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# INDIES PREPARE FOR LAST-DITCH STAND

## FATE OF THATON IN DOUBT; JAPS PUSH ON, BURMA

### British Withdraw to Save Men From Being Overrun

### SET UP LINES ON BILIN RIVER

By DANIEL DE LUCE

RANGOON, Burma, Feb. 16 (AP) — British authorities announced today their troops have withdrawn from the Thaton-Duyinzeik area to the line of the Bilin river, about 30 miles nearer Rangoon.

This withdrawal, carried out Japanese in control of Thaton and brought the British right flank to about 40 miles north of Moulmein at a point where the Bilin empties into the Gulf of Martaban.

The Bilin flows north and south and the new British lines presumably were re-established along its west bank.

The announcement said the Japanese did not attempt to interfere with the British reorganizing movement.

**The British withdrawal was undertaken to avert danger of infantry units being overwhelmed piece-meal by the enemy. Furthermore, the Bilin river offers a potentially good position for counter-offensive operations.**

The stream is shallow and easily fordable in the dry season, however, it is flanked by low, bushy hills and troop concentrations and artillery batteries are liable to have little cover protecting them from enemy dive-bombers. This little river is about 105 miles from Rangoon by road but only 78 as the bomber flies.

**In six days since the capture of Martaban, across the Salween river from Moulmein, the Japanese have advanced up the road toward Rangoon.**

The Burma Road itself was not directly threatened, because the main Japanese effort was concentrated far south of its terminal.

Coolies were blasting a new route to China through 10,000-foot peaks of the forbidding Himalayas between Sadiya, in the Northeastern Indian province of Assam, into China's Sikang province. This new route, considerably Northwest of the Burma Road and beyond reach of Japanese bombers, is one-third completed.

## Believe Subs Sunk Off Aruba

BALBOA, Canal Zone, Feb. 16—(AP). — Lt.-Gen. Frank Andrews, commander of the Caribbean defence, reported on his return here tonight from Aruba that there were indications that some enemy submarines engaging in the attacks there had been sunk.

The general said that as soon as the submarine attack began United States planes, cooperating with the Netherlanders in defence of their West Indies isles, took to the air both from Aruba and Suracao and attacked.

He said oil slicks observed on the waters were one indication that submarines had been hit.

## Moose Jaw Schools Closed by Strike

MOOSE JAW, Sask., Feb. 16 — (CP).—Trustees of public and secondary schools here were in communication with Hon. Hubert Staines, Saskatchewan Minister of Education, at Regina today following a School Board meeting to discuss the strike of 125 school teachers which left all Moose Jaw schools closed and gave some 4000 students a forced holiday.

## PRAIRIE TEMPERATURES FALL BELOW ZERO

WINNIPEG, Feb. 16 CP).—After several weeks of moderate weather on the Prairies, thermometers fell last night to sub-zero temperatures at nearly all points in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Coldest spot in the central Western region was Brandon, Man., with 34 below. Bonspielers at Winnipeg were made happier today with 16 below zero weather.

## Curler Wounded by Mystery Bullet During Play

TORONTO, Feb. 16 (CP).—Police were engaged in intensive investigation here in an attempt to discover who, if anyone, fired a 22 calibre bullet which wounded Dr. Henry Hudson, Timmins dentist, on the right hip tonight while he was curling in an Ontario Curling Association bonspiel match.

A search of persons in the Royal Canadian Curling Club rink, where the shooting occurred, revealed no sign of a gun or an exploded cartridge.

## OPENING DAY OF LOAN DRIVE UP TO EXPECTATIONS

### Alberta Units First to Go Over Their Quotas

**OTTAWA, Feb. 16 (CP).—Early reports from Canadian communities give ground for belief that all-Canada total of subscriptions to the $600,000,000 second Victory Loan will be "well up to expectations," it was announced tonight at national loan headquarters.**

First computation will be completed Tuesday as more complete reports are received, officials said. At the same time, however, they said some smaller communities already have raised honor pennants, signalizing that they went 25 per cent or more beyond their quotas today.

As in the first $600,000,000 Victory Loan last June, Alberta led the way in reporting local units had exceeded their quotas. The first such reports to reach national headquarters said loan units in Athabasca, Innisfree, Pincher Creek and Blairmore reached their quotas immediately after the opening of business, with Blairmore's total of $148,000 a good 25 per cent above the quota.

**The Saskatchewan division claimed one of its units had achieved its quota. Oungre-Bromhead went over the top at one minute past midnight Monday. This area is 35 miles South of Weyburn, in the centre of Saskatchewan's worst drought-ridden country for the past 10 years.**

Tonight two prominent Canadians—Lt.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, commander of the Canadian corps, and Mr. Justice T. C. Davis, Associate Deputy Minister of National War Services—in brief radio addresses called upon Canadians to support the loan drive.

Among the larger subscriptions reported today were those from the Hudson's Bay Co. $1,000,000; Massey-Harris Co. Ltd., and International Harvester Co. of Canada, Ltd., $1,500,000 each; Lever Brothers Ltd., and Alberta Government (trust funds), $1,000,000 each; and Robin Hood Mills Ltd., $500,000.

## Over Nine Million Men Register for Possible Duty in U.S.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP).—The bulk of 9,000,000 men between the ages of 20 and 45—many of them fathers and sons — filed through registration places over the United States today to enroll for possible duty with the country's constantly growing armed forces.

The next registration, to be held in late Spring, will be for those between 18 and 20 and 45 and 65, age brackets representing some 15,500,000 in all. These men will be classified for civilian protection and war production jobs and will bring to more than 42,000,000 the total registered manpower for all purposes.

## Claim Huns Work to Get Control of French Fleet

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP).—A determined new Nazi attempt to get immediate control of the French fleet was forecast today as members of Congress familiar with naval matters said Germany's success in uniting its surface fleet in home waters portended a realignment of sea forces all over the world.

At the beginning of the year France was reported to have available for immediate service one battleship, one aircraft carrier, 14 cruisers, 52 destroyers and 60 submarines.

## RESERVES SAVED FOR SPRING WAR THROWN AT RUSS

### Huns Lose Heavily in Men and Materials Russ Report

### LOSSES AT SEA ARE MOUNTING

MOSCOW, Feb. 17 (Tuesday) (AP) — The Russians announced officially today the occupation of several more points on the vast Winter front with heavy losses in manpower and material inflicted on the Germans, but front dispatches indicated the Nazis were hurling into action the reserves which they had hoped to save for their Spring offensive.

A supplementary communique also said that in the Northwest Red cavalrymen had retaken 40 more inhabited localities in the last few days.

The BBC said the Red Army striking South of Smolensk had crossed the Sozh River, a tributary of the Dnieper which flows Southward to White Russia.

Reports from the Baltic said the Red fleet had sunk 65 enemy transports laden with equipment, troops and supplies, but did not give the period for these attacks.

Moscow reports said "a Russian cruiser has shelled a German-occupied village at the approaches to Leningrad," after battering through ice jams to get at the Nazi fortifications.

Moscow announced the occupation of several more villages on the Southern Donets front.

The Russians, without revealing the disposition of their troops, were trying hard to disrupt any Nazi effort to get set for the promised Spring blows.

## B. C. to Invest $5 Million in Victory Bonds

VICTORIA, Feb. 15 (CP)—Five million dollars of Provincial funds will be invested in Canada's Victory Loan, Premier John Hart who is also Minister of Finance, announced today.

The Premier filled out a form in the sum of $5,000,000 Saturday and expressed the hope that British Columbia would far exceed its quota.

"I feel that this is the opportunity that citizens have been waiting for to make their contribution to the Nation's war effort," he said in a statement today. "Those who are unable to serve in any other way may do so by subscribing their funds to the Dominion Treasury, thereby assuring that the nation's war program will not flag or fail. It is most important that production be maintained at the highest peak possible. This can be done only if funds are available.

"British Columbia, through its government, has pledged all its resources to the war effort. Subscription to the Victory Loan is one way in which this has been done, and the citizen's can be assured that every opportunity will be embraced to co-operate with the Dominion so that the full strength of Canada may be felt in the Empire's cause."

## Maj. O'Brian, Coast Stockbroker, Dies

VANCOUVER, Feb 16 (CP)—Maj. Nigel E. O'Brian, well-known Vancouver stockbroker, collapsed and died at a down-town corner today. He was on his way to open the Victory Loan drive in the unit in which he was organizer.

For the past three years, Major O'Brian had been associated with A. E. Jukes & Company and he was a former member of O'Brian, Bell-Irving, Stone and Rook Ltd. He was also a former president of the Vancouver and British Columbia Bond Dealers' Associations.

## Philpot Goes to Trail Wednesday

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 16—Col. D. Philpot, D.S.O., O.B.E., Recruiting Officer for the Kootenay area, will be in Trail Wednesday, Thursday and Friday to interview applicants for enlistment, and also medically unfit men who wish to make application for rejection buttons.

*NELSON'S VICTORY LOAN PLEDGE FLAG GOES UP*

With Sgt. Frank Lloyd of No. 1 Platoon, No. 29 Company, Veterans Guard of Canada, at the halyards, the platoon standing to and Mayor N. C. Stibbs at the microphone at extreme left, Nelon's pledge flag was raised Monday morning.

## FIND UNIFORMS, BOMB CASINGS IN AMERICAN RAID

### Secret Documents Taken; 13 Japs Arrested

SACRAMENTO Feb. 16 (AP). — Four Japanese army and navy uniforms, two United States army uniforms, important secret documents and three empty aerial bomb casings were among the truckloads of contraband seized by Federal agents in sweeping raids on Japanese quarters here today.

Thirteen aliens were arrested but one was released.

Nearly 100 Japanese were questioned and more than 50 separate raids were conducted. It was the third major move of the Federal Bureau to counteract possible sabotage and enemy spy ring activities in Northern California in two weeks, following by a few days similar raiding operations at Vallejo and Salinas.

**More than 20 separate raiding parties combed the Japanese section of Sacramento and searched enemy alien residences in the vicinity of air fields vital military information.**

The army and navy uniforms and bomb casings were seized in the custody of T. Takahashi, Secretary of Toga Kai, an organization of former Japanese naval officers.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP).—Chairman Tolan (Dem-Calif) of the Special House Committee on National Defence Migration said his group would leave tonight for San Francisco and open hearings there Saturday on problems involved in the evacuation of alien populations from the Pacific coast states.

## Spokane Mayor Sends Regrets on Trail Bid

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 16 — Mayor F. G. Sutherlin of Spokane, invited to attend the Good Neighbor Day ceremonies of the Victory Loan campaign, will be unable to attend. In his letter to the Trail Council he states:

"I believe that the opinion is growing hourly that the most vital necessity for all of the English speaking people today is complete victory for the Allies. This can be accomplished only if the government is adequately financed.

"The willing cooperation given by citizens in this city to every demand for voluntary help and financial assistance is most gratifying."

## COSTS FRANCE NEARLY $3 BILLION FOR HUNS

VICHY, Feb. 16 (AP)—The Bank of France has advanced to the state almost 150,000,000,000 francs (about $3,000,000,000) to pay for the costs of German occupation, the Bank's weekly statement issued today as of Jan. 22 disclosed.

A ceiling of 150,000,000 was placed on such advances under the terms of the last agreement with the state.

## 7 Ships Torpedoed in the Caribbean Say Oil Men

MARACAIBO, Venezuela, Feb. 16 (AP). — Seven ships have been torpedoed in the Caribbean between the Dutch Island of Aruba and the Venezuelan coast, executives of the Mene Grande Oil Company, a Venezuelan concern, said today.

Shipments between here and Aruba have been held up indefinitely because of the attacks, it was said.

## Says Downfall of Gov't Sought by Political Foes

OTTAWA, Feb. 16 (CP)—Donald McNiven (Lib. Regina), speaking in the House of Commons today, envisioned an alliance of "imperialistic Meighen" and "anti-war Bourassa" working with the aid of Premier Hepburn of Ontario to effect the downfall of the Government.

Mr. Meighen said this recalled the Quebec Nationalist combination with the Conservatives in 1916 and 1917, which he termed "the most sinister political alliance that ever darkened the pages of Canadian history."

He was referring to attacks made upon the Government by Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen Conservative Leader, assisted by the Liberal Premier of Ontario; and the recent reappearance in political activities of Henri Bourassa, publisher of Montreal Le Devoir and fiery Nationalist of House of Commons debates during the First Great War.

Saying that Mr. Bourassa arose from a sick-bed last Wednesday and at a Montreal meeting which was followed by disorders, used the same arguments he "used to undermine Laurier in Ontario and Quebec," Mr. McNiven said he believed this was more than coincidence.

He called upon Conservatives in the House of Commons to "denounce" this alliance, and particularly to denounce Mr. Hepburn's recent attacks upon the United States Navy.

Such a denunciation from Conservative House Leader Hanson was "overdue" Mr. McNiven declared.

"Utter nonsense," Mr. Hanson commented, referring to the Meighen-Bourassa connection. He said Mr. McNiven was building up "a man of straw" to be knocked down.

## Big U.S. Battleship Launched 9 Months Ahead of Schedule

PORTSMOUTH, Va., Feb. 16 — (AP). — The Battleship Alabama, her greatness dwarfing the workers who fashioned her from raw steel, plunged today from the Norfolk navy yard building ways into the waters of the Elizabeth river.

Bows towering above a cheering throng of men who sped the dreadnaught to completion nine months ahead of schedule, the Alabama moved majestically down the heavily greased ways and into the river with a mighty splash.

## JAP ARTILLERY POUNDS BATAAN DEFENDING GUNS

### Singapore Fall May Be Signal for Big Attack

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP).—Singapore's fall put defenders of the Philippines on the alert tonight against a shift of Japanese air and other forces from Malaya to the Manila Bay fighting front.

Resumption of the attempt to bomb Corregidor Island into helplessness was viewed by military observers as a possible result of the release of the Japanese forces which conquered Singapore.

Heavy artillery fire in Bataan today signalled an apparent Japanese attempt to knock out the hard-hitting American field guns which have helped hold the foe at bay.

Enemy artillery has been hammering steadily in the last 24 hours, the War Department reported. Enemy aircraft have been spotting the effect of the firing and bombing American guns and their crews.

The Japanese reinforcements were believed by observers here to include substantial forces of artillery to cope with the deadly fire of the defenders.

MacArthur's 155's, massive weapons of some 13 tons which hurl a 95-pound shell for about 10 miles, played a decisive role in smashing an offensive Jan. 25.

## Kirkland Men to Be Reemployed

KIRKLAND LAKE, Ont., Feb. 15 (CP)—Operators of eight Kirkland Lake gold mines, where a strike for union recognition by Local 240, International Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers (C.I.O.) was called off last Wednesday, said in a statement today "the total number of men required" will be re-employed as quickly as conditions permit.

The statement said miners who continued working during the strike had elected committees in secret ballots to represent them in dealings with the operators. "All principles of collective bargaining have been recognized," it added.

## Canadian Pilot Gets Two Planes

LONDON, Feb. 16 (CP Cable).—Sgt.-Pilot R. H. Christie of Halifax was top scorer in the Royal Air Force's smashing victory over the Axis Libyan Air Force Saturday, shooting down two of the 20 planes destroyed and damaging another.

## School Board's 1942 Net Estimate $76,193

**A net estimate of $76,193.25 for operation of Nelson public schools during 1942 was placed before the City Council Tuesday night. Disbursements were estimated at $115,113.25 and receipts at $38,920.**

# Palembang Left In Flames as Jap Invaders Move In

### $100,000,000 Petroleum Fire Fought by Japs; to Take at Least Six Months to Repair; Jap Losses Terrific

By WITT HANCOCK

BATAVIA, Java, Feb. 16 (AP)—Gloomy but determined, the Netherlands East Indies drew their lines for a last-ditch stand in Java tonight as the Japanese fought a $100,000,000 petroleum fire in Palembang, Southern Sumatra, rich, East Indian oil centre which fell to them from Dutch hands.

The loss of Palembang—producer of 50 per cent of the total petroleum output of the entire Netherlands East Indies—and the apparent successful Japanese landing in force in Sumatra made the United Nations outlook in the Indies even gloomier. But the Netherlands were determined to defend their position in Sumatra to the last and continue to stand in Java.

The word here was that the British defenders succeeded in evacuating thousands of troops from Singapore although many are known to have been trapped.

R.A.F. contingents, it was said, were taken out before the fall of Singapore and valuable material also was withdrawn.

British and American fliers aided the Dutch in attempting to prevent landings.

Not in six months, it was estimated here, would it be possible for the enemy to set the Palembang fields flowing again, and his thrust, for all its success, cost him enormous casualties and at least seven vessels crippled by bombs dropped over the Bangka Strait just East of Palembang. Two of the ships were cruisers; five were laden transports.

Nevertheless, successive communiques both from the Indies command and from the allied high command for the Southwest Pacific told a story of increasing gloom.

Though Palembang's oil was lost to the invader in a fire that represented the greatest single voluntary self-destruction of national property since the Russians blew up their $110,000,000 Dnieperstroy dam last Fall, it was lost also to the United Nations, as had been the supplies of Balik Papan and Tarakan on Borneo island. Lost, in fact, was substantially all the production of all these islands.

Strategically, too, the Allied position grew worse as the enemy continued to land in force about Palembang, for that city lies but 269 air miles from Batavia, the heart of the allied war effort on Java island. There were indications that the attack on Java itself even now was in preparation.

It was disclosed tonight for the first time that oil fields in Northern Sumatra also had been razed.

In Southern Celebes Island savage fighting continued uninterrupted around the area of Macassar port.

The island of New Guinea, far to the East, was again brought back into the active theatre with Japanese bombing of an unstated point on which "great damage" was acknowledged.

The struggle in Southern Sumatra, meanwhile, was rising in violence to become one of the decisive battles of the Pacific war.

**The enemy's principal forces appeared to be springing from Borneo, the island to the Northeast. There also was a possibility that Singapore's fall had released other Japanese troops for a drive due Southward.**

The area of major action was the Sumatra island stretch extending Eastward from Palembang itself to the Bangka Strait, which separates Sumatra from Bangka island. There, where the invader's ships were sailing up the Musi River, allied bombing planes were in violent action.

## Jap Gets Jail Term for Refusal to Turn Out Lights

**VANCOUVER, Feb. 6 (CP).—K. Otsuji, Japanese proprietor of a hotel here, was sentenced to a month in jail today when convicted of displaying an outside light between sundown and sunrise, contrary to Defence of Canada regulations. Otsuji had been warned three times, a constable said.**

## Navy Must Have Air Service If Needs Says Keyes

GOSPORT, England, Feb. 15 CP) —Admiral of the Fleet Sir Roger Keyes, M.P., declared today that the "cruel humiliation" which the Royal Navy had suffered in recent weeks emphasized the folly and blindness of those who deprived the Navy of its large and highly efficient air service 24 years ago.

"It is difficult to speak temperately of the successive governments responsible for placing such a handicap upon the Navy or on the successive boards of admiralty who gave tolerated dual control of naval air power which should be an integral part of a modern fleet in the exercise of sea power . . .

