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ALLIES HARNESS ATOMIC ENERGY

No Comment From Premiers . . .

Consider Proposals on Finances, Social Security and Income

By FRANK FLAHERTY
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP) — Broad proposals for reorganization of Dominion-Provincial financial relations by agreements and without constitutional changes together with suggestions for enlarged social security and income maintenance today were placed before the Governments of the nine Provinces by the Federal Government at the opening session of the Dominion-Provincial Conference on Reconstruction. (See also stories on inside pages.)

UPSET PROGRAM

There was no immediate comment from Provincial Premiers and no objection to the Dominion Government proposals being taken into consideration. There were disputes, however, over procedure which upset the proposed Federal program for the initial stages of the Conference.

Announcement of the development of an atomic bomb and of the completion of mastery of atomic energy by Canadian, United States and British scientists provided a diversion for the conference and the news was given to it by Prime Minister Mackenzie King, as he said, because of its transcendant importance.

Mr. King said it was the intention to discuss procedure before any lengthy presentations were made. He understood from replies to the invitation that the Provinces were agreeable to the tentative program that all proposals should be presented before the steering committee was set up. He suggested, in view of Mr. Drew's remarks, that other Provincial Premiers might want to make their submissions at once.

SEEKS SAFEGUARDS

The discussion then went round the table with the various Premiers folowing one another in turn until Premier E. C. Manning of Alberta ended up by reading a lengthy prepared submission.

His main proposal was that the Dominion, under its constitutional powers, proceed to monetize the wealth of the Dominion and with due safeguards against inflation and deflation provide all Governments with funds necessary to the discharge of their constitutional responsibilities.

Premier Maurice Duplessis of Quebec said his Government came to cooperate but cooperation did not mean centralization. If the Premiers put aside their political ties the conference would be a success

Premier A. S. MacMillan of Nova Scotia said he was glad Mr. Drew and Mr. Duplessis were against centralization. Nova Scotia felt there was too much centralization of industry and wealth in Central Canada.

Premier J. B. McNair of New Brunswick spoke of the claims of the Maritime Provinces to a fairer distribution of national income.

RIGHT TO OWN REVENUES ESSENTIAL

Premiers Stuart Garson of Manitoba, T. C. Douglas of Saskatchewan and John Hart of British Columbia each said his Government was ready to cooperate. In one of the longer speeches Mr. Hart said the right to raise its own revenues by taxation was one of the essentials of an independent Legislature.

Justice Minister St. Laurent began reading the Dominion brief which, with other Ministers taking sections, was expected to occupy some hours.

During the course of the argument Mr. Drew and Mr. Duplessis both expressed displeasure at the fact the brief was given to the press for publication before it was read in the conference.

It was given to the press Sunday for release at 10:30 a.m. (E.D.T.) today, at which time, had the original plan been followed, Mr. St. Laurent would have begun reading.

CHINESE OPEN 50 MILES OF INVASION COAST

CHUNGKING, Aug. 6 (AP) — Chinese troops have broken into the South China port of Yeungkong and cleared a 50-mile stretch of the Chinese "invasion coast" West of Hong Kong, President Chiang Kai-shek's headquarters said today.

Swaying block-by-block street fighting is raging in the strategic coastal highway town, 121 miles Southwest of Canton.

By breaking into Yeungkong, Chinese forces won control of a 60-mile coastal stretch leading West to Tinpak, which lies East of the great Liuchow peninsula that dips into the South China Sea. The coastal area now is open to a virtually unopposed landing should Allied forces choose it for a staging point for supplies to the armies of South China.

To Help the Smaller Centres

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP)—Government policy in the sale of Government-owned war plants and industrial equipment is to encourage induary in the smaller centres, the Dominion said today in a brief presented to the Dominion-Provincial Conference.

SOCIAL CREDIT MEMBER WINS WARNER RIDING

WARNER, Alta., Aug. 6 (CP)—Premier Ernest Manning's Social Credit Government today withstood its first test since the Alberta general election a year ago, when Leonard C. Halmrast, Social Credit candidate, was elected to the Provincial Legislature in the Warner by-election.

Mr. Halmrast, rancher at Lucky Strike, Alta., polled 963 votes against 297 for his only opponent, H. J. Hierath, Single Tax nominee, with 26 out of 28 polls heard from.

The election was caused by the resignation of Solon Low, National Leader of the Social Credit Association who resigned his Warner seat to successfully contest Peace River Riding in the June 11 Federal general election.

SMALL POLL

Less than half the voters who registered voter in the Provincial general election a year ago were out today although they were greeted with perfect weather.

Although the Single Tax organization was strong in Alberta cities and many rural constituencies years ago, Warner is now the only constituency where there is any remaining vestige of it. Mr. Low polled 1,621 votes in the 1944 election while the single tax nominee, M. Madge, received 460 votes, leading the C.C.F. candidates by 66.

Standing in the Legislature now is: Social Credit 50, Independent 3; C.C.F. 2; Veterans' 1; Armed Forces 3; Total 60.

Dominion Moves to End Can Company Strike

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP)—Labor Minister Mitchell tonight announced the Federal Government has proposed that striking workers of the American Can Company, Ltd., at Vancouver return to work immediately and that the Government will appoint Mr. Justice Richards of Winnipeg to conduct negotiations between the company and United Steel Workers of America (C.I.O.)

The Minister said Federal action was taken following a request from British Columbia authorities to assist in settling the strike, now in its 11th day, and which has seriously interrupted supply of cans for canning fish, fruits and vegetables in the Coast Province.

The Federal Government now was awaiting word from the Company and the union as to their acceptance of the Federal proposals for settling the dispute, caused by company refusal to grant a union demand for a closed shop in preference to the present maintenance of membership agreement.

MANY WILL STARVE WITHOUT CANADIAN HELP

In his statement, Mr. Mitchell drew attention to the "extreme seriousness" of the situation brought about by interruption in the supply of cans for preserving. The statement said that the Canadian armed forces abroad in Europe as well as those of the Allies and the civilian populations "face starvation this Winter if foodstuffs from Canada and the United States are not sent.

"To this end an adequate supply of cans here in Canada is vital."

Ottawa's Proposals to the Provinces

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP)—Following are highlights of Federal Government proposals to the Dominion-Provincial Conference on Reconstruction:

Inter-Governmental co-operation and reallocation of functions and powers to be achieved by agreement and not by constitutional change.

Dominion to pay higher subsidies to the Province on the basis of a minimum of $12 per head of population as of 1941 census.

Provinces to withdraw completely from position of taxes on personal incomes, corporations and estates.

Minimum total Dominion subsidies to be $738,000,000 compared with present Provincial receipts from subsidies and taxes to be surrendered of $125,000,000.

Dominion to pay whole cost of old age pensions of $30 a month to all persons over 70, without means test.

Dominion and Provinces share 50-50 in cost of $30 monthly pensions to needy persons between 65 and 70.

A joint Dominion-Provincial health insurance scheme to be inaugurated by stages with Provinces administering and adjusting to their own conditions and Dominion providing financial assistance.

Dominion to pay unemployment assistance to all employable unemployed not covered by unemployment insurance.

Provinces remain responsible for relief of unemployables and self-employed persons who need relief.

Dominion to pay grants on Provincial and Municipal Public Works projects if they fit into a public investment timing program of using works to maintain full employment.

Clearer lines of demarcation for Dominion and Provincial activities in surveying and developing of resources to be drawn with Dominion undertaking all general and basic surveys, mapping and research.

In natural resources promotion and development activities of the Provinces, Dominion to assist financially, wherever possible, by undertaking a specific phase of part of the work.

Will Penticton Dairymen Strike!

PENTICTON, B.C. Aug. 6 (CP)—Penticton dairymen today threatened to start on a milk delivery strike Aug. 15 unless a three-cent per quart increase is granted by the Prices Board. The Prices Board has already refused an appeal for an increase.

The dairymen are asking to be able to charge 15 cents per quart. At present they are charging 12 cents. They serve 8,000 persons in this district.

The dairymen contend that at the present price they are unable to manage due to high feed and labor costs.

KEEP UP DEMANDS

P. F. Braut, Chairman of the Civic Committee of the Penticton Board of Trade, said: "The dairymen in this vicinity have been performing a service for a long time, trying to keep up with demands while they steadily went behind."

In a wire sent today to Peter Nedau of Ottawa Deputy Administrator of Dairy Products, H. B. Morley, Secretary of the Penticton Board of Trade, stated that "the dairymen in the district had not been given a fair hearing by the Prices Board or have the special conditions applying to the area been properly evaluated."

The wire added that "we ask that the officer under whose jurisdiction the case falls be instructed to immediately concern himself not arbitrarily but reasonably and with a clear understanding of the consequences of further delay."

Harry Black, Secretary to the Southern Interior Dairymen's Association, declared that when he had an interview with John Gibb, official of the Prices Board at Vancouver, the latter told him to tell members of the Association that they might as well shoot their cows if they couldn't make it pay on the present price structure.

FISHERMAID: Just the life for this sort of weather. The gal is Lizabeth Scott, new movie star.

May Reroute Civilization; Weapon Loosed on Japan

One Bomb Has Punch of 20,000 Tons T.N.T.; Staggering Force Will Have Many Uses When Adapted

ALLOW GERMANS TO FORM UNIONS, PARTIES

BERLIN, Aug. 6 (AP) — Great Britain and United States today gave the conquered Germans permission to form free, local trade unions and local political parties, but warned the German people they would get full freedom only after they proved themselves willing to build democracy.

"We shall assist you to rebuild your life on a democratic basis," Gen. Eisenhower said in a proclamation to the Germans. The American Commander demanded, however, that "there must be no idleness," particularly during and before the coming Winter which, he said, would be a hard one.

Freedom to engage in political activity and form unions and also of press and judicial liberty—still is subject to the approval of the local Allied Military Governments, he and Field Marshal Montgomery stressed, but held out prospect that these restrictons might be lifted.

POTSDAM POLICY

The relaxation of control was in accord with the policies for the government of Germany laid down last week by the Big Three meeting at Potsdam. The ban on political activities had been relaxed in the Russian zone some weeks ago.

Gen. Eisenhower said the plans were being announced since "our de-Nazification program has proceeded sufficiently." But he stressed that Germany would be prevented from "ever again threatening the peace of the world."

Field Marshal Montgomery's proclamation promised to help the Germans "eradicate idleness, boredom and fear of the future," and substitute "an objective and hope for the future."

ARMY ABLE TO RELEASE MANY NURSES

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP)—A surplus of nurses in the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps following the end of the war in Europe and return to Canada of many Nursing Sisters who have served overseas, has made possible the release of a considerable number of Army nurses, Defence Headquarters announced today.

Effective at once, any Army Nursing Sister may make application for return to reserve status or retirement.

RAIDERS FIRE JAP PORT

MANILA, Aug. 7 (Tuesday) (AP)—More than 400 fighters and bombers subjected the Southern Japanese port of Tarumi to the greatest fire-raid yet staged by Far East forces Sunday, leaving it engulfed in flames and wrapped in smoke billowing 12,000 feet high, it was announced today.

Weapon May Speed End of War; Defeat Japan From Air Alone

By C. R. BLACKBURN
Canadian Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 (CP) —The world learned today of a discovery so frighteningly dangerous that in improper hands it could result in the globe being rent asunder by man-made explosives.

Three years of wartime secrecy ended with President Truman's disclosure that atomic bombs have been developed and the first loosed upon Japan—but his announcement withheld details until the seemingly limitless power of the discovery can be more fully harnessed.

Canadian science and Canadian uranium played a large part in the epochal achievement by Allied research staffs—an achievement so fantastic that hours after it had been told around the world, military and scientific experts remained reluctant to hazard an estimate of its potentialities.

The discovery—in all likelihood one of the most important in the history of science and warfare—has made possible the creation of a bomb said to be capable of wiping out civilization if used in sufficient number.

MAY REVOLUTIONIZE LIFE

To what other purposes the principle of atom-fission may be applied could only be guessed. The energy so gained may some day be used to revolutionize nearly every phase of life requiring heat and power.

Scientists have known for generations that if all the atoms in a solid body or even a quantity of gas the size of a pea were to disintegrate simultaneously, incalculable power would be released. Official statements have not yet revealed how large a block of exploding atoms is used in each new bomb.

(In London an aircraft production official said the bombs were "10 times smaller than a blockbuster but many times as powerful." This would indicate their weight to be about 400 pounds, but presumably this figure includes casing, mechanism and other non-explosive parts.)

Existence of the great new weapon, which may speed up the capitulation of the enemy, was announced by President Truman at 8 a.m., PDT, in a White House statement. He said the first atomic bomb had been dropped on the Japanese army base of Hiroshima 16 hours earlier.

MAY BE ABLE CRUSH JAPAN FROM AIR

The bomb carried a wallop more violent than 2000 B-29 Superfortresses normally could hand an enemy city, using old type T.N.T. bombs. It had the destructive force of 20,000 tons of T.N.T.

War Secretary Stimson, in a statement declaring the potential force of the new explosive "staggers the imagination," said results of first use of the atomic bomb had not yet been ascertained because clouds of dust and debris covered the target. He asserted it would "prove a tremendous aid" in shortening the Japanese war.

Mr. Stimson's emphasis on this point renewed speculation as to whether Japan may be crushed by air attack without invasion.

Mr. Truman noted that the Japanese rejected the surrender ultimatum from Potsdam, and that this had been intended to spare the Japanese people from "utter destruction."

Now, he said, with the new bomb, the Japanese "may expect a rain of ruin from the air, the like of which has never been seen on earth."

The explosion of only 3000 tons of T.N.T. in Halifax harbor on Dec. 6, 1917, destroyed a large part of that city and killed nearly 2000 persons.

BEAT GERMANY IN RACE

President Truman said the scientific skill of the United Kingdom, the United States and Canada had gone into long experimenting before this achievement of the long-dreamed-of harnessing of atomic energy.

WILL HAVE MANY USES

Canadian and British scientists working in Montreal and other Canadian cities pooled their efforts with American and British scientists here to harness the unprecedented power the force of which in peace as well as war may alter the course of civilization.

Scientists agreed that a new epoch in both war and peace is probably at hand. Although much experimenting remains to be done, this newly-controlled energy can doubtless also be used to drive rockets, planes, ships and trains for constructive as well as destructive purpoes.

The announcement heralded an Anglo-American-Canadian victory at a cost of $2,000,000,000 in one of the grimmest battles of the war—the battle of the laboratories—to unlock the secrets of the atom and yoke its energies to military use.

The Germans were striving desperately to win this highly secret contest in the closing months of the European struggle.

Blind Girl 120 Miles Away Aware of Brilliant Test Flash

LOS ALAMOS, N.M., Aug. 6 (AP)—The age of atomic force was ushered in July 17, 1945, when a group of renowned scientists and military leaders gathered in New Mexico's desert wastelands to witness the results of their $2,000,000,000 experiment.

The War Department disclosed today that the test took place on that date on an isolated section of the Alamogordo, N.M., air base, 120 miles Southeast of Albuquerque at 5:30 a.m.

"A revolutionary weapon destined to change war as we know it, or which may even be the instrumentality to end all wars," said the War Department's announcement, "was set off with an impact which signalized man's entrance in to a new physical world.

"A small amount of matter, the product of a chain of huge specially-constructed industrial plants, was made to release the energy of the universe, locked up within the atom from the beginning of time."

The blast from that test jarred windows in homes as distant as Southern Arizona.

At Albuquerque, 120 miles away, a blind girl, when the flash of the test lighted the sky before the explosion could be heard, asked, "What was that?"

The nearest lookout point was set up six miles from the steel tower from which the experiment took place. Key figures in the experiment took their positions nine miles away. They were ordered to lie down with their heads away from the blast tower.

CLOUD REACHES SUB-STRATOSPHERE

On Saturday, July 14, the unit which was to determine the success or failure of the entire project was elevated to the top of the steel tower.

At the appointed time there was a blinding flash lighting up the whole area brighter than the brightest daylight. A mountain range three miles from the observation point stood out in bold relief. Then came a tremendous roar and a heavy pressure wave which knocked down two men outside the control centre. Immediately therafter, a huge multicolored surging cloud boiled to an altitude of more than 40,000 feet. Clouds in its path dispersed. Soon the shifting substratosphere winds dispersed the now gray mass.

The test was over, the project a success.

The steel tower had been entirely vaporized. Where the tower had stood, there was a huge sloping crater.

1917 Halifax Blast One-Seventh of Force of Atomic Bomb

NEW YORK, Aug. 6, (CP)—A faint idea of the power within the atomic bomb:

A munitions ship blew up in Halifax, N.S., June 6, 1917. Fifteen hundred persons were killed, 4000 injured, 20,000 made homeless, 2½ square miles of the city devastated.

The ship carried 3000 tons of T.N.T.—about one-seventh of the equivalent of the new bomb.

Canada's Role in Past and Future of Atomic Research Vital

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP)—Canadian scientists have played an important pat in the development of atomic bombs, the first of which was dropped on Hiro Shima, a Japanese Army base, Munitions Minister Howe announced today.

Mr. Howe said in a statement that Canada, in cooperation with the United State and United Kingdom, has undertaken to establish a pilot plant for further investigations near Petawawa military camp, Northwest of Ottawa. He said also that Government action in taking over the Eldorado Mining and Smelting Co. was part in the development of atomic gram.

CAN TURN TO PRACTICAL USES

Mr. Howe said the announcement at Washington by President Truman of first use of the new bomb was "pregnant with significance."

He added:

"While it will take some time properly to assess its full implications it is probable that it will go down in history as one of the most important scientific and military announcements ever made by the head of a great nation.

"The real significance does not lie in the fact that this new bomb has accomplished an almost incredible feat of destruction, important as that fact may be; its significance is that this bomb is a sign which all can appreciate that the basic problems of the release of energy by atomic fission have been solved, and that the unbelievably large amounts of energy which scientists have long believed to be associated with matter can now be made available for practical use."

Canada had been associated with scientific development in this field since its early stages, first at McGill University and through research by individual scientists and then by small scale experiments conducted by the National Research Council in 1940.

"It is a particular pleasure for me to announce that Canadian scientists and Canadian institutions have played an intimate part and have been associated in an effective way with this great scientific development," said Mr. Howe.

HOPE TO USE TO PRESERVE PEACE

"While the strictly Canadian effort cannot be compared either in personnel involved or monies spent, with the truly stupendous effort that the United States has made, nevertheless Canadian scientists and engineers in cooperation with distinguished workers from Britain and America have played a part that guarantees us a front line position in the scientific advance that lies ahead.

"The international aspect of this new development, with its possibilities both of good and evil, will be foremost in the minds of many and it is to be hoped that some means will be found to use it for the benefit of mankind, not for our destruction, but for the maintenance of peace."

Mr. Howe's statement lifted the veil on one of Canada's most closely-guarded war secrets. Even engineers working on the construction of the pilot plant 125 miles Northwest of Ottawa were unaware of the exact purpose of the undertaking.

QUICKIES . By Ken Reynolds

"I don't care how interesting the Nelson Daily News Want Ads are—you let Junior read them for a while"

Await Release of Eye-Witness Story Atomic Bomb Raid

GUAM, Aug. 7 (Tuesday) (AP) —Approximately 125 Superforts struck Toyokawa naval arsenal with high explosive bombs around noon today.

Meanwhile, eyewitness accounts of the results of Monday's atomic bomb raid on the big base and port of Hiroshima on Japan's Inland Sea were being sent to the War Department for clearance.

In the Toyokawa raid no fighter opposition and only meagre anti-aircraft fire were observed.

PATROLS THRUST ACROSS SITTANG

CALCUTTA, Aug. 6 (CP) — Patrols of Empire troops have thrust across the old Sittang River Channel at a point 60 miles Northeast of Rangoon in Southern Burma, while other forces battled to wipe out Japanese remnants still trapped West of the River, the Southeast Asia Command announced today.

The patrols crossed the Channel South of Abya and probed enemy strength. The Burma fighting in the Sittang area has cost the enemy more than 10,000 dead in recent weeks, and virtual destruction of the Japanese 28th Army.

Prime Minister 4623, Dr. Monahan 327 . . .

King Overwhelms Unknown at Polls

ALEXANDRIA, Ont., Aug. 6 (CP) — Prime Minister Mackenzie King was elected to the House of Commons tonight, defeating Dr. Richard Monahan, Independent Liberal, by a landslide majority in the Glengarry by-election.

Returns from the complete 43 polls gave Mr. King 4623 against 327 for the 64-year-old doctor of Sharbot Lake, Ont., the biggest majority in the voting record of the historic riding. In seven of the polls, Dr. Monahan failed to get a vote.

Efforts to reach Dr. Monahan in the district for comment on the outcome, were unsuccessful.

Mr. King, who was defeated at Prince Albert in the June 11 general election, received news of his election during the dinner recess of the Dominion-Provincial conference which he had attended during the afternoon.

Today's result returned Mr. King to the Commons for the eighth time. Dr. Monahan, an unknown, had campaigned in Glengarry but Mr. King had not returned to the riding since he attended the nomination meeting of local Liberal Association.

Dr. Monahan said in his campaign that he was contesting the seat in order to make a fight out of an election that was "too cut and dried."

