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GRAF SPEE PERMITTED TO REPAIR DAMAGES

Old Nelson Council Is Reelected

STIBBS REELECTED BY 349 MAJORITY

Mayor Stibbs, Aldermen Benwell, Waters and Tyler Returned; Stibbs Has 349 Majority Over Morgan

BENWELL ROLLS UP NEW RECORD VOTE

NELSON'S CIVIC VOTING

FOR MAYOR

N. C. Stibbs	805
J. P. Morgan	456
Spoiled ballots	16
Total vote	1277
Total names on voter's list	1952

FOR ALDERMEN

G. M. Benwell	922
T. H. Waters	670
C. W. Tyler	570
W. J. E. Biker	408
Frederick Nicholls	404
W. H. Foster	327
L. F. Carter	136
Spoiled ballots	29

Mayor N. C. Stibbs and Aldermen G. M. Benwell, T. H. Waters and C. W. Tyler were returned to office when voters of the City of Nelson went to the polls on Thursday.

The election gave Nelson its third Council of identical membership.

Returned to the mayoralty for his third term, Mayor Stibbs was given 805 votes. This was a majority of 349 over his opponent in two of the past three years, J. P. Morgan, former mayor. Last year Mayor Stibbs was elected by acclamation, but the year before he defeated Mr. Morgan 693 to 588.

NEW RECORD

Alderman Benwell rolled up a new record vote for any individual in a Nelson civic election—922 votes. He beat his own record of 786 established two years ago in an election which was featured by "plumpers". This year there were comparatively few "plumpers" and they were spread through the list. The total vote of 1277 this year was 28 under the record of two years ago.

Aldermen Waters and Tyler had comfortable margins over the four other aspirants to aldermanic office, none of whom had previous Council experience. Among the new men W. J. E. Biker and Frederick Nicholls were neck and neck, Biker finishing with a margin of four. W. H. Foster and L. F. Carter were in that order behind them.

Cook Elected to Creston Council; Count Five Times

CRESTON, B.C., Dec. 14 — The Municipal Solicitor was called in to decide who was winner at Creston's Municipal election Thursday, at which James Cook was elected to replace George Nichols for a three-year term for the one vacancy in the council. The final count gave Mr. Cook 101 votes and Nichols 97.

Five counts of the ballot were held, the first three by the returning officer, Miss E. F. Arrowsmith. The first was 96 for each candidate, with five rejected ballots. The second count was Cook 97 and Nichols 96, with five rejected ballots. A third count showed the same result.

Then W. L. Bell, Village Solicitor, was summoned, and the count was Cook 97 and Nichols 96 with five rejected ballots. On a survey of the rejected ballots, Mr. Bell pointed out the intention of the voter was clear on all them. Four were for Cook and one for Nichols, and Mr. Bell recommended they be thus allocated, which made the final figures Cook 101 and Nichols 97 with none rejected. The returning officer then declared Mr. Cook elected.

The other members of the council are Lieut.-Col. E. Mallandaine, and Councillor W. J. Craig.

Moscow Attacks Swedish Party

MOSCOW, Dec. 14 (AP). — The Moscow radio tonight launched a sharp attack against the members of the Swedish Social Democratic Party and their organ the "Social Democrat" in particular.

The radio charged that the newspaper and the party were "slaves and hirelings of capitalists and imperialistic interests" who had "dared to abuse the glorious Red army which with such unselfishness has lent its help to the Democratic Finnish Republic."

The broadcast added that the "whole world and even the Swedish people will realize the unselfish work of the Soviet Union and her army."

French Battleship Speeds to War Scene

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 14 (AP) —Official Argentine sources said tonight they "understood" the 26,500-ton French battleship Dunkerque is steaming toward the River Plata to join the British warship watch there over the Admiral Graf Spee.

The Dunkerque is rated by naval experts as one of the five British and French warships capable of dealing alone with a German pocket battlehip.

Carrying eight 13-inch guns as main armament, she has a speed of 29.5 knots and is protected by 14-inch armor.

EXETER HEADS FOR DRYDOCK

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 14 (AP). —The British cruiser Exeter, damaged in yesterday's battle with the German pocket-battleship Admiral Graf Spee, limped tonight toward drydock in the Argentine Naval Base of Puerto Belgrano in Bahia Blance, for repairs.

At Puerto Belgrano, 100 beds were prepared at the Naval Hospital for the Exeter's wounded. The base is 120 miles South West of Buenos Aires.

Telephone dispatches from Bahia Blanca said the Exeter was expected off Mar Del Plata, Argentine Atlantic port, before morning, en route to the drydock.

The dispatches said the Exeter had made a request that it be allowed to use the drydock.

Nazi Liner Slips Out Mexico Port

VERA CRUZ, Mexico, Dec. 14 (AP). — The German liner Columbus fueled and provisioned for a 50-day voyage, slipped out to sea today in an apparent attempt to run the Allied blockade to Germany.

A rich war prize if captured, the 32,581-ton liner had been in Vera Cruz since September 4, the day after Britain and France entered the war.

Efforts to keep her departure secret were made because of British warships patrolling Gulf and aribbean waters. The Columbus received clearing papers for Oslo, Norway, yesterday. Before dawn she shifted her anchorage and by 10 a.m. was out to sea.

A few hours in advance of the Columbus another German vessel, the freighter Arauca, cleared Vera Cruz with a cargo of nitrates, crude oil, fibre and other commodities consigned to New Orleans. Departure of the two ships left only one German vessel, the 4174-ton Hamelin, of the numerous Nazi ships which took refuge in Vera Cruz when war started.

Germans Claim 6 British Bombers Downed, Air Fight

BERLIN, Dec. 14 (AP).—German authorities claimed tonight that six British bombers and one German Messerschmidt fighter were shot down in a big air battle near the Friesen Island of Spiekerkoog this afternoon.

Germans said a number of Messerschmidts engaged 12 British bombers when they appeared near Spiekerkoog, which is the second Friesen Island from Wilhelmshaven and is Southwest of Heligoland.

The Air Ministry in London announced four German and three Royal Air Force planes shot down over Germany in the past 24 hours.

New Rossland Aldermen

A. C. RIDGERS

Who led the poll in Rossland, yesterday.

R. T. FRASER

who was second in the vote tabulation.

J. R. CORNER

Third alderman-elect of Rossland, like his associates is a new-comer in civic affairs. There were five candidates.

BODIES FROM WRECKED INDIGIRKA DRIFT ASHORE

WAKKANAI, Hokkaido, Japan, Dec. 14 (AP)—Bodies of about 350 persons, half those believed lost in the blizzard-tossed wreck of the Soviet Russian steamer Indigirka drifted ashore today.

Four hundred and twenty survivors of about 1100 persons on board were taken by the Japanese ship Karafuto Maru to Otaru, Hakkaido, where local officials arranged for their relief.

Major Russian Attack Is Beaten Off by Finnish

Soviet Artillery Shelled Own Troops at One Point Say Finns; Russians Move Rapidly in Fierce North Fighting

By LYNN HEINZERLING
Associated Press Staff Writer

WITH THE FINNISH ARMY ON THE EASTERN KARELIAN FRONT, Dec. 14 (AP)—Several battalions of fiercely fighting Finns clung stubbornly today to their positions on the Taipale River near Lake Ladoga in face of heavy Russian artillery fire.

For more than a week they have been holding out against the Russians, writing a new chapter of Finland's struggle for Independence.

Today I stood in a first-line Finnish trench and watched with a group of Finnish soldiers as Soviet artillery sent shell after shell across the winding stream into a forest about a half mile away.

When the day was over the Russians had blackened the snow for acres and blasted the woods around —but the Finns still were holding the river positions.

The furious artillery attack, of which the Finnish officers speak contemptuously, naturally has caused some casualties among the Finnish troops. One shell today struck a farmhouse where five troopers were billetted. All were killed. Perhaps a dozen farm buildings were wrecked and a considerable number of horses and cattle were killed by shelling this morning.

Despite almost constant shelling in this sector by the Russians today, the Finns didn't fire an answering shot.

"We don't shoot unless we have to," one officer said. "The Russians are just spoiling our forest with their kind of shooting."

Colonel Toivo Separanta said the Russians are using 10 times as many shells as the Finns.

By YVES DUGUERNY
Havas Staff Writer

HELSINGFORS, Dec. 14 (CP-Havas).—The Finnish High Command said tonight the Finns had beaten off a major Russian attack in the Karelian Isthmus.

A communique issued by the Command said that at one point Soviet artillery shelled its own troops.

Minor Russian advances were admitted by the Finns, the communique saying that on the Karelian front "a company which held up the enemy advance for a week is now regaining its base, followed closely by Soviet troops."

Dispatches received in Oslo from the Finnish-Norwegian frontier said the Russians were driving rapidly in the North against bitter Finnish resistance. Five Finnish villages were reported in flames, Salmijaervi, near the border, where the developments of the International Nickel Company of Canada are situated, was reported heavily bombed by the invaders and refugees said Finnish troops abandoned the town in 10-below zero weather.

"Yesterday the enemy undertook a major attack in which six tanks participated," the communique said. "One was destroyed almost immediately by a mine. Several fresh infantry attacks, backed by artillery, followed during the day. Most of them were repulsed, and many Reds were killed.

"A fresh proof of the savagery of Soviet bombers has been revealed to us in the bombing carried out Tuesday by Red planes over Hangoe and Ekenaes. They aimed especially at several farm buildings of the latter place, where there were many women and children refugees. The attack, however, was unsuccessful."

Other reports said the Soviets lost their tanks in their unsuccessful attack along the Isthmus.

GRAF SPEE MAY ATTEMPT DASH

BERLIN, Dec. 14 (AP).—German authorities, claiming that the raiding pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee was a victim of mustard gas shells in yesterday's battle with three British cruisers, tonight said they would invite a neutral commission to investigate the charge that gas was used.

Informed sources predicted dramatic moments ahead for the Graf Spee, which Berlin calls a "heroic victor" in the naval battle. They intimated that her commander might choose to run the risk of meeting British warships waiting outside Montevideo harbor where the battleship is anchored.

Informed sources said that since the British base at the Falkland Islands is comparatively close, the British fleet could make escape from Montevideo extremely difficult. These sources said that no one need be surprised if the commander chose internment.

German authorities based their claims of the use of gas on reports which they said were received from the Minister in Montevideo. Previously the gas charges were made by the German news agency, and officials had refused to give them formal support.

Vien May Become State Secretary

MONTREAL, Dec. 14 (CP) — The Star says today it is strongly rumored in political circles that Lieut.-Col. Thomas Vien, Liberal member of Parliament for Outremont, will be sworn in soon as State Secretary for Canada. The post has been vacant since the death of Hon. Fernard Rinfret.

Mustard Gas Not Used by British

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP Cable) —The British people were buoyed today by news of the war at sea, including the naval engagement off Montevideo resulting in the German pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee lying battered and damaged, trapped in a neutral harbor.

In a statement in the House of Commons, Prime Minister Chamberlain issued an indignant denial that the British ships used mustard gas shells, as alleged by the German minister to Uruguay, Otto Langmann.

"This characteristic statement is, of course, entirely without foundation," the Prime Minister declared. "No gas shells or grenades have ever been made for, or used by any ships of the navy."

The Prime Minister castigated Russia for its invasion of Finland and reiterated the British government's determination to send military supplies to the Finnish Republic.

At the same time Mr. Chamberlain warned the British people they must not lose sight of the fact Germany is their chief enemy. He accused Germany of ranging itself on the side of the aggressor, "whom they have even attempted to assist by an insolent and violent campaign against the other Scandinavian countries for their moral support of the Finnish cause."

Canadian Drowns as Stanwood Sinks

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP). — A Canadian radio operator named Sutherland was drowned when the 4158-ton British steamship Stanwood burned and sank in Falmouth Harbor Sunday, it was announced tonight.

Sutherland, blocked in his cabin went down with the ship. The remainder of the crew lacked time to lower lifeboats, but saved themselves by leaping to a nearby tug.

R.A.F. Spots Nazi Fleet Section In North Sea Area

LONDON, Dec. 15 (Friday) - (AP). — British airmen just returned from a smashing air battle over the North Sea reported today they had seen a section of the German fleet near the scene of the First Great War Battle of Jutland.

So far in the war, enemy warships rarely have been seen.

The British airmen said the Germans sent out six "waves" of aircraft in their efforts to prevent the Royal Air Force getting home with news of the discovery.

Reconnaissance fliers said they saw a German battleship, a cruiser, some destroyers and a submarine.

Enemy planes appeared a few minutes after the British fliers sighted the fleet. Their fire was combined with that of the surface vessels. The submarine opened fire with its deck gun then dived to safety.

The News-Chronicle earlier had reported in a front-page story that "there was a strong rumor in London late last night that the German fleet had ventured out into the North Sea."

Four Nazis, Three British Planes, Downed in Fight

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP), — The Admiralty tonight redoubled the hunt for the two German pocket battleships still at sea and counted out the troublesome raider Admiral Graf Spee, lying crippled in Montevideo Harbor with a reinforced British warship patrol waiting watchfully outside.

The Admiralty announced the two British light cruisers, Ajax and Achilles, which chased the Graf Spee into the neutral refuge late last night, had been "strongly reinforced."

An intense 24-hour search for German warships and U-boats by Royal Air Force squadrons over the North Sea and Northwest German estuaries and islands was disclosed to have resulted in fierce air engagement over Heligoland Bight. Four German Messerschmidts and three British fighters were shot down, the Air Ministry said.

The elation of public, officials and Press over "bottling up" of the Graf Spee overshadowed the loss of 120 men aboard the 1375-ton destroyer Duchess, sunk yesterday in a collision with an unidentified British warship. Only one officer and 22 men were saved.

The 202-ton British minesweeper William Hallett struck a mine today and sank with the loss of all but one of her crew of nine. The 7600-ton British tanker San Alberto was damaged "by enemy action."

Bombs Cause Slight Damage in Theatres

BIRMINGHAM, England, Dec. 14 (CP).—Bombs exploded in two motion picture theatres tonight several hours after a Birmingham court pronounced the first death sentences in the campaign of terror by the Irish Republican Army.

The flash-type bombs caused only slight damage. No one was injured.

Peter Barnes, 32, and James Richards, 29, were sentenced to death for a bombing on August 25 that took the lives of Mrs. Else Ansell and four other victims at Coventry Aug. 25.

Reinforced British Patrol on Guard Outside of Harbor

Uruguay Grants German Government Request for Time; 62 British Seamen Surrendered by Nazi Ship; Heavily Damaged

CUMBERLAND MAY JOIN THE PATROL

By HAROLD K. MILKS — Associated Press Staff Writer

MONTEVIDEO, Dec. 14 (AP). — The shell-battered German pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee, which a gathering British fleet is determined to keep off the seas, tonight won Uruguayan permission to remain in this neutral port until she can repair the damage suffered in the war's first great sea fight.

The Uruguayan Foreign Minister, Alberto Guani, announced that, "in accordance with the Uruguayan Neutrality Law and International Law," the Graf Spee could stay in Montevideo harbor, on request of the German Government, pending repairs.

The announcement was made shortly before the 24-hour time limit, normally permitted for the stay of a belligerent ship, would have expired at midnight.

Guiani declined to say how long this extension of the time would run, but explained that the German captain would be given sufficient time to make his craft seaworthy.

Close inspection of the crippled ship indicated the need of extensive repairs.

The Uruguayan decision meant that the Graf Spee, still at anchor in the bay with her 36 dead and 60 wounded on board, need not immediately go out to face the reinforced British warship patrol outside the harbor, a patrol eager to avenge the loss of a group of freighters sunk by the Nazi raider.

Shortly after the Nazi ship—her armor and gun turrets smashed by British shells—surrendered 62 British seamen taken from nine British merchantmen sunk by the raider, British diplomatic authorities indicated that the 10,000-ton cruiser Cumberland had joined the flotilla steaming in sleepless watch outside the harbor.

The same sources said also it was "very likely" the 32,000-ton cruiser Renown and the aircraft carrier Ark Royal would rush here from South African waters. The Cumberland mounts eight eight-inch guns and makes 31.5 knots.

Already, the light cruisers Ajax and Achilles, which drove the Graf Spee into this harbor after a day-long battle yesterday, were on watch, along with the crippled cruiser Exeter.

Reports from the Ajax and Achilles said that they had no dead and only a few wounded. There were unconfirmed reports of some dead aboard the Exeter.

The seamen surrendered today by the Graf Spee had been in the brig of the pocket battleship while yesterday's battle raged for hours above their heads.

They were released at 6:45 p.m. under the direction of British legation officials, a tugboat pulled alongside the pocket battleship and the seamen emerged from their prison. They clambered happily into the tug for the trip ashore.

Headed by five merchant captains, the men mounted the same gangplank over which Captain Hans Langsdorff of the Graf Spee a half-hour earlier had led half-a-dozen Nazi officers on his way to make a formal call in port.

A close inspection today of the crippled warship revealed graphically the effectiveness of British guns.

Three holes, apparently made by six-inch shells, gaped on the starboard waterline, forward. A huge hole, a yard and a half in diameter, was blasted through the hull into the ship's sleeping quarters on the port side, forward.

Plates bent outward indicates the effect of what must have been a severe explosion within the ship.

Another gap, large enough for several men to enter together, could be seen in the fighting tower. The heavy shell apparently came over the stern during the chase. The six-inch portside gun tower was overturned.

Otto Langman, German minister to Uruguay, visited the vessel and upon his return to shore claimed the crewmen were suffering from lung and eye injuries caused by gas shells.

But both the British Admiralty and Prime Minister Chamberlain, in London, described these charges as "entirely without foundation."

The German minister said the masters of six British merchantmen sunk by the raider was aboard her. There also were reports that the Admiral Graf Spee had sunk one or two British vessels only a few hours before yesterday's battle.

German high command in Berlin announced the ship was sinking the British merchantman Tairi and Streons Hall when she encountered the British cruisers.

