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Five Laval Cabinet Ministers Go in Shakeup at Vichy

NEW YORK, March 26 (AP)—The Berlin Radio announced tonight a shakeup in Pierre Laval's Vichy Cabinet in which five Ministers were dismissed, and this development came amid continued desertions from the Vichy Government by foreign diplomats who were switching their allegiance to Gen. Henri Giraud, French High Commissioner in Allied Northwest Africa.

The Ministers "taking leave of Chief of State Petain," were:

Joseph Barthelmy, Justice; Admiral Jean Marie Abrial, Navy; Gen. Jean Francois Jannekyn, Aviation; Jules Brevie, Colonies; and Rear Admiral Rene Platon, Secretary of State in the Foreign Ministry held by Laval himself.

The Berlin Radio stressed that the shakeup was "harmonious, insuring unconditional support of the Laval Government," and said some of the posts were being telescoped to give a greater concentration of power.

Actually, most of the French Ministries are obsolete because of war developments. France has lost nearly all her colonies to either Gen. Giraud or Gen. Charles de Gaulle, Fighting French Leader, and the Germans demobilized all French military services when they occupied all of France last Fall following the Allied invasion of North Africa.

The change occurred a short time after French Guiana had joined the Allies, and appeared also to have been dictated by concern of an approaching union of the two anti-Axis French leaders, Giraud and De Gaulle.

De Gaulle in a broadcast beamed to France a few hours before the Vichy change was announced said te was going to Algiers soon to effect such a union with Giraud. De Gaulle's liaison officer, Gen. Catroux, already is reported in North Africa.

A clue to Laval's concern over his situation was seen in Berlin's prediction that "a great diplomatic revival" by Vichy is impending.

Laval's own prestige and that of his Axis-dominated regime suffered a heavy blow Wednesday when 14 Vichy diplomats and consular officials assigned to Spain quit their posts to go over to Giraud.

Berlin said the vacated Vichy posts had not yet been filled but mentioned these men likely replacements and changes:

State Attorney Gabold, Justice; Admiral Blehaux, Navy and Colonies; General Delmotte, Aviation; Secretary of State for Information Paul Marion, to be Secretary General at the Chief of State's (Petain) office.

A further indication of rebellion and unrest inside Axis-occupied France was Berlin's report that Robert Bousquet, Secretary General for Police in the Interior Ministry, "will be promoted in rank," and that "there's talk of a new Police Ministry to be established."

Bousquet is the man Vichy has assigned on many incidents against dissidents in France.

In his new assignment, it was said, Marion will "mainly deal with question of the Militia," Berlin said. The Militia is a Vichy-appointed body which Laval already has put through defence rehearsals, both to protect him and his regime, against any uprising inside France, and presumably against any Allied invasion.

Admiral Abrial, Barthelmy and Brevie are to be appointed National Councillors, it was said, and Gen. Jannekyn probably will be assigned to take charge of the French Commercial Airways Company, Air France.

In the promised "Vichy diplomatic revival" Admiral Platon was reported assigned to a diplomatic post in Budapest, Hungary, Georges Scapini, blind Lawyer-Deputy, to Stockholm, Sweden, and Secretary-General for Youth Lamirand to Sofia, Bulgaria.

Scapini has been a sort of "prisoners' ambassador" to Berlin ever since the Armistice, trying to effect the release of 2,000,000 French captives now working in German factories and fields.

Berlin also suggested that Fernand de Brinon, Vichy Ambassador to Paris, might shift his office to Berlin.

Gen. Eugene Bridox remains as Secretary of State for War, and there was no surface change in Naval's own status. He remains aproximately a one-man Government, being Chief of Government, and holding the Foreign, Interior and Information portfolios.

Radio France at Algiers said that the French Charge d'Affaires at Lisbon and other personnel in the Legation there also "refuse to follow Vichy's policy any longer."

Vichy reports reaching Madrid said that these Foreign Service resignations gave German occupation authorities in France another opportunity to emphasize their stand that Vichy doesn't need further representation abroad.

But Laval was said to be contending that a Foreign Service was needed to maintain "face" for his Axis-collaborationist regime.

REPORT HITLER PLANS TO RUN THE NAVY

NEW YORK, March 26 (AP) — The BBC quoted Stockholm reports today as saying Hitler now plans to run the German Navy, of which the U-boats are a major threat to the supply lines the Allies must keep open to invade Europe.

COMMONWEALTH MODEL FOR FUTURE WORLD

Eden Declares No Nation Can Close Frontiers

VISIT PROFITABLE

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 26 (CP)—**The British Commonwealth of Nations stands as a model of cooperation and unity that the world might study with advantage when searching for a post war charter of "man's freedom and self-government under the rule of law," Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary, said here tonight.**

Speaking to a joint session of the General Assembly of the State of Maryland, of which one of his ancestors, Sir Robert Eden, was the last of the line of British Governors, he said his conferences and discussions with American leaders in Washington are certain to bear fruit in the future. He repeated his earlier warning that "we have yet far to travel before the final triumph over our enemies in the West and in the East."

To the assembled Legislators of Maryland, Eden renewed Britain's pledge to accept a full share of the war against Japan after the defeat of Germany and Italy; besought China not to "misdoubt us" on Britain's determination to assist in the reopening of the Burma Road supply line and made it plain "that we have no secret engagements with any country, nor do we seek as a result of this conflict to extend our boundaries or increase our possessions."

Speaking of his conferences with Hull, Eden said "we have done much together, and we are both well pleased at the result. For myself, I can only say this: In my life it has fallen to my lot on many occasions to visit foreign capitals, and I am sure that never in my experience has a journey been more worth while.

"You will not expect, I trust, sudden and sensational developments. For there will be none. But there has been a meeting of minds between us about the present and the future that will, we are sure, bear fruit."

Turning to a discussion of post-war planning and the maintenance of peace, Eden said the lesson of the years between 1919 and 1939 was that "the intentions of the peace-loving nations were excellent, but their practice was weak." He went on:

"If there is one lesson we should have learned from the distress of those years, it is surely this: that we cannot shut our windows and draw our curtains, and be careless of what is happening next door or on the other side of the street. No nation can close its frontiers and hope to live secure. We cannot have prosperity in one country and misery in its neighbor, peace in one hemisphere and war in the other. And if we try to have these things, we shall be back on the old road to world war.

"We shall never find security or progress within heavily defended national fortresses. We shall only find them by the greatest possible measure of cooperation. The United Nations, and in particular the United States, the British Commonwealth, China and the Soviet Union, must act together in war and in peace.

"The greatest of all peace aims is to ensure that never again shall unscrupulous leaders be able to carry their peoples into war and bring tragedy on the world. We shall accordingly take steps ofr the physical prevention of this danger by the enforced disarmament of these gangster nations. We must ensure that this protection of peace-loving peoples is maintained in full effectiveness for whatever period may be necessary. We must therefore be ready to protect and maintain whatever settlement we devise.

"And one thing, I am sure, is, above all, necessary. Never again must the civilized world be ready to tolerate unilateral infraction of treaties. For that would be to sap the whole foundation of the secure international life which it is our principal purpose to restore.

"We must prosecute the war to a final victory. We must determine together to take steps to ensure that neither Germany, nor Italy nor Japan can commit a like aggression again. We can do this and we will. If we do, we will fulfill the first condition of peace."

At another point, Eden said the lack of power behind the international system led to the triumph of dictators after the last war.

"Any new international authority that we may agree to set up," he continued, "can only succeed if it is backed by sufficient strength. It will not be enough for one country, or even two, to display the qualities necessary to protect the peace. The work will take all that America, and Britain, Russia and China, and the United Nations can offer."

100,000 Chileans Welcome U.S. Vice-President

SANTIAGO, Chile, March 26 (AP)—**One of the largest and most enthusiastic crowds in Chilean history, estimated at 100,000 persons, cheered Vice-President Wallace of the United States when he appeared tonight shortly after his arrival here on his air tour of Latin America.**

"Never have I seen such a warm reception," said Wallace as he stepped to the balcony of a military club, which will be his residence here, to receive a tremendous ovation. "It is a symbol of the force of true democracy shared alike from left to rightists."

Wallace spoke in Spanish within hearing of the huge crowd.

R.A.F. POUNDS RUHR, CENTRAL BARGES, TRAINS

Canadians Listen in as CBC Describes Attack

PLANES HEARD

LONDON, March 27 (Saturday) (P.)—**R.A.F. bombers were in action over the Ruhr District of Germany last night, it was announced today.**

Whirlwind bombers and Canadian Mustangs of the Army Cooperation Command yesterday strafed and bombed locomotives, canal barges and an electrical transformer station at various points in occupied Europe. No aircraft was lost.

A Belgian Typhoon fighter pilot of the R.A.F. in a sweep over the Low Countries shot down a Junkers 52 not far from the house in which he used to live, the Air Ministry announced.

The pilot, flying with a Norwegian comrade, had already damaged a power barge transformer and two locomotives when he sighted the big German troop carrier plane.

Whirlwind pilots scored a direct hit on lock gates on a French River, the Air Ministry said.

TORONTO, March 26 (CP.) — The CBC tonight gave Canadian listeners an earwitness account of the scene at an operational airdrome in Britain where R.C.A.F. fliers were briefing for tonight's raid on the Ruhr. It was said to be the first time such a broadcast had been made.

Wing Cmdr. Bradshaw of London, Ont., was the officer in charge of briefing and the British announcer described in detail the scene as the big bombers warmed up. He said most of the aircrews involved came from Western Canada.

Radio listeners heard the huge, four-motored bombers taking off—the roar of the engines fading into the night English sky.

"As soon as one four-motored monster takes the air, another gets ready," the CBC reporter, John Kennawis of Winnipeg, said. "They thunder down the mile-long runway—they're on their way to bomb Germany."

The reported wandered into the Officer's Mess where radio listeners could hear raucous singing. He then told of the preparations by the ground crews and actual reports coming over the air from planes could be heard in the control room.

Iaps Hold Firmly in Hupeh Fighting

CHUNGKING, March 26 (AP)—The Chinese High Command in a communique today recorded fighting in Hupeh Province in only two areas, indicating that the Japanese had stabilized their positions and were still firmly in possession of four anchor points safeguarding shipping on the Yangtse River to Ichang.

In one of the two areas where fighting there was announced the Chinese captured a small town. In a clash March 13 in Northern Kiangsu Province, a Japanese force had been hurled back with "considerable casualties."

RUSS WIPE OUT GARRISON IN SMOLENSK DRIVE

Another Captured; 1100 Nazis Die in Kharkov Sector

TANKS BATTERED

LONDON, March 26 (CP)—**Russian troops beating against Smolensk's outer defences wiped out a German garrison at one strong point and captured another, while holding firm against Nazi counter assaults on the Donets River front near Kharkov in the South, Moscow announced tonight.**

The new Central-front gains announced in the midnight communique were said to be South of Bely, presumably near Dukhovschina, 32 miles from Smolensk.

A Stockholm dispatch said Russian tanks already had broken into Dorogubuzh, 50 miles East of Smolensk, in a frontal assault supporting the Northeastern wedge in Smolensk's outlying defence belt.

The communique said 500 Germans were killed in the capture of the two enemy points, 300 of them in the garrison which was outflanked and then attacked from the rear after a group of Red army men stole across a river.

Several populated places were taken in this continuing drive over difficult terrain but the communique suggested part of the Russian troops were consolidating their hard-won gains in the great salient which so long had threatened Moscow.

Approximately 1100 Germans were reported killed in futile efforts to breach Russian positions between Belgorod and Chuguev in the Kharkov sector of the Ukraine during today's fighting which found the Germans still using a considerable number of tanks.

Near Chuguev, 22 miles Southeast of Kharkov, the communique said numerous tank and infantry attacks were repulsed, one Soviet unit alone destroying 42 Nazi tanks and wiping out a battalion of infantry.

Near Belgorod, 50 miles North of Kharkov, 100 Germans fell and two tanks went up in flames in an unsuccessful attack. And near an unidentified height the Russians said a company of Germans was wiped out and two big guns destroyed in another repulse of the enemy.

The Smolensk front was said to echo constantly with artillery fire, and the whole battle front was reported veiled in acrid smoke of villages to which the Germans had put the torch. At one point 12,000 captives earmarked for forced labor in Germany were set free, Tass reported.

Says 10,000 Could Be Employed in Forests After War

OTTAWA, March 26 (CP)—Dr. R. C. Wallace, Principal of Queen's University at Kingston, Ont., said today before the House of Commons Committee on Reconstruction and Reestablishment that at least 10,000 men can be employed in the first five years after the war in carrying out "forest management" projects.

Dr. Wallace, Chairman of a Subcommittee under the Government's Advisory Reconstruction Committee, said "valuable data" on the industry now is being gathered by the Mines and Resources Department.

Discussing mining, Dr. Wallace said there is difficulty in setting up a mining area so its structure can be maintained after the mine itself has been worked out.

10 BELGIAN HOSTAGES TO DIE FOR MURDER OF NAZIS

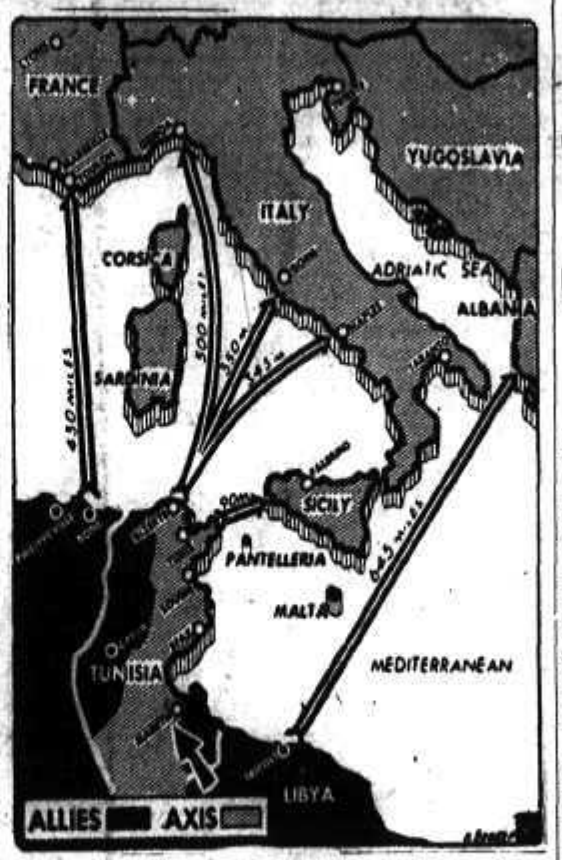
LONDON, March 25 (CP Cable)—Several members of Rexist and Flemish Nazi military formations were slain in Brussels recently and the Germans announced that 10 Belgian hostages would be executed unless the guilty persons were turned in, the Belgian News Agency said today.

To Get Square Deal for Western Retailers

VANCOUVER, March 27 (CP) — British Columbia delegates to a Canadian Retail Federation Conference in Toronto April 5-6 will see a "square deal" for Western retailers, the Retail Merchant's Association said today. Complaints have been made by some B. C. retailers that Eastern firms are given preference in obtaining supplies.

ONE DEAD, ANOTHER HURT, COAST CRASH

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., March 26 (CP.) — Cornelium Siemen, 30, was killed instantly today and James Croisdale, 19, was injured critically when the car in which they were riding collided with an inter-urban tram on the B. C. Electric Railway Company's Fraser Valley line.



WHAT MONTGOMERY ATTACK MAY LEAD TO

Military leader of the Allies and the Axis are watching closely the fighting now going on in Tunisia. The outcome of the battles is of the utmost strategic importance, for the Allied Nations can launch an attack on Sicily, Sardinia, continental Italy and France the moment Axis troops are cleared out of North Africa. Air-mile distances to some of the possible invasion points are shown by double-lined arrows points from North Africa to Europe.

Rome Given Scare as Suburbs Strafed by R.A.F.

LONDON, March 26 (AP)—R.A.F. intruder planes, taking off from battered Malta where for months the words "bomb Rome" have been chalked on the walls of ruined buildings, sallied over the Italian capital and environs last night, and one of the pilots on his return expressed regret at not having been able to single out the "big bullfrog"—Mussolini.

The number of planes involved was not revealed.

Early editions of the London morning papers gave the story top display and Daily Mail headline said: "R.A.F. over Rome suburbs."

Only one pilot told of what the Italian capital looks like at night sights of Rome, the flier concentrated a strafing attack on trains serving the capital and an outlying railway station.

"The moon was quite bright," the pilot said, "and although it was very hazy we could see flashes of electric trams or trains in Rome itself and the buildings of the city."

The Italian High Command communique acknowledged attacks last night on Campo Leone, 21 miles by rail from Rome, and Cisterna, 31 miles outside of the capital but said there were no casualties. Both are on the route from Rome to Naples.

"We left Rome," the R.A.F. pilot, a wing commander, said, "and flew down the railway toward Naples, strafing trains as we went. In two or more instances we saw tremendous flashes, similar to those we had seen after we gunned trains outside Rome. We gave railroad signal boxes a pasting too."

Back in Malta, where the announcement of last night's sortie was hailed with great pleasure, the pilot said the planes approached Rome over the Tiber and Pontine marshes.

These marshes, traversed by the famous Appian Way, are 26 miles long and 17 wide, extending from Velletri to the sea in the Southern part of the Campagna of Rome.

The raid, observers here said, illustrated how easily Malta-based planes could bomb Rome in round-trip flights of approximately 850 miles.

From Malta, the Italian capital is within easy reach of the long range Beaufighters or the 400-mile-an-hour Mosquitos which have blasted Berlin in daylight from British bases.

ARRIVES IN ENGLAND

OTTAWA, March 26 (CP.)—Air Vice-Marshal L. L. D. McKean, liaison officer in chief of the United Kingdom Air Liaison Mission in Canada, has arrived in England where he will confer with officials at the Air Ministry.

Conditional Sales No Longer Approved by Board

OTTAWA, March 26 (CP)—**The Prices Board announced tonight that merchants no longer may require their customers to buy $1 worth of goods to purchase a particular commodity which is in short supply. The Board said it had withdrawn permission to make such condition sales on the ground that the permission had been abused.**

The Board no longer approves conditional sales of any kind.

Naval Station and College to Be Built at Vancouver

VANCOUVER, March 26 (CP)—Contract for construction of a naval station and college in Vancouver harbor has been placed by the Federal Government with Dominion Construction Company here. Buildings will be erected on Deadman's Island at cost of approximately $275,000.