"The war machine in this country will have to be thoroughly overhauled, otherwise victory will be postponed and people will pay with their lives while waiting for victory."

Sir Roger said the only torpedo bombers the Navy had were six year old swordfish biplanes with a speed when loaded, of about 100 miles an hour, carrying one small 18-inch torpedo incapable of inflicting vital damage on a modern capital ship unless it is fortunate to hit the propeller which one did in the case of the Bismarck which was not escorted by fighters."

## Airman to Face Murder Charges

LONDON, Feb. 16 (CP)—Scotland Yard announced tonight the arrest of a man who will be charged with murder tomorrow for the Jack-the-ripper slaying of at least three women during blackouts.

The man in custody will be taken into Bow Street Police Station and accused of fatally mutilating Mrs. Margaret Florence Lowe, 43, Mrs. Doris Jouhannet, 32, and Mrs. Evelyn Culley, 30.

Police declined to disclose the name of the man but identified him as a member of the Royal Air Force who has been stationed at a base near London. He was reported to be 28 years old.

## The Weather

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| NELSON | 31 | 39 |
| Victoria | 39 | 46 |
| Nanaimo | 31 | 45 |
| Vancouver | 35 | 46 |
| Kamloops | 28 | 42 |
| Prince George | 15 | 28 |
| Dawson, Y.T. | *2 | 10 |
| Penticton | 31 | 43 |
| Vernon | 35 | — |
| Kelowna | 36 | — |
| Grand Forks | 21 | — |
| Cranbrook | 9 | 18 |
| Kaslo | 21 | — |
| Calgary | *20 | *2 |
| Edmonton | *16 | 13 |
| Swift Current | *16 | 12 |
| Regina | *18 | 15 |
| Prince Albert | *20 | 19 |
| Winnipeg | *17 | *11 |

Forecasts — Kootenay, Becoming cooler.

# Lieutenant-Governor Woodward Once Bank Clerk in Nelson; Knew Lardeau; Kootenay Tour to Open on Saturday

His Honor W. C. Woodward, Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia was a bank clerk in Nelson in 1901. So that when he arrives in Nelson Saturday night to begin an official tour of the Kootenays and to speak in the Second Victory Loan campaign, he will be coming to a country he saw in constitution days.

After spending Sunday in Nelson His Honor will go East Monday morning to Fernie, Kimberley, and to Cranbrook, then will return west to Trail Tuesday to speak at that thriving centre. Continuing eastward from Trail he will speak briefly at

Grand Forks, and will then go on to Penticton, Kelowna, Vernon and Kamloops. His tour is to last a week.

Most people know Mr. Woodward as President of Woodward's, one of Vancouver's leading department stores, but few are cognizant of his Honor's colorful background.

William Culham Woodward, now Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia, gained this enviable position by his work for his country and by service.

He was born at Gore Bay, Ont., in 1886 and in his early years came to B. C. In Vancouver his father, the late Charles Woodward, started a grocery store on Main Street and his son Billy went to school.

In 1903 his father moved the business to the present site at Hastings and Abbott Streets.

**TRANSFERRED TO KOOTENAYS**

**In 1901 young Billy left school and entered the Royal Bank of Canada as a clerk in the East End branch. Then he was transferred to the Kootenays, working in the Lardeau area and spending some time in Nelson when the railways were pushing construction lines through.**

Then he moved to the mining town and cattle centre of Republic. The Bank sent him to Havana, Cuba, where he witnessed exciting days in the revolutionary era.

He became a stock broker but conditions were not propitious and he returned to Vancouver. He was 21 and became a bookkeeper in his father's rowing business.

Eventually came the first world war, and his country always his first consideration, he enlisted. By 1916 he was a lieutenant with the artillery overseas. He was there until 1919, and was a member of the army of occupation in Germany.

It was during this period that he became a firm friend of General A. G. L. McNaughton who was Lieutenant Woodward's O.C.

In 1921 the young lieutenant was back in his father's business. In that year he was married. He has two daughters and a son.

While not relinkuishing the business, Mr. Woodward Sr., began to lean more on his two sons, William and the latter's youngest brother, P. A. Woodward. When in 1937 the father passed on, the two sons carried on smoothly, efficiently.

But William Woodward always found time in an unobtrusive manner for public affairs. Two years ago the Dominion Government called for him to go to Ottawa to give the war effort some of the efficient management that was also being given by other leading B. C. busines men on war duty.

**ON TORPEDOED SHIP**

Sacrificing business interests and personal affairs, Mr. Woodward went immediately to Ottawa with Mrs. Woodward and established residence there, giving his services gratuitously.

The effort nearly cost him his life, for, as executive assistant to Hon. C. D. Howe, he had to go to London. He sailed with Mr. Howe on the Western Prince which was torpedoed in the Atlantic. Mr. Howe and Mr. Woodward were among the survivors and accomplished their mission.

Returning from London, where he surveyed evidence of Hun atrocity, Mr. Woodward came back to Vancouver determined to do even more to help win this war and to make his fellow Canadians realize the necessity for all out effort.

In a speech to the Vancouver Rotary Club he said: "If I lost everything I own tomorrow I would count it well lost if in the end, we won this war."

And though he is now lieutenant governor he will talk in the few odd moments when he has the time—selling newspapers on the wharf at Vancouver to miners en route to the Yukon, of rigging clams on the waterfront of his school days and other memories.

**What About The Old Folks?**

When they're not so active anymore and spells of constipation annoy them with dizziness, heartburn, headaches, or torturing gas pains, get ADLERIKA. We have many letters from thankful users who are for past middle-age. Your druggist has ADLERIKA. (Advt.)

# Three Fire Calls but No Losses in January

There were three fire calls in Nelson in January, but no fire loss. Chief G. A. M. McDonald reported to the council Monday night two of the calls were to chimney fires and the third to a fire in a chicken house caused by a candle in a can.

The Department made 101 building inspections in the month.

Regular drills were being carried out by Auxiliary Firemen under the A.R.P. program, the Chief continued.

# Asks A.A. Guns to Protect Trail Smelter Plant

OTTAWA, Feb. 12—No response was made by the Government to the request of W. K. Esling, M.P. for Kootenay West, for anti-aircraft protection for Trail Smelter, but it is understood that consideration of the matter is being given. Mr. Esling's remarks are quoted in Hansard as follows:

I should like to ask the Government what steps are being taken for the defence of the most vulnerable point in the interior of British Columbia, the city of Trail and the adjacent territory in which power plants are located. At this point is located the largest metallurgical plant in the world. It is really a munitions plant, and what it is producing there is for the British Government. The only evidence of defence there is a partial unit of the Rocky Mountain Rangers which was organized a few weeks ago, and a company of the Veterans Guard. There should be some protection against aircraft.

Mr. MacNichol: Are there no anti-aircraft guns?

Mr. Ealing: No anti-aircraft guns or protection of any kind. While I am on this matter of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company I should like to say that I think some of the remarks made by honorable members of this house about this company are most unfair. I am sure they would not be made if honorable members were more intimately acquainted with the operations of this company. I have seen it grow from a little slag pot plant to its present size. It is where it is today because of the work carried on by its research committee. It is able to furnish the British Government today with lead and zinc at a price much lower than has prevailed in any average ten years in the history of Canada. The company is providing zinc for the British Government at just one-eighth of what it was sold for by the United States companies during the last war. In the early days of that war there was no process available in Canada for separating the lead and zinc in the ore. Many people do not have a proper conception of the industrial relations which exist between this company and its employees. The company has provided non-contributory pensions for its employees. They provide their employees, free of charge, with a large amount of insurance, put a seventy-five dollar cheque in their pay envelope at Christmas time, and when you consider that they have loaned employees a million and a half dollars for housing purposes, and have given to employees another million and a half in company shares, the company is not doing so badly, and I think there should be a greater sense of fairness than has been displayed in the disparaging remarks against it. I do not believe that the heads of industries in this dominion are all bandits and profiteers. They create industry and employment, and that is what we want. It is the only thing which can make this country prosperous.

# Colville Shots Score High Again

Nelson Colville's marksmen established themselves at the Legion Small Bore Rifle Club's top team Monday night when they won another shoot, the third in the last four. Their score was 467 points, 12 above Mickey McEwen's 451 second place score. Bert Harrison's team shot 451, and Mrs. Jack Miller's scored 415.

Teams and scores were:

Colville—Colville 99, W. Valin 94, Henry Stevenson 93, R. Thain 92, and Miss Barbara Laing 89.—467.

McEwen — McEwen 99, Mrs. L. Ganzner 93, L. Batley 89, Norman Roscoe 88, Westman Motion 84.—451.

Harrison—Harrison 98, L. Corbett 95, Mrs. J. McEwen 85, J. Creesh 81, F. Waters 74.—431.

Miller—J. Dunnett 90, J. Creech 90, H. McLean 85, L. S. Ganzner 78, Ross Riley 72.—415.

# Soldiers' Letters Read at Procter Institute Meeting

PROCTER, B. C. — The Procter Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. W. Whitely Friday, with Mrs. J. Sewell and Mrs. H. C. Carne as hostesses. Acknowledgments of the receipt of Christmas parcels sent overseas to local boys were read.

A report was received from the Red Cross convenor for work sent to Nelson in January.

This lot included two pairs of sox, five sweaters, one girl's dress, one pair sailor socks.

Miramichi River and River Phillip provided the principal collections of Atlantic salmon eggs in 1941.

**Mother Not to Blame for the Children's Colds**

Despite all the mother can do the kiddies will run out of doors not properly wrapped up; have on too much clothing; get overheated and cool off too suddenly; get their feet wet; kick off the bed clothes, and do a dozen things the mother cannot help.

Half the battle in treating children's colds is to give them something they will like; something they will take without any fuss, and this the mother will find in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, a remedy used by Canadian mothers for the past 48 years.

Price 35c a bottle; the large family size, about 3 times as much, 60c, at all drug counters.

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Guide for Travellers

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# "Soul" Is Subject of Lesson-Sermon

The Christian Science Churches all over the world had for the subject of their Lesson-Sermon on Sunday "SOUL".

The Golden Text was: "Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, we will be glad and rejoice in his salvation" (Isaiah 25: 9)

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "And I will set my tabernacle among you: and my soul shall not abhor you. And I will walk among you, and will be your God, and ye shall be my people" (Lev. 26: 11, 12).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Material sense never helps mortals to understand Spirit,God. Through spiritual sense only, man comprehends and loves Deity. The various contradictions of the Science of Mind by the material senses do not change the unseen Truth, which remains forever intact."

# Slocan Schools Close Owing to Mumps

SLOCAN CITY, B. C.—Dr. A. Francis of New Denver ordered the schools closed here for a few days owing to the prevalence of mumps.

# Dollars Must Aid in Fight, Junior High Is Informed

Because Canadians could not imagine the bestiality and devilishness practiced by the Nazis "doesn't mean that it can't happen here. It can, and will, if we don't fight with our dollars," Rev. Foster Hilliard declared in a Victory Loan address at the Junior High School flag saluting ceremony Monday morning. He suggested any boy with a paper route could buy a $50 bond on the instalment plan; and groups could get together to purchase a bond.

Urging the necessity of all-out support Mr. Hilliard said:

"After the last war, the Allies insisted that the German people set up a republic. The middle class was afraid and did little; the upper class waited on the fence; while the bullies of the Communists and National Socialists (Nazis) battled one another in halls and on the streets. The floods of paper money ruined the middle class, and the upper class sold out to the victorious Nazis. Hitler then started the legend of 'no defeat,' and gave his people the shining goal of world-wide sovereignty. This was what gave them the morale to stand nine years of producing guns instead of butter.

"War is waste and destruction, but it is the only way we can preserve our freedom. The printing-press method of paying for a war ruins what money we would have left, leaving us with absolutely nothing. We must pay for this war out of savings, out of our sweat and abstinence. If our national income is in proportion to that of the U.S.A., then an annual war loan of $600,000,000 would range between 13 and 25 per cent of our national income. Japan has been issuing her equivalent of our $600,000,000 every three months; so we are still far from an all-out war effort. Besides a bond is an investment, not a gift.

"The Government must have money at once. We can pay off these bonds through taxes in the years to come. It may stretch our imagination to think that German law courts pay no attention to law, as we know it, but only to what Hitler wants; and we may have thought that the Indians' torturing of the Roman Catholic priests around Lake Huron was ancient history, never to be repeated; but it is sober fact that Hitler's Storm Troopers in scores of concentration camps are making the Iroquois Indians' methods look like kindergarten stuff . . . No one can stand off by himself and be indifferent. The shadow of this torture falls across us all. Death in battle is sweet compared to torture."

SPEAKS TO CANADA

Dr. Huh Shih, one of the most colorful speakers on the American continent is Dr. Hu Shih, ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary from China to the United States of America. A fluent speaker in the English language, he will speak to the Canadian nation in behalf of Canada's second Victory Loan. Dr. Shih will be heard on the national network of the C.B.C. on Friday, Feb. 20, from 1.30 to 2 p.m. P.D.T. The speech will be re-broadcast on the same day over the Western Regional net work from 8:30-9:00 p.m. P.D.T.

# Canada's Exports Up Over 73 Per Cent

OTTAWA, Feb. 16 (CP). —Canada's role as a producer of war supplies — she ranks third among allied exporters — was sharply underscored tonight in trade figures from the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Additional statistical weight to Munitions Minister Howe's recent statement that Canadian war equipment is going to every battle zone in the world, the Bureau reported that domestic exports increased from $86,921,000 in January, 1941, to $150,520,000 last month, an advance of more than 73 per cent.

STOCKHOLM (CP). — Organized labor and employers in Sweden have agreed on increases of approximately four per cent in pre-war wages of 700,000 employees to cover increases in cost of living.

# Council Will Not Consider Boosting Living Bonus Till 1942 Budget Ready

Nelson City Council will not again consider increasing the cost of living bonus paid to city employees until the 1942 budget is complete. The City is now paying a bonus of $2.50 per month to single men and $5 per month to married men whose salaries or wages are under $2100.

The bonus question was touched off again Monday night by a letter from the Brotherhood of Locomotive Enginemen and Firemen stating the Nelson Local, consisting largely of taxpayers receiving cost of living bonus themselves, felt the bonus should be paid to City employees.

Ald. Ross Fleming, declaring he was not ashamed of his opinion and would not hide behind a committee, felt Council members should be most careful in dealing with ratepayers' money, and must not overburden those who were not receiving a bonus.

**NOT EQUAL, CLAIMS**

In answer to Ald. George Turner he said he doubted the wisdom of the bonus order. Merchants were required to cut margins to hold down prices under the price ceiling but there was no bonus for them. "It should work both ways," he contended.

Ald. T. H. Waters favored "the best wages possible" but refused to give to one man at the expense of another.

When Alderman Turner suggested provision was being made for merchants, Alderman Fleming replied "that still doesn't cover those who are not getting the bonus."

Falling revenues guided the Council in fixing a maximum bonus, for the present, of $5, said Alderman A. E. Mann. He feared the payment of a full bonus might result in cutting service to the point where some not only received no bonus but had no work.

"The whole idea was discussed in committee and it looked as if we were covering up," continued Alderman Fleming. "We hear the criticism, particularly at election time, that all Council business is done in committee and I feel there is a certain amount of justification for that charge. I still feel, however, that committee discussions are necessary at times."

"During my tenure of office anything which has gone to Committee has been properly a subject for discussion in committee," declared Mayor N. C. Stibbs. "There are certain phases of city business which should be discussed in committee, and sometimes it is necessary to go into committee to avoid misinterpretation by the press."

# China Modernizing Amazingly Under Jap Goad, Dr. Auld Tells Rotarians

The people of China, their character and qualities, and the influence of Western civilization on them, were reviewed Monday when Dr. F. M. Auld addressed the Rotary Club at its weekly meeting.

"The Chinese have certain innate qualities," he said, "tolerance, for others' opinions, respect for elders, patience, courtesy, humor, love of peace and hatred of strife. In their form of local government in which all share, is found the basis of democracy."

**WESTERN RELATIONS HELPED**

"Reviewing the influences on China in the past 30 or 40 years we find that one of the most important was the democratic and commercial relations with Britain and the United States. Chinese students went abroad to study the ways of Western civilization, they lived in and absorbed the atmosphere. They absorbed our ways of life and they are applying and modifying these methods in their own country.

"Another great influence on the Chinese people was the Russian revolution. Emmissaries of the Soviet were in China and Chinese students went to Moscow to study the Soviet form of government. The revolution was a potent influence on Chinese thinking and philosophy.

"The missions in China have been important in the development of China as a people; they have provided facilities for friendship between China and the Western world, and the eminent Soong family have been deeply influenced by Christianity and have been endeavoring to put the principles of Christianity into effect.

**JAPANESE AGGRESSION FACTOR**

"The next great influence on China was the encroachments of the Japanese aggression. So far I have named favorable influences but those brought on by the Japanese aggression are directly opposite to the previous ones.

Dr. Auld then spoke of the reactions of the Chinese people to these influences, stating that they had accelerated industrial development and had given rise to new social and cultural relations. "As a result of these influences also," he said, "the New Life movement came into effect and mass education induced a desire for information concerning their country. The army units have reading rooms, theatres and song leaders, for songs are now a progressive part of Chinese life, and free inquiry and discussion on all topics are rampant in China today.

**INDUSTRIALIZATION**

"Industrial development saw factories spring up all over the country, and transportation facilities were erected, motor roads constructed and airline stations set up. Industrial co-operatives produced a concerted effort to develop industry by making use of raw materials, adapting them to the requirements of their domestic life."

Concerning the Japanese aggression Dr. Auld further declared that "the Chinese people have manifested a resistance characterized by religious fervour, courage and zeal. Japanese aggression dates back to 1915, the year of the Twenty-One Demands that caused consternation throughout the length and breadth of the country. These demands would have bound China hand and foot to Japan but the Chinese put up resolute opposition and staved them off. The very fact that Japan is such a great menace has united China all the more. In great misery but in perfect unity millions trekked to the West taking their belongings to free unoccupied territory of China.

"They look to the future with confidence. Decisive action, which in ordinary times would have taken centuries to come about, has been forced by this ordeal. They look to their able leader, General Chiang Kai-shek, outstanding for his unselfish devotion and loyalty to his country; the strategy of a gradual retreat has been successful in lengthening the enemy's lines of communication, and has brought them to the point of exhaustion.

"Gentlemen, if toasts were in order, I would propose a toast to these brave Chinese people who have endured such great suffering, earnestly hoping that they will soon be free to develop their country further."

**R.A.F. ORCHESTRA GUESTS**

The R.A.F. orchestra from Medicine Hat were guests at the luncheon, and throughout the meeting they played three selections; their soloists, Geoff Dawson and L. Frear each sang a solo and followed these with two duets. C. B. Garland gave his sincere thanks to the entertainers on behalf of the Rotary Club. The members of the orchestra were individually introduced to the Club. They were Stephen Cryer, leader of the band, Don Jorden, Frank C. Trafford, Victor H. Wingrave, Ralph Palmer, Bernard Curtis, and Alex T. Shand.