Mr. King was offered the Liberal nomination in Glengarry after he was defeated in Prince Albert in the general election. Dr. W. B. McDiarmid, who had been elected as a Liberal in the election, resigned to open a seat for the Prime Minister.

PRIME MINISTER KING

The Weather

Temperatures — Max 95.2, Min 52.8.

Forecast, Kootenay: Light to moderate winds [illegible] very warm.

Dominion Must Inaugurate Plan to Avoid Economic Extremes —Hart

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP) — Premier John Hart of British Columbia said today that in view of the restricted financial capacity of provincial governments, any effective attempt to employ a method of timing public expenditures, or tax relief to avoid economic extremes, would have to be inaugurated by the Dominion Government.

"Whether we, in Canada, can successfully use the weapons of monetary and fiscal policy to combat our peace-time enemies of unemployment and depression, depends, we think, partly on international conditions largely beyond our control, and partly on the domestic arrangements which are devised to coordinate governmental and private effort," said Mr. Hart while speaking at the Dominion-Provincial conference.

"The basic question, in our opinion is how effective recognition can be given to the interdependence of all Canadian governments and, at the same time, preserve the constitutional privileges of the separate parts. We are inclined to think that no one answer to this question will be found wholly satisfactory. Perhaps only through experience can be evolved a practical method of dealing with it.

"In any case, since we shall be breaking into new and difficult ground, flexible arrangements and continuous Dominion - Provincial collaboration are likely to be more appropriate than rigid, permanent adjustments in the initial stage. It may be that a Dominion-Provincial coordinating council would serve a useful purpose in this connection."

Mr. Hart said he appreciated the fact that, if every fiscal instrument was to be used in a concerted drive against depression or inflation, some cooperative methods may be necessary in certain revenue fields where previously independent Dominion and Provincial methods of collection were feasible.

"It is impossible that the method of tax-sharing could be used to advantage in dealing with this question," he said. "In this respect, experience under the existing tax agreement has shown that the policy of a single agency for the collection of specified revenues commends itself highly."

He believed that to make a full employment program a success, labor could be taken into the confidence of the governments so that they might approach the transition period with every assurance that there would be no serious unemployment.

79 TOURIST GROUPS AT TOURIST PARK

Nelson's Tourist Park registrations now number 79 parties with visitors during the last few days from Alberta, Washington and British Columbia.

Those registered recently were G. F. Baxter, Seattle; William McCartney, Claresholm, Alta.; A. Gibson and family, Edmonton; E. F. Bellingham, Helen J. Leitch, Peggy Flood and W. J. Munay, all of Vancouver; H. W. Fennell and family, Fort St. John, B.C.; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. William and son, Invermere, and G. Nigue and family, Creston.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR DANIELSON TO BE AT CRESTON

The body of J. A. Danielson, 20-year-old resident of Arrow Creek, who was drowned in the Kootenay Lake at Blake, on Sunday morning, was to be forwarded to Creston, Monday night. Funeral services are to be held there.

Mother of Nelson Man Passes at Coast

Mrs. Frances Howard of Port Moody, B. C., and mother of Harold Howard of Nelson, died Friday, aged 95 years, at the Coast.

She is survived by five sons, one daughter, 14 grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday, in Vancouver. Interment was in Mountain View Cemetery.

TOAST-and-TEA

BY J. A. M. ARDY

Norman O'Neill is perhaps best known for his music for "The Blue Bird and Mary Rose", but almost his whole life was devoted to making music for the English theatre. In a recent biography of him, Derek Hudson, his son-in-law, says that he and his brothers when youngsters used to write and act their own plays. For one memorable performance Frank, an elder brother, played the part of a mother surrounded by several babies, consisting of Norman and a lot of dolls. The husband, another brother, was just supposed to have returned from long travels abroad and when he had finished a stirring account of his adventures, the "mother" quietly pointed to her young family and said: "I, too, have not been idle"—a remark which to the young actors' astonishment brought the house down.

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Bunched Hits Give Jacks 16th Win, Cranbrook

CRANBROOK, B. C., Aug. 6—Bunched hits by Jacks in the fifth inning netted five runs tonight to break a 5-5 tie with Bombers for a 10-5 win, their sixteenth of the season. Jacks earned four in the opener then let in five Bombers on walks, passed balls and errors and three singles. There was no further scoring until the fifth inning Jacks volley of singles and doubles.

Mrs. Chandler, Kaslo War Bride, Honored

KASLO, B.C.—Mrs. W. D. Chandler, the latest war bride to arrive in Kaslo, was guest of honor on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Fred Spiers, when members of the I.O.D.E. and the Women's Institute tendered her a reception. Bowls of lovely sweet peas and *gypsophilia adorned the living rooms.* Refreshments were served. Mrs. J. Daem, Mrs. Edward Allen and Mrs. T. Allen assisted the hostess in serving the guests. The honor guest was then presented with gifts from the three organizations, Mrs. A. F. Stephenson making the presentation for the W.I.; Mrs. A. Fell for the I.O.D.E.; and Mrs. E. Singel for the Auxiliary to the Legion. A dainty bouquet of pastel shaded sweet peas accompanied the gifts.

In an appropriate little speech Mrs. Chandler thanked the ladies. Those present were Mrs. A. Fell, Mrs. E. Singel, Mrs. A. F. Stephenson, Mrs. F. S. Chandler, Miss Winnie Chandler, Mrs. Roy Green, Mrs. J. Daem, Mrs. T. Horner, Mrs. G. Palmer, Mrs. A. Allen, Mrs. S. Stocking, Mrs. Barber of Trail, Mrs. F. Webber, Mrs. M. McQueen, Mrs. J. McGillivray, Mrs. F. H. Abey, Mrs. D. McLennan, Mrs. N. Primrose, Mrs. J. Paterson, Mrs. M. Whittaker, Mrs. H. T. Driver, Mrs. Y. Condy, Mrs. H. South, Mrs. R Morton, Mrs P. Ames, Mrs. C. Lind, Mrs F. Spiers, Miss May Meers, Mrs. Colin Cameron of Wasa, Mrs. Edward Allen, Mrs. T. Allen and the guest of honor.

Auto Licence Revenue $2341

CRANBROOK, B.C.—The portion of auto licence revenue to the Provincial Government returnable to organized territory in the Province amounted to $2,341 in the case of Cranbrook.

Eighty-five municipalities, cities and villages share this returnable portion on a population basis, with the total of $570,000 divided among them. The returnable portion is approximately one-fourth of the Provincial revenue derived from the licensing of automobiles.

Mrs. Contini of Trail Passes

TRAIL, B. C., Aug. 6 — Mrs. Donata Contini, who came to Trail from Italy in 1907, died Saturday morning at Trail-Tadanac Hospital, at the age of 67.

She is survived by her husband, five sons and five daughters.

Requiem Mass will be sung, on Wednesday at 10 a.m., at the St. Anthony of Padua Church, with the Rev. Father F. Balo officiating.

Many millions of pounds of potatoes and grain have been lost in Holland because of the flooding of areas by Germans, and at least $3,000,000 worth of agricultural implements have been ruined.

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Mrs. C. Cooper, 18 Years Trail Resident, Passes

TRAIL, B. C., Aug. 6 — Mrs. Charles M. Cooper, resident of Trail for 18 years, died in Trail-Tadanac Hospital, Monday morning at the age of 62.

Born in Sherbrooke, Que., she later moved to Calgary, and from there to Trail. She is survived by her husband Charles M. Cooper, 980 Kummligan Avenue, three daughters and three nieces.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday at 2 p.m., in Knox United Church.

Brouse Man Killed as Car Drops 35 Feet

Frank Lepene of Brouse, was killed, Saturday morning, near Roseberry, when the car in which he was a passenger was involved in an accident, and dropped 35 feet to the railroad.

Joseph Fidek, also of Brouse, driver of the car, was slightly injured. The car was proceeding between Nakusp and New Denver when the accident occurred at 7:20 a.m. on Saturday.

An inquest into the death was to be held.

Improvements for Cranbrook Electric Supply Arrive

CRANBROOK, B.C.—New equipment including a 135-K.V.A. capacitor and an 80 K.V.A. feeder induction regulator are being obtained by the City from Canadian Westinghouse Company to improve the City electric supply. Gradual deterioration in the supply and efficiency have been under way in city electricity with difficulties of obtaining replacement parts through the war years, and steady increase in consumption.

The capacitor is designed to improve the present low power condition, and the regulator to improve the voltage through the entire city system.

City power is derived from the East Kootenay Power Company's plant at Bull River and is distributed by the City through the City's own system from a sub-station at the East end of Kains Street where the new parts will be installed as soon as they are delivered.

YAHK

YAHK, B.C.—Ruby Rounsville arrived home from Cranbrook where she has been employed for some time.

Mrs. H. Peterson and grandaugnter Myrna were the guests of Mrs. Pearson, Moyie.

Roberta and Patricia MacMaster left for Cranbrook where they will visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. MacMaster.

Lilly Sockolowsky left for Cranbrook where she will visit friends before continuing her journey to Tornto Ont.

Mrs. R. Brenner and family was a Creston shopper.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Shubert and Gloria were in Creston.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Talerico and family were visitors to Creston.

Mrs. Sandness was a Creston shopper.

Mrs. Hans Lindhorst visited Cranbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Matson and family spent Sunday at Green Bay.

Howard Birch visited Kimberley.

Axel Bonnberg spent the weekend at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Williams of the New Hotel arrived home from Cranbrook.

Ralph Ringsted accompanied by Tod Mather were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Rounsville.

Cpl. and Mrs. O. M. Ringstad from Massett Queen Charlotte Island were visitors at the Rounsville's.

Jens Ringstad has been a visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. Rounsville.

Elaine Rounsville and her cousin Ruth Stenerson were in Cranbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Jock Wardrope Kimberley, are here visiting relatives.

The Berg children from Crawford Bay, are spending a holiday with their aunt, Mrs. Olga Handley.

Mrs. Matson and Melvin visited Kimberley.

Ruby Rounsville and Ruth Stenerson were Creston shippers.

Floyd Carston and Ralph Rounsville were in Creston.

Archie Craig of Cranbrook was a visitor to Yahk Friday Calling on Mr. and Mrs. G. Bourne. He was later accompanied home by his nephew, Bobby, Willock, who spent a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bourne.

Miss Maxine Phillips, whose parents purchased Burton's Auto Camp, Cranbrook is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Daily.

John Holmgren was surprised when a number of his friends met at his home the evening of his birthday. He was presented with a linoleum rug as a token of esteem in which he was held. He will shortly leave for Hot Springs where he hopes to benifit his health.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Brenner were hosts to a number of friends who gathered in their home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Talerico, Monday evening. There were 5 tables of whist and the winners were, ladies 1st prize, Mrs. Geo. Bourne and the consolation going to Mrs. Talerico. Gents 1st going to Mr. Welbe and consolation, Bill Carston. The hostess, Mrs. Brenner played several musical numbers and sang to the delight of the guests.

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Celebrations at Koolaree for Camper's Birthday

This is Camp Koolaree calling Trail, Nelson and District.

Yesterday was a big day out here at camp. It was Shirley Anne Webster's birthday. At the supper table all campers surprised Shirley Anne by dressing up as "little girls" with paper bows and short dresses. The cake that our marvellous cooks, Sally and Nita, made was decorated with 16 candles.

In the evening a mock wedding was held with Dot Smith as "groom" and Shirley Ann Webster as the "blushing bride". Peggy Woods acted as bridesmaid and Sheila Gairns gave the bride away. Marjorie Kirby was best man. Mary MacDonal, the "weeping preacher" tied the knot between the stuttering groom and the nervous bride. The costumes were very original.

A barn dance was held imediately after the wedding to celebrate the marriage. The orchestra consisted of Mary MacDonald at the organ, Bob Vallance singing and Dickie Anderson on the tin-can drum.

All this was finished off by everyone joining the "friendship circle."

KIMBERLEY TO SEND CLOTHING OVERSEAS

KIMBERLEY, B. C.—Mayor Clifford Swann has been chosen by the eight local organizations convened by the Rotary Club to head the committee which will collect at least one railway carload of clothing between October 1 and 20 for shipment Overseas.

This is part of a national campaign on those dates to provide warm clothing suitable for use by people of the devastated countries of Europe who will require warmth and clothing in the coming winter. Everyone is being asked to contribute garments usable in these circumstances which they do not require for their own use.

President R. B. MacLeod of the Rotary Club was in charge of the meeting at which the seven other groups had representatives. Efforts are under way to secure use of the area rink during the drive as a depot for collections.

Organizations taking part are the Rotary Club, the Board of Trade, the Ministerial Association, the I. U. of M. M. and S. W. local 651, Canadian Legion and Auxiliary, Catholic Women's League and two Red Cross groups.

KASLO

KASLO, B. C.—Mrs. C. D. Richards and two small daughters, Judy and Barbara have returned to the coast after a month's holiday spent in Kaslo.

Miss Mary Dutton and Miss Margaret Wagg of Lethbridge are holidaying at the Dutton's summer cottage. Mr. and Mrs. E. Dutton will arrive shortly to spend a few weeks in Kaslo.

J. Dinney of Johnson's Landing is spending some time at the Coast. He will attend the wedding of his son Ronald and later will visit a brother whom he has not seen for 22 years.

Mrs. McCullough and daughter Adele of Trail were recent guests of Mrs. W. English.

Donald Trickett of Nelson has been at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Fred Webber.

Roy Brewer returned recently from visiting friends in Alberta.

Drs. M. and W. Irwin have had as their guest at their Mirror Lake home, Jack Cochran of Moose Jaw. He is a grand nephew of Alderman E. H. Latham.

Mrs. Sadler and young son of Trail are visitors in Kaslo, guests at the home of Mrs. A. Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Chambers and daughter Peggy of Calgary are enjoying a three weeks' holiday in Kaslo.

Mrs. Doyle, who has spent several weeks at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Booth, at Shutty Bench, has returned to the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Green arrived in Kaslo on Thursday and will spend some time at their cottage in Kaslo.

Mayor C. W. Webster and Mrs. Webster and G. S. Baker motored to Nelson Thursday.

Miss Winnie Chandler who has spent the past year at Calgary, left on Thursday for Nelson, where she will take up residence.

Mr. and Mrs. William Knowlden of Lethbridge are enjoying a vacation in Kaslo.

Mrs. D. Stubbs and Miss M. Milburn of Victoria have taken one of the Abbey Cottages at Mirror Lake for the coming month.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strachan returned to Nelson after two weeks holiday spent at their old home in Kaslo.

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Green have returned to Cranbrook after spending a vacation at their summer home at Mirror Lake. Mrs. W. Green (Junior) and baby daughter have also returned home.

L. S. Robert J. Paterson, R. C. N. V. R. is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J Paterson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Yonson and two children, Barbara and John, have left for Victoria, after being guests of Mrs. Yonson's parents Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Armitage. While in Kaslo Mrs. Yonson was guest soloist at St. Andrew's United Church.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Driver have as their guests at their Mirror Lake home, their daughter Miss Bernice Driver, and Miss Margaret Horn, who are on the staff of the High River Municipal Hospital, Alberta.

Mrs. Kenneth Huscroft and baby son John of Erickson are visiting Mrs. M. Riddell in Kaslo.

F. J. Smyth who is on the staff of the Cranbrook Courier is enjoying a holiday in Kaslo. This is his first visit in Kaslo for almost 50 years.

HEMEL HEMPSTEAD, England (CP) —Historical evidence that the name of this town should be spelled "Hempsted" has caused a storm in the local council and a special memorandum is being prepared on the subject.

BLACKHEADS

Don't squeeze blackheads—dissolve them. Get two ounces of peroxine powder from any drug store and apply gently with wet, hot cloth over blackheads. They dissolve and disappear by this safe simple method.

Customs, Revenues Increase 33 Per Cent in July

CRANBROOK, B.C.—Increase by 33 per cent in customs and inland revenue collections during July, compared with the previous month was recorded at the central office here.

Receipts at the port of Cranbrook were $39,519.18, while the outports accounted for a further $1,875.58 for a total of $41,194.76 in collections.

June's total collections were $30,426.18.

No New Fires; Hazard Remains High

Depite the continued long hot, dry spell, which has lasted well over a month, B. C. Forest Service Officials in Nelson are considering themselves fortunate in the fact that the fires, although numerous in number, have all been reasonably small and have done very little damage. No new fires were reported since Sunday. They reported Monday that all fires were well under control, with only small patrols on all.

The largest fire in the district, at Howser, was finally under control after a hard fight on Sunday. No information was available from the Wildhorse fire but it was reported that 19 men were fighting their way to the fire which is in difficult country.

Natal - Michel Bufaloes Defeated by Hillcrest

NATAL, B.C.— The Natal-Michel Buffaloes journeyed up the Crow's Nest Pass over the weekend and completed their regular eight-game league schedule when they were defeated by the highly touted Hillcrest Miners by a 19-13 score in a wild scoring game which saw no less than thirty hits made and twenty-nine runs scored by the two teams.

Playing in the newly built ball park throughout a windstorm both teams made numerous errors which paved the way for many unearned runs while the large crowd that was on hand to see a duplicate of the game played on Dominion Day were disappointed as no less than twenty errors were made by the both teams. T. Krall and W. Krall shared the pitching duties for the Buffaloes while Quintillo went the entire route for Hillcrest and although hit hard managed to pull out of many tight spots and collected nine strikeouts. Included in the many extra base blows that were made were two home runs with Stasuik hitting for the circuit with one on in the first inning for Hillcrest and Chala hitting the other for the Buffaloes in the eighth with none on.

The game was umpired by L. Krall of Natal and L. Montegami of Hillcrest. The Buffaloes ended the league schedule playing eight games, winning four and losing four while the win boosted the chances of Hillcrest for cinching top place. The playoff will commence as soon as all the teams completed their playing schedule.

Kimberley Forms National Clothing Drive

KIMBERLEY, B. C.—A meeting of organizations was held on July 30 to organize a National Clothing Drive. The chairman for the evening being Mr. R. B. MacLeod. It was decided that one carload of clothing would be the objective on which the drive will proceed. Chairman elected for the drive is His Worship, Mayor Swann.

Organizations represented were: Ministerial Association, Board of Trade, Local 651, P. T. A., Canadian Legion, C. W. L., Blarchmont Red Cross and Kimberley Red Cross Society.

All communications with headquarters will be carried on between local chairman, Mayor Swann and National chairman, Mr. W. M. Birks, Montreal.

Cancel Trains Where Atomic Bomb Fell

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 6 (AP)—The Osaka radio announced tonight the cancellation of various trains in Hiroshima Prefecture — the district in which the first atomic bomb in the world was dropped.

29 West Kootenay Men Among 600 on Way Home

Twenty-nine Kootenay boys were among the 600 boys returning with the docking of the Ile de France at Halifax Sunday.

The war veterans will arrive at Vancouver near the end of the week and proceed home from there.

Following are the Pacific volunteers:

Cpl. H. N. Cousins, Rossland; Gnr. A. A. Wajtula, Natal; L.-Cpl. H. W. McLellan, Nelson; Pte. G. A. Orlando, Trail; Pte. R. C. Wright, Trail.

The folowing personnel are described in the army release as a draft for Canada.

Gnr. W. Barber, Trail; L.-Bdr. E. W. Cleverly, Rossland; Gnr. J. B. Crosbie, Nelson; Gnr. P. K. Druskee, Nelson; Pte. A. E. Grieve, Fruitvale; Cpl. H. R. L. Henry, Rossland; Sgt. D. S. Evans, Cranbrook; L.-Sgt. P. D. Shypitka, Cranbrook; Gnr. C. R. Chalmers, Cranbrook; L.-Cpl. J. E. Cox, Cranbrook; Pte. L. M. Hormston, South Slocan; L.-Cpl. H. W. McLellan, Nelson; A.-Sgt. J. N. Ackely, Trail; Pte. C. J. Hedstrom, Crawford Bay; Cpl. T. J. Leslie, Trail; Gnr. J. K. McPherson, Kaslo; Gnr. R. O. Payne, Natal; Tpo. H. Potter, Trail; Gnr. A. Rettie, Trail; Gnr. J. M. Ross, Fernie; A.-Cpl. R. G. Marshall, Trail; Cpl. J. Meddemass, Trail; A.-Cpl. E. Leeming, Nelson; Sgt. W. R. Beard, Camp Lister.

Woman Repatriate: Pte. J. Nelson, Fruitvale.

Natal Service Boys Return Home

NATAL, B. C.—During the past week additional members of Natal-Michel's fighting forces arrived from Overseas and from the different training centres throughout Canada. Two veterans serving Overseas for the past four years and members of the famous Westminster Regiment who arrived safely to their homes after seeing action in Italy and Holland were Corp. James Walsh, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Walsh, Sr., of Natal who joined the service in June 1940 and after training in Canada was sent Overseas landing in England in November of 1941.

He took part in the invasion of Italy where he served for 19 months after landing in November of 1943. He was wounded in the Gothic Line in September of 1944. He landed in Canada in the later part of July aboard the New Amsterdam, disembarking at Halifax. He will spend a 30 day leave before returning to the coast for further ordets.