NAZIS URGE DUTCH WOMEN TO BEAR CHILDREN BY SOLDIERS

LONDON, March 26 (CP) — The German authorities are attempting to induce Dutch women to bear illegitimate children by German soldiers Aneta News Agency reported today. Details of a decree providing payments to such women "if such help serves to aid preservation and protection of the racially-valuable German inheritance," were published in the National Socialist Newspaper Het Nationale Dagblad.

JUDGE LINDSEY DIES

LOS ANGELES, March 26 (AP)—Superior Judge Ben B. Lindsey, long a prominent California and Colorado jurist, died today.

He first became widely known as a Juvenile Court Judge in Denver, Colo., and was credited with originating Children's Court procedure which was widely copied.

Heavy Air Blows Weaken Hun Counter-Attacks

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ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, March 26 (AP)—Infantry of the British 8th Army inched forward into fortifications of the Mareth line under a hail of gunfire today while American forces 70 miles away fought grimly to keep Marshal Erwin Rommel's flank pinned to the Tunisian Coast.

The seventh night of Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's attack on the deep Mareth belt of minefields and pillboxes backed up by concentrations of armor and artillery found the British forces and the enemy still locked in a struggle reminiscent of the First Great War's many "battles of position and attrition."

There was complete absence of information on the situation in the El Hamma area, where daring units of the 8th Army had struck far around and into the rear of the Mareth line. But continued heavy attacks by the Allies' Western Desert air force on enemy armor in the vicinity of El Hamma indicated the flanking British force was holding its initial gains there despite its long supply line.

SAY HILL CAPTURED

The Algiers radio said the British before El Hamma which is 20 miles from the Axis supply port of Gabes were meeting an "extremely dense anti-tank defence system," but that they had captured the height of Djebel Tobaga, dominating Gabes. There was no Allied confirmation of this report.

American troops entrenched on the heights dominating Guetaria Pass, through which runs the Southernmost road from Gafsa to the sea, were counter-attacked again by German infantry who tried to infiltrate and outflank their Rocky positions.

Although the Germans got a foothold on the Southern slopes of Djebel Berba, on the South side of the Pass, front-line dispatches said the Americans kept control of the road.

Gen. George S. Patton's other American forces were engaged in difficult mopping-up operations of the enemy holding high ground five miles South of Maknassy and elsewhere in the long Orbata range.

The Allied air offensive for the week was the heaviest in the history of the African war, inflicting serious strategic blows as well as staunchly supporting the British and American ground attacks with a record number of tactical missions.

SHIPS DESTROYED

Full reports of the American heavy bomber raid Monday on Palermo showed that it was one of the most damaging of the campaign. One large ship, believed loaded with ammunition, blew up and several small ships disappeared. Two small ships were blown out of the water on to the quay and a number of nearby buildings were demolished.

Aerial photographs taken during the raid revealed that the Palermo waterfront and harbor were blanketed by bomb bursts. The earlier report had said merely that one ship was blown up.

The Berlin radio broadcast a commentary by Capt. Ludwig Sertorius saying the lull in the Tunisian battle by no means meant that the fighting was over because the "enemy is determined to enforce a decision." He added that while allied losses had been serious, they have ample reserves and have "not exhausted their offensive power."

There was no indications that the Germans and Italians defending the formidable fortifications were cracking under the 8th Army blows but the decreasing power of the counter attacks launched by Marshal Erwin Rommel attested the effectiveness of the British assault by land and air.

Today's Allied communique gave the first indication that Sir Bernard's fighters had recovered completely from the set back they suffered last Tuesday, when great forces of German tanks and infantry threw them back to their original positions, and were slashing forward again.

The Morocco radio said that the "bloody engagements and hand to hand fighting" were in progress at several points along the Mareth Line.

Lt.-Gen. George S. Patton's American forces meanwhile, maintained their threat against Rommel's escape corridor to the North and repulsed a minor German infantry attack at Djebel Berda, some 20 miles Southeast of Gafsa.

The Americans were in contact with Axis troops in two rugged passes of the Orbata range, five miles Southeast of Maknassy and 10 miles Southeast of Sened Station, but had made no advance in the past 48 hours. Until a decision is reached in the Mareth battle, the Americans appear destined to fight a series of hard tactical engagements with the Germans entrenched in the Orbata hills.

For two days there had been no official word concerning the 8th Army's flanking column which wung around the Mareth line on the South and was last reported to be only eight miles from El Hamma Axis air base 20 miles from Gabes.

The Algiers radio broadcast a report that the 8th Army had "made some advance in the El Hamma area" rendering the position of the Afrika Corps difficult," but this was not confirmed from Allied quarters.

While the allied drives to envelop Axis forces in Southern Tunisia appeared to be making slow but steady progress, Military observers in London estimated there were approximately 80,000 Axis troops in the area—more than 40,000 Germans and fewer Italians. This was believed to be a considerably smaller figure than the total of men available to Gen. Sir Harold Alexander, the Allied ground commander in Tunisia.

The Allied Western Desert air force continued to blast the enemy troops, armor and fortifications, and scores of heavy bombers destroyed Axis harbors, landing fields and shipping.

American heavy bombers sank a small ship at Sousse, damaged a large vessel and started fires in the dock area. Escorting fighters shot down an enemy interceptor and shot up motor barges off the Tunisian coast. Another unit of fighters reported 50 direct cannon hits on nine Nazi tanks.

One formation of Messerschmitt 210 twin engined fighter-bombers was forced to jettison its bombs on its own troops when trapped by a group of Spitfires near El Hamma.

Allied light, medium and heavy bombers were reported to have caused immense destruction of an enemy park containing several hundred vehicles in the same area the pilots saying it offered the best target they had seen since the big push began nearly a week ago.

FORTS SMASH NEW JAP BASE OF WEWAK

New Installation, Big Ship Hit in Three-Hour Raid

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, March 27 (Saturday) (AP)—Dipping as low as 75 feet to loose their bombs, allied four-motored bombers blasted newly-constructed installations and shipping at the new Japanese base of Wewak on the North coast of New Guinea in a three hour night attack, an allied communique said today.

Using 500 and 1000 pound bombs the Flying Fortresses scored two hits on a 4000-ton merchantman in the harbor, leaving it badly damaged and pounded the airdrome, town, and docks with 19 tons of explosives.

The 1000-ton bombs the announcement said, "caused especially serious damage among the shore installations."

The attacking planes drove into heavy anti-aircraft fire and all returned safely.

Wewak, 350 miles above Port Moresby apparently was given special attention because of its position as a reinforcement and intermediate supply port for the hard-pressed Japanese holding the Lae-Salamaua sector to the South.

Japanese New Guinea positions at Lae, Salamaua, Finschhafen and Mubo along the Coast Southeast of Wewak, also were bombed and strafed during yesterday's operations.

B. C. Buyers Restricted to Dozen Pints of Beer a Month

VICTORIA, March 26 (CP.) — British Columbia liquor permit holders will be restricted to one dozen pints of beer a month starting next week and no purchases of spirits or wine will be allowed in April unless none was bought in March, Liquor Commissioner W. F. Kennedy announced tonight. He also said new quotas will be announced May 1.

In announcing the restrictions, Mr. Kennedy said that unless the Dominion Government rations supplies as requested by Mr. Kennedy British Columbia will launch a rationing system of its own allowing each holder one pint of spirits and one dozen pints of beer a month with the wine quota to be decided later.

The present quotas in British Columbia are two dozen pints of beer a week and 40 ounces of spirits and one gallon of wine a month with the proviso that only one purchase of spirits and wine could be made each month. Customers have been taking 13 ounce bottles of spirits when larger ones were not available.

"The Liquor Control Board has been criticized for the way it has handled a situation created by the Ottawa Government which imposed restrictions on manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors, wine and beer," Mr. Kennedy said. "There is no hope of relief from shortages in these commodities until Oct. 31, when our over-selling will have been caught up with."

Germans Rush Defences on Dutch Coast

LONDON, March 26 (AP)— The Netherlands Information Service reported today that the entire coastal area of Holland for a distance of nearly 15 miles inland was being cleared of inhabitants by the Germans, who are wrecking thousands of buildings and erecting coastal defences against an Allied invasion.

It said that probably 24,000 houses had been destroyed in The Hague as the Nazis worked to perfect their fortifications.

A Tass dispatch from Stockholm estimated that 800,000 Dutchmen had been evacuated from their homes along the coast. Some of the evacuees were said to have been sent to camps at Arnheim and then on into Germany, presumably for forced labor.

A Paris dispatch broadcast by the Berlin radio today said part of the civilian population of the Atlantic port of La Rochelle was being evacuated to the French towns of Rochefort and Fouras.

The Belgian news agency Inbel reported that the Germans were extending their defences along the Belgian coast and has ordered all former members of the disbanded Belgian Army to the interior.

POWELL RIVER MILL TO OPERATE 5 2-3 DAYS A WEEK

POWELL RIVER, B. C., March 26 (CP)—Starting Monday the pulp and paper mill of the Powell River Company will operate five and two-thirds days per week, the management announced today in a notice which said "it is evident our supply of logs will be on a curtailed basis for some weeks.

West Sends High Percentage of Men to Navy

OTTAWA, March 26 (CP.)—The Western plains are gaining fame from the exploits of their men in the Royal Canadian Navy, a Naval Press release issued tonight.

From the beginning of the war the fact that many Canadian landlubbers who had never seen the sea or been within 1000 miles of a seagoing ship were joining the Navy, aroused interested comment among naval men.

Only about 26 per cent of Canada's population live in the four Western provinces, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia, but from that 26 per cent has come 40 per cent of the strength of the Navy, 19,000 out of 52,000 men; and from the three Prairie Provinces, with about 21 per cent of Canadas' population, has come about 24 per cent of the Navy's strength.

Red Cross Drive Climbs Over $9,000,000 Point

TORONTO, March 26 (CP)—National Headquarters of the Canadian Red Cross Society announced today that 90 per cent of their $10,000,000 objective had been obtained. The national total until Thursday night was $9,013,742.

Five Provinces, New Brunswick, Alberta, Prince Edward Island, Quebec and Nova Scotia, have now topped their quotas and others are expected to follow shortly.

Standings for the Provinces are: Prince Edward Island, $75,000 ($50,000); Nova Scotia, $370,000 ($350,000); New Brunswick, $208,188 ($200,000); Quebec, $2,250,000 ($2,250,000); Ontario, $4,210,053 ($5,000,000); Manitoba, $518,415 ($600,000); Saskatchewan, $250,000 ($350,000); Alberta, $409,000 ($400,000); British Columbia $777,986 (800,000).

Victoria Air Force Beats Army in Island Hoop Game

VANCOUVER, March 26 (CP.) — Victoria Air Force defeated Victoria Army 56-44 here tonight in a sudden-death game ordered by the British Columbia Basketball Association to decide the Vancouver Island senior men's championship after a series at Victoria marked by numerous protests.

Air Force now will meet Varsity Thunderbirds, Vancouver champions, in a best of seven series starting here Saturday night for the British Columbia title.

Says Acting A.G. Can't Sign Indictment

VANCOUVER, March 26 (CP.)—Hon. K. C. MacDonald's appointment as Acting Attorney-General was mentioned in the Court of Appeal today by Stuart Henderson, Counsel for Leonard James Simmons, former quartermaster of B. C. Provincial Police who is appealing against a conviction at Victoria assizes for conspiracy in connection with the purchase of police boots.

Mr. Henderson said he did not think the law permitted an Acting Attorney-General to sign an indictment.

He also argued that the appointment of Mr. MacDonald, who was Minister of Agriculture, to be acting Attorney-General was not gazetted until Nov. 5, 1942; although the Simmons' trial on an indictment, signed by him as Acting Attorney-General, opened the day previous.

The appointment, as published in the B. C. Gazette, together with other appointments of a like nature, showed, Mr. Henderson contended, that Attorney-General Maitland must have been in the Province at the time Dr. MacDonald was appointed to act for him. From this, counsel argued that the Acting Minister could not act for his principal when the latter was present. The indictment should have been signed by Mr. Maitland or by the judge. Simmons' counsel contended.

"Your point is that makes the charge a nullity which cannot be cured by the verdict or otherwise?" asked Chief Justice MacDonald.

"Yes," replied Mr. Henderson.

"And yet you went to the jury and took your chances", observed his lordship.

Three Fliers Hurt in Bush Landing, Caught in Blizzard

ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE, Alta., March 26 (CP.) — A doctor and an ambulance were waiting at the Henry Stelfox Ranch today for three injured Royal Canadian Air Force fliers whose plane made a forced landing about 30 air miles Southwest of here.

The plane is believed to have landed about 12 miles beyond the Stelfox Ranch in remote bush area and reports reaching here late today said a story blizzard was raging over the region. The ranch is about 36 miles by road from Rocky Mountain House.

One man is believed to have suffered a fractured leg and another a fractured ankle. All were reported suffering from slight body injuries and shock. They are Lac A. L. Mills of Vancouver and Flt. Lt. R. J. Wright and FO. J. H. Somerville, both of Calgary.

Creston Auxiliary Donates $5 to the Red Cross

CRESTON, B. C.—Mrs. E. Erickson was in the chair for the March meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion.

Committee reports were heard and it was announced that two more quilts have been finished and five pairs of socks completed. Another lot of wool was purchased.

The Secretary was instructed to write the Council asking permission to hold a tag day. A letter of thanks is to be sent to the War Loan committee for the check received as commission for last War loan. A donation of $5 was given the Red Cross drive.

A whist drive was planned. A white elephant sale will be held in the near future.

A grab auction was held at the conclusion of the meeting.

CARDINAL'S BODY INTERRED IN ST. JOSEPH'S CHAPEL

LONDON, March 26 (CP Cable) —The body of Arthur Cardinal Hinsley was interred today in a specially-constructed vault in St. Joseph's Chapel. Funeral services for the Cardinal were held Monday. He died March 17.

MINISTER TO ETHIOPIA NOMINATED

WASHINGTON, March 26 (AP)—President Roosevelt today nominated John K. Caldwell of Berea, Ky., to be the first U. S. Minister Resident and Consul General to Ethiopia since the Italians were chased out of that country by the British forces and Emperor Haile Selassie restored to his throne. Caldwell, 61, is a diplomatic career man with about 20 years' service in the Far East and in Geneva.

PRIVATEER REPORTS $55,259 OUTPUT

TORONTO, March 26 (CP)—Privateer Mine Limited, Zeballos, Vancouver Island, B.C., today reported February bullion output at $55,259 Output in January was $55,041 and in February 1942 $80,465.

House Approves $688,000,000 Interim Supply Bills

OTTAWA, March 25 (CP)—House of Commons approval was given today to two interim supply bills authorizing Finance Minister Ilsley to spend $688,847,000 of the total war and non-war appropriations remaining to be voted for the next fiscal year.

The two bills, each asking for one-sixth of the original estimates for war and non-war costs, were put through all stages in a three-hour debate during which the Minister was urged by the Opposition to investigate all reports of extravagance and to assure the people this was being done.

Senate approval of the bills will be sought when that body meets next week and their final adoption will provide the Minister with the funds for the first two months of the fiscal year starting April 1.

Discussion of the details of both sets of expenditures will take place when the resolutions based on the total amounts for the year are before the House.

Mr. Ilsley said total non-war expenditures for the next fiscal year would be $610,830,000, while the main resolution for next year's war appropriation is for $3,890,000,000.

However, all but about $240,000,000 of the non-war estimates are provided for by statute and do not have to be voted in detail, hence the non-war interim supply bill asking for one-sixth amounted only to $40,314,000.

A feature of the discussion was a recommendation by John Diefbaker, (Prog. Con. Lake Centre) that Mr. Ilsley go on the air before the Fourth Victory Loan is launched and invite the people to advise him on any instances of extravagance in war expenditures that come to their notice.

If the Minister would do that, Mr. Diefenbaker said, and give his assurance that every report of wastefulness or over-spending would be traced and the guilty punished, he would create a fresh confidence in the hearts of the people.

Such a move he said, would bring quicker and more generous response to the war loan appeal and inspire purchasers to hold on to their bonds.

Dishpan Helmet on the Way Out for Canadians

By ROSS MUNRO
Canadian Press War Correspondent

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, March 26 (CP) — The dishpan helmet worn by Canadian soldiers in two wars finally is on the way out.

The Canadian Army overseas has adopted a new "battle bowler", similar to that worn by U. S. soldiers and it will likely be issued to all troops before many months pass.

The helmet is a slight modification of the American equipment but looks practically identical, bulging close around the head with a short visor. Fitting inside the steel helmet is a fibre helmet which can be worn separately for rain or sun protection.

(The British Army, it is believed, is also making the change.)

This new headgear is far more comfortable than the old style and it gives the wearer more protection around the ears, face and neck. British troops in Tunisia who could scrounge American helmets wore them in preference to their own.

Apart from its use in battle the new tin hat is handy as a wash basin in which generally have been improvised in the field from gasoline tins.

Several thousand of these new helmets have been ordered from the U. S. and the first shipments should make their appearance on Canadian heads in the United Kingdom before long. Lengthy tests were held here before Canadian authorities decided to adopt the American model.

Say Germans' New Sub-Attacking Devices Propaganda

LONDON, March 26 (CP) —An informed London source today dismissed a German report of new devices being used to attack British submarines as having been issued "purely for internal consumption in Germany."

The German High Command communique Thursday had claimed, without amplification that "submarine chasers of the German Navy by employment of a new kind of fighting means, sank five British submarines in the Mediterranean in the course of some few days."

Creston, New Denver U.B.C. Students Enlist in Air Corps

VANCOUVER, March 26 (CP) — In the biggest group enlistment yet made in the RCAF here, 48 members of the University of B. C. Air Training Corps were sworn in today. They will complete the present term and report for duty in May. Included in the group are D. R. McFarlane, Victoria; K. D. Hester, of Creston and D. W. Francis, New Denver, B. C.

KASLO

KASLO, B.C.—Mrs. G. K. Sutherland has left for a visit to the Coast.

A. L. Grayling was a visitor to Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fahrni have as their guest, Mrs. R. L. Kent of Winnipeg, who had been visiting the Coast for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Gibson and young son, Grant returned to Rossland after visiting the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. George Gibson in Kaslo.

Percy Amas was in Nelson for a few days.

Mrs. W. Hendron spent a day in the city.

Mrs. J. Paterson and Mrs. Guy Browell were joint hostesses at a tea at the home of the former, given in honor of Mrs. A. Vande Casteyen, who plans to leave shortly for Ladysmith.

Mrs. Alice Brown of Mirror Lake entertained at a delightful tea at her new home at Mirror Lake. There were 12 guests from Kaslo. Mrs. C. Moore assited in serving.