Guests introduced at the meeting were Ross Workman, engineer of Provincial Public Works, a new member of the Rotary Club in Nelson; A. Counsell of New Westminster; M. Metcalf and W. R. Burgess of Vancouver; Gee Pong and Cecil Chang of Nelson; Squadron Leader B. H. Howells, new chaplain at Medicine Hat; Sgt. Pilot R. Bowley, and Sgt. Pilot H. Barker, both of Medicine Hat; Ac. 1 G. Dawson of London, Eng., and Ac 1 L. Frear of Yorkshire; and Dow C. Aldis of Salmo.

President G. R. McLennan was in the chair.

# Kimberley Scores 5 In Last Period

Due to delay in transmission the third period of the Kimberley-Red Deer A.B.C. League hockey game failed to make the sport page. The dynamiters' five goal drive was made as follows:

Third period—2 Kimberley, Hunt 8:20, 3 Kimberley, Kavanagh (Calles) 11:48; 4 Kimberley, Wilson Hunt Holditch) 12:56, 5 Kimberley, Swaney, (Wilson) 17:32, 6 Red Deer, Proulx (Milford) 18:36, 7 Kimberley Calles (Swaney) 18:45. Penalties — Sullivan, Sturk.

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# Contracts Let for Munitions Office, Trail

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 16—The Merry Lumber Company has been awarded the contract to supply lumber for the administration building to be built by the Department of Munitions and Supply at Tadanac. The contract was for $2000.

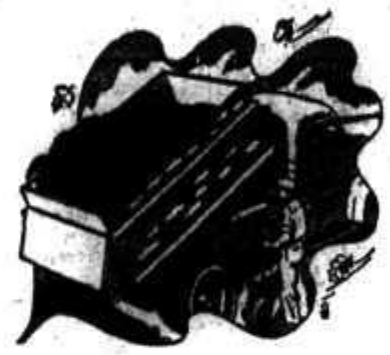
Contracts for other supplies were awarded to the Northern Electric Company, Barret Co., Ltd., McLennan McFeely & Prior, Ltd., and Marshall-Wells, B. C., Ltd., all of Vancouver, and Pioneer Sash & Door Company, Ltd., Vernon.

# A. McAskill Came to Slocan After First Great War

Angus McAskill, Salmo man who died Sunday at Kootenay Lake General Hospital, settled first in the Slocan just after the first World War, and in Salmo five years ago.

Born in Invershire, Scotland, 63 years ago, Mr. McAskill came to Canada as a young man of 23, and five years later came to British Columbia. During the first war he worked in the shipyards at Victoria. Later he and his family made their home in New Denver, and he became well known around Sandon where he worked in many of the mines.

Surving are a son, Robert, and a daughter, Marion, at Salmo; a brother, Donald of Three Forks, now serving in England with the Canadian forces; his mother, a sister, Mrs. M. MacDonald, and another brother, Malcolm, all in Scotland.



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# First Lot of Japs Give Themselves Up to MacArthur

By CLARK LEE
Associated Press Staff Writer

WITH GEN. MACARTHUR ON THE BATAAN PENINSULA, Feb. 15 (delayed) (AP)—The first sizeable group of Japanese—totalling nine—surrendered voluntarily to Gen. Douglas MacArthur's forces today in preference to dying on the battlefield and having their spirits enshrined at Yasukuni.

All previous prisoners have been either wounded and captured or overpowered and disarmed.

The nine yielded meekly enough, walking without guns to a Filipino scout machine-gun position at the Western flank on the Bataan Peninsula, where the leader handed over his notebook, pocketbook, glasses and other personal belongings as a token of submission.

After finding themselves treated well, the nine turned obdurate, refusing to answer a majority of the questions put to them.

Their unit had been surrounded by American-Filipino forces and most of their officers had committed suicide.

Japanese planes had dropped orders to this rgoup to try to swim back to their own lines, then cancelled the orders and told them to assemble at the shore of the China Sea, apparently to await boats which would attempt to evacuate them after their failure to crack the American-Filipino flank. Copies of both orders, however, fell behind Gen. MacArthur's lines, and shore watchers, thus put on the alert, killed many of the swimmers.

## Wins Many Honors in Bataan Battle

WITH GENERAL MacARTHUR ON THE BATAAN PENINSULA, Feb. 16 (Delayed (AP)—Capt. Arthur W. Wermuth of Chicago, a member of a Filipino scout regiment, has killed 116 Japanese and captured many more, his fighting companions revealed today.

He has won the Silver Star for gallantry, the Distinguished Service Cross for extraordinary heroism, and the Purple Heart with two clasps. He has led so many scouting raids he has lost count, and has been wounded three times.

## Provincial Press Asks 'Why' Nazi Ships Escaped

LONDON, Feb. 16 (CP).—Provincial newspapers, reflecting the opinion of the people of Britain outside London, today viewed with the same seriousness as The Press of the capital, the escape from Brest of the German warships Scharnhorst, Gneisenau and Prinz Eugen.

Almost in a body they asked one question: "Why?"

Papers, from the tabloid Glasgow Bulletin (Independent) to the authoritative Manchester Guardian (Liberal), called for an explanation and an investigation of the escape which one of them said "Seems to the ordinary individual uncomfortably like a British defeat."

The editorials reviewed, but refrained from touching on, the political issues arising from the escape. Parliament, however, was advised to give short shrift to any attempts to evade questions which are bound to be asked or to explain them away.

## Rescue Ships May Have Sunk Pair of Nazi U-Boats

AN EAST COAST CANADIAN PORT, Feb. 16 (CP).—Survivors of two recently-torpedoed freighters believe the two Canadian corvettes which rescued them from the Northwestern Atlantic hay have evened the score by sinking a pair of Nazi U-boats. The men, 49 of them, were recovering in hospitals and hostels here today while planes continued a search for 37 of their shipmates still missing.

Thirty-five of those rescued were from a British craft and 14 from a Greek vessel—nine of her crew and five German-Jewish refugees who had taken passage on her. Twelve from the British craft and 25 from the Greek have not yet been located.

## Singapore Refugees Arrive in Bombay

BOMBAY, India, Feb. 16 (CP).—Numbers of refugees from fallen Singapore are arriving in this port, and the Bombay Government has established a special Relief Committee to attend to their needs.

Two thousand Indian refugees already have been billeted with friends and relatives in the interior and European arrivals are being quartered in the homes of resident Europeans here.

## LYNN VALLEY MAN MARKS 100TH BIRTHDAY

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# Axis Strike at Oil Refineries in West Indies, 4 Ships Hit

WILLEMSTAD, Curacao, Dutch West Indies, Feb. 16 (AP)—In the first land attack of the war on the Western hemisphere, an enemy submarine shelled oil installations today on the United States-garrisoned Dutch West Indies Island of Aruba, about 700 miles from the Panama Canal, and torpedoed three tankers off its coast.

A fourth tanker was badly damaged near the harbor of Willemstad, 75 miles East, but did not sink, Aneta news agency reported.

Both islands, sites of the largest and second largest oil refineries in the world, are guarded by American troops cooperating with the Dutch in their defence.

Aneta said only slight damage was done to the refinery of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, target of the submarine's shells on Aruba, and there were no casualties on the island.

Both Aruba and Curacao refine high octane (aviation) gasoline taken from the big wells in Venebuela and Colombia in vast quantities for the Allied war machine.

Recently the Lago Company, the Standard Oil subsidiary on Aruba, announced plans for expansion of its aviation gasoline facilities and the building of a new $10,000,000 processing plant there.

The Royal Dutch Shell Oil Company has some of its largest refineries on Curacao, supplying more than one third of the oil for the British Navy.

The number of casualties among the tanker crews was not learned immediately.

A fourth tanker was torpedoed near Willemstad Harbor and was badly damaged, but did not sink. One person was slightly injured on that vessel.

Aruba, one of the islands of the Netherlands West Indies, is about 800 miles from the Panama Canal.

The others are Curacao, the Bonaire Islands, and three others several hundred miles away from Puerto Rico.

Aruba is the site of the world's largest oil refinery, and Curacao as the second largest. For that reason British marines landed there in May, 1940, to aid authorities in providing protection.

The United States State Department announced on Feb. 11 that United States troops of unstated number had been sent to Aruba and Curacao at the request of the Netherlands Government to operate under direction of the Governor of Curacao.

Aruba's area is about 70 square miles. Curacao's harbor nearby has long been an important shipping centre, with many tankers calling to load Venezuelan oil refined there for the Eastern U. S. seaboard and other markets.

# On The Air

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1942

## CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

### MORNING

7:45—O Canada
7:48—Wake Up and Live (CKLN)
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Sweet Hour of Prayer
8:30—Front Line Family
8:45—Prescott Presents
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Concert Time (CKLN)
9:30—Brotherhood Week Program
9:45—Skitch Henderson, Pianist
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Brad Reynold's Songs
10:15—Songs of the Range
10:30—Edwin LeMar Radio Trio (CKLN)
10:45—Four Polka Dots
11:00—U. S. Army Band
11:30—Music Before Lunch (CKLN)

### AFTERNOON

12:00—B. C. Farm Broadcast
12:25—The Notice Board (CKLN)
12:30—CBC News
12:45—The Balladeer
1:00—CBC News Bulletin
1:03—Talk
1:15—Matinee Melodies (CKLN)
1:30—Columbia School of the Air
2:00—B. C. Schools Broadcast
2:30—Musical Programme
2:45—Three Sun Trio
3:00—The Western Five
3:15—Novelesque
3:30—Wishart Campbell Sings.
3:45—BBC News
4:00—Lee Sweetland, Songs
4:15—Two Piano Team
4:30—Muggsy Spanier's Orch.
4:45—Books of the Day
5:00—News Commentary
5:05—Gentlemen With Wings
5:30—Blended Rhythm

### EVENING

6:00—CKLN's Birthday Party
6:30—Meet the Band (CKLN)
6:45—Evening Varieties (CKLN)
6:25—Victory Loan Talk
7:00—Victory Loan Talk by Hon. Paul McNutt
7:15—Les Concerts Symphoniques
8:00—CBC News
8:15—"Newbridge"
8:30—BBC Radio Newsreel
9:00—Theatre Time
9:30—Britain Speaks
9:45—"As a Matter of Fact"
10:00—South American Serenade
10:30—CBC News
10:45—The Cavaliers
11:00—Gentlemen With Wings
11:30—God Save the King


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TURNIPS: 10 lbs. 25¢
NOODLE SOUP: Lipton's, 2 pkgs. 25¢
SALAD DRESSING: Nalley's, 32 oz. jars, Each 49¢
DICED BEETS: Aylmer, 17 oz. tins, 2 for 23¢
CUT MACARONI: 2 lbs. 15¢
MATCHES: Red Bird, 3 box cartons, carton 32¢
ORANGES: Regular size, 2 doz. 39¢


## Move Chinese Troops Up Into Front Line

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16 (AP)—A Chinese broadcast from Chungking heard here by CBS said today that "with the fall of Singapore the battle of Burma has really begun."

The broadcast said "more and more Chinese troops are being brought up to the front line."

"With proper air protection," the broadcast said, "the Chinese forces fighting side by side with the British and Burmese forces can well out-fight and out-manoeuvre the enemy on land."


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# Parents' Duty to Teach Children Care of Property

By Gerry Cleveland Myers, Ph.D.

THE OTHER DAY I passed by group of eleven children from ight to twelve years of age playing front of a large vacant house. noted with much distress that me of these children were jump- g on the beautiful hedge about e specious lawn and bearing down it until it reached the ground hen I returned half an hour later me of the same children were ill destroying that hedge, leaving wreck. Not one child of the roup at either time attempted to strain the destroyers.

One would like to believe that ildren from economically secure milies would be among the best itizens of a city.

This destruction could not have ppened had the parents made it practice to know where their ildren were and if, moreover, e children had learned at home have due regard for the posses- ons of other people.

How grossly absurd that these ildren should be destroying their eighbor's home. This is a prob- m of civilian defense that the av- rage mother in America has not wakened to; cultivation of good itizenship in the tots and runa- outs at home.

**Solving Parent Problems**

Q. At what age can the average ild walk alone?

A. From a year to fifteen months age.

## Kaslo Altar Society Plans Card Party

KASLO, B. C.—The ladies of e Altar Society of the Catholic hurch met at the home of Mrs. N. Murphy. Reports showed that ter all bills were paid, a nice alance remained.

Plans for the St. Patrick's An- ual Celebration were discussed. was decided to hold a mixed ist and Bridge Drive this year. After the meeting the ladies were rved war time refreshments.

## C.C.F. HAS CARDS AND DANCE, SALMO

SALMO, B. C.—The C. C. F. card party and dance was a great success with 18 tables in play. Prizes went to Mrs. A. Morris, Mrs. Messinger, Mr. McDonald, Mr. Purdy, Mrs. F. Dorey, Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. C. Anderson and Mrs. P. Peters.

## KASLO

KASLO, B. C.—Mrs. Robert Sherraden of Ainsworth was in Kaslo for a couple of days and atended the annual meeting of the I. O. D. E.

Frank H. Abey has gone to the Praire to purchase pedigreed horses and Jersey cows.

Mayor F. E. Archer, who has been ill, is reported much better, although not yet able to leave his home.

Mrs. Cosgriff, who has been ill in the Victorian Hospital, is now convalescing at the home fo Mrs. Frank Abey.

Fred Hendricks, Manager of the Bank of Montreal in Regina, and Mrs. Hendricks, were in town on Wednesday. They will return home Thursday evening, and Mr. Hendricks' mother, who has been ill at the Kootenay Lake General Hospital, Nelson, will go with them for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hendricks of Nelson were also in Kaslo on Thursday.

Mrs. Ernest Reisterer went to Nelson at the first of the week to meet her husband, who will spend his furlough here.

D. W. Hayter of Vancouver is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Fred Ayden, who is ill in the hospital.

## CRANBROOK

CRANBROOK, B. C.—Rev. Callum Thompson left Wednesday morning for the Presbytery meeting at Nelson. Mrs. McFarlane, lay representative and Rev. Moore of Invermere accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Alexander of Kimberley visited in town Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Steward and child of Canyon are visiting in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones arrived home Tuesday morning from Calgary where they spent their honeymoon.

Mrs. Johnstone, sister of W. H. Wilson, who has been visiting at his home for the past few months, will leave Saturday morning for her home in New Westminster.

Sensations . . .

# Old Conditioned Reflexes Cured by Treatment

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M.D.

Animals can be conditioned to exhibit nearly any sort of bodily change by carefully conditioning them to respond to certain sensation—the ringing of a bell, a painful pinch on the skin, a drop of acid on the tongue.

I have heard of a patient who was supposed to be allergic to onions. One evening she entered the dining room and saw on the rug what apparently were onion peelings. She immediately developed a conjunctivities and stopped-up nose. But they weren't onion peelings at all—only small cuttings of white paper.

**DRAFT REFLEX?**

Some people get cold when they sit in a draft. The draft reflex leads to mucous membrane congestion. The proverbial contest between those who want the windows open and those who want them closed shows that everybody does not experience this reflex.

People who have cold hands and cold feet are often that way because of a conditioned reflex, depending upon some experience in early life. Sometimes this vasomotor reaction goes on to a spasm of the small blood vessels so that tissue destruction occurs—the condition known as Raynaud's Disease.

I know of one such patient whose attack started on a Winter day at the funeral of her mother. Afterward, all she had to do was to recall the loss of her mother to produce perfectly white, blanched fingers and toes.

In the treatment of such cases, good results are obtained by sitting down with the patient and going over the circumstances of his early life and pointing out the particular events which caused him to have a conditioned reflex all through his adult life. Such treatment is being widely used in medical clinics today with good results, even in diseases that have an apparently partial organic basis.

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

M. L. G.: My child, two and a half years old, wakes up every morning with his eyes and lids inflamed. Could this be caused from his eyes being weak?

Answer: No. It is undoubtedly an inflammation of the eyelid or conjunctiva, and should be treated by your family doctor.

## CASTLEGAR

CASTLEGAR, B.C. — Mrs. R. Wadey entertained at two tables of bridge recently. High score was won by Mrs. D. A. Shea. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Guests were Mrs. D. A. Shea, Mrs. O. N. Askew, Mrs. J. Morrison, Mrs. J. Toogood, Mrs. M. N. McKenzie, Mrs. N. J. Donesley and Mrs. W. Devitt.

Corporal W. R. Atkinson of the R.C.A.F. visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. Atkinson this week.

Allan Davis of the R.C.A.F., Vancouver, is a guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Killough.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Riley, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Riley, left for Rossland Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Dunlop were Trail visitors Tuesday.

CASTLEGAR, B. C.—Miss Betty Bird of South Slocan was a visitor to Castlegar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Watson of Rossland visited Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Donesley.

Mrs. A. S. Gripich and children, Barbara and Gordon spent the week-end in Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Appleby of Trail were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. Simms.

Ed Doucett and Miss Minnie Bergen of Trail were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Donesley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Whittaker and Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoplund visited Trail Saturday evening.

C. Donesley of Vancouver arrived to take a position with his brother, N. J. Donesley.

S. H. Hopkins was a Sunday visitor to Castlegar.

Mrs. J. P. Taylor entertained Friday in honor of her daughter Shirley's seventh birthday. Games were played. The supper table was gaily decorated in the valentine motif. Mrs. J. Dunlop assisted the hostess in serving. Guests were Joanne Dunlop, Doris Riley, Babs Aston, Barbara Gripich, Dawn Jenks, Gale Wallner, Joan Hostetter and Patty Rigby.

The Kinnaird Group of the Castlegar Refugee Knitting Club held its weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. M. Zubick. Those present were Mrs. R. White, Mrs. H. Anderson, Mrs. J. E. Thatcher, Mrs. J. Wisted, Mrs. G. Bird, Mrs. M. Parker and Mrs. J. Ruane.

LONDON (CP).—Hundreds of ice-cream wagons have been converted into huge "urns" and at R. A. F. stations steaming cups of tea are passed out to airmen returning from long flights over enemy territory.

# Hints for Housewives

By BETSY NEWMAN

TODAY'S MENU
Liver with Bacon Gravy
Boiled Potatoes
Mashed Carrots and Turnips
Vegetable Salad
Chocolate Blanc Mange
Tea

**LIVER WITH BACON GRAVY**

1½ pounds sliced liver, salt and pepper, ½ cup flour, ¼ cup bacon fat, 2 cups boiling water, 2 cups evaporated milk or 3 cups milk.

Sprinkle with salt and pepper roll in flour and brown slowly on both sides in hot fat. Remove liver from fat and add 1-3 cup flour to fat remaining in pan, a little salt and pepper, and stir until smooth. Add water gradually, stirring constantly, boil until mixture begins to thicken, then add milk and continue cooking until thickened if you use the water and evaporated milk. Serve on hot biscuits which have been split, and garnish with crisp slices of bacon if you wish.

