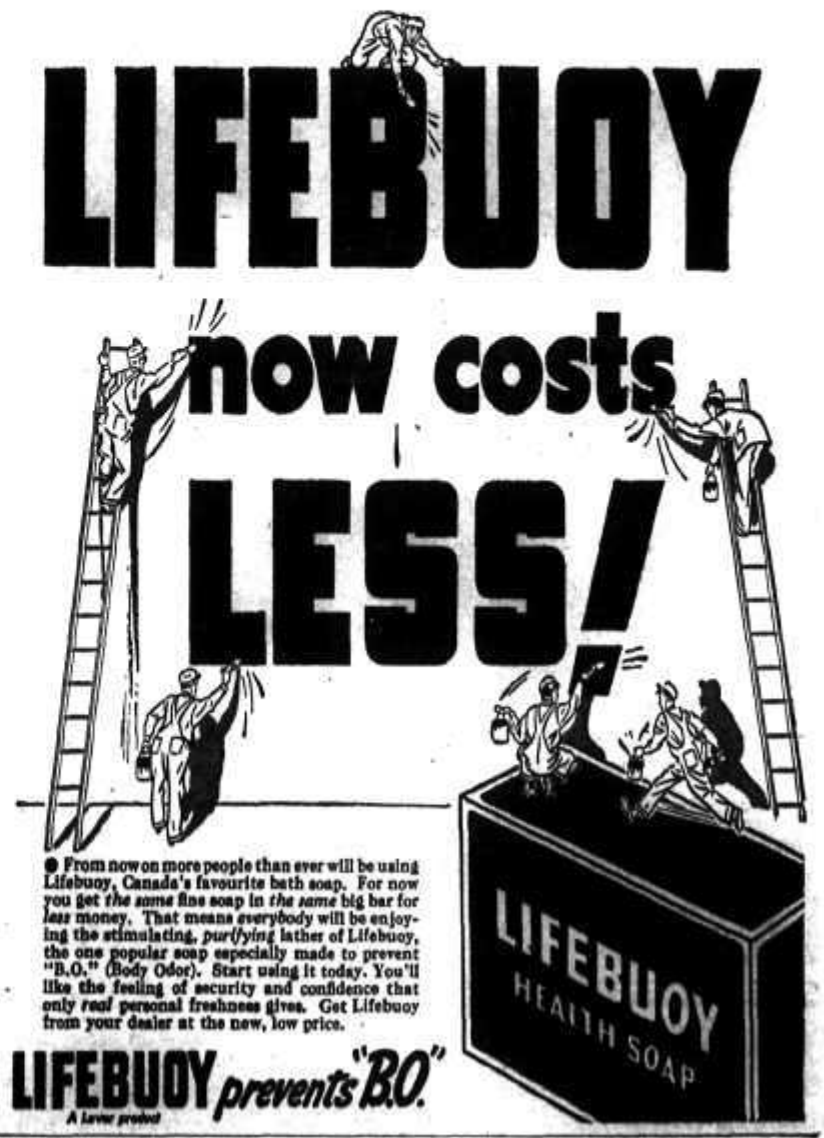

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pending on Non-Essentials May Cause Price Rises Ilsley States

WINDSOR, Ont., Feb. 3 (CP). — ance Minister Ilsley warned to- that price rises or rationing ght result if Canadians spend ir surplus earnings and profits non-essentials.

a an address on behalf of the r savings campaign, Mr. Ilsley the most critical period of the r is at hand, and urged all Ca- ians to help in the war *effort* pledging themselves to regular rchases of war savings certifi- es.

It semed likely that 300,000 ad- itional workers would be need- d for the war effort, he told his ervice club audience and those who heard his speech over a na- ional network of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation. It was doubtful if this many could be btained without drawing upon on-essential industries and oc- upations.

"Consequently either price rises rationing is apt to spread as rtages become more general, un- we can persuade people to limit ir expenditures, to defer them, us say, and lend their money the nation for war purposes."

The slogan of Canadians should "it's smart to be thrifty," Mr. ley said. Extravagance in a time national emergency was "neither od sense nor good taste."

Mr. Ilsley said he had been con- ned with "what may be called r midwinter war mentality." This entality was "a little too comfort- le about external affairs and a tle too irritable about internal airs."

"It is only in the last three or four months that war expenditures have been really big. Now htey must go on month after month at these or higher levels."

War expenditures alone had re- cently been running to a rate of $1,000,000,000 a year. With other expenditures added, the rate was over $1,400,000,000, or more than twice the expenditures of the fis- cal year ended last March 31.

In addition the Government's re- patriation operations on Canadian securities held in Britain were at a later said, a grand total of about rate of $300,000,000 a year, the Min- $1,200,000,000.

Revenues had been running this year at less than half that total, leaving the necessity of borrowing at a rate of between $800,000,000 and $900,000,000 a year.

"These figures of our financial re- quirements, which are certain to in- crease, are evidence of the urgent need to tap every possible source of funds.

"Viewed in the light of these fig- tures, is it any wonder that we have set our objective in this war sav- ings campaign at $10,000,000 a month?"

Mr. Ilsley said he feared Cana- dians did not yet realize the scale of savings they must achieve in order to provide these funds.

There was a tremendous indus- trial boom because of the war but this was "not prosperity but a grim all-out war *effort*," he said.

"It must be a time of hard work and hard living. We must be pre- pared to take part of our wages in victory—part of our profit in se- curity."

Summer Smiles at Kaslo

Left to right—Miss Miriam Hilliard and Joseph Hilliard of Nelson and Miss Bernice Shaw of Kaslo, during the Summer holidays.—Photo courtesy Mrs. Frank Peter, Kaslo.

TRAIL SOCIAL

By MISS FLORENCE BIRD

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—Women's ssociation of Knox United Church et Thursday afternoon at circle es and discussed plans for a Val- ntine Tea, which will be held in he Masonic Hall. Circle No. 1 met t the home of Mrs. W. W. Dick, embers present being Mrs. M. F. ilpin, Mrs. G. A. Burton, Mrs. E. wankie, Mrs. N. L. Kilpin, Mrs. William Spooner, Mrs. C. A. Fran- en, Mrs. C. W. Fraser, Mrs. W. H. nderson, Mrs. M. W. Lees, Mrs. V. J. Wagstaff, Mrs. William Wood nd Mrs. F. C. Wilby. Circle No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. James oung. Those present were Mrs. . O. Hinch, Mrs. J. L. Crowe, Mrs. eterson, Mrs. James Forrest, Mrs. William Forrest, Mrs. D. C. Jones, Mrs. P. R. McDonald, Mrs. F. B oran, Mrs. R. R. Burns, Mrs. J. . Twaddle, Mrs. H. Clark, Mrs. A. . Webster, Mrs. D. S. Chalmer, Mrs. P. Haggarty, Mrs. Ike Tyson, Mrs. W. T. Douglas and Mrs. G. W. Weir. Circle No. 3 met at the home of Mrs. R. R. Wellwood, members present being Mrs. W. C. Aston, Mrs. R. B. Dimock, Mrs. Daniel Henderson, Mrs. E. L. Bice, Miss Fann, Mrs. A. L. Garvin, Mrs. J. N. Currie, Mrs. J. M. Black and Mrs. A. C. B. Cooper.

St. Francis Xavier Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League met Thursday afternoon. Plans for a St. Patrick's Day Tea were discuss- ed, and members did work for the Red Cross. Central Circle met at home of Mrs. A. B. Frie, with Mrs. J. H. Gagnon as co-hostess. Those present were Mrs. K. H. Butorac, Mrs. J. V. Devito, Mrs. Albert Le- Page, Mrs. Anthony Lauriente, Mrs. L. J. Lalonde, Mrs. C. V. Catalano, Mrs. Ernest Kinahan, Mrs. N. Wilmes, Mrs. E. J. Leveque, Mrs. W. G. Girard, Mrs. W. A. Baril and Mrs. Dominic Orlando. Riverside Circle was entertained by Mrs. Ole Rygh with Mrs. O. A. Bergerson assisting. Members present were Mrs. J. V. Carberry, Mrs. Sam Stew- art, Mrs. W. L. McDonald, Mrs. P. H. Daoust, Mrs. E. R. Matthews, Mrs. S. R. Walley, Mrs. Frank Hur- ley, Mrs. Adelimo Ghetti, Mrs. W. J. Sullivan, Mrs. E. J. Provost and Mrs. George Lawrence.

East Trail United Church Wo- men's Association met Thursday afternoon in the Church Hall, when arrangements were made for the Church anniversary dinner to be held Feb. 19. At the close of the business meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. O. G. Robinson and Mrs. J. D. Aske.

St. Andrew's A. Y. P. A. met Sun- day evening in the Parish Hall at 8:45 p.m., the monthly business meeting being held, with Ken John- son presiding. It was decided that in the future meetings will be held on Tuesday night instead of Sun- day. At the close of the business meeting refreshments were served by the committee in charge.

Mrs. Charles Melrose, 1475 Look- out Street, entertained for her daughter Doris Thursday afternoon, on Doris' 11th birthday. After a dainty birthday supper the guests attended the early show. The sup- per table was centred with a large decorated birthday cake, while col- ored place cards and favors were laid for each guest. Guests present were Jessie Ramsay, Nona Beth Angus, Betty Lou Millen, Elsie Nes- bit, Betty Munroe, Kathleen Cook, Dorothy Tognotti, Barbara Milne, Rita Melrose, Barbara Jones, Eliz- abeth Porcellato, Catherine Mc- Innes, Doreen Haywood and Ron- nie Melrose.

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Ontario Women Seek to Aid British Women

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP).—Women of Ontario campaigned today to raise $25,000 in voluntary donations before Feb. 15 to be used in provid- ing essential comforts, aid and as- sistance for the army of women who are caring for civilians in Brit- ain during and following air-raids.

The campaign got underway Sat- urday when 25,000 buttons bearing the picture of a woman in uniform went on sale in Ontario under the auspices of the newly-formed "Brit- ish women soldiers' fund."

The plight of British women many of whom have lost their personal possessions, recently was called to the attention of Canadian women in letters from overseas and immed- iately the Ontario Women's Lib- eral Association formed a new fund now registered under the War Char- ities Act.

Many at Funeral of Mrs. Hartin, Kaslo Old Timer

KASLO, B. C.—Funeral services for Mrs. Cecilia K. Hartin were held Friday morning from the Catholic Church which was filled to capacity with friends, many others unable to gain admittance standing outside the church. The services were con- ducted by Rev. Father Lambert of Nelson.

Interment took place in the City cemetery. The pallbearers were F. H. Abey, C. J. White, James Speirs, William Smith, C. W. Webster and A. L. MacPhee.

Mrs. Hartin died January 27 in Victorian hospital, where she had been a patient for about three weeks suffering with pneumonia. She was 47 years of age and her home was in Kamloops, B.C., until after her marriage in 1915 to H. T. Hartin, eldest son of the late Dr. Gilbert and Mrs. Hartin of Kaslo, and later of Nelson.

In 1922 Mr. and Mrs. Hartin and young son David came to make their home in Kaslo where Mr. Hartin had spent his childhood.

Mrs. Hartin was a member of the Kaslo and District Women's Insti- tute, the Ladies' Hospital Aid and the Canadian Legion Women's Aux- iliary, being at one time, President of the latter organization. She was also an associate member of the 54th Battalion Chapter I. O. D. E. She was interested in amateur the- atricals and was most generous with time and energy to further the wel- fare of the many organizations with which she was connected.

The Hartin home was ever an "Open House" for Kaslo young peo- ple and their visiting friends.

Surviving are her husband, H. T. Hartin, Kaslo City Clerk; three sons David, who went overseas with the First Canadian contingent; Jack, the nadian Scottish in British Colum- second son, now with the 2nd Ca- bis, and Gilbert, the youngest, at home. Two brothers also survive, Albert M. Smith of Kamloops and James H. Smith of Lumby, B.C.

69 Stations to Alter Frequencies

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP)—Frequen- cies of 69 of the 86 radio broadcast- ing stations in Canada operating in the standard broadcasting band will be changed March 29, Supply Min- ister Howe announced tonight.

The reallocations of frequency conform with the agreement reach- ed at the international radio con- ference in Havana in 1937 and the Washington engineering conference just completed, said the minister, under whose jurisdiction radio broadcasting falls.

Mr. Howe's statement listed the following as some of the principal allocations:

CFCN, Calgary, 1010 kilocycles from 1030 kilocycles.

CKY, Winnipeg, 990 kilocycles from 910 kilocycles.

CBR, Vancouver, 1130 kilocycles from 1100 kilocycles.

The Washington engineering con- ference was held to "resolve con- flicts arising out of the notifica- tions from the various governments, party to the *regional* North Amer- ican Broadcast Treaty reached at Havana in December, 1937," Mr. Howe said in his statement.

"Out of the assignment of 1234 radio stations in the North Amer- ican regions, there were nearly 200 conflicts arising out of the notifica- tions. These conflicts were inevit- able because the separate countries made their respective notifications without knowledge or the intentions of the other parties to the agree- ment.

"The conference at Washington was successful in reconciling every one of the conflicts and full use has now been made of available fre- quencies."

Represented at the Havana con- ference were Canada, the United States, Mexico, Cuba, the Domin- ican Republic and Haiti.

As a result of the Havana and Washington conferences, 795 of the 862 standard broadcast stations in the United States also will shift frequencies on March 29.

Salmo Red Cross Klondyke Dance Is Large Success

SALMO, B.C.—Last Thursday the Red Cross put on a well patronized Klondyke dance. Many and varied were the costumes depitting the days and styles of '98. Among the dancers were to be seen prospectors complete with pack board and gold pan to the Yukon Sharper with bowler hat, mustache and gaudy attire, Western cowboy and Indians in sack cloth skirts and scarlet jackets, fair ladies in long black dresses and broad brimmed hats or high pompadours, glittering brace- lets and necklaces.

An amusing program was given with C. A. Cawley, a "Sharper", doing a tap dance; a step dance by Mrs. Cawley and Frank Conroy; a reading, "The Shooting of Dan McGrew," by Allan Walsh; Phil Tarley recited "The Creamation of Sam McGee"; Mr. Conroy told the tale of "The Harpy"; Mr. Cherry sang solos.

Coffee and doughnuts were serv- ed. A soft drink bar in one corner of the hall was tended by John Roach. Kay Binning and Sandy Bell Mrs. Harrop was general convener, assisted by Miss McAlpine and Mrs. Henry John.

Canadians Urged to Buy Home Goods

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP).—Dis- tribution of British Columbia apples on the domestic market has been increased by nearly 500,000 boxes through advertising and better mer- chandising methods, W. E. Haskins, member of the B. C. Fruit Board, told a luncheon meeting here today.

Some export markets, particularly that of the U. S., have been ex- panded, Haskins said. "This is a great help but it still leaves us with 1,000,000 boxes more to sell than we had at this time a year ago."

Fruit producers feel the Canadian public could help by restricting a portion of their purchases of im- ported fruits and using the money for Canadian products, Haskins said.

NELSON SOCIAL

By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

• Honoring Miss Isabel Dawson, whose marriage to William Ramsay takes place this month, Miss Doro- thy Bowker, Kerr Apartments, en- tertained last week. The honoree was presented with pieces of china. Those present were Miss Mae Fotos, Miss Evelyn Thompson, Miss Mon- ica Brewer, Miss Mary Walker, Miss Louise Denoreaz, Miss Maude Dol- phin and Miss Jill Wigg.

• Mrs. Daze Petty, Petty Apart- ments, spent yesterday with Mrs. S. Thornberg of Kaslo.

• Mrs. H. H. Pitts, Nelson Ave- nue, Fairview, has as guest her sister, Mrs. Ruby Clayton of Los Angeles, Calif., who has been holi- daying at Vancouver with her nephew and niece, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Pitts.

• Miss Ward, Hoover Street, who spent a few months in Ross- land, has returned.

• Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Woodward of Rossland visited Nelson Sunday.

• Dr. and Mrs. F. P. Sparks at- tended the junior hockey match in Trail Friday.

• Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McIntyre of Sheep Creek attended the fu- neral of Archie Macdougall Sunday.

• Arthur R. Joy of the Canadian Scottish, who spent a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Joy, Josephine Street, has re- turned to the Coast.

• Frank Korolak, Victoria Street, left Saturday for Vancouver where his marriage to Miss Nancy Bryce will take place in mid-Feb- ruary.

• Mrs. David Wade, Josephine Street, has left for Kimberley to spend a week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Birrell.

• George Beattie of Salmo at- tended the funeral of Archie Mac- dougall in Nelson Sunday.

• F. Abey of Kaslo was a week- end visitor in town.

• Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gellnas, Victoria Street had as weekend guests their son-in-law and daugh- ter Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Cornwall of Kaslo.

• T. A. Mills of Willow Point spent yesterday in town.

• Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jarvis and sons Billy and Richard visited Mr. Jarvis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jarvis, Procter, Sunday.

• A. N. Winlaw, Carbonate Street, attended the junior hockey match in Trail Friday.

• J. Wolfbart of Gray Creek vis- ited town.

• Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bachynski of Trail visited Nelson recently.

• Mrs. W. A. Whitfield, Hall Street, attended the junior hockey match Friday night in Trail.

• Owen Hughes, Robert Mitch- ell, Alfred Waters, Robert Thomp- son and Ira Trombeau attended the funeral of Archie Macdougall on Sunday.

• Miss Mary Jarvis of Procter and her sister, Mrs. William Wat- kins, were weekend visitors in town.

• Saturday night Miss Helda Li- macher entertained at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Li- macher, Carbonate Street, in honor of Miss Irma Arlt, who is leaving shortly for Creston. The evening was spent in games and cards. In- vited guests were Miss Alvina Arlt, Mrs. Arlt, Miss Clara Domke, Miss Elsa Gaasdal, Miss Freida Biesen- thal, Miss Margarete Biesenthal, Miss Lillian Kedlard, Mr. and Mrs. Fanning, Mrs. C. Axene, Miss Hat- tie Hopka, Rev. E. Hopka, Mrs. D. F. Pratt, S. Metcalfe, Miss Freda Lipsack, Miss Erna Limacher and Al Limacher.

• Bert Bryden of Kaslo visited Nelson at the weekend.

• Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson of Sheep Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Halbauer attended the funeral of Archie Macdougall Sunday.

• Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Nelson, Hume Hotel, have returned from a *visit to Spokane.*

• Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Doyle of Bonnington were weekend guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Fox, Falls Street.

• Dr. Anne Norrington was in the city from Crescent Bay yester- day.

• Mrs. John Morey, Petty Apart- ments, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alan Willey, Bonnington.

• Mrs. J. F. Stevenson of Sun- shine Bay visited Nelson at the weekend.

• Mrs. H. A. Andrews of Stew- artfield, Alta., who has been visit- ing her sister, Mrs. J. F. Robertson, Victoria Street, plans to return home February 5.