Mrs. A. Bavington was hostess at a novel bridge party. Every guest received a prize. High score went to Mrs. J. Paterson, low score to Mrs. Percy Amas. Prize for the earliest arrival went to Mrs. C. White, Mrs. J. R. Tinkess assisted the hostess in serving a dainty supper.

Louis Furiak and Jimmy Strachan went by bus to Nelson on Thursday.

SILVER SLIPPER CLUB DONATES $71 TO RED CROSS

Silver Slipper Club, a branch of the St. Saviour's Church Helpers, has forwarded to the Nelson Red Cross a check for $71.94 as a donation, Secretary Mrs. Robert Collinson reported Friday. This amount was half of the net proceeds from the Club's Winter series of four dances.

Mrs. E. N. Rolph is President of the Silver Slipper Club.

G.S. Baker Heads Kaslo Board

At the annual meeting of the Kaslo Board of Trade, held March 18, officers were elected as follows for 1943:

Hon. President, A. L. MacPhee; President, George S. Baker, Vice President F. T. Abey; Secretary, C. R. Fahrni; Membership Committee F. Aydon, F. T. Abey and H. Exter. It was resolved to leave the appointment of the executive till next meeting when it was expected that there would be a report from the Membership Committee.

Fred Aydon was appointed delegate to the Associated Boards conference, being held in Creston, May 25-26, with G. S. Baker as alternative. This was before Mr. Baker was elected President, with an ex-officio membership in the convention.

Through resolution the Board, in view of the fuel wood shortage, are to ask the City to take steps to protect Kaslo against a wood fuel shortage in 1943, by exercising their right to have 200 or 300 cords cut by contract this Spring. G. Bowker and C. R. Fahrni were appointed to interview the Council at its next meeting.

Secretary Fahrni was instructed to wire Mr. Leary at Victoria at once, asking him to confer with Hon. H. Anscomb, with a view to getting the big 'cat, being used to clear the road from Three Forks to Zincton, to also clear out the road from Zincton to Kaslo.

Auxiliary Aircraft Carriers in Combat Areas

WASHINGTON, March 26 (AP)—The United States Navy disclosed today that the first of a fleet of auxiliary aircraft carriers are in combat areas and scores of others are building in shipyards on both the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts.

The primary function of the auxiliary carriers at this time is to help smash the German U-boat offensive in the Atlantic but they are by no means limited to furnishing convoy protection, having uses also as ferrying craft and in fleet operations. The greatest need for them now, however, is in the North Atlantic and indications were that that is where the bulk of the force will be disposed.

Camels Have Taste for Telephone Wires

AT THE TUNISIAN FRONT, March 26 (AP)—The difficulties of this war are not all concerned with front-line fighting.

Consider the crisis at (Blank) headquarters, for instance.

At the headquarters signal office, an important communication line suddenly went dead, and dismay at the unaccountable trouble was considerable until a sergeant discovered the difficulty.

A drove of camels, loaded with heavy packs for a trek across country, had been driven into a shady patch beside the headquarters. With disdainful indiscrimination they began to munch at grass and telephone lines on the ground with equal relish.

The Seageant spoke fast and the Arab camel driver drove the beasts away.

Provide for Appeals to War Labor Board

OTTAWA, March 26 (CP)—The National War Labor Board today announced an amendment of its by-laws to provide for appeals to the National Board from orders or decisions made by Regional Boards.

Under the new procedure opportunity can be furnished to the interested parties to argue the contested points before the National Board, by public hearings or otherwise as the Board may see fit.

Canadian in Charge of R.N. Sub for First Time

LONDON, March 26 (CP Cable) —For the first time in Britain's naval history, a Canadian has been placed in command of a Royal Navy submarine.

The appointment was disclosed with the announcement that Lt.-Cmdr. F. H. Sherwood of Ottawa, member of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, has been awarded the Distinguished Service Cross "for courage and skill in successful submarine patrols."

Eastern Star Has Country Fair at Argyle Home

Rose City Chapter No. 28, O.E.S., held a successful country fair in the rumpus room of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Argyle's home, Observatory Street, under the convenership of Mrs. E. H. Paterson. Bingo, darts, horse shoes, fish pond, and bridge were the games of chance, and most of the prizes were groceries.

Miss Mae Macfarlane and Charles Morris had charge of bingo; Mrs. R. D. Hall and Mr. Argyle of darts; B. Lowery and W. M. Young, horse shoes; Mrs. E. Sutcliffe and W. M. Wood, bridge; Mrs. H. E. Dill and Mrs. T. McMillan, guessing contest and draw.

Mrs. J. E. Granberg, Mrs. Elizabeth Armstrong and Mrs. H. H. Winfield presided at refreshment time.

Mrs. Gretchen Gibson and Mrs. Charles Morris told fortunes.

The door was opened by Misses Jean Young and Jessie Paterson who acted as ushers. Mrs. George Schupe Matron of the Chapter, and Mrs. Argyle received the guests.

Mrs. J. W. McClelland won first prize, a four-pound can of honey and Mrs. Richardson received a box of chocolates as second prize. Mrs. N. C. Stibbs won the bean guessing contest and received half-pound each of butter and tea. First and second prizes for bridge went to Mrs. Chiles and Mrs. French.

Girl Drives Army Ambulance Through Blinding Blizzard

WINNIPEG, March 26 (CP) — Pte. Ellen Millicent Kerridge of Morden, Man., 21-year-old transport driver in the Canadian Women's Army Corps drove an army ambulance through a blinding Manitoba blizzard recently from Portage la Prairie to Winnipeg, with three men suffering from measles, officials of military district No. 10 said today.

She began the trip shortly after sundown and crept slowly through huge snow drifts and over windblown highways until midnight, when the gasoline tank ran dry.

New supplies were obtained and she again set out behind a snow plow sent to her assistance. Shortly after 2 a.m. she checked in at the army garage here after delivering her patients to hospital where they now are recovering.

After a night's sleep Pte. Kerridge was on parade the next day, but later developed a severe cold and neuralgia in the back from the frequent chills she suffered when getting into the rear to keep the patients warm and was forced to drive with the window open in order to see.

Pte. Kerridge's comment: "If I had to do it again, I'd make a better job of it."

Military officials said her devotion to duty will be detailed for recognition to her corps headquarters in Ottawa.

Carloadings Up From Week Before

OTTAWA, March 26 (CP) — Carloadings in Canada for the week ended March 20, increased to 62,191 cars from 60,946 cars in the previous week, but showed a decline of 2668 cars from the 64,879 loaded in the corresponding week last year the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today.

Total Eastern division loadings were 42,544 cars against 39,951 in the previous week and 44,910 in the corresponding week of 1942. Western division loadings were 19,847 compared with 21,995 and 19,969.

The carloadings index maintained by the Bureau stood at 130.8 compared with 128.8 and 136.4.

Consider Second CBC Network in Canada

OTTAWA, March 26 (CP)—Consideration is being given to the establishment of a second Canadian Broadcasting Corporation network in Canada but plans are still in a "very nebulous state," Dr. J. S. Thomson, General Manager of the CBC, said today.

At present separate English and French networks are operated by the CBC. At times other stations are linked into a special network to meet commercial requirements.

The proposal now receiving consideration would provide for two networks, under a single control, to provide greater freedom in balancing the types of programs to meet the varying tastes of listeners.

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Gen. McNaughton Praises Canada's Munition Output

LONDON, March 26 (CP Cable)—Lt.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, Commander of the Canadian army in Britain, praising Canadian munition production, today declared that "for many months now there has been an ever-rising flood to carry forward our purpose against the enemy."

Addressing a luncheon of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce in Britain he said there is a "constant and intense" endeavor in Canada to develop new and better weapons which would bring an advantage to the Dominion troops over the enemy.

Gen. McNaughton said the munition flood included warships, transport aircraft, guns, weapons of all sorts, range finders, predictors, navigational instruments, delicate gear to detect and locate enemy, powerful engines for ships, landing craft, motor vehicles, radio for communications, and tanks.

Farm Cost Bill Sent Back by Senate Group

WASHINGTON, March 26 (AP)—A bipartisan Senate Coalition smashed through farm bloc lines today and by a voice vote sent back to the Agriculture Committee a bill approved by the House of Representatives to include all farm labor costs in parity price ceilings.

The measure, denounced by Administration leaders as certain to bring about inflation by boosting cod costs 10½ per cent, was reported unanimously by the Committee last Monday at a 10-minute session, without hearings. It was on this basis that Administration leaders mustered sufficient votes to sustain a motion by Senator Scott Lucas (Dem.-Ill.) to return it to the group for further consideration.

Says Miners Not Under Obligation Not to Call Strike

WASHINGTON, March 6 (AP.) — John L. Lewis insisted today that coal miners must have higher wages and maintained they are under no obligation not to strike if they fail to get them. He appeared before the War Investigating Committee.

The President of the United Mine Workers said he joined with "all Americans in hoping no work stoppage will be necessary," but repeatedly declared he was not "necessarily bound" by the no-strike pledge labor leaders made in 1941.

That agreement, he asserted, was voided by the War Labor oBard's adoption of the "Little Steel" formula for fixing wages.

Mrs. G. M. Clark, Oldtimer, Dies at Nakusp

Revelstoke resident in the nineties, then for many years in Nelson until she went to Nakusp a few years ago to live with her son Harold, Mrs. G. M. Clark died at Nakusp Thursday. She had been in ill health for a long time. She was the widow of the late G. M. Clark.

The body was taken to Trail, and later will be brought to Nelson for interment.

Besides her son Mrs. Clark is survived by one sister, Mrs. A. D. Emory of Nelson, and one brother, F. G. Walley of Ingersoll, Ont. Mrs. Emery and Mr. Walley are now the only survivors of an original family of 10, four of whom died in the past year.

Mrs. Clark was born in Ingersoll. She went to Revelstoke about 1895 and later came to Nelson, where she lived for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Clark lived in the 400 block on Cedar Street.

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11:00 a.m. THE UNIVERSAL QUEST
Music by the Senior Choir.
7:30 p.m. CHRIST THE JUDGE
Music by St. Paul's Choristers.
Wed., 7:30 p.m. Midweek Church Service for Bible Study and Prayer.

First Presbyterian Church

Victoria and Kootenay
Archibald Stewart, Minister
11 a.m.—No Service.
7:30 p.m.—"The Renewal of Courage."

Salvation Army

Sunday School—3 p.m.
Holiness Meeting, 11 a.m. by Major Finnie.
Salvation Meeting, 7:30 p.m. by Lieut. Christman.
Monday, 8 p.m.—Special Service by Brig. Mat Junker, Div. Com.

Baptist Church

Rev. H. R. Stovell, B.A., B.D.
9:45 a.m.—Church School
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3:00 p.m.—Shirley Hall
7:30 p.m.—"Two Wonders I Confess"
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7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship. "THE WORLD OWES ME WHAT?"
Senior Choir.
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All Are Welcome

Prince Alexander of Axis-occupied Yugoslavia is in training in a South African Air Force camp as Leading Aircraftsman Alexander

Practically Everyone in Trail Was Behind Incorporation of Tadanac, Blaylock Points Out

The following letter to the citizens of Trail from S. G. Blaylock was published as one of the items in a two-page advertisement by The Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company of Canada in Thursday's Trail Times:

To the Citizens of Trail:

We have had much publicity in the Press and in the House at Victoria regarding Tadanac, its incorporation, its internal affairs, it taxation and its relationship to the City of Trail.

As far as I can see the publicity is the outcome of statements by Mr. S. H. Kyle. After the death of Mr. R. C. Crowe, K.C., General Counsel to the Company, Mr. Kyle was disappointed, that he did not receive the promotion to second in command in the Companys legal department. He made no bones about his disappointment, his virtues or his qualifications for the job. When none of these was of any avail he tendered his resignation to take effect in six months. This was accepted. Not having succeeded in getting the General Manager or the Senior Solicitor to change his views, he wrote the General Manager a letter which I think might be construed as a threat. One clause of the letter follows:

KYLE'S HINT

"I am anxious to have reviewed in the Press, on the public platform and on the floor of the House of Commons, some of the policies of this Company, but I am precluded from doing this on ethical and professional grounds until my connection with the Company has been severed. For this reason I hope the Management will permit me to terminate my employment on the 30th of June, 1941."

Had I any misgivings about Mr. Kyle's failure to get the appointment, this paragraph would have dispelled them. Mr. Kyle is making good his threat to expose the internal affairs of Tadanac. I will leave these charges to the Tadanac officials to answer. As Mr. Kyle was Clerk of the Municipality of Tadanac, was paid by it for his work, and was by profession a lawyer, I think everyone, including the Reeve, felt that all the requirements of Tadanac would be properly looked after. I assume that any resident of Tadanac would have the right to question any of the affairs of the Municipality. These have been handled by employees of the Consolidated mainly. I take it, because practically no one else lives in Tadanac. Had these criticisms been allowed to drop with the vaporings of a disgruntled employee, who had left our service, I would not have paid any attention to them. However, the Member of the Provincial Legislature has taken the matter up and has come out in the Press with some things that need straightening out.

The impression conveyed is that the incorporation of Tadanac was sharp practice. I am writing this in order to show that far from this being the case, the incorporation was a wise and beneficial move. I have taken great pride in Tadanac and Trail and in their relationship. I have taken full credit for the idea of incorporating Tadanac. I also have had great satisfaction in the friendly cooperation between the two towns and the very satisfactory outcome of these deals.

LONG AND FULLY DISCUSSED

The incorporation of Tadanac was not something rushed through in the dark or behind closed doors. It was thoroughly discussed and was entered into with full cooperation of all interested public bodies. This I shall prove beyond all shadow of doubt by the reproduction in this advertisement in The Trail Times, along with this letter, of several news items, editorials and Press comments from the Trail News of 1922 which, at the time of the incorporation of Tadanac, was edited by Mr. Elmer D. Hall.

I think it would be well worth our Member's time to read these very carefully. In particular I would call attention to the editorial by Mr. Hall in his issue of July 14, 1922 entitled "Incorporation of Tadanac." Mr. Hall is quite correct that the incorporation met with plenty of political opposition outside of the municipalities concerned. Frankly, the Government did not want to incorporate Tadanac. I am sure the reason was the loss of the taxes which were being collected without spending any of the money in the District.

JOINT DELEGATION

Before we got a promise from the Government it was quite evident that practically everyone in Trail was behind the move. The final delegation which waited on Premier Oliver, in Nelson and his Attorney General, Mr. Manson, was made up of the President of the Board of Trade, Mr. J. B. Gray—a Trail jeweller; the Mayor of the City of Trail, Mr. A. J. Martin, a Trail businessman; the late Mr. Noble Binns, a Trail businessman; Messrs. Alex Balfour and E. Whittemore, two residents of Tadanac; the late Mr. R. C. Crowe, Solicitor for the Consolidated, and F. G. Blaylock.

The meeting was stormy and it was only after Mr. Oliver was convinced that it was in the general interest, that he agreed to let our delegation interview the Municipal Committee at Victoria as soon as it was appointed. Shortly after this meeting were were advised that the Municipal Committee had been appointed and would meet a delegation regarding the incorporation of Tadanac. Mayor Martin and Messrs. Gray, Balfour, Crowe and Blaylock went to Victoria and interviewed the Committee which heard the case and reported favorably to the Legislature on the incorporation. It still took several weeks to get the incorporation put through.

TRAIL BUILT UP

I think any resident of Trail or Tadanac today will agree that the results of this incorporation of adjoining municipalities has been of tremendous value to the district. Ever since the incorporation of Tadanac the two municipalities have worked in perfect harmony. Some of the advantages which are most apparent and perhaps most important are that the Consolidated has lived up to its promises with Trail and restricted migration to Tadanac to those officials who should be in close proximity to their work. Thus there has not been created in this industrial area anything in the nature of a "Company Town" as we know them to exist in some other parts of the Province of British Columbia. In all other cases such as doctors, the Company has required a statement from the Mayor of Trail that the City did not object to their building in Tadanac. No store or other merchantile establishments have been allowed to build in the Municipality and the Consolidated has curtailed selling through its warehouses as much as possible, thus forcing all merchanile interests in the City of Trail. The cemetery and parks are children of the sister municipalities. A measure of the cooperation exisiting between Trail and Tadanac is reflected in the Consolidated Company's assistance toward the construction of the Trail-Tadanac Hospital and in its supplying it with free water, light, power and oxygen. Trail's High School is a particular monument to the arrangement between the two municipalities. The Trail school district receives over 32% of its entire school costs from Tadanac. The limited number of inhabitants of Tadanac have so many advantages from their location in this industrial community that it is difficult to imagine any dissatisfaction among them.

In the setting of the boundaries between Trail and Tadanac great care was taken to leave the ground not needed for plant sites and most suitable for residential purposes outside of the city limits of Tadanac. The idea was that this ground should be taken into the City of Trail. That Trail has not done so is perhaps surprising but I would say this is very largely Trail's own affair.

DONATED 15 YEARS TAXES

In order that no harm could come to Trail's financial position due to the incorporation, the Smelter Company paid Trail their taxes for 15 years after the incorporation. This was a straight donation of $90,000 over and above any commitments that Trail might have undertaken on behalf of property then in Tadanac.

I would like to take exception to some of Mr. Herridge's ideas regarding industry and taxation. Large industries are rarely ever built within city limits without definite tax or other relief from the city and this is why you practically always find large industries outside of the towns rather than in them. Mr. Herridge has brought up the point that he thinks Consolidated's plant should be taxed to lessen the taxes of the whole neighborhood. The Consolidated Company has had to invest $15,000 in plant for every workman employed. I cannot see why this large amount should be taxed as if it belonged to the citizens of Trail, provided the workman is paid fair wages. I consider that the Company was and is entitled to build its plants in such location and manner as is most economical. The duty of the plant to help with the education of its employees has been recognized through the agreement with the City of Trail.

If employees, for any reason of their own—such as saving taxes—decide to live outside of the Trail-Tadanac school district, it seems to me that this is their own prerogative. The Company has tried to influence its employees to live in the Trail district even to the extent of trying to curtail loans for houses to be built outside the district.

The money advanced for housing, since the beginning of the housing scheme by the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company in the Trail area alone—without including Rossland and Tadanac houses—is $2,728,992.