**CHOCOLATE BLANC MANGE**

1 quart milk, 3 tablespoons cornstarch, 1 cup sugar, ½ cup grated chocolate, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Mix cornstarch with a little of the milk, add to it the sugar, chocolate and gradually blend in the remaining milk and beaten egg and cook until thick. When cold serve with cream.

Interference . . .

# In-Laws Put Happy Marriage on Rocks

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Dear Miss Fairfax: My husband and I have been separated for several months after going together for 3 years and being married for a year and a half. We have one baby.

The cause of our separation was the mother-in-law, who lived next door and always got into our business affairs. Some time ago my husband started drinking and staying out late. Of course I'd gotten after him for doing that and leaving me alone at home. It seems every time we fussed one of his relations interfered, and gradually he turned against me.

I still love him and I am more than sure he still cares for me, but his people do not let him alone. He comes to see the baby very often and gives me money to buy his needs but we do not talk to each other, and that breaks my heart. I stay home with my parents.

UNHAPPY.

Frequently correspondents have accused me of being a special pleader for mothers-in-law. But your case seems to be the exception. Inasmuch as you love your husband, and I'm sure he loves you, it's the worst kind of folly to allow meddlesome in-laws to have brought about this separation. The next time your husband comes to see the baby, talk things out with him. Tell him you're willing to give your marriage a second trial, but you want to live as far away from your in-laws as possible.

If he meets you half way, I think it more than likely you will be able to make a go of your marriage. If this does happen, don't criticise his family.

LONDON (CP)—Clothes rationing is making people more anxious to retrieve their lost property but it isn't making them more careful. Percentage of articles left in vehicles returned to their owners is 44, compared with 33 per cent before the war.

# Girdle Shortage Would Make You Look to Muscles

By IDA JEAN KAIN

Experts in charge of wartime production point out that girdles take rubber. Our sources of crude rubber have been cut off and there is a limit not only to the reclaimed rubber but to the number of times it can be reclaimed. Furthermore, the reclaimed rubber tends to lose its elasticity—which means there's no two-way stretch about it.

Then there is the possibility that our corset manufacturers may be called upon to make garments for our fighting forces.

So I don't know what will happen to our girdle industry. But if there should be a shortage of girdles the rationing might well be on a health basis so that the women who actually need such support can obtain it on a doctor's prescription.

The others should be able to do without very nicely. It is the height of the ridiculous to say, as one prominent designer did, that women would lose their self-confidence and would not be able to work as effectively in the defense program without the beautifying influence of their girdles. When it comes to choice between vanity and survival, I am pretty sure that vanity will not count for much.

Fortunately, you can always reclaim your muscles. You have a natural girdle which is perfectly capable of holding your organs in their proper position.

## HONOR NAKUSP VISITOR

NAKUSP, B.C.—Mrs. F. Horrey of Vancouver, a former resident of Nakusp, who is visiting town, was honored by the Pythian Sisters of Myrtle Temple, No. 16, at a social hour. Whist prize winners were Mrs. F. Horrey, Mrs. F. Mayoh, Mrs. R. Buerge, Mrs. L. Hascarl, Mrs. J. R. Humphris, Mrs. O. Salstrom and Miss C. Salstrom.

# Movie Girls Make Forward Quilt Blocks to Red Cross

MOYIE, B. C. — Moyie girl Scouts have forwarded fifteen blocks for the making of a quilt to the Red Cross. The girls range in ages from 7 to 14 years, they spend one hour and one-half every Friday afternoon after school making patch quilt blocks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Smith. Girls taking part in this effort are Gerry Conrad, Lois Andrews, Stella and Gladys George, Viola McFarlane, Joyce Champion and Shirley Conrad.

## FRUITVALE COUPLE HONORED AT SHOWER

FRUITVALE, B.C.—Complimenting Mr. and Mrs. E. Sadler, whose marriage took place recently, the Ladies' Friendly Club were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower and dance in the Community Hall.

The Hall was decorated with pink and green streamers.

Cards were followed by the presentation of lovely gifts. Supper was served by the members and dancing concluded the evening.


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SERIAL STORY . . . . . By JERRY BRONDFIELD

# No Refuge From Love

CHAPTER TWO
(Continued)

Molla dressed slowly and carefully, yet she wanted to be ready in time. Mr. Whitworth had told her his son would pick her up at 7:30. She looked at her watch. She had an hour.

Would Mr. Whitworth's son be tall," she mused, or short? Would he be light or dark? Would he be handsome or—but of course, he would be handsome. She had noticed that about Americans almost immediately.

Molla peered intently into the mirror as she dabbed powder on her nose. Well, she was part American, too. She was very proud of her father. Her mother, too, of course, but she was glad her father had come from—how did they pronounce it again? Oh, yes—Connecticut. She must remember that to sound that second 'C' Not Con-EC-cut.

She slipped into a French blue wool dress, set off by a garnet clip at the neckline. She hoped they would like it. Her wardrobe was limited. In fact she had been lucky as it was, to escape from Norway with as much as she did. No, she wasn't going to worry much about something as unimportant as a dress.

When she was through dressing she sat down and tried to read. She felt nervous, waiting for the people who were giving her a fresh start in life. Over and over again she vowed she would make them like her.

The telephone rang and it startled her. "Hello," she said.

The voice on the other end was pleasant and light. "Hello," it replied. "This is Taylor Whitworth. Are you Molla Glendon?"

"Y-yes," she said, "and—"

"Well, I'm awfully sorry, but do you mind if I keep you waiting another 30 minutes. I discovered my car had a flat tire when I went to pick it up at the garage. I'll be around as quickly as possible."

"That will be perfectly all right," she said and he hung up.

Anti-climax, she thought. More waiting. More nervousness. Somehow this wasn't quite fair.

The 30 minutes seemed like an hour, and then the phone rang again.

"I'm down in the lobby," Taylor Whitworth told her. "Coming down or should I come up? Maybe I'd better come up, because how will you recognize me down here? Okay with you? Here I come."

"Why—why, I'm—"

Bit he had hung up.

Two minutes later there was the knock at her door.

She opened it and smiled into the face of the tall young man before her.

She held out her hand, slightly hesitant. "I'm Molla," she said, "and I'm sorry to cause you all this trouble."

Tay Whitworth looked at her and blinked. "You—you're Mol—"

He looked at her hard and drew in his breath. He couldn't be mistaken. Molly Glendon was the girl he and Neil had seen skating at Rockefeller Plaza earlier in the day. Wait till Neil sees her, he thought.

"And I said you had two left feet," he mumbled queerly.

She cocked her head quizzically. "What was that?"

"Never mind . . . let's go," he said exultantly. "We've got to start getting acquainted."

"I hope that doesn't take too long," Molla said, and then felt herself blush. "I don't mean that, I mean—"

"I don't care what you mean," he grinned, "but you've got good idea there. Hallelujah, this is my lucky day!"

(To Be Continued)


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Made from olden, crudely ground flour, this rich, entire-wheat bread provided most of the *natural wheat vitamins*, in the proportions natural to the whole wheat kernel

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## Mrs. Shea's Speech on Victory Loan, Not on Plebiscite

CASTLEGAR, B.C.—Strong support for the Victory Loan campaign was given by Mrs. D. Shea at the annual meeting of Lillian Killough Chapter I.O.D.E.

No mention was made of the plebiscite on conscription, which is a political question, with which the I.O.D.E. does not deal.

# NELSON SOCIAL

By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

HONOR DR. TUTTLE

• The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Radcliffe, Hendryx Street, was the scene of a happy gathering Sunday night following divine services at Trinity United Church, when they were hosts at an informal reception honoring Dr. Aubrey S. Tuttle, M.A., D.D., LL.D., of Edmonton, Moderator of the United Church of Canada who left yesterday after several days in Nelson. He attended the Kootenay Lake Presbytery during which time he was a guest of Lt. Col. and Mrs. George A. Hoover, 1403 Front Street. The spacious living rooms were adorned with red red potted tulips and other spring blossoms. Mrs. G. G. Boothroyd and Mrs. J. R. McLennan presided at the tea table centered by a silver bowl of pussy willows and daffodils. Others assisting included Mrs. William Brown, who invited guests to tea, Mrs. J. C. Loomer, Mrs. H. H. Hiatt, Mrs. G. Nagle, Mrs. Kenneth Hicks, Mrs. T. H. Smith, Mrs. W. C. Kettlewell, Mrs. K. A. Truman, Mrs. G. C. Arneson and Mrs. Floyd L. Irwin. Guests numbering about 100 included members of the congregation and various Nelson citizens.

• Mrs. George Lee-Warner of Vancouver, and her sister, Mrs. D. T. Fotheringham of Calgary, have arrived to be with their mother during the serious illness of their father, George A. Hunter, Edgewood Avenue.

• Among the clergymen here last week attending the Kootenay Presbytery were Rev. Callum Thompson of Cranbrook, who was guest of Captain and Mrs. J. MacDonald, Hoover Street, also Rev. W. P. Bunt of Vancouver, Superintendent of Missions, who was at the home of Mrs. L. Hanna, Cedar Street.

• E. H. (Gene) Hird of Slocan City spent yesterday in town.

RETURN TO AINSWORTH

• Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burns and babies of Ainsworth returned yesterday after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Denison, over the weekend.

• Mr. and Mrs. Aylmer Coates of Bonningion visited Mr. Coates' parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Coates, Victoria Street, yesterday.

• Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Rowley, Stanley Street, have as guests Ac. 1 Larry Sgare of London, and Ac. 1 Jess Dawson of Bradford, who are stationed on the prairie.

• Mr. and Mrs. D. Maloney, Anderson Street, had as guest, Rev. H. J. Armitage and Mrs. Armitage of Kaslo, Mr. Armitage having come to attend the Kootenay Presbytery.

• Mrs. C. S. Horsfield of Willow Point, spent yesterday in town.

TAKE R.C.A.F. TEST

• John Bradley, Bob Proudfoot and Peter Robinson left yesterday by motor for Calgary for their R.C.A.F. medical examination.

• R. A. Aldersmith, Observatory Street, leaves today for Waneta to relieve Customs Officer Warren Crowe for a week.

• Mrs. Margaret Harrop, who teaches at Salmo, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Riesterer, Robson Street.

• Mrs. Rushton was in town from Nakusp at the weekend.

• Mrs. D. Crowther is visiting the Aldersmith home, Observatory Street.

• Percy Young of Nakusp was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. McL. Campbell, 717 Hall Street.

• Shoppers in town yesterday included Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Boelle of Sheep Creek.

• Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wallace, Cedar Street, had as guest during the Kootenay Presbytery, Mrs. MacFarland of Cranbrook, while Rev. J. H. Matthews and James Stockwell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Lynch, 466 Gore Street.

• Mrs. Buerge of Nakusp visited Nelson at the weekend.

VISITING CALGARY

• Walter S. Fisher, Victoria Street, has left on a couple of weeks visit to Calgary, stopping en route home at Lethbridge and Fernie.

• Mrs. J. M. Armstrong, Silver King Road, had as guest during the Kootenay Presbytery, Rev. J. Lyn Clerihue of Trail.

• Mr. and Mrs. Allan Harper, Latimer Street, have as guests Mrs. Harper's parents, Staff Sergeant Andy Kraft and Mrs. Kraft, who have arrived from the Coast on a couple of weeks furlough.

• Robert Andrews, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Andrews, expects to leave tomorrow for the prairie where he is attached to the R.C.A.F.

# Nelson's Victory Loan Pledge Flag Is Unfurled as Drive for $470,000 Opens; Flag Ceremony Is Symbolic

Nelson's Victory Loan pledge flag floats high above the flag-draped streets—symbol and promise in the campaign launched when it was unfurled Monday morning. The Second Victory Loan campaign is under way, the objective for the City of Nelson is $470,000, of which citizens generally are asked for $415,000 and firms and independent residents for $60,000. Canvassers are now making their calls.

Clear and sharp, the sun rising behind the mountain bastion to the east of the city with a promise of light and warmth, the weather epitomized the task . . . the job ahead clearly and sharply defined, and in its accomplishment the promise of the future.

There was a great deal that was symbolic in the flag raising ceremony at Baker and Ward Streets Monday morning. Minutes before it opened No. 1 Platoon, No. 29 Company of the Veterans Guard, led by the Kootenay Kilties Band and the fighting skirl of the pipes, marched to the job at hand. At the scene representatives of another fighting force, the R.A.F. dance band from No. 34 S.F.T.S., Medicine Hat, led citizens in the "O Canda."

ROYAL SALUTE

Mayor N. C. Stibbs placed the challenge of the campaign before the citizens. As Lt. G. A. McTaggart, comanding, snapped the Veterans Guard to the salute, Bugler W. Cookson of the Guards' company headquarters sounded the royal salute. A representative of the church, Rev. J. G. Holmes, asked for God's blessing on the Victory Loan campaign and prayed "that we as well as our sailors, soldiers, and airmen may do our duty."

Then came the final dedication of "God Save the King," citizens went their way, and the pipes led the Guards back to barracks, the immediate task completed.

THE JOB IN HAND

There in the morning itself and in the ceremony lay the story of the job in hand—the opening of the drive, the sharp delineation of the objective, the attainment of the goal.

Mayor Stibb's message as Chairman of the Nelson Victory Loan Executive was a direct appeal to the citizens to greet canvassers warmly and by purchasing bonds to show "a real desire to make our fighting forces the best equipped in the world."

Small investors might tip the scales for victory.

"Do not worship your dollar and sacrifice the boys who are doing your bit," he urged. "Come forward. Show the rest of the Dominion that we are worthy."

# Man's Extremity Is God's Opportunity Asserts Moderator at Trinity Church

"There are signs everywhere that man's extremity is God's opportunity, and if we turn to him for guidance he will lead us along paths that come out somewhere," asserted Rt. Rev. Dr. A. C. Tuttle, Edmonton, Moderator of the United Church in Canada, in a sermon at Trinity United Church Sunday night. The congregations of St. Paul's and Trinity, joined by other Nelson residents, filled the commodious church.

It was not only the moderator's Sunday, but also the opening day of the Victory Loan campaign, and in response to the plea of Rev. G. G. Boothroyd, Minister, for support of the loan, the company sang as a pledge and prayer, "God Save the King."

R.A.F. REPRESENTATIVES

Further broadened by the presence in Nelson of men from the R.A.F. school at Medicine Hat, the service included participation by representatives of the school. Sqdn. Ldr. B. H. Howells, Chaplain of No. 34 S.F.T.S., read the lesson. Aircraftman L. Frear sang "God Send You Back to Me," and Aircraftmen, Dawson offered "Is Not His Word Like a Fire," from Mendelssohn's "Elijah".

The anthem, directed by C. C. Halleran, choir leader, was Dickinson's "For All Who Watch," with Mrs. M. J. Stallwood singing the soprano and Mrs. James Johnston the contralto solo.

Rev. Foster Hilliard of St. Paul's shared the platform.

GOD RULING

Dr. Tuttle, basing his sermon on the text "He leadeth me into the paths of righteousness," declared "already we can see good coming out of evil," evidence that God was ruling the affairs of men.

He saw five examples to prove this: 1, "People are being driven to seek deeper sources of light and guidance", 2, "the democracies of the world are being drawn closer together, reaching toward world order", 3, there is a growing demand for the exercise of the principle of democracy—equal opportunity for individuals and groups—within the democracies, 4, demand for extension of that principle to international relations and 5, more widespread recognition that God and the things of God must be employed in the building of a new world order.

LONDON, Feb. 16 (CP).—Reuters quoted today a Stockholm Tidningen dispatch from Berlin as reporting Hitler had ordered his new munitions minister, Albert Speer, to begin immediate construction of fortifications on the Norwegian coast.

# TRAIL SOCIAL

By MISS KAY LOWDON

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 16—Miss Mary Anderson, who recently returned from Kobe, Japan, visited Trail Tuesday and Wednesday, addressing the Women's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church. She left Wednesday for Vancouver.

Wireless Sgt. Nello Melatini, Royal Canadian Air Force, arrived in Trail Sunday on leave.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Stevenson of Maidstone, Sask., are on a month's visit to Trail, guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Keyes.

Mrs. C. J. Garrett and son, Norman, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson, from Kaslo.

Mrs. George Ward has returned to Vallican after visiting her sons, A. Ward and Cecil Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hilder and son are visiting Mrs. Hilder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Montgomery, at Camp Lister.

Mrs. G. Heywood, of Crawford Bay, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. Tinline, Warfield.

The Daly Club of the East Trail United Church held a successful Valentine Tea in the Church Hall Wednesday afternoon. Guests were welcomed by Mrs. J. L. Clerihue and Mrs. F. Attaway. The hall was decorated in the Valentine motif of hearts and cupids by Mrs. H. Smith and Mrs. H. Bailey. Mrs. A. McWhinnie, Mrs. J. S. Daly, and Mrs. W. J. Endicott, presided at the silver tea urns at a table charminly set with ecru lace tablecloth centred with red and white carnations and flanked by lighted white tapers. Tickets were received in a cut glass bowl by Mrs. T. Reid. The novelty table was in charge of Mrs. H. Barsness and Mrs. B. Crawford, and the home cooking in charge of Mrs. N. Morrison and Mrs. W. McDougall. Mrs. J. Nicholson was general convener, and serviteurs were Mrs. F. W. Goldsbury, Mrs. C. B. Smith, Mrs. T. Grieves, Mrs. A. Sacava, Mrs. N. Armstrong, Mrs. W. J. Endicott, Mrs. J. Kemp, Mrs. E. Davies and Mrs. R. Birk. An added novelty was the popcorn table featuring an electric popper, with Mrs. W. McNaughton in charge. Assisting in the kitchen were Mrs. J. Nicholson, Mrs. H. Bailey, Mrs. S. Findlay, Mrs. L. Partridge, Mrs. W. Jacobson and Mrs. H. Smith.

Two very charming weddings, with two sisters, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Honore Neveu, of Marcelline, Sask., as brides, were held Feb. 9. The first was held in St. Francis Xavier Rectory, uniting Miss Theresa Neveu and Ward Kison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Kison, of Mayerthorpe, Alta., and the second ceremony was held immediately afterward in St. Francis Xavier Church, when Miss Mary Neveu became the bride of Donald Cournoyer, formerly of Sandbeach, Sask. Rev. D. O'Carrol officiated at both ceremonies, and each sister attended the other, as bridesmaid, and matron of honor, respectively. Donald Cournoyer was groomsman at the Cournoyer-Neveu wedding. Miss Theresa Neveu looked charming in a floor-length white chiffon gown, with bishop sleeves. Her flower-embroidered bodice was enhanced by a deep shirred waistline. She wore a finger tip veil of white net, held in place by a coronet of lillies-of-the-valley, and carried a bouquet of red carnations. Miss Mary Neveu was daintily attired in a deep pink chiffon gown, also floor length, with short sleeves, offset by a shirred crepe bodice and deep shirred waistline of the same material. Her net veil was also deep pink with a lilly-of-the-valley coronet, and her bouquet was of deep pink and white carnations. During the church ceremony, the junior choir sang the nuptial mass, with Miss Annie Sisel as organist, and Miss Inna Lanridge sang the solo "As Pants the Hart." The bride's sister, Mrs. W. A. MacKenzie entertained at a luncheon at her home, 1150 Bay Avenue, and later, a dinner was served in the Blue Room of the Crown Point Hotel, with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. George Denis, Miss June Neveu, J. Coveney, Kenneth Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. John Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Neveu, Mr. and Mrs. E. Casavant, E. Neveu, Mr and Mrs. B. Brown, Mr. and Mrs Jack Goulding, and Cecil White as guests. Following the dinner, the bridal party were entertained at the home of the bride's other sister Mrs George Denis. Both couples are residing in Trail.

