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20,000 Chinese Cross Salween

Plunge at a Dozen Points Opens First Real Offensive in 7 Years

CHUNGKING, May 15 (AP)—More than 20,000 Chinese troops have plunged across the Salween River in Western Yunnan Province at a dozen points, the Chinese High Command announced today, opening China's first real offensive in seven years of war with the objective a junction with Allied troops—predominantly Chinese—operating about 150 miles away in Northern Burma.

Casualties on both sides were heavy along the 130-mile front as the Chinese, achieving an extraordinary degree of surprise, forces a wide enemy deployment.

Ultimate objective of the offensive is to flash through upper Burma, join with the Chinese-American force under Lt.-Gen. Joseph Stilwell, and connect Burma roads with the two-lane Ledo Highway. Allied engineers have built to the Mogaung Valley front.

Little Japanese opposition was encountered by the Chinese expeditionary force until the foothills were won. But units of Japan's battle-hardened 56th division counter-attacked in force along some mountain trails.

United States 14th Air Force planes bombed and strafed enemy positions over a wide area in support of the offensive.

Fighting thus far, severe but on a small scale, has developed near the villages of Ping Ka, 24 miles Southeast of Lunling in the Burma Road; Hongmoshu, 21 miles East of Tengchung, North of the Burma Road and about 50 miles from the Eastern Burmese border; Tatangtzu, 29 miles Northeast of Tengchung, and in the Kaoli Mountain barrier approaches.

At the same time, in Honan province to the North, the Chinese communique said Japanese troops which had broken through into Loyang at three points had been wiped out, as defenders battled to save the key city from capture.

The communique indicated Chinese forces in Southern Honan still were astride the Peiping-Hankow railway, at Suping, 110 miles South of Chenghsien, after reopening a gap in the Japanese hold on the line.

The immediate objective of the Allied North Burma forces, the town of Kamaing, about 40 miles West of Myitkyina, is within about 150 miles of present Chinese positions on the Salween.

The Salween offensive was opened Wednesday night by troops under the Command of Marshal Wei Li-Huang, a seasoned veteran.

On three successive nights the crossing of the turbulent Salween was effected in the face of severe clashes with the counter-attacking Japanese at many points.

Bill to Allow K.V. Company Line Extension

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP) — The Commons tonight gave second reading to a bill allowing the Kettle Valley Railway Company to extend its lines in certain areas of British Columbia.

Hon. Grote Stirling (PC-Yale) said extension of the lines would allow the company to service a district which now is 30 miles from a railway station.

The bill was referred to the Commons Railway Committee.

Red Airmen Catch Convoy in Norway Port

LONDON, May 15 (AP) —Powerful aerial attacks on German land and sea transportation by Soviet airmen were announced tonight by the Russian high command, which said there were "no essential changes" on the long Eastern land front.

A communique said an enemy convoy of 41 ships was caught in the Norwegian port of Kirkenes Sunday night by Red airmen and that three transports totalling 19,000 tons, a self propelled barge, an auxiliary vessel and a patrol cutter were sunk.

In addition, the communique said, afire and one was beached. Other three Nazi transports were set transports and escort vessels were reported damaged.

Attacking Nazi rail concentrations in pre-war Poland in the vicinity of Lwow, Soviet airmen started fires and explosions among German military trains and supply depots.

The Russian communique said 19 German tanks were destroyed and 33 enemy planes brought down either in combat or by anti-aircraft fire on all fronts Sunday.

A supplement intimated the Germans were putting up a dogged fight in two secondary battle areas South-east of Stanislawow, in pre-war Poland, and Northwest of Tiraspol on the lower Dnestr.

Control Must Be in Hands of State Says Winch

VANCOUVER, May 15 (CP) — A return to the old system of private enterprise in the post war era would be an invitation to civil strife, Harold Winch, Provincial CCF Leader, told a service club meeting here today.

Legions of the unemployed in the 1930's "who did not get the benefits of democracy are those who are producing and are on the firing line for the United Nations," Mr. Winch said.

"They are accepting responsibilities to Canada when Canada did not accept responsibility to them."

Canada had raised the money to wage war, Canada could raise the money to solve post war problems he said. Economic democracy could not exist when control was in the hands of a few individuals. Control must be in the hands of the state.

Couple Charged on Still Operation

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., May 15 (CP)—Damase Leroux, 45, and Jean Paul Dionne, both of nearby Maillardville, will appear in district court here charged under the Excise Act in connection with a still which Royal Canadian Mounted Police officers seized Sunday on the West short of Pitt Lake.

Police reported the still was capable of handling a batch of 40 gallons at a time and said almost half a ton of sugar would be required for one batch.

New Travel Rules in the Offing

LONDON, May 15 (CP) — Britons were given another invasion hint tonight in a warning that new travel restrictions are in the offing. The Ministry of War Transport said train cancellations henceforth would be made without prior notice.

Raiders Draw Sharp Fire on Coast

LONDON, May 15 (CP)—German raiders sharply attacked at least two cities on the South coast of England tonight and they drew heavy fire from coastal anti-aircraft batteries.

The air was filled with flares, apparently dropped by the Nazis to aid reconnaissance as well as to guide their bomb loads.

The London area, raid free since April 26, continued quiet.

FOUR-YEAR-OLD TRAIL CHILD DROWNS IN RIVER

TRAIL, B. C., May 15 (CP) — Royce Goldberg, four, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Goldberg of Trail, B. C., was drowned in the Columbia River last night. The child's father is training with the Royal Canadian Air Force at Calgary. Body of the youngster has not yet been recovered.

Military Cross Conferred on Vancouver Flier

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP)—R. C. A. F. headquarters announced tonight that "in recognition of gallant and distinguished service" the Military Cross has been awarded Flt. Lt. O. L. S. Philpot, D.F.C., of Vancouver, serving with the R.A.F. overseas.

Telephone Operators Ask Higher Wages

VANCOUVER, May 15 (CP) — Members of the British Columbia Interior Telephone Operators' Union have presented an application to the Regional War Labor Board asking for weekly wage rates that will "give a fair standard of living," Daniel O'Brien, Regional Director, Canadian Congress of Labor, said today.

ORDER FURTHER INQUIRY INTO ARMY CHARGES

Find Members of Jehovah's Witnesses Not Mistreated

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP) — Defence Minister Ralston said today in the Commons that an army inquiry at Winnipeg had found that members of the Jehovah's Witnesses sect called for military training had not been mistreated, but he had ordered a further inquiry by Maj.-Gen. J. P. Mackenzie, Inspector-General for Western Canada.

The Minister made his statement after Rev. E. G. Hansell (SC-Macleod) and Hon. R. B. Hanson (PC-York-Sunbury) had quoted from affidavits sworn to by friends of men in detention barracks who said they had been beaten.

M. J. Coldwell, CCF Leader, said the affidavits were familiar to him and he had forwarded his copies to the Defence Minister.

Mr. Hansell quoted from an affidavit signed by Elva F. Patzer, Winnipeg, who said her brother, Gordon M. Morrow, told her he had been beaten and pushed around while a pack was fastened to his back with a rope around his throat and believed he had suffered broken ribs.

Mr. Hanson quoted from an affidavit by Stephie Klymuik, who visited Adam Remando at the detention barracks in Winnipeg. Klymuik's affidavit said Remando had been beaten and placed under an ice cold shower for 20 minutes and that later a gun was tied to his arm for several days.

Col. Ralston said a board of officers had inquired into allegations of ill treatment "of Marten, McGuire, Morrow and Remando, Jehovah's Witnesses," in the military detention barracks and found no ill treatment had taken place. Marten and McGuire were not further identified.

The board had invited the civilians who made the affidavits to appear before it on Saturday. The Board was satisfied that no "cold water treatment" or anything of that nature had been administered.

Gen. Mackenzie would check and verify whatever findings were made by the Board.

Mr. Coldwell said any inquiry should be made in public.

Inquiry on the Jehovah's Witnesses developed as the House began examination of Justice Department War Appropriation estimates of $345,712 with expenditures under the Defence of Canada Regulations list to be considered.

Answering questions, Justice Minister St. Laurent said that Camillien Houde, former Mayor of Montreal, had made another request for release from internment and an advisory committee soon would review his case.

John Lorrimer and Joseph Farr, both of Toronto, were interned in June, 1940, as partisans of the national unity party of which Adrien Arcand of Montreal, who is still interned was leader, said Mr. St. Laurent. In 1942, Lorrimer was granted his release after declaring his support of the war effort, and Farr was released last year after he was "severely beaten up" by Nazi elements in the camp for supporting the allied cause.

A. N. Schneider, a resident of Northern Saskatchewan, had first been interned in 1939 and released later that year, added Mr. St. Laurent. In 1940 he was re-interned along with many other Canadians of German and Italian origin. He was released in February in recommendation of an advisory committee.

More than 300 persons still were interned, excluding those of Japanese origin but including 180 British subjects by birth or naturalization, said Mr. St. Laurent. Held as enemy aliens were 141 of German origin. Those of German racial origin but British subjects by birth or naturalization and held as likely to cause danger to the state, numbered 120. Two of Italian racial origin were held in the same category.

St. Laurent said that the ban on certain publications issued by associations connected with Jehovah's Witnesses had not been lifted although the sect itself had been removed from the banned category.

At the evening sitting the House completed consideration of Justice Department war appropriation estimates of $345,712 and an item of $6,587,871 covering increased Royal Canadian Mounted Police activities caused by the war.

By a vote of 93 to 20, the House approved an amendment by Finance Minister Ilsley that a private bill sponsored by J. H. Blackmore, Social Credit House leader, and covering an act to incorporate an Alberta provincial bank, be not read a second time but be referred to the Banking and Commerce Committee.

South Africa Plans for Demobilization

LONDON, May 15 (CP) — South Africa has drawn up preliminary plans for demobilization, training and re-employment of servicemen in civilian life. The proposals announced to the South African House of Assembly include a scale of monthly allowances as well as cash grants, clothing, family transportation privileges and education arrangements.

First reaction to them in the Union was good. They were regarded as generous though while outlining the proposals to the House, H. Lawrence, Welfare and Demobilization Minister, admitted that to many the ultimate government measures will not be commensurate with the sacrifices of the men in uniform.

It is proposed that grants, calculated according to the number of months of service in the armed forces, will be paid on the following scale: for white men, the equivalent in Canadian funds of $5.50; for white women, $2.25; for negroes $1.85.

The same rates will apply for all ranks and payment of the allowances will be in loan certificates as a precaution of full pay and allowances will be given in a lump sum instead of leave that might be due.

There will be grants of up to the equivalent of $1000 and loans of up to $5000, interest free for five years, for civil reestablishment. Men or women students will be able to get grants of up to $1000 and loans of up to $2500, at four per cent interest charged from a year after studies have been completed.

The government expects it will have to find suitable employment for some 40 per cent of demobilization personnel and intends to provide facilities both to train servicemen and women for new occupations and re-train others for their former peace-time jobs.

Servicemen or women who have work waiting for them will be safeguarded for a year against dismissal or salary reduction.

Those unable to get work at demobilization will be kept on military strength with pay and allowances of their rank until there are suitable jobs for them.

CRISIS IN FAR EAST BATTLES: In two sections of the Far East battles of great future significance are under way. In the India-Burma area, with the monsoon season due any time now, the Japs have opened a strong offensive to regain positions in the Kohima-Manipur sector (1), where the British have been driving back the enemy. Gen. Stilwell's forces (2) are driving to Mogaung and a "dry spot" against the rainy season. The situation on the Peiping-Hankow railroad (3) is critical as the Japs advance toward Loyang and threaten the rail line South of Chenchow, as arrows indicate. Near the South coast (4) the Japs also seek to cut the line from Canton northward.

Premiers to Discuss With Govt's Changes in Consultation Setup

LONDN, May 15 (CP Cable)—Prime Ministers of the British Commonwealth are understood to have agreed at today's meeting to discuss with their governments certain questions of changes in the machinery for consultation between the various parts of the Commonwealth.

As a result, the Premiers' conference is expected to end tomorrow as scheduled. Earlier, it appeared that the talks might be extended and that Prime Minister Curtin of Australia might press for further consideration of his proposals for an Empire secretariat to handle exchange of information within the Commonwealth.

On one of Mr. Curtain's suggestions—that future meetings of Commonwealth Prime Ministers be held in Dominion capitals as well as in London—the Premiers are understood to be in agreement. This agreement is subject to the usual reservations about the difficulties of getting five heads together in one place at one time.

The Prime Ministers also are agreed on the imoprtance of continuing into peace-time the full exchange of information and the close consultation within the Commonwealth which has taken place during the war.

Mr. Curtin's advocacy of more permanent and fixed machinery in the form of a secretariat is believed to spring from dissatisfaction with peace-time methods of consultation. He does not want to revert to them.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King in his speech at Westminster last week said Canada was satisfied with the present arrangements and urged great caution in changing them.

In today's talks Mr. King is understood to have pressed this argument even more strongly than in his speech. Mr. Curtin, who came prepared to press for some change, drew no publicly-expressed support from the other Prime Ministers, although it was not known what position Prime Ministers Churchill, Smuts and Fraser took in the privacy of the council room.

Germans Turned Guns on Captured

NEW YORK, May 15 (AP)—Ralph Howard, NBC reporter at the Italian front, radioed tonight that he saw a group of German tommy-gunners, retreated from Santa Maria Infante, fire on a column of their own men who had been taken prisoner and were being escorted a prison stockade. "One can only assume that their idea was to kill the prisoners and make an example of them," Howard said.

Study Cancellation of Certain Naturalized Subjects

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP)—Cancellation of naturalization papers of British subjects by naturalization who have acted in a treasonable manner during the war is under consideration by the Federal Government, Justice Minister St. Laurent said, today in the Commons.

The Minister spoke after J. G. Diefenbaker (PC—Lake Centre) said the naturalization papers of such persons should be cancelled.

TWO INDIANS TYPHOID SUSPECTS

VANCOUVER, May 15 (CP) — Two Indians from Mission, B.C., and a woman from Port Alberni, were admitted to hospital here for observation as typhoid fever suspects.

POLICE NOT SELLING SOX

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP) Stanley Knowles (CCF-Winnipeg North Centre) was assured tonight by Justice Minister St. Laurent that the Royal Canadian Mounted Police have not been given the job of selling women's stockings seized under excise regulations.

Mr. Knowles said he received in the mail a notice calling for tenders for the sale of two pairs of rayon stockings seized by the R.C.M.P. The notice appeared over the signature of an R.C.M.P. officer.

Mr. Knowles said the police force could not be called upon to do such work. Mr. St. Laurent replied that he was informed by Commissioner S. T. Wood of the R. C. M. P. that "the force has never had any dealings in stockings."

Airman Killed in Coast Explosion

VANCOUVER, May 15 (CP) — One airman was killed and three others injured in an explosion of undetermined origin at a West coast R.C.A.F. air station last week, Western Air Command officials reported here today.

The dead man is Cpl. Hugh Leith Munro McKay, Port Alberni, B. C. Wn. T. D. Brown, whose home address was unknown, was seriously injured. Sgt. N. B. Wightman, Kirkcaldy, Scotland, and Cpl. D. R. Jones, Billings Bridge, Ottawa suffered minor injuries.

Commander Gives Germans a Surprise

WITH THE 8TH ARMY IN ITALY, May 15 (CP) — The Commander of an Indian division was strolling with his aide at an advanced section of the front looking over captured German fortifications when three Germans came around a corner. They shouted "kamerad" as the general raised his revolver. The Germans apparently had been living in a nearby cellar. The General handed the Germans over to a nearby anti-aircraft battery and continued his inspection.

CHINESE JOIN ALLIED UNITS NEAR KAMAING

Progress in India Sector Slow; Booby Traps Set

KANDY, Ceylon, May 15 (AP) — The main column of Chinese-American forces striking for the Japanese base of Kamaing in Northern Burma was reported only 10 miles North of that pre-Monsoon objective tonight after Chinese troops advancing South through the Mogaung Valley joined up with other Allied units.

Capturing Tanongyang, 11 miles North of Kamaing, the Chinese pushed ahead another mile to Manpin, joining forces with advance units, which had been holding Manpin for several days. The Allied forces in North Burma under command of Lt.-Gen. Joseph Stilwell are predominantly Chinese.

Kamaing lies 40 miles West of Myitkyina, main Japanese base in Northern Burma.