Kootenay Veteran

LESLIE CRAUFURD, NELSON

When Leslie Craufurd agreed in 1904 to come to the Kootenays and assist in construction of a mill at Rosebery for the Monitor mine and the Ajax mine at Three Forks, he embarked on a career of service that has made him known and respected throughout the district.

Mr. Craufurd was engaged in the Old Country in 1904 to come to the Slocan with C. Fernau and build mills for the Monitor and Ajax mines.

Fernau later organized the Cana- dian Metal Company to smelt cus- tom zinc ore and bought the Blue- bell mine at Riondel—with which went the Old Pilot Bay smelter—as a source of steady supply. He built a zinc smelter at Frank, later the scene of an immense mountain slide.

AT PILOT BAY BEFORE NELSON

Mr. Craufurd was at Frank for a short time, and in 1905 went to Pilot Bay. The Canadian Metal Company engaged S. S. Fowler, pioneer Kootenay mining man, in place of Fernau and Mr. Craufurd continued with him. Other asso- ciates of this time were John Fraser, still of Nelson, and "Ed" Daly.

In 1906 Mr. Craufurd took up res- idence in Nelson, the headquarters of the Company. He remained with it until 1909, when he joined R. W. Hinton in a partnership operating the Nelson Iron Works. The fol- lowing year W. M. Cunliffe joined them and a company was organized. They remained together until disso- lution of the firm last year.

In the years since he came to Nelson Mr. Craufurd has served in many ways. He is currently a mem- ber of the School Board, with which he has served eight years, two of them as Chairman.

For nearly 25 years he was Peo- ple's Warden at St. Saviour's Church, retiring two years ago.

ACTIVE CLANSMAN

He was a member of Clan John- son, now Clan McLeary, holding the office of Chief in 1914 and serving as Secretary and Financial Secre- tary at various times. He was a member of the committee which organized the Kootenay Kilties Band.

When the first Boy Scout Troop was organized in Nelson Mr. Crau- furd took an active part, and in 1910 was a member of the party which accompanied the late Lord Baden- Powell to Camp Busk to inspect the troop, Baden-Powell's first inspec- tion of a Scout Troop in Canada.

A popular stage entertainer, Mr. Craufurd took an active part in the Nelson Operatic Society during its best days, serving in all offices, in the casts, and as director.

His interest in this field led him into active part in the music fes- tival movement in the Kootenays, and he served as President and as an executive committee member of th Nelson Music Festival Associa- tion. He has held almost all the offices in the Nelson Little Theatre Association.

LACK OF SNOW MAY CAUSE FUEL SHORTAGE

DAWSON, Y. T., Feb. 3 (CP). — A possible shortage of fuel in the Dawson area was foreseen today owing to a lack of snow which has prevented wood dealers from sled- ding in supplies from outside dis- tricts.

W. McADOO BURIED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 (AP). — William Gibbs McAdoo, former Senator from California and Secre- tary of the United States Treasury in Woodrow Wilson's Cabinet, was buried in Arlington Cemetery to- day.

SEAMAN LOST OVERBOARD

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP). — The Royal Canadian Navy's list of dead and missing was raised today to 287 since the outbreak of war, with re- lease of the 26th casualty list show- ing Ordinary Seaman Alexander Nutter of Fort Garry, Man., as lost overboard.

WAGE HOUR LAW HOLDS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 (AP). — The United States Supreme Court held constitutional today the Ad- ministration's wage-hour law which fixed minimum pay and a maxi- mum work week for employees in industries affecting interstate com- merce.

Pro-Rec Director Eisenhardt Joins Active Service

VANCOUVER, B. C. — Pro-Rec Director Ian Eisenhardt, has been granted leave of absence for the duration by the Government of British Columbia, on joining the Canadian (Active) Army as a Sec- ond Lieutenant.

In his absence, pending the ap- pointment of an Acting Director by the Hon. G. M. Weir, Minister of Education, the Recreation Centres will carry on as usual, and will be administered by an Executive Board of three comprising Provin- cial Chief Instructors Hilda M. Keatley and Jerry Mathison, and Staff Secretary Paul King.

Eisenhardt's message to Pro-Rec members throughout the Province follows:

"The Honorable, the Minister of Education, Dr. G. M. Weir, has ap- proved my application for leave of absence for the duration from my duties as Director of the Pro-Recs. Naturally, I regret having to sever my connections with the Centres. But nevertheless, there is a great measure of satisfaction in feeling that I am going to join hundreds of other Pro-Recs on Active Ser- vice with the Canadian troops, and I pledge my word to live up to the great trust which has been placed upon me.

"For the whole-hearted approval which the people of this Province have shown towards the Govern- ment-sponsored Pro-Rec classes, for the uncessingly loyal support accorded me by the Staff, and for the pleasant associations with which the Pro-Recs have provided me in the past six and one-half years, I should like to express my sincere appreciation.

"There is no reason why the work being carried on all over B. C. in our Pro-Rec classes should not continue. There is no better way than this to bolster civilian morale, and to prepare ourselves for the difficult times which are ahead.

"When the day comes that peace is restored, I shall hope to be with you all again."

Czechs Sure of British Victory Declares Consul

MONTREAL, Feb. 3 (CP).—The Czechoslovak people are convinced that Great Britain will emerge vic- torious in the war, F. Pavlasek, Con- sul General for the Republic of Czechoslovakia in Canada, said in a broadcast address tonight.

"The war will take an even more ghastly aspect," said Mr. Pavlasek, speaking over a national network of the Canadian Broadcasting Cor- poration in the "We are not alone" series arranged by G. H. Lash, Di- rector of Public Information.

"But after the military defeat of Germany, it will be a war of disintegration, revolts and demor- alization of the defeated Ger- mans."

Shortly after the Great War, Czechoslovakia understood a new German danger was shaping itself and defence preparations were made, said Mr. Pavlasek.

"The cunning and malicious Nazi propaganda describing Ger- many as a defence of Western civilization against Bolshevism, blinded our democratic friends just in the most important period when there was still time to make extensive military preparations against Germany," the Consul General declared.

Although Czechoslovakia was well prepared when the Munich crisis arrived, it could not fight alone and a "bitter decision" had to be accept- ed. "Single-handed and attacked simultaneously from all sides by all our neighbors we could not defeat Germany and would only precip- itate a world war at the most in- opportune time for our allies."

The Czechoslovak sacrifice "like a bugle call to awaken the world at the last moment. And so it hap- pened that Munch was our first contribution to the common cause.

"It revealed the real face of Ger- many, the base, malignant and im- moral lies of Hitlerism and all the vile and vicious ambitions of Pan- Germanism."

Only the outward forms of demo- cratic institutions were temporarily repressed by the Gestapo in Czecho- slovakia. The nation presented a solid mass of cold and determined opposition, frustrating all German efforts to Nazify the country.

"The workers slow down pro- duction to the minimum, the farm- ers cultivate only what is absolutely necessary and everyone carries on the war of nerves against the Ger- mans," declared Dr. Pavlasek.

Report 7 Italian Vessels Sunk

SPLIT, Yugoslavia, Feb. 3 (AP).— A concerted British-Greek submar- ine campaign against Italian mili- tary supply routes deep in the Adri- atric Sea was indicated today by reports seven Italian vessels had been sunk recently.

Travellers from the Yugoslav Is- land of Vis (Lissa), 50 miles South of here, reported that a submarine today sank the Italian freighter Vittorio Benito, of about 500 tons, and other unidentified 6000-ton Ital- ian vessel.

There is no Vittorio Benito in Lloyd's registry of shipping but it lists the 4595-ton Italian merchant ship Vittorio Veneto.

MOYIE CAR OFF ROAD

MOYIE, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. Nes- bitt and their daughters of Kim- berley, while on their way to Moyie met with a mishap when their car skidded off the road. While help- ing to get the vehicle back on the road Miss Nesbitt, teacher, received an injury to her left foot. She was returning from a weekend visit at her home.

ELDERLY MAN KILLED

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP). — Charles Samuelson, elderly Van- couver man, was almost instantly killed Saturday night when knock- ed down by a street car. His death was the fifth fatal traffic mishap in 1941.

LIQUOR PRICES UP

EDMONTON, Feb. 3 (CP). — Higher prices on a number of brands of imported liquor took ef- fect Saturday when a revised list was issued by the Alberta Liquor Control Board.

On one imported brand of Scotch whiskey, the price was advanced from 10 to 30 cents, depending on the size of the bottle. A number of brands of imported rums also were increased in price from 10 to 40 cents a bottle.

Buckna Recounts His Interesting Leave in England

"My second leave of 10 days (Dec. 23 to Jan. 2) is just a memory, but what a pleasant one," writes Joe Buckna of Trail to The Daily News from England where he is serving with the *C.A.S.F.* "The leave was spent in and around Manchester, recently bombed by the Nazis.

"The first few days were spent with friends in Accrington, some 30 miles distant.

"Christmas saw a fine turkey laid on the table despite the propaganda reports of our enemies that there is a shortage in England. There is no doubt on some kind of food stuffs, but I do not see anyone starv- ing at the present time.

"The second day in Accrington, I had the good fortune of meeting some very charming people. They accompanied me on a trip to Kehp- lend at Higher Hadder where we could see the Penine Range. Rolling hills and beautiful country estates adorned the landscape. We had tea at Haddervale Cafe, a stopping- place for cyclists who constantly tour this part of the country.

INTERESTING LANDMARKS

"A raid was in progress during this tour of ours, and a bomber came over, dropping several bombs two or three miles away. The raid lasted for half an hour. On this tour Stonyhurst College (more V. C.'s turned out here than any other college in England), Sacred Heart Church, Stonyhurst Cathe- dral and Clitheroe Castle were all landmarks that proved interesting.

The people in Lancashire are of the hard-working class. They are musically talented and have foot- ball teams of high calibre. Cana- dians visiting there really have a good time.

MEETS PRESSMEN

"The fourth and fifth day I was the guest of Kenneth Stott of the Manchester News-Chronicle. I miss- ed the bombing of the station here by two hours. Ken is night editor of this paper so I had the pleasure of going through the plant. The staff was carrying on in old quarters as the building they were housed in was being repaired after the first raid by the Nazis.

"I was introduced to correspond- ents of various newspapers through- out the world and spent three pleas- ant hours at the Press Club (their hangout) drinking some of their good whiskeys and ales. They have the best in England around here.

"Manchester was really hard hit; bombed buildings were many. Win- dows smashed for miles around. The people carried on bravely, de- spite these bombings. No military objects were in sight so I leave it to my friends in Canada to realize the terror that Hitler is trying to create among the people here. How- ever, he will be disappointed be- cause the English do not get pan- icky very easily.

"That evening I had supper (tea time for the Englishman) with Ken. Ken tried two places but they were bombed out, but we finally manag- ed to get a restaurant on our third attempt. A fine turkey dinner and all the trimmings was enjoyed for approximately 70 cents.

"Christmas Mass was celebrated here on the day before at noon. Rea- son for this was for the public as Midnight Mass would be held dur- ing their blackout—safety first. I attended Christmas and New Year's services in a beautiful church with friends.

"Lads from Nelson visited Birm- ingham, Edinburgh, Nottingham, Chester, Glasgow, Aberdeen and London. In this party was Sgt. Yates, Ramsden, Bdr. Oliver, Wools, Castle (father and son), Courville, Leslie boys, Bill and Pete, and sev- eral others.

"Graham, Fred, Sharples, Bart- let, Duchak and others from Trail visited different parts of England and Scotland.

"The papers, Trail Times and Nel- son News, come in quite handy and are greatly appreciated. Main rea- son is for hockey news of course."

POPE HAS FAITH IN FRANCE'S RECOVERY

VICHY, France, Feb. 3 (AP). — Pierre Cardinal Gerlier, Archbishop of Lyon, said at a religious service today upon returning from an audi- ence with Pope Pius in Rome that he had gained the impression that "the Pope's feelings for France are kindlier and more fatherly than ever" and that the Pontiff has "magnificent faith in the recovery of our country."

Dr. Norrington Tells Rotary of Trip to England

An interesting account of her vis- it to her homeland, England, during the outbreak of war was given to the Nelson Rotary Club by Dr. Anne Norrington of Crescent Bay at the Club's weekly luncheon at the Hume Monday.

She travelled to England through the Panama Canal and landed at Rotterdam. From there she travelled by train to Hamburg, passing through three countries in one day. Before going over to England, she also visited Copenhagen, Oslo and Stockholm.

She arrived at her home in Exeter in Devonshire 10 days before war was declared. Dr. Norrington des- cribed the wonderful organization with which the situation was handled. Gas masks were quickly distributed, and soon after, London was evacuated of its children. She especially admired the wonderful response in accepting the children.

Dr. Norrington gave a vivid de- scription of her first war raids and the necessity of all-night blackouts. She also told of the rationing.

In telling of her trip home, dur- ing which she was accompanied by the niece of her enlisted brother, Dr. Norrington said they had to sail from Liverpool on a Danish ves- sel. Five minutes after she had left the train at the station, the road be- hind was bombed.

On the first day of the voyage, there was lifebelt drill. Altogethr, including convoys, there were 25 vessels togeither on the way home, and it was a wonderful spectacle, she said, as they travelled in forma- tion. They escaped six torpedoes on the trip, which carried them with- in 200 miles of Iceland. Some rough weather was encountered, as on one occasion the boat was supposed to be going 40 knots an hour, but since the propellor was out of the water much of the time, it was making only about eight knots.

H. W. Robertson, President, was in the chair.

MOYIE

MOYIE, B.C.—Mrs. L. A. Horne of Kellogg, Idaho, well known here, fell on the bathroom floor and frac- tured her arm, and sustained seri- ous injury to her back.

The regular meeting of the Cana- dian helpers C. G. I. T. group was held at the manse Friday. Owing to bad weather the skating party was postponed.

Corporal Kirkup, Son of Old Time Officer, Is Now at Kamloops

Corporal J. Kirkup, a son of Jack Kirkup, old time Kootenay police officer—in fact he was everything associated with law and order in those early days—has been placed in charge of the Kamloops munici- pal detachment of the Provincial Police. He has been transferred from Bralorne to his new post at Kamloops.

Corporal Kirkup has had a wide experience in police work, having served on the Burnaby, Chilliwack and Cranbrook municipal detach- ments.

He has an uncle here, James Kirk- up, a pioneer of long standing.

Another change of interest locally is the transfer from Spences Bridge to Wells of Constable R. Forrester, who was on the local detachment for several months last year.

BLACKBURN (CP)—Permission has been given by the Minister of Home Security to use artificial light in churches during blackout hours on certain stated conditions.

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THE GERMAN JACKBOOT

Hitler told his 18,000 uniformed automatons in the Berlin Sportspalast last week that he had many times in recent years, and several times since the outbreak of war, extended the hand of peace to "England," and she had spurned it.

The "peace" of course would have left Germany in possession of the territory of the small nations it has steam-rollered. The "peace" would be broken when Hitler felt ready to attend to Britain.

'German Peace" is the title of a leaflet issued by the British Ministry of Information, which has found its way to The Daily News. It answer Hitler now completely, though issued weeks ago.

Beneath the picture of a German cavalry boot, with swastika spur, striding forward, apparently to trample anything in its path, the leaflet says:

"This jackboot tramples on the lives of men, of women and of children in all countries over which the Nazis rule today.

"A German 'peace' does not just mean a change of government. It would mean that everybody's daily life, whether poor or rich, would be run the Nazi way—everybody slaves to German masters! Their spies everywhere. Their guns and rubber truncheons bossing people, from morning until night. Those who do not please them imprisoned, tortured or shot.

"Remember what has happened wherever Germans rule.

"A German girl—she might have been your daughter—was sent to prison for 18 months for dancing with a Polish prisoner. A shopkeeper got six years' imprisonment for selling cloth without a ration card. A whole family got 5½ years' imprisonment for listening to a non-German wireless station. Forty-six people were executed for 'black-out' offences. These were Germans. In Poland, 150 Boy Scouts, between 10 and 16 years of age, were shot down by machine-guns in the market square. They might have been your sons.

"THE GESTAPO RULES

"When the Germans enter a country, their terrible secret police come into every home. There is a knock at the door. They have come to seize your house. This happened one night to 6000 people living in a town in Czecho-Slovakia. They were turned out, into the Winter street, to make room for Germans. The same thing happened to people on farms in the country; the farms were taken: the owners left to starve.

"Or the secret police have come because somebody in the house is accused of having said something, some time, against the Germans. It may be that he belongs to a Trade Union. That is a crime for which thousands have died. Anyhow, he is taken away. His family never see him again. They never know why or where he is gone. At last, one day, a small parcel is delivered. The wife or mother opens it. Inside are ashes: all that is left of her dear one. This is not imaginary—it actually happened.

"THE FATE OF THE CHILDREN

"Fathers and mothers have to see their children taught, by Nazi teachers, to spy on their parents; and watch them being hammered into a Nazi shape. They have to see them going short of food. Rations for non-Germans are smaller than for Germans. The little savings they have pinched and struggled to collect, for their children's future, are seized. Home life is broken up: the breadwinner is compelled to go to work wherever his German master sends him. He has to leave his family behind, and is paid so little that he cannnot help them. Czech and Polish, Danish and Dutch workers have been sent away to toil in Germany.

"IT SHALL NOT BE

"Make no mistake—a German 'peace' would mean ruin and misery for all of us—poor and rich, worker and employer, young and old. But there shall be no German 'peace.'

"We have a great Army; an Air Force incomparable in quality and courage: a Navy more powerful than any combination against it. We have behind us the resources of the Empire and of the United States. Our own workers are piling up supplies by their magnificent devotion. This is the People's war against German 'peace.'

"The British people will win!"

"Go on, Jimmy! . . . Be brave. Tell father we're engaged."
—Humorist.

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

Letters may be published over a nom de plume, but the actual name of the writer must be given to the editor as evidence of good faith. Anonymous letters go in the waste paper basket.

Foster Urges Marlatt to Give Readers Benefit of His Study of Unemployment

To the Editor of
The Nelson Daily News.

Sir: In a recent issue of your paper, C. E. Marlatt of Trail, is reported to have outlined this act at a meeting of the Trail Board of Trade, and to have condemned it as "the result of a defeatist attitude".

One who did not hear the whole of the address is unable to fully estimate his reactions to the act, which he says "has been passed, so I don't expect we can do much about it", but he also says "it is up to us to find out why these people (the workers who are "bandied about" and not covered by the act) are not working and solve the problem"; in other words he would use a frontal attack rather than a Governmental rear one.

For the benefit of your readers, who I am sure would be greatly interested, I suggest that he give them his views on the problem of the unemployed unemployables.

He may be able to produce authentic figures, from Government returns, of this class of workers over a period of peace-time years, and work out the ratios they bear to the actual or estimated total populations of Canada for the years covered. By this means it should be possible to learn if unemployment is actually increasing or decreasing.

If it is not increasing, at the least our Governments are becoming quite concerned about it, and apparently they cannot agree as to who should bear the burden of the cost.