Gordon Becomes Rossland Mayor; Defeats Gallie

ROSSLAND, B.C., Dec. 14—Ex-Mayor John E. Gordon was elected mayor today by a majority of 63 over Ald. Philip J. Gallie.

The citizens chose three new Aldermen—A. C. Ridgers, R. T. Fraser and J. R. C. Corner.

The voting was as follows:

FOR MAYOR—

Ex-Mayor J. E. Gordon, elected	249
Ald. P. J. Gallie	186
Rejected ballots	18
Majority for Gordon	63

FOR ALDERMEN—

A. C. Ridgers, elected	260
R. T. Fraser, elected	258
J. R. C. Corner, elected	[illegible]
Ald John Wilmot	196
R. W. Timms	179
Rejected ballots	2

Ark Royal, Renown Visit Cape Town

CAPE TOWN, Dec. 14 (CP-Reuters).—The British aircraft carrier Ark Royal, 22,000 tons, and the battle cruiser Renown, 32,000-tons, recently visited this South African port, newspapers announced today.

Repeated German claims the German airplanes sank the Ark Royal lent particular interest to its appearance thousands of miles from the scene of the alleged attack.

London dispatches said authoritative circles in the British capital believe the two ships are hunting the raiding German pocket battleship Admiral Scheer.

The Weather

	Min.	Max.
NELSON	33	35
Victoria	44	52
Nanaimo	43	52
Vancouver	41	52
Kamloops	37	46
Prince George	28	42
Estevan Point	42	52
Prince Rupert	40	40
Langara	40	44
Atlin	23	28
Dawson	2	10
Seattle	42	52
Portland	47	54
San Francisco	39	52
Spokane	35	48
Penticton	38	—
Vernon	34	—
Kelowna	33	42
Grand Forks	33	38
Kaslo	31	—
Cranbrook	31	42
Calgary	28	48
Edmonton	25	44
Swift Current	28	44
Moose Jaw	24	44
Prince Albert	8	32
Winnipeg	8	32

Kootenay: Fresh Southerly winds unsettled at first but mild and gradually clearing.

A Christmas Fantasy [Part 8]

By DAVID ORME and WILLIAM SHERB

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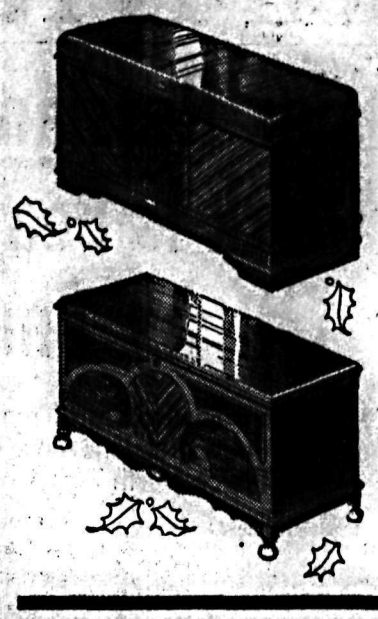

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PARLIAMENT TO MEET JANUARY 25

OTTAWA, Dec. 14 (CP). — The sixth and probably last session of Canada's 18th Parliament since Confederation has been called to meet January 25, Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced tonight.

This is two weeks later than had generally been expected. It was explained at the Prime Minister's office that the Government had been so pre-occupied with matters concerning the war, including the Empire air training scheme, that it had been impossible to get ready for an earlier opening.

Unless progress of the war and public opinion in Canada leads to some other alternative this will be the last session before a general election. It is believed a general election on party lines will be held next Summer, soon after prorogation.

KISS YOUR TIRED FEELING GOODBYE!

Peoples Many Suffer Low Blood Count—And Don't Know It.

The baffling thing about low blood count is that you can weigh about as much as you ever did — even look healthy and strong, yet you can feel as if you had lead in your legs, dopey, tired and pepless.

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C.P.R. TO PUT WARNING SIGNS AT CRESTON

CRESTON, B. C. — C. P. R. Superintendent McLean wants something done to lessen the pedestrian traffic along and across the railway tracks. The Reeve had told Mr. McLean the best thing would be to install an underpass about opposite the old liquor store, with an iron foot traffic bridge over the platform and tracks at the station.

Mr. McLean pleaded the railway revenues would not warrant any such outlay. The company will put up warning signs and the school teachers will be asked to warn the pupils of the danger of frequenting the yard, particularly with a view to lessening the habit of crawling under freight trains standing in the yard.

Christmas Cheer Boosted $58.50

When Christmas Cheer is distributed in Nelson next week it will come as a gift, a purely voluntary sharing by those whose comfort is assured with their neighbors whose life just now is a matter of subsistence. No one will be asked to contribute.

Thursday's contributions totalled $58.50. These gifts brought the fund total to date to $563. The objective is $1500.

Standings of the fund, all contributions to which will be acknowledged in the Daily News, now is:

Previously Acknowledged	$504.50
Kokanee Chapter I.O.D.E.	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. Penny	4.00
Friend	1.00
E. H. Simpson	1.00
Joe Fairbairne	1.00
Bert	.50
Mrs. S. Bostock	1.00
R. P. A.	1.00
Sarah Waldie	5.00
Mrs. S. N. May	2.00
St. John's Lutheran Ladies Aid	3.00
M. K. D.	2.00
E. C. Wragge	5.00
M. Horsfield, R. R. 1	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Stallwood	2.00
D. S. S., Gen Del., City	3.00
Thursday Subscriptions	58.50
Total to Date	563.00

LONDON, (CP)—"This man is a pest to taxi drivers," said the prosecuting attorney when Brian Napier Trent, 35, was convicted for the third time of hiring a taxi cab knowing he could not pay for the fare.

Miss Edith Avery Becomes Bride of P. Truscott, Creston

CRESTON, B. C., — With just the immediate relatives in attendance, Miss Edith H., youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Avery of Creston, was united in marriage with Mr. Percy R. Truscott of Creston, Sunday. Rev. H. J. Armitage, pastor of Trinity United Church, officiated, and the ceremony was performed at the home of the groom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dodd. A buffet luncheon was served after the ceremony, and later Mr. and Mrs. Truscott left on a wedding trip to Nelson and Trail. The bride has been prominent in basketball and dramatic circles, while the groom is a well known orchardist and the past season has been on the Federal Fruit Inspection staff at Creston. Mr. and Mrs. Truscott will reside at Creston.

MISS M. CRAIG, NEW HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER CRESTON

CRESTON, B.C.—Attendance at the Creston High School for November was 381, with an average daily turnout of 90 per cent, according to the report for November submitted by Principal S. J. Graham to the trustees of Creston Valley United School District.

The Board confirmed the appointment of Miss Mary Craig, B.A., of Vancouver, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Edith Stewart, B.A., Miss Craig is on probation and the salary is $1250.

Mr. Graham reported attendance at the night school as follows. Taking typewriting, 16, shorthand, nine; bookkeeping 13. Fred Martello takes the two former, and Mr. Trotter the latter subject.

The Board agreed to the installation of a sink in the art room.

News of the Day

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All members of the Women's Institute are requested to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Eunson Saturday at 2 p.m. at Somer's Funeral Parlors.

Marie Blizard, author of "Flowers At Her Feet," and "White Orchids", has given us another thrilling story in "Tell Bill Goodbye." Start reading it today on Page 4 of The Daily News.

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Mr. William Hagan, Billy and Bobby wish to thank all friends for kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to them during their sad bereavement in the loss of a loving wife and mother.

FUNERAL NOTICE

EUNSON, Mrs. Annie — Passed away Wednesday. Body rests at Funeral Home, 702 Baker Street, until Saturday where service will be held at 2 p.m., Rev. J. A. Donnell officiating.

CRESTON RATEPAYERS MEET NOT NEEDED

CRESTON, B. C. — E. H. Bridgman, Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs, advised that it was not compulsory to have a ratepayers meeting prior to the Municipal election. The meeting had been arranged fo 1939.

CRESTON TO CONSULT OTTAWA ON RADIO

CRESTON, B. C. — The Ottawa authorities will be consulted to find out if the village can compel radio owners to install condensers to cure interference. The Board of Trade wrote asking could the village do something along this line to abate the interference nuisance.

CRESTON DECLINES OFFER OF SNOW TRACTOR

CRESTON, B. C. — Harold MacLaren offered to operate his tractor in street snow clearing operations this Winter at the price now paid for horse service, but the offer was declined as snow removal is part of the regular work of the town handyman.

Stibbs Proud Indorsation at Polls; Will Carry Council Business on Same Basis as Past Year; Nelson Has Great Future

"I can only say that I am very proud of the indorsation the voters of Nelson have given me, and that I shall give my whole heart to the interests of the City during 1940," said Mayor N. C. Stibbs Thursday night.

"The vote is an indorsation of the manner in which the mayor and aldermen have carried on the business of the City during the year and we shall continue to work on that basis.

"We have a grand City," said Mayor Stibbs, "and it is an honor and privilege to be able to work for it. We have a greater future, if we plan for it, and so far as I am concerned my efforts in 1940 will be directed not only by our immediate problems, but also by the relationship of present problems to our future. In that planning we must at all times keep in mind the welfare of the whole district," he asserted.

Mayor Stibbs said he was especially grateful to those in indifferent health who braved inclement weather to vote.

WOOLWORTH NO. 1 WINS TRAIL LADIES BOWLING

TRAIL, B. C., Dec. 14—Woolworth No. 1 team was declared winner of the Trail Ladies' Five-Pin Bowling League at the close of play at Memorial Hall Alleys Thursday night. The squad won with 21 points, Crown Point coming second with 17.

Thursday's game scores follow:

Stars	692	737	653
Credit Bureau	617	664	774
Woolworth No. 1	942	668	1028
Crown Point	726	684	822

LONDON (CP)— British radio listeners were enthused over the performance of the "man who played Hitler" in a B.B.C. play. After the program it was revealed the actor was a Goring—Marius Goring, 28.

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Captain Flynn went through the first World War in the Imperial Forces; he has been a world traveller, and he is well qualified as a news analyst and commentator.
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Christmas, 1939 ....

Toys, Games, Strike to Heart of Each Child's Desire for This Christmas

War Not as Heavily Emphasized as Expected; Little Mother's Dolls Have Layettes; Building Sets to the Fore

CHRISTMAS, 1939 ...

It's strictly an individualistic Christmas this year for the younger generation. For there is sufficient variety in toys, games, building outfits, sports equipment and so on to make an individual present not only possible for every member of the younger generation, but the right choice. And there's nothing quite like those wide open eyes Christmas morning when the packages are unwrapped and the "exactly-what-I wanted" present is displayed in all its Christmas glory.

There's not the emphasis on war that was expected, somewhat apprehensively expected in many homes now that loved ones are in khaki. But there is a greater emphasis than last year and for the Johnny or Mary for whom uniforms supply today's shining stars, there is a wide choice available. The lead soldiers are here in new uniforms, and with complete battle equipment from fighting planes to tanks. There's a nurse's outfit, complete to cap, apron, bandages, antiseptic soap and so on for the little girl who pictures herself in that role. There are dolls by the dozen in colorful uniforms and there are games that will make a perfect Christmas.

CONSTRUCTION AND HOME MAKING GIFTS TO FORE

But the greatest emphasis this year is in the field of construction and home making. Games and sets that will keep hands and minds busy building things, whether the elementary structures of very tiny hands or the more complicated carving and modelling outfits for surer hands, they are all there. And it doesn't matter whether one's present is for a husky boy who wants carpenter sets, a scientifically-minded lad who wants a chemical set or a microscope, a lassie making her first stitches or her sister who is beginning to think of the beautiful things she can do with an embroidery needle, a tot whose efforts will be mainly to stick things together or the budding artist who finds magic in watercolors or oils. They are all there, even to the picture blocks for the baby whose chief delight will be to build a tower and then to topple it over—or to topple the tower that Dad has painstakingly built up.

The adult who goes out shopping for a doll is the one who will have the fun, however, for one could really "go to town" in any purchases of this nature. British-made dolls command the market, and the international outlook of Britain was never given greater emphasis than in this field. The costumed dolls, marvels of workmanship, would make it possible to set up a League of Nations in miniature in short order.

Again the influence of international events is seen in the uniformed dolls, particularly those smart sailor lassies. Little Victorian ladies are prominent too, and there is a great array of popular figures in crisp, colorful dresses.

DOLLS WITH LAYETTES FOR LITTLE MOTHERS

But there's one outfit—or rather one variety of doll outfit in a wide range of prices and equipment—that the little mother will cherish for a long time. For these dolls and their equipment, the more elaborate including a complete layette, are designed for the real little mothers. They include the familiar three-cornered pants, safety pins, clothes line and clothes pins, and so on and on.

Alongside the dolls with layettes are representatives of Czecho-Slovakia, the Netherlands, Poland and many other troubled European nations, and in between and around all these are many examples of the famed Charlie McCarthy and his funny paper-pal, Mortimer Snerd. There are many other funny paper characters, and a great variety of dogs, teddy bears and so on.

To look through the games is an adventure in itself. While there are many "standards" there is also a wide choice in newcomers including Chinese checkers, marksmanship games, airplane races, hockey games, racing games and so on. Wire puzzles, picture puzzles and jigsaw puzzles are popular. There are some rather fine tool sets of English origin, and British-made fretsaw kits.

An interesting gift for the housekeeper of tomorrow is a kitchen outfit consisting of a combination broom and mop, cleaning soaps and powders and so on.

Car and plane building sets of many varieties are real attractions to young builders.

MUSIC AND ACTION ARE COMBINED IN CHARACTER TOYS

And there's a wide field in the "musical" toy field including Popeye whistles, Mickey Mouse with a xylophone, the "Jeep" and so on, many combining music with action.

Trucks and buses go modernistic in a big way with streamlining emphasized in every line. Among the more utilitarian trucks there's an ice delivery, complete with blocks of ice made out of glass, and ice tongs.

Along the lines of war-suggested toys—and neat ones they are too—are aircraft carriers with their planes; an R. A. F. tractor, lead soldiers and so on.

Once again a great variety of toy guns are on store counters. The emphasis is still on "six-shooters" and so on, with the odd "shot gun" and the inevitable pop gun. Some of the shotguns are especially well made.

OUTDOOR SPORTS AND BOOKS OFFER MANY CHOICES

And of course there's an almost limitless field in the wagons, scooters, nobby horses, doll cradles, doll buggies, sleighs and so on, with no seasonal limitation upon them. Skates and skis are found alongside wheelbarrows and streamlined wagons, table and chair sets alongside blackboards, and so on and on.

It will be a "booky" Christmas for a great many youngsters, too, for the offerings in this field reach a new high in attraction. The annuals are as big and certainly better than ever, and there must be a dozen varieties of them. Animal books, stories that are easy to read, fairy tales, adventures in magic land, painting and crayon books all have their own special appeal for someone.

As a matter of cold fact, one should be well armed with an idea of what Johnny or Mary would like most, for a Christmas shopper will have a most difficult job to choose between the "super-duper" children's gifts that may be found in Nelson and District stores just now.

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British War Dead 2100, Three Months

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP). — Great Britain's total casualties in the first three months of war were approximately 2100 dead, Prime Minister Chamberlain said today in reply to a question in the House of Commons. This figure for all British forces compared with 12,500 during the first two months of war in 1914, he said.

URGES DEATH PENALTY TO FRENCH COMMUNISTS

PARIS, Dec. 14 (CP-Havas).—N. Ybarnegaray, Rightist deputy, advocated the death penalty for all leaders of the outlawed French Communist party in the Chamber of Deputies today.

Ybarnegaray said the Communists, advocating a peace settlement with Germany and supporting the Moscow-Berlin pact, were guilty of treason and merited the extreme penalty.

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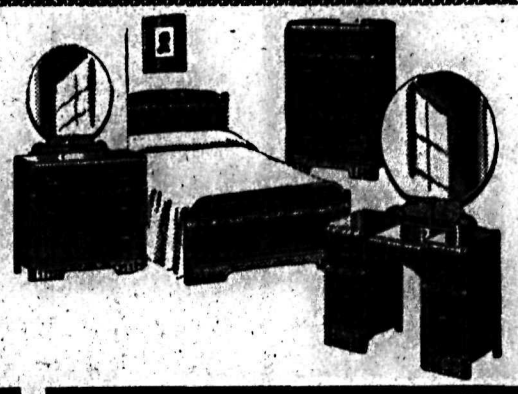

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BUTTER: Hudsonia, First Grade, 3 lbs. $1.13
BACON: Swift's Premium in cello, Lb. 39¢
MINCEMEAT: Finest quality, lb. 15¢
MIXED NUTS: Fancy quality, 2 lbs. 45¢
SUGAR: 10 lbs. 69¢
LOBSTER: For Salads, ½'s, Tin 34¢
CHEESE: Hunter's, 2 lb. boxes, each 53¢
GINGER WINE: Old English, quarts, ea. 29¢
CLUSTER TABLE RAISINS: 15 oz. pkge., Each 25¢
ASPARAGUS TIPS: Aylmer, 10½ oz. tins 21¢
XMAS FRUIT CAKES: Society, 2 lb. slabs 85¢
CRANBERRY JELLY: Shirriff's, 12 oz. bottle 23¢
GINGER ALE: McDonald's, Pints, Doz. $1.15
COFFEE: Hostess, fresh, lb. 43¢
SWANS DOWN FLOUR: Carton 27¢
GRAPE FRUIT JUICE: 50 oz. tins, Each 27¢
PUDDINGS: Christies, each 29¢
SALAD DRESSING: Nalley's, 12 oz. jar 23¢
LOAF SUGAR: 2 lb. carton 21¢
ORANGES: Sweet and juicy, 2 doz. 45¢
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Christmas Mail for Ontario and Quebec Must Be Posted Today

Christmas gifts, cards and letters for Ontario and Quebec friends and relatives should be in the mail today, "mail early" posters remind Nelson and District givers.

Mail for Christmas delivery in the Maritime Provinces, United States and Overseas should be in the mail already, according to postal deadlines.

