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NERVOUS ITALY WATCHES SYRIA

Messina Racked by R. A. F. Blockbusters

By DANIEL DE LUCE
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ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, June 15 (AP)—The Strategic Allied Air Force has again beaten heavily at Sicily, centering the fire of two-ton blockbuster bombs upon Messina, the ferry approach to Southern Italy proper, Allied Headquarters disclosed today.

This attack was driven in by R.A.F. Wellington bombers Sunday night and yesterday morning. Messina, already one of the most bombed tangets in the whole of the Mediterranean, was left alight with great fires; its railway yards and harbor area were hit repeatedly.

In these and other night operations by the Northwest Africa Air Forces no Allied plane was lost.

At the same time, official bulletins from Malta and Cairo told of new offensive sweeps from both of those Allied bases in the three-sided campaign to break down the last of the island approaches to the Italian mainland.

Malta-based fighters and intruders swept over both Sicily and Southern Italy, bombing war factories and turning bomb and cannon fire upon Italian railway communications. A single challenging German fighter plane was shot down.

From Cairo, long-range R.A.F. fighters went out again over the Aegean Sea, setting fire to an enemy schooner.

The day brought also an announcement that further study of reconnaissance photographs had established that the Flying Fortress attack of June 5 on the Italian naval base of La Spezia had scored a direct hit on the forward deck of a 35,000-ton Italian battleship of the Littorio class. Her deck plates were buckled and it appeared that a forward gun turret also had been hit.

RUSS HURL BACK FOUR NEW GERMAN ATTACKS

Rear Hun Positions Heavily Bombed by Russ

SEE HUGE FIRES

LONDON, June 15 (CP)—Four new German counter-attacks in the reactivated Orel region were hurled back today, it was announced tonight by the Russians, who said enemy troops ceased their attempts to retake lost territory at sundown after two unsuccessful days.

One of the German thrusts, carried out under the cover of a smoke screen, penetrated to the outskirts of a populated place Northwest of Mtsensk which was captured recently by the Russians before being beaten off, the Soviet Tuesday midnight communique announced.

The war bulletin said the Russians killed about 400 Germans, destroyed or damaged a number of tanks and captured some material in staving off the sharp German drives.

The day's unsuccessful attempts followed similar counter-attacks by the Germans Monday night Northeast of Mtsensk, which the Russians said were turned back with heavy losses.

Earlier, the Germans claimed that the principal fighting was in the Kuban area of the Caucasus. They told of new Soviet drives which they said were unsuccessful.

Soviet airmen raided German rear positions, attacking railway stations, trains and stores. The communique said huge fires broke out in the bombed areas and heavy explosions were seen.

Russian artillerymen shelling German positions West of Rostov were reported to have wiped out about two companies of enemy infantry in addition to destroying guns, blockhouses and observation posts.

Soviet gunners in the Sevsk area destroyed a German artillery battery and routed a supply column.

On the front West of Moscow, Russian units were said to have wiped out about 200 German officers and men and silenced half a dozen artillery and mortar batteries.

COAST MAN WINS REPRIEVE FROM HANGING

VANCOUVER, June 15 (CP)—L.-Cpl. Douglas Robert Beatty, 28, convicted murderer of Phil Davis, Vancouver taxi driver, today was granted a reprieve from hanging until Nov. 22 pending hearing of his appeal by the Supreme Court of Canada. He was under sentence to hang June 18.

FINED FOR LEAVING ENGINE RACING

NORTH VANCOUVER, B. C., June 15 (CP.) — Convicted on a charge of leaving an automobile unattended with its motor racing for 15 minutes, George F. Blake, shipyard employee, today was fined $25 by Police Magistrate R. A. Sargent, with an option of one month in jail. Blake, who chose the jail term, claimed he had left the engine running to charge the battery.

SET AGE OF 57 FOR OFFICERS IN OPERATIONS

Non-Operational 58; 59 and 60 for Officers in Canada

RETIRE AT 60

OTTAWA, June 15 (CP)—Defence Minister Ralston announced tonight that a maximum age limit of 57 has been fixed for officers employed in operational units of the Canadian Army Overseas.

In a Departmental announcement Col. Ralston said an age limit had also been set for certain other appointments and a maximum age of retirement of 60 set for all officers in the Canadian Army.

The age limit for officers in non-operational units or establishments overseas is set at 58. The age limit for operational units and Headquarters in Canada is 59 and for non-operational units or establishments in Canada is 60.

The announcement said this "important measure . . . has recently been approved."

The announcement added: "This will establish a differential between the various components of the Army at home and overseas. An officer returned to Canada on attaining the age limit overseas may, if he can be absorbed, be employed for a further two years in Canada. Also, an officer on operations in Canada may, on reaching the age of 59, be employed for one year in a non-operational establishment, provided a vacancy exists. On attaining the age of 60 all officers will be retired."

It said that if no other suitable officer is available, aproval may be given for the continued employment for a maximum period of one year of an officer attaining the age of 60, provided he was in the required medical category. Under certain "most exceptional circumstances," the period might be extended beyond one year.

All officers retired under the provisions of this new regulation will be granted leave pending retirement. Duration of leave will be based on the length of service by the officer in the present war.

The announcement said the recent retirement of Maj.-Gen. E. deB. Panet as District Officer Commanding Military District No. 4 Montreal, and of Maj.-Gen. W. H. P. Elkins as General Officer Commanding-in-Chief Atlantic Command was due to the application of this rule. Both had attained the age of 60.

The retirements were announced last month. Gen. Panet has been succeeded by Maj.-Gen. E. J. Renaud, 52, and Gen. Elkins by Maj.-Gen. L. F. Page, 58.

Unless an exception were made in his case, the new ruling means that Lt.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, Commander of the Canadian Overseas Army, cannot remain in command of the Army after January 25, 1944, when he reaches the age of 57.

Maj.-Gen. P. J. Montague, Senior Officer at Canadian Military Headquarters in London, is 60 now. It was not immediately known whether he would be retired or whether he would be treated as an exception.

Lt.-Gen. H. D. G. Crerar, Commander of a Canadian Corps overseas, is 55. Lt.-Gen. E. W. Sansom, Commander of another overseas Corps, is 52.

Oldest of the overseas Divisional Commanders is Maj.-Gen. F. F. Worthington, 54.

Report New Viceroy of India Chosen; Anderson Mentioned

LONDON, June 16 (Wednesday) (CP Cable)—The Daily Mail said today it understood that a new Viceroy of India has been chosen in succession to the Marquess of Linlithgow who has been Viceroy since 1936 and that a formal announcement of the change would be made soon.

The Daily Express said Sir John Anderson, Lord President of the Council, has been mentioned prominently for the office.

17 Believed Killed as Planes Collide

CARRIZOZO, N.M., June 15 (AP)—Two four-engine army bombers collided and crashed, one in flames, today in the Ruidoso Mountain Resort section of South Central New Mexico. Of those aboard, only one crewman parachuted to safety.

Reports as to the number of dead varied, but tonight army ground crews had recovered bodies of 13 airmen. Seventeen were believed to have died.

Six charred bodies were found in the smoking fuselage of one craft, and other bodies and wreckage were strewn over a wide area.

Russ Say Blows From West and East Will Coincide

LONDON, June 15 (CP)—The Leningrad radio, recorded by the Ministry of Information tonight said "there can be no doubt that the blow against Hitlerite Germany from the West will coincide with a mighty crushing blow of the Red Army from the East."

These attacks, the broadcast said, will merge "in a single mighty blow that will strike the death knell for the Fascists."

CONTROLLER OF TWO QUEBEC YARDS NAMED

7000 Workers Still on Strike; Civil Heads Back Strikers

NO PICKETING

OTTAWA, June 15 (CP)—The Munitions Department tonight announced the appointment of Wilfred Gagnon, formerly Director-General of its General Purchasing Branch, as Controller of the Shipyards of Morton Engineering & Drydock Co., Quebec, and George T. Davie & Sons, Ltd., Lauzon, Que.

The Munitions Department's announcement said Mr. Gagnon's appointment was made to coordinate the shipbuilding activities in the city and district of Quebec, and that the Government was giving consideration to the establishment of a Crown company which eventually will take over the operation of these and other plants in the Quebec area as an unified operation for the building of naval escort vessels.

"As and when the Government may proceed with the formation of its Crown company, Mr. Gagnon will be President of that Company," the Departmental statement said, "and the appointment of other directors, one of whom will be a representative of organized labor, will be announced."

QUEBEC, June 15 (CP)—Approximately 7000 shipyards workers remained on strike from three Quebec district yards tonight, 24 hours after they voted to strike in support of their demands for wage adjustments and a closed shop for the Canadian Congress of Labor Unions.

As the strike rounded out its first day, civil officials of the nearby centres of St. Romauld, Levis and Lauzon announced their intention of supporting the strikers "because their demands seem absolutely equitable."

All remained calm at the yards of Morton Engineering & Drydock Co., Davie Shipbuilding and Repairing Co., and George T. Davie & Sons. A few strikers walked around the silent yards tonight but there was no picketing. The companies announced closing of the yards at 6 a.m. today after the night shift workers completed their shift and joined the walkout.

The strike started last night following a meeting of the workers called by the Canadian Congress of Labor. The meeting followed by four days the taking of a strike vote at the plants by Department of Labor representatives, and it was announced at last night's meeting that 90 per cent of the workers had voted to strike if their demands were not met.

CLOSED SHOP ISSUE

Company officials issued statements saying that they were willing to comply with most of the strikers' demands, that they would join the men in seeking permission to pay higher wages, and that the *sole issue between the companies* and the men was that of a closed shop.

Rupert Ship Men End Slowdown on Food Demands

PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., June 15 (CP.)—Ship production returned to normal at Prince Rupert drydock tonight as 1300 workers ended a 24-hour slowdown pending further negotiations on their demands for an improvement in the food at the shipyard commissary.

H. Harrison, a representative of the Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders Union (C.C.L.) told a mass meeting which voted to resume eight-hour shifts that the slowdown would be repeated within two weeks if conditions were not rectified.

Spokesmen for the boilermakers and other unions told the meeting W. R. Devenish, General Manager of Western Lines, Canadian National Railway, would attempt to negotiate a solution with the authorities involved.

The slowdown was achieved by each shift working four hours instead of eight through the 24-hour period.

ASSAULT FORCE GROOMS FOR INVASION

Landing Teams Coached to Clock-work Precision

TECHNIQUE SET

By JAMES M. LONG
Associated Press Staff Writer

SOMEWHERE OFF THE ENGLISH COAST, June 16 (Wednesday) (AP)—The first wave of an Allied invasion probably will be carried on to the European Coast by men with cocoa-smeared faces who will splash in through the surf from flat-bottomed flotillas which can lay down their own smoke screens, drum out their own supporting fire and ferry men and tanks ashore through water barely inches deep.

At bases along this Coast this new "Little Navy" assault force landing team is being coached to clock-work perfection. It will be ready for the job of driving the first wedge into the Nazi fortifications of Hitler's Atlantic Wall.

A series of combined operations and demonstrations of landing craft and their personnel serves to illustrate the technique of assault.

This is the scene which may be enacted soon in grim reality on a terrific scale:

The big ships of the regular fleet cover the inland heights with turret guns and the sky with anti-aircraft batteries.

Roaring down from overhead haze are heavily-armed Typhoons of the aerial support, their wings almost awash as their guns come to bear on the beach.

In the past the destroyer line *streak little landing and landing* support boats.

Some are L.C.S. boats—landing craft support. They are little destroyers, armed and armored. As they race into range their mortars bark and thin trails of white mark the high curving arc of fire as they make smoke to screen their landing. Twin anti-aircraft machine-guns in revolving turrets cover the shore.

Skirting the destroyers come the first light landing units, bringing in men, tanks and Bren gun carriers.

In very light L.C.P.S.—personnel landing craft—veteran Royal Marines crouch out of sight. They have oiled their faces and rubbed in the cocoa, which cakes reddish brown. They drape snood-like color nets over their heads and shoulders which helps to camouflage them by changing their silhouette spearance.

Five hundred yards off-shore they slide into position—belly-flat with their heads down along the decks. The Bren guners are in ready position.

The boats grind into the gravel, and in that instant the men plunge into the surf and deploy at a dead run.

The little L.C.P.S. pull off the beach before they are driven high by the surf. They wheel and run *for safety behind the mushrooming* screen of smoke. With them come the L.C.T.S. — landing craft tank boats—built to hold light tanks and Bren gun cariers.

These are only the light craft—the first wave. Backing them up are the bigger landing craft for troops in force and large numbers of tanks.

It is the job of the flat-bottomed fleet to put enough men and guns ashore to develop a beach-head where a big Navy can move in and full-size troop ships be brought within ferrying distance of the land.

Anglican Archbishop Dies in Ontario

COCHRANE, Ont., June 15 (CP)—Most Rev. John G. Anderson, Anglican Archbishop of Moosonee and Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastic Province of Ontario, died here today in his 76th year. He had been ill for six weeks.

SPEAKS AT OTTAWA TODAY

Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, first lady of China, shown as she inspected the Women's Reserve Naval Training Station in New York, has arrived in Ottawa. This morning, at 8 o'clock, Nelson time, she will address a joint meeting of the Commons and Senate. Her address will be carried by CKLN, Nelson.

FOURTH HEAVY AIR ATTACK HANDED RABAUL

Japs Send 57 Planes to Bena Bena and Dobodura Bases

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, June 16 (Wednesday). (CP) — Nineteen heavy bombers dropped 23 tons of bombs yesterday on Rabaul, New Britain, the High Command announced today. It was the fourth heavy raid since last Thursday on the Japanese air stronghold on the Northern tip of New Britain.

The Japanese Air Force, in a renewed showing of force, sent 57 planes in raids on the Bena Bena area 90 miles Northwest of Lae, New Guinea and nine other planes attacked Dobodura.

Yesterday's bomb weight on Rabaul's airdromes increased to 135 tons the total dropped in the four raids. Forty tons were dropped in last Thursday's raid, 42 Friday and 30 Sunday.

In yesterday's raid, seven large fires were started and heavy explosions were touched off on Rabaul's Lakunai airdrome.

The raids represented a continued stepping up of bombing blows by the Allied Air Force of which since last May 27 also have dumped 100 tons of bombs in three raids on Lae, New Guinea, and more than 70 tons in four raids on Wewak.

The Japanese raids on the Bena Bena area focussed attention on a new Allied sector. Although well inland it is North of the Huon Peninsula, beyond two vital Japanese bases, Lae and Salamaua, toward which Australian and American ground forces have been infiltrating from the Papuan Peninsula.

The communique said the Japanese raiders included 27 bombers escorted by 30 fighters. It made no mention of the damage done at Bena Bena but said slight damage was caused by the nine raiders of Dobodura.

The Rabaul raid lasted two hours and was directed both at Lakunai and Rapopo airfields.

"Twenty-three tons of fragmentation and incendiary bombs were concentrated on grounded aircraft in the dispersal areas," the communique said.

"Many explosions and seven large fires, with flames visible 60 miles, and numerous small blazes in the revetment areas, indicating burning planes, were caused.

"In spite of intense anti-aircraft and searchlight activity and attempted interception by night fighters, all our planes returned."

Waves of R.A.F. Bombers Head for Europe

LONDON, June 16 (Wednesday) (AP.)—Still digging out invasion paths toward Axis Europe, waves of R.A.F. bombers were heard thundering out over England's Southeast coast toward Germany early today, as the German radio went dead in the middle of a program.

Meantime, the German Air Force, which has been concentrating on the defensive of late, sent a few raiders over two Southeast coast towns of England. The Nazi attackers made a feeble stab, causing slight damage. No casualties were reported.

Dean Ragg Elected Bishop

CALGARY, June 15 (CP)—Dean H. R. Ragg of Calgary was elected *Anglican Bishop of Calgary, today*, succeeding Most Rev. L. R. Sherman, newly-elected Archbishop of Rupert's Land.

There were 16 nominees for the position on the first nomination ballot, but five of these withdrew, leaving a slate of 11.

Dean Ragg missed election on the first ballot by one vote only, and the balloting was carried to a second ballot when he was given an overwhelming majority of both clergy and lay vote.

The other nominees were Archbishop of Kootenay, Most Rev. Walter Adams; Rev. George Biddle, Vancouver; Canon W. E. Fuller, of Saskatoon; Rev. Dudley F. Kemp of Calgary; Rev. A. Partington of Kootenay; Dr. A. Harding Priest, of Calgary; Rev. A. H. Sovereign, Bishop of Athabaska; Very Rev. Dean Cecil Swanson, Vancouver; Very Rev. Dean R. H. Waterman, of Niagara, and Canon F. H. Wilkinson of Montreal.

French May Hold Extraordinary Committee Session

ALGIERS, June 15 (AP.)—Gen. Charles de Gaulle proposed today that an extraordinary session of the French Committee of National Liberation be held tomorrow at which the seven members of the committee and six commissioners would attempt to solve the present political crisis.

A Reuters News Agency dispatch from Algiers Tuesday said Gen. Henri Giraud had accepted the proposal for the plenary session.

A spokesman said that De Gaulle, who had been threatening to resign, was dissatisfied with the inability of the seven-man committee to reach an accord and that he hoped by including the six commissioners to crystallize the opinion of the French leadership in behalf of his policies.

U.S. PLANES SHOOT DOWN NAZIS AT 6 TO 1 RATIO

WASHINGTON, June 15 (AP)—United States four-engined bombers over Europe have been shooting German planes out of the skies at a ration of nearly six to one. In 18 heavy bombardment missions four-engined bombers made approximately 1600 sorties against German targets and shot down 571 German planes, probably destroyed 187, and damaged 231 in aerial combat.

Knox Implies Major Blows Against Japanese Are Coming

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
Associated Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, June 15 (AP.)—Navy Secretary Frank Knox reported today "a steady growth of our submarine operations in the Pacific," and by implication forecast major blows against Japan.

"I can't tell you, except that it takes an awfully long while to get ready for any kind of sizeable movement," he answered a press-conference question on why the current "lull" in Pacific operations had lasted so long.

Knox disclosed that United States submarine losses in the war have been replaced "many times over." Eight United States undersea craft have been reported destroyed or missing.

His comment was considered especially significant in view of the Navy's announcement of Japanese ship losses yesterday, which raised the total of successful attacks by submarines hammering at Japan's extended supply lines to 256 ships destroyed or damaged.

Knox said that yesterday's reports, the largest in terms of successful submarine action so far in the Pacific war, evidenced "a steady growth of our submarine operations in the Pacific."

Nazis Say Allied Invasion Army Is Massed There

By LEWIS HAWKINS
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LONDON, June 15 (AP)—The spotlight of the Mediterranian War shifted dramatically today from the Centre to the East, where the Allies were reported semi-officially from Ankara to have closed Syria's frontier with Turkey.

London sources left the report in the air without confirmation, denial or comment, but unofficial observers said the first implication was that the British 9th and 10th Armies and United States troops that have been building up strength for months in Syria, Palestine, Iraq and Iran, might be on the move.

The Daily Herald quoted German statements that the Allies are massing an "invasion army" in Syria, and that all British garrisons have been reinforced.

FLEET OFF SICILY

Thus was added new fuel to the fires of Axis invasion anxiety. During the day the Italians reported an Allied Fleet massing near Sicily, the Germans warned of a possible new Russian offensive, and the Germans were said to have reshuffled their top generals in commands along the edges of the "European Fortress."

Closing of the Turkish-Syrian frontier, nearly 350 miles long, might be intended to cover up moves by Allied troops in the border area where conceivably they could be massing for sea thrusts towards Crete, the Dodecanese, or Greece itself.

A British Broadcasting Corporation report said the frontier was closed "to check leakage of information from Syria and Palestine to Germany through Turkey."

Observers noted that Admiral Sir John Cunningham, new British Commander-in-Chief in the Levant, had held a 90-minute conference Monday with President Ismet Inonu 24 hours before the frontier closure was reported. His was the latest in a series of trips into Turkey by Allied war leaders beginning with Prime Minister Churchill's visit to Adana on Feb. 1.