We do notice the effect, and as Mr. Marlatt suggests, there must be a cause for the large amount of unemployment existing in Canada, and I for one will be pleased to hear what he thinks is that cause (or couses), and what he would propose to remedy the serious situation, thereby possibly cancelling the present huge draft on the taxpayers.

As he evidently has made a study of the problem confronting us, I respectfully urge him to give the reading public the benefit of that study and his findings, through the medium of your valued paper.

W. H. FOSTER.

Nelson, B. C.,
February 1, 1941.

Reported Severance of Canadian Moose From Parent Order "Perfectly Absurd"

To the Editor of
The Nelson Daily News.

Sir:—In your issue of January 4 there appears an article to the effect that the Foreign Exchange Control Board regulations have resulted in severance of the Loyal Order of Moose in Canada from the parent organization in the United States.

When a similar report appeared recently in a Windsor paper we immediately communicated with Norman G. Heyd, Grand Secretary, Loyal Order of Moose, Toronto, who wrote us in part as follows:

"As head of the Loyal Order of Moose in the Dominion of Canada, I write you in reference to the Press report that came out of Windsor originating from a statement made by one of the members of our Order in which mention was made of certain changes resulting from some action that your Board has taken. This statement is perfectly absurd. Never at any time has your Board or any branch, so far as I am aware, said anything or given any instructions in reference to this Order and how such an idea could have got credence is more than I can understand.

"I felt that this letter should be sent to you so that you would understand that no such statement as appeared in the newspaper reports was ever given by anyone who was authorized in reference thereto or knew the facts.

"I am indeed sorry that some one of our local officers should talk through their hats."

In view of the fact that the matter has received some prominence in the Press I thought you would be interested in what Mr. Heyd has to say. Any steps that you may care to take place your readers in possession of the fact will be greatly appreciated.

A. McD. McBain,
Chief, Public Relations Section.
Ottawa, January 30, 1941.

VERSE

DEMOCRACY

Ten men there were, or many a ten!
Within a little world
That, just like ours now, as then,
Around its sun was whirled.

Ten families they, and every one,
Did have to toil long hours
For food and clothes and shelter, won
By toil, as we do ours.

By using thoughtful skill, as we,
With energy and, will
Improving, soon the toil of three
Produced, for all, their fill.

With three producing all their needs,
The ten men looked around;
"We're housed, and clothed, supplied with feed,
By skill we all have found.

'So seven now, well fed, may roam,
In search of something more
For every family, every home,
Than what we've had before."

And so with power and skill of all,
The three and seven wrought:
Soon boasting all, in home and hall:
"See! Look now what we've got!"

By steam and gas, electric powers,
Production multiplied;
The three and seven, just like ours,
Found plenty to divide:

All surplus won was blessed and shared
To merit and to need:
Their progress thus was unimpaired
By lack of faith, or greed.

Where is this world? I cannot say:
But thinking of it brings
The thought, "Should we find it, we may
Start growing angel's wings."

Will Stuart.
Creston, B. C., Jan. 23, 1941.

WAR—25 YEARS AGO TODAY

By The Canadian Press

Feb. 4, 1916 — British expedition going to the relief of Gen. Sir Charles Townshend's force at Kut-el-Amara held up on the River Tigris. French artillery shelled infantry column and enemy convoys entering the town of Roye.

Active in Kootenay Life . . .

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Charles Catalano, who was an Alderman on the Trail City Council from 1938 to 1940, Mr. Catalano also retired from the Trail-Tadanac School Board this year.
—Picture by Progress Studio.

Dust of Gold

"He had this testimony, that he pleased God: but without FAITH it is impossible to please Him."—Hebrews 11:5, 6.

Do you really believe God? Do you really take Him at His word and act accordingly? If a friend says "I will come to visit you on Friday" we believe our friend, we expect him, he arrives. When God says, "Behold I stand at the door and knock, if any man hear my voice and open the door I will come into him and sup with him and he with me." Do we believe HIM, do we expect Him to enter into our soul, do we know He has arrived? Jesus said, "I came that ye might have life and that ye might have IT more abundantly." Do you believe it? Let us ask ourselves how much we really do believe. Perhaps it will be necessary for us to say with one of old "Lord, I believe, help thou my unbelief."

?? Questions ?? ANSWERS

Open to any reader. Names of persons asking questions will not be published.

G. C. F., Ainsworth—Is there such an association as the B. C. Guide and Packers, if so, what is the address?

There is no association in this Province comprised of big game guides and packers.

W. H., Salmo—Where are the three largest smelters in the world?

Various answers are possible, but as good an answer as any is probably the smelters at Trail, B. C.; Garfield, Utah; and Chihuahua, Mexico. The first, as you know, produces many metals. Garfield is a copper smelter and Chihuahua a lead smelter The choice is based on annual capacity rather than output. None of these plants handle iron.

Curious, Nelson—What language is the following, "Gute Zigarren del, Belling feit uber 60 yahren, Berlin W. A. Mauerstube 66"?

German.

J. F. P., Grand Forks—To settle an argument, how many radio licenses are required, if a party operates two or more sets in a house?

One.

How much income tax would a single man pay if he earned $370.46 last year?

None.

What is the difference between hard soldering and soft soldering?

Soft solder can be used for any purpose where the soldered articles need not be heated much above the boiling point of water, so that there is no danger of it melting. The variations are greater in the case of hard solders, whose composition is such that they melt only on being brought to strong red heat.

L. M., Cranbrook—Can you tell me what causes cats to have fits?

James Shellard, of the Fifth Avenue Dog Hospital, Rossland, says: 'The cause of fits in cats is worms. The cure is to stop all sweet food and to give the following medicine: New milk, 4 dessertspoons; oil of male shield fern, ½ dram. Mix well and pour into mouth from spoon. Give this dose every three days.

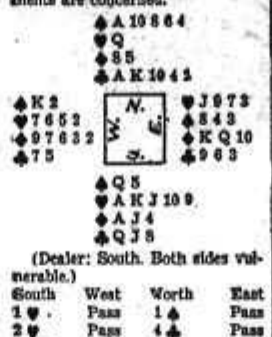
E. N., Creston—I would like to get a drawing and full particulars on how to make a waterwheel for a small creek, to run a dragsaw?

Write W. Blane, District Water Engineer, 320 Ward Street, Nelson.

CONTRACT . . . By Shepard Barclay

KNOW YOUR CONVENTIONS

PLAYERS SO satisfied with their own bidding methods that they won't learn anybody else's can never attain top rank. To even play the cards correctly, it is necessary to know what messages are conveyed from one opponent to another during the auction. The man who thinks other people's methods do not concern him is like an ostrich, with his head in the sand so far as some developments are concerned.



(Dealer: South. Both sides vulnerable.)

South	West	North	East
1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♥	Pass	4 ♣	Pass
4 NT	Pass	5 ♥	Pass
5 NT	Pass	6 ♦	Pass
7 NT	Pass	Pass	Dbl

South could not possibly have made that contract if he had not known the bidding methods of the opponents. He was aware of the meaning they attach to a double of a slam bid. When the dummy had bid two suits, it calls for the lead of the first of them. But West did not lead a spade. Instead, he led the club 7, which was the key to the whole play.

South read West's failure to lead spades as indicating he had the guarded king. East, to double, must have had the diamond honors, plus something else, which, judging from his own and dummy's hands, could be nothing but our spades to the jack. If that was right, the only chance was by a reversed squeeze, in which East had to guard both spades and diamonds.

Acting on this reading, South built a beautiful play. He took the club lead with the Q and immediately led the spade Q, prepared to let it ride if West ducked. But West covered as expected, and the A won in dummy. Now East had to guard that suit as well as diamonds. Came then five tricks in hearts and four more in clubs. As the last club was led, dummy held also the spade 10 and diamond 8, and South the Diamond A-J-4. East was in a squeeze. If he discarded his spade J, dummy's 10 and South's diamond A would take the last two tricks. So he threw off his diamond Q, the diamond 8 to the A then dropped the K and the J got the final trick.

Anyone who did not know the meaning of East's double, and therefore the significance of West not leading spades, would have failed to make that contract

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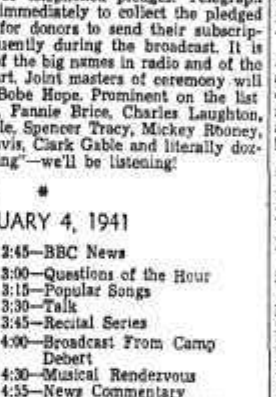
Tomorrow's Problem



(Dealer: East. North-South vulnerable.)

What is the soundest plan for play of this hand after West leads the spade A and then the diamond 3 against your 6-Diamonds?

On The Air

An all-time high for radio programmes may be reached Saturday night if plans for the big Greek war relief broadcast materialize. Commencing at 8:15 p.m. Pacific time, the show will emanate from the stage of the Chinese Theatre in Hollywood. Every station on the two N.B.C. networks and all the Mutual stations will be on the hook-up for the programme, as well as scores of independent stations in the U.S.A.

Writing in Radio Daily, a leading New York radio columnist calls the show "one of the most important broadcasts in the history of radio." Objects is to raise $500,000 (yes, a half million dollars!) in the hour and a half the broadcast will occupy. Tickets will be sold to the spectators in the theatre; the proceeds are expected to amount to $15,000 alone. Every cent goes to the fund. Department stores in all cities have volunteered to act as collecting depots, using their switchboards manned and "girled" by special operators to make note of telephoned pledges. Telegraph messenger boys are to be dispatched immediately to collect the pledged donation, making it easy as possible for donors to send their subscriptions. Totals will be announced frequently during the broadcast. It is impossible in this space to give a list of the big names in radio and of the theatre so far announced as taking part. Joint masters of ceremony will be none other than Jack Benny and Bobe Hope. Prominent on the list are George Burns and Gracie Allen, Fannie Brice, Charles Laughton, Myrna Loy, Paul Muni, Shirley Temple, Spencer Tracy, Mickey Rooney, Ronald Colman, Bob Crosby, Bette Davis, Clark Gable and literally dozens of others. Title is "America Calling"—we'll be listening!

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1941

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

7:57—O Canada
8:00—BBC News
8:15—Clark Dennis, Tenor
8:30—Musical Varieties
8:45—Lyle Henderson
9:00—The News
9:15—Sweet Hour of Prayer
9:30—B.C. Schools Broadcast
10:00—Musical Interlude (CKLN)
10:30—Our Family (CKLN)
10:45—News
11:00—To Be Announced (CKLN)
11:30—U. S. Army Band
12:00—B. C. Farm Broadcast

AFTERNOON

12:30—News
12:45—Musical Melodies (CKLN)
1:00—School of the Air
1:30—Vocal Varieties (CKLN)
1:45—Talk
2:00—Closing Stocks
2:15—Chansonette
2:30—Popular Songs
2:45—BBC News
3:00—Questions of the Hour
3:15—Popular Songs
3:30—Talk
3:45—Recital Series
4:00—Broadcast From Camp Debert
4:30—Musical Rendezvous
4:55—News Commentary
5:00—Concert Master (CKLN).
5:30—Radio Birthday Party (CKLN)

EVENING

6:00—To Be Announced
6:30—Edwin LeMar Trio (CKLN)
5:45—Meet the Band (CKLN)
7:00—The News
7:15—Britain Speaks
7:30—BBC Radio News Reel
8:00—CBC Visits the Troops
8:30—Recital Series
8:45—Speaking of Books
9:00—Immortal Music
9:30—Theatre Time
10:00—Isabelle McEwan Sings
10:15—The News
10:30—Gary Nottingham's Orch.
11:00—God Save the King

Jest Yourself

ONE-MINUTE TEST

1. What was the last name of Dickens' "Little Nell" in "The Old Curiosity Shop"?
2. How did the term "drawing room" originate?
3. Who wrote the music for "Peer Gynt", called the "Peer Gynt Suite"

WORDS OF WISDOM

The greatest results in life are usually attained by simple means and the exercise of ordinary qualities. These may for the most part be summed in these two—common sense and perseverance.—Feltham.

HINTS ON ETIQUETTE

It is not good form to spread jelly or jam on bread at the table. Jelly or jam should be conveyed to the mouth on the top of the fork after eating a small portion of bread.

TODAYS HOROSCOPE

If you are celebrating your birthday today, during the next year you will gain through writings, correspondence and travel. Success in legal affairs is foretold, but also some disagreement with superiors. Strong-willed, determined, courageous, clever, original and quick-witted will the child be who is born on this date. There exists in the prohpecy for such a personality, however, some danger of loss of employment through impetuosity.

ONE-MINUTE TEST ANSWERS

1. Trent.
2. From "withdrawing room", a room to withdraw to. It was thus used in the 17th century.
3. Edward H. Grieg.

MANCHESTER (CP)—Sandbags for use in dealing with incendiary bombs falling in roadways or premises have been placed in the main streets of Manchester. Citizens are asked to use them in smothering the incendiaries.

WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING

HUMILITY

"True humility is not an abject, groveling, self-despising spirit; it is but a right estimate of ourselves as God sees us."—Tryon Edwards.

"There is no humiliation for humility."—Joseph Roux.

"Human pride is human weakness. Self-knowledge, humility and love are divine strength."—Mary Baker Eddy.

"There is but one road to lead us to God—humility; all other ways would only lead astray, even were they fenced in with all virtues."—Boileau.

"Lord of all life, below, above,
Whose light is truth, whose warmth is love,
Before Thy ever blazing throne
We ask no lustre of our own."
—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Butler-Not Begonias Rates First on Riviera

CANNES, France, Feb. 3 (AP). — Butter—not begonias—is the worry of the French Riviera this year as the time for the annual flower battles arrives.

Normally about 50,000 British and American tourists would be toasting in the Mediterranean sun and shelling money to croupiers in the Casino.

Now there are about 4000 foreigners, most of them English, who are unable to leave and who are seeking rations and coal along with the Riviera population.

The flower battles usually held early in February with processions of decorated automobiles and showers of flowers were not even considered.

Residents now are standing for hours in line since everyone is required to appear personally for his 100 grams (3½ ounces) of butter, 50 grams of cheese and one egg.

Canada to Spend Over $100,000,000, New Division and Brigade

By EDWIN JOHNSON
Canadian Press Military Correspondent

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP). — The Canadian Government will spend more than $100,000,000 during the fiscal year 1941-42 in formation and equipment of an armored division and tank brigade which will reinforce the Canadian Corps overseas, Defence Minister Ralston announced today.

This program provides for the despatch overseas during the present year of the 3rd Canadian Division, with its ancillary formations, an armored division, an army tank brigade and the remainder of the troops for the corps now in England.

Arising out of expanded program, between 40,000 and 80,000 men would be required in 1941 to replace formations sent overseas, the Minister said. He added, however, it was not his intention to launch a recruiting drive for a large bloc of men at any one time. He preferred the intake should be gradual to meet the needs of the arms as they arose.

Under present plans, the Department is not contemplating mobilization of a new division to take the place of the 3rd when it is ultimately despatched overseas.

Col. Ralston explained there were available now nine infantry battalions which could be formed into a new division should such a move become desirable. The question, however, of raising still another or 6th division would wholly depend on future needs arising out of military developments.

As a "very minimum" 40,000 men would be required for the new formations during the present year, the Minister said. But as the result of active operations this figure might have to be doubled.

About 12,000 men will be required to complete organization of the armored division. Some of the units had already been selected, others now in training had been earmarked for this specialized service, while it would be necessary to call for some additional volunteers.

"We expect to be going full-out on tank production very soon," Col. Ralston said in replying to a question regarding the equipment situation as it affected the armored division and tank brigade.

"We will take any tanks as fast as we can get them," the Minister added. "But we have also made arrangements with the United Kingdom Government to supplement any requirements if it becomes necessary to despatch the formation overseas before they are fully equipped."

The Minister said that in building up the new mechanized wing of the Dominion's forces, the Department planned to spend during 1941-42 more than $75,000,000 on the armored division, while the proposed outlay on the tank brigade would exceed $30,000,000.

While not in a position to disclose the actual strength of the Canadian forces, Col. Ralston declared there were more than 50,000 serving overseas at present and that troops under arms in Canada exceeded 100,000. When the new formations arrive on the other side the strength of the Canadian Corps and ancillaries would be almost doubled.

Willkie Receives "Red Rose of Lancaster"

MANCHESTER, Feb. 3 (CP). — Wendell Willkie received the "Red Rose of Lancaster" today—an honor rarely conferred upon foreigners.

Visiting this Lancashire industrial city after an inspection trip through bombed Coventry and Birmingham, Willkie was met by a cheering crowd at the Town Hall where the Lord Mayor presented him the rose.

The Red Rose comes down from the War of the Roses in which the Red Rose signified the House of Lancaster and the White Rose the House of York. From Manchester Mr. Willkie went to Liverpool.

Plans are being made for the American visitor to see the King and Queen and also King Haakon of Norway tomorrow. In the evening he is to dine with a British authors' delegation headed by Rebecca West.

Mr. Willkie expressed amazement "to see this destruction and find the loss of life so small" in Liverpool.

"How did the people escape?" he asked. "Were they in shelters?"

His escort replied that most were in communal shelters.

On a tour of Liverpool's docks Mr. Willkie was welcomed by cheering workers and followed by crowds as he walked beneath swinging cranes with the Earl of Derby. The many ships and intense activity interested him.

"Tell them the docks are carrying on," the wrokers shouted.

"That's the stuff Wendell."

Mr. Willkie was greeted at Liverpool by the Lord Mayor, Sir Sidney Jones — the city's first third-term Mayor.

LEAHY AND FLANDIN TALK ON "MANY TOPICS"

VICHY, France, Feb. 3 (AP). — Admiral William D. Leahy, United States Ambassador to Vichy, said he talked on a "wide variety" of subjects late today in a one-hour interview with French Foreign Minister Pierre-Etienne Flandin.

Informed sources said Flandin brought up France's domestic situation in the interview and intimated that he took a serious view of France's plight.

The United States Embassy, however, would neither confirm nor deny this and held to strict silence on details of the conversation beyond affirming that Leahy had visited Flandin without any topic in mind.

GIRL DIES ON BLOCK

BERLIN, Feb. 3 (AP). — Ruth Schubert, 20, of Hildesheim, the first woman executed in Germany this year, died on the block today following conviction on charges of espionage.

Karl Schapper, 62, convicted of high treason, was beheaded at the same time.

Three persons were executed last month on charges of espionage.

Supreme Court Decision Overruled

VICTORIA, Feb. 3 (CP).—Court of Appeal today over-ruled a Vancouver Supreme Court decision declaring Margery Dixie bound by the 1934 Hospital's Act and consequently unable to sue the Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster, for injuries allegedly suffered there the day after her birth.

The 1934 amendment required action to be taken within one year of the incident over which damages might be claimed. The ruling of the trial court was to the effect that the act amendment was retroactive and Miss Dixie, who waited until she attained her majority before launching action, could not sue, Harry Sullivan, K.C., successfully argued in the appeal no amendment could affect the plaintiff on an action which was pending.