Air Battles "Fun" for Young Canadian Pilot

TORONTO, Dec. 14 (CP).—Air battles are "lots of fun" to Pilot Officer S. Rodger Henderson, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Henderson of Winnipeg.

The young flier who left Canada in March, 1937, to join the Royal Air Force, has written a letter to a former civil flying friend, Fred S. Kroon, telling of two air engagements in which three Nazi planes were crippled.

The first was Nov. 7 while on a patrol flight over the North Sea. Pilot Officer Henderson spotted a Dornier 18 and after hiding among the clouds until he was close to the enemy plane, he dove to the attack and gave him about 50 shots, some of which went into the Dornier's tail. The German plane headed for home, returning fire which missed.

The next day Henderson and another reconnaissance pilot of the R. A. F. were flying two planes in coastal patrol when they engaged three German planes in combat. Henderson's companion plane, piloted by an officer named Greenhill, sent one of the Nazi planes into the sea. Henderson and Greenhill attacked the other two until their ammunition was exhausted and then returned to their base. In his letter, Henderson said the fights were "lots of fun."

Prisoners of War Bureau Functions

OTTAWA, Dec. 14 (CP). — The Prisoners of War Information Bureau (Canada) is now functioning under the direction of Lieut.-Col. H. Stethem of Ottawa, it was announced today by the Public Information office.

The new bureau will receive inquiries concerning Canadian prisoners of war in Germany; Canadian Nationals resident in Germany; Canadian Nationals interned in Germany; Canadian civilian refugees stranded in neutral countries.

Letters addressed to Canadian prisoners of war may be mailed in the ordinary way and will be directed through the proper channels by Canadian postal authorities in cooperation with the United Kingdom postal authorities.

WITHDRAWAL MAKES ELECTION UNNECESSARY

PORT COQUITLAM, B.C., Dec. 14 (CP).—Withdrawal of Mrs. E. H. Platt as a School Board candidate made civic elections here unnecessary.

Previous to her withdrawal three candidates were seeking two vacant two-year terms on the board. Mayor R. C. Galer and all members of the City Council were returned by acclamation.

ATTLEE TO VISIT FRONT

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP).—Clement Attlee, Labor opposition leader in Parliament, will visit the Western Front early in January, at the personal invitation of Viscount Gort, Commander-in-Chief of the British Forces in the field, it was announced today.

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SERIAL STORY . . . By Elliott Fillion

Tell Bill Goodbye

By MARIE BLIZARD

CHAPTER I

Four heads turned gravely, but no one spoke when the girl came into the drawing room. She dropped a tennis racquet on a chair and untying a silk bandana, dropped it beside the racquet. She ran long, slender fingers through her hair that was the hue and texture of corn silk. With that gesture she lifted it from her shoulders to where it hung framing the oval of her face. She crossed the room in long easy strides and dropped an elbow on the mantle, facing the others from the hearth.

Her eyes, gray and long-lashed, were amused as they swept the room. They were also a trifle hard. Speaking in a cool detached voice that revealed the sort of finishing schools she had lately attended, she said:

"The curtain rises! It is late afternoon in September. The scene: The drawing room of the Comtesse de Ligne. The characters on the stage are the heirs of the late Elihu Willoughby . . ."

The Comtesse de Ligne gave her daughter a glance of despair. "Heirs!" she repeated, and put a lace handkerchief to her mouth.

Fabienne gave her mother a glance in which pity was not apparent and continued:

"You've always been so proud of your flare for the dramatic, mother. Doesn't this little scene appeal to you?" She covered the room with a gesture that included the two middle-aged people, sitting calmly by the window; her mother, the posed figure of tragedy in the high-backed carved chair; the tall, good-looking boy trying, with no success to palm a coin as he had seen it done.

The telephone rang and the four heads turned again to the door. Only Fabiennes remained turned to the window. The telephone call was not the one they were waiting for. Fabienne began to speak again:

"So like a stage set. Uncle Mark, looking exactly what he is—the distinguished scholar, and Aunt Edna, practically labelled: Uncle Mark's. And Dick, darling, unable to conceal his impatience to escape this little family party and get back to Cambridge. As for you, mother, you look like the program note: Costumes by Mainbocher.' She looked toward the wide door. "Ah, the perfect note! The butler enters!"

Marcus, old and distinguished as any theatrical butler, brought the evening papers in and laid them on a table.

"I suppose there's something in the papers," Gertrude de Ligne said.

Her son slid the coin he had been playing with into his pocket and came across the room to pick up a paper. He scanned the front page. "Here it is," he told her. "Shall I read it?"

The others nodded.

"'Elihu Willoughby wills entire fortune to charity,' he read. "'The

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Exceptional Value
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Marmalade: Empress, 4 lb. tin .. 44c
PINEAPPLE Sliced, cubed or crushed 2 TINS 23c
Prune Juice: 2 tins 23c
EGGS DOZ. 32c
GRADE A MEDIUM
Honey, 2 lb. Tin 28c
Riedell's
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Society

• Lord and Lady Aylmer of Willow Point were city shoppers yesterday.

• Miss Mary McDonald, Mill Street, returned last night from a fortnight visit in Spokane.

• J. H. Tabor returned to his home in Victoria yesterday morning after visiting his son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Crawford, 309 Innes Street.

• Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rushton of Nakusp visited town yesterday.

• Mrs. L. M. Crahan and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. G. Crahan expect to arrive in the city tonight from Vancouver to take up residence in the Kerr Apartments.

• Mr. Gray of the teaching staff of the Nelson High School leaves today to spend the holidays with his family in Vancouver.

• Mrs. E. F. McAlpine of Trail spent Wednesday in the city.

• George Lee-Warner left via the C.P.R. yesterday for Victoria after a couple of weeks vacation in Nelson the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hunter, Edgewood Avenue. Mrs. Lee-Warner who accompanied him will remain awhile longer in Nelson with her parents.

• Miss Winnifred Borthwick of the teaching staff of the Central

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Peter Pan: Sieve 3, 17 oz., 2 tins 25c
Peas and Carrots: Aylmer, tin 11c

Cranberry Sauce: Jar 23c
Fruited Pudding: Christies' 30c
Cluster Raisins: Fancy, pkt. 23c
Layer Figs: 6 oz. pkt. 10c
Figs: 16 oz. pkt. 25c
Stuffed Olives: 17 oz. jar 45c
Sweet Gherkins: 12 oz. jar 25c

Pickles: Polly Prim, jar 21c
Chili Sauce: Aylmer, bottle 19c
Lea and Perrins Sauce: Bottle 35c

Aylmer Asparagus Cuttings 10½ oz. tin 10c

CRANBERRIES
2 lbs. for 45c

CELERY: California Bleached, lb. 7c
BRUSSEL SPROUTS: Lb. 15c
CARROTS: 3 bunches 9c
MUSHROOMS: Lb. 29c
BANANAS: 3 lbs. 29c
GRAPES: Emperor, 3 lbs. 25c
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ORANGES: Xmas Size, doz. 50c

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56 oz. tin 45c
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Grape Juice: Welches', bottle 29c
Tomato Juice: Libby's 26 oz. tin 11c
Lobster: Eagle, ¼'s, tin 20c
Shrimps: Wet or Dry, 2 tins 35c
Fruit Cocktail: Libby's talls, tin 22c
Peaches: Lynn Valley, squats, tin 16c

EGGS... Doz. 35c
Local Grade A Large

Flour, 24-lb. sk. 82c
Kitchen Craft — First Patent

Ginger Ale .... Doz. 85c
Pints — 20c Refund on Bottles

Fruit Cakes... Each 75c
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Cherub Talls

Pure LARD... Per lb. 10c
Swift's Silver Leaf — Limit 2

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Assorted, Sage, Poultry Dressing, etc.
2 tins 15c

EXTRACTS
Vanilla or Almond
2 oz. bottle 19c

Seedless Raisins: 2 lb. pkt. 25c
Currants: 2 lbs. 25c
Walnuts: Light Pieces, lb. 29c
Shelled Almonds: Lb. 45c
Shelled Brazils: ½ lb. pkt. 18c

Cut Peel: ½ pkt. 11c
Glace Cherries: Lb. 29c
Ground Almonds: ¼ pkt. 25c
Rum and Brandy Extract: 2 oz. bot. 21c
Cut Peel: Assorted, ¼ lb. 7c

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Grade A .... Lb. 24c
Grade B .... Lb. 22c
Geese, Grade A, lb. 19c
Ducks, Grade A, lb. 23c
Turkey Dressing: Lb. 18c
Sliced Bacon: Lb. 30c

Rump Roast Veal: Lb. 22c
Prime Rib Rolled: Lb. 25c
Pot Roast: Lb. 12c 15c
Rib Boiling Beef: Lb. 10c
Rump Roast Beef: Lb. 20c

Leg Roast Pork: Lb. 25c
Leg of Lamb: Lb. 28c
Hamburger Steak: 2 lbs. 25c
Shoulder Veal Steak: Lb. 18c
Smoked Fillets: Lb. 20c

Birks Pineapple
Cubed, Sliced, Crushed
2 tins 25c

Roquefort Cheese: Lb. 59c
Matured Cheese: Lb. 35c
Chateau Cheese: Lb. pkt. 30c

Salad Dressing: Best Foods, 16 oz. 33c
Boiled Cider: Bottle 19c
Butter: Highway First Grade, 2 lbs. 75c

Airway Tea: Lb. 59c
Excello Coffee: Lb. 45c
Brown Sugar: 3 lbs. 20c

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California Budded: 2 lbs. 47c
4 lb. sacks 93c
Filberts: 2 lbs. 49c
Almonds: 2 lbs. 45c

Pecans: Large, lb. 25c
Chestnuts: 2 lbs. 35c
Cocoanuts: Large, 2 for 25c
Peanuts: 2 lbs. 23c

Brazils ... Special, 2 lbs. 29c

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Chocolates Willards' 4-lb.box 89c

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IS RUSSIAN MIGHT LARGELY MYTHICAL?

One of the surprising phases of the war news from the Soviet-Finnish front has been its tenor—the entirely unexpected effectiveness of the Finnish resistance to the Soviet invasion.

The supposed well mechanized Soviet Army has developed decided limps at many points, and it is becoming fairly clear that while the Soviet Union of Socialist Republics commands a vast volume of man-power, its military equipment is nothing to boast of.

In fact, there have been reports that, as in the War of 1914-18, the elementary equipment of the foot-soldiers, rifles, have been deficient.

Whatever may be the final result of the Soviet drive against its small neighbor that has dared to refuse to hand over naval bases and to admit Soviet armed occupancy, certainly the correspondents of the Associated Press, the great American cooperative news service, reporting presumably what they see, are giving a picture from day to day of a small nation at bay almost immobilizing the attack of a power that has been reputed to have, and that has claimed to have, great military might.

Actually, when one thinks it out, there is no more reason for believing the claims of the Soviet State regarding its industrial accomplishments than there is for accepting its claims in other matters—for example, that it is fighting a defensive war against Finnish aggression.

An instructive commentary on Soviet efficiency is to be found in the Vancouver address of S. W. Fairweather, Chief of Research and Development of the Canadian National Railways, from which we recently quoted figures of Canada's gain in railway facilities and efficiency since the War of 1914-18.

Noting that Canada is practically an industrial base for the Allies in the present war, with a half continent rich beyond measure in natural resources of soil, forest, mine and sea, and that Russia is probably the only other continental area in the world that might be compared with Canada for natural resources, and that they are both great sources of supply for food and for raw materials, Mr. Fairweather notes an entirely different situation when it comes to industrialization.

"While they are alike in possession of vast natural resources," he told the Vancouver Board of Trade in the Nov. 24 address, "they are entirely dissimilar in their organization and equipment for production and transportation.

"You have the totalitarian Russian State against the Canadian Domocracy. You have Russia, with one of the lowest per capita wealth productions in the world, compared with Canada, which has one of the highest. You have, too, in Russia, a country whose transportation system is inadequate, as compared with Canada, which has the most efficient railways in the world. Above all, you have exemplified in Russia the weakness of bureaucratic management and control, as compared with sound business methods in Canada.

"I venture to say that, measured in terms of exportable goods, the labor of one man in Canada is as productive as the labor of 20 men in Russia."

There has been of course a real industrial development in Soviet Russia, including the World's largest existing power development, but as yet Russia is not "mechanized" as the word is understood in other countries.

One of the big explosions of the war may be of the myth of the war might of Soviet Russia, for today war might, to be effective, must be backed by industrial might.

?? Questions ??
ANSWERS

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

E. V. F., Trail—To settle an argument will you advise as to where the United States stands as compared to other first-class powers at the present time with regard to military aircraft?

The powers have ceased to give out dependable information on this question.

M. L. D., Nelson—Can you please tell us where we can get "A Book of Cats" by Mrs. W. Chance?

Your local bookstores can get it for you.

H. F., Rossland—Will you please give me the names of several reputable piano companies who could, on demand, supply repairs for pianos?

Heintzman & Company, Calgary, Alta.; J. W. Kelly Company, Ltd., 632 Seymour Street, Vancouver, B. C.

J. D. G., Nelson—Would you please give me the best method of washing waterproof pants?

Lay pants out flat and scrub with a fairly stiff brush, using any good laundry soap, then rinse.

R. W., Nelson—Who wrote the lines "I cannot tell how the truth may be: I say the tale as it was said to me."?

This quotation is from "The Lay of the Last Minstrel" by Sir Walter Scott.

R. E., Creston — When was the first World's Fair held?

The first industrial exposition in which all Nations might participate was held in the Crystal Palace, London, from May 1 to October 1, 1851. France held an Exposition Universelle in 1855 and in 1862 the English had their second great international exposition in London.

E. G., Nelson—How many feathers has a 25 pound turkey?

A turkey has 3860 feathers.

T. K., Salmo—What will remove yellow stains from a white porcelain basin?

Moisten pulverized chalk with ammonia, and apply with a stiff brush.

ROSSLAND RECEIVES TRAVEL BUREAU PLAN OF NEWS EXCHANGES

ROSSLAND, B. C., Dec. 13—Proposal to establish a local news bureau in Rossland in conjunction with other news bureaus throughout the entire Province, as a means of inter-exchange of news items, and photographs, which would further the tourist publicity of British Columbia, was the essence of a letter read from Major Gordon Smith, of the B. C. Travel Bureau, read at the Rossland Section, Junior Board of Trade meeting Tuesday.

H. W. Bayley was appointed to enquire for further details.

AUNT HET
By ROBERT QUILLEN

"I'm havin' my party Tuesday night. I had to invite Jane and Luke, and that's the only night they'll be out of town."

CONTRACT - - - - - By Shepard Barclay

BALANCE THE FACTORS

IN DECIDING close questions between No Trump contracts and minor suit ones, a sound and thorough bidder weighs one factor against another. Holding singletons in his partner's suits will discourage him from No Trump because he can lead only once for a finesse, and may take no tricks in it at all. But having one of his own suits solid, or approximately so, should partly offset that risk, as he seems likely to be able to make a run of tricks there which brings him pretty close to a No Trump game without counting on side tricks, yet leaves him pretty far from a minor game.

North: ♠ 9 ♥ A K 8 7 ♦ 4 3 2 ♣ 10 8 4 3 2
West: ♠ 3 ♥ 4 ♦ Q 9 5 6 5 ♣ A K Q J ♣ 7
East: ♠ A K 5 6 2 ♥ Q J 6 5 ♦ K J ♣ 6 5
South: ♠ Q J 10 7 5 4 ♥ 10 9 3 2 ♦ A 10 7 ♣ None

(Dealer: South. Neither side vulnerable.)

East and West showed a misfit quickly on this deal. West began by bidding 1-Club, East 1-Spade, West 2-Diamonds, East 2-Hearts, West 3-Diamonds to indicate his six-five distribution and East 3-Spades, showing his five-four and also the strength to go farther.

West, a sound card counter, knew absolutely that his conventional partner had exactly four cards in the minor suits, and would be bound to have either two-card support for his six-card clubs or else three-card support for his five-card diamonds. But to make a game in either of those suits meant avoidance of three losing tricks, whereas at No Trump he could afford to lose four. He decided in favor of 3-No Trumps because his clubs appeared solid.

The decision turned out favorably, as he made an overtrick at No-Trump, losing only one trick in diamonds and two in hearts. Had he bid 4-Clubs over his partner's 3-Spades, East would have gone to 5-Clubs, which would have been set through the loss of one trick in hearts, one in diamonds and one in clubs.

Tomorrow's Problem

North: ♠ 10 9 6 ♥ J 8 3 ♦ 10 4 3 2 ♣ 9 6 4
West: ♠ J 7 3 2 ♥ K 9 7 6 5 ♦ Q ♣ 8 7 2
East: ♠ Q ♥ A Q 4 ♦ A K J 9 7 5 ♣ A Q 10
South: ♠ A K 8 5 4 ♥ 10 2 ♦ 8 6 ♣ K J 5 3

(Dealer: South. Both sides vulnerable.)

What is the correct bidding which leads West into a slam on this deal, after South's opening 1-Spade?

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On The Air

Second last of the Musical Schoolroom series from CKLN will be heard at 7:30 tonight when a choir of pupils from the Hume School will entertain with a full half-hour of Christmas music and carols.

The programme is under the direction of Miss Greta Curwen.

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To judge from the very large number of phone calls and letters that have arrived at CKLN, the boys who make up the little group known as the "Fairview Wranglers" really "have something," as was suggested here last Friday. A little "mike-fright" was noticeable on the opening broadcast, but did not cause any lessening of the enjoyment shared by a large audience. Tonight and again next Friday, the boys will be on the air from 9 to 9:30 p.m.

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The BBC's Northern Messenger Service will begin another of its series of personal broadcasts to those who live in the North today at 8:30 p.m. PST. The broadcasts will again send messages to persons and will also include a three-minute resume of the preceding week's news and a listing of the following week's CBC programmes.