Sir John also conferred with Turkey's Premier, Foreign Minister, and Chief of Staff.

In an interview with Frank J. O'Brien of the Associated Press at Ankara, Premier Saracoglu left the impression that within the framework of the Allied war and peace plans, Turkey is playing an important role in the development of Balkan affairs and that she hopes to contribute to the post-war reorganization in the Balkans.

Turkey would continue to maintain the strictest vigilance, Saracoglu said.

Later, in a speech to the closing session of the People's Party Congress, Saracoglu reaffirmed Turkey's "firm policies" of neutrality. The perils of war are not lessened or completely past, he added.

Russia and Turkey "have proved to be sincerely bound by treaties" while treaties with Britain tie Turkey and Britain "for many years and with far-reaching scope."

The German Radio reported that the Premier said Turkey's friendship pact with Germany was "shown by events to be in the true interests of both parties."

Another Berlin broadcast asserted that Britain was "trying to bring Turkey in on her side, but the Turk will not be pressed."

Fighting French Headquarters here said the closure, if true, probably was for military reasons with "no diplomatic or economic significance."

Axis radios told of new attacks against Allied warships, transports and landing barges which they reported were gathering off North African ports and threatening Sicily. A Rome commentator called upon the Italian people to prepare for "the decisive phase approaching."

A Berlin broadcast reminded the Germans of the ever-present danger in the East, reporting that the Russians were massing South of Moscow.

Field Marshal Erwin Rommel was reported commanding German forces in Southern France, across from Allied armies in Algeria.

His command was said to cover roughly the former unoccupied zone, while Field Marshal Karl Rudolf Gerd von Rundstedt retains command of Western France and the Atlantic Wall.

A similar split was reported from the same quarters to have been made in Norway, with Gen. Nikolaus von Falkenhorst's territory being reduced to the area from Trondheim South, including Oslo, and Col. Gen. Edward Dietl, Commander in Finland entrusted with Northern Norway. Field Marshal Siegmund Wilhelm List had previously been reported commanding in Southeast Europe.

CLAIMS CONVOY ATTACKED

A Rome broadcast reported by the Daily Express said Axis planes had battled Allied convoys in the Mediterranean "in a battle which now has lasted for three days and has not lost any of its violence," and a Berlin broadcast told of new attacks against Allied shipping in the Sicilian Strait, with a landing craft and six transports reported damaged at Pantelleria.

In London, some military commentators suggested there might be no immediate further action in the Mediterranean because Allied plans are "far ahead of schedule."

King George Visiting African Forces

LONDON, June 16 (Wednesday). (CP)—The King is visiting the British 1st and 8th armies and the Royal Navy and Air Force in North Africa. It was announced today.

The following announcement was issued from Buckingham Palace this morning:—

"The King, who is accompanied by Secretaries of State for War and Air, is visiting the British 1st and 8th Armies."

Crop Conditions Backward

OTTAWA, June 15 (CP.) — The Dominion Bureau of Statistics said today that crop conditions in Canada "generally remain backward"—so far behind in some sections of the Maritime Provinces that farmers will not be able to get their Spring work done in time for crops to ripen.

The general complaint in the Prairies "continues to be the absence of sunshine and warmth," the Bureau said. Summer weather there was coming "very slowly."

"Heavy rains have delayed field work and low temperatures are retarding growth," the report said in reference to all Canada.

In the Prairie Provinces some seeding of coarse grains remains to be done but wheat is mostly in and the bulk of its showing above ground.

"Height of grains indicates very backward growth and whereas early wheat in Manitoba at this time last year was 15 inches high, the best crops this year appear to be only about half that height," said the report.

"Heavy rains in Saskatchewan and parts of Alberta improved the moisture situation in these Provinces but there is still a very dry area in Southeastern Alberta. In Manitoba, on the other hand, too much rain has fallen in parts and the Red River Valley is suffering from excessive moisture.

FLYING FORTRESS RETURNS FROM WAR

WASHINGTON, June 15 (AP)—The Flying Fortress "Memphis Belle," which the United States Army says has been "hit by every type of anti-aircraft missile the Nazis had to offer," comes home from the war tomorrow with her original 10-man crew intact. The ship, first United States combat bomber to fly back from Europe will be welcomed by ranking Army and R.A.F. officers.

POSTMASTER OF PENTICTON DIES

VANCOUVER, June 15 (CP.) — D. J. McIntyre, postmaster at Penticton and well-known throughout the British Columbia Interior, collapsed and died here today. A native of Renfrew, Ont., he had spent 40 years in British Columbia, 32 of them at Penticton.

St. Lawrence Area Fully Prepared for Submarine Warfare

By JACK BRAYLEY
Canadian Press Staff Writer

A ST. LAWRENCE RIVER PORT, June 15 (CP)—Canada's newest defences organization — nicknamed "Les Quetteurs" — is showing its teeth for any undersea marauder that might again try to hide a prying periscope in the creamy cascades pushed against this rugged coast by a prankish sea. And they are prepared for the sky raider, too, should he try a "token" expedition.

Mobile travellers are sifted through barricades, street lamps carry deep shades, motor car headlights are mere slits and windows facing the sea are completely blacked out in a combined civil, military and police operation. A system of fast communications is ready to set in motion defensive action from land, sea and air.

"Gaspe now is as well protected as any part of Canada," Brig. Edmond Blais, Officer Commanding the Military District embracing the Lower St. Lawrence, told a group of newsmen starting an inspection tour of the new defence system, announced in the House of Commons, June 8, by Prime Minister Mackenzie King. Then the Brigadier smilingly gave the various forces the name that may stick—"Les Guetteurs," which, freely translated, means the Guerilla Coast Watchers.

The Civilian Defence organization has been formed as a preventive measure against U-boats that took a toll of a score of merchant ships in waters in this area last year. It ties in Civilian Aircraft Detection Corps, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Quebec Provincial Police, the Reserve and Active Armies, the Navy, Air Force and Civilian Protection Committee (A.R.P.) units.

The military defences are carefully concealed. That pile of driftwood, for instance, probably isn't as innocent as it looks. From its twisted tangle the barrels of a half-dozen Bren guns may be pointing at you.

Hidden observation posts, connected with a unique system of communication resourcefully carried out by the use of twine and tin cans, direct the fire of camouflaged machine-gun and anti-tank gun emplacements.

Newsmen in a motor convoy were told they were entering Canada's war zone when at Isle Verte, 120 miles below Quebec City, they passed a truck bearing blackout headlights. Every vehicle from then on was similarly treated.

Rossland Asks Help to Cope Rheumatic Fever

ROSSLAND, B.C., June 15—At a meeting of the City Council Monday evening a motion was passed that Dr. E. E. Topliff, Medical Health Officer, be approached again and the seriousness of the rheumatic fever situation in Rossland pointed out and that he be urged to ask Dr. F. M. Amyot, Provincial Health Officer, Victoria, for help.

This was the decision reached following an appeal made by H. E. Smith, Community Standards Convener of the Parent-Teacher Association, that help in preventing the disease be sought from Victoria.

Mr. Smith stated the Association felt the local Medical Health Officer and Dr. L. E. Wrinch were doing all possible from a curative standpoint, but that they were overworked and that the Association was alarmed at the rate at which the disease is steadily increasing, this in view of the fact that the weather has been mild for some time.

70 CASES IN ROSSLAND

Mr. Smith pointed out that, according to the P.T.A's study on the subject, the normal number of cases per thousand is two; in Rossland, with is population of 4000, there are 70 cases.

He also drew attention to the fact that, although medical authority emphatically stated that rheumatic fever is not contageous, in two instances at the High School three cases had developed in each room, where the children sat in close proximity.

Mr. Smith also read a clipping from the Toronto Star giving vital statistics on the subject, and urging that Canada follow the example of the United States in passing an act of Organized Public Effort, to cope with the situation.

POPULATION UP

The Council decided to suggest to Dr. Topliff, that he apply to the Trail Clinic asking for a third doctor for Rossland, and that he send a copy of his request to the Medical Committee of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company.

It was pointed out that three doctors had been kept busy in Rossland previously, and that the population had increased considerably during the past year.

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JOHNSON'S LANDING

JOHNSON'S LANDING, B.C. — Mrs. Frank Abey, Miss Jean McQuarrie and Miss Nellie Stenberg of Mirror Lake, were Saturday visitors to the Landing.

Mrs. A. Brokenshire and small daughter have gone to Medicine Hat to visit relatives.

Mrs. Thompson of Kaslo and three children and Miss Joan Thompson visited Mrs. McNicol.

Mrs. Stevens and Miss Dorothy Tair of Argenta were visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Raper shopped in Kaslo.

Tommy Galas of Argenta was a visitor here.

Malcolm Greenlaw of Meadow Creek was in town.

CRANBROOK RED CROSS NEEDS MORE WORKERS

CRANBROOK, B.C. — An urgent appeal for workers for the Red Cross branch here was issued at the June meeting of the branch. With the holiday season begun and a recent exodus of good workers to branches in other districts, the work committee requires people to knit, sow and cut.

The work rooms located over the railway depot will remain open all Summer, though business meetings of the branch have been suspended for the Summer months. Work rooms are open each Monday afternoons and Wednesday evenings.

Last month's shipment of completed garments amounted to 1271, divided almost equally among knitted garments, hospital supplies and civilian supplies. The branch has requested permission to earmark some of its work for the crew of the newly launched minesweeper, H. M. C. S. Cranbrook.

Funds remitted to headquarters during the month totalled $103.39, made up of regular pledges and special donations from auxiliaries at the two schools here, and Wardner and Canal Flat.

ROSSLAND TO DEAL WITH GREEK RELIEF

ROSSLAND, B.C., June 15—Following the reading of several communications regarding the drive for funds to aid the starving Greeks, the City Council Monday night turned the matter over to the Finance Committee with power to act.

Guide for Travellers

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KISKA VOLCANO ADDS TO JAP TROUBLES

HEADQUARTERS, Alaska Defence Command, June 15 (AP)—Returning bomber pilots report the Kiska Volcano has become active, adding to troubles of Japanese occupying that Aleutian Island.

Pilots who have used the volcano on the North end of Kiska as a navigation point said the crater is smoking and they saw some lava flowing down the sides of the peak.

The first report of the volcano's activity was received June 6. Since then pilots have reported it possibly may be causing actual danger to the Japanese, perhaps dropping rocks or ashes on their positions.

It is considered unlikely that it will force evacuation of any portion of the island. The volcano is on the extreme North end of Kiska, Japanese concentrations are in the South position, several miles from the peak.

Former Forks Alderman Dies at Coast

GRAND FORKS, B. C., June 15—Osmond G. Dunn died this morning in Vancouver, after a month's illness that followed a stroke. He was in business in Grand Forks for 34 years as a baker and came here from Nelson. His only daughter, Mrs. Jack Hoover, resided in Nelson for many years before going to Calgary, where her husband is now in Air Force work.

Born at Goderich, Ont., 63 years ago, he spent his younger days in Toronto, where three brothers still reside.

Mr. Dunn was an alderman of Grand Forks for some six years, was Treasurer of the Knights of Pythias Lodge here for 20 years, was an ardent fisherman and took a keen interest in hockey.

R.C.A.F. Barracks at Coast Badly Damaged by Fire

VANCOUVER, June 15 (CP) — Damage estimated at $20,000 was caused today when fire broke out in the Royal Canadian Air Force Barracks here. The blaze started in the officers' mess and actual fire loss was confined to the roof and the upper, or third floor, but water caused much damage to lower floors.

Dozens of Air Force ranks swarmed through the lower storeys while the fire was raging, removing furniture and personnel effects of the officers billeted in the mess. Cause of the fire was not determined.

The building, formerly the home of Col. Victor Spencer, Vancouver Departmental Store head, was taken over by the R.C.A.F. in 1939. It was one of the show places of Vancouver.

HARROP

HARROP, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. F. Andrews had as weekend guest their niece, Miss Anna Andrews of Trail.

Miss Susan Berry has returned home after completing her course at Vancouver Normal.

Mrs. M. M. McConnell and daughter, Miss Audrey McConnell, of Edmonton visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McConnell en route to a holiday at Coast cities.

Mrs. W. J. McConnell was hostess to the Harrop group of the West Arm Red Cross Auxiliary Tuesday afternoon. Tea and tea cup reading receipts amounted to $2.20. Eight dollars will be turned in to the Auxiliary at their next executive meeting.

NAKUSP

NAKUSP, B. C. — Mrs. George Johnson returned from Salmon Arm on Wednesday.

Mrs. Robert Kirk and son Len of the Armed Forces arrived from Arrowhead Wednesday and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Picard.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Sunstrom of Burton who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Sunstrom returned home Sunday.

C. W. Motley of Salmon Arm was a Nakusp visitor on Tuesday enroute to Trout Lake.

Constable J. DeVoin of Castlegar was a visitor here.

A. E. Fowler left for Castlegar and Trail on Tuesday.

S. Walker, R.C.A.M.P. was a Nakusp visitor on Wednesday enroute to Arrow Park.

Bill Marcolli of Burton was a Nakusp visitor Wednesday.

A meeting of the O71 Club was held Monday evening, Miss Dorothy Welch presiding. The Secretary reported that two cartons of cigarettes had been forwarded to the crew of the 071 and that magazines would also be forwarded.

Miss Hazel Herridge left Wednesday for Winnipeg where she will spend her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Watson returned Wednesday from the Coast, they also visited Nelson and Penticton.

Mrs. O. Salstrom and daughter Margaret returned from Vancouver on Wednesday.

James Vipond of Trail was a Nakusp visitor, a guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fowler of Pine Lodge.

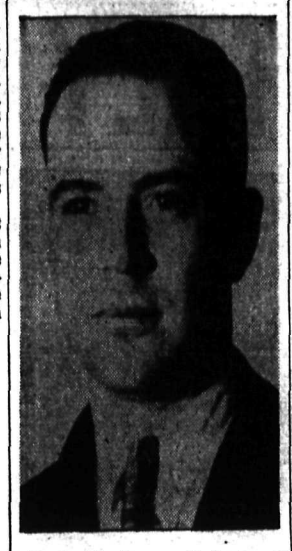
Sam Roper and wife were Nakusp visitors from Moose Jaw, Sask., en route to their home in Arrow Park.

Mrs. H Adshead, Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. W. Craft of Needles were Nakusp shoppers on Wednesday.

WATER LEVEL

A gain of .06 foot was registered by the lake for the 24 hours ending Tuesday at 8 p.m., when the level was 8.75 feet above the low water mark. The gain for the past five days, from the latest dip, has been approximately a fifth of a foot.

Kinsmen Milk for Britain Fund at $957



T. S. Shorthouse, Chairman of the Nelson Kinsmen Club Committee in charge, announced Tuesday that district donations this year to the Kinsmen Milk for Britain Fund amounted to $957.84. The objective for the year is $3000.

Mr. Shorthouse stated a large percentage of the donations have come from school children throughout the East and West Kootenay. These children have been consistently giving up their spending pennies, placing them in the Milk for Britain bottles on teachers' desks.

HOSPITAL USING PART OF NEW STERILIZER

Part of the new sterilizer for Kootenay Lake General Hospital had been installed and was now in use, it was reported at Tuesday night's meeting of the Hospital Board of Directors. It was hoped the remainder of the sterilizer, delayed by war priorities, would come shortly.

There was no further word on the elevator, also delayed, but hope continued that it would be here in August.

YOUNG DUTCHMEN ORDERED TO GERMANY

LONDON, June 15 (CP) — A D.N.B. dispatch broadcast by the Paris Radio said today that Germany has ordered practically all of Holland's youngest and fittest men transported to Germany to help meet the Reich's acute labor shortage.

FINLAND RESUMES WAR DEBT PAYMENTS

WASHINGTON, June 15 (AP) —The Government of Finland resumed payment on its war debt to the United States today, turning over to the Treasury $168,945.

NEW DENVER

NEW DENVER, B.C.—Mrs. J. Jones left Wednesday to spend a few days in Nelson with relatives.

James Stewart of the Standard Mine, Silverton, is spending a few days at his home here.

At the weekly Red Cross bee in the Legion Hall, Mrs. M. H. Butlin was hostess.

Spr. F. H. Olson, R. C. E., left for Vernon Saturday.

Harry L. Taylor of Michel is spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor.

Miss Dagmar Olson left Saturday for Kaslo.

Mrs. A. Hane and daughter Mary Joy of Silverton visited town.

Mrs. E. E Butchart returned to Nelson Thursday.

J. Taylor was in Nelson Thursday to meet his son Harry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Berg, Mr. and Mrs. G. Norberg and Mr. and Mrs. T. Anderson of Silverton visited town.

R. Dewer of Sandon was a visitor here.

Mrs. L. Leudstin and son Lenart of Silverton visited here.

Mrs. D. M. Jones and daughter Dulcie were visitors to Sandon.

The June meeting of the St. Stephen's Guild was held at the home of Mrs. N. C. Tattrie, Vice-President. Miss Joyce Butlin was in the chair. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Tattrie.

Would Not Risk Aluminum Output for Inquiry

OTTAWA, June 15 (CP.) — Munitions Minister Howe told the House of Commons today he would not risk stopping or delaying production of aluminum to hold an investigation into either an international cartel or the reasonableness of the price paid for aluminum.

He was replying to Gordon Graydon, Progressive Conservative House Leader, who said the Government should appoint a Royal Commission to investigate the charges made against Aluminum Companies, move for an international commission to study the international aspects and, on the basis of the information obtained re-negotiate contracts for the purchase of aluminum.

B. C. Products Week Moves Toward Climax

B. C. Products Week in Nelson is rapidly moving toward its climax. Window and counter displays in retail stores, advertising and publicity are all directed toward promoting the use of products of British Columbia industry, and are pointing to the feature of the week—a public meeting at the Canadian Legion Friday.

G. M. Morris, Field Secretary of the B.C. Products Bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade, will speak at Friday's meeting and will display products of B.C. industry.

Department of Trade and Industry moving pictures are to be shown.

The campaign here is sponsored by the Nelson Retail Merchants' Association, and H. B. Gore, President, will be in the chair.

Much of the emphasis in B.C. Products Week at this time is upon the supplies B.C. is sending to the war fronts, and on the opportunities ahead in post-war years.

A. C. Taylor Special Representative of Navy Director

OTTAWA, June 15 (CP)—Appointment of Austin C. Taylor of Vancouver as Special Representative on the West Coast of D. W. Ambridge, Director General of the Naval Shipbuilding Department of the Munitions Department was announced tonight.

In this capacity, Mr. Taylor will represent Mr. Ambridge in all matters pertaining to Canada's expanding naval shipbuilding program in the West Coast area. He will retain his post as a Vice-President of Wartime Merchant Shipping Limited, to which he was appointed in November, 1941.

A well-known West Coast business man, Mr. Taylor is President of Bralorne Mines Ltd., and Director of several companies. During the First Great War he was associated with the Imperial Munitions Board.

SAY 25 SHIPS REACH GIBRALTAR

NEW YORK, June 15 (AP)—Radio Berlin said tonight that a convoy of 25 ballast-laden ships had reached Gibraltar from the Mediterranean, shepherded by the new British battleship King George V, the aircraft carrier Formidable and small United States naval units.

Rossland Thinks Crossing Repair Up to C.P.R.

ROSSLAND, B. C. June 15—Letters were read by the City Council Monday night from W. McLean, C.P.R. Division Superintendent at Nelson and R. J. Clegg, City Solicitor, regarding the replacing of the railway and highway crossing on the Schofield Highway at the entrance of the city. The City of Rossland had been asked by the C.P.R. to supply the materials for the job.

In showing the facts, it was stated that at no time had the City of Trail been asked to supply the materials to replace C.P.R. crossings, and that previous to this present request, J. A. McLeod, City Clerk, stated that at no time to his knowledge had the City of Rossland been asked to supply these materials.