The second member was that of Pte. Marie Serefini, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C Serefini of Michel who also served in Italy and in Holland as a member of the Westminster Regiment, leaving the front line only a few days before V-E Day was declared.

He joined up h June of 1940 and landed Overseas in November of 1941. After landing in Italy in the fall of 1943 he served some 14 months in Italy before going to Holland.

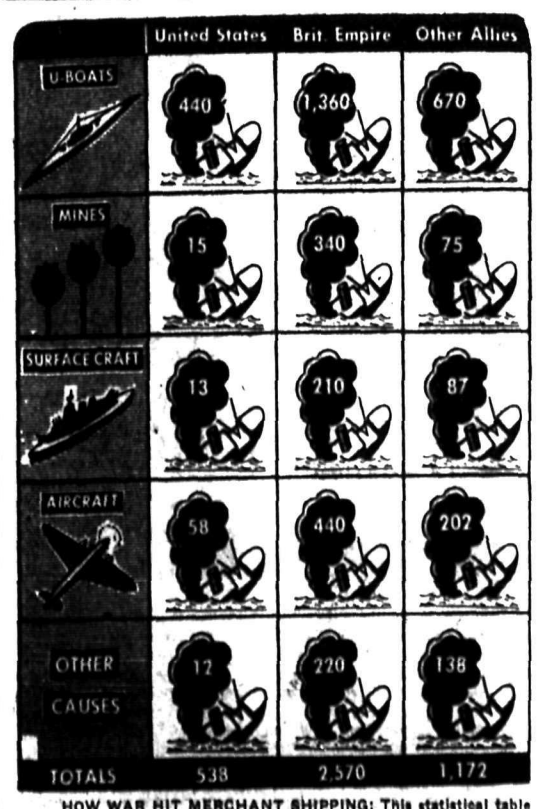
Although coming through the tough batles without being wounded Pte. Serefini had the misfortune to have his hands badly burned while operating a flame-throwing machine during an inspection. He too will spend a 30-day leave with his wife before reporting at Vancouver.

In the meantime Gnr. W. Lyne of the R. C. A. who served Overseas for five years along with Bdr. W. Thomas, who were Michel's first volunteers after war was declared in 1939 left for the coast to report after having spent their 30-day leave after returning from Overseas duty.

One of the first Natal members to join for Pacific duty is that of Pte. Ceno 'Bonzo' Truant after spending the past two years serving in Canada. After spending a 30-day Pacific leave he will report for further training before proceeding for Pacific duty.

Pte. Louis Cassarini arrived recently to spend his furlough with his parents at Natal. He is at present stationed at Kamloops and has been posted at many points throughout Canada during the past few years.

Natal-Michel's members of the Navy also are leaving for sea duty in the Pacific as their extended leave expires. The latest to leave for their bases were sailors Gordon Cartwright and William Cole.



HOW WAR HIT MERCHANT SHIPPING: This statistical table issued by the U. S. Navy and British Admiralty, shows the total loss of merchant ships by the Allies and neutrals during the war. The 4280 vessels sunk aggregated more than 21,000,000 gross tons. The German U-boat campaign took the heaviest toll.

Charter Opponent Dies at 79

SENATOR JOHNSON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 (AP) — Senator Hiram W. Johnson of California, militant opponent of the League of Nations and the San Francisco Charter for a United Nations organization, died today at 79 years.

The veteran Republican Senator succumbed at Naval Hospital, where he had been confined for 2½ weeks. His physician, Capt. Robert E. Duncan, said he died from a thrombosis of a cerebral artery.

His political activities extended over a third of a century covering some of the most stirring events in United States history.

A striking figure in the Senate since first elected to Congress in 1916, he played a leading part in defeating President Wilson's League of Nation's covenant and later in opposing U. S. adherence to the World Court.

One of his last great senate fights was against passage of the 'teen age draft bill. He told his colleagues, with tears in his eyes, that he opposed "calling children to fight our battles."

He had been expected to take a lead in opposition to the recently approved world charter, but illness prevented.

Asks Probe Franco Record as Possible War Criminal

LONDON, Aug. 6 (Reuters)—A request to the United Nations War Crimes Commission to inquire into the record of Gen. Franco and decide whether he should be tried as a war criminal had been sent by the Iberian League of Servicemen and Ex-servicemen, it was learned today.

The League consists mainly of former Republican Spanish soldiers now in Britain.

NEW DENVER

NEW DENVER, B. C. The monthly meeting of St. Stephen's Church W. A. was held at the home of Mrs. N. C. Tattrie on Thursday, with President Mrs. W. L. Levy presiding.

A Thanksgiving tea and sale the week follwing the Harvest Festival is to be held, the date to be decided later.

After the conclusion of the meeting delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Edith Tattrie.

The September meeting is to be held on the Vicarage grounds, or in the Sunday School rooms, with Miss Clench and Miss Hamilton as hostess. Japanese ladies are to be invited.

Those present were Mrs. A. L. Levy, Mrs. S. Thomlinson, Mrs. R. Savary, Mrs. O'Rielly, Miss Hamilton, Miss Clench, Miss Meinardus, and Miss Butlin. Miss Edith Tattrie was welcomed as a visitor.

NEW DENVER, B. C.—Members of the Presbyterian Aid met at the home of Mrs. F. Christie for their August meeting, with president Mrs. Beggs, presiding.

Arrangements were made to have the interior of the Manse redecorated. The annual fall sale is to be held in October, it was decided.

The next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. J. Nyman.

After the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present were, Mrs. E. George, Mrs. D. Shannon, Miss D. Clever, Mrs. J. Nyman, Mrs. L. Beggs, Mrs. E. Cameron, Mrs. J. B. Smith and Mrs. F. Christie.

Miss H. Lawson has left for the coast, where she is to spend her holidays.

Mrs. McAskell of Three Forks was a visitor in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Humperies of Nakusp were visitors in town, Thursday.

Leslie Balbirnie has left for Nova Scotia.

Miss Hamilton who has been spending a few weeks at Vancouver has returned.

Walter and Joyce Thrings are visiting in Kamloops.

Mac Watson and his sister Christine of Kimberley were visitors in town for a few days, the guests of Mrs. A. L. Levy. Mac leaves on Saturday for Vancouver to get his discharge. He has been Overseas for six years.

Mrs Roberts of Vancouver is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Roberts.

Mrs J. Draper was a Nelson visitor on Friday.

Peter Brown who has been visiting friends in town left for Vancouver, Friday.

Mrs O. Johnson visited Nelson, Friday

Mrs L. D. Irwin is spending a few days in Nelson. She will be accompanied by her two sons Ronny and Gordon when she returns.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Jupp of Nakusp visited town Friday.

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READY-TO-WEAR

NATAL

NATAL, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Letasy, Sr., and two sons left for Three Hills, Alta., where they will spend three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mantello and family left for their home in Spokane, after spending a few weeks visiting relatives at Natal.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lyne and daughter of Natal were recent visitors at Kimberley where they spent one week along with one week at McBains Lake.

Miss Clara Chala of Natal is spending a few weeks visit at Bellevue at the home of Miss Alice Tapay.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kubinec and daughter returned to their home at Natal after spending a two weeks visit at Three Hills.

Mrs. D. Miller and son of Cranbrook are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Dagnola.

Louis Josay returned to Natal after spending two weeks visiting at Creston and Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Ball and daughter left Michel for a two week holiday to be spent with relatives at Lacombe.

Miss Mary Krall and brother Albie returned to their home at Michel after spending some time holidaying at Vancouver.

Carol Zak of Natal left for Grand Forks where he will spend his holidays at the home of his parents.

A number of people from Natal attended the picnic held at Willow Point in Coleman by the members of the Russian Canadian Federation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ball and family of Brant, Alta., were recent Natal visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Cole.

William Ball of Calgary was a recent Natal visitor at the home of his sister and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Halko and family of Natal were recent visitors across the border at Kalispell, Mont., and at Creston.

Mrs. J. Gergel, Sr., of Natal is visiting at Coleman at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. Wavrecan.

Mr. S. Giordano of Natal is visiting his wife and family at Kelowna.

Miss Anne Chala returned to Natal after spending some time at Calgary.

Miss Elsa Marchi of Michel is visiting her sister at Olds, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Galigan and grandchildren of Michel are holidaying at Vancouver.

Joss Oakley of Nordegg is spending a few weeks holiday at Natal at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Krall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Manza and son of Tacoma, Wash., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. Mona were recent Natal visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs. P. Volpatti.

Miss Jane Jarolim of Natal was a recent visitor at Lethbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. James Doney and Mr. and Mrs. J. Parks and family of Michel were recent holidayers at Edwards Lake.

S. Kacheluba left for his home in Vancouver after spending a visit at Natal at the home of his brother, P. Kacheluba.

Miss Margaret Mihalynuk of Michel is spending a two weeks holiday at Calgary.

NATAL, B. C.—Mrs. P. Cimolini and son and Mrs. J. Atkinson and daughter of Natal are spending a holiday at McRains Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Podrasky left for New Westminster where they will spend a holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Brandeis.

Miss Elizabeth Gergel of Natal is spending her holidays at Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jenkins and family returned to Michel after spending a holiday at Creston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Henderson and family returned to their home after spending a holiday in the interior of B. C. at Twin Lake.

Mr. T. Branch returned to his home at Michel after spending a holiday visiting relatives at the coast.

A surprise shower took place in the Natal I. O. O. F. Hall in honor of Miss Margaret Sadlish, only daughter of M. Sadlish of Michel. Some 100 ladies attended the shower with the evening being well enjoyed by playing whist and bingo. Supper was served during the evening.

LONDON (CP) — One of the oldest members of the Women's Auxiliary Airforce is Lac. Florence Downham, attached to coastal command headquarters. Widow of a schoolteacher, she is 60 and has been in the service five years.

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Premier King's Keynote Address . . .

Cooperation of Provinces and Dominion Essential to Domestic Progress and Security and to Canada's Part in World Affairs

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP).—Prime Minister Mackenzie King today called for a unified policy of reconstruction in Canada so that she might continue to pull her growing weight in international affairs and aid in the creation of world economic stabilization and security.

MOST IMPORTANT

Opening the Dominion-Provincial Conference Mr. King said that the Conference was possibly the most important since Confederation. He said discord would frustrate the efforts of all Governments and added:

"The effective cooperation of Dominion and Provinces will be essential if Canada, in her own interest, is to make the contribution which it is vital our country should make to world reconstruction, world security and world prosperity."

"The greater the element of certainty and stability Canada can contribute to world affairs, the greater hope there will be for our own future and for the future of humanity."

He spoke of victory in Europe and added solemnly:

"May we use that freedom to win the victories of peace; victories over distance, over climate, over nature; victories over depression, over unemployment, over insecurity and over want; victories over prejudice, over intolerance and over disunity.

"To be worthy of Canada's wartime achievements, to be worthy, above all, of the sacrifice of human life, let us resolve to work together to make Canada a land of ever widening opportunities for all our people, regardless of origin, of class or of religion, the best land on earth in which to work and live."

He cautioned that there remained to be won the war against Japan.

"The Canadian people are resolved to make their just contribution to the defeat of militarist Japan," he said. "But the day of final victory over Japan is coming surely, and we believe swiftly."

Speaking of Canada's developing role in international relations, Mr. King said it was not sympathy with our war-torn allies that made Canadians concern themselves with world affairs. It also was self-interest. Economic and political isolation were not possible and the Dominion had played her part in the various Allied conferences aimed at reconstruction and security.

TO GAIN INCREASED STRENGTH

The Dominion and Provinces now must work out a unified program that would demonstrate their internal solidarity. During wartime the Provinces made concessions by which the Federal Government was able to mobilize the country's financial resources. Both sides profited from this arrangement and "it is similar cooperation, in the period of reconstruction and in peace time, that we are now seeking, cooperation from which all governments will gain increased strength."

The Government was not seeking to weaken the Provinces, to centralize all functions of government, to subordinate one government to another or to expand one government at the expense of others. The Federal Government believed the sure road to Dominion-Provincial cooperation lay in their own spheres of "genuine autonomy for the Provinces."

(Premier Duplessis of Quebec has at various times expressed opposition to what he said he feared were Federal attempts to weaken the autonomy of the Provinces.)

OUTLINED PROPOSALS

Mr. King outlined the proposals being placed before the conference for consideration as being directed to attaining "a progressive and secure standard of living based on remunerative employment for all who are able and willing to work, and expanding markets at home and abroad for efficient agricultural and other primary industries."

The proposals envisaged cooperation in the intelligent and systematic conservation and development of natural resources and sought to further the enlargement of opportunities for individual and community development and the fullest encouragement of enterprise "whether, in its appropriate field, the enterprise is public or private."

Elaborating on this reference, he said the reconstruction program was deliberately designed to encourage and foster employment-creating enterprise by individuals and corporations.

He said this was not the time to "enter into academic or political arguments about the comparative merits of public and private ownership of productive undertakings. The practical fact is that, in present circumstances, the bulk of employment must be provided by private and corporate undertakings."

(Premier T. C. Douglas of Saskatchewan is an exponent of public ownership.)

The people expected the Dominion and Provinces to act to ensure high and stable employment.

"To create such conditions, we believe it should be made possible, through reduction and simplification of taxes, and in other ways, for private enterprise to operate boldly and courageously," he said.

"We believe the state—and by state, may I say again, I mean Provinces as well as Dominion — should design programs of public development and conservation which can be readily expanded or contracted to help in balancing the rise and fall of other sources of employment."

He also spoke of the various social security insurance plans and health and welfare programs.

Unity in the country to give it strength did not necessarily mean uniformity, standardization or centralization.

"We believe the unity and strength of Canada is equally dependent upon the soundness and strength of the Provinces and their capacity to discharge their functions effectively," he said.

"We believe that, only when the Provinces are relatively secure in their own spheres, can we achieve the cooperation among all governments so essential to our country's needs."

WELCOME TO NINE PREMIERS

He extended a welcome to the nine provincial premiers grouped around him at the clerk's table while the Commons Chamber was filled with delegations and officials.

The Commons' Chamber was the scene of many friendly exchanges of greetings among old political rivals and friends before the actual opening. Many had not met since they opposed one another on behalf of their respective parties in recent elections.

John Bracken, now leader of the official opposition in the Commons, made his first public appearance in that capacity on the floor of the Commons. He was there as an observer. At the last conference in 1941 he sat at the table as premier of Manitoba and waged an unsuccessful fight to prevent break-up of the conference because of opposition of the former Premiers Aberhart of Alberta, Hepburn of Ontario and Pattullo of British Columbia to Federal proposals.

Mr. King walked over to shake hands with Mr. Bracken when he saw him enter and the two chatted for a minute. The Prime Minister also had friendly handshakes with Premiers George Drew of Ontario and Maurice Duplessis of Quebec who sat on either side of him at the central table.

COLDWELL PRESENT

Mr. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader in the Commons, also was present as an observer. He had a front seat on the Government side of the House while Mr. Bracken was on the Opposition side.

$30 Pension for All, Regardless of Means

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP).—A national old age pension plan to cover all persons more than 70 years of age and a Dominion-Provincial old age assistance plan to help indigents between the ages of 65 and 69 was proposed today by the Federal Government as a means of improving the lot of Canada's aged.

At the opening session of the Dominion-Provincial Conference, the Government proposed that it establish a system of national old age pensions entirely financed and administered by the Federal Government, and paid at the uniform rate of $30 per month regardless of means to men and women age 70 and over in all parts of Canada.

The Government also proposed that the existing system of joint Dominion-Provincial old age assistance on a means-test basis be adapted to meet the needs in particular cases of persons between 65 and 69. The Federal Government would pay 50 per cent of the cost, up to 50 per cent of $30 a pensioner per month.

(Under the existing Dominion-Provincial old age pension plan, the maximum pensions average between $20 and $25 a month).

The brief did not say when the new pension plan, if accepted would come into force, but indicated that they likely would not be operative before 1948. It said that cost of the national plan for 1948 was estimated at $200,000,000, part of which would be recoverable from people more than 70 paying income tax.

The total cost of Dominion-Provincial assistance in 1948 was estimated at between $34,000,000 and $40,000,000, half of which would be paid by the Federal Government. In 1944 under the existing pension plan, the Federal Government paid out $40,000,000 and the provinces $16,000,000.

In addition to providing a minimum subsistence for those with no other resources, the national old age pension system would enable those with moderate private savings to retire from active work sooner, or in more comfort, than would otherwise be possible.

Administration of the Dominion-Provincial old age assistance plan would be left in the hands of the provinces, because the amount of financial help required by persons between 65 and 69 varied according to local conditions and individual circumstances. The provinces would judge how much should be paid to each individual and the Dominion would pay half the cost of up to $30 a person per month.

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Canada's 6th Division to Be an All Star Team

KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 6 (CP)—Maj.-Gen. Bert M. Hoffmeister, Commander of Canada's 6th Division destined for Pacific service, told a draft of officers and other ranks here that the division was going to be an "all star team" — one of the best equipped divisions that ever went into battle.

The Pacific Commander was speaking to a draft of 33 officers and 900 other ranks who will procede the main body of the division to the U. S. When the division arrives at Fort Breckinridge, N.Y., the advance party will be recalled from the American units with which they have been training and will form the instructional cadre of the Division.

"Canada is still very much at war," Gen. Hoffmeister said. "You have a very serious job on your hands. Yours too, is an extremely important mission. You are going to the U. S. not only to become instructors of the 6th Division, but in effect Canadian ambassadors.

"I want to tell you that everything that can be done will be done for you. I'm getting everything I need and I can tell you that this division will be one of the best equipped divisions that ever went into battle."

It is expected the 6th Division will go to Fort Breckinridge early next month for training.

Budget to Act as Leveller

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP)—The Dominion Government in a brief submitted today to the Dominion-Provincial Conference proposed to budget for a cycle rather than a fiscal year.

"In periods of declining business activity, arising perhaps from depressions abroad," the brief said, "it is proposed that these expenditures will be boldly expanded.

"Tax rates might be reduced at the same time, but whether this is done or not revenue will obviously fall off sharply and large deficits will result. The Government is not only prepared to accept these but will deliberately plan for them in order to give the economy a stimulus and relieve unemployment.

"The modern government budget must be the balance wheel of the economy; its very size today is such that if it were allowed to go counter to the business swing it would so exaggerate booms and depressions as to be disastrous," the brief said.

Greatly Broaden Unemployment Insurance Plan

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 CP) — The Dominion Government today expressed willingness to undertake responsibility for " a reasonable minimum payment" to employable persons out of work, thus extending the principle of unemployment insurance. The Provinces and local authorities would take responsibility for unemployable persons.

The Dominion's plan, contained in a brief presented to the Dominion-Provincial Conference, called for extension of the present unemployment insurance scheme to all employed persons and the introduction of an unemployment assistance scheme to take care of unemployed persons not covered by insurance in the interval until the plan was extended to them.

In making its proposal the Dominion recalled that in recent years the National Employment Commission and the Sirois Commission had both proposed that the Dominion assume responsibility for relief to employable persons who were unemployed.

The unemployment insurance scheme now applies to 2,300,000 of about 3,000,000 salary and wage earners in Canada and in addition all the 760,000 now in the Armed Forces who subsequently enter insurable employment will be covered.

The method by which the Dominion proposes to the Provinces to assume responsibility for employable unemployed is essentially an extension of the Unemployment Insurance Act. The Act will be amended as rapidly as possible to cover all employed persons not now insured such as farm workers, domestic servants some Government employees and office employees receiving more than $2400 a year.

TEMPORARY PLAN

Pending that extension the Dominion will pay unemployment assistance to such uninsured workers when they are out of work at the rate of 85 per cent of the benefits payable to insured workers during unemployment.

The same assistance will be paid to the following other classes:

1. Insured persons who have exhausted their benefits in prolonged unemployment or do not otherwise qualify.

2. Young persons who might reasonably expect to be employed but have never been employed.

Left to the care of the Provinces are two classes of unemployed:

1. Unemployables.

2. Formerly self-employed persons such as farmers who have no record of employment but may lose their source of income.

(Under the insurance plan employees make contributions of from nine to 36 cents a week, depending on their wages and employers' contributions range from 21 to 27 cents. Payments for single persons are from $4.08 to $12.24 a week and with persons with one or more dependents from $4.80 to $14.40 a week. Benefits may be drawn for one-fifth of the period in which contributions have been made to the fund.)

JOB OR SUBSISTENCE

The Government warned that with the coverage of its present insurance plan incomplete and the duration of payment limited Provincial Governments and municipalities might feel they would still be subject to the possibility of heavy relief problems if unemployment developed on a substantial scale.

"As part of the general arrangement with the Provincial Governments the Dominion Government now proposes to establish a practicable and comprehensive system of assistance to able-bodied unemployed persons as soon as possible, rather than waiting until the need for it actually arises," the brief said.

The Government described its policy as "not the provision of relief but the assurance of either a job or of a subsistence income in lieu of a job, if necessary for a substantial period of time, to employable persons who are able and willing to obtain a job whenever possible."

The plan would provide a uniform national system without differences in the rate paid in Provinces or municipalities.

The objective would be to extend the plan to all employed persons within a short time and the need for unemployment assistance would then only be necessary for those who had exhausted their insurance benefits or had failed to comply with its requirements.