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Woodhouse and Hawkins will present the first of their new programmes this week—and the show has been moved to a new time. Listen at 7:00 p.m., tonight and on succeeding Fridays, for this popular pair of CBC comedians. Tonight, by the way, marks the beginning of their seventh year on CBC air.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1939

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

7:00—O Canada
7:03—Toast and Coffee (CKLN)
8:00—The News
8:15—Singers and Songs
8:30—Wayne Van Dyne—Tenor
8:45—Musical Newsy
9:00—The Balladeer
9:15—Rakov's Orchestra
9:30—The Toronto Trio
10:00—The Happy Gang
10:30—Revue in Miniature
11:00—Hollywood Brevities (CKLN)
11:30—Paul Martin's Orch.

AFTERNOON

12:00—Luncheon Music
1:00—The News
1:15—The History of Carpets—talk
1:30—Rainbow Trio (CKLN)
1:45—BBC News
2:15—Tango Time (CKLN
2:30—Virginia Fair Entertains
2:45—Closing Stock Quotations
3:00—Gus Lazzaro's Orch.
3:15—Bobby Park's Orch.
3:30—The Three Cheers
3:45—Lucio's Ensemble
4:00—Children's Choir
4:30—Frank Gagen's Orch.
4:45—Old Time Minstrel Shows—talk
5:00—Miss Trent's Children
5:30—Christmas Tree of 1939 (CKLN)

EVENING

6:00—Leon Zuckert's Orch.
6:45—Just Relax (CKLN)
7:00—Woodhouse and Hawkins
7:30—School Broadcast—Hume School (CKLN)
8:00—The News
8:15—Stardust
8:30—The Northern Messenger
9:00—Fairview Wranglers (CKLN)
9:30—Quizzical Musical
10:00—Freddie Martin's Orch.
10:30—Enric Madrequera's Orch.
11:00—The News
11:15—Gary Nottingham's Orch.
11:30—Bill Sabransky
12:00—God Save the King.

CJAT — TRAIL

MORNING

7:00—Breakfast Club
7:45—Memories.
8:15—Programme Resume
9:00—On the Mall
10:30—Melody Time.
10:45—Today's Music.
11:30—Peter Dawson Sings.

AFTERNOON

2:15—Woman's Journal
3:00—The Christmas Tree
4:00—In Town Tonight.
4:15—Tantalizing Rhythms
4:30—Theatre News
4:45—Concert Music
5:00—Rhythm and Romance
5:15—Organ Reveries.
5:30—Quarter Hour Serenade.

EVENING

9:00—The Quizz Club.
11:30—Sign Off
Other periods—C.B.C. Programmes

U.S. NETS' BEST

6:00—Prof. Quizz with Bob Trout (CBS)
6:30—First Nighter, drama (CBS)
7:00—Grand Central Station (CBS)
8:00—Fred Waring in Pleasure Time (NBC-Red)
10:00—Dance Orchestra (MBS-
11:00 Gary Nottingham's Orch. (NBC-Red)

Test Yourself

ONE-MINUTES TEST

1. What mountain range separates European Russia from Siberia?
2. In what state of the United States is the petrified forest?
3. What Island was discovered by a Dutch sailor on Easter Day, 1722?

WORDS OF WISDOM

Lost yesterday, somewhere between sunrise and sunset, two golden hours, each set with sixty diamond minutes. No reward is offered, for they are gone forever.—Mrs. Sigourney.

HINTS ON ETIQUETTE

If you are in doubt as to whether a letter you have received requires an answer, answer it. You never can hurt anyone by writing a cordial, friendly letter, but you may hurt a sensitive person by not writing.

TODAY'S HOROSCOPE

If your birthday is today, be sure to safeguard your health, during the coming year Also be on your guard against fraud and trickery, as a somewhat trying year is ahead for you. A child born today will be musical and artistic; also refined, kind hearted and humane. He or she will, however, be of an impulsive nature, and at times difficult to understand.

ONE-MINUTE TEST ANSWERS

1. The Urals.
2. Arizona.
3. Easter Island, discovered by Roggeween.

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FOOL HEADS OFF
ON THREE CLUBS SHOWING
OR DROP A HUNDRED
IN SOME HOLE
IN THE GROUND
THAT THE PROMOTER
SAYS IS A MINE
AND ALL OF YOU
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THAT DAY
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TO ALL GOOD FELLOWS
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I THANK YOU. —M.

LOOKING BACKWARDS . . .

10 YEARS AGO
From Daily News of Dec. 15, 1929

Christnsen Andreesen Madsen and Miss Krishen Jabenson Glanier were married at Invermere by Rev. J. G. Holmes Dec. 9. — Jimmy McLarnin of Vancouver knocked out Ruby Goldstein in two rounds at New York. — Twenty-four houses were quarantined for mumps and two for diphtheria at Fernie during November.—Constable Brunton of Fernie Police has been promoted to Sergeant.

25 YEARS AGO
From Daily News of Dec. 15, 1914

According to dispatches, 500 towns in Poland have been ruined in bitter fighting.—Trail birds carried off a large number of prizes at the British Columbia Poultry Association show at Vernon. George Horstead of Nelson was re-elected President.—Col. Jacob Ruppert has purchased the New York Yankees for about $450,000.—Mrs. M. J. Vigneux will leave on the Crow Boat this morning for Rochester, Minn., where Dr. Vigneux is attending the clinics of the Mayo Brothers.

40 YEARS AGO
From Daily Miner of Dec. 15, 1899

"January 1, 1900" was the inscription on the chief cornerstone which was laid at the Gas Works by Mayor H. G. Neelands yesterday. A cavity in the stone contained a casket in which were lodged a copy each of the Nelson Miner and Tribune, a list of officers and contractors, list of officers of Nelson Coke & Gas Company, a copy of the franchise granted the company by the City, and the names of the presiding mayor, aldermen and corporation officials.—Commissioner R. C. Flute, appointed by the Dominion Government to enquire into the conditions affecting the mining interests of British Columbia, the alleged importation of alien labor, etc., opened a hearing in Nelson yesterday.

WAR - 25 Years Ago Today

By The Canadian Press

Dec. 15, 1914—Grand Duke Nicholas massed Russian armies in Poland for decisive assault on German positions. British scored minor victory in Belgium with bayonet charge. Egypt threatened by an uprising of Senussi tribesmen.

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CZENE APPARENTLY WANDERED INTO RIVER IN "MENTAL STUPOR", DIED FROM EXHAUSTION, HEART FAILURE—INQUIRY

Joh Czene, Hungarian widower of Taghum who drowned in the Kootenay River near Taghum Wednesday, apparently wandered into the water in a "mental stupor" and after sitting on an emerged house foundation for some time, while onlookers hurried to build a raft from which to rescue him, died from exhaustion and heart failure when he attempted to regain the shore. The man was known as a "mental case" to doctors.

These were the findings of Dr. H. H. MacKenzie, Coroner, of Nelson, after conducting an inquiry at Taghum Thursday afternoon. Statements of four witnesses to the incident, Peter Reibin, Sr., Peter Reibin, Jr., Joseph Karasz, employees in the Burns planing mill near Taghum, and Joseph Campbell, Taghum storekeeper; and Constable C. W. House and Constable *R. A. Lees of* Nelson, who were called to Taghum and brought Czene to Nelson where City Fire Department inhalator and artificial respiration were used with*out success* were heard.

Czene, the inquiry disclosed, apparently wandered into the water and out to the foundation while in a mental stupor, ignoring the calls of those on shore to come back. He sat on the submerged foundation for some time while the two Reibins and Karasz hurriedly constructed a raft and Campbell, who first saw the man in the water and called the attentions of the others, phoned Provincial Police at Nelson.

When the raft was completed and launched, Czene left the foundation and started toward the shore, but while still some distance out appeared to heave from a violent heart pain and disappeared into the water. He was noted to be shivering violently by those on shore. After a search the men on the raft returned to shore and obtained a long pole with a spike in it hooked the body and brought it to the surface. While this did not take long, and artificial respiration was applied by Provincial Police officers and Nelson firemen, life apparently had left the body. Dr. F. M. Auld, who was called, pronounced the man dead.

The dead man has no known relatives in this country, although it is believed a son in Hungary survives him. He was about 51 years of age, and known to be a mental case and at one time was under observation by doctors at Nelson after having been reported as "acting queerly".

SERIAL STORY . . .

Tell Bill Goodbye

(Continued From Page Four)

contents of the will of the late Elihu Willoughby, whose death occurred in Paris on July 10, were announced today. The millionaire manufacturer bequeathed his entire fortune, estimated at more than *five million dollars, to charitable* and educational institutions.' "

Gertrude said, "Why doesn't Neilson call? He should have kept this ridiculous story out of the newspapers. We'll be the laughing stock . . ."

Fabienne said, "Continue, Dick."

"The sum of one dollar each is left to the surviving seven members of his family, for whom, the will read, the millionaire has provided amply."

Gertrude sniffed loudly.

Her son gave her a short glance and went on. "With the exception of the old Willoughby mansion—long a landmark in the heart of the Henderson street district—which is left as an outright gift to the Henderson Street Settlement house with the proviso that it is to be known hereafter as Willoughby house, all other gifts are in the form of trust funds,' etc."

"Don't read any more!" Gertrude cried.

"Oh, mother, please don't be so dramatic," Fabienne said disgustedly. She dropped into a low chair and picked up a magazine as though the bottom of their luxurious world were not about to drop out.

(To Be Continued)

Society

(Continued From Page Five)

School leaves via the Great Northern today for Vancouver where she will spend the Christmas vacation.

• Mrs. Ferguson of Creston arrived from Vernon last night to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. DeFoe, High Street.

• Mrs. S. G. Price of Trail spent Wednesday in the city.

• Mr. Hobbs was in town from Ainsworth yesterday.

• W. Jamieson of Rossland is in Nelson to attend the funeral of Mrs. Robert Runson.

• Shoppers in the city included Basil Robinson of Burton.

• Mrs. J. F. Stringer, Silica Street, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. F. H. Stringer, Carbonate Street, returned Wednesday night from a week in Spokane.

• Mr. and Mrs. J. Fisher of Hall visited town yesterday.

• Mrs. M. Kasper leaves this morning for Edmonton where she will visit her husband.

• Mrs. Horace Dewis of Silverton and her son were guests of the former's brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Andy McIntyre, Victoria Street, yesterday.

• Mrs. H. McDonald of Ymir visited town Wednesday.

• Shoppers in the city yesterday included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hong of Harrop.

• E. G. Westby Great Northern City freight and passenger agent, spent yesterday in Trail.

• Miss E. Ross of the teaching *staff of the Nelson High School* leaves via the Great Northern tomorrow to spend Christmas at the Coast.

10 Are Confirmed at St. Saviour's by Bishop Adams

Six women and four men became members of St. Saviour's Church at a confirmation service conducted by Rt. Rev. Walter Adams, Bishop of Kootenay, Wednesday night.

Following the service the class went to the Rectory for introduction to Bishop Adams, and refreshments, served by Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Holmes.

Cars Damaged in Collision, Trail

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 14—During a heavy downpour two cars, driven by J. H. Collins and Thomas Jenkin, collided at the intersection of Spokane Street and Cedar Avenue at about 11:30 a.m. Thursday. Both were damaged considerably.

Mr. Jenkin was proceeding down Spokane Street, and Mr. Collins, North on Cedar Avenue. Neither driver was injured.

Drive Prizes for Playground Given Free Dance Tonight

In appreciation of the wonderful support given by the public to the drive for funds for construction of a playground on the site of the old skating rinks on Hall Mines Road, the K. P.-D.O.K.K. Playground Association will stage a free card party and dance in the Knights of Pythias Hall tonight.

The drawing for prizes in the ticket drive for funds for the playground will be held at the dance and card party, at which lots of fun is promised for everybody.

Hints for Housewives

By BETSY NEWMAN

Broiled Hamburgs Baked Potatoes
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CINNAMON STARS

Ingredients: One cup sugar, five egg whites, beaten until stiff; stir one half hour and add one-half pound almonds, cut fine; one candied lemon peel, cut fine; two teaspoons cloves, two teaspoons cinnamon, one-half teaspoon of cooking ammonia, enough flour to roll.

Roll dough about one-fourth inch thick, cut with star cutter. Sprinkle with granulated sugar. Press half almond in centre of each cookie and bake in 350 degree F. oven.

CITRON BREAD

Take one cup sugar, two whole eggs and two egg yolks, and stir one half hour. Add one ounce of candied citron peel, one half ounce orange peel, one half ounce lemon peel, one half pound flour, one half teaspoon cooking ammonia.

Roll dough in half inch rolls. Cut about two inches long. Bake in a 350 degree F. oven. (The ammonia used is called lump ammonia and is purchased in drug stores).

CHRISTMAS CHUTNEY

One pint of vinegar, one half blade mace, two cardamon seeds, one half teaspoon coriander seeds, two teaspoons salt, two cloves garlic (minced), one fourth or one half pound raisins, two cups of preserved ginger (sliced), one half pound light brown sugar, two-inch stick cinnamon, one half teaspoon anise seeds, one half teaspoon of mustard seed, one half teaspoon of cayenne pepper, one fourth pound each hot green peppers, (sliced) and dried apricot (sliced), about one and one half pounds green melon.

Combine vinegar and sugar in heavy preserving kettle. Tie all the spices in cheesecloth bag. Add the raisins, pepper and garlic. Boil 15 minutes. Add green peppers, raisins, apricots and ginger. Simmer for 30 minutes.

Peel the melon, discard the seeds, slice thin and simmer gently for 45 minutes longer, stirring occasionally. Let stand until cold. Remove spice bag. Fill clean hot jar, seal and store. Will make about five one half pint jars.

EGGPLANT STUFFED WITH HAM

Cut an eggplant in lengthwise halves and cut out the inside very carefully, taking care not to destroy skin. Boil the cut-out eggplant in water as one does for a potato, for 10 minutes.

Take from fire and pour off water. Put eggplant in sauce pan with butter, salt and pepper. Mince two slices of smoked ham and add to eggplant. Cook for 30 minutes or until soft. Return mixture to the two halves of the eggplant skin, put the stuffed eggplant in its skins in oven for a 10-minute bake.

Garnish with parsley.

GRANDMOTHER'S OLD-FASHIONED CRACKER PUDDING

Ingredients: One and one half cups scalded milk, three large soda crackers, one third cup of sugar, one eighth teaspoon salt, three-fourths teaspoon cinnamon, three-fourths cup raisins, three-fourths of cup of cream, two eggs, well beaten, one tablespoon melted butter, three-fourths teaspoon vanilla.

Pour scalded milk over crackers, cover and let stand until cold. Combine sugar, salt and cinnamon, add to milk mixture. Add remaining ingredients, blend and turn into buttered baking dish. Put dish in pan of hot water and bake in slow oven (300 degrees F.) for one and one-fourth hours. Cool and serve plain or with cream. Serves six.

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Passengers Aboard French Ship Eye Witnesses of Terrific Sea Battle

MONTEVIDEO, Dec. 14 (AP) — Ringside spectators of the British-German naval battle reached the safety of Montevideo today, still unable to believe they had escaped and some of them incoherent from their experience.

They were the passengers aboard the 9975-ton French merchant ship Formose, intended prize of the German pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee, who spent yesterday with lifebelts about their waists and eyes fixed on the lashing flames from the guns of the contending warships.

The passengers told of taut moments as their skipper, Captain Buron, manoeuvred his vessel behind a heavy smokescreen during yesterday's battle.

The merchantman was proceeding along the Brazilian coast off Rio Grande early yesterday, they said, when they suddenly sighted German warships.

Captain Buron rang for full speed ahead as he headed for Uruguayan territorial waters and ordered crew and passengers into lifeboats. The Formose dragged along at 12 knots while the warship, her guns trained on the merchantman, ate up the distance between them at 22 knots.

It was a race against time, for British cruisers were known to be in the vicinity. The Ajax was the first to arrive and began a chase of her own, trying to get the German vessel within range of her guns.

The Ajax then signalled for the Achilles and Exeter and, laying a smokescreen between the Formose and the Admiral Graf Spee, made toward the shore in order to place her foe stark against the horizon.

The Achilles then raced to the theatre of operations, sped past the Ajax and also, taking up a position on the land side of the Nazi warship, opened fire.

Passengers said that then the Exeter steamed up and immediately bore the brunt of the Germans' desperate efforts to repulse the British thrusts.

The Admiral Graf Spee turned from the fight and took flight and the Formose, left behind in a smoke screen, lost sight of the running battle.

But as nightfall neared, the passengers again became eye-witnesses of the conflict as they drew within sight of the Uruguayan coast. The German warship was sighted, running with two British cruisers in hot pursuit.

Intense firing continued for about an hour, passengers said, then subsided but was renewed for a solid hour. Then it ceased abruptly as the combatants found themselves well within Uruguayan territorial waters.

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JOY TELLS YOUNG PEOPLE OF EARLY DAYS IN NELSON

An interesting, humorous talk on "Early Days in Nelson" by R. G. Joy, Historian of the Nelson Old Timers Association, was enjoyed by the United Young People's Society Wednesday evening.

Beginning with 1885, he told of the discovery of mining claims, the early settlers, the growth of Nelson, and the fun and sorrow in the lives of the pioneers.

Rev. J. A. Donnell led a short discussion on "What Is Religion?" in which the group showed a keen interest. The singing of Christmas Carols completed the evening's devotional period. Neil Russell was in charge of the program.

Arrangements are underway for a Young People's party Boxing Day.

Rossland Bands Give Concert for Community Chest

ROSSLAND, B. C.—The Rossland Junior Band made its debut at a combined Junior and Senior Band concert, in the Capitol Theatre, Sunday night, in aid of the Rossland Community Chest. Net proceeds were $27.

S. C. Montgomery, President of the Rossland Community Chest Committee, expressed his appreciation of the support given his committee in their endeavor to raise funds for the Rossland needy, extending his thanks to William Harper, Manager of the theatre, and his assistants for their co-operation in making the concert a success.