In concluding his last letter to the C.P.R. official at Nelson, Mr. Clegg stated, "Personally I think the matter would be harmoniously settled by your company supplying the material and doing the work."

Rossland Outgo Beats Income

ROSSLAND, B.C., June 15—L. A. Read, the city auditor's report for the first five months of the year, ending May 31 to the City Council Monday night, showed receipts to be over $37,000, and disbursements more than $44,000.

Two Jap Islands Shaken by Quake

NEW YORK, June 15 (AP)—Two main islands in the Japanese Archipelgo were shaken by an earthquake Sunday but "no damage was reported," a Tokyo broadcast said today.

The broadcast, intended for foreign consumption, said the shock was felt on Honshu, on which Tokyo is located, and on Hokkaido to the North.

Sunday's earthquake was recorded by seismographs as far away as the U. S. East Coast.

A Rome broadcast reported that very violent earth tremors believed to have originated in the Aleutian Islands were registered by the Florence seismograph yesterday morning.

WHEAT SUPPLY DECREASES

OTTAWA, June 15 (CP) — The Dominion Bureau of Statistics said today the visible supply of Canadian wheat, June 10, amounted to 396,852,157 bushels, including 385,988,874 in Canadian positions and 10,863,283 in United States positions. A week ago stocks totalled 401,775,817 bushels, while on June 11 last year the amount in store was 410,895,748 bushels.

Farmers in Western Canada marketed 5,706,831 bushels of wheat during the week ended June 10, compared with 5,603,511 in the previous week.

GREEK RELIEF FUND PASSES $121,000

MONTREAL, June 15 (CP) — National total in the current campaign of the Greek War Relief Fund has reached $121,610 it was announced today. The objective is $500,000.

Rossland Social . .

By MRS. HARVEY FLEURY

ROSSLAND, B. C., June 15—Flt. Officer Lou Crowe of the R.C.A.F. arrived in Rossland over the weekend to spend his furlough visiting relatives.

Stoker 1st Class Wilfred Pitt of Nova Scotia and Mrs. Pitt of Vancouver, arrived in Rossland at the weekend to spend Stoker Pitt's leave visiting Mrs. Pitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Wilson, and to attend the wedding of Miss Doreen Wilson.

Friday evening the Catholic Youth Organization held a successful dance in the Parish Hall, which was decorated with lilacs. Raymond Whittick acted as Master of Ceremnies. Mrs. Lorraine Caldwell and Irvin Lucas won the spot waltz; Miss Rita Fourt, Miss Betty Atkinson, and Glyn Langdale won the lemon tag; and Miss Betty Atkinson and R. Iuse won the elimination waltz. Many attended from Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McGauley and daughter Patricia, who have been the guests of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. McGauley leave Tuesday. Mr. McGauley will go to New York and Mrs. McGauley and small daughter to Vancouver.

R. A. Fowler of Trail was a Rossland visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Scatchard were visitors in Trail Monday.

Mrs. Belle Cusack, Principal of Grand Forks High School, spent the weekend visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. McGauley.

NEW SUBSIDY OF $1 PER 1000 ON LOG PRICES

VANCOUVER, June 15 (AP)—A new subsidy of $1 per 1000 on log prices, effective at once, was announced to the British Columbia timber industry today by A. H. Williamson, Canadian Timber Controller. The announcement was made in an address in which he appealed to timbermen to make lumber available immediately for housing needs in Vancouver.

Mr. Williamson said war timber requirements this year are 4,000,000,000 feet and that the Pacific Coast is expected to produce 1,400,000,000 feet of this.

He stated that log-buying mills will get this $1 per 1000 back by subsidy to an amount sufficient to maintain standard profits in exactly the same way as was arranged with respect to the advance granted last January.

Spitfires Flail Leopards 28-2

Spitfires, exploding a scoring barrage in the fifth inning that alone netted 13 runs, battered the hapless Leopards 28-2 in a Men's Fastball League match Tuesday. Leopards gave their pitching staff of B. Brown and Gill, no support, fumbling the pill for 20 errors.

	R	H	E
Spitfires	28	14	4
Leopards	2	4	20

Fred Brown of the Spitfires struck out two and didn't walk a batter in his six innings on the mound, while Masloff struck out four, Gill of Leopards struck out one and walked seven in five innings, while Bill Brown, taking over, struck out one and walked three.

Lineups were:

Spitfires—F. Brown and Masloff, p, Bing and Thompson lf, W. Khadikin c, A. Brown cf, J. Gallicano 1b, B. Gallicano 3b, G. Kiaway and Frank Beresford ss, Stan Hill 2b, J. Prestley rf.

Leopards—E. Yenke rf, B. McDonald ss, F. Maglio cf, C. Ball c, D. MacDonald lf, B. Brown p and 1b, A. Pelosa 2b, E. Weinrauch 3b, and R. Gill p and 1b.

SECOND WIN

The Tuesday victory was Spitfires' second in as many starts Sunday they outplayed the High School Bombers 12-9. On the same program Trail Goons larruped the Leopards 14-1.

Oswald Bouchier Arrives Overseas

ROSSLAND, B. C., June 15 — Lieut. and Mrs. E. B. O. Bourchier, 2531 Columbia Avenue, received a cable Monday from their son, Ac. 1 Oswald Bourchier, stating that he had arrived safely overseas.

Willow Point

WILLOW POINT, B.C.—Honoring Miss Mary Campbell, a bride-elect of the near future, Mrs. E. H. H. Applewhaite entertained at tea on Saturday afternoon. Miss Campbell was presented with a shower of linen articles.

Miss Campbell expects to leave for Camp Borden at the end of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Shunter have had as guests, Mrs. A. C. Woods of Lumby and Mrs. Shunter's brother-in-law and sister Pte and Mrs. A. Moores of Vernon who were on their way to Pte. Moore's home at Creston.

B. Dickson of Procter was a weekend visitor of Mrs. J. H. Blunt and Miss J. Blunt.

Mr. and Mrs David Deno have returned to Estevan, Sask., after visiting Mr. Deno's mother, Mrs. F. Deno for two weeks.

BRITONS GET 19TH EGG THIS YEAR

LONDON, June 15 (CP)—Britains are receiving their 19th egg of the year this week under rationing regulations. However, the surplus old potato stock is being sold at about $6. a ton for feeding pigs.

TO PROBE GARDEN ASPIRATIONS

ROSSLAND, B.C., June 15—A request from Lorne A. Campbell, by the City Council Monday night to purchase two lots at $10 each, for garden purposes, was referred to the Property Committee to investigate.

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Rossland Plans Gifts, Comforts for Minesweeper

ROSSLAND, B. C., June 15—Mayor J. E. Gordon, Alderman A. C. Ridgers, and Alderman J. R. Corner, were appointed a committee to deliberate on the nature of a gift from the City to the Minesweeper H.M.C.S. Rossland, by the City Council Monday night. They will also circularize the community organizations within the city for their cooperation in supply comforts to the crew.

The Junior Board of Trade has announced its intention to subscribe to two popular magazines and send a framed picture of the City of Rossland.

Mrs. Noble Binns Dies at Coast

TRAIL, B. C., June 15 — Mrs. Noble Binns, for many years a resident of Trail, died at her home in Vancouver, Monday.

Her husband was mayor of Trail in 1901-1902, and magistrate here from the time of the city's incorpation in 1901, until the time of his death several years ago.

Surviving are her daughter, Mrs. R. K. Blois, of Tadanac, one sister at Sooke and one brother in New Westminster, and two granddaughters.

Burial will be in the family plot here.

Lost Seamen Turn Up in Japan

LONDON, June 15 (CP Cable).—Here's another sea mystery which will have to wait the end of the war for a true explanation:

Early in 1942 the liner Gloucester Castle and two other British ships vanished in the Atlantic with all hands. Now the International Red Cross has received news from Japan about 30 seamen from the liner and crews of the other vessels being prisoners in the Far East.

How the men reached Japan is not known, but it is presumed the ships were sunk by a German raider bound for Japan.

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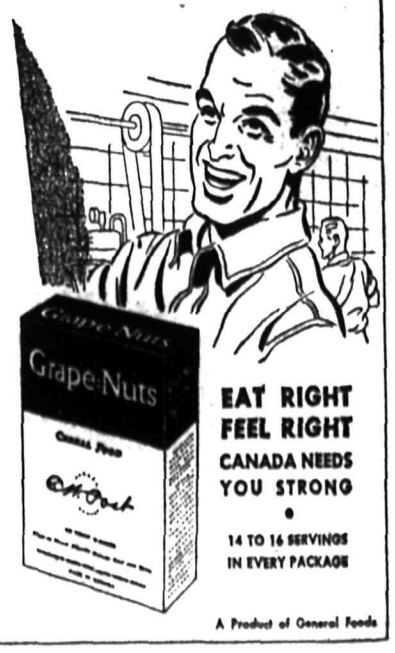

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Heavy Bombers Hit at Important Ruhr Steel Centre

By E. C. DANIEL
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, June 15 (AP).—The R. A. F.'s front-line heavy bombers made another mass attack on Ruhr objectives last night, concentrating particularly on the important steel and coal city of Oberhausen, three miles West of Essen, and a big formation of planes roared across the Channel today to continue the non-stop offensive.

Coast observers said the daylight attackers were headed Southeast.

As the bombers rumbled toward the continent, two formations of British and Canadian fighters were just returning from a breakfast-time sweep of the Pas des Calasis area in Northern France where they shot down three Focke-Wulf 190s out of two formations of 15 which were presumably setting out to harass the English coast.

Wing Cmdr. J. E. Johnson, English leader of a Canadian Spitfire wing, was credited with knocking down two Focke-Wulfs, bringing his total enemy planes to 16. The third was shot down by Sqdn. Ldr. Hugh Godefroy of Toronto, recently named Commander of the R. C. A. F. Wolf Squadron.

Flt.-Lt. H. D. MacDonald of Toronto scored a "probable" victory over a German fighter and Fo. Bob Bowen of Edmonton was credited with damaging one plane.

It was announced officially that 18 bombers were missing from the Ruhr forays, the fourth consecutive night assault by the R. A. F. on Germany. The night's activities included mine laying in enemy waters in which Canadian pilots also participated.

The Oberhausen raid was the third reported by the R. A. F. on that city, although the Germans claimed it was hit a fourth time on April 26 at the same time Duisburg was heavily assaulted. The R. A. F. reported bombing it last in November, 1940.

The city stands on the Rhine-Herne Canal and at the junction of railways to Duisburg, Dortmund and Hamm, making it an important communications centre.

Oberhausen, with a population of some 110,000 is located on the Rhine 35 miles North of Cologne and just West of oft-bombed Essen. It has extensive iron foundries, rolling mills, railway shops, chemical works, and other plants, and in the vicinity of coal, zinc and iron mines.

The communique said large fires were seen mounting from the Ruhr targets, but an overcast sky made it "difficult to observe results fully."

The Berlin radio, in a broadcast recorded by the Associated Press, confirmed that Oberhausen had been hit and said that night fighters and anti-aircraft shot down "a considerable number" of attackers. Berlin said both explosives and incendiaries were dropped.

The attack by the front line heavies was only a part of a busy night for the R. A. F. tree-clipping Mosquitos, Whirlwinds, Bostons, Typhoons, Beaufighters and Mustangs—out in force over the low countries and France—attacked air fields at Abbeville and Poix and one in Holland. At least two enemy planes were blasted to bits at their bases.

Nazi hit-run night raiders loosed bombs on suburban areas of London in the first of two brief post-midnight alerts, killing seven persons and trapping many others in their wrecked homes.

Heavy anti-aircraft fire caused other raiders to jettison their bombs in open fields outside the city in the raids, spaced about an hour apart.

B. C. Schools Close June 25 - Sept. 7

VICTORIA, June 15 (CP) — School vacation in British Columbia this Summer will be from June 25 to Sept. 7, the Education Department announced today. Last year schools re-opened Sept. 1, but this year, because the first day of the month is not until Wednesday, the opening will not be until the day after Labor Day.

Japs Swept Back From Upper Yangtse Towns

CHUNGKING, June 15 (AP). — Fresh success in sweeping back the Japanese invaders from their Upper Yangtse gains was reported today by the Chinese High Command which announced the capture of a town Southwest of the river port of Shasi, 60 miles below Ichang.

More than half the enemy's garrison was wiped out after being surrounded, the communique said.

Driving in from the North on the Japanese Central China salient, as well as from the South, the Chinese also attacked the Japanese at Sinyang in Southern Honan Province, slightly more than 100 miles North of Hankow.

Fighting still is in progress for this town on the Peiping-Hankow railway, it was said, with the Chinese already having repulsed one counter-attack by the Japanese who had immediately reinforced their troops there.

NAZIS SHOW FEAR OVER INCREASED U-BOAT LOSSES

LONDON, June 15 (CP) — A Daily Sketch columnist wrote today that "the German Armaments Council" was threatening to stop raw material priority to submarine yards "unless the U-boat can be proved to be more effective."

The writer quoted "reports from German underground sources" and said:

"The German Armaments Council is seriously disturbed by the catastrophic U-boat losses due to new Allied weapons in recent months.

"Grand Admiral Karl Doenitz has been given a final three months to produce the results he promised, and is working out new tactics. Rear Admiral Gott now is in actual command and has put two new U-boat techniques—one a decoy and one an attack—into operation."

Ontario to Ration Native Wine by Coupon System

TORONTO, June 15 (CP) — A ration coupon sales plan for home consumers of native wine, effective immediately, was announced by Liquor Board Chairman St. Clair Gordon today. Under the plan, purchasers must obtain coupon books at a native wine shop or liquor store where native wine is sold, permitting them to buy three bottles a week when available. One coupon permits purchase of one 26-ounce bottle, or two 13-ounce bottles or one 31-ounce bottle of Vermouth.

Coupons are being issued free of charge and will be numbered by the week, Mr. Gordon said. Loose coupons are invalid and will not be accepted by Liquor Board employees. Special forms of application for individual native wine ration coupon books for mail order are available.

CANCEL DE GAULLE GIRAUD LUNCHEON

ALGIERS, June 16 (AP) — The schedule of reapproachment between Gens. Charles de Gaulle and Henri Giraud was snagged again today when a luncheon at which they were supposed to meet was concelled.

Gen. Giraud's representatives said he had another appointment. The reason for Gen. de Gaulle's absence was not known.

Nevertheless confidence was generally expressed by members of both entourages that the leaders eventually would get together on details of their unification movement in which the disposition of military powers is the latest point at issue.

Valetta Bombers Make Wide Forays

VALETTA, June 15 (AP)—Malta's R. A. F. Mosquito bombers made wide forays last night over Sicily and the toe of Italy, bombing and shooting up railway stations and sidings at Licata, Termini-Imerese and Fiume Torto in Sicily, and starting a fire in a station, blowing up a power station and hitting a factory in Italy, an R. A. F. announcement said today.

Orders Go Out for German People to Evacuate Target Cities

BERNE, Switzerland, June 15 (AP) —German newspapers received here said a mass evacuation of cities in Western Germany was under way as the result of 180 heavy raids by Allied planes and 600 air alarms.

The Nazi press is engaged in a campaign to impel rural residents to open their homes to refugees.

Much-bombed Duesseldorf, target of a recent 2000-ton R. A. F.-R. C. A. F. raid, is one of the chief cities being evacuated, the German papers said. Communiques from Berlin have reported extremely heavy losses there and considerable damage to houses and public buildings.

Not only the bombed-out families but those yet untouched by the explosives are being moved out, Das Reich said. Men are left behind to work. Das Reich said the people should get out of the target cities "not as an obligation, but as a law of common sense."

The same publication and other newspapers disclosed that there were resentment and discontent among both the refugees and their "hosts."

(The reports from inside Germany recalled the recent addresses of Prime Minister Churchill and the statement of Maj.-Gen. Ira C. Eaker of the 8th U.S. Air Force that Germany might be bombed into submission. The heaviest attacks have been concentrated in the Ruhr section of Wesaphalia and on North Germany. The Germans are unable to move their heavy industries such as coke ovens and blast furnaces away from the coal-and-iron producing "bomb alley.")

One Berlin dispatch complained of country hotels seeking to avoid serving evacuees on the pretext that they had no bed linen and insufficient labor. Local Nazi committees were designated to investigate each hotel claim.

New Method of Making Sugar Retains Vital Minerals and Vitamins

SWAMPSCOTT, Mass., June 15 (AP).—A new method of making sugar which retains the vitamin and mineral values of sugar cane juice was claimed today by Dr. Royal Lee, Milwaukee dentist.

"The juice of sugar cane is, like whole wheat, one of the richest sources of vitamins and minerals," he said. "The new sugar is nothing more than cane juice that has been dehydrated, with nothing removed but water. . . .

"This new sugar is also economically sound, for twice as much can be made from the same amount of cane juice as is possible today with the refined sugar.

"This sugar contains 3½ per cent of mineral elements. Much of this is calcium. The Negro children in the sugar cane districts of the South have the most perfect teeth of children in the country. That shows what these minerals mean in nutrition."

Dr. Lee said the vitamin content includes A, B complex, C and K, the latter regarded as highly effective in prevention of tooth decay.

The Lee process does not employ heat to reduce cane juice.

The juice first is filtered. A solvent is used to kill bacteria. The juice then is frozen. This results in pure water ice crystals intermingled with a concentrated solution. The frozen mass is chipped and placed in a centrifuge, which when whirled discharges the sugar solution through the perforated bowl wall.

Repeated freezing and centrifuging produces a cold process syrup. To this is added a small quaitity of a grain extract (wheat, flax, barley) which has the property of altering the attraction of the cane juice for water.

The syrup is dried to a crystal or powder form by equipment such as is used in egg or milk drying.

This, Dr. Lee said, affords a cream-colored, sweet tasting product with a pleasant, distinctive flavor differing from other sugar in that it has a tartness found in very sweet orange juice.

Boswell Captures Kootenay Lake Track Meet for Fifth Year

BOSWELL, B.C.—Schools on the East side of Kootenay Lake met at Lockhart Beach Park last Friday for their annual track meet. Only four schools, Crawford Bay, Gray Creek, La France and Boswell, were represented, Sirdar was unable to send a team this year owing to lack of transportation, and Sanca school is closed.

After a stiff battle with La France for first place, Boswell finished five points ahead to win the Challenge Cup for the fifth consecutive year. Every child in the school, except two who were absent through illness, took part in the sports, and each scored some points to help roll up a total of 125. Other totals were: La France 120; Crawford Bay 86; Grey Creek 63.

Two other trophies went to Boswell. Raymond Boyd with 25 points, carried off the Junior Cup, held for one year by the competitor of 10 or under who makes most points. His sister, Blanche Boyd, won the Senior Girls' Cup, with 22 points. Joan Bainbridge, also of Boswell, was runnerup with 20 points. Shirley Gray of Gray Creek took third place with 19 points.

Fred Simpson of La France was again away out in front in the Senior Boys' class. He came first in every event he entered, and with a total of 33 points, easily won the trophy for Senior Boys.

As sacks are unprocurable, a "Scavenger Hunt" was substituted for the sack races.

A list of events and winners follows:

Dashes, in order of first, second and third:

Girls, 7 and and under — Betty Johnson, La France; Donna Shaw, Gray Creek; Edna Ofner, Boswell.

Boys, 7 and under—Percy McGregor, Crawford Bay; Bobby Johnson, La France.

Girls, 9 and under—Pat King, Crawford Bay; Maymae Yager, Boswell; Wilma Gray, Gray Creek.

Boys 9 and under—Teddy Johnson, Crawford Bay; Boyd Wallace, Boswell; Darrel Shaw, Gray Creek.

Girls, 11 and under—Beatrice Van Koughnett, La France; Dorothy Hawkins, Crawford Bay; Muriel Wallace, Boswell.

Boys, 11 and under—Raymond Boyd, Boswell; Russell Trenaman, La France; Darrel Shaw, Gray Creek.