In Eastern India, meanwhile, British troops pushed ahead against the Japanese invaders Southwest of Imphal, and mopping up operations also continued Southwest of Kohima. In the Kohima area, 65 miles to the North, the enemy has been reported regrouping in strength.

Allied progress in the India sector was slow. The Japanese are heavily dug in and have laid many mines and booby traps.

A dispatch from Thoburn Wiant, Associated Press correspondent in the Mogaung Valley, said a two-lane highway on which a procession of trucks streams in both directions had been extended right to the edge of Japanese artillery fire.

He said the Allied forces there had made amazing progress, and that troops and engineers have been laying the strongest foundations in the drive toward Kamaing and Mogaung.

May Increase R.C.M.P. at Coast

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP)—Security forces of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police on the Pacific Coast may have to be increased this year if the war tempo in that area increases, Justice Minister St. Laurent said tonight in the Commons.

There was always a possibility that the security forces which have been acting on the Atlantic coast wil ihave to be duplicated on the Pacific coast, Mr St Laurent said in answernig Stanley Knowles (CCF-Winnipeg North Centre).

Mr. Knowles had asked why the security appropriation in the Justice Department war estimates was practically double the amount set aside last year.

WINNIPEG YOUTH FOUND GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

WINNIPEG, May 15 (CP) — An assize court jury tonight convicted Leslie W. Young, 17, of Winnipeg of manslaughter in connection with the death of Edwin Pearse, detention home guard, fatally injured last Nov. 11 when three youths escaped from the downtown home. Sentence was deferred until tomorrow by Mr. Justice H. A. Robson.

Patriarch of Moscow and All Russia Dies

LONDON, May 15 (CP)—Metropolitan Sergei, 78, Patriarch of Moscow and all Russia, died today of a brain hemmorhage, Tass News Agency reported today from Moscow.

The Patriarch drew world-wide attention on April 7 when he challenged the position of the Roman Catholic Pope as the vicar of Christ.

B.C. Leads Milk Production

VANCOUVER, May 15 (CP) — British Columbia led the Dominion in both milk production per cow and percentage of cows milking in 1940-42, it was reported in a recent issue of the Dairy Review of Canada.

Average milk production per cow in B.C. since 1940 has been 16.0 pounds.

430 Japs Interned

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP) —Justice Minister St. Laurent said tonight in the Commons that 430 Japs now are interned, including 268 who are British subjects or are treated as such.

In all, 782 had been interned for a period through failure to immediately comply with removal orders given them in protected areas in B. C. Many of these had since been released from internment.

Break Imminent South of Cassino

Troops Fan Out Through 60 Square Miles of Mountains and Valleys

NAPLES, May 15 (AP)—French and American troops shredded the Southwestern half of the Germans' Gustav Line today and a break-through by the British 8th Army appeared imminent in the heavily-defended sector South of Cassino.

Fanning out through 60 square miles of rugged mountains and river valleys which they controlled after fierce fighting since the push opened Thursday night, 5th and 8th Army troops slugged forward to new positions.

A front line dispatch by an Associated Press war correspondent said the Southwestern half of the Gustav Line has been "torn to shreds" by French and American troops. A Reuters News Agency correspondent reported two-thirds of the lone was "cut to ribbons."

Penetration of the enemy's strongly-held Gustav Line developed into a "significant breach," it was reported officially.

Gen. Alphonse Juin's Fighting French—some of them as far as seven miles from their original starting points—battled to the tops of hills dominating San Giorgio in the Liri Valley Southwest of Cassino and captured the important town of Ausonia, a few miles to the South.

American troops fighting on the left of the French, slashed across the important Ausonia-Formia Highway and captured commanding heights beyond, while British 8th Army forces deepened their hard-won bridgehead across the Rapido River South of Cassino to more than a mile and threatened to outflank Cassino's powerful defences.

In four days of fighting against a determined foe who had been digging in for months, the Allies had nearly erased from the map the looping Western segment of the Gustav Line between Cassino and the seacoast. More than 2000 Nazi prisoners already had streamed back into the Allied pens, and the enemy's losses in killed and wounded had been correspondingly heavy. A Reuters dispatch said the Allies had thrust to within five miles of the Adolf Hitler line, the German second major defence position.

German troops trapped between the advancing American and French spearheads apepared to face the alternatives of retiring into the lofty Aruoci Mountain range at their backs, surrendering or being annihilated. American units were fighting on the arpproaches to Spigno, five miles South of Ausonia, after having smashed the enemy out of the villages of Santa Maria Infante and San Pietro and captured mountain positions on both sides of the Ausente River.

(According to a Berlin broadcast, the German High Command said Monday that Nazi troops had recaptured Santa Marian Infante. There was no Allied confirmation of this).

Heavy artillery directed by R.A.F. pilot spotters backed up the French troops as they crept along valleys and over ridges, in the wake of probing tank formations. In the course of Sunday's bloody advance Gen. Juin's forces took the villages of San Ambrogio, Ville Malo and a number of other points before capturing Ausonia.

Eighth Army troops in the sector South of Cassino worked furiously, building bridges and pouring tanks across the Rapido to speed their advance. Gurkhas from India cleaned out remaining enemy strong-points among the cellar labrynths of Sant' Angelo de Teodice, which was cut off earlier and by-passed.

The only point where the Allied attack apepared to have slowed down was in the mountains Northwest of Cassino, where the Germans had rushed in reinforcements and hastily strengthened their defences against Polish troops.

A Reuters front line dispatch said while bitter fighting was going on Northwest and South of Cassino, a ghostly silence prevailed in that key town itself.

The Allied air forces Sunday unleashed virtually everything on hand against the enemy, attacking at every vulnerable point, including gun positions and command posts on the battle line and freight yards in Northern Italy.

B.C. PILOT KILLED IN EASTERN CRASH

THOROLD, Ont., May 15 (CP) — Two pilots were killed Saturday when their aircraft crashed on a farm near here. Cause of the crash has not been determined.

Dead are Fo. Arthur Miller, 28, of St. Catharines, Ont., and Calgary, Safety Pilot, and Sgt. Robert Coulter, 21, of New Westminster, B. C., was was piloting the plane.

Witnesses said the craft went into a dive before it crashed.

Tentative arrangements have been made for a military funeral Tuesday at No. 4 Wireless School at St. Catharines. The bodies will be sent home for burial.

Plane Searchers Sight Wreckage Adrift on Gulf

HALIFAX, May 15 (CP)—Sighting of wreckage adrift on the Gulf of St. Lawrence was reported today by the Eastern Air Command as it pressed a "baffling" search for three planes missing from the Charlottetown R.C.A.F. station since Saturday night.

The twin-engine training planes, believed to be carrying a total of between nine and 12 men, failed to return from a night flight.

Two groups of apparent wreckage were sighted on the Gulf waters during this second day of the search, but one later was determined to consist of lobster pots. Marine craft from Gaspe sped out to investigate the other, [illegible] and Westof the Magdalen [illegible] but no words of the outcome of the hunt had been received tonight.

Orlemanski on Verge of "Breakdown"

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 15 (AP) — Rev. Stanislaus Orlemanski, storm centre of a Catholic Church controversy as a result of a recent flying trip to Moscow to discuss with Marshal Stalin the future of his Church in Poland tonight was under care of a physician who described him as "on the verge of a complete physical and mental breakdown."

Dr. W. C. Kotarski said the priest was confined to bed in the rectory of his church, although the Chancellor of the Springfield diocese, Rev. G. A. Shea said earlier in the day that Father Orlemanski was in or on his way to a monastery.

The physician said he found Father Orlemanski "very nervous and upset when he visited him today. He ordered the priest to remain in bed for several days. The clergyman, he added, was visibly affected by developments since his return from Russia.

Father Shea told a press conference that a letter Father Orlemanski wrote to Bishop Thomas M. O'Leary, Bishop of Springfield, announced the priest's decision to accept the punishment which was decreed because of his unauthorized absence from his parish.

Potato Growers Plan to Operate Glucose Plant

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., May 15 (CP)—Fraser Valley potato growers are organizing a cooperative association to take over operation of the Pacific Glucose Refinery Ltd., manufacturing glucose from low-grade and field run potatoes, the Vancouver Sun said in a newspage story today.

Plans are to double the capacity of the plant from 8000 tons to 16,000 tons annually.

Operating of a dryer to manufacture dry potato for feed purposes, now a waste material is also being considered.

Nova Scotia Miners Back at Work

SYDNEY, N. S., May 15 (CP) — Both Florence and Princess collieries at Sydney were in full operation today after several days of idleness following distribution of $180,000 in back pay to 1500 miners over a week ago. The mines were closed for five working days. Normally, these mines do not operate Saturdays or Sundays.

Vancouver Lights Off at Midnight

VANCOUVER, May 15 (CP)—At midnight, P.D.T., tonight, Vancouver's bright downtown lights will blink off for several months as the British Columbia Electric Company's power saving dimout becomes effective throughout the lower mainland. All lighted display signs and store windows will be blacked out.

Cleeton Pleads Not Guilty to Arson Charge as Trial Begins at Opening of Spring Assizes

Alfred J. Cleeton, C.P.R. Station Agent at Brilliant, pleaded not guilty to a charge of setting fire to the Brilliant No. 1 School March 17, before Mr. Justice H. I. Bird, as the Spring Assizes opened in Nelson Monday morning. Testimony of four witnesses was heard before the Court adjourned to 10:30 Tuesday morning.

E. P. Dawson of Nelson is Crown Prosecutor, and A. G. Cameron of Trail, Defence Counsel.

During examination of Constable John DeVoin of the Provincial Police at Castlegar by Mr. Dawson, an incident that took place near Beasley on the Nelson-Trail Highway last Friday was entered in the record.

DENIED PASSING REMARK

Asked by Mr. Dawson if he had had any conversation with the accused since the preliminary hearing, Constable DeVoin stated he was driving West from Nelson, when he was signalled to stop by Mr. Cleeton who was proceeding toward Nelson in a car. Mr. Cleeton had come up to him and remarked that he had "gone to see West today," contrary to his barrister's instructions not to unless Constable DeVoin was present. His purpose in going to see Mr. West—R. A. D. West, Castlegar merchant — had been to "deny he ever passed the remark that West sold him down the river for 15 cents." A hot argument had ensued.

"I said it was unfortunate, but not to worry," Constable DeVoin testified.

Relating events occuring on the night of the fire, Constable DeVoin stated he had first been notified at 11:40 p.m. and immediately arranged to have the Castlegar Fire Department go to the scene.

He had found several cracked windows, while at the basement door he found the padlock hasp hanging loosely, the door being slightly ajar. Windows and other doors were locked and he found no broken panes.

PANS AT FIRE SITE

About 3:30 a.m. he had examined the basement, where he found a portion of a pile of cordwood had been badly burned, asbestos covering on pipes directly above the cordwood burned off and a hole burned through the floor directly above the wood. Further inspection later in the day resulted in finding of a blackened can on the floor between furnace and the woodpile. On March 21 he found another can while removing cordwood in company with two boys, Alex Hoodikoff and Mike Sherstobitoff.

During cross-examination by Mr. Cameron, Constable DeVoin described a car owned by H. O. Patton in which Mr. Cleeton had been driven from Castlegar to the Kootenay Engineering Company plant at Brilliant, and told of having examined the floor of the car for odor or stains of a petroleum product a few days after the fire. He had found neither.

NO BROKEN PANES

Dealing with conditions at the schoolhouse at the time of the fire, he insisted to Mr. Cameron that he found no broken panes. Asking if he was suggesting that other testimony on this score was not correct, he answered in the affirmative.

He had known Mr. Cleeton for four years, he told Mr. Cameron, and relations with him and his family had been of the best.

Mr. Cameron went over a list of fires that had occurred in the district since Dec. 29, 1940, when Constable DeVoin had been stationed in Castlegar.

Several times during the afternoon, Mr. Justice Bird cautioned Mr. Cameron against introduction of irrelevant testimony.

His Lordship questioned Constable DeVoin as to how he illuminated the school basement when making examination. The constable, who had broken his flashlight earlier in the evening, said he had used a weak spotlight, and that it had been practically impossible to make an inspection. He could not say whether there were tins on the floor at the time, and had given up trying to examine things because of poor illumination.

Cordwood that had been thrown out of the basement was still outside at this time, but had been thrown back in by the time he returned the next afternoon. The floor was in a moist condition. The tin he found was dry.

Boyd C. Affleck, B. C. land surveyor, who sketched plans showing the school and Brilliant areas, identified various points on the sketches, and described distances and contours of the areas.

W. R. Dunwoody of Nelson, Official Trustee for the Doukhobor Community District, testified that he had known Mr. Cleeton for five years, that he had treated the school teachers well, and that his residence had always been open to them.

TEACHER TESTIFIES

Miss Elizabeth Ann MacKinnon of Nelson testified that she had taught at the Brilliant school for four years. On the day of the fire she had left in the afternoon to spend the weekend in Nelson, first locking all doors and windows.

Three panes of glass, one in the front part of the building, the others at the rear, were broken in the basement windows, she recalled. Describing the entrance to the basement door, she stated that only the top step was visible, the others leading down to a second basement door not being visible until the door was opened.

Fires in the furnace were started in the mornings by Nick Markin, she said, and the school children took turns keeping the furnace alight during school hours.

Asked by Mr. Cameron if kindlings or cans might be scattered around the basement, she answered in the affirmative. Tins used by the children for plants and some nearly empty floor oil cans were left in one end of the basement.

She had known Mr. Cleeton four years. He had been helpful and courteous to the teachers and had done many odd jobs for them around the schoolhouse.

Comprising the jury were J. L. Crowe, Trail, Foreman; R. W. Waters, N. R. Sardich, Thomas Shorthouse, A. B. Gilker, C. H. Murray, R. P. J. Riesterer, J. E. Granberg and C. L. Hood, Nelson; P. O. Bird, Bonnington; J. H. McAuliffe, Trail, and A. W. Dickinson, Creston.

TOAST and TEA

BY E. V. M'CARLEY

It has been noted again and again that clergymen's sons seem to achieve greater success in life than the sons of any other members of the community. The explanation is that the rigors and disciplines imposed upon them in youth, strengthened their characters and fitted them for subsequent struggles. But sometimes an opposite effect has been noted, and we are reminded of this by the reading a few remarks made by President Robert Maynard Hutchins, president of the University of Chicago, whose father was a clergyman in the Presbyterian church. He said: "We had morning prayers and a Bible-reading every day. We went to church twice on Sunday. The result of the first is that I was amazed three weeks ago when, in a class I was teaching, I found a senior at the University of Chicago who had never heard of Joshua. The result of the second is that it is very hard for me to go to church now."

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French Cheer News of Boche Retreat

ALGIERS, May 15 (CP) —German forces are in full "disorderly" retreat on the French sector of the Italian front and offering "little more than sporadic resistance" Gen. Charles de Gaulle told the cheering French consultative assembly today.

Quoting telegrams from Gen. Alphonsee Juin, French field commander, concerning weekend operations, Gen. de Gaulle said "advances are general on the entire front."

St. Joseph's Down Brownies

Though down 3-5 at one point, St. Joseph's lady softballers cut loose a 10 run barrage in the final inning to take Brownies 20-12 in a Women's League game Monday. The Brownies took command in the first inning and by the fifth were leading 5-2. However, the St. Joseph's rally was too much for them and they fanned out in their last three times at bat three straight. It was the Catholics second straight win.

Teams and scores were:

St. Joseph's—DeLucrezio 2, Thast 3, Proctor 3, Maglio 2, Cecchini 2, Kubin 3, R. DeLucrezia, St. Germain, 3, Vecchio 3, —20.

Brownies—Coleman 2, VanKoughnett 3, Dot Colman, 2, Ambrose, Gillett 1, Wallace 2, Fletcher 1, Sutherland, Perdue 1.— 12.

Only Important Churches to Be Wholly Rebuilt

LONDON, May 15 (CP) —Among Britain's 14,000 churches destroyed or damaged by bombings, only those of historic interest or special importance will be fully rebuilt, according to proposals published today by the War Damage Commission and Committee representing the Christian Churches.

Says U.S. Opened Accounting Office at Vancouver

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP)—Paul Martin, Parliamentary Assistant to Labor Minister Mitchell, said today in the Commons that the United States Government had not opened an employment office in Vancouver for the purpose of recruiting labor for the Alaska Highway. The United States Government, however, had opened an accounting office.