Hop Lee, Chinese, sentenced to six months and fined $200 on conviction at the last Vancouver assizes on a charge of offering to sell opium, failed in his appeal.

In another judgment the application of James C. James and Elisabeth James, plaintiff appellants, to carry an appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada in an action against McLennan, McFeeley & Prior, Ltd., was refused.

LONDON (CP)—Herbert Morrison, British Home Secretary and himself the son of a London policeman, made history by visiting Scotland Yard, the first home secretary to pay such an official visit to British police headquarters.

"Build B. C. Payrolls"

Newsmen Urge Apple Talk

Two newspapermen suggested this space should point out the virtues of Okanagan apples for their food value as well as for their use as a fruit for health. Evidently these chaps do not know of Pacific Milk's enthusiasm for our other great B. C. product.

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SPORTS

Dynamiters Stil Hot as Pound Leafs into 11-5 Defeat

Kootenay Men Star in "Army" Hockey Team, Vernon

Left to right: Back row, standing—Louis Moro, Trail, trainer; D. McGibney, Trail; James Niven, Nelson; Ernest Elliot, Sheep Creek; R. Bellshaw, Merritt; N. Belinski, Vernon; N. Sheriff, Kelowna; Lloyd Devlin, Trail; Frank Pietrosky, Trail; C. McGowan, Kimberley. Front row, leading forward—L.-Cpl. J. A. (Smiley) McFadzen, Trail; N. E. Witt, Kelowna; Donald Beatty, Nelson; T. Embry, Kelowna; A. Bonner, Kimberley; Jack Corbett, Kimberley. In front—"Davy", the mascot.—Photo by William Ramsay.

Bruins Are Rushing Up on Maple Leafs

Boston Bruins record-threatening unbeaten streak—now 15 straight—parallels the circumstances surrounding New York Rangers' National Hockey League mark of 19, but with the Bruins this time playing the role of hounds to Toronto Maple Leafs' hare.

Featured both times, the Bruins were the hunted club as the Rangers snapped Montreal Canadiens' 12-year-old record of 18 unbeaten games last season. Now, the front-running Leafs are being challenged.

Kaleta Presses O'Keefe in Puck Scoring, Alberta

Despite close competition from Alex Kaleta, young Lethbridge centreman, Eddie O'Keefe of Edmonton is still riding on top of the Alberta senior hockey scoring parade.

Sid Craddock of Turner Valley is way out in front in penalties with 55 minutes. Harvey Barnes of Lethbridge is next with 40 minutes.

The leaders:

	G	A	Pt	Pe
O'Keefe, Edmonton	31	21	52	28
Kaleta, Lethbridge	20	28	48	22
Cairns, Turner Valley	20	22	42	14
Stewart, Lethbridge	25	16	41	2
Atkinson, Turner Valley	19	16	35	11
Burke, Calgary	16	16	32	34
Brown, Edmonton	12	17	29	29
Shannon, Calgary	16	12	28	14
Culley, Lethbridge	15	14	29	26
Duchak, Calgary	11	13	24	41
Yanew, Edmonton	16	8	24	4
Desmarais, Calgary	10	11	21	30
Lunde, Lethbridge	9	12	21	37
Skinner, Edmonton	11	11	22	8
Craddock, Turner V.	9	9	18	55
Newsome, Edmonton	7	9	16	2
Darling, Lethbridge	7	8	15	24
Sprout, Calgary	4	11	15	15
Thirlwell, Calgary	8	6	14	4
Mullen, Edmonton	7	5	12	28
Davis, Turner Valley	9	2	11	6
Bird, Edmonton	5	6	11	2
Holditch, Turner Valley	3	8	11	25
Ettinger, Turner Valley	5	6	11	30
Barnes, Lethbridge	5	5	10	40
Rimstad, Lethbridge	4	6	10	4
Gordon Watt, Edmonton	6	3	9	18
Ursaki, Turner Valley	3	6	9	20

Times, Fourex Win at Hockey

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—The Trail Times defeated Trail Meat Market 9-5 on Sunday in the Downtown Hockey League. Phil Smith and Vince Moran scored three goals apiece for the victors, and other Times scorers were Bert Milne, Fred Woods and Clay Kennedy.

Scorers for the Market boys were Geno Lerose, Allen Tognotti, George Tognotti and Rico Martin (2).

Fourex defeated the Company Store 7-5 in the second game of the league played Sunday.

N.H.L. LEADERS

	G	A	Pt.	Pe.
Cowley, Boston	10	29	39	6
Apps, Toronto	16	18	34	4
Schriner, Toronto	16	10	26	2
Watson, Rangers	10	18	28	35
Bauer, Boston	12	15	27	2
Hextall, Rangers	15	11	26	6
Howe, Detroit	13	13	26	6
Wiseman, Boston	10	16	26	4
N. Colville, Rangers	9	17	26	22
Schmidt, Boston	9	17	26	19
Drillon, Toronto	15	10	25	0
Taylor, Toronto	7	18	25	3
L. Patrick, Rangers	12	12	24	6
R. Conacher, Boston	14	8	22	5
G. Allen, Chicago	12	10	22	14
Thoms, Chicago	11	11	22	2
Dumart, Boston	12	9	21	2
Abel, Detroit	7	13	20	17
W. Carse, Chicago	5	15	20	12
Demers, Canadiens	11	8	19	9
N. Metz, Toronto	8	11	19	6
D. Bentley, Chicago	5	14	19	6

COWLEY FIVE AHEAD OF APPS

MONTREAL, Feb. 3 (CP). — A goal and an assist during the last week was enough to maintain Bill Cowley's leadership in the National Hockey League scoring race.

The Boston centre ran his point-total to 39, still five up on Toronto's Syl Apps. Phil Watson of Rangers, out of action all week due to an injury, fell into a third-place tie with Sweeney Schriner of Toronto. Each has 28 points.

Schriner made the largest advance among the leaders, scoring two goals and an assist to move from sixth spot into the third-place deadlock.

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Nelson Is Up 2-1 at End of First Period

FIFTH STRAIGHT FOR KIMBERLEY

KIMBERLEY, B.C., Feb. 3 — Picking up where they left off last Saturday night, Kimberley Dynamiters pasted Nelson Maple Leafs with an 11-5 defeat here tonight to sweep a West Kootenay Hockey League weekend double-header and strengthen their second-place hold.

The Leafs jumped into a two-goal lead in the opening minutes of the first period, and they led at the period's end by 2-1. The Dynamiters came out in the second period to pound in five goals against a lone counter for Nelson. In the third period, the game roughened up considerably, but the teams found time to score seven goals, the Dynamiters getting five of them.

It was the fifth consecutive win for the Kimberley club, and the victory left them firmly entrenched in second place, and within striking distance of the league-leading Trail Smoke Eaters.

PENALTY SHOT SCORED

The game was only two minutes under way when Swaney pulled Mann down when he was in the clear, and the Leafs were awarded a penalty shot which brought them the first goal. Pettigrew, a defenceman, whipped a low shot along the ice that completely fooled Laface in the Kimberley net. The Leafs took further advantage of Swaney's penalty to go into a two-goal lead with a power play goal. Mann sniped this one, with Algar and Bicknell in on the play.

Wilson took Redding's pass at 11:15 to end the scoring for the period and cut the Leafs' lead to 2-1.

Redding combined with Calles to tie the score, with Redding sailing in close, and beating Seaby with a waist-high shot. Dynamiters went into the lead on Swaney's goal at 9:45 and 33 seconds later Sullivan, Redding and Wilson combined, Sullivan parking the rubber in the Nelson net.

Mann reduced the lead to one goal when he picked up Kilpatrick's pass, and drove the puck into the Dynamiter net. Wilson, Sullivan and Redding teamed up again, and this time Wilson was on the scoring end of the play. The goal came at the 11:10 mark and it was the fourth goal in a minute and 35 seconds of play. Calles scored the sixth Dynamiter goal, with Sullivan and Wilson getting assists to wind up the second period scoring with Kimberley ahead 6-3.

SCORE STRANGE ONE

With about two minutes gone in the third period, Sullivan took a pass from Swaney just outside the Nelson blue line to let loose a lazy shot that Seaby came out slowly to handle. The puck, sliding along the ice, took a peculiar hop, and then crawled right into the net.

Calles was sent off for tripping Proulx and the Leaf power play clicked for a goal when Mann scored on a smart passing play with Kilpatrick and Bicknell. Dynamiters came back with three goals in less than two minutes with Redding, Redisky and Almack cashing in in that order. At this point in the game, considerable feeling crept in, and sticks were carried high, and although it looked as if anything might happen, no serious damage resulted.

At 18:25 Almack took Calles' pass, and drilled the 11th Dynamiter goal into the Nelson net. Then Algar walked in on top of Laface to pick a corner and wind up the scoring with less than a minute of play remaining.

Lineups:

Nelson—Seaby; Bicknell, Pettigrew and Boothman; Proulx, Algar and Sturk; Kilpatrick, Mann and Haire; Emerby.

Kimberley — Laface; Sorensen, Swaney and Almack; Wilson, Sullivan and Redding; Redisky, Patrick and Hunt; Calles.

Referees—Clarence Reddick and Chris Sorensen.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Nelson, Pettigrew (penalty shot), 2:13; 2, Nelson, Mann (Algar-Bicknell), 4:30; 3, Kimberley, Wilson (Redding), 11:15.

Penalties—Swaney, Proulx.

Second period — 4, Kimberley, Redding (Calles), 5:32; 5, Kimberley, Swaney, 9:45; 6, Kimberley, Sullivan (Wilson-Redding), 9:56; 7, Nelson, Mann (Kilpatrick), 10:25; 8, Kimberley, Wilson (Redding-Sullivan) 11:10; 9, Kimberley, Calles (Sullivan-Wilson), 17:45

Penalties—Kilpatrick, Mann.

Third period—10, Kimberley, Sullivan (Swaney), 2:10; 11, Nelson Mann (Kilpatrick-Bicknell), 8:45; 12, Kimberley, Redding (Calles-Wilson), 13:30; 13, Kimberley, Redisky (Hunt), 14:15; 14, Kimberley Almack, 15:12; 15, Kimberley Almack (Calles), 16:25; 16, Nelson Algar, 19:10.

Penalties—Calles, Swaney, Sorensen.

Quinn, Feller Are Honored by Writers

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 (AP)—Baseball honored two of its most beloved Bobs—J. A. Robert Quinn and Robert William Andrew Feller—at the annual dinner of the New York Writers last night.

Two plaques were presented—one to the Cleveland Indians' pitcher as the player of the year and the other to Quinn, President of Boston Bees, for "meritorious service to baseball over a long period of years."

JEAN PUSIE LET OUT AT SEATTLE

SEATTLE, Feb. 3 (CP) — Jean Baptiste Pusie's career in the Pacific Coast Hockey League came to an end today as he prepared to return to Montreal, where he will seek reinstatement as an amateur with the hope of eventually landing a job as manager of an amateur team.

Pusie was released over the week-end by Seattle Olympics, with whom he has played defence this season. Last season he was on the Vancouver Lions' lineup, but quit after refusing to pay a fine imposed for his part in a free-for-all on the ice.

Louis Laughs at Dorazio's Boast He'll Take Louis

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 3 (AP) — Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis signed today for the third defence of his title in two months and found the quality of the latest opposition so amusing that he laughed out loud.

Agreeing formally to meet Gus Dorazio, Philadelphia Italian, in a 15-round title bout Feb. 17, Joe's unusual merriment was caused by Dorazio's statement:

"I'll beat Louis by bobbing and weaving."

"I'll be ready for him," Joe declared. "He won't be the first one who tried to bob and weave me out of my title."

Joe referred to the ring tactics of Clarence (Red) Burman, the Baltimore red-head, who stayed almost five rounds with the champion last Friday in New York. Louis still showed a slightly puffed right eye from Friday night's fight.

Gross gate receipts are expected to reach $60,000, with Louis getting 40 per cent and Dorazio 12½ per cent. Promotor Mike Jacobs announced there is a good chance the champion's scheduled bout with Billy Conn in June might be held in Pittsburgh, Con's home town. It has been tentatively scheduled for New York City.

Dorazio's confidence that he will beat Louis and win the champion bordered on "cockiness."

"I've been training for three weeks and I'll be in top form when I meet Louis," he said, "I can't lose. I always fight best against the good boys." The Italian has lost two fights in the last two years—to Arturo Godoy, a Louis victim, and to Conn.

Louis, who will be making his 14th defence of the title, will begin training Thursday, at Greenwood Lake, N.Y.

Tonight's Hockey

NATIONAL
Rangers at Americans.
Canadiens at Boston.
OKANAGAN
Kelowna at Vernon.

FARM PEP KELLY

CHICAGO, Feb. 3 (AP)—Chicago Black Hawks of the National Hockey League farmed out Winger Pep Kelly of Providence Reds of the American League today and recalled Bill Mosienko from the same team.

Mosienko will be used until injured regulars recuperate.

HAWKS CALL BENTLEY

ST. PAUL, Feb. 3 (AP) — Max Bentley, centre iceman of the American Hockey Association Kansas City Club, has been recalled by Chicago Black Hawks of the National Hockey League, George Higgins, League President, announced today.

ALLENTON, Pa., Feb. 3 (AP). — Ken Overlin of Washington, recognized in New York and other States as the middleweight boxing champion, punched out a 10-round decision over Jackie Munley, of Scranton, in a non-title bout here tonight. Overlin weighed 165, Munley, 168.

Baseball Leaders Struggling Over Landis Bulletin

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 (AP)—A new and secretive struggle between baseball's club owners and Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis is under way as the result of a ruling concerning the handling of minor league players purchased by major league clubs.

A bulletin issued more than a week ago to the 16 major league clubs invokes a new policy in bringing rookies to and keeping them in the big time, and reopens the old fight between Landis and the chain store operators.

The National League, which meets tomorrow, will thrash out the problem.

This is the situation:

For many years baseball has had a draft regulation which permitted a player with certain terms of service in the minor leagues to be drafted by a major league club for a specified price—$7500—from the double A leagues such as the International, Pacific Coast and American Association.

A player who was brought into the majors could be returned to the minors three times on option without waivers—and waivers obtained in September were good until May 1 of the following year.

Landis' latest edict overrides these long standing rules that were adopted by the clubs themselves. The new bulletin says that hereafter a minor league player who is eligible for the draft, but is purchased by a big league club, cannot be returned to the minors on option except by obtaining waivers on him. He must be retained until April 1, and the club can not ask for waivers before March 1.

One club owner said he believed Landis would be liberal in interpreting the rule and would seek only to prevent abuses. Another said it would help the lower ranking clubs in both leagues by forcing a distribution of talent.

Hockey Standings

WEST KOOTENAY

	W	L	D	F	A	Pct.
Trail	12	7	0	76	70	.632
Kimberley	8	9	0	84	82	.471
Nelson	8	12	1	82	96	.405

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Eastern Division

	W	L	D	F	A	Pt.
Providence	22	14	2	137	111	46
New Haven	19	13	6	124	101	44
Springfield	18	15	6	111	104	42
Philadelphia	14	20	5	109	131	33

Western Division

Cleveland	21	9	8	132	105	50
Hershey	17	13	6	129	117	40
Indianapolis	13	19	7	96	120	33
Pittsburgh	12	21	4	102	119	28
Buffalo	10	22	6	99	131	26

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	W	L	F	A	Pt
St. Louis	22	12	97	72	44
St. Paul	18	16	85	88	36
Omaha	17	14	101	86	34
Minneapolis	16	18	93	75	32
Kansas City	14	16	93	93	28
Tulsa	11	23	75	128	22

NATIONAL

Toronto	21	9	3	95	63	45
Boston	15	7	9	107	74	39
Detroit	13	11	8	72	62	34
Chicago	13	14	6	79	84	32
Rangers	11	14	7	83	83	29
Canadiens	10	17	4	71	85	24
Americans	7	18	7	59	115	21

Trail Curling

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—Play for the Presidents vs. Vice-Presidents event at the Trail rink, Monday afternoon, resulted as follows:

Mrs. J. A. Millar 6, Mrs. D. Forrest 10.

Mrs. C. C. Jones 10, Mrs. W. Simpson 6.

Mrs. W. C. Aston 8, Mrs. A. MacMillan 8.

Will Ski at Princeton

Jack Pratt, Hollyburn Pacific Ski Club skier, is rated as the smoothest performer of his club. He turns in an excellent job on the slalom course, and is top material in "B" class jumping. Last year he won the American four-way championships. He will appear in competition during the Western Canada Ski Championships February 7, 8 and 9 at Princeton.

Popular Local Sportsman Receives Appointment

"Slim" Porter Now A.A.U. Commissioner in Nelson for Another Feather in His Cap; Prominent in Boys' Sport

"M. N. Porter,
"Nelson, B.C.
"Dear Sir—You are hereby notified of your appointment of Commissioner for Nelson and district for the A.A.U. of Canada."

That statement may appear bald on the surface, but it indicates recognition at long last of one of that legion of behind-the-scenes sport workers who in this case has unselfishly contributed to the welfare of Nelson sport for the past decade.

His main interest is boys, and untiringly he has devoted spare time and his own funds to coaching and directing teams in hockey, lacrosse and baseball boys' leagues. In turn he became just as beloved by the youngsters, who appreciated his value and became his fast friends. To all the sport fraternity he is known as "Slim".

But first of all—what this new appointment means:

FIRST AN HONORARY MEMBER

For several years, he has been a representative on the B.C. executive branch of the A.A.U., as was Albert Wallach, also of Nelson, but this really was an honorary position. Now that the slowly disintegrating A.A.U. is trying to regain its late power and prestige, Porter was appointed Commissioner for this district in the movement to revive its activities.

This means that it will facilitate granting of permission from the A.A.U. to hold track meets and boxing shows and issue of amateur cards. Porter now acts as a representative of the body and is empowered to authorize staging of meets instead of the necessity of writing to Vancouver. As for granting amateur cards, he can give an athlete written permission to compete in an immediate meet, instead of having him undergo the delay of awaiting the card from the Coast. The card can come later, but in the meantime Porter can render an athlete eligible until that time.

The Fairview Athletic Club, with which he has been associated for years, has always been affiliated with the A.A.U., and it was through that connection that he got the nod to act as Commissioner.

Porter expects the F.A.C. now to go forward with extensive track and field meets, and he also hopes that boxing shows will be held. Last year the Kootenay championships were held at Creston, but he thinks that Nelson is sport-minded enough that boxing could eventually draw here, and that the facilities at the Civic Centre are ideal for a district tournament.

HIS HISTORY

Now for some of this guy's history:

In 1928 he joined the Fairview Athletic Club to get an amateur card. He was a long distance runner, and he had to be a member of a club to get a card in those days. He continued to run for four years, but right at the start he was active in club activities in more ways than being just an ordinary athlete.