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## Rubber From Coke and Oil

Will the Kootenay be contributing indirectly toward the production of synthetic rubber?

Sounds funny, doesn't it? But one of the bases of the new synthetic rubber is derived from benzol and is a by-product of the coke industry.

And we have a large coke industry in the Crow's Nest Pass, and a tiny one, itself a by-product of the city's gas business, at Nelson.

We are told from Ottawa that the United States and Canada have adopted as standard a type of synthetic rubber called "Buna S," which is based primarily on by-products of petroleum and coke.

Plans have been completed in the United States for plants expected to be in rubber production by January 1, 1943, on the first half of a 400,000-tons-a-year program. A Canadian base plant is expected to be in operation early in 1943 but there has not yet been any indication of the amount of rubber to be produced in Canada or the date other essential plants in the process will be producing.

Research in the manufacture of synthetic rubber has been carried on for some years and some 17 different processes have been developed but in peacetime, with a supply of crude rubber readily available, they have been considered too costly to warrant any large-scale projects.

In most of the processes chlorine is essential and, in war, demands for chlorine far exceed the supply. In the "Buna S" type the use of chlorine is entirely avoided and this is considered one of the most important results from a pooling of patents.

The petroleum contribution to "Buna S" is a chemical known as Butadiene which is available from natural gas, alcohol and acetylene as well as from petroleum.

Styrene, the other base, comes from Benzol and is a by-product of the coke industry.

United States officials say they have sufficient material in sight for half their 400,000-ton program. In addition to Butadiene and Styrene some 20 other chemicals are required but quantities are small and no serious production problems are anticipated.

In the United States it is proposed to produce Butadiene as a by-product in the 100-octane gasoline plants now being constructed to produce aviation gasoline.

Dr. E. R. Weidlein, of the chemical staff of the United States office of production management, has given assurance that the extraction can be made without cutting down the amount of aviation gasoline produced or restricting the output of other petroleum products.

## Today's Horoscope

The fortunes and pleasures of those who have birthdays today expand through their own courage and initiative and through the help of others during the next year. They should push their business, but look for some sudden annoyance. They will enjoy singular success in business all their lives if they study themselves and learn to discriminate between their many talents, and learn to select the one that best suits their natures. Such people usually enjoy happy marriages. Born on this date a child will generally be successful in business and love, and gain through elderly relatives and friends, especially women, travel and correspondence, but be likely to sudden business obstacles.

## War—25 Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

Feb 17, 1917—British advance on the River Ancre; German positions north and south of Miraumont captured and 763 prisoners taken. Speaker J. W. Lowther of the British House of Commons declared no terms could be made with the present German government.

## Etiquette Hints

If you like to talk and to tell stories to your friends, learn to do it entertainingly, but do not monopolize the conversation. Let others have a chance to talk too.

## ?? Questions ?? ANSWERS

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

G. C., Grand Forks—Could you tell me where I could get a booklet or circular about Wartime wages and cost of living bonus, order (P.C. 8253)?

Write National Labour Board, Ottawa.

E. C., Elko—Is it probable that an American who has now been naturalized as a Canadian will be granted American citizenship again?

There are no particular difficulties, but for full information write giving details to Department of Immigration, Washington, D. C.

Scotia, Cranbrook—Our lodge intends putting on a banquet, social and dance. Is it correct procedure to send the concert artists complimentary tickets?

Complimentary tickets for the artists is a custom that is generally observed.

H. B., Marysville—Will you give me a list of war industries in Canada? Has the C. M. &S. been proclaimed one yet?

Such a list is much too long to publish in the space available. The C. M. & S. Company is definitely a war industry.

B. O. J., Ymir—Please give me the name and address of a chick hatchery in Calgary or thereabouts that sells Black Minorca baby chicks. Do any hatcheries in B. C. have these chicks for sale?

The following firms do not definitely state that Black Minorcas are for sale but we think that they probably can supply these chicks: Alberta Electric Hatcheries, 2417 B One-A Street, S. E., Calgary; Stewart Electric Hatcheries, 602 12th Avenue West, Calgary; The Pringle Electric Electric Hatcheries, 228 17 Avenue East, Calgary; Rump & Sendall, Box N, Langley Prairie, B. C.

O. L., Nelson—Would you please tell me the name and address of the President or Secretary of the Eagles Lodge?

F. Maco is President of the Eagles Lodge, Nelson.

M. H. Y., Edgewood—How much sugar may one householder procure and make into marmalade and jam during the year?

A householder may purchase sugar to one half the weight of oranges purchased to make marmalade. The amount allowed for jam making has not been announced yet.

Reader, Nelson—If the Government has to have the money why shouldn't people loan it without interest?

The Government offers a fair rate of interest on the money which it borrows through Victory Loans in order to induce people to save and lend it to the Government. It is hiring the savings of the people just the same as it hires the services of munition workers or civil servants, and it pays a price which is fair and reasonable. As a matter of fact, the cost of borrowing in this war is only about one-half the rate paid during the last war. $7 million has been loaned to the Government without interest but the needs are so many times this that it is necessary to pay a fair rate in order to secure the tremendous amounts which are required.

## Words of Wisdom

There are two kinds of politeness; one says, "See how polite I am"; the other, "I would make you happy."—Tomlinson.

## Test Yourself

1. Where is the longest canal in the world?
2. Which city is farther west, Reno, Nev., or Los Angeles, Calif.?
3. Of what do great areas of the land in central and western Australia consist?

TEST ANSWERS

1. In China; extending from Hangchow North to Tientsin.
2. Reno, Nev.
3. Of desert.

## Verse

A LITTLE HELPIN' HAND

De Government she hev' bonds to buy
De Axis need mor' sock in de eye,
We need mor' cash they say down East
Wel' dont you squawk, it som' day cease,
De Axis get too fa' from home
Dey Wop's we chase dem bac' to Rome,
De Hun's we wipe right off de map
Dey sure is dam dirty rat'

She alway' want to fight by gar
So den dey start another war,
When dey is gettin' smacked real hard
Den dey start lyin' lak dey was mad,
I guess maybe so it mak' dem sore
When dey Yanks step up and smak dem more,
Dat Hitler guy he one big fool
Dat guy he need go bac' to school

And does little brown spots you see
Are Japs who think dey is on a spree,
Hitler say, you Japs go fight.
So we fix hem quick, when you buy right,
Does bonds to give our boys dem ships
Oh! boy; den watch dem Axis slip,
Jes see what happen' on M'scow front
Dose Huns get cold feet and den dey slump

Dey should be warm by now, by gar
Dey has run plenty fast and far.
Tanks and plines dey help you bet
Dey put dem bac' plenty mor' yet.
Your dollars mak' ships and take dem o'er
And shells and guns and things for war,
I think I some more dollars save
And help buy guns for lads so brave

My money I get bar' again I know
For de Government she tell me so.
I'm glad I can do dis bit by gar,
For it help dem boys who go to war,
When dose boys come bac'. It will be fine
Dey will finish it right, I know dis time
My money she help do this by gum,
For she help to pay for lots of guns.

V. W. I. L.

Nelson, B. C.

## Bonds or Bondage

By G. S. REES

Millions of words through medium of press, radio and platform boosting the second Victory Loan have already reached us. As many more will follow; these couple of hundred or so additional words dropped into the 'millstream' will cause but a ripple!

The current campaign has been expertly and accurately surveyed from a professional viewpoint ;the layman can only pray for a minor revelation of a hitherto unexplored slant.

Whatever else excuse is pleaded, none can claim exemption for lack of informative appeal; the meticulous manner in which signature on the dotted line is being styled offers no reason for its withholding except an unwillingness to become a bond-holder, the sole purpose of which is to provide redemption from bondage.

If circumstances deny the privilege of our standing alongside Canada's fighting forces—the proudest place of all—then we must smash Hitlerism and other dictatorial militarism by furnishing the tools to finish the job. Our defenders under homely and alien skies, a-wing, afield and afloat, literally cry out for weapons of war. How can we retain self-respect if we ignore the urgency in face of the catastrophic calamities of the immediate present!

SAVE TO SERVE

Our kith and kin who are figthing our battles have set aside their hopes and their safeties that other, lesser men—may live with very moment? The only army of occupation them, in what position would we be at this and freely think their thoughts aloud. But for unbowed heads, have their faiths untouched, we ever wish to see in Canada is that which is willing to salute our flag, obey our laws and work, in peace, for the continuing realization of mankind's unalienable birthright.

A striking Victory Loan billbroad poster—Victory the only acceptable synonym for peace—depicts a mother and child who have not been spared the Moloch of bomb and fire in their peaceful ways.

The old generation, we old fogeys, if you like, are primarily responsible for the present mess because our complacency shackled will and purpose to clean up the aftermath of World War No. 1. The bitter tragedies of Wold War No. 2 mock us for our past weaknesses. There can be little or no apology to offer the rising generation; besides seeing this thing through to the bitter end as a measure of meet repentance, let us pray and work for a better blue-print for the world of tomorrow—a warless world, we hope!

Recent happenings in the war zones since New Year tend to create an undue emotional, an unbalanced criticism, even to the usually balanced mind. As a corrective, one commends the study of Beverley Baxter's latest newsletter in a Canadian periodical; it brings the major disturbing episodes of Second Armageddon into what appears to be a proper perspective, without white-washing of recognized responsibility for due previsions. Summarized, it correctly conveys that Britain and Britain beyonds the seas, still bear the brunt of the war; their vast resources are being stretched to the limit, and 'there is not enough to go round'. "Too little and too late' is too reprehensible a slogan for arm-chair strategists! The writer is glad to be admonished, as will be doubtless many others.

In the measure that we truly endeavor to answer the present call to arms, the call to provide arms for those who can and will use them, by that much may we pause to look in faith beyond the smoke of battle, murder and sudden death—these may be the darkest hours before the dawn—to 'Our Day', when the victory bells peel forth, and the sworn enemies of our Christian civilization reap the whirlwind of their own sowing.

"BURSUM CORDA"—Lift up your hearts

All other wars have ended. This war will end too—someday, and the victory will be ours! The time for sackcloth and ashes is past! Under Providence, our Leaders are being guided into right decisions, and those they lead into seemly actions. This is the testing-time. Let us stand fast in the liberty that has made us free. Let us work, save and lend for victory, for

"Men at some times are masters of their fates
The fault, dear Brutus, is not in our stars,
But in ourselves, that we are underlings."

We can out-fight and out-think the common enemy. This war will not be won on mathematics, nor on tally of men, machines and munitions, and the race is not always to the swift, nor the battle to the strong. Let us lend our money, yes, as freely as we may, but let us lend our thought too, and thus hasten the day—

"When vision shall span the distances of fear,
And tolerance leaves no room for hate;
When all men wait upon forgotten love,
And Peace embraces the multitude at last."

## Looking Backward

25 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, Feb. 17, 1917)

Mrs. N. J. Shannon of Bonnington is visiting the city.

Mrs. M. J. Harrison of Crawford Bay visited Nelson yesterday.

Miss Edna Lewis of Rossland, formerly of the post office staff there, has received a position in the Nelson branch of the Bank of Montreal.

J. S. Goulding of the land registry office at Nelson will leave this morning for Vancouver as delegate from the Nelson Veterans association to the B. C. Returned Soldiers Association.

40 YEARS AGO
From Daily Miner, Feb. 17, 1902)

H. W. Harbour, who has been C.P.R. agent at Sandon for a year, leaves shortly for Rossland to take the station there. A. C. McArther who now holds the Rossland station will get the downtown office there, and R. B. McCamman of Trail will succeed to the Sandon agency.

H. B. Gilmore, M.L.A., or Vancouver, was in the city yesterday.

The Mining Review of Sandon says that D. J. McLachlan and A. Erickson are getting ready to ship a car of 10,000 ounce dry ore from their Bear Lake property.

# TODAY'S News Pictures

*B CLASS WINNER AT KIMBERLEY*

Dave Jorgesen of Kimberley, whose jumps of 134 and 139 feet won him the B class title at Kimberley in a ski tournament in preparation for the Kootenay Zone tourney at Rossland.

*KIMBERLEY SKIER NEAR HILL RECORD*

Hans Gunnarsen of Kimberley, competing in A class, leaped 198 feet. The record for the Kimberley hill is 201 feet.—Photos by Charles Warmington.

KITCHENER FLIER

Richard N. (Dick) Molander, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Molander of Kitchener, has returned to his R.C.A.F. station in the East after visiting his parents.

CRANBROOK ARTILLERYMA

Gunner R. Carswell, son of M and Mrs. Colin Carswell of Cra brook.

FROM SPORTS TO PLANES

Lac. Clayton Kennedy, former Sports Editor of the Trail Daily Times, who enlisted with the Royal Canadian Air Force last Summer and who has been stationed at No. 1 Elementary Flying School, Malton, Ont. He returned to the East Thursday after spending his leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kennedy of Trail. A brother, Clyde, formerly Corporal instructing in instrument work at Ottawa, recently re-mustered to train as pilot. — Daily News Photo.

SOUTH SLOCAN DRAGOON

Marwood F. J. Yeatman South Slocan, a member of t B. C. Dragoons.

*DO NORWEGIANS OPPOSE NAZIS? JUST LOOK!*

Smuggled into England, this picture shows a German military band parading in Dobrak, Norway, with bystanders turning their backs in direct defiance of German orders for all inhabitants to turn out and listen to the band.

TRAIL ARTILLERYMAN

Gnr. H. (Bunty) Sommes Rossland, now overseas with Western Canada artillery unit.

*AUSTRALIA'S "BURMA ROAD" CARRIES DEFENCE SUPPLIES*

Shown here is Australia's own "Burma Road", new defence highway built through the barren desert of the Australian back country from the industrial South to the important North coast. The highway rolls from the railhead at Alice Springs to the naval base at Port Darwin.

ENGINEER IN THE MAKING

Jack Willicombe is the son a Cranbrook garageman, Lo Willicombe, but he thinks may he'll be an engineer, like Uncle Lew.—Photo courtesy Mrs. R. Bridges.

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# ecret Session to e Held in House

TTAWA, Feb. 16 (CP).—A sec- session of the House of Com- s will be held as soon as the ate on the address in reply to speech from the throne—now s last stages—ends, Prime Min- r Mackenzie King said in the nmons today.

here has been considerable de- d for a secret session of the mmons, one of the leaders in put- g forward this request having n M. J. Coldwell, acting Leader of the Cooperative Commonwealth Federation.

Mr. King said the Government had kept in mind the need of holding a secret session at the most suitable time.

It had felt the address debate should be completed and the manpower plebiscite bill passed before the secret session was held.

But, he said, the Government was ready to meet the wishes of members.

## enwick-Wilson Leads Squadron in Bombing Raid on Mannheim

LONDON, Feb. 16 (CP).—Crews m a Canadian bomber squadron ich took part in the search for rman warships in the Channel t Thursday returned to action turday night, dropping bombs on s industrial German city of Mannim.

Heavy clouds blanketed the Wel- gtons from the squadron com- anded by Wing-Cmdr. Royd Fen- ick-Wilson of Rock Creek, B.C., t "we got to Mannheim all right," ld Po. W. H. Swetman of Kapus- sing, Ont., Captain of one of the g bombers.

"There were groups of search- ghts over the targets and through break in the cloud we could see mb flashes going off all over the ace. So we added to them and fter the bombing saw red glare flected in the clouds."

British bombers blasted docks at the German-occupied French port of St. Nazaire last night following Sunday daylight forays during which a German supply ship was bombed off the Norwegian coast.

All planes returned safely to their bases, the crew of a bomber, reported missing after Saturday night's attack upon Mannheim, was rescued from the sea.

Observers expressed belief the raiders which attacked St. Nazaire were seeking out destroyers and other light craft which accompanied the Nazi battleships Scharnhorst and Gneisenau on their dash through the English Channel last Thursday.

LONDON (CP).—The King and Queen have joined Britain's waste paper salvage drive. They have instructed that all waste paper at Royal establishments be saved to help win the war.


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## Harbert Captures Texas Open Playoff

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 16 — (AP).—Melvin Chick) Harbert of Battle Creek, Mich., who birded five of the last seven holes yesterday to tie golf's top money winner, Ben Hogan, in the Texas open, won the 18-hole championship playoff today. The scores were 76 and 72.

## 43 Rinks From 9 Centres Entered for Little 'Spiel

Entries are piling up for the Nelson Little Bonspiel despite the fact that the entry deadline is still three days distant. Already there are 43 rinks from nine centres entered, only one short of last year's record entry. In additional there are a number of outside curling centres yet to be heard from.

Nelson curlers lead the entry with 30 rinks. Three are entered from Trail, three from Rossland, two from Grand Forks, and one apiece from Salmo, Ymir, Sheep Creek, Kaslo and Nakusp. From Creston has come assurance that four to six rinks will be on the ice of the 'spiel.

It was announced by R. E. Horton, Inter-City 'Spiel, Committee Chairman, Monday night that because of the large entry it would be necessary to get the 'spiel under way Friday night by scheduling at least 7 and 9 p.m. draws. Games scheduled Friday would be those having all-Nelson rinks, any concerning visiting rinks being held over until Saturday. In addition Saturday schedule has been adjusted to call for draws every two hours, instead of at 8 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. as originally scheduled.

Outside rinks can facilitate arrangements, Horton said, by sending in their entries early, well before the Friday deadline.

## Kelly Leading A.H.L. Scorers

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 16 — (AP).—A scoring spree last week during which he recorded three goals and five assists today gave Pete Kelly, Springfield ace, a comfortable lead in the American Hockey League scoring race.

Leading scorers:

| | G | A | Pt. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Kelly, Springfield | 21 | 35 | 56 |
| Trudel, Wasnington | 29 | 21 | 50 |
| Calladine, Providence | 28 | 20 | 48 |
| Cunningham, Cleveland | 21 | 27 | 48 |
| Demarco, Providence | 20 | 27 | 47 |
| MacDonald, Buffalo | 24 | 20 | 44 |
| O'Flaherty, Springfield | 14 | 30 | 44 |
| Heron, Pittsburgh | 23 | 19 | 42 |

## Visiting Ladies Curl Here Today

Nelson Ladies Curling Club today hangs out a big welcome sign to Trail and Rossland fair followers of the stane and besom sport, here for the annual inter-city invitation competition.