H. L. Christian, President of the Senior Band, spoke of the Junior Band, and the work that had been done since last May, under the direction of Edward Gibney, who is now leader of both bands, and predicted a successful future for the boys.

The Senior Band played eight numbers and the Junior Band four. The program follows:

Rossland Senior Band—March, "O Canada," (Costa); Waltz, "Tales of the Vienna Wood, (Strauss); Cornet Duet, "Romance" (Losey); played by Bandsman Lloyd Austin and "Bud" Comba of the Trail Legion Band; March, "March of the Spanish Soldiery," (Smeltsky).

Rossland Junior Band — March, "Transcontinental", (Weber); Waltz, "Les Patineurs," (Strauss); March, "Star", (DeLamater); March, 'Commander," (Davis).

Rossland Senior Band — Cornet Solo, 'La Golondrina" (Serradell) by Lloyd Austin; Overture, "Victory"; Overture, "A Night in June" (King); March, "Semper Fidelis," (Sousa). "God Save the King".

Mrs. V. Eperson and J. Leeming Win 1st Prizes, Nomad Whist

Mrs. Vincent Eperson and Jack Leeming with scores of 40 won ladies' and men's first prizes in the whist drive held in the Knights of Pythias Hall Wednesday night under the auspices of the Nomads of Avrudaka. Consolation prizes were taken by Mrs. Walter Kidwell with 13 and Frank Oliver with 12.

Percy Jeffery was Master of Ceremonies for the whist, and the refreshment committee was composed of Mrs. Frank Goucher, Miss Grace Laughton, Mrs. Lloyd Renwick, Mrs. S. P. Wade and Mrs. John Robison.

KELOWNA FESTIVAL TO BE HELD IN APRIL

KELOWNA, B. C., Dec. 14 (CP).—The Okanagan Music Festival will be held here on April 18, 19 and 20, Mrs. H. W. Arbuckle, Festival Secretary, announced today. The festival was previously scheduled for May 25, 26 and 27.

Bernard Naylor, one of three British adjudicators chosen for the larger musical festivals in Canada, will adjudicate the music classes. Adjudicators for the dancing and verse speaking have not yet been chosen.

Urges Parents to Leave Children in Country

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain today urged parents not to bring their children home from the country for Christmas and said today that the same longing for peaceful family unity will be denied in many homes in all belligerent countries.

"The responsibility of those who, for their own ambition, have imposed such tragedy on the world is terrible indeed", Mr. Chamberlain said.

"Yet, for us in this country, the message of Christmas is not in truth a tragic contrast but a reminder that we are fighting to defend the principles and ideals which for 2000 years have inspired the minds of men and lifted up their hearts."

Christmas Play, Program Please at Catholic Hall

A beautiful Christmas fantasy with picturesque costumes, band selections by the Nelson Brass Band, piano selections, recitations, songs, and a display of card tricks were included in a program that completely captivated an audience that packed the Cathedral Hall Wednesday night. A matinee performance was given Tuesday afternoon. It was arranged by six ladies banded together into the Immaculate Conception Burse Club, headed by Mrs. James E. Bennett. Proceeds were for the Immaculate Conception Burse.

The Christmas play, "Christmas with the Pixies", was a sparkling performance that highlighted the program. The costumes in it, made by Mrs. G. Plante, were beautiful and vocal solos and group numbers received rounds of applause. Mrs. Bennett played the accompaniments.

Following the concert, Most Rev. Martin M. Johnson, Bishop of Nelson, complimented the entertainers and paid tribute to Mrs. Bennett and her associates for their work.

FATHER LAMBERT'S TRICKS PLEASE

Among the most humorous numbers on the remainder of the program were a display of card tricks by Rev. John Lambert, and two vocal duets by Father Lambert and Rev. M. J. Cooney, who harmonized in some real old "Barber Shop" vocal efforts.

Following the program, members of the cast and helpers were treated to ice cream and cake.

The program was as follows: Band selections, Nelson Brass Band, conducted by S. J. Newell; tap dance on roller skates, Robert Wasick, accompanied by Miss Louise Colletti, piano and Joseph Lang, violin; Christmas carols, the St. Joseph's Convent Choir, conducted and accompanied by Sister Rosarii; vocal duet, Miss Beth McKinney and Ernest Harlow, with their own accompaniment on the ukulele; recitations, "Mrs. Malone and the Censor" and "A Christmas Bit", by Miss Shirley eld; card tricks Rev. John Lambert; violin solos, Miss Shirley Herron, accompanied by Mrs. Gladys Webb Foster; vocal duets, Rev. John Lambert and Rev. M. J. Cooney; piano selections, Miss Louise Coletti; and the Christmas play.

THE CAST

Members of the cast were Louis and Lena, orphans of the Blue Forest, Edward and Jeannette Plante; Flora, Queen of the Pixies, Miss Shirley Lunn; Florabel, attendant of the Queen, Rosella Poulin; Nurno, Messenger to the Queen, Robert McDonald; Toto, Page to the Queen, Mary Lou Eccles; Bertold, a Pixie Scout, Michael Prestley; Santa Claus, James Eccles Jr.; Sergt. Red Jacket, Commander of Santa's five tin soldiers, Robert Bennett; Prince Victor father of Prince Max and Princess Greta (Louie and Lena), Peter Kuntz; Princess Victoria, mother of Prince Max and Princess Greto, Mrs. Beatrice Erickson; chorus of Pixies Catherine McInnes, Margaret Erickson, Maxine Cady, Margaret Singleton, Elsie Marie Eccles, Theresa Eccles, Janet Poulin, Doreen Donovan, Donald Ross, William Freno, Arthur DeGirolamo, Leo Choquette, Fred Donovan; Soldiers, Robert Bennett, William Brick, Joseph Crosby, Ian McInnes and Thomas Madden.

The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. J. E. Bennett, Convener; Mrs. B. Brick, Mrs. James Eccles, Mrs. E. Erickson, Mrs. Ruth Lunn and Mrs. G. Plante.

James Eccles was cashier.

$80 REALIZED FROM ROSSLAND CARD SALE

ROSSLAND, B.C., Dec. 13—Arthur Turner said over $80 had been realized for the Rossland Red Cross Society on the sale of Rossland scenic Christmas cards when reporting to the Junior Section, Rossland Board of Trade Tuesday evening. A vote of thanks was extended to all who assisted in making these cards.

BERNICE HALE CONVENER OF CENTRAL SCHOOL TEA

Miss Bernice Hale was General Convener of the tea sponsored on behalf of Junior Red Cross by Division I girls of Central School and held in the School Music Room Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons after the gymnastic shows put on by the pupils.

MAN DIES OF BURNS

WINNIPEG, Dec. 14 (CP). — Michael Walsh, 39, Fort William, died in hospital here last night from burns to the legs received Nov. 29. Police said an inquest would be held tomorrow.

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ann's Goal In a Hectic Overtime Gives Leafs 6-5 Victory Over the Smokies and Share In Second Place

ee Goals Scored in Stormy Hockey Finish

ne of the daffiest, stormiest shes ever seen on the frozen face of the Nelson Civic Arena ught the Nelson Maple Leafs -5 overtime victory over the ll Smoke Eaters and a fair wd of fans such a quantity of lls and a first class case of the rs that has never been exded in recent seasons. The ne was played Thursday night. he triumph, which was finally ided by the stick of little Jackie nn in the last three minutes of ra time, again placed the Leafs a tie for second place with the okies in the four-team West tenay Hockey League.

rtainly the tempestuous action hat overtime session had the biting their finger-nails at a that closely rivalled the blist- tempo that two closely-hed and great teams put on on the ice. First lanky Len Bicknell, Captain of the green and whites, seemed to have salted the game away midway through the overtime when he and Buddy Hammond broke away from a Smoke Eater ganging attack with only Jimmy Morris to beat. Len carried the puck right in close and fooled Morris nad Dave Buchanan the Trail netminder, with a blazing shot from an angle.

MANN WINS GAME

But a goat's role, such as it was, was not for the fiery Morris, the Trail inspiration. For Jimmy snaffled the puck and rifled a shot from the penalty shot line that had Seaby beaten and tied the game at 5-5. Then at 7:32, just 60 seconds after Morris had knotted the count, Mann found the hemp behind Buchanan from just outside the crease. That play resulted from a hectic scramble around the visitors' net and gave Dave no chance whatever.

But the game was far from over yet. Trail continued their dangerous power plays, and but for Jesse Seaby who played an amazing game all night and some hurried shooting in the Leafian defensive zone, would have again thrown the contest into a stalemate. With 20 seconds to go nearly every player of both teams sprawled on Seaby's doorstep, and it was impossible for fans to see what actually was happening to that little rubber biscuit. Nelson fans and Coach Pat Aitken visioned their hopes falling a mile a minute when the play was called, and the referees placed the puck at centre ice. For it seemed that a goal had been awarded. But it turned out to be a penalty shot that was given when a Nelson man grabbed the puck with his hands in the goal scramble.

PENALTY SHOT

Les Christensen, stout Trail winger, took the shot, first of its kind on Nelson ice this season, and fired the puck along the ice, and Seaby had no trouble in blocking the effort. With approximately 20 seconds left, Nelson scrambled effectively to keep its margin intact.

Certainly from the play in the latter part of the second and opening half of the third Nelson was indeed fortunate to come out on the right end of the score. The Leafs had built up a cozy 3-0 lead, but then the defence, one of the strongest Nelson points to date, fell utterly apart and Seaby was given little protection. Two goals, one by Dame and another by Buckna, had the Leafs with their backs literally to the wall. But they wound up that period with a goal lead.

Then in the last period, Nelson continued its indifferent defensive play, and the Smoke Eaters were not long in capitalizing on a break that allowed Mike Buckna to go in unmarked on Seaby after taking Joe Benoit's pass in the Nelson zone. Then four minutes later Ab Cronie definitely had the Leafs on the run when he socked home a pass that was given him from Dame on a breakaway from a Nelson ganging play while Morris was off. But Billy Sneider, curly-headed Brandon flash, the best Leaf on the ice with Seaby, snaked the puck into the Trail net from a hectic scramble. Bill got another in right after, but it was called back on an offside.

However Nelson's victory was not unearned for the Leafs certainly looked good enough for a victory, outside of when the Smoke Eaters had them so bewildered that they romped through for four straight goals that overtook and shaded a three-goal lead of their opponents.

One of the most impressive players for Trail was Mike Buckna, erstwhile centreman who has been moved back to defence. Mike scored two goals that were gilt-edged, and his playmaking was tops.

Bill Sneider went into a tie for first place in the league scoring picture with Kilpatrick and Benoit. Sneider scored three goals, and sparked the attack throughout. Tough luck prevented him from bulging the hemp on a number of other occasions.

The five goals that beat Seaby were not he fault. He made a total of 45 saves that were often nothing short of sensational. Smokies had him almost at their mercy time and again, but Jesse dived all over the net to keep the puck out of his citadel.

And so the first overtime game of the season goes into the records.

SUMMARY

First period 1, Nelson, Bicknell (Kilpatrick) 17:30.

Penalties: Morris, Hammond and Morris.

Second period: 2, Nelson, Sneider (Mann, Kilpatrick) 10:01; 3, Nelson, Sneider (N. Smith) 11:20; 4, Trail, Dame (Cronie) 14:51; 5, Trail, Buckna, 16:00.

Penalties: Kilpatrick.

Third period: 6, Trail, Buckna (Benoit) 2:06; 7, Trail, Cronie (Dame) 6:12; Nelson, Sneider, 7:10.

Penalties: Morris, Nick Smith and Cronie.

Overtime: 9, Nelson, Bicknell, 5:58; 10, Trail, Morris, 6:32; 11, Nelson, Mann, 7:32.

Penalties: None.

Stops by goalies:

Buchanan	11	10	8	3	32
Seaby	8	12	11	13	45

Trail—Buchanan; Morris, Norris, Buckna; Cronie, Benoit, Dame; Appleton, Martel and Christensen; Brennen.

Nelson—Seaby; Bicknell, Desreux, N. Smith and Atwell; Kilpatrick, Sneider and Mann; Algar, J. Smith and Carr; Hammond and Euerby.

Referee, Ty Culley. Judge of Play, Curly Wheatley. Timekeepers, T. R. Wilson and D. G. Chamberlain. Scorer, P. C. Richards. Goal Judges, Al Fietz and Norman Hinton.

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Inland Mission of China Is Growing Says Speaker Here

"In China the cause of Christ is strengthening. The past year has witnessed a greater number of baptisms in the China Inland Mission than any previous year," stated Rev. C. A. Bunting, of the China Inland Mission, at the First Baptist Church Wednesday night. The mission was a steadily growing cause and was purely inter-denominational. It was strictly a "faith" mission and had never solicited funds. In spite of this debts had never been incurred.

Mr. Bunting served 36 years in China but for the past four years had been doing itinerary work in Canada.

War was not by any means weakening the condition of the churches in China, but they were becoming increasingly aggressive, Mr. Bunting said. In illustrating the power of Christianity in the lives of various converts, Mr. Bunting gave his audience an intimate acquaintance with peculiarities of life in China, the mode of living, food, relationshps between natives and foreigners, and so on.

"The Bible must be given a greater place in our lives, for three things make for the building of better churches. They are exaltation of the Bible, evangelism, strengthening and increasing of missionary outposts," he said.

NEWMARKET, England (CP). — Entry of three of the King's horses —Great Truth, Judica and Helios — in the wartime Newmarket races helped swell entries to the meet.

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BOSTON, LEAFS STILL IN DRAW

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 14 (CP). —Boston Bruins and Toronto Leafs divided points in a National Hockey League game tonight that ended in a 1-1 overtime tie and both teams remained deadlocked for first place in the current race.

First period: 1, Boston, Dumart, 10:16.

Penalties: Cain, Kampman.

Second period: Scoring none.

Penalties: Cain, Kampman and Schriner.

Third period: 2, Toronto, Apps (Drillon) 3:39.

Penalties: Portland.

Overtime: Scoring none.

Penalties: None.

Panther Bantams Defeat F.A.C. 12-1

By a score of 12-1, the Panther Bantams, wearing Westerner uniforms, overwhelmed the rather under-sized Fairview Bantams Thursday afternoon, in the second game of the Bantam League schedule. Actually, the F.A.C. didn't net the puck at all, the goal awarded to the team being deflected into the Panther net by Bill Benwell, Panther defenceman, and credited to Stan Fisher, the nearest F.A.C., at the start of play.

Jack Prestley got four of the Panther goals; Gordon MacDonald, Bobby Rash and Roland Brown, two each; and John Lang and Jack Breeze, one apiece. Billy Benwell, Jim Ball and Jack Breeze each got two assists, and John Lang, got one. Lang of the Panthers was given the game's only penalty.

Panthers—Bill Waldie, Bill Benwell, Roland Brown, Jim Ball, Bruce Arneson, Bob Emory, Gordon MacDonald, John Lang, Jack Breeze, Jack Prestley, Bob Rash.

F. A. C.—Jack Morris, Leonard Appel, Jim McIvor, Stan Fisher, Bill Ludlow, Henton Mayne, Guilford Brett, Ronald Felty, John Holmes, Howard Proctor, St. Clair Duffy, Earl Duffy, Bob McDonald, Ronald Brown, L. Ludlow, Jack Waldie, Hendricks, Bernard Nelson.

Hotson Named Junior Chamber Greeter for Boys' Parliament

W. A. Hotson, President of the Nelson Junior Chamber of Commerce, has been appointed to represent the Chamber in extending greetings to the Kootenay Bay Boys' Parliament meeting in Nelson on December 27, 28 and 29.

HOCKEY SCORES

O.H.A. JUNIOR "A"

University of Ontario 1, Guelph 9

OTTAWA SEN. LEAGUE

Hull Volants 4, Ottawa LaSalle 2

Montagnards 5, Royal Canadian Air Force 4

AMERICAN ASSN.

St. Louis 9, Tulsa 0.

Kansas City 1, Wichita 0.

Trail Curling Draws

TRAIL, B. C., Dec. 14—Draws for the Trail Curling Club's Crown Point Competition for Friday night follow:

6:30 p.m.—R. Somerville vs. K. A. Margeson; E. J. Provost vs. W. Rae; F. R. McDonald vs. G. F. Reimann; G. W. Weir vs. D. MacDonald.

8:30 p.m.—A. D. Turnbull vs. D. Balfour; W. H. Baldrey vs. H. C. Caldicott; W. L. Wood vs. W. Brady; L. F. Tyson vs. E. W. Hazlewood.

Ladies' Curling Club draws are:

Mrs. A. Johnston vs. W. Barchard; Mrs. W. C. Aston vs. Mrs. J. A. Millar; Mrs. C. Kendall vs. Mrs. D. MacDonald; Mrs. W. J. Wagstaff vs. Mrs. A. MacMillan.

Canadiens Beat Amerks, Overtime

MONTREAL, Dec. 14 (CP)—Montreal Canadiens cut short a two-game losing streak and put an end to a similar winning stretch for Americans by scoring two goals in overtime tonight to defeat the New York squad 5-3 in a National Hockey League game before 5000 fans.

Summary:

First period—1-Canadiens, Getliffe (Barry, Sands) 9:17; 2-Canadiens, Getliffe (Barry, Sands) 15:12; 3-Canadiens, Gagnon (Mantha, Blake) 19:30; 4-Americans, Conacher (Stewart) 19:44.

Penalties—None.

Second period—Scoring—None.

Penalties—Blake, Carr, Field.

Third period—5-Americans, Armstrong (Boll, Carr) 4:39; 6-Americans, Stewart (Sorrell, Conacher) 9:28.

Penalties—None.

Overtime period — 7-Canadiens, Trudel (Drouin, Lorrain) 8:01; 8-Canadiens, Sands (Mantha) 9:57.

Penalties—None.