Munitions Minister Howe, replying to Douglas G. Ross (PC-Toronto St. Paul's), said the steel situation at present was "very tight, indeed." Mr. Ross asked about applications for the release of steel for Toronto school buildings.

Transport Minister Michaud, tabling a reply for John Diefenbaker (PC-Lake Centre), said that of the 62 applications made for radio broadcasting licences last year, six were granted, 43 denied and decision on the remaining 13 was still pending. Licences were granted for stations in New Westminster, B. C., and Port Alberni, B. C.

Strike Follows Lopez Resignation

BOGOTA, Colombia, May 15 (AP) — The resignation of President Alfonso Lopez was presented to the Senate today and an orderly strike of union employees and government workers spread through the capital in an effort to get the Senate to reject it.

It appeared probable his resignation would be refused in view of the expressions of popular support.

BOGOTA, Colombia, May 15 — (AP)—The Colombia Senate rejected unanimously tonight the resignation of President Alfonso Lopez, after union employees and government workers had conducted an orderly strike to induce the Senate to take such action.

Further Charges to Be Laid Against Jap

VANCOUVER, May 15 (CP) — Shigo Mori, alias Shiegeo Kinoshith, Japanese alleged to have been masquerading as a Chinese since 1942, was remanded until May 22 when he appeared in Police Court today charged with possessing a national registration card not his own. Royal Canadian Mounted Police officials said further charges will be laid against him.

B.C. AIRMAN WINS D.F.C.

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP)—Po. D. T. Cook, of Kelowna, B.C., and Po. R. H. Jarman, Edmonton, have been awarded the D.F.C. for their bravery in the overseas service of the R.C.A.F.

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George Ioanin Rescued In Ship Sinking

Ordinary Seaman George Ioanin of Nelson was among the 38 survivors of the new frigate Valleyfield loss of which was announced at Ottawa Monday, his brother, Alex Ioanin, 512 Third Street, was advised by cable Monday. Five men are dead and 121 missing as a result of the loss of the frigate, which had been on North Atlantic convoy duty.

Ordinary Seaman Ioanin was born in Nelson in 1923 and attended the Hume, Junior High and Senior High Schools. He was married last August to Miss Gladys Owen of Trail, who resides at 905 Milligan Avenue. He enlisted a year ago last March.

A sports enthusiast, he was well known in hockey and lacrosse circles, and played on Nelson "rep" teams in both sports.

Mothers Preserve Home Life

Feature of the Mothers Day Service at Trinity United Church Sunday morning was the presentation of corsages to the mothers and wives of those in the armed forces. The red, white and blue flowers were presented by Margaret McCosham, Sylvia Wells, Betty Horvath and Mary Waldie.

The Sunday school combined with the congregation for the service and members of the Intermediate Department took part. The scriptures were read by Dawn Spencer, Alan McDonald and David Townsend. The ushers for the service were Keith Buchanan, Jim Brodie, Fred Perasso and Jack Steed.

The Junior Choir, under the direction of Mrs. Bain Oliver, gave the anthems—"Song of Greetings", "O Happy Home" and "Mothers Day Prayer."

The theme for the service was "Homes make a Nation". W. J. Hicks, Sunday School superintendent told the story of the Christian home life of Madame Chiang Kai-shek, and how her Christian living influenced the Generalissimo and other leaders of China. He emphasized the influence of our homes in shaping the future of our nation. He stated that mothers still have to maintain and preserve family life, using Christian teachings as the basis for building strong Christian characters.

NAKUSP

NAKUSP, B.C.—Mrs. Frank Tracey was hostess on Thursday afternoon when she entertained for her young son Alfred's third birthday. Games were enjoyed on the lawn where tea was served. Guests were Alfred and Donald Tracey, Myrna Byland, Lynn Byland, Audrey Marjery and Beverly Hill, Bobby Galtes, Allan and Grant Mosley, Beverly Ward, Brenda Ward, Glen Olsen, Buddy and Harvard Aalten, June Wayne and Douglas Gardner, David, Marilyn and Bruce Horrey. Mrs. Tracey was assisted by Mrs G. H. Gardner, Mrs. C. Horrey, Mrs L. Ward, Mrs. V. Hill, Mrs. Byland and Mrs. W. Mosley.

Rev. O. Orondahl left Saturday for Vancouver to attend the United Church convention.

Mrs. Frank Yurik left for Vancouver Saturday.

Leaving Friday to spend the weekend at the Nakusp Hot Springs were Bud. Lloyd and Gordon Orondahl, Arden Oran and Douglas Hakeman.

Mrs. H. Picard left for Revelstoke on Saturday.

Albert Bredy of Carroll's was a Nakusp visitor.

Miss H. Sloan was a recent visitor in Nakusp.

Sam Jackson arrived from the Coast and will be the lookout man for the Forestry Department on the Saddle Mountain for the Summer months.

Mrs. T. Steenhoff arrived Friday from Trail to reside in Nakusp for the Summer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Neiderman of Edgewood were visitors in Nakusp.

J. Neyleski of Robson was a Nakusp visitor.

W. Mole and family were Saturday visitors from Arrow Park.

Wilfred Bredy, R.C.A.F., was a Nakusp visitor Saturday from Carroll's en route back to his unit. He spent a week's furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bredy.

Alphonse Guidon, R.C.A.F., was a Nakusp visitor from Burton en route to the Coast. He was accompanied by his wife, and sister, Miss I. Guidon, as far as Arrowhead.

The May meeting of St. Mark's Guild was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. Harvey, Mrs Richard Humphris presiding. The Rev F. M. Gilbert opened the meeting. After routine business, final arrangements were made for the annual lawn tea and sale of work and bake table to be held this month. Mrs. Harvey served tea.

NAKUSP, B.C.—Mrs. George Jordan and Mrs. J. Hopkins are visiting in Nelson.

Miss Amy Moll of Galena Bay arrived in Nakusp Wednesday.

Mrs. D. Johnson of New Denver, Dr. A. Francis, Mr. A. Harris and Miss Nancy Howard were Nakusp visitors on Wednesday.

Albert Bredy of Carroll's was a Nakusp visitor en route to Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Raymond and son Norman, E. Clark and Mrs. Edgington were weekend visitors in Nelson.

Cap Johnson of Arrow Head was a Nakusp visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Williams, Mr and Mrs. J. Hall of Graham's Landing were visitors Wednesday.

M. Silverman of Vancouver was a Nakusp visitor.

Miss Jean Whittaker of Briercrest Sask., and Miss Joy Brown of Saskatoon were Nakusp visitors.

D. A. McDonald, F. W. Milton and H. F. Avison were visitors in Nakusp.

Tom Spiers was a Nakusp visitor.

COLOMBO, Ceylon (CP)—Rt. Rev C. D. Howley, Bishop of Colombo, is spending his first leave for five years in England.

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No Sign German Troops Cracking

WITH THE 8TH ARMY IN ITALY, May 15 (CP Cable) — The 8th Army pushed on toward the vaunted Adolf Hitler line today in a hard, unspectacular advance against German troops who showed no signs of cracking under the ever-increasing weight of Allied men and armor.

Gyros Tickled by B. C. Affleck's Wild West Tail

B. C. Affleck delighted Nelson Gyros at their dinner meeting at the Hume Friday with a stirring story of a bank robbery at New Hazelton in 1914. It was the day the last spike was driven in the Grand Trunk Railway, which was April 7, and the town was full of laborers who had just received their money. Also in town were three Liberal politicians, H. C. Brewster, John Oliver and A. M. Manson — all of whom were famous later — who were unable to believe their eyes at what they saw.

The robbers decided to pull their act just a few moments after the bank had opened in the morning. They went in and told the teller to open the vault, but as there was a combination, he was only able to open it part way, the Manager having the rest of the combination. The demand was punctuated by a few shots directed at the teller's feet. These shots were heard by the Manager, who had been standing outside talking to a friend. He ran home, grabbed a gun and spread the alarm.

Many interesting incidents occurred during the fray, and people had not seemed to realize that it was a matter of life and death. The citizens had soon armed themselves with weapons of various kinds, Mr. Affleck, himself, having obtained a revolver.

PREACHER POTS AWAY

The preacher caused most of the excitement when he hid behind a piece of ore that was set up on two blocks. A lady in a store beside the bank kept directing him as to where to shoot.

A man who claimed he was from Texas had a little pistol about 2¼ inches long, and was having quite a time with it.

A telephone operator, a Londoner, kept blowing a whistle, thinking that a policeman would come.

All the while this was going on, a young girl was standing in the road taking pictures. She even had a picture of one of the robbers, who was killed when he made a run for it.

When the robbers found they could not get into the vault, they took what money they could and made a run for the swamp. Two of them were killed almost instantly, and a third was seriously injured. The other three escaped to the swamp.

The citizens immediately surrounded the swamp, and some of them, including Mr. Affleck, started to beat around in the swamp to find them. The speaker said it was the most unpleasant feeling he had ever had, for they knew they were after desperadoes, and the thought that they might get shot at any time was far from pleasant. Two more were soon caught, they had both been wounded, but the one with the money got away, and was never found.

JURY CONGRATULATED HEROES

Everyone was boasting about how many they had shot, until word got around that there was to be a coroner's inquest; then no one knew who had done the killing. Mr. Affleck said the verdict brought in by the jury was "These persons, unknown to the jury, came to their deaths by an armed person or persons unknown to the jury, but this jury takes this opportunity to congratulate these persons on their good shooting."

Later there was a brief report in the Nelson Daily News saying that a group of cowboys had chased the robbers away.

Guests at the dinner were Lloyd Crowe from Trail, and A. S. Lockhart. R. D. Barnes was presented with a gift from the Club, it being his birthday.

R. A. Mann announced that the Gyro Club had come second in the Service Club competition in the Sixth Victory Loan drive, and that the D. Cummins team headed the list in the team competition.

PLAN INFORMAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

The get-together tournament of the Nelson Golf Club was such a success that both old and new members are asking for another informal tournament. The match committee is planning for the tournament to be held the first Sunday in June.

Three Properties Sold at Nakusp

NAKUSP, B.C.—The property owned by L. Robson of Glenbank has recently been purchased by B. C. Smith of Alberta.

Mrs. C. L. Herridge has sold her small cottage on Broadway to A. M. Tod of Trail.

The farm owned by Mrs. William Crockett has been purchased by E. Peterson of Alberta. The three sales have gone through the office of H. I. Miller's real estate office.

SEEK PRAIRIE WORKERS FOR HEAVY O.K. CROP

VANCOUVER, May 15 (CP)—Because of the probable heavy fruit crop in the Okanagan and Lower Mainland this year, several hundred women workers from the Prairie will be sought for fruit farm work, W. MacGillivray, Director of the Dominion - Provincial Emergency Farm Labor Service, said today.

Build Character for Better World Says Holmes

"Man must be fed food according to the life that is going to be lived, the same as the bees feed food according to what they want in the hive." This is what Rev. J. G. Holmes told Nelson Rotary Club at its luncheon Monday.

In the hive the queen bee laid two kinds of eggs, one produced a drone, and the other might produce a worker or a queen. The bees knew which kind they wanted and fed accordingly. If a queen bee was required the larvae was fed royal jelly, while if it was a worker they wanted it was fed some other substance.

Mr. Holmes said this applied to the lives of men. Children were given food to give them strong bodies and keep the min good physical condition. Over 70 per cent of the ocal tax went towards the schools, which fed the children mentally, and then there was the moral and spiritual feeding which a child needed to help him have a good character.

ONUS ON EVERYONE

The speaker said the schools gave the young men and women the tools to work with, but unless they had good character they would not make the proper use of these tools when starting out in business. Character building was the responsibility of every grown person in the country, stated Mr. Holmes, for although a person might not realize it, he influenced the lives of the young people.

Mr. Holmes stated that if religious education was introduced into the schools, it would help the young people a great deal. Many of these children did not receive any spiritual training whatever, unless it was taught in the schools. Until just recently, religious education in B.C. schools had been prohibited. However legislation had just been passed allowing Bible reading in the class room. Mr. Holmes said he was surprised at the objections raised over this. Canadians were fighting for Christian democracy, yet people objected to their children learning this very doctrine.

He stated that men had a free will, while the bees acted by instinct. One could pretty well tell what the bee was going to do, but it was almost impossible to know what a man, woman, boy or girl might do.

The speaker then spoke of the increase in the divorces, especially in B.C., and how they were undermining the home life of the children. There could be a new and better world, there must be better people and one way this would be obtained was to help the younger generation build better characters, so they would become useful citizens, he said.

Other guests at the luncheon were D. MacDonald from Trail, Lieut. J. A. Allan, home on leave from New Westminster, O. A. Ross and R. W. Ward, both Past Presidents from Calgary.

K. C. McCannel was presented with a Past President's pin by H. M. Whimster, who expressed the club's appreciation for the good work he had done last year. Mr. McCannel thanked the club, but as he was already wearing a pin, gave it to H. D. Dawson.

W. O. Harold announced the Rotary Club were winners in the Service Club competition during the Victory Loan Drive. The winner of the team competition in the Club will be known later.

President R. A. Peebles expressed his appreciation for the work done by the club.

Wandering Cow Costs Mrs. Becker $7.50

Mrs. Caroline Becker, Rosemont, was fined $7.50 by Magistrate Brown in City Police Court Monday for allowing a cow to run at large within the City Limits.

She stated to the Magistrate that she had left the cow in a vacant City lot near her property while she went to do work on a pipeline. Usually, she said, the animal would remain with another tethered there.

Acting Sergeant R. R. House, informant, told the Court he found the cow on a City Street May 14 after receiving a complaint that the cow was loose in a resident's garden.

Deadline for Miners' Certificates Near

VICTORIA, May 15 (CP)— Deadline for renewal of free miners certificates for 1944 is near.

The Department of Mines today issued notice that the final date is May 31. All certificates represent property held under the Mineral Act. Placer-Mining Act and Free Miners' Exemption Act must be renewed. Fees are $5 for individual miners and $50 and $100 for incorporated companies.

Temperatures

In spite of the rain that ushered in Monday, and a general coolness that remained until the clouds lifted early in the afternoon, the 24 hour period ending Monday at 5 p.m., was credited with being an 80-degree day. This reading was a hold-over from Sunday's heat, the 24 hours starting at 5 p.m. Sunday. The night was the warmest of the year to date, with a minimum temperature of 53 degrees, compared to the previous "high" of 48.2 degrees of May 8. A new high mean was set of 66.65 degrees, compared with the 64 set May 5. Precipitation was .07 inch.

Water Level

Level of the West Arm at Nelson was 1.55 feet above the low water zero at 1 p.m. Monday, by the Dominion Public Works gauge, a gain for the 24 hours of .13 foot.

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Nazis Say Pressure Increased on Cassino Front

LONDON, May 16 (Tuesday) (CP) — The German-controlled Rome radio said today the allies had increased pressure Northeast of Cassino on the Italian front and are attempting to break through the German lines with strong infantry forces supported by tanks.

Northwest of Cassino, the broadcast said, Nazi forces sharply had counter-attacked and destroyed 32 Allied tanks.

The broadcast acknowledged that German forces had abandoned Mt. Maio, South of Cassino and about midway between that town and the Italian West coast.

Bombers Tie Hotel Nine

CRANBROOK, B. C., May 15 — Hotel men tied the softball league opener tonight with Lancasters Bombers 12-12 in seven inning in a game of red hot batting studded with splashing of errors on both sides. Hotel Men lost their leader in Casey Stengle fashion when Ken Hogarth broke his knee on the sideline before the season opened.

John Lancaster's pitching made up for Bombers' sloppy outfield, while Harvey Lancaster got two homers and Cece Tiller came home for him three times. Hotelmen's sixth inning rally brought six runs in for a 12-6 lead which Bombers overcame in the final two stanzas.

The girls' new league starts tomorrow night while Gyros meet High School Wednesday.

Large Monthly Shipment From Nelson Red Cross

The following shipment was made from the Nelson Red Cross work room this month.

Civilian knitting: Six boys' sweaters, 15 infants soakers, four child's vests, two infants vests and six infants jackets.

Women's Auxiliary Service: Two sleeveless sweaters and one pair ankle socks.

Miscellaneous: 66 pairs service socks, two pairs seamen's stockings, 11 sleeveless sweaters, 10 V-neck sweaters with sleeves, four turtleneck sweaters, on high neck sweater with sleeves, 10 ribbed helmets, one steel helmet cap, 10 pairs gloves, two pairs minesweepers' mitts, two body belts, five amputation covers (legs) and 50 wash cloths.