He was one of the supporters and hardest workers in the club's building and operating a rink at the corner of Cottonwood and Second Streets. It was constructed in 1931, and used in the Summer-time as a tennis court. The operation of the rink was abandoned when the Civic Centre was built so that it would not conflict with public skating sessions at the artificial rink, and because a central rink was now available. In any case there has been little good natural ice-making weather since, so the Civic Centre proved a real boon.

His first official position in sport came in 1934 when he was Treasurer of the Nelson Intermediate Baseball Association. The Association eventually folded up, but it provided fine baseball during its life, and its decease meant a depression for production of Nelson baseball players.

In 1935 he was elected to the executive of the Fairview Athletic Club, and that was merely making official the work he had been doing for the past six or seven years. In 1937 he was elected Vice-President, and then served as President in 1938 and 1939. At his own request he was relieved of the presidency, and appointed Managing Director. This enabled him to devote all his time to coaching and managing the club's teams.

GOES TO RELIEF

Last year he secured employment at the Second Relief Mine, and was forced to give up his work with the Fairview Athletic Club. But at the annual F.A.C. meeting last Fall he was elected a life member.

Some of the other capacities in which he has served follow: Secretary-Treasurer of the Nelson Softball Association, Secretary-Treasurer of the Nelson Basketball Association, Registrar-Treasurer of the Nelson Junior Lacrosse Association, Registrar of the Nelson Amateur Hockey Association, and official Scorer for Nelson in both Senior Hockey and Senior Lacrosse.

A good example of his work is shown during the last two Summers, when almost unaided he tried to revive "kid" baseball. He bought equipment for the boys out of his own pocket, and also posted prizes for outstanding players. Two years ago, he had a three-team bantam league as well as a juvenile league operating, and he financed a number of out-of-town trips for his boys.

One day when he felt in a reminiscing mood, he revealed that during his youth, it was his determined dream to be a big-league baseball pitcher. For hours on end he'd practise at home on a target so as to develop his prowess. But when he finally realized that a professional baseball career wasn't for him, he resolved to go somewhere in an executive field, and help boys accomplish as players what wasn't to be for him.

So with unstinting effort he applied himself to coaching, managing, financing and even refereeing. On several occasions, when the F.A.C. might be experiencing "dark" days, he has been known to hire taxis on his own to take his teams out of town.

TWO APPOINTMENTS

The A.A.U. of Canada has also appointed Alfred Watson of Kimberley as well as "Slim" Porter of Nelson to be its Commissioners in the Kootenay. Watson will act for Kimberley and district.

It is understood that a Commissioner may be appointed in Trail in the near future.

"SLIM" PORTER

DREAM COMES TRUE

"Slim" is particularly pleased with the success of one of his dreams. Back during the season of 1938-39, he thought it would be a great thing to stage Provincial midget hockey playoffs. At Vernon and Merritt, the teams were competing for the Cromie Trophy which had been posted a year before, so with the help of Fred Edmunds of Trail and William Lindsay of Kimberley, he organized a playdown plan for the Kootenay. S. G. Blaylock was approached and the C. M. & S. official posted a trophy in memory of the late Bruce Ritchie, a prominent sportsman, to be emblematic of the Kootenay midget championship.

The Nelson Reps got by Trail and Kimberley in highly successful series and then travelled to Vernon where they lost in the Provincial title series.

The next year in cooperation with Walter Walt, the Nelson Reps' Coach he helped in organization of juvenile hockey playoffs for the B. C. title. The B. C. A. H. A. heartily supported the scheme, and the Monarch Life Company posted a Trophy to go to the champion, which eventually proved to be Nelson. This was especially heart-warming to Porter, for the rep teams of both years consisted a good deal of players he had helped develop.

INTERPROVINCIAL SCOPE HOPED

He now hopes to see the day when interprovincial midget and juvenile series are played between Alberta and B. C. These playoffs are conducted between Manitoba and Saskatchewan, and he would like to see the two winners matched in a Western Canada series.

Now that he is at the Relief, he is actively engaged in helping the Rams hockey club in a managerial position. He also serves as Secretary.

Another evidence of his desire to help his proteges along is shown in John (Pro) Dingwall, stellar Nelson athlete who has been at the Relief for the last couple of years. Dingwall has great promise as a goaltender, and "Slim" is anxious to see him make progress. So at the cost of losing valuable strength for his own team, he would like to see him get located at Kimberley, where a Senior goaltending berth might be open. This Spring Dingwall will play for Trail All-Stars in intermediate playdowns, as a result of Porter's efforts.

Cleveland Picks Up Heving, Pitcher Who Was Dropped in 1938

CLEVELAND, Feb. 3 (A.P.)—From Cleveland Indians' front office today came one of those infrequent admissions that somebody once had made a mistake.

Tribe officials didn't mention that word. They didn't need to, for it was enough to announce purchase of Joe Heving, 39-year-old relief pitcher, from Boston Red Sox.

The sinker-ball specialist was something of a sensation as a game saver with eight victories and four defeats when he first joined the Indians in 1937.

Heving was less impressive early the following year. So he was released to Milwaukee and the Red Sox picked him up with this won and lost result: 1938—9 and 2; 1939—11-3; 1940—12-7.

Release of Heving left the Indians without an experienced relief hurler.

The Tribe front office said Heving, a right-hander, had been obtained for actual relief use and not as trading bait.

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PETERSON RETAINS FLYWEIGHT TITLES

NOTTINGHAM, England, Feb. 3 (CP Cable)—Jackie Peterson of Glasgow retained his British and Empire flyweight titles with a technical knockout of Paddy Ryan of Manchester in the eighth round of a scheduled 10-rounder tonight.

Ryan tired fast and by the fifth round blood was streaming from eye cuts. Peterson knocked the challenger from the ring for a nine count in the sixth and battered Ryan in a corner in the eighth before the referee stopped the bout.

F.A.C. Midgets Edge Panthers

F. A. C. Midgets kept their "Indian sign" on the Panther Midgets intact Monday afternoon when they won the final game of the Midget Hockey League schedule 3-2. This makes their personal score with the Panthers four wins to two losses. The Panthers similarly had a win to the good over the M. R. K.'s, while the M.R.K.'s made a clean sweep of their series with the F. A. C.'s.

The win gives the F. A. C.'s eight points, to 11 for the Panthers, and 17 for the M. R. K.'s. The same two teams will now go into the playdown for the Midget Cup, the winners to meet the M.R.K.'s in the final round.

F. A. C.'s got the only tally of the first period when Jack Gallicano netted Mac Norris' pass. Hugh Wallace evened for the Panthers in the second on a nice passing play on which Bud Whitfield and Jack Jarbeau got assists. Norris put Fairview ahead again in the third, tallying on Howard Proctor's pass. Panthers tied the score again with Bud Whitfield's unassisted goal, but the F. A. C.'s took the lead once more when Norris netted Gallicano's pass, and held it to the end. Jack Prestley, Panther, drew the only penalty.

Red Wassick was Referee, Ronnie Lyon kept score and A. N. Winlaw kept the time.

Kootenay Big Six

Jack Kilpatrick, efficient Nelson Maple Leaf centre man who is still going to town in the scoring columns although the Leafs are out of their stride, made his way right to the top of the West Kootenay Hockey League scoring heap by means of his two assists at Kimberley last night. He now has 33 points but shares first place with Trail's Ab Cronie. However, he took over the leadership in the assists department with 20, one more than Cronie.

Meanwhile Jakie Mann, scoring three times, went into fifth place in the Big Six with 20 points, and is just four points behind Cronie and Kilpatrick. Mann is now just one goal behind Mike Buckna who is leading the league in that respect.

The leaders:

	G	A	Pt	Pn
Cronie, Trail	14	19	33	8
Kilpatrick, Nelson	13	20	33	10
Buckna, Trail	21	10	31	0
Dame, Trail	16	14	30	17
Mann, Nelson	20	9	29	30
Patrick, Kimberley	18	9	27	27

REMEMBER WHEN?

By the Canadian Press

Fred Apostoli, then the uncrowned king of the middleweights, was forced to the limit three years ago tonight to win a decision over Nebraskan Glen Lee in a 12-round blood-and-thunder battle at Madison Square Garden.

Fairview Sport to Miss Ringrose

JIMMY RINGROSE

Nelson sport circles, particularly the Fairview Athletic Club, will miss Jimmy Ringrose who has enlisted and has left for the Coast. Above he is seen in a refereeing pose.

A highly popular hockey, baseball and lacrosse mentor and arbiter in recent years, and one of Nelson's playing stalwarts in other days, he has devoted much of his life to sport, especially on behalf of Fairview. He was a gas station operator in his business life.

His brother Alex, incidentally, is now President of the Fairview Athletic Club, and is highly active as Coach of the club's boys' teams.

Notre Dame Coach to Be Commissioner of Pro Football

CHICAGO, Feb. 3 (AP).—Elmer Layden, Notre Dame football coach, has agreed to sign a five-year contract as Commissioner of Professional Football.

Layden, who is 37, announced he had resigned as head coach and Athletic Director of Notre Dame to take a five-year contract at $20,000 a year.

Club owners of the National Football League sponsored the hiring of a Commissioner.

Layden's contract at Notre Dame expired last Saturday.

An all-American ... as one of the famed "Four Horsemen" of Notre Dame in the early 1920's Layden became head coach there in 1934. In seven years his Irish elevens won 46 games and lost only 1...

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Debate on Lease Lend Bill Starts

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 (AP). — Opening historic debate on the Aid to-Britain bill, the United States House of Representatives heard arguments today that the legislation would help keep war away and a contrary prediction the United States would be at war within six months if the bill were enacted without change.

Chairman Sol Bloom (Dem.-New York) of the House Foreign Affairs Committee told the Chamber the "stronger we get the more likely we are to prevent war for this country." He added that "aiding Britain is giving us time to get strong."

Representative Hamilton Fish of New York, ranking Republican member of the committee, contended:

"If the dictator war bill passes unamended in the Congress I predict that within six months we will be involved in war in Europe and Asia, that the Government will take over vital industries, that our civil rights will be suspended, and that we will have a dictatorship in America comparable to the Nazis and Communists."

Fish was applauded by the Republican side when he said that "We have much more to fear from the war makers from within than from our enemies from without."

Fish spoke a few minutes after Philip F. Lafollette, former Governor of Wisconsin, testified before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee that Edouard Daladier, former French Premier, had told him in 1938 that France expected the United States to aid it "with money, materials and men."

Fish was the first Republican speaker after Chairman Adolph Sabath (Dem.-Illinois) of the House Rules Committee formally opened a "week of debate on the measure with the assertion it is "purely a defence measure" rather than a war bill.

"Unfortunately, the Republican members and others who have been misled say they are willing for this country to aid Great Britain, but at the same time they wish to tie the hands of the administration and those gentlemen who have the jurisdiction to carry out the mandate of Congress," Sabath added.

Before the House debate began, Speaker Sam Rayburn predicted there was a present majority of 100 to 125 votes for the bill.

Testifying before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee in oppositions to the Administration's Aid-to-Britain bill, La Follette said he had called on Daladier in March, 1939, and "asked him just what aid they expected from us."

"He replied without a moment's hesitation," the witness recounted, "that they expected money, materials and men. And he said that 'We are going to need them and expect them soon.'

Senator Hiram Johnson (Rep.-California) asked whether "the French expectations have been justified by events."

"The money and materials are in this 'British Aid bill'," La Follette replied, "and I have no hesitancy in saying that the President would be justified in regarding this legislation, not as an authorization, but as a mandate to carry out the full implications of entrance into war."

With his brother, Senator La Follette (Prog.-Wisconsin), listening at the committee table, the former Governor declared that the "logical consequence" of American foreign policy would be the convoying of ships to Great Britain.

"I want to underline my 'No'" he added, "to those who, not selfishly, but unwisely, would launch this nation on a course whose only logical outcome can be our total involvement in war in Europe."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 (AP). — Norman Thomas contended today passage of the United States administration's British-aid bill almost certainly would be followed by dispatch of troops to Europe.

Testifying before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee in opposition to the lease-lend bill, the Socialist leader also said the United States' great store of gold was likely to become valueless in international trade no matter who won the war.

Army Trade School to Be Opened, Hamilton, Ont.

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP).—Defence Minister Ralston announced at a press conference today that an army trade school to train men for all trade branches of the army will open in Hamilton, Ont., on or about May 1.

This school will have accommodation for 2000 students at one time.

Creation of this army trades school is the third phase in program designed to produce skilled tradesmen for army purposes, the Minister said.

First phase begins on enlistment when the recruit is examined to ascertain his educational fitness and aptitude for training in an army trade.

Those selected will then be sent to a youth training centre or other civilian technical training institution, where there now is accommodation for 3800 students.

From these training centres the students will be sent to the central army trades school at Hamilton for a course of from 12 to 30 weeks according to the trade for which the student is training.

More than 2000 now are in the second phase of this course, taking instruction in youth training centres.

At the Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps training centre in Barriefield, Ont., officers, non-commissioned officers and men now are taking a course as instructors in the army trades to provide the 240 instructors required for the Hamilton school.

Col. Ralston said the rapid increase in mechanization of the armed forces and the development of weapons and equipment of a highly technical nature, have made necessary the employment of large numbers of skilled tradesmen whose function is to repair, maintain and operate complicated apparatus used in all branches of the service.

War industries requirements in skilled labor have depleted the ranks of skilled workers in civil trades and lessened the available number that might be recruited in the army, he said.

Maximum period of training in the second phase will be three months during which the soldier will be given fundamental instructions requiring only practical training to make him a skilled tradesman.

Some students will complete all their training in the second phase, with practical training taken with an army unit, and may not have to take the advanced training at the army school.

The types of trades and classifications are:

Those who will complete phase 2:

Ammunition examiners, armorers, armament artificers, blacksmiths, bricklayers, coach trimmers and painters, concretors, coppersmiths draughtsmen, architectural, draughtsmen engineers, draughtsmen mechanical, draughtsmen topographical, engine artificers, equipment repairers, masons, plumbers and pipefitters, riveters, tinsmiths and whitesmiths, vulcanisers, welders, acetylene and electric; armament artificers, carpenters and joiners.

Those who will complete phase 3:

Armament artificers (instruments), armament artificers (fitters), artificers, Royal Canadian Artillery; a small percentage of carpenters and joiners, electricians, engine artificers, fitters, fitters (mechanical vehicles), instrument mechanics, millwrights, motor mechanics textile refitters, turners, wheelers, wireless mechanics and armament artificers (wireless).

BOMBAY, (CP). — A variety entertainment was one means employed by the Adult Education Committee to raise funds for the promotion of adult literacy in Indian.

QUEBEC REMOVES WORKING HOUR LIMIT

QUEBEC, Feb. 3 (CP).—Quebec's minimum wage commission has passed a resolution removing any limit to the number of working hours each week in war industries for the two months starting Feb. 7, it was announced today in the official gazette.

Many Casualties When Prisoners' Ship Is Bombed

LONDON, Feb. 3 (CP). — A "large number" of Italian prisoners were killed when the British ship evacuating them from the Libyan coast was bombed, the Admiralty announced today.

The Admiralty said two enemy aircraft believed to have been German attacked the merchant ship Jan 31.

"The ship was hit and sustained some damage," the Admiralty said. "A large number of casualties was caused among Italian prisoners of war, many of which were fatal."

It was the second time since the war began that enemy action has claimed the lives of prisoners.

Last July 3 it was announced the liner Arandora Star, carrying Italian and German civilian internees to Canada, had been torpedoed by a German submarine in the Atlantic. More than 1000 of the prisoners lost their lives.

The German high command boasted Sunday that its aircraft were in operation on the North African coast, claiming in its communique that these planes attacked "several harbors . . . serving as British supply ports." And that three merchantmen were sunk and three others damaged. London has made no comment on these claims.

War Contracts Awarded in B.C.

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP). — Contracts awarded during the week ended Jan. 24, by the Department of Munitions and Supply numbered 1776, and totalled $8,114,772. Munitions Minister Howe announced today. Contracts of more than $5000 awarded during the week included:

Foodstuffs:

Swift Canadian Co. Ltd., Vancouver, $16,852; Canada Packers Ltd., Victoria, $13,930; Canadian Bakeries Ltd., Victoria, $11,175; McGavin Bakeries Ltd., Victoria, $5250; McGavin Bakeries Ltd., Nanaimo, B. C., $5000; Swift Canadian Co. Ltd., Prince Rupert, B.C., $5784.

Barrack Services:

Vernon Steam Laundry and Zoric Cleaners, Vernon, B. C., $6903; New Method Laundries Ltd., Victoria, $8960.

Land Transport:

A. C. Benson Shipyards, Vancouver, $345,500.

Electrical Equipment:

Canadian General Electric Co. Ltd., Vancouver, $6966; Northern Electric Co. Ltd., Vancouver, $7463

Lumber and Building Supplies:

Canadian Western Lumber and Mfg. Co. Ltd., Chemainus, B. C., $15,200; Bloedel, Stewart and Welch Ltd., Port Alberni, B. C., $19,600.

Construction and Defence Projects:

Chappelle and Watt, Calgary, $36,468; General Construction Co. Ltd., Vancouver, $12,562.

DEATHS

NEW PORT, Monmouthshire—Sir Clifford John Cory, 81, coal mine owner and exporter.

LONDON—Earl Sondes, 74. A nephew, George Milnesdale, 26, succeeds to the title.

WASHINGTON — Rear Admiral Christian Joy Peoples, 64, who as head of the Procurement Division of the U. S. Treasury handled purchases running into the billions.

DEMAND RELEASE OF INTERNED MEN

WINNIPEG, Feb. 3 (CP).—A resolution demanding "immediate and unconditional" release of 30 Winnipeg men from internment camps was passed at a mass meeting here yesterday. The meeting was called by the wives of the interned men.

Another resolution approved urged segregation of the Winnipeg men from prisoners termed "Fascists" in the camps.

PROBE DISTURBANCES IN JOHANNESBURG

CAPE TOWN, Feb. 3 (CP-Reuters)—Prime Minister Smuts today announced in the South African House of Assembly that an inquiry will be held into the weekend disturbances at Johannesburg, and that compensation will be paid for damage to certain property. He said military authorities are taking disciplinary action.

COAST RADIO STATIONS MAY CHANGE FREQUENCY

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP).—Possibility two Vancouver radio stations would change their frequency next month was seen today following an announcement at Washington Saturday by the Federal Radio Communications Commission that new frequencies for many North American stations had been allocated, effective March 29.

POSTMASTER FOUND IN ASHES OF HOME

LILLOOET, B. C., Feb. 3 (CP). — The body of Peter George Wilson, 60-year-old Lillooet postmaster, was found in the ashes of his home here early today.

A coroners jury this morning heard evidence that Wilson had been shot through the heart. An army revolver was found near the body.