Baking Industry Is Described From 4X Bakeries, CKLN

Working of the machinery and the process of making bread, cakes and so on were described at the Canadian Bakeries, Ltd., Nelson Avenue, in the third of a series of "Glimpses of Industry" actuality broadcasts by CKLN Radio Nelson, Thursday night. The Canadian Bakeries are makers of 4X products.

Those taking part in the program were N. G. Elder, Manager; Alex Johnston, chief baker; Miss Connie Hickman and Jan Taves, Bakery employees; and Richard Halked and Loy Owens, CKLN announcers.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES HAVE SUCCESSFUL TEA

A successful tea was held by the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid in the Church Hall Thursday afternoon. Mrs. C. R. McLanders was Convener, assisted by Mrs. D. T. Heddle, Mrs. H. H. Currie, Mrs. A. W. Smith and Mrs. W. A. Manson. Mrs. Mary Wallace presided at the tea table. Mrs. F. E. Laing, President, welcomed the guests. Mrs. Alma Peters was cashier.

Decorations followed the Christmas colors of red and green.

Chapman Camp Curling Rinks Drawn

CHAPMAN CAMP, B. C.—Personnel of rinks of the Chapman Camp Curling Club have been drawn for the first half of the season. They are as follows:

SKIPS	THIRDS	SECONDS	LEADS
Gray	Guille	A. Smith	Burdett
Andrews	Murry	Entwistle	Williams
Banks	Edmonds	Willis	Honeyman
Wilson	Sharkey	Shearer	McKenzie
Knighton	Ridder	Noble	Holdsworth
W. E. Leaman	McVicar	Barrett	Vance
H. Stone	W. Stone	Fraser	Benson
L. James	J. Pearson	W. Evans	Derbyshire
Thunaes	Fredrikson	Massie	Shore
H. Pearson	Eccleston	Ingstrup	Ruffle
L. Thompson	Curren	Douglass	Baxter
Jewell	Stewart	Guthrie	Suttie
Desauliniers	Patterson	Angove	Arnaud

Spares follow: C. T. Oughtred, H. W. Poole, H. M. Moll, M. Leaman, G. Garden, H. J. Rolfe, G. James and T. W. Mathieson.

Nelson School Costs Compare Favorably With B. C. Average Though Salaries Are Fifth Highest Morris Tells Board Trade

"Breaking down" school costs in Nelson, R. B. Morris, Chairman of the Board of School Trustees, told members of the Nelson Board of Trade at its luncheon meeting at the Hume Thursday that costs in this City compared favorably with costs throughout the Province. The average of salaries was the fifth highest in the Province a year ago but salary costs were not likely to increase substantially because most of the teachers were at their maximum. E. A. Mann, Board President, was in the chair.

Mr. Morris' address was made in response to a request for information, following introduction of a resolution a month ago, urging that the Provincial Government take over the whole cost of education as a means of lightening the tax burden upon real estate. This resolution was withdrawn at Thursday's meeting, largely on the basis of the budget speech of Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, stating help for Municipalities was impossible until adjustments were made between the Province and Dominion Government. This was not likely until the conclusion of the war.

SCHOOL COSTS

Mr. Morris presented the following figures from the School Board's 1938 statement:

SALARIES:

Teachers	$77,667.70
Janitors	7,280.00
Nurse	1,560.00
Dentist	1,450.00
Secretary	800.00
Stenographer	950.00
Total	$88,507.70

OTHER COSTS:

Maintenance	$ 3,244.36
Repairs	5,091.83
Grounds	4,175.56
Fuel	2,147.17
Supplies	3,930.71
Equipment and furniture	1,053.63
Total	$19,643.19
Salaries	$85,507.70
Total cost	$106,150.89
Grants, fees, etc.	$29,562.38
Net cost to Nelson	76,588.51

COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Giving comparative figures for the Province, Mr. Morris stated the average cost per pupil per year was $79.45 in the Province and $82.25 in Nelson. Cost of pupil per school day was 43 cents in B. C. and 43 cents in Nelson.

Using the net cost to the City for schools, $76,588.51, Mr. Morris said the cost to the City per pupil per year was $59.77; and per pupil per school day was 33 1-3 cents.

One reason for the higher cost per pupil per year in Nelson was that a quarter of the 4000 teachers in British Columbia received less than $1000 per year, whereas all of the teachers on the permanent staff at Nelson received more than this.

By maintaining a high salary level it was possible for the School Board to "pick and choose" in appointing teachers and to be sure of obtaining the best.

75 PER CENT TAXES

On an average, school costs represented about 75 per cent of the taxes collected in Nelson were used for schools, he said. This high proportion was due to the City's utilities revenue, Mr. Morris explained, for if all other expenditures had to come out of taxes the proportion for schools would be much lower.

The citizens of Nelson "owe a great debt to a much criticized public body"—the School Board, asserted Ven. Archdeacon Fred H. Graham, expressing appreciation of Mr. Morris' talk.

H. B. Gore indorsed this. Acknowledgement should also be made of Mr. Morris' work in the recent Red Cross campaign, he said.

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RED WINGS HOLD RANGERS TO TIE

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 (CP).—Detroit Red Wings snapped out of a long losing streak tonight to hold New York Rangers to a 2-2 overtime draw in a National Hockey League game.

First period: Scoring none.

Penalties: Liscombe, Shibicky.

Second period: 1, Rangers, Hextall 1:13; 2, Rangers, M. Patrick (Hextall) 9:51.

Penalties: None.

Third period: 3, Detroit, Deacon (Bruneteau, Goodfellow) 8:00; 4, Detroit, Goodfellow (Motter, McDonald) 12:50.

Penalties: None.

Overtime period: Scoring, none.

Penalties: Stewart (major), L. Patrick (major).

8 Golfers Share 1st Round Lead

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 14 (AP)—Eight golfers, among them the United States open champion, Byron Nelson, and Stanley Horne of Montreal, scored two-under-par 68's today to share the first-round lead in the 72-hole, $10,000 Miami open.

Battling for the year's professional supremacy, Nelson put together a pair of 34's to forge two strokes ahead of his rival, Henry Picard, in their feud for the Harry Vardon Trophy. Picard, professional Golfers Association champion who equalled par on each nine for his 70, leads Nelson by five points for the full year's competition.

Those who shared the top with Horne and Nelson were Ralph Guldahl, twice United States open titleholder; Sam Snead, on a comeback after an illness; Jimmy Hines, New York; Dick Metz, Chicago; Clayton Heafner, Linville, N.C., and Art Clark, Uniontown, Pa.

Pleasing Recital Rossland Church

ROSSLAND, B. C.—The pupils of George Hobson gave a recital in the St. Andrew's United Church Hall, Wednesday evening, before a large audience. Rev. C. H. Daly was Chairman, and Mrs. Sydney Simcock was accompanist.

The MacLean School Maple Leaf Orchestra made its first appearance playing several selections.

The program follows: Orchestra selection, "Moonwinks"; violin duet, "Star of the East" by Olive and Hilda Phillips; violin solo, "Jingle Bells", by Richard Mann; song, "Quintuplets Lullaby", by Barbara Lewis; violin solo, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," by Louise Fredrickson; orchestra selection, "Little Sir Echo"; song, "Over the Rainbow" by Dorothy Nesbitt; violin solo, "Oh Little Town of Bethlehem" by Shirley Tyndall; piano selection, by Margaret Haggen; song, "Home on the Range" by Roland Phillips; violin solo, "Good King Wenceslas" by Bjarne Aasland; violin solo, "Scotch Airs" by Herbert Johnston; song, "Girl in a Bonnet of Blue" by Elizabeth Zentner; orchestra selection, "Whispering Hope"; violin solo; "Jolly Old St. Nicholas", by Roland Phillips; violin solo, "When Clouds Have Vanished", by Gladys Jecks; recitation by Jeannine Peddicoart; violin solo, "Lilacs" by Hilda Phillips; violin solo, "Santa Lucia" by Jack Zentner; song, "Lamplight in the Valley" by Joan Allibone; violin solo, "Lullaby" by Allan Fisher; orchestra selection, "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers"; violin solo, "Concertao" by Frank Conci; violin solo, "Long Long Ago" by John McNevin; guitar and violin, "Cowboy Songs" by Dagfin and Sigurd Hatlivick; song, "When Mother Nature Sings Her Lullaby" by Orma Bray; violin solo, "Melody of Love" by Olive Phillips; piano selection by Richard Bourchier; orchestra and chorus "Pack Up Your Troubles"; "God Save the King."

Dewdney, Marr Rinks Section Winners of Sharp Competition

Two sectional winners had been decided and two teams finished in a tie for first place in another section in the Sharp Cup Competition of the Nelson Curling Club after Wednesday's play. Sectional play in the Competition will be completed Monday night and then the winners of the eight sections will fight it out for the championship.

E. E. L. Dewdney's rink went through its five games in Section "H" untied and undefeated, and in Section "E" William Marr's curlers clinched first place with four wins in four games. They still have another game to play. In Section "F" W. T. Fotheringham and David Laughton tied for top honors with four wins and a loss each, and will have to play an extra game to decide the winner.

Results of Wednesday night's games follow: F. D. Cummins beat Dr. H. H. MacKenzie; David Laughton beat R. D. Hall; John Dingwall beat H. M. Whimster; W. T. Fotheringham beat J. H. Allen; J. M. Gordon beat T.R. Wilson; E. E. L. Dewdney won from J. A. Smith on default; R. D. Wallace won from P. E. Poulin on default; E. C. Hunt beat G. W. Dill; C. E. Jorgenson beat Martin Robichaud; Ald. Roy Sharp tied with S. P. Bostock.

Hockey Standings

ALBERTA HOCKEY

	P	W	L	F	A	Pt.
Calgary	8	6	2	36	21	12
Turner Valley	6	4	2	27	14	8
Lethbridge	7	4	3	21	17	8
Edmonton	6	3	3	22	26	6
Coleman	5	2	3	11	16	4
Olds	5	1	4	12	24	2
Drumheller	3	0	3	5	16	0

Chamber Members Opposed to Confining Immigration to British

That in any future immigration policy adopted by Canada no bars should be raised against non-British immigrants was the opinion expressed by D. G. Chamberlain at a dinner meeting of the Nelson Junior Chamber of Commerce at the Hume Thursday.

His expression followed receipt of a report of a committee of the Canadian Junior Chamber suggesting majority opinion favored restriction to British agrarian immigrants.

E. K. Evans believed immigrants should not be restricted to the agrarian class, "because we've got enough now."

Both men said non-British and non-agrarian immigrants often were among the best newcomers to Canada; and both favored selective immigration, with great care to be given to the types selected.

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Hockey Schedule

Schedule for the Nelson Amateur Hockey Association for Saturday and Sunday follows:

SATURDAY

9:00-10:00 a.m.—F. A. C. vs. M. R. K. Bantams.

10:00-11:00 a.m.—M. R. K. vs. Panther Midgets.

11:00-12:00 m.—Bantam Pool.

700-8:00 p.m.—F. A. C. vs. Panther Bantams.

8:00-9:00 p.m.—Panthers vs. F. A. C. Midgets.

9:00-10:00 p.m.—Panthers vs. M. R. K. Juveniles.

SUNDAY

10:00-11:00 a.m.—Junior Practice.

Ladies' Sharp Cup Competition Games

Rinks skipped by Mrs. L. Maddin, Mrs. A. Dingwall and Mrs. A. Kraft each won games as the Sharp Cup Competition completed its second day of the Nelson Ladies' Curling Club Thursday afternoon.

Scores follow: Mrs. L. Maddin 12, Mrs. William Kline 5; Mrs. A. Dingwall 14, Mrs. Bert Whitehead 1; and Mrs. A. Kraft 10, Mrs. Charles Norris 5.

Four games are scheduled for this afternoon, the draws as follows: Mrs. S. N. May vs. Mrs. J. C. Hooker; Mrs. Charles Norris vs. Miss Grace Laughton; Mrs. T. A. Wallace vs. Mrs. H. M. Whimster; Mrs. A. Kraft vs. Mrs. George Cady.

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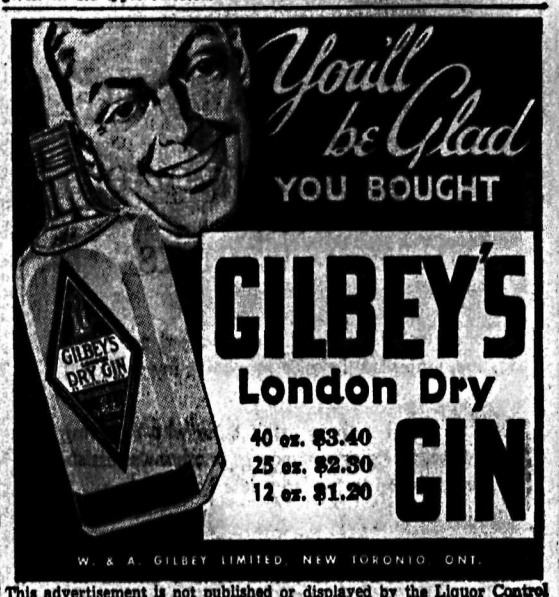

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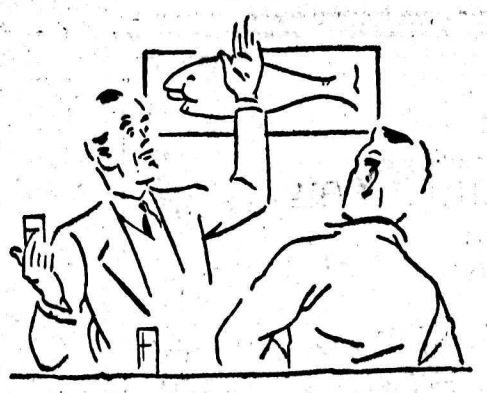
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Junior Chamber to Extend Christmas Greetings, Bamford

Christmas greetings and best wishes for his health will be forwarded by the Nelson Junior Chamber of Commerce to W. B. Bamford, an honorary member of the Chamber. Seasonal greetings from Mr Bamford were received by the Chamber Thursday night along with his "dues" for the year.

It Pays to Buy and Sell the Classified Ad Way. Phone 144

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank the Rossland electors for their expressions of confidence in electing me Mayor for 1940. I will try to justify that confidence.

John E. Gordon

Thank You, Voters of Nelson

I wish to express my appreciation of the confidence you have shown in me by reelecting me as Alderman.

J. H. Waters
Alderman-Elect

I Appreciate Your Confidence

Thank You, Electors of Nelson. I will continue to serve you to the utmost of my ability.

George M. Benwell
Alderman-Elect.

To My Supporters Sincere Thanks

To the electors of Nelson who worked and voted for me, yesterday, I desire to express my thanks.

Especially do I wish to thank those who by giving their time, providing automobiles or otherwise assisting, contributed to the large vote I received.

To the Mayor and Aldermen who will administer Nelson's Civic Affairs during 1940 I extend my congratulations and good wishes.

J. P. Morgan

Thank You Fellow Citizens

You have again elected me as Mayor of Nelson. In the future, as in the past, my firm purpose will be to serve your best interests.

The honor you have conferred on me involves great responsibilities. It will be my constant endeavor to prove worthy of them and of the confidence you have placed in me. An especial word of thanks is due to those who worked on Election Day in my support. Their efforts are deeply appreciated.

N. C. Stibbs
Mayor

Ald. Thompson at Head of Poll in Trail Civic Race

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 14—Ald. William Thomson, who completes his first term on the City Council at the close of this year, headed the Aldermanic poll at the civic elections for 1940, Thursday.

J. R. Anderson, a member of the Council for eight years, from 1930 to 1937 and M. L. Brothers, a newcomer in the field, were the other two elected.

Thomas Meachem, a member of the City Council in 1921 and 1922, was elected police commissioner. Total votes cast were 1067.

FOR ALDERMEN—

Ald. William Thomson, elected	689
J. R. Anderson, elected	550
M. L. Brothers, elected	495
Harold Vickers	452
Rejected ballots	9

FOR POLICE COMMISSIONER—

Thomas Meachem, elected	598
Tudor O. Davies	445
Rejected ballots	25
Majority for Meachem	153

JUNIOR CHAMBER PLANS SEND A QUESTIONNAIRE, B. C. TOURIST TRAFFIC

Nelson Junior Chamber of Commerce, as the Tourist Traffic Committee of the B. C. Junior Chambers, will shortly circulate a questionnaire among Junior Chambers and Boards throughout the Province as an aid to making up a report on tourist traffic, Stanley Penney reported to the Chamber at its dinner meeting at the Hume Thursday

The Chamber would, in the new years, undertake a regular radio broadcast, he also reported. Among the subjects to be covered would be the aims of the Junior Chamber and driving test questions which would be faced by drivers in the Spring.

CONCRETE RESULTS SEEN MISS THOMSON'S TRIP SAN FRANCISCO FAIR

Fred Leno, Chairman of the Nelson Junior Chamber of Commerce "On-to-Frisco" Committee which arranged for Miss Edythe Thomson to go to the San Francisco World Fair last Summer, reported to the Chamber Thursday night that already concrete results were being shown from her visit. An inquiry from an intending land purchaser had been received and action was being taken on it. Other inquiries were being dealt with.

Brass Band Plays for Hockey Fans

The Nelson Brass Band entertained the fans before and between periods of the Nelson-Trail hockey game at the Civic Arena Thursday night. Under the direction of Bandmaster S. J. Newell, the young musicians added to the peppy hockey spirit of the fans.

Regina Vic-Aces Tie Quakers 4-4

REGINA, Dec. 14 (CP).—Regina Vic-Aces tonight broke a Saskatchewan Senior Hockey League first-place tie with Saskatoon Quakers when they held Moose Jaw Millers to a 4-4 overtime tie.

BETHEL TABERNACLE HAS NATIONAL DAY PRAYER

A National Day of Prayer was observed at the Bethel Tabernacle from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday. These days are set aside by the head office of the Tabernacle in Canada each second Wednesday in the month and are for anyone to visit the church and pray and give thanksgiving.