Civilian: Two infants' gowns, 12 boys' hatchways, 42 boys' shirts, three women's knickers, 43 girls' panties, 24 diapers, six women's emergency reserve smocks.

Hospital Supplies: 18 hospital bedgowns, 36 T bandages, 21 pairs men's pyjamas, 12 ice bag covers and 360 men's handkerchiefs.

Donations: Four baby blankets, four crib blankets, one large quilt, one pair panties, 90 crib quilts (partly donated) and six girls' dresses.

FISHER ELECTED WELFARE CHIEF

WINNIPEG, May 15 (CP)—Philip S. Fisher of Montreal was today elected for his fourth term as President of the Canadian Welfare Council.

Other officers elected included:

Board of Governors—representing members and donors: W. A. Murphy, Winnipeg. Representing technical services: Miss Laura Holland, Victoria; Miss Mary McPhedran, Miss Marjorie Bradford and J. H. Creighton, Vancouver; Mrs. W. E. West, Ottawa, and Harry Atkinson, Carman, Man.

Regional Advisory Committee—Pacific Coast: F. E. Winslow, Victoria, C. J. McNeely and Dr. A. E. Grauer, Vancouver.

Kid Yankees Whale Cards 9-2

Yankees regained their winning ways at the Exposition Grounds Monday evening when they took the Cardinals into camp to the tune of 9-2. The winners got three runs in the first, two in the second and one in the third, fourth and fifth, while Cards collected their two runs by way of one in the third and one in the sixth.

Clark went the route for the Yanks and chucked nine hits. The Cards used three hurlers, Munro taking the mound to be followed by Earl Duffy and Maglio Scolaro for the Yanks were Cathcart with three runs, Brett, Jack Todd, Stevenson, Clark, Wilson and Elmore one each.

MacLean and E. Duffy scored for the Cards.

Batteries were: Yanks—Clark and Cathcart. Cards—Munro, E. Duffy, Maglio and Katzenoff.

Umpire was Herb Pitts, Scorer Wasnuck and Robbins.

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If you feel 'ALL-IN'

These days most people are working harder, worrying more, sleeping less. This strain on body and brain makes physical fitness easier to lose—harder to regain. Today's tense living lowers resistance—increases body and mental fatigue. Overwork; hasty meals; irregular hours; worry—any of these may upset proper kidney action.

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Cincinnati	13	9	.591
Philadelphia	12	9	.571
Pittsburgh	10	10	.500
Brooklyn	11	11	.500
New York	11	13	.458
Boston	11	14	.440
Chicago	3	17	.150

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	14	6	.700
Washington	13	9	.591
St. Louis	14	10	.583
Philadelphia	12	12	.545
Chicago	10	13	.435
Cleveland	10	14	.417
Boston	8	13	.381
Detroit	8	15	.375

KAMPALA (CP)— Uganda, which has never before grown maize, and had been dependent on Kenya for supplies, produced 348,000 bags of it in 1943.

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Men Who Ride "Human Torpedoes" Return to Tell the Tale

By CHARLES BRUCE
Canadian Press Staff Writer

A BRITISH NAVAL BASE, May 15 (CP Cable).—There are men in Britain's submarine service who have ridden the so-called "human torpedoes" on operations and come back—if need be to do it again.

When the Admiralty a month ago announced the existence of this fantastic weapon, the impression grew that driving the combination submarine-projectile was a mission ending in death or capture.

This no doubt was because the men mentioned on April 18 for the action at Palermo, Sicily, in which an enemy cruiser and transport were sunk are now prisoners.

At this British base it was learned that it is not necessarily true that the men who handle the projectile are killed or captured.

While the range of the torpedoes is too short to allow return to the parent ship, there are other means of retrieving the two-man crew. There still is some secrecy about the operations but it is probable that a pick-up system has been devised.

These cartridge-craft—the boys who ride them call them Jeeps, and other names both secret and unprintable—are more truly open cockpit submarines with human periscopes and detachable explosive snouts.

The one we saw looked like a green-painted ordinary torpedo — about 21 feet long and 21 inches in diameter, mounted with a superstructure on which sat the driver and the No. 2 man, each fronted by a metal shield. The war head carried in action, to be detached and affixed under the water to the target, would add another five feet or so.

The driver and the second man dress in warm woollen clothing with a modified diving suit over all. Whether submerged or on the surface, they breathe oxygen from the many hours' supply with which each suit is fitted. They thus are self-contained divers with no airlines or other surface contact when submerged. They can hear external sounds and communicate with each other by putting their glass-visored faces close together, or by hand signals.

Getting away from the parent ship, they may travel partially on the surface for a time with the upper bodies and shields of the superstructure out of the water. The driver has in his hands the handlebars, working on the joystick principle, and as the target nears he goes down.

The craft actually works as a submarines with an underwater deck crew. Under water, the driver releases the warhead, fitted with a timing device, and it is fixed to the target by the No. 2.

After that they get out of there.

The men who man these outboard submarines are fellows who have volunteered simply for "a special and hazardous service." The two who put the demonstrator through a workout for the Press were Leading Steward Mark Goldstein, a peace-time hairdresser from London's East End Stepney District, and Sub Lt. Raggy Townsend, who used to dry-clean clothes in Derby.

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Editor's Son Missing

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP) — Sgt. Brian O'Leary, RCAF, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grattan O'Leary of Ottawa has been reported missing after air operations overseas, his parents have been informed.

Sgt. O'Leary is their second son missing on active service, his brother Po. Owen O'Leary, has been missing since Aug. 18, 1943.

Mr. O'Leary is associate editor of the Ottawa Journal.

Retired R.C.A.F. Officers Will Transfer to Reserve

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP) — Transfer to the reserve of RCAF officers who have reached the retirement age was announced today by Air Force headquarters.

The RCAF retirement age is "elastic" ranging between 45 and 60 years depending on rank and duties and with exceptions in special cases. He did not say how many officers are effected nor did he name any.

Martin-Harvey Famed British Actor Dies at 81

LONDON, May 15 (CP). — Sir John Martin-Harvey, who rejected an opportunity to follow in his father's footsteps as a naval architect in favor of a theatrical career, died last night at the age of 81 after a lifetime on the stage that saw him famous on two continents.

For years a member of Sir Henry Irving's company, he appeared both in Britain and toured Canada and the United States. On one occasion he was made a chief of the Sarcee Indian tribe with the title of Ta-Decaaze (Red Father). He was knighted in 1921 New Year's honors list and received an honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Glasgow University in June, 1938, on his 75th birthday.

After studying elocution with John Ryder, he made his first stage appearance at the Court Theatre here Sept. 24, 1881, as a boy in "To Parents and Guardians."

The next year he joined Sir Henry Irving's company, remaining 14 years, and by the 1884-85 season was playing such roles as Osric in "Hamlet" and the Dauphin in Louis XI.

His first North American tour was in 1902-03 and the last was 1932 when he played in "The King's Messenger" and "The Bells."

While appearing in "David Garreck" at Toronto in 1921, Sir John became ill with influenza during the post-war epidemic. Two years later on another tour, Irish agitators in New York tried unsuccessfully to mar his departure to Boston from New York. It was in 1924 that the Sarcees made Sir John a chief.

Sir Jorn married Angelita Helena de Silva in 1899 and they had a son and daughter. The daughter, Muriel Martin-Harvey, followed a stage career also.

Sir John, and his company, was the first to blaze a theatrical barnstorming trail across Canada from Halifax, across the prairies and through the Rockies to Vancouver.

Between 1914 and 1922 Sir John brought his troupe on seven transcontinental tours of Canada. In doing so he endeared himself to many thousands in large cities and small towns with his portrayal of self-sacrificing Sidney Carton in "The Only Way" and his red-blooded version of other historic roles.

STRESSES NEED FOR SOCIAL WORKERS IN CANADA

WINNIPEG, May 15 (CP) — Philip S. Fisher of Montreal, President of the Canadian Welfare Council, in an interview here today said that Canada faces a shortage of more than 500 social workers in the post war period.

"Canadians as yet haven't realized the need for social workers," he said. "Salaries are low and social work as a career hasn't been sufficiently publicized. Unless the situation is remedied the shortage will become even more acute than at present."

Mr Fisher is attending the 24th annual meeting of the Canadian Welfare Council which opened here today in conjunction with the ninth biennial Canadian conference on social work.

Mrs. R. F. McWilliams, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, is chairman. Guest speaker will be Dr. Eduard Lindeman, professor of social philosophy at Columbia University school of social work in New York.

Gen. Mackenzie Retires, Replaced by Gen. Alexander

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP) — A retirement, an appointment and a promotion, affecting the Canadian Army Inspector General Staff, were announced today at Defence Headquarters.

They are:

Maj.-Gen. J. P. Mackenzie, 60, Boissevain, Man., is retiring Inspector General for Western Canada through age limitation.

Maj.-Gen. R. O. Alexander, 55, Montreal, former Inspector General for Central Canada, is succeeding Gen. Mackenzie.

Brig. A. E. Nash, 59, Edmonton, former Vice-Adjutant General at Defence Headquarters, is promoted to the rank of Acting Major-General and succeeds Gen. Alexander.

Gen. Mackenzie, bachelor, is former Quartermaster-General of the Canadian Army. He served with distinction in two wars and with the Non-permanent Active Militia—now the Reserve Army—between wars.

After World War II broke out, Gen. Mackenzie took up active service and was appointed to command the Second Divisional Royal Canadian Engineers and took them overseas.

He was recalled to Canada in February, 1942, to become quartermaster-General with the rank of Major-General. He retained this appointment until May, 1943, when he was selected as Inspector General, Western Canada.

Gen. Alexander has been Inspector General for Central Canada since July, 1942.

Gen. Nash served overseas in command of the re-inforcement group from November, 1941, to September, 1942, when he was recalled to Canada to become Vice Adjutant General.

He is President of the Ottawa Commandos Senior Hockey League. Mrs. Nash resides in Toronto and a daughter, Marie, is in the Women's Division of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Halibut Tie-Up Still Not Solved

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP) — Charles E. Jackson, one of the two U.S. members of the International Fisheries Commission, said today he had been notified by the State Department of the Canadian Government's informal proposal to the Commission to close the halibut season and set a reopening date July 15.

Pointing out that he had not yet been informed of the position the State Department will take, Jackson stated:

"If the two Governments ask the Commission to consider closing the season, I am sure the matter will be given prompt consideration."

Closing of the halibut season, it was said, would enable the 2,000 to 3,000 American and Canadian fishermen, affected by a tie-up of fishing vessels to engage in other fisheries or war work.

The tie-up in progress since April 16, opening date of the halibut season, is in protest to the O.P.A. price ceiling, which is lower at Prince Rupert, B.C., than at Seattle, Wash.

Edward W. Allen, Seattle, the other U.S. member of the International Fisheries Commission, is expected in Washington tomorrow to confer with Jackson regarding Canada's request.

Rep. Jackson (D.-Wash.) announced last Friday a tentative plan to end the tie-up under which fishermen would return to sea pending a survey to determine cost of production and distribution of the fish.

LONDON, (CP) — The chauffeur who served Sir Henry Bencroft for 52 years was left a sum which will bring him about $5,500 a year by his late employer. Sir Henry, chairman of Southern Newspapers, Ltd., was a cripple. The chauffeur was Fred Mayter

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Adjourn Wilby Hearing a Week

VICTORIA, May 15 (CP)—Hearing of the second habeas corpus application in behalf of Ralph M. Wilby, wanted in New York to face 17 charges of grand larceny totalling $275,984, was adjourned another week by Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane in Supreme Court Chambers today.

Mr. Justice Macfarlane said he would like to hear argument on the point as to whether the Minister of Justice was entitled to sign the order for surrender before Chief Justice Wendell Farris had rendered judgment on the first habeas corpus application.

The second question concerned photostatic copies of evidence instead of originals which defence counsel contended were inadmissible.

Claude L. Harrison, counsel for the State of New York, told the Court that the State of New Jersey had refused to permit originals to leave jurisdiction of that State and photostatic copies had to be used.

Mr. Harrison said certain press items had smacked of propaganda which was regrettable, inasmuch as some of the statements he said, were untrue.

Mr. Justice Macfarlane said he hoped the Press would avoid anything that resembled "yellow" journalism.

W. H. M. Haldane, defence counsel, countered that if Harrison was referring to the affidavit he made in Appeal Court, Harrison should either withdraw or prove the untruthfulness of such statements.

Mr. Harrison replied that he didn't say he was referring to the affidavit.

When Chambers rose, Mr. Harrison was asked by one of the newspapermen what particular items he referred to but replied he could not "discuss the matter right now."

Newsom Bound for Other Duties

AT A CANADIAN STATION IN BRITAIN, May 15 (CP) — (CP)—The RCAF Iroquois Squadron had a new chief, Wing Cmdr. H. R. Dow of Toronto, who took over from Wing Cmdr. Bill Newsom of Victoria and Edmonton, during the weekend.

Newsom, who has led the squadron since its formation as one of the units in the Canadian bomber group is bound for other duties and Dow steps up from the command of one of the flights to head the unit which is busy freighting bombs to enemy targets.

Butter Reduction Opposed by Nanaimo Union

NANAIMO, May 15 (CP) — The Nanaimo local of the U.M.W.A. at a meeting yesterday passed resolutions protesting the reduction of the June butter quota, early closing of beer parlors Saturday nights and "high collar" glasses of beer. The butter protest will be sent to the Prices Board and the beer protests to Liquor Commissioner Kennedy.

Supreme Court Backs Refusal to Dismiss Chaplin Paternity Suit

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15 (CP) —The California State supreme court today upheld two lower courts which had refused to dismiss a paternity suit brought against Comedian Charlie Chaplin in the name of the baby of Joan Berry, his former protege.

The Supreme Court denied Chaplin's petition for a hearing — a petition filed after he failed in the Los Angeles superior court in his attempt to halt the action dismissed.

The consequence of today's ruling is that the paternity suit must proceed on its merits.

Chaplin had argued he was entitled to dismissal of the suit under a court-appointed settlement he made with Miss Berry. His contention was that after he had paid her thousands of dollars, blood tests proved he could not have been the father of her child.

Superior Judge Stanley Moak ruled in Los Angeles, however, that no stipulated agreement could be valid that signed away rights of a child before its birth. The district Appellate Court agreed.

Explains Decrease of Staff at Burnaby Plant

VANCOUVER, May 15 (CP) — Staff of the Dominion Bridge Ordnance plant at suburban Burnaby has decreased by 200, about 30 per cent, since last July, W. B. Scoular, manager of the plant, said today.

"There have been no layoffs," he said. "We have simply not replaced those men who left the plant voluntarily. We thought this was a better policy than to lay off a hundred or so at one time."

Mr. Justice Coady Breaks leg

VANCOUVER, May 15 (CP) — Mr. Justice J. M. Coady of the Supreme Court broke his left leg just above the ankle when he slipped on the damp kitchen floor at his home here Saturday night.

Report McNaughton May Be Retired as Full General

TORONTO, May 15 (CP) — The Telegram in an Ottawa dispatch today said it was reported there that Lt.-Gen. A.G.L. McNaughton is soon to be made a full general and retired on a special pension.

Dispatch said Dr. C. J. Mackenzie acting head of the National Research branch in Gen. McNaughton's absence, would be confirmed in that post.

LONDON (CP)—St. Dunstan's-in-the-West, one of London's most famous churches and Fleet Street landmark, was damaged in the Germans' fire-raid on London March 24, it was now be disclosed. The damage was so slight a wedding scheduled for the next day was held although the general public was excluded.

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FURNITURE POLISH and SCRATCH REMOVER: 4 oz. bottle	18¢	FLOOR WAX: Old English, 1 lb. tins, or pints, Each	47¢
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Identity of Interest in Building Tourist Travel

Establishment of the Inland Empire-Kootenay Boundary Travel Bureau is a forward-looking step toward development of post-war tourist travel.

Spokane wishes to strengthen its position as the tourist gateway to the Glorious Kootenay Country and to the highways to the North. It wants to route tourists in this direction, so that it can develop a greater and more profitable volume of tourist business.

If Spokane can capitalize on Kootenay's tourist attractions then both Spokane and Kootenay-Boundary can cash in on the proceeds.

Joint efforts to develop the trade are obviously good business for the Eastern Washington centre and for the people of this area.