C.C.F. TO URGE RENEWAL OF SIROIS CONFERENCE

WINNIPEG, Feb. 3 (CP). — A proposal Dominion authorities be urged to reconvene the Dominion-Provincial Conference for consideration of the Sirois Report will be placed before the Western meeting of the Cooperative Commonwealth Federation in Regina next week-end.

The Manitoba delegates were instructed by the Manitoba, C. C. F. Provincial Council to take this action.

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12. Sharp end
13. Banishment
14. Elongated fish
15. Sight organ
17. Club
18. Raised
19. Partly open
22. Earth goddess
23. Subside
26. Ship's officer
27. Cringe
29. Overhead
31. Metal-worker's tool
32. Straightforward
34. Days of Roman month
35. Pigpen
36. Italian river
37. Snares
38. Eager
40. Mineral spring
43. Escape (slang)
44. Insect
47. Mohammedan nymph
49. Mistake
51. Weird
52. French river
53. Swiss river
54. Female pig

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2. Vase
3. Measure of length
4. Fast travelers
5. French city
6. Flippant
7. Simian
8. Sorrow
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11. Coterie
16. Burglar
18. Pronunciation mark
19. Female servants (India)
20. Ruffle
21. Want of tone
23. Escape
24. Produce
25. Consecrate
28. Due
30. Trellis
33. Roman garment
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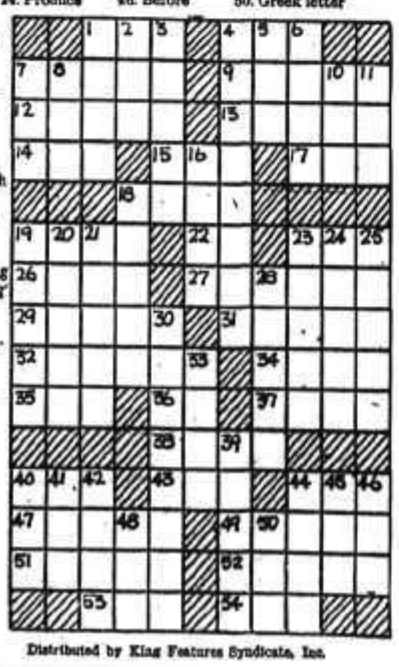

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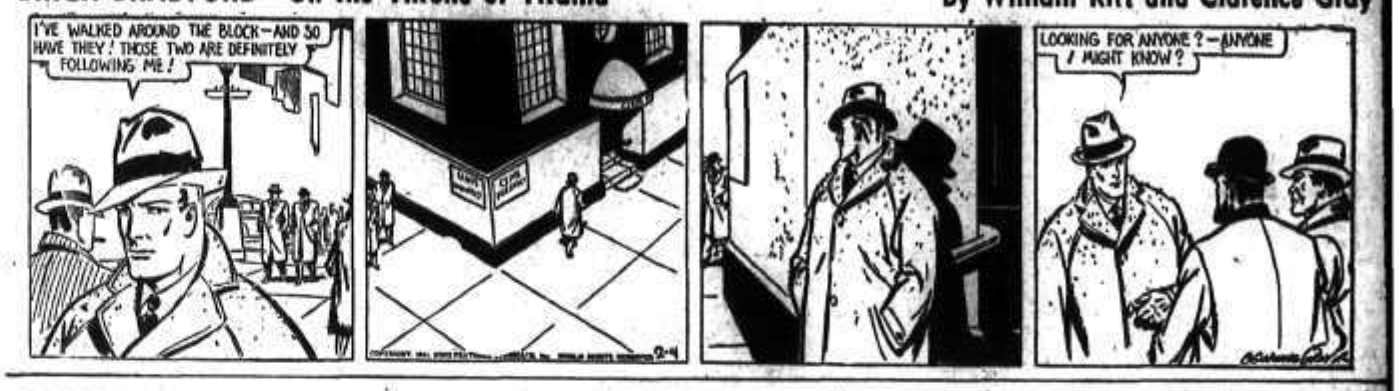

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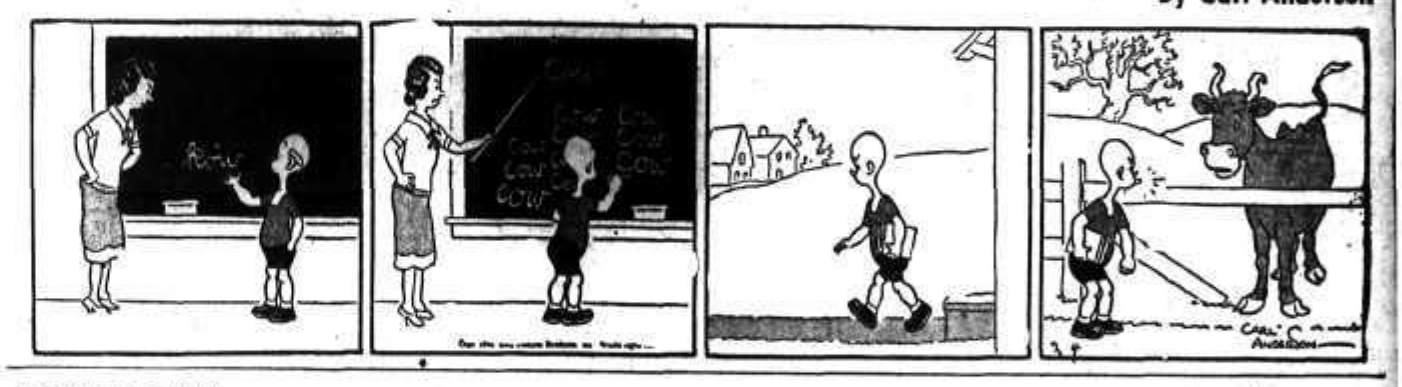

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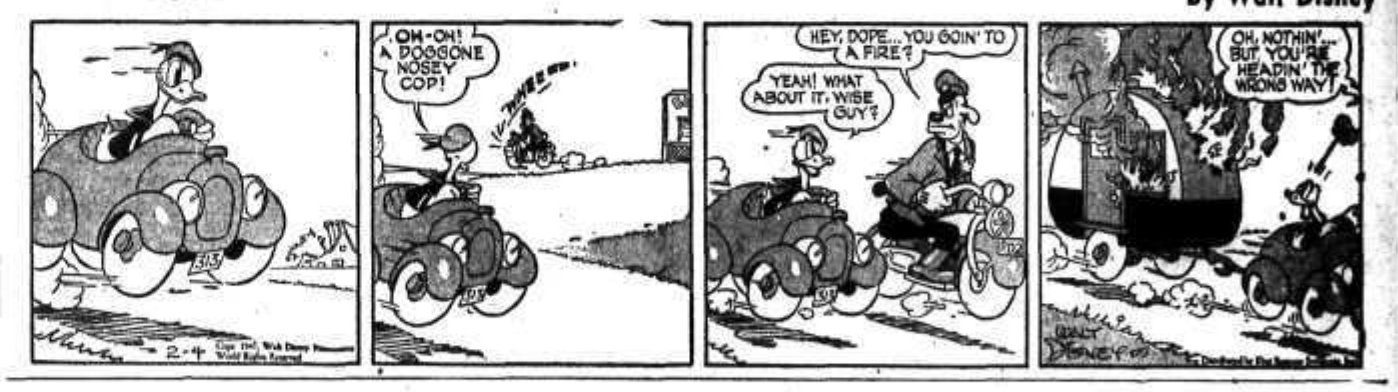

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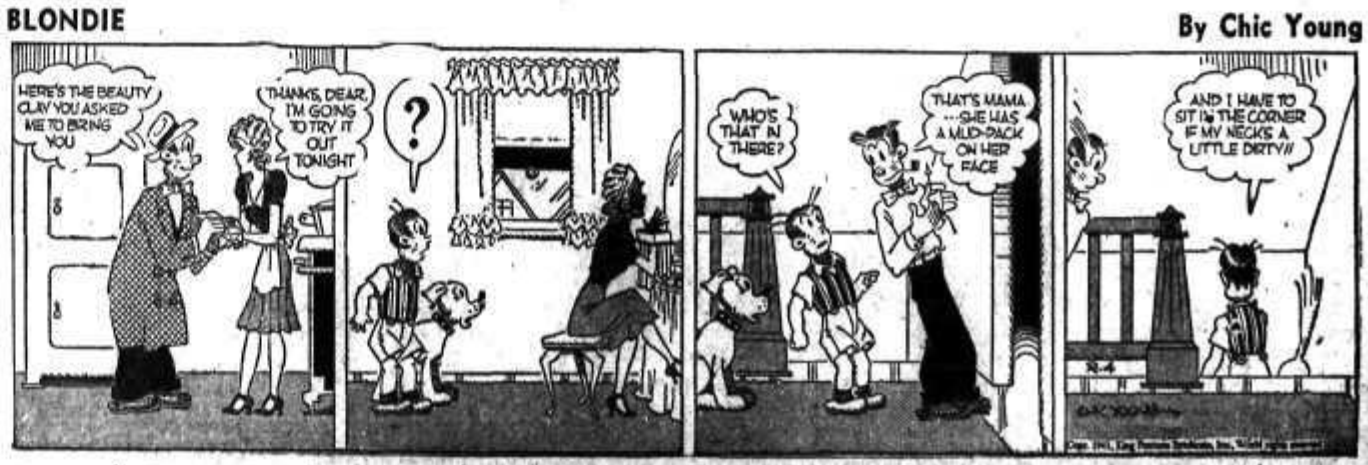

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Applications will not be considered from persons engaged in the production of war supplies.

WANTED — MAN FOR DAIRY and fruit farm. Must be good milker Bamcockburn Dairy, Creston.

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FAIRVIEW LADIES, DEPENDable home help right in Fairview Monday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings free. Good cook Phone 743L2.

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PRAIRIE GIRL WANTS JOB IMmediately; also B. C. girl. Experienced and references. Box 6941 Daily News.

YOUNG GIRL DESIRES HOUSEwork, full or part time. Used to children, sleep out or in. Please state wages. Box 6914 Daily News.

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FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE — ABOUT 12,000 SECond hand fire bricks, all cleaned and just like new. 5c each. Also quantity of bearings to fit shafting from 2" to 3", also several pulleys, different sizes, all second hand. J.R. Mooyboer, Grand Forks

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FOR SALE — HOUSE, 4 ROOMS. Terms. Apply Rueckert's Apiary Mill St. Box 126, Nelson, B. C.

LAKE FRONTAGE OPPOSITE Nelson. Terms. Johnstone Estate. Box 198, Nelson, B. C.

PUBLIC NOTICES

MINERAL ACT
(Form F.)

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

Bear No. 1 and Bear Fractional Mineral Claims situate in the Nelson Mining Division of Kootenay District.

Where located:—On Hall Creek adjoining the Bear M. C.

TAKE NOTICE that Boyd C. Affleck, acting as agent for R. E. Crerar, Free Miner's Certificate No. 43541E and associates, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 12th day of December 1940.

AUTOMOTIVE, MOTORCYCLES, BICYCLES

'37 PLYMOUTH TOURING SEdan. Excellent tires, seat covers, heater and new 1941 two-tone paint job, low mileage. A car that has eye appeal. Sowerby-Cuthbert Ltd., Opposite Post Office and Hume Hotel.

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$100 SPECIAL; STUDEBAKER, IN good running order. Central Truck & Equipment Co., 411 Hendrys Street, Nelson, B. C.

'37 PONTIAC SEDAN, RADIO. Winterized. New appearance. Must sell. Private. Box 6951 Daily News

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SAVE HALF ON USED PARTS City Auto Wrecking Garage across from Peebles.

1935 CHEVROLET 2 TON TRUCK reconditioned. $450. Interior Motor Finance Corp. Ltd. 554 Ward St

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FOR AND WANTED TO RENT

A free "Room For Rent" card will be provided at The Daily News office to persons advertising Rooms for Rent in this column.

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BEUNA VISTA APARTMENTS — Hoover and Stanley Sts. Ph. 842R Large 4 room suite, lower. Fireplace, electrically equipped.

COMFORTABLE STEAM HEATED house keeping rooms in Annable Block for rent. R. W. Dawson, Agent. 557 Ward Street.

WANTED TO RENT — FOUR OR five room house. Reliable tenant. Box 6879 Daily News.

MARSDEN APARTMENTS, 416 Josephine St. Furn. Hskpg. Rooms. $8 per month.

FOR RENT OR SALE 4 RM. UNfurn. house on 1st Street. Apply 537, 1st Street. Phone 230L3.

LARGE APARTMENT, 3 BED rooms, electric range and refrigerator Johnstone Block.

TERRACE APTS Beautiful modern frigidaire equipped suites.

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FOR RENT: FURN SUITE AVAILable now. $35 month. Kerr Apts.

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HOUSE FOR RENT. 419 SILICA Street. Phone 218L.

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FOR RENT — 5 ROOM HOUSE. New decorated. Close in. Ph. 231R1

FOR RENT 5 RM. HOUSE WITH garage, near schools. Ph. 806R.

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DR. WILBERT BROCK, D.C. 542 Baker Street. Phone 969.

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SPENCER CORSETIERE, MRS. L. Johnstone, 105 Kerr Apts. Ph. 666.

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R. W. HAGGEN, MINING & CIVIL Engineer; B. C. Land Surveyor. Rossland and Grand Forks, B. C.

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R. W. DAWSON, Real Estate, Insurance, Rentals. 557 Ward Street. Annable Block, Phone 197.

C. D. BLACKWOOD AGENCIES. Insurance, Real Estate. Phone 90.

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Phone 593 324 Vernon St.

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SAME AS USED ON GRAVES AT Forest Lawn Memorial Park. Get price list from Bronze Memorials Ltd., Box 726, Vancouver, B. C.

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LAWSON'S SASH FACTORY hardwood merchant, 273 Baker St.

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NEW STOCK AT THE RED CROSS Shop. Donations please.

WHEN IN VANCOUVER STOP AT Almer Hotel. Opp. C. P. R. Depot

A PORTRAIT BY McGREGOR IS a Portrait of Distinction. Phone 224, 577 Ward Street.

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SHIP US YOUR SCRAP METALS or Iron. Any quantity. Top prices paid. Active Trading Company, 916 Powell St., Vancouver, B. C.

WANTED, DISUSED OR BROKEN chairs for Scout Hall. Phone 520L. They will be called for.

WANTED — 5 TWO TON MINING cars. P. O. Box 191, Nelson.

WANTED—FIRE KILN FOR CLAY moulding. Box 6696 Daily News.

SHIP US YOUR HIDES. J. F. Morgan, Nelson, B. C.

FARM, GARDEN & NURSERY PRODUCTS, FERTILIZER

ORDER HEDGE PLANTS, EVERgreens and Ornamentals, early; fruit trees and small fruits. At reasonable prices. T. Roynon, Agent Layrits Nurseries, Nelson.

LOANS, INSURANCE ETC.

FUNDS ON HAND FOR FIRST Mortgages Houses for sale and rent Insurance C W Applevard

WANTED TO BORROW ON FIRST Mortgage on business property, $1600. Box 6895 Daily News.

Winnipeg Wheat Prices Steady

WINNIPEG, Feb. 3 (CP).—Moderate mill buying combined with lack of selling pressure to hold wheat futures prices steady throughout today's Winnipeg Grain Exchange session. Quotations were higher most of the day and finished ¼ cent ahead, May wheat 77 and July at 75⅝ cents a bushel.

Sharp losses in flax featured an otherwise quiet coarse grain market. Sustained liquidation, together with lack of purchasing power, knocked quotations as much as four cents lower before a partial recovery was engineered near the close. Cash wheat trade was uninteresting.

Libyan Success Gives Spurt to London Mkt. Rally

LONDON, Feb. 3 (AP).—Security prices pulled ahead today after drifting lower most of last week. Success of the British Libyan campaign was the motive forces behind the rally.

Domestic rails rose sharply. Anglo-Iranian and Shell Transport paced an upward move among oils. Kaffirs held steady despite the weekend flareup in Johannesburg.

British Government bonds started ahead but small offerings during the session put prices back to the previous close or a shade lower. Japanese bonds continued to improve.

Dollar Sales Gain

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP).—Dollar sales of wholesale merchants in Canada showed an average gain of 19 per cent in December, 1940, compared with the corresponding month of 1939, Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today.

General unadjusted index of sales was 116.4 in December, 1940, compared with 122.9 in November, 1940, and 98.3 in December, 1939.

The Bureau said "heavy buying" in the wholesale automotive equipment and hardware trades, with "less pronounced but substantial increases" in other lines of business, was responsible for the gain.

INTERNATIONAL NICKEL DECLARES DIVIDEND

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 (CP).—Directors of International Nickel Company, Ltd., at the monthly meeting today declared a dividend of 50 cents a share on the common stock payable in United States currency March 31 to shareholders of record March 1.

LIVESTOCK SELLING AGENCY ORGANIZED

EDMONTON, Feb. 3 (CP).—Formation of a central livestock selling agency for Alberta to co-ordinate marketing for livestock cooperative associations throughout the province, was completed at a meeting of livestock members over the weekend.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

WINNIPEG, Feb. 3 (CP).—Grain close:

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT:				
May	76⅝	77	76⅝	77
July	78⅝	78¾	78⅝	78⅝
OATS:				
May	34⅜	34½	34⅛	34⅛
July	32⅛	32½	32⅛	32⅜
Oct.	31	31⅛	30⅞	30⅞
BARLEY:				
May	45¼	45¼	45	45
July	42¾	42¾	42¼	42⅜
FLAX:				
May	153¾	153½	149⅛	150⅛
July	151⅛	151⅜	148	148⅜
Oct.	—	—	—	145
RYE:				
May	48⅛	48⅜	48	48⅛
July	46⅛	46⅜	46⅛	48⅜

CASH PRICES:

WHEAT—Nos. 1 hard and 1 Nor. 74⅝; No. 2 Nor. 71⅝; No. 3 Nor. 68⅝; No. 4 Nor. 66½; No. 5, 64; No. 6, 63⅛; feed 61⅛; No. 1 Garnet 67⅛; No. 2 Garnet 65½; No. 3 Garnet 64; No. 1 Durum 66; No. 4 Special 66⅛; No. 5 Special 64½; No. 6 Special 63½; No. 1 mixed 62; track 74⅝; screenings $7.50 per ton.

OATS—No. 2 C. W. 32¾; Ex. 2 C. W. 32¼; No. 3 C. W. and Ex. 1 feed 31; No. 1 feed 30⅝; No. 2 feed 30; No. 3 feed 28½; track 33.

BARLEY—Malting grades: 6-row Nos. 1 and 2 C. W. 43½; 2-row Nos. 1 and 2 C. W. 50; 6-row No. 3 C. W. 43¼. Others: No. 1 feed 43; No. 2 feed 42½; No. 3 feed 41½; track 43½.

RYE—No. 1 C. W. 148; No. 2 C. W. 145; No. 3 C. W. 135½; No. 4 C. W. 126¾-¾; track 147¾.

RYE—No. 3 C. W. 46.