Girls, 13 and under—Shirley Gray, Gray Creek; Blanche Boyd, Boswell; Sylvia King, Crawford Bay.

Boys, 13 and under—Barrie Simpson, La France; William Jamieson, Crawford Bay; Darrel Shaw, Gray Creek.

Girls, 16 and under—Shirley Gray, Gray Creek; Joan Bainbridge, La France; Ruth Millar, La France.

Boys, 16 and under—Fred Simpson, La France; Jack Smith, Boswell; Darrel Shaw, Gray Creek.

High jumps:

Girls, 10 and under—Muriel Wallace, Boswell; eBatrice King, Crawford Bay; Wilma Gray, Gray Creek.

Boys, 10 and under — Raymond Boyd, Boswell; Norris Johnson, La France; Zane Gray, Gray Creek.

Girls, 13 and under — Blanche Boyd, Boswell; Sylvia King, Crawford Bay; Beatrice Van Koughnett, La France.

Boys, 13 and under—Barrie Simpson, La France; William Jamieson, Crawford Bay; Zane Gray, Gray Creek, and Raymond Boyd, Boswell, tied.

Girls, 16 and under—Ruth Millar, La France; Joan Bainbridge, Boswell; Sylvia King, Crawford Bay.

Boys, 16 and under—Fred Simpson, La France; Jack Smith, Boswell; Fred Hedstrom, Crawford Bay.

Broad jumps:

Girls, 10 and under—Muriel Wallace, Boswell; Pat King, Crawford Bay; Wilma Gray, Gray Creek.

Boys, 10 and under—Sidney Jamieson, Crawford Bay; Darrel Shaw, Gray Creek; Terry Sullivan, Boswell.

Girls, 13 and under — Blanche Boyd, Boswell; Shirley Gray, Gray Creek; Sylvia King, Crawford Bay.

Boys, 13 and under—Elmer Boyd, Boswell; Elmer Hedstrom, Crawford Bay; Barry Simpson, La France.

Girls, 16 and under—Joan Bainbridge, Boswell; Ruth Miller, La France; Evelyn Adams, Gray Creek.

Boys, 16 and under—Fred Simpson, La France; Jack Smith, Boswell; Fred Hedstrom, Crawford Bay.

Scavenger Hunt, teams of six—La France, Gray Creek, Boswell.

Skipping race, girls open—Ruth Oliver, Gray Creek; Joan Bainbridge, Boswell; Dorothy Hawkins, Crawford Bay.

Softball throws:

Girls, 12 and under—Beatrice Van Koughnett, La France; Dorothy Gray, Gray Creek; Beatrice King, Crawford Bay.

Boys, 12 and under—Barry Simpson, La France; William Jaemieson, Crawford Bay; Donnie Karpowich, Boswell.

Girls, 16 and under—Evelyn Adams, Gray Creek; Blanche Boyd, Boswell; Ruth Miller, La France.

Boys, 16 and under—Fred Simpson, La France; Jack Smith, Boswell; William Jamieson, Crawford Bay.

Pole vaults:

Boys, 12 and under — Raymond Boyd, Boswell; Barry Simpson, La France; William Jamieson, Crawford Bay.

Boys, 16 and under—Fred Simpson, La France; Raymond Boyd, Boswell; Elmer Hedstrom, Crawford Bay.

Relay race, teams of two girls and two boys—La France, Boswell and Crawford Bay.

Three-legged race:

girls, open—Shirley Gray, and Evelyn Adams, Gray Creek; Joan Bainbridge and Blanche Boyd, Boswell; Ruth Miller and Beatrice Van Koughnett, La France.

Boys, open—Fred Simpson and Russell Trenaman, La France; Raymond Boyd and Jimmie Karpowich, Boswell; Elmer Hedstrom and William Jamieson, Crawford Bay.

Officials were:

Clerk of the course, W. Fraser, Crawford Bay; judges, Mrs. G. Shaw, Gray Creek; Miss A. Heywood, Crawford Bay; J. Adams, Gray Creek; starter, A. Mackie, Boswell.

Teachers' Committee—Mrs. W. L. Hepher, La France, Secretary; Mrs. R. Reilly, Gray Creek; Mrs. J. H. Smith, Boswell; Miss Nichols, Crawford Bay.

SOVIET GIRL PILOT MAKES 125 FLIGHTS FLIGHTS OVER FRONT

MOSCOW, June 15 (AP)—A 22-year-old girl bomber pilot, Maria Ivanova, has been made a member of the Soviet Order of Patriotic War, first degree, after making 125 flights over the front in 70 days, it was announced today. Maria, a volunteer, was reported gravely wounded on her last flight while bombing a German artillery dump.

Raid Casualties Highest in May

LONDON, June 15 (CP)—Civilian casualties in air raids on the United Kingdom reached the highest level of the year in May, the Ministry of Home Security announced today, with 584 persons killed or missing and 733 injured severely enough to require hospital treatment.

In comparison, April's casualty toll was 172 killed and 205 injured. January was the previous high month for 1943 with 328 killed and 507 injured.

May's casualty total ranked high among months since the 1940 and 1941 blitz. In April, 1942, 938 persons were killed and 998 given hospital treatment.

Civilian casualties were much higher during the height of the Battle of Britain. In September, 1940, 6954 were killed and 10,615 treated at hospitals; in October, 1940, the figures were 6334 and 8695, and in April, 1941, they were 6065 and 6926. Lowest "blitz month" was February, 1941, when deaths totalled 789 and hospital cases 1068.

During the night of May 10-11, 1282 persons were killed and 1769 injured so badly they were taken to hospitals.

Los Angeles Opens City Again to Servicemen

LOS ANGELES, June 15 (AP)—The 11th U. S. Naval District order this city reopened to enlisted personnel at noon today, as 17 reputed leaders of youthful gangs were summoned to a county grand jury investigation of recent clashes between zoot suiters and service men.

Rear Adm. D. W. Bagley, Commandant of the 11th Naval District, said lifting of the ban was decided upon after he had been assured by Mayor Fletcher Bowron that the police department "is prepared to handle the situation to the satisfaction of all concerned."

AIRMEN GIVE BLOOD TO CIVILIANS BEFORE GOING ON RAID

LONDON, June 16 (CP)—Before the crews at an R.A.F. bomber station near the East Coast went on a bombing mission to the Ruhr Sunday night, they gave blood for transfusion to civilians injured in a raid on a nearby town, the Air Ministry disclosed today.

Only 150 Students Want Farm Work

VANCOUVER, June 16 (CP) — Hundreds of Vancouver High School students swamped Selective Service Offices here today, all willing to work, they said—but only 150 interested in farm work.

Local war industries have agreed to accept hundreds of boys despite reluctance to train workers whom they will lose in the Fall.

Stilwell Returns to Chungking

CHUNGKING, June 15 (AP). — Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell, Chief of Staff of the Allies forces in China, arrived here by plane today after a globe-circling trip to Washington for conferences with other Allied leaders.

Stilwell was greeted at the airdrome by Brig-Gen. Thomas Hearn, his son, Capt. Joseph Stillwell Jr., and other members of his staff.

AUSSIE MINISTER ARRIVES IN LONDON

LONDON, June 15 (CP).—H. V. Evatt, Australian Attorney-General and Minister for External Affairs, arrived here today by air from the United States.

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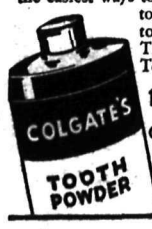

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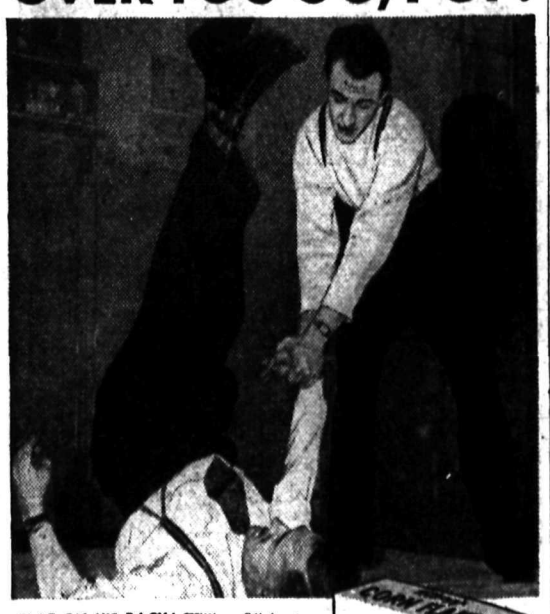

FLAT ON HIS BACK! William Oliphant and William, Jr. show how it's done Jiu Jitsu style. Mighty handy thing to know. Handy to know a bowl of Kellogg's Corn Flakes tastes wonderful anytime, too. "Gives me real zest for breakfast," says father. "We eat them at our house all hours," says son. By independent survey, Kellogg's Corn Flakes are the favourite in a majority of Canadian homes. Ready to eat in 30 seconds, they leave no pots and pans to wash. Economical, too. Get some tomorrow. Made by Kellogg's in London, Canada.

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Well, John's home on leave, and first thing he said was: "Darling, you're lovelier than ever." Was I ever surprised! Could it be I used to spend time and money on beauty aids I never really needed? And now... just Palmolive keeps my complexion radiant!

I've promised to keep on with my "new" beauty care till Johnny comes marchin' home—two minutes twice a day for my refreshing Palmolive Facials and, after work, heavenly relaxation in a fragrant Palmolive Beauty Bath. New, improved Palmolive, made with beauty-rich Olive and Palm Oils... two of Nature's finest beauty aids, actually *soothes* and *beautifies* my sensitive skin as it gently, thoroughly cleanses.

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1943	$10,498,348	$7,700,000	$1,485,842
1942	9,379,203	8,000,000	1,485,842
1941	7,525,606	4,192,456	1,485,842
1940	6,108,216	1,336,531	1,485,842
1939	4,511,433	244,514	1,485,842

- The annual wage bill is now twice what it was in 1939. This is partly because of the increase in the amount of employment but also because the average hourly earnings of plant employees (cost of living bonus included) have increased 42.2% since the outbreak of the war.
- Income taxes today are more than 3,000% above 1939. But the company's 3,188 shareholders get the same dividends as at the start of the war.
- This record is typical of Canadian business enterprises engaged in war production.

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An Expression of Discontent

There will be a variety of interpretations of the reasons for the victory of the C.C.F. candidate in the Revelstoke byelection.

The fact probably is that the vote was more of an expression of dissatisfaction with present day conditions generally than of a desire for C.C.F. Socialism which would mean permanent infliction of the regimentation which is one of the major causes of discontent arising from war conditions, necessary as is temporary regimentation during war time.

No one would be foolish enough to take the Revelstoke vote as meaning opposition to the complete and vigorous prosecution of the war. That was not an issue. If it had been an issue, Revelstoke voters would have voted to face any further hardships that might be necessary to pursue the war to a victorious conclusion. Nevertheless the Coalition Provincial Government candidate was a victim of the hardships and discomforts and sufferings which war inevitably brings on a people. War brings unhappiness and while we all know that no sufferings arising from the prosecution of the war could be as terrible as would be the sufferings that Nazi world domination would bring, it is a natural and human thing to express discontent by voting against a government that rightly or wrongly is taken as representing a part of the "system" (whatever that may be), especially as such a protest vote could not in any degree interfere with our war effort.

The Revelstoke vote was a protest vote rather than a condemnation of the record of the Hart-Maitland Coalition. If the C.C.F. Party had been in power the election would in all probability also have resulted in the return of an opposition candidate.

Gives Credit to Ground Crews

It is impossible to praise too highly the ground crews of the Royal Canadian Air Force. That message comes from Pilot Officer Crawford Morden of Fleming, Sask., and formerly of Dresden. Writing home after nearly two score operational flights in the Middle East, the aviator emphasizes the work done by the men on the ground.

Because it is not so spectacular, the ground crew's work is often overlooked in the general performance of the R.C.A.F. These men put the planes in shape and keep them fit for flying. When the pilots and other air crew board their machines for action flights, they have confidence the mechanics have done their work well and the machine is in sound flying trim.

As soon as a plane lands it is taken over by the ground men, who have specific duties to perform. Each man has his job and each men is responsible for the performance of his task. If any individual falls down, the operational flight of that particular plane is jeopardized. The air crew stake their lives on the belief that the ground crew men have done their job.

Sometimes the members of the ground services feel they are slighted, because sufficient attention is not given the work they do. However, the air crew know how important their mates on the ground are to the success of aerial operations. At least, the ground crew can take satisfaction in knowing the airmen understand.

War—25 Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

June 16, 1918.—Austrians held in heavy fighting except at the Piave delta where they captured Capo Sile, and at Montello; French at Monte Grappa and British in Asiago sector fought strongly. French check German attack North of Marne.

?? 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.

R. L., Elko—Would you kindly give me an address of some firm where I might apply for stenography, book keeping, courses at home?

Canadian International Correspondence Schools Ltd., 206, 18 West Hastings Street, Vancouver M.C.C. School, Winnipeg.

Reader, Nelson—To settle an argument would you please tell me if there is a mother's pension and a widow's pension? Does a mother no longer get her pension when her children become 16 years of age?

The pension is available to mothers who have children 16 years and under. There are not separate pensions for widows and mothers, except in the case of the active forces.

D. H., Robson—In connection with your question on rental of furnished house and board arrangements, suggest you write the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Nelson, for a ruling in this case.

M. M. Mc., Kaslo—At what time, if at any, did Sweden rule Denmark?

Sweden and Denmark were united under one rule for the first time in about 630 A.D., but the unity was severed shortly after. Swedish kings at different times through the ages have included Denmark under their rule.

H. G., Creston—How ripe should apples be to make sweet cider?

Only fully matured, tree ripe, perfectly sound fruit should be used. An apple is considered cider ripe when about midway between market ripe and dessert ripe. It should have begun to soften very slightly, but still be firm.

Under Way Now

(Spokane Spokesman-Review)

The world has been speculating where the Allies would strike first with their European invasion forces and expectantly awaiting news that the big assault had been launched, without realizing that invasion actually has been under way for months.

Yet that is the startling information announced from London by General Daniel Noce, recently appointed American Staff Officer in the European theatre. The tremendous Allied air offensive over Europe is not an independent operation, merely aimed at shattering enemy civilian morale like the German blitz against England. It is, says General Noce, the beginning of invasion of Europe on a schedule planned months ago.

Civilian conception of invasion has lagged behind the actuality of modern warfare. The thought of what it meant has not been projected beyond the initial landing of troops on European soil. The general's statement helps bring understanding abreast with the real process of opening a western front in Europe.

It reveals that the great movement is organized and action started. The intensified aerial bombardment of Europe is the barrage that precedes the zero hour of assault upon the beach heads by navy-borne ground forces. It is the same preparation for going over the top as the artillery barrage of the first World War, only on a vastly greater scale and over a far greater area behind the enemy lines. It smashes not only at the immediate defences along the beaches, but at the supply lines leading to the front, at the communication centers, and at the vitals of the enemy war production facilities.

It differs from the old barrage in that it will not cease when the attack on the beach heads begins. It will keep on shattering and demoralizing production, transportation and communication systems in the rear of the enemy, while another type of air support will put up an "umbrella" of protection over the ground forces and strafe and harry the enemy lines.

What we witness now is the first phase of invasion and it will merge without interruption into combined sea, land and air attack in what General Noce calls the final and decisive phase to crush the Axis and force its unconditional surrender.

Today's Horoscope

You have unusual ability, a keen mind and good judgment, if you have a birthday on this date. However, you are restless and become easily tired and discontented. Success is only assured you if you practice persistent application to one project. While you're relaxed in bed this morning make plans for the future. Concentrate your attention increasing income. Should you be awake, you may be able to weave a new idea out of an old one with significant and important success. Before you start imagining that you are being discriminated against, examine your own thinking for a flaw in your mental attitude. You may be irritated with social inconsistencies this afternoon. However, try to conform with the demands of established custom, for the sake of harmony.

Test Yourself

1. What three men were in a tub?
2. What did the little dog do when the "cow jumped over the moon"?
3. What are the last two lines of the rhyme which goes like this:

"The time has come ,the walrus said,
To talk of many things:
Of shoes—and ships—and sealing wax—
Of cabbages—and kings—"?

TEST ANSWERS

1. The butcher, the baker, the candlestick maker.
2. "The little dog laughed to see such sport."
3. "And why the sea is boiling hot—
And whether pigs have wings."

Letters to the Editor

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

Can Produce Abundance for All if We Go About It in the Right Way

To the Editor:

Sir—Your correspondent "Canadian", in his letter dated June 5, draws a very definite line of demarkation between the hard-working, independent Canadians, constituting about 80 per cent of the total population according to his knowledge and observations, and the other 20 per cent of idle, thriftless and improvident Canadians, who have brought misfortunes upon themselves.

This small minority of idle, incompetent or criminal people is clamoring for vague and impossible Utopian schemes, that would rob the hardworkers, the creators of wealth, and the directions of industry of their hard-earned accumulations.

The large majority of hard-working, independent, thrifty Canadians is also clamoring for a continuation of the system that has brought it contentment and self-satisfaction.

Are the members of our three Political Parties, including our Legislators, all being taken in or fooled by the loudly vociferous minority, or do they realize that reason and common sense may have prompted its pleadings?

When we realize that there are no "independent" Canadians, that no man can live alone or unto himself, then only may we expect to start travelling towards a Utopia.

If and so long as we class the 650,000 unemployed Canadian workers of July 1939 as idle, thriftless, improvident or criminal, there can be little hope of improvement in our way of life.

Fortunate for us it is, that our Industrialists, the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, have come to see that the general welfare of the people of Canada is or should be their care and responsibility, and that the payments of dividends is no longer their prime object of existence.

If things are as rosy as "Canadian" believes they are, why do we need to have an Atlantic Charter?

Messrs. Roosevelt and Churchill, along with many more responsible people of many Countries, realize that there must be something wrong with a system that allows millions of able-bodied workers to be unemployed in peace times through no fault of their own, and at the same time the same system enables one man to amass and at his death leave a fortune of $200,000,000.

Perhaps "Canadian" will justify or prove the charges, that he so casually makes with regard to the discontented minority, and he might attempt to justify exclusive possession of reason and common sense by the class of Independent Canadians to which he claims to belong.

Does he know positively that his class would be ruined and despoiled if, for example, a truly Socialistic system were established in Canada?

He is afraid, he views with alarm and trepidation what he thinks are impossible schemes, but does he know that we as a people could produce an abundance of the necessities of life, if we were to go about it in a proper manner?

Does he know that a system of distribution of that abundance could be established that would take nothing away from him, but give him more instead and still furnish an ample sufficiency for all who desired and deserved it?

It is true that a Government's duty is to protect life and property, but in spite of what "Canadian" says, our Legislators are possibly viewing their duty and responsibility from a new viewpoint. Let us hope so.

W. H. FOSTER.

Nelson, June 13.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, June 16, 1933)

After being blocked for three days by opposition of the French, heading the gold standard countries, the United States finally won the important key position of chairmanship of the Monetary Committee of the World Economic Conference.

Five Mile Creek, the source of Nelson's water supply, was a raging torrent Thursday afternoon, following the storm during the morning.

David Norcross, former assayer at the Reeves-McDonald mine, is now operating the Wilcox near Ymir.

25 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, June 16, 1918)

Nelson and district's Red Cross Campaign was launched last evening when a mammoth parade and mass meeting featured the opening of a campaign, of which the call is: "Give till your heart says stop."

Lieut. Commander Gordon Hallett came in from Longbeach yesterday.

Fred Sterling, district freight agent of the C.P.R., has returned from a trip to the Okanagan District. He reports that crop prospects are good, that damage from frost only affected individuals, and that only a small per cent of the farmers in the district will even notice the loss.

Words of Wisdom

Shakespeare says, we are creatures that look before and after; the more surprising that we do not look round a little, and see what is passing under our very eyes.—Carlyle.