$620,000 to Keep Provinces With Health Insurance

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP).—An offer of $620,000 to help the Provinces inaugurate a health insurance program within the next three years was made today in a brief presented by the Federal Government to the Dominion-Provincial Conference.

The grant would be divided among the provinces on the basis of $5000 each plus 5 cents per person according to the distribution of population at the time of the 1941 census.

The grant will be available as part of an agreement under which the provinces undertake:

1. To complete preliminary preparations within 18 months and submit a plan, satisfactory to the Governor-in-Council, describing the existing services and benefits in the provinces and the stages by which benefits will be provided and full health insurance put into effect.

2. Within the same period of 18 months, to make an agreement with the Federal Government to provide general practitioner services, hospital care and visiting nursing services within two years of the signing of the agreement.

3. To bring a total health insurance plan into effect over a period of years.

The brief left for the Conference to decide whether the health insurance plan should be contributary. The brief said:

"The agreement shall provide for a registration fee to be paid by or on behalf of every person who has attained his 16th birthday and whose normal place of business is in the province or area where benefits are provided."

(It was understood it might be suggested to the province that all persons over 16 be required to pay about $2 annually as a registration fee.)

In the first stages of the plan, only general practitioner service, hospital care and visiting nursing service would be provided. Later, however, the plan would provide for consultant, specialist and surgical medical services, additional nursing service, including private duty, dental cae, pharmaceutical and laboratory services.

On the assumption that the benefits provided in the first stage were extended to all of Canada, the cost to the Federal Government would be about $70,000,000 and about $45,000,000 for the provinces. The total health insurance program when brought into effect would cost the Federal Government approximately $250,000,000 and the provinces about $150,000,000.

In breaking down the establishment of health insurance into stages the submission lists the services for which Federal grants would be available as:

1. General practitioner service (free to insured persons).
2. Hospital care.
3. Visiting nursing service.
4. Other medical services (consultant, specialist, surgical).
5. Other nursing services (including private duty).
6. Dental care.
7. Pharmaceutical (drugs, serums, surgical appliances).
8. Laboratory services (blood tests, X-rays, etc.).

Total estimate costs of Dominion contributions to health insurance was placed at $148,937,000. In addition to the planning and organization health insurance grant the Dominion proposes, as it did in connection with the draft health insurance bill, to pay special health grants to provinces allocated for general public health, tuberculosis, mental health, venereal disease, care of crippled children, professional training, public health research and civilian blind, to a total of $13,600,900 annually. It is also prepared to provide low-interest loans for hospital construction.

Wage Control Until Inflation Danger Ends

OTTAWA, Aug 6 (CP). — War emergency powers held by the Federal Government in industrial disputes and conciliation should be continued in the period of transition to a peacetime economy, the Dominion Government said today in a brief to the Dominion-Provincial Conference.

Wage control would have to be carried into the transition period as part of the anti-inflation program but relaxation was proposed as soon as conditions warranted it.

The Government proposed an amendment to the British North America Act leaving the way open for provinces to delegate to the Dominion, if they desired, jurisdiction over certain industries in industrial disputes.

"It is not possible to forecast at this time the exact pattern that will be followed in post-war legislation covering industrial disputes," the brief said.

Synthetic Rubber, Hope of Inner Tube Without Inflation

BY HOWARD BLAKESLEE

BATON ROUGE, La., Aug. 6 (AP)—The newest synthetic rubber, butyl, made in a temperature far lower than the stratosphere (the exact degree is a secret) gives hope of an automobile inner tube that hardly even need inflation.

It now is making tubes that need inflation only three or four times a year. Tubes that have been punctured with a penny nail continued to run for several miles before coming soft.

ACCRA, Gold Coast (CP) — A new restriction in one of the districts of this colony bans the collecting of immature snails. The order, carrying a two-month imprisonment charge, is expected to improve the quality and quantity of snails which are used for food.

Sinatra Saves Life of Three-Year-Old

SAN PEDRO, Calif., Aug 6 (AP) —The Voice, or more specifically, Frak Sinatra, may be anaemic looking, but his athletic prowess saved three-year-old Duke Jones' life today.

The lad fell 13 feet from a railing onto a yacht dock, then rolled unconscious into the water. Sinatra, talking to the owner of the anchorage while his sailing boat was being refuelled, rushed across the dock, dived in and pulled the boy to safety.

Duke is the son of Mr. and Mrs Mac C. Jones of Los Angeles

Sinatra had spent the day as crewman for the sailing boat Chieftain in a race in Los Angeles harbor.

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Circulation . . .

Treating Varicose Ulcers

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

If something goes wrong with the legs, troublesome conditions may develop. For example, when the circulation in the legs is stopped, a variety of disorders may develop. One of the common causes for disturbances of the circulation is the development in middle-aged and older persons of varicose veins.

These are veins which are dilated or stretched. The flow of blood through them is slowed down to a great extent. As a result of the occurrence of these veins, a condition of the skin may develop known as varicose ulcers.

Varicose ulcers vary in size from about a quarter of an inch across to three to four inches in diameter. As a general rule they are located in the lower part of the leg, above and below the ankle. Not only may these ulcers develop, but the skin may become swollen, discolored and inflamed.

It would appear important in treating varicose ulcers that an effort may be made to improve the circulation through treatment of the varicose veins. These veins may be treated either by injecting certain substances into them which get rid of the flow of blood through the veins or by tying the veins and cutting them out. However, in a number of instances either of these procedures may not be possible because of the presence of infection in the veins, because of the age of the patients, or because of their general condition. This treatment is folowed by the development of new veins through which the blood flows normally.

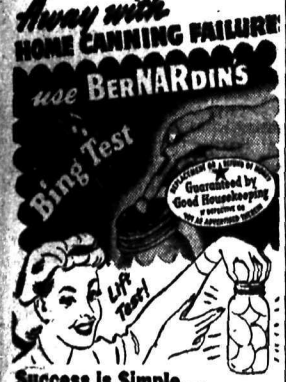
Doctors Chester L. Holmes and Frederick L. Smith of the Mayo Clinic believe that the direct treatment of the varicose ulcers is important. In a number of patients treated by them ichthyol ointment was used in the dressings. In other cases, particularly if inflammation of the skin was present, sulfathiazole ointment was employed. Sometimes, before these ointments were used, preliminary treatment in the form of hot, wet packs of aluminum subacetate was used.

As soon as the patients were able to be up and about the ulcers were treated by pressure to prevent swelling of the tissues. This pressure was applied by using a fairly thick pad of sterile gauze. Occasionally a piece of sponge rubber was placed over the ulcer after the application of the ichthyol ointment.

Then the entire leg from the toes to the knees was wrapped with a bandage which was elastic or which stretched. Each day the dressings were changed.

In some cases in which large ulcers were present skin grafts were also used, but in the majority of instances the application of the ointments together with the pressure bandage brought about healing. The age of the patients had little to do with healing speed.

Of course, the earlier treatment for varicose ulcers is carried out the better will be the results. The method described by these physicians would appear to be a satisfactory and useful one.



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Deaths

MONTREAL —Agnes May Knowlton, 72, prominent member of the Order of the Eastern Star in Canada and the United States. One-time grand matron of the Order.

BERLIN—Count Kuno Friederick Von Westarp, 81, one time floor leader of the German Nationalist Party.

BERLIN — Emil Nicholaus Von Reznicek, 80, conductor and composer.

BELFAST—Sir Robert Lynn, 72, deputy speaker for the Ulster parliament.

NEW YORK—Major George Granger, Salvation Army territorial band leader.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn. — Webb Waldron, 62, author. Editor of Reader's Digest.

TORONTO—Harry J. Sutherland, Connected with the Bank of Nova Scotia.

TRAIL MAN CHANGES NAME

According to Thursday's B.C. Gazette, Nilo Raphel Rossi, 1875 Riverside Avenue, Trail, has been given permission to change his name to Neil Raphel Rossi.

NAIROBI, Kenya (CP) — Police recently shot a full-grown female leopard which mauled five men and then took shelter under the kitchen table of a nearby house. The leopard had evidently been driven into Nairobi in search of food owing to the drought.

Lonesome . . .

Face Him Cheerfully

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Dear Miss Fairfax:

My husband I have been married five years and have a baby ten months old, whom we both love very much. My problem is that my husband goes out every evening and comes home in the early morning hours, and when I ask him where he's been, sometimes he'll tell, and then again he gets mad because I ask, and won't talk to me for days.

I'm very lonesome evenings, and want to go out sometimes, too, and then when I'm alone I worry where he is and why he's out so late. He just started going out three weeks ago.

I'm beginning to get very nervous, especially when I talk to him and he won't answer. I can't help crying. I want to be happy and want our baby to have a happy home. I'm the one that should get mad, and not he.

—T. T.

It would seem, from reading hundreds of letters like yours, over a good many years, that you're handling your problem the wrong way. Dry your tears, stop making your husband realize his power over you, by pitiful questions as to where he's been and with whom.

Some men enjoy reducing their wives to doormats and sprinkling carts. You'll do better if you approach him dry-eyed and cheerful. Ask him if he loves the baby enough to be a half-way decent father, and how he'd feel if his neglect resulted in a break-up.

A woman whose world is bounded by the four walls of her home should stop crying, nagging, and face the situation with apparent calm, try to keep her head 'til things become better or worse. If worse, she must make up her mind how much she is prepared to stand, at the same time thanking Heaven jobs are easy to get these days.

CRANBROOK

CRANBROOK, B.C.—Mrs. Frank Glennie of Philadelphia has arrived here to visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Falkins.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bridges have arrived from Victoria to spend a month here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Moore and son, Warren, are having a holiday with friends at Sunshine Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Robertson have had as their guests, Mrs. Robertson of Weyburn, Sask., and daughters, Miss Phyllis Robertson of Weyburn and Miss Margaret Robertson of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hinton have left for a holiday at Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Inglis and daughter, Suzanne, have returned from Vancouver and Victoria and have taken up residence in their new home on Garden Avenue, formerly the property of Ray Lynch.

Miss Mary McInnes and Miss Shirley Anne Webster have left for Camp Koolaree where they will spend the next week.

Mr and Mrs. Richard Large and children of Fernie visited here on their way to Vancouver on a holiday.

George MacKinnon has returned to Cranbrook after a fortnight at Kaslo at the Summer home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. E. L. MacKinnon.

FO. William Walker, who has been serving overseas with the R.C.A.F. for the past few months, has returned to Cranbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mercer have transferred their residence from Armstrong Avenue to the house on Garden Avenue formerly occupied by Mrs. M. McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lynch and son, Terry, have left for Fernie to make their home. Mr. Lynch is operating the White Spot, which he recently bought.

BRISTOL, England (CP)—A contract has been placed for the erection here of a Ministry of Labor centre for training craftsmen for the building industry.

INVERMERE

INVERMERE, B. C.—Mrs. William Ardell and infant daughter have returned to their home at Canal Flats from the hospital at Invermere.

Mrs. Paul Gropp and infant son have returned to their home from the Lady Elizabeth Bruce memorial Hospital.

E. Ruttan of Victoria has been discharged as a patient from the hospital at Invermere.

Miss Joyce Thatcher of Spillimacheen is a patient in the hospital at Invermere.

Fred Harmon of Wilmer is also a hospital patient.

A. Kimm of Edgewater is a patient in the hospital at Invermere.

Miss Wilma Joan Wolfe of Athalmer is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolfe, Sr., at Tappin.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Rongcher were Calgary visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hogland of Wilmer and Ben Weycamp of Athalmer were Banff visitors during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Marples motored to Golden Sunday to meet their son, Geoffrey Marples, and his fiance, Miss Mary Nixon of Chilliwack. Mr. Marples, who has just received his discharge from the R.C.A.F. after serving several years in England and India, has accepted a position in Garibaldi Park with the B.C. Forestry Department.

Oswald Young arrived this week to join his family at Invermere. Mr. Young, who recently obtained his discharge from the Army, lived here for a number of years before enlisting. Mrs. Young and their three daughters returned to the valley this Spring. It is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Young hope to make Invermere their home again.

Miss Florence McGuinness, who has been spending her holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. McGuiness at Invermere, left Friday to return to her position at Vancouver.

Miss Ruth Saunders, student nurse at the Vancouver General Hospital, returned to the Coast Friday, after holidaying at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Saunders.

W. H. Cleland left Monday for a business trip to the Coast.

Pte. Carl Brewer, who has been on service in Britain, is on thirty day leave and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hope Brewer at Invermere. He will then take training for action in the Pacific.

Georgina Goodwin of Ta-Ta Creek has spent a week in the valley visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Goodwin at Invermere and friends at Wilmer.

F. C. Stockdale of Invermere left for the Coast Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carlyal of Wycliffe and their four sons, Fred, George, James and Allan visited Wilmer this week. Allan, who serves with the R. C. A. F., has recently returned from Britain and is enroute to Pacific action.

Vaughan Kimpton and his son, Jerry, returned to Windermere this week after a business trip to Calgary. On the return trip they were accompanied by Miss Helen Bellamy a sister of Mrs. Kimpton, and her brother, Staff-Sgt. Harold Bellamy, recently returned from Overseas. Miss Bellamy and Staff-Sgt. Bellamy are from Olds, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woodall of Calgary spent the weekend at Windermere, guests of Mrs. Woodall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tegart.

Fenton Smith of Kimberley was a weekend visitor at his Windemere home.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Wenger of Athalmer have returned from Calgary, where they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. Roesch and their son Lorne and Mrs. Tom Slick and son.

Three B.C. Men Win Awards for Gallantry

The Department of National Defence has announced 81 new awards for gallantry in action, to members of the Canadian Army, for distinguished service in the Northwest European theatre of war.

Among the awards were the Military Cross to Lieut. William Richard Batten of Vancouver, the Distinguished Conduct Medal to Sgt. Darrow Gomez of Prince Rupert, and the Military Medal to Cpl. (A-Sgt.) Alexander Robertson Minnis of Wells and Langley Prairie.

Methods . . .

Look Cool in Hot Weather

By IDA JEAN KAIN

Some girls manage to appear as fresh as a water lily in a cool pool even on the most wilting days. So there must be ways . . .

One is not to get overheated when taking a bath. A tepid bath is more cooling than a cold one. A nice cold shower may seem wonderful at the moment, but the body quickly sets up a reaction that rushes the blood to the surface. A slightly warm bath is ultimately more cooling. Take one morning and night if possible. Oftener if you like. There is no harm in several a day.

In taking a tub bath the best plan is to run the cold water in first then turn on the hot water to bring it to the right temperature. That way the temperature of the room is not made unbearable, nor does the air become humid, and you avoid getting all steamed up.

Always wear an underarm deodorant. If you perspire excessively, use one that stops underarm perspiration. They are absolutely safe. If you use only a deodorant, better wear a shield in your nice frocks.

You want to look crisp, not dampish, so dry thoroughly before sprinkling on bath powder. Caked powder makes you feel hotter.

Light colors are better than dark because they tend to reflect hot sunlight rather than to absorb it. Materials that the air can get through are coolest.

Since there is always more oil in the skin in summer, always start out with a fresh-clean powder puff, and a couple of those refreshing cleaning complexion pads.

Powder in shoes is another good trick. There are kinds to keep the feet from perspiring. And wear shoes and stockings that are large enough, feet tend to swell in hot weather.

The less cluttered the cooler you will look. Leave off all heavy jewelry or trailing veils. Avoid eye shadow or mascara or heavy make-up. It runs. Wear an upswept hair style if its becoming, it's cooler.

SLOCAN PARK

SLOCAN PARK, B.C.—Miss Lucy Osachoff of Trail was a recent visitor to Slocan Park en route to Alberta. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Paul Osachoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Markoff are spending a couple of weeks in the Okanagan.

Pte. Walter Greavison is home on 30 days furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Greavison.

Miss Helen Bloodoff was a recent visitor to Castlegar.

Miss Annette Padowinkoff, Miss Polly Polonikoff, Miss Nellie Padowinkoff and Mrs. Dora Cheveldave visited Shoreacres recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Greavison and family were recent visitors to Nelson.

Miss Mary Strelioff, Miss Gertie Markoff, Miss Mable Glogoloff and Pete Samarodin were visitors to Vallican Sunday.

Mrs. William Bloodoff accompanied by her son, Walter, has gone to visit relatives at Langham, Sask.

Sensible . . .

Learning Value of Money

By Garry Cleveland Myers, Ph.D.

Recently, I relayed a wise mother's acount of the way her boys 8 and 13½ helped at home. As you will recall, the second boy was laid up by accident. Today, we shall see how their older brother, 18, now awaiting induction, learned to handle money.

"Our eldest son is working in a defense plant where his father works. His seniority will advance while he is in Service, at the same rate as though he were working at the shop. This son has 10% going into War Bonds and saves the rest of it in War Savings Stamps, excepting $5.00 a week for clothes and spending money, and the $7 a week he pays for board. The War Savings Stamps are intended for higher education during the change-over period after the war, when the shop will very likely be unable to use him. His gross at the shop is $52 a week, which as we have explained to him, will make life very hard for him later on if he acquires a lot of luxurious habits. He doesn't always agree with us, of course, for only one of his many friends has a similar home restraint, but he admits that past performance has proved to him that we are usually right, so he is obedient even when it is a bit tough at times.

"We try to make him as happy as we can, for we won't have him in the family circle much longer we don't know how long he will be gone, if or how he will come back nor if he will be old enough for a home of his own when this long war is ended. But we don't want to make a money-spoiled brat out of our nice boy, just because our hearts are torn at the thought of parting with him. He has been fine about the hours he keeps and the things he does for enertainment."

It takes moral courage in parents to hold to such sensible ideals and standards, especially for the son soon to enter the armed forces. Too many parents, alas, do not reveal such courage and thousands of boys awaiting induction are having the worst home guidance and influence they ever have experienced.

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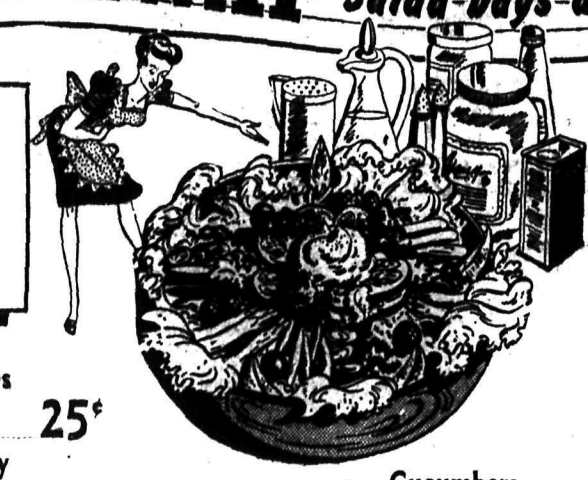

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By BETSY NEWMAN

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Lemon Cream Rice
Coffee

Fried Liver Sausage and Onions

1 pound liver sausage (sliced thick)
2 teaspoons bacon drippings
1 pound onions, peeled and sliced
Salt and pepper

Cook sliced onions in bacon drippings until tender (5 to 7 minutes), seasoning to taste. Remove to hot platter. Slice sausage into ¼ inch slices and remove casing. Brown sausage on both sides in bacon fat. Serve with onions. Serves 5.

LEMON CREAM RICE

½ cup rice
½ cup sugar
⅛ teaspoon salt
3 cups milk
Grated rind 1 lemon
2 tbsp. powdered sugar
1½ tbsp. lemon juice
2 eggs
¼ tsp. lemon extract

Wash rice and place in double boiler. Add milk and cook until rice is soft. Add sugar, lemon rind, lemon juice, salt and beaten egg yolks. Turn into buttered oven dish. Beat egg whites until stiff and fold powderd sugar in gradually and lemon extract. Pile on top of pudding and bake in a moderate oven for 20 minutes.

Serve with cream or fruit sauce. The whites may be folded into the hot custard and baked as a souffle. One and one half cups evaporated milk and 1½ cups water may be used instead of the whole milk. Serves 7.

A plantation milk shake is a good drink for children. Put ¼ cup peanut butter, 1 tbsp. honey and a dash of salt in a bowl. Add ¼ cup of milk and whip until smooth. Add gradually 1½ cups milk, beat until smooth, add ½ tsp. vanilla. Chill in a covered jar until ready to serve then top each glass with a dash of nutmeg. Sugar may be used in place of honey if you can spare it.

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NELSON SOCIAL

By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

Charge for Engagement Announcements on This Page is $1.50.

● Allan McLean of the C. P. Express at Calgary has arrived to spend his vacation with his wife and daughter Dorothy at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McLean, Victoria Street.

● Lord Aylmer of Willow Point visited town Saturday.

● Miss Mabel Irvine, Stanley Street returned Saturday night from spending her two weeks' vacation in Vancouver and Victoria.

● Lac. Silvio Bragagnola, who spent his furlough in Nelson, has left for the East.

● Mrs. Rudolph Olson, Falls Street, is spending a week's holiday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McKay in Balfour.

● Mr. Curle of Kaslo visited town yesterday.

● Shoppers in the city yesterday included Robert Quin of Harrop.

● Miss Margaret Arthur left Sunday to spend a week visiting Dr. and Mrs. John Gansner in Vancouver.