Yours sincerely,
"S. G. BLAYLOCK"
(Signed)
President and Managing Director, The Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co., of Canada, Ltd.
Trail, B.C.
March 22, 1943

Prices Board to Operate in the Yukon

VANCOUVER, March 26—An office of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board will be opened at Whitehorse, Yukon Territory, early in April. In charge of this office will be O. O. Davis of Calgary. The Whitehorse office will be administered from the Board's regional office at Edmonton, which already handles the B. C. Peace River block.

The Whitehorse branch will supervise in the Yukon regulations of the Board dealing with prices and supplies, business and services, and rentals regulations.

Already the survey of rentals at Whitehorse is in progress, under W. L. A. Pope, regional rentals officer at Regina, and G. B. Wenlaus, who is the rentals examiner at the Regina office. They have been appointed a special committee to fix rentals.

After completing their survey at Whitehorse they will proceed South along the Alaska Highway and investigate rental conditions at Fort St. John, Dawson Creek and other towns of the Peace River area.

Funeral Service Held for Sir Edward Beatty

MONTREAL, March 26 (CP). — All walks of Canadian life were represented here today at the funeral of Sir Edward Beatty, Chairman of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who died here Tuesday night.

A simple service was held at the Presbyterian Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul where Rev. Dr. George Donald said a prayer of "thanks for "his high character, his public spirit, his brilliant gifts of heart and mind, for his lavish charity and above all for his untiring and selfless service to his fellow men."

The choir sang Sir Edward's favorite hymns—"Unto the Hills" and "O God of Bethel."

Prior to the church service at 2:30 p.m. there was a private service at Sir Edward's home on Pine Avenue for the family and intimate associates and friends.

The honorary pall bearers were: D. C. Coleman, C.P.R. President; W. M. Neal, Vice-President; R. E. Stavert, Vice-President of Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of which Sir Edward was Chairman; C. T. Jaffray, Chairman of the C.P.R. Soo Line; Dr. F. Cyril James, Principal of McGill University; J. W. McConnell, representing the McGill Board of Governors; Dr. W. W. Chipman, Dr. G. R. Brown and the following C. P. R. directors, Col. Henry Cockshutt, Aime Geoffrion, K.C., G. Blair Gordon, Maj.-Gen. Frank S. Meighen, Hon. Charles A. Dunning, L. J. Belnap, Ross H. McMaster and Morris W. Wilson.

Among the mourners in the mourners in the church were Major Geoffrey Eastwood, Comptroller, representing the Governor-General; Prime Minister Mackenzie King; Col. the Hon. Wilfrid Bovey, representing Premier Adelard Godbout of Quebec and Mayor Adhemar Raynault.

The body was placed on board a special train for St. Catharines, Ont., where burial will be made tomorrow morning.

Four Raids Made on Kiska Base

WASHINGTON, March 26 (AP). —Army bombers raided the Japanese base at Kiska in the Aleutian Islands four times Wednesday, scoring hits in the target area, the United States Navy reported today.

The four raids raised to 25—almost one a day—the number of aerial attacks which have been made against the enemy's North Pacific outpost so far this month.

FREIGHT CRASHES INTO PASSENGER TRAIN, WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, March 26 (CP)—One man was severly injured, more than 500 workmen were stranded for three hours, and several railway coaches were damaged and overturned when a Canadian National Railway frieght train crashed into the side of an empty passenger train on the outskirts of Winnipeg late last night.

James J. Travis, of Winnipeg, engineer of the freight train, suffered a fractured skull and other injuries when he leaped from the cab of his engine as the trains collided.

A few minutes before the crash hundreds of night shift workers from defence industries had alighted from the passenger train. Many of them were on the station platform but no one was injured by the flying debris.

Buses were despatched from Winnipeg to bring the marooned workers back to the city.

JAPS WILL GO TO ONT. FOR SUGAR BEET SEASON

TORONTO, March 26 (CP) —Agriculture Minister P. M. Dwan of Ontario announced today that 500 Canadian-born Japanese will be brought to this province for the sugar beet season "provided we can get that number and the sugar beet acreage is such that they are required."

The 100,000 or so population of more than half descendants of liberated Africas and the rest— except 420 resident Europeans — belong to neighboring tribes.

HARROP SENDS $34 TO RED CROSS

HARROP, B. C. — Subscription from Harrop residents to the national campaign of the Canadian Red Cross to the amount of $34.25 has been sent to headquarters at Nelson.

Before the war, France held nominal control of Kwangchowan, China under a 99-year lease.

Allies Refuse Food to Belgium

LONDON, March 25 (CP)— The British Government has informed Hubert Pierlot, Premier and Minister of National Defence of the Belgian Government in London, that the U. S. and Britain cannot comply with his request to allow the freighter Caritas to carry a cargo of powdered milk to Belgium on her next voyage.

The Ministry of Economic Warfare said that to grant Pierlot's request would be contrary to allied policy of banning shipments of food to Axis-occupied countries.

Report Americans and British Taken to Germany

BERNE, Switzerland, March 26 (AP).—British and American men who had remained in the former Vichy-controlled part of France after the total occupation by German troops were reported today to have been taken to Germany.

The United States Legation here said it had no confirmation of the report but said it had been notified that all British and American citizens in the area—men, women and children numbering some 3600—had been arrested.

According to the report that the men had been taken to Germany, the Germans explained the measure was necessary to remove alleged trouble-making elements from France in event of military operations.

This presumably was in reference to possible Allied invasion.

As to the advices that all British and American citizens in the area had been arrested, Swiss authorities said they believed the greater number of the 3600 involved were Britons.

The report that the men had been deported said they were taken to Germany last week after being instructed to present themselves to French authorities.

Another report reaching here today from France said that 300 French police at Marseille had been arrested and taken to Germany.

Among rumors was one that police in France were taking into custody everyone who spoke English.

Plans for Eden to Visit Ottawa Next Week

OTTAWA, March 26 (CP) —Rt. Hon. Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary, will arive in Otawa Tuesday, March 30, and remain until Friday, April 2, it was anounced today at the Department of External Affairs today.

It is planned that Mr. Eden will speak to a joint meeting of the Senate and House of Commons Tuesday afternoon and on the morning of that day will hold a press conference.

During his stay here he will attend a meeting of the War Committee of the Cabinet and hold informal discussions with ministers and government officials.

Mr. Eden will be the guest of the Governor-General at government house. It is expected he will be entertained at a government dinner Wednesday night.

The Foreign Secretary has been in Washington conferring with leaders of the United States Government.

Accompanying Mr. Edgn will be a group of British Government Officials who were with him at Washington, including William Strang, Assistant Undersecretary in the Foreign Office; Oliver Harvey, Private Secretary; Gladwyn Jedd, and R. J. Cruickshank.

DEATHS

EDINBURGH, Scotland — Admiral Oliver Backhouse, 66, veteran naval officer who commanded the HMS Orion at the Battle of Jutland.

LONDON — Sir Max Julius Bonn, 65, millionaire Director of the Bank of London and South America.

ST. ELOI, Que.—Eugene Godbout, 86, father of Premier Adelard Godbout of Quebec. Mr. Godbout Sr., a farmer and cattle breeder, had always lived on his farm.

CALGARY—John J. Sousa, 55, who in 1936 sponsored a plan to refund the provincial debt which envisaged construction of a highway through Alberta to Alaska.

HARROP

HARROP, B. C.—Lac. Cyril F. Fitchett is spending a short leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fitchett.

Mrs. C. J. Rowley has returned from a visit to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sutton at Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Andrews spent Saturday in Nelson.

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Allied Bombers Make Successful Raids Over Burma

NEW DELHI, March 26 (AP)—R.A.F. Blenheim bombers made a successful attack on the Katha Railway junction in Central Burma yesterday and followed up with a night assault on an enemy airdrome near Meiktila between Mandalay and Rangoon, a British communique announced today. All aircraft returned safely.

Yesterday afternoon, Japanese bombers attacked an Allied air drome in Southeastern Bengal, the communique said, causing slight damage and some casualties.

On the ground front in Western Burma only patrol activity was reported.

Heavy American aerial blows in two days of raiding also were announced including "a highly-successful operation" against the key airfield at Meiktila. One Jap bomber on the ground was destroyed.

Skip Bombing Sinks Many Jap Ships

By J. F. SANDERSON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, March 26 (CP)—The allied air forces of the Southwest Pacific, operating under command of Canadian-born Lt.-Gen. George C. Kennedy, dealt the Japanese one of the most one-sided naval defeats of history when they employed a new technique of aerial attack to sink 22 ships in the Bismarck Sea early this month.

Officers just back from the Southwest Pacific say that Kenney has developed "skip bombing" to make up for his numerical inferiority. Fast, twin-engined bombers attack ships from broadside, coming in at mast height and drop their bombs short of the target. The bombs skip over the water like a flat stone over a stream. Equipped with a delayed action fuse, they either hit the side of the ship and explode or detonate close enough to shatter the ship's plates below the water line.

12 SINK 11

In the Bismarck Sea battle, where a whole convoy of 22 ships was sunk and 15,000 Japanese drowned for the loss of four allied planes, it is reported that 12 bombers accounted for 11 of the Jap ships by means of skip bombing tactics which Kenney has developed more than any other air force commander.

Gen. Kenney, born in Yarmouth, N. S., has been in the U. S. air forces since 1917. Only five feet, six inches tall, he adds another inch to his stature by brushing his bristly, gray hair in a standup pompadour.

Special delivery: Illustrating how the world has contracted:

Gen. Douglas MacArthur radioed for several thousand special devices for his planes. From San Francisco to Australia it is 28 days by freighter. Exactly two days and 18 hours after his radio message, a plane from the Air Transport Command landed at his headquarters with 5000 pounds of the gadgets he ordered.

Up in Alaska, a 24-bed hospital burned to the ground. A new one was flown in, complete from roof to thermometers, in 36 hours.

Malta Raided

VALETTA, MALTA, March 26 (AP)—This British Mediterranean stronghold, which has had only 32 alerts this year compared with 7[illegible] during the same period in 1942, heard the wail of air-raid sirens today for the first time in 22 days.

R.A.F. fighters rose to meet enemy planes which twice approached and one raider was reported shot down.

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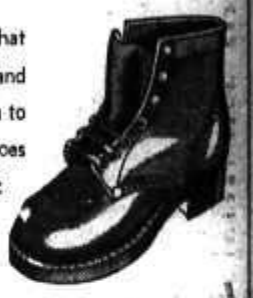
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Our Stock-Pile of Munitions

Some members of the public have jumped to conclusions, from seeing quantities of war material still at the point of origin, that they would not have drawn had they had had experience in the last Great War. Veterans of the last war have a vivid recollection of the building up of a vast ammunition reserve a few miles behind the lines in front of Vimy Ridge—ammunition dumps scattered all through the Wintry countryside under camouflage netting, ready to be used in a greater artillery battle than the world had seen up to that time.

Hon. C. D. Howe has made a reasonable and logical statement about the quantities of war equipment that are piled along Canadian railway sidings. Seemingly huge stocks of crated military vehicles and other such products have given rise to much comment, a great deal of it based on conclusions that are entirely unsound. It is well to have the matter placed in its proper perspective.

The apparent surplus production has led many people to believe that we have overproduced in the matter of war equipment. This argument has been used in an attempt to justify wild cat strikes in essential industries. Undoubtedly, too, it has served as a sop to the consciences of persistent absentees from war plants. It has been easy to suggest that there is no great need to keep the factories producing at capacity, because "the government has more machines than it knows what to do with."

Mr. Howe's explanation, of course, places the matter on its proper footing. Canada, he says, is building up a reserve of this equipment, and holding it in readiness to be dispatched to any fighting front where it may be needed. The Dominion is strategically located to serve as a reservoir of this kind, because it occupies a central position from which the shipments may radiate in any direction. Also, it is comparatively safe from enemy action.

To argue that the presence of these goods, as yet unused, means that we should slacken in our industrial effort, is no more logical than to say we should stop recruiting for the armed forces because we still have men in uniform in Canada who have not been sent overseas. It should be obvious that one of our greatest necessities is the maintenance of strong reserves and reinforcements; and this applies to machines as well as men. We are not over-producing equipment. We shall yet need every piece of it we can possibly turn out.

The situation is exactly the same, on a vast scale, as in the matter of the dumps of rubber scrap all through the country last year. It was announced that the Salvage Controller had all the dumps listed, and that collectively they were the reserve, which would be drawn upon as needed.

War—25 Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

March 27, 1918.—Montdidier, Proyart, Morcourt and Alberta taken by the Germans who advanced up the Ancre Valley to within 12 miles of Amiens; enemy repulsed near Lassigny and Noyon. British airmen shot down 24 German planes and lost 19.

March 28, 1918.—Great German attack near Arras completely repulsed, but enemy forces advanced toward Amiens as far as Hamel. Austrians sent 40 divisions to the Italian front.

Words of Wisdom

Do not press your young children into book learning; but teach them politeness, including the whole circle of charities which spring from the consciousness of what is due to their fellow-beings.—Spurzheim.

Etiquette Hints

If your husband gives you an unusually ardent embrace when he leaves or greets you, don't pull away because the kettle may be boiling over, etc. Respond in kind. It's plain good manners as well as marital diplomacy.

?? Questions ?? ANSWERS

Open to any reader. Names of persons asking questions will not be published. There is no charge for this service. Questions will not be answered by mail except when there is obvious necessity for privacy.

P. G., Nelson—Please give me the following information: Where I can get day old goslings and ducks?

Goose eggs may be obtained from Derbyshire Shady Creek Farm, Saanichton, V. I., and Polybank, Elk Lake, V. I., B. C. Both duck and goose eggs may be ordered from Ivan Moore, Athens, Ont.

Reader, Nakusp—Could you please tell me if small portable dragsaws are manufactured in Canada, and by whom?

Write Columbia Machine Works; Reed-Prentice of B. C., Limited; Spear & Jackson Limited, Vancouver.

Economy, Nelson—Would you please tell me how to clean a felt hat?

Clean with ammonia and water; if greasy wash with fuller's earth. Size with glue size, and block while warm. Glue size made by diluting hot glue with hot water. Apply inside, not outside the hat. The thicker the glue the stiffer the hat. Grease stains may be removed by means of turpentine or benzine, and if the turpentine leaves a mark finish with a little alcohol.

Could you also tell me how to make a white straw hat a darker shade—navy blue or black? Could dyes such as Sunset be used in any way to stay on? There used to be hat dyes on the market but have been unable to obtain them lately.

A formula for dying a straw hat black is as follows:

A solution of glutent is added to a lye of soda, which is allowed to stand for 24 hours and filtered. That hat is then steeped for 12 hours in the clear liquid. A slight addition of bichromate of potash improves the tone of the dye, and the goods are finished with gum or gelatine.

Reader, Rossland—What is the approximate population of Nelson and Robson?

Nelson 3756; Robson 302.

H. M., Nelson—How many logging companies are operating in this district? What is the average output daily and how many men are employed in this industry?

There are about 15 or 16 logging outfits in the district and approximately 300 to 350 men employed. There are also about 100 independent cordwood men. It is estimated that each man cuts about 1000 feet day. The district which these figures represent includes Castlegar, Edgewood, North of New Denver and Kaslo, Ymir and Salmo.

Today's Horoscope

If your birthday is today, you should regard every new opportunity as another step toward the success which is your goal. If you feel rested, don't waste time waiting for the alarm clock to rout you out of bed. A joyous, congenial existence is your lot in life. You make friends easily and are not hard to please. There is a great deal of originality in you, and you possess a keen sense of humor which enables you to find happiness wherever you go.

HOROSCOPE FOR SUNDAY

The person who has a birthday today is studious, intellectual and aggressive in business, which should bring you moderate wealth. Ye uare a natural leader, firm in the management of others, yet always considerate. If you make a promise to meet someone on this date, keep the appointment. Don't let a change in the weather be an excuse to break the date. If you are not in the mood to get the cobwebs of doubt and suspicion out of your mind. Don't mislay an object of sentimental value, and make sure that your miney is safe in your wallet or purse. If you go hunting for trouble, you'll find it in your own home. Don't say anything to offend your family.

Press Comment

NEEDS FIXING

Farmers who have been absorbing the National Bacon Board propaganda for the past two or three years are puzzling their heads over the fact that a fat old sow which has served her purpose in this world will bring more per pound live weight on the hog markets across Canada than the super-No. 1 bacon hog that grades A-1 on the rail.

What has happened in the hog market is making a laughing stock of the whole rail grading business.

Worse than that, the high price of old sows is tending to send to market many sows which ought to be kept on the farm for breeding purposes. Where labor is scarce on a farm there's a big temptation to sell the breeding stock at present figures.—Lethbridge Herald.

ITALY AND NEW EUROPE

The greatest problem will be that of giving Italy a new soul in harmony with that of the New Europe—it, taught by suffering, modern Italy were to make her own the task pointed out to her by her greatest thinkers and poets, she would put the whole civilized world in her debt by providing the common soul necessary to make a politically free and unified Europe not a mere bureaucratic and diplomatic, but a spiritual living organism with a vision and a will.—Contemporary Review.

Test Yourself

1. What is the birthstone for March?
2. What is a bishop's staff called?
3. What is a fer-de-lance?

TEST ANSWERS

1. Jasper or bloodstone.
2. A crozier.
3. A large venomous serpent.

On the Side

By E. V. DURLING

Long living here are we,
As fast united yet,
As when our hands and hearts by Thee
Together first were knit,
And in a thankful song
Now sing we will Thy praise,
For, that Thou dost as well prolong
Our loving as our days.

—Wither.

("Is there a prayer of thanks which could be used on wedding anniversaries?" asks a New Yorker. The above is the first verse of a poem written especially for wedding anniversaries. It can be used as a prayer. It might also be used as a hymn but I don't know the tune.)

Mahatma Gandhi's fast lasted 21 days. During that "fast" Gandhi drank water and fruit juices. A 21-day fast of that type would probably do the average man more good than harm. The former boxer Harry Wills annually fasts for 30 days and claims very beneficial results. As to how long it takes a man to starve himself to death there is the case of Terence MacSwiney, once Lord Mayor of Cork, Ireland, who died in a London prison after 75 days without food. MacSwiney drank water during this period. Thirst will kill a man quicker than hunger. Without food or water a man cannot live more than 30 days.

TEST

How is your enunciation? Can you speak very rapidly and make yourself understood? If you can't say the following at high speed without an error it proves you will not make a good telephone switchboard operator, radio announcer or horse race caller; Portland pickle packers plagued by the paucity of pickle pickers have produced this placard: "Pickle packers prospect of picking up pickle pickers to pick pickles for pickle packers to pack are poor."