Spokane realizes, as do we, that we can't afford to delay until Germany's surrender and the defeat of Japan the organization of sound and well-supported efforts to secure and service the tourist business. Delay would mean a continuance of the pre-war tourist habit of spending a few hours in Spokane and rolling eastward or to the Pacific Coast. Spokane didn't get as much business out of the travel as it deserved, and nor did we.

To build up the tourist business three main developments are essential. They are:

(1) Modern highways from the International Boundary into British Columbia;

(2) The best of accommodation and recreation for tourists while they are here;

(3) Lively and sustained publicity for what we have to offer.

The job cannot be done without substantial expenditures, but the profits to be made are large. Tourism can be made one of Kootenay's richest industries. But, like most other business, it won't come to us without plenty of effort on our part.

Canada's Qu'Appelle Has a Great Record as Former Foxhound

One of the hardest worked destroyers in the Royal Navy, H.M.S. "Foxhound", built in John Brown's, and now a part of the Canadian navy and renamed "Qu'Appelle" has steamed 240,000 miles since the war began and claims this as a record unequalled by any other ship of the Allied Navies or Merchant Fleets now afloat. For almost four years of war "Foxhound" has steamed an average of 7000 miles a month in seas from Iceland to the Bay of Bengal.

In battle and in escort work, patrols and rescue missions, "Foxhound" has put to sea in every kind of weather. Her story is one of weeks and months of seagoing, interspersed with short periods in harbor and, once a year, a much needed refit. Fourteen hundred and twenty-six days of non-stop vigilance, with "Action Stations" just round the corner every moment, of careful tending of high-powered machinery which in one month alone must perform tens of thousands of revolutions, are part of her achievement.

H.M.S. "Foxhound", with the Home Fleet when war broke out, was in at one of the first U-boat "kills" when she and her sister-ship and "Firedrake" sank U-39 near the Orkneys. Later she escorted the world's largest ship, the "Queen Elizabeth", on her wartime maiden voyage to New York, an interesting experience, as by the end of the second day the liner had worked up to such a speed that the destroyers could not keep up.

In the second Battle of Narvik Fiord, "Foxhound" steamed in with the battleship H.M.S. "Warspite," and in the fight that followed, blew up a German destroyer by gunfire. Next month she was among the escorts for the British force which occupied Iceland.

Steaming into the Mediterranean, "Foxhound" then became part of the now famous "Force H", whose first job was to disable the French Fleet at Oran. She was with H.M.S. "Ark Royal" when Naval aircraft from the carrier bombed Cagliari in Sardinia. On the latter occasion the Commander-in-Chief's signal to the force on leaving Gibraltar was: "The object of the present operation is to test the quality and price of ice cream!" (In Britain ice cream has been regarded as an Italian confection, as it was originally vended chiefly by Italians from carts in the streets).

In 1940 when she was refitting in London docks, the "blitz" was in full swing. "Foxhound" was subjected to the continuous and heavy bombing which covered the whole of the dock area and although over 40 bombs fell either in the dock basin or on the jetty alongside during the ten weeks she was there, nothing touched the ship except an occasional incendiary which was easily dealt with. "Foxhound's" guns brought down one bomber.

Malta convoys were among her next jobs, and early in 1941 with battleships and cruisers of the Mediterranean Fleet she bombarded Genoa.

H.M.S. "Foxhound" has taken part in North African bombardments, has many times been through what was then the hazardous passage of the Straits of Pantelleria, was in the assault on Madagascar and has since circumnavigated Africa.

Letters to the Editor

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

Let Us Advise for Days of Need, Advises "Realist"

To the Editor:

Sir—With all due respect to your worthy young correspondent, signing himself "Student" and with all due respect to Mr. J. C. Harris, whose literary excelences are too well known to need commendation, I hope to be pardoned if I say that both are in hopeless error when they assume that the present level of high wages, free spending and easy credit can be continued indefinitely after the war.

One might cite the case of the Prairie farmer who during a prolonged blizzard burned the chairs, tables and shelves for firewood and killed one of his milch cows for meat. Suppose the members of his family had said:

"We were never so warm and well fed as we were during the blizzard. Why cannot papa just go on burning down the house and killing off our cows?"

Had the yasid this they would have had just as much reason as those who ask why the present false prosperity created by the war cannot be continued indefinitely.

Had they gaid this they would have had the last board in the house would sooner or later have ben burned and the last pound of beef been eaten and the Prairie farmer and his family left to starve and freeze in sub-zero weather, and likewise if the present tempo of borrowing and spending is kept up by our government for another ten years our government will be unable to pay one per cent out of ordinary revenue on the accumulated debt. In other words it will be bankrupt and no one will willingly lend it another dime.

The peak of possible taxation has long been passed, already the income tax is stifling industry and discouraging initiative. What really capable business man or farmer will be content with a return of only $10[illegible] per annum and yet on all above that sum the income tax claims from 40 per cent up?

Just as the farmer would find a limit to the furniture he could burn and the cows he could kill so will our government find a limit to the money it can borrow and the taxes it can impose. Then what about work for all at the present scale of remuneration?

It is time for us to stop day-dreaming and face the stern reality looming up before us. The government will be unable to find work for all needing or demanding it. It then behooves every man who is capable of doing so to forsake the job—check, do as you're told—route through life and go into business for himself. Something might be done to lessen the violence of the coming storm by compelling all who have $5000 or more in real estate or other collateral to quit the labor market—leaving the wage market to those who have no other source of income.

Dream as we will the thunder clouds are thickly gathering and the storm in all its fury will soon break around us. The sinful waste of money, the loss caused by destruction of property—must, inevitably—to the last red cent, be paid by you and by me—out of our own pockets—with increased taxation—and lower profits. Let us get ready for it by saving some of the dimes we now spend so recklessly. Let us find some way of making a living other than by endorsing a pay check.

REALIST

Trail, B.C., May 16.

War — 4 Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

May 16, 1940—French leaders announced "complete mastery of the situation in the Sedan area." Germany claimed steady advances in Belgium and France. At Louvain R.A.F. bombers helped ground fighters repulse Germans.

Etiquette Hints

Asparagus is not a finger food and should not be eaten with the fingers.

C.C.F. AND PRESS

In many ways the CCF party has attempted to undermine the reputation of Canada's press. The party may see immediate advantage in such action but the long-term result cannot be in the best interests of the CCF party or of the Dominion.—Trail Times.

?? 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.

Farmer, Salmo—Please publish some information on the planting and care in growing soya beans in this district.

Take a piece of one-inch water pipe of sufficient length to suit your garden. Put a cap on one end or plug the pipe by driving in a close fitting wooden plug. On the other end of the pipe attach a short piece of garden hose, 18 inches to 36 inches is enough. Equip this hose with two female hose couplers. Couple one end of the hose to the pipe and the other to the male end of a garden hose. If your garden rows are 24 inches apart drill small holes approximately one-eighth of an inch in diameter at intervals of 24 inches in a straight line along one side of the pipe. If your rows are of different distances make the holes to fit your rows. They can be drilled at 12, 18 or 24 inches and small wooden plugs driven in to stop the holes not required. The flow of water through the pipe is controlled by the main water tap. Small furrows may be made with a hoe or hand plow and the water from a small hole in pipe admitted to each furrow. About 10 or 12 feet of pipe to do from 4 to 6 rows at once is the best. Allow the water to run in these furrows until ground is thoroughly moistened and then do not irrigate again for a week in hot weather and for longer intervals in cooler weather.

For garden use, try the Early Blackeye. If you can obtain seed of it. Mandarin and Kabott are the two most satisfactory main crop varieties. O.A.C. 211 is very tall and late as also is A. K. Harrow. The seed of Manitoba Brown is very small and the plants are short and difficult to harvest, except by hand. This variety is the earliest. Wisconsin Black is the next earliest. Usually for household use a yellow seeded variety is preferable.

The soya bean sometimes require inoculation before they do very well. It's best when growing them in new soil or for the first time to protect with an inoculus which is carried in stock by several seed companies. Other beans beside soyas need inoculation occasionally. Bulletins from the Department of Agriculture cover about everything necessary for the culture of soya beans.

C. D., Nelson—Does England ever have earthquakes?

It has them occasionally. On August 15, 1926, a series of shocks was felt throughout the Midland counties of England.

L. A. T., Kaslo—What is the proper way to eat corn on the cob?

One should be careful to select a piece which does not require the support of both hands. If an entire cob is offered to one, it should be held in the napkin and broken. One places on the corn enough salt, pepper and butter for one or two morsels.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO

(From Daily News, May 16, 1934)

Mrs. Bill Wilde of Salmo paid Ymir a visit on Sunday.

George Benwell, J. H. Stubbs and Bill Freno were out salmon fishing yesterday, on the West Arm in the vicinity at Harrop and brought back four big fellows.

Mr and Mrs. Smith Curwen spent yesterday in town.

Mr and Mrs. Laughton, Fairview, had as a guest her sister, Mrs. P. Hongerwerf of Grand Forks.

25 YEARS AGO

(From Daily News, May 16, 1919)

Hugh W. King, who served several years with the Canadian forces overseas, was sworn in as a provincial constable at Nelson yesterday.

C. J. Archibald was a city visitor yesterday.

Flt. Lt. Trim was in Nelson today seeking landing space for a projected flight across the Rockies.

40 YEARS AGO

(From Daily News, May 16, 1904)

A. C. Grade, general manager of the Payne mine at Sandon, visited Nelson today.

D. R. Ker, general manager of the Brackman-Ker Milling Co. of Victoria, was in town yesterday.

The first C. P. R. steamer on the Great Lakes this season, left Owen Sound this morning.

Today's Horoscope

If your birthday is today you are a clear thinker, have an excellent memory and good ideas and the ability to carry them out. Your have a keen sense of humor and a sincere and deep love for your home, which is all important to you. Although some sadness may be experience in the next year, a happy, eventful, successful year is foreseen. Court and marry, ask favors, but guard against excessive expenditure. This period is good for marital affairs. Born on this date a child will be very hospitable, sympathetic, magnanimous — a born host or hostess. He or she will also be intellectual and artistic, and a great favorite, but liable to sudden reversals.

Test Yourself

1. Did United States troops ever fight the Bolsheviks in Russia?
2. Which caused the greater damage, the Chicago or the San Francisco fire?
3. Who was the victor in the duel between Hamilton and Burr?

TEST ANSWERS

1. The U. S. never declared war on the present government of Russia, but in 1918 U. S. troops went to Russia to fight.
2. The San Francisco fire.
3. Aaron Burr.

Words of Wisdom

Brutes leave ingratitude to man.—Colton.

"Invincible" Atlantic Wall Can Be Penetrated Germans Now Admit

LONDON, May 15 (AP) — The Germans, in their broadcasts speculating on allied invasion moves, admitted today that their West wall defences might be penetrated after all when the blow comes.

"When the battle starts," a Berlin commentator said, "the fighting will not be limited to the divisions on the Atlantic wall or to points under attack, but small waves may reach far beyond. Then Germany will be called upon to stand her greatest and most dangerous test."

One report from the continental underground reaching London said that the enemy was hastily reinforcinging his air-borne and parachute forces in the West—not for counter invasion of Britain but as a defensive measure.

These forces, it was explained, would be rushed to the aid of any German troops cut off from the rear by the allies. With Allied air forces systematically destroying Hitler's rail communications the Germans apparently were preparing to resort to air transport.

Another underground report said the Nazis had pulled back into Germany half their fighter force from the West, leaving barely 250 first line aircraft to combat the allied forces.

Nazi propagandists had the moral support of the Jap Premier, Hideki Tojo, as they awaited the expected assault. Tojo told his people yesterday that the German armed forces were "confident and impatient."

The British, meanwhile, addressing the peoples of occupied Europe in 24 languages in a radio broadcast asked them to move immediately from the vicinity of important railway and industrial installations — prime targets in the pre-invasion hammering of fortress Europe.

The British people were warned again that these counter offensive moves might include an attempt by the Nazis to land on the British Isles in the hope of disrupting the plans of the allied invasion chieftains.

There was reason to believe, on the basis of reports from Sweden, that Field Marshal Rommel was being proclaimed the potential saviour of the Reich, rather than Hitler.

Alex Powell of Trail Makes Name in Italy as Good Eater, Good Rider

By DOUG HOW
Canadian Press War Correspondent

WITH THE CANADIAN CORPS IN ITALY, May 14 (CP)—Soldiers' stories about soldiers:

Officer of a Western artillery battery swear there is no character in the Canadian Army quite the best of Gnr. Christopher Behan, H35230, an Irishman from Winnipeg. It is Gnr. Beahan's only lament that his wife is a Sergeant Major in the C.W.A.C. and, he explained to a correspondent, "It makes things hard because she keeps expecting to see me written up in the papers as a Cergeant or a Colonel or something."

Behan is batman for Maj. J. Cowan of Vancouver, a post he holds with Irish phlegm and humor. When we dropped in at the Major's tent he called "Behan, go to the orderly room and get that bottle of gin."

"Yes sir," says the good gunner from the other side of the tent flap, "will I steal it or ask for it?" . . .

The same battery will tell you there isn't a man who better combines the qualities of a good eating man and a good dispatch rider than Gnr. Alex Powell, a giant of a soldier from Trail, B.C.

Powell has devoted hours to cultivating a friendship with the cooking staff, a devotion which paid off one day when they did him up 30 eggs which he put away with relish.

Powell was awakened one night by the shouts of a friend of his who had stumbled and fallen down a well. He lumbered out into the night, got the particulars, then, with an instinct born of long practice, headed for the cook house to get a rope.

Powell got the rope and was about to leave when one of his friends asked him if he wouldn't stop for a cup of tea and some toast. The temptation was too much. The others, unaware of the purpose of the rope, chatted away while Powell gorged himself.

That done, he made his way to the well, lowered the rope to the shouting irate soldier below and, with one long heave, pulled him out.

Powell was out one time on a trek through the mountains and at dinner time somebody scrounged enough eggs for everybody to have one apiece. The young husky bolted that one down but his face was still a study in hungry disappointment.

"What's the matter Powell," asks Capt. Tom Montgomery of Montreal, "isn't one egg enough?"

"One egg," replies Gnr. Powell, "is just like one peanut."

BARRY, Wales (CP) — Possibly the first Englishwoman to serve on a foreign merchant ship in wartime, 24-year-old Audrey Andreason is at sea o na coal-carrying Swedish freighter. Her husband is steward on the vessel and Mrs. Andreason signed on to avoid being separated from him.

Month-Long Air Attacks Continue

LONDON, May 15 (CP) —American heavy bombers attacked German invasion defences in the Pas de Calais area nearest Britain today in the 31st consecutive day of the great aerial offensive, after a night in which German bombers sharply attacked the British coast.

No American bomber was lost but one of the accompanying fighters was missing. It fell to anti-aircraft fire since the U. S. communique said no German plane was sighted.

A maximum of 250 heavy bombers under fighting protection pounded military installations in France, following up a night attack on Cologne by RAF Mosquitoes, and a weekend of activity which saw the historic Brenner Pass, main supply line for the Nazis in Italy, virtually sealed up.

The Berlin radio claimed German raiders had made "fierce attacks" on the port of Bristol last night and claimed that "large quantities of high explosives and incendiarels" were dropped. A British announcement that at least 15 of the raiders were shot down indicated the Nazis have struck with as many as 300 planes.

The Air Ministry said the raids had caused some damage and a small number of casualties "over wide areas of South and Southeast England," but noted that the weight of bombs dropped did not seem proportionate to the number of planes employed, suggesting that the main objective was to gain information about possible concentrations of invasion equipment along the coast.

The RAF atab at Cologne was carried out in conjunction with raids on unspecified objectives in France and the Low Countries and minel laying. The operations were carried out without loss.

R.C.A.F. planes of the aerial defence of Britain force accounted for four of the 15 enemy planes destroyed over England. Two Ju88s were shot down by one Canadian fighter while a third Ju88 was downed by other pilots of the same squadron.

During Sunday's patrol over Eastern France, an RCAF Mosquito destroyed a Heinkel 111 in combat and severely damaged other enemy craft on the ground.

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Pythians Mark Anniversary and Mother's Day

Pythian Sisters of Temple No. 10 celebrated their 37th anniversary and Mother's Day Friday evening with a banquet and cards in the Odd Fellows Hall. Members of Nelson Lodge No. 25, Knights of Pythias, were their guests.

The banquet hall was lovely with Spring flowers. Flower-filled silver containers, crystal holders and candles decorated the table. Flowers and candles carried out a color scheme in colors of the Order.