● Lieut. and Mrs. D. Tye and son Michael, who have spent a few weeks in Fernie, are visiting for a couple of weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Len Peerless and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McDougall.

● Mrs. Sid Brown, who spent a short holiday visiting friends in Nelson, where she formerly resided, has left for her home at Kirkland Lake, Ont.

● Mrs. Ernest Smith, Stanley Street, has left for Vancouver, where she was called by the serious illness of her father, Mr. Wilkie.

● Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McGregor, Kerr Apartments, have left to make their home at the Coast where Mr. McGregor has been transferred.

● Flight Officer Jack Buchanan, who recently returned from overseas, left yesterday for Spokane, enroute to Santa Anna, Calif. He is accompanied by his wife, who resides in Spokane and who with him has spent a few days at the home of his mother and sister, Mrs. E. L. Buchanan and Mrs. Norman A. Brown, 304 Gore Street.

● Mr. and Mrs. Alfred F. Johnston, Stanley Street, have had as guests since Friday Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Brown of Edmonton who were enroute home from a holiday at the Coast.

● Lac. Fred Robinson, back from overseas, who has spent his furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Robinson, Second Street, Fairview, left yesterday for the East.

● Mrs. J. Sime of Riondel is guest of Mrs. Harry Bishop, High Street.

● Jacob Kosiancic of Crescent Valley visited town yesterday.

● P. Nichols, Deputy Fire Marshal, who spent a couple of days in the city, has returned to the Coast.

● George Bishop of the R.C.A.F. accompanied by his wife has arrived to visit with their parents, Mrs. Harry Bishop, Nelson Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Johansson, View Street.

● Mrs. J. P. Cavill, 415 Carbonate Street, who is holidaying on the North Shore, spent yesterday in Nelson.

● George DeGirolamo, who spent his furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. DeGirolamo, Innes Street, has left for the East.

● Rev. Father R. P. Lepine of the Japanese Mission at New Denver, spent yesterday in town.

● Mayor N. C. Stibbs, Silica Street, returned Sunday night from the Coast.

● Mrs. Graham was a visitor from Slocan City yesterday.

● Shoppers in town yesterday included Mrs. James Sapples and her daughter, Mrs. Russel Binning of Salmo.

● Captain and Mrs. A. McLeod who are spending the Summer at their Procter home, were in the city yesterday. They were accompanied by their guest, Mrs. R. Wiggers of Washington, D.C., who with her husband, is holidaying at Procter.

● Pilot Officer W. J. (Bill) Holland has arrived to spend his 30-day leave at the home of his mother, Mrs. Joseph Holland, Silica Street.

● Mr. and Mrs. G. Sutcliffe and children, Helen and George, have left to spend a holiday at Procter.

● Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Smith 91 High Street, had as guests Miss Mary Lade and Miss Winnifred Chaplin of Vancouver.

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There are two species of swan in North America—the trumpeter swan and the whistling swan which is about two-thirds the size of the former.

Senior Girls at Koolaree Form Three Tribes

BY CONNIE SHUTEK

Klo-haya! This is Connie Shutek, scribe of Kolaree Senior Girls, calling all people of the East and West Kootenays.

Here we are with two days behind us and six days ahead of us, and we intend to make these six days the most exciting days that Koolaree has ever seen.

We are under the able leadership of Miss Fronia Snyder (Robin). Due to the absence of this year's "Great Brave" we have elected Mary MacDonald as "Great Brave of 1945."

Any aches or pains are treated by Mrs. J. McCubbin (Cubby), in person.

Counsellors for our tribes are Mrs. Leo Rimes (Tabs), leader of the Cherokee Tribe; Mrs. J. E. Shilvock (Peter), leader of Hip-Squaws, and Marilyn Patmore (Paddy), leader of the Mohawk Tribe.

TRIBAL COUNCIL

Our Tribal Council consists of Great Chief, Robin; Great Brave, Mary MacDonald; Little Chiefs Connie Shutek, Dorothy Smith, and Eleanor Spain; Scribes, Margaret Affleck, Shirley Anne Webster, and Isabel Reed.

Our Braves are: Mary McInnes, Muriel McWilliams, Minnie Martin, Margaret MacLeod, Joyce Heaton, Leola Carr, Sheila Gairns, Marjorie Kirby, Peggy Woods, Kitty Wilson, Lorna Kerby, Vivian Baron, Pat Bathie, Pat Barrie and Shirley Johnston.

Two great softball games have been held (hm! hm!). In the first of these games the Cherokees defeated the Mohawks 11-6. In the second the Hip-Squaws defeated the Cherokees 12-9. The lesser of the two games will go down on Koolaree's camp history (good joke). To see us try to play is really something. Minnie Martin hit a run, and as Minnie had to run to first base, Shirley Anne Webster sprawled all over second base. As you can see, the game was pretty wild.

It is now time to sign off. You'll be hearing from us again soon (you lucky people). So-long for now.

Mrs. Shields of Castlegar Leaves Estate to Family

Letters of administration for the estate of Alice Elizabeth Shields of Castlegar, who died in Trail on March 16, were granted to Rueben Nelson Shields, administrator, by Judge W. A. Nisbet in Chambers July 25. A. G. Cameron of Trail was the solicitor.

The estate was valued at $1020.98, apart from $2500 life insurance.

Rueben Nelson Shields, husband of the deceased is to receive $500 real estate, and two-thirds of the net balance of the estate, or $213.98. Albert Charles Shields, son, is to receive a sixth of the net balance of the estate, or $53.50.

Mona Harriet Shields, daughter, i sto receive $53.50, and also the $2500 life insurance.

Rossland Social

By MRS. F. G. BRAY

ROSSLAND, B. C. Aug. 6 — The Misses Minnie Martin, Patsy Berry, Patsy Bathie, Leola Carr, Shirley Johnston and Joyce Heaton, left on Thursday morning to attend the Senior Girls at Camp Koolaree.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Yawney have had as their guests Miss Yawney, R. N., and Miss Sally Gage, R. N., of Winnipeg, who were en route to Kelowna to join the nursing staff of the Kelowna Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dingwall left Tuesday for a month's holiday to be spent at the Coast.

Mrs. R. D. McAllister left Wednesday to visit relatives at the Coast.

Mrs. Chesham of Kimberley who has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter in Spokane, arrived in Rossland Wednesday to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Husner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Evans and family returned to the City Wednesday from Christina Lake where they have been holidaying at their Summer cottage.

James Peddycoart of Morehead, Minn., who has been visiting his son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peddycoart, left Wednesday to visit his daughter, Mrs. H. Elser in Nelson.

The Birthday Club met at the home of Mrs. John Fox, Victoria Avenue, Thursday night. Music and contests were enjoyed, Mrs. L. Grimard, Mrs. D. Thompson and Mrs. F. G. Bray winning the prizes. Refreshments were served by the committee. Visitors welcomed were Mrs. MacEwan of Swift Current, Mrs. Hawkins Sr. of Brandon, Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Chesham of Kimberley, and Mrs. J. R. Bryan. Members present were Mrs. E. A. Hughes, Mrs. L. Grimard, Mrs. R. Maitland, Mrs. R. Jones, Mrs. O. Proud, Mrs. A. Hubner, Mrs. F. G. Hawkins, Mrs. H. Evans, Mrs. K. Klinzing, Mrs. D. Thompson, Mrs. F. G. Bray, Miss Dorothy Fox, and the guest of honor, Mrs. J. T. Fox.

Geoffery Portman returned home Thursday from Longbeach, where he spent the month picking fruit, etc.

Mrs. Bert Mason and son Ernest, accompanied by Mrs. Mason's mother, Mrs. S. Doig, left Wednesday night for Smithers, going by Prince George. They will visit Mrs. Doig's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hermans.

ROSSLAND, B.C., Aug. 6 — Miss Betty Petrie spent the weekend at Christina Lake.

Flight Lieutenant Paddy Topliss, R.C.A.F., who recently returned from Overseas and spent his leave with his mother, Mrs. L. Hadfield, and Mr. Hadfield here, left Sunday for Greenwood, N.B., to rejoin his unit. He was accompanied as far as Nelson by Mr. and Mrs. Hadfield.

Ab. Arnold Campbell, R.C.N.V.R., and A. Turner of Warfield were weekend visitors at Christina Lake.

Mrs. G. E. Clayton is attending the Art Classes of the Alberta University held at Banff this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Littley, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bud Pollock, spent the weekend at Christina Lake.

Mrs. Emily Hill of North Vancouver is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Nixon, Park Street.

Mr .and Mrs. A. Woodward, who have been holidaying at Vancouver and other Coastal points, returned home Thursday.

Gnr. George Lucas, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lucas, has returned to his station at Vernon.

Pte. Peter Jensen, who has been spending his leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jensen, left Sunday to return to his station at Petawawa, Ont. He will visit friends in Nelson en route.

Flt. Sgt. George Staudinger, R.C.A.F., who has recently returned from Overseas, and has been the guest of his mother, Mrs. Oscar Anderson, and Mr. Anderson, has left to rejoin his unit in the East.

Mrs. Lana Gray of Okotoks, Alta., is visiting Mrs. Garnet Andrews.

Miss Margaret Bourchier has returned from Kaslo, where she spent several weeks picking fruit.

Mr .and Mrs. L. Parisot have as their guest their niece, Miss Yolanda Mazuca of Havre, Mont.

Miss Olga Ritco, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. V. Holm, left Saturday for Oliver.

Miss Mabel Tait and Miss Eileen Hamilton returned home Saturday from the Okanagan where they were picking fruit.

Miss Orma Bray and Miss Marceline Lalonde were Nelson visitors. Sunday. They were accompanied by Miss Secco and Miss Guglielmin of Trail.

Mrs. George Daynes of Edam, Sask., is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Cotnoir and daughter are holidaying at Nakusp.

ERA. James Mauchline, R.C.N.V.R. who has been visiting in the District, left Friday to return to his station at Cornwallis, N.S.

Mrs. R J. Portman returned to Rossland Saturday from a two weeks holiday spent at Christina Lake, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Read.

Mrs. Thomas Fourt left Monday for a holiday to be spent at Victoria and other Coastal points.

Sigmn. Henry Fourt, R.C.N.V.R. and Mrs. Fourt, who have been the guests of Sigmn. Fourt's parents, left Monday for Victoria. Sigmn. Fourt will spend the rest of his leave before reporting to his unit in the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Churchill had as their guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Joe Churchill of Butte, Mont., and their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Churchill of Kellogg, Idaho; also Mrs. L. Churchill's mother, Mrs. Monger of Kellogg. During their visit Mr. and Mrs. S. Churchill and their guests spent a few days at Queen's Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dyson entertained the Birthday Club Friday night, when the honored guests were Mrs. W. G. Mara and Mrs. John Fox. They were each presented with a lovely gift. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mara, Mr. and Mrs. John Fox, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Milligan, Mr. and Mrs. T. Fourt, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Dyson.

Mrs. Norman Cunningham and daughter, Norma Gail, of Premier, arrived in the city Friday to visit Mr. Cunningham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cunningham, Columbia Avenue.

Miss Anne Handsome and her friend, Miss Jollie Corraine, of Lethbridge, arrived Saturday to visit Miss Handsome's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Meek.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nixon, Sr. have had as their guests their daughter and son, Mrs. Margaret Ada Ray, R.N., and son, Billy, of North Bend, Ore. Mr. and Mrs. Nixon and their guests, Mrs. Ray, Billy and Mrs. Emily Hill, spent a day in Nelson.

Mrs. Fred Hill and daughter of North Vancouver are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Martin, First Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Terhune had as their guests their daughter and children, Mrs. Dan McNaughton of Nelson. Mrs. McNaughton and children left Thursday for Ottawa, where they will join Mr. McNaughton, and make their home there. Mr. McNaughton has been apponted to a position on the staff of Deputy Minister in the Department of Reconstruction.

J. Bourget of Nelson, who is supervising the repair work at MacLean School, spent the weekend in Nelson at his home.

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There are already 190 entries in the Derby, a total that had not yet been reached in the last few days of October, 1944.

The 22-pound, 6-ounce fish boated by Gordon Bowker of Kaslo, still holds first place in the Derby.

New entries were:

Frank Hanson, Kaslo, 13 pounds, four ounces, on Gibbs Stewart No. 4, off Kaslo, July 9, weighed in by B. Albrecht, Kaslo.

T. Johnston, Trail, 8 pounds, on Plug, in Kootenay Bay, July 24, weighed in by R. S. Woods,, Kootenay Bay.

$10 Fine for Attempting to Get Free Ride

For entering a C.P.R. passenger train on Aug. 5, intent to be carried without paying his fare, Arthur G. d'Happart, labourer of Nelson, was fined $10 by Magistrate William Brown in the City Police court, Monday, forenoon.

d'Happart was arrested by C. P. R. police, before City Police were called. Chief R. Harshaw laid the charge.

Mrs. Long of Creston Leaves Estate to Husband

Letters of adminstration for the estate of Rosalie Mary Long were granted to Edward A. Fowlie, administrator by Judge W. A. Nisbet in Chambers on July 25.

Mrs. Long died in Creston on April 21, 1942. She left $450 the gross value of her estate to Benjamin Ruhl Long, her husband in Seattle. This is a half share in an estate in the Kootenay district owned jointly by them.

E. P. Dawson was the solicitor.

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Among the selections from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures", by Mary Baker Eddy, was the following: "The starting-point of divine Science is that God, Spirit, is All-in-All, and that there is no other might nor mind—that God is Love, and therefore He is divine Principle."

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MORNING

7:30—O Canada
7:31—Wake Up and Live (CKLN)
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Morning Song
8:30—Reception for Gen. Crerar
8:44—C.P.R. Train Time
8:45—Reception for Gen. Crerar
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Marching to Victory (CKLN)
9:30—Melody Parade
9:45—Music Room
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Pan Americana (CKLN)
10:15—CKLN Press News
10:30—Musical Roundup (CKLN)
10:45—Matinee for Moderns
11:00—Music in Waltztime
11:15—Musical Similes (CKLN)
11:30—Soldier's Wife
11:45—Dancing Till Noon
12:00—B.C. Farm Broadcast

AFTERNOON

12:25—The Notice Board (CKLN)
12:30—CBC News
12:45—Matinee Memories
1:00—Old Favourites (CKLN)
1:15—Old Favourites (CKLN)
1:30—Modern Musicians
1:45—Artists of Tomorrow
2:00—From the Classics
2:15—Songs for You
2:30—The Robinson Family
2:45—Afternoon Downbeat
3:00—Western Five
3:15—Yesterday's Melodies
3:30—Curtain Echoes
3:45—Musical Jamboree (CKLN)
4:00—Smilin' Jack (CKLN)
4:08—Voice of Memory (CKLN)
4:15—Operetta Time (CKLN)
4:30—Stock Quotations
4:45—Art Mooney's Orch.
5:00—Sacred Heart Programme
5:15—Petite Musicale (CKLN)
5:30—CKLN Press News
5:45—Musical Program (CKLN)

EVENING

6:00—"Flower Show Essentials"
6:05—Musical Program
6:15—Cavalcade of Melody (CKLN)
6:30—Cavalcade of Melody (CKLN)
6:45—Cavalcade of Melody
7:00—CBC News
7:15—Dr. G. G. Sedgewick
7:30—Classics for Today
8:00—Rhythm on the Range
8:15—Rhythm on the Range
8:30—Dance Orchestra
9:00—Night Classics (CKLN)
9:15—Peerless News (CKLN)
9:30—Roy Shields & Co.
9:45—Roy Shields & Co.
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Philharmonic Forum
10:30—God Save the King

The Meridian Highway, which extends from Winnipeg, Canada, to Laredo, Texas, is 1769 miles long.

Most Western Canadians can tell at a glance what city is shown in this picture of CBC arranger-Conductor Roy Locksley, who directs the popular weekly program "Summer Serenade" over the Trans-Canada network Wednesday at 8:30 p.m.

It's Winnipeg all right, and as the picture was taken Locksley was pondering on a new tune he's thinking of calling, "Portage and Main." The former musical director of the Navy Show he was a member of the famous "Dumbells" 20 years ago. Before moving to Winnipeg he played with the Toronto Symphony Orchestra.

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The Japs Will Try to Muddy the Waters

The Japanese government and the Japanese people, if they are capable of forming an opinion, must be aware that the Three-Power Proclamation is not an entree into a gambling game, but the last word, which means exactly what it says. If "No Surrender" is the Japanese answer, "the prodigious land, sea and air forces of the United States and the British Empire and China, poised to strike the final blows on Japan," will perform their deadly task. Mr. Churchill was doubtless thinking of the precision, speed and inexorability with which these blows will fall when he said in his valedictory statement on July 26: "All plans and preparations have been made . . . the result may come much quicker than we have been hitherto entitled to expect."

The "fight to the finish" response by the Japanese government would be in line with the traditional attitude of the Japanese military caste. It would be by no means incompatible with this policy if it were to be punctuated by peace feelers, such as the plea to the United States to take a more lenient attitude toward Japan put out by the Tokyo radio on July 25.

The Japanese military caste would use many means to obtain remission of its own death sentence, which the Proclamation pronounces. These means include changes of government, by which the shadow of power is transferred to more "liberal" hands, whilst its substance is retained in the grip of the militarists.

The Proclamation is addressed to the Japanese people, and is based on an informed conception of what the Japanese people would choose if their choice were free. All reference to the person of the Emperor is avoided. There is, on the other hand, a significant reference to the Emperor's advisers—in paragraph four of the Proclamation, which says "The time has come for Japan to decide whether she will continue to be controlled by those self-willed militaristic advisers whose unintelligent calculations have brought the Empire of Japan to the threshold of annihilation."

Paragraph eight of the Proclamation is also interesting. It says: "The terms of the Cairo Declaration shall be carried out and Japanese sovereignty shall be limited to the islands of Honshu, Hokkaido, Shikoku, Kyushu, and such minor islands as we determine."

The Cairo Declaration of December 1, 1943, included the following: "It is . . . the purpose of the Three Great Allies that Japan should be stripped of all islands in the Pacific which she has seized since the beginning of the First World War in 1914, that all territories that Japan has stolen from the Chinese, such as Manchuria, Formosa, and the Pescadores, shall be restored to the Republic of China. The Three Great Powers are determined that in due course Korea shall become free and independent."

The Simla Conference Brings Some Gains

Against the disappointment at the failure of the Simla Conference may be set some positive gains:

(1) Lord Wavell's initiative and obvious desire to advance the cause of Indian self-government.

(2) The release of the Congress Party prisoners, especially Jawahar lal Nehru, long desired by many Indian leaders.

(3) The cooperative attitude of the Congress Party. The Congress Party leaders were willing to consider taking part in the proposed new Executive Council; they submitted a list of names for the Viceroy's selection. That was a radical change from their previous attitude of non-cooperation.

In spite of Lord Wavell's willingness to shoulder the blame, the present failure of the conference was obviously due to Jinnah's claim that all the Moslems on the new Executive Council must be members of the Moslem League. The League is the strongest Moslem party in India, but there are two predominantly Moslem provinces whose governments do not owe allegiance to the League; the Punjab, which has a Unionist Party majority, and the Northwest Frontier Province, which has a Congress Party Premier. The Moslem League claim, therefore, does not seem reasonable, but the League insist that their attitude is based on genuine fear of the Congress Party, dating back to the policy of the Congress Party's provincial administrations from 1937 to 1939.

In his final address to the conference, Wavell said: "I propose to take a little time to consider in what way I can best help India after the failure of the conference. You can all help best by refraining from recriminations. The war against Japan must be carried on and law and order must be maintained; and until I see my way more clearly than I do now, it may be difficult, perhaps impossible, to suggest any new move. No government can carry on under daily prospect of change or dissolution. I have to secure the stability of day to day efficiency of my government, and it would be impossible to enter upon continuous or even frequent political discussions of this kind. Whatever decisions His Majesty's Government may take in the near future must therefore, in all probability, hold good for some little time."

Torrid Spring of Arctic Brings Wealth of Bloom

TORONTO (CP)—Ice, snow, Eskimos and Polar bears—that is the popular mental picture of the vast spaces of the Far North. Yet as far North as land reaches toward the Pole, numerous species of flowering plants have been found by explorers.

The Danish explorer, Dr. Lauge Koch, found flowers in full bloom less than 400 miles from the North Pole.

Spring comes with incredible speed in the remote latitudes of sub-Arctic Canada. In one area, myriads of beautiful flowers were found two weeks after dog teams had been driven over the frozen snow.

Prettiest and most conspicuous of Arctic flowers is the Arctic lupine. In July it covers miles of the so-called "Barrens" North of Great Bear Lake. When these blue, hyacinth-like blossoms are out, the lupine fields can be seen from miles away.

For two weeks in July, too, the Arctic heather comes to life with tiny white bells of bloom. There are meadows not far from the shores of the Arctic Sea where a floral rarity flourishes—a white-flowered buttercup. Miniature daisies thrive there also, and a diminutive rhododendron.

Immense cabbages and 16-ounce potatoes have been exhibited proudly by the clergy of the mission at Fort Good Hope, on the Mackenzie River, almost touching the Arctic Circle.