CALGARY LIVESTOCK

CALGARY, Feb. 3 (CP).—Weekend receipts: Cattle 452; calves 15; hogs 75; sheep 177. Today: Cattle 75; calves 15; a few early hogs.

Medium to good butchers steers 7.75 — 8.00. Good to light heifers 7.50—8; common to medium 6—7. Good fed calves 8—8.50. Good cows 5.25—5.50; common to medium 3.50—5. Good bulls 5.50—6; common 4—5. Common to medium vealers 6—9.

LONDON CLOSE

LONDON, Feb. 3 (AP).—British stock closings in Sterling: Austin A 14s 3d; Brit Celanese 3s 9d; De Havilland 27s 6d; Imp Airways 23s 10½d; Imp Tob 97s 6d ex-div.; Shell T. & T. 44s 1½d; Vickers 15s 6d.

Bonds—British 2½ per cent Consols £77⅛; British 3½ per cent War Loan £103¼; British funding 4s 1960-90 £113¾.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Feb. 3 (CP).—Butter, Que. 33¼; eggs, Eastern A-large 29½.

Butter futures: Feb. 33⅛—⅜; March 33¼—⅝.

SWAPS

SWAP 3 CLEAR LOTS, 30 x 120 for lumber. Phone 229R. Box 6897 Daily News.

BOATS AND ENGINES

25 FT. BOAT AND BOATHOUSE. For $400, worth $600. Owner leaving town. 305 Nelson Avenue.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS AND REPAIRS

CREMONA VIOLIN FOR SALE. John Mucha, Lardo, B. C.

West Petroleum Well on Blood Indian Land Encounters Oil, Water

CALGARY, Feb. 3—The West Petroleum Ltd. well being drilled on the blood Indian reserve in Alberta by the Northwest Co., Ltd., a subsidiary of Imperial Oil Ltd., encountered a blackish water mixed with oil at a zone between 6196 and 6199 feet. After increasing in relation to oil the water content has now started to decrease, they said, and feel confident appearance of water indicates only a pocket water formation in the lime. Drilling has resumed and will continue to deeper horizons in accordance with the pre-arranged plan. The oil tested 36 Baume. No pressure accompanied appearance of water.

Tests higher in the lime made previously had shown water-free light crude oil. The water is not considered serious, but whether or not commercial oil production can be developed will not be known until drilling has been completed and thorough tests have been made of the prospective oil - bearing sections.

Chicago Attempt at Rally Falls Off

CHICAGO, Feb. 3 (AP). — The wheat market's attempts to rally fell flat today after gains ranging up to ½ cent had been recorded. The upturn was wiped away and small losses were recorded at the final bell.

Wheat closed ⅛—¾ lower than Saturday, May 81¼—¾, July 75¼—⅝; corn unchanged to ⅛ off, May 61⅛, July 61⅛; oats unchanged to ⅜ lower.

Auto Sales Record New December Mark

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP).—Sales of new motor vehicles in Canada reached a higher level in December, 1940, than in any other December on record, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today. The survey did not include military vehicles.

December sales totalled 10,920 units with retail value of $13,192,197 against 9044 new vehicles in 1940 numbered 130,917 units with a retail value of $149,165,627, compared with 114,747 new vehicles sold for $125,987,521 in 1939

Sales in British Columbia advanced 23 per cent in 1940, Alberta sales were down 12 per cent and Saskatchewan 28 per cent.

Declines Spot Wall St. Trade

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 (AP).—While scattered firm spots were to be seen today on the stock market, declines of fractions to around 3 points were widely distributed.

Chief handicaps, brokers said, remained in war fears, concern over taxes and some apprehension as to the course of the British-aid measure in Congress.

Steel lost momentum when the American Iron and Steel Institute revealed that for the first time this year mill operations in the current week would register a small decrease.

In the Canadian group Dome Mines and Canadian Pacific rested unchanged. Other Canadian issues were inactive while Canada 4s, among bonds, advanced ⅛ point.

Toronto Off

TORONTO, Feb. 3 (CP).—Price declines were chalked up throughout the list today on Toronto Exchange. Losses ranged up to 10 cents for Macassa, Buffalo-Ankerite, Cariboo, Upper Canada, Kerr-Addison, East Malartic, Aunor, Beattie and San Antonio.

Calgary and Edmonton, Home Oil, Dalhousie and British-Dominion posted moderate declines and other Western oils were unchanged.

Montreal Prices Continue to Slip

MONTREAL, Feb. 3 (CP)—Downward trends continued on the stock market today.

St. Lawrence Paper preferred sank 2¾. Bathurst clung to its early ¾ advance. Montreal Power dropped ½ and Brazilian ⅛.

Imperial Oil and Industrial Pete were both down a fraction, Asbestos, Algoma and Cement suffered fractional recessions.

C.N.R. Revenue Up

MONTREAL, Feb. 3 (CP).—Increase of $601,430 was reported today by the Canadian National Railways in gross revenue of $7,028,490 for the 10 days ended January 31, compared with $6,427,070 in the corresponding 1940 period.

MONTREAL STOCK QUOTATIONS

INDUSTRIALS:		**BANKS:**	
Bathurst P & P A	11¾	Commerce	155
Can Car & Foundry Pfd	25	Dominion	192½
Can Celanese	23¾	Imperial	200
Can Steamship	4⅛	Montreal	190
Can Steamship Pfd	16¼	Nova Scotia	283
Con Min & Smelting	36⅝	Royal	158
Dominion Coal Pfd	19	Toronto	130
Dom Steel & Coal B	8	**CURB:**	
Dryden Paper	5	Bathurst P & P B	2½
Imperial Oil	9	Beauharnois Corp	9¾
Inter Petroleum	14	British American Oil	17
Inter Nickel of Can	34	Can Industries B	1.90
National Brew Ltd	26	Can Vickers	2¾
National Brew Pfd	27¾	Cons Paper Corp	3
Price Bros	10	Donnacona Paper A	4¼
Shawinigan W & P	16⅛	Fraser Co Ltd	6¼
St Lawrence Corp	2	Power Corp Pfd	92
St Lawrence Corp Pfd	16	Royalite Oil	18
		Walker Good & W	41

QUOTATIONS ON WALL STREET

	Open	Close		Open	Close
Am Telephone	162⅛	162⅛	N Y Central	12⅜	12⅜
Anaconda	23⅞	23⅞	Pack Motors	3	3
Bendix Av	34⅜	34⅝	Penn R R	22⅝	22⅝
Beth Steel	81⅝	81½	Phillips Pete	36⅝	36½
Canada Dry	13	13	Pullman	24⅝	24½
Cerro de Pasco	—	63⅜	Radio Corp	4½	4½
Chrysler	64⅛	63⅞	Rem Rand	8⅜	8⅜
Con Gas N Y	22⅛	22½	Safeway Stores	39¼	39¼
C Wright Pfd	8¼	8⅛	Stan Oil of N J	32⅝	34
Dupont	149	149	Studebaker	7	7
East Kodak	131	131	Tex Corp	37	37⅛
Gen Electric	32⅞	32⅝	Tex Gulf Sul	35⅛	35½
Gen Motors	42⅜	42⅜	Un Carbide	63⅝	63⅝
Goodrich	12½	12½	United Air	36⅝	36⅝
Grt Nor Pfd	25	25	Union Pacific	80⅝	80½
Int Nickel	32⅜	32	U S Rubber	19⅛	19½
Int Tel & Tel	2¼	2⅛	U S Steel	62	62⅜
Kenn Copper	31⅝	32	West Electric	94⅝	93½
Mont Ward	36	35⅞	West Union	19⅝	19½
Nash Motors	4⅝	4⅝	Woolworth	31⅝	31⅝
			Yellow Truck	14	14⅛

TORONTO STOCK QUOTATIONS

MINES:		Pioneer Gold	3.13
Aldermac Copper	.13	Premier Gold	.90
Amm Gold	.01½	Powell Rouyn Gold	.80
Anglo Huronian	2.45	Preston East Dome	2.90
Arntfield Gold	.05¾	Reeves MacDonald	.13½
Aunor Gold	1.85	Reno Gold Mines	.11½
Bankfield Gold	.05½	Roche Long Lac	.03½
Base Metals Mining	.05¾	San Antonio Gold	2.31
Beattie Gold Mines	1.10	Shawkey Gold	.10½
Bidgood Kirkland	.10	Sheep Creek Gold	.81
Big Missouri	.05	Sherritt Gordon	.75
Bobjo Mines	.07¾	Siscoe Gold	.57
Bralorne Mines	9.90	Sladen Malartic	.35
Buffalo Ankerite	4.25	St Anthony	.12½
Bunker Hill Extension	.01¾	Sudbury Basin	1.30
Canadian Malartic	.50	Sullivan Consolidated	.60
Cariboo Gold Quarts	2.75	Sylvanite	2.70
Castle Trethewey	.52	Teck Hughes Gold	3.20
Chromium M & S	.14	Tobern Gold Mines	1.80
Coast Copper	1.00	Towagmac	.11
Consuurum Mines	1.42	Ventures	3.40
Consolidated M & S	36.00	Waite Amulet	3.65
Dome Mines	23.50	Wright Hargreaves	6.50
Dorval Siscoe	.02	Ymir Yankee Girl	.06½
East Malartic	2.61	**OILS:**	
Eldorado Gold	.36	Ajax	.16
Falconbridge Nickel	3.03	British American	17.00
Federal Kirkland	.07	Chemical Research	.28
Francoeur Gold	.44	Imperial	9.10
Gillies Lake	.06½	Inter Petroleum	14.00
God's Lake Gold	.32	Texas Canadian	1.01
Gold Belt	.25	**INDUSTRIALS:**	
Grandoro Mines	.06	Abitibi Power	.80
Gunnar Gold	.34	Bell Telephone	156
Hard Rock Gold	.37	Brazilian T L & P	5
Harker Gold	.04½	Brewers & Distillers	4
Hollinger	12.75	Brewing Corporation	.95
Howey Gold	.25	B C Power A	25
Hudson Bay M & S	25.00	B C Power B	1.35
International Nickel	33.50	Building Products	14
J-M Consolidated	.01	Canada Bread	2¾
Jack Waite	.18	Can Bud Malting	4½
Jacola Gold	.01¾	Can Car & Foundry	6
Kerr Addison	3.40	Can Cement	4½
Kirkland Lake	.92	Can Dredge	16½
Lake Shore Mines	19.50	Can Malting	35½
Leitch Gold	.49	Can Pac Railway	5
Lebel Oro Mines	.01¾	Can Ind Alcohol A	2¼
Little Long Lac	1.90	Cons Bakeries	12½
Macassa Mines	3.85	Dominion Bridge	23¾
MacLeod Cockshutt	1.95	Dom Tar & Chem	4
Madsen Red Lake Gold	.51	Distillers Seagrams	25
Mandy	.07	Fanny Farmer	25½
McIntyre Porcupine	47.00	Ford of Canada A	15½
McKenzie Red Lake	1.14	Gen Steel Wares	4¾
McVittie Graham	.05½	Gypsum L & A	3
McWatters Gold	.30	Hamilton Bridge	8½
Mining Corporation	.85	Hiram Walker	40½
Morris Kirkland	.03¾	Imperial Tobacco	12¾
Nipissing Mining	1.05	Loblaw A	25
Noranda	34.10	Loblaw B	24
Normetal	.37	Kelvinator	9
O'Brien Gold	.50	Maple Leaf Milling	1½
Omega Gold	.13	Massey Harris	3
Pamour Porcupine	1.25	Montreal Power	26½
Paymaster Cons	.22½	Moore Corp	43
Pend Oreille	1.62	Nat Steel Car	35
Perron Gold	1.46	Page Hersey	100
Pickle Crow Gold	2.95	Pressed Metals	8½
		Standard Paving	.50

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 3 (AP). — Bar silver 23 5-16d, up 1-16. (Equivalent 42.28 cents.) Bar gold 168s, unchanged. (Equivalent $32.85).

Tin steady; spot £256 10s bid, £257 asked; future £258 bid, £258 5s asked.

MONTREAL

Bar gold in London was unchanged at $37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds; 168s in British representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $36.50 in Canadian.

Spot: Copper, electrolytic, 12.75; tin 58.88; lead 5.90; zinc 6.65; antimony 15.25.

NEW YORK

Copper steady; electrolytic spot Conn. Valley 13; export f.a.s. N. Y. 10.50—12.

Tin steady; spot and nearby 50.50; forward 50.25.

Lead steady; spot, New York 5.50—55; East St. Louis 5.35.

Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 7.35.

Pig iron, No. 2, f.o.b. Eastern Pennsylvania 24; Buffalo 23; Alabama 19.38.

Aluminum, virgin 99 per cent 17.

Proven Ore for Five Months of Milling at Bayonne Consolidated

Starting the year with proven ore reported officially at 9400 tons, good for about five months' milling for the 50-ton mill, Bayonne Consolidated Mines Ltd. at Tye also had 9000 tons probable ore between the eighth and sixth levels, enough for another six months' milling. At the present time a raise is being driven from the eighth to the sixth and the first sub-level in this block is being opened to prepare for stoping. It is understood the Board will meet shortly to determine upon the exploration program for the year.

DIVIDENDS

International Nickel Company, 50 cents per share, U. S. currency.

Sunset Oils, Ltd., two cents.

General Motors Corporation, 75 cents a share of common stock; regular quarterly dividend of $1.25 a share on the $5 preferred stock.

Sylvanite Gold Mines Limited, 7 cents.

Dominion and Anglo Investment Corporation, Limited, preferred, 1¾ per cent.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones Averages unavailable.

VANCOUVER STOCK QUOTATIONS

	Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask
MINES			Pacalta	—	.04½
Big Missouri	.04½	.05	Prairie Roy	.07	—
Bralorne	9.85	10.00	Royalite	—	19.00
Bridge River Con	—	.01	Royal Can	.10½	.13½
Cariboo Gold	2.75	2.80	Spooner	.04½	—
Dentonia	.00½	.01	United	.04½	—
Fairview Amal	.01	.01¾	Vanalta	.04	.06
Geloonda	.03¾	.05	Vulcan	—	.40
Gold Belt	.25	.28	**INDUSTRIALS**		
Grandview	.13¼	.16	Capital Estates	1.08	1.35
Grull-Wihksne	.02¾	.02¾	Coast Breweries	1.32	1.50
Hedley Mascot	—	.53	Pacific Coyle	.20	—
Home Gold	—	.00½	United Dist	.70	—
Indian Mines	.01	—			
Inter C & C	.33	.38			
Island Mount	.77	.85			
Koot Belle	.19½	.25			
Nicola M & M	.00¾	—			
Pend Oreille	1.80	1.90			
Pioneer Gold	2.10	2.25			
Porter Idaho	.01	.02			
Premier Border	.02¼	.03			
Premier Gold	.88	.93			
Quatsino	.01¾	.03			
Reeves-MacD	.10	.18			
Relief Arl	.02¾	.03			
Reno Gold	.10½	—			
Salmon Gold	—	.02¼			
Sheep Creek	.80	.84			
Silbak Premier	.65	—			
Surf Inlet	.12	—			
Taylor B R	.02¼	—			
Wellington	.00¾	.01			
Wesko Mines	—	.00½			
Whitewater	.01	.03			
Ymir Yank Girl	.66	—			
OILS					
A. P. Cons	.08	.10			
Amalgamated	.00¼	.00¾			
Anaconda	—	.07			
Anglo Can	.64	.67			
Calg & Ed	1.25	1.30			
Calmont	.20	.25			
Commonwealth	.20½	.25			
Commoil	.20	.25			
Extension	.16	.16½			
Firestone Pete	—	.05½			

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Trail Tigers in 6-3 Victory Over Moose Jaw Club

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 3—Trail Tigers, British Columbia junior hockey champions, defeated Moose Jaw Maple Leafs, touring intermediate club, 6-3 in an exhibition game at the Trail rink Monday night.

The home team took a three goal lead with Ken Stanton scoring two and Barss Dimock one in the first period. They failed to score in the second canto, while the visitors registered one marker with Clyne and Metka combining for the only goal, Clyne scoring.

In the third period Trail scored another two from Bob Kendall and Brick Edmunds, while Gunter scored one for the Leafs on an assist from Wilson. Ken Stanton then scored on a penalty shot after Dimock had been tripped in the clear. McNamee scored the Leafs' third counter as the last goal of the game.

Lineups were:

Maple Leafs — Waymark, Black, Bellamy, Clyne, Metka, Sweeting, Gunter, McNamee, Hector and Wilson.

Trail — Tom Horn, goal; M. Mawdsley, Harvey Smith, Archie Anderson, Ken Burt, defence; Ken Stanton, Bob Kendall, Barss Dimock; Arnold McFadzen, E. Dwyer, M. Proulx, Brick Edmunds, Ian McLeod and Ted Kraust.

Norman Cook was Referee, and John Buckna Judge of Play.

Ladies Rinks in Trail Re-Drawn

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—The Trail Ladies' Curling Club rinks have been redrawn for the Lauener Cup event, which starts Thursday.

Rinks, in order of skip, third, second and lead, follow:

Mrs. W. A. Miller, Mrs. E. A. Temple, Mrs. S. G. Hill, Mrs. I. Hawes.

Mrs. D. Forrest, Mrs. C. Middleton, Mrs. D. Minto, Mrs. R. Duchene.

Mrs. W. J. Wagstaff, Mrs. P. Lawley, Mrs. V. Carberry, Mrs. Jack Bryan.

Mrs. A. MacMillan, Miss Jan Forrest, Mrs. V. Ferguson, Mrs. J. E. Morrison.

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Mrs. George Hicks, Mrs. H. Johnson, Mrs. J. Montpellier, Mrs. A. Mortimer.

Mrs. W. C. Aston, Mrs. H. P. Kingwell, Mrs. J. Graham, Mrs. H. G. Cameron.

Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. McCunn, Mrs. McMeachem.

Unattached skips, Miss M. Blaylock and Mrs. Donald MacDonald.

Helipolis Last in Hialeah Feature

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 3 (AP)—Helipolis, the English five-year-old which Elmer Dale Shaffer purchased from Lord Derby, made his first American start at Hialeah today and finished last in the field of five that ran in the mile and one sixteenth Nranja purse.

Backed into odds-on favoritism, the horse that finished third in the 1939 derby and which is being pointed for the $50,000 Widener Cup, failed to keep up with rivals that had to run in claiming races. He ran wide on two turns, but that wasn't enough to account for his decisive defeat.

Woodvale Farm's Dorimar led all the way to nose out Bomar Stable's Detroit Bull. Balloter came in third.

VICHY ABOLISHES SPECIAL PROFITS TAX

VICHY, France, Feb. 3 (AP). — A Government decree today abolished special taxes on profits by industries working for the national defence, undistributed profits and public utilities. Also abolished were taxes on profits from overtime work under the 40-hour week.

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—Photo by William Ramsay.