Play will get under way at 10 a.m., and continue through the day. The event will wind up at a banquet in the evening.

## Hockey Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

| Eastern Division | W | L | T | F | A | Pt |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Springfield | 24 | 15 | 5 | 164 | 123 | 53 |
| New Haven | 20 | 20 | 3 | 137 | 158 | 43 |
| Province | 15 | 23 | 5 | 164 | 170 | 37 |
| Washington | 14 | 23 | 5 | 130 | 163 | 33 |
| Philadelphia | 8 | 32 | 4 | 122 | 193 | 20 |
| **Western Division** | | | | | | |
| Hershey | 26 | 11 | 6 | 164 | 121 | 58 |
| Cleveland | 26 | 13 | 4 | 129 | 112 | 56 |
| Indianapolis | 25 | 13 | 5 | 149 | 107 | 55 |
| Buffalo | 18 | 19 | 3 | 130 | 114 | 41 |
| Pittsburh | 17 | 25 | 4 | 153 | 183 | 38 |

## Camilli, Davis Sign Dodger Contracts

BROOKLYN, Feb. 16 (AP). — Dolph Camilli, the swarthy slugger who led the Brooklyn Dodgers to a National League pennant last year, signed his 1942 contract for a probable $20,000 today at a hotel-room conference with President L. S. MacPhail.

Their agreement, which was followed in a little while by the signing of Pitcher Curt Davis, ended what might have been the most formidable holdout struggle in the senior circuit. Davis is to receive in the neighborhood of $10,000.

## Giants Start Work

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 16 (AP)—Popular Mel Ott, a baseball Moses chosen to lead the New York Giants out of the National League's second division, put the vanguard of his squad to work today.

Summoned to the early-bird practice, first scheduled by any of the 12 major league clubs training in Florida, were the pitchers and catchers.

Heartening to Mel was the presence of Harry Danning, first-string catcher who staged a stubborn holdout last Spring. Danning already has signed his contract.

## Every Able Bodied Man of Military Age Will Be In War Before It Is Ended Says Gardiner In Opening Loan Rally

OTTAWA, Feb. 16 (CP).—Canada's total mobilization of manpower will be engineered during 1942 and early in 1943, Agriculture Minister Gardiner today told civil servants of the Post Office and Mines and Resources Departments during a Victory loan rally.

"Every man of military age, every able-bodied man in the British Empire including Canada will be in the war before it is ended," said the Minister.

He was one of several Cabinet Ministers who addressed rallies of civil servants in the capital during the opening day of the campaign for the $600,000,000 second Victory war loan.

"The British have had their Dunkerque, the United States their Pearl Harbor, Canada her Hong Kong and the United Nations their Singapore," Mr. Gardiner declared. "Between now and 1943 is our period of intensive preparation for the victory offensive which Mr. Churchill has said will be undertaken."

Mr. Gardiner warned those men of age groups beyond military classifications that they should begin preparing now to make way for the young men returning to civil life after the war.

He urged investment in the war loan "until it hurt" as a means of helping older men make provision for this peace-time replacement in industry.

All the Air Force personnel from Air Force Headquarters gathered in a downtown theatre to hear an appeal for support of the loan from Air Minister Power and Finance Minister Ilsley.

## Trail and Nelson Midgets, Juveniles Ready for Doubleheader Tonight

Nelson and Trail Midgets and Juvenile rep teams are primed to hit the playoff trail here Tuesday—a trail each hopes for itself will lead to district titles.

The Smelter City's midgets got off on the right foot last week when they brushed aside the Rosslanders two straight in a best-of-three series. The Nelson squads have not seen playoff action yet, but they're working hard for the tests when they come.

The Juvenile series is a best-of-three games, but the Midget is a best-of-five. Winners will go on to meet the Kimberley teams for the Kootenay titles that for the winners open the gate to the Provincial finals.

Nelson's Juvenile entrants rounded out their training campaign with a light skating and shooting practice Monday night.

Only three members of last year's Juvenile team remain. They are Left Wingers Frank Christian and Lloyd Ridenour and Goalie Jim Heuston. The other Nelson players are Mac Norris, Gordie Olson, John Milne and Jack Gellicoane, forwards; and Dalton Boomer, Ian Currie, Bob Noakes, Red Wassick and Bill Holland, defence.

Midget Coach Art Scribner will be using Jack Morris or Art Townsend, goal; Bill Waldie, Frank Doyle, Bill Benwell, and Len Appel, defence; Bud Whitfield, Jack Breeze, and Bus MacDonald; Paul Hielscher, Allan DesChamps and Ron Crayford, forwards; and Richey Wassick and Con Casatos.

Mickey Brennen and Ty Culley will be referees; T. R. Wilson and D. G. Chamberlain, timekeepers; Roy Temple, penalty timekeeper; and Walter Wait and Bud Emery, scorekeepers.

TRAIL SQUADS

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 16 — Midget and Juvenile teams in the playoffs between Trail and Nelson at Nelson Tuesday night are:

Midgets: Beverly Bentley, goal; Joe Sandrin, Clark Flemming, Bob Devito and Ivo Della Lana, defence; Jim O'Brien, Ralph Diamond and Sergie Sammartino; Gordon Robertson, Louis Secco and Jim Malley; Johnny Ircandia, Fred Koehle and Ron Koehle.

Juveniles: Albert Rella, goal; Jim Twaddle, Roy Casler, Ivo Toffolo and Lorne DePaolis, defence; Tino Magliani, Roland Lunde, Albert Cavallin, Jack Harrison, Bert Milne, Malcolm McKenzie, Malcolm Serres and Dick McKinnon.

## Mrs. Simpson Wins Curling 2nd Spot

Second place honors in the Ladies' Curling Club Eating Basket competition came to Mrs. W. Simpson's rink Monday afternoon when they defeated Mrs. J. C. Hooker 6-5. First place in the competition and the Basket went to Mrs. Arthur Smith's ladies over a week ago.

The second place rink comprises Mrs. Simpson, skip; Mrs. J. H. Argyle, third, Mrs. Harry Hughes, second, and Mrs. J. W. DeGirolamo, lead; while their opponents were Mrs. Hooker, skip, Mrs. A. Lee, third, Mrs. A. Weir, second and Mrs. W. Tozer, lead.

## Chambers Again Federation Head

VANCOUVER, Feb. 16 (CP)—E. J. Chambers of Vernon will again head the British Columbia Federation of Agriculture for another year.

He was re-elected to the post when the federation wound up its annual convention here. E. D. Barrow was named Vice-President and W. J. Manson, H. C. Oldfield and William Morrison, Directors.

The Convention approved resolutions endorsing the maintenance of marketing legislation, with eradication of any weaknesses which might slow up and urging the extension of controlled marketing over the whole Dominion.

The Indians are interested in Ferris Fain, the young San Francisco first sacker.

## Sam Benzies, Rossland, Recalls First Curling at Kaslo in 1895

ROSSLAND, B.C., Feb. 15—Of the many curlers, both old and young, who attended in the Parish Hall the banquet of the 47th annual B.C. Bonspiel, none was a more interested and enthusiastic diner than Samuel Benzies, an old-time resident of the Kootenays, a resident of Nelson from 1922 to the latter part of 1941, and who now makes his home here with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Benzies.

STILL ONE RINK

Mr. Benzies' interest in curling dates back to 1895 at Kaslo, which was the first settlement in the Kootenays and west of Lethbridge to organize curling and construct a rink. The Kaslo curlers organized in December of that year with the late G. O. Buchanan, first President of the Association Boards of Trade of Eastern British Columbia, named to the Presidency; the late James Waugh as Vice-President, and H. Byers, Secretary. First members to sign the roll were D. Moore, R. F. Green, S. H. Green, S. Benzies, A. A. McKinnon, R. W. Cockle, J. T. Roadley and D. Marshall. Of this number despite the passage, with its successive obituaries of the veterans, one rink could still be mustered today. It would be composed of R. F. Green (now Senator R. F. Green) at Victoria, S. H. Green at Kaslo, A. A. McKinnon at Victoria and Samuel Benzies at Rossland. These Kaslo curlers held their first big bonspiel at Mirror Lake in March, 1896, and in the same year came to Nelson and beat the Lake City curlers in exciting games. In this event the curlers were:

Kaslo—A. A. McKinnon, S. Benzies, A. J. Scott, James Waugh, and G. O. Buchanan, skip.

Nelson—H. Donough, W. A. Jowett, J. A. Turner, P. A. Russell and A. Skinner, skip.

Teams carried five men in those early days.

A. A. McKinnon will be remembered as the former owner of the Cranbrook Iron Works, James Waugh, who came from Winnipeg and was purchasing agent for F. Augustus Heinze in the early days of the Trail Smelter, as the instigator of Kootenay curling, and Senator R. F. Green as the first Mayor of Kaslo. His brother, S. H. Green at Kaslo, was also a member of that City's first council in 1893.

As for Mr. Benzies, his has been a long and interesting life. Born in Alford, Aberdeenshire, Scotland; he came to Marquette, Mithigan in 1890 and then followed the construction of the Northern Pacific Railway into Spokane. From Spokane he came to Procter in 1891, and there, where the first sawmill in the Kootenays was located, he worked for the owner, the late G. O. Buchanan. He helped in the construction of the old steamer "Nelson", and later, still employed by G. O. Buchanan, he moved to Kaslo and then to Pilot Bay, still as a sawyer, in the days of the 1922, when he settled in Nelson with Mrs. Benzies, he followed sawmilling and mining all over the Kootenay. A few places he touched were Salmo, Moyie and Ymir.

Now he is looking forward to his 79th birthday next week, but on what day that anniversary falls is known only to himself. Age, however, will not dim his interest in his favorite winter sport—curling.

## Harris Rink Wins Cranbrook Contest

CRANBROOK, B.C., Feb. 16 (CP) —The Sherman Harris rink today holds the Dr. Green Cup, most hotly contested of all local curling competitions.

Harris won it in a three-night curling session in which eight mixed rinks, drawn from the men's and women's clubs participated. His rink includes Joe Florentino, third; Mrs. George Lunn, second, and Bill MacDonald, lead. Runner-up was Louis Dey's rink with Mrs. C. Bylander, third, T. A. Moore, second, and Johnnie Lancaster, lead.

## Dynamiters Win 6-1 From Buffs in Belated Drive

| Club | W | L | T | F | A | Pt. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Calgary | 19 | 5 | 3 | 130 | 67 | 41 |
| Lethbridge | 14 | 10 | 2 | 106 | 80 | 31 |
| Trail | 13 | 12 | 3 | 127 | 110 | 29 |
| Kimberley | 13 | 14 | 0 | 85 | 107 | 26 |
| Red Deer | 7 | 23 | 0 | 78 | 150 | 14 |

RED DEER, Alta., Feb. 16 (CP)—The touring Kimberley Dynamiters unleashed a furious last-period attack to drive in five goals while holding their opponents to one, and chalk up a decisive 6-1 victory over Red Deer Buffaloes in an A.B.C. Senior Hockey league game.

Lineups:

Kimberley—Nash; Swaney, Sullivan; Calles, Redisky, Sanderson. Subs—Zobrosky, Kavanagh, Hunt, Holditch, Wilson, Redding.

Red Deer—Pow; Warshawski, Sturk; Proulx, C. Newsome. Subs—Milford, Bello, Yanew, Green, Dahl, Speaker.

First Period—scoring, none. Penalties—none.

Second Period — 1, Kimberley, Sanderson (Sullivan, Calles) 18:27. Penalties—Warshawski, Sullivan.

Third Period—2, Kimberley, Hunt 8:50; 3, Kimberley, Kavanagh (Calles) 11:46; 4, Kimberley, Wilson (Hunt, Holditch) 12:56; 5, Kimberley, Swaney (Wilson) 17:32; 6, Red Deer, Proulx (Milford) 18:35; 7, Kimberley, Calles (Swaney) 18:45. Penalties—Sullivan, Sturk.

## T. Arcure Leads Wolves in Win

With Chum Arcure toppling the pins in great style to show the way, Wolves, playing their first game in the Ten Pin Club's Club Cup event Friday night, continued their winning ways to defeat the Millionaires 2493-2248. In the recently-completed Benwell Cup, the Wolves went through the schedule with hardly a loss to win the trophy hands down.

Arcure rolled a high single of 214, and a high aggregate of 554 pins.

Teams and scores were:

MILLIONAIRES VS. WOLVES

| | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | Tot. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Spot | 60 | 60 | 60— | 180 |
| J. Anderson | 135 | 115 | 140— | 390 |
| E. Wools | 134 | 127 | 199— | 460 |
| A. Grodzki | 127 | 134 | 134— | 395 |
| F. Defoe | 152 | 92 | 126— | 369 |
| W. Anderson | 141 | 167 | 146— | 454 |
| TOTAL | 749 | 695 | 804— | 2248 |
| | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | Tot. |
| T. Romano | 189 | 157 | 136— | 482 |
| J. Hamson | 168 | 192 | 183— | 543 |
| A. Arcure | 194 | 146 | 214— | 554 |
| D. Meakins | 158 | 158 | 143— | 459 |
| E. Nadeau | 149 | 136 | 160— | 445 |
| TOTAL | 858 | 789 | 856— | 2483 |

## N.H.L. LEADERS

By The Canadian Press

Standing—Rangers, won 24, lost 13, tied 1, points 49.

Points—Hetall, Rangers, 21 goals, 24 assists, 45 points.

Goals—Patrick, Rangers, 23.

Assists—Watson, Rangers, 30.

Penalties — Egan, Americans, 78 minutes.

Shutouts—Broda, Toronto 6.

## Hockey's Big 7

By The Canadian Press

Although New York Rangers took a double tumble on the weekend, Bryand Hextall came through with three scoring points to maintain his lead in the National Hockey League scoring list.

The leaders:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hextall, Rangers | 21 | 24 | 45 |
| Watson, Rangers | 13 | 30 | 43 |
| Patrick, Rangers | 23 | 18 | 41 |
| Thoms, Chicago | 13 | 25 | 38 |
| Drillon, Toronto | 21 | 15 | 36 |
| Grosso, Detroit | 18 | 18 | 36 |
| Schmidt, Boston | 14 | 21 | 35 |
| Bauer, Boston | 13 | 22 | 35 |

## Spokane Man Among Recruits at Trail

TRAIL, B. C. Feb. 16—Three Trail recruits, Stewart Gordon Smith, Ivor Theodore Thomas, and Robert Dennis English, and one Spokane man, Ernest Elmo Gunter, who enlisted for a machine gun unit, left Trail for the Coast Friday morning. Smith and Thomas are taking trade training as motor mechanics, and English as machinist.

# Jap Version of Singapore's Fall

TOKYO, Feb. 16 (AP)—This is how Domei, Japanese news and propaganda agency, told of the surrender of Singapore.

"Lt. Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita, Commander in Chief of the Japanese Expeditionary Forces, dictating Japanese terms for the surrender of Singapore at the historic 43-minute meeting last night with Lt. Gen. A. E. Percival, Commander in Chief of British Forces in Singapore, peremptorily accepted full responsibility for the lives of British and Australian troops as well as British women and children remaining in Singapore.

"Declaring, 'rely upon Japanese bushido (the way of the warrior—chivalry),' Yamashita demanded swift compliance with the Japanese terms for surrender . . .

"The following conversation took place between the Japanese and British Commanders:

"Yamashita: 'I wish replies to be brief and to the point. I will only listen to unconditional surrender.'

"Percival: 'Yes.'

"Yamashita: 'Have any Japanese soldiers been captured by the British?'

"Percival: 'No, not a single one.'

"Yamashita: 'What about Japanese residents?'

"Percival: 'All Japanese residents interned by the British have been sent to India. However, their lives are fully protected by the Indian Government.'

"Yamashita: 'I shan't hear (I am not asking) whether you wish to surrender or not, and if you wish I insist that it be unconditionally. What is your answer, yes or no?'

"Percival: 'Will you give me until tomorrow?'

"Yamashita: 'Tomorrow? I cannot wait, and it is understood, then, that Japanese forces will have to attack tonight.'

"Percival: 'How about waiting until 11:30 p.m. Tokyo time (9:30 p.m. Singapore time or 7:30 a.m. P. D. T.)?'

"Yamashita: 'If that is to be the case, Japanese forces will have to resume the attack until then. Will you say yes or no?'

"Percival was silent.

"Yamashita: 'I want to hear a decisive answer, and I insist upon unconditional surrender. What do you say?'

"Percival: 'Yes.'

"Yamashita: 'All right, then. Cease firing must be ordered at exactly 10 p.m. I will immediately send 1,000 Japanese troops into the city area for maintaining peace and order. Do you agree to that?'

"Percival: 'Yes.'

"Yamashita: 'If you violate these terms Japanese troops will lose no time launching a general offensive against Singapore city.'

"The British made the first move for surrender at 2:30 p.m. Feb. 15 when three British officers including Major C. H. D. Wild, carrying a white flag, approached the vanguard of the main Japanese forces at a sports ground four kilometres North of the Bukit Timah Road, and proposed to discuss terms and conditions.

"Ah the instruction of Lt. Gen. Yamashita, Unit Commander Sugita interviewed the British officers, whereupon he rejected the British truce proposals and advised unconditional surrender, adding that if the British commander was willing to surrender the commander in chief of Japanese forces would discuss terms and conditions the same day.

"The British officers retired at 4:15 p.m. Meanwhile guns continued to roar from Japanese and enemy positions. At 6:40 p.m., the same day Lt. Gen. Percival, accompanied by Chief of Staff K. S. Torrance and Major Wild, motored to the Ford Motor Company Plant carrying a large Union Jack and a white flag. They were escorted by Unit Commander Sugita.

"No sooner had the British officers taken seats in one of the rooms at the plant at 7 p.m., than Lt. Gen. Yamashita appeared, accompanied by several staff officers, whereupon the British and Japanese officers shook hands and the meeting commenced."

## Halifax Civilians Again Warned How to Act During Raid

HALIFAX, Feb. 16 (CP)—Civilians were warned anew today by Maj.-Gen. W. H. P. Elkins, Commander-in-Chief of the Army's Atlantic command, to remain indoors in the event of any bombardment or bombing.

No explanation as to why the new warning was issued by the committee at this time beyond stying it was made at the instance of Central Elkins.

## Italians Claim British Convoy Destroyer Sunk

ROME (From Italian broadcasts), Feb. 16 (AP).—The Italian High Command claimed today that a British destroyer, a patrol boat and seven merchantmen were sunk from a convoy bound from Alexandria to Malta by a combined Axis air and sea assault during the last three days.

It claimed eight more cargo vessels, five cruisers and two destroyers were damaged, other ships in the convoy were turned back and two planes were destroyed in the action which it called "a brilliant success achieved by Axis air and naval forces which acted in close collaboration from different bases in the Mediterranean."

(These claims lack British confirmation.)

The Italians said one of their submarines was missing from the operations.

## Peter Melneczuk Receives Air Gunner's Badge

PAULSON, Feb. 16 (CP)—Air gunners' badges were presented to graduates at No. 7 Bombing and Gunnery School of the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan here Saturday, including: J. M. MacKay, Vancouver, and Peter Melneczuk, Nelson.