Presentation and brief addresses highlighted the program. Mrs. R. Drew was presented with a farewell gift by El. Kootenai Santhe No. 59, Nomads, and Nelson Temple No. 10. She planned to leave Saturday for Vancouver to reside.

Mother's Day honoree was Mrs. Maude Traves, who represented the mothers for the Temple. She received a Mother's Day gift, while a lovely gift was also presented to Mrs. May Goucher, Grand Chancellor for B.C. Presentation to Mrs. Traves was made by Mrs. Goucher, while Mrs. Elsa Grant, Grand Chancellor presented Mrs. Goucher with her gift.

Corsages were presented Mrs. Goucher by Mrs. Grant, to Mrs. Traves by Mrs. Goucher, to Mrs. Grant by Mrs. Goucher, and to Mrs. D. Laughton, Mrs. R. Drew and Mrs. S. Glover by Mrs. Grant, M.E.C.

An address of welcome was given by Mrs. Goucher, While Mrs. Maude Traves paid a tribute to mothers and to Mother's Day. The origin of the Order in Nelson was the topic of Mrs. D. Laughton, Past Grand Chancellor. Other speakers were R. G. Joy, P.G.C. of K.P., Fred Deacon, Chancellor Commander, and Spencer J. Newell of the Knights.

Grace was said by Mrs. W. J. Hipperson.

Greetings of Capital City Temple No. 25 were extended by Mrs. S. Glover of Victoria.

PRIZE WINNERS

Progressive whist prizes were carried off by Miss Grace Laughton and S. P. J. Newell, firsts; Mrs. R. Drew and Jack Robertson, second. Other prizes went to Mrs. Elsa Grant and Mr. Robertson.

The Committee for the evening was Mrs. Elsa Grant, Convener, Mrs. O. A. Gray, Mrs. B. Spiers, Mrs. C. Heddle and Mrs. B. Chess.

Egypt had beauty salons as far back as 3200 B.C.

NELSON SOCIAL

Please phone social items to Daily News. Call 144.

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● St. Saviour's Pro-Cathedral was the setting for one of the season's outstanding weddings Monday afternoon when Frances Anna, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lincoln, became the bride of Lieut. Francis Woodward McCatherin, U.S. Army Air Corps, Atlanta, Ga., Rev. J. G. Holmes officiating. The pretty wedding was marked by the attendance of officers from both Canadian and American armed forces. Lovely in a simple gown of duchess satin, the dark-haired bride entered the Cathedral on the arm of her father, to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March. Her veil of heirloom Limerick lace cascaded from a Juliet cap of rosepoint, and swept to a graceful edging of deep lace. Her bouquet was of white rosebuds and lily of the valley. The bride's only attendant, Miss Hilda Barbour, was charming in floor-length pink chiffon and cream picture hat trimmed with delphinium blue ribbon. Her bouquet of pink and white roses and carnations completed the pastel motif. Lieut. Willard Wilkins, U.S. Army Air Corps was best man. Two Nelson men, now in His Majesty's forces, were ushers. They were Lieut. Hampton Gray, R.C.N.V.R. Fleet Air Arm, and Lieut. James G. Allan, Armored Corps, Royal Canadian Army. Three favorite musical selections of the bride were played during the signing of the register by Miss Margaret Graham, Organist. They were "Thais", Meditation by Massenet, "Serenade" by Toselli and "At Dawning" by Cadman. At the wedding reception held in the lounge of the Canadian Legion, the mother of the bride received the guests who numbered over 200. Mrs. Lincoln was attractively attired in dusty rose sheer with black accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses. The bride's table was covered with an Italian lace cloth and decorated with roses, pink and white snapdragon and narcissi. The three-tiered wedding cake which centered the table was flanked by four tall white tapers in silver sconces. Ven. Archdeacon Fred H. Graham proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom responded. Lieut. and Mrs. McCatherin left last night for their honeymoon trip to San Francisco. For travelling Mrs. McCatherin donned a smart black suit, beige topcoat and accessories. Lieut. McCatherin will be stationed at San Francisco where he is second in command of the Fourth Army Air Corps Division.

● Dr. W. Ormond of Slocan City spent yesterday in Nelson.

● Mrs. A. Gray of Salmo was a Nelson shopper yesterday.

● Mrs. E. Gibbon and daughter of Salmo spent the weekend in Nelson.

● Miss Doreen Long from Trail spent the weekend in Nelson visiting her mother, Mrs. E. M. Long, 605 Latimer Street.

● Mrs. D. Magee of Robson was a Nelson visitor over the weekend.

● Mr. and Mrs. R. Gibbon and son Glen of Nelson spent the weekend in Salmo visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Fair.

O. Haglund of Erie was a visitor in Nelson Monday.

● Rev. H. Stewart Forbes left yesterday for Vancouver where he will attend the United Church conference.

● Mrs. G. B. Russell, Vernon Street, left Monday for Vancouver. Mrs. Russell will attend the United Church Conference.

● Mrs. Ida Christison of Cranbrook spent the weekend with Mrs. D. A. McPherson, Latimer Street.

● The Misses Frances and Pat Nicholson have returned from a week's visit in Vancouver.

● Mrs. H. H. Currie, 824 Baker Street, is a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital for a few days' treatment.

● Miss Diane Nuyens, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Nuyens, is confined to the Isolation Hospital with scarlet fever.

● Gnr. T. F. Stenson is here on furlough, visiting his wife and family.

● Thomas A. Lawson who has been a patient at Kootenay Lake General Hospital, has returned to his home on Baker Street.

● Ac. 2 J. Nuyens has returned to the R.C.A.F. Wireless School at Calgary after spending leave with his wife and family in Fairview.

● Mrs. W. Calbick has returned to Penticton where she went as delegate to the Anglican W. A. convention.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wakefield of Brandon, Man., announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Margaret Edith, to Cpl. F. R. Ballard, R.C.A.F., only son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Ballard of Robson, the wedding to take place May 24 at St. Mary's Church, Brandon.

Valleyfield First Canadian Escort Ship Lost In Nine Months

OTTAWA, May 15 (CP) — Loss of the first Canadian escort ship in nine months on North Atlantic convoy routes was announced today when Navy Minister Macdonald said the new frigate Valleyfield had been torpedoed and sunk with five dead and 121 missing. There were 38 survivors.

Last September loss of the destroyer St. Croix was announced and since that time the rigorous convoy route has reported virtually no U-boat activity.

Therefore, naval circles here were inclined to attach some significance to the Valleyfield torpedoing and said it gave emphasis to recent warnings that renewed German underseas attacks might be expected.

Date or location of the sinking and many other details were lacking, but the announcement followed close on a warning by Mr. Macdonald that residents in the Lower St. Lawrence area should stringently observe dimout regulations during the Summer shipping season which has just started.

The U-boat situation apparently is still much in the mind of the Navy, evidently preparing for the Germans to make a last stand attack on Canadian shipping lanes.

The list of B.C. survivors and casualties follows.

SURVIVORS:

Ratings:

Addison, Henry Charles, Able Seaman, New Westminster, B.C.

Gibson, Donald Harry, Telegraphist, Dawson Creek, B.C.

Hoanin, George Albert, Ordinary Seaman, Trail, B.C.

Laing, Ellsworth Clark, Ordinary Signalman, Vancouver, B.C.

Martin, Leslie Frederick, Sto. 2nd Class, Vancouver, B.C.

McGregor, Alexander Murray, Cook (S.) Vancouver, B.C.

O'Connor, Terrence Patrick, Signalman, Vancouver, B.C.

Russ, Clyde, Able Seaman, Vancouver, B.C.

Mason, Stirling Cashman, Lieut., Victoria, B.C.

MISSING

Storey, John Edmund, Lieut. (E), Esquimault, B.C.

Brown, David Edgar, Ordinary Seaman, Eburne, B.C.

Cornwall, James Anthony, Victoria, B.C.

Davey, William, Ordinary Seaman, Victoria, B.C.

Goss, Robert William, Ordinary Seaman, Vancouver, B.C.

Harding, Percival Roy, Ordinary Seaman, Kelowna, B.C.

Johnston, John Stewart, E.R.A., 4th Class, Powell River, B.C.

Ralph, George, Able Seaman, Vancouver, B.C.

Randall, Walter Gordon, Leading Seaman, Victoria, B.C.

Sinclair, Eric William, Ordinary Seaman, Vancouver, B.C.

Templeton, Thomas McDonald, Leading Seaman, Vancouver, B.C.

Wilson, Roderick Arnold, Stoker Petty Officer, Vancouver, B.C.

Red Cross Articles Received Last Week

Finished articles received at the Nelson Red Cross Rooms last week included the following:

Blewett City Plant: One pair seaman's stockings and 18 pair Service socks.

Railway Trainmen Ladies' Auxiliary: One pair men's pyjamas.

Trinity Junior Women's Auxiliary: Two pairs soakers.

The swordfish's sword is nearly half as long as the fish itself.

Welcome Mr. Justice Bird on Elevation to Bench, First Visit

Pleasure of the Kootenay Bar at the first visit as a member of the Supreme Court to Nelson of Mr. Justice H. I. Bird, and also of his elevation to the Bench, was expressed by A. O. Cameron, Trail barrister, as the Spring Assizes opened in Nelson Monday morning.

Mr. Justice Bird voiced his appreciation of the friendly reception from the Kootenay Bar, and said that many of its members had become his friends in previous visits to the District. He recalled that he and C. B. Garland, Nelson barrister, had started practice together in Vancouver years ago. He hoped to be able to return again in a judicial capacity.

NEW DELHI—The Royal Indian Navy has a personnel 13 times greater than at the outbreak of war. R.I.N. ships played their part in the battle of the Atlantic, in the operations against the Italians in East Africa, the campaign in Iran, the operations in the Dutch East Indies' waters, the defence of Singapore, the battle of Burma and the invasion of Sicily.

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AIR CASUALTIES

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OVERSEAS

Killed on Active Service:

Astrand, Harry, Sgt., Port Arthur, Ont.

Davies, Herbert Russell, Sgt., Toronto, Ont.

Donnelly, Edward John, Sgt., Toronto, Ont.

McKinnon, John Lockwood, Fo., Port Arthur, Ont.

Moore, Gregor Stephen, Po., Penticton, B.C.

Pope, William Alexander, Fo., Halifax, N.S.

Seabrook, Malcolm Thomas, Fo., Kitscoty, Alta.

Missing on Active Service After Air Operations:

Burchell, Ernest John, Fo., Calgary, Alta.

Gurski, Michael Stephen, Fo., Frances, Ont.

Hartley, Charles Thomas, Fo., Prince Rupert, B.C.

Leader, Robert Arthur, Po., Toronto, Ont.

Logan, James Alexander, Sgt., Montreal, Que.

Martin, Harry MacNaughton, Fo., Vulcan, Alta.

McDougall, Lauchlan, Fo., Gore Bay, Ont.

Previously Reported Missing on Active Service—Now for Official Purposes Presumed Dead:

Cummings, Rhert, Wo., Punxsutawney, Penn., U.S.A.

Goldstein, Robert Phillip, Fo., Severn Bridge, Ont.

Herbert, Garnet McMillan, Flt.-Sgt., Kelowna, B.C.

Hooper, George Thomas, Flt.-Sgt., Winnipeg, Man.

Lundy, James, Sgt., Turnerville, Ont.

Novick, Alexander, Flt.-Lieut., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

Smart, James Augustus, Flt.-Sgt., Ottawa, Ont.

Walters, Edward Joseph, Wo., Oakmont, Penn., U.S.A.

CANADA

Killed on Active Service:

Milne, John Riley, Po., Sherbrooke, Que.

Olmsted, Charles Robertson, Fo., Bagotville, Que.

Missing on Active Service After Flying Operations:

Cochabott, Frederick Lewis, Ac. 2, Liverpool, Lancashire, England

Elliott, Richard, Flt.-Sgt., Iver, Buckinghamshire, England.

On The Air

TUESDAY, MAY 16

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

7:30—O Canada
7:31—Toast and Coffee (CKLN)
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Front Line Family
8:30—Morning Concert
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Stars of the Week (CKLN)
9:22—Musical Magic (CKLN)
9:30—On Parade (CKLN)
9:45—Music While You Work
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Music For Moderns
10:15—To Be Announced (CKLN)
10:45—They Tell Me
11:00—Music in Waltz Time
11:15—Smilin' Jack (CKLN)
11:22—Voice of Memory (CKLN)
11:30—Soldier's Wife
11:45—Dancing Till Noon
12:00—B.C. Farm Broadcast

AFTERNOON

12:25—The Notice Board, Part 1 (CKLN)
12:30—CBC News
12:45—Notice Board, Part 2 (CKLN)
1:00—Stanley Hoban
1:15—Interlude
1:18—Talk
1:30—Melody Time (CKLN)
1:45—Artists of Tomorrow
2:00—Top Tunes
2:15—Organ Concert
2:30—Listen to London
2:45—Listeners' Favourites
3:00—Western Fire
3:15—Piano Ramblings
3:30—Sweethearts (CKLN)
3:37—Hit Parade (CKLN)
3:45—BBC News
4:00—Voice of Memory (CKLN)
4:07—Wendell Hall (CKLN)
4:15—Concert Sketches
4:30—CBR Presents
4:45—CBC News Round-Up
5:00—Varieties in Modern Rhythm
5:30—Men of Music

EVENING

6:00—Poland vs Hitler
6:15—Cavalcade of Melody
6:30 Peerless Presents (CKLN)
6:45—To Be Announced
6:48—Rhythm of Romance (CKLN)
6:55—Victory Loan Program (CKLN)
7:00—CBC News
7:15—Talk
7:18—Bach Organ Cycle
8:00—Talk
8:30—Vancouver Playhouse
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Off the Record
9:30—Nine-Thirty Nocturne
10:00—CBC News
10:15—CBC News Roundup
10:30—God Save the King

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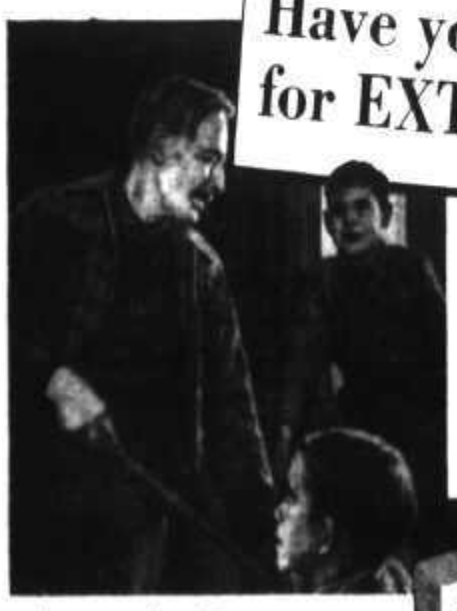

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CANADIAN GIRLS PLAY MUD FOOTBALL IN ENGLAND: Mud football is now being played for the first time by girls of the Canadian forces here. This is the name given by spectators to the Norwegian National game now becoming popular in the women's services. Played on a soft pitch it is easy to understand how the name came to be used. It is like soccer except the ball is passed by hand. Action here is during a game in Hyde Park, London.

MEDITERRANEAN CHIEF: A study of Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, supreme Allied Commander in the Mediterranean area, made on the terrace of his villa in Algiers.

FIRST LADY OF INDIA: Wearing a pale blue court dress and a coronet, Lady Wavell, wife of Viscount Archibald Wavell, Viceroy of India, is shown as she appeared at a state affair at the vice regal palace in Delhi.

EXERCISES CHAMPIONS: "Pinky" Brown is the proud exercise boy shown here cooling off "Pensive" after the three-year old had won the 70th running of the Kentucky Derby, Saturday, May 8. "Pinky" was also exercise boy for "Lawrin" and "Whirlaway", past winners of Derbies.

DUTCH AIR CROSS TO WING COMMANDER: The leader of the daring attack carried out at zero level against a one house target in The Hague, is decorated by Prince Bernhard with the Dutch Air Cross. Six Mosquitos did the job. Wing Com. P. N. Bateson, D.S.O., D.F.C., is shown above being decorated by Prince Bernhard.

THE "BUDGET BOX": Sir John Anderson, Chancellor of the British Exchequer as he leaves for the House with hi famous budget box.

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GRADE GRAY CREEK, CRESTON HIGHWAY

SIRDAR, B.C.—Two graders passed through here Thursday night on their way to Creston after smoothing the highway between Gray Creek and Creston. Dust is now making itself felt owing to the dryness of the weather.