Guides to Make Kiddies Clothes as National Effort

As their national war effort, Girl Guides of Canada have decided to make children's garments for distribution among children in the distressed areas of Great Britain. It was felt that such a project was definitely in alignment with Guide training.

Each Province will work out its own organization for inspection, collection and shipping of the garments. They will be forwarded to Dominion Headquarters before being sent to Britain. The project will be open to all in the Guide movement, and those taking part will thus have the opportunity of qualifying for knitter and needlewomen badges.

First shipment from B. C. will be made before February 22, it was planned, and a request has been issued that the various districts send their contributions to the Provincial office at Vancouver on or before February 15.

Guides who have undertaken Red Cross work will complete this work, before taking part in the Guide project. It has been specially requested that this work should not interfere with any other previous wartime activity undertaken by any Guide Company.

HOCKEY SCORES

By The Canadian Press

O. H. A. SENIOR "A"
St. Catharines 3, Toronto Marlboros 1.
Niagara Falls 1, Port Colborne 5.

SASKATCHEWAN SENIOR
Regina 6, Yorkton 1.
Flin Flon 2, Moose Jaw 1.

ANTIGONISH-PICTOU-COLCHESTER SENIOR
New Glasgow 7, Engineers 5.
Service Corps 7, Regina Rifles 5.
Winnipeg 4, Scottish 0.

NOVA SCOTIA VALLEY SENIOR
Windsor 15, Wolfville 6.
Kentville 8, Acadia 4.

MANITOBA JUNIOR
St. James 7, Winnipeg Monarchs 5 (overtime).

Marquart Defeated

CHICAGO, Feb. 3 (AP).—Davey Day, Chicago's perennial contender for the world's lightweight championship, gained a split decision over Bill Marquart of Winnipeg tonight in the 10-round main event of a charity fight program. Day weighed 135; Marquart 138.

The bouts attracted a sellout crowd of 8852 in the Coliseum, with a gate of $19,359.

The verdict for Day was not unanimous, one of the judges voting for a draw.

COAST BYLAW TO SAVE BOARD $4000 INTEREST

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP).—The Greater Vancouver Sewerage Board today passed a Refinancing Bylaw which through the transfer of bonds from Canadian and United States funds to all-Canadian funds is expected to save the Board some $4250 a year in interest charges at present rates of exchange.

Subject to approval of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, Board will issue and sell bonds at three and four per cent to the amount of $1,200,000, payable in Canada only. With capital thus raised it will buy for cancellation $1,076,500 of its own securities, $851,500 of which were payable in Canadian and U. S. funds.

LEGALITY OF WASH. HANGING QUESTIONED

OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 3 (AP).—It can make no difference to Arlie Lewis now, but a question has been arised here whether his hanging last Thursday was legal.

Lewis, 26, native of Winona, Mo., was hanged in the State prison for the slaying of Jack Avent, Portland steelworker, in Vancouver, Wash., last Sept. 30.

MINING MAN SENTENCED TO TIME IN JAIL

MONTREAL, Feb. 3 (CP). — J. Barton Niver, 64, was sentenced to time already spent in jail Saturday when he pleaded guilty to conspiring with four other officials of Stadacona Rouyn Mines, Ltd., to defraud the public, stockholders, note-holders and creditors of $2,439,404. Niver had been in jail since he surrendered April 2 last.

POLICEMAN'S OUTFIT IN STOLEN SUITCASE

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP). — A surprise is in store for a thief who stole two suitcases from a parked auto Sunday night. One of the grips contains a brand new policeman's outfit, greatcoat, tunic and two pairs of trousers, belonging to Constable Ron Eveleigh.

Mercury Highest in 43 Days as Sun Shines for Over Five Hours

Highest temperature since December 23 was recorded at Nelson Monday, when the mercury climbed to a high of 43 degrees. Five hours of sunshine marked the mercury's climb to its highest mark in 43 days.

Sunday night and early Monday were frosty, however, and the mercury dipped to a low of 30 degrees.

Falcons Dispose of Scrubs to Go Into Hoop Final

Fairview Falcons marched into the Nelson men's basketball championship series Monday night when they took their second straight victory from the Scrubs 23-20 and took the two-game total-point series by four points. They sneaked out a 24-23 win in the first game last week.

The Falcons piled up an 8-0 margin in the first quarter that stood them in good stead, as the Scrubs who showed fine second form in the last half of the league schedule after a woeful start, took over things in a scoring way from then over the rest of the route.

Frank Morrow paced Fairview's win with 10 points, three of his baskets on pretty plays in the quarter to start the Fairviewites.

Bill Barwis led a losing cause for the Scrubs with 13 points but 'twasn't enough.

The Falcons now open a best of five series for the City title Friday night with the Nuthatchers.

Score by quarters:

Fairview	5	4	9	2—23
Scrubs	0	8	8	4—20

Lineups with scorers follow:

Fairview — Jim Cherrington 3, Jack Winlaw 2, Paul Hlookff 6, Frank Morrow 10, Al Daynard 2.

Scrubs — Don Gibbon, Al Hooker 6, Bud Ruppel, Ernie Colman 1, Bill Barwis 13.

Referee — Charlie Lindsay. Scorer —Art Larson.

New Niagara Falls Bridge Larger; to Dodge Ice Jams

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont. (CP).—A bridge-building plan rarely used for a major project is being employed here in the construction of the new Rainbow Bridge below Niagara Falls. The bridge will be larger and longer than the old one, whose abutments were battered from their foundations by an ice jam in January, 1938, resulting in the crash of a "honeymoon bridge" known around the world.

Cables from the towers will pass 400 feet back to the hillside and will be moored in cement blocks set in rock. Other cables will pass forward from the towers to support the 50 to 75-ton sections of the bridge as they are being run out from the side of the river. Construction is being pushed from both sides.

The first section of the huge arch is expected to be set in place before Feb. 1.

"The Niagara River, at the point where it issues from the Falls, is known as the swiftest natural flowing water in the world, making the use of falsework supports from below quite impossible," C. Ellison Kaumeyer, Secretary of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission, explained.

The new bridge, to be completed in August this year, will be 1450 feet long and have a centre arch of 950 feet weighing 3500 tons. When the two halves of the bridge are joined, the steel towers will be removed, leaving the arch self-supporting on its abutments.

The abutments have been placed 50 feet farther back and 30 feet higher than those of the old bridge in the hope that the new structure will never be threatened by the ice jams.

Buddies and Tories Tied in Standings

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—The Buddies and Tories, rival girls basketball teams, are tied up with eight wins and five losses each in the Trail league to date. The Jimmies, with three wins and nine losses, are in cellar position.

ADMINISTRATION OF T. J. OLIVER ESTATE IS GRANTED SHERIFF

Sheriff M. E. Harper, official administrator, was granted letters of administration to the estate of Thomas John Oliver of Gray Creek by His Honor Judge W. A. Nisbet in Chambers. Mr. Oliver died February 20, 1922. Gross value of his estate was $300, while there was an indebtedness of $800 due on a mortgage to Maude Irene Elliott.

400 Men Are Required for Units in B. C.

TRAIL, B. C. Feb. 3—Capt. A. H. Hugill, Recruiting Officer for Kootenay West, returned to Trail Sunday evening from a visit to Military District No. 11, Victoria. With his return comes the announcement of the urgent need for about 400 men from British Columbia to fill up deficiencies in the Fifth B. C. Coast Brigade, R.C.A.; 15th (Van.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A.; 102nd (NBC) Heavy Battery, R.C.A.; And A. A Battery, R.C.A.; 9th, 10th and 11th Fortress Signal Companies, R.C.C.S.; Westminster Regiment, B. C. Regiment, D.C.O.R., Irish Fusiliers (V. R.) and Rocky Mountain Rangers, A. F.

The Rocky Mountain Rangers need 50 men as quickly as possible.

An opportunity is offered for smart young men in the Royal Canadian Corps Signallers to learn a valuable trade. They will learn to become electricians, together with all branches of communications. Men with experience in these lines are preferred, but younger men who have a fair degree of education and are intelligent and adaptable are a type that is particularly required.

About 50 men are required for Coast Defence Artillery, both Fortress and 102nd Heavy Battery.

A few men are also required for the Veterans' Guard of Canada. They should be 50 years of age and under and must have served in one of the war zones during the last war.

Danish Ships to Be Released Soon

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 (AP). — The World-Telegram said today that 38 Danish ships — totalling 250,000 tons — now lying idle in United States ports soon would be released to carry cargoes for Great Britain subject to approval by the U. S. Government.

In addition, the paper continued, it was believed 20 other vessels, totalling 200,000 tons, in South American ports would be similarly released.

The paper went on to say that it had learned through "a reliable Norwegian source" that a group of Danes in Britain had been working with Prime Minister Churchill to set up a temporary Danish Government to be known as the "National Danish Council."

LETTERS PROBATE TO MRS. WATCHER ESTATE GRANTED EXECUTORS

Letters probate in connection with the estate of Mrs. Margaret Watcher of Erickson were granted by His Honor Judge W. A. Nisbet in Chambers to Thomas W. Bundy and Samuel A. Speers, executors. The estate, made up of real estate and household goods, totalled $1975, while $2897.15 was owing the Old Age Pensions Department for pensions paid from June, 1931 to November, 1940.

Mrs. Watcher died December 9, 1940.

FEBRUARY CRUDE OIL ALLOTMENT INCREASED

CALGARY, Feb. 3 (CP). — Turner Valley limestone crude oil wells have been allotted a total of 728,000 barrels or 26,000 barrels of oil daily in February by the Petroleum and Natural Gas Conservation Board of Alberta. This is an increase of 1000 barrels daily over the January allotment, and includes 4000 barrels daily war emergency production requested by G. R. Cotzelle, Dominion Controller.

BUILDERS TO MEET FEB. 10

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP).—Representatives of the construction industry and of the building trades and other unions of workers engaged in the industry will meet in conference here Feb. 10 to work out plans and principles for the welfare of the industry and its efficient functioning in wartime, it was announced today.

CREW FLEES "GHOST SHIP"

LONDON, Feb. 3 (CR Cable). — A 200-ton "ghost ship" sailed itself 60 miles to land this weekend after being abandoned by its crew when fire broke out from unknown origin. The navigator-less vessel missed a dangerous rock by inches and berthed itself in a West coast inlet. The engines were left turning over slowly as the crew fled.

DHULIA, India, (CP).—Accused of printing matter contrary to the Indian Press Emergency Powers Act, the Bombay Government demanded from Publisher Abaji Killedar one lakh of rupee ($337.50) security against repetition.

LONDON, (CY). — The News Chronicle has announced that Maj. George Fielding Eliot, United States military expert, will be a regular contributor to the paper.

Nuthatchers Go Into Hoop Final as Edge C.Y.O.

C.Y.O. men made a sensational driving finish Monday night in the final game of their Nelson Men's Basketball semi-final series, but they fell by the wayside and Nuthatchers went into the championship series by winning the game 20-19 and the total point series by three points. Nuthatchers won the first game a week ago 31-29.

It was an 8-1 scoring advantage in the second quarter that saw last year's champs through to victory. The scoring was even, 6-6, in the opening session, and after that the Catholics had the edge.

Two speedy baskets by Jimmy Eccles climaxed the Catholics' uphill fight in the last quarter, making the score 19-18. Then Charlie Lindsay sank a free shot to make it all even for the game, and leave the Catholics two points down on the series. On almost the resultant play, Joe Winkelaar, the C.Y.O. Coach, came within an ace of tying the series up, but his shot from close in rimmed the basket and rolled out.

SMILEY IS STAR

On the last play of the game, Del Smiley, Nuthatchers' scoring star, was fouled, and the whistle sounded full time. Nothing really depended on that last shot, but Smiley made it good anyway, and his team-mates mobbed him in delight. That was his twelfth point of the night, eclipsing Louis Gagnon's 10 for the losers.

Score by quarters:

C.Y.O.	6	1	6	6—19
Nuthatchers	6	8	2	4—20

Lineups with scorers follow:

C.Y.O.—Jimmy Eccles 6, Louis Gagnon 10, Mickey Prestley, Joe Winkelaar, Charlie Lindsay 1, Joe DeLucrezio 1 and Carl Locatelli 1.

Nuthatchers—Glen Price 6, Elmer Tattrie 2, Del Smiley 12, Olaf Hopland and Arne Henrickson.

Steve Smith and Al Daynard refereed. Art Larson kept score and Scotty Mitchell looked after the time.

BOWLING SCORES

Dodge-DeSoto squeezed into first place in its last match in the current tournament of the Gellnas Bowling Club Monday by splitting the points with Cherry Pickers, but the bid of the Gas House Goofers is going to be tough to dispose of.

The Goofers play their last match Thursday night, and all they need is to take one point out of four to tie and two to win the tournament.

The carmen had a tough enough time winning what points they did get Monday night, for they took the final game by only five pins and splitting the first two and taking the worst of it in total pins.

Scores follow:

DODGE-DeSOTO				
J. Stewart	117	131	139—	387
J. Stringer	114	159	141—	414
J. Livesey	128	161	160—	449
F. McClement	133	104	154—	391
G. Cuthbert	161	145	182—	488
Total	653	700	776—	2129
CHERRY PICKERS				
Spot	2	2	2—	6
Ted Romano	199	106	130—	435
S. Romano	148	134	173—	455
H. Stirzaker	143	146	142—	431
E. Nadeau	170	146	185—	501
Low score	114	104	130—	357
Total	776	633	771—	2185

High individual score: Ted Romano, 199.

High aggregate score, E. Nadeau, 501.

Coast Trade Slumps

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP) — Trading dropped into a slump on Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Oils slipped to lower levels while golds were up slightly as transfers totalled 9662 shares.

In the golds Surf Inlet at 15 was up 5 while Sheep Creek at 83. Privateer at 50 and Gold Belt at 28 each firmed a cent. Premier at 90 was off 2.

Home Oil dropped 8 to 2.15 and Calgary & Edmonton was down 2 at 1.28. Royal Canadian closed fractionally higher at 12.

SENATE PASSES CARGO SHIP BUILDING BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 (AP). — The United States Senate passed today legislation providing for a $350,000,000 emergency cargo ship construction program.

The House of Representatives had approved the measure previously, but at the request of the Maritime Commission the Senate wrote in $65,000,000 of contract authorizations for the Commission's regular construction program. The House must now agree to this.

SEARCH MAN WHO ESCAPED POLICE

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP). — City Police today were searching for a man at whom Detective L. M. Munn fired five shots after he fled from a Vancouver rooming house while being questioned with two others. The others, Mrs. Patricia Donovan, 20, and Thomas Boswell, 34, were later charged with possession of drugs.

A closet window and a ledge to the next suite provided escape for the man who fled and escaped in a crowded street.

PRESUME DEATH OF TWO

VANCOUVER, Feb. 3 (CP).—Mr Justice H. B. Robertson in Supreme Court today issued an order presuming the death of two brother-fishermen, B. O. and W. O. Hendrickson, lost Dec. 4 when their fish boat Azena is believed to have foundered in a storm off the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

EXCHANGE MARKETS

By The Canadian Press

Closing exchange rates:

At Montreal—Pound: buying 4.43, selling 4.47; U. S. dollar: buying 1.10 selling 1.11.

At New York—Pound 4.04; Canadian dollar .83 13-16.

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More Snow in District Than Last Season, Survey

While Nelson citizens have commented on the 1940-41 Winter snowfall, so far as the lightest in years, actually the snowfall in the District has considerably exceeded that to the end of January in the 1939-40 season.

Surveys by the Provincial Water Rights Branch showed the snow accumulation until January 29 on the Farron snow course averaged 35.5 inches with a density or moisture content of 26.3 per cent, as compared to 22.4 inches with a density of 20.5 per cent at January, 1940. On the Apex snow course the average accumulation until January 29 was 37.5 inches with density of 24.8 per cent, while up to January 29, 1940, the average accumulation had been 25.8 inches with a density of 19 per cent.

The heavy snowfall in the District had not been apparent to the City dwellers because heavy rains took the place of the usual snowfalls in the valley, although on the higher levels snow has fallen, it was explained.

Overseas Naval Chief in Britain

LONDON, Feb. 3 (CP Cable).—The foundation was laid today for establishment of a Canadian naval headquarters in Britain with the arrival of Commodore L. W. Murray from Ottawa.

Commodore Murray will help administer Canadian ships, personnel and establishments in the United Kingdom. If any Canadian naval squadrons or units are formed in Britain he will command them.

Currently he is to take part in discussions in connection with the lease of naval base sites in Newfoundland and British West Indies to the United States.

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP).—Commodore L. W. Murray who arrived in London today will be senior Canadian naval officer in the United Kingdom, it was stated at Naval Service Headquarters.

His duties will be to co-ordinate the work of Canadian naval units serving in British waters and maintain constant contact with the Admiralty. He will not establish a naval headquarters there comparable to Canadian military headquarters of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Hoppe Registers Seventh Victory

CHICAGO, Feb. 3 (AP). — Rolling along in old-time form, Willie Hoppe of New York registered his seventh consecutive triumph tonight in the world's championship three cushion billiard tournament.

His victim was Earle Lookabaugh, Chicago, whom he trounced 50 to 29, in 39 innings. This decision leaves the 53-year-old champion on the heels of the undefeated tourney leaders—Jay Bozeman, Vallejo, Calif., Otto Reiselt of Philadelphia, and Allen Hall, Chicago.

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NEWS OF THE DAY

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AT THE RINK TODAY
Children skating today 4 to 5:45

Kinsmen Club meets Tonight. Hume Hotel, 6.30.

Reserve February 27 for St. Paul's Tea and Bake Sale.

Hospital Auxiliary Bridge tonight at 8 o'clock and tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. Phone 868 for reservations.

"Frenesi" tops on Lucky Strike Hit Parade. Sheet music or Victor recordings. At McKay & Stretton.

For a real smoke try a tin of "Old Plantation" smoking mixture. 85c a tin at VALENTINE'S.

Boys! Special sale of hockey sticks Reg 60c now 25c. Reg. 85c now 50c Hipperson Hardware Company.

Tonight — Bridge-Whist Social, Catholic Parish Hall, four-week series. Grand prize, 25 cents.

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De Carteret New Deputy Minister for Air Defence

OTTAWA, Feb. 3 (CP). — Prime Minister Mackenzie King today announced appointment of Samuel Laurence de Carteret as Deputy Minister of National Defence for Air.

Mr. De Carteret will replace James S. Duncan, who relinquished his post as Acting Deputy Minister for Air Jan. 31 to asume the Presidency of Massey-Harris Company.

Coincident with the Prime Minister's announcement, Air Minister Power announced the services of Brig.-Gen. Harold P. McDonald, Chairman of the Canadian Pension Commission, had been made available as chief executive assistant to the Air Minister.

Tadanac Police Leading League

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 3—The Tadanac Police are leading in the Men's Senior "B" Basketball League with 10 wins and two losses. The Sheiks placed second with nine wins and four losses, and the Pats are in third position with 13 losses.

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