## More Japs to Be Moved From Coast

NANAIMO, B. C., Feb. 16 (CP).—Labor Minister George Pearson in a weekend interview here said the intention of Federal and Provincial authorities was that there should be a progressive removal of all persons of Japanese origin from the British Columbia coastal area.

Mr. Pearson said that after unnaturalized Japanese had been removed it was the intention to withdraw Canadian nationals of Japanese origin who were prepared to volunteer for work away from the coastal area. Later the removal of families to their male relatives could be provided for.


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# Await Odlum Report on Safety of Canadians

OTTAWA, Feb. 16 (CP). — From scattered points in the Pacific war zone reports are dribbling in of Canadians who have reached safety from Malaya, but Maj.-Gen. Victor Odlum, Canadian High Commissioner to Australia, will likely furnish the most complete record of their whereabouts, External Affairs Department officials said today.

Without definite information from the scene of recent fighting, officials were hopeful almost all the Canadian women and children in Singapore and other Malayan areas were evacuated before the Japanese reached the defence bastion.

Gen. Odlum was given full authority to take steps to see every facility possible was given the movement of Canadians from danger areas and a complete report from him was expected.

## Asks Hart for Reply to ARP Fund Request

VANCOUVER, Feb. 16 (CP). — Mayor J. W. Cornett, Director of Air Raid Precaution work in Vancouver, today wrote Premier John Hart urging a reply to the city's request for funds to operate the organization here.

Pensions Minister Mackenzie stated in a letter to Premier Hart that the Federal Government was prepared to pay 50 per cent of justifiable costs of ARP work here. The city submitted a budget calling for expenditure of $65,000 a year.

## AUNT HET

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"I despise to hear dirty stories. They stick in my mind forever, and I can't remember a piece of good poetry to save me."

## CONTRACT . . . By Shepard Barclay

**TIMING RIGHT IS VITAL**

IN WAR, football or almost any other form of competition, correct timing is a vital factor. Probably no game shows the operation of the principle more clearly than bridge. Doing first those things which should be done first, so that you can do later the things which by then are prepared for, is the essence of a great share of the most successful play of the cards. Change the order of events and you change the entire result on many an occasion.

♠ J 10 9 8
♥ K Q 2
♦ 8 6 3
♣ 10 8 3

♠ K 5 4
♥ J 10 7 5
♦ J 7
♣ J 6 5 2

N. W. E. S.

♠ A Q 3 2
♥ 8
♦ A Q 10 4 2
♣ K 9 7

♠ 7 6
♥ A 9 6 4 3
♦ K 9 5
♣ A Q 4

(Dealer: South. East-West vulnerable.)

| South | West | North | East |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 ♥ | Pass | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Pass | Pass | 2 ♥ | 2 ♠ |
| 3 ♥ | Dbl | | |

After East's strong vulnerable overcalling, with a "reverse" bid of the higher-ranking spades at the range of three, West was justified in making his very narrow double in a match-point duplicate game. The same general bidding occurred at several tables, so that the way that South made out depended on whether he got set one trick or two. If only one, he would beat the score of those pairs against which East managed to make 3-Diamonds.

When the diamond J was led at a couple of tables playing 3-Hearts doubled, East won with the A and followed with the diamond Q to the K. Then the differences came. One declarer took two top trumps in the dummy, killing all chance to hold his set to a single trick. His one remaining try was to play low when East later led a small club, hoping East had the K-J, but of course that didn't work.

Better play, with nice timing, was by Joseph Norris, one of the soundest cardsmen in New York's social duplicates. Under his plan, all he had to do was find West with three spades and not over four hearts. After winning the diamond K, he led the spade 7 to the 8 and Q. East cashed the diamond 10 and switched to the club 7. The Q won that and the spade 6 was led to the 9 and A. The club 9 was taken by the A, the heart K scored and the spade 9 led from dummy, ruffed by the heart 4, dropping the spade K and setting up the 10. After the heart A, Mr. Norris led to the Q and called the spade 10. On that he discarded the club 4 and West had to use his heart J to ruff the trick. The heart 9 naturally took the last trick.

Success of this line of play was due entirely to starting the spades before the hearts were touched. Otherwise there would have been no entry for the fourth spade.

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**Tomorrow's Problem**

♠ A 8 5
♥ A K 8
♦ 4
♣ J 9 8 7 5 4

♠ Q 9 6 2
♥ J 10 3
♦ K 10 8
♣ K 6 3

N. W. E. S.

♠ J 10 7 4 3
♥ Q 4
♦ J 9 3 2
♣ Q 10

♠ K
♥ 9 7 6 5 2
♦ A Q 7 6 5
♣ A 2

(Dealer: South. Both sides vulnerable.)

Which suit should South bid in opening the auction on his hand of this deal, and why?

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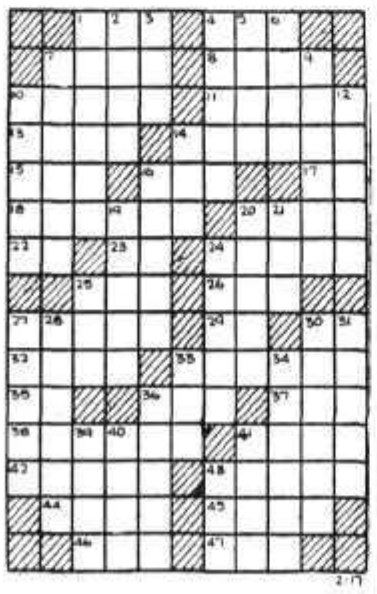
Yesterday's Answer

**ACROSS**
1. Infant food
4. Head covering
7. Biblical weed
8. Russian river
10. Melodies
11. Vexed
13. Lowest female voice
14. Covered with grass
15. Shelter
16. Arm of the sea
17. Selenium (sym.)
18. Snakes
20. Nobleman
22. Perform
23. Greek letter
24. Raises to third power
25. Underworld god
26. Sphere
27. Bottle
29. Bone
30. Natrium (sym.)
32. Dwarfed object
33. Talented
35. Ahead
36. Public vehicle
37. Veneration
38. To hazard
41. Appeal
42. Gaze
43. Chooses
44. American Indian
45. Mimics
46. Spread grass to dry
47. Method

**DOWN**
1. Gasped
2. Constellation
3. Foot-like organ
4. A condiment
5. Tune
6. Chums
7. City of Ohio
9. Tenant under a lease
10. Cold dish
12. Those who color materials
14. Fuel
16. Sharp
19. Live
20. Pocketbook
21. Subside
24. Calms
25. Son of Jacob
27. Leaping amphibians
28. Crescent-shaped
30. Posts on stairways
31. Regions
33. Hint
34. Depression between hills
36. Shed blood
39. Market
40. Kind of cheese
41. Stage in insect's life
43. Crow's cry



**CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation**

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Q J M A  N S G O  B S L H M A N — B J Z X Q Z O K C Z V T.

**Yesterday's Cryptoquote: YOU MAY BLOT WHAT IS WRITTEN, BUT THE SPOKEN WORD CAN NEVER BE RECALLED —HORACE.**

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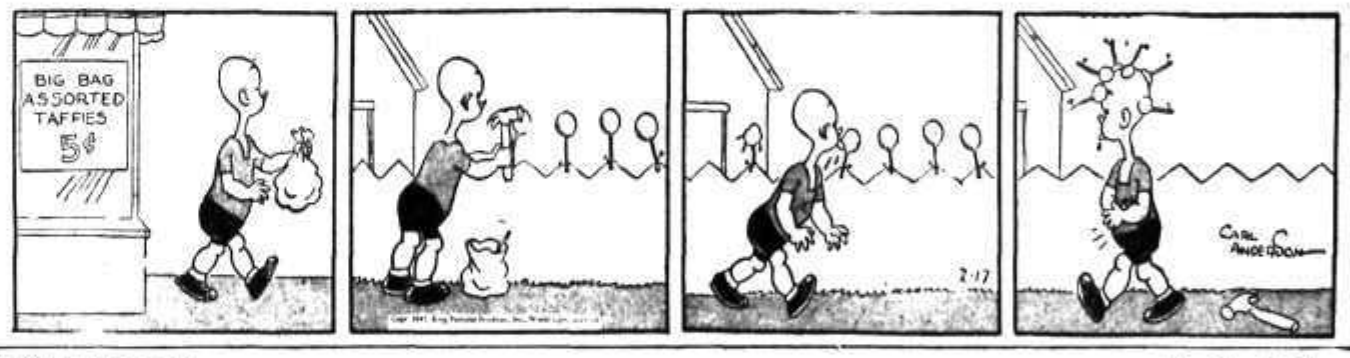


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|---|---|---|
| Leghorns | $13.75 | $28.50 |
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Shortage of jute from India for making burlap bags is being felt in Brazil and Ecuador, where it is used for coffee bags.

## FIVE THOUSAND MORE PASSENGER CARS IN B.C.

VICTORIA, Feb. 16 (CP)—British Columbia had 105,092 passenger motor-vehicles on the roads at the end of January, compared with 100,679 at the same time a year ago, according to the monthly report of the Motor Licence Branch of the Provincial Police.

A total of 851 licences was issued in January, compared with 803 in January, 1941.

## VANCOUVER STOCKS

| MINES | Bid | Ask |
|---|---|---|
| Bralorne | 7.75 | 8.00 |
| Cariboo Gold | — | 1.50 |
| George Copper | .12½ | — |
| Gold Belt | .14½ | .18 |
| Grandview | .15 | — |
| Hedley Mascot | .35 | — |
| Inter Coal & Coke | .39 | — |
| Island Mountain | 1.01 | 1.10 |
| McGillivray | — | .20½ |
| Pacific Nickel | .08 | — |
| Pend O'Reille | 1.48 | — |
| Pioneer Gold | 1.70 | 1.85 |
| Premier Gold | .45 | — |
| Reno Gold | .17 | .18 |
| Sheep Creek | .75 | — |
| Silbak Premier | — | .70 |
| Surf Inlet | .06 | — |
| Taylor, B. R. | — | .04 |
| OILS | | |
| A.P. Consolidated | .06 | — |
| Calg & Edmonton | .95 | 1.00 |
| Calmont | .14 | — |
| Commonwealth | .35 | — |
| Commoil | .18 | — |
| Highwood Sarcee | .15 | — |
| Home | 2.42 | 2.50 |
| McDougall-Segur | .03½ | .04 |
| Mill City Pete | .05½ | .07 |
| Okalta Con | — | .36 |
| Royal Can | .05 | .05½ |
| South End Pete | — | .04½ |
| Southwest Pete | .17 | — |

## NEW YORK STOCKS

| | |
|---|---|
| Am Smelt & Ref | 40¾ |
| Amer Telephone | 125½ |
| American Tobacco | 46⅝ |
| Bendix Aviation | 33⅛ |
| Beth Steel | 60¾ |
| Borden | 20¼ |
| Canadian Pacific | 4⅛ |
| Cerro de Pasco | 38⅝ |
| Chrysler | 48¼ |
| C Wright pfd | 7⅛ |
| General Electric | 26¼ |
| General Foods | 34⅛ |
| General Motors | 52⅝ |
| Great Nor pfd | 33⅛ |
| International Nickel | 27 |
| Kenn Copper | 34 |
| Phillips Pete | 38⅝ |
| Pullman | 35 |
| Radio Corporation | 2⅝ |
| Texas Gulf Sul | 33⅞ |
| Union Carbide | 64⅝ |
| Union Oil of Cal | 12⅝ |
| United Aircraft | 29⅞ |
| U S Rubber | 15⅝ |
| U S Steel | 51⅞ |
| West Electric | 76 |
| Yellow Truck | 12⅝ |

## Montreal Stocks

| INDUSTRIALS | |
|---|---|
| Can North Power | 5 |
| Cockshutt Plow | 3¾ |
| Cons Mining & Smelting | 38 |
| Dom Steel & Coal "B" | 6½ |
| Dominion Textile | 78 |
| Dryden Paper | 4⅝ |
| Gatineau Power | 5⅛ |
| BANKS | |
| Commerce | 151¾ |
| Imperial | 200 |
| Nova Scotia | 312 |
| Royal | 152 |
| National Brew Ltd | 25 |
| Shawinigan W & P | 13⅛ |
| CURB | |
| Beauharnois Corp | 9⅝ |
| Can Vickers | 3⅝ |
| Cons Paper Corp | 2⅝ |
| Donnacona Paper A | 3⅛ |
| Fraser Co Ltd | 11⅝ |
| Power Corp pfd | 77 |
| Walker Good & W | 44 |

## DOW JONES AVERAGES

| | High | Low | Close | Change |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 30 industrials | 107.96 | 106.70 | 107.31 | up .01 |
| 20 rails | 27.36 | 27.43 | 27.80 | off .09 |
| 15 utilities | 13.96 | 13.83 | 13.97 | up .05 |

## TORONTO STOCK QUOTATIONS

| MINES | |
|---|---|
| Aldermac Copper | .12 |
| Anglo-Huronian | 2.00 |
| Aubor | 1.15 |
| Bidgood Kirkland | .08 |
| Bobjo Mines | .07½ |
| Buffalo Ankerite | 2.25 |
| Castle-Trethewey | .50 |
| Central Patricia | 1.15 |
| Chromium M & S | 1.20 |
| Coniagas Mines | 1.15 |
| Continuum Mines | .05 |
| Consolidated M & S | 37.75 |
| Dome Mines | 15.00 |
| East Malartic | 1.86 |
| Falconbridge Nickel | 3.25 |
| Francoeur Gold | .30 |
| God's Lake Gold | .14 |
| Hard Rock Gold | .45 |
| Hollinger | 7.70 |
| Hudson Bay M & S | 26.25 |
| International Nickel | 34.00 |
| Kerr-Addison | 3.85 |
| Lake Shore Mines | 9.25 |
| Lamaque Contact | 3.70 |
| Little Long Lac | 1.18 |
| Marassa Mines | 2.25 |
| Macleod Cockshutt | 1.42 |
| McIntyre-Porcupine | 40.00 |
| McKenzie Red Lake | .80 |
| Mining Corporation | 1.20 |
| Noranda | 47.50 |
| Normetal | .82 |
| Pamour Porcupine | .73 |
| Paymaster Cons | 1.13 |
| Perron Gold | 1.16 |
| Pickle Crow Gold | 2.00 |
| Powell Rouyn Gold | .60 |
| San Antonio Gold | 1.50 |
| Sherritt Gordon | .80 |
| Sisco Gold | .43 |
| Sudbury Basin | 1.86 |
| Sullivan Consolidated | .55½ |
| Sylvanite | 1.55 |
| Toburn Gold Mines | 1.00 |
| Ventures | 3.40 |
| Waite Amulet | 4.85 |
| Wright Hargreaves | 2.50 |
| OILS | |
| British American | 16.75 |
| Imperial | 8.25 |
| Inter Petroleum | 12.12½ |
| INDUSTRIALS | |
| Abitibi Power A | .65 |
| Bell Telephone | 146 |
| Brazilian T L & P | 7¼ |
| Breweries & Distillers | 4⅝ |
| B C Power A | 19 |
| Can Bud Malting | 5 |
| Can Car & Foundry | 5 |
| Can Malting | 37 |
| Can Pacific Railway | 5½ |
| Can Ind Alcohol A | 3⅛ |
| Dominion Bridge | 23 |
| Ford of Canada | 16½ |
| Gen Steel Wares | 5½ |
| Hamilton Bridge | 3½ |
| Hiram Walker | 43 |
| Imperial Tobacco | 13⅝ |
| Loblaw A | 22½ |
| Montreal Power | 21 |
| Moore Corp | 44¼ |
| Nat Steel Car | 32½ |

## Plan Record Steel Output This Week

NEW YORK, Feb. 16 (AP).—American steel mills will produce 1,634,100 tons of steel this week, the second highest on record, operating at 96.2 per cent of capacity, the American Iron & Steel Institute estimate today. The previous record was last Oct. 27 when 1,650,000 tons were produced with operations at 99.9 per cent.

## WINNIPEG GRAIN

WINNIPEG, Feb. 16 (CP).—Grain futures quotations:

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT: | | | | |
| May | 79⅝ | 80¼ | 79⅝ | 80 |
| July | 81 | 81⅝ | 80⅞ | 81 |
| OATS: | | | | |
| May | 50 | 50 | 49⅝ | 49⅝ |
| July | 48⅝ | 49 | 48⅛ | 48⅝ |
| Oct. | — | — | — | 47½ |
| BARLEY: | | | | |
| May | 64 | 64 | 64 | 64 |
| July | — | — | — | 62⅝ |
| Oct. | 60⅛ | — | — | 60⅛ |
| FLAX: | | | | |
| May | 162 | 163⅝ | 162½ | 163⅝ |
| July | 162 | 163⅝ | 162 | 163⅝ |
| Oct. | 163⅝ | 164 | 163⅝ | 164 |
| RYE: | | | | |
| May | 86⅝ | — | — | 86⅝ |
| July | 86⅝ | — | — | 86⅝ |
| Oct. | — | — | — | 86⅝ |

CASH PRICES:

WHEAT—Nos. 1 hard and 1 Nor. 78⅛; No. 2 Nor. 74⅝; No. 3 Nor. 73⅛; No. 4 Nor. 72⅛; No. 5, 70⅛; No. 6, 66⅛; feed 66; No. 1 Garnet 73*; No. 2 Garnet 73; No. 3 Garnet 73; No. 1 Durum 81; No. 1 A. R. W. 82⅛.

OATS—No. 2 C. W. 49⅝; Ex. 1 C. W. 48⅝; No. 3 C. W. and Ex. 1 feed 47⅝; No. 1 feed 47..; No. 2 feed 45⅝; No. 3 feed 43..

BARLEY—Malting grades: 6-row Nos. 1 and 3 C. W. 64⅝; 2-row Nos. 1 and 2 C. W. 64⅝; 6-row No. 3 C. W. 61⅝. Others: No. 1 feed 59⅝; No. 2 feed 56⅝; No. 3 feed 57⅝.

FLAX—No. 1 C. W. 161⅝; No. 2 C. W. 158⅝; No. 3 C. W. 153⅝; No. 4 C. W. 149⅝.

RYE—No. 2 C. W. 84⅝.

## Sale of Agricultural Products Exempted From Price Ceiling

OTTAWA, Feb. 16 (CP)—Transactions between productions of agricultural products are exempted from price ceiling regulations of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board by Order in Council published today.

The order exempts the following transactions between producers of ariculture products, livestock, poultry and livestock and poultry products:

Sales, exchanges or barters of hay, grain seed, seed potatoes, onion bulbs, farm implements or repair parts, machinery or repair parts, sacks, fencing, fence posts, milk cans, nursery stock, cordwood, fertilizers, bees, bee supplies, livestock, meats, poultry, poultry products, farm-made dairy products, wool, hides, and other agricultural products and supplies.