From 2:30 to 4 p.m. a regular service is held with the pastor in charge. This includes singing, scripture reading, testimonies of remarkable answers to prayer, followed by a session of earnest prayer and thanksgiving.

Trail Curling

TRAIL, B. C., Dec. 14—Results of the Trail Curling Club Crown Point competition games played Thursday night follow:

J. Campbell 7, H. T. Beckett 9; G. J. Kinnis 8, C. Hoefer 10; W. McLeary 6, J. Woodburn 8; T. H. Weldon 10, W. B. Hunter 8; A. M. Chesser 12, A. E. Calvert 10; W. F. Doubt 8, P. F. McIntyre 10; A. Crichton 8, F. J. Clover 9.

Ladies' Blaylock Bowl competition games: Mrs. C. C. Jones 6, Mrs. E. A. Temple 11; Mrs. S. J. Meredith 5, Mrs. D. Forrest 7; Mrs. G. Hicks 2 Mrs. W. Simpson 11.

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(Continued in Next Column)

In buying Christmas toys for little children, home economists warn: Avoid playthings with sharp corners or edges, poor paint, rough surfaces and fragile materials.

PERSONAL (Continued)

Many gifts to choose from, for all. Look around City Drug Co.

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Winnipeg Wheat Price Eases

WINNIPEG, Dec. 14 (CP)—Profit-taking and lack of aggressive support gave wheat futures prices an easier tone on Winnipeg grain exchange today. Quotations fluctuated nervously before finishing 1-1⅜ cents lower, December at 84, May 86-86⅛ and July 87⅛.

Early in the session good commission house buying boosted quotations as much as a cent but this support soon wilted before profit-taking pressure. Strong trends on outside markets encouraged the initial purchasing.

Export interests were credited with moderate purchases in the pit at times and it was believed their buying represented a foreign business of about 600,000 bushels in Canadian wheat, most overseas sales appeared destined to neutral countries of Europe.

Eastern mill interests in the lower grades provided the only activity in a dull cash wheat market. In the coarse grain pit, Southern buying in rye strengthened prices of that commodity while profit-taking checked values in all others.

Toronto Strong, but Mining Issues Weak

TORONTO, Dec. 14 (CP).—Mining issues were moderately weak while other groups displayed general firmness today on Toronto Exchange.

National Steel Car, Canadian Car, Fisher Steel pfd., Steel of Canada, Consolidated Metals and Burlington Steel all closed fractionally higher. Massey-Harris stocks firmed. International Petroleum and British American Oil posted small losses.

Goodyear stocks sold ex-dividend and the preferred weakened 4 and the common nearly 2. Consumers Gas, also ex-dividend, was off 1¾. Ventures, Pend Oreille and Waite-Amulet weakened. Smelters, Hudson Bay and Noranda were narrowly higher and Nickel slipped back a half. Eldorado weakened 3 to 86.

Gold stocks taking losses of 5 to 10 included Sigma, Little Long Lac, Macassa, Central Patricia, MacLeod-Cockshutt and Coniarum. Base metal prices ruled for Sylvanite, Teck Hughes, San Antonio and McIntyre. Minor gains showed for Calgary and Edmonton, Anglo-Canadian and Home. Okalta weakened 2.

Calgary Oils Firm

CALGARY, Dec. 14 (CP)— With the exception of Home, Oil issues displayed a firmer tone on Calgary stock exchange today. Transfers totalled 11,210 shares.

Home fell back six points to 2.73. Royal Canadian, Monarch Roy, Commoil and Phillips Pete each lined a ¼.

CALGARY LIVESTOCK

CALGARY, Dec. 14 (CP)—Receipts cattle 212, calves 17, hogs 963, sheep nil.

Light heifers 5-5.50. Good cows 4.25, common to medium 3.25-3.75. Common to medium bulls 3.50-4. Good to choice veal calves 4-6. Good stocker and feeder steers 5.50. Good lambs yesterday 8.25. Last bacons 8 off trucks.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Dec. 14 (CP)—Spot butter, 173. 27⅝-28; Que. 27⅝. Eggs, nil. A-large 32.

Butter futures: Dec. 27½-¾; Jan. ¼-⅝; Feb. 28-28¾; March 28¼-⅝.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

WINNIPEG, Dec. 14 (CP).—Grain futures quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT:				
Dec.	84	84⅛	84⅛	82⅛
May	88⅛	88⅝	86	81
July	89⅝	89⅝	87⅛	87⅛
OATS:				
Dec.	38⅝	38⅝	37⅝	37⅝
May	38½	38½	37¼	37¼
July	37⅞	37⅞	36⅛	36⅛
BARLEY:				
Dec.	49⅝	50	49⅛	48⅞
May	52	52⅝	51⅛	51¼
July	51⅛	51½	50¼	50¼
FLAX:				
Dec.	176	176	175	175¼
May	180	180	178¼	178½
July	179	179	175¾	176⅝
RYE:				
Dec.	73⅝	75¼	73¼	73
May	76	77⅞	75¾	76
July	75¾	77¼	75⅛	75¾

CASH PRICES:

WHEAT—Nos. 1 hard, 1 Nor. and track 82¼; No. 2 Nor. 80⅛; No. 3 Nor. 75⅛; No. 4 Nor. 73⅝; No. 5, 68; No. 6, 63½; feed 61⅛; No. 1 Garnet 71⅛; No. 2 Garnet 70⅛; No. 3 Garnet 69⅝; No. 1 Durum 71½; No. 4 special 73⅝; No. 5 special 67; No. 6 special 61½; No. 1 mixed 68.

OATS—No. 2 C. W. and track 37¾; Ex. 8 C. W. 35⅝; No. 3 C. W. 34⅞; Ex. 1 feed 34⅝; No. 1 feed 32⅝; No. 2 feed 30⅝; No. 3 feed 28⅝.

BARLEY—Maltin grades: 6-row Nos. 1 and 2 C. W. 48⅞; 2-row Nos. 1 and 2 C. W. 49⅞; 6-row No. 3 C. W. 47⅝. Others: No. 1 feed 46⅝; No. 2 feed 45⅞; No. 3 feed 44⅞; track 48⅞.

FLAX—No. 1 C. W. and track 175¼; No. 2 C. W. 171¼; Nos. 3 and 4 C. W. 149¼.

RYE—No. 2 C. W. 73.

URGE RESTORATION OF ALTA. ROAD GRANTS

EDMONTON, Dec. 14 (CP). — Restoration of cash grants to municipal districts for road work was urged when a delegation from the Alberta Association of Municipal Districts today presented to the Provincial Government resolutions passed at the recent annual convention.

The delegation was heard by Premier Aberhart and members of the Cabinet.

BRITAIN TO FINANCE IMPORTS ONLY FROM U.S.

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP).—The British Treasury has ruled against financing imports from countries except the United States with United States dollars. The move was designed to conserve dollars to pay for purchases in the United States.

Slight Gains at N.Y.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 (AP)—U. S. Government bonds and low yield corporates today held to a narrow range, but modest gains were the rule. The Federals moved up 1-32 to 6-32 of a point.

Finland 6s at one time were down more than 3 and Denmark 5½s gave up about 1½.

LONDON CLOSE

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP)—British stock closings in sterling:

Babcock & Wilcox 4ls; Celanese Corp of Am £7⅛; Cent Min £1¼; Consol Gold Fields 4ls 6d; Crowns £14½; East Geduld £10½; Metal Box 77s 6d; Mex Eagle 6s 6d; Mining Trust 1s 9d; Rand £7¼; Springs 25s.

Bonds: Brit 2½ pc Consols £67¾; Brit 3½ pc war loan £92¼; Brit founding 4s 1960-90 £105¾.

DIVIDENDS

The Dominion Bank of Canada, 2½ per cent.

Wall St. Dull Due Cotton Jump

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 (AP). — A break of around $3 a bale in recent buoyant cotton futures helped discourage another stock market rally today.

Dealings slowed appreciably on retreat. While some leaders retained modest plus signs at the close, losers were plentiful and numerous issues were unchanged.

Transfers for the full session were in the neighborhood of 900,00 shares.

On the advancing side most of the day were Chrysler, Sears Roebuck, Montgomery Ward, Douglas Aircraft, United Aircraft, U. S. Gypsum, Allied Chemical, Westinghouse, Phelps Dodge, American Telephone and Santa Fe.

Sluggish were General Motors, Anaconda, New York Central, Du Pont, Johns-Manville and Goodyear. Slipping toward the finish were U. S. Steel and Bethlehem.

Silk futures pushed up the limit permitted in a day's trading and wheat hit new peaks for the season.

U. S. Government securities edged upward, but morning firmness in corporate bonds ebbed at the last. Most Scandinavian loans pointed downward.

CANADIAN COLLIERS TO OPEN SOUTH WELLINGTON

VANCOUVER, Dec. 14 (CP). — H R. Plommer, General Manager of Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Limited, today confirmed a statement made yesterday by W. S. Atkinson, District 18 representative of the United Mine Workers of America, that the Company's reserve mine at Nanaimo, B.C., is to be closed down.

"The reserve mine is finished and the output is being transferred to No. 10, South Wellington, which has been under development for the past 2½ years for this purpose," the General Manager said in a brief statement issued by his Secretary.

ORDER SILK MILLS TO PAY EMPLOYEES

MONTREAL, Dec. 14 (CP). — A group of employees of Acton Vale Silk Mills Limited have been ordered by Mr. Justice Alfred Durand to pay an indemnity of $1200 to the employers as a result of a strike in August, 1928, during which the plant was picketed.

London Firm

LONDON, Dec. 14 (AP)— Demand for textile shares invigorated a generally firm stock market today. Electrical equipment stocks and many of the more speculatively rated industrials also made bids for higher prices. South African mining issues failed to maintain a morning spurt. Commodity shares held firm. British government bond held quietly steady and the majority of foreign loans kept an even course.

EXCHANGE MARKETS

MONTREAL, Dec. 14 (CP).—British and foreign exchange, nominal rates between banks only.

China, Hong Kong dollars, .2736.
Finland, finmark, .0222.
France, franc, 024836.
Italy, lire, .0561.
United States dollar, 10-11 p. c. prem.

(Compiled by The Royal Bank of Canada).

At Montreal—Pound: Buying 4.43, selling 4.47; U. S. dollar: Buying 1.10, selling 1.11; franc 2.48⅝.

At New York—Pound 3.93½; Canadian dollar .87¼; franc 2.23¼.

In Gold—Pound 10s, 1d; U. S. dollar 61.06 cents; Canadian dollar 55.06 cents.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 (AP).—Several of neutral currencies climbed in relation to the dollar in today's foreign money dealings.

The pound sterling dipped ⅛ cent to $3.94½ and the Swiss franc lost .01 cent. The belga gained .02 cent and the guilder .01½ cent.

The Canadian dollar, at a discount of 12¾ per cent, gained ⅛ cent.

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, Dec. 14 (AP). — Bar silver 23⅝d, off ⅛.

(Equivalent 42.39 cents on the dollar basis $4.03). Bar gold 168s, unchanged.

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 $38.50 in Canadian.

Spot: Copper, electrolytic, 12.50; tin 54.25; lead 5.10; zinc 5.00; antimony 15.25.

Silver futures closed unchanged today.

Bid: Dec. 37.75.

NEW YORK

Copper steady; electrolytic spot 12.50; export f.a.s. N.Y. 12.75.

Tin easy; spot and nearby 50.50; forward 49.00.

Lead steady; spot, New York 5.50—55; East St. Louis 5.35.

Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and forward 6.00.

Quicksilver 140.00—143.00.

Papers Strengthen on National Mkt.

MONTREAL, Dec. 14 (CP)—Late liquidation today weakened the stock market price in all departments but papers.

Bathurst Paper lost ¼ but gains of fractions to a point were held by Dryden, Howard Smith, St. Lawrence Corporation, St. Lawrence Paper preferred and Price Brothers.

Nickel traded at a loss of ⅛ but Smelters and Noranda gained ground.

Behind were Gatineau, Shawinigan, C. P. R., Dosco, Foundation and Asbestos.

Dominion Bridge, Montreal Power, Brazilian and Canadian Car emerged with modest gains.

DOMINION TREASURY BILLS ACCEPTED

OTTAWA, Dec. 14 (CP)— The Bank of Canada announced today on behalf of the Minister of Finance that tenders had been accepted for $250,000,000 Dominion of Canada treasury bills due March 15, 1940. The average discount price of the accepted bids was $99.79944, and the average yield was .806 per cent.

PRAIRIE FIRE DESTROYS 40,000 ACRES OF RANGE

PINHORN, Alta., Dc. 14 (CP).—More than 40,000 acres of valuable range grass in Southeastern Alberta was burned black by a prairie fire that spread 12 miles before being brought under control today by more than 300 fire fighters.

THREE PLACER CLAIMS RECORDED AT NELSON

Three placer claims recorded at the Nelson Mining Recorder's office in the past few weeks are:

Lavalla Discovery on Lavalla Creek, Goat River, recorded by Dan Langerin; the Pend d'Oreille on the Pend d'Oreille River, by Felix Grenfell; and the Eldorado, near Harcourt Creek on the Pend d'Oreille River, by Thomas Reid.

THREE MINERAL CLAIMS ARE RECORDED IN WEEK

Three mineral claims were recorded at the Nelson Mining Recorder's office in the past week. They were the Utah on Wild Horse Creek, recorded by J. D. Ferguson; Gold King on the West side of Fifteen-Mile Creek, by George Maitland; and Old Timer, near the South Fork of the Salmon River, by B. Feeney.

Creston Apples Are Shipped to Brazil

CRESTON, B. C. — A notable feature to this year's export of Creston apples is the shipment of a car of Extra Fancy Delicious in the large sizes to Brazil. The car rolled, Tuesday, from the Erickson warehouse of Long, Allan & Long, Ltd. Last season the firm marketed a car of the same variety in Egypt.

Chicago Wheat Holds New Highs

CHICAGO, Dec. 14 (AP)— Although the wheat market had to cope with heavy profit taking sales today, it rose about 2 cents a bushel at times, establishing new highs that had not been reached here for more than two years.

Profit taking increased, however, as December wheat sold up to $1.04 and all of the gains were wiped out before the close, rye, oats and soy beans, also sold around the highest levels in two years or more. Beans shot up 4 cents a bushel to about $1.18 following reports of a revival of export trade.

There was no change in the Winter wheat drought situation and Argentine reports confirmed recent serious crop losses in that country.

Wheat closed ½ lower to ⅛ higher, compared with yesterday's finish, December 1.01⅝-⅞, May 99⅝-⅝, corn ⅛-1¼, lower, December 55, May 56¼-⅜, oats ⅝-¾ lower.

Molly Hughes, Early Day Slocan Producer, Being Worked Again

Development work at the Molly Hughes mine near New Denver, especially in the fifth level where there is a fine showing of gold-silver-lead ore, is progressing and it is anticipated will continue until early Spring. The property is being worked by the Slocan-Idaho Mines Corporation, which is employing about 25 men under John Stanford of Spokane, Superintendent.

The ore is running about 150 ounces of silver and $20 of gold to the ton.

Work at the mine has been under way since April and in that time the shaft between the second and fourth level has been repaired and improved and has been sunk to another, the fifth level.

A total of 233 tons of ore, dry weight, has been shipped to Trail.

Board Would Support Ranchers If Request Completion of Road

Complaint of ranchers in the Crawford Bay-Kootenay Bay-Gray Creek area that only part of $1000 appropriated by the Department of Public Works to improve road connections in that vicinity had been spent on the road was received by the Nelson Board of Trade on Thursday.

The Board decided it would suggest to the ranchers involved, through W. Fraser of Kootenay Bay, that they request the Provincial Government to spend the remainder of the money to carry out the work; and that the Board would indorse such a request.

FIATS TO PROSECUTE VAN. CABARETS REFUSED

VICTORIA, Dec. 14 (CP)— Refusing fiats in the specific cases under review, Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer in a statement today declared any unseemly conduct which might occur in Vancouver cabarets can be dealt with under licensing provisions of the Vancouver City charter.

CHRISTMAS LEAVES TO BE GRANTED TROOPS

OTTAWA, Dec. 14 (CP). — Christmas and New Year's leaves for members of the Canadian Active Service Force will be granted by the officers commanding the various units, it was learned today.

NAZI-SOVIET FORCES MENACE TO CANADA

WINNIPEG, Dec. 14 (CP).—J. G. Turgeon, Liberal Member of the House of Common for Caribou, B.C., said today Canada's sea routes would be menaced if Germany and Russia jointed forces in their present aggression. He gave his views in a brief interview while passing through Winnipeg en route to Vancouver.

NEW SONG APPROVED BY CANADIAN SOLDIERS

TORONTO, Dec. 14 (CP)—Canadian soldiers may soon be singing a new breezy war tune composed by Cliff Hubbs of Saskatoon, Sask. The song "We've Got A Party in Berlin," met the approval of officers and men of the Saskatoon Light Infantry and soon will be sung by Red Newman, star of wartime Dumbells.

Anthony Eden Says Canadian Response Great Event as Newfoundland Volunteers Arrive

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP Cable) — Anthony Eden, Dominions Secretary, today described the Empire's swift, voluntary rally at the side of the mother country at the outbreak of the war "one of the great events in the history of the world."

He revealed that volunteers from Newfoundland had arrived in England to join the Royal Navy.

The Dominions Secretary, speaking at Foyle's Literary luncheon, said: "The latest example of this response is the arrival at a certain port in England of a number of sailors from the oldest territory of the Empire overseas. They have come voluntarily to serve in the Royal Navy—just as they did in the last war—the navy which today inscribed another brilliant, gallant achievement on its record."

Mr. Eden described this response from Newfoundland as "magnificent."

"Our first war aim is to win the war, and our first peace aim is to create the conditions in which there cannot be a third world war" Mr. Eden said.

Two essentials for such conditions were Britain's understanding with France and that Britain must work in closest cooperation with the other governments forming the British Commonwealth, he said.