Etiquette Hints

Treat your child as a person. If you meet a friend whom the child does not know when the child is with you, introduce the youngster just as if he or she was adult.

Greenwood Wins In First Open Clash With Morrison for Labor Post

LONDON, June 15 (CP Cable)—Arthur Greenwood took a long stride forward toward the leadership of the Labor Party today when he was elected Party Treasurer by a large majority over Herbert Morrison, Labor Member of the Churchill Cabinet.

The result, announced at the Party Conference here, meant Morrison holds no official position within his own Party and, though some quarters viewed his defeat as a rap on the knuckles for his close support of the Government's policy on the Beveridge Report, the general view taken was that Greenwood was honored because of his great popularity.

The balloting gave Greenwood, who never before sat on the Labor Party Executive, 1,253,000 votes, a majority of 327,000 over Morrison. The only other candidate, Glenville Hall of the Mine Workers Federation, received 519,000.

Greenwood's majority was due largely to the support of powerful trade unions. He had acted as liaison between the political and trade union wings of the Party when Ramsay MacDonald was Prime Minister and his popularity has been mounting ever since.

This was the first time Greenwood and Morrison had come into an open clash, although one or the other was the obvious choice for the Party Leadership after the resignation of George Lansbury. It became so close a rivalry between them that Clement Attlee was elected Temporary Leader, a position he still holds while serving also in the Government as Deputy Prime Minister and Secretary for the Dominions.

The Treasuryship holder generally wields great influence in the direction of the Party organization. The vacancy was caused by the death of George Latham.

The defeat of Morrison, who formerly held a seat on the Executive but decided to give it up to run for Treasurer, means that for a year at least he will sit in the body of the Hall at conferences and not on the platform.

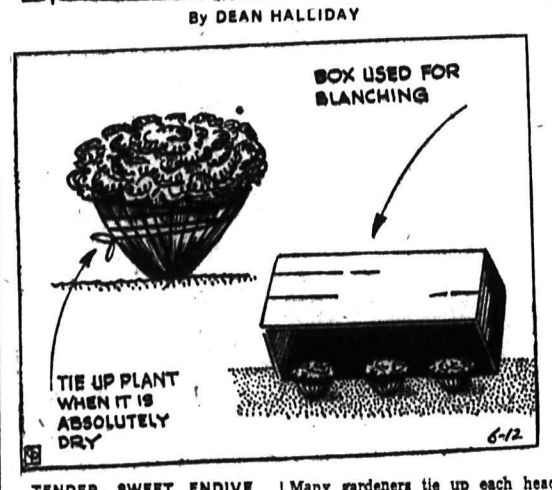
Greenwood, out of Government office for nearly two years, scored a second victory at today's session. In the main debate he defended Labor Members of the Cabinet from criticism and obtained adoption of the National Executive's report on the Beveridge Plan.

Making his first speech as Treasurer, Greenwood, who led a revolt against the Government on the issue of the Beveridge Report in February, said he was not repentant for that but emphasized "you cannot be in a team and bat against it."

He said that if the Labor Members of Parliament continue voting against the Government, their Ministers have no option but to resign. That meant Labor would be called quitters and the Party would commit suicide, he added.

Today's VICTORY GARDEN-GRAPH

By DEAN HALLIDAY



TENDER, SWEET ENDIVE IN VICTORY GARDEN

Endive, in addition to being an appetizing salad green, rates high in its vitamin content. It is an especially good source of Vitamin A and also of Vitamin B1 and B2 and C. For these reasons endive merits a place in the Victory garden.

Endive to be crisp and tender needs to be grown rapidly as does lettuce, therefore endive should receive feedings of fertilizer to spur its growth.

As the heads of endive approach maturity they require blanching to make them white as well as crisp. Many gardeners tie up each head of endive with raffia or a soft string, the outer leaves over the inner ones, thus bleaching the center. A head of endive tied for blanching is illustrated in the accompanying Garden-Graph. One drawback to this method of blanching is that when it rains each plant must be untied, alowed to dry out and then tied up again.

A less troublesome method of blanching endive also is illustrated. This method calls for tying up the plants when they are absolutely dry (otherwise they will rot) and the covering with a small wooden box.

THIS WAY TO SUCCESS

By the Career Engineer

$1.00 will be paid each week for the best problem submitted to the Career Engineer. Write him today, care of Nelson Daily News.

What about an aim in life, and what has one's job to do with it?—Katy M.

You can have the finest rifle in the world, the best ammunition, your gun to your shoulder, eye down the sight, finger on the trigger—but if you don't know what you're aiming at, YOU'LL NEVER MAKE A BULL'S EYE! And since one's job takes up most of her waking hours, it has a tremendous part to play in the process of getting to where you want to go. Take a Saturday afternoon and go alone to some place where you can think—and think right through to a point where you NOW believe you can reach. Make it tough for yourself—determination doesn't live on soft boiled eggs. Then see your job as a distinct stepping stone to that goal, and make every hour, every movement, every opportunity work to the end in view. You'll find your work more interesting, that the the boss will take notice, and there will be raises and promotions, if not in your present work, certainly somewhere else.

10-Yr.-Old Roosevelt Exonerated on Shooting Accident

NORRISTON, P. A., June 15 (AP)—William Donner Roosevelt, 10-year-old son of Col. Elliot Roosevelt and grandson of the President, was exonerated by a Montgomery County coroner's jury today in the fatal shooting June 6 of his playmate, Lewis Hutchison, Jr., 11, of Ardmore.

Young Hutchison was killed by a .22 calibre bullet fired from a rifle in the hands of the Roosevelt boy.

Coroner Winslow J. Rushong said evidence and statements by young Roosevelt showed the shooting was purely "accidental."

In a normal lifetime, a person's eyelids open and close a quarter of a billion times.

CLARK DEFENDS SPEECH ON UNION WITH U. S.

WINDSOR, Ont., June 15 (CP).—Hon. James H. Clark, Speaker of the Ontario Legislature, in defence of a statement he made Sunday that 40 to 45 per cent of Canadians would favor political union with the United States, said today it would be the finest gesture Canada could make to bring the great English-speaking powers of Britain and the United States into closer relationship.

"Surely this is still a democracy where a man, whoever he may happen to be, can still express an opinion," Mr. Clark said of criticism of his Detroit speech.

He said he wished to draw the attention of his critics to a Gallup poll report which said 45 per cent of Canada's people favored either becoming part of the United States or an independent country.

Axis Drive Fails to Oust Greeks From Strongholds

ANKURA, June 14 (Delayed) (AP) — A German-Italian drive against Greek Guerillas, which started 10 days ago with tanks, airplanes and artillery in support, has failed to smoke out the Greeks from their mountain strongholds, information from Greek sources said today.

According to the sources, the Germans issued an ultimatum late in May directing the guerillas to cease their activities before June 4 under the threat of powerful repressive action.

The guerillas were said to have ignored the ultimatum and a strong force was reported sent against them. Only a few of the irregulars were captured, the Greek informants said.

The British Army is going back to the horse. To save petrol an R.A.S.C. has a Horse Transport Unit attached to North Command Headquarters. It does short-distance haulage jobs around a Northern town.

KELLOGG'S ASTHMA RELIEF
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Mme. Chiang Given Royal Welcome on Arrival in Ottawa

OTTAWA, June 15 (CP)—Ottawa's Chinese population and white residents by the hundred crowded into Union Station here today for a glimpse of Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, wife of the Chinese Generalissimo, on her arrival from the United States.

The Governor-General, Princess Alice and Prime Minister Mackenzie King were the first to greet the distinguished visitor when her train pulled into the station at 11:55 C.D.T.

Ottawa's Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps band was present, and played the Chinese National Anthem as the train stropped. The Canadian Women's Army Corps Pipe Band also was on hand and a detachment of the Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service stood near the entrance.

Ottawa's Chinatown was up early to prepare for the arrival of Mme. Chiang. Chinese flags were everywhere, and cars owned by Chinese were draped with flags, usually the Chinese flag on one side and the Union Jack or Canadian ensign on the other.

After welcoming Mme. Chiang on the car the Governor-General escorted her down from a red-carpeted platform set up on the railway track, followed by the Prime Minister, Princess Alice, and Dr. Liu Shih-Shun, Chinese Minister to Canada who accompanied the visitor from Washington.

Miss Lucy Tau of the Chinese Legation Staff presented a bouquet of roses on behalf of the Legation.

As the party stepped through the gates into the station concourse after walking past the guards of honor of the W.R.C.N.S., and C.W.A.C., the R.C.O.C. band struck up the Chinese National Anthem, "The World's Delight".

Then 12-year-old Isobel Wong of Ottawa stepped up to present a bouquet on behalf of the Chinese people of Canada. It was of red roses with a "V" of white carnations in the centre.

Cabinet Ministers and their wives practically all of whom were present, were then introduced to Mme. Chiang by Mr. King.

Then Dr. Liu presented his Legation Staff and other Chinese Officials in Ottawa.

Through the flag-draped station the group walked to the Governor-General's car and then left for Government House.

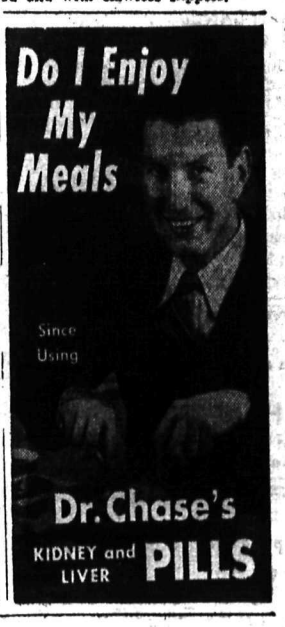
Mme. Chiang wore a long gown of black with white dots and over it a black coat cut on military lines. She was without a hat and her dark hair was brushed back from her high forehead.

Chinese-Canadians from all parts of the country gathered in Ottawa for the visit.

The Canadian Women's Uniformed Services were out in numbers in the Guards of Honor. The three groups were under command of Lt.-Cmdr. Doris Taylor of the Navy. The army and navy groups—the army group with its pipe band—stood on the station platforms and the Women's Division of the R.C.A.F. provided the Guard of Honor outside the station where Mme. Chiang entered the motor car.

VICTORIA, June 15 (CP)—As a gesture of welcome to Canada to Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, members of the Victoria Chinese Youth Association today telegraphed to her at Ottawa a gift of $930.25. "We sent the money to her for use in relief of child war victims," said Robert Low, Secretary of the Youth Association.

Seals have short necks and clawed flippers; sea-lions are long necked and with clawless flippers.



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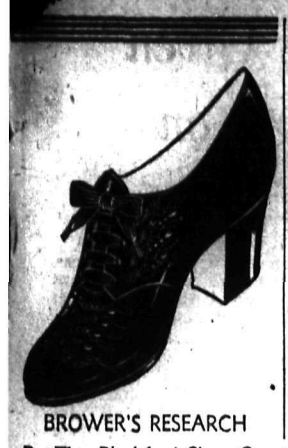

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CRANBROOK I.O.D.E. BARN DANCE TO REPLACE TEA

CRANBROOK, B.C. — A barn dance has been chosen by the Kootanook Chapter, I.O.D.E., as their early Summer event to replace the annual tea and cookery sale. The latter was deemed inadvisable because of rationing of items so necessary to a food sale.

Mrs. H. M. Neily is convener, with committee members Mrs. John Bertoia, Mrs. Archie Finely, Mrs. W. G. T. Taylor and Miss Joan Bowley.

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In certain parts of Denmark they call it "KARTOFFEL". In any part of Canada we'd say "scalloped potato". But this "scalloped potato" recipe is different. Your family will like it. Incidentally, H.P.— that grand old English type sauce adds a wonderful flavour also to meats, fish, fowl, stews, salads and sandwiches. Get a bottle today and try this wartime "economy" dinner.

Slice 6 medium, pared potatoes and 1 peeled onion and arrange in alternate layers in a casserole. Add 1 tablespoon of H. P. Sauce to 2 cups of medium thick white sauce and pour over potatoes, making sure that the sauce mixes thoroughly through the vegetables. Sprinkle ¼ cup of old, grated cheese on top and bake in a moderate oven 400 degrees for one hour.

Dorothy Thompson Weds Czech Artist

BARNARD, Vt., June 15 (AP)—With only about 50 close friends and relatives in attendance, Dorothy Thompson, columnist, and Maxim Kopf, Czech artist, were married at noon today in a little old Universalist Church on Silvery Lake, near the bride's summer home, Twin Farms. It was the third marriage for each.

Using Eyes . . .

Give Confidence to Young Speaker

By GARY C. MYERS, Ph.D.

Have you ever observe a boy or girl from 12 to 18 stand and speak before his class at school or in any other group? Rarely does he look comfortable. Nor does he feel comfortable, as a rule.

In any forum audience, one or more students will tell how hard it is to face an audience squarely and use the eyes comfortably when speaking before a group, or strange persor individually. Many a youngster will say that when he appears on the platform or even stands before his class, to speak, he doesn't see anyone. "Everything before me is black," is a frequent statement. Some say they are terrified when eyes are turned toward them or when their eyes fall upon the eyes of a particular person in the audience. Some others say they deliberately look above or beyond their audience.

Always I remind them that if they have something to say they surely want their audience to listen to it, that when one in an audience listens, he looks at the speaker and likes to see his eyes.

EMOTIONAL DISTURBANCE

This difficulty of looking squarely at a person or group of persons and the emotional disturbances causing the difficulty, ought to be the concern of every parent and teacher, since they mean so much to personality growth.

Let me warn you, however, not to suppose you can help a child or youth to be at ease when he converses or speaks in public by just telling him to do so. While it is well for him to consider it important to use his eyes as he speaks or listens, he learns to do so well only when he feels comfortable in doing so.

At home or school ours is the opportunity to help him feel comfortable as he speaks, by treating him with due respect as a person, listening to him attentively and sympathetically, never making fun of what he says or how he says it, and seeing that others don't in our presence.

Treated so, the child of three or four uses his eyes very well in speaking to others in his home

Kaslo I.O.D.E. Has $139 in War Fund

KASLO, B. C.—The regular meeting of the 54th Battalion Chapter I.O.D.E., was held in the City Hall. The Regent, Mrs. J. R. Tinkess, presided.

The Treasurer, Mrs. E. H. Latham, reported $51.79 in the General Fund, and $139.23 in the War Fund and $33.75 was turned in by Mrs. Paterson, this being the proceeds of goods sold at the rummage room during May.

Mrs. E. Singel reported two quilts had been completed this month and two more will be finished soon.

Mrs. R. E. Gardner was initiated as a new member. Letters of appreciation and thanks from boys *overseas, for cigarettes*, were read. Miss Giegerich read an article entitled "Significance of Empire Day."

The travelling basket brought in $4.80 for May.

Creasey President of Harrop Packers Union

HARROP, B.C.—Harrop Co-operative Packers Union held its annual meeting Wednesday evening, President B. S. Creasey in the chair. The 1942 directorate was returned for another year and is as follows:

B. S. Creasey, President; F. H. W. Chanter, Vice-President; J. Berry, Secretary and E. W. Slater, J. A. Knauf, F. W. Hindley, W. J. McConnell and C. Major.

Says Exercise Not Cure for Eyes

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M.D.

"The art of seeing" is the title of a book by Mr. Aldous Huxley, published a few months ago. I have enjoyed Mr. Huxley's other books and thought this might be a characteristically sensitive account of how he learned to find hidden meanings and angles in the common sights of the world around us.

What I actually found was a shock and a disillusionment. Mr. Huxley had the misfortune to suffer in his youth from a serious eye affection which forced him to leave Eton college and from which he was almost blind for three or four years. He made his way through Oxford by reading with a magnifying glass. He states that he had keratitis punctata, a set of spotted opacities on the cornea. This left him with one eye just capable of light perception and the other with five per cent of normal vision.

That he achieved such a degree of literary success as he did with such a handicap is, of course, remarkable and creditable to his will power and inner vision, for inner vision he has aplenty.

A few years ago he fell in with the teachings of William H. Bates, a self-appointed healer whose German followers have not hesitated to compare him with Christ, who claimed to cure glaucoma, near-sightedness, far-sightedness, astigmatism, old-age eyes, which require reading glasses, cough, hay fever, facial neuralgia, cataract, syphilis of the eye, and central blindness.

Bates' method depends on exercises of two of the six muscles by which we can, by voluntary control, move the eyeballs to the right and left and up and down, and obliquely. They are attached to the outside of the eyeball, not to the lens, which accommodates our vision to far objects of near objects. Nor do they change the shape of the cornea, which has to do with astigmatism, nor the length of the eyeball, which has to do with near- and far-sightedness. Besides these exercises Bates had a number of other manoeuvres.

Now it is understandable how a man with Huxley's disabilities must have suffered great distress and repeated fatigue in the use of his eyes. Some of Bates' treatments would naturally help to rest such eyes; for instance, "palming", which consists simply in covering the eyes with the palms for a while and "shifting", which is moving the focus from one thing to another. These are methods of mental, ocular and bodily relaxation.

UNSCIENTIFIC AND HARMFUL

But to suggest that they or any of the other exercises relieve poor vision and eyestrain due to poor curvature of the cornea and lens is not only absurd but wicked, because people who could be instantly relieved by glasses are gulled into undergoing a long set of exercise training which not only does not improve their vision, but gives them serious eyestrain.

That a man, the grandson of T. H. Huxley, one of the most scientific writers of the last generation, should sponsor such nonsense is indeed a discouraging sign for our civilization.

South Slocan

SOUTH SLOCAN, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. Hall of Trail were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Cobb on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dempsey were visitors in Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Muir were Nelson shoppers on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. MacCabe and son Bruce have returned after spending a week at their Summer *home at Willow Point.*

Mrs. M. Whiteley of Nelson is a guest of Mrs. John Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gray were visitors here on Sunday

Mrs. F. Frisby of Nelson was a guest of Mrs. Frank Scott.

Miss Mona Scott was a weekend visitor in Nelson.

Sgt. and Mrs. H. H. Frizzell were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Humphry.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sweet and baby daughter have left to reside at Corra Lenn.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Elliott had as a guest Mrs. Elsie M. Long of Nelson

Mrs. P. O. Bird is a patient in the Trail-Tadanac Hospital, where she has undergone an operation and is reported to be progressing favorably.

NELSON SOCIAL

By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

TURNER-STADNICK

• Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the Rectory of the Cathedral of Mary Immaculate, Rev. Frank L. Flynn united in marriage Frances Florence, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Stadnick of Alberta, and Francis James Turner, only son of Mrs. W. E. Marquis and the late Francis Turner of London, Eng. The bride was attended by Miss Heida Limacher and groom by E. Wallach of Bonnington. For her marriage the bride chose a white satin and lace floor-length wedding gown, veil and wreath of orange blossoms and carried white carnations and red rosebuds. Her bridesmaid chose a floor-length powder blue frock, matching accessories and a bouquet of red and white carnations. Following the wedding luncheon at Grenfells, a reception was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. Zytar, Selby Street. Mr. and Mrs. Turner are residing in the Kerr Apartments.

• Miss Olive Link of Mirror Lake is a guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Abey, Vernon Street.

HOLIDAYERS FROM COLVILLE

• Mr. and Mrs. T. Dakweu of Colville, Wash., and their two children are holidaying at Ainsworth Hot Springs Hotel.

• Mr. and Mrs. V. Hoskin of Balfour have taken up residence on Latimer Street.

• Mrs. Ian C. Campbell of Willow Point visited Nelson yesterday.

• Pte. Michael Prestley, who spent a fortnight's furlough visiting his sister and brother, Frances and Jack Prestley, Baker Street, has returned to the Coast.

• Mrs. Alan Willey of Bonnington spent yesterday in town.

• Mrs. J. G. Bunyan, Kerr Apartments, is spending a few days in Spokane.

• Elmer Gelinas, who attends St. Peter's Seminary in London, Ont., arrived home yesterday to spend his holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gelinas, Victoria Street.

• Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hacker of Toronto are guests at the Ainsworth Hot Springs Hotel.

• Gregoire Choquette and his daughter, Miss Albertine Choquette, Robson Street, returned Monday night from Trail where they have been since Saturday, guests of Mr. Choquette's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George McKay.

• Mr. and Mrs. George Shaw and party of Trail recently visited Ainsworth Hot Springs.

RETURNS TO DUTY

• Ac. 2 Robert Noakes, who has spent the past couple of months at his home at Balfour on sick leave, has returned to Edmonton.

• Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Robinson of Blewett visited town yesterday.

• M. C. Donaldson of Salmo spent Monday in Nelson.

• Mrs. F. Anderson was in town from Silverton yesterday.

• Mrs. Erling Eckeman and baby daughter have left Kootenay Lake General Hospital for their home at 709 Vernon Street.

• Arthur Grant of Procter returns home today after a couple of days spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grant.

• Miss Virginia Hendricks has arrived from Vancouver to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hendricks, Carbonate Street, 612 Mill Street.

HERE FROM WASHINGTON

• Mrs. J. C. Dawson and daughter Mary of Okanogan, Wash., were guests of Mrs. J. H. Lawrence, Cedar Street, enroute to Kaslo, where they plan to spend the Summer at the home of Mrs. Dawson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Green.

• Mr. and Mrs. Harvey H. Stone of Bonnington were recent visitors to Ainsworth.

• Mrs. Francis Anderson and her baby boy have left Kootenay Lake General Hospital for their home at 406 Richards Street.

• Mr. and Mrs. G. Dryer of North Bend are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grant, 612 Mill Street.

• Mr. and Mrs. G. Elder and family of Trail were recent guests at Ainsworth Hot Springs Hotel.

RETURNS TO ALBERTA

• Staff Sergeant H. D. Craig, who spent his furlough with his family at 923 Carbonate Street, has returned to Medicine Hat.

• Mrs. William Turner, who attended the C. W. L. convention in Penticton recently and who visited in Rossland her daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. J. Turner, passed through Nelson Monday night enroute to her home in Fernie.

• Mrs. A. H. Noakes of Balfour who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Bowles, Josephine Street, returned home last night.

• John Weston of Pinchi Lake is spending a couple of weeks at Ainsworth.

• Miss Beatrice West was in town from Willow Point yesterday.

On The Air

The address by Madame Chiang Kai-shek to a joint meeting of the House of Commons and the Senate in Ottawa this morning will be broadcast locally by CKLN commencing at 8 o'clock. The CBC News will be broadcast at 8:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

7:50—Musical Clock (CKLN)
8:00—Address by Mme. Chiang Kai-shek.
8:30—CBC News
8:45—Musical Programme
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Organ Music (CKLN)
9:30—The Concert Master
9:45—Dinah Shore Sings
9:50—Time Signal
10:00—Morning Visit
10:15—Cossack Cavalcade (CKLN)
10:45—Claire Wallace —"They Tell Me"
11:00—Hits of Yesterday
11:15—Variety Time (CKLN)
11:30—Soldier's Wife
11:45—Your Hollywood Newsgirl

AFTERNOON

12:00—B.C. Farm Broadcast
12:30—CBC News
12:45—Between the Bookends
1:00—Ernesto Vinci, Baritone
1:15—Interlude
1:18—Talk
1:30—Bruce Holder's Orch.
2:00—Adventures of Raffles
2:15—In Definite Dance Tempo
2:30—Tea Time
2:45—Listeners' Favorites
3:00—Messer's Islanders
3:15—Homemaker's Programme
3:30—Musical Programme
3:45—BBC News
4:00—Singing for Pleasure
4:30—Caribbean Nights
4:45—"Our Canadian Speech" — Talk
5:00—News Comment
5:05—Serenade for Strings
5:30—String Tones
5:45—Light Concert Fantasies

EVENING

6:00—R.C.A.F. Quiz Show
6:30—Songs at Twilight (CKLN)
6:40—Greek War Relief Program (CKLN)
7:00—CBC News
7:15—Talk
7:30—Montreal Drama
8:00—BBC News Reel
8:30—Impressions by Green
9:00—National Labor Forum
9:30—From the New World
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Freddie Martin's Orchestra
10:15—Talk
10:30—Anita Ellis
10:45—Woody Herman's Orchestra
11:00—God Save the King

Hints for Housewives

By BETSY NEWMAN

For that Saturday night supper or dinner, liver and rice loaf is a good choice: then you can order a nice roast for Sunday.

TODAY'S MENU

Liver and Rice Loaf
Buttered New Beets
Fresh Raw Vegetable Salad
Filled Cookies
Tea or Coffee

LIVER AND RICE LOAF

½ cup rice, 4 cups boiling water, 1 pound sliced liver, 2 tablespoons butter or other fat, 1 small onion, chopped fine, 2 tablespoons flour, 1 cup chopped celery, ¼ cup chopped parsley, 1 cup tomatoes, canned or fresh, 2 teaspoons salt.

Cook rice in boiling water until tender. Do not drain, but let rice absorb water so as to form a sticky mass of which will act as binder to the loaf. Wipe liver with damp cloth and remove skin, sprinkle with flour and salt and cook in fat in a skillet for about 3 minutes. Remove liver and grind or chop it very fine. Cook onion, celery and parsley in the drippings for a few minutes, add flour and tomatoes and stir briskly until thickened; then mix all ingredients until thoroughly blended, form into a loaf with the hands on parchment paper, if possible, place on a rack in open roasting pan and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for about 30 minutes. Serves 6.

FILLED COOKIES

2 cups all-purpose flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, ¼ teaspoon salt, 1-3rd cup fat, ½ cup sugar, 1 egg, 3 tablespons milk.

FRUIT FILLING

½ cup raisins, ¼ cup nut meats, 1 teaspoon grated orange rind, ¼ cup honey, 1½ tablespoons melted butter.

Sift flour for cookies, measure and sift with baking powder and salt. Cream fat, add sugar gradually, creaming it in; add egg and beat vigorously; add dry ingredients alternately with milk, stirring after each addition until batter is smooth. Chill in refrigerator while making filling.

Combine ingredients for filling in small bowl. Roll out dough to ¼ inch thickness, cut in rounds. Put a spoonful of filling on half the rounds, cover with others, press edges together with fork dipped in flour. Prick tops to prevent blistering, and bake in moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.) 10 to 12 minutes.

Thin Girls . . .

Curves Go With Health Picture

By IDA JEAN KAIN

What used to be the fashionable "boyish form" is now slightingly referred to as flat-chested and there is nothing glamorous about it. So, naturally, you thin girls are concerned over your lack of curves. But you will have to do something about it besides worry.

First, let's look into the matter of weight. The least you should weigh is 100 pounds for the basic of five feet of height, plus five pounds for each extra inch. That is minimum and for a slight frame. If your frame is medium, start with 105 pounds, and if large, start with 110 pounds, plus the same five pounds for each inch over five feet.

The bust is influenced by general health more quickly than any other part of the figure and it's the rundown condition back of the underweight, rather than the underweight itself, that causes you to be flat-chested. As your vitality improves, your whole system functions more actively, you pick up the needed pounds, and, gradually, you take on curves.

It is obvious that you need better health habits. For one thing, you have to acquire a healthy respect for food. You cannot eat haphazardly and make up the difference in nutrition with a vitamin concentrate. If you really want a better figure, you will start eating a better breakfast every morning, not just on Sunday. A gaining breakfast includes fresh fruit, a hot or cold cereal with milk and cream, buttered toast, and a beverage. In time, you will work up enough appetite to add an egg to that menu.

Eat all your meals on a regular schedule. You shoudn't risk going past the time when you are hungry. And somewhere in the three meals, have a full quart of milk, a green leafy vegetable and two fresh fruits. Have two slices of bread and butter with every meal. As a rule, you thin girls don't eat enough bread and butter.

If you have a hollow between the shoulder and bust, you need exercises that will develop your chest and straighten up your posture. Get out in the fresh air and walk, and breathe deeply. Swimming is wonderful exercise for this part of the figure because it means working against the resistance of the water and it is fun in the bargain. But you can do swim strokes for exercise.

CAMP LISTER

CAMP LISTER, B.C.—D. J. McKee who has been employed at Brilliant, returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wocknitz of Kimberley were visitors at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wocknitz. They also visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McKee.

Joe Webster of Coal Creek is a guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Helme of Huscroft.

Mrs. F. A. Huscroft and two children of Trail are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sinclair and James Huscroft and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Yerbury and Mrs. D. J. McKee and Harry Yerbury were Tuesday visitors at Creston.

Mrs. R. T. Millner returned home from a visit to Trail.

Herman Sommerfeld was a weekend visitor to Cranbrook.

After spending two weeks at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wocknitz, Jeanette Pendry returned to her home in Kimberley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beckter of Kimberley are visitors here.

GRAND FORKS

GRAND FORKS, B.C., May 11—Miss Sally McCallum, Assistant Matron of the Trail-Tadanac Hospital for several years, is here on a fortnight's visit to her mother, Mrs. Aylmer McCallum. She is en route to Northern British Columbia, and will have charge of hospitalization for the Consolidated Company at Pinchi Lake.

Mrs. O. G. Dunn left Thursday for Vancouver, where Mr. Dunn has been ill for several weeks.

Sergeant "Bo" Allan is here on a visit to Mrs. Allan and little son, as well as his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Allan. Sergt. Allan has been an army instructor in the Grand Prairie area for the past year, and says that part of Canada is rapidly becoming a "Little America".

Gunner Dick Johns is home on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Johns, of Kettle Valley, and comes from a camp in Nova Scotia.

Pte. John Kehoe is home on furlough from Nova Scotia on a visit to his parents at Bridesville.

Mrs. Clara Stocker of Cascade left Wednesday for Minneapolis to attend a religious convention.

Wesley Docksteader is here on a visit to Mrs. Docksteader and his parents. He is with the R.C.A.F. at Calgary.

J. H. Davies, who was District Engineer here in charge of highways for several years, arrived Wednesday from Eastern Canada on a visit to Mrs. Davies and family, who reside here. They are planning to locate at the Coast.

Miss Ruth deLautour, who had been on the staff of the Grand Forks Hospital, left Thursday for the Coast and will join the staff of a New Westminster Hospital.

A. B. Winter has rented his residence here, and gone to Kettle Valley to spend the Summer with William Johns.

John A. Campolieto was in town from Greenwood on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lawson returned Friday after a stay of several weks in Vancouver. Mr. Lawson, President of the Grand Forks Cooperative Exchange, combined business with pleasure during his trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bickerton of Trail visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McPherson, at the weekend.

Miss Peggy Sutherland returns to Victoria Tuesday after a holiday visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sutherland. Miss Sutherland is a popular vocalist and has been taking part in entertainments given for the Air Force and Military groups.

W. H. Kirkpatrick of Nanaimo is T. E. Kirkpatrick. Mr. Kirkpatrick was formerly local Superintendent visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. with the S. & B.C. Railway and is now with the E. & N. Railway on the Island.

Miss Jennie Clarey of Kaslo is visiting her sisters, Mrs. W. S. McPherson and Mrs. Milligan.

Miss Joan Peterson of the Government Office Staff has enlisted with the Canadian Women's Army Corps at Vancouver. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Peterson, whose son Alfred is with an Ordnance unit at Kingston, Ont., and came home for a visit before his sister left.

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TODAY'S News Pictures

RETIRES AT TRAIL

B. A. Stimmel, for many years Zinc Plant Superintendent at the C. M. & S. plant at Trail, and one of the oldest employees, has retired on superannuation due to ill health.

COMPLETE SUMMER COMFORT

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foster are pictured above in a revolving "Summer seat" conceived and built by Mr. Foster. The seat, six feet three inches long and two feet four inches wide inside, is supported on a single swivel at the base, and can be swung into or away from the sun. The two small tables at which Mr. and Mrs. Foster are pictured also swing out of the way. From the overhead canopy a curtain rolls down for rain protection.

—Photo by Paul Hlookoff.

GUARDIANS OF THE SEA PROTECT ALLIED CONVOYS

This American destroyer is protecting a United Nations convoy while crossing the North Atlantic. The silhouetted lookouts are watching merchantmen heaving in a rough sea.

SOLDIERS PLAY HOT TUNES ON THESE NEW GUNS

Small enough to be carried in a ordinary brief case, yet so sturdy, after 49,600 rounds of firing, that its accuracy is improved, new U. S. Army sub-machine gun, top, is proving effective against the enemy in the field. It fires 450 .45 bullets per minute. The lower gun is the "bazooka", anti-tank weapon. It is said to make a soldier "master of any tank that may attack him." It is a rocket gun fired by one man and loaded by another. Its projectile will pierce armor and brick walls.

READY TO TESTIFY

Waiting to testify against her husband, Lieut.-Cmdr. Jack Dempsey in a divorce action at the White Plains, N. Y. Supreme Court is Mrs. Hannah Williams Dempsey. She appears to have fully recovered from her recent nervous collapse over the trial.

SALLY'S SALLIES

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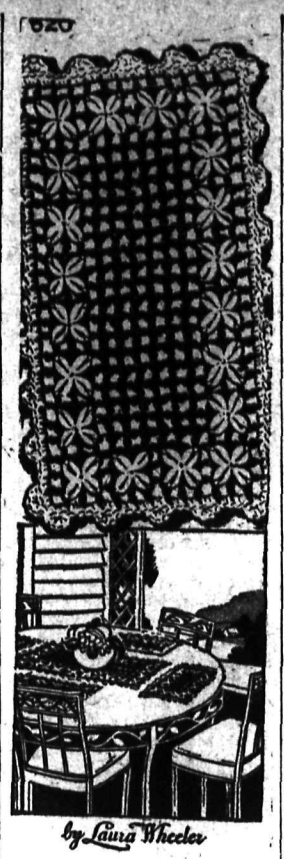

by Laura Wheeler

RUG COTTON SET

Rug cotton luncheon sets are the vogue for Summer. Your friends will admire your taste and skill when you use this jiffy-crochet set, that's so easily done. Scarf and mats are suitable for buffet or chest of drawers, as well as the table. Pattern 620 contains directions for scarf and mat; stitches; list of materials required.

Send 20 cents for this pattern to The Nelson Daily News, Needlecraft Dept., Nelson. Write plainly pattern number, your name and address. Patterns will be mailed to your home in about 15 days. There may be some further delay in delivery because of the large increase in orders during the present season.

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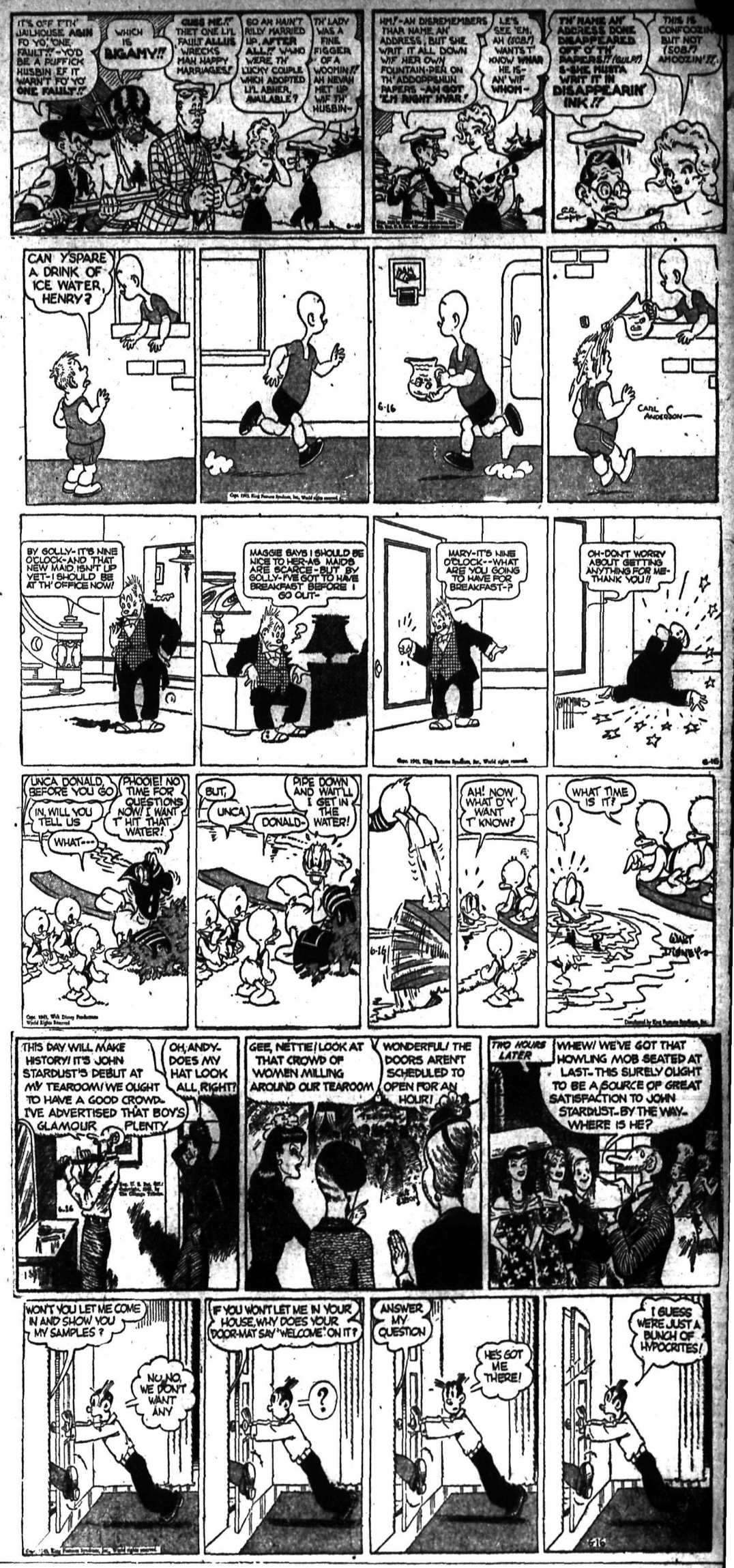
AUNT HET

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"I might not fuss if Pa wanted to smoke in bed, but the first hole he burned in my sheets or blankets would be the last one."



TOO FEW OR TOO MANY

QUESTIONS regarding too few or too many cards in a hand, as discovered during the play, or either more than one or else none at all played to a trick, are covered very thoroughly in the new Laws of Contract Bridge. Here are the regulations governing them:

1. If, during the play period, a hand is found to have too few cards, careful search should be made for the missing card. If it is not found at all or until after the players abandon their hands, or if it is found in another player's hand, there must be a new deal. If it is found in a trick, it is treated as covered in paragraph 3 below. If it is found elsewhere, it must be placed in the deficient hand, and if it belongs to a defender whose partner has seen its face, it becomes a penalty card, or if a player (other than dummy) has revoked due to failure to play it, the revoke law applies. If the missing card is subject to both the penalty card and revoke laws, only the revoke law may be enforced.

2. If, during the play period, a hand is found to have too many cards, the reason should be ascertained. If the surplusage is attributable to (a) picking up too many cards or to an imperfect pack, or if the players abandon their hands before ascertaining the reason for the surplusage, there must be a new deal; (b) failure to play to a trick, paragraph 3 below applies; (c) acquiring a card from the other pack, said card must forthwith be restored to the other pack (if said card has been played to a trick, play proceeds as though the offender had not played to the defective trick and paragraph 3 below applies, and in addition, if said card has won a defective trick to which that paragraph applies, one trick is transferred, after play ceases, to the non-offending side).

3. If a hand has played too many cards or not at all to a trick, and attention is called to the irregularity (a) before a player of each side has played to the next trick, it must be rectified, and where other laws also fit the case, the penalties under them apply, (b) after a player of each side has played to the next trick, the defective trick stands as played, and (1) a hand with too few cards plays the hand out, does not play to the final trick, or tricks, and if it wins a trick with its last card the lead passes in rotation; (2) a hand with too many cards forthwith faces a card and, if possible, one it could properly have played to the defective trick, and the card so faced is added to the defective trick, but does not change its ownership.