PLEASE NOTE

The recent tendency of feminine film celebrities to marry much younger men seems to have spread to the literary field. Kay Boyle, novelist, who gave her age as 40, was recently married to Pte. Joseph Franckenstein, who gave his age as 32.—In a recent article on the need of more help in war materiels plants Harry Hopkins said: "Are manicurists for men or for women necessary?" The manicurists seem to have taken Mr. Hopkins' remark to heart. In the Ford Willow Run plant alone there are now about 200 ex-manicurists.

ALMOST CONFIDENTIAL

"Flirt with your husband. It will make him feel young and devilish and irresistible again." So advises Sonia Lee, the well-known how-to-handle-a-husband expert. Keep Miss Lee's advice in mind, lady. After dinner tonight start making goo-goo eyes at your husband. If you have time please advise our mules and men department as to the results.—

SAYS HE

A Chicago drill and tool company has 2800 employees, of which 35 per cent are women. States Earl Reinhardt, President of this Company: "We have found women conscientious and reliable in their application to difficult and routine jobs where men were formerly indifferent and extremely inefficient in the handling of small pieces, and in the performance of precise and intricate operations women do better work than men because of their indefinite patience and a pride in doing the job exactly right."

ASIDES

Dance hall hostesses say that sailors are much better dancers than soldiers—a London stage hit at present is a revival of "The Belle of New York." Evelyn Laye is playing the part made famous Edna May. Another London hit as a comedy which has the quaint title: "Aren't Men Beasts?".—Says Ann Sheridan: "I like people to call me Annie. I like to dance the rhumba, samba, conga and tango, especially with Cesar Romero, who is the best dancer of those dances in Hollywood."—The most accomplished canine actor in the history of the American stage was Katherine Cornell's cocker spaniel "Flush". This clever dog appeared in 709 performances of "The Barretts of Wimpole Street" and never made a mistake. Flush always barked when he was expected to and remained quiet when the script called for it.—A truly great silent film was "The Bargain", starring W. S. Hart, whose salary at the time was $75 a week. The production cost $6000. Be careful about saying how old you were when you saw "The Bargain," lady. It was shown just about 20 years ago.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO

(From Daily News, March 27, 1933)

Adolf Hitler's Nazi party answered foreign threats of boycotts against German goods today by announcing a movement to boycott Jewish business establishments within the Reich.

Removal of Alberta's 1000 Doukhobors at undbreck and Cowley was under discussion as members of the Community gathered and welcomed Peter Verigin, titular head of the Christian Community of Universal Brotherhood.

The new laboratory at the Kootenay Lake General Hospital, which has been in process of building for the past few weeks, has taken definite shape.

25 YEARS AGO

(From Daily News, March 27, 1918)

While the town of Albert has been captured from the British and West of Roye the British have been compelled to give ground in the face of greatly superior numbers, the rBritish have repulsed heavy attacks both North and South of the Somme.

W. A. Ward, proprietor of the Nelson Hotel at Nelson for 12 years, and a pioneer of Nelson ,is taking over the Outlet Hotel at Procter.

Capt. Graham Cruickshank of Rossland, well known member of the old 54th battalion, arrived in the city last evening on his return from overseas.

All the subscriptions to the Victory war loan taken in the city and district and placed through the banks of the city have been absorbed, and payments on installment purchases are being made regularly.

Another Churchill to Wed an American

LONDON, March 26 (CP)—The engagement of Lady Sarah Spencer-Churchill, eldest daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, to Lieut. Edwin F. Russell, C.N.V.R., was announced today.

Lieut. Russell is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lucius T. Russell of Beverly Hills, Calif.

Lady Sarah is distantly related to Prime Minister Churchill. She is a daughter of the 10th Duke of Marlborough; the Prime Minister's grandfather was the seventh Duke.

Lieut. Russell will be at least the third American to marry into the Churchill family. Lady Sarah's grandmother was Consuela, daughter of William Kissam Vanderbilt. The Prime Minister's mother was Jennie Jerome of New York.

Russell, 29, was associate publisher of the Newark Star-Ledger, Newark, N.J., before enlisting in the Royal Navy in 1941. He received his lieutenant's commission in the R.N.V.R.

CASTLEGAR

CASTLEGAR, B. C. — Mr. and Mrs. V. Shavansky and son were Trail visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lewis were weekend visitors to Trail.

Miss Lucy Brodman who is a student at St. Joseph's Academy in Nelson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Brodman at the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Eremenko were Trail visitors on Monday.

Miss Annie Fomenoff was a Saturday visitor to Trail.

Mrs. H. Haines of Nelson was a Castlegar visitor on Friday.

Miss Ruth Frie was a Trail visitor on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adamchuk were Monday visitors to Trail.

Bill Plotnikoff was a weekend visitor to Trail.

Miss Margaret Salsicooli of Trail was a Castlegar visitor on Sunday.

Miss Mary Concl of Rossland was a Castlegar visitor.

J. MacKinnon was a Trail visitor Monday.

Miss Hope McInnis of Trail was a Sunday visitor to Castlegar.

Miss E. Salucooli of Trail was a visitor here Monday.

Mrs. V. Jenks was a hostess to the members of the Refugee Knitting Club No. 3 when they met at her home Thursday. Those present were Mrs. F. Watson, Mrs. L. Watson, Mrs. R. Horne, and Mrs. N. DeFoe.

Mrs. J. Hamm of Trail was a Castlegar visitor on Sunday.

Miss Edith White has returned to her home in Trail after spending a few days here.

P. Nahornoff was a Trail visitor on Saturday.

Roy Johnson of Rossland was a Sunday visitor at Castlegar.

Mrs. Pratt was hostess to the members of the Kinnaird Refugee Knitting Club.

Work on a quilt was completed. Members present were Mrs. J. H. Anderson, Mrs. G. Bird, Mrs. L. Newlave, Mrs. C. Bell, Mrs. A. Creighton, Mrs. J. Anderson, Mrs. M. Zubick.

Fred Vanjoff was a Trail visitor on Saturday.

Mrs. F. Mitchel has returned to her home at Kinnaird after spending a few days in Trail.

Mrs. P. Koochin is a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital in Nelson.

Miss Eva Peterson visited Trail on Tuesday.

CASTLEGAR March 26—M. Zubeck is spending two weeks at his home in Winnipeg.

Miss Catherine DeFoe visited Trail this week.

Mrs. J. Finch is a patient in the Kootenay Lake General Hospital in Nelson.

Mrs. K. Robertson has returned to her home in Kinnaird after spending a few days in Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ecton were weekend visitors to Trail.

Mrs. E. White of Trail was a Castlegar visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Popoff were Trail visitors. They were accompanied home by their son Cyril, who had been a patient in Trail-Tadanac Hospital.

Pete Semenoff has returned home from Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

Alfred Mason of Rossland was a Castlegar visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chidgren of Trail were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson of Kinnaird were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Jamieson in Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McKenzie of Trail visited Castlegar this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Davidson Sr. were Trail visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Teahan of Trail were Castlegar visitors.

Mrs. W. A. Devitt entertained a number of friends at tea in honor of Mrs. M. N. McKenzie, who plans to leave shortly to make her home in Winnipeg. The tea table was centred with a lace cloth and a low bowl of pussy willows and daffodils flanked by green tapers. Mrs. R. H. Davitt presided at the urns. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. G. Craft. Invited guests were Mrs. M. McKenzie, Mrs. R. West, Mrs. T. L. Bloomer, Mrs. E. Bebb, Mrs. J. S. Scott, Mrs. V. Goresky, Mrs. H. Sommers, Mrs. R. Wadey, Mrs. J. Devoin, Mrs. J. Morrison, Mrs. D. Magee, Mrs. E. Wallner, Mrs. W. Houston, Mrs. N. Askew, Mrs. J. Hornby, Mrs. F. Cleeton, Mrs. G. Craft, Mrs. H. Vickers, Mrs. R. Devitt, and Mrs. G. Weir of Trail.

Mrs. V. Shavonsky entertained at tea Saturday afternoon. The tea table was centred with a lace cloth. Those present were Mrs. T. L. Bloomer, Mrs. E. Bebb, Mrs. J. S. Scott, Mrs. N. Donealy, Mrs. W. H. Houston, Mrs. J. Devoin, Mrs. A. Saunders, Mrs. G. Craft, Mrs. E. Wallner and Mrs. R. West.

Pte. Stanley Dame is spending a leave with his wife and children.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Ryeen and daughters Janet and Elaine visited Trail this week.

Roosevelt Gives Pledge U.S. Not Going to Starve

WASHINGTON, March 26 (AP).—President Roosevelt told today of plans for a crop-cultivating land army under Food Administrator Chester C. Davis, an increase in the supply of farm machinery and the deferment of hundreds of thousands of farm workers, and emphatically concluded that the United States was not going to starve.

Davis, operating virtually an autonomous agency, will take up immediately the question of forming the land army, he said. Mr. Roosevelt noted that he had heard all sorts of speeches and read headlines about food production falling off. But he also has seen interesting figures, he said, on the estimated acreage being planted for food crops with nearly all showing an increase.

At the same time, the President told a Press conference that 500,000 farm workers already had been deferred from military service and that Selective Service Director Lewis B. Hershey estimates that 2,000,000 additional people on the farms would be deferred this year.

In a lengthy discussion of farm problems, Mr. Roosevelt also said that the War Production Board has taken steps to insure a greater supply of farm machinery to those who till the land.

On the question of a land army, the President asserted that this is one of the things Davis is going to take up upon his arrival in Washington.

He indicated that it would have to be recruited from among high school boys and girls and women.

Expect Crisis Soon in Laval Set Up

MADRID, March 26 (AP)—The Spanish press said today a crisis in the Government of Pierre Laval is considered imminent in Vichy political circles and dispatches indicated the resignation of 14 members of the Vichy diplomatic and consular services in Spain has contributed to the growing tension.

The outgoing diplomates have cast their lot with Gen. Henri Giraud, French High Commissioner in North Africa.

De Gaulle Gives Pledge to End Differences

By JAMES M. LONG
Associated Staff Press Writer

LONDON, March 26 (CP)—Gen. Charles De Gaulle pledged tonight that he and Gen. Henri Giraud would insure a fighting union of all French forces and end all doubts and rancor at a forthcoming meeting in North Africa.

"I am going very shortly to North Africa" he said in a French broadcast over the BBC "I shall see General Giraud, a great soldier and a noble figure.

"Together, loyally and in a friendly spirit, we shall seek and we shall find means to insure that the French Empire shall be but one empire, that French strength shall be but one strength, that the voice of the French people who fight shall be heard in the world as one voice and, above all, that this Empire, this strength, this voice shall be those desired by the nation."

On The Air

SATURDAY, MARCH 27

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

7:55—O Canada
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Novelty Time
8:30—Songs From the Shows CKLN
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Peter Dawson, Baritone
9:30—Children's Scrapbook
9:39—Time Signal
10:00—Songs by Beverly Marr
10:15—Khaki Scrapbook
10:45—On the March
10:55—News Bulletin
11:00—Roy Shields and Company
11:45—Musical Programme

AFTERNOON

12:00—U.S. Army Air Force Band
12:30—CBC News
12:45—Songs by Eliza
1:00—Matinee Rhythm
1:15—Musical Programme
1:30—Minstrel Melodies
2:00—Musical Cocktail
2:30—Musical Cocktail
2:45—Musical Programme
3:00—Wings Abroad
3:15—CBC News
3:30—Musical Programme
3:45—BBC News
4:00—Harmony Hall
4:15—Songs to Remember
4:30—Songs at Eventide
4:45—News Commentary
5:00—Canadian Calendar
5:30—Carl Kalash and Orchestra
5:45—Saturday Swingtime

EVENING

6:00—News Bulletin
6:05—N.H.L. Hockey Broadcast
7:30—King Edward Hotel Orch.
8:00—Musical Roundup (CKLN)
8:15—Sat'day Dance Parade CKLN
9:00—Melody in the Night
9:30—The Strange Dr. Karnac
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Dance Orch.
10:30—Canadian Calendar (reb'cast)
11:00—God Save the King

SUNDAY, MARCH 28

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

11:45—O Canada

AFTERNOON

12:00—New York Philharmonic Orc
1:30—Church of the Air
2:00—CBC News Bulletin
2:02—"Of Things to Come"
2:30—Concert Variety (CKLN)
3:00—Melody Time (CKLN)
3:30—Talk: "A Canadian in Britain"
3:45—BBC News and Analysis
4:00—The Cavaliers
4:15—Talk
4:30—Highlights for Today
5:00—Charlie McCarthy & Edgar Bergen.
5:30—Weekend Review
5:45—BBC News

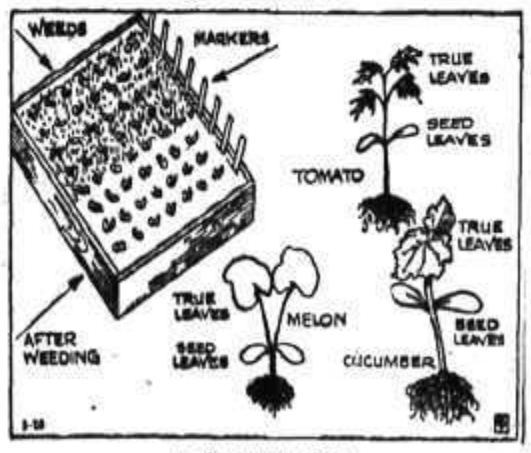
EVENING

6:00—The Army Show
6:30—Sunday Serenade (CKLN)
7:00—CBC News
7:15—Bach Concerto Series
8:00—BBC Newsreel
8:30—Dances of the Nations
9:00—Classics for Today
9:30—Vesper Hour
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Red Cross Drama
10:30—God Save the King

Your Kootenay Victory Garden . . .

To-day's GARDEN GRAPH

By DEAN HALLIDAY



By DEAN HALLIDAY

"SAFETY FIRST" IN YOUR GARDEN

Although "damping off" can be prevented, there are no known means of saving plants afflicted with the disease. Excessive moisture, crowded plants, lack of air circulation, high humidity, and lack of sunlight are all factors which help to make this disease successful.

One can check the spread of "damping off" to the entire flat by immediately digging out the affected plants, including the soil surrounding them. Following the removal of the sick plants and the soil they grew in, the entire flat should be top-dressed with a thin layer of sand or powdered sulphur. Transplanting of the unaffected seedling plants is also a good "safety first measure".

WATCH FOR WEEDS

Watch for another enemy of indoor gardens—weeds as soon as the seedlings have sprouted in the flat. The weeds will be easy to detect if the seeds were properly planted in rows and the rows in turn marked with name stakes.

As illustrated in the Garden-Graph, weed the flat regularly, otherwise the weeds will deprive the seedlings of needed light, water and food. Weeding also helps to aerate the soil. Weeding the seed flat regularly really is a beneficial form of cultivation.

When the true leaves make their appearance on the seedlings it is time for their first transplanting. True leaves are the second pair of leaves to make their appearance on the plants. As illustrated, they follow the first pair, which are known as seed leaves. Some seedlings are more vigorous than others and may require moving about four weeks from the date of sowing.

Indications No Election Will Be Held This Year

OTTAWA, March 26 (CP)—Information from government circles that the Redistribution Bill will not be brought into the House of Commons for some time—likely not until after the Easter recess—is taken as an indication that Prime Minister Mackenzie King does not plan a general election this year.

Under the constitution a redistribution of the federal constituences based on the latest census shall not be made every 10 years. One official said Mr. King was so particular in following the practices of the constitution that he would not consent to a general election until a redistribution based on the census of 1941 is completed.

If redistribution were being hurried this session, this informant said it would be an indication that a general election was in the offing.

A government source told the Canadian Press that no decision has yet been made as to whether redistribution will be worked out by a House of Commons Committee, as is usual, or whether the job will be left to judicial commission.

"A decision will be made in due time he said. "There is no need to hurry."

When asked what would happen if the Government decided to call a general election this year he replied: "I still say there is no need to hurry."

They were unconfirmed reports from yesterday's Liberal caucus that Mr. King intimated to the Liberal members that there would be no general election this year.

CANADIANS TOOK PART IN RAID ON ST. NAZAIRE

OTTAWA, March 26 (CP) Overseas operations of the R.C.A.F. during the past week included participation in the 300-plane raid on the St. Nazaire submarine base on the French Atlantic coast, the laying of mines in enemy waters, train busting raids in northern and western France and routine shipping patrols.

This bare outline of Canadian fliers' work in the week ended at noon yesterday was contained in the weekly communique issued by R.C.A.F. headquarters on behalf of Air Marshall Harold Edwards, Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief of the R.C.A.F. overseas.

It was the shortest R.C.A.F. communique in some weeks.

Nazis Claim British Torpedo Boats Attacked Off Dieppe

LONDON, March 26 (CP) — The German radio broadcast a claim from the international information bureau today that British torpedo boats were attacked off Dieppe, France, last night and that one craft was sunk and others were hit.

There has been no confirmation of the story from Allied sources.

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New Ruling . . . "Pudgy" Figures Can't Wear Slacks

By IDA JEAN KAIN

There is a new ruling at one of our leading universities. The pudgy girls can't wear slacks on the campus. And now every woman in the country wants to know what's "pudgy" mean?

The house committee in charge of enforcing this new rule didn't say where they draw the line between curves and pudginess. But I can tell you what it takes for a girl to look right in slacks. First of all, she has to be within 10 per cent of the weight that is normal for her frame. Then she must have a trim waistline that measures at least eight inches less than the bust, and hips that do not measure more than two inches larger than the bust. If you have that kind of figure you can wear slacks—or shorts—beautifully!

I have not had the chance to look over those particular campus queens. Most of them probably won't have to worry about their weight. But if they run true to the average, they will have to take up extra curricular exercise and slim down to wear slacks.

The correctives are rolling, kicking and leg swinging. The rolling should be straight across the beam. Lie full length on the floor and roll across the back from side to side, for 25 counts. Then do a right angle roll—lie on your back with legs straight up in air at a right angle with the trunk, then roll over on the right side, come back to starting position, and roll over on the left side.

Stay on the floor and do a variation of the old side-scissors. Keep the under leg still and swing the upper leg out in front for momentum, then away up and out in back. With each backward swing you should feel a perceptible tightening of the muscles on the back of the hips. Repeat for 25 counts on one side, then for the same number on the other side.

For humps on the side of the hips, stand erect, feet parallel. Keep your right knee straight, and push the leg upward, turn the toes out, and swing to the side. Come back to position, and swing again.

Those measures are guaranteed to slim your hips. But you can have slim hips and still not look right in slacks. The trouble may be the material. The soft, clingy fabrics that outline the bulges should be relegated to the boudoir! When you buy your slacks, make sure that the material is the kind that holds its own shape.