Press Comment

FRENCH LOSS

There were 9,000,000 dwellings in France in 1939. From September 3, 1939, to November 8, 1944, 1,210,000 were destroyed. As of January, 1945, 1,250,000 French people were war victims, says France-Canada.

Whereas during the war of 1914-1918, the 11 departments of the Northeast were the only ones that were touched, during the present conflict, Lot and Aveyron are the only ones that have escaped destruction. The departments that have most damage are the Somme, with 122,300 buildings hit; Pas-de-Calais, with 120,000, and Nord, with 104,000. Then come the Seine, with 58,000; Aisne, with 42,500, and Ile-et-Vilaine, with 31,000.

Among the towns, Brest, Saint-Nazaire, Lorient, Caen and Saint-Lo have been entirely razed. Rennes, Nantes, Le Havre, Dunkerque, Amiens have also suffered particularly.

IMMUNE TO PROPAGANDA

One Moscow commentator whose words are distributed by the official organ of the Soviet Embassy in London is especially bitter about the British and American press publishing interviews with captured Nazi leaders. The suggestion underlying Russian criticism of these interviews is that they give German propaganda. To whom? Is it seriously suggested that anyone in Britain, or America will accept Goering's alibis? Are we any less certain of Germany's guilt because von Rundstedt was interviewed by British and American reporters? — London Sunday Dispatch.

HIGH COST OF THIEVERY

Vancouver is paying $1000 in daily tribute to thieves. This is aside from the prosperous rackets—the swarming bootleggers, thriving bookmakers and arrogant bigtime gamblers—but nothing is done about it. Nobody seems to care, least of all the Police Commissioners. — Vancouver Sun.

Test Yourself

1. Are tigers native to Africa?
2. What is "zed"?
3. What is an epopee?

TEST ANSWERS

1. No, to Asia.
2. The letter Z.
3. An epic poem.

?? 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.

G. S., Cranbrook—Could you please give me some information regarding the old age pension, as I am 66 years, and my husband is 69. My husband has been working for the duration, but we may have to apply for the old age pension. We have been able, so far, to keep up our insurance. If we get the old age pension, if one of us dies does the one left have to repay the government for what benefit we may have received? Also the little home I have bought, with money from my Dad, does the government take it? I would like one of my family to have it.

In the first place, neither one of you is eligible for the old age pension, as one has to be 70 years of age before applying for the pension. The Pension Board does not take over a pensioner's property, but it does hold the right to make a claim against the property for any money that has been paid.

E. T., New Denver—Can wax beans, tomatoes or other vegetables be home canned, without salt, for a person on a salt-free diet?

We can see no reason why you cannot can vegetables without salt, if you make certain the jars are sterile and that they are sealed tightly.

L. O., Trail—Would you tell me what education is needed, and what age, to enter nurse-in-training hospitals in the United States?

We would suggest you write to St. Joseph's Hospital, Bellingham, Wash., for the information you require.

Inquirer, Nelson—Can you tell me how to can fish?

Fish should be canned as soon as possible after it is caught, and should be in perfect condition. Scale and clean the fish and wash well. Wipe the fish with a damp cloth and cut in pieces suitable for packing in jars. Pack solidly in clean glass jars, filling them to within one inch of the top. Add from one half to one teaspoon of salt for each pint of fish, but no water. Adjust the rubbers and covers and partly seal the jar. Heat under 10 pounds of pressure for 13 hours, or if a water bath is used, boil for five minutes.

Gems of Thought

MANIFESTATION

Search for the truth is the noblest occupation of man; its publication is a duty.—Mme. de Stael.

What a man knows has to be put into action to really count.—Roy L. Smith.

The way to gain a good reputation is to endeavor to be what you desire to be.—Socrates.

The objects we pursue and the spirit we manifest reveal our standpoint, and show what we are winning.—Mary Baker Eddy.

He who has the truth at his heart need never fear the want of persuasion on his tongue.—Ruskin.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO

From Daily News, August 7, 1935

Yesterday the Gyro convention suspended its session while the Nelson hosts and visitors sailed up the West Arm and Main Lake on the Nasookin to Ainsworth Hot Springs. A swim and a chicken dinner were followed by a dance on the steamer during the return trip.

Recent softball games resulted in a tie, 17-17, when Robson played Castlegar, and the West Kootenay Power & Light team won from South Slocan 15-14.

25 YEARS AGO

From Daily News, August 7, 1920

Two square miles are burning in the Erie and Salmo districts, and are definitely out of control, and 2000 acres are ablaze between La France Creek and Lockart Creek on the Main Lake.

C. W. Tyler, Court Stenographer, is acquiring the interests of Miss R. S. Hurry in the Nelson Business College, and will take over that institution next month.

Today's Horoscope

You are good-natured, vivacious, witty and energetic, if today is your birthday. You have a powerful personality, are a diligent worker and always welcome activity of some kind. Your love is deep and sincere. Your home life will be happy. Worry over trifles or over imaginary slights can take up a lot of your time, so pay no heed to them. It is best to carry out your duties, paying no attention to what may seem to be insults.

War — 4 Years Ago

By the Canadian Press

August 7, 1941—Russian airmen bombed Berlin for the first time. British compulsory enrolment of all men between 18 and 60 as fireguards announced. Bruno Mussolini, 23, second son of Premier Mussolini, killed in plane crash near Pisa.

Words of Wisdom

Better a little chiding than a great deal of heartbreak.—Shakespeare.

Etiquette Hints

When you give a bridal shower for a girl friend, you are not obligated to invite any of her relatives, unless you wish. However, it would be more gracious if you invited her mother and sisters to the shower, and the mother of her fiance.

How Mind Reader Called 'em Right; Trick on Trail That Missed Fire; Joy Tells Jovial Tales of Horstead

By R. G. JOY,
Historian of Nelson Oldtimers' Association.

I cannot write in my usual style about George Horstead. Getting his biography was one of my last thoughts. He seemed to be so much alive and active.

LET GEORGE DO IT

He was in a cheerful mood at the Oldtimers' annual picnic. The subject of ages came up, and by a coincidence, there were four members sitting in a group, all about the same age. George made the remark re the ages, the four being W. Coles, Dave Proudfoot, Mr. Horstead and myself. Regarding who should look after the kids and the candy scramble, someone remarked: "Let George do it as usual."

George Horstead said: "Yes, I will do the usual with the candy scramble." He did it, and enjoyed it quite as much as the children who received the candy.

George was shaking hands with most of the Oldtimers who made the picnic an opportunity to renew old acquaintance.

A few days later we were told of his death; no more will we hear his oldtime stories of the early days of Nelson.

George and I often reminesced, recalling the stories of the old Opera House. He promised me that he would some day write a story about it. "And, George, it will be very interesting," said I. He had an old account book giving the details of the receipts at various shows. In fact he gave me some of the information for my early day story of moving picture theatres.

George ran the Empire Theatre for a time. I remember a Biblical picture being shown there, and part of the story of Joseph was on the screen. There were two well dressed ladies behind where my late wife and I were sitting, and seemingly they had never heard of Joseph, the son of Jacob.

I often met George at the formation of lodges; most times he was Secretary handling the dues. He was very versatile, and could fill an office of any kind that came his way and do it well. For a time he seemed to be travelling all the time to various conventions in Canada and the United States.

We worked at the Nelson Fairs together, and this seemed to be another job that George had to do. Sometimes the Fair Board's finances would be on the wrong side of the ledger, and many were the schemes that came up and were acted on to raise money for the Fair Board.

TRAIL BOARD AT MINSTREL SHOW

Only recently I was told a story of a certain minstrel show sponsored by Fred Boles, one-time manager of the Canada Drug & Book Company. He was a very active citizen and was the means of raising the dough at various times, and the old Opera House was used on one occasion for this purpose. During this minstrel entertainment, Nelson had a visit from the Trail Board of Trade. They were invited to the show and were given the front seats. At that time there were two electrical firms in Nelson, and one was given the job of electrifying the front seats facing the stage. The other firm had less lucrative work about the building. They proposed to get even with their rival. Fred Boles was going to raise quite a bit of cash for the Fair Board, and at a crucial moment he gave an address on behalf of the same and wound up his address by asking people who wished to subscribe $10 towards the delinquent Fair Board to stand up.

Not one of the audience stood up. Ross Fleming had the duty of pressing the button and making the Trail members stand up, thus signifying their intention to donate $10 each. They were as stoical as Indians; not one stood up. The rival electrical firm had cut the wire, and Ross's pressing of the button gave no results.

George sometimes would tell me of his experiences with thought reader entertainers and such like. There was a trap door in the old Opera House, and George, who knew most of the audience, would be asked to take a telephone under the trap door. He still having a view of the audience, would telephone the needful information to make the show a success.

THE GEORGES LIKE TWINS

Sometimes we were taken for one another in the years gone by. He was often spoken to by folk who called him "Mr. Joy," and many called me "Mr. Horstead."

One of my boys was romping with me one Sunday morning in the bed near the window facing Josephine Street. My little boy looked out of the window and saw G.H. passing. He seemed surprised and exclaimed pointing at G.H., "Dat's Daddy! Oo's oo??"

Phil Rahal reminded me of a political meeting held in the old Opera House on a very cold winter's night. G.H. was not a member of of the party that seemed to be having its own way, result: the old House got so cold that the speakers and audience gave up in disgust. The old furnace got the blame.

Charlie Watt remembers G.H. coming to the C.P.R. He came to the baggage room, looked around and walked out. Another day he would go on the track. The late Clarence Ogilvie, later of Sunshine Bay, was working for the C.P.R. at that time. It was a great joke. They thought he was a spotter.

The next day the superintendant entered the baggageroom with Horstead and told the man in the baggage department that Mr. Horstead would take charge from now on.

Watts said he joined the Odd Fellows Lodge soon after, and George was Warden. "And when he said his little piece, he placed a heavy hand on my shoulder and said in a low voice 'Forget it not,'" "I'll never forget it," said Charlie. In later years he would often whisper, "Forget it not!"

The late Charles Jeffs, who was one of our star lacrosse players, was going on a two weeks tour with the Nelson lacrosse team; he asked me if I would drive his express rig and look after any express that came along.

Charlie was tickled when I said "yes". He thought he was getting even with me, for I had sold him a horse for $25. I had bought two for this sum and sold Charles one the next day for what I had paid for both. However, he was satisfied with the bargain, for when he came home the financial returns were very satisfactory.

HUSKY BAGGAGE-SMASHER

It was then that I met Horstead for the first time. I had heard of a new man in the baggage room who could raise two heavy pieces of baggage above his head, one on each arm. So I sized him up. I did not ask him to do this Paul Bunyan act. He had the complexion of a schoolgirl and a pair of shoulders that would enable him to take care of himself.

And still another story about 1909: I managed to go to England to see my old folks, and George asked me to call on his brother in London. I did so. He was sales manager for one of the great London woollen firms of the Strand where they had a huge warehouse. I soon met Horstead's brother. He was about the build of George, but somewhat slighter. In going through the warehouse he picked up what appeared to me to be a fine woolen blanket. "Here's one of our competitor's blankets," he said. "It is not all wool. It would take an expert to judge its quality. It is of German make."

At that date war with Germany was being talked of. I met a navy man on one of the trains going north at one time, he told me that he had been ordered to go back to his ship because war was expected soon. It came, as we well know years later, the First Great War, then the "World War." In 1909 England was importing nearly all its cereals from abroad, its wheat lands were used as pasture. Its brickyards were idle, for it was easier to import brick from the Continent. Things have changed, and during the last war parks were cultivated to grow produce to feed the people. Writing an article on one of our Old timers brings up so many memories.

I remember George Horstead saying to me some years ago: "R. G., I would like to see Nelson grow to be like one of our Old Country villages."

"Quiet and peaceful and a thing of beauty and a joy forever," said I.

Housing Needs "Urgent Priority"

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP).—Cooperation of the Dominion and Provinces to meet current housing shortages and in drafting a permanent housing policy were urged by the Dominion Government in a brief presented today to the Dominion-Provincial Conference.

While attaching considerable importance to housing as part of a long-run program of employment and public welfare the Dominion rated immediate needs as being of "urgent priority." To meet these needs it was necessary that there be "coordinated action at all levels of government."

The Government's war housing program—construction of wartime houses, making Government buildings available for temporary shelter—were part of an emergency program and would be discontinued when conditions warranted it.

"As competing war demands taper off and finally disappear and as the concerted efforts of the Government to divert men and materials to the construction bear fruit, the rate of building will accelerate," the brief said.

Specific recommendations advanced by the Dominion for the long-term program were:

1. Review of provincial legislation to encourage community planning.
2. Consideration of the adoption of a standard building code.
3. Study of the possibilities of Dominion-Provincial cooperation in promoting low-rental construction under the National Housing Act.
4. Immediate action on slum clearance plans to be put into effect when material and labor shortages are eased.

FERNIE OLDTIMER LEAVES FOR EAST

FERNIE, B.C.—Fernie bid goodbye to one of its oldest citizens recently when Mrs. D. Corsan and daughter, Marian, left for Quebec, where they will make their home. Mrs. Corsan first came here 45 years ago where the late Dr. Douglas Corsan started in practice. Prior to Mrs. Corsan's departure, friends presented her with a purse of money.

Ottawa to Bear Most of Old Age Pension Cost

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP).—Should the Federal Government proposals for a national old age pension plan for persons over 70 and a Dominion-Provincial assistance plan for indigents between 65 and 69 be adopted the major proportion of the costs would be borne by the Dominion.

The costs, as outlined today in a table in the Federal brief presented at the Dominion-Provincial Conference, would be divided as follows:

	Dominion Govt.	Provincial Govt.
P. E. I.	$ 2,400,000	$ 180,000
Nova Scotia	13,200,000	1,300,000
N. Brnswick	9,000,000	1,100,000
Quebec	49,000,000	4,400,000
Ontario	83,200,000	5,400,000
Manitoba	13,400,000	1,200,000
Saskatchewn	13,400,000	1,200,000
Alberta	12,500,000	1,000,000
B. C.	21,100,000	1,300,000
Total	$217,100,000	$17,000,000

The Federal Government would shoulder the whole cost of the national old age pension plan, aimed at providing everyone over 70, regardless of means, with $30 a month. It would share equally with the provinces the costs of the proposed Dominion-Provincial old age assistance plan.

QUEEN'S BAY

QUEEN'S BAY, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson and their daughter, Sybil, have returned to their home in Calgary after spending a month's holiday in Hon. K. Aylmer's cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cornish have gone to the Coast to spend a few weeks with ther son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cornish.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Collinson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Collinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenwood and Mr. and Mrs. S. Briard spent the weekend at their Summer homes on the Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harvey of Calgary have arrived to spend a month's holiday in Hon. K. Aylmer's cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor of Nelson are spending a holiday at their month on the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dawson have returned to Trail after visiting Mrs. Dawson's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cornish.

Mr. and Mrs. George Porteous, Mrs. K. R. Attree and C. Dale were recent visitors to Kaslo.

NEWCASTLE, Northern Ireland (CP)—Lt.-Col. G. W. Panter, who represented Morne division in the Northern Ireland Parliament from 1925 until the dissolution last May, has died.

h Fall Election Likely In B. C., ctors Need to Register Soon

patches from the Coast indi- that there is likely to be a Bri- Columbia Provincial election Fall. This means that quali- persons who are not on the rs list should take immediate s to register as under the law must be on the list at least 39 s before the date of an elec-. Otherwise they cannot vote.

he fact that an elector is on the minion list or on a City list does qualify him for voting in Pro- cial elections. He or she must be gistered on the Provincial voters t for the riding in which resi- nce qualifies for voting.

Nor does registration on a vo- rs list in another part of the Pro- nce qualify an elector for voting his home riding. Those who are gistered in other parts of the ovince should register in their n home riding and inform the gistrar that they are registered sewhere. The registrar will then e that they are taken from the other list as well as added to the local list.

Many persons who were on the 1941 Provincial voters list but who failed to vote in that election may not be on the existing list. All of those who were on the list in 1941 and did not vote were notified that it was necessary for them to re-apply othewise they would be left off the new list. Many of those so notified did not reply and consequently it is necessary for them to reregister if they wish to be qualified to vote in the next Provincial election.

Voters who without moving out of a riding have changed their place of residence should notify the registrar of their change of home address. A letter of notification is sufficient in this case.

The 39-day period between electio day and the last day upon which names may be placed on the list is required for preparation of the list, checking, court of revision, printing of lists and so forth.

ightning Spreads Fires Through V. Oregon; Hold Emergency Meet

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 6 (AP)— res spewed by lightning over for- ts baked dry by 100-degree tem- ratures dotted Western Oregon day.

The huge, uncontrolled Tillamook e in Northwestern Oregon roared to new timber, defying efforts of ousands of fighters to check it. In Douglas County where much of e state's merchantable timber ands, 15 fires have been charted d others are known to have been t during the night. These gener- ly were small and control was pected soon.

Elsewhere in the heavily-timber- coast area new but small blazes are reported.

Except to the North, all fronts on the Tillamook blaze were beyond any control but prolonged rains, fighters said. Forest grove residents fought Sunday to check the flames moving on the watershed which supplies the city. The city council called an emergency meeting this afternoon to provide other fighting means.

An army of 175 specially-trained "firefly" troops from the Portland Army airbase were dispatched to the watershed. Another 75, ready to go, were held up until the newly set lightning fire situation could be assessed.

The full extent of the Tillamook burn is not known. The perimeter surrounds possibly 240,000 acres. The Interior is dotted by large and small spot fires as well as major blazes. Possibly more than 160,000 acres have been blackened.

ROBE LIKELIHOOD F ARSON

VANCOUVER, Aug. 6 (CP) — lice and Fire Wardens today are vestigating two suspected cases arson in which 40,000 feet of mber were destroyed and two mes damaged over the weekend. F. A. Reid, accountant for Ro- rtson and Hackett Sawmill Com- ny Limited, said an incendiary e destroyed $1000 worth of lum- r.

The other victims of a firebug e two returned servicemen—FO. F. Smith, D.F.C., and Robert aife.

Oily rags were used to start both fires in the servicemen's home. The fires broke out within minutes of each other shortly after midnight Saturday.

TELEGRAPH OFFICIALS HERE

Visiting Kootenay on a tour of inspection are B. L. Howard, Assistant General Manager of C.P.R. Communications, Winnipeg; and L. A. Raymond, Superintendent of C. P. R. Communications, Vancouver. They were in Nelson yesterday and left for Trail.

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$10 Fine for Failing to Stop at Intersection

George Lipinski, taxidriver of Nelson, was fined $10, when he appeared before Magistrate William Brown in Nelson City Police Court Monday forenoon, and pleaded guilty to a charge of failing to stop at an intersection, when driving a car on Saturday.

The intersection concerned was that of Baker and Railway Streets. The charge was laid by Sgt. R. R. House.

Aim at Improvement of Radio Setup

CALGARY, Aug. 6 (CP)—Joint representations to Parliament by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation and the Canadian Association of Broadcasters aimed at improvement of the radio broadcasting set-up in the Dominion was suggested today by Glen Bannerman of Toronto, C.A.B. President.

Bannerman did not say what changes should be made in the Canadian broadcasting set-up but he suggested the private stations do "such a thoroughly good job of broadcasting, of programming and of local community service that people will with an increasing number of voices, speak more frequently and favorably of their private station operators than of the CBC."

"By cooperative effort and in spite of the present handicap of all networks being CBC, the private stations can provide programs of public service and entertainment which can outshine anything as yet originated in Canada by the networks.'

Bannerman said there is every indication that advertising revenues over the next two or three years will be sufficient to enable the privately owned stations to develop all facilities for service to the public, provided they are permitted by authority to do so.

Orders Petain's Witnesses to Be Brief, Specific

By RELMAN MORIN

PARIS, Aug. 6 (AP) — Marshal Petain on trial for his life on charges of treasonable acts, was described today by a French delegate to the San Francisco Conference as a man of "perfect patriotism and loyalty to France."

The description was in a telegram from Pierre Merillon, former Member of the French Embassy in Madrid where Petain served.

3RD WEEK OF TRIAL

It was real as the third week of the trial opened, just before Gen. Henri Lacaille testified that Winston Churchill told a Vichy Representative to Great Britain:

"We have been momentarily separated. Let us try not to damage each other any further."

The representative was a Col. Groussard, whom the defence described as a former member of the pro-Fascist Cagoulard and at present representative of the De Gaulle Government in Switzerland.

The General said Groussard was sent to London to inquire if Great Britain could assist the French with military aid in North Africa. Lacaille did not say whether the British Government made commitments. Most of his testimony was concerned with the material weakness of the French Army in the years immediately peceding the war.

A heated argument developed when Prosecutor Andre Mornet asked Judge Paul Mongibeaux to order defence witnesses to be brief and specific in testimony.

"It is completely unfair to protest," Defence Counsel Fernand Payen said. "During eight days, we heard prosecution witnesses and now when our witnesses reply, they are asked to give only the outline of our testimony."

Mongibeaux replied that he was judge of the relevancy of the testimony.

"Time to Counteract Unemployment" . . .

Dominion to Aid in Public Work

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP) — The Dominion Government today offered to give financial assistance to the provinces in certain types of public work projects, providing that they are timed to assist in counteracting unemployment.