With a special rebuke to optimists belittling the power of Germany, Mr. Eden said that since "the whole Nazi machine has been founded on force, it has been prepared for just such emergencies as this."

He added: "There undoubtedly are weaknesses in the machine but wishful thinking at a time like this is a positive national menace. Don't make the mistake of underrating military power of the Nazis."

Earlier Viscount Halifax, Foreign Secretary, said that "this war is going to be won not only by armaments but by the organized willpower of nations and peoples."

To Help Children in Other Lands Is Purpose Fantasy

A children's attempt to help children in other lands is the way the committee in charge describes the Christmas fantasy "Peter Piper Picked", for which preparations are going ahead rapidly. The show in which over 350 boys and girls of Nelson and immediate district participate will be presented at the Civic Theatre Monday afternoon and evening.

Miss Doris Milliken, Organizing Secretary for Dr, Barnardo's Homes in London, is directing the fantasy.

Proceeds of the show will go toward alleviating the distress and suffering of children in other lands who have been separated from their parents. Many of them do not know where their parents are, whether they are dead or alive, or whether they may ever see them again.

Taking part in the fantasy will be groups from each school and chruch in the City, Boy Scouts, Cubs, Girl Guides and Brownes of Nelson, Willow Point and South Slocan.

Hoover to Be Board Trade Representative at Boys' Parliament

G. A. Hoover was appointed, at Thursday's luncheon meeting of the Nelson Board of Trade, to represent the Board at the opening of the Kootenay Older Boys' Parliament in Nelson December 27. A letter from Rev. Foster Hilliard asked that a Board representative be named to extend greetings.

German-Russian Treaty Ratified

BERLIN, Dec. 14 (AP)— The German-Russian friendship and Boundary Treaty initialed Sept. 28 was ratified today at the foreign office by Foreign Minister Joachim Von Ribbentrop and Alexander Shkhartzeff, Russia Ambassador to Berlin.

BOYS' CHOIR TO GIVE PROGRAM OF CAROLS

As a gesture of appreciation of the Nelson public's general support of its concerts, and of the Christmas spirit, St. Paul's Boys' Choir will present a Christmas carol program from Sunday evening in St. Paul's Church after the evening service. There will be carols from many lands; carols both old and modern; carols for young and old, as well as many old Christmas favorites which are not in the carol category.

WINNIPEG MAN GUEST AT BOARD TRADE LUNCHEON

H. A. Walley, of Winnipeg, cousin of Dr. G. A. C. Walley of Nelson, was a guest at the luncheon of the Nelson Board of Trade at the Hume Thursday.

Other guests were G. A. McDonald, Fire Chief; R. B. Morris, Chairman of the Nelson School Board; and Fred L. Irwin, Secretary of the School Board.

MOTHER AND SON TRAPPED BURN TO DEATH

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 (AP) — Trapped in an apartment of the top floor of a four-story Brooklyn tenement building, Mrs. Ramona Malave, 30, and her seven-year-old son Edward, burned to death early today in a fire that destroyed the structure's interior.

London Is Ready for Nazi Air Raids

By HAROLD FAIR
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP Cable)—London is ready for Nazi sky raiders. Behind the powerful anti-aircraft defences stands a vast civilian defence organization trained to fighting pitch to protect the 9,000,000 residents of the metropolitan area.

While the city slept last night, newspapermen were shown the system in motion and were told that approximately 150,000 men and women were engaged in the civil defence services. One third are paid and the rest are volunteers. The posts have been manned by day and night since the war started.

Automobiles, their blinds drawn for secrecy, took reporters through black-out streets to the closely guarded nerve centre—the gas-immune, air conditioned London region war room. Later they visited the unit control centre in one of the 29 metropolitan boroughs. Elsewhere they watched men and women, routed from rest in ambulance fire and rescue depots, spring to action.

The war room contains two huge maps to record bomb damage and a series of charts for recording information and calls for help from the nine groups of local authorities into which the region is divided. Fed by reports from telephones in an adjoining room, the charts show the disposition of hospital units, stretcher parties, ambulances decontamination squads, and parties doing rescue work and repairs.

A dart game of ambulance drivers was broken up when an alarm sent an odd assortment of vehicles roaring from a former garage. Elsewhere the alarm sent a stretcher party quartered in an evacuated convent into action. At another point, squads whose duty is to rescue people from falling buildings, were sent out.

The tour was climaxed by a fire-fighting demonstration in the chill early morning beside the Thames. Apparatus towed by taxis plus a fire boat poured out tons of water.

HIGH SPRUCE DECORATES ROCKEFELLER CENTRE

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 (AP), — A Norway spruce standing almost 8 stories high was placed today in Rockfeller plaza as the main "prop" of Rockefeller Centre's Christmas decorations.

Twelve workmen and a crane pulled it into place as 1000 "sidewalk superintendents" gave muttered instructions — which went unheeded. Atop the tree was placed a five-foot star with a 1500-watt bulb.

TWO I.R.A. MEMBERS SENTENCED TO DEATH

LONDON, Dec. 14 (CP)— Two men convicted of complicity in an explosion at Coventry last Aug. 25 in which five persons were killed and for which the outlawed Irish Republican Army was blamed were sentenced to death today.

One of the convicted men, James Richards, 29, cried "God bless Ireland, and God bless the men who fought and died for her!" as sentence was passed.

The other, Peter Barnes, 32, declared he was innocent before the court decreed the death penalty.

MADDOCKS, McDONALD MEMBERS BOARD TRADE

S. A. Maddocks and G. A. McDonald, two newcomers to Nelson, were elected to membership in the Nelson Board of Trade at the luncheon meeting of the Board Thursday.

King Observes Birthday Quietly

LONDON, Dec. 15 (AP)— The King, in mourning for Princess Louise, Duchess of Argyll, who died Dec. 3, observed his 44th birthday quietly today. The usual Royal cannon salute was cancelled.

Maj.-Gen. Ashton Is Inspector-General of Canadian Force

OTTAWA, Dec. 14 (CP)—Defence Minister Rogers announced today the appointment of Major- General A. C. Ashton of Ottawa as Inspector - General of the military forces in Canada.

The Minister also announced the appointment of Brig.-Gen. Thomas Louis Tremblay as Inspector-General of the militia and Canadian Active service force units for Eastern Canada, an area comprising Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

Brigadier J. C. Stewart, District officer commanding military district No. 11, Victoria, B. C., has been appointed Officer Commanding Royal Canadian Artillery, Ist. Division, Canadian Active Service Force.

Brigadier C. V. Stockwell, Kingston, Ont., formerly commanding the Divisional Artillery, Ist. Division, C. A. S. F. will succeed Brigadier J. C. Stewart as District Officer Commanding M. D. 11.

Lieut.-Col. C. E. Connolly, Assistant Adjutant and Quarter-Master-General, Military District No. 11, has been appointed District Officer Commanding M. D. 13, Calgary, with the rank of Colonel (Temporary Brigadier) in succession to Brigadier G. R. Pearkes who has already been appointed to command th 2nd Infantry Brigade, Ist Division.

Explosion Kills 80, Rumania

BUCHAREST, Dec. 14 (AP) — Eighty persons were killed and 300 others gravely injured today in an explosion at a cellulose plant under military control at Zarnesti.

Many of the injured were feared to be dying. Whole families were wiped out in their sleep by the early morning blast of an overheated 1000-gallon kettle of chemical.

A high wind spread the flames and carried chlorine fumes over the village.

Many inhabitants fled to the woods but numerous families living near the factory were snuffed out. Among them were the families of two factory workers and one engineer.

The casualties included all the plant workers.

Many townsfolk, including children, were overcome by fumes in their sleep.

A railway train which pulled into its station near the factory about the time of the blast was hastily abandoned by the passengers. The engineer and two station attendants who remained at their posts met death.

Firemen of surrounding towns and soldiers in gas masks battered down doors to drag hundreds of unconscious persons to safety. They picked up scores of others from where they had fallen in the streets of the little Rumanian town.

While first reports of the explosion did not indicate sabotage, the disaster followed a series of train wrecks and plant fires which have caused heavy loss and for which many persons blame "foreign agents."

Following today's disaster the Government ordered a military guard over all oil fields.

Board Trade Not to Object to Reduction Train Service Trail

Nelson Board of Trade on Thursday confirmed its Council in agreeing it would not object to withdrawal of two of four trains operating daily between Trail and Nelson.

Trains 43 and 46 would be withdrawn in the New Year, should application of the railway to the Board of Transport Commissioners be approved, a recent letter from W. J. McLean, Divisional Superintendent, to the Board announced. Service equivalent to that now provided by the trains would be provided by buses and trucks for Trail meeting the through trains, 11 and 12, at Castlegar.

POLICE STOP CONVICT FROM EATING LETTER

HAMILTON, Ont., Dec. 14 (CP). —Police prevented 16-year-old Alex Zolomy from swallowing a letter written on tissue paper following his arrest today and uncovered a hoard of several thousand bullets, home-made bombs, detonator caps, rifles, test tubes believed to contain explosive and a set of counterfeiting dies.

Zolomy, who escaped yesterday from the hospital ward of the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph, was recaptured at midnight by two constables who spotted him in an allegedly stolen automobile at Mount Hamilton.

Zolomy had been serving a nine months term at the reformatory for theft of dynamite and cigarettes.

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TORONTO STOCK QUOTATIONS

MINES	
Afton Mines	.01½
Aldermac Copper	.34
Amm Gold	.05
Anglo-Huronian	2.30
Arntfield Gold	.10⅛
Astoria Rouyn Mines	.03
Aunor	2.21
Bagamac Rouyn	.08
Bankfield Gold	.19½
Base Metals Mining	.25
Beattie Gold Mines	1.02
Bidgood Kirkland	.11
Big Missouri	.12½
Bobjo Mines	.08
Bralorne Mines	10.90
Brett Trethewey	.01⅛
Buffalo Ankerite	7.75
Bunker Hill Extension	.02⅞
Canadian Malartic	.72
Cariboo Gold Quartz	2.06
Castle-Trethewey	.63
Central Patricia	2.35
Chibougamau	.11¾
Chromium M & S	.55
Coast Copper	1.75
Coniaurum Mines	1.71
Consolidated M & S	47.75
Crome Mines	28.75
Corval-Siscoe	.03½
East Malartic	3.45
Eldorado Gold	.86
Falconbridge Nickel	4.15
Federal Kirkland	.04
Francoeur Gold	.41¼
Gillies Lake	.06
God's Lake Gold	.62
Gold Belt	.50
Grandoro Mines	.05¾
Gunnar Gold	.47½
Hard Rock Gold	1.28
Harker Gold	.05
Hollinger	14.50
Howey Gold	.36
Hudson Bay M & S	32.00
International Nickel	45.10
Jack-M. Consolidated	.02¾
Jack Waite	.26
Jacola Gold	.03¾
Kerr-Addison	2.21
Kirkland Lake	1.37
Lake Shore Mines	27.00
Leitch Gold	.85½
Lebel Oro Mines	.01⅝
Little Long Lac	2.95
Macassa Mines	4.30
Macleod Cockshutt	2.20
Madsen Red Lake Gold	.48
Mandy	.12
McIntyre-Porcupine	57.00
McKenzie Red Lake	1.28
McVittie-Graham	.09¼
McWatters Gold	.56¼
Mining Corporation	1.20
Moneta Porcupine	.85
Morris-Kirkland	.06½
Nipissing Mining	1.23
Noranda	78.00
Normetal	.65
O'Brien Gold	1.50
Omega Gold	.22½
Pamour Porcupine	2.00
Paymaster Cons	.40½
Pend Oreille	2.25
Perron Gold	1.87
Pickle Crow Gold	4.15
Pioneer Gold	2.25
Premier Gold	1.47
Powell Rouyn Gold	2.23
Preston East Dome	2.15
Quebec Gold	.31
Reeves MacDonald	.50
Reno Gold Mines	.51
Roche Long Lac	.04¾
San Antonio Gold	2.23
Shawkey Gold	.03¼
Sheep Creek Gold	1.18
Sherritt Gordon	1.13
Siscoe Gold	.79
Sladen Malartic	.40
St. Anthony	.11
Sudbury Basin	2.00
Sullivan Con	.71
Sylvanite	3.25
Teck-Hughes Gold	4.00
Toburn Gold M	1.65
Towagamac	.24
Ventures	4.40
Waite Amulet	5.75
Wright Hargreaves	7.85
Ymir Yankee Girl	.04⅞
OILS	
British Amer	23.40
Chemical Research	.67
Imperial	16.00
Inter Petroleum	23.75
Royalite	33.50
Texas Canadian	.80
INDUSTRIALS	
Ajax	16½
Abitibi Power	2
Bell Telephone	165½
Brazilian T L & P	9¼
Brewers & Dist	4
Brewing Corp	1¼
BC Power "A"	27¾
B C Power "B"	2
Building Prod	16¾
Canada Bread	5½
Can Bud Malting	4
Can Car & Fdy	16
Can Cement	7¼
Can Dredge	23
Can Malting	35⅞
Can Pacific Rly	6½
Can Ind Alcohol A	3½
Can Ind Alcohol B	3
Can Wineries	4¼
Cons Bakeries	17½
Cosmos	21¼
Dominion Bridge	40
Dominion Stores	5⅛
Dom Tar & Chem	6¼
Dist Seagrams	21¼
Fanny Farmer	24⅞
Ford of Canada	22¼
Gen Steel Wares	8¾
Goodyear Tire	79¼
Gypsum L & A	5½
Hamilton Bridge	7⅛
Hinde Dauche	13¾
Hiram Walker	42⅛
Intl Metals	15⅛
Imperial Tobacco	15⅛
Loblaw "A"	27
Loblaw "B"	25½
Kelvinator	9
Maple Leaf Milling	5¾
Massey Harris	6¾
Montreal Power	30⅝
Moore Corp	44¾
Nat Steel Car	68⅞
Ont Steel Prods	7
Ont Silk Net	5
Page Hersey	110
Power Corp	10⅛
Pressed Metals	10⅛
Steel of Can	85¼
Standard Paving	1.10

QUOTATIONS ON WALL STREET

	Open	Close
American Can	113⅛	112¾
Amer For Power	2	2
Am Smelt & Ref	52½	51¼
Amer Telephone	168¼	169
American Tobacco	63½	63½
Anaconda	31¾	30⅝
Baldwin	17¾	17½
Balt & Ohio	6⅛	6
Bendix Aviation	30¼	30
Beth Steel	84¼	82¾
Borden	20⅝	20½
Canada Dry	17⅛	17
Canada Pacific	5	5
Cerro de Pasco	39	38½
Chrysler	89½	89¼
Con Gas New York	30	30
C Wright pfd	10¾	10⅝
Dupont	180⅞	179¾
Eastman Kodak	167¼	167½
Freeport Texas	—	34
General Electric	40	39¾
General Foods	46½	46½
General Motors	54⅝	54
Goodrich	20¼	20⅛
Granby	7¾	7¾
Great Nor pfd	28½	27⅞
Howe Sound	53⅛	53¼
Hudson Motors	5⅝	5⅝
International Nickel	35¾	36
Inter Tel & Tel	4⅛	4
Kenn Copper	38¼	38
Montgomery Ward	55⅝	55
Nash Motors	6⅝	6⅝
New York Central	19½	19½
Packard Motors	3¼	3¼
Penn R R	23⅝	22⅝
Phillips Pete	39¼	38¾
Pullman	33¾	33
Radio Corporation	5½	5½
Rem Rand	10⅛	10
Safeway Stores	47	46¾
Shell Union	12⅛	12⅛
S Cal Edison	27½	27½
Stan Oil of N J	43	42¾
Texas Corporation	42¾	43
Texas Gulf Sul	33	32⅞
Timken Roller	50	49¾
Union Carbide	86½	86⅝
Union Oil of Cal	16⅛	16⅛
United Aircraft	46	45⅝
Union Pacific	98½	97
U S Rubber	41⅞	41⅛
U S Steel	69½	68⅛
Warner Bros	3¾	3¾
West Electric	111	112¾
West Union	27¾	27
Woolworth	37⅞	38
Yellow Truck	19¼	18¾

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

INDUSTRIALS	
Alta Pac Grain	3
Assoc Brew of Can	15
Bathurst P & P A	14
Canadian Bronze	41
Can Bronze pfd	107½
Can Car & Fdy pfd	27½
Can Celanese	27½
Can Celanese pfd	124
Can North Power	18¼
Can Steamship	6
Can Steamship pfd	16¼
Cockshutt Plow	9⅝
Con Min & Smelting	47¾
Dominion Coal pfd	21¼
Dom tSeel & Coal B	15½
Dominion Textile	89
Dryden Paper	11¾
Foundation C of C	10½
Gatineau Power	15½
Gatineau Power pfd	95
Gurd Charles	7½
Howard Smith Paper	20½
H. Smith Paper pfd	101½
Imperial Oil	16
Inter Petroleum	23¾
Inter Nickel of Can	45
Lake of the Woods	26¾
McColl Frontenac	8
National Brew Ltd	36¼
Nat Brew pfd	40
Ogilvie Flour new	33¾
Price Bros	21
Quebec Power	16½
Shawinigan W & P	23⅝
St Lawrence Corp	5¾
St Law Corp pfd	19¼
South Can Power	13½

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NEWS OF DAY

BRIGHTON, Eng. (CP)—Hurrying to catch a London train, Commander the Hon. S. Hay, O. B. E., collapsed and died here. He was the youngest son of the late Earl of Erroll.

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$8.50 to $13.50

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CHRISTMAS SHOPPING HOURS

Retail stores will be closed as usual Wednesday Afternoon, Dec. 20th and open till 9:00 p.m. of Thursday, 21st, Friday, 22nd and Saturday, 23rd. Closed Boxing Day, Dec. 26th. Open Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 27th

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CAMBORNE, Eng. (CP)—Unwilling to serve in the army, Norman Richards, 25, of this Cornwall village cut off two fingers of his right hand. He was committed for trial at quarter sessions.

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