Salvation Army Divisional Head to Visit Here

Brigadier Matt Junker, Divisional Commander of the Salvation for Southern British Columbia, will arrive in Nelson Monday morning to conduct special services Monday evening.

Sunshine Bay

SUNSHINE BAY, B.C.—Mrs. Oscar Appleton returned to her home on Saturday after visiting her sister, Mrs. H. H. Pitts, Nelson.

R. Maida of Trail spent the week at his home here.

Gordon Donaldson was a visitor to Nelson on Friday.

Acl. B. Birtles and family left on Sunday for Calgary.

Captain and Mrs. James Ferguson spent Friday in Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neale spent Tuesday in Nelson.

Miss Louise Maida spent the week end in Nelson a guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knauf.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hong were shoppers in Nelson.

Fred Fransen of Brilliant spent the weekend at th ahome here.

NELSON SOCIAL

By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

• Mrs. Harold Lakes, who has been confined to Kootenay Lake General Hospital for a fortnight, has recovered sufficiently to return to her home in Rosemont.

• Mr. and Mrs. J. Cross, who have resided at Crescent Bay for a year, left this week for their home in Victoria.

• Mr. and Mrs. George Schupe, 801 Third Street, had as guest Mrs. W. H. Gates of Lethbridge, who spent a few days here en route to Vancouver and Victoria where she will visit relatives and friends.

TO VISIT CRANBROOK

• Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolfram of Grand Forks were in the city yesterday on their way to Cranbrook where they will visit Mrs. Wolfram's sister, Miss Flora Bostes.

• Mrs. H. Stewart Forbes was at home Thursday afternoon to Mrs. Margaret Bell's Circle of St. Paul's United Church at her home on Silica Street. She was assisted in serving by Mrs. Charles Kelman, Mrs. J. H. Coventey and Mr. Forbes. Others attending were Mrs. J. Simons, Mrs. H. M. Whimster, Mrs. Alex Carrie, Miss Alice McCorkle, Miss Margaret McCorkle, Mrs. Hector Mackenzie, Mrs. W. G. Stewart, Mrs. D. H. Ball, Miss Grace Cash, Mrs. J. D. Foggo, Mrs. H. E. Dill, Mrs. R. A. Peebles and Mrs. Charles H. Stark.

VISITOR FROM COAST

• Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Freeman, Fairview, have as guest Mrs. Arthur Cross of Vancouver, who arrived yesterday morning to spend a fortnight.

• Hon. Basil Aylmer of Queen's Bay was a recent visitor to town.

• A. Carney of Kaslo spent yesterday in Nelson.

• Shoppers in town yesterday included W. H. Wells, merchant of Passmore.

• Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wasson, Terrace Apartments, had as guest Mrs. Frank Willis, who returned last night to her home in Trail.

• The Mother's Auxiliary to No. 1 Nelson Cubs and Scouts met Thursday afternoon at the home on Baker Street of Mrs. J. A. Ballantyne, with Mrs. James Dyck as cohostess. Others attending were Mrs. Joseph Longden, Mrs. H. C. Hughes, Mrs. Walgren, Mrs. Harry Wassick, Mrs. Fred Carmichael, Mrs. Rells Anderson, Mrs. Joseph Holland, Mrs. Walter Harkness, Mrs. Ivie Spiers and Mrs. Nellie Johnson.

• Mr. and Mrs. Frank Putnam passed through Nelson Thursday night en route to their home in Creston from Victoria, where Mr. Putnam has attended the session.

• The Junior C.W.L. met this week at the home in Fairview of Mrs. Walter Duckworth, when those attending included Mrs. J. P. Duffy, Mrs. Daniel McDougall, Mrs. George M. Benwell, Mrs. J. DeGirolamo, Mrs. J. M. DeGirolamo, Mrs. W. Maglio, Mrs. Charles DeFerro and Miss Dorothy Barcelo.

RETURNS TO ALBERTA

• Frank Howett, who spent a week in town owing to the illness of his father, who is a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital, has returned to his home in Edmonton.

• Mother's Club of St. Saviour's met in Memorial Hall Thursday afternoon with Mrs. F. B. Pearce as tea hostess. Those attending included Mrs. F. W. Cartwright, Mrs. Frank Philips, Mrs. M. Lund, Mrs. E. Millar, Mrs. Pearce and Mrs. W. G. C. Lanskail.

• Mrs. G. B. Russell, Vernon Street, entertained Circle No. 4 of St. Paul's United Church at her home Thursday afternoon, when those attending were Mrs. H. J. McLean, Mrs. Donald McLeod, Mrs. David Laughton, Mrs. E. R. Hart, Mrs. F. T. Griffiths, Mrs. T. Dolphin and Mrs. E. N. Sutherland.

• Charles Wanstall of Nakusp visited Nelson Thursday.

• Visitors in town yesterday included Mrs. R. Magee of Robson.

• Alex G. Begg of Trail was a city visitor yesterday.

• Mrs. W. A. Ward of Procter was a Nelson visitor Thursday.

• Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Urquhart of Vernon are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stewart, 221 Mill Street.

DISTRICT MEN ENJOY PARTY OVERSEAS

HARROP, B. C. — Harrop Red Cross Group has received letters of thanks from servicemen and women overseas, also in Canada and the United States, who received parcels sent from this district. Those overseas were Capt. C. S. Price, Bdr. E. D. Serres, Pte. W. D. Ogilvie and Gunner V. C. B. Rowley.

All the letters were bright and cheerful and Capt. Price told of a party given by Sgt. A. H. and Mrs. Donald. Those invited besides Capt. Price were Gordon Sargent, Tudor Ruthergien, E. D. Serres, W. D. Ogilvie, J. Stevens, and A. E. Dulgas, George Dill and Fred Graves of Nelson, during which they all enjoyed a reminiscent spell.

JOHNSON'S LANDING

JOHNSON'S LANDING, B. C.—Pte. Bruce McNicol of Vernon has been spending leave at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Bacchus of Birchdale visited friends here for a couple of days.

Rifleman Jack McNicol spent a fortnight's furlough with his family here.

A. C. Raper, who has been collecting for the Red Cross, forwarded $9 to the Red Cross Branch in Kaslo.

CAMP LISTER

CAMP LISTER, B. C.—Kenneth Huscroft spent several days in Calgary where he joined the R.C.A.F.

Joe Wocknitz and son Albert who are employed at Kimberley visited Mrs. Wocknitz and family.

Mrs. Harry Demchuk and son Jimmy and Mrs. J. Stimson returned from Medicine Hat where they visited their father, Neely Bailey.

Pte. Millie Beard of the R.C.A.F. arrived from the Coast to visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. R. Beard.

Mrs. A. Domke was a patient at the Creston Valley Hospital.

Hans Lindhorst of Yahk was a weekend guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lindhorst at Huscroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kockott and daughter were visitors at Nelson.

Corporal Alec Demchuk arrived from the Coast to visit relatives in Huscroft.

Miss Kate Riddel was a weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huscroft.

A military whist drive was held in the Deer Lodge Hall when eight tables were in play. Table "Africa" was the winner. Players were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huscroft, William Demchuk and W. J. Skerik, Consolation table "England," prayers Freda Donaldson, Bob Huscroft, Ernie Ivany, Mary Sinclair. John Bird was Master of Ceremonies.

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NEW DENVER

NEW DENVER, B. C.—T. Harvey of Nakusp was a visitor to town.

George Avison of Zincton was a weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Avison.

William Jupp of Nakusp was a visitor here.

Mrs. R. Jordon of Vancouver was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. Avison, enroute to visit relatives in Nakusp.

Mrs. C. Clifford left by bus Sunday to visit Nelson for a few days.

Rod McPherson has returned from Nelson.

Miss M. H. Butlin visited Silverton.

Miss Charlotte Johnson spent Sunday in Silverton with Miss Mary Joy Ham.

Peter Browne was a visitor to Silverton.

F. J. Cook of Vancouver was a visitor here for a few days.

Ted Clever of Zincton spent a weekend here with his mother, Mrs. H. Clever.

Miss L. Boyd, R.N., of Vancouver has arrived to take up her duties here.

Mrs. F. Browne was a visitor to Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller of Trail spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pendrys.

Miss G. Landry of Trail was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pendry Sunday.

Mrs. L. D. Irvin was a weekend Nelson visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Baillargeon of Nelson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Christopherson for a few days.

Mrs. Fred Angrignon left for Nelson to spend a few days with relatives.

Walter George was a visitor to Nelson.

L. Carter of the Van Roi mine spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. A. Carter.

Mrs. A. Larsen of Slocan City is a guest of Mrs. James Steward for a few days.

Brian and Lloyd Grondale of Nakusp were weekend guests of Mrs. E. M. Kirkwood.

Miss Evelyn McCullach of Nakusp was a Sunday visitor to town.

Mr. McCullach of Nakusp was a visitor here Sunday.

Mrs. L. R. Campbell left by bus Tuesday for Trail where she will spend a week with relatives and friends.

Miss Ruth Vandergrift of Nakusp was a guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pendry, for the weekend.

SLOCAN CITY

SLOCAN CITY, B. C.—Mr. and Mrs. John Baillargeon of Silverton were weekend guests of Mrs. Baillargeon's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Life, Jr.

Miss M. Morrison, R.N., of the hospital staff here, spent a few days in Nelson.

Mrs. M. Drury, who has been here for the Winter months, guest of Mrs. J. Life, Sr., left for Kaslo.

Miss Irene Budd, who attends High School in Nelson, spent the weekend at her home here.

Miss June Graham who attends High School in New Denver, spent the weekend at her home here.

Miss Florence E. Terry, who joined the R.C.A.F. a few weeks ago, was born and educated here and was the daughter of the late Joseph and Mrs. Terry. Her father was a war veteran.

Duty . . . Wants to Be In Two Places at Once

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Dear Miss Fairfax:

I am the youngest member in our family. I have brothers and sisters married, but they don't live near home. I was married last year, and my husband was inducted into the army about two months ago, and now he wants me to join him and live near his camp, as there are other married women who are staying near their husbands. He is very lonesome.

I do want to join him, but my parents are not young any more, and they need me. I have always lived with them and they depend on me. What shall I do? I'm anxious to please my parents, and my husband.

Soldier's Wife.

You probably heard the fable of the man who wanted to please everyone and wound up pleasing no one. It seems to me that if you refused this request of your husband's and he were sent overseas and any of the unforeseen hazards of war overtook him, you would never forgive yourself. Why not suggest to one of your married sisters that she stay with your parents, or take your parents into their home until you return from this visit to be near your husband in camp?

ROBSON FARMERS INST. FAVOR NEW SCHOOL TAXATION

The March meeting of the Robson Farmer's Institute was held at the home of S. T. Quance.

C. E. Tutt and A. F. Mitchell were appointed the Cemetery Committee to act with the Committee of the Women's Institute.

Pamphlets from the War Finance Committee were ordered and will be distributed to members for the Fourth Victory Loan.

R. Webster and O. B. Ballard were asked to choose films of the National Films Board to be shown in the Hall. The meeting voiced the approval of the move to have school taxation put on a more equitable basis and to have the cost of education taken from the Consolidated revenue of the Province. The matter was discussed and enquiries were to be made as to the possibilities of such a service.

G. L. TUNNCLIFFE DIES IN ENGLAND

Mrs. R. Dennes, 921 Edgewood Avenue, received word Tuesday of the death of her brother, George L. Tunnicliffe, Feb. 15, 1943, who was well known in this District.

Mr. Tunnelliffe was Chief Engineer of the Wilson Liner, S. S. Claro, and was residing at Hull, England.

Sheep Creek Group Plan Bake Sale

SHEEP CREEK, March 18—Eight members of the Sheep Creek auxiliary of the Red Cross Society which was held in the social room of the school house, Tuesday afternoon.

In the absence of the President, Mrs. H. E. Doelle, Mrs. Fred Johnson was in the chair.

Most of the business concerned plans for the tea and bake sale which will take place shortly. Mrs. Johnson will be chairman, assisted by the Mrs. A. Thompson, Mrs. J. Tonkin, Mrs. J. S. McIntosh, Mrs. R. Dilling and Miss Shirleigh Doelle.

Mrs. Alfred Watkins and Mrs. J. S. McIntosh will be hostesses at the next card party.

Little Janet Dilling drew the lucky number for the cushion which was being raffled. Mrs. Lawrence Smillie was the winner.

Variety Concert Held at Robson

A variety concert was held at Wickhams Hall by the Robson Canadian Legion, under the auspices of the Robson Amateur Dramatic Society. The proceeds went to the recently organized branch of the Legion of Robson and Castlegar.

The concert was directed by Mrs. Hett and Mrs. A. W. Thorp was pianist. The feature of the evening was a one-act play entitled "It's Autumn Now" and those taking part were Mrs. Hett, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Osborne, Mr. Chalmers, and Mr. Webster. Other members were songs by Mrs. Johnson, monologues by Mr. Chalmers, recitations by Jimmy McDonald, piano solo by Miss Barnes of Trail and songs by Miss Hougan and Mr. Cleeton.

A general quiz contest conducted by G. Thody caused much amusement. Prizes were given to lucky contestants. After the concert dancing was enjoyed.

Institute Donates $5 to Red Cross

The ladies of the Women's Institute held a brief meeting and a social afternoon at the Institute Rooms Friday.

The Executive Committee reported that a donation of $5 was made to the Red Cross in their recent campaign for funds.

Mrs. F. E. Wheeler, President, spoke to the ladies on the sugar for canning, and informed them that the ration cards are available at the City Hall.

Mrs. W. Postlethwaite, Secretary, read a letter from the National War Finance Committee regarding the Fourt Victory Loan, asking for the support of members of the Institute.

After the meeting a short quiz program was held, and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Wheeler, President, was in the chair.

PROCTER

PROCTER, B.C.—Mrs. R. Swannell of Nelson visited her mother, Mrs. S. Aylwin.

Miss E. Aylwin was a visitor to Nelson last weekend.

Everett Brason visited his mother Mrs. W. A. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McPhee had as their guest George Carlson of Osoyoos. James McPhee returned to Osoyoos with him. Mrs. McPhee visited Nelson Thursday.

Mrs. R. A. Heighton and daughter, Mrs. A. Ogden and granddaughter Claire, visited Nelson on Monday.

Mrs. W. E. Ogden and daughter Ruth and Claire, Mrs. C. Johnston and daughter Darlene and Mrs. P. Bennett visited Gray Creek.

Miss Helen Shkwarok and sister, Betty were visitors to Nelson.

Miss Gladys McKay visited Nelson, returning with Gordon Gibson, who has been a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

J. Gibson has returned from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Malahoff had as guest their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Steve Malahoff of Tye.

Mrs. J. McDonald, who has spent the past three months at Rossland, returned to Procter.

Mrs. J. Nicholls visited Nelson Thursday.

F. Doust was a visitor to Nelson during the week.

Mrs. J. H. Blunt of Moose Jaw is visiting her daughter, Miss Irene Blunt.

Capt. M. McLeod was a Nelson visitor.

Mrs. Paul Munch of Tye stopped at Procter en route to Nelson.

Mrs. A. Voykin and daughter Helen spent Friday at Nelson.

Mrs. Peter Boner was a Nelson shopper this week.

Legion Auxiliary Sells $125 Stamps at Creston Dance

CRESTON B. C.—The Women's Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion Post 29 sold $125 worth of War Savings Stamps at the Hard Time Dance held in the K.P. Hall last Friday evening.

This was the Auxiliary's effort to boost Stamp Sales for March. Miss Canada girls were in attendance and raffled four War Savings Certificates during the evening. These were won by R. Mooy Mrs. D. Burns, O. Hagen and D. Burns.

War Savings Stamps were given as prizes for the best costumes and these were won by George Holmes and Miss C. Moon, first, while second prizes went to F. Clayton and Mrs. Biccum.

Music for the dance was provided by a High School orchestra supplemented by several other Valley musicians.

Fish Dishes Are Popular in Lent

Fish dishes are the order of the day during Lent.

From the Department of Fisheries, at Ottawa, comes this recipe for stuffed planked fish. If you haven't a plank, a heat proof platter or ordinary baking dish may be used. Whole small cod or haddock or fillets may be used. A four pound fish or 2½-3 pounds if fillets are used will be needed for 6 servings.

Wipe fish with a damp cloth, wrung out of cold salted water, and salt slightly.

DRESSING

2 cups soft bread crumbs.
¼ cup strained canned tomatoes or ½ can tomato soup.
1½ tablespoons melted fat
½ teaspoon salt, if soup is used or 1 teaspoon salt, if canned tomatoes are used.
½ tablespoon onion juice
¼ teaspoon poultry dressing.

Mix together and stuff whole fish or place stuffing between pans on fillets. If a plank is used, pre-heat it for 5 minutes at 400 degrees F. Grease the plank or pan, place the fish on it, brush with melted fat. Surround the fish with potato croquettes and par-boiled onions stuffed with bread-crumbs and grated cheese. Bake at 400 degrees F., allowing 8-10 minutes per inch thickness of fish.

Crawford Bay W. I. Makes Plans for Easter Sale

CRAWFORD BAY, B. C.—At the monthly meeting of the Women's Institute a great deal of correspondence was read including letters of thanks for parcels sent to members of the armed services. The parcels had all arrived in good condition.

Mrs. Francis, now in Quebec City, sent a message to the members and a donation, which the meeting voted to invest in war savings stamps. A donation of $10 was voted to the Queen Alexandra Solarium.

Plans for making quilt blocks were discussed. It was decided to hold a sale at the April meeting, members to bring new and used articles. As no Easter candies are available members offered to bring home dyed eggs in fancy cups. Mrs. Mooney and Mrs. Richardson volunteered to serve tea.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. King and Mrs. Macpherson.

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Hints for Housewives

By BETSY NEWMAN

Codfish cakes combine fish and potatoes so that you need only add a green cooked vegetable, some raw vegetable to add crispness, and a dessert. I'm suggesting waffles for dessert today.

Codfish Cakes Spinach
Cabbage, Celery and Carrot Salad
Waffles Syrup Coffee

CODFISH CAKES

2 cups salt codfish, 2 cups hot mashed potatoes, 1 tablespoon butter, ¼ cup milk, ½ teaspoon baking powder, dash of pepper.

Soak fish one or two hours, drain, cover with fresh cold water and put on stove. Simmer until fish is tender. Boil potatoes and put through ricer. Drain fish and chop carefully, removing bones. Mix milk, butter, baking powder and pepper thoroughly with potatoes; then add to codfish, and beat well. Shape with floured hands into round, flat cakes, and fry in a little fat. When one side is browned, turn and brown on other side. Drain on soft paper and serve hot. Serves 4.