BRILLIANT

BRILLIANT, B.C.—J. E. Studholme left on Saturday for Vancouver.

J. P. Antifey left for Fruitvale on Saturday.

J. Strang of the C.P.R. is working in Brilliant.

Mrs. F. H. Arishenkoff has left for Nelson.

Tony Mashut left for Vancouver on Saturday.

John Bloodoff was a visitor to Trail Saturday.

Alex Brud left for Nelson on Saturday.

E. B. Johanson has left for his home in Penticton.

Mrs. C. A. Stevens went to Nelson with her mother, Mrs. McNown, to meet her brother from Calgary.

Pete Baragon left Friday for Nelson.

Sam Osseroff of Thrums was in Brilliant on Saturday.

Mrs. F. P. Arishenkoff left on Saturday for Grand Forks.

Paul Gerashoff, William Perevesoff and John Zibin spent the week-end in Grand Forks.

AUNT HET

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"Cousin Henry has lost faith in castor oil since he killed his best coon dog with it. He just keeps a little on hand now for his young uns."

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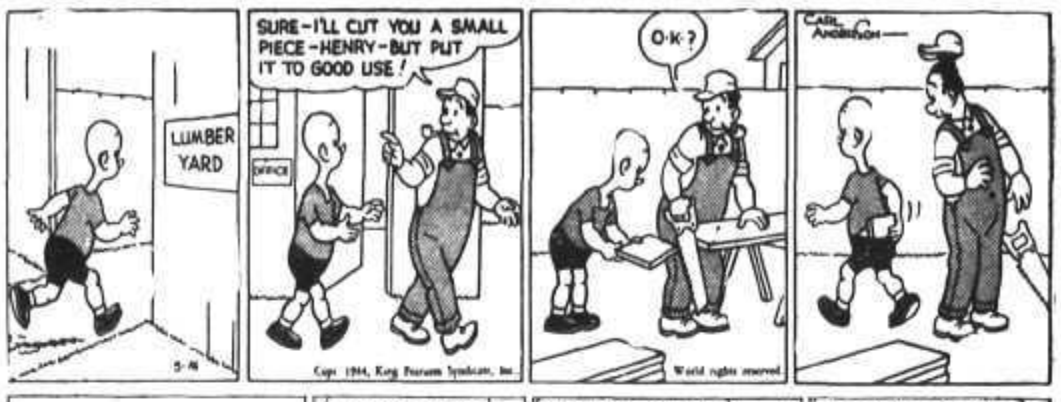

BRINGING UP FATHER

THE CUMPS

DONALD DUCK

BLONDIE

Contract... By Shepard Barclay

DEFENSE HAS TO GUESS

IT WOULD be interesting to see a compilation, based carefully on some big tournament, which would indicate how many defeatable contracts get made just because the defenders do not have X-ray eyes. Some great percentage of made contracts would be beaten if the opponents only knew the exact situation. No matter how able they may be, there is nearly always some element of guess in their efforts.

North: ♠ A 4 ♥ 10 9 8 2 ♦ 6 4 3 ♣ 8 6 5 4

West: ♠ 9 7 ♥ K 5 ♦ Q J 10 7 5 ♣ A K 9 3

East: ♠ 10 8 ♥ A 7 6 4 3 ♦ 9 8 ♣ Q J 7 2

South: ♠ K Q J 6 5 3 2 ♥ Q J ♦ A K 2 ♣ 10

(Dealer: North. East-West vulnerable.)

North	East	South	West
Pass	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass
4 ♠			

Booring the club K, West followed with the A for South to ruff. The heart Q was won by the K and the spade 9 return by the K. South led the heart J then to the A, and East gave South a diamond to the A. A spade to the A settled the defenders' trumps, and two established hearts were scored, for discards of the diamond 2 and—just for fun, the diamond A. Trumps, of course, finished the hand.

What an easy thing it would have been to beat that contract if West had seen fit to lead a diamond at the start, or if East had played the 2 on the club lead instead of the 7 and thereby caused a switch to a diamond. It would have changed the entire timing of the hand. If South then tried to set up a heart for a diamond discard, he would have got started too late in the process. East should have won the first heart and returned his second diamond. Then, when West won the second heart, he could have cashed the diamond trick which would set the contract.

The entire fate of this hand depends on how soon diamonds get led against South.

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Tomorrow's Problem

North: ♠ A Q 10 7 4 3 ♥ 8 ♦ 7 5 3 ♣ 8 6 3

West: ♠ J 9 5 2 ♥ K 9 3 ♦ 10 9 ♣ K J 4 2

East: ♠ K ♥ Q J 7 6 2 ♦ K Q 6 ♣ 10 9 7 3

South: ♠ 6 5 ♥ A 10 9 4 ♦ A J 8 4 3 ♣ A Q

(Dealer: West. Neither side vulnerable.)

If East had made a heart bid, and the suit was led, how should South play his spade suit in trying for 3-No Trumps on this deal?

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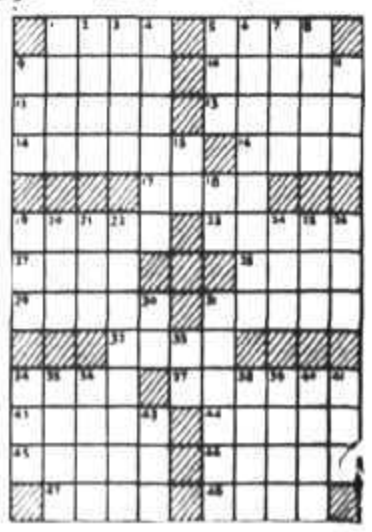
ACROSS
1. Resorts
5. Flex
9. Tree
10. Daisy
12. Silly
13. Unit of magnetic flux
14. Road
16. Was carried
17. French chalk
19. Pants
21. Name
27. Wing-like
28. Fly aloft
29. Cut, as wood
31. Ovules
33. Long-tailed bird (Afr.)
34. Mere
37. Astonishes
42. To take as one's own
44. Short (combining form)
45. The same (as before)
46. Monsters
47. Proof
48. Bird

DOWN
1. Dispatched
2. Fruit
3. Skin disorder
4. Pieces, as of paper
5. Curve
6. Habitual activity
7. Mountain (Bib.)
8. Colored, as cloth
9. Twice (as mark of repetition)
11. Before
15. Tantalum (sym.)
18. Lieutenant (abbr.)
19. Fuel
20. A wing
21. Maxim
22. Laws
24. Digit
25. Youth
26. Bitter vetch
30. Perform
31. Emblem
33. Music note
34. Not good
35. Mine entrance
36. Method of learning
38. Constellation (Sn. Hemisphere)
39. A cipher
40. Level
41. Little girl
43. Little child

(Saturday's Answer)



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(Section 28)

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Hogs on hand today include 7200 at plants and 15 carloads at yards.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

WINNIPEG, May 15 (CP)—Grain quotations

	Open	High	Low	Close
RYE:				
May	125⅝	125¼	123	123⅛
July	125⅝	125⅝	122	122
Oct.	123	123	117⅝	117⅝

OATS:
All futures at ceiling prices 81⅛ B.
BARLEY:
All futures at ceiling prices 64⅝ B.
CASH PRICES:
Rye: 2 C.W. 1.22⅛
Oats: All grades at ceiling prices 64⅝

DOW JONES AVERAGES

	High	Low	Close	Change
30 ind.	138.84	138.41	138.60	NU
20 rails	38.83	38.59	38.70	up .06
15 utils.	32.88	32.65	32.58	up .08

The Royal North West Mounted Police was organized in 1873.

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Cariboo Gold	1.52	1.55
Gold Belt	.29	.30½
Grandview	.11	.13
Hedley Mascot	.60	.65
Island Mount	.88	1.00
Koot Belle	.32	.36
Pacific Nickel	.06½	—
Pend Oreille	1.30	—
Pioneer Gold	2.10	2.40
Premier Gold	.92	.95
Privateer	.32	.35½
Reeves MacDonald	.20	.26
Reno Gold	.05	—
Sheep Creek	.95	1.00
Silbak Premier	.80	.84
Whitewater	.02½	.03
Ymir Yankee Girl	.03½	—
OILS		
Anaconda	.03½	.04½
Calg. & Edmonton	1.85	1.90
Commonwealth	.29	.32
Foothills		1.35
McDougall Segur Ex	.05½	.06
Model	.19½	—
Pacific Pete	.47	.50
Royal Canadian	.03½	.04
Southwest Pete	.15	—
Vanalta	.05	—
Vulcan	.16	—
INDUSTRIALS		
B.C. Telephone	114.00	—
Capital Estates	4.00	4.25
Coast Breweries	1.60	1.70
United Distill	2.75	—

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MINES	
Anglo-Huronian	8.90
Base Metals Mining	13½
East Malartic	1.95
Falconbridge Nickel	3.40
Golden Gate	.11
Hard Rock Gold	.89
Hollinger	11.50
Hudson Bay M & S	28.50
Inter Nickel	38.25
Kerr-Addison	8.90
Kirkland Lake	.94
Lake Shore Mines	16.25
Lamaque Contac	6.75
Little Long Lac	1.06
MacLeod Cockshutt	2.19
Madsen Red Lake	1.83
Malartic Gold	8.85
McIntyre-Porcupine	85.00
McKenzie Red Lake	1.34
Noranda	54.00
Normetal	.67
Pamour Porcupine	1.20
Perron Gold	.92
Pickle Crow Gold	3.05
Preston East Dome	3.65
San Antonio Gold	5.60
Sherritt Gordon	.56
Slack Gold	.06
Sladen Malartic	.62
Steep Rock	2.62
Sudbury Basin	2.45
Sullivan Cons	1.72
Teck-Hughes Gold	3.35
Toburn Gold Mines	.85
Trans Cont'l Res	.48
Ventures	7.45
Waite Amulet	4.55
Wright Hargreaves	2.08
OILS	
Inter Petroleum	20.50
Royalite	21.00
Texas Canadian	1.25
Vermilata	.10
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Bell Telephone	152
Brazilian Traction	33
Brewers & Distillers	6
Building Products	16½
Can Car & Foundry	8
Can. Malting	46½
Can. Pacific Railway	10½
Distillers Seagrams	38
Nat. Steel Car	15½
Power Corp.	6
Steel of Can.	63½

Market Trends . . .

LONDON, May 15 (CP)—Buying was on the selective side although industrials closed mostly higher and home rails turned easier. Oils were irregular but internationals and British funds were generally steady.

NEW YORK—Advances of fractions to a point predominated near the close.

Canadian stocks were narrow and mixed. Dome and Seagrams each gained ¼ but Lake Shore lost ¼ and Canadian Pacific was off ¼.

CHICAGO — Persistent liquidation of wheat and rye inspired by favorable crop growing weather and belief that the tight feed grain situation should ease within a few months, sent futures of those grains into new low ground for the current downward move. December wheat and rye hit new seasonal lows. Oats and barley slumped.

May wheat, oats and barley held at ceilings. Active wheat futures closed ⅛-1⅛ lower, July 1.68, active oats were off ⅛-1⅛, July 77⅞, active barley was ⅛-2⅛ lower, July 1.31⅛, and rye dropped ⅛-1⅛, May 1.23⅛-¼.

MONTREAL—Montreal Power was steady and stocks of its subsidiaries Beauharnois certificates and Southmount, pushed up a little.

TORONTO—Malartic, Larder Lake and Yellowknife Gold issues participated in the advance and led on volume.

Ventures advanced 15 cents to 7.45 and small gains were netted by Waite-Amulet, Steep Rock and Mining Corporation. Smelters and Noranda weakened minor fractions.

WINNIPEG—Liberal American selling coupled with declines at Chicago sent rye futures more than 4 cents under the previous close at times.

Closing values were 3⅛-6⅛ lower with May at 1.22⅛, July 1.22-1.22⅛ and October 1.17⅞-1.18⅛.

VANCOUVER—Both mines and oils held steady.

NEW YORK STOCKS

American Can	68
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	57
Anaconda	30
Beth. Steel	57⅛
Canadian Pacific	9⅛
Dupont	148⅛
Gen. Electric	38⅛
Gen. Motors	58⅛
International Nickel	35⅞
Union Pacific	107⅛
U.S. Steel	61⅛

MONTREAL STOCKS

INDUSTRIALS	
Can. Celanese pfd	143
Can. Steamship	10⅛
Can. Min. & Smelting	41⅛
McColl Frontenac	7⅛
National Brew. Ltd	30
Quebec Power	11⅛
St. Lawrence Corp	3⅛

Cards Trounce Phillies; Shoun Hurls No-Hitter

ST. LOUIS, May 15 (AP)—Breaking away for their biggest single inning of the National League season, St. Louis Cards today scored nine runs in the first off Dick Barrett and Chet Covington and won 11-6 over the Philadelphia Phillies.

Philadelphia	6	14	3
St. Louis	11	14	3

PITTSBURGH, May 15 — Eighteen Pittsburgh Pirates saw action today as New York Giants clubbed out 15 hits for an 8-7 edge and Ace Adams' fourth National League victory.

New York	8	15	0
Pittsburgh	7	11	1

CINCINNATI—Clyde Shoun spun the no-hit bottle today as the Cincinnati Reds downed the Boston Braves, 1-0.

Boston	0	0	2
Cincinnati	1	5	0

CHICAGO — Scoring seven times in the sixth inning, Brooklyn Dodgers submerged the cellarite Chicago Cubs 14-3 today, knocking Ed Hanyzewski and Claude Passeau off the hill in their big splurge.

While Hal Gregg was handcuffing the Cubs with five safeties, his mates helped him to his fourth National League victory with a 17-hit attack.

Brooklyn	14	17	0
Chicago	3	5	3

Brazil is a Catholic country, but freedom of worship is guaranteed.

Hayes Smashes Out Second Homer

PHILADELPHIA, May 15 (AP)—Frankie Hayes smashed out his second homer in as many days and led the Athletics to a 6-2 American League victory over the Detroit Tigers at Shibe Park today before 5021 fans.

Today's homer was his fifth of the year.

Detroit	2	9	1
Philadelphia	6	9	0

Overmire, Gillespie (9), Gentry (9), and Swift; Richards (9), Christopher and Hayes.

NEW YORK, May 15 (AP)—Three big innings did the trick for the American League-leading New York Yankees today as Rookie Walt Dubiel sprinkled five Chicago singles for his second Major League victory, 10-2, in a series opener played before 3797 fans.

Chicago	2	5	2
New York	10	8	1

Lopat, Humphries (7) and Turner; Dubiel and Hemsley.

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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: MAN IS AN EMBODIED PARADOX, A BUNDLE OF CONTRADICTIONS. C. C. COLTON.

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

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Upward Trend in Guiding B.C. Leaders Say Here

Miss D. Illingworth, Provincial Commissioner, and Miss M. Hannah, Provincial Head of Training for Girl Guides have arrived in Nelson, having completed a tour of the Province. They have visited Girl Guide companies in many places, including Prince Rupert and Prince George, coming East through Kamloops and the Okanagan. During this tour of inspection they find that the Girl Guide Movement is definitely on the upward trend, there being registered over 700 more Guides in British Columbia than at this time last year. Many new companies are being formed.

They propose visiting every company in this Division, commencing in Nelson this week, following with the Trail and Rossland Districts next week. In addition they are holding training classes for Leaders in the Memorial Hall Nelson on Thursday and Friday. On Thursday afternoon they will adress the older pupils of the Hume School on Guiding.

On Sunday next, this being the Empire Youth Sunday, a church parade is being planned to the Church of the Redeemer, Fairview. All the Guides, Brownies, Scouts and Cubs have been invited to attend. The speaker will be Commissioner Miss D. Illingworth.

CHESTER, England (CP)—Mrs. Rebecca Strong, O.B.E., Britain's oldest nurse who celebrated her 100th birthday in August, 1943, died here. She was one of Florence Nightingale's first students, when the latter established her nursing school after the Crimean War.

Overseas Mail Lost in Eastern Fire

SAINT JOHN, N. B., May 15 (CP)—Nearly all the contents of a mail car attached to a C. P. Railway was destroyed by fire early today as the train approached Holeb, Me., en route to Saint John from Montreal. The car carried letters, parcel post, newspapers and magaziens from Quebec, Ontario and the eWst for overseas and the Maritimes. Postal officials said the fire was believed to have started in inflammable material in a parcel addressed for overseas.