The proposal was made in the Dominion's brief presented to the Dominion-Provincial conference. It was proposed that the policy of public investment be shaped as nearly as possible to offset deficiencies in export income or private investment which were the usual sources of unemployment in Canada.

The Dominion offered to make a grant of 20 per cent of the cost of a provincial or municipal public investment project if it was accepted by the Dominion as a fully-planned project before it was undertaken and if it was carried out at a time designated by the Dominion.

The Dominion also would lend technical assistance and share the cost of planning projects.

The brief divides various activities into two groups. If the first group were those activities for which the Dominion now was fully responsible or in which it was prepared to assume full responsibility by arrangement with the provinces.

This group included:

1. Works for which it is constitutionally responsible, such as those required to fulfill international agreements and development in the Yukon, Northwest Territories, Indian Reserves and other Dominion-owned lands.

2. Basic surveys, mapping inventories, topographical and descriptive work on a national scale necessary for the conservation, development and management of natural resources. More detailed data could be obtained by the provinces if it was desired.

3. General and basic research on resources development, conservation and protection problems and methods; research requiring large diversified staff and highly specialized technical personnel; research on the utilization and extraction of resources. This would apply to agriculture, mineral and forest resources, fisheries and construction.

4. Development and conservation of resources which were interprovincial in character including regional watersheds, development of inter-provincial river valley systems, protection of migratory bird life and the control of plant disease.

5. Demonstration projects on special problems of development and conservation in agriculture, forestry and fisheries.

6. Provision of national transportation and communication facilities.

7. General and basic census surveys in fields touching on resources development and public investment to provide information for all parts of Canada.

In the second group the Dominion placed activities for which the provinces are responsible but for which the Dominion was prepared to consider assisting if specific agreements could be reached.

This group included:

1. Assistance to raise provincial standards in the general national interest in the conservation, protection and development of provincial natural resources. Agriculture and protection and management for forests were specifically mentioned.

2. Assistance in providing new access roads to undeveloped mine and forest resources.

3. Assistance for the construction of transportation facilities of national importance. This would include the Trans-Canada Highway, international connections and approaches to national parks; railway grade crossings and airports related to natural resources development.

4. Assistance in the promotion of particular national programs such as facilities for technical and specialized education and of hospital facilities for the inauguration of health insurance.

Possibility of Canadian Liquor Supplies Being Increased

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP)— Possibility of increased supplies of liquor for Canadians—of not elimination of wartime rationing—was foreseen today with repeal of the Wartime Alcoholic Beverages Order which has imposed restriction on supply to Provincial Liquor Control Boards across the Dominion since 1942.

The office of Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced repeal of the order last night except the clause prohibiting liquor advertising which remains in effect.

First comment from Provincial authorities who enforced liquor and beer rationing because of reduced supplies under the order, were optimistic. Both J. A. King of the Alberta Liquor Control Board and W. F. Kennedy of the British Columbia Liquor Control Board, said, however, any increase would be dependent on ability of distillers to increase their supply to the Boards.

MEET TO BE HELD SOON

Mr. Kennedy, who is President of the Canadian Association of Provincial Liquor Commissioners, said a meeting of Provincial Liquor Commissioners would be held soon in Eastern Canada at which it would be determined how much additional liquor distillers could supply.

However, W. G. Webster, Ontario Liquor Commissioner, said that any upward revision of Ontario's liquor ration must await a survey of the quantity of spirits in storage and capacity of distilleries to increase production of beverage alcohol.

40,000,000 GALLONS

"There is more beverage alcohol in storage in Canada today than at any other time," said Mr. Webster. "Approximately 40,000,000 gallons of proof spirits are being held in the distilleries."

The Federal announcement said that "in view of the termination of hostilities in Europe, the principal reasons for the imposition of the restrictions on supply contained in the Wartime Alcoholic Beverages Order, 1942, no longer exist.

"The Government accordingly has decided to remove these restrictions to the extent that they were operative in the field of jurisdiction normally exercised by the provinces."

A YEAR BEFORE IT WILL BE NORMAL

MONTREAL, Aug. 6 (CP)— It will be almost a year before the liquor situation in Quebec Province returns to normal, Judge Edouard Archambault, Chairman of the Quebec Liquor Commission, said today in commenting on the repeal of the Wartime Alcoholic Beverages Order, announced last night in Ottawa.

"I am very happy to hear this news, and I hope the supply problem will become easier. However, I don't think that the situation will be normal before a year.

"The supply problem remains delicate, and it depends almost entirely on the distilleries. We can sell more than they can supply."

There will be no change in the Quebec regulations for sale of wines and spirits for at least several weeks, he added.

INCREASE IN LIQUOR RATION

TORONTO, Aug. 6 (CP)—W. B. Webster, Ontario Liquor Commissioner, said today "the repeal of the Wartime Alcoholic Beverages Order undoubtedly will mean an increase in the liquor ration for Ontario" but he warned that "before that can be done store and warehouse stocks will have to be replenished and augmented and a number of other difficulties overcome.

"This," he said, "will take a little time."

His statement followed announcement in Ottawa that the Wartime order restricting sale of liquor has been repealed. Last night he described the repeal as a "surprise move which places Ontario in a difficult position."

Today he reviewed the situation according to various types of liquors. Of these he said:

Scotch whiskies—Very little can be done because British distilleries have made no beverage alcohol for four years and exports from Britain are still strictly on quota.

Rye whiskies—The cooperation of Canadian distillers in releasing additional goods from bond is a factor.

Gins—Due to the shorter aging period, additional supplies should be available very quickly.

Rums—This is in free supply, in the United States. The Board, anticipating today's situation, have already made extensive purchases and recently enlarged their bottling plant.

"Altogether," said Mr. Webster, "these considerations together with a number of minor ones call for careful study but public may rest assured that the announcement of a new rationing program will be made without undue delay."

Duchess of Richmond to Dock at Halifax on August 18

MONTREAL, Que., Aug. 6—First ship which formerly used the Wolfe's Cove docks at Quebec City in peacetime to return there as a troop ship now that the ancient capital is sharing with Halifax as a repatriation centre for Canadian service men from the German war, will be the Duchess of Richmond on August 18 it was learned here today.

The Richmond's passage to Wolfe's Cove this month will complete the first part of all-Canadian Pacific handling in the home-from-the-war movement, for she is crewed by Canadian Pacific Steamships for the British Ministry of War Transport and C.P.R. special trains will be waiting to take returning heroes to all parts of Canada.

The trains which will serve the Richmond in the shorter haul from Quebec on August 18 are part of the 100 specials estimated as needed this month to handle 45,000 returning service personnel.

With her sister ships, the Duchess of York and Atholl, casualties through enemy action, and the Duchess of Bedford, still afloat and hard at work as a "trooper," the 20,022-ton Richmond, has a regular call in peace time at the Wolfe's Cove Pier, where principal charge was the mighty Empress of Britain, another of the 11 Canadian Pacific vessels the enemy has sunk.

To Discuss Equalization of Freight Rates

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP) — It was suggested that the field of transportation be studied by one of the continuing committees to be appointed during the Dominion-Provincial conference which opened here today.

British Columbia, Alberta and the Maritime provinces would take leading roles in any debate. These provinces are known to feel present rail and road rates are not equitable.

Soldier Finds Out What German Lassies Think

By JAMES F. KING

STUTTGART, Aug. 5 (AP) — We went fraternizing last night.

Sgt. Tom Hoge of the Stars and Stripes joined this correspondent on a double date. We wanted to find out, first-hand what German girls talk about after living most of their lives under Hitler.

We purposely picked girls who looked typical, and let them do most of the talking.

Hildegarde, 20, and buxom blond, works for the American Military Government. She spoke to us first when we flaunted a pack of cigarets.

Margot, her 24-year-old sister whom she brought along on the date, is an unemployed typist. Both spoke broken English.

They led us to a park overlooking the city.

"This once was a beautiful place until your bombers destroyed it," was Margot's first comment.

Then as she reached a wooded glade, Hildegarde said: "It is so hard now. We have so little to eat." Then with a coy glance she asked: "How long are you going to be here?"

"Only a couple of days on a story," we replied.

The coyness vanished.

With indications they had rehearsed the routine, both opened English primers they had brought along.

"Pictures of New York are very good," said Hildegard. "You were very fortunate it was not bombed."

"That's not your fault," we replied.

"How many Jews and Negroes have you in New York?" asked Margot.

"Why?" we replied.

"I don't like Jews," she answered.

Margot, who did most of the talking, produced a handful of snapshots.

"This," she said, pointing to a German army corporal, "was my boy friend. Your American artillery killed him. And this girl friend of mine was killed in one of your air raids. Here is a childhood friend of mine. Your Russian Allies killed him at Stalingrad."

The parade went on for about 15 minutes.

It was becoming monotonous, so we got up and started to walk away.

"It's pretty near curfew," we said. "Time you Germans got home."

Atomic Bomb Made of Force From Which the Sun Draws Its Power

By HOWARD BLAKESLEE
AP Science Editor

NEW YORK, Aug. 6 (AP)—President Truman's statement that the atomic bomb is made of the force from which the sun draws its power explains the principle of this new explosive.

The sun's power is the sun's heat. For years scientists have known that this heat could not come from ordinary fires like any known on the earth's surface. The sun just wasn't big enough to have lasted the billions of years during which there is evidence it has been burning at the present rate.

In ordinary fire, molecules of wood, coal or other fuels are blazing, separate. As they come apart, the energy which held them together is released in the form of heat, light and other rays, like x-rays. Even a hot fire gives off a bit of x-rays.

The sun burns not by separation of molecules but by two much more intensely hot methods. One is the atoms that form molecules separating from each other. This kind of separation releases incredibly greater amounts of heat and energy than molecule separations.

But an even greater source of sun power is the fact that the atoms themselves come apart to some extent. These atoms are made of electrons, protons and other electrical and non-electrical particles. Electrons and other particles fly off the atoms. This kind of separation releases even greater energies (including heat and all other sorts of rays) than the separation of atoms from each other.

It has been clear to scientists for nearly a half century that if they could get enough atoms in a piece of solid matter, or even gas, the size of a pea, to break up all at once, the explosion would be terrible.

NO CLUE

President Truman's announcement gives no clue to the method of producing the atomic bomb. His statement gives one clue, which is in line with what scientists expected. This is that there are useful possibilities in the atomic power as well as destruction. That which will explode, will also burn more slowly, to give heat for making steam or electricity.

An atomic bomb hunt started after the war got under way when a German mathematician, a Jewish woman, Lize Meitner, calculated that something which had puzzled scientists for 10 years was really an explosion of atoms and one of the kinds of the metal uranium.

Within two weeks after she published this calculation, the great physics laboratories in the U. S., Britain and Germany had verified her prediction. She was banished from Germany shortly afterward, but Hitler put all available physicists at work on atomic bombs and atomic power at the Kaiser Wilhelm Institute, Berlin.

What the scientists found was that a rare form of iranium, known as 235, when bombarded with low electrical energy (in the form of neutron rays) would react by splitting some of its atoms squarely in two.

Up to that time no atom had ever been really smashed. A few electrons or other particles had been forced out by the smashing rays used, which might be x-rays or rays made of atomic particles.

When uranium atoms split in two, as the German woman predicted, a whole new world opened for atomic power. The energy released by an atom breaking in two was thousands of times greater than the energy when just a few pieces were chipped off.

Hnatiuk Fined $300 for Having Beer for Sale

Pleading guilty to a charge of unlawfully keeping beer for sale at 520 Vernon Street, George Hnatiuk, hotelman, of Nelson, was fined $300 by Magistrate William Brown in Nelson City Police Court on Monday morning.

The charge was laid by Sgt. R. R. House.

LOGGING COMPANY SIGNS CLOSED SHOP, CHECK-OFF AGREEMENT

VANCOUVER, Aug. 6 (CP) — First "union shop and check-off" agreement in the B.C. lumber industry has been signed with Lake Logging Company at Cowichan Lake, it was announced today by Harold Pritchett, District President of International Woodworkers (C.I.O.).

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Those required to register include all male persons who:

(a) are either skilled or unskilled building construction tradesmen or labourers, and who are not now engaged in building construction work; and

(b) have had a total of at least two years experience, continuous or otherwise, in the construction industry since December 31st, 1936; and

(c) have passed their 16th birthday but have not yet reached their 65th birthday.

Workers at present employed on building construction are not required to register under this special registration.

Registration shall be made—

1. At the nearest Local Employment Office of the National Employment Service; or
2. At the nearest Post Office if a person does not live in a city or town in which a Local Office of the National Employment Service is located, nor within 5 miles of such a city or town.

Home construction is vital to the welfare of Canada.

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Experienced building construction workers—whether tradesmen or labourers — are urgently required.

If you are a construction worker not now working in the construction industry, you must register as here stated — but you should do more. You should offer your services immediately for transfer to the construction industry, so that you may help in providing the homes so urgently needed.

Local Employment Offices will be open Evenings till 9:00 p.m. to take registrations, from Monday, Aug. 6th to Friday, Aug. 10th.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

HUMPHREY MITCHELL
Minister of Labour

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Deputy Minister of Labour

TODAY'S News Pictures

SCHOOL FOR SOLDIERS: Canadian soldiers in Holland brush up on their civilian knowledge at Hoffmeister Hall, Groningen, where training is given to the men while awaiting repatriation to Canada. The school was opened by the Fifth Canadian Armoured Division and named after its former commander, Maj.-Gen. B. M. Hoffmeister. Commanding officer of the school is Major L. C. Van Tighem, of Strathmore, Alta. (CANADIAN ARMY OVERSEAS PHOTO)

MEDICAL MIRACLE: Richard Roseman looks at the two candles on his birthday cake at his Brooklyn home. Medically speaking he isn't supposed to be alive for he weighed only a pound and a half at birth. Today he's a healthy baby of 35 pounds and is 33 inches in height, taller than the average.

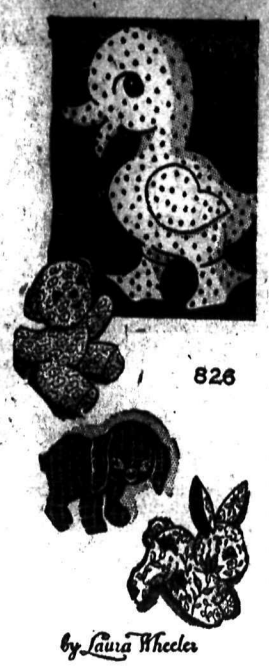
HOLLYWOOD'S NEWEST FIND: Paula Drew, 20-year-old brunette beauty and former model in New York, has just been signed to a contract by Warner Bros. Detroit-born, she has lived in New York for two years after graduating from college in Detroit. She makes her screen debut in "Night and Day." As a dancer, singer and actress, she had appeared with the Detroit Light Opera Compay before becoming a model.

SLUGGING JAPS: Grim-faced and tough, Admiral William F. "Bull" Halsey gazes toward the Japanese mainland where his guns and bombs continue battering enemy defences and industries while his fliers go in for the kill on Jap warships crippled in the Inland Sea.

PAUL DAVOUD — T.C.A.

Paul Davoud, D.S.O., O.B.E., D.F.C., formerly group captain in the R.C.A.F., and prominent in Northern flying, has been appointed operations assistant to the Vice-President of Trans-Canada Air Lines, with headquarters in Northwest Europe.

APPOINTED TO NEW COMMAND: Brigadier John Francis Bingham, 33, of Winnipeg and Victoria, B.C., who will command the Canadian Armored Corps training establishment at Camp Borden, Ont., on his return shortly from overseas duty. Brig. Bingham commanded several armoured formations overseas, his latest appointment being with the First Canadian Army headquarters in Northwest Europe. (CANADIAN ARMY OVERSEAS PHOTO).



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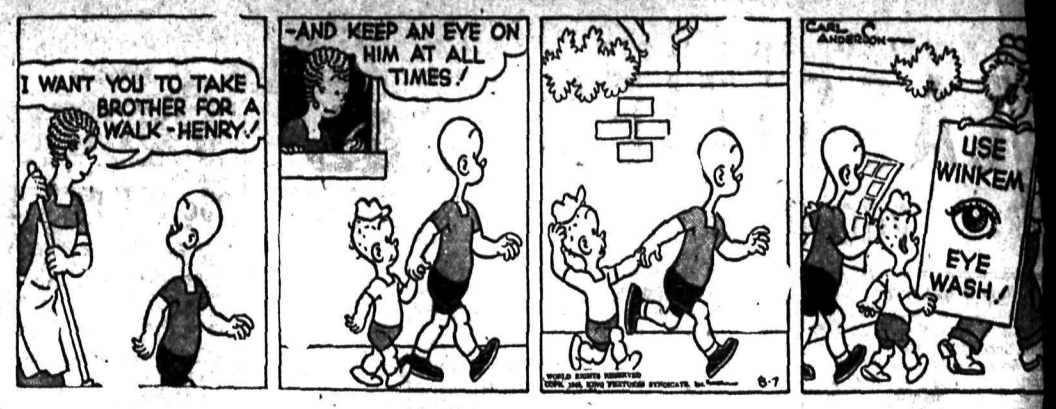

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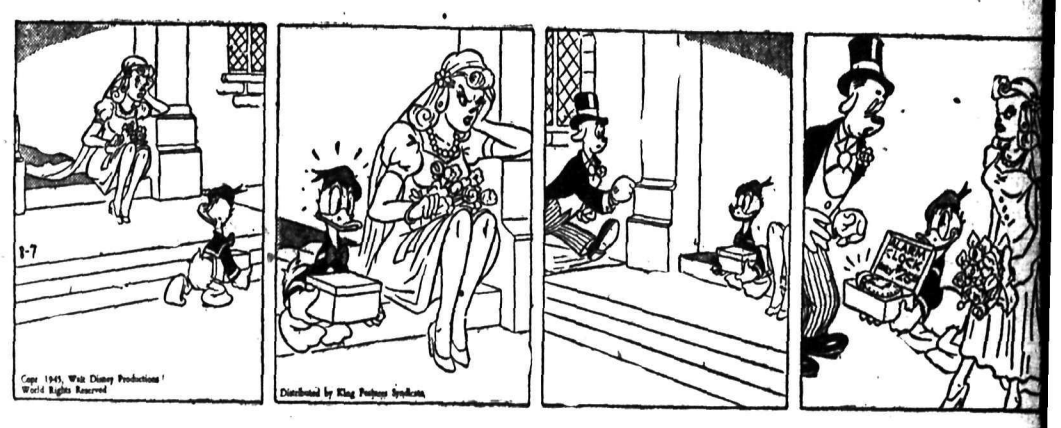

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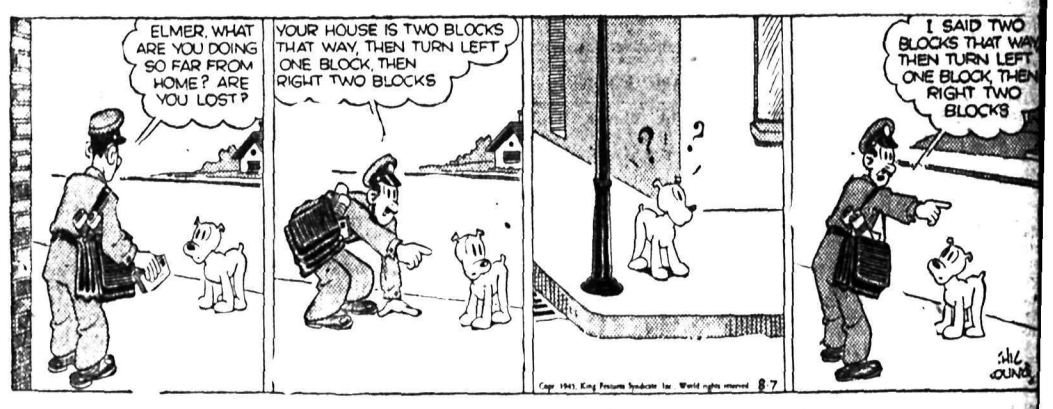

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Specifications, etc., may be obtained from Ernest Smith, District Engineer, Court House, Nelson, on deposit of a sum of Ten Dollars ($10.00) which will be refunded upon the return of the specifications within a period of one month of the receipt of tenders.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, made payable to the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($150.00) which shall be forfeited if the tenderer declines to enter into contract, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for.

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A. L. CARRUTHERS,
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Department of Public Works,
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July 30th, 1945.