WAFFLES

2 eggs, 2 cups milk, 2 cups sifted flour, ½ cup fine cornmeal, ½ teaspoon salt, 4 tablespoons baking powder, 6 tablespoons melted shortening.

If you do not have fine cornmeal add an additional ½ cup flour, but you will get a crisper and better waffle if the cornmeal is used. Beat eggs with rotary beater, add milk. Sift together flour, cornmeal, baking powder and salt. Beat flour mixture into egg and milk, add melted shortening and beat with rotary beater, but not too long. Bake on hot waffle iron. Makes 10 waffles.

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TODAY'S News Pictures

TANKS FOR MONTGOMERY'S BATTLE IN TUNISIA

Tanks just landed in North Africa are prepared for battle at a supply base in Algeria. Machine gun and cannon ammunition is loaded aboard the armored monsters before they are turned over to British combat crews. Cannon shells have noses of different colors to distinguish various types of shell—high explosives, armor-piercing, shrapnel or fragmentation.

MAYBE THAT TIRE YOU DID WITHOUT IS HERE

Rubber that is going to make the Axis good and tired (no pun intended) of war is lined up at an army supply dump in North Africa. These rear-end truck assemblies are but a small part of the huge quantity of supplies of all kinds that it takes to wage modern war. This picture may do a little to explain why auto driving in Canada must be confined to the strictly essential, if the army is to have the stuff to give Hitler the bounce.

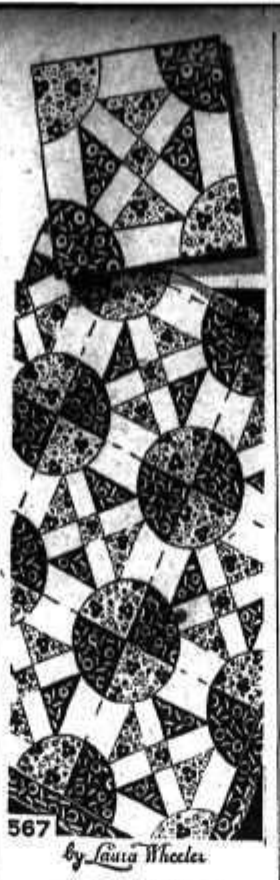
SPEEDING TRAIN HITS BUS—NINE KILED

Nine passengers died and 16 were injured when this bus was struck by an electric train in Granite City, Illinois. The bus is shown as it rested in between trees and telephone poles after collision.

NO. 1 REDHEAD

For the second successive year, Rita Hayworth, Hollywood beauty, has been tabbed as America's "Number One Redhead," in a poll at the International Beauty Show in New York

SALLY'S SALLIES



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By ROBERT QUILLEN

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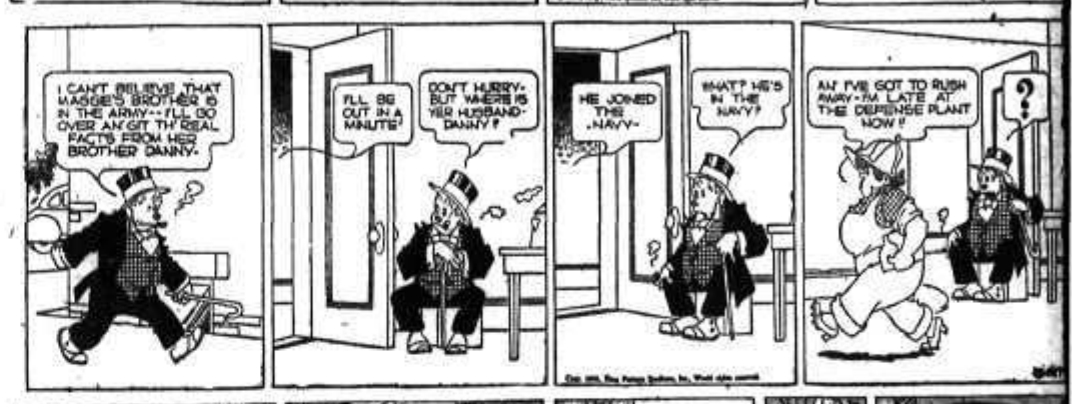

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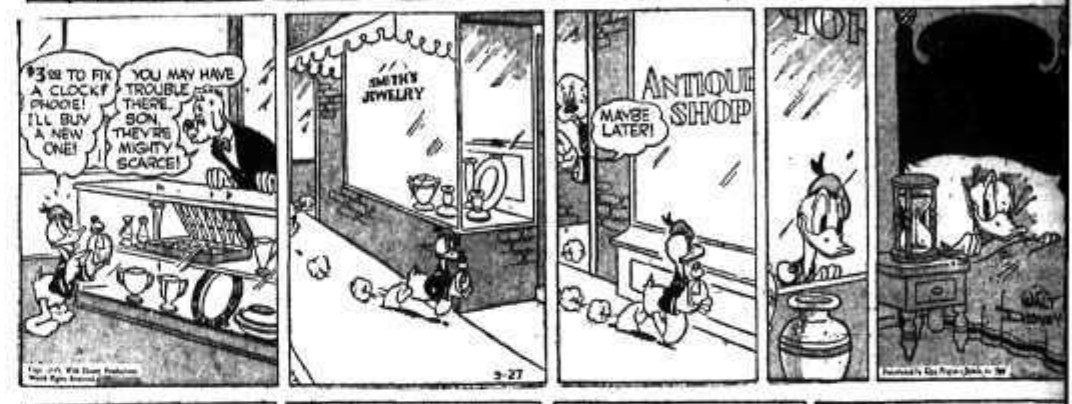

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THE GUMPS

Contract... By Shepard Barclay

MANY GAMES FOUND

PART SCORES and games aplenty have been produced by proper use of the one-over-one bidding principle. There are countless hands too weak for a 1-No Trump response to an opening suit bid, but containing a suit long enough to be shown safely at the range of one, if your pair is not making such a bid guarantee a trick or so in high cards. Revealing such a suit may disclose the best declaration for the hand.

♠ 7 5
♥ 10 8 3
♦ Q J 10 6 4 3
♣ 9 5

♠ Q 6 2 ♥ A Q 9 6 2 ♦ 7 5 ♣ J 7 4

♠ J 10 9 8 ♥ K J 7 5 4 ♦ A K ♣ 10 8

♠ A K 4 3 ♥ None ♦ 9 8 2 ♣ A K Q 6 3 2

(Dealer: South. Both sides vulnerable.)

South	West	North	East
1. 1♣	Pass	Pass	1♥
1♠	2♥	Pass	3♥
4♣	4♥		
2. 1♣	Pass	1♦	1♥
2♠	3♥	4♦	4♥
5♦	Pass	Pass	Dbl

Old-fashioned tactics, still favored by a few otherwise sound bidders, were in use by North and South at Table 1. With them a suit bid of one in response would show about a high card trick in the hand. So North, much too weak for 1-No Trump, had to pass. Never thereafter could North show his holding, so the opponents easily bought the contract and got set just one trick at 4-Hearts, with the loss of two in each black suit.

At the second table, under more modern conventions, 1-Diamond could have been called on either quite a strong hand or a very weak one with plenty of length if the responder was prepared to sign off later by rebidding it. That call hit South's three-card holding, making his hand so strong he could force mightily with that 2-Spade bid on his second turn, guaranteeing game strength. After that, North was easily able to bid again, and a game was the reward, enhanced by East's double. Only two trump tricks were lost.

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Tomorrow's Problem

♠ Q 6 5 4
♥ A 4 2
♦ A 8 4 2
♣ K 10

♠ J 10 9 2 ♥ 10 8 3 ♦ Q 9 7 3 ♣ 8 7

♠ 8 7 3 ♥ K Q J 7 ♦ J 10 ♣ 6 5 3 2

♠ A K ♥ 9 8 6 ♦ K 6 5 ♣ A Q J 9 4

(Dealer: West. Both sides vulnerable.)

How would you play for 6-No Trump as South on this deal, after West leads the heart 10?

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ACROSS
1. Place
4. Type measure
7. Caliber
8. Dregs
10. Forearm bone
11. German composer
12. Mountain range
13. Missile weapon
15. Secondary
16. Night before holiday
17. Poets
20. Chemical compound
22. Type measure
23. Letter H
25. Chinese measure
26. European country
27. Therefore
29. Lawful
30. Hebrew letter
32. Begs
34. Represented
36. Goal
37. Loiter
38. Indian tent
41. Momentous
43. Lizard
44. Cereal grain
45. Allowance for weight
46. Disclose
47. Epoch
48. Married

DOWN
1. To unite
2. Sea eagle
3. Afternoon receptions
4. Island off Italy
5. Close to
6. Private
7. Author of "Pilgrim's Progress"
9. Scooplike instrument
12. Abbot (Fr.)
14. Existed
18. Happening every day
19. Locations
20. Notoriety
21. Timidly
24. Children's game
27. Young oyster
28. The East
30. Sky
31. Border
33. Unit of electrical current
35. Deposited
39. Pitcher

Yesterday's Answer

40. Girl's name
41. Flourish
42. Mature

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E. SMITH,
District Engineer.
By authority of the Minister of Public Works.
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Rookies Hold Key to Chicago's Place

FRENCH LICK, Ind., March 26 (AP.)— Chicago White Sox, plugged up with rookies after a drain of 24 men to the armed forces, seem destined to remain deep in the second division of the American League.

Their outfield must be patched around the only returning regular, Wally Moses. Wally is a cinch for right field.

Manager Jimmy Dykes likes Texan Thruman Tucker, who clipped .313 for Fort Worth, for centre field; or Moose Solters, who clubbed over .300 for the Sox in 1940 before being beaned, spiked and generally bunged up in 1941.

"Your guess is as good as mine for left field," said Dykes.

Luke Appling will be at short.

"We have regulars Joe Kuhel at first and Don Koloway at second—and in this boy Jimmy Grant I think we have found a third baseman," said Dykes.

Grant nicked .313 with St. Paul last year and played 12 games with the Sox later.

The pitching corps will include Bill Dietrich, Orval Grove, John Humphreys, Thorton Lee, Edgar Smith and Jake Wade—three Southpaws and three right handers.

Mike Tresh is back behind the plate.

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Max Butcher Signs Pirates Contract

PITTSBURGH, March 26 (AP)— Max Butcher, big right-handed pitcher of Pittsburgh Pirates, agreed to terms today and will leave Sunday for training camp at Muncie, Ind.

Benswanger also disclosed that Maurice van Robays, hard-hitting outfielder, had signed his 1943 contract at Camp.

On Playdown Trail Tonight

By The Canadian Press

ALLAN CUP

Eastern Canada Senior semi-final — Halifax RCAF vs Ottawa RCAF Flyers, at Halifax, first in best of five series.

Western Canada Senior semi-final—Calgary team, Alberta champions vs Victoria Army, B. C. champions, at Calgary, third in best of five series which tied at one game each.

MEMORIAL CUP

Western Canada Junior semi-finals—Winnipeg Rangers, Manitoba champions, vs Fort William, Ont., Hurricanes-Rangers, Thunder Bay titleholders, at Port Arthur, third in best of five series, Winnipeg leads 2-0.

Western Canada Junior semi-finals—Edmonton Canadians, Alberta champions vs Saskatoon Quakers, Saskatoon champions, at Saskatoon first in best of three series.

THREE RANGERS TO BOLSTER ROVERS

NEW YORK, March 26 (AP) — Three National League Rangers will play together as a line for New York Rovers when the Eastern U.S. Amateur Hockey League club meets Montreal Royals' in an exhibition game here Sunday night.

Lynn Patrick, Phil Watson and Gus Mancuso, will bolster the Rover squad because the Rovers only had 11 other men available for the game against the Quebec Senior League club.

VANCOUVER STOCKS

Bralorne	9.10	9.25
Cariboo Gold	1.15	1.25
Golconda	.06	.07
Gold Belt	.15	.16
Grandview	.15½	.17
Grull Wihksne	.04¼	.05
Hedley Mascot	.42	.43
Island Mtn	.70	.90
Kootenay Belle	.23	.25
Pend Oreille	1.68	1.80
Pioneer Gold	1.60	1.65
Premier Gold	.72	.80
Privateer	.38	.40
Relief Arlington	.37	.50
Reno Gold	.07½	—
Sheep Creek	1.00	1.25
OILS		
Anaconda	.04	.06
Anglo Cdn	.52	.60
A P Cons	.10	.12
Brown Corp	.06½	—
Calgary & Ed	1.40	1.43
Commoll	.16	—
Commonwealth	.23	.25
East Crest	.10½	.11
Home	3.25	3.35
McDougall Segur	.07	.08½
Model	.21	.25
Nat Pete	.06¼	.06¾
Pacalta	.05½	—
Pacific Pete	.26	.27
Royalite	3.50	4.00
Spooner	.06	.10
Sunset	.07¾	—
United	.05½	—
Vanalta	.06	.07½

At Ball Camps . . .

Senators Look for Aid From 3 Base-Stealers

TRAINING CAMP BRIEFS
By The Associated Press

COLLEGE PARK, Md. — The Washington Senators look to grand larceny for extra runs this season. As example of the team's possibilities, Coach Clyde Milan pointed to outfielder George Case, who has led the American League in base-stealing for four seasons, George Myatt, who led the American Association with 39 steals for Columbus last season, and Ellis Clary, base-stealing champ of the Southern Association before he joined the Nats.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. — Judging from the stuff the Cincinnati pitchers are throwing, this may be a bad year for National League hitters. Johnny Vander Meer and Ray Starr are putting everything into their heaves and the batters are popping the ball straight up or missing it altogether. However, these hitters are on the team which finished seventh in hitting last year.

BEAR MOUNTAIN, N.Y.—Manager Leo Durocher, who changed his mind about playing shortstop for the Brooklyn Dodgers this season after a few days of training, was stationed at short for the full five innings of the club's first practice tilt yesterday. Observers claimed he not only played on a dime but was careful never to remove more than one foot from it at a time.

WALLINGFORD, Conn. — Casey Stengel endeavored to solve the Boston Braves' infield problems by shifting Joe Burns into the third base squad behind Tony Cuccinello and shifting Geraghty to short-stop.

ASBURY PARK, N.Y.—With the status of Nick Etten cleared up, Manager Joe McCarthy of the New York Yankees plans to use Johnny Lindell both in the outfield and as a pitcher. He also will continue to work out at first base. McCarthy announced yesterday that George Stirnweiss "is my shortstop."

HERSHEY, Pa.—Pitcher Lynwood (Schoboy) Rowe Read of his purchase by the Phillies in a newspaper while he was on the way to the Brooklyn-Montreal training camp, so he got off at the next stop and took another train here. When Manager Bucky Harris asked if he still had some games left in him, Rowe replied: "Well, I still got my right arm, ain't I?"

BEN HOGAN IN ARMY

DALLAS, March 26 (AP)—Ben Hogan, the little giant of the fairways, who followed golfdom's golden trail for earnings of almost $100,000 in six years—is in the army at a salary of $50 a month. The 30-year-old Hogan was inducted in the Army yesterday.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY, March 26 (CP)—Cattle 276; calves and hogs 586; sheep 160.

Hogs yesterday 13.90 for B1 yards and plants; sows 11.50-11.75 live weight; yards; 13-13.50 dressed weight yards and plants.

Market Trends . . .

LONDON, March 26 (CP) — Industrial shares were in demand today in a firm stock market.

Home rails were steady and oils eased.

NEW YORK—Stocks hit the fastest clip since 1941 and numerous market leaders touched peak levels for nearly three years but late profit taking on the flour session upswing stemmed the drive.

Turnover for the full proceedings was around 2,200,000 shares.

Persistent bullish influences included the war, inflation psychology, pressure of idle funds and a friendlier view of Congress.

TORONTO—The stock market registered a general advance and the close was firm on increased volume in the base metals shares, which advanced nearly a point to a new high for the year.

MONTREAL—Metals and utilities on average were in higher ground and fluctuations elsewhere in the list appearing were mixed.

In utilities, stronger spots were B. C. Power "A" and "B".

VANCOUVER — Mines and oils were quiet but stronger on the Vancouver stock exchange.

WINNIPEG — Profit-taking caused wheat prices to follow an irregular course fluctuating from ⅛ cent above the previous close to ¾ cent lower. May wheat closed ¼ cent higher at $1.01⅛ and July closed unchanged at $1.01⅝.

CHICAGO—Grain prices forged ahead when the senate passed and sent to the White House a Bill to prohibit deductions of benefit payments in setting ceilings on agricultural products. Wheat paced the upturn, wiping out early losses and rye and oats followed the bread cereal higher.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

	High	Low	Close	Change
30 industrials	134.51	133.21	133.96	up .74
20 rails	32.98	32.73	33.06	up .36
15 utilities	18.00	17.66	17.90	up .28

Toronto Stock Quotations

Anglo-Huronian	4.00	Preston East Dome	1.87
Beattie Gold Mines	.75	San Antonio Gold	2.90
Buffalo Ankerite	3.05	Sherritt Gordon	.93
Castle-Trethewey	.66	Sudbury Basin	1.90
Central Patricia	1.14	Sylvanite	1.55
Chromium M & S	2.30	Teck-Hughes Gold	2.45
Coniaurum Mines	.97	Toburn Gold Mines	.80
Consolidated M & S	43.50	Ventures	5.75
Dome Mines	23.25	Wright Hargreaves	3.35
East Malartic	1.13	**OILS**	
Eldorado Gold	.95	British American	19.25
Falconbridge Nickel	3.60	British Dominion	.36
Hard Rock Gold	.43	Imperial	12.85
Hollinger	9.50	Inter Petroleum	17.85
Hudson Bay M & S	31.75	**INDUSTRIALS**	
Internat Nickel	37.85	Abitibi Power A	.75
Kerr-Addison	6.00	Bell Telephone	145
Lake Shore Mines	14.00	Brewers & Distiller	5¾
Lamaque Contact	4.40	B C Power A	26
Little Long Lac	.69	Can Car & Fdy	8½
MacLeod Cockshutt	1.60	Can Cement	44
Madsen Red Lake	1.15	Can Malting	38¼
Malartic Gold	1.82	Dom Tar & Chem	7
McIntyre-Porcupine	53.50	Distillers Seagrams	27½
McKenzie Red Lake	.88	Ford of Canada A	21⅝
Mining Corporatoin	1.70	Goodyear Tire	16
Nipissing Mining	1.07	Hamilton Bridge	5
Noranda	46.25	Imperial Tobacco	10¾
Normetal	90¾	Montreal Power	25
Pamour Porcupine	.62	Moore Corp	46¼
Perron Gold	1.00	Nat Steel Car	45¼
Pickle Crow Gold	1.70	Steel of Canada	68

Cryptoquotes

TFTEBNG UBN GNHJR EUCCG, TIG PNRU BCM TMPYR DCCGINEE JE— VJRUCI.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: GOD IS THE BRAVE MAN'S HOPE, AND NOT THE COWARD'S EXCUSE—PLUTARCH.