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Tomorrow's Problem

North: ♠ J 10 8 6 ♥ 6 ♦ K 8 ♣ A Q J 7 4 2

West: ♠ A 5 ♥ 10 8 7 5 2 ♦ J 7 5 ♣ 9 6 5

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

South: ♠ K Q 9 4 2 ♥ A K Q 9 ♦ 10 9 4 ♣ 8

(Dealer: South. East-west vulnerable.)

After South's 1-Spade on this deal, why is 3-Spades by North much better bridge than a bid of clubs?

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. Sacred bull
5. Starch
9. A mixture
10. Hint
11. Reigning beauty
12. Valley of the moon
14. Artist's stand
15. Behind
16. Nickname
17. Broken part of flax
19. Tantalum (sym.)
20. Purified lac resin
24. To register
26. Reckless
29. Accumulate
30. Skin disease
31. Unadulterated
32. Spheres of action
33. Unfaithfully
35. Public notice
37. Dolt
38. Sun god
40. Three-dimensional
43. Percolates
46. Tree part
47. Manacles
48. At one time
49. Narrow roadway
50. Asterisk
51. Killed

DOWN

1. Forward
2. Chums
3. Little island
4. Sanctuaries
5. Scribble
6. Arabic letter
7. Money (slang)
8. Little owl
11. Insect
13. Epoch
18. Ancient
20. Muffler
21. Book of Old Testament
22. Satellite of Uranus
23. Wary
24. Knock
25. Ostrich-like bird
27. Body of water
28. Owns
30. Clovers
32. King of Judah
34. A compartment
35. Division of play
36. Pesos
38. Freshen
39. Donkey
41. Part of fish net
42. Peruvian Indian
44. Verbal
45. Division of earth

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AUDIT	TASOR									
SNORE	UNITE									
KOREA	DOSED									
	DRAIN									
SOS	IRE	SAT								
TALON		DUMMY								
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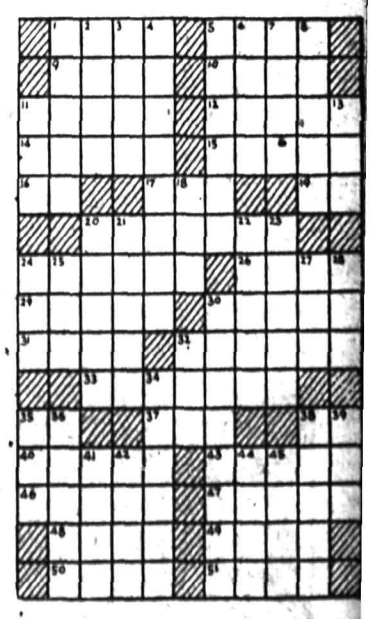
Yesterday's Answer



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THE WEST KOOTENAY ASSAY Office, 550 Stanley St. Nelson B.C.

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1930 BUICK BLOCK, NELSON AUto Wreckers, Nelson, B.C.

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FOR RENT: SUMMER COTTAGES, near beach. J. Peachy, Balfour.

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SHIP US YOUR SCRAP METALS or iron. Any quantity. Top prices paid. Active Trading Company, 916 Powell St., Vancouver, B. C.

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WANTED: TWO-HORSE MOWER and rake. C. A. Marshall, Burton.

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WHEN IN VANCOUVER STOP AT Almer Hotel Opp C.P.R. Depot

1-6 H.P. ELECTRIC MOTOR AND used goods of all kinds see CHESS SECOND HAND STORE.

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INDUSTRIALS	
Assoc. Brew of Can.	17½
Canadian Bronze	33¾
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Con. Min. & Smelting	43¼
Dom. Steel & Coal	9⅛
Gatineau Power Pfd.	89
McColl Frontenac	8
National Brew Ltd.	32
Quebec Power	15
Shawnigan W. & P.	19
Steel of Can. Pfd.	74¼
BANKS	
Commerce	135
Dominion	165
Imperial	175
Montreal	158½
Nova Scotia	240
Royal	137
Toronto	246

LONDON (CP)—People who visit Mrs. A. L. Maizel who lives at Albion Gate, hard by Marble Arch, wipe their feet on a large Nazi swastika flag, sent to her by a son in North Africa.

Cox to Appeal Frick Ruling

PHILADELPHIA, June 15 (AP)—William Cox, President of the Phillies, criticized today a ruling by Ford Frick, National League President, on a Phillies' protest of a game played in St. Louis June 5 and announced he would take an appeal to Baseball Commissioner K. M. Landis.

The game ended 1-0 in favor of the Cardinals after 7½ innings when a rain storm swept the field. Frick sustained Cox's protest that St. Louis made no effort to cover the diamond but ruled that the game should be continued from the point where it was stopped.

Cox described the ruling as "an outright straddling of the fence."

"The rule (Number 26) specifically states," he said, that under such conditions the game should be declared forfeited."

Baseball Scores

INTERNATIONAL
Rochester 0-2, Newark 1-3.
Toronto 4, Syracuse 0.
PACIFIC COAST
San Francisco 6, Hollywood 4.
San Diego 11, Seattle 0.
Los Angeles 9, Oakland 6.
AMERICAN ASSOC'N
Louisville 5, St. Paul 0.
Louisville 4, St. Paul 10, second game.
Toledo 3, Milwaukee 7
Indianapolis 3, Minneapolis 12

Batting Leaders

Batting (three leaders in each League):

Player and Club	G	AB	R	H	Pct.
Stephens, Browns	34	122	19	45	.369
Walker, Cards	44	166	26	59	.355
Dahlgren, Phillies	45	154	16	56	.364
Hockett, Indians	36	162	20	55	.340
Gustine, Pirates	39	133	16	45	.338
Cullenbine, Ind'ns	9	126	17	39	.312

Runs bated in: American League—Siebert, Athletics 33; National League—Herman, Dodgers 42.

Home runs: American League—Keller, Yankees 8; National League—DiMaggio, Pirates 7.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Am. Smelt. & Ref.	40¾
American Tobacco	61
Anaconda	27
Beth. Steel	62
Canadian Pacific	9⅞
Eastman Kodak	163½
General Electric	37¾
General Motors	54¼
Howe Sound	36½
International Nickel	32½
Kenn Copper	30½
Stan. Oil of N.J.	56⅛
Union Carbide	82⅝
Union Pacific	97
U. S. Rubber	39½
U. S. Steel	54

Market Trends . . .

LONDON, June 15 (CP) — The Stock Market followed a steady course today in quiet trading.

Industrials finished about even and Home Rails were mostly improved, along with Oils and the development shares in Kaffirs.

NEW YORK—The recovery road was a bit rocky, although scattered Rails and Industrials were able to register moderate gains.

Transfers for the full proceedings were around 1,000,000 shares.

There was nothing in the way of a buying rush, and many customers either continued to stand aside or lighten accounts because of tax doubts and the expectation the President was preparing a new "hold-the-line" anti-inflation message for Congress.

TORONTO—Prices were shaken down a bit in quieter trading today and all four Index groups posted losses for the day. Volume was about 425,000 shares.

Industrial shares were weak in most groups, including the Senior Oils, Utilities, Foods, Steels and Miscellaneous issues.

MONTREAL—Downward trends ruled generally in transactions today.

Consolidated Smelters improved in Metals.

VANCOUVER—Mines remained firm but Oils continued on the downward path.

WINNIPEG—Wheat futures held firm in early stages today but eased slightly near the close to finish ½-⅝ cents a bushel lower. July was quoted at $1.00¼.

Good support was offered by mills and shippers. It was reported that United Kingdom interests had taken approximately 200,000 bushels of high-grade Manitoba wheat for export. In addition a small cargo was reported sold to Eire.

Oats and barley futures continued at ceiling levels and no trades were posted.

CHICAGO — Trading in wheat quieted down toward the close as the market firmed after early offerings were absorbed. Oats also were firm in the face of an active demand and offerings continued scarce. Rye strengthened with wheat.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

	High	Low	Close	Change
30 industrials	139.53	138.21	139.39	up .30
20 rails	35.16	34.62	35.12	up .35
15 utilities	20.15	19.76	20.10	up .12

Toronto Stock Quotations

MINES	
Anglo-Huronian	3.90
Beattie Gold Mines	1.30
Bidgood Kirkland	.30¾
Buffalo Ankerite	2.30
Castle-Trethewey	.85
Central Patricia	1.14
Chromium M. & S.	2.30
Coniaurum Mines	1.00
Consolidated M. & S.	44.15
Dome Mines	23.00
East Malartic	1.31
Eldorado Gold	.92
Falconbridge Nickel	4.00
Hollinger	9.70
Hudson Bay M. & S.	29.85
Internat. Nickel	36.50
Kerr-Addison	5.75
Lake Shore Mines	13.85
Lamaque Contact	4.75
Little Long Lac	.73
MacLeod Cockshutt	1.70
Madsen Red Lake	1.10
Malartic Gold	1.79
McIntyre-Porcupine	53.65
McKenzie Red Lake	.93
Mining Corporation	1.59
Nipissing Mining	1.64
Noranda	46.50
Normetal	.94
Pamour Porcupine	.80
Perron Gold	.77
Pickle Crow Gold	1.55
Preston East Dome	2.07
San Antonio Gold	2.90
Sherritt Gordon	.96
Sudbury Basin	1.01
Sullivan Cons.	.70
Sylvanite	1.75
Teck-Hughes Gold	2.90
Toburn Gold Mines	.68
Ventures	5.65
Wright Hargreaves	3.30
OILS	
British American	21.35
Imperial	14.50
Inter Petroleum	19.50
INDUSTRIALS	
Abitibi Power A	1.25
Bell Telephone	150
Braz. Tract.	25⅛
Brewers & Distillers	8½
B. C. Power "A"	26½
Can. Car & Foundry	9¼
Can. Malting	38½
Can. Pacific Rly.	11⅛
Can. Ind. Alcohol "A"	4⅞
Dominion Bridge	29
Distillers Seagrams	31¾
Ford of Canada "A"	23⅛
Hamilton Bridge	6½
Imperial Tobacco	10½
Montreal Power	25¾
Nat. Steel Car	52
Power Corp.	10
Steel of Can.	68

Gumbert Holds Reds as Cards Win 3-1

ST. LOUIS, June 15 (AP.) — While Outfielder Harry Walker ran his hitting streak to 22 consecutive games, lanky Harry Gumbert allowed a two-hitter today as St. Louis Cardinals nipped the Cincinnati Reds, 3-1 in the only contest of a scheduled double bill.

His performance and the Cards' ability to score thrice on the four blows Bucky Walters allowed sent the Cards into a three-game edge over the second-place Brooklyn Dodgers. Despite Walters' wildness the Cards couldn't score until the sixth—doing the job then on Marty Marion's double and two walks. In the seventh Walker Cooper singled home both Harry Walker who singled and Garms who walked.

Harry Walker's seventh-inning single sent him into a deadlock with teammates George Kurowski and Stan Musial for the League's consecutive hitting mark for the current season.

The postponed second game of the doubleheader will be played Thursday, an open date for both clubs.

First game:

Cincinnati	1	2	1
St. Louis	3	4	0

Walters and Webber, Dephillips (8); Gumbert and W. Cooper.

GIANTS TAKE DODGERS

NEW YORK, June 15 (AP.)—Ending a game that limped through two hours and 55 minutes, Joe Orengo pushed a run home with a single in the ninth inning today to give the Giants a 6-5 decision over Brooklyn Dodgers.

Orengo's hit, coming with two out, broke a tie that had lasted from the sixth inning.

The Giants piled up a 5-1 lead in the first five innings, largely on homers by Buster Maynard, Mel Ott and Bill Jurges, but the Brooklyns came to life with a three run rally in the fifth and tied it up by tagging Van Lingle Mungo for a run in the sixth.

Giant Manager Mel Ott was chased out of the game by the umpires at the end of the sixth after being struck out by Rube Melton.

Brooklyn	5	8	2
New York	6	11	3

Macon, Webber (1) R. Melton (6) Higbe (7) and Owen; C. Melton, Mungo (5) Adams (6) and Lombardi, Mancuso (4).

PHILS CAPTURE TWO

PHILADELPHIA, June 15 (AP.)—Outfielders Ron Northey and Coaker Triplett slugged the Phillies to a two-way victory over Boston Braves—6-4 and 2-1—before a ladies day crowd of 6679 today in the first swing-shift doubleheader in the major leagues.

The victories pushed the Phillies into fifth place in the National League standings, a game and a half ahead of the Braves whom they displaced.

Triplett clouted a homer and a three-bagger in the opener, accounting for four runs.

Northey blasted homers in his first trip to bat in both games and accounted for all the scoring in the second. He doubled Danny Mirtaugh home in the fifth inning of the second.

First game:

Boston	4	9	0
Philadelphia	6	7	0

Barret, Salvo (8) and Poland; Fuchs and Livingston.

Afternoon game:

Boston	1	6	1
Philadelphia	2	4	0

Odom and Man; Herheauser and Livingston.

GAIN TIE WITH REDS

PITTSBURGH, June 15 (AP.)—A four-run rally in the sixth inning today pulled Pittsburgh Pirates from behind, giving them a 4-2 victory over Chicago and a tie with Cincinnati for third place in the National League.

Lou Novikoff was the "goat" of the contest. He led off for Chicago in the second with a single but failed to touch second and was called out when Harry Lowrey drove a hard smash into right field. The play robbed Lowrey of a hit.

It was Rip Sewell's fourth straight triumph over Chicago and his seventh of the season against two setbacks.

Chicago	2	9	1
Pittsburgh	4	11	0

Prime, Wyse (6) Barrett (7) and McCullough, Hernandez (8); Sewell and Baker.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY, June 15 (CP) — Cattle 448; calves 5; hogs 1226.

Medium to good butcher steers 11.25-11.75. Good to choice heifers 10.75-11.50; common to medium 9.50-10.50. Good cows 9-9.50; common to medium 7.50-8.75; canners and cutters 5-7. Medium to good fed calves 11.25-11.85. Good bulls 9-9.85; common to medium 7.75-8.75. Good to choice veal calves 12.50-13.50; common to medium 10-12.

Hogs yesterday 15.40 for B1 yards and plants; sows 10.00 live weight yards; 12.40 dressed yards and plants.

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Island Mountain	.68	.75
Kootenay Belle	.23	—
Pend Oreille	1.75	—
Pioneer Gold	—	1.95
Premier Gold	.80	.85
Privateer	.37	.38
Reeves MacDon	.25	.35
Reno Gold	.03	.03¾
Sheep Creek	.92	—
Whitewater	.02½	.03
Ymir Yankee G	.08½	—
OILS		
Anglo Canadian	.68	.73
A P Cons	.12	—
Cal & Ed	1.55	1.60
Commoil	.17	.20
Commonwealth	.24	.27
Home	3.30	3.40
Mercury	.06⅝	—
Okalta Com	.60	—
Pacific Pete	.44	.45
Royal Canadian	.03	.04
Royalite	23.50	—
United	.07¼	.08½
Vanalta	.07½	.08¼
INDUSTRIALS		
Capital Estates	2.50	3.00
Coast Breweries	1.22	1.35

WINNIPEG GRAIN

WINNIPEG, June 15 (CP)—Grain futures quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
July	100¾	101⅜	100⅛	100¼
Oct.	102⅛	102¾	101⅜	101⅝
Dec.	102¾	103⅜	102	102⅛
OATS—				
July	—	—	—	51½
Oct.	—	—	—	51½
Dec.	—	—	—	51½
BARLEY—				
July	—	—	—	64¾
Oct.	—	—	—	64¾
Dec.	—	—	—	64¾
RYE—				
July	88⅛	88½	88	88¼
Oct.	89⅝	90⅛	89⅝	89⅞
Dec.	90⅛	90⅝	90⅛	90⅜

Cash Prices:

Wheat—Nos. 1 Hard and 1 Nor. 101⅛; No. 2 Nor. 96⅞; No. 3 Nor. 94; No 4 Nor. 88¾; No. 5, 85¾; No. 6, 83; Feed 82¼; No. 1 Garnet 94¾; No. 2 Garnet 93¾; No. 3 Garnet 92¼; No. 1 Durum 108¼; No. 1 A.R.W. 100¼.

Oats—No. 2 C.W., Ex. 3 C.W., and Nos. 1 and 2 Feed all 51½; No. 3 Feed 50½.

Barley—Malting grades: 6- and 2-row Nos. 1 and 2 C.W. 64¾; 6-row No. 3 C.W. 64¾. Others: Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Feed 64¾.

Rye—No. 2 C.W. 87¾.

SPORTS

Yankees Wallop Senators to Boost Lead

WASHINGTON, June 15 (AP.—New York Yankees exploded for seven runs in the eighth inning to trounce Washington 9-4 before 15,000 customers tonight. The victory boosted the Yankees first-place lead to four games.

New York	9	11	1
Washington	5	9	1

Wensloff, Murphy (8) and Sears; Leonard, Carrasquel (8) and Early.

STEPHENS, LAABS SHINE

CHICAGO, June 15 (AP)—Vern Stephens, with a home run and single, and Chet Laabs, with two doubles and a single, led St. Louis Browns to a 5-2 victory over Chicago White Sox before 19,052 fans here tonight.

Luke Appling tried a one-man reprisal against Steve Sundra, smashing out two doubles and a single in his first three trips to the plate.

Johnny Humphries was the victim of the Browns' 13-hit attack, which included five extra-base blows. Stephens' homer, his fifth of the season, came in the eighth after Laabs doubled.

St. Louis	5	13	1
Chicago	2	7	0

Sundra and Ferrell; Humhpries, Maltzberger (9) and Tresh.

A's WIN TWO

BOSTON, June 15 (AP)—Philadelphia Athletics opened a five-game stand here today by winning both pieces of a twin bill with Boston Red Sox, 7-4 and the nightcap 4-2.

In the opener Manager Joe Cronin of the Red Sox slammed out his first home run of the season in the seventh, scoring three runs.

The Athletics' pitcher Jesse Flores won his eighth game of the season by keeping hits well scattered in the second game.

FIRST GAME:

Philadelphia	7	11	3
Boston	4	11	2

Harris, Fagan (9) and Swift; Judd, Brown (5) Karl (8) and Partee.

SECOND GAME:

Philadelphia	4	6	0
Boston	2	9	1

Flores, Wolff (9) and Wagner; N. Newsome, Ryba (4) and Conroy.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
Associated Press Sport Writer

NEW YORK, June 15 (AP)—Ned Irish is laying plans for a college basketball season at Madison Square Garden next Winter, though he admits it probably won't be basketball as usual . . . the figures he can fall back on service teams to fill dates, but he can't count on them right now. . . .

ONE MINUTE SPORTS PAGE

If that 30-day harness race meeting at Empire City goes through, trotting horse men would like to have the Hambeltonian race there to draw the crowds. But Bill Cane is so anxious to preserve the Goshen "tradition" for the Hambeltonian that he even has considered holding the meet there without betting. . . .

TODAY'S GUEST STAR

Lee Dunbar, Oakland (Calif.) Tribune: "San Diego's Padres, hard up for pitchers, are recommended to investigate Jiggs, a chimpanzee at the San Diego Zoo. Jiggs has been known to hurl an orange 300 feet with bullet-like speed. He's a southpaw and might fit perfectly into the Padre picture."

JUST A HANDY GUY

Bud Foster, the Wisconsin cage coach, has been entertaining diners-out with this explanation of how Johnny Kotz became such a fine one-handed basketball shot that he topped the big ten scoring last Winter . . . Johnny, Foster explains, reported that when they held the sixth grade basketball tryouts at Rhinelander, Wis., some years ago. He was given a pair of trunks that were too large for him "so he had to shoot with one hand and hold up his pants with the other."