Social Services to Children May Be Brought I

WINNIPEG, May 15 (CP) — Dr. George F. Davidson, Executive Director of the Canadian Welfare Council, said today introduction of children's allowances would probably have to be accompanied by a general extension of social services for children.

In his report prepared for representation to the annual meeting of the Council being held here Dr. Davidson said the growing interest in social welfare emphasized the necessity of integrating Dominion and Provincial social measures.

It was possible that children's allowances might be in effect within another year and there was a marked difference of opinion as to whether assistance should be provided through cash allowances or an extension of services. The council had not taken a stand nor was any final and complete consensus of opinion of Canadian social workers available.

Success of children's allowance plan would be largely dependent on proper supervision for the small percentage of cases in which the money would otherwise be improperly handled. Experience of the dependent's allowance board indicated this would not exceed more than from one to three per cent. Such supervision would call for strengthening and expansion of social agencies in all provinces.

The council's annual financing statement showed receipts for the year totalling $46,902 and expenses of 346,520. The reserve account increased during the year by $2178 to $24,122.

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Bracken Plans to Develop Forestry Policy

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Ma, 15 (CP) — John Bracken said in an address prepared for delivery here tonight that if his party is given a mandate at the next general election it proposes to set up a national forestry advisory council to join the Dominion, the Provinces and the lumber industry in an endeavor to develop a national forest policy.

A separate technical branch of the mines and resources department or a ministry of forests would be established to deal with forests matters.

The object would be to conserve and manage forest resources to give employment to as many Canadians as possible and enable the Dominion to compete in the world market.

"We should, at the same time, regulate cutting by operators and plan reforestation in such a way that our forest estate will not be depleted while soil and water conditions would be favorably affected," said Mr. Bracken.

"Farming and fisheries are both affected by the preservation of properly wooded areas, so are the fur industry and the tourist trade— all of which are vitally important to the welfare of the country."

Research on the utilization of forest products would be extended, and steps taken to combat fire, insects and other forest dangers, he said. To develop the proposed national policy the training of many foresters, rangers and semi-technical personnel would be required, with a road building program and the improvement of waterways so that fires could be brought under control and forest products carried cheaply to the mills. Complete air and ground surveys of forest resources were needed.

The national plans for reconstruction should embody road-building, the erection of look-out towers, the modernization of fire fighting equipment, the building of administrative quarters and the laying out of nurseries and experimental stations.

Athlones Inspect Guides, Scouts at South Slocan

SOUTH SLOCAN, B. C.—Friday May 12 was a red letter day for South Slocan when the Governor-General the Earl of Athlone and Princess Alice visited No. 3 Plant of the West Kootenay Power & Light Co.

The beautiful garden of the Staff House, with its profusion of Spring blooms, made a fitting setting for the Royal visit.

Lorne A. Campbell, General Manager, was host to Their Excellencies for luncheon at the Staff House.

Afterward the Vice-Regal party, accompanied by Major Mark Clayton, Aide de Camp, and Lady Vera Grenfell, Lady in Waiting, inspected the Boy Scouts, Cubs, Girl Guides and Brownies, who stood at attention whilst W. W. Bennett, Superintendent of the hydroelectric plants, presented Their Excellencies to Mrs. W. A. McCabe, Divisional Commissioner of the Guides; Mrs. W. C. Motley, District Commissioner; C. H. Bland, Scoutmaster, and A. Dunsmore, Cubmaster.

The Governor-General reviewed the Boy Scouts whilst Princess Alice inspected the Girl Guides and Brownies.

Mrs. Turner Lee on behalf of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Matthew's Church presented a bouquet of flowers to Her Excellency, who then met and chatted with Mrs. Bird, President of the W. A. and members.

The teachers and school children of South Slocan and Bonnington were assembled and the teachers, R. T. Edwards, Principal, and Miss Phyllis Duthie of South Slocan and Mrs. L. de Corp of Bonnington, were presented to Their Excellencies.

The Governor-General then proceeded to inspect the Veterans Guard in charge of Lieut. Wilson.

The Vice-Regal party later visited the No. 8 Plant before leaving for Nelson.

Consumers' Aid Needed for Work Prices Board

Soroptomists held their May dinner meeting Friday at the Hume Hotel, the guest speaker J. A. Ballantyne of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board giving an enlightening address dealing with th work of this Board. Mr Ballantyne asked for the consumers' support and patience to enable them to work out their plans effectively.

The United Nations pool, he said, had been formed last Fall. It gives each country the same amount of tea, coffee and sugar per capita. He told how the production of food had increased in Canada 60 per cent since 1941, despite the shortage of manpower, which showed the great effort farmers were putting forth to do their part.

Questions and discussions followed the address.

The speaker was thanked on behalf of the Club by Mrs. L. Mc-Phail. President Mona Meagher was in the chair.

Vice-Regal Party Roams Baker Street, Shops

A good many Nelson people had a close look at the Governor-General, the Earl of Athlone, and Princess Alice Saturday morning, but many, even after looking twice, went away convinced that it just couldn't be, for most people took it for granted that their excellencies left Nelson on the early-morning Eastbound train.

Perhaps the fact that the Governor-General wore civilian clothing had something to do with the general disbelief that the King's representative was wandering along Baker Street, occasionally dropping into a store. Princess Alice was also shopping.

The vice regal party sought privacy and received it, although they had several impromptu conversations with various people. One enterprising New Zealand airman even got the Earl's autograph.

GETS AUTOGRAPH

The Governor General was standing by his coach waiting for it to be hooked on the Westbound train when the airman, who was with Jack R. Ford of Nelson at the time, spotted him. With a little moral backing from Ford, the airman approached the Earl and asked for his autograph. The Earl cheerfully wrote "Athlone 1944" on a piece of paper the airman carried, and then asked him how he liked Nelson and how he had been treated. The airman told the Governor General that he thought Nelson a very nice place and that the people had treated him wonderfully. During the conversation they strolled along the platform. The airman was leaving on the same train.

Train crew men were also spoken to by the Earl.

Members of the V. Bundles organization who met the party at the Legion Friday told how Lady Vera Grenfell, lady-in-waiting to Princess Alice, remarked that the Legion building cornerstone had been laid by her grandfather, Earl Grey, Governor General at the time, Sept. 28, 1909.

The vice regal party will enjoy a holiday for nearly two weeks, fishing at a lake near Kamloops and then the Governor General will dedicate the Kamloops civic air field May 29.

Mayor N. C. Stibbs, who welcomed the party during their visit here Friday, asked the Governor General if he was a good fisherman. "No," replied the Earl, "I think I must have started too late."

Anglers Pay Fines, $25 and $10

the law since the opening of the season May 1. For fishing in the restricted area, Beasley to the Slocan River Junction, on Kootenay River Sunday, Knud Christenson of Bonnington paid a $25 fine in Provincial Police Court here Monday. He pleaded guilty before Stipendiary Magistrate William Irvine. Information was laid by Inspector Alex Sinclair of B Division, Provincial Game Branch.

H. Shields of Castlegar, pleaded guilty before Stipendiary Magistrate Stanley Humphreys at Castlegar to fishing without a licence, and was fined $10. Information was laid by Game Warden Gordon Haskell, B.C. Constable D. H. Pye of Castlegar Detachment prosecuting.

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Windermere Leads E. Kootenay With 148 Per Cent o 'nly.sE

CRANBROOK, B.C.—East Kootenay Victory Loan Unit reached 113 per cent if its $925,000 quota on returns in today.

Windermere led at 148 per cent, Creston was next at 128 per cent, Cranbrook had 123 per cent, Kimberley 102.8 per cent and Fernie 100.1 per cent of their respective quotas. Michel Natal has over 100 per cent unofficially but final returns are not yet all in.

Subscribers number 4521 so far compared with the final 4805 of the Fifth Loan. Kimberley is first with 1583, then Cranbrook with 923 and Fernie with 725, while Creston has 535, Michel-Natal 470 and Windermere, Reports for the day show:

Cranbrook	$900	$365
Creston	$15,100	$19,[illegible]
Fernie	1350	$213,200
Kimberley	$50	$249,250
Michel-Natal	$6500	$66,000
Windermere	$8350	$66,550
Totals	$32,250	$1,046,750

Nelson Unit Victory Loan Sales Up to $819,600; Record Not Complete

With returns still to be received, Nelson District, Monday had contributed $819,600 for Canada's war effort through the purchase of Sixth Victory Loan bonds. That sum represents 105.7 per cent of the 775,000 quota.

This figure, it is expected, will still be materially increased when all returns are in. Kaslo, New Denver and Salmo, it is known, still have sales to report. A $30,000 "special names" purchased, authorized by the City Council Friday still has not been recorded. "Special names" sales recorded amount to 125,000.

Each of the five sub-units had gone over its quota before the close of the three-week drive Saturday.

Kootenay Engineering construction workers at Brilliant had topped their $30,000 quota, it was reported Monday.

Three-star V flag winners in the group payroll section were Canadian Ingersoll Rand, Wood, Vallance Hardware Company Ltd., and Paterson Lumber Company employees, while seven gained V-flags for beating their quotas. B.C. Veneer Works, Kelly, Douglas & Company Ltd., William Waldie & Sons, W. H. Malkin Company Ltd., Burns Lumber and Coal Company Ltd., Peebles Motors Ltd., and Zinoton Mines Ltd. employees.

*Official returns received Monday and sub-units totals were:

Kaslo	$5450	$38,050
Nakusp	$6150	$50,150
Nelson	$22,350	$649,000
New Denver	$3650	$65,350
Salmo	$800	$16,900
Totals	$38,300	$819,800

*Figures are based on actual returns received at Victory Loan headquarters. However, it is known every sub-unit is over its quota.

CASUALTIES

The Canadian Army last night issued its 458th casualty list of this war as follows:

OVERSEAS

OFFICERS

Dangerously Injured:

Royal Canadian Artillery — MacDonald, Thomas William, Capt., Indian Head, Sask.

Missing:

Regiment de Quebec—Bieler, Gustave Daniel Alfred, A.-Major, Montreal, Que.

WARRANT OFFICERS, N.C.O.'s AND MEN

Killed in Action:

British Columbia Regiment — Hansen, Frederick John, Pte., New Westminster, B.C.

Alberta Regiment—Eliason, Walter John, Pte., Cherhill, Alta.

Died:

Royal Canadian Army Service Corps—Wendt, Carl, Pte., Pouce Coupe, B.C.

Wounded:

Sugden, James Alfred, Pte., Victoria, B.C.

British Columbia Regiment — Murphy, Terrence Patrick, Pte., Vancouver, B.C.

Alberta Regiment—Berreth, Niel Clarence, Pte., Hardisty, Alta.

Injured:

Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps—Armagost, Leonard Thomas, Pte., Rife, Alta.

Slightly Injured:

Royal Canadian Artillery — Herman, Donald Leonard, Pte., Camp Creek, Alta.

Waddington, Earl Leslie, Sgt., Vancouver, B.C.

YOUNG FISHERMAN NETS 3 BIG ONES

When young Kenny McLeod trudged home Sunday to weigh his catch of fish, he found they tipped the scales at 35 pounds. He caught two 10-pound char and one five-pounder on the West Arm Sunday. The youthful angler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. McLeod, Carbonate Street.

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CHINESE, RESIDENT IN B.C. 55 YEARS, DIES

NANAIMO, B.C., May 15 (CP)—Rev. Chow Ling of Victoria officiated at services here yesterday for Chin Leon Shong, 77, who died May 1.

Born in China, Chin had lived in British Columbia 55 years. He was Vice-President of the Chinese Free Masons and an executive officer of the Chinese Times of Vancouver.

WASHINGTON, May 15 (AP)—The United States Senate passed and sent to the White House today bills boosting pensions of disabled veterans of the First and Second Great Wars from $100 to $115 a month, where disability is service-connected, and from $40 to $50 monthly in case of non-service connected disability.

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Rossland Social . . .

By MRS. H. FLEURY

ROSSLAND, B.C., May 15—Tulips and lilacs banked the fireplace of the H. O. Layton, 1455 Lookout Street, Trail, home Thursday evening when at 7:30 o'clock Mis Dorothy Johnson of Rossland and C. M. (George) Layton also of Rossland, were united in matrimony. Rev. J. L. Clerihue performed the ceremony. The bride chose for the event an attractive two-piece afternoon frock in blue with which she wore a becoming hat en tone. She carried a bouquet of sweetheart roses. Mrs. E. A. Lukkar of Rossland as matron-of-honor, wore a beige ensemble with a corsage of sweetheart roses. E. A. Lukkar was best man. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the H. O. Layton home, Mrs. Layton being assisted in serving the buffet supper by her two daughters. The lovely two-tiered wedding cake was cut by the bride. Later the bride and groom left for Spokane to spend a short honeymoon before taking up residence in Rossland. Guests included Mrs. Thurso Russell of Tabor, Alta., sister of the groom and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Stinson, Mr. and Mrs. William (Bud) Pollock, Mr. and Mrs. "Tuck" Stephens, and Jack Martin, all of Rossland.

A delightful tea was held in the Parish Hall Friday afternoon, honoring Hospital Day by the Rossland Mater Misericordiae Hospital Auxiliary. A variety of early Summer flowers were attractively used to decorate the hall. Mrs. J. A. Butcher, President of the Auxiliary, and Mrs. W. O. Mars presided at the tea table, which was lovely with its ecru lace cloth centred by red tulips arranged gracefully in a silver basket and flanked by pink tapers in silver sconces. Mrs. R. E. Perkins, Mrs. J. R. Corner, Mrs. T. H. Tolland, Mrs. Richard Blythe and Miss Jean Spencer were the servitors. Mrs. E. E. Topliff and Mrs. H. L. Christian were the conveners. Mrs. M. Donahue and Mrs. J. O. Milligan had charge of culinary arrangements, while Mrs. J. R. Corner was in charge of the ticket sale and Mrs. Ed Kambick in charge of the cake raffle. Mrs. Fred Fletcher won the cake. Mrs. L. J. Nicholson was raffler.

H. B. White who has been in Rossland as book-keeper for the Cooperative Transportation Society since July returned to Kaslo to live at the weekend.

Mrs. Gus Spilker, 1415 Le Rot Avenue, was hostess Friday evening at three tables of bridge. Her home was attractively decorated with snapdragons and daffodils. Playing were Mrs. Harry Stinson, Mrs. K. L. Hedley, Mrs. N. L. Corfield, Mrs. James Bates, Mrs. George Hiam, Jr., Mrs. H. Knudsgaard, Mrs. Ed Haley, Mrs. Stan Jackson, Mrs. Cecil Pitt, Mrs. Bud Piper. Miss Kathleen MacLean and the hostess. Mrs. Haley held high score and Mrs. Stinson low. Mrs. Pitts and Mrs. Stinson assisted Mr. Spilker in serving refreshments.

Pr. and Mrs. R. H. Wynn and daughter Maxia, who visited Mr. and Mrs. Reno Morin for two weeks, have returned to Calgary.

The Boilermakers, Blacksmiths and Chain Gang Smelter Social Club held its social Friday evening at the K. P. Hall. Whist, a supper and dancing provided the entertainment. Mrs. Herb Thompson and Mrs. Blayne won first and Mrs. M. Roscoe of Trail and A. Buch won second prizes in whist. Mr. and Mrs. Angus Johnson of Trail won the spot waltz.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Williams, 1988 First Avenue, spent Friday in Nelson.

Mrs. Owen Proud was hostess to her bridge club Thursday evening, when two tables were in play. Players were Mrs. B. C. Rose, who won first prize, Mrs. Laura Dickson who got the consolation, Mrs. J. O. Milligan, Mrs. J. A. Williams, Mrs. Fred Hawkins, Mrs. Frank Spring, Mrs. Leo T. Nimsick and the hostess. Refreshments were served.

E. A. Mitchell spent the weekend at Kaslo.

Petty Officer Ray Underwood of the Royal Canadian Navy is spending a furough in Rossland visiting his wife.

Acl Peter Jensen spent a short leave in Rossland at the weekend visiting his parents.

Miss Frances Bray and Miss Mary Lou Leckie spent Friday in Trail.

Gunner Carl Osing, who arrived in Rossland to attend the funeral Saturday of his grandfather, A. J. Chalberg, will remain here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Osing, for two weeks furlough.

Miss Bernice Montpellier of Trail was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Leckie.

The Misses Patricia Bryan, Marceline Lalonde, Dorothy Nesbit and Dorothy Heaton were Trail visitors Sunday.

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