Cryptoquotes are quotations of famous persons written cipher. A substitute character has replaced the original letter. For instance, an "R" may substitute for the original "E" throughout the entire cryptoquote, or a "88" may replace an "LL." Find the key and follow through to the solution.

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Nelson District Red Cross Total Is $13,000; Procter Tot Gives Nickel Because "Daddy's at Front"

Nelson District is near the $15,000 mark in the Red Cross campaign. L. W. Sells, Campaign Chairman, stated Friday that he had over $12,800 to report and that returns were still incomplete. Some of the canvassing in Nelson has still to be completed, and he has still to receive reports from a number of district points, notably Salmo and the Emerald mine. The target is $15,000.

The District early this week went over the $10,000 quota set by Provincial headquarters, and on Friday Mr. Sells received from J. B. Leyland of Vancouver, Provincial Campaign Secretary, a letter of congratulation.

"The Committee has asked me to express to you and all your coworkers very sincere thanks for this splendid accomplishment, and as usual Nelson can feel satisfied in having done an excellent job," he wrote.

WEST ARM BOOSTS TOTAL

Five additional West Arm points have sent in their contributions, these being: Sunshine Bay, $27.50; Procter, $48.05; Balfour, $59.25; Crescent Bay($25; Longbeach, $23. Harrop's contribution, previously reported, was $34.25.

An unexpected contribution received by Mr. Sells was $18 from the Junior High School Junior Red Cross—the result of a penny bank collection.

The odd five cents in Procter's $48.05 represented the gift of a little girl who handed in a nickel with the explanation: "My Daddy's at the front. I want to give my five cents."

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BREAKFAST HAM: Tenderized, lb.	50¢
EGGS: Local, large fresh, doz.	37¢
BUTTER: Glendale, the very best, 3 lbs.	$1.23
SUGAR: Granulated, 5 lb. bag	45¢
TEA: Orange Pekoe, ¼ lb., 2 coupons	22¢
MARMALADE: 4 lb. tins	60¢
PLUM JAM: 4 lb. tins	55¢
GRAPEFRUIT: Large California, 4 for	30¢
ORANGES: Large size, Sunkist, 2 doz.	81¢
APPLES: Fancy quality, 4 lbs.	25¢
ROMAN MEAL: Pkt.	35¢
COFFEE SUB: Pkt.	35¢
CLOTHES PEGS: 3 doz.	15¢
DOG MASH: Buckerfield's, 7 lbs.	50¢
PRUNES: Large size, 2 lbs.	28¢
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APRICOTS: Lb.	28¢

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Greco Wins Hot Session From Cleo Shans

NEW YORK, March 26 (CP.) — Piston-fisted Johnny Greco, sights adjusted squarely on the world's lightweight boxing championship, hammered out his second straight 10-round decision over California Cleo Shans in another torrid bout in Madison Square Garden tonight. Greco weighed 135 pounds, Shans 133.

Greco, Canadian army private from Montreal, made his first decision stick by beating the Los Angeles Negro with a flock of hard rights that drove Shans to the ropes time after time, his knees buckling. But the only time he went down it was from a straight, hard left to the face in the third round.

The decision was unanimous on the part of Referee Frank Fulton and the two judges and on The Canadian Press scorecard Greco won six rounds with one even and Shans the other three.

Lured by the 20-year-old Greco's brilliant showing in his first Madison Square Garden main about just a month ago tonight, 15,011 fans poured $847,214 into the till to watch the slugfest tonight. They weren't disappointed either.

Greco has his guns set on a knockout all the way but though he floored Shans once and staggered him on at least three other occasions, he failed to explode the block-buster in winning by a clear-cut margin.

It was probably as much the Canadian soldier's inexperience at applying the "crusher" to an injured opponent, as it was Shans' condition and indigting ability, that Private Johnny had to be satisfied with the unanimous verdict instead of a knockout in a fast punch-party from start to finish.

Greco caught Cleo with a right hand bomb midway of the opening heat and Shans went back on his heels. But right then it also became apparent that Greco just hadn't been in the business long enough to know what do when he had a rival on the way to dreamland. He tore in swinging wildly as Cleo went to close quarters, and most of Johnny's punches sailed around Shan's head or bounced harmlessly off his arms.

But Greco came back in the third and after two slugged toe-to-toe in mid ring for a few moments Johnny reached out with a long, solid left hand that dropped Cleo to the canvas.

He was up without a count, however, and once more his infighting "savvy" and Johnny's wild, desperate shots enabled Cleo to come through.

It was more or less that way from there to the end except for the sixth when Cleo gave Greco a fair kind of boxing lesson, and the eighth when Johnny had the West Coast Negro in trouble from two straight right hand smashes that had all the earmarks of ether cans.

NELSON GYMNASTS TO PERFORM IN TRAIL DISPLAY

Four Nelson Pro Rec gymnasts, under Instructor Ed Kelter, will go to Trail Wednesday to take part in the annual Trail Pro Rec display. The four are Don Brown, Jack Carpenter, John Peck and John Collinson.

Winnipeg Bombers Two Up in Western Series

WINNIPEG, March 26 (CP) — Winnipeg R.C.A.F. bombers made it two straight in the Western Senior hockey semi-final when they defeated Regina army capitals here tonight 4-2 in the second of a best-of-five series. Winnipeg won the first game Wednesday 5-1. The third game will be played in Regina Monday night. The winner meets Calgary Army or Victoria Army in the Western finals.

Lineups:

Regina—Goal, Mitchell; defence, Corbett, Sandelack; centre, Armstrong; wings, Metz, Tilson. Subs—Sloboda, Gannon, McPhee, Walter.

Winnipeg—Goal, Moror; defence, Branigan, Juzda; centre, Langelle; wings, Trudel, McBride. Subs—McGregor, Stanowski, Krol, Platz.

MOSCOW, (CP.)—For outstanding services in literature, the Supreme Soviet has awarded Alexander Serafimovich, 80, the Order of the Red Banner of Labor.

Sets New Record for Indoor Sprint

CLEVELAND, March 26 (AP)— Herb Thompson of Jersey City, United States indoor sprint champion, established a world's indoor record for the 45-yard dash in the Knights of Columbus games at the Arena tonight.

His time of 4.8 seconds clipped one-tenth of a second off the mark set by Percy Williams of Vancouver Feb. 12, 1929. Thompson beat out Dave Trepanier of Ohio State University.

Gregory Rice, former Notre Dame star, broke his own world's indoor record in the Columbia two-mile, feature event of the night.

The "Toy Bulldog" was clocked at eight minutes, 30 seconds, one-tenth of a second faster than his previous mark.

HOCKEY RESULTS

QUEBEC SR. FINAL
Ottawa 6, Montreal R.C.A.F. 2
(Ottawa takes best of five series 3-2).

OTTAWA AND DISTRICT HOCKEY LEAGUE (FINALS)
St. Patrick's College 17, Cardinal 4
(St. Patrick's win best of three games series 2-0)

EXHIBITION AT BOSTON
Montreal Royals 9, Boston Olympics 6.

WESTERN SR. SEMI-FINAL
Winnipeg RCAF Bombers 4, Regina Army Capitals 2
(Bombers lead best of five series 2-0).

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Miller Gives Cinci Infield a Lift

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 26 (AP)— Cincinnati Reds this year should be a solidly improved ball club, with Shortstop Eddie Miller the kingpin in a tightened infield setup.

The Reds, who finished fourth last year by breaking even in 152 games and playing two ties, acquired Miller from Boston Braves during the Winter and Manager Bill McKechnie thinks he will help the team considerably.

"He's a great team player," the Deacon said today. "Eddie should make the difference between our fair club of last year and a good team this season. Miller is the kind of boy who runs the infield, telling the others where to play, and sets a good example by his own performances.

"We're still looking for outfielders, however."

Eddie Miller will guard the left side of the infield along with Bert Haas.

Linus Frey and Frank McCormick the Leagues' most valuable player in 1940, will complete the infield at second and first. Ray Mueller, who saw previous major league service with Boston and Pittsburgh, is slated to be the No. 1 catcher, succeeding Ray Lamanno, who is in the Navy.

With Gerald Walker a holdout, Mike McCormick, Max Marshall and Frank Kelleher are the outfield nominess.

The pitching department is where the Reds may rise and shine this campaign. Veterans like Bucky Walters, Ray Starr, Johnny Vander Meer, Elmer Riddle and Joe Beggs are back.

N.H.L. All-Star Selections

Following are the 14th and 15th of a Canadian Press series of N.H.L. all star selections by hockey writers in N.H.L. cities.

By H. KAESE
Boston Evening Globe

First Team	Position	Alternate Team
	Goal	
Brimsek (Bos)	R. Defence	Mowers (Det)
Crawford (Bos)	L. Defence	Seibert (Chi)
J. Stewart (Det)	Centre	Hollett (Bos)
Cowley (Bos)	R. Wing	Mr Bentley (Chi)
Hextall (NY)	L. Wing	Benoit (Mont)
D. Bentley (Chi)	Coach	Patrick (NY)
Day (Tor)		Thompson (Chi)

By HORACE LAVIGNE
Montreal La Patrie

First Team	Position	Alternate Team
	Goal	
Mowers (Det)	R. Defence	Broda (Tor)
Hollett (Bos)	L. Defence	Crawford (Bos)
Seibert (Chi)	Centre	Pratt (Tor)
Cowley (Bos)	R. Wing	M. Bentley (Chi)
Benoit (Mont)	L. Wing	Carr (Tor)
D. Bentley (Chi)	Coach	Blake (Mont)
J. Adams (Det)		P. Thompson (Chi)

Paul Thompson Says He's Through

CHICAGO, March 26 (CP)—Paul Thompson, Manager of Chicago Black Hawks, has left for his Calgary home declaring he was all through with hockey, but Major Fredrie McLaughlin, Club owner, believes he may change his mind.

"Paul was saddened by his failure to reach the Stapley Cup playoffs," McLaughlin said, "and declared he was through with managing and with hockey. I can tell how Paul feels now, or if, indeed, there will be hockey for anybody next season, but I always have, and always will have great confidence in him as a manager. I am sure his depression will pass."

$10,000 Race to End Best Season at New Orleans Grounds

NEW ORLEANS, March 26 (AP) —Rounders, Valdina Farm's Irish-bred entry, was assigned top weight of 126 pounds today for the American Handicap, $10,000 added stake for three-year-olds and up at the Fair Grounds tomorrow.

The race will be run at a mile and an eighth. Rounders, with Jockey F. Zufelt up, ruled a favorite among the seven entries.

The American Handicap closes the longest and most successful racing season ever held at the Fair Grounds. The meet ran 89 days with the last 16 days' profits going to war relief.

Pro Rec Clown May Show Here

Chief Instructor for Vancouver Pro Rec, Ernie Grant may possibly come to Nelson to take part in the Pro Rec circus at the Civic Centre April 2 and 3. Grant is known as the Pro Rec's Prince of Clowns and it is anticipated that he will stage one of his comedy acts here.

Five other Coast gymnasts and an Okanagan champion have scheduled parts in the show. Provincial Chief Instructor Jerry Mathisen, a star high box vaulter, will head the contingent of Sid Greenwood, Provincial gymnastic champion, Harry Fairweather, one of the Province's top ranking gymnasts, Bob Coard and Ken Prenidde, Canada's premier hand to hand team, and Jack Noel, Okanagan gymnastic champion.

Hand Injury May End Tennis Play of Helen Wills

MANHATTAN, Kas., March 26 (AP)— The racquet-wielding right hand of Mrs. Helen Wills Roark used to smash tennis opponents was in bandages today and the famous tennis court star may never play again.

Several bones were removed in an operation a week ago at Fort Riley, Kas., where Lt. Adrian Roark, husband of the former national and Wimbledon champion is stationed.

Attending physicians said she may never again use the hand, which was severely injured January 14 in Junction City, Kas., when she attempted to stop a fight between her German Shepherd and another dog. Bone infection necessitated the operation.

To Be No Fight Between Louis and Lovell

HOLLYWOOD, March 26 (AP)— There will be no fight between the Argentine champion Albert Lovell, and Joe Louis, world heavyweight champion, an army officer indicated today.

Maj.-Gen. Irving J. Phillipson, Director of army emergency relief and currently Joe's commanding officer, said today, in reply to Luis Angel Firpo's statement in Buenos Aires last night that Lovell and Louis would fight May 5.

"It is my belief that such an event would be impossible, as I understand it would be contrary to war department policy."

Firpo said the fight would take place in Los Angeles.

Louis is here appearing in the film, "This Is the Army."

Ottawa Commandos Win Quebec Title From Montreal

MONTREAL, March 26 (CP)—Ottawa Commandos defeated Montreal R.C.A.F. 6-2 tonight to capture the Quebec Senior Hockey League championship and the Quebec Senior hockey crown They now enter the Eastern Canada semi-final for the Dominion championship and the Allan Cup against Toronto R.C.A.F.

Pte. Neil Colville and Lieut. Gordon Poirier were the stars, scoring all their team's goals to beat the airmen, with three each showing in the summaries for the high-scoring forwards.

Air Force scorers were Sgt. Allison MacNichol and Ac. 2 Lester Brennan who counted on a penalty shot.

Interpreting

The War News

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Tokyo and Moscow have given renewed evidence of their present determination to remain at peace by renewal of their fisheries pact.

Again Hitler's most powerful ally has given notice that she is having no part of his crusade against Bolshevism, although six years ago it was the Japanese military clique, now in control of imperial policy, that was the guiding spirit of the anti-comintern treaty which led to the three-power Axis military alliance.

The fisheries pact fixes the terms on which Japan is permitted to send her fishermen into the far Eastern territorial waters of the Soviet Union, a right granted by the 1905 Treaty of Portsmouth. Since 1936, when the Kremlin, offended by the Anti-Comintern Treaty, refused to consider any long-term agreement, it has been subject to annual renewal.

The indications are that the Russians held the whiphand in the parleys which led to the accord initialed in Kuibyshev Thursday. For the second year in succession the Japanese had to pay an extra fee. The Siberian fisheries are an important factor in the Japanese food supply.

The Japanese appear to be even more anxious than the Soviets to avoid war.

One reason undoubtedly is the fear of air assault. The Japanese command probably feels that on the East, South and West it has pushed the United Nations beyond the range of effective and intensive air attack.

But in the North there is no such security. There are bases around Vladivostok from which bombers could reach Tokyo in less than three hours, Osaka in two.

The fisheries renewal reinforces Foreign Minister Tani's declaration two months ago of Tokyo's intention to honor the Moscow neutrality accord of 1941. It would be unwise of course, to place full reliance on Japanese professions of peaceful intent.

For the United Nations it undoubtedly is an advantage to have Russia free to concentrate on Germany at this junction, probably outweighing the immediate gains which would come from a Russian-Japanese war. But it has its obverse side.

As long as the wily generals and admirals who direct Japanese police are content to leave well enough alone on the Siberian frontier, Allied hopes of obtaining Russian bases from which to blast the cities and war industries of our Oriental enemy are dim.

Mrs. Enfield, 90, Former Shop Keeper Here, Dies

Mrs. Stephen Enfield, for about 30 years a resident of Nelson, died in her ninetieth year at Vancouver Friday. Word of her death was received by acquaintances here.

During the latter part of her residence here following her husband's death, Mrs. Enfield had a ladies wear and millinery shop, at one time in the Maglio Block and later in the Masonic Block, Baker Street. Prior to that she and her husband operated a dry goods store in the 400 Block, Baker Street.

Mrs. Enfield was born in 1853 at Cornwall, Ont.

Her husband, predeceased her about 15 years ago and her only child, a son, died when an infant.

JACK BENNY FILM COMES UP IN COURT TODAY

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 26 (AP)—"The Meanest Man in the World," Jack Benny's latest film, goes into court tomorrow for judicial review, on complaint of five attorneys that "it mocks the legal profession and prints a very indecent picture of the profession to the public eye."

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I. O. D. E.
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Today's Pitchers Sissies—Mack

WILMINGTON, Del., March 26 (AP.)—Present-day pitchers don't work hard enough in Spring training and seldom carry a full load even in regular season, Connie Mack said today.

"Pitchers ought to get themselves in shape," he said.

"Nobody should have to tell them to work every day but dammit (Connie usually says 'gracious' but he was wound up with earnestness at this point) they want to take a day off now before they throw batting practice. And in a game, if somebody hits a home run, they suddenly get an ingrown toe-nail and have to be taken out."

He was interrupted to greet a caller who turned out to be John (Sadie) McMahon, whom Connie called "the one-man pitching staff of the greatest team in baseball" the old Baltimore Orioles.

"In 1890 I pitched in 56 games and won 43 of them," McMahon said. "Why in the last six weeks of the season I pitched 18 games and won 15. In my whole career I never was knocked out of the box. I finished every game I started and another thing, I never gave an intentional base on balls."

60 Cases of Beer Stolen at Trail

TRAIL, B. C., March 26—Sixty cases of beer were stolen from the Kootenay Breweries at 562 Rosland Avenue, last night by unknown thieves who apparently made off with the beer in a truck or car. The case is being investigated by City Police.

Entrance to the brewery was obtained through a rear window and nothing was touched except the beer. Police said that the thieves apparently made no effort to take anything else from the building.

Phils Get Two New Ball Players in Nick Etten Deal

HERSHEY, Pa., March 26 (AP)— The two players acquired by Philadelphia Phillies from New York Yankees in final settlement of the Nick Etten deal are pitcher Al Gearhouser and catcher Tommy Padden, both of the Newark Bears.

Their identity was revealed today, following the Phillies' release of first baseman Ed Levy's contract to the Kansas City Blues and their promise to deliver a player to Newark.

Manager Bucky Harris is enthusiastic over Gearhouser's possibilities. The six foot Southpaw won 14 and lost 12 with Newark last year, though handicapped by a back injury now said to be cured. Padden, who was his battery mate, has seen big league service with Pittsburgh and the Giants.

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