Fastball Lassies to Play Junior Boys Here Tonight

Nelson lady rep fastball squad will tangle with another of Nelson Junior Boys Fastball League teams when they take on the St. Joseph's in tonight's game at six o'clock.

Last Sunday the girls lost a fast game to the Farmers, and this Sunday Slim Porter will put his proteges up against the other Boys Junior squad known as the Bulldogs. After that they will probably take on the last place Leopards of the Men's League. Ladies asked to turn out for tonight's game include Gillett, Stangherlin, Procter, Kubin, Moran, Coletti, St. Germain, Trozzo, Wallace, DeLucrezio, Arlt and Wigg.

Dahlgren Batting Average Slips

NEW YORK, June 15 (AP)—Babe Dahlgren, Philadelphia infielder, seems determined to retain the batting leadership of the National League until he is called into military service.

Dahlgren's batting average dropped from .367 to .359 during the last week. It left him just three points above Harry (Little Dixie) Walker of the Cardinals.

Stan Musial, another Cardinal, drifted downward from .352 to .333 and fourth place, just two points back of Frank McCormick of Cincinnati, who fattened his average from .325 to .335.

The other leading hitters in the senior circuit were Frank Gustine, Pittsburgh .328; Billy Herman, Brooklyn .326; Lonnie Frey, Cincinnati .324; Stan Hack, Chicago .318; Tommy Holmes, Boston .317; and George Kurowski, St. Louis .311.

BALL STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	31	15	.674
Brooklyn	31	21	.596
Cincinnati	31	21	.596
Pittsburgh	24	22	.522
Philadelphia	23	23	.500
Boston	20	23	.465
New York	18	30	.375
Chicago	16	31	.340
AMERICAN LEAGUE			
New York	28	17	.622
Washington	26	23	.531
Detroit	23	21	.523
Philadelphia	26	24	.520
Chicago	19	22	.463
Boston	23	27	.460
Cleveland	21	26	.447
St. Louis	18	24	.429

Hockett Out for Batting Title

CHICAGO, June 15 (AP.) —The Cleveland Indians' outfielder, Oris Hockett is out to make a new name for himself this year—"batting champion of the American League."

When and if the current leader, Vernon Stephens of St. Louis Browns, goes into the service, Hockett intends to be ready for the job as pace-maker.

Hockett has been stringing along behind Stephens most of the season, holding on around the .340 rung which is his mark, up to today's action. Stephens held his average steady at .369 for the week to lead Hockett by 29 points.

Hockett's nearest pursuer is teammate Roy Cullenbine who is at .312. Next are Dick Wakefield of Detroit at .309 and Pinky Higgins of Detroit at .308.

Podgajny Traded to Pittsburgh

PHILADELPHIA, June 15 (AP) —The Phillies traded righthanded pitcher, Johnny Podgajny, to Pittsburgh Pirates tonight for another righthander, Lloyd Arthur Dietz.

The swap, involving no cash, was made in the last hour before the midnight deadline for Major League trades.

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CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: LUST OF POWER IS THE MOST FLAGRANT OF ALL THE PASSIONS—TACITUS.

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

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Hart and Maitland Warn C.C.F. Policy Will Lead to Totalitarian State

VICTORIA, June 15 (CP)—Premier Hart and Attorney-General Maitland today issued the following joint statement on behalf of the Cabinet touching on the Cooperative Commonwealth Federation victory in the Revelstoke by-election:

The result of this election indicates clearly the extent to which the public of this Province has been affected by the advancement and reiteration in many guises of the doctrine of Socialism.

The outbreak of war was seized upon by the C.C.F. as its opportunity, and they have not failed to use it.

They have been carrying on their political campaign day in and day out ever since; while the other Parties, rightly or wrongly, have refrained from active political propaganda.

The record of the Government was never in question.

The issue was whether or not we should change from our present free system of Government to State control and ownership. The vote supported the advocates of State control.

The result of this by-election should awaken the people to a realization of the fundamental issue and challenge regarding the future economy of the country.

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Asks Gyros to Oppose Advances on Duck Lake

C. P. Sissons, Editor of "Game Trails" spoke briefly to the Gyro Club Monday and appealed to the members to oppose any advances on Duck Lake by private enterprises. "If Duck Lake were taken over for any other purpose than for duck hunting, it would be a tragedy in the Kootenays," he said.

J. E. McCormack, Wartime Salvage Ltd., described the salvage collection throughout the Dominion.

J. J. McEwen reported briefly on the convention at Princeton of the Fish, Game and Forest Protective Association, which he attended.

Two piano solos, played by Miss Shirley Herron with finished style, and Miss Frances Prestley sang two lovely vocal solos, accompanied at the piano by Miss Herron.

B. Elliott of Vancouver was a guest.

President B. C. Poulsen was Chairman.

House B Takes Lead in Cranbrook High Softball Play

CRANBROOK, B. C. — Although the Inter-House Softball League at the High School hasn't yet reached the halfway mark, House A and House C have tacitly agreed to concede the championship to House B without further play.

House B laconically ran up a 38-24 score against House A in a game of offensive play, then squelched House C to the tune of 34-7, when their batting order loped the circuit with the clockwork precision of merry-go-round horses.

House B has decided to maintain itself as a District unit and take on all comers. Their initial struggle outside the school melee will be a game against St. Eugene Mission boys at the Mission a week from next Sunday.

House B lieup reads: Stan Eberlein, p.; Bruce Miller, c.; Mickey Procter, 1b.; Bud Dunlop, 2b.; Birdie Price, 3b.; Dick Joyce, ss.; Eugene McGrath, rf.; Bill Huxtable, cf.; and Dave McKay, rf.

Private Funeral for A. Charles

Private funeral service for Andrew Charles, resident of Nelson for the past year and a former Victorian, were held Tuesday from Somers Funeral Home Chapel. Rev. J. G. Holmes took the service. Interment was in Nelson Memorial Park.

Mr. Charles, who before coming to Nelson with his wife a year ago, died Sunday at Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

ROBSON W. I. GIVEN TALK ON ADOPTIONS

ROBSON, B. C. — The monthly meeting of the Robson Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. T. Martin with the President, Mrs. Foxlee, in the chair.

Mrs. Ballard of the Cemetery Committee reported circular letters were sent to relatives for the upkeep of the graves asking for their financial support.

Mrs. R. Berry reported a party for High School Students would be given after the examinations were over.

A letter from Mrs. MacCabe expressing pleasure at the work of the Girl Guides.

A special meeting will be held July 25, when Mrs. MacLachlan, Superintendent of Institutes, will visit the Institute.

Arrangements will be made for a garden party at Mrs. Quance's home later in the month.

Mrs. Tutt reported for the Red Cross work, asking again for more help, especially for donations.

Tea was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Martin and Mrs. R. Berry.

Miss York, Welfare worker, addressed the meeting, and gave a talk on adoption of children. She spoke of the splendid system of legislation in which the child as well as the adopting parents were protected.

The Red Cross Report:

4 pair girls' pyjamas, 3 women's dresses, 11 women's slips, 12 handkerchiefs, 6 pair sleepers, 3 helmets, 1 ribbed helmet, 3 body belts, 2 pair seamans' socks, 1 pair panties, donation, 3 crib quilts.

Cranbrook A.A.A. Again to Rent Arena

CRANBROOK, B. C.—Renewal of the rental agreement between the City, owner of the Arena skating Rink, and the Cranbrook Amateur Athletic Association was agreed on at the City Council meeting, when three Association representatives were present. They were Reg. Snanz, James Davidson and R. B. Mitchell.

Through them the Association agreed to make necessary minor repairs at the rink. The rental is unchanged at $125 for the season, with the Council granting the Association water and light accounts for the season not in excess of $125.

The new agreement will have a special clause stipulating the building be returned to the City in the same state of repair in which it was originally rented.

One hundred and fifty women have been trained to drive road motor vehicles for the London, Midland and Scottish Railway. They pilot three-ton lorries, mechanical horses and platform tractors.

Fine Cranbrook Man $25 for Taking Truck Out of Bounds

CRANBROK, B.C.—Seven Police Court cases were heard during the past month, all resulting in convictions with fines and costs paid totalling $142, according to the Cranbrook Detachment report of the Provincial Police to this City.

Initial case of its kind, John Salvador, Jr., was fined $25 and costs for taking his motor vehicle outside the 35-mile radius permitted trucks from their registration address. Three cases concerned liquor, and one each vagrancy, Motor Vehicle Act and a National Registration case of failure to report a change of address.

During the month not one item of property was reported lost or stolen, nor was there a single breaking and entering case reported.

Slocan Park School Wins Softball

SLOCAN PARK, B. C.—On Friday the Slocan Park School softball teams once more played Passmore School and won the game by one run. The score score was Slocan Park 12, Passmore 11.

LONDON (CP) — Motoring in safety at 100 miles an hour along 3000 miles of high-speed roads is envisaged in a report on the postwar development of highways by the British Institution of Highway Engineers.

Boys' and Girls' Victory Gardens Show Up Well

Seventy-six boys and girls in Central, Hume, St. Joseph's and the Junior High Schools have entered Nelson Rotary Club's Victory Garden contest. The Club through its Boys' Work Committee is offering prizes totalling $40. H. D. Dawson is Chairman of the Committee.

Number of girls entered is slightly greater than the number of boys, and Mr. Dawson said yesterday that the entrants seemed to be doing an amazingly good job with their gardens.

A dozen students of St. Joseph's have plotted out Victory gardens on a couple of lots at the corner of Robson and Ward and their work is impressing passers-by for its neatness and the showing of vegetable plants.

Judges are E. C. Hunt, Ald. H. H. Hinitt and Jack Holt, the City Gardener. Members of Mr. Dawson's Boys' Work Committee are W. J. Hipperson, C. W. Tyler and Alex H. Allan.

Mr. Dawson and Ald. Hinitt made a preliminary tour of about 20 gardens on Sunday. They were delighted at the showing the contestants are making. Favorite vegetables are carrots, beans, peas and beets, two of which are compulsory for every contestant. Swiss chard, onions and spinach are among other vegetables noticed on the plots.

The mother of one boy told Mr. Dawson and Ald. Hinitt that all the vegetables used in their home this Spring had come from the boy's Victory Garden.

Jack Miller Enlists in R.C.A.F. as Air Gunner

F. J. Miller, for some years with the Nelson Transfer Company as automobile salesman, leaves by car this morning for Calgary to join the R.C.A.F. as air gunner. He expects to be stationed for training at Edmonton.

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Rice Lacks Pep, for Race Duel

NEW YORK, June 15 (AP.) — J. Gregory Rice, the other half of the heralded Rice-Gunder Haegg foot-racing duel, hasn't sent in his entry for Sunday's National A.A.U. track and field championships and he confesses a notable lack of enthusiasm about his impending clash with the swift Swede. But the chances are that he will be on hand to give Haegg some real opposition.

Rice explained today that his failure to fill out an entry blank was due to the fact that he hasn't received official permission to compete from his superior officer at the United States Maritime School at Kings Point, Long Island. He seemed confident, however, that it was merely a matter of waiting until a change of orders comes through official channels.

As for his chances of beating Haegg, whose best time for 5000 metres is his world record of 13:58.2 as compared to Rice's 14:33.4, that's where Greg just can't get steamed up. He's in fine physical condition, he says, although he hasn't had much time for training. But he adds: "I don't have the enthusiasm I should have."

It was pointed out that Haegg might not be in top physical condition after a long voyage from Sweden on a tanker followed by only a short training period. Haegg suffered a slight cut on his knee today when he wound up a training session at Dartmouth by trying to make a four-foot high jump.

"His lack of training might even things up," Rice admitted, "but there's still 35 seconds between us and that's a lot to make up in a race."

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KASLO

KASLO, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mackenzie have as guests their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Pugh, and little daughter Margaret of Vernon. They leave shortly to join Mr. Pugh in the East.

L.-Cpl. Gordon Gibson has left for Calgary after spending two weeks here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. George Gibson.

Pte. Arthur Bennett, R.C.O.C., Kingston, Ont., is visiting his mother in Kaslo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Howard and two daughters of Brandon, Man., have purchased the Creed Home at South Fork, arriving here recently. Mr. Creed will make his home in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ridgway of Trail were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sammons at Shutty Bench.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Paterson and baby Jeffrey of Nelson visited Mr. and Mrs. John Paterson in Kaslo.

Louise Furlak, who is attached to the Women's Division, R.C.A.F., has returned to her duties after visiting Shutty Bench.

Percy Amas was a visitor to Nelson Thursday.

Mrs. J. Sydall of Shutty Bench shopped in Nelson.

Dr. and Mrs. George Gibson and Miss Elizabeth McNab motored to Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Garland and two children have returned to Trail after several days spent in Kaslo. They were guests of Mr. Garland's mother while in Kaslo. Clarke Bowker returned to Trail with them and will spend a few days as their guest.

KASLO, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Green have as guests their daughter, Mrs. John Dawson and granddaughter Mary of Okanogan, Wash.

Guests in the city from Riondel at the weekend included, Mrs. G. Davis, Mrs. J. Sime, Mrs. F. Dumas, Mrs. Woods and Mrs. J. Sutcliffe.

Mrs. Hugh Jones was a visitor to Nelson Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Waters and children of Nelson are guests of Mrs. C. Lind, Mrs. Waters' mother.

Miss Sadie Tait visited New Denver, Slocan and Lemon Creek

Miss Fern German and Lac. Ralph Gibbons, who were guests of Mrs. Clara Moore at her Mirror Lake home for a week, have returned to Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bailey of Nelson spent several days in Kaslo on a fishing trip.

Mrs. Ray Hughes of Ainsworth visited friends in Kaslo.

E. McClellan of Kimberley is visiting his brother John McLellan here.

Mr. and Mrs T. Allen have as guests Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. Davidson and little daughter of Red Deer.

Mrs. S. S. Fowler of Riondel, who has been a patient in Victorian Hospital, has returned home.

Bats are not blind, but their vision is acute during day as well as night.

F.A.C. Trounces Boxla Adanacs

Fairview Athletic Club's bantam boxla squad came out on top of their rivals, the Adanacs, in the last 15 minutes of play when five goals down, they surged ahead to tie it up and then pile up a big lead. They won 15-7.

The Adanacs were without their regular goalie, Fred Smith, and the F.A.C.'s were minus Defenceman Dennis Colman.

START SERIES

Next Thursday will see the start of a best-of-three playoff series for the bantam championship. Only players who have participated in at least two league games will be eligible.

For the winners Bobby Brooks led the parade with eight goals. Harold Kuhn came next with five and one assist. Jimmy Todd netted the ball once and handed out four assists. Goalie Freno scored once and gave two assists. Roy Brooks was the only other F.A.C. point-getter when he assisted brother Bob on a goal. Penalties went to Bob Brooks with four minutes, Freno, four, and Holmes, two.

On the losers lineup Kennedy snared two and assisted on three others, Buchanan was next with two, while Neilson, Valentine and Irwin were good for one each. Jones was credited with an assist. Kennedy, Jones and Stainton received penalties.

Referee was Ryans, Timkeeper, Silm Porter.

FARMERS ASK OPEN SEASON ON DOES

CRANBROOK, B.C.—As a hopeful step toward thinning out the herds of deer which are making serious inroads into hay and grain fields of the Windermere and Columbia Valley, the District Central Farmers' Institute recently passed a resolution to be forwarded to the proper authorities.

It advocated two moves. First was the declaration of an open season on does. Second was organization by the Game Commission of a party of hunters of recognized ability to thin out the deer of the vicinity.

The resolution further recommended that the hunters of the party be qualified to dress the meat so that it could be economically disposed of through recognized channels, either to the public or to the armed forces.

Deer, apparently quite fearless, have been invading fields all Spring in herds up to a hundred. The Eastern boundary of the two valleys is Kootenay National Park, for over 20 years a game sanctuary, and this has helped the steady annual increase of the deer population of the district.

Montgomery-Greco Bout June 25

NEW YORK, June 15 (CP)—The 10-round non-title fight between Bob Montgomery, lightweight champion in New York and Pennsylvania, and Private Johnny Greco of Montreal and the Canadian Army today was shifted from the afternoon of June 26 to the night of June 25. It will be held in the Yankee Stadium.

The date was changed, according to Promoter Mike Jacobs, to avoid conflict with baseball at the Polo Grounds, which is just across the river from the Stadium, and racing at Aqueduct. The main bout will go on at 6 p.m. P.D.T.

BELFAST, (CP)—There was a real field day when a strike stopped egg shipments from Ulster to Britain. There was such a vast accumulation of eggs that Food Ministry officials decided to release some for immediate consumption rather than let them go stale. Most people are lucky if they get an egg a month but Belfast dealers were allowed to exceed the ration and thousands went home with a dozen eggs—in some cases grocers allocated six eggs per person.

SLOCAN PARK

SLOCAN PARK, B.C.—Miss Dorreen Cheveldave entertained a number of guests on the occasion of her thirteenth birthday.

Miss Crebbin was a visitor to Rossland, guest of Mrs. A. T. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin of Balfour were weekend guests of Mrs. O. Storbo.

Rev. T. Wilkinson is spending a few weeks at the Park.

Mrs. William Famenoff of Castlegar is spending a few days at the Park with her mother, Mrs. G. Padowinchoff.

Miss Mary Polonikoff, Miss Polly Polonikoff and Miss Tiny Popoff visited Slocan City.

Mrs. Alex Naychinkoff is a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital at Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Polonikoff and their daughter Julia of Rossland were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Polonikoff.

BIRMINGHAM, England (CP)—Lily Audley, 19-year-old munitions worker, bicycles daily to the factory where she works. So do millions of other workers—but Lily is different. She cycles with two artificial legs. She was back at work 10 months after she lost her limbs when her home was bombed in Nov. 1940.

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PUBLIC MEETING
The Citizens of Nelson are invited to hear the story of the Navy League of Canada given by Davie H. Gibson, C.B.E., Dominion President of this organization at a Public Meeting Thursday, June 17th, at City Hall at 8 p.m.—Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness and sympathy extended to us during the time of our sorrow in the loss of a loving wife and mother. Mr. Fred Parker and Family, Rossland.

A letter from Mrs. K. Davidson, Matron, "Arthur's Home for Girls", Bognor, Regis.

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Interpreting The War News

By GLENN BABB
Associated Press War Analyst

Generals Stilwell and Chennault, who lead the small American forces supporting China's fight are back at their posts of command. They have returned to a situation far more hopeful than that of two months ago, when they flew to Washington.

When the two generals left China it was generally agreed that there were three fronts in the global conflict on which it was possible for the enemy to inflict a catastrophic defeat on the Allies. These were the Atlantic, Russia and China, with the menace greatest in China.

It is entirely possible that the Allies are over the hump in all three theatres. The evidence grows that the submarine is being defeated.

As for Russia and China, the continued inactivity of the Axis armies there presents the biggest current question mark of the war. Why has not Hitler launched his "supreme gambler's throw," his third attempt to destroy the Red Army? Why have not the Japanese done something effective about knocking China out of the war?

BIG ATTACK COMING?

The answer may come soon in a form that will mean a rude awakening from the visions of early victory now held by such a large portion of the Allied publics. The answer may be that both Germany and Japan are preparing something really big, either separately or together.

If together, it might take the form of that long-discussed Japanese attack on Siberia synchronized with Hitler's drive from the West. But the good June weeks are slipping by and still the Axis blows are withheld.

In Hitler's case it may be that he already feels that the Western Allies' attack is too imminent to permit him to commit the greater part of his resources to the Russian offensive. As for Japan, it is possible that her forces already are stretched too thin to hold the outposts of the great Empire she has overrun to permit of the concentration of the necessary striking power for an offensive in any single theatre.

Japan has the Burma front to hold, 5000 miles from home, against an almost certain Allied major attack this Autumn. In the South Pacific the campaign of attrition is bleeding her sorely.

If the Japanese let this Summer slip by without attacking it probably will be too late then for them to do serious harm either to China or Russia.

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