LAND REGISTRY ACT
(Section 160)

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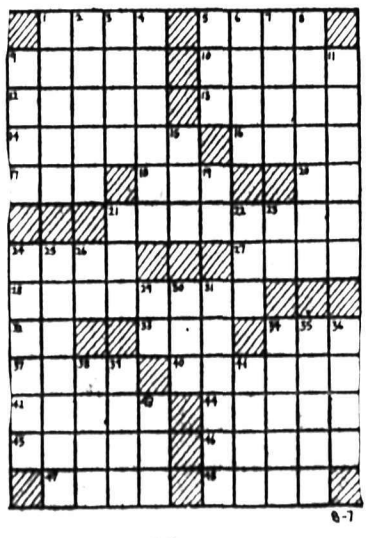
1. Flower wreathes
5. Chief
9. Not real
10. Tooth
12. Images of worship
13. Sharp
14. Say again
16. Denomination
17. East by northeast (abbr.)
18. Cleansing implement
20. Exclamation
21. Bodies of retainers
24. Apex
27. Branch of learning
28. Connection
32. Sign of infinitive
33. Highest card
34. Resort
37. Troubles
40. Engraved with corrosives
42. Musical instrument
44. Banal
45. Boredom
46. Narrow roadways
47. Turns to the right
48. Pitcher

DOWN

1. Burdened
2. Run away and marry
3. Little island
4. Herb
5. Wine receptacle
6. Fabulous birds
7. Hint
8. Chopping tool
9. Discharge
11. Throw again
15. Little child
19. Jumbled type
21. Twilled fabric
22. Old horse
23. Biblical city
24. Busy
25. Chilling
26. Greek letter
29. Music note
30. Frozen water
31. Stinging herb
34. Polish
35. One of the Apostles
36. Any fruit drinks
38. Solitary
39. Great quantity
41. Bird's stomach
43. Sloths

Yesterday's Answer



CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: THERE IS NOTHING WHICH HAS NOT BEEN BITTER BEFORE BEING RIPE—SYRUS.

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Interpreting THE WAR NEWS

By JAMES D. WHITE
Associated Press News Analyst

With its closely controlled channels of information, the Tokyo war machine is unlikely to say much which would give the Allies any hint of the real effect of the terrible new weapon, the atomic bomb, the implications of which must be as clear to Japanese leaders as they are to the Allied public.

One bomb has been dropped on Hiroshima, a big Army quartermaster base on the inland sea on Western Honshu. It is possible, that few eyewitnesses are left in the vicinity of this city of 318,000 which has been made the centre of an explosion more than 2000 times as great as the biggest bomb ever dropped on Germany.

By now, the Japanese must be practised in the art of isolating such scenes of disaster. Consequently it may be that the Japanese public will not hear the bomb's real effect until enough leaflets — and enough bombs—are dropped to tell them. Even then, it is questionable how much effect there will be on the Japanese people.

Many Japanese have varying degrees of training in physics and chemistry, but it remains to be seen whether this training, directed toward giving them necessary technical ability without stimulating their creative imagination, will let the word "atomic" sound in their minds the knell of doom it actually carries for those attuned to hear it, the science-minded Western world.

Salmo Wins From Intermeds

Salmo Intermediate baseball team won another ball game from the locals Sunday afternoon when, before another large turnout of fans, they set the Nelson boys down 14-10.

The game was a good one till the eighth inning, with the score just 5-4 in the visitors' favor. In their half of the eighth, the Salmo lads started a big rally, and nine batters crossed the plate before the home squad got things stopped.

Nelson staged their biggest inning in their last turn at bat, and they came through with four runs, but their rally was too late.

Both chuckers pitched a fair game, but Cede Esche for the winners received better support in the field than Woody Anderson on the home mound. Esche struck out six, hit one batter, and yielded seven hits. Anderson struck out 10, hit one batter, gave seven free passes to batter, gave seven free passes to Nelson committed eight errors and Salmo five.

Howie Breeze drove out the biggest clout of the game, a three-bagger, Klovance and Nash got a two bagger apiece. Sal Anderson made a beautiful catch in the far right field, as he took in MacDonald's long foul drive. Skinny Anderson, Glen Scribner, Howie Breeze and Pete Klovance scored two runs each, while Gordon Moir, Cede Esche, Rusty Gibbon, Howard Moore, Salmar Anderson and Marshal McDearmid scored once each for Salmo. For the locals, Bud Browell led with three runs, Alex Brosino was next with two, with Bob MacDonald, Ron Nash, John Harry, Lorne Boates and Woody Anderson scoring a run apiece.

Batteries were: Salmo—Esche, Gibbon and Moore; Nelson—Anderson and Nash.

Umpires were Dan McGinn and Stan Bandy.

TEST NEW WEAPON TO WIN WARS

LOS ALAMOS, N.M., Aug. 6 (AP) —The age of atomic force, described by the War Department as most destructive known to man, was ushered in July 17, 1945, when a group of renowned scientists and military leaders gathered in New Mexico's desert wastelands to witness the results of their $2,000,000,000 experiment.

The War Department disclosed today that the test took place on that date on an isolated section of the Alamogordo, N.M., air base, 120 miles Southeast of Albuquerque, at 5:30 a.m.

"A revolutionary weapon destined to change war as we know it, or which may even be the instrumentality to end all wars," said the War Department's announcement, "was set off with an impact which signalized man's entrance into a new physical world."

"A small amount of matter, the product of a chain of huge specially-constructed industrial plants, was made to release the energy of the universe, locked up within the atom from the beginning of time."

The blast from that test jarred windows in homes as distant as Southern Arizona.

At Albuquerque, 120 miles away, a blind girl, when the flash of the test lighted the sky before the explosion could be heard, asked: "What was that?"

A thunderstorm bloted out aerial observation.

The nearest lookout point was set up 10,000 yards from the steel tower from which the experiment took place. Key fixtures in the experiment took their positions 17,000 yards away. They were ordered to lie down with their heads away from the blast tower.

Final assembly of the atomic bomb had begun the night of July 12 in an old ranch house. Various component parts were assembled from distant points and put together there.

One false move would have blasted the scientists and their efforts into eternity.

At the appointed time there was a blinding blash lighting up the whole area brighter than the brightest daylight. A mountain range three miles from the observation point stood out in bold relief. Then came a tremendous sustained roar and a heavy pressure wave which knocked down two men outside the control centre. Immediately thereafter, a huge multi-colored surging cloud boiled to an altiude of over 40,000 feet. Clouds in its path disappeared. Soon the shifting substratosphere winds dispersed the now gray mass.

The test was over, the project a success.

The steel tower had been entirely vaporized. When the tower had stood, there was a huge sloping crater.

The United States Normally consumes 63 per cent of the world's petroleum, 66.4 per cent of the world's rubber, approximately 55 per cent of the world's coffee and about 21 per cent of the world's sugar.

VANCOUVER STOCKS

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B R Cons	.16½	.17½
Bayonne	.15½	.16
B R X	.16½	.18
Bralorne	15.50	16.00
Cariboo Gold	2.45	2.50
Dentonia	.22½	.23
Golconda	.17½	.20
Grandview	.14	.16
Grull Wihksne	.16	.17
Hedley Mascot	.80	.85
Int C & C	.34½	.35
Island Mountain	1.35	1.35
Jason	.53	.55
Kootenay Belle	.10	.12
Minto	.11½	.12
O'Leary	.13	.16
Pend Oeille	1.90	2.00
Pioneer Gold	6.10	6.35
Prem Border	.07	.07½
Premier Gold	1.50	1.55
Privateer	.49	.50
Red Hawk	.08	.09
Reeves MacDonald	.40	.50
Reno Gold	.07	.09
Salmon	1.36	1.38
Sunlock	.16	—
Silbak Premier	.74½	.90
Taylor Bridge	.63	.66
Whitewater	.01⅞	.02¼
Wellington	.02½	.02¾
OILS		
Anaconda	.05¾	.07
Anglo Canadian	.87	.91
A P Consolidated	.14	.17
Cal & Edmonton	1.83	1.88
Calmont	.22	.25
Commoil	.25	—
Commonwealth	.45	—
Dalhousie	.32	.38
Davies	.14½	.17
Foothills	1.35	1.50
Home	3.75	3.85
McDougall Segur	.08½	.10
Model	.20	.22
Mercury	.07¼	.08¼
National Pete	.14	.17
Okalta Com.	.43½	.47
Pacific Pete	1.02	1.10
Royal Canadian	.03½	.04
Royalite	19.50	21.00
Southwest Pete	.20	.30
Sunset	.07	.09
Vanalta	.12	.13
INDUSTRIALS		
Pacific Coyle	.30	.35
Powell River Ind.	21.00	—

Market Trends

NEW YORK, Aug. 6 (AP)—Selected oils, motors and rails advanced although the over-all trend was mixed in one of the lowest-volume sessions of 1945.

Prices were steady most of the time but near the final hour some gainers had transferred into losing territory. Steels and several of the metals had minus signs. Transfers approximated 500,000 shares.

MONTREAL — Selected liquors and junior mines were stronger spots in trading up to the fifth hour and other groups irregular.

VANCOUVER — Sales shot up when 48,468 shares changed hands.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY, Aug. 6 (CP) — Weekend receipts: 439 cattle, six calves and 10 hogs.

Hogs closed weekend market at $17.60 for A's at yards and plants. Sows $10.75-$11.00 live weight.

Good to choice butcher steers 11.50-12.50; common to medium 9.50-11.00. Good to choice heifers 10.50-11.25; common to medium 9.00-10.00.

Good cows 8.00-8.50; common to medium 6.50-7.75. Good bulls 7.00-7.50; common to medium 5.50-6.50.

Good stock cows and heifers 6.50-8.50. Good to choice fed calves 12.00-12.75.

Good to choice veal calves 9.50-10.50; common to medium 8.00-9.00.

Stocker and feeder steers 9.00-10.00; common to medium 7.50-8.75.

Good lambs 12.00-12.75.

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American Can	99
Am Smelt & Ref	47½
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American Tobacco	77½
Anaconda	32⅞
Beth Steel	79
Canadian Pacific	16⅜
Dupont	159¾
Gen Electric	43⅛
Gen Motors	67⅞
International Nickel	32⅛
Inter Tel & Tel	25
Kenn Copper	37⅜
Union Pacific	131¾
U S Rubber	54
U S Steel	67⅞

MONTREAL STOCKS

INDUSTRIALS	
Con Min & Smelting	65¼
McColl Frontenac	11½
Shawinigan W & P	19½
St. Lawence Corp Pfd	3¼

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Aug. 6 (CP). — The Canadian dollar was unchanged at a discount of 9 5-16 per cent in terms of United States funds in closing foreign exchange dealings today. (Ottawa Foreign Exchange Board rates 9.09-9.91 per cent discount.) The pound sterling was down ¼ at $4.02¾.

Women Lumberjacks Replace Men to Maintain the Working Force

STALINGRAD, Aug. 6 (CP) — The restoration of ravaged Stalingrad has begun in earnest. The rafts of timber needed to build factories and homes are beginning to arrive.

Timber floating is at its height all through the Soviet Union at this season, but nowhere is its arrival more impatiently awaited than in this great city North of the Caspian Sea where the Nazi armies were stopped in their drive to the East.

The first Stalingrad raft, three times as wide as a big city highway, was steered by trained lumberjacks all the way from the upper reaches of the Kama River, a tributary of the Volga. To move its 30,000 cubic metres of timber overland would have required at least 1500 freight cars.

At a recent engineers' conference on the restoration of coal mines of the Donbas region, held in Stalino, centre of the Donets coal basin, a plan was drafted for opening large new mines to increase Russia's coal production. Hundreds of rafts of pit props for these workings now are being floated into the area.

The People's Commissariat of the timber industry recently announced that timber was being floated down 1500 rivers. This job is one of the Commissariat's most important tasks and a virtual army of lumber jacks is employed at it.

Because Russian rivers are deeper and flow more slowly than most Canadian streams, timber rafting can be much more widely used.

The urgent timber needs of wartime Russia resulted in a great speedup of woods operations. As in other trades and professions wo n took men's places to maintain the working force despite the draining off of manpower for the armed forces. Today, many thousands of women are working as raftsmen, raft builders and lumberjacks in Russia and more thousands have become skilled motor operators, electricians and mechanics in the mills.

Crawford Bay Man Leaves Estate of $184,690 to Nephew in England

An estate worth $184,890.72 has been bequeathed to Major George Rowland Hill Cholmley of Place Newton, Malton, Yorkshire, England, by his uncle, Robert Strickland Cholmley of Crawford Bay, who died in Nelson Oct. 17, 1944.

Letters of administration for the estate were granted by Judge W. A. Nisbet in Chambers to Montague Edward Harper, Official Administrator, July 21. C. B. Garland was the solicitor.

The estate includes $57,532 in real estate, cash and life insurance worth $1593.62, B.C. securities worth $1677.80, bonds etc., worth $7232.89, securities held in England worth $103,172.78, annuities of $4292.04, and property worth $2673.10.

To Develop Scranton Mine

Portland, Ore., businessmen who are interested in the Scranton Consolidated Mining Co., group of claims at Ainsworth are preparing for a campaign of development of the property.

W. J. Graham, Mining Engineer representing the owners, was in Nelson yesterday and stated that the primary object of his visit was to arrange for some necessary road construction, to open the way to development of the property.

Twilight Golf at Kaslo

KASLO, B.C. — The Kaslo Golf and Country Club held their weekly twilight mixed foursomes on Thursday evening. Prizes of golf balls donated by Harry Whellams were won by Miss Deana Whellams and Alderman E. H. Latham. Doughnuts and coffee were served by Mrs. L. Sandilands and Mrs. Y. Condy.

LONDON—The first protective minefield was laid by H.M.S. Plover on the afternoon of Sept. 3, 1939. Total of mines laid since is more than 180,000.

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NELSON GARDEN CLUB PLANS FLOWER SHOW

Nelson Garden Club members at their final meeting before their Annual Flower Show spent a full evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hinitt, completing plans and appointing committees for the event.

President A. S. Read announced that arrangements to hold the show in the Fink Building, Baker Street, had been put through, and that the Women's Auxiliary to the Overeas Forces would be serving tea at the show.

Ross Fleming, as representative of the Camera Club, attended the meet- *to assure the gardeners that his club* would stage an exhibit. 'We are only a young club, but I feel sure we will have a worthwhile exhibit," said Mr. Fleming.

Mr. Kail, S. Bentley, C. D. Pearson and Mrs. J. Leeming were appointed on the show committee; A. S. Read and H. H. Hinitt, decorations and door receipts; C. W. Ramsden, advertising and promotion and H. H. Hinitt to have charge of the flower auction.

It was decided that proceeds from the show would be given to the Red Cross.

After the meeting refreshments were served.

Just Received—Carload
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HOME FURNITURE

Land Drainage Part of Plan to Aid Farming

OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (CP)—Extension of agricultural conservation and development activities through cooperation of the Dominion and Provinces was suggested today by the Dominion Government to the Dominion-Provincial conference.

The Government said agriculture had made a contribution to the war effort unsurpassed by any other industry but it had been left with conversion problems comparable to those faced by manufacturing.

The Dominion proposed expanding its development and protective services and undertaking new services to promote productive efficiency of agriculture and to improve the opportunities and standards of the farming population.

"This would include in the first place an extension of economic surveys and soil surveys, which have already proven their usefulness, and the study of soil erosion from water comparable to that of erosion from drought and wind on the prairies. It would include projects for the conservation of water and for land drainage, and the inauguration of demonstrational work on such problems as soil erosion control and weed eradication.

J. B. STALLWOOD LEAVES ESTATE TO FAMILY

Letters probate for the estate of James Benjamin Stallwood, an estate worth $7275.57, were issued to Burton Busby Stallwood, executor, by Judge W. A. Nisbet, in Chambers on July 25, with William Brown as the solicitor.

Mr. Stallwood, a rancher of Nelson, died here on April 8.

Minnie Busby Stallwood, 71-year-old widow who lives at North Shore, *Nelson, is to receive* $3042.04, while, three sons, Clarence Benjamin Stallwood, Burton Busby Stallwood, and Milfred James Stallwood, all of Nelson, also are to receive $1322.43 each.

The estate is made up of $1400, real estate; cash, life insurance, etc., $1501.98; debts, promisory notes $1029.72; security for money, bonds, stocks, shares, $1049.62, and other property, $644.25.

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Flt. Lt. Jack Young, Nelson, Gives Interesting Story of Prison Camp

Nelson Rotarians were held spellbound as Flt. Lt. J. E. Young recounted his experience in the German prison camps during his sojourn there from Jan. 3, 1944, till April, 1945. His travels in Germany led him from a little barn where he spent the first night to end up in the big concentration camp at Luckinvolde in February, 1945.

Speaking at the Rotarian luncheon at the Hume Monday, Flt. Lt. Young told how he had been flying with a Lancaster Bomber Command in missions over Berlin. During the weather in their battle against the Winter of 1944 they were using the weather was fairly good but by the Nazis. When they left England the time they reached Berlin they would be flying by instruments; This helped to keep the Nazi planes on the ground and lessened the danger of interception.

On the night of Jan. 3, 1944, Flt. Lt. Young's plane was among the many that failed to return. He found himself hanging upside down in a tree, all tangled up in his chute. The first night was spent in a small barn with hopes of being able to find his way back to England, shortly. However, the next morning the "Home Guards" found him and he ended up in a hospital just North of Berlin, where a German doctor treated his wounds. He was then taken to Hamburg and spent the night in the remains of the oldest jail there. "Going down several flights of stairs I had the feeling that they would perhaps, throw us in a dungeon and toss the keys away," said Young. They were then taken on to the prison camp at Frankfurt.

FLT. LT. JACK E. YOUNG

CIVILIANS UNRULY

Armed forces had to be used in order to keep the civilians away from the trains, but the prisoners found that the German fighting forces were quite friendly. At Frankfurt they were kept in cells about four feet by eight feet and these were heated by electricity. It depended on how the guard felt as to whether they would be freezing or roasting.

The next lap of the journey, made in cattle trucks and third class coaches, found them in Stalag Luft No. 3. Here they found themselves fairly comfortable, they did their cooking, made pots and pans, built a theatre, where they put on the play "Arsenic and Old Lace" and had all kinds of sports, both during the Winter and Summer. There was a warning wire around the place, and anyone touching it was shot *immediately* by the guards.

At first each prisoner received one Red Cross parcel per week but after January, 1945, they received about one-half a parcel a week.

Flt. Lt. Young told of the secret *tunnel which was built from March,* 1943, to March 1944, and of the escape of 80 officers, 50 of whom were shot by the S. S. troops. This tunnel was 200 feet long, with electric lights and a miniature railroad. The earth was spread by the prisoners by handfuls, thus explaining the *reason for the length of time taken* to build the tunnel.

MARCHED

In January, 1945, things were getting too hot for the Nazis, and they decided to move the camp. The pri*soners marched for 70 kilometres to* Luckinvolde. Here the conditions were terrible. All were crowded into very small space with very little food.

At the end of March the order *came to be moved to Munich, but* after keeping the prisoners for two days in the trains, the authorities could get no locomotives to move them, so the boys were left. Around April 21 the Nazis got jittery and left, and on the 22nd the first Russian spearhead appeared. Conditions improved some, but it took time before extra food was available. Not long afterwards Flt. Lt. Young found himself homeward bound to England.

Other guests at the luncheon were Rotarians Emile Crenin, Oakland, Calif.; J. Gervan, Vancouver, and J. H. Tabor, Victoria, also Lt. D. H. Tye, RCNVR, Nelson and Dr. F. P. Sparks of Vancouver.

Troops Move in to Training Camps

MONTREAL, Que., Aug. 6 — Reaching a peak at the weekend when 1200 Canadian airmen and sailors who have volunteered for the Pacific moved East in Canadian Pacific Railway troop specials, a total of 6500 service personnel has been carried to the Maritimes by the C.P.R. over the past two weeks. it was anounced today by Ian Warren, Assistant passenger traffic manager in charge of military and other special traffic.

The movement is continuing and this afternoon two troop specials carried hundreds more to camps where they will receive final training for the Japanese war.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Rates: 2c line, 27c line black face type, larger type rates on request. Minimum two lines. 10% discount for prompt payment.

Fresh eggs and corn on cob at Wright's Grocery.

I.O.D.E. monthly meeting, 2:30 p.m., Legion today.

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Flying Swedes Miss 4-Minute Mile Mark

By HENRY B. JAMESON

LONDON, Aug. 6 (AP) — Gunder Haegg and Arne Andersson, the flying Swedes, fell far short of world records today but thrilled a holiday crowd of 52,000 as they ran to easy victories in the two-mile and one-mile races at an Anglo-American track meet which the U. S. Army team won by a single point.

Haegg, who holds so many middle distance records that statisticians flinch at the mention of his name, won the two-mile run in 9:00.6 to establish a British record but the time was not too impressive against his world record of 8:42.8.

Andersson did the mile in 4:08.8, compared to his 4:01.6 which stood as a universal standard until July 17 when Haegg shaved off 2-10ths of a second off it to march closer *to the long-awaited four-minute* mile.

Without exerting himself, Andersson defeated Syd Wooderson, Britain's outstanding miler, by 2½ yards.

Gunder finished a half lap in front of Douglas Wilson, British Army athlete, and easily whipped out the English record of 9:03.8 that Jack Lovelock set back in 1933.

A soft track and the sticky weather were not conducive to record breaking.

A.H.L. TO USE TWO REFEREES

NEW YORK, Aug. 6 (AP) — The American Hockey League has voted to abandon its present officiating system of a referee and a head linesman and instead will use two referees of equal power and responsibility, *President Maurice Podoloff* of New Haven said today.

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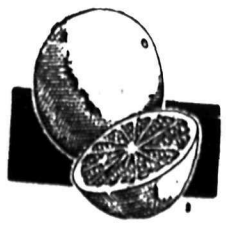

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