Also exempted from the regulations are custom-milling, seed cleaning and other agricultural services.

The order produces the exemption will not apply to any sale exchange or barter that is for the purpose of resale. Unless otherwise permitted by an order of the board, no product sold, exchanged or bartered under these provisions may be resold except when the maximum prices regulations are observed.

## PLAN BOARD TO HANDLE OLD AGE PENSIONS

NANAIMO, B.C., Feb. 16 (CP).—Labor Minister George Pearson, who is also Provincial Secretary, said here in a weekend interview that the Government hoped to set up a board of experienced men to administer the Old Age Pension system.

There are over 100 airfields in Alaska, and passenger miles flown reach 8,000,000 annually.

## Market Trends . . .

LONDON, Feb. 16 (AP).—Oil and cable stocks took the worst drubbing in a generally depressed securities market today.

British Government bonds declined, along with Brazilian and Chinese loans.

London market averages: Industrials 98.2 off 0.7; rails 54.8, up 0.6.

NEW YORK—The stock market tried to shake off bearish war news and, in many instances, was moderately successful.

TORONTO—Hollinger led a group of gold stocks on the downward course again and the group showed an index loss of about half a point at the close. Base metals reduced or eliminated early gains and industrials and Western oils recorded little net change.

Hollinger touched its low for recent years at 7.50, off 50.

MONTREAL—Utilities and papers had downward inclinations in trading up to the final hour but the majority of issues boarded were stationary.

VANCOUVER—Few price changes were registered during dull trading.

Bralorne Gold at 7.90 dropped 10 and Premier was off 3 at 50. Kootenay Belle at 16 firmed a cent.

WINNIPEG—Following a flurry of buying attributed to outside interests, trading became local and routine with wheat futures closing unchanged to ⅛ higher. May wheat finished at 80 cents a bushel and July at 81⅛B.

CHICAGO—Wheat took the lead in a general grain price advance with gains of as much as a cent a bushel at times.


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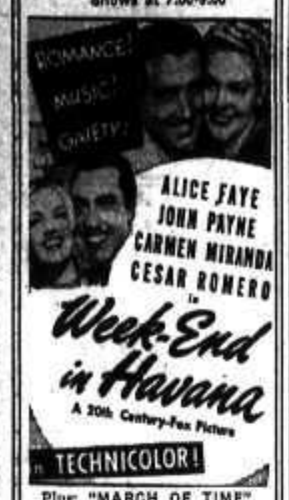

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# Nelson Gardeners Hear Coventry on Care of Annuals

Culture of annuals, starting with the choice of seeds and followin with methods of sowing, treatment of flats and care of various types of plants, gave J. H. Coventry, Vice-President of the Nelson Garden Club, a highly interesting subject for an address to the Club at the City Hall Friday night. John Draper, President, was in the chair.

Mr. Coventry emphasized the necessity for placing shade-loving plants in shady spots, and others in spots which would provide the proper conditions of soil, sun and so on.

Ald. H. H. Hinitt was drafted to follow up the subject at his next meeting by relating some of his gardening experiences and demonstrating the preparation of soil for, and sowing of, different seeds in flats.

The Club decided to seek the School Board's permission for an appeal to be read in schools for cooperation in keeping boulevards inviolate and neat.

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## Makes Correction of Presbytery Report

To
The Editor of the Daily News:

Sir—In the account of the proceedings of the Kootenay Presbytery of the United Church, which appeared in Monday's Daily News, I was quoted as saying that all the Japanese Christians are British subjects. This, of course, is not true, nor is it what I stated. My statement was "All the United Church Japanese Pastors are Japanese Nationals, but with one exception, they had, prior to the outbreak of the war, established permanent residence rights in British Columbia."

I would be very glad if you will find space for this correction and, if possible, where it may be seen by those who may have read the incorrect report. Thank you.

Nelson, B. C., Feb. 16, 1942.

Rev. W. P. Bunt.
Superintendent of Missions in the United Church of Canada.

## Marcus Martin Estate to Wife

His Honor Judge W. A. Nisbet in Chambers Monday granted letters probate in respect to the estate of Marcus Martin of Nelson, to Margaret Martin of Nelson.

Net amount of the estate was $5725.83, consisting of $4150 in real estate, and the remainder in personal property. Sole beneficiary of the estate was Mrs. Margaret Martin, wife, of Nelson.

Solicitor was W. W. Ferguson.

## Thomas Summers Is Laid to Rest

TRAIL, B.C., Feb. 16—Thomas Summers, aged 68, who died in Trail-Tadanac Hospital Thursday morning, was laid to rest in the Mountain View Cemetery Monday afternoon, following services held in St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Rev. L. A. C. Smith officiating.

The hymn sung at the service was "Thy Way Not Mine O Lord However Dark It Be."

Albert Dawson, Jack Gibson, Thomas Reid, Harry Hankin, George Robb and William Haywood were pallbearers.

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This is a playdown series between teams of these classifications for the championship of the district, with the right to continue for Provincial playdowns.

# Fall of Singapore Brings Australia Up Into Front Line

MELBOURNE, Australia, Feb. 16 (AAP).—Prime Minister John Curtin declared today that with the fall of Singapore the battle of Australia had opened and that "everything we have, everything which belongs to us must now be mobilized."

"No longer is there a time factor in which we can place reliance," he said.

The full cabinet meets tomorrow. Parliament assembles this week. Big movements of troops and aircraft are reported in progress.

The feeling is that a Japanese attack on Australia has become inevitable, that a large-scale onslaught from air and sea may break at any moment.

"The fall of Singapore is only describable as Australia's Dunkerque," said the Prime Minister. "Dunkerque initiated the Battle of Britain and the fall of Singapore opens the Battle of Australia.

"On this issue depends not merely the fate of this commonwealth, but the fate of the United States and all the Americas and therefore in large measure the fate of the English-speaking world.

"Our utmost must be mobilized. No longer may we allow any stultification of our efforts by depending on external forces and external support. They are assured to us, but the problem of their coming and its relation to the calendar of the enemy are factors Australia must disregard in its composition of a nation completely at war for purposes of its own defence.

"Protection of this country is no longer a contribution to a world at war but resistance to any enemy threatening to invade our shores. What the Battle of Britain required, so the Battle of Australia demands.

The Canberra correspondent of the Melbourne Herald stated that every member of the full Commonwealth Cabinet is convinced that Australia may at any time have to face a large-scale attack by sea and air.

"Swift secret moves decided on weeks ago in anticipation of Singapore's fall now are being carried out, including large-scale movements of troops and aircraft. The result of months of work on the problem of defending at short range will be examined.

"War controls are expected to press more heavily on Australians from today. So far as its resources permit, the Government has been making war decisions on the basis that Australia might have to stand alone for a time.

"The Commonwealth Government expects it will be the early primary objective of Japan to attempt to cripple Australia's war effort by bombing, blockade and, possibly, even probably, attempted invasion."

# Smaller, Modern Houses in Demand in Nelson; Mortgage Money Is Available

Houses are in demand in Nelson. Real estate agents report they have standing lists of persons desiring to purchase or rent, and that there is no difficulty in selling or renting suitable houses. There is little or no demand for large, old type of houses, a condition common at all times.

This summarizes the response of dealers to the question: "How is real estate in Nelson?"

Among sales within the past month and a half were two houses on Stanley Street, two on Latimer, one on Victoria Street and two in Fairview, exclusive of sales privately made.

Demand, both for rentals and sales, is for smaller, modern houses, or for small houses which can readily be modernized. In some cases the persons seeking to buy are "bargain hunters." Most purchasers are comparative newcomers to the city.

Money is available, for "good risks," on first mortgages.

### CALGARY LIVESTOCK

CALGARY, Feb. 16 (CP). — Receipts: Cattle 20; calves 5; hogs 50.

Cattle market opened strong on light supplies with insufficient early trade to make quotations. Hogs sold Saturday at 13.75 for B-1 at yards and 13.75 to 13.85 at plants.

### MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Feb. 1 (CP). — Spot: Butter, Que. 35 to 35 . Western (92 score 34¾ to 34¾, eggs, Eastern A-large 33A; A-medium 31½A; A-pullets 28½A.

Futures: Butter, Feb. 34¾ traded, March 34¾B, April 34¾; eggs, Feb. 32B.

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# Victory Loan Broadcasts

TUESDAY:
6:25 p.m.—Capt. Graham
9:00 p.m.—High School Drama Club

WEDNESDAY:
6:25 p.m.—Mr. Peter Russell
7:00 p.m.—Dramatization of "Target for Tonight"

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# Nelson Chinese Buys Bond to Aid Against the Japs

"This help killum Japs."

With this cryptic declaration a Chinese laundryman dug down into his purse and produced the initial payment on a Victory Bond shortly after the Nelson campaign opened at 9 a.m. Monday. He promised he'd be buying another bond before the campaign was over.

Gee Kee Chee was the first purchaser to apply for his bond at the Victory Loan office, Baker Street.

A total of $600 in bonds were sold at the office during the day. In one instance Robert Foxall, Sales Committee Chairman, was looking at a Nelson man's card and the address, general delivery, and asking where the man lived so his name could be placed on the canvasser's list. While he was studying the card the man in question walked in, placed his signature on an application for $400 in bonds, and walked out without knowing his card was then in Mr. Foxall's hand. Committee members immediately asked Mr. Foxall to study some more cards.

First reports of the canvass will be available today. Salesmen reported their reception generally was sympathetic.

CRANBROOK, B.C. — Banks in Cranbrook reported Victory Loan sales on the first day of the campaign totalled $11,750.

## Car Schedule to Be Changed to Benefit Sunday Churchgoers

Two schedule changes requested by Fairview patrons to assist Sunday morning churchgoers were authorized by the City Council Thursday night, effective March 1. The car now leaving Fairview at 10.45 Sunday mornings will leave instead at 10.40, five minutes earlier; and the 12 noon car from Stanley and Innes Street will be delayed until 12.15.

## Catholic Social Circles to Open

The Lenten Series of Catholic Social Circles in the Nelson Diocese will begin within the next week. Rev. Francis Frank will be Social Director.

Circles are formed by groups of Catholics for the purpose of discussing and airing religious difficulties and questions.

## Presbyterian Women Hold Tea, Bake Sale

Employing the motif of the day, the Women's Association of the First Presbyterian Church held a Valentine tea and bake sale Saturday in the Church parlors. Pussy willows and hearts featured the decorations. The tea table was centered with a silver basket filled with Spring flowers.

Mrs. A. W. Smith, President, received the guests. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. M. Wallace and Miss A. Lauskail. In charge of the tea room were Mrs. W. R. Jeffs, Mrs. F. E. Laing and Mrs. D. T. Heddle; and assisting in serving were Miss Muriel McLanders and Miss Catherin McLeod.

Mrs. P. S. Beatt and Mrs. C. R. McLanders had charge of the well-patronized bake table; and Mrs. A. T. Park was cashier.

# Future Is Worth Fight Archdeacon Tells Students

Students of Nelson High School shortly would be active citizens of Canada and the Empire, and of that greater world which was represented by all who believed in righteousness and freedom and the decencies of life. These things were worth fighting for, Ven. Archdeacon Fred H. Graham declared in a Victory Loan campaign address Monday morning to the students at their flag saluting ceremony.

He was not sure how much the students could do as far as the Victory Loan was concerned, but he counted upon them to raise their voices in support of it and to shoulder sacrifices which might be necessary.

The world they were inheriting was "a ghastly mess," and their field of endeavor would be everything which could be done to clean it up for the future freedom and happiness of a decent humanity.

LIFE CONCENTRIC

Archdeacon Graham described life as concentric, with ever-widening circles of loyalty. Each student was the are of his own world, beginning with the family life and extending into community life, national life and world life. Loyalty which began in the home would never end, but would go out in widening circles to the furtherest reaches of its influence.

He mentioned as a coincidence that two days ago he was in a town where the President of the Board of Trade and Chairman of the Victory Loan Committee was a graduate of Nelson High School. And, noting New Denver students in his audience, he stated that in the 1941 campaign New Denver had done more, proportionately, than any other centre in the district.

# Nelson Nurse Is on Canadian Staff Scottish Hospital

A member of a unit of nine Canadian doctors and 22 nurses, Miss Elizabeth Stewart of Nelson arrived Christmas Day in Scotland, and is located at Hairmyres Hospital, Lanarkshire, Scotland, according to The Canadian Nurse.

Miss Stewart was the first Nelson nurse to be called by the Canadian Red Cross for overseas service. She was chosen as one for "a highly qualified staff of orthopaedic specialists" to man a wing of the large civil defence hospital. According to the Canadian Nurses Association periodical the Hairmyres Hospital is located in "a beautiful summer resort in the Dundee-Aberdeen District".

Miss Stewart, daughter of W. F. Stewart of Nelson, was on the staff of Kootenay Lake General Hospital here from May, 1941 until the time she left for duty. Following her graduation from St. Eugene's Hospital, Cranbrook, in May, 1938 she had served for three years under the Red Cross Society at St Joseph's Hospital at Dawson, Y. T.

# Give Them the Tools Chaplain Urges Gyros Here

"Fight the good fight. Keep your chins up. Keep up your convictions. Remember you are in the war as much as those in the Old Country, and if you give our fighting men the tools they'll finish the job."

This message Sqdn. Ldr. B. H. Howells, Chaplain of No. 34 S. F. T. S., Royal Air Force, at Medicine Hat, left with Nelson Gyros Monday evening when at their supper meeting he spoke briefly, thanking them for their part in entertainment of visiting air force members, and in support of the Victory Loan campaign.

His thanks and the thanks of his commanding officer, Group Captain A. sp Ellis for Nelson hospitality came from the "bottom of our hearts," he said. The arduous journey from the old country to Canada was well worth while when they came to see and understand the greatness and glories of Canada and of British Columbia. The friendliness and hospitality they had encountered would send them back to the Old Country, he declared, as "ambassadors of the glory of your country."

The R.A.F. school's dance band and two vocalists were on hand to entertain the Gyros with several selections. The vocalists were Ac. 1 Frear and Ac. G. Dawson; while the band included Lac. Stephen Cryor, leader, trumpet; Ac. Ralph Palmer, trombone; Lac. Alex Shad, alto trombone; Ac. Victor Wingrove, teno saxophone; Ac. Ben Curtiss, piano; Cpl. Frank Trafford, drums; and Cpl. Donald Jordon, bass.

# William Allan Is Carried to Rest

William Anderson Allan, whose body was found Tuesday morning on Crossmley Avenue, near his home in Rosemont, was buried Saturday.

Services were conducted at the Thompson Funeral Home, A. Stewart of the First Presbyterian Church officiating. A large number attended, Mr. Allan having been widely known.

Mrs. J. C. Hooker and Mrs. J. C. Hielscher sang "The Old Rugged Cross". Hymns chosen were "The Lord My Shepherd" and "Rock of Ages". C. C. Halleran was organist.

Pallbearers were William Marr, Robert McGee, William Byers, David Richardson, William Ingram and William Croy.

Interment was in Nelson Memorial Park.

## Trail Welsh to Honor St. David

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 16 — A meeting was held in Emmanuel Baptist Church Hall by the Welsh people of Trail, in anticipation of the observance of St. David's day.

Reports of committees elected will be dealt with Thursday evening. Those on the committees are Mrs. T. O. Davies and Evan Jones; E. Davies, Brynmor Smith, R. Eustis and Mrs. E. H. Lewis. An effort is being made to contact all Welsh people in the district.

## Council to Buy Steel for Street Railway

To repair the Nelson Street Railway line the City Council Monday night authorized the purchase, if it is available, of the following: 40 tons of 70-pound rail; 250 angle bars; 2,000 tie plates; and four sets of frogs, switches and mates.

## CURLING SCORES

Monday night games in the Nelson Curling Club's Jeff Cup competition were Dr. T. N. Bourque 12, J. H. Allen 8, A. B. Gilker, 10, R. A. Peebles 8, H. Robertson 12, John Dingwall 10, R. D. Hall 11, H. M. Whimster 9, C. F. McHardy 10, A. A. Perrier 8.

Friday's draw in the Jeff Cup has been cancelled to permit an early start in the Little Bonspiel. The Friday games will be rescheduled in the following week's draw.

## Interpreting The War News

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

The fall of Singapore is the bitterest British military defeat in generations. Its cost in men and battle equipment not only to Britain but the United Nations is certainly heavy. And the strategic consequences are not yet fully measurable in either a military or political sense.

In Japanese hands that powerful Gibraltar of the East imposes a grim veto on allied plans for early reconquest of the China Sea. Coastal batteries—if they still stand— on which Britain lavished millions to dominate the vital Indian Ocean-China Sea-Pacific communication link may now be turned against her.

The only remaining united nations footholds in the China Sea are the Manila Bay forts, the tip of Bataan Peninsula held by Gen. MacArthur and his men, and isolated elsewhere in the Philippines. How long they can hold out is questionable. They already have wrought a military miracle of gallantry and endurance their countrymen can never forget.

Even before Britain's flag came down over Singapore, the Japanese foe was using his Malayan victory as a springboard for a new and dangerous stab at the Netherlands Indies. His invasion forces are already firmly planted in Sumatra, across Malacca Strait. Netherlands destruction of priceless oil wells and installations on that Westernmost island of the Netherlands Indies indicates a further allied retreat to Java is in motion.

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All Knights, Pythian Sisters, families, and visiting brothers are invited to attend at K.P. Hall Tuesday, the 17th, at 8 o'clock to commemorate 51st anniversary of Knights of Pythias.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of J. Fornelli of Fife will be held at Grand Forks Wednesday, February 18, 9 a.m., at Catholic Church, Rev. Father Bishop officiating.

Citizen's Committee Dance Tonight, Feb. 17th, Civic Centre. Music by The Dance Band of No. 34 S.F.T.S., Meticine Hat. The Band will introduce the Palais Glide and act as Master of Ceremonies. Dancing 9 to 1. No refreshments will be served.

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# About a Month's Supply of Apples Left in Canada

OTTAWA, Feb. 16 (CP). — The apple a day program of many Canadians may have to be reduced in the near future, Agriculture Department figures indicated today.

After a growing season when production generally was reduced, and after substantial exports to the United Kingdom under contract provisions, the stocks of apples on hand amount to about one month's supply. It will probably be Summer before further supplies are available from United States.

Agriculture Department officials said stocks on hand were about 1,000,000 bushels, or about 30.8 per cent of the 3,750,000 bushels on hand a year ago. he average out of storage movement to both the fresh market and processors has averaged about 1,000,000 bushels a month, although there was a sharp decline in January which indicates this level was not being maintained.

Actual supplies are largest in British Columbia but they only total about 22 per cent as much as last year and Ontario about 21 per cent.

The gales of Sept. 25 and 26 resulted in the loss of 4 per cent of the Ontario apple crop and total 1941 Ontario production was estimated at 553,600 barrels against 780,200 in 1940. British Columbia production was placed at 1,415,000 barrels against 1,981,000 in 1940, and Nova Scotia 1,148,000 barrels against 1,510,000 in